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New Century Club

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Club Collect

What is a woman's club?
A place where kindly hearts
in earnest
Where high ideals are fed
and nourished
Where charity in all its
beauty
Is held to be a sacred duty
Where peace and harmony
abound
And every one meet on
common ground.

Officers.

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- Mr. Willie Craig
- Mr. Frank Cunningham
- Mr. Edwin Sutton
- Mr. Anna English
- Mr. Elizabeth Freeman
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- Mr. Martha Long
- Mr. Benson Mathew
- Mr. Sam Perry
- Mr. Geo. R. R. R.
- Mr. Flora Ritter
- Mr. George Schuch
- Mr. Carol Taylor
- Mr. Wanda Taylor
- Mr. Marie Smith

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September 22

"The day is ours
A good time yours
A warm welcome
To you all"

Mrs. Blanch Countryman

2432 S. Webster

Hostess

Mrs. Jean Dewby

Assistant

October 6

Roll List

Carver Canal

Mr. Blanche Lountman

Current Events

Mr. Carol Sawyer

Mr. D. A. L. Burgess

1444 E. Lewis

Boston

October 20

Roll Call

Land of the Best

Mrs. Jesse Hervey

Current Events

Mrs. Mable Burgence

Mrs. Anna English

3137 Rudmiller

Costello

November 3

A little someone now and
then

is related to the best of men

— Bushy Night

Callowien & Squarade

Mrs. Nellie Craig

2815 S. Calhoun

Wichita

Mrs. Ada Kelly

Mrs. Martha Lewis

Mrs. Elizabeth Freeman

Mrs. Grace ...

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November 17

Roll Call

Book Review

Mrs. Marie Smith

Mrs. Minnie Matlack

236 E DeWald
Hostess

December 1

Roll Call

Prominent American Authors

(James Adams Margaret

Sanger, Deane Keller et al)

Mrs. Alice Craig

Life of John Strathorn Foster

Mrs. Minnie Maltack

Mrs. Carl James

Hester

December 15"

Roll Call Xmas Quotations

"The Other Wise Man"

Mrs. Martha Lowry

Current Events

Mrs. Elizabeth Forester

Xmas Grab Bag

Mrs. Flora Ritter

1204 E. Pontiac

Hostess

The New Year closed door
stands but a tiny way
before you.

May it opening have in
store for you every thing
that is good, better than
the best that was gone
before"

January 1st

Gentlemen's Night

Mr. J. R. Mallow

Mr. F. H. Ritter

Mr. B. A. Countryman

Mr. J. W. Dittore

Mr. P. C. Stauffer

Leon

January 12

Roll Call

American Signboard Opera

Mrs. Edna Lister

Lucy C. Brent

Mrs. Grace Burson

Mrs. Bill Huffman

1206 E. Pontiac

Hostess

January 26

Roll Call

Legends and Music of
American Indian

Mrs. Bill Huffer

Current Events

Mrs. Edith Kactete

Mrs. Edna Sutton

911 E. Dayra

Hooster

February 9

Roll Call

Valley of the Thousand
Smokes

Mrs. Pearl James

Home Topics

How Black Country was

Mrs. Sda Weaver

502 E. Pontiac

Hostess

February 23

Roll call Patriotic

The Yorkville Valley

Mrs. Georgia Schwan

"Great Boy George"

Mrs Edith Ractetter

2327 Horaglan

Hostess

March 5

Roll call

Book Review

Mrs. Della Halley

Mrs. Georgia Schwan

537 Boston Ave

Worcester

March 22

Rose Ball

Where the World gets its

Mrs. Flora Kutt

Topics of the Day

Mrs. Anna English

Electors of Officers

Mrs. Anna Shalley

338 E. Sutter Street

San Francisco

April 5

Roll Call From Anonymous Gen

Howard in Industry

Mrs. Ida Heaver

Woman's Law from the Star

Mrs. Ida Heaver

Mrs. Marie Smith

2525 Maple Place

Heavens

April 19

Roll call

A Day with our
new magazines
Club Member

Mrs. Carol Stouffer

218 E. 20th

Hostess

May 3

...sing to the wide world
...the truest
...the true ear of Nature
...which song is the best"

A Day with Birds
Annual Picnic

Contest.

Dutton

Lorrey

Engelst

Burgener

Hilly

Countryman

Huffman

Craig

Foreman

Carson

James

Watlack

Newby

Rastetter

Ritter

Schwan

Stouffer

Stalley

Smith

Weaver

How come all crumbles,
frowns and woe;

We'll stand by each
other, however you flow.



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ere has the summer gone;
e was just here a moment ago,
With roses and daisies
To whisper her praises,
d wveryone loved her so".

October 5, 1921

Social Afternoon

Hostess

Mrs. K. W. Countryman
2432 S. Webster

Assistant

Mrs. F. H. Ritter

October 19, 1921

nk of him still as the same I say
is not dead, he is just away"

l Call

Riley

e of Riley

Mrs. Larson

up Reading

Riley

Mrs. English

trola

teas

Mrs. Irvin Knight

Co. Infirmary

Nov. 2, 1921

DOMESTIC SCIENCE DAY

Roll Call Favorite Recipe Exch

Victrola

Leader

Mrs. Ritter

Contest

Mrs. Larson

Hostess

Mrs. S. C. Peters
711 Edgewater

November 16, 1921

11 Call Thanksgiving

men of the Mayflower

Mrs. Countryman

ano Solo Mrs. Hilty

anksgiving Story Mrs. Burgener

ntest Mrs. Smith

stess Mrs. Roy Matlack
236 E. De Wald

November 30, 1921

Roll Call Miscellaneous

South America and its future
Mrs. Scott

Vocal Duet Mrs. Andrews

Mrs. Knight

Alaska Mrs. Weaver

Hostess Mrs. Chas. Smith
407 W. Williams

December 14, 1921

1 Call Christmas

Christmas Exchange

stess Mrs. C. L. Hersh
402 E. Suttentfield

Assistant Mrs. Shalley
336 E. Suttentfield

December 28, 1921

"A man is better pleased when he has
a good dinner,
Than when his wife speaks Greek"

Entertainment

Mrs. Ditton
Mrs. Hilty
Mrs. Smith

Refreshments

Mrs. Countryman
Mrs. Hersh
Mrs. Shalley
Mrs. Ritter

Mrs & Mrs Knight

NEW YEARS GREETING

January 11, 1922

Roll Call

Music

Development of Music in America
Mrs. Hersh

Vocal Solo

Mrs. Ditton

Popular Song Writers Mrs. Matlack

Piano Solo

Mrs. Scott

Hostess

Mrs. H. D. Weaver
502 E. Pontiac

January 25, 1922

Roll Call

Patriotic

Our National Capital

Mrs. Shalley

Contest

Mrs. Weaver

Hostess

Mrs. O. Burgener
1414 E. Lewis

February 9, 1922

Roll Call Original Valentine Ex

Book Review Mrs. Schwan

Contest Mrs. Kohlbacher

Hostess Mrs. L. J. Andrews
2715 Oliver

March 11, 1922

1 Call

Lincoln

t Patriotism means in the

Twentieth Century

Mrs. Smith

lo

Mrs. Ritter

nous Spies in American History

Mrs. Countryman

stess

Mrs. Bernard English

2137 Reidmiller

March 15, 1922

Roll Call

Miscellaneous

The Incoming Stranger

Mrs. Kohnbacher

Quartette

Mrs. Hersh, Leader

Race-hatred as a National danger

Mrs. Andrews

Hostess

Mrs. Robt. Scott

1413 Hugh

March 29, 1922

Magazine Day

sic

Mrs. Schwan

stess

Mrs. I. W. Ditton
911 E. Wayne

April 12, 1922

Roll Call

Current Events

What a Woman should know about Law
Mrs. Ditton

Work of Juvenile Courts in Indiana
Mrs. English

Duet

Mrs. Scott

Mrs. Hersh

Hostess

Mrs. Shafer
2717 John

April 26, 1922

FAMOUS ARTISTS AND PICTURES

1 Call Titles Famous Pictures

American Artists Mrs. Hilty

Mrs. Hersh

no Duet

Mrs. Shalley

Foreign Artists

Mrs. Peters

Stess

Mrs. Sprunzer
629. Columbia

May 10, 1922

"A charming woman is a welcome Guest
Mother's Day

Roll Call Mothers of Great Men

Tribute to Mothers Mrs. Ritter

Hostess Mrs. L. C. Schwan
539 Home Ave.

Assistant Mrs. Ed Kohlback
920 Home Ave.

May 24, 1922

Call

Your Birthplace

the Banks of the Wabash" Quartette
Mrs. Weaver, Leader

es, Rivers and Caves of Indiana

Mrs. Knight

553807

tion of Officers

ess

Mrs. Fred Larson
2526 S. Webster

May 31, 1922

ANNUAL PICNIC

ose the book, the story is told,
y it away with a smile or a tear,
itten in Black or written in Gold,
open the book of another year".

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COLLECT FOR CLUB WOMEN

Keep us, O God, from pettiness
let us be large in thought, in
word, in deed.

Let us be done with fault-
finding and leave off self-seeking.

May we put away all pretense
and meet each other face to face
without self-pity and without
prejudice.

May we never be hasty in
judgment and always generous.

Teach us to put into action our better impulses; straightforward and unafraid.

Let us take time for all things; make us grow calm, serene, gentle.

Grant that we may realize that it is the little things that create differences; that in the big things of life we are as one.

And may we strive to touch and to know the great common woman's heart of us all; and O Lord God, let us not forget to be kind.

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Mrs. Ocie Smith
Mrs. Georgia Schwann

STUDY TOPICS

Americanization
"The Taming of the Shrew"
Shakespeare
Miscellany

"The true club woman never boasts of wealth nor apologizes for poverty; is never vain of knowledge nor humiliated by honest ignorance; is never rash in her progressiveness nor selfish in her conservatism."

October Fourth

Hostess Mrs. Countryman
 2432 Webster

Assistant Mrs. Andrews

PRESIDENT'S MEETING

October Eighteenth

Hostess Mrs. Nina English
 2137 Riedmiller

Responses Vacation Anecdotes

The Meaning of American
Citizenship Mrs. Shalley

Music Mrs. Scott

November First

GUEST NIGHT

Committee

Mrs. Hersh

Mrs. Hilty

Mrs. Knight

November Fifteenth

Hostess Mrs. Flora Ritter
1204 E. Pontiac

Responses Quotations from
American Statesmen

The Japanese Problem
Mrs. Smith

The Negro Problem
Mrs. Sprunger

December Sixth

Hostess Mrs. Edith Kohlbacker
920 Home Ave.

Responses Bible Quotations

The Public School and the
Immigrant Mrs. Hilty

A Cure for Present Day Evils
Mrs. Ritter

December Twentieth

Hostess Mrs. Georgia Schwann
539 Home Ave.

Responses Christmas

Reading from "Ben Hur"
Mrs. Scott

CHRISTMAS EXCHANGE

January First

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT

Committee	Mr. Countryman
	Mr. Knight
	Mr. Burgener
	Mr. Smith
	Mr. Andrews

January Tenth

Hostess Mrs. Minnie Matlack
 2622 Fairfield View

Responses Quotations from
 Shakespeare's
 Tragedies

Life of Shakespeare
 Mrs. Burgener

Theatre in Shakespeare's Time
 Mrs. Kohlbacker

Music Mrs. Ditton

January Twenty-fourth

Hostess Mrs. Ocie Smith
911 Lincoln

Responses Quotations from Women
in Shakespeare's
Plays

Leading Women in Shakespeare's
Plays Mrs. Schwann

"The Taming of the Shrew"

Act I Mrs. Countryman

February Seventh

Hostess Mrs. Lillian Scott
1413 Hugh

Responses Quotations from
Shakespeare's Comedies

"The Taming of the Shrew"

Act II Mrs. English

Act ~~III~~ Mrs. ~~Hersh~~

February Twenty-first

Hostess Mrs. Mabel Burgener
1444 E. Lewis
-----3115 Bowen

Responses Patriotic

"The Taming of the Shrew"

Act III Mrs. Hersh
Act IV Mrs. Knight
Act V Mrs. Andrews

March Second

Hostess

~~Mrs. Edna Ditton~~
~~911 E. Wayne~~

1219 California Ave

Responses

Women in Art

Book Review

"The Americanization of
Edward Bach"

Mrs. Shalley

Music

Mrs. Hersh

March Twenty-first

Hostess Mrs. Sprunger
 728 Columbia

Responses Spring

Act. IV
Domestic Education among
Immigrants Mrs. Larson

Reading Mrs. English
Mrs. Knight

Music Victrola

April Fourth

Hostess

Mrs. Geller
Mrs. Ida Weaver

502 E. Pontiac

Responses Women in Literature

Oct. V
Book-Review

Mrs. Andrews
"The Melting Pot"

Mrs. Schwann

Music

Mrs. Ditton

April Eighteenth

Hostess Mrs. Wilda Shalley
 336 E. Suttentfield

Responses Women in Music

Woman's Place with regard to
Citizenship Mrs. Countryman

Women in Business
 Mrs. Ritter

May Second

Hostess Mrs. Bertha Hersh
 402 E. Suttentfield

Responses Great Masterpieces
 of Music

Story of "Il Trovatore"
 Mrs. Smith

Music Mrs. Andrews
 Mrs. Knight

Story of "Poor Butterfly"
 Mrs. Scott

May Sixteenth

Hostess Mrs. Ada Hilty
606 Huffman

Responses My Hobby

Book Review

The melting Pot

TEA

Mrs. Schwo

Committee · Mrs. Hilty
· Mrs. Weaver
Mrs. Sprunger
Mrs. Burgener

CRITICS

October	Mrs. Ritter
November	Mrs. Burgener
December	Mrs. Matlack
January	Mrs. Hilty
February	Mrs. Kohlbacker
March	Mrs. Weaver
April	Mrs. Andrews
May	Mrs. Sprunger

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