

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE CAPE CENTRE HELD AT THE
S.A.A.O. ON THURSDAY 1975 AUGUST 28 AT 20h00

Present: Mr C. Turk in the Chair, the Honorary Secretary Mr C. Larmuth and committee members Miss P. Booth, Messrs J. Bondiotti, J. Churms, W. Grimwood, R. Hurly, G. Larmuth, B. Molyneux and N. Saville.

The minutes of the meeting of the committee held on 1975 July 15 were read by the Secretary and signed by the Chairman as correct. Arising from these minutes Mr G. Larmuth reported that he had written to Mr D. Overbeek but to date had received no reply.

The Treasurer reported that the Centre's finances stood at the sum of R186,60, and that fifty-four subscriptions for the 1975/76 year had been received. He also said that new membership cards were required. He was authorised to spend up to R20,00 for printing them.

Speakers for Centre meetings were then discussed. Mr Hurly undertook to provide a space film for the September 10 meeting. Possible speakers for the October 8 meeting were Professor Cillié, Dr Fairall, Rear Admiral Walters or Mr Shipley. It was suggested that Dr Wild be asked if he knew of anyone at UCT who might speak at a Centre meeting. The Secretary would write to Professor Cillié and contact Rear Admiral Walters. Mr Martin of the S.A.A.O. might be a speaker for the meeting on November 12.

It was agreed that the annual observing evening in February should be cancelled in 1976 as poor attendance had been the pattern in previous years. An observing evening with members bringing their own telescopes to the S.A.A.O. might be held in April or May 1976. Mr Hurly suggested that another outing to Sutherland be organised in 1976.

The Chairman closed the meeting at 21h30.

Signed as correct



Chairman