## MINUTES OF EGARD MEETING LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS, DECATUR, ILLINOIS November 1, 1956

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 P.M. by Mrs. H.W. Gibson, Pres., presiding. Present were: Mrs. Fairs, Martin, Cohn, Cresswell, Leigh, Smith, Frederickson, Gebhardt, Griffin, Woyna.

The minutes were approved as read. The Treasurer's report showed COH at 10/31/56 as \$1,578.97.

The November units will be on the 14th with the program of "Structure of County Government."

The Finance Drive report was given by Mrs. Leigh. A total of \$789 was received with \$173 from members and \$616 from non-members. Mrs. Gibson said that in looking back and going over the cards she felt it was a mistake to hold the drive in August and a mistake to extend the drive to a full month. For best results it might be wise to consider starting the drive immediately after the September Board meeting. There might be a Kickoff Breekfast with the participants going out to see prospects immediately and reporting results at a luncheon.

The Legue will spend \$50 for an ad on Revenue in both the Herald & Review on the 5th. The Secretary was asked to acknowledge WTVP's contribution in advertising the Blue Ballot.

Mrs. Crosswell reported for Voters Service that Girl Scouts made posters showing correct voting, which they will place in 29 pracinets. The rest will be delivered to Mr. Tanguey for placement end it is hoped they will be re-usable next year.

So far no one has accepted chairmanship of the Nominating Committee. Mrs. Nicholson was suggested as a possibility.

The Secretary was instructed to send a letter to Mr. Gordon Davis expressing our thanks for his services as a speaker on the Revenue Amendment. Also a letter to Mrs. Key thanking her for the excellent job she did on clippings of the City Council meetings, from May 1955 to May 1956.

Mrs. Gibson gave a brief analysis of the notes and clippings of the City Council meetings. Mrs. Leigh and Mrs. Weyns were appointed to go over the material also. An analysis will be written and copies sent to Board members for approval before sending to League members.

The meeting adjourned at S:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Marian Woyne

Mrs. Fritz Woyna

Secretary

## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF BECATUR, ILLINOIS FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS OF 10/31/56

Cash on Hend - October 1, 1956

\$ 1,594.43

Receipts

Dues 27.00 Contributions

Nember 21.00 Other 126.00 Publications 4.00

Total Receipts

178.00

1,772.43

Expenses

State & National 150.00
Telephone & Telegraph 6.70
Delegates Expense 12.00
Meeting Expense
(Reubhausen) 16.66

Bulletin 8.10

193.46

CASH ON HAND 10/31/56

1,578.97