

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF DECATUR  
Decatur, Illinois

October 18, 1967

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Jack McGaugh, 1801 W. Main with Mrs. Barbara Tilley presiding.

PRESENT: Mesdames Tilley, Maginn, Hurst, Protzman, Butler, Mee, Landholt, Jurgens, Miller, Crow, Dakin, Calhoun, Barber, Hamilton, McGaugh, Schade.

ABSENT: Mesdames Axon, Green, Homan.

MINUTES: Approved as mailed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Cash on hand Sept. 18, 1967: \$273.33, Receipts: \$1595.53 Disbursements: \$153.52, Cash on hand October 18, 1967: \$1715.34. Balance in savings account: \$1762.30.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Made by Mrs. Tilley: 1) A letter was received from Mrs. Robertson of the state League expressing appreciation to the Decatur League for hosting the regional meeting held on Sept. 27, 1967. She reported that attendance for all of the regional meetings this Fall was over 800 persons. 2) A letter from the Illinois League office congratulated the Decatur League on the 1967-68 Yearbook. 3) A Time-for Action letter was circulated regarding Home Rule for Washington, D.C. 4) There will be a conference in Chicago on Nov. 7th, entitled, "Modernizing Local Government." 5) Mrs. Joyce Maginn submitted her resignation as First Vice Pres. of the Bd. of the Decatur League of Women Voters because she will be leaving Decatur.

NEW BOARD APPOINTMENTS: Mrs. Protzman moved that the Board accept the resignation of Joyce Maginn with regret and that Kay Butler be appointed First Vice President to continue her responsibility as Publications chairman, and that Geneva Barber be appointed to assume the responsibility of Public Relations Chairman. Seconded and Passed.

PUBLIC RELATIONS: Mrs. Maginn reported that the Program chairman and she had conferred regarding the discussion of the last meeting regarding written reports and speakers from study committees. It was mutually agreed that written reports will not be pressed at this time other than those which are the natural outcome of a study (eg. Human Resources report of Spring 1967) and that speakers will be available, if possible, as requested.

FINANCE DRIVE: Mrs. Francis Mee reported gifts totaling \$1604.33 had been received to date:

Non-member:	\$1142.00
Member:	<u>462.33</u>
Total:	\$1604.33

PUBLICATIONS: Mrs. Butler reported that the booklet, "This is Macon County" had been sent to all non-member contributors and will be distributed to a variety of places and organizations, with ~~over 900 requested to date.~~ The price per single copy has been set at 75¢ for general purchasers and 65¢ for schools.

DECATUR VOTER: Deadline for news items is October 22, Sunday at midnight. It was suggested that no change should be made in articles submitted to the editor for publication without the approval of the author of said article.

MEMBERSHIP AND UNIT ATTENDANCE: Mrs. Schade reported that attendance at the October unit meetings totaled 49 non-committee persons. Two membership coffees were held to which 10 and 7 interested persons attended. Twenty-nine letters of invitation and welcome were sent to new Millikin Univ. women in September, some of whom have since attended meetings and become members. One new member has joined the League since last month making a total membership of 150 to date. Mrs. Schade suggested that Board members contact new members in their areas and bring them with them to meetings.

PROGRAM: Millie Protzman reported that the Holy Cross Lutheran Church has offered its facilities for future League meetings. The China study committee will report at the October 24th Potluck Luncheon to be held at the home of Millie Protzman, 332 S. Linden. The program will begin at 1:45 for those who must miss the luncheon.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORT: The Decatur Board of Education will hold a four-hour public forum on Oct. 28. The School committee has met and prepared a questions to ask of the school board members at that time. They also plan to affirm the Decatur League of Women Voter's support of a school tax referendum during the forum.

POSITION PAPERS: In order for the Board members to know what stands the League has taken on past items, it was suggested that Position Papers, Local, State and National be placed in the Board folders. Unanimously agreed.

NEXT MEETING: The next Board meeting will be on November 21, 1967, Tuesday at 12:45 PM, at the home of Mrs. Robert Butler, 38 Sandcreek Drive.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 2:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

*Persis Mary Hamilton*

Persis Mary Hamilton, Secretary

NON MEMBER CONTRIBUTORS TO 1967 FINANCE DRIVE

Al, Russell M.  
 Anchor Concrete Step Co.  
 Arthur's Furniture Co.  
 Auby, Lawrence C.  
 Barnes, William III  
 Bassett, Mrs. Fraser  
 Beaman, Mrs. E. Frank  
 Bell, Dr. C. Elliott  
 Bowers, Mrs. Albert  
 Braun, William J.  
 Brosius, Dr. Otto  
 Brown, Attorney William P.  
 Burstein's Apparel, Inc.  
 Carson, Pirie Scott & Co.  
 Cash Valve Mfg. Co.  
 Chastain, Homer L. and Associates  
 Cole, Attorney Robert L.  
 Crocker, John H.  
 Curry, Henry B., Jr.  
 Dawson & Wikoff  
 Denz, Attorney Raymond E.  
 Dewein Grain Co.  
 Dimaggio, A. J.  
 Dor Mouse  
 Dumas, Robert H.  
 Eakin, Franzy  
 Bauer Chevrolet Co.  
 Emerson Piano House, Inc.  
 First National Bank of Decatur  
 Gallagher, Charles W.  
 Gill, R. Wayne  
 Gluck, Henry  
 Gordon, Russell M.  
 Gorham, Dean B.  
 Greanias and Owen  
 Haines and Essicks  
 Huston-Patterson Corp.  
 Irish, Harold R.  
 Irwin, Mrs. F. Glenn  
 Jackson, Attorney Jerald E.  
 Johns, George P.  
 Johnson, T. Douglas  
 Jones, David  
 Jones, Dr. Rolland W.  
 Joynt, E. E.  
 Kaufman, Mrs. E. H.  
 Knorr, F. C.  
 Kraabel, R.C.M.  
 Kroger Company  
 Lindsay, Edward E.

Lindsay, F. M.  
 Lindsay, F. Merrill, Jr.  
 Livesay, K. T.  
 Loeb, Sam  
 Longbons Roofing and Sheet Metal  
 Luttrell, John W.  
 Mc Cormick, Dorothy  
 Mc Kay, Dr. Paul L.  
 Mendel, Leo (United Travel)  
 Metzler, Mrs. Ralph O.  
 Miller, Attorney Carl R.  
 Mitchell, Paul (Surrey Restaurant)  
 Mueller, Frank H.  
 Nicholson, Clark and Co.  
 Normans Launderers and Cleaners  
 Northtown Bank of Decatur  
 Oakes Apparel  
 Penny, J. C. Company  
 Pogue, Harold  
 Post, Mrs. Frank E.  
 Powell, Rt. Rev. Msgr George H.  
 Quigle's, Inc.  
 Requarth, Dr. William  
 Rupp, James H.  
 Russell, Joseph D.  
 Sanders, Dr. R. Zink  
 Schaar, Alvin E.  
 Schaub, Fred W.  
 Scheiter, E. K.  
 Sears Roebuck  
 Sellers, Harvey A. (Hi-Flier Mfg.)  
 Seymour Homes Inc.  
 Shade, Robert  
 Shellabarger, William L.  
 Sly, Mrs. Thomas  
 Smith, Attorney Elbert S.  
 Soy Capital Bank  
 Sunshine Dairy, Inc.  
 Superior Welding  
 Tabor and Company  
 Tolly's Market, Inc.  
 Van Law Carol's  
 WAND  
 WDZ  
 Walker, George S., Inc.  
 Warren and Van Pragg, Inc.  
 Weidenbacher Olds  
 Wells, John K.  
 Winter, Dr. W. W.

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Board Meeting: Home of Mrs. Jack McGaugh (Lea Ann), 1801 W. Main St.  
12:45 PM, Wednesday, October 18, 1967

Message from the President: By this time I hope all of you have received your Board Notebooks. You will notice that some items listed in the front section are missing. The local Board list and the Local Program are, of course, in your LWV Yearbook. The rest of the items should be somewhere in your own files. Please locate them and insert them in the proper place. This will include your Local League Handbook.

To be really useful to you, these should be brought to Board meetings. Perhaps you could keep current minutes and agendas in the flaps. And have you read them? I don't mean to insult you, but I learned quite a lot just putting them together.

Barbara Tilley, Pres.

AGENDA

MINUTES . . . . . Persis Hamilton

TREASURER'S REPORT. . . . . Pauline Jurgens

ANNOUNCEMENTS . . . . . Barbara Tilley

PUBLIC RELATIONS. . . . . . Joyce McGinn

    Finance . . . . . Fran Mee

    Publications . . . . . Kay Butler

ORGANIZATION . . . . . Elise Hurst

    Membership . . . . . Ruth Schade

    Unit Organization . . . . . Barbara Axon

PROGRAM AND ACTION. . . . . . Millie Protzman

    Reports of resource committee chairmen

VOTER suggestions

PLACE and DATE of next meeting

ADJOURNMENT

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS BOARD MEMBERS - 1967 - 1968

OFFICERS

Mrs. W.H. Tilley (Barbara) 1421 W. Riverview	428-1329	President
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ELECTED DIRECTORS

Mrs. Gordon Axon (Barbara) 133 N. 33rd	429-6495	Meetings Coordinator
Mrs. Robert Butler (Kay) 38 Sandcreek Dr.	423-8195	Publications Chairman
Mrs. H. W. Dakin (Alice) 151 South Lake Shore	422-4601	<del>Child Welfare</del> Chairman <i>Local Govt. Structure</i>
Mrs. John Homan (Irene) 46 Larry Drive	877-2815	Voters Service Chairman
Mrs. Jack McGaugh (Lea Ann) <del>79 S. Country Club Rd.</del> <i>1801 W. Main</i>	422-3533	Civil Rts. & Lib. Chairman
Mrs. Robert Snade (Ruth) 143 Point Bluff	428-4897	Membership Chairman

APPOINTED DIRECTORS

Mrs. Larry Calhoun (Marilyn) 125 N. Pine	429-6963	Decatur Pub. Sch. Chairman
Mrs. Clarence Crow (Lucille) 76 Colorado Drive	877-2070	Library Chairman
Mrs. Robert Green (Joan) 1495 W. Decatur	423-7246	Editor, Decatur Voter
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