Scottsville Literary Society
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The first meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society for the season of 1897-1898, was held at the home of J. C. McLean, Oct. 4, 1897. S. H. Frequent.

Prof. F. H. Brown, Chairman.

Program.

Music — By the orchestra.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Reminiscences of the summer vacation by the members.

Recitations — Mrs. Chas. S. Ellis.

Piano solo — Miss Pauline Stewart.

Report of committee on program for the year, submitted and adopted.

Motion made, seconded, and carried that current topics be introduced into each program during the year.

Motion made, seconded, and carried that the meetings of the society begin at 7:30 o'clock instead of 8:00.

Election of Emmeline Moore as secretary for the ensuing year.

The following persons were elected members...
Of the society:
Wife Henderson, Teacher
Mrs. Mr. Garbutt
Mr. Robins
Mrs. Geo. Pope

Adjournment

E. Moore, Sec.
The second regular meeting of the Scotstville Literary Society was held at the home of Commander Hanford, Oct. 15, 1877. Mr. J.G. Brown, Chrm.

The following program was read:
- Piano duet
- Pieces: Henderson & Will.
- Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.
- Topical subject: The history of the U.S. at the beginning of the 19th century.
- Additional rules and laws adopted.
- Mr. Philip Bartlett
- The cruise of the Alert.
- Commander Hanford

Motion made, seconded, and carried that a vote of thanks be extended to Capt. Hanford for his very interesting account of his cruise on the Alert.

Report of committee on program for the next meeting submitted and accepted.

Appointments of the following persons as committee to arrange programs for the next two meetings: Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Frager, Mrs. J.G. Brown.

Adjournment.

E. Moor, Sec.
The third regular meeting of the
Scotstoun Literary Society was held at
the home of Mrs. J. F. McKinnon, Nov. 1, 1897.
Mrs. W. McKinnon, Chair.

The following program was rendered:
Piano solo - by Miss Pauline Stewart.
Minutes of the last meeting read and
approved.
Topical Subject: Advance in Legal Science
and Practice.
Mrs. S. S. Brown.
Current Topics - Mrs. Edward Bristow.
Quotations from American poets by each
member.
Piano solo - by Miss Gertrude Jones.
Report of committee on program for next
meeting submitted and approved.
Adjournment:
C. Moore, S.T.A.
The fourth regular meeting of the Scotchville Literary Society was held at the home of Rev. Edvard Bristol, November 15th, 1897. Mrs. Bristol presiding.

The following programme was rendered:

- Initial subject: Countries opened to civilization during the century.

  * Mrs. J. H. Broom

- Recitation: Miss Clarissa Buildon

- Current topic: Mrs. Elza J. Ellis

- The Hawaiian Islands: Commander Hareford

Program for next meeting submitted and accepted.

Adjournment: E. Horne, Sec'y.
The fifth regular meeting of the Sparta Valley Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Eliza Jones, November 29, 1894.

The following program was rendered:

1. Instrumental solo, Miss Jones.
2. Minutes of previous meeting read by Miss Holder, secretary pro tem.
4. Inventors and inventions of the century, Miss Katie Hahn.
5. Piano solo, Miss Jones.
6. Current topics, Miss Florence Budlong.

Program for next meeting read and the society adjourned.

Concl. Mr. Philip Garrett

Miss Ruby and Miss House

E. Howard, sec. For year.
The sixth regular meeting of the Southfield Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Geo. Slocum, Dec. 18, 1897.

Mr. Slocum, Presiding.

The following program was read:

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Progress of the public schools in the nineteenth century.

Prof. F. H. Brown.

The present condition of the Hawaiian Islands.


Current topics. Mr. Elbert Miller.

Bits of wisdom from "Josh Billings" by each member.

Program of next meeting read, accepted.

Motion made, recorded and carried that the names of the following persons be enrolled as members of the Southfield Literary Society: Mr. and Mrs. Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lord.

Adjournment.

E. Moore, Sec.
The seventh regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. W. F. Lime Jan 3, 1895.
Mr. Albert Miller, Pres.

The following program was rendered:

- Electrical Railroads and Railwading
  - Mr. de Grand, Vermont
- Recitation - Emmeline Moore
- Current Topics - Mrs. J. C. McLellan
- Conundrums by each member.

Report of committee on program for next meeting submitted and accepted.

Third made, recorded and carried that the names of the following persons be enrolled as members of the Scottsville Literary Society:

- Miss Burrell
- Miss Bafferty
- Miss Kellogg

Adj.

E. Moore, Sec.
The eighth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. J. O. McVean, Jan. 17, 1875, Mrs. Gordon presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Music - Piano solo of Miss Rafferty.
Report of secretary.

Topical Subject - Some painters and picture of the nineteenth century.
Miss Boyd.
Piano solo - Miss Round.
Singers of the century.
Mrs. Win. J. Howe.
Applications of electricity in modern life.
Mrs. John Scofield.
Piano solo - Miss Turner.
Current Topics - Mr. Gordon.

Appointment of the following persons temporary committee on programs:
Mrs. F. H. Brown, Mrs. Scofield, Mr. J. S. Brown.

Motion made, seconded, and carried.
that the name of Miss Clara Beam be enrolled as a member of the Scotia
gle Literary Society.

Reports of program committee submitted
and accepted.

The following persons were appointed

to prepare program for the next
meeting:

Mrs. Gordon,
Miss Moore,
Mrs. Palmer.

Adjourned.

E. Moore, Dec.
The ninth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of the Rev. J. Brown, Jan. 31, 1878.

The following program was rendered:

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Miss White.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Topical Subject: Women in Science.

Mrs. Troup.

Humorous reading.

Mrs. Henderson.

Advances in Christianity during the century.

Mrs. Porter.

Mrs. Elbert Miller.

Current Topics.

Mrs. Gordon.

Mrs. Haber.

Report of committee on program for next meeting submitted, and adopted.

Motion made, seconded, and carried that the name of Miss White be enrolled as a member of the Scottsville Literary Society.
The following committee were appointed to prepare programs for the next two meetings:

- Mrs. Seear
- Mrs. Elliott
- Mrs. White

Adj.  

E. Mom, Sec.
The tenth regular meeting of the Scotstown Literary Society was held at the home of Rev. Edward Bristol, Feb. 14, 1857.

Mr. Bristol Presiding.

The following program was read:

Report of the Secretary.

Tentative Subject: "War of the Century in the U.S., thin causes and results.

Miss Wells.

Original Valentines by each member.

Current topics: Mr. Tracey.

Humorous Selection: Miss Clarice Rutter.

Program for next meeting submitted and accepted.

Adj.

E. Woonce Sec.
The eleventh regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Palmer, February 25, 1898. Mr. Palmer presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Vocal duet: Mrs. Willard and Mrs. Amy
Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.
Sketch of Miss Frances E. Willard
Mrs. Charles Elly

Piano solo: Miss Clarissa Read.
Principal Regions, poets of the Century:
Rev. R. O. Searcy.

Current Topics: Mr. Philip Garbett.
A Talk on the Maine Minister:
Col. Franklin Howland.

Question Box. Mrs. Bristol
Vocal solo: Mrs. Elbert Willard.

Motion: grade, recorded, and carried. The names of the following persons be enrolled as members of the Scottsville Literary Society.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox
Miss Cargill

Report of committee on program submitted and accepted.

Committee on program for the next two meetings:
Mr. Gordon
Miss Mary Hahn
Miss Elspeth Bunting

Adj.

E. Moore, Sec.
The twelfth regular meeting of
the Pooleville Literary Society was held at the home of Mrs. S. P. Brown
March 14, 1795.

Mrs. S. P. Brown Presiding.
The following program was read:

Minutes of the last meeting
read and approved.

Reading - Gerard's College
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Recitation - Miss Elisabeth Stewart
Current Topics - Mrs. Robbins
Proverbs by each member.

Program for next meeting
submitted and accepted.

Motions made, seconded, and
carried that the following persons
be enrolled as members of the Pooleville Literary Society.

Mrs. R. C. Peering
Miss Seeley

Adj.
The Twentieth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the house of Prof. F. H. Brown, Jan. 25, 1898.

Prof. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

The Paper Industry.

Julius Henderson.

The principal parties in the U.S. during the century, and their principals.

Mr. Geo. E. Sloane.

Selections from Mark Twain, by each member.

Program for the next meeting submitted and accepted.

Adj.

P. Moore Sec.
The fourteenth regular meeting of the Scottville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. A. H. Poole on Apr. 15, 1895. Prof. F. H. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Music by the orchestra.

Report of Secretary.

Advances in methods of living in the 19th century.

Mrs. Bristol.

Principal topic - Mrs. Henderson.

Current topics - Mrs. Moore.

Music by the orchestra.

Illustrations from Bell Nye.

Each member.

Advantages in civil liberty during the century.

Rev. Edward Bristol.

Pitches and Western life.

Mrs. Wasteney Cox.

Music - orchestra.

Program for the next meeting submitted and accepted.

Adjourned.

E. Ulmer, Sec.
The fifteenth regular meeting of the Westerville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Geo. H. Pope, May 2nd, 1895.

Mr. Philip Garbutt presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Piano duett: Misses Mills and Henderson.
Report of Secretary.
The Kindergarten Picture.
(Miss Florence Budding.
Misses and Composers of the Century.
Mr. E. H. Trayhern.
Piano solo: Miss Budding.
Current Topics: Prof. E. H. Beuter.
Invitations by the Committees.

Program for the next meeting submited and accepted.

Committee to arrange program for the next meeting and course of study for the year 1895-96, as follows:

Mrs. Philip Garbutt.
Mrs. Bristol.
Miss Moore.

Respectfully submitted.

E. Moore, Sec.
The sixteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Seake Budlong, May 16th, 1898. Mr. Philip Garbutt, Pres.

The following program was rendered:

Vocal Solo - Mrs. Wm. J. Hove.
Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Instrumental Trio -
Misses Mills, Henderson & Budlong.
Vocal solo - Beccie Hart.
Original poems by each member.

Program for the next meeting submitted and accepted.

The following committee was appointed to prepare the topical program for the year 1898-9:

Mrs. Chas. S. Ellis.
Mrs. Wm. J. Hove.
Rev. P.C. Scearling.

Adjournment - E. Hull, Sec.
The first meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society for the season of 1898-1899 was held at the home of Mr. Tracy Oct. 3, 1898. Mr. Tracy presiding.

The following program was adopted:

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Election of Miss Pope as secretary for the ensuing year.

Recitation—Mrs. Charles J. Ellis.

Recitation—excerpts by the members.

Partial report of standing committee submitted and approved.

Motion made, seconded and carried that the names of Miss Wetzel and Miss Wilder be enrolled as members of the Scottsville Literary Society.
Committee on Program for the next two meetings
Rec. R. B. Sealing
Mrs. H. H. Blount
Mr. Irving Gordon
Mrs. Pope Lee
adj
Oct 17, 1898

The second regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. J. E. McPea. Mr. Gordon presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Piano Solo: Miss Cofferty

Report of Secretary

Preliminary of the next twenty years: Rev. R. C. Sealying

Local Solo: Miss Salyards

Debate: Resolved that territorial expansion beyond limit of continent is American by Mr. Philip Garbutt.

By request: Mr. Lea & Stroon also discussed the question.

Current topics: Miss Hendren

Piano Solo: Miss Cofferty

Report of standing committee submitted and approved.

Report of committee on program for the next meeting read and accepted. Motion made, seconded and carried that the names of Miss Mary Salyards and Miss Ida Salyards be enrolled as members of the Scottsville Literary Society.
Committee on Program for the next two meetings
Mrs. John Seifield
Mr. Philip Garbutt
Mrs. H. R. Brown

adj. Mrs. Pope, Sec.
The third regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Dr. J. Homer Nov. 7, 1898. Dr. Homer presiding. The following program was rendered:

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Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Six weeks in the Baye.

Mrs. Franklin Howard

Piano Solo. Miss Clara Bundling

CURRENT-TOPICS. Mr. Gracey

Bocal Solo. Mrs. Hurst

Humorous reading. Miss Clara Bundling

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Program for next meeting submitted and accepted.

Motion made, seconded, and carried that the name of

Rev. Dwight L. Parsons

be enrolled as a member of the Scottsville Literary Society.

adj. Mrs. Pope Sec.
The fourth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Thomas Rafferty, Dec. 21, 1849. Mr. H.C. Brooke presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Piano solo: Miss Henderson
Reading of the minutes of previous meeting by the secretary.

Piano duet:

Misses Budding and Rafferty

Famous Men of the State of New York

Mr. T.J. Slocomb

Select-reading:

Miss Elizabeth Stewart

Vocal solo: Miss Bessie Daghein

Report of committee on program for the next two meetings submitted and accepted.

Motion made and carried that following names be enrolled as members of the Scottsville Literary Society:

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rafferty

Miss Morton Seifield

Mrs. Judd and Smith
The following names were appointed to arrange program for next two meetings:

Mr. Relden S. Brown
Miss Lester
Mrs. Keys

adj

Mrs. Pope Lee

The fifth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Milton Smith on Dec 5th, 1898.

Rev. M. C. Seasing presiding.

An account of the storm several persons who were on the program for that evening were absent.

The following program was rendered:

Report of Secretary
Piano Solo Miss Henderson
Currant Topics Mrs. Lowe
Piano Solo Miss Henderson

Program for next meeting read and accepted.

adj

Mrs. Pope Lee
The Sixth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Milton Stetler, Dec 19, 1898.

Rev. R.C. Stetina, president.

The following program was conducted.

Music of the Orchestra

Report of Secretary

Principal subject: America's need of the Pan-American canal

Mr. R. A. Gordon

Piano Solo, Miss Clara Birdling

Book Review, Miss Lester

Penelope's Progress, Mrs. Kate Douglas Wiggin

The work of women - the last year

Mrs. Emma H. Miller

Music of the Orchestra

Current topics

Mr. Selden S. Brown

Report of committee on program for next meeting submitted and accepted.

Motion made, seconded and carried that the following names be enrolled as members of the Scottsville Literary Society:

Miss Sarah Jones, Mr. G. M. Bloomer

Adjournment.

Miss Clarissa Birdling, Mrs. Philip Garbutt.
The seventh regular meeting of the Scottsville Society was held at the home of Mr. W. C. Stokum January 9th, 1899
Mr. Stokum presiding

The following programs were read:
1st Report of Secretary
2nd Toronto and its Fair

Mr. Edward S. Brown
Recitation: Mrs. Charles S. Ellis
Historical Events: The United States—1899
Mrs. F. E. Brown

Address by Commander Harford
Subject: Chosen by him being the Niagara Falls, the United States Involving the Capital, St. Lawrence, and Canadian Canals
Current Topics: Professor Brown Original Contrivances. Mrs. Ellis Report of Committee on Program for the next meeting read and accepted.
The eighth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mrs. Cargill on 23.11.99. Mr. H. A. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Musice: Furnished by Robert Cargill
Reading of the minutes by the Secretary

Book review:

The Philippine Islands and their people.

Mr. Philip Garbutt
Piano solo. The star-spangled banner.

Miss Coffey

Verse. A scheme that failed. Given by the following gentlemen of the society:

Mrs. Charles S. Ellis, Mr. Edward J. Brown, Dr. M. Emmond.

Miss Ella Cargill, Miss Henderson

Program for next meeting submitted and accepted.

Censorship next two meetings.

Mrs. Robert Co., Mrs. Emma Miller

Mr. H. P. Gordon.
The ninth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Prof. J. H. Brown Feb. 6, 1892.

Mrs. J. S. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered.

Report of Secretary.

Albany—Colonial times

Miss Florence Budling

Censure—Sothis Miss Wilder

Sketch of the life of Robert Burns

Miss Dwight L. Parsons

followed by quotations from Burns

of each member of the Society

Program for next month submitted

and accepted.

Motion made seconded and carried

that the name of Miss Dwight L. Parsons

be enrolled as a member of the Scottsville

Literary Society.

Motion made to adjourn.

[Signature]
The tenth regular meeting of the
Scottsville Literary Society was held at
the home of Mrs. Edward S. Brown
Feb 20th, 1879. Mr. Brown Presiding.

The Program was as follows:

I. Piano Solo. Miss Clarissa Budling.

II. Reading of the minutes of the last
    meeting.

III. Sketch of Mt. Vernon at its rise.

Mrs. Parks.

Mrs. Edward S. Brown and Mr.
Selden S. Brown also each gave
a very interesting account of their
recent visits to Mt. Vernon.

IV. Piano Solo. Miss Budling.

V. Albany at present. Mr. R. P. Tracy.

VI. Questions prepared by Rev. R. C. Seabury.

VII. Nearly every person answered his or her
    question. This incorrectly.

VIII. Piano Solo. Miss Hall.

Report of proposal for next meeting
Accepted.

Motion: grade and carried that the
name of Miss Adele Rigby become an
member of the Scottsville Literary Society.

Mrs. Ed. Jr.
The eleventh regular meeting of the Scituate Literary Society was held at
the home of Dr. Mr. Ammond Grant, March 6, 1899.
The Earl-presiding
The following program was unrolled:
I. Music by the orchestra
II. Reading of minutes by Sec.
III. Piano solo. Mrs. H. L. Hall
IV. A sketch of the home life of Mrs. Amelia C. Barzy and of her early struggles and
final success as a novelist.
Mrs. Emma Miller
V. Current topics. Rev. Dwight L. Parsons
VI. Music by the orchestra
Each person to give the name of his or
her hero of the Spanish-American War
and the reason for his or her choice.
Dexter was the choice—hero of the mem-
burs present by a large majority.
Music
Program for the next Society accepted
and accepted.
VIII. By request the orchestra joined the
Society with one more selection and
the meeting adjourned.
Mrs. Fiske.
The twelfth regular meeting of the Scottsville Ladies' Society was held at the home of Dr. Walt Hays March 20th, 1899.

Rev. R. C. Stearing presiding.

The following Program was read:

Reading of the minutes by the Sec.

A talk on the farmers of America by

Dr. Howe

Debate:

Resolved: That the U.S. Government keep the Philippine Islands.

Mr. Selden S. Brown, Mr. Philip F. Farbott

Mr. Thomas Brown, Mr. T. H. Brown

Mr. Farbott was absent, and Mr. S. B. Brown called on Mr. Geo. S. Shrum to open the debate.

Soundings arranged by Miss Boyd and Mrs. Howe.

Program for the next meeting submitted and accepted.

Date for next two meetings:

Miss Leslie, Dr. M. Amund.

Mrs. Parks

Adjourned.

Mrs. Pope Lee
The thirteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Charles Dunn, Apr. 3, 1899.

Rev. Mr. Parsons presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Music by the orchestra
Reading of minutes of Miss Boyd.
Rerotation by Miss Dunn.
Rounding of Mayfield by Miss Hilder.
Humorous Selection

Music by the orchestra.
Essay of Plymouth, its landmarks. by Miss Hahn.

Very few of those present responded with an anecdote.

Remarks by Miss Philip Garbutt.

Music by the orchestra.

Program for next meeting was partly submitted. Committee asking for more titles adj.

Miss Boyd.

(See Journal)
The fourteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Holden S. Brown April 22, 1899. Mr. Brown presiding.

The following Program was read:

Reading of the Minutes by the Secretary

American Bards

Mr. S. S. Brown

Music of the 19th Century

Mrs. A. B. Hall

The "initial" game by the members of the society conducted by Miss Bester and Dr. W. Ammold.

Miss Edith Falsbreathe, guest of P. and H. Brown, and a child under 10 years of age, delighted the society with several recitations and a vocal solo.

Program for the next meeting submitted and accepted.
The fifteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Library Society was held at the home of Mrs. Thomas Brown May 16, 1899.

Mr. Thomas Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:

Piano Solo
Miss Clarissa Budding

Reading of the minutes by the Secretary
Violin Solo
Mr. Elm. Zalusha

Paper by Sir Walter Scott

Miss Bafford

Mr. Culpe, guest of Mr. Thomas Brown, favored the society with music, both vocal and instrumental.

Farewell song by Philadelphia guests.

The following members of the society: Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Brown, John Ammard, Mrs. McAmmonds, Misses Lester, Pedler, and Henderson. Mrs. Thomas Brown.

The following committee was appointed to prepare the topical program for the year 1899-1900:

Mrs. F. H. Brown
Mr. Selden S. Brown
Mr. Thomas Brown

The first regular meeting of the Fentonville Literary Society for the season of '99-'00 was held at the home of Mr. E. S. Brown Oct. 2, 1899, Mr. Brown presiding. Attendance 27.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted. The election of Miss wilson as secretary then ensued. The report of the committee which was to prepare the topic for the year was then read. It was moved and carried that this report be accepted and adopted.

The Chairman then appointed the Rev. Mr. George, Mrs. John Belfield and Mrs. Mrs. Rees as executive committee for the next two meetings.

Each one present was then invited to speak of any trip or interesting experience of the summer. This meeting with a hearty response. The report of the exec. com. was then submitted and approved. Moved and carried that 730 shp be set as the limit.
for these meetings to commence.
Meeting declared adjourned.

Alland Wilder, Pres.

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The second regular meeting of the Scobsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mrs. Roselle Oct. 16, the Rev. Mr. Seering presiding.

The following program was given:

I. Pianos Solos - Miss Clarissa Budding
II. Reading of Minutes
III. Recitation - Miss Ellis
IV. Local Firs - Miss Lester, Dr. Mcllneary, Mr. Frank Dunn
V. Roll call answered by quants and curious epithets
VI. Pianos Solos - Miss Henderson

The report of the 'pre-conv. was submitted and adopted.

Miss Lester, Mrs. Irina Miller, and Miss Clarissa Budding appointed exec. com. for next bus. meetings.
Meeting declared adjourned. - Alland Wilder.
The third regular meeting of the Santeeville Literary Society was held at Mrs. William Stokoe's Oct. 30th, Mr. Selden Brown presiding.

The following program was given:

1. Music - just as the sun went down.
   Misses Ester, Ellison, Misses Ellison & Dunn.

2. Reading of minutes.


5. Those present were invited to give promises beginning with word of the name.


The report of the Exec. Com. was submitted and adopted.

Mr. Arthur Munson was then duly elected to membership.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Wm. Wilder - Sec'y.
General Programme
of the
Scottsville Literary Society,

March 10, 1872 - Hostess
Mrs. Herman Miller

1. Musical Selection by Mrs.
McVean, Mrs. Miller and
Miss Budlong.
2. Reading of Minutes.
3. Selection read by Mrs.
Cameron McVean - "Deeds
vs. Creeds".
4. Essay on "The Properties of
Light", read by Mr. Sheldon.
5. Discussion: Resolved, That
It Is Important To Incorporate
The Village Of
Scottsville.
6. Meeting adjourned.
December 6, 1890 - Hostess
Eleanor Dorr

1. Reading of Minutes
2. History Class, George Slocum
   "What Was George Washington Like?"
3. Piano Solo by Miss Budlong.
4. The Advantages of Cold Baths
   Dr. Howe.
5. Recitation, Nature's Nectar
   Hettie Miller
6. Meeting adjourned.

February 15, 1903 - Hostess
Dr. J. B. Arnold

1. Reading of Minutes
2. Piano Solo, Miss Harmon
3. The Forthcoming Construction of
   the Panama Canal.
   Report by Mrs. Fraser
4. How I Entered the Navy
   Rear Admiral Franklin Hanford
5. Group Sing - America
6. New Methods of Farming
   Mrs. D. E. Rogers
7. Meeting adjourned.

Cast Participants -

1872
Mrs. Miller.............Joan Bockes
Anna McVeau...............Judy Abbott
Hattie Budlong...........Dee Warren
Mary Fraser...............Gail Murphy
William Carson...........Phil Saunders
Prof. Stewart.............Terry Wright
George Slocum.............Burt Brown

1890
Phillip Garbutt...........Dick Field
Mary McVeau...............Carla DiStefano
George Slocum.............Burt Brown
Dr. Wm. Howe...............John Loftus
Hettie Miller............Florence Field
Miss Budlong..............Lynne Skivington

1903
J. B. Arnold...............Royce Leaton
Franklin Hanford.........Richard LeRoy
Mrs. Howe..................Dorothy Leaton
Mrs. E.E. Rogers..........Barbara Gorton
Mary Fraser...............Sally Harms
Mrs. Chester Harmon......Catherine Boylan
Mrs. Hanford..............Marge McNulty
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Scottsville, N.Y.

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Dolores Loftus
Barbara Gorton
Shirley Distefano

Costumes:
Barbara Gorton

Lights:
Roger Warren
The fourth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Dr. Wm. J. Home, Nov. 13. Mrs. S. H. Brown presiding.

The following program was given:
1. Music - Miss Clement
2. Reading of Minutes
3. Paper: Industrial Monopolies and Their Effects - Prof. E. H. Brown
4. Paper: Tragedy Unions; Their Effect upon the Industry of the Country - Hon. Philip Garret
5. Free discussion of the paper
6. Music - Miss Poppleton
7. Paper: The Light-House Service of the United States - Commander Harford
8. Book Review - Miss Henderson

The report of the executive committee was submitted and approved. It was moved and carried that the next meeting be held Tues. Nov. 28. Mrs. F. H. Brown appointed secretary, to conduct the two meetings.

Meeting adjourned. - Maud E. Wood, Secretary
The fifth regular meeting of the Rockville Literary Society was held at the home of Mrs. Wilder, Nov. 28. Prof. T. H. Brown presiding.

The following program was given:

1. Reading of Minutes.
2. Mrs. Chace Ellis
3. Summary History of France from Roman Conquest at end of fifth century to reign of Louis XIII
   Mrs. Emma Miller
4. Reading
   Miss Clarissa Bellamy
5. Members responded with something they were thankful for.

The report of the expense was then submitted.

Miss Helen Edison was then duly elected to membership.

Meeting adjourned.

Maud Wilder, Scribe.
The sixth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary was held at the home of Mrs. Harford Dec. 6, 1911. Mrs. Harford presiding. The following program was given:

I. Reading of minutes.
II. Vocal Solo
III. Progress of the Literary Society during its life of twenty-eight years.

Mrs. Byron Munson

IV. Questions.

The report of the Executive Council was then submitted.

Meeting declared adjourned.

W. Wildey, Jr.
The second regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Prof. J. D. Brown Jan. 8, Prof. Brown presiding.

The following program was given:
1. Reading of minutes
   Mr. E. S. Brown
3. History and political condition of France from Louis XIII to Revolution in 1789
   Mr. J. J. Brown
4. Voltaire and his Contemporaries
   Mr. Geo. E. Love

The report of the Executive Committee was then submitted and Mrs. Wilder duly elected to membership.

Meeting adjourned

Manuel Wilder, Sec.
The eighth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. E. S. Brown, Mr. Eugene Brown presiding. The following program was given:

I. Music. Duet—Misses Rafferty and Biddiss

II. Reading of minutes

III. Traces from beginning of Revolution to close of reign of Napoleon.

Mrs. Chas. S. Ellis

IV. Music

V. Paper—Victor Hugo—Mrs. Howe

VI. Music—Miss Clarissa Biddiss

VII. Each one responded with a favorite quotation from Shakespeare.

Mrs. H. L. S. Hall

The report of the executive committee was then submitted and Mr. Eugene Brown, Mrs. J. H. Brown and Mrs. Parsons appointed exec. com.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Manuel Wilder, Sec'y
The ninth regular meeting of the Westville Literary Society was held at the home of Mr. Gen. E. Slocum, Feb. 5.
Mr. Slocum presiding. The following program was given:

I. Reading of minutes.
II. Progress and working of French Republic to date. Rev. R.C. Searls.

III. Humorous Reading - Mrs. Scfield.
IV. Summary Story of Indian Mythe - Mr. Thomas Brown.

Each one present requested to give an incident in the life of an author whose initial was the same as his and a quotation from his works.

The report of the executive committee was then submitted and Mrs. Anna Rogers duly elected to membership.

Mrs. John Scfield
Sec'y pro tem.
The tenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held February 19 at Rev. D. L. Parsons' Wk. Parsons presiding. The following program was given:

1. Reading of Minutes
2. Topic: Alaska and the Boundary Dispute
   Dr. Wm. J. Howe

3. Each one present was requested to give a quotation from the writings of Lincoln or of Washington.

4. Paper: Recent French Writers—Miss Sester

The report of the executive committee was then submitted and Mr. Thos. Brown, Mr. E. L. Brown, and Miss Harkord appointed executive committee for the next ten meetings.

Respectfully submitted and signed:

[Signatures]
The eleventh regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held Feb. 5, at the house of Dr. McAmmond. Mr. Thomas Brown presiding.

The following program was given:

I. Reading of the minutes.


III. Paper. Should we establish a national school of diplomacy?

Rev. D. L. Parsons.

IV. Each one present was requested to mention some important event which had occurred since Jan. 1900.

V. Vocal Solo. Dr. McAmmond.

The report of the executive committee was then submitted and meeting declared adjourned.

Maurt E. Wilke, Secy.
The twelfth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held
Week 19 at the home of Mrs. E. S. Brown,
Mr. Thos. Brown presiding.

The following program was given:
1. Reading of minutes.
II. Music Duet—Misses Budding and Henderson
III. History of Government of Switzerland
   Miss Alma S. Bankhu
IV. Music Vocal Solo—Miss Chapin
V. History of the Opera—
   Mrs. H. S. Hall
VI. Vocal Solo—from Handel—Mrs. Homer Hall.

Each one requested to give a question
   to be answered by some author's name.

The report of the executive committee was
then submitted. Come for next two meetings
Mr. Parsons, Miss Munson and Mrs. Carver.
Miss Bertha Chapin was then duly
   elected to membership.
Meeting declared adj.

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The Thirteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held Apr. 2 at the home of Mr. I. D. Brown, Mrs. Brown presiding.

The following program was given:

I. Reading of minutes.

II. The People, Occupations and Industries of Switzerland.

III. Scenery of Switzerland

Mr. Thomas Brown.

IV. Questions answered by those present.

The report of the Executive Committee was then submitted and adopted.

On motion adjourned.

A. Wilder, Sec.
The fourteenth regular meeting of the Southville Literary Society was held April 16 at the home of Miss Katherine Rafferty. Mr. T. H. Brown presiding.

I. Music - Miss Rafferty

II. Reading of minutes.

III. Vocal Solo - Miss Sarah Jones.

IV. Humorous Reading - Mrs. Pope.

V. Concert Solo - Mr. Munson.

VI. Impromptu Debate - Resolved that an incubated chicken loses its mother.


Report of the Executive Committee was then submitted.

Committee for next meeting:

Mr. Selden Brown

Mrs. T. H. Brown

Miss Katherine Rafferty.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Clara L. Henderson

Sec'y pro tem.
The fifteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held Apr. 20 at the home of Mrs. Thomas Brown, Mr. Eugene D. Brown presiding. The following program was given:

I. Reading of minutes.

IV. Vocal Solo. Mrs. M. J. Howe.

V. Holland, Her History and Her Colonies. Miss Wilder.

VI. Piano Solo. Miss Clarissa Biddulph.

VII. Each one asked to give some important event which had happened in the month of April in any year.

The report of the Executive Committee was then submitted. It was moved and carried that the report of the Comm. be accepted and adopted. The following committee was appointed to prepare the
Consecutive work for the year:
Commander Harford, Chairman, Prof. F. T. Brown, Mrs. E. J. Brown.
Meeting adjourned till October.

Meredith Hills, Secy.
The first regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society for the season of 1900-1901 was held Oct. 1, 1900 at the home of Mr. Selden S. Brown.

Mr. S. S. Brown presiding.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted.

Then followed the election of Miss Barnes as secretary for the ensuing year.

After the reading of the report of the consecutive work for the year, it was moved and carried that this work be accepted and adopted.

A motion was then made that the chairman appoint the first executive committee of three, one of whom should retire after each meeting and another be appointed by the executive committee to fill the place. This order to be carried out at each meeting so as to insure more harmonious work during the year.

The chairman then appointed Mrs. Ellis, Miss Edson, and Mr. Searing as an executive committee.
Each one present was then asked to relate some interesting experience of his or her summer vacation.

Misses Covey, Hughes, and Barnes and Dr. Edson were then duly elected to membership.

The report of the executive committee was then read and accepted, and Mrs. Howe was appointed to succeed Mrs. Ellis as member of this committee.

On motion the meeting was adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes, Sec'y.
The second regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held Oct. 15,
1900 at the home of Mrs. Boswell.
Prof. F. H. Brown presiding.

The following program was given:
I. Reading of minutes.
II. Music by the orchestra.
III. Introduction to the year's work.

Rev. R. C. Searing.
IV. Instrumental Solo. — — — — Mrs. Hall.
V. Each member present was then asked to
tell something concerning some former
resident of Scottsville.

Miss Hughes was then appointed to succeeed Mr. Searing as member of the executive
committee.

Mrs. Wm. Kelly was then duly elected
to membership.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes, Sec'y.
The third regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held Oct. 24, 1915, at the home of Mrs. Wm. J. Howe. Prof. F. N. Brown presiding.

The following program was read:

I. Reading of minutes.

II. Music— Mrs. Howe, Miss Edson, and Mr. Galusha.

III. British Columbia— Mrs. F. C. McVean.

IV. Vocal Solo— Mrs. Wm. J. Howe.

V. Summer School— Miss Rafferty.

VI. Everyone present was then asked to give a quotation on Autumn, which met with a general response.

VII. Flower Song— Mrs. Howe, Miss Edson, and Mr. Galusha.

VIII. The report of the executive committee was then submitted and adopted, and Mr. Philip Garbutt appointed to succeed Miss Edson as member of the committee.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes, Sec.
The fourth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held November nineteenth, nineteen hundred at the home of Mr. Wm. Keyes.

Mr. Wm. Keyes, presiding.

Dueing to the inclement weather the attendance was very limited.

A paper on "The Province of Quebec" was rendered by Mr. George E. Slocum.

The meeting was then adjourned for one week to again meet with Mr. and Mrs. Keyes, but owing to the condition of the weather so few members were present that no meeting was held.

Marion A. Barnes, Sec'y
The fifth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held December tenth, nineteen hundred at the home of Mrs. John C. McVean. Mrs. Howe presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Music - Miss Rafferty.
II. Paper - Nova Scotia Mrs. Mary E. Miller.
III. Music - Miss Budlong.
IV. Sealed program by all members present.

Miss Rafferty was then appointed to succeed Mrs. Howe as member of the executive committee.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes. Sec'y.
The sixth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held January fourteenth nineteen hundred one at the home of Rev. D. L. Parsons. Mr. Parsons presiding.

After the reading of the minutes by the secretary, a very interesting and instructive paper describing a trip to Prince Edward Island was given by Mrs. Emma Miller.

Each member present was called upon to give a quotation from Shakespeare.

Mrs. Ellis and Miss Wilder were then appointed as members of the executive committee to succeed Miss Hughes and Mr. Garbutt.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes, Sec'y.
The seventh regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held January twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and one at the home of Mr. Geo. E. Slocum. Mr. Selden S. Brown presiding.

The following programme was rendered:

I. Paper "Newfoundland"—Mr. Trayhurn.
II. Each member present was called upon to relate some amusing anecdote.
III. Reading of the minutes by the secretary.

Mr. Searing and Miss Barnes were appointed as members, pro tempore, of the executive committee to arrange the programme for the next meeting.

Programme for the next meeting submitted and accepted.

Mr. Searing appointed as member of the executive committee to succeed Miss Rafferty.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes, Sec'y
The eighth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held February eleventh nineteen hundred one at the home of Mr. Le Grand Brown. Mr. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered.
I. Reading of the minutes.
II. Reading from "The Sky Pilot" Miss Lester.
III. Talk on "The Lesser Antilles" Rev. D.S. Parsons.
IV. Paper on Cavite written by Capt. Hanford Prof. F.H. Brown.

Then followed a general exercise consisting of conundrums and general questions — led by Mrs. Chas. Ellis.

The programme for the next meeting was next submitted and accepted. Mrs. Emma Miller was duly appointed as member of the executive committee to succeed Mrs. Ellis.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes Sec'y.
The ninth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held February twenty-fifth nineteen hundred one at the home of Miss Rafferty.

Rev. D.L. Parsons presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Reading of the minutes.

II. Cornet Solo — — — — Mr. Byron Munson.

III. Vocal Solo — — — — Mrs. Wm. J. Howe.

IV. Paper—Central America—Mr. Philip Garbutt.

V. Piano Solo — — — — Mrs. H. L. S. Hall.

VI. General game by all present.

The program for the next meeting was next submitted and accepted.

Mrs. Kelly was duly appointed as member of the executive to succeed Miss Wilder.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes, Sec'y
The tenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held March eleventh nineteen hundred one at the home of Prof. F. H. Brown. Prof. Brown presiding. The following program was rendered:—

I. Reading of minutes.
II. Paper, Venezuela. ——— Miss Rafferty.
III. Reading from Pickwick Papers. Miss Sleight.
IV. “Dickens” Miss Munson.

On the motion of Mr. Selden S. Brown it was moved and carried that the next meeting should be a rally and remembrance meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Fraser.

A motion was made and carried that a committee consisting of Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Howe, Mr. Geo. E. Slocum and the secretary be appointed to correspond with old members of the society concerning this rally and remembrance meeting.

In the absence of the program committee Mr. Selden S. Brown, Mrs. Parsons,
and Miss Rafferty were appointed by the chairman to act as a committee to prepare a special program for the next meeting.

The program was submitted and accepted; and Prof. Brown was appointed as member of the executive committee to succeed Mr. Scaring.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes, Sec'y
A rally and remembrance meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mrs. Fraser on March twenty-fifth nineteen hundred one.

Mr. Geo. E. Slocum presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Duet ————- Misses Lester and Munson

II. Minutes.

III. Roll call by Mr. Selden E. Brown.

Letters from the following absent members were read: Mrs. Goodrich of Chicago.

Mrs. Anna Hanford Curtis of Olean.

Mrs. Killam of Paupac, Penn.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart S. Dorv of Buffalo.

Miss Fannie Hanford of Olean.

Mrs. Seward Scofield of Atlantic City, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. Bristol of Rochester.

Rev. Hallock of Rochester.

IV. Song "The Holy City" ———- Miss McCarty

V. Then followed a very interesting account of the first meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society by Mr. Geo. E. Slocum.

VI. Piano Solo ————- Miss Clara Budlong
VII. Mrs. Fraser gave a very pleasing and instructive paper on the early history of the Scottsville Literary Society.

VIII. Piano Solo ———— Mrs. Hall

IX. Next followed a paper by Miss Lester on the present impressions of the Literary Society, which was greatly enjoyed by all.

X. Song—"Then You'll Remember Me"—Mrs. Hower

XI. This was followed by brief remarks by Prof. F. H. Brown, Mr. Traghen, Rev. D. L. Parsons, Hon. Philip Garbutt, and Mrs. Roy.

On account of the lateness of the hour it was moved and carried that the remainder of the program be deferred until the next meeting.

The following persons were duly elected to membership in the Scottsville Literary Society: Mr. and Mrs. Warner, Miss Ruby Warner, Ann Warner, Ruth Hanford, Mrs. Olin Welcher, Harry Welcher, David Salyerds, King Brown, and Miss McCarthy.

Meeting declared adjourned.
The twelfth regular meeting of the Scio telescope Literary Society was held at the home of Mrs. J. C. McVean on April eighth, nineteen hundred one.

The following program was rendered:

I. Papers "Brazil" -- Mrs. F. H. Brown.

II. Music -- Miss Munson.

III. Paper "Brazil" Mrs. Chas. Ellis.

Mr. Howard Cutler was duly elected to membership in the society.

The program for the next meeting was then submitted and accepted, and Mrs. McVean was appointed as member of the executive committee to succeed Mrs. Emma Miller.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes, Sec'y.
The twelfth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mrs. Wilder on April second nineteen hundred one. Rev. R. C. Searing presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Reading of the minutes.
II. Talk on Peru and Bolivia -- Miss Slater.
III. Vocal Solo -- -- -- -- Bertha Chapin.

V. Paper: Ecuador -- -- -- -- Mrs. Wm. Carver.
VI. Vocal Solo -- -- -- -- Mrs. Howe.
VII. Paper: "The Bahamas" -- -- Mrs. Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wells and Mrs. Frank Dunn were duly elected as members of the Scottsville Literary Society.

In the absence of Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. McVeans, Mr. S. S. Brown and Mrs. Rafferty acted with Prof. Brown as executive.
committee to prepare the program for the next meeting.

Mrs. Rafferty was appointed as member of the executive committee to succeed Mrs. Kelly.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes, Secy.

The Scottsville Literary Society

The fourteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mrs. Fraser on May sixth nineteen hundred one. Prof. T.H. Brown presiding.
The following program was rendered:
I. Reading of minutes...
The fourteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held at the home of Mrs. Fraser on May sixth, nineteen hundred one. Prof. F. H. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Reading of minutes
II. Paper "Chili" - Miss Wilder
III. Music - Mr. Galusha
IV. Uruguay and Paraguay - Mr. Searing
V. Paper "Argentina" - Mr. S. S. Brown
VI. Vocal Solo - Miss Lester
VII. Paper "The British, French, Dutch Guiana" - Mrs. Schugler Budlong

The report of the executive committee was then submitted. It was moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted.

The following committee were appointed to arrange the programme of work for the following year, and for the first meeting: Chairman Mr. S. S. Brown, Rev. D. C. Parsons, Miss Katherine Rafferty.

The first meeting of the year to
be held at Mrs. Kelly's.

Miss Monica Kelly was duly elected as member of the society.

Meeting declared adjourned until October.

Marion A. Barnes, Secy.
The first regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society for the season of 1901-1902 was held Oct. 7, 1901, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Kelly. Prof. J.H. Brown presiding.

After the meeting was called to order by the chairman a vocal solo was rendered by Miss Agnes Kelly.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted.

Then followed the report of the standing committee, which was accepted and adopted unanimously.

Miss S. Hyde, Miss Chapman, Mrs. Bert Caldwell, and Mrs. Winnie Brown were elected to members of the society.

Each person was asked to relate their most enjoyable impressions of the Pan-American.

Miss S.L. Jones was elected secretary for the ensuing year.
An executive committee consisting of Mr. Beamer, Miss Wilder, and Mrs. T. J. Brown was then appointed to prepare a program for the next meeting. The report of the executive committee was submitted and accepted.

Mrs. Ellis was appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Mrs. Brown.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Sara P. Jones Sec.
The second regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held Oct. 21, 1901, at the home of Mrs. Wm. J. Home, Mrs. Home presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Reading of the minutes.

II. Paper: - The Changes in the world's map and population during the 19th century.  

Wm. H. Brown.

III. Music.  Miss Budlong and  

Mrs. Palucha.

IV. Paper: - Comparison between the Physician and Surgeon of eighteen, hundred and nineteen, hundred one and nineteen hundred one.  

Wm. Home.

V. Music.  Mr. and Miss Munson.

In the absence of Mrs. Ellis, Miss Barnes was appointed a member of the Executive Committee, to act with Mr. Searing and Miss Wilder.

The report of the Executive Committee was submitted and accepted.  

Miss Munson was appointed.
a member of the executive
committee to succeed Miss Wilder
meeting declared adjourned

Sara C. Jones, Sec.
The third regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held November fourth, nineteen hundred and one at the home of Prof. F. H. Brown. Prof. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered.

I. Minutes of last meeting.

II. Paper - Red Cross Movement

Miss Clara Budlong

III. Paper - Ruskin and his Influences

Mrs. Fraser.

IV. Reading from Ruskin - Mrs. Hall.

V. Quotations from Ruskin.

VI. Five minute talk on Impression of the Midway - Rev. D. L. Parsons.

In the absence of Miss Munson, Miss Chapman was appointed to act with Mrs. Ellis and Mr. Searing as executive committee.

The report of the executive committee was submitted and accepted and Mr. Arnold was appointed to succeed Mr. Searing as member of this committee.
Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, Margaret Arnold and Mrs. Edison were duly elected as members of the society. Meeting declared adjourned.

Marion A. Barnes,
Secy. (Protempore)
The fourth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held November eighteenth, nineteen hundred and one, at the home of Mrs. Wilder S. S. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Song, by the society, led by a trio composed of Rev. R. C. Searcy, Mr. J. H. M. C. Ammon, Mrs. J. W. Dubin.

Old Folks at Home.

II. Paper: Slavery, its introduction and growth into the United States.

Hon. Phillip Earbutt.

III. Reading: Mrs. Ellie.

IV. Paper: The influence of Whittier and his songs and of Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Mrs. Emma Miller.

V. Plantation songs by trio.

VI. Quotations from Whittier and other Abolitionists.

VII. Song by society. Old Kentucky Home.

Prof. Brown was appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Mrs. Ellie.
Mr. Stephen Wells was elected to membership. Meeting adjourned.

Sara C. Jones Sec.
The fifth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held December second, nineteen hundred one, at the home of Mrs. Fraser. Mrs. Thomas Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:
I. Music - Mrs. Hall.
II. Reading of the minutes of the last two meetings, by the secretary.
III. Paper - Lincoln the Emancipator, Mrs. Home.
IV. Solo - Rev. J. B. Arnold.
V. Paper - Polar Expeditions in the Nineteenth Century, Miss Barney.
VII. Debate - Resolved, That Country life is more desirable than City life.
Aff. Miss Hughes - Prof. J. H. Brown

A vote was taken and which favored the negative side, after which followed a general discussion.
VIII. Each member was asked to sing a song, tell a story, or dance a jig.

Report of Executive Committee submitted and accepted.

Meeting adjourned.

Sarah Jones Secy.
The sixth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held December sixteenth at the home of Mrs. A. L. Welch. Rev. W. L. Parsons presiding. The following program was rendered:

1. Music, piano solo Miss Rafferty
2. Reading of the minutes by the Secretary
3. Humorous reading, Miss Edson
4. Vocal duet, Mrs. Home, Mr. Mines
5. Piano solo, Miss Chapman
6. Debate - Resolved that Anarchistic threats against government and its rulers should be made criminal against the State, and the constitution of the United States should be amended if necessary conformable thereto.

Affirmative: Mr. George E. Slocum
Mr. Goldin B. Brown

Negative: Rev. W. L. Parsons
Mrs. Harford Edson
VII. Commissions by the Society.

VIII. Cornet Solos. Mrs. Byron Munroe.

Program for next meeting read and accepted.

Mrs. Stone was appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Mr. Arnold.

Meeting adjourned.

Sara L. Jones
Secty.
The seventh regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held January sixth, at the home of Mr. Elden S. Brown. Mr. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Piano Solo
   Miss Budlong

II. Reading of the minutes.

III. Paper: Public Libraries of the world
   Miss Snyder

IV. Vocal Solo
   Mrs. Horve

V. Impromptu talk, by Mrs. Ellis

VI. Vocal Solo
   Rev. J. B. Arnold

VII. Piano Solo
   Miss Rafferty

Program for next meeting read and accepted.

Miss Rafferty was appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Prof. 7. H. Brown.

Meeting adjourned.

Sara L. Jones
Sec'y.
The eighth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held January twentieth, at the home of Mr. Geo. E. Stocum. Rev. J. B. Arnold presiding.

The following program was rendered.

1. Reading of the minutes of the previous meeting.

II. Paper: Thackeray and his works. Mrs. Hall.


IV. Paper: Dickens, and a review of one of his books, and short references to other novelists. Maud E. Wilder.

V. Quotations by each member, from either Thackeray or Dickens.

Dr. J. E. McCormond appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Mr. Selden Brown. Meeting adjourned.

Saba E. Jones

Secretary.
The ninth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held February tenth at the home of Mrs. M. Ammond. Mr. H. L. S. Hall presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Music. Miss Clara Budy
II. Reading of the minutes of the previous meeting.
III. Paper - Bona parte and Waterloo - Mr. Winnie Brown
IV. Music.
Mrs. M. Ammond, Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Arnold, Mr. Seelig
V. Reading
Mrs. Parsons
VI. Music.
Mrs. Hall
VII. Question Box. In charge of Miss Edson
VIII. Music.

In the absence of Miss Rafferty and Mrs. Home, Miss Clara Budlong and Mrs. Parsons were appointed to act with Mrs. M. Ammond as executive committee.

Miss Edson was appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Mrs. Home.

Meeting adjourned. Sarah A. Jones, Sec'y.
The tenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held February seventeenth, at the home of Prof. J. H. Brown. Mr. H. Ammond presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Reading of the minutes.

II. Paper. - Jennys on, and excerpts from his writings - - - Miss Chapman.

III. An old fashioned spelling match, in which all the members participated.

Mrs. W. I. Reye was appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Miss Rafferty.

Meeting adjourned.

Sara L. Jones
Sect'y
The eleventh regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held March tenth, nineteen hundred and one, at the home of Mr. Thos. Rafferty, Mrs. S. S. Brown, presiding.

The following program was rendered:

V. Music. Mrs. Rafferty and Miss Budlong.

IV. Reading of the minutes.

III. A Story. Mrs. Edson.

II. Music. Vocal solo. Miss Sally Salyer.

I. Educational changes in the nineteenth century.

VI. Music. Cornet solo. Mr. Munson.

VII. Synonymum Skit, by the society.

VIII. Vocal solo. Mr. J. Y. Mr. Ammond.

In the absence of Miss Edson, Miss Jones was appointed a member of the executive committee.

Mr. S. S. Brown was appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Mr. Mr. Ammond.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Sara A. Jones

Scty.
The twelfth regular meeting of the Scovilleville Literary Society was held March seventeenth, at the home of Rev. H. L. Parsons. Prof. F. H. Brown presiding.

The following programs were rendered.

I. Music, by the Society.

II. Reading of the minutes.


IV. Vocal Solo. Rev. J. P. Arnold.

V. Debate. Resolved that the Erie Canal be abandoned.


Secy. Philosophy Garbutt, Rev. H. L. Parsons.

Miss Jones appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Miss Edson.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Sara A. Jones
Secy.
The thirteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held March thirty-first, at the home of Rev. J. B. Arnold.

Mrs. Thomas Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Music—Mike Munson.

II. Reading of the minutes.


IV. Music Mrs. Hall.


VI. Reading Miss Budding.


VIII. General geographical contest.

IX. Music. Boys' Solo. Mr. Hall.

Miss Wilder was appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed Mrs. Ruffs.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Sara F. Jones.
The fourteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held April fourteenth at the home of Rev. Mr. Edeon. Mrs. Thomas Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:
1. Reading of minutes.
2. Longfellow and excerpts from his writings. Miss Besee Hughes.
4. Frances Parkman, the historian with short references to other American historians.

Miss Chapman and Miss Levy were appointed members of the executive committee in the absence of Miss Wilder and Miss Jones.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Sara L. Jones.
The fifteenth regular meeting of the Scottville Literary Society was held April twenty eighth, at the home of Mrs. Thomas Brown. Prof. J. H. Brown presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Music. Violin Solo - Mrs. Galusha

II. Reading of minutes.

III. Paper. Hawthorn and his works with short references to other American writers of fiction - Miss Rafferty

IV. Piano Solo - Miss Budlong

V. Quotations from Hawthorn - Miss Edison

Mrs. Parsons elected a member of the executive committee to succeed Miss Jones.

Meeting declared adjourned.

Sara L. Jones

Sce'ty.
The sixteenth regular meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held May twelfth in nineteen hundred two, at the home of Mr. H. L. S. Hall, Rev. R. C. Searing presiding.

The following program was rendered:

I. Music - piano solo, Mrs. Hall
II. Minutes of preceding meeting.
III. Paper. Moree, Field, Edson, Mrs. Schofield
IV. Vocal solo, Mr. Hall
V. The Suez Canal. Mr. Hos. Brom
VI. Pet Proverbs. By the Society.
VII. Vocal solo. Rev. J. D. Arnold.

The program for first meeting of next year was submitted and adopted.

The following committee was appointed by the executive committee to prepare the program for ensuing year: Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Fraser.

Meeting adj., Mrs. Edson.
1902 - 1903.

The first regular meeting of the Scottsville Library Society for the season of 1902 - 1903 was held October 19th at the home of Mr. J. S. Brown. Rev. J. B. Arnold presiding.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted. Each one present was then asked to speak on some interesting person met during the summer or of a favorite character in some book read.

After the reading of the report of the Convened work for the year, it was moved and seconded that this work be accepted and adopted.

Mrs. Kellett was then elected secretary to succeed Miss Jones.

The Chairman then appointed an Executive Committee of three, one of whom should reside after
each meeting, and another to be appointed by the Committee to fill that vacancy.

The Committee appointed, consisted of Dr. T. M. Brown, Mrs. J. R. Y. Barnes, who presented the program for the next meeting.

The Society then extended a vote of thanks to Miss Sarah J. Jones at Secretary for the past year.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Mrs. T. M. King, Sec'y
The second meeting of the Daleville Library Society was held on December 23rd, 1912, at the home of Mr. B. P. Farmer. Mr. J. S. Brown presided.

The following program was read:

I. Music - Mr. Brown - Ms. Hall

II. Reading of the minutes.

III. Parker Village Improvement

Rev. H. C. Shair

IV. New Discussion - led by Rev. Ella

V. Vocal Solo - Rev. J. B. Arnold

VI. Character Guessing - by Society

VII. Piano Solo - Miss Rapley

Miss Ella, Mr. Farmer, Miss Grace, Miss Ethel, Miss James, Mr. Ford, Mr. Collins, Mrs. Farr, Mrs. Garfield, Mrs. Harris.

Rev. J. B. Arnold and Miss Kent were appointed to substitute for Rev. for next program.

Mrs. A. L. Jones

Sr.
The third meeting of the Deseretite Literary Society was held on Monday, Dec. 3rd, 1902, at the home of Dr. M. Remond. 

Mr. J. T. Desfeld, president.

The following program was read:

1. Reading of the minutes.
5. Music - Piano Solo - Miss Arnold.

Each person was or carried something to represent his particular field, to be given by the Society.


Miss Wilder and Miss Miller were appointed to substitute on the Committee for next meeting.

Miss Caroline Edson and Miss Labor were elected members of the Society.

Meeting was then adjourned.

(Rev. J. T. Remond)
The fourth meeting of the Scottsville Library Society was held at the Presbyterian Church on Monday, 2nd December 17th, 1903.

Miss Thomas Brown presiding.

The following program was conducted:

I. Music - Song by the Society.

II. Reading of the minutes.

III. Paper - Social issues in Belgium and New Zealand. Mr. H. B. Odell.

IV. Two minute talks on the coal strike. by Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Jones.

V. Music - Song by the Society.

It was suggested by a member of the Society that a committee be appointed to ascertain meeting places for the society several weeks in advance.

Meeting was then adjourned.

Mrs. W. I. Keys.

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The fifth meeting of the Depterville Library Society was held at Dr. W. G. Sympson's Monday evening Dec. 10th. The President opened the following program:

1. Instrumental. Dr. & Mrs. Warner.
2. Reading of the minutes.

Mrs. Proctor.

IV. Music. Pages Dels - Mrs. Hall.

V. Paper. What are the necessary steps.

Mrs. Arnold.

VI. Reading. Selection from Schiller.

Mrs. Peters.

VII. Prains Dels. Mrs. Hall.

VIII. Institutions from Oregon, by Society.

It was moved that Mr. John Fogg, Mr. Selden Brown, and Mr. Phillip C. Garbutt be appointed a committee to interview Mr. Stowers in regard to the preservation of his articles and other historical articles that he may have for the Society. - Mrs. Hegen, Mrs. Edens, and Mrs. Worthy were appointed as.
Committee to solicit places for which membership may be held. Meeting was then adjourned.

Corn Res. D. S. Preys
Mrs. Arnold
Mrs. E. Ellis
Mrs. Keys, Dea.
the Thirty-fifth Annual Meeting
of the Clattleville Literary
Society met with Mrs. Hayn
on Monday, Dec. 15, 1902.
Three of the original members
were present. They were Rev.
Mr. G. E. Cosee and Miss
Mrs. Hayn was represented by an
article, the oldest being one of
the original members.
The following program was issued:
I. Music - By Choir
II. Reading of the Resolutions
III. Paper - Mrs. Hayn - read by Mr. S. Blemo
IV. Paper - from Mr. Justice - read by Mr. Hayn
V. Music
VI. Paper - from Mr. Roscoe Brown - read by Mr. Hill
VII. Music

It was moved that the Society exhibit
in appreciation to the persons
having prepared the articles.
Mr. Blemo read program for the
next meeting. The meeting was then
adjourned to enjoy a social visit.
Cons. Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Cline, Mr. Lee Brown.
The second meeting of the
Suttonville Library Society met
at the home of Mr. Rafferty
Monday evening, January 7th.
Mr. I. Thos. Hanford, I. I. I. I.
I Solo - Mr. Galusha
Reading of the minutes
II Important measures read by Mr. Brown

II Solo - Miss Salyer.

II The Pioneer of Wheatland.

Mr. Philip Gastlett

II New Year's Toasts were given
by the Society.

III Solo - Rev. J. B. Arnold.

Music was arranged by Miss
Rafferty.

Comd. Mrs. Ellis, Mr. Tom Brown
and Mrs. Hone.

It was moved that Mr. Gastlett be
requested to procure his article
for the Society. Mr. John Hanford, Mr.
and Mrs. Collier will make members of Society.
The Seventh meeting of the Scotsville Literary Society was held at the residence of Mr. Geo. E. Slocom on Monday 20th January 1900. Mr. E. E. Proctor presided. The following program was given:

1. Music - 7 songs by Socilo.
2. Reading
3. Resolution 7 the minutes
4. Comparison: Methods of Agriculture in the United States
5. Reasons for the decline in prosperity and suggestions for improvements (Mr. T. Warner)
6. Discussion of the above topic by members of the Society
7. Music
8. Reading
9. Each member to give his latest joke
10. Music

The eighteenth meeting of the Scottsville Illustrated Society met at the house of W. S. Brown on Monday evening, February 2d, 1903.

Mrs. Travers presided.

The following program was given:

1. Reading of the minutes
2. Why Shakespeare
3. Mr. W. S. Harr
4. After Current Fiction - Mrs. Largit
5. Emerson - Lincoln's Character
6. Illustrated talk on Eastman's newly opened city of Rochester

Mrs. E. S. Brown
Mr. Morris Talmage, and Mrs. Clara

Talmage were made members of the society.

The ninth meeting of the Society was held at the residence of Mr. T. A. Stewart on Monday, Dec. 4th, 1863. Mrs. Eells presided. The following program was given:

I. Minute of the preceding meeting.
III. Instrumental Solo: Miss Pauline Stewart.
IV. Literary Revivals - Miss Rafferty.
V. Classical Solo: Miss Sarah Jones.
VI. Humorous Selection - Mr. Edison.
VII. Conundrums by each member.
VIII. Finale - "Verdes," Miss Stewart.

Cow: Philip Garbett, Miss Barnes, Miss Welcher.
The Bestbridge Literary Society held its Winter Meeting at the home of Mr. Edwin Smith.

The presiding officer, Mr. Parnell, delivered his speech. The following programs were given:

I. Reading of the Minutes
II. Music - By the Society
III. Paper - Passing of the Queried Minutes
II. Music - By the Society
I. Sketch
II. Sketch
III. Music - By the Society

It was voted that this paper prepared by Miss Franklin be kept with the other historical papers for future reference.

Meeting adjourned.

Karl Admiral
Mrs. Frank Dush
Mrs. Sarah Jones
The Scottsville Literary Society held its eleventh meeting at the home of Mr. Frank Dunn on Tuesday 4th March 16th. Mrs. Ellis presiding.

The following program was given:

1. Reading of the Minutes
2. Report of Miss Buell
3. Irish Anecdotes were given by members of the Society
4. Song by Society
5. Paper: Memory of Miss Johnston
6. Music by Miss Hall. 
Closing then adjourned.

Comm: Mr. Hayford, 
Miss Jones, Mrs. Wilder.

The following program was rendered:

1st. Reading of the minutes.
2nd. Paper: The Songs of Nations. This article was illustrated by both vocal and instrumental solos. Paper prepared by Mr. J. B. Marshall.

3rd. Paper: The Production Habits and Customs of the Philippines. Admiral Sanford illustrated this article by many products purchased while on the East.

4th. Piano Solos - No. Franklin Sanford. The March was composed and presented by Admiral Sanford by the Band Master of the Filippino Marine Band.

The meeting adjourned.
The Scottsville Literary Society met at the home of Dr. F. J. Rowe on Monday 28 April 1866.

Mr. Delden J. Brown presiding.

I. Reading of the minutes.

II. Frank Polo Miss Clara Bullock

III. Paper—Birds of Ohio vicinity by Miss Beckwith J. Rochester

Miss Beckwith gave a beautifully illustrated paper on flowers, illustrated by many sketches.

II. Tuesday Song—Sarah Jones

III. Paper—Birds of our neighborhood by Miss Pulitzer Tarnish

IV. Song—Mrs. F. J. Rowe

II. Each member to give a quotation about birds or flowers.

Meeting then adjourned.
The Society met at the residence of Mr. J. B. Y. Garner on Monday, 25th April, 1875.

The following subjects were discussed:

I. Music - Duke of Sussex, Puppy, and Babbage.

II. Minutes of the last meeting.

III. Paper - The extinct industries of Scotland, by Mr. J. S. Hall.


V. Paper - Handicraft and Machinery, by Mr. Byron, Madison.

VI. Each person remembered the title of some book. - The Committee offered a prize to the person guessing the greatest number of titles.

VII. Grand Sols. - Mrs. Amelia Hall.

A motion was made and seconded that Mr. Hall give his article to the proceedings for the historical society this year.

The Secretary was instructed...
to extend to Miss Florence
Beckwith of Rochester a vote
of thanks for her very
tactful and instructive article given
at the last meeting.

It was also moved that Miss
Beckwith be consulted in
regard to preparing the
article, that it might be pre-
pared with the other articles.

The chair then appointed
a Committee to make out
the program for the next
meeting and to appoint a
Conc. for the yearly program
Meeting was then adjourned.
The Scottsville Literary Society held its fourteenth meeting at the home of Mr. H. L. Hall. Mr. Byron was in the chair.

I. Reading of the minutes.

II. Adoption of the advertising: Miss Caroline Edden.

III. Piano duet: Mrs. Arnold and Margaret Arnold.

IV. Have we a purely literary magazine?

V. Plays solo: Mrs. Lillian B. Hall.

VI. Suggestions from each member as to another year's work.

VII. Mrs. Stouer thanked the members who responded to the year's program.

VIII. A motion was made and carried that the annual committee be given the use of the hall.

IX. The committee adjourned and later announced the committee as topical subjects to be: Rear-Admiral Sanford, Mrs. J. B. Arnold and Mrs. W. J. Howe. The next meeting to be held the first Monday in October, at Mr. Holden Brown's. Mrs. Brown presiding.

Miss Parson, Miss Eddleman and Miss Rafferty.

Mrs. Howe, sec'y [Secretary].

Adjourned.
The fifteenth meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held Monday evening, April 28th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Keys, Mr. George J. Skivington presiding. Over 80 people were present.

The program opened with a selection by the Gringville 17 piece orchestra of Rochester.

2. The reading of the minutes of the last meeting.

3. Orchestra selection.

4. Reading by Miss Elizabeth Ingalls: "Thanksgiving at Todd's Asylum."

5. Orchestra selection.


7. A reading by Miss Mabel Fiskbaugh: "Almira Hawley" by Dorothy Canfield.

8. Selections by the orchestra.

The society tendered the orchestra a vote of thanks for their delightful music.

The following persons were elected members of the society: Mrs. J. A. Luntz, Mrs. Harry Smith, James C. Martin, Mrs. James C. Martin, Rev. Wilbur A. Wagar, and Mrs. Wagar of Scottsville; and Albert Nicholson, Fred Wycall, Miss Helen Wyco and Erwin H. Bacon of Rochester.

A committee was appointed to arrange the yearly program for the coming year: Mrs. William T. Keys, Mrs. John Z. Garbett and
The fourteenth meeting of the Scottsville Literary Society was held Monday evening, April 19th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hooper. Judge Selden S. Brown presided. There were 26 present.

1. The program opened with victrola music from the Mikado.
2. Reading of the minutes.
3. Victrola music from the Mikado.
4. A very interesting talk by Miss Kathleen D’Alier of Brookport about Greece. Miss D’Alier was a Red Cross nurse in Greece during the reconstructions after the war. She did not spend much time in telling of her work, but described graphically the picturesque beauties of historic Greece.
5. Victrola music - La Paloma.
6. Instead of giving a reading, Mrs. Routwell suggested that we look at the many pictures Miss D’Alier had brought from Greece.

After the report of the program committee, the meeting was adjourned.

The committee for the next meeting is:

Mrs. William J. Howe
Mrs. Everett G. Barron
S. King Brown

Arline Horning, sec'y