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JANUARY 7, 1960

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Mrs. Smith moved, seconded by Mrs. Ater, that we investigate the possibility of a live telecast of our Candidates meeting, if the sponsor is acceptable to the League. Action would not be taken without bringing it before the unit meetings for consensus. CARRIED.

It was decided to send "How a Bill Becomes Law" to the social study departments in the schools.

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