

LOS ANGELES PSYCHOANALYTIC SOCIETY
Business Meeting

Time: Thursday, October 27, 1965, 7:30 p.m.

Place: 344 North Bedford Drive, Beverly Hills

Minutes of the Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:37 p.m. by Dr. Leavitt, President. There were 46 members present.

1. The minutes of the meeting of September 16, 1965, were accepted as distributed.

2. Membership Committee - Dr. Atkins:

a. Dr. Rita Spies was elected to Active Membership in the Society.

b. Dr. Atkins announced the applications of Drs. David Abrahams, Lee Gold, and Caroline Hays for Active Membership in the Society.

3. Christmas Party:

Dr. Leavitt informed the members of the coming Christmas party, which will take place on December 17, 1965. Dr. Obler, Arrangements Committee Chairman, questioned the Society concerning the form which this party should take. After brief discussion, contributed to by Drs. Sperling, Bird, and Futterman, it was decided by vote that we will have a cocktail party, consisting of drinks and snacks only, with no meal to be served.

4. Annual Meeting:

Dr. Leavitt presented to the Society, for its later consideration and decision, a question of whether we may hold an annual affair of the Society, perhaps tied to an installation of new officers.

5. Announcements:

a. Dr. Leavitt announced the following:

1) There will be a meeting sponsored by the Romance Language Psychoanalysts in Europe on October 29, 1965, There appeared to be no rush for tickets.

2) The West-Coast Psychoanalytic Societies will meet in San Francisco in the fall of 1966. Concerning this meeting, there were two points noted. First, a request has been made for papers for presentation at that meeting. They should be addressed to our Program Committee Chairman, Dr. Malin. Second, the San Francisco sponsors appear to want or need reassurance that the meetings are desired. Sentiment in the Society is that they are.

6. New Business:

A motion to appeal a ruling of the Chair (that a statement by Drs. Aronson and Ekstein was out of order) was defeated by a large majority.

There being no further business to transact, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Melvin Mandel, M. D.
Secretary

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The meeting was called to order at 7:15 p.m. by Mr. Leavitt, President. There were 12 members present. The minutes of the meeting held on October 10, 1955, were accepted as distributed. The following resolutions were adopted:

1. That the Executive Committee be authorized to accept the applications of Mr. Leavitt, Mrs. Leavitt, and Mr. Leavitt, Jr. as members of the Society.

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