

1947

Occident Club met Jan 6 with  
20 members & 32 visitors from  
Naupa Century Club.

Pres Potts called meeting to  
order & gave Naupa <sup>visitors</sup> a very  
hearty welcome from our club  
Group singing Idols & The  
More We Get Together after which  
colled was read & Pledge of  
Allegiance to Flag in unison.

Minutes read & approved  
Treasurers report read & accepted  
Communication read  
Card of thanks from Matthews family.  
Bills read from Mrs Aberdeen  
for \$5<sup>00</sup> for Janitor.

#### Committee Reports

Cds & flowers - Mrs Hutchegore  
reported several cards sent.  
\$ Mrs. Chest - Mrs. Cox reported  
we have 2 ~~chairs~~ & 2 chairs, she  
also explained our Em. Chest to  
our visitors.

Finance - Mrs Thurman reported  
\$ 17.15 from Lions dinners

Has & Gds. - Mrs Capins reported  
nothing to add at this time.

Reporter - Helen Cox reported to  
paper

Poetry - Mrs Thurman read two  
poems "The Always Faithful Jew"  
& "The President's Husband"

Recreation - As Mrs M<sup>rs</sup> Cox was  
absent we had no report.

Study Group - Mrs Sandy & Mrs  
Nourse reported Group met with  
Mrs. Leininger & intended Cuba  
next meeting to be with Mrs. McCoy.  
Legislature - Mrs Gato read a paper  
on the Inaugural Ceremony. Mrs.  
Gray also suggested we all  
attend the legislature as it is in  
session now.

Library Mrs Sandy reported 394  
books loaned during month  
Library Fund - no report  
Membership - no report  
Portfolio - Mrs Bruce reported up  
to date.

Old Business  
Mrs Shumway reported a very nice  
cheer basket made up & delivered to  
Children's Home.

New Business  
Pres. asked Naupia Pres Mrs.  
Arant to say a few words. She  
gave us a very thoughtful Thematic  
Club very graciously for inviting  
Naupia Power.

Roll call was answered by The  
One Thing I Want to Accomplish  
this year. Naupia also answered  
with some very good suggestions  
after which meeting was turned  
over to Program chairman Mrs.  
Coleman who gave us a very  
wonderful program on Music  
with special singers

Suzanne Crown, Little Gordon Judd,  
 Darrel Fields, Jess Hedges, Gene  
 and Barbara, & other Habermast  
 Thurgood Radloff.

Delicious refreshments were  
 served by hostesses, Nourse, Thurston,  
 Luningger, Bebout & Potts.  
 Sec. Leona Thurman

### Financial Report Dec. 2, 1946

Bal from Nov.		\$16.46
Mrs Patch	\$ 1.50	
Kellar	1.50	
R. Eggers	1.50	
Cent B.P.W.	5.00	
Guinness	23.56	
total	<u>33.06</u>	49.52

Pd. Out		
Calnon	\$ 3.00	
Mrs Meridian	2.85	
Potts window	.95	
Sister Kenny Pole	5.00	
Idaho Power	1.75	
Bank Chg	.50	
total	<u>14.05</u>	

Bal on hand \$35.47

Occident Club met in the Club  
rooms Feb 3 with 20 members &  
1 visitor present.

Meeting was opened with the  
President in the chair

Group singing God Bless  
America after which collect &  
Pledge of allegiance to flag given  
in unison

Americanism. Mrs Davidson  
gave an interesting paper on  
railroading

Mrs. M. J. Joy introduced Mrs  
Chaffin ~~who~~ as her guest who  
was welcomed by the club.

Minutes read & approved

Treasurers report read & accepted

Communications read  
Letter was read from Mrs L. J. Moon  
in regard to an anti-tuberculosis  
movement asking each club to  
write to our state senator or  
representative asking that Idaho  
buy a mobile unit to study our  
tuberculosis condition in each  
community.

<sup>carried</sup> Motion was made & seconded  
Sec. write letter to Congressman

Also card repd from Correspond  
Sec. Mrs Wilson in regard to  
our district Convention in April  
at Emmett also asking that dues  
be paid by Mar. 30.

Nominations for delegates & alternates for convention are as follows

delegates	alternates
Evel Gray	Nita Scribner
Arsl Coleman	Helen Beebout
Jessie Davidson	Leona Thurman

Bills read & allowed  
Roy Payette for floor cleaner \$ .40  
Mr. Aberdies 5.00

### Committees

Betty James - no report  
Cds & flowers - Mrs Hutcherson reported 2 cds sent. Mrs Laub reported ipd at this time  
E. M. Chest - Mrs Coleman reported wheel chair & beds loaned only also asked if we should buy mattresses for beds. Motion was made, seconded & carried this <sup>matter</sup> be left to committee.

Finance - Mrs Thurman reported 11.11 from Loin dinners  
Rose & Gidd - no report

Reporter - no report

Recreation - Mrs. Mc Coy reported hall closed till Thur. as every one is interested in basket-ball & other things now.

Mrs Coleman suggested someone from club appointed to contact various organizations & ask their cooperation in regards <sup>improvements</sup> to hall  
Mrs. appointed Mrs Mc Coy & Mrs Coleman meeting to be

Feb 13 at Recreation Hall  
Study Group - Mrs. M<sup>c</sup> Coy  
reported group met with her  
& studied Egbert Lyndes the next  
meeting to be with Mrs Helen Coy  
& to study Central America  
Poetry. Mrs. Fisher read Poem

Legislative - no report

Library - Mrs. Sandy reported 400  
books loaned during month & a  
bal of \$67.61 on hand.

Library Fund - no report

Membership - no report

New Business

Mrs. Gray suggested we take  
cars & all go to Legislature. ~~It~~  
~~was~~ There being no further business  
meeting was turned over to program  
chairman.

Special music by H. S. Sextet  
who favored us with ~~with~~ 2  
beautiful numbers

Mrs. Davidson read a very  
interesting paper on Basque  
people also Mrs. Egbert gave  
a very interesting paper on the  
Chinese. After which Cherry  
Pie a la mode & Coffee were  
served by Hostesses:

Nota & Scraper

Leona Thurman

Sec.

Leona Thurman

# Financial Report Jan 6, 1947.

Bal from Dec.		\$ 35.47
Lions dinner	7.08	
Dues Beabout &	1.50	
Normis	1.50	
Rent from Hall	5.00	
Gift from Marion	1.50	
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Total	16.58	\$ 52.05

Pd Out	
Aardjen	\$ 5.00
Idaho Power	1.54
Bank Chg	<hr/> .50
Total	7.04

Bal on hand \$ 45.01

Occident Club met Mar 3 with 15 members present

Meeting was called to order by Pres. Marguerite Potts.

Group singing "America, the Beautiful".

Americanism - Mrs. Egbert read an interesting article

Minutes read & approved

Treasurer's report read & accepted

Communications read

Card of thanks read from Baird family. Also card of thanks read from Mrs. Lieninger.

The program read ~~from~~ pertaining to the District Convention at E. Minn.

Bills read & allowed

Bill to Mr. Aberdun <sup>5.00</sup> Also bill for cards to Mrs. Hutchison & Mrs. Potts <sup>1.15</sup> <sup>2.00</sup>

Mrs. Mc Coy suggested we allow Mrs. Coy money for telephone calls as she calls so much pertaining to emergency chest. Motion was made seconded & carried.

Committee Reports

Cds & flowers - Mrs. Hutchison reported 1 sympathy & 3 get well cards sent.

Mrs. Hudson & Mrs. Laves reported ill at this time.

Motion was made seconded & carried to give a silver offering to send a plant to Mrs. Bennett.



E. m. Chest. Mrs Mc Coy reported  
beds out.

Finance - Lions Club dispers  
\$10.40 Motion was made  
seconded & carried we raise the  
dinners to \$1.00 per plate instead  
of \$0.75

& Mrs Mc Coy suggested we buy  
paper for table cloths & two new  
pans. It was made a motion  
seconded & carried. The finance  
chairman to buy them.

Use of Quake - no report  
Reporter - Mrs Coy thanked members  
for reporting to the paper.

Red Cross - no report Motion  
was made seconded & carried we  
donate \$5.00 to Red Cross.

Recreation - Mrs Mc Coy reported  
hall has not been cleaned yet.

Mrs Sandy reported Aux. donated  
\$10.00 to Recreation.

Study Group - Mrs Beebout reported  
the groups have been studying  
Central America. The next  
meeting to be with Mrs Potts &  
to study Mexico.

Library Mrs Sandy reported

Pottsville - Mrs Bruce reported up  
to date.

Poetry - Mrs Davidson read a  
poem

New Business

Mrs Mc Coy suggested we buy  
new song books. Motion  
was made seconded & carried.  
Mrs Potts appointed Mrs Coleman  
to buy them.

Mrs Potts reported on our most  
pleasant visit to Nauyas Century Club  
There were 19 of our members there  
& a very lovely afternoon was enjoyed  
by all.

There being no further business  
meeting was turned over to program  
committee. Mrs. Bebout gave a very  
enjoyable radio script. "Tom, Bigness News  
Breakfast Program. After which  
delicious refreshments were served  
by hostesses Susie Capins,  
Thobel Cairns & Ethel Heiber.

Leona Thurman (Sec.)

Financial Report Feb. 3, 1947

Bal from Jan.	\$45.01
Whinney	4.56
total	<u>49.57</u>

Idaho Power	\$ .85
Boise Payette	.40
Bank Chgs.	.50
Mrs Aberdeen	5.00
total Paid	<u>6.75</u>

Bal on hand	\$42.82
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Occident Club met in club  
rooms April 7 with 18 members  
& 2 visitors

Group singing I do so after  
which Collect words read & pledge  
of allegiance to the flag was given  
in unison

read Americanism. Mrs Davidson  
~~gave~~ a very interesting paper on  
Army Week & its purpose.

At this time two visitors  
Mrs Elway Wright & Mrs Harrison  
were introduced & welcomed to  
our club.

<sup>of last meeting</sup>  
Minutes read & approved  
Treasurers report read & accepted  
Communications read  
Cards of thanks read from Mrs  
Remitt & Mrs Anderson

Letter read from Dorothy  
Stevens pertaining to Better Homes  
weekend <sup>committee</sup> ~~committee~~ <sup>of three</sup> ~~of three~~ <sup>to meet with Mrs Stevens</sup>  
to get the general idea of Better  
Homes week.

Mrs Cox, Nellie Baird, Zelma  
Mathews & Mrs Lamb also thanks  
club for cards received while  
ill.

Bills read  
Janitor 5.<sup>00</sup>  
New Song Books 4.<sup>00</sup>  
Committee reports  
Cds & Flowers - Mrs Hatchson

reported 2 get well cards + 1 sympathy card sent

Finance - Mrs. Thurman reported \$6.25 from Lions dinner. There was quite a discussion as to whether we should or should not continue dinners. It was finally moved seconded + carried we continue for a while longer.

Use + Grasp - Mrs. Sandy has been over + raked yard.

Recreation - Mrs. M. Coy reported the hall has been opened + the young people have been meeting. ~~But~~ yet no cleaning has been done.

Study Group - Mrs. Sandy reported group met with Mary Roth + studied Mexico. The next meeting to be with Mrs. Nourse. She also invited everyone out as these are very interesting.

Poetry - Mrs. M. Coy read three lovely poems on spring written by Idaho women.

Library - Mrs. Sandy reported 520 books loaned during Mo.

Music - Mrs. Colman reported 20 new song books bought for ~~use~~ Club.

Emergency Chest - Mrs. Coy reported we have 3 hospital beds + 2 mattresses. 1 bed + mattress has been donated

to us through Dr. Jewell  
from the Anti T. B. Ass.

### New Business

It was suggested Sec. write a  
letter of thanks to the Anti T. B.  
Ass. for bed & mattress

Mrs. R. H. Bell read an  
interesting paper on Cancer Control  
asked Club for a donation.

It was moved, seconded &  
carried we donate \$5<sup>00</sup>

Mrs. McCoy asked Club to  
help take census of the town. Motion  
was made, seconded & carried we  
help do this.

Mr. H. H. Mathews asked  
club if we would sell our  
drinking fountain. He offered to  
pay us \$25<sup>00</sup> for it. Motion  
was made, seconded & carried we  
sell him the fountain

Notice of election of officers  
Pres appointed Mrs. Baldwin,  
Mathews & Baird on nominating  
committee.

The meeting was now turned  
over to Program. Selma Mathews  
read an interesting article on  
Better Homes of America after  
which roll call was answered  
by a kitchen improvement I  
would like to make. after  
which delicious refreshments  
were served by hostesses

Mc Coy, Gray & Goodwin  
Leola Thurman Sec.

Financial Report Mar. 3, 1947

Bal. from Feb.	42.82
Business	5.20
Dues Goodwin	1.50
Total	49.52

Liab.

Od. to Potts	.20
Hutchison	1.15
Red Cross	5.00
Aberdeen Janitor	5.00
Ida. Pow.	.85
Bank chq.	.50
State Fed. dues	5.00
Total	17.70

Bal. to carry to Apr. \$31.82.

Balanced O.K. as per  
March, 1947

Audited May 19, 1947  
Eva Marion  
Addie M. Leininger.

May.

The Occident Club met May 5 at the club rooms with Pres. Potts presiding. Eighteen members and three visitors present. Guests introduced were Mrs. Blanche Wolff, Mrs. Hulbert and Mrs. Elva Wright and were invited to join the club.

Group singing of America the Beautiful. Collect repeated by members and pledge of allegiance to flag given by all.

Correspondence read pertaining to the reciprocal trade agreement and The official call of the General Federation of Womens Clubs in New York, June 23-28, 1947.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Treasurer's report read and accepted.

Bills - Calnon's \$1.00 for corsage.

M. Potts .35 for frame for membership certificate.

Moved, seconded and carried bills be allowed.

Report of committees;

cards & flowers - Mrs. H. <sup>Hutchinson</sup> not here was reported ill.

Emergency chest - Mrs. Coleman reported oxygen tent checked & ready for use.

Finance - from Lion dinners,  
\$75.6 & \$7.00.

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House & Grounds - Mrs. Patch said she has a lawn mower, club can have if fix it up. Decided to have Pres. & H. and G. committee see if the Council would care for the yard.

Reporter - not present.

Red Cross - Mrs. Brussee - no report.

Recreation; <sup>hall</sup> - opened Wed. nights.

Study Group - Mrs. Beebout reported have been studying Mexico; to study Alaska next time.

Poetry chairman - not present. Mrs. Coleman read Mother's Day poem. Mrs. Patch read poem written by Mrs. Stanton.

Music - Books reported here.

Library fund - no report.

Library report by Sandy. Books loaned 591. Bal. on hand \$103.42

Mrs. Davidson & Egbert reported they had put information for "Home Demonstration Week" in store windows.

### Old Business

Reported Mr. Matthews couldn't find parts for the drinking fountain so didn't care for it unless Club would hold him to take it.

### New Business

Moved by Sandy, seconded by Cairns to continue our meetings thru the summer. carried.



Very <sup>good</sup> reports on the District Convention in Emmett were given by Coleman and Davidson with other members who attended adding some.

President reported June meeting to be picnic at 12:30 and would invite Mrs. Higer, Dist. Pres. to be present.

Election of officers as follows: Nominating Committee presented names of Coleman & Thurman. Coleman elected.

Lee Thurman nominated for V. Pres. Moved seconded, carried the Sec. cast unanimous ballot for Thurman for V. Pres. Sec. cast the ballot.

Names presented for Secretary were Gray, Egbert, N. Baird. Gray elected.

Nominees for Asst Sec. N. Baird, Keller, Egbert, Beebout. N. Baird elected.

Susie Cairns nominated for Treasurer. Moved, seconded and carried that Sec. cast unanimous ballot for Cairns for Treas. Sec. cast the ballot.

M<sup>rs</sup> Coy nominated for Historian ~~also~~ as was Egbert who declined. Moved, seconded, carried that the Sec. cast unanimous ballot for M<sup>rs</sup> Coy for Historian. Sec. cast the ballot.

Mrs. Coleman then resigned as Pres. moved seconded & carried to accept her resignation from Presidency

Mrs. Baldwin moved office of election of Pres. be rescinded.

Seconded by Z. Mathews. Carried.

Moved, seconded to nominate Lee Thurman for Pres. carried.

Moved by Baird seconded by Scrimmer that Sec. cast unanimous ballot for Thurman for Pres. The Sec. cast the ballot.

Mrs. Patch & Mrs. Coleman nominated for Vice Pres. Patch elected.

Meeting turned over to the program of which Mrs. Scrimmer gave a very fine and interesting book report on "The Peacock Sheds its Tail" by Hobart.

Delicious refreshments were served by hostesses; Lant, Cox and Patch.

Marie Sandy

Sec. pro tem.

Copy on Dec report.  
Apr 7 - 1947

Bal from March 31.82

Dinner: 3.12

Dues: Lant 1.50

Davidson 1.50

Baldwin 1.50 4.50

Total taken in 7.62

Total

39.44

Pd out:

Song books 4.00

Merrill 5.00

Cancer cont. 5.00

Idaho P. .85

Bank charge .30

Total Pd out 15.35

Bal to carry over to May 24.09

~~Dues 7.56~~  
~~7.62~~  
21.45

June.

The Occident Club met June 2 at the club rooms after a very delicious picnic dinner, which was served by a nice cherry fire. The serving Committee consisted of Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Keller and they presented no bill for the ice cream served. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mosquito Potts. There were 13 members and 3 visitors present. Group singing God Bless America, collect read and Pledge of Allegiance to Flag given. A poem of welcome to the visitors read by President. Mrs. Tiger district president said that Meridian Occident club was the first club she had visited since District Convention. Mrs. Ambrose a member of Womens Club of Prichard told of the work of the club there. Mrs. J. V. Smith of LaPorte member of the Extension Club there told of the projects they were sponsoring. The President welcomed Mrs. Cop and Mrs. Bennett who had been unable to attend for sometime because of illness back to the club.

Minutes of the May meeting read and approved as read. Treasurers report read, moved to accept, recorded and carried.

Marie Sandy reported bonds in  
box in bank and they had not  
been audited. Decided to leave as  
is. Zelma Matthews moved to inform  
auditing committee to check bonds  
and money in emergency fund.  
seconded by <sup>Mrs</sup> Coleman; carried.  
Treasurer's books had been  
audited and brought up to date.  
Com. Manion and Leininger

Communications read from  
Mrs. Thurman and Mrs. Gray  
notifying club of their resignations  
from their recently acquired  
offices. Moved by Mrs. Matthews  
and seconded by Mrs. Cairns to  
accept both resignations  
carried.

Decided to move V. President  
Mrs. Patch to President. Moved  
by Mrs. Matthews to give rising  
vote of acceptance for Mrs. Patch  
~~Coleman as V. President~~ President  
and moved Mrs. Coleman to V.  
President. Motion made that  
Assistant Sec. Mrs. Baird assume  
<sup>the office</sup> of Secretary and seconded and carried  
Mrs. Godwin be elected as Assistant  
Sec. Motion seconded and carried.

Bills read - Moved bills be  
allowed seconded and carried.  
Committee reports.

Better Homes no report.  
Cards and Flowers no report

Sick members - Mrs. Gray's father not well. Mrs. Hutchinson not well. Mrs. Cairns to send card to her.

### Finance committee

dinner	6.51
Rent	4.00
Total	10.51.

House and ground no report.

Reported no report.

Red Cross - reported O.K.

Mrs. Cairns asked what to do about the lawn, that the city would not mow it. Mrs. Sandy irrigated the lawn once. Mrs. Mathews, Mrs. Cairns said they would come on work in the yard the next day.

Recreation. Mrs. McCoy in California. Mrs. Goodwin reported that the ones who go to the recreation rooms seem to have a good time and the children wanted to continue.

Study group - no report.

Poetry - no report.

Legislative - no report.

Library Mrs. Sandy gave following yearly report.

June 1, 1946 to June 1, 1947.

Receipts:

Rental Shelf - 85.22

Fines 61.12

Membership:

adults	156 @ 50¢	28.00
A.S.	20 @ 25¢	5.00
Juveniles	133 @ 10¢	13.30
Lions dinner		<u>69.63</u>
Total		262.37

### Disbursements

New books	97.51
supplies	11.25
Misc. as postage	
wax etc	<u>3.13</u>
Total	111.89

Books loaned 4451  
 Number books added 400

Balance on hand \$121.39

Mrs. Mathews <sup>made a</sup> motion to have  
 Library report printed in Meridian  
 Times, seconded and carried.  
 Treasurer's yearly report read  
 by Mrs. Cairns.

Taken in for year. 208.74

Paid Out. 188.45

Balance on hand May 31 1947 20.29.

Library Fund Com. Reported  
 Half of money from Lions  
 Club dinner is turned in to  
 Library.

Music Com. no report.

Membership Com. a few new  
 members added during year.

Portfolios up to date.

Program Com no report

Study Group yearly report

Studied-

West Indies

Aruba

Cuba - Havana

Haiti Jamaica

Puerto Rico.

Dominican Republic

The Bahamas and Bermuda

Central America

British Honduras, Costa Rica

Panama, Nicaragua, El Salvador.

Honduras

Mexico and Alaska.

History, climate, Art, Home  
Life etc.

Adjourned until Fall.

Rosalie Houser Chairman

~~New Business.~~

Emergency Chest Report.

Have 2 beds, 1 out. wheel chair  
out scratched out.

\$40.72 on hand

Had call for bed to go to  
Glenn's Ferry. Decided to leave  
up to committee as to where  
and to whom things are loaned.

New Business. Installation.

President said we were highly  
honored to have both the district  
President Mrs. Higer and V.P.

Mrs. Cox at our meeting. Called  
in Mrs. Higer to install officers  
The following officers were



installed after a short interesting talk by Mrs. Higier.

Pres. Mrs. Patch.

V. Pres. Mrs. Coleman

Sec. Mrs. Baird.

A. Sec. Mrs. Goodwin

Treas. Mrs. Cairns

Historian Mrs. M. Coy absent

Lovely corsages were presented to each officer and to Mrs. Higier.

President's report on the year's work by Mrs. Patch was very interesting. Suggested by Mrs. Sandy that part of report be printed in the paper.

Roll Call answered by a spring poem.

Meeting adjourned

Hellie Baird Sec.  
Protherm.

Treas. Report May 5 1947.

Bal. from Apr. 24.09

Openness 7.28

Total taken in 7.28

31.37

Paid out.

Cabon flowers. 1.50

Frame for Certif. .35

Idaho Power .85

Bank chg. 50

Total 2.90

Balance 28.67

July 7 1947.

The Occident Club met at the club rooms July and was called to order by the Vice President Orial Coleman in the absence of <sup>the Pres</sup> Marguerite Patch. A group singing Juanita and Collect read and Pledge of Allegiance to Flag given.

The minutes of the June meeting were read and approved as read.

Because of the small number present ~~no motions were~~ nothing but regular business was in order.

Bills for cards postage etc. and mowing the lawn were read. Motion made by Susie Cairns and seconded by Marguerite Potts that bills be allowed and warrant drawn in payment of same.

~~Motion~~ Motion made by Susie Cairns and seconded by Marguerite Potts to pay boys 2.00 for first and second time mowing the lawn.

Americanism Com. no report  
Emergency - 2 beds out, wheel chair out, crutches oxygen tent out.

Cards and flowers  
Cards sent to Esther Hutchinson

and Mina Egbert and  
sympathy card to Zelma  
Mathews and family.

Finance -

12.34 from Fireman's Dinner

13.35 Lions Club dinner  
House and Grounds

Lawn had been mowed.

No reports were given from  
other committees and  
the rest of the meeting  
was spent in discussion.

Committee chairmen were  
read

Program for the year 1948  
was discussed.

Program - Paper by  
Mrs. Stanton "When The  
Minister Came to Dine"  
read by Oral Coloma

There were 8 members  
present.

Delicious refreshment  
were served by the  
hostesses - Florence Egger  
Mary Alice White

Meeting Adjourned

Hellie Baird. Sec.

June 1 1947.

Balance from May		28.67
Lions Dinner	3.25	
"	12.00	
Rent Garage	4.00	
Dues Nourse	1.50	
" Busse	<u>1.50</u>	
Total taken in	22.25	
Balance		50.92

Paid Out.

Patch dinner Exp.	4.70
Idaho Power	.91
Lawn Mower	<u>4.25</u>
Total	9.86

Balance on hand 41.06.

August 4 1947.

The Occident Club met at the club rooms with Vice President Oral Coleman presiding. Group singing *Granita*, Collect read and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag given.

Americanism Com. No report.

Minutes of July meeting read and approved as read.

Treasurer's report read and accepted.

Committee reports.

Emergency all wheel chairs and beds out.

Finance Com. One dinner 7.22 cleared.

No other committees reported. Committees for 1948 read and Program for the year outlined.

Esther Hutchinson and Mrs. Aberdeen reported some better.

Program. Paper on Safety on Highway and Street. read by by Rita Desjournes Roll Call given by giving a Safety Traffic Rule.

Delicious Refreshments were

served by the hostesses Mildred  
Botkin and Mary Alice White

Eleven members present <sup>Walete Mc Bride</sup>  
Meeting adjourned  
Nellie Baird Sec.

July 7 1947.

Balance from June		41.06
Lion's Dinners	7.70	
" "	5.65	1
Total	13.35	
Fireman's Dinner	12.34	
Rent Grange	4.00	
Dues Florence Eggers	1.50	
Mary Alice White	3.00	4.80
Total taken in		34.19.
Balance		75.25

Paid out - Nellie Baird	1.00	
cards etc.		
Mowing lawn	4.00	
Idaho Power	.98	
Bank charge	.50	
Sandy from dinners	10.32	
Total paid out		16.80
Balance		58.45

Sept 1 1947.

The Occident Club met at the Club rooms with the President Mesquite Patch presiding. Group Singing Long Long Ago Collect read and Pledge of Allegiance to Flag given. Minutes of the August Meeting read and approved as corrected.

Communication from Federation of Women's Clubs to Idaho State Convention read. Americanism report - no report.

Program Com. read committees and Programs for coming year.

Study Group - Helen Beebart's home Monday October 20. ?  
Finance Com. reported that Lions Club dinner would continue.

Cards and Flowers reported one sympathy card sent. Roy Mathews reported ill. Legislative Com. reported that Japanese prisoners are being excused from camps.

New Business

Letter read from Natl'

Red Cross by Bertha Baird asking club to cooperate in sending Christmas gifts for boys overseas. Motion made by Edna McCoy that club give gifts asked for, the expense to be handled by donations from individual members. Motion seconded by Helen Bebout, carried.

Marquerite Patch and Oral Coleman volunteered to see about buying the gifts.

Program. Three minute reports given by -

Edna McCoy - White Elephant sale the club had in past years.  
Nina Egbert - reported on plants and bulbs to care for at this time.

Bertha Baird - Old Buildings in Meridian

Nellie Baird - Read Clipping from Magazine.

Helen Bebout - Early paintings and interior decorations

Susie Cairns - Have highlights of Ruth's life.

Oral Coleman. Read poem

Marquerite Patch - Proper table settings.

School lunches were prepared and served by the



committee - Oral Coleman  
Marquette Patch and  
Nellie Baird. 8 members present  
Nellie Baird  
Sec.

Aug 4 1947.

Balance from July	58.45
Donations	<u>7.22</u>
Balance	65.67.

Bills:

Edsko Power	.85
Bank Charge	50
Mowing Lawns	6.50
Sandy Library F.	<u>3.61</u>
Total	11.46
Leaving Balance	54.21

Oct 6, 1947.

The Occident Club met at the Club rooms with the President Marquise Patch presiding. Group singing "Comin' Through The Rye", Collected read, and Pledge of Allegiance to the flag given.

Americanism Committee - no report.

Minutes of Sept. meeting read and approved as read.

Treasurer's report read and accepted.

No Communications.

Bills - 3.80 for Programs.

Dean Ulmer moved that bills be allowed. seconded and carried.

Better Homes of America Com.

Called attention to Article in Better Homes and Gardens by Jay Freitag on How To Wash Dishes.

Cards and Flowers -

Reported that Nettie Hudson Mrs. Lines on sick list.

Emergency Com.

Bales family sent thanks to the club for use of the wheel chair.

Finance Com.

\$14.15 ~~and~~ from Lions Club dinners. Announced that on Oct 29 at Meridian sale

yard the club would hold  
a bazaar sale each member  
asked to contribute articles.  
House and Grounds. reported.

Trees need trimming  
Red Cross - knitting is available  
if anyone wanted to do any.  
Recreation Reported that Skyloft  
is open on Wed. nights but  
that it might be changed to  
Friday nights.

Study Group - to meet Oct 20. at  
home of Mrs. Beebaut. Study  
Alaska.

Poetry - Chairman made up a  
poem to read, as she did  
not know she was still  
chairman of this committee.

Legislative Com. reported that  
Yankies won World Series.

Library - Total cash on hand  
Oct. 1 47.78. Asked for volunteers  
to help in Library.

Music - No report.

Membership - reported no new  
members.

Portfolio - no report.

Program - Give out very  
attractive year books.

Unfinished Business - None.

New business.

Coal to be ordered.

Motion made by Alice Lant  
to order coal, seconded by

Edna M. Coy. Motion carried  
Keys to Library lost again.  
Marquesite Patch has one  
to back door.

Program.

Nellie Baird Magazine Article.  
Osga Baldwin - Gave notes  
on how to organize an  
organization.

Helin Beebout - Currier and  
Ives pictures

Carrie Cato - Showed sample  
articles of things that could  
be made for the sale.

Susie Cairns - Gave report on  
life of Mary & Martha.

Osad Coleman - Poem Indian  
Summer.

Mina Ebert. Time to prune  
trees, plants shrubs etc.

Ethel Seikes - Report on  
First aid.

Edna M. Coy - Early organization  
of the Club.

Marquesite Patch - Club Etiquette

Marquesite Potts - American  
Homes.

Nita Scivner - What Epitaphs  
are.

Dean Ulmer. - Banks is a  
lovely place to go for a  
picnic.

Margaret Bennett - Current  
Topic.

Delicious refreshments were served by hostesses Orla Baldwin, ~~Tracy Baldwin~~, Margaret Bennett and Nellie Baird. Meeting closed in regular fashion 27 members and one visitor present.

Nellie Baird Sec

Sept 1 1947.

Balance from Aug.	54.21
Dues	<u>4.50</u>
	58.71

Paid out.

Mowing lawn	2.00
Idaho Power	.85
Bank Charge	<u>.50</u>
	3.35

Total on hand	55.36.
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Nov. 3, 1947.

The Occident Club met at the Club rooms with the Vice President Oral Coleman in the chair. Group singing Auld Lang Syne. Collected and read and Pledge of Allegiance to Flag given. Minutes of the October meeting read and approved as read.

Treasurer's report read and accepted.

Communications Letter from Women's Action Com. urging us to unite American women to work for full participation in the U. N. in order to build a world of peace & justice under law.

Bills Coal bill 16.57  
Motion made by Deane Ulmer that bills be allowed seconded & carried.

Cards sent to Mrs Lurie. Mrs. Patch reported not well.  
Emergency Chest. Articles removed to City Hall. Mrs. Coleman & Mrs. Pats & Mrs. Sandy cleaned room at city hall and transferred articles.  
Finance - Bazaar & rummage sale netted 14.65 Lions Club dinner 11.49.

Recreation Balance on hand Oct 31. \$19.20. Had Halloween dance at Legion Hall. 65 youngsters present

Study Group To study India next  
time.

Legislative reported on Equal  
Rights Bill.

Library - Balance on hand 12.08.

Library Fund Given in Finance  
report.

Business.

Let someone to be janitor House  
& Grounds Com. to ask Mr. Aberdeen.  
Women's Action Co. Decided to donate  
later.

Mrs. Patts made motion to give  
Mrs. McCoy a rising vote of  
thanks for work done on  
Recreation Com. in past years.

December meeting to be a  
Pot Luck dinner & Gift Exchange  
Program.

13 members gave reports.  
Mrs. Belknap gave a very  
interesting talk on State  
Convention of Women's Clubs.

Meeting adjourned.

13 members 2 visitors  
present.

Refreshments served by Mrs.  
Aghert, Mrs. Keller &

Oct. 1

Bal. Sept.	55.36	
Dinners	14.15	
Dues	19.50	
Balance		89.01

Paid out.		
Coleman	3.80	
Library	7.07	
Alah Power	.85	
Bank Chg.	<u>5.00</u>	
	12.22	
Balance		76.79.



The Occident Club met at the Club rooms for the annual Christmas party and pot luck dinner, there were 20 members and 3 visitors present. Everyone enjoyed a very delicious dinner during which the girls sextette from the high school sang two numbers. After the gift exchange immediately following the dinner the business meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. Patch. Group singing Christmas carols, collect read and Pledge of Allegiance to Flag given.

Americanism Com. - no report.  
Minutes of November meeting were read and approved as read. Treasurer's report read and accepted. Bills read. Mrs. Laht made motion that bills be allowed and warrant drawn in payment of same. Seconded by Mrs. McCoy. Carried  
Communications from Hutchinsen Family, Rosalie Nourse, and Stella Adkins read.

Better Homes Com. reported that cherry fireplaces add to homes.  
Cards and Flowers Com. reported get well card had been sent to Mrs. Patch, Mrs. Bertha Baird and to Mathews family.  
Emergency - One bed and oxygen

tent out. Need to advertise the emergency chest more.

Finance Com. reported 6.50 from Lion's Club dinner. Announced bazaars to be held at Idaho Power Co. Dec. 10

House and Grounds - Reported that Mrs. Aberdeen would do janitor work for a while at least.  
Recreation.

Youth Center had not been open during Nov.

Study Group - To meet at Mrs. Houser.

Legislative - Report on Bill of Rights.

Library - In hand Dec. 1 20.26.

Musical to be held at the home of Gene Honderbough Dec 8.

Unfinished Business None.

New Business.

Due to limited time only one or two topics were given for program.

Mellie Laird Sec.

Nov. 3 1947.  
Balance from Oct. 76.79

Dinner 11.49  
Bazaar 14.65

Dues 3.00  
Total 29.14

" On hand. 105.93

Bills

Mrs. Sandy for Library 13.07

Boise Thayer coal 16.57

Idaho Power 1.19

Bank Charge 50

Total Paid Out 31.33

Balance Dec. 1 74.60