

January 1940

meeting was held at Corona Avenue Firehouse, opened with allegiance to the flag.

A motion was made to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, made by Mrs. Motley and seconded by Mrs. J. Buckley.

A motion was made by Mrs. Simmott and seconded by Mr. J. Buckley to pay all outstanding bills.

Madam president then gave the following report on the Christmas baskets:

The basket Club for the baskets, report is as follows:

\$ 131.00	Cash intake on Club.
1.50	dropped out of "
<u>\$ 132.50</u>	
10.00	expenses - 6 months
<u>122.50</u>	
15.00	made on raffle of wine
<u>137.50</u>	donated by Mrs. Alvin Reising
12.00	Donated in Cash
<u>\$ 149.50</u>	total on hand

Thirty baskets were given out, the expenses are as follows:

over

Turkeys	\$ 98.50
groceries	20.88
veg & fruit	6.95
	<u>\$ 125.53</u>
\$ 149.50 total cash intake	
125.53 Basket expenses	
<u>\$ 23.97</u> Balance on hand Dec 27, 1939	
1.00 chance book on menu	
<u>\$ 22.97</u> for men's Dem. Club	

no Report of officers.

no Unfinished business.

New Business

Tickets were given out for dance, to be held on 29th of January, 1940.

Recording Secretary was requested to notify members apprehensively to be called hostess during any future affairs.

Treasurer requested that the 1940 Federation dues be paid to Nassau County Federation, motion made by Mrs. Mae Moore, seconded by Mrs. Stanger.

Members reported ill.

Mrs. G. Tripp

Mrs. J. James

Members requested to call on some

Motion made by Mrs
Barton and seconded by Mrs.
Buckley to adjourn.

Loretta James
Secretary

January 10th, 1940

Special Meeting

Meeting was called to order by Miss Elizabeth Piercey, ~~in~~ Vice-President, in the absence of Mrs. Michael Zingley, President.

A roll call of officers found all present. Absent Mrs. Zingley and Mrs. Grace Tripp.

A motion was made by Mrs. Motley to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, seconded by Mrs. McInnam.

A motion was made by Mrs. Starnaid to change the by-law to the extent of having the election of officers in March instead of December, and installation in April instead of January, and seconded by Mrs. Barton.

Miss Piercey requested members to attend the meeting of the Federation to be held at Rockville Centre.

A motion was then made
to adjourn by Mrs. Starnes
and seconded by Mrs. Mollie
so that refreshments might be
enjoyed.

~~Secretary~~ Secretary
Lorette James

February 26th, 1940.

A regular meeting of the Women's Democratic Club of Valley Stream was held Monday evening, February 26th, 1940 in Corona Ave. Fire House, Mrs. Michael Quigley, president, presided.

Meeting was opened with the salute to the flag.

Roll call of officers found the following absent:-

Mrs. Loretta James, Recording Secretary
Mrs. Frank Tronsor, Financial Secretary
Mrs. Grace Tripp, Board of Governors
Mrs. Providence Atanasio, Welfare Officer
Miss Catherine Mc Cabe, Board of Governors.

Reading of minutes of previous meeting. Approved and accepted as read.

Reading of correspondence and bills. Motion made by Miss. E. Peircey that all bills be paid. Seconded by Mrs. J. Buckley.

Mrs. Quigley reported that last dance was a social success, but very poor financially.

No report on old business.

Mrs. Quigley reminded members that registration days will be March 9th to March 19th. All inspectors requested to be on hand.

Under New Business:-

Members were reminded to co-operate in the drawing for basket of liquor or Twenty Five Dollars (\$25.00) in cash, same to take place on Installation night, April 8, 1940.

Mrs. Schulleri announced there will be a concert in the High School Auditorium, Sunday, March 3, 1940 at 4 P.M. All are invited to attend.

A recess was called for drawing of names in the Blanket Club. Mrs. Geiger and Elizabeth Quigley were the winners. Mrs. Martha Motley won the dark horse.

Announcement was made of the next open meeting of the Women's Federation. All are welcome.

After an open discussion on how to raise money for the Treasury it was decided that we hold a Card Party at the Legion Hall, Saturday evening, April 13, 1940. Mrs. Mc Mann was elected Chairman, her committee including the following:-

Miss Elizabeth Peircey
Mrs. John Buckley
Mrs. Stella Romano
Mrs. Mary Barton
Mrs. E. Wittendorf
Mrs. Martha Motley
Mrs. P. Atanasio
Mrs. Loretta James
Miss. Edna Sinnott

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Another means for raising money for the Treasury was suggested by Mrs. Martha Motley by forming groups of the members to attend tours of inspection through the following places:-

State Laundry
Meserole Funeral Parlor
Nassau Knolls

Mrs. Edna Wittendorf was appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

Treasurer reported a balance of \$18.21 on hand.

The following members were reported as being ill:-

Mrs. Catherine Mc Cabe
Miss Catherine Mc Cabe
Mrs P Atanasio
Mrs Loretta James
Mrs. Grace Tripp

Mrs. Quigley suggested that members send cheer cards to the above mentioned.

There being no further business to discuss, motion was made by Mrs Mary Barton that meeting be adjourned. Seconded by Miss E. Peircey

Respectfully submitted

By:

Stella M. Romano
Acting Recording Secretary

Monday, March 8, 1940

A joint meeting of the Men's and Women's Democratic Clubs was held Monday evening, March 8th, 1940 in Corona Avenue Fire House

Meeting was called to order by Mr. Ryan, president of the Men's Club. Meeting was opened with the salute to the flag. Motion was duly made and seconded that reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with for the evening.

Mr. Ryan turned the meeting over to Judge John S. Thorpe, our County Leader. Judge Thorpe congratulated our Zone Leader and Committee men for their co-operation and fine work during the Primary elections. He reminded the members that the 1940 elections will include ten local candidates namely:-

County Executive
Surrogate
District Attorney
County Clerk
County Chairman
Sheriff
Assemblyman
State Senator
Congress

Then followed the installation of new officers namely:-

President- Mrs. Michael Quigley
1st Vice President-Miss Elizabeth Peircey
2nd Vice President-Mrs. Providence Atanasio
Recording Secretary-Mrs. Stella Romano
Corresponding Secretary-Mrs. Edna Wittendorf
Financial Secretary-Mrs. Catherine Tronsor
Treasurer- Mrs. Susan Levin
Sargeant at Arms- Mrs. Fallon
Welfare Officer-Mrs. Loretta James
Board of Governors-Mrs. Grace Tripp
Mrs. Mary Barton
Mrs. Lillian Pickley

Then followed the presentation of gifts to the retiring officers for past services.

Installation of the new officers into the men's club then followed.

Mr. Ryan concluded by thanking the members of both the Men's and Women's Clubs for co-operating with him while in office, then turned the gavel over to Mr. Feeney, the new president of the Men's Club.

Mr. Feeney presented Mrs. Anna Soulgo, Chairman of the Women's Federation of Democratic Clubs, who gave a short address and congratulated the new officers.

Mrs. Michael Quigley was the next speaker who thanked the members for their confidence in her by re-electing her into office for the 5th year. She also thanked them for the many

beautiful flowers she received.

Mr. Joseph Bergen, our Zone Leader was the next speaker presented. He said if we follow the instructions that Judge Thorpe suggested we will have a well organized Organization. He suggested that Committee elections is a very important matter this year and asked the full co-operation of the members.

Mr. Arthur O'Malley, past Chairman and Mr. John Buckley also gave short addresses.

There being no further business to discuss, it was duly moved and seconded that meeting be adjourned.

Refreshments were then served to all.

Respectfully submitted
by:-

Stella M. Romano
Recording Secretary

March 18, 1940

A regular meeting of the Women's Democratic Club of Valley Stream was held Monday evening, March 18th, 1940 in Corona Avenue Fire House. Mrs. Michael Quigley, president presided.

Meeting was opened with saluting of the flag.

Roll call of officers found Mrs. Martha Motley, Treasurer absent.

Minutes of previous meeting approved and accepted as read.

Reading of correspondence and bills

Mrs. Loretta James made a motion that all bills be paid. Approved by Miss E. Peircey.

Letter received from Mrs. Mc Mahon resigning her appointment as chairman of forthcoming Card party. Mrs. Loretta James was appointed chairman in her place. Mrs. James will distribute tickets among members. Mrs. Quigley asked everyone to co-operate toward making this Card party a success.

No report from Committees.

Books were distributed among members on the drawing for the case of liquor.

Under New Business:-

Mrs. Quigley turned the meeting over to Mrs. O'Malley to preside over nomination of new officers, which took place as follows:-

Motion was made by Miss Helen Martinez and seconded by Mrs. Jeanne Cullen that Mrs. Michael Quigley be re-nominated as president. Nominations closed by Miss E. Peircey, seconded by Mrs. P. Atanasio. All in favor.

First Vice President, Miss E. Peircey, nominated by Mrs. Schulleri, seconded by Mrs. Grace Tripp. Nominations closed by Mrs. John Buckley, seconded by Mrs. Stouges. All in favor.

2nd Vice President, Mrs. P. Atanasio, nominated by Mrs. John Buckley, seconded by Mrs. Loretta James. Nominations closed by Miss Edna Sinnott, seconded by Mrs. Barton. All in favor.

Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Edna Witten dorf, nominated by Miss E. Peircey seconded by Mrs. Frank Tronsor. Nominations closed by Mrs. Grace Tripp, seconded by Mrs. Stouges. All in favor.

Financial Secretary, Mrs. Frank Tronsor, nominated by Mrs. Grace Tripp, seconded by Mrs. Mary Barton. Nominations closed by Mrs. Jeanne Cullen, seconded by Mrs. Schulleri. All in favor.

Recording Secretary, Mrs. Stella Romano, nominated by Mrs. Loretta James, seconded by Mrs. Mary Barton. Nominations closed by Mrs. John Buckley, seconded by Miss Helen Martinez. All in favor.

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Treasurer, Mrs. Sue Levin, nominated by Mrs. Frank Tronsor seconded by Mrs. Mary Dermody. Nominations closed by Mrs. Loretta James seconded by Mrs. P Atanasio. All in favor.

Welfare Officer, Mrs. Loretta James, nominated by Mrs. P. Atanasio seconded by Miss. Helen Martinez.

Sergeant at arms, Mrs. Frank Tronsor, nominated nominated Mrs. Fallon, seconded by Mrs. Loretta James. Nominations closed by Mrs. John Buckley, seconded by Mrs. Stouges. All in favor.

Board of Governors:- Mrs. John Buckley in place of Mrs. Mc Cabe was nominated by Mrs. Stouges, seconded by Mrs. P Atanasio. Nominations closed by Mrs. Mary Barton, seconded by Mrs. Grace Tripp. All in favor.

Motion made by Mrs. Mary Barton that nominations be closed, seconded by Miss E. Peircey.

Secretary cast one ballot electing new officers into office.

Mrs. O'Malley asked the members to co-operate in the organization from every district and not leave all the work for a few to do.

Motion was made by Miss E. Peircey that the by-laws be revised. Seconded by Mrs. Schulleri.

Miss Peircey was asked to go through the by laws and make the necessary changes. The following committee was appointed to work with her:-

Mrs. Mary Barton
" Grace Tripp
" Michael Quigley
" John Buckley

A short recess was called for the drawing of the dark horse and Blanket Club. Mrs. Levin won the dark horse and Mrs. P Atanasio won the Blanket.

\$2.70 was taken in on the dark horse

3.00 for dues

\$5.70 total taken in

There being no further business to discuss Miss Smith made a motion that meeting be adjourned, seconded by Mrs. Stouges.

Respectfully submitted
by:-


Acting Recording Secretary

Monday March 22, 1940.

A regular meeting of the Women's Democratic Club was held Monday evening, March 2, 1940 in the Corona Avenue Fire House. Mrs. Michael Quigley, president, presided.

Meeting was opened with the salute to the flag.

Motion was made by Mrs. Mary Barton to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the minutes of meeting held March 18, 1940, seconded by Mrs. Joseph Bergen.

Minutes of last meeting were read and duly accepted.

Miss Mae Smith was proposed as a new member by Frances Swanton, all in favor.

Reading of correspondence and bills;-

Postage-	2.20
Refreshments-	1.80
Corsages-	6.00
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	10.00

Total expenses of refreshments for installation night;-
30.25

11.50 donated by men's club

Cost of new ~~\$~~ 18.75 balance

China:- \$ 24.00

Mrs. Loretta James made a motion that all bills be paid.
Seconded by Mrs. Mary Barton

A short recess was called for drawing on Blanket Club and dark horse.

Miss E. Peircey won \$5.00 prize on Card Raffle.

The Club received \$10.00 profit on this raffle.

Miss Mae Smith won the dark horse

Mrs. Fallon and Miss Helen Martinez each won a blanket.

Mrs. Tronsor made a motion that the club pay for expenses to send our President Mrs. Quigley to the convention May 2-3 and 4th, 1940 in Washington. Mrs. Joseph Bergen seconded. Miss E. Peircey carried vote.

Members were reminded of Card and Bunco Party to be given by the Women's Federation of Democratic Clubs.

Mrs. Martha Motley, past Treasurer gave a summary of her record for the past year.

Mrs. Grace Tripp made a motion that Mrs. Quigley be given full authority to use her judgement in matters that arise which require the special attention of her committees, and they cannot be reached.

On the good and welfare of the club, Mrs. Tronsor suggested that we have Social Card Parties at one of our meetings per month as a means of bringing the members out and getting better acquainted. Motion was seconded by Mrs. O'Malley.

May 27th was set as date for first of these parties.

Miss E Peircey offered to act as chairman

Miss Mary Barton

Mrs. Loretta James

Mrs. John Buckley

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and Mrs. P Atanasio to serve on Committee
Mrs. Quigley asked Mrs. Tronsor and Mrs. Wittendorf to make
an appointment with her to go over the list of members to weed
out inactive members.

Treasurer reported a balance on hand of \$22.82
Motion was made by Mrs. Grace Tripp, seconded by Miss Peircey
that Mrs. Wittendorf be advanced \$1.00 to buy 100 cards to mail to
members.

Each member present promised to bring a deck of playing
cards to be used at Card Party Social

There being no further business to discuss, meeting was
adjourned and refreshments served to all

Respectfully submitted

by;-

Stella M. Romano

Recording Secretary

VILLAGE CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE
NASSAU COUNTY BOY SCOUTS

66 Fletcher Avenue

Valley Stream

May 5, 1944

To all organizations in Valley Stream:

The Boy Scout drive is on. Leaders have been appointed to the different districts and they are busy contacting individuals for contributions. The leaders are working hard and contributions are coming in. Even though there is evidence to show that individuals are contributing generously, we are still not near our quota.

The committee respectfully requests that your organization make a contribution to this worth-while cause.

There should be no need to tell you of the good work the Scouts and Scout Masters are doing. They are busy with their work. Let us as public spirited citizens raise this money and help them do a still better job.

This matter is important enough to deserve a personal letter, but under the circumstances that would be quite a task and we are asking you to accept this duplicated letter with the same spirit as you would an original, personal letter.

May we have your contribution early so that we can bring this drive to an early successful conclusion.

You may send your checks to the undersigned Chairman of the Village Campaign Committee.

Yours for better Scouting,



Harry W. Gross
Chairman
Village Campaign Committee

Monday May 13, 1940

A joint meeting of the Men's and Women's Democratic Clubs was called to order by Mr. Feeney, president of the Men's Club, Monday evening, May 13th, 1940 in Corona Avenue Fire House.

Meeting was opened with the salute to the flag

Mr. Feeney spoke at length on the work done in the Attorney General's office and asked the members to make good use of it in the future, if ever trapped in a swindle deal.

Mrs. Michael Quigley reminded the members of an open meeting to be held by the Women's Federation of Democratic Clubs on May 16th in Mechanics Hall, Inwood, L.I. She then described her trip to Washington. Said they were addressed at a Garden Party by Mrs. and President Roosevelt. Mrs. O'Day thanked the eight women from Nassau for their fine representation of their County.

Mrs. Providence Atansio made a motion that \$2.50 be donated to the American Legion for Memorial Day Poppies seconded by Mrs. Frank Tronsor.

Mr. Joe Bergen the next speaker said in order to have a successful election in November next, we must get everyone out to register.

Mr. Bergen said that Judge Thorpe contemplated a County wide outing and if it takes place, Mr. Bergen suggested that we dis-
pense with our yearly outing in its stead.

A short recess was called for the Blanket drawing and the dark horse. Mr. Bergen won the dark horse and donated it back to the club. Mrs. Payliss and Mrs. Bonner won a blanket each.

There being no further business to conduct, meeting was adjourned. Refreshments were then served to all.

Respectfully submitted

by;-

Stella M. Rossum
Recording Secretary

Monday May 27th, 1940

A regular meeting of the Women's Democratic Club of Valley Stream was held Monday evening May 27th, 1940 in Corona Avenue Fire House. Mrs. Michael Quigley, president presided.

Meeting was opened with salute to the flag.

Roll call of officers found the following absent;-

Mrs. C. Tronsor, Financial Secretary

Mrs. Susan Levin Treasurer

Mrs. Fallon-Sargeant at Arms

Mrs. Loretta James-Welfare officer

Mrs. Grace Tripp-Board of Governors

Mrs. Lillian Buckley made a motion that we dispense with the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting so as to make time for Card party. Seconded by Mrs. Stouges.

Mrs. Marie Kempf was recommended as a new member
by Mrs. Mary Mc Mahon. all in favor.

Entertainment committee reported a profit of \$43.50 on last Card Party.

The B Lanket Club reported a profit of \$133.50 cleared. 98 members finished paying their accounts.

Miss E. Peircey reported that she is waiting for a complete copy of the present by-laws in order to report progress.

No report on unfinished business.

Mrs. Mc Mahon offered to act as chairman of the next Social Card Party.

Mrs. Quigley asked members to send cards of cheer to Mrs. Loretta James who is reported as being very ill.

There being no further business to conduct, motion was made by Mrs. Mc Mahon to adjourn, seconded by Mrs. Verhoff.

Respectfully submitted
by

Stella M. Romano
Recording Secretary