The Melbourne Beefsteak Club

EIGHT HUNDREDTH DINNER

UNIVERSITY HOUSE
UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE

Friday 29 September 1967



WORTHY MASTER

Sir Clive Fitts

APERITIF

Massoni's Nectar Champagne

Champagne certainly gives one werry gentlemanly ideas, but for a continuance I don't know but I shouldn't prefer mild hale.

R. S. Surtees

THE RITUAL

It's a poor sort of memory that only works backwards.

Charles Lutwidge Dodgson

OYSTERS

Lindeman's Ben Ean Moselle

He had often eaten oysters, but had never had enough. W. S. Gilbert

SOUP

Sherry: Mildara Supreme

He ate and drank as he was told And never let his soup get cold.

Heinrich Hoffman

BEEF

Seaview Bin 15 (Coonawarra-McLaren Vale Blend) 1963

Methinks sometimes I have no more wit than a Christian or ordinary man has; but I am a great eater of beef, and I believe that does harm to my wit.

William Shakespeare

CHEESE

Botticelli isn't a wine, you juggins, Botticelli's a cheese! Vol. civ, p. 270, 1894

BRANDY

Hennessy's Three Star Cognac

Claret is the liquor for boys; port for men; but he who aspires to be a hero must drink brandy.

Samuel Johnson

CIGARS

Samuel MacMahon Wadham (Honorary Life Member)

George Stephenson Browne Frank Kingsley Norris Clive Hamilton Fitts Kenneth Stewart Cunningham **Edmund Francis Herring** Laurence John Hartnett Hugh Gerner Brain Moneyer Richard Reginald Sholl (on leave) Wilfrid Selwyn Kent Hughes Joseph Richard Sutcliffe James Stanley Rogers John Henry Lindell Sandford Saul Nevile **David Plumley Derham** Alan William Hamer Colin Blore Bednall (on leave) Phillip Garth Law Robert John Southey Raynes Waite Adrian Dickson Frank Eyre Recorder John Dougan Brookes Victor David Hopper Raymond Leslie Martin Robin Gerard Penleigh Boyd Raymond David Marginson William Turnbull McKendrick Boots