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Little Traverse History Museum, Petoskey, MI

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Dec. 3- 1917

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Quinlan.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Rosenthal.

Minutes read and approved.

A communication from Mrs. Hunsbarger was read, tendering her resignation from the Club. A motion was made to accept it- carried.

Mrs. Bain was elected secretary to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. Hunsbarger.

Mrs. Ferris was elected a member of the Club and the secretary instructed to notify her.

A motion was made that the Club have a committee to visit the sick- carried.

It was moved that the officers of the Club constitute that committee- carried.

The president appointed Mrs. Darling and Mrs. M. Rosenthal to act as the flower committee.

A motion was made that the Club eliminate the program after the holidays and have articles from leading periodicals read by the chairman of the day, and do Red Cross work- carried.

The president appointed Mrs. Levinson, Mrs. Nihart, and Mrs. Wilson to act as a committee for supplying the club with work from the Red Cross rooms.

It was moved that the program be left over for the next year, the chairman of last year's committee working with the new committee.

Roll call was responded to with United States Presidents.

The ladies did red-cross work during the program which was in charge of Mrs. Nihart. The subject being American life since 1876.

Mrs. Rosenthal read a paper on Southern California showing some views of the places she visited while there.

Mrs. Mesick gave the biography of her guest Miss Clara Grayson.

Then followed current events about historical places, after which our hostess, Mrs. Quinlan, served tea and wafers.

Aileen S. Nihart, Sec. Pro Tem

Dues paid Mrs. Darling \$1.00

Mrs. Barber \$1.00

Dec. 10-1917

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Hansen.

Meeting called to order by the president Mrs. Rosenthal.

Minutes read and approved.

Notes from Mrs. Klise and Mrs. Raynolds were read thanking the Club for the flowers sent them.

Motion was made and carried that the bill of five dollars and fifty cents for chocolate for the Xmas boxes be paid.

Mrs. Hansen donated several pieces of cretonne to the Club to be made up into "comfort bags" for the soldiers- twelve bags were made.

Eighteen knitted articles were knit by the ladies of the Club for the Christmas boxes.

Five minutes intermission.

Roll call was responded to with rivers of States in America- eighteen members were present.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Wilson who read a paper on the History and Development of Alaska.

Mrs. Welling gave a talk on the "Seward Folly."

Art Review followed conducted by Mrs. Goldstein.

The ladies did Red Cross work during the program and twenty articles were finished.

Olive S. Baire, Secretary

Jan. 7-1918

The first meeting after the holidays was held at the home of Mrs. A. Rosenthal.

Meeting called to order by the president Mrs. Rosenthal.

Minutes read and approved.

A report from the treasurer was read and accepted.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Loveland's resignation be accepted.

Mrs. Bernard Klise was elected a member of the Club and the secretary instructed to notify her.

Mrs. McKercher's name was placed on the waiting list.

Roll call was responded to with quotations from Longfellow. Thirteen members were present.

Five minutes intermission was then allowed.

Mrs. Welling was Chairman of the Day, her subject being a very interesting magazine article on the "Origin of the American Flag." This article was divided into parts and read by several of the ladies present.

Mrs. H. Nihart read an article on "How Germany Can End the War."

Interesting current events then followed.

Thirty bandages were finished by the ladies during the afternoon.

After a motion to adjourn our hostess served apples and candy.

Olive S. Baire, Secretary

Dues paid Mrs. Fasquelle \$1.00

Mrs. Osborn \$1.00

Mrs. E. Klise \$1.00

Mrs. Welling \$1.00

January 14- 1918

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Fasquelle.

Meeting called to order by the president Mrs. Rosenthal, who read "My Symphony" by William Henry Channing.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Roll call responded to with poems from Edgar Guest- twenty members were present.

Intermission

Mrs. Levinson had charge of the program, her topic being "The Women's Part in the War." Other articles along this line were read by-

Miss Ferguson on "The God Boy."

Mrs. Osborn on "Fine Uniforms are Pleasing" and

Mrs. Wilson "The Girl and the Man in Uniform"

Mrs. Bain read a letter from a young Sergeant in France.

Mrs. G. Nihart then gave a short report of the open meeting of the Federation.

The entertainment committee proposed that the ladies give a theater party in honor of Mrs. Mesick, who is going away.

A motion was made and carried that Wednesday afternoon be the day decided for this party.

Current events followed and our hostess served refreshments.

Thirty slings were finished during the afternoon.

It was then moved to adjourn and meet in one week with Mrs. M. Rosenthal.

Olive S. Baire, Secretary

Dues paid Mrs. A. Rosenthal \$1.00

Mrs. Goldstein \$1.00

Mrs. Kelder \$1.00

Mrs. Levinson \$1.00

Mrs. M. Rosenthal \$1.00

Jan, 21- 1918

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. M. Rosenthal.

Meeting called to order by the president, Mrs. Rosenthal.

Minutes read and approved.

Mrs. Levinson read a pamphlet on Refugee Garments- describing the Infants Layette.

A motion was made and carried that the Club furnish and make an entire Infants Layette along with the Red Cross work being done.

It was moved and carried that the names of Mrs. Croster and Mrs. A.B. Klise be placed on the Honorary List.

Mrs. McKercher was elected a member of the Club and the secretary instructed to notify her.

Mrs. Kelder gave an instrumental solo which consisted of two numbers by MacDowell, these numbers were interpreted by Mrs. Kelder before playing and was greatly enjoyed by all.

Roll call responded to with quotations from Tennyson. Eighteen members present.

Intermission

The program was in charge of Mrs. Barber- her topic being "A Review of the Principle Events of the Great World War in 1917." This interesting paper was read by Miss Ferguson.

Mrs. Barber then gave several brief editorials on current topics.

Current events followed and our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Sixty shot bags (?) were finished during the afternoon.

It was then moved to adjourn and meet in one week with Mrs. Osborn.

Olive S. Baire, secretary

Feb. 4- 1918

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Osborne.

Meeting called to order by the president Mrs. Rosenthal.

Minutes read and approved.

Mrs. Levinson gave a report on the Infants Layette which is being made by the club.

Mrs. Masters was voted a member of the Club and the secretary instructed to notify her.

Fourteen members responded to roll call with quotations from Michigan poets.

We then had an intermission of five minutes after which Mrs. Osborne gave us two Victrola records which were enjoyed very much by all.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Fasquelle, her topic being "Michigan."

Mrs. Welling gave the club a bit of camouflage, telling what we would do if the Germans should try to take Petoskey.

Mrs. Chandler read an interesting article on Camp Custer.

It was moved to draw up a resolution of sympathy to be sent to Mrs. Smith. Carried.

Current events followed after which our hostess served delicious refreshments.

The Club adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Lantz.

Aileen S. Nihart

Sec Pro Tem

Olive S. Baire Sec.

Mrs. McKercher \$1.00

Feb 11- 1918

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Lantz.

The president opened the meeting with an inspiring thought from Ruskie.

Minutes read and approved.

Mrs. Levinson read a sketch of the life of Emerson after which roll call was responded to with quotations from Emerson. Nineteen members being present.

Intermission of five minutes.

The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Levinson.

Mrs. Lantz read an article on "Friendship" by Emerson.

Mrs. Levinson read an interesting article about the "Lighthouse for the Blind."

Current events followed after which our hostess served delicious refreshments.

The Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Levinson the following Monday.

Aileen S. Nihart

Sec Pro Tem

Olive S. Baire, Sec.

Dues paid Mrs. Lantz \$1.00

Mrs. Wilson \$1.00

Mrs. H. Nihart \$1.00

Thirty straps on thirty slings were finished during the afternoon.

Presidents Day Feb 18 1918

The members of the Woman's Club celebrated their annual President's Day at the home of Mrs. Levinson with a Hoover luncheon although complying strictly with meatless and wheatless regulations a most delicious luncheon was partaken of.

The home was beautifully decorated with narcissus and daffodils which were afterwards taken care of by the flower committee and presented to the sick.

The program for the afternoon was indeed a musical treat.

Roll call was responded by members with celebrated musicians. The Opera chosen was an Italian opera Pagliocci by Signor Leoncarallo. Mrs. A. Rosenthal gave the synopsis of the opera and characters. Mrs. Levinson introduced the singers and gave her assistance at the Victrola.

The records that were especially enjoyed and had several encores were as follows-

Prologue Gerne(?) of the Opera

Shorns(?) of the Bells

Birds without number

And Nought I Forget

"Pagliacci" translated means "The Players" and this musical drama was under the personal direction of the composer Leoncarollo, he selected his own artists to represent his great work.

A rising vote of thanks were given the hostess and the President for planning such a delightful afternoon.

On a notecard insert:

To the Woman's Club

On My Eightieth Birthday

I waked from a morning nap to see

A dear little daffodil child

That had softly crept up close to me

And winking and blinking it smiled

And greatly nodding its yellow-filled head

In a sweet voice hinder and hue??

"I've come from the Woman's Club" said

"With greetings of love for you."

For both of the beautiful plants

The smiles of this grey old earth

I most sincerely thank you,

Lovingly,

Leila M. Rowan

February twenty-five- 1918

Feb 25- 1918

The Woman's Club met at the house of Mrs. McKercher.

Meeting called to order by president Mrs. Rosenthal.

Minutes read and approved.

A communication from Mrs. Seibert was read saying she was able to again take up the work of the club if there should be a vacancy.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Masters name be placed on the waiting list.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Seibert be unanimously elected a member of the Club and the secretary instructed to notify her.

It was moved and carried that an order be drawn on the treasury for \$5.12 to pay for the materials used in the Infants Layette.

It was moved and carried that the ladies of the Club make a second layette.

It was moved and carried that the bill of 95 cents for flowers be allowed and an order be drawn on the treasury.

The Constitution and By-Laws of the Club were read by the secretary for the benefit of the new members.

Nineteen members responded to roll call with current thoughts relative to Washington.

Intermission

A short poem was read composed by Mrs. Rowan thanking the ladies for flowers sent her on her eightieth birthday.

It was moved to preserve this poem in the minutes.

The program for the day was in charge of Mrs. Darling- her topic being Jerusalem.

Mrs. Ferris read an article describing Jaffa the chief part of Jerusalem.

Mrs. Darling read an interesting magazine article on the Russian peasant.

Mrs. McKercher favored us with several military and patriotic victrola records.

After being adjourned, our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Forty-two bandages were finished during the afternoon and our Infants Layette completed ready to turn over to the Red Cross.

Olive S. Baire, Sec'y

Dues paid Miss Warne \$1.00

Miss Seibert \$1.00

Mrs. G. Nihart \$1.00

March 4- 1918

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Hayn(?) Nihart.

The president, Mrs. Rosenthal, opened the meeting with a helpful thought from Phillips Brooks.

Minutes read and approved.

A communication from Miss Jones was read complementing the ladies on the layette just completed and thanking them for same in the name of the Emmet County Chapter of the American National Red Cross.

A motion was made and carried that an order be drawn on the treasury for \$5.08 to pay for materials for the second layette.

A report from the treasurer was read and accepted.

Roll call responded to by naming and locating forts in the United States.

Eighteen members present.

Intermission

The program was in charge of Miss Warne, the topic for the afternoon being Forts and Cantonments.

Mrs. Fasquelle read a paper on the "Forts of the Straits."

An article "The Spirit of the Camp" was read by Mrs. Osborne and "Making Sammy a Singer" was read by Mrs. Goldstein.

After current events the Club gave the salute to our Flag. Our hostess then served dainty refreshments and we adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Elmer Klise.

The afghan knitted by the ladies of the Club was completed and exhibited ready for the Red Cross. Work on the layette was done during the afternoon.

Olive S. Baire

Sec'y

March 11- 1918

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Elmer Klise.

Meeting was opened by the Vice president Mrs. Levinson with a reading from Mizpah.

Minutes read and approved.

Roll call responded to by miscellaneous poems and quotations- fifteen members present.

Intermission of five minutes.

The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Bain- the topic being Russia.

Mrs. Welling read an article on "Russia, a puzzle" and Mrs. Osborne an article on "Russia accepts a German Peace."

Mrs. Bain read an editorial on "A few reasons for trying to live long enough to know your great grand children."

A message from "The Captain and his Men" was read by Mrs. Levinson.

Art Review followed with interesting and instructive art numbers by Mrs. Kelder, Miss Warne, and Mrs. Seibert.

We then moved to adjourn to meet in one week with Mrs. Seibert.

Our hostess Mrs. Klise served tempting refreshments.

Twenty bandages were hemmed during the program.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

March 18-1918

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Seibert.

Meeting opened by the Vice President Mrs. Levinson with a short reading on "Opportunity."

Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Roll call responded to by Irish Witticisms. Nineteen members present.

The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Kelder.

Mrs. Fasquelle read a very interesting magazine article entitled "Neighbor Haus."

Mrs. Kelder then introduced the book "The Challenge of the Present Crisis." Mrs. Ferris reading the first two chapters of the book and Mrs. Kelder reading the third chapter.

The balance of the reading of this book is to be continued at our next meeting.

Mrs. Alex Clark was present and gave a talk on the registration of Women. A rising vote of thanks was given Mrs. Clark for her instructive talk.

A motion was made and carried that refreshments be eliminated at our next meeting.
Our hostess then served ice cream and cake and we adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Hayn Nihart. Twenty slings were finished during the afternoon.
Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid Mrs. Post \$1.00

Mrs. Bain \$1.00

"The Challenge of the Present Crisis" by Harry Emerson Fosdick

March 25- 1918

The Women's Club met at the home of Mrs. Hayn Nihart.

Meeting opened by the Vice President Mrs. Levinson with a reading from Drummond- on "Patience and Kindness."

Minutes read and approved.

A communication was read from the chairman of the Federation with an appeal for funds to help build recreation houses in France for the benefit of the American soldiers abroad.

A motion was made that the communication be laid on the table for future consideration.

Carried.

Roll call responded to by 14 members with miscellaneous poems.

Intermission

The program was in charge of Mrs. Osborne.

The continuation of the book "The Challenge of the Present Crisis" was read by Mrs. Nihart, Miss Ferguson and Mrs. Osborne. This book has been greatly enjoyed by the members of the Club.

Mrs. Faquelle read an article on "Class Barriers down in Britain."

We then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Kelder.

Our honorary member, Miss Ferguson, who has been with us during the winter months, served dainty refreshments. This was to be her last meeting with us.

Twenty slings were finished during the program.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid Mrs. Ferris \$1.00

Mrs. Candler \$1.00

April 1-1918

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. A. Rosenthal.

Meeting called to order by President Mrs. Rosenthal.

Minutes read and approved.

Election of officers as follows

Mrs. Levinson- President

Mrs. Hayn Nihart- 1st Vice President

Mrs. Hanson- 2nd Vice President

Mrs. Bain- secretary

Mrs. Ferris- treasurer

Roll call responded to by current that(?) on music- 21 members present.

A discussion was had as to whether the Club should join with the Federation and buy a Liberty Bond.

It was moved and carried that the bond question to be decided on at our next meeting.

We then adjourned to meet in one week with Miss Johnson.

Dainty refreshments were served by our hostess.

Twenty slings were finished during the afternoon.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

April 8- 1918

The Woman's Club met with Miss Johnson.

Meeting opened by the president Mrs. Rosenthal with a reading from Lord Avebury.

Minutes read and approved.

A motion was made that the Club join with the Federation and help buy a Liberty Bond- Cash.

After a lengthy discussion, motion was made to assist the Federation in buying a bond taking \$5.00 from the club treasury for that purpose. Carried.

A motion was made that the club buy a bond individually each member assessed one dollar and the secretary and treasurer appointed a committee to look after the purchasing of this bond- carried.

It was reported that the Club books will be sent back to the State Library- our librarian attending to this matter and the expense sent to the Club later.

It was also reported that the second layette was finished and ready for the Red Cross.

Roll call responded to by miscellaneous topics- 16 members present.

Intermission.

Mrs. Lantz had charge of the program for the afternoon and read a very interesting article on "A Visit to the East Side" written by a Russian girl who lived in this locality.

An interesting article was also read by Mrs. Hanson on "Causes of Industrial Unrest."

After a motion to adjourn our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Twenty badges were finished during the afternoon.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

For Liberty Bond:

Mrs. Elmer Klise \$3.00

Mrs. A. Rosenthal \$1.00

Mrs. M. Rosenthal \$1.00

Mrs. R. Lantz \$1.00

Mrs. R.L. Seibert \$5.00

Miss Johnson \$1.00

Miss W.S. Mesick \$1.00

Mrs. G. Nihart \$1.00

Mrs. H. Nihart \$1.00

Mrs. F. McKercher \$1.00

Mrs. Z. Goldstein \$1.00

Mrs. Jay Bain \$1.00
Mrs. S. Wilson \$1.00
Mrs. M. Barber \$1.00
Mrs. D.C. Levinson \$1.00
Mrs. C. Hanson \$1.00
Mrs. J. Welling \$1.00

April 15-1918

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Hanson.

Meeting opened by the president Mrs. Rosenthal with a reading on "A Well Ordered Day."

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

A motion was made that we pay the first installment on our Bond of two dollars and fifty cents.
Carried.

The president appointed the following entertainment committee for the next year. Mrs. Post, Mrs. Candler, and Mrs. E. Klise.

The chairman for the Liberty Loan entertainment committee were appointed by the president as follows- Mrs. Levinson, Mrs. E. Klise, and Mrs. Seibert.

A report of the Red Cross work up to date was read by the chairman of that committee and the Club moved that we accept this report with thanks.

A report from the treasurer was read and accepted.

Eighteen members responded to roll call with miscellaneous topics.

Five minute intermission.

The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Hanson. With Mrs. Osborn at the piano the Club arose and sang America.

Mrs. Barber read an article on "Architecture After the War."

Mrs. Nihart an article on "Our attitude toward the German people" and Mrs. Lantz an article on "An Architect's Pilgrimage thru the Middle ??"

Mrs. Kelder favored us with two instrumental solos which were greatly enjoyed by the Club.

After a motion to adjourn to meet in one week with Mrs. Barber our hostess served tempting refreshments.

Twenty infants bonnets were finished during the afternoon.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid Mrs. Mesick \$1.00

April 22- 1918

The cash?? Meeting of the Woman's Club was held at the home of Mrs. Barber. Twenty-two members present and one guest.

Meeting opened with the collect read by the president Mrs. Rosenthal.

Minutes of last meeting read and corrected.

The minutes of April 8 were requested to be read for the benefit of absent members.

The layette donated by Mrs. McKercher and Mrs. Seibert was on display and ready to turn over to the Red Cross.

A motion was made and carried that the entertainment committee be allowed five dollars from the Club treasury to be used for the annual banquet.

The secretary was instructed to notify the out of town members of the annual closing event of the Club year, to be held at the home of Mrs. Kelder.

Roll call responded to with suggestions on Civic Improvements in Petoskey.

Five minutes intermission.

The program for the afternoon was in the hands of Mrs. Goldstein, who had a rare treat in store for us- when she introduced Miss Marie Ames, a representative of the National Woman Suffrage Association. Miss Ames gave us a very interesting and instructive talk which was greatly appreciated by the Club.

A rising vote of thanks were given Miss Ames for her most pleasing talk.

After being adjourned our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Thirty slings were finished during the afternoon.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

For Liberty Bond

Mrs. Darling \$1.00

Miss Martha Warne \$1.00

Amount taken in from first committee for Liberty Bond \$14.10

Mrs. A.B. Klise \$1.00

Mrs. J. Kelder \$1.00

Mrs. Chas. Andrus \$1.00

Mrs. Ethel Fasquelle \$1.00

Mrs. S. Rash \$1.00

Mrs. D.C. Osborn \$1.00

Mrs. Bernard Klise \$1.00

April 29-1918

Itemized account of articles made for the Red Cross during the year.

30 bunting bed booties

12 comfort bags

132 bandages

150 slings

30 straps on 30 slings

20 infants bonnets

18 knitted articles for Xmas boxes

45 knitted blocks for afghans

60 shot bags

96 Articles in layettes (of 24 articles in one layette)

593 total number of articles

Have still on hand 2 baby jackets and 4 booties

Olive S. Bain, Sec.

Report for the year 1917-1918

There were twenty-one meetings of the Woman's Club during the year with an average attendance of seventeen members, three members having attended every meeting: namely Mrs. Levinson, Mrs. H. Nihart, and Mrs. Welling.

The program scheduled for the year was discontinued after the holidays and Red Cross work was taken up during the study hour while articles on the war and current topics of the day were read by the different members of the Club.

Presidents Day was celebrated at the home of Mrs. Levinson Feb. eighteenth. At noon a Hoover luncheon was served and was greatly enjoyed by all, after which a musical program was rendered.

The closing event of the Club year was held at the home of Mrs. Kelder. Thirty members were dressed to enjoy the delightful program and social hour.

Luncheon was served at five o'clock. During the Club year six hundred articles were finished for the Red Cross, and a fifty dollar bond bought with the Third Liberty Loan.

In June a pot luck dinner was enjoyed with Mrs. Fasquelle at her cozy summer cottage at Wequetonsing, and in August a delightful afternoon party was held at the suburban home of Mrs. Mesick.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Money expended for layettes \$10.12

Money expended for chocolates for Xmas boxes \$5.50 (for soldiers)

Money expended for Federation bond \$5.00

Money expended for Club bond \$50.00

Total \$70.62

The first meeting of the Club year was held at the home of Mrs. Levinson, Monday Nov. 3rd 1918.

Meeting called to order by Mrs. Rosenthal with a patriotic song on the Victrola- My Country tis of thee.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

The annual reports of the past year were read by the secretary and treasurer. It was moved and carried that these reports be accepted. A rising vote of thanks was then given the secretary and treasurer for their faithfulness during the year.

It was moved and carried that the flower bill of \$3.35 be paid and an order drawn on the treasury.

After a few words of love and appreciation from our retiring president Mrs. Rosenthal, our new president Mrs. Levinson took the chair.

A rising vote of thanks was given Mrs. Rosenthal for her kindly guidance during the past year, also a royal welcome given the new president for the ensuing year.

Five minutes recess was then in order and our Box Sale took place in which \$3.15 was realized.

After some discussion it was moved and carried that we serve light refreshments at our meetings consisting of two articles.

The chairman of the program committee suggested that we follow the plan of last year- each chairman of the day choosing her own topic, this seemed to meet the approval of all.

Mrs. H. Nihart was appointed chairman of the Red Cross work during the year.

It was moved and carried that the memoriam of Mrs. Minnie Klise be included in the minutes.

Mrs. Barber had the program in charge for the day, her topic being "Home." A beautiful Victrola record was given- "Home Sweet Home" sung by Galli Cursi. Mrs. Barber then read an interesting article on the "Home."

Roll call responded to by nine members with short poems on the Home.

After being adjourned our hostess served light refreshments.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid Mrs. Hoyh Nihart \$1.00

November 12- 1918

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Rowan. Meeting opened by the president, Mrs. Levinson. The club standing sang America and repeated the Lord's Prayer. A short poem on Peace was read by the president and touched the hearts of all- for we surely met with thankful hearts on the second day of the ending of the great world war.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

In loving tribute the club presented Mrs. Rowan with a beautiful bouquet of chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Rowan responded with loving words of kindness and praise.

Five minutes recess followed for payment of dues.

A motion was made and carried that we waive ceremony at our club meetings and not require the hostess to be "door tender" but to "walk in."

A motion was made and carried that the treasurer be allowed to purchase a treasurer's book.

After some discussion it was decided to keep up friendly criticism in the club.

It was moved and carried that the club adopt a French or Belgian orphan.

Roll call showed fifteen members present.

Mrs. Rowan had charge of the program and led the discussion on the woman's work in the great world war. Several articles on this subject were read. Mrs. Seibert read a paper on the Mothers, wives and sweethearts of the soldiers. Mrs. Fasquelle on the Y.W.C.A. and Motor girls corps.

Mrs. G. Nihart on Woman Canteen work. Mrs. E. Klise on Woman's Hospital work. Mrs. A. Rosenthal on the woman's work in the Red Cross, and Mrs. M. Rosenthal on the women in the munitions plants.

After a motion to adjourn to meet in one week with Mrs. A. Rosenthal our hostess served light refreshments.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid—

Mrs. Levinson \$1.00

Mrs. Seibert \$1.00

Mrs. G. Nihart \$1.00

Mrs. B. Klise \$1.00

Mrs. E. Klise \$1.00

Nov. 18 – 1918

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. A. Rosenthal. Meeting opened by the president, Mrs. Levinson.

A victrola record was given entitled "Dear old Pal of mine."

Minutes of last meeting read and corrected.

It was moved and carried that we accept Mrs. Post resignation from the club— with regrets.

Four dollars and six cents salvage money was turned over to the Club by Mrs. Klise.

Next in order was the election of the program committee for the coming year. Mrs. Darling and Mrs. Klise were appointed tellers.

The election resulted in Mrs. Andrus, Miss Warne, and Mrs. A. Rosenthal elected on that committee.

Five minutes intermission.

It was moved and carried that a committee be appointed to draw up a resolution of sympathy to be sent to the family of the late Mrs. Lillie Von Platiu. Mrs. A. Rosenthal, Mrs. Darling & Mrs. H. Nihart were appointed that committee.

Roll call responded to by 12 members on noted Women's work in the War.

The program was in charge of Mrs. M. Rosenthal, her subject being Reconstruction and after War problems. Mrs. Rosenthal read an editorial by Rabbi Franklin. Mrs. E. Klise an article on John Pershing. Mrs. H. Nihart on Ferdinand Foch. Mrs. A. Rosenthal on rehabilitation of our wounded. Mrs. Barber on the manufacturer's message to disabled men. Mrs. Fasquelle on Reconstruction and Mrs. M. Rosenthal on Demobilization.

Current events followed.

After a motion to adjourn to meet in one week with Mrs. Barber, our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid:

Mrs. M. Rosenthal \$1.00

Mrs. Barber \$1.00

Mrs. Darling \$1.00

Mrs. Andrus \$1.00

Nov. 25 — 1918

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Barber. The president opened the meeting by a reading "A Talk with the Boy" Edgar A. Guest.

Minutes read and approved.

Mrs. Winsor was again voted member of this club.

Miss Warne presented a bill of accounts for the treasurer's account book. It was moved and carried that said bill be paid.

Five minutes intermission.

It was moved and carried that the quarterly payment be paid toward the adoption of a French orphan— the orphan to be a girl.

The club has been invited to meet at High School Auditorium to an open meeting of the Federation.

Roll call was responded to by Current Events. 13 members being present.
The program was in charge of Mrs. G. Nihart— her subject being “Our Future Politics.”
Miss Ferguson talked on the present conditions in Russia.
The president invited us to meet at her home and then the club was adjourned.
The hostess, Mrs. Barber, served delectable refreshments.
Grace P. Quinlan,
Sec. Pro Tem

Dec. 2— 1918

The Woman's Club met with our president, Mrs. Levinson.
Meeting opened by the president with a record on the Victrola “Poet and Peasant.”
Minutes read and approved.
Five minutes intermission.
Roll call responded to by 15 members with the names of painters and artists.
The program was in charge of Mrs. Goldstein. Mrs. Goldstein read an interesting paper on
“Emotion in Art.” Mrs. A. Rosenthal an article on “The Sand Dunes of Indians.” Mrs. Levinson an
article “Artistic War Window displays.” and Miss Warne— Artists who have put all their time on
War posters.
Current events followed.
After a motion to adjourn our hostess served dainty refreshments.
Olive S. Bain, Sec'y
Dues paid—
Mrs. Winsor \$1.00
Mrs. Fasquelle \$1.00
Mrs. Bain \$1.00
Mrs. McKercher \$1.00
Mrs. Lantz \$1.00
Mrs. Quinlan \$2.00

Dec. 9— 1918

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Bain. Meeting opened by the president Mrs. Levinson with a
record on the Victrola “America.”
Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.
A communication from Mrs. Wade Smith was read desiring to become a member of the Club.
Five minutes intermission.
The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Andrus. With Mrs. Andrus being unable to
attend, Mrs. A. Rosenthal carried out the arranged program.
The Star Spangled Banner was played on the victrola and an article read by Mrs. Rosenthal on
“What we should do when the National Air is played.”
A Medely[sic] of National Airs was also played on the Victrola and greatly enjoyed.
Miss Ferguson read an article on Russia.
Fourteen members answered to roll call on reconstruction and conservation.

It was voted by the club to hold a membership contest. Mrs. Nihart and Mrs. Lantz were appointed leaders of the two sides.

After being adjourned to meet Jan. 6th with Mrs. M. Rosenthal, light refreshments were served by the hostess.

Seven quilts have been finished by the club for the refugees and an entire day spent at the Red Cross rooms where fourteen refugee dresses were started and well under way.

Olive S. Bain. Sec'y

Jan. 6—1919

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. M. Rosenthal. Meeting called to order by the president.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

It was moved and carried that the bill of \$2.10 for cotton bats be paid and an order drawn on the treasury.

Mrs. Wade Smith was elected a member of the club.

Five minutes intermission.

Flowers were presented to our hostess, Mrs. Rosenthal, as a token of our love and esteem.

Mrs. Rosenthal soon leaves for her new home in Flint.

The program for the afternoon was in the hands of Mrs. Fasquelle. Her Topic being on the Peace conference. Miss Ferguson gave a talk on Versaille where the peace conference is to be held.

Mrs. Lantz gave a talk on Our President's visit to England.

Mrs. Andrus read an article on President Poincare's talk to President Wilson.

Mrs. McKercher an article on Italy's attitude about the Peace conference.

Mrs. A. Rosenthal on Jerusalem's attitude and Mrs. Quinlan on our own personnel of the peace table.

Mrs. E. Klise was appointed chairman of the Thrift Stamps for the Woman's Club.

Roll call showed 15 members present— We were then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Andrus. Dainty refreshments were served by our hostess.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Jan. 13— 1919

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Andrus. Meeting opened by the president, Mrs. Levinson.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

It was moved and carried that the Federation dues of \$2.00 be paid and an order drawn on the treasury.

Mrs. Andrus was elected the treasurer of the club for the balance of the year, to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. Ferris.

Five minutes intermission.

The program was in the hands of Mrs. Levinson. Topic "Russia." Mrs. Levinson read an article on "The Empress of Russia." Mrs. H. Nihart "The Eclipse of Russia." and Mrs. Quinlan on on Russia's "Young Barbarians" in Art.

Roll call responded to by 17 members on current topics pertaining to Russia.

After being adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Osborne, our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid—

Mrs. Smith \$1.00

Mrs. Osborne \$1.00

Mrs. Wilson \$1.00

Mrs. Goldstein \$1.00

Mrs. A. Rosenthal \$1.00

Nine thrift stamps sold.

Jan. 20— 1919

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Osborne. Meeting opened by the president, the club standing and singing America. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Communications from Mrs. Welling and Mrs. Barbour (Chairman of the Fatherless Children of France) were read. It was moved and carried that we make semi-annual payments on the adoption of our French orphan.

Five minutes intermission followed.

The Constitution and By-Law of the Club were read by the secretary for the benefit of the new members.

The program was in the hands of Mrs. Darling.

Topic "The League of Nations."

Mrs. Bain read an article on "Reasons for having League of Nations." Mrs. Fasquelle read a paper on "The Logical necessities for the League of Nations."

Mrs. Darling read an article on "The League of Nations when and where."

Roll call was responded to by 16 members, with current thot relative to Roosevelt.

After being adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. McKercher, our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Work on 25 handkerchiefs were finished by the club during the afternoon— also six thrift stamps and one war saving stamp sold.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Jan. 27—1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. McKercher. The president opened the meeting by reading a poem "Trouble" by Edgar Guest.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Five minutes intermission.

Miss Warne had charge of the program for the afternoon.

Miss Ferguson gave a talk of her visit to Palestine. Mrs. A. Rosenthal read an article on the "Jewish work in Jerusalem" Mrs. Lantz gave a very interesting talk on the "Military operations made in Palestine."

An article on the "Red Cross work in Palestine" was read by Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Darling.

Eighteen members responded to roll call with articles on Jerusalem and Palestine.
We were then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Darling.
Our hostess served doughnuts and coffee.
Ten thrift stamps were sold during the afternoon.
Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Mrs. Rosenthal displayed the Jewish flag made by her own hands.

Feb. 2—1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Hoyh Nihart. Meeting called to order by the president Mrs. Levinson.
Minutes read and corrected.
A card was read from Mrs. Seibert, also a communication from Mrs. M. Rosenthal tendering her resignation from the Club.
It was moved and carried that Mrs. M. Rosenthal's resignation be accepted with regrets.
It was moved and carried that the Woman's Club act as ushers at the Community Sings during the month of February.
The chairman of the Thrift Stamps committee reported \$39.40 sold during the month of January.
The Study Hour was spent in Parliamentary Drill conducted by Mrs. Levinson, all members taking part. This program for the afternoon proved to be very interesting and beneficial to all.
Fifteen members responded to roll call with miscellaneous articles.
We were then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Mesick.
Our hostess served dainty refreshments.
Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Feb. 10— 1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Mesick.
Meeting opened by the president with a reading "Mrs. Malone and the Censor" by Edgar Guest.
Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
Communications were read from Mr. W.F. Barber and Mrs. A.E. VanEvery.
It was moved and carried that we give \$5.00 towards the memorial for the Emmet county Boys who gave their lives during the war.
It was moved and carried that we take the candy booth for the "Victory Festival" to be given in the Red Cross rooms. Mrs. Levinson to act as chairman, assisted by Mrs. Lantz, Mrs. H. Nihart, Mrs. McKercher, Mrs. Klise, and Mrs. Smith.
The program for the afternoon was in the hands of Mrs. Wilson— and a study of the City Charter, its officers and their duties and privs(?) occupied the study hour.
Sixteen members answered to Roll Call with "Poems of the War."
We were then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Klise.
Dainty refreshments were served by our hostess.
Olive S. Bain, Sec'y
Dues paid— Miss Ferguson \$1.00

Feb. 17–1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Elmer Klise. Meeting opened by the President, Mrs. Levinson.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Mrs. VanEvery was elected a member of the Woman's Club and the secretary instructed to notify her.

The program for the afternoon was in the hands of Mrs. Mesick. Topic "The League of Nations" and "The freedom of the High Seas." Mrs. Osborne "An Englishman's point of view of the Freedom of the High Seas." Miss Ferguson "The Peace Machine" and Mrs. Lantz "League Covenants seen to lack Bite."

Roll call showed 16 members present with anecdotes of Theodore Roosevelt.

A discussion on the different nations attitude as to what is to be done with the German prisoners followed.

We were then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Lantz.

Our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Feb. 24–1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Lantz.

Meeting opened by the president reading a poem "New Responsibilities" by Edgar Guest.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Five minutes intermission followed, and the sale of the surprise packages took place. \$1.85 was realized from this sale.

A short report from the treasurer was read.

Roll call was responded to by 17 members with interesting anecdotes of George Washington.

Mrs. H. Nihart had charge of the program for the afternoon.

Mrs G. Nihart read an article on "The George Washington Memorial Building." Miss Ferguson gave a very interesting talk on the Kingdom of Arabia.

Mrs. Welling read a letter written by Martha Washington.

We were then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Quinlan.

Our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid– Mrs. Mesick \$1.00

Mar. 3–1919

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. John Quinlan. Meeting opened by the president Mrs. Levinson. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

It was moved and carried that the bill of \$3.37 for candy material be paid and an order drawn on the treasury.

It was moved and carried that a check for \$75.00 be drawn on the treasury in favor of the Red Cross.

Five minute intermission.

\$2.00 was turned over to Club by Mrs. Klise from the sale of old magazines.

Mrs. Bain had charge of the program for the afternoon. Topic "An Eminent Russian Interpretation of Bolshevism" by Count Ilya Tolstoy. This was a magazine article and read by Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Nihart, and Mrs. Lantz.

Roll call responded to by fifteen members with miscellaneous articles.

We were adjourned to meet with Mrs. Darling March 10th.

Our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid— Mrs. Welling \$1.00

Mar. 10— 1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Darling. Meeting opened by the Vice President, Mrs. H. Nihart.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

It was moved and carried that the flower bill amounting to 50 cents be paid and an order drawn on the treasury.

The chairman of the Thrift Stamp committee reported \$6.38 sold during the month of Feb.

Five minutes intermission.

The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Quinlan and the afternoon was spent in a very interesting and instructive discussion on politics.

Mrs. Quinlan gave a short talk on Woman voting and Mrs. Andrus told of her experience on the elections board.

Roll call responded to by 15 members telling what political party they stood by and why.

We were adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Welling. Dainty refreshments were served by our hostess.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Mar. 17— 1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Welling.

Meeting opened by the Vice President Mrs. H. Nihart.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

It was moved and carried that a note of congratulations be sent to Mrs. Kelder.

Roll call responded to by Irish Witticisms— fourteen members present.

Mrs. B. Klise had charge of the program for the afternoon.

Miss Ferguson gave a very interesting talk on the "Irish people and their country."

Mrs. Quinlan spoke on "Home Rule in Ireland"

Mrs. Fasquelle read an article on "Sinn Fein."

Mrs. Darling an article "What next in Ireland?"

Mrs. Chas. Gray was present and gave a talk on the "New Amendment."

We were then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. A. Rosenthal. Cakes and coffee were served by our hostess.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Mar. 24– 1919

The annual Presidents Day was celebrated at the home of Mrs. A. Rosenthal. Business was dispensed with and the meeting opened with Roll Call. Sixteen members responded with celebrated musicians. Three guests present.

The program was in charge of Mrs. A. Rosenthal and Mrs. Welling.

A delightful afternoon was spent with miscellaneous victrola music from Schumann, Heineck, Fritz, Kreisler, Galli, Curcia, Caruso, and John McCormack.

Mrs. Welling told of the wonderful voice of Galli-Curci having heard her in Grand Opera in Chicago.

We were also pleased to hear the famous “canter” of the First Hungarian Congregational Church in New York City (Josef Rosenblatt) who sang in Hebrew with organ accompaniment the “Prayer of Atonement.” Mrs. Goldstein interpreted this prayer for us in English.

We were then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Wilson. Our hostess served dainty refreshments.

Olive S. Bain, Sec’y

Dues paid– Miss Warne \$1.00

Mar 31– 1919

The Woman’s Club met at the home of Mrs. Sam Wilson. Meeting opened by the president. Minutes of last two meetings read and approved.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Goldstein be appointed a committee of one to collect the Art magazines that have been subscribed to by the club.

It was moved and carried that we present the Library with the four volumes of “The House of Seven Gables.”

It was moved and carried that our next meeting be held on Tuesday instead of Monday on account of election day.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Fasquelle have entire charge of the program April 14th.

Mrs. Andrus report as chairman of the program committee was read.

It was moved and carried that each member be assessed sixty (60) cents to pay for next year’s programs.

Miss Johnson had charge of the program for the afternoon. Topic “The League of Nations.”

This topic was thoroughly discussed in an interesting and instructive manner by Mrs. Quinlan, Mrs. Welling, Mrs. G. Nihart and Miss Johnson.

Roll call showed 17 members present.

We were then adjourned to meet April 8th with Mrs. Levinson.

Dainty refreshments were served by our hostess, Mrs. Wilson.

Olive S. Bain, Sec’y

April 8– 1919

The annual meeting of the Woman’s Club was held at the home of Mrs. Levinson. Meeting opened by the president.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Mrs. Welling and Mrs. Lantz were appointed two new members on the entertainment committee.

Mrs. Richard Miller was suggested as a member of the Club.

Election of officers then took place— Mrs. Welling, Mrs. Barber and Miss Johnson were appointed tellers. The election resulted as follows:

Mrs. H. Nihart- President

Mrs. Barber- 1st Vice president

Mrs. Wilson- 2nd Vice president

Mrs. Lantz- secretary

Mrs. Goldstein- treasurer

It was moved and carried that the names of the officers of the Club of 1918 & 1919 be included in next year's program.

The amendment to the constitution referring to Article V- lost.

It was voted in favor of adding to our By-Laws the following amendment:

"Three consecutive absences when neither ill or out of town the Secretary be instructed to write the delinquent relative to her intention regarding her membership in the Club."

Roll call showed 14 members present.

We were then adjourned to meet with Mrs. Fasquelle April 14th.

Salad and wafers were served by our hostess.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Dues paid Mrs Hansen

Dues paid Mrs. Johnson \$1.00

April 14— 1919

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Fasquelle. Meeting opened by the president. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Mrs. Goldstein reported that there were several numbers of the Art magazines missing.

Mrs. Richard Miller was elected a member of the club. Roll call showed 17 members present.

We were then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. G. Nihart.

The program for the afternoon was in the hands of Mrs. Fasquelle— and the club after greeting the several guests who were present listened to a very interesting and instructive talk by Madam Davies on the history of Alsace-Lorraine. Mrs. Chichester sang a group of French songs, also gave an enthusiastic Victory Loan talk. After this most enjoyable program, our hostess served delicious refreshments and a rising vote of thanks was given Madam Davies and Mrs. Chichester also our hostess, Mrs. Fasquelle for the pleasant afternoon afforded us.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

April 21— 1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. G. Nihart. Meeting opened by the president.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

It was moved and carried that the club contribute \$1.00 to the Federation to help pay food advertising the Victory Loan.

It was moved and carried that we keep the Art magazines another year for the use of the club members.

Roll call responded to with articles on "Art." Fifteen members present.

Mrs. Goldstein had charge of the program for the afternoon.

Mrs. Mesick read an article on the "Fourteen Points" gained in the last fifty years by the National Woman's Suffrage Association of America.

Mrs. Goldstein an article on the "Formation of Woman's League of Women voters."

Mrs. Rosenthal read Mrs. Catt's speech at the closing of the convention of the National Woman's Suffrage Association of America.

We were then adjourned to meet with Mrs. Seibert May 17th.

Our hostess served cakes and coffee.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Report for the year 1918-1919

The Woman's Club held twenty-two meetings during the year with an average attendance of fifteen members. Miss Warne having attended every meeting.

The flow of the year previous was followed and current topics of the Day and War articles were read at the meetings.

President's Day was celebrated at the home of Mrs. A. Rosenthal.

Business was dispensed with and a delightful afternoon was spent in listening to miscellaneous musical numbers on the Victrola.

The closing meeting of the season was held at the home of Mrs. Seibert. A one o'clock luncheon was served, after which a playlet, "The Summer Girls Minstrels" was given by the entertainment committee and greatly enjoyed by all.

In June a pot luck dinner was enjoyed with Mrs. Darling at her delightful farm home.

During the year the Club adopted a "Fatherless Child" made seven small quilts for the refugees, spent one day at the Red Cross rooms where fourteen refugee dresses were made. Five dollars given toward the memorial for the Emmet County Boys. Forty-seven dollars and twenty-five cents in Thrift Stamps sold to the members of the Club. One hundred fifteen dollars realized from the sale of doughnuts for the benefit of the Salvation Army and seventy-five dollars made from the sale of candy by the club for the Red Cross during the Victory Festival.

Olive S. Bain, Sec'y

Nov. 3- 1919

The Woman's Club held its first meeting of the year with Mrs. Wade Smith.

Meeting opened by Mrs. Levinson. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. It was moved and carried that the quarterly payment for the Fatherless child be paid. The annual report of the year was read and accepted. A rising vote of thanks was given the secretary for her splendid work during the year. A report of the entertainment committee was given by Mrs. E. Klise. It was moved and carried that the flower bill of \$1.25 be paid and an order drawn on the treasury.

Mrs. Levinson, our president for the past year, retired in favor of Mrs. H. Nihart. She thanked the members for their loyal support and expressed the pleasure the office had been to her. A rising vote of thanks was given Mrs. Levinson for her faithful leadership during the year. Our new president then took the chair and Mrs. Bain retired as sec. in favor of Mrs. Lantz.

Mrs. E. Klise was reappointed the salvage committee.

Fifteen members responded to Roll Call.

The program for the day was in charge of Mrs. A. Rosenthal, chairman of the program committee, who urged full membership for the club and briefly outlined the course of study for the year 1919-20.

Each member gave her most interesting vacation experiences and the meeting was then adjourned to meeting Nov. 10 with Mrs. M.A. Barber. Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

Nov. 10- 1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Barber.

Meeting opened by the president.

Minutes of past meeting read and approved.

A motion was carried that the secretary be instructed to buy club stationary.

Mrs. Fasquelle was appointed the flower committee and instructed to send a note of sympathy to Mrs. McKercher, Mrs. Wilson, and Andrus Family.

Program for the day was in charge of Mrs. Rosenthal. She read two very interesting and instructive chapters from "The Woman Citizen" "Citizenship of Women" and "Civil Citizenship."

Thirteen members responded to Roll Call.

Our hostess served dainty refreshments.

After current events the meeting was adjourned to meet Mrs. Bain.

Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

Dues paid Nov. 3- 1919

Mrs. Fasquelle \$1.00

Mrs. Osborne \$1.00

Mrs. Bain \$1.00

Mrs. VanEvery \$1.00

Mrs. Barber \$1.00

Mrs. H. Nihart \$1.00

[Salvage \$1.00]

Paid Nov. 10- 1919

Mrs. Seibert \$1.00

Mrs. G. Nihart \$1.00

Mrs. E. Klise \$1.00

Mrs. Lantz \$1.00

Paid Nov. 17- 1919

Mrs. McKercher \$1.00

Mrs. Levinson \$1.00

Mrs. Welling \$1.00

Mrs. A.B. Klise \$1.00

Mrs. Bernard Klise \$1.00

Mrs. Hendricks \$1.00

Mrs. Wilson \$1.00

Mrs. Smith \$1.00

Miss Warne \$1.00

Mrs. Darling \$1.00
Mrs. Phelps \$1.00
Mrs. Goldstein \$1.00
Mrs. Rosenthal \$1.00
Mrs. Halstead Jr. \$1.00
Mrs. Edith Garvin \$1.00
Mrs. Halstead Sr. \$1.00
Mrs. Reed \$1.00 (Mrs. E. Klise money)
Mrs. Quinlan \$1.00
Mrs. Mesick \$1.00
Miss Johnson

Nov. 17– 1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Jay Bain.
Our president being absent, Mrs. Barber opened the meeting.
Minutes of last meeting were read and corrected and approved.
Motion was made and carried to postpone[sic] the election of the program committee until Nov. 24.
It was moved and seconded that our treasurer Mrs. Goldstein investigate the best means of taking care of the Liberty bond belonging to the club.
Mrs. A.B. Klise's name was presented as a new member of the club.
Intermission of five minutes.
Roll call on Edgar Guest was responded to by twelve members.
Mrs. Osborne had charge of the program and presented the subject "Mother and Child as affected by modern conditions" in a very comprehensive and beautiful manner.
The general discussion which followed brought out many interesting thoughts on the subject.
Our hostess entertained us with music on the Victrola and served us with delicious refreshments.
The meeting was adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. G. Nihart.
Mrs. P.G. Lantz, Sec'y

Nov. 24– 1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. G. Nihart.
The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.
Mrs. A.B. Klise was unanimously elected a member of the club.
The election of the program committee followed. Mrs. VanEvery, Mrs. G. Nihart, and Mrs. Fasquelle were unanimously elected.
Roll Call on "Thanksgiving" was responded to by thirteen members.
Intermission of five minutes for the payment of dues.
Mrs. Lantz had charge of the program for the afternoon, the subject was "Civics."
Our president Emeritus, Mrs. Rowan, was present and gave us a short talk.
The pres. urged the members to be present at 2:30 o'clock as she wishes to open the meeting sharply at that hour.

The meeting was adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Seibert.
Our hostess served dainty refreshments.
Mrs. Lantz, Sec'y.

Dec. 1– 1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Seibert.
Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.
It was moved and seconded that the Federation dues of \$2.00 be paid. A bill of \$1.29 for expenses on books allowed. And an order drawn in the treasury.
Miss Warne was voted a leave of absence until after the holidays.
Mrs. Hendricks name was proposed as a new member of the club.
Roll Call was responded to by eleven members.
Mrs. VanEvery was leader of the program and gave a most interesting story of the life on Dr. Anna Howard Shaw. Mrs. G. Nihart gave a splendid talk in some intimate phases of Dr. Shaw's life. An article or two from current magazines were read. Meeting adjourned to meet Dec. 8 with Mrs. Fasquelle. Dainty refreshments were served by our hostess.
Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

Dec. 8– 1919

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Fasquelle.
Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.
Mrs. Hendricks was voted a member of the club. Mrs. Garvin's name was offered as a new member for the club, her name to be voted on at the next meeting.
A communication was read from Mrs. McKercher.
Roll call responded to by sixteen meeting.
Intermission of five minutes for payment of dues.
The leader for the day, Mrs. Smith, being absent, Mrs. Lantz had charge of the program. The subject was "The Red Cross." An article on the supplies furnished by the Red Cross to Walter Reid Army Hospital was read by Mrs. Lantz. Mrs. Fasquelle discussed the "Present administration" and Mrs. G. Nihart "The New Mission of the Red Cross." Mrs. Goldstein read an article on Home Service of the Army Red Cross.
The members were delightfully surprised to find a pretty Xmas tree decorated by our hostess and were each presented with a lovely Xmas package which contained sandwiches[sic], cakes and Xmas candies and nuts. The meeting was greatly enjoyed and long to be remembered by those present.
The meeting was adjourned to meet Jan. 5 with Mrs. Levinson.
Mrs. Lantz, Sec'y.

Jan. 5– 1920

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Levinson. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
Mrs. G. Nihart gave an interesting account of the Federation meeting Jan. 2, and told us something of the plans of Miss Royce the county nurse. A motion was presented and carried that the club do sewing for the Red Cross.

Mrs. Garvin was unanimously elected a new member of the club. Roll Call on New Year was responded to by fourteen members.

Intermission of five minutes for payment of dues.

Mrs. Fasquelle had the program in the absence of Miss Warne and read a very instructive article on the Czechoslovakia State. Mrs. G. Nihart told us of the four divisions of this country. Mrs. Levinson entertained us with several victrola numbers. Meeting adj. To meet with Mrs. Klise. The dining room of our hostess was beautifully decorated in yellow and white in honor of the seventh (?) birthday of our president Mrs. H. Nihart. At least seven candles burned brightly on the gorgeous birthday cake. Delicious refreshments were served and a splendid time enjoyed. The Mrs. Halstead Sr. and Jr. were guests of the afternoon.

Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

January 12– (1920)

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Elmer Klise. The meeting was opened by the president. Three names were proposed as new members, Mrs. Halstead Jr., Mrs. Halstead Sr., and Mrs. A.D. Phelps. It was moved and seconded that the constitution be read at the next meeting.

Roll Call was responded to by sixteen members. Intermission of five minutes for the payment of dues. Mrs. Barber had charge of the program on Reconstruction. She read an article touching on many phases of the subject and she was followed by Mrs. Darling who read and[sic] article on "Every American's Business" and by Mrs. G. Nihart who discussed the "Church and Social Reconstruction." A lively informal discussion followed. The meeting was adjourned to meet Jan. 19 with Mrs. Goldstein.

Our hostess served delicious refreshments.

~~Dec.~~ Jan. 19– 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Goldstein. Meeting opened by the president.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Constitution was read.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Andrus and Mrs. Winsor be ~~placed~~ made honorary members.

Mrs. A.D. Phelps was elected a member of the club. A motion was carried to elect Mrs. Halstead Sr. and Mrs. Halstead Jr. by acclamation. The election followed which gave them a unanimous vote. Mrs. W.B. Reed's name was proposed and placed on the waiting list.

Nineteen members responded to Roll Call with quotations from Kipling.

Intermission of five minutes for the payment of dues.

Mrs. John Quinlan was leader for the day and gave a comprehensive and instructive program.

The subject was civics and the state government with its intricate subdivisions was discussed.

Mrs. Lantz gave a general idea of the origin and making of a law. Mrs. Fasquelle read a splendid letter from Rep. Deuel on "The Laws for Women," which was greatly appreciated. Mrs. Hoyt Nihart told us over 400 laws had been made in Michigan in 1919. Mrs. Smith discussed the many boards existing in connection with the State Government and Mrs. Bernard Klise read some interesting extracts on the initiative and referendum.

The meeting was adjourned to meet with Mrs. Fasquelle Jan. 26.

Eleven squares were completed during the afternoon for the Red Cross.
Dainty cakes, ice cream and coffee were served by our hostess.
Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

Jan. 26 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Fasquelle at one o'clock. A delicious buffet luncheon was served and the guests of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Rowan were presented with roses and narcissus and a beautiful cake in honor of their fifty-eighth wedding anniversary. Mrs. Rowan responded with a beautiful poem and then gave the members a brief history of the origin and growth of the Woman's Club.

At 2:30 o'clock the meeting was called to order by the president. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Goldstein reported twenty-seven dollars in the treasury.

A motion was carried that the last quarterly payment for the fatherless French child be paid and an order drawn on the treasury.

Roll Call was responded to by twenty-one members with proverbs.

Intermission of five minutes for the payment of dues.

Mrs. Welling had charge of the program on "The League of Nations" and gave a splendid talk on the subject.

Several different articles were read on the subject which brought out many points which congress is discussing. William Howard Taft's article on "What the League is and what it ought to be" was read. Also Pres. Wilson's speech which was sent to the Jackson dinner and the commoner's reply to it.

A vote was taken at the close of the program which showed the majority members in favor of ratification of the peace treaty with "reservations."

The meeting was adjourned to meet with Mrs. Welling Feb. 2.

Feb. 2- 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. A.B. Klise.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A motion was carried to place the name of Mrs. Mose Rosenthal on the honorary list.

Eighteen members responded to Roll Call with poems from Edgar Guest.

Mrs. Levinson was chairman of the day and gave the story and several splendid Victrola numbers of the opera Il Travatore.

Current events were given by the members and the meeting was then adjourned to meet Feb. 9 with Mrs. Welling.

Our hostess served delicious salad, cake, and coffee.

Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

Feb. 9- 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Welling.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A motion was carried to accept with regrets the resignation from the club of Miss Martha Warne. It was moved and seconded that Miss Warne be placed on the honorary list.

A motion was carried to accept the resignation of Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. W.B. Reid was elected a member of the club by a unanimous vote of the members.

Mrs. Cessna's name was proposed to the club and placed on the waiting list.

Roll Call was responded to by fifteen members with quotations on Lincoln.

Intermission of five minutes for the payment of dues.

The chairman for the day Mrs. Seibert being absent, Mrs. Bain had charge of the program.

Several interesting articles were read on the life of the great leader Paderewski and on the struggle for existence and independence of the little nation of Poland.

The meeting was adjourned to meet Feb. 6 with Mrs. H. Nihart.

Our hostess served delicious sandwiches[sic], cookies, and coffee.

Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

Kipling's poem, "On the road to Mandalay" was beautifully given by Mrs. Welling and greatly enjoyed by the members.

Mar. 1– 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Levinson. Because of the Influenza epidemic the club did not hold its meeting on the 16th and 23rd of February.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

As there was no business come before the club the roll call was called with only ten members present.

Mrs. Fasquelle was chairman for the day and in her absence Mrs. Hendricks took charge of the program.

The subject was The Bog Four.

Five minutes was given to the members for an informal discussion on Pres. Wilson.

Mrs. Hendricks read an interesting paper on Lloyd George. Mrs. Halstead an article on Premier Clemenceau. Mrs. Phelps presented an article on Paul Deschanal and Mrs. E. Klise gave an article on Orlando and Fieume.

Meeting adjourned to meet Mar. 8 with Mrs. Lantz.

Our hostess treated us to homemade candies.

Mar. 8– 1920

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Lantz. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A motion was made and carried to excuse Mrs. Darling from work in the club for the remainder of the year.

It was moved and carried that the flower bill of \$1.85 be paid and an order drawn on the treasury.

Eleven members responded to Roll Call with Psalms. Intermission.

Mrs. G. Nihart was chairman for the day. The subjects of discussion were Generals Haig, Wood, and Pershing. Interesting talks were given on the lives and work of these men by Mrs. Halsread Sr., Mrs. G. Nihart, and Mrs. Quinlan.

After current events the meeting was adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. H. Nihart.
Refreshments were served by the hostess.
Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

Mar 15– 1920

The Woman's Club met at te home of Mrs. Hoyt Nihart.
Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.
The program for the club next year was discussed and suggestions made to the committee.
Seventeen members responded to roll call with quotations from Longfellow.
Intermission of five minutes for the payment of dues.
Mrs. Halstead Jr. was chairman for the day. Her subject was American Art.
Mrs. Halstead and Mrs. Levinson read interesting articles from the art magazines and the program was greatly enjoyed.
The meeting was adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Hendricks.
Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.
Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

Mar. 22– 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Hendricks.
Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.
A communication from Mrs. Reusch was read asking for the cooperation of the Woman's Club in connection with the new community room. A motion was carried that the club support the Federation in this enterprise. Mrs. Welling was appointed to meet with the committee Wednesday afternoon following.
Three by-laws to the constitution were suggested to be voted on in two weeks. They were as follows:
It shall be the privilege of the hostess of the club to invite guests to her home.
Old members wishing to return into the club shall have precedence over new names suggested for membership.
The club shall have a librarian appointed by the president.
Roll call was responded to by seventeen members. Quotations from Lamb. Intermission.
The program for the day was in charge of Mrs. Welling owing to the illness of Mrs. Lantz.
Mrs. Welling gave a very interesting book review of "The Three Things" by Mary Shipman Andrews.
Current events were then given and Mrs. Fasquelle gave a short talk on art.
Meeting was adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Wilson.
Our hostess served dainty refreshments.
Bertha M. Klise
Sec'y pro tem

Mar. 29– 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Wilson.
Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Nihart gave a report of the meeting of the Federation concerning the community room. It was that that the expense to the ladies of the town would be approximately \$7 a week. All organizations of the city are expected to cooperate in this undertaking and one of the objects of the project will be Americanization. It was suggested that the Woman's Club use its salvage money in raising its quota.

Roll call was responded to by fourteen members with quotations from Owen Meredith.

Intermission of five minutes for the payment of dues.

Mrs. Phelps was chairman of the day and gave a very comprehensive and interesting program on civics.

Mrs. Fasquelle read a splendid paper on the Declaration of Independence.

Mrs. Halstead told of the Old Confederation and Continental Congress.

Mrs. Phelps read the preamble of the constitution and told something of the three branches of the federal government and their powers.

Mrs. Quinlan compared the treaty of Spain with the present treaty.

Mrs. Garvin read the eighteenth amendment to the constitution.

Meeting was adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Bernard Klise.

Mrs. Lantz, Sec'y.

April 5– 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Bernard Klise.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Three by-laws to the constitution were voted on and carried. They were:

1st It shall be the privilege of the hostess to the club to invite a guest to her home.

2nd Old members wishing to return into the club shall have precedence over new names suggested for membership. 3rd The club shall have a librarian appointed by the president.

A communication was read from Mrs. B.H. Halstead which expressed her gratitude for the flowers sent to her.

The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President Mrs. John Quinlan, 1st Vice[sic] Mrs. Bain, 2nd Vice Mrs. Halstead Sr., Secretary Mrs. Garvin, Tres. Mrs. B. Klise.

Seventeen members responded to roll call with quotations from Amy Lowell.

Intermission for five minutes for the payment of dues.

Miss Johnson was leader for the day and the subject was JucoSlavia[sic]. Miss Johnson gave a splendid talk on the history of the JucoSlavic[sic] people from the time of their migration from northern Russia to the conference of Paris. Mrs. A.B. Klise read a paper on modern Juco Slavia[sic].

The meeting was then adjourned to meet in one week with Mrs. Quinlan.

Dainty cakes and ice cream were served by our hostess.

Mrs. Lantz, Sec'y.

April 12– 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. John Quinlan, with an attendance of sixteen members whose response to roll call was from the poems of Robert Service.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Fasquelle, acting secretary.

On motion of Mrs. G. Nihart the amendment to the constitution adopted April 5 which was recorded as reading "Old members wishing to return to the club shall have precedence over new names suggested for membership" was changed to read "Former" instead of "Old," the remainder of the amendment to remain as before.

Bills for flowers were allowed to the amount of \$1.50.

Following a short intermission, Mrs. Hoyt Nihart presented a charming interpretation of Maeterlinck's "Bluebird," interspersing the story with several beautiful "Bluebird" records. Mrs. Bernard Klise's interesting paper on John Drinkwater's play "Abraham Lincoln" was read by Mrs. A.B. Klise, using the printed story at intervals to illustrate the clever work of the writer, of whom a recent critic has said, "John Drinkwater has achieved the most remarkable historical play of our time."

After an informal discussion of the two plays the meeting was adjourned to meet with Mrs. Osborne April 18. An afternoon luncheon was served by Mrs. Quinlan assisted by several members of the club.

Ethel Rowan Fasquelle,
Secretary Pro Tem

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. A.E. VanEvery, Monday, **April 19**, with an attendance of eighteen members, the president, Mrs. Hoyt Nihart, presiding.

The first business under discussion was regarding the annual banquet,—should this be held on a special day, or should we combine the last days of the study year being the question. On motion of Mrs. Welling that the last two meetings be combined, seconded and carried unanimously, the details of the plan were left to the banquet committee.

The motion of Mrs. Rosenthal to allow the program committee to select the year books, carried. On motion of Mrs. Rosenthal the club decided to turn over to the banquet committee the fund left after payment of bills due.

The roll call from Henry Van Dyne was responded to with many of that authors finest expressions. A short intermission for social discussion and payment of dues followed.

The study hour for the afternoon was given to the interesting subject of "Aerocraft, and the recent wonders produced by the great enthusiasts in this newest mode of transportation." The subject was delt[sic] with from all standpoints, construction, passenger service, air policing, and many other phases, Mrs. J. E. Bain, the leader, assigning short topics to all of the regular attendants of the club. One of the pleasures of the afternoon was the presence of several members who have been out of town the greater part of the winter. Refreshments were served at five by the hostess.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. A.B. Klise to enjoy the last program of the year and the annual banquet.

Respectfully submitted,
Ethel Rowan Fasquelle,
Sec. pro tem

Annual report for the year 1919-1920

The Woman's Club under the splendid leadership of Mrs. Hoyt Nihart, its president during the year 1919-1920, enjoyed one of the most profitable and successful years of its history. Altho the club was not called upon to render the public service that the Great War made necessary the preceding year, the literary program adhered to was a great inspiration and help to its members.

During the year, twenty regular meetings were held, with an average attendance of fourteen members. An epidemic of influenza prevented two of the regular club meetings.

The club made the last two quarterly payments for its Fatherless French child and contributed some sewing to the local Red Cross.

Seven new members were added to the roll during the year and four were placed on the honorary list.

The annual banquet was held at the home of Mrs. A.B. Klise May 20. The rooms were beautiful with their gorgeous bouquets of daffodils and narcissus.

The committee in charge served a most delicious luncheon at one o'clock which was greatly enjoyed by all.

At two-thirty o'clock our president called the meeting to order and the members responded to roll call with some expression on "music."

Mrs. Goldstein reported \$26 in the treasury.

The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Hendricks and Mrs. Levinson. The story of the opera "Rigolette" by Verdi was beautifully given and was interspersed with several fine victrola numbers.

The meeting was adjourned to meet Nov. 1.

Mrs. Lantz, Sec.

Nov. 1 1920

The Woman's Club held the first meeting of the year with Mrs. G. Nihart.

In the absence of the out-going president, Mrs. Hoyt Nihart, formal installation was waived, and Mrs. John Quinlan, the new president took the chair.

The annual report of the secretary was given and approved as read.

A communication from Mrs. Garvin expressing her thanks to the club for flowers was read; and her resignation as secretary was accepted. Mrs. Lantz was appointed secretary pro tem.

It was voted that the bill of \$.75 for flowers be paid and an order drawn on the treasury.

Mrs. Nihart reported that the programs were not completed but were in the printer's hands and would be ready in one week.

Roll call was responded to by thirteen members with excerpts from campaign speeches.

Mrs. Seibert was chairman for the afternoon and the subject under discussion was "Our next president and why."

Mrs. Welling read a very interesting story of the life of Harding.

Mrs. Faquelle read parts of articles touching on the different phases of the life of Cox, especially his rise in the newspaper work and his love of the outdoor sports.

Mrs. Goldstein discussed Woman's part in the election and Mrs. Rosenthal read an article on the attitude of Mrs. Catt toward the League of Nations and other issues of the campaign.

The amendments to the state constitution to be voted on were read and warmly discussed.

After the meeting was adjourned our hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Lantz, Sec. pro tem

Nov. 8– 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Mesick, the president opened the meeting. Minutes read and approved.

Mrs. Darling's resignation was accepted and placed on file.

The treasurer gave her annual report which showed a balance of \$26.66 on Nov. 1. This report was accepted unanimously. Mrs. Bain reported a balance of two cents from the banquet of last year.

Mrs. Phelps was unanimously elected secretary of the club. The president appointed Mrs. Hanson secretary pro tem.

It was suggested by Mrs. Fasquelle that the interest from the Liberty Bond owed by the Club, be used to buy the magazine "Asia" and present these magazines to the library after the club has used them. A motion was carried that the magazine "Asia" be subscribed for by the club. Mrs. Seibert offered the use of her copies of the same magazine to the club. She was given a vote of thanks.

A motion was carried that the president appoint a critic each week who would be aided by suggestions from other members of the club.

Roll call was responded to by seventeen members with quotations from Omar Khayyam and other Persian poets.

Five minutes recess was enjoyed.

Mrs. Mesick was appointed the critic for the following week.

Mrs. G. Nihart was chairman for the afternoon. The subject under discussion was "England's Problems in the War in the East." Mrs. Nihart brot out interesting and instructive thots about the religion, habits, and characteristics of the people of Georgia, Armenia, and Mesopotamia.

Mrs. Hanson discussed England's Eastern policy.

Miss Johnson gave an interesting paper on the Zionist movement.

After adjournment our hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Lantz

Sec. pro tem

Nov. 15, 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Osborne.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Wilson's resignation was read and accepted with regrets.

Report by Mrs. Halstead, Sr. on the invitation of Art Club to attend Art Exhibit given by that Club. Appreciation to the Art Club was expressed. The Woman's Club agreed to meet at the Library at 2 o'clock p.m. Nov. 29, 1920 to view their exhibit.

Mrs. Lantz conveyed message from Mrs. A. Clark. Moved to invite Mrs. Clark to speak before the Club Nov. 22 on the subject of the Art Exhibit before mentioned.

Mrs. A.B. Klise offered copies of the magazine "Asia" for the use of the club.

Members responded to roll call with descriptions of pictures by noted cartoonists.

The president appointed Mrs. G. Nihart as critic.

Mrs. Goldstein was chairman of the program introducing the subject of Art in Commerce, bringing out the art of attraction naming our famous illustrators and different lines of art. Mrs. Rosenthal gave a new art of making masks by Beuda, Mrs. McKercher's subject was Indian Art, including description of display of East Indian art at Marshall Field's which was followed by a fee discussion by members on the value and necessity of advertising in magazines.

Mrs. Goldstein gave a description of Bakst as a colorist and draughtsman.

Mrs. H. Nihart, in the absence of Mrs. Smith, told of the success of Michigan artists.

It was moved and approved that the Club adjourn to meet the following week with Mrs. Rosenthal.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Attendance nineteen members.

Mrs. Hanson

Sec. pro tem

Nov. 22-- 1920

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Alick Rosenthal.

Minutes were read, corrected, and approved.

The critic's report was given by Mrs. G. Nihart.

Two names, Mrs. A.A. Wheat and Mrs. Otis, were proposed for membership. An invitation was extended to the club to attend the thanksgiving service at the christian church. 19 members and 3 visitors were present. Roll call was responded to with quotations from colonial writers. The PResident appointed Mrs. Fasquelle critic for the day.

Mrs. A.R. Clark gave a very interesting talk to the club about the State Federation meeting, after which she was given a rising vote of thanks.

The study hour was in charge of Mrs. Mesick.

Mrs. Fasquelle read the Landing of the Pilgrims.

Mrs. Mesick's subject was the Tercentenary of the Landing of the Pilgrims.

Several ladies came in colonial costumes.

Mrs. Lawton (president of the federation) gave a short talk urging the ladies to take an active part in the work of the federation.

Adjourned to meet in one week at the library at two o'clock.

Our hostess served refreshments.

Aileen S. Nihart

Sec. pro tem

