Elk Run Cemetery Corporation
Annual Meeting

June 20,1984
In attendance:
H.E. Monger,President,S.P.H. Flick,Executive V.P.,Directors G.W. Berry.Carl A. Schumacher,Mrs Frances Dean and Mrs Mary Ware Greene.

The meeting opened at 7:30 P.M. and Mr. Monger asked for the report on cemetery operations.All members of the Board had received the financial report as well as a report of our activities. V.P. Flick asked for and received permission to make the said report a part of these minutes of this meeting.

V.P. Flick made a report of the progress being made toward getting the town of Elkton to take over the cemetery. It is specifically mentioned in the town charter that they operate a burial ground . He asked if anyone had any suggestions for another course of action and gave as the reason for this action,his own advancing age as well as that of President Monger. The individual members of the Board agreed with this line of thinking and approved the action that had been taken looking toward the taking over of the cemetery by the town.

The matter actions authorized at our last annual meeting was taken up and Flick reported that he had contacted Dr. Downey and that he was not agreeable to cleaning the North fence row as we had planned. Since cleaning out the fence row would probably entail the purchase of new fence it was felt best not to do this project at this time. Flick reported that he had discussed at length with Dr. Downey the acquisition of more land on the East side of the present cemetery but had not been able to come to a final agreement with Dr. Downey. He is,at present,busy with the details of settling his deceased mother's estate and said that it would be late summer or early fall before he would be ready to talk further on this matter.

The Board authorized V.P. Flick to run an ad for two weeks in the Valley Banner,calling the attention of lot owners to section 16 of the cemetery by-laws as regards the placing of flowers on the graves during the mowing season. It was agreed that the indiscriminate use of artificial flowers by lot owners was the chief criticism of our cemetery by the general public.

The Board agreed unanimously that V.P. Flick should continue with his talks with town officials looking toward the transfer of the cemetery to their management. When a working agreement has been reached a special meeting will be held for the approval of the board before any final,action is taken.

No further business appearing the meeting closed at 8:10 P.M.

S.P.H. Flick

S.P.H. Flick,Interim Sect'y.-Treasurer