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[Jan. 8, 22, 29, 1917]

Minutes of the Prohibition State Executive Committee

January 8, 1917.

Those present were Stromme, Thompson, Calderwood, Dorsett, and Shields.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report was read and referred to the auditing committee.

The proposed schedules of the speakers belonging to the committee was the subject of informal discussion.

The autos belonging to the committee were brought up for discussion and the general conclusion appeared to be that the committee appointed to handle the matter should dispose of them if possible.

The matter of the financial relation of the Calderwood Campaign Committee to the State Committee was further discussed it being the general opinion that the State Committee should assume some of the burden of putting out the special editions of the Patriot, which at this time is charged to the Campaign Committee. The matter is to be taken up further by the special auditing committee having the same in charge.

Upon proper motion the committee adjourned.

John A. Shields,
Secretary.

Minutes of the Prohibition Executive Committee,

Monday, January 22, 1917.

Those present were Calderwood, Stromme, Nelson, Mrs. Taylor, and Shields.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report for the week ending January 20th was read and referred to the auditing committee.

The resignation of I. M. Kalnes from the State and Executive Committees was read and accepted so far as the Executive Committee is concerned.

Mr. Shields reported on the progress of the speakers.

Mr. Calderwood informally presented the advertising proposition suggested in connection with the adoption of statutory prohibition.

It was moved and carried that we secure the introduction of a statutory prohibition bill into the legislature.

No further business, the meeting adjourned.

John A. Shields,
Secretary.

O. REFSDAL, PRES.
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Eau Claire, Wis. Jan. 12, 1917.

To the Minnesota Prohibition Committee,
Minneapolis, Minn.

I herewith present my resignation from membership in the
state committee and executive committee of the Prohibition party in
Minnesota.

Signed.....*S. M. Kalnes.*.....

Minutes of the Prohibition Executive Committee,

Monday, January 29th, 1917.

Those present were Thompson, Dorsett, Mrs. Calderwood, Calderwood, Stromme, Haggard and Shields.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

The financial report for the week ending January 27th was read and referred to the auditing committee.

Mr. Calderwood made a report on the introduction of statutory prohibition into the Legislature.

The Committee on the financial relations between the State Committee and the Calderwood Senatorial Committee made a further partial report.

It was moved and ordered that Mr. Stromme be added to the committee on the financial relations between the State Committee and the Calderwood Senatorial Committee.

It was moved and carried that the meeting adjourn.

John A. Shields,
SECRETARY

STATEMENT OF PROHIBITION STATE COMMITTEE.

Fiscal year ending December 31, 1916.

Office.	Dr.	Cr.
Office salaries-----	\$5,581.70	
Rent and Light-----	544.75	
Telephone & Telegrams-----	419.62	
Stationery -----	877.49	
Postage-----	1,986.18	
Advertising-----	1,238.14	
Paid on Liabilities-----	2,670.90	
Miscellaneous-----	634.71	
	<u>\$13,953.49</u>	
Field.		
Field salaries-----	\$9,181.89	
Field expenses-----	4,701.31	
	<u>\$13,883.20</u>	
Grand total-----		\$27,836.69
Cash received-----		\$27,836.69

TRIAL BALANCE DECEMBER 1916

	December Balance 1916		Loss & Gain		Resources & Liab.	
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
Present Worth		24636.43:				24636.43
Cash	33.30:				33.30:	
Bank	26.26:				26.26:	
Pledges	18800.40:				18800.40:	
Personal Property	4105.52:				4105.52:	
Bequests	300.00:				300.00:	
Literature	606.75:				606.75:	
Loss & Gain Plgs.	5095.06:		5095.06 :			
Field Sal & Exp.	342.15:		342.15 :			
Office " " "	463.60:		463.60 :			
Ledger	4634.29:	9770.90:			4634.29	9770.90
	34407.33:	34407.33:				
Present Worth		24636.43:				
Loss & Gain		5900.81:		5900.81	5900.81:	&
		18735.62:	5900.81 :	5900.81:	34407.33:	34407.33

Financial report for the week ending

December 2, 1916.

	Pledges & Collection	Cash.	Expense	Salary.
E. J. Blough	6.50	12.50	22.80	17.30
Geo. L. Briggs	9.00	42.00	15.10	17.30
W. G. Calderwood	44.10	35.35	21.61	34.61
B. C. Hoyt	54.50	55.50	13.45	23.08
E. F. Leffler	----	2.50	4.90	4.80
O. V. Siniff	156.50	84.00	10.19	28.84
W. A. Stromme	----	10.00	.10	23.08
Geo. F. Wells	47.00	76.00	13.53.	34.61
	<u>\$317.60</u>	<u>\$317.85</u>	<u>\$101.68</u>	<u>\$166.32</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY

	Amount	Total
Salaries	77.36	
Rent & light	42.49	
Stationery	14.94	
Postage	22.50	
Miscellaneous	1.25	
Total office expense		\$158.54
Field expense	101.68	
Field salary	156.32	
Total field expense		268.00
Grand total-----		<u>426.54</u>

Total pledges raised during the week \$317.60
 Total expense during the week 426.54
 Total loss----- \$108.94

Total assets Nov. 25, 1916 \$20091.68
 Pledges raised----- 317.60
\$20409.28

Collected \$510.85
 Cancelled 90.50
601.35
 Total assets Dec. 2, 1916 \$19807.93

Personal Prop. \$4048.45
 Bequests 300.00
4348.45
\$24156.38

Total liabilities Nov. 25 1916 \$8882.53
 Added obligations----- 50.57
\$8933.10
 Paid----- 275.25
 Total liabilities Dec. 2, 1916 \$8657.85
 Overdraft----- 439.43
\$9097.28

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE TWO WEEKS ENDING.

DECEMBER 16, 1916

	PLEDGES & COLLECTION	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
E. J. Blough	\$23.50	23.50	\$20.89	\$30.00
Geo. L. Briggs	15.00	30.00	2.20	34.60
W. G. Calderwood	76.80	40.38	2.09	69.22
B. C. Hoyt	195.50	80.50	21.39	46.16
O. V. Siniff	292.00	127.00	31.15	57.68
W. A. Stromma	10.00	-----	.40	46.16
Geo. F. Wells	260.50	153.50	26.88	69.22
	<u>\$873.30</u>	<u>\$454.88</u>	<u>\$105.30</u>	<u>\$353.04</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY

	Amount	Total
Salaries	151.22	
Rent & Light	1.41	
Telephone & Tel	59.05	
Stationery	54.84	
Postage	37.50	
Miscellaneous	3.85	
Total office expense		307.87
Field expense	105.30	
Field salary	353.04	
Total field expense		458.34
Grand total-----		<u>\$766.21</u>

Total pledges raised during the two weeks \$873.30
 Total expense during the two weeks----- 766.21
 Total gain----- \$107.09

Total assets Dec. 2, 1916 \$19807.93
 Pledges raised----- 873.30
\$20681.23

Collected \$1394.61
 Cancelled 119.00
1513.61
 Total assets Dec. 16, 1916 \$19167.62

Personal Prop. \$4048.45
 Bequests 300.00
4348.45
\$23516.05

Total liabilities Dec. 2, 1916 \$8657.85
 Added obligations----- 141.00
\$8798.85
 Paid ----- 488.62
 Total liabilities Dec. 16, 1916 \$8310.23

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE TWO WEEKS ENDING

DECEMBER 30.1916

PLEDGES & COLL	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
E. J. Blough .50	.50	3.78	9.24
Geo. L. Briggs 55.00	20.00	3.60	14.40
W. G. Calderwood -----	3.00	---	69.22
B. C. Hoyt 169.25	77.75	33.04	46.16
O. V. Siniff 215.00	124.00	30.94	43.20
Geo. F. Wells -----	3.00	----	17.28
Mail 145.08	145.08		
<u>\$584.83</u>	<u>\$373.33</u>	<u>\$71.36</u>	<u>\$199.50</u>

OFFICE SUMMERY.

Amount	Total
Salaries \$151.22	
Rent & Light 3.97	
Stationery 4.62	
Postage 42.00	
Advertising 7.54	
Miscellaneous 53.00	
Total office expense	\$262.35
Field expense 71.36	
Field salary 199.50	
Total field expense	270.86
Grand total-----	<u>\$533.21</u>

Total pledges raised during the two weeks \$584.83
 Total expense during the two weeks 533.21
 Total gain----- \$ 51.62

Total assets Dec. 16, 1916 \$19167.62
 Pledges raised----- 584.83
\$19752.45

Collected \$724.03
 Cancelled 602.95
1326.98
 Total assets Dec. 30. 1916--- \$18425.47

Personal Prop. \$4048.45
 Bequests 300.00
4348.45
\$22297.07

TOTAL Liabilities Dec. 16, 1916 \$8310.23
 Added obligations----- 1652.45
\$9962.68
 Paid----- 1724.40
 Total liabilities Dec. 30, 1916 \$8238.28

[Feb. 5, 1917]

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Headquarters, Feb. 5, 1917.

Those present were Calderwood, Leffler, Mrs. Taylor, Thompson, Nelson, Stromme, Dorsett and Shields.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report for the preceding week was read and referred to the auditing committee.

Mr. Calderwood made an informal report on the progress of prohibition in the legislature, stating that thru the efforts of the committee a number of prominent members of the legislature would be secured to sponsor the statutory bill and that the same would be introduced as soon as the constitutional measure was thoroughly out of the way. He also reported informally on the progress that has been made on the constitutional measure, stating that the work done by this committee in urging people of the state to write to the legislators and that it has been very effective in creating sentiment for a bone dry bill.

It was moved that the meeting adjourn.

John A. Shields

SECRETARY

JAS:GO

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Headquarters, Feb. 12, 1917.

Those present were Markve, Dorsett, Stromme, Mrs. Calderwood, Mrs. Taylor, Dr. Haggard, Mr. Calderwood, Mr. Engel, Nelson, Thompson and Shields.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

Mr. Calderwood made an informal report on the progress of statutory prohibition in the legislature. He reported that ten of the leading members of the House had been secured to stand as sponsors for the bill and that the outlook in the House looks very favorable at this time. He also reported that an effort was being made in this office to get people in the state to write to their representatives and senators urging the passage of this measure.

The matter of the offer to Mr. Calderwood to become Executive Secretary of the Committee of Sixty was informally discussed to some length but nothing definite was done about it.

Upon proper motion, the committee adjourned.

John A. Shields
SECRETARY

JAS*GO

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

JANUARY 27, 1917

PLEDGES & COLL	CASH	EXPENSE	SALARY.
W J Arnold \$52.50	38.50	17.63	\$57.70
Geo L Briggs 278.00	62.50	6.65	17.30
Chas. Carlisle -----	-----	25.91	15.00
C. J. Hall 90.00	93.00	30.35	70.00
B. C. Hoyt 133.50	37.50	10.54	23.08
O. V. Siniff 87.50	40.00	16.93	28.84
Tobias Smith -----	-----	19.02	15.00
J.H. Woertendyke 173.30	91.80	27.90	87.50
Mail 43.00	8.00		
<u>\$857.80</u>	<u>\$371.30</u>	<u>\$154.93</u>	<u>\$314.42</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	AMOUNT	TOTAL.
Salaries	\$119.22	
Stationery	10.00	
Postage	34.00	
Advertising	64.77	
Miscellaneous	3.35	
Total office expense		\$232.34
Field expense	\$154.93	
Field salary	314.42	
Total field expense		469.35
Grand total-----		<u>\$701.69</u>

Total pledges raised during the week \$857.80
 Total expense during the week----- 701.69
 Total gain----- \$156.11

Total assets Jan20, 1917 \$18047.30
 Pledges raised 857.80
\$18905.10

Collected \$575.00
 Cancelled 141.00
716.00 716.00

Total assets Jan. 27, 1917 \$18189.10

Personal Property \$4105.52
 Bequests 300.00
\$4405.52 4405.52
\$22594.62

Total liabilities Jan20, 1917 \$6759.50
 Added obligations 279.07
\$7038.57
 Paid----- 354.00
 Total liabilities Jan27, 1917 \$6684.57

AUDITORS _____

TRIAL BALANCE JANUARY 1917.

	January Balance 1917		Loss & Gain		Resources & Liab.	
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
Present Worth		18735.62				18735.62
Cash	11.12				11.12	
Bank		36.12				36.12
Pledges	18603.94				18603.94	
Personal Property	4110.02				4110.02	
Bequests	300.00				300.00	
Literature	606.75				606.75	
Loss & Gain Plgs		2244.78		2244.78		
Field Salary & Exp.	1713.39		1713.39			
Office " " "	975.46		975.46			
Ledger	4745.20	10049.36			4745.20	10049.36
	<u>31065.88</u>	<u>31065.88</u>				
Present Worth		18735.62				
Loss & Gain		444.07		444.07	444.07	
		18291.55	2688.85	2688.85	28821.10	28821.10

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

JANUARY 6, 1917.

PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY
Geo. L. Briggs \$40.00	\$13.50	\$5.60	\$5.76
B. C. Hoyt 16.00	9.50	7.89	23.08
O. V. Siniff 84.50	49.00	14.83	28.84
<u>\$140.50</u>	<u>\$72.00</u>	<u>\$28.32</u>	<u>\$57.68</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$112.92	
Rent & Light	40.00	
Stationery	3.00	
Postage	26.00	
Miscellaneous	4.10	
Total office expense		\$186.02
Field expense	\$28.32	
Field salary	57.68	
Total field expense		86.00
Grand total-----		<u>\$272.02</u>

Total pledges raised during the week \$140.50
 Total expense during the week 272.02
 Total loss- ---- \$131.52

Total assets Dec. 30, 1916 \$18425.47
 Pledges raised-- ---- 140.50
\$18565.97
 Collected----- 265.06
 Total assets Jan. 6, 1917 \$18300.91 + 499.49 - 18,800.40

Personal Property \$4105.52
 Bequests 300.00
\$4405.52 4405.52
\$22706.43

Total liabilities Dec. 30, 1916 \$8238.28
 Added obligations-- ---- 852.00
\$9090.28
 Paid----- 1967.45
 Liabilities Jan. 6, 1917---- \$7122.83

AUDITORS _____

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

JANUARY 13, 1917

	PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY
Geol L. Briggs	\$15.00	\$17.00	\$ 1.95	\$ 8.64
B. C. Hoyt	160.75	72.25	11.20	23.08
O. V. Siniff	104.00	23.50	21.34	28.84
	<u>\$279.75</u>	<u>\$112.75</u>	<u>\$34.49</u>	<u>\$60.56</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY

	AMOUNT	TOTAL
Salaries	\$119.22	
Rent & Light	1.06	
Stationery	11.60	
Postage	29.00	
Advertising	8.93	
Miscellaneous	3.20	
Total office expense		\$173.01
Field Expense	\$34.49	
Field Salary	60.56	
Total field expense		95.05
Grand total-----		<u>\$268.06</u>

Total pledges raised during the week	\$279.75
Total expense during the week	268.06
Total gain-----	<u>\$ 11.69</u>

Total assets Jan. 6, 1917	\$18800.40
Pledges raised-----	279.75
	<u>\$19080.15</u>
Collected \$640.85	
Cancelled 256.80	897.65
Total assets Jan. 13, 1917	<u>\$18182.50</u>

Personal Property	\$4105.52
Bequests	300.00
	<u>4405.52</u>
	<u>\$22588.02</u>

Total liabilities Jan 6, 1917	\$7122.83
Added obligations-----	35.98
	<u>\$7158.81</u>
Paid-----	263.34
Total liabilities Jan. 13, 1917	<u>\$6895.47</u>

FINANCIAL RPEORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

JANUARY 20, 1917.

PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
W. J. Arnold \$35.96	\$20.21	\$11.68	\$19.24
Geo. L. Briggs 192.75	14.75	6.98	17.30
W. G. Calderwood 9.47	9.47	13.62	34.61
Chas. Carlisle -----	-----	13.07	2.50
C. H. Hall 99.45	80.95	42.02	50.00
B. C. Hoyt 54.50	22.50	13.69	23.08
O. V. Siniff 102.50	88.50	12.89	28.84
Tobias Smith -----	-----	10.06	5.00
J ² H. Woertendyke 66.35	29.35	24.00	62.50
<u>\$560.98</u>	<u>\$265.73</u>	<u>\$148.01</u>	<u>\$243.07</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$88.61	
Rent & Light	17.71	
Telephone & telegraph	13.90	
Stationery	23.25	
Postage	36.00	
Advertising	8.25	
Miscellaneous	5.00	
Total office expense		\$176.72
Field expense	148.01	
Field salary	243.07	
Total field exp.		391.08
Grand total - - - - -		<u>\$567.80</u>

Total pledges raised during the week	\$560.98
Total expense during the week	567.80
Total loss - - - - -	<u>6.82</u>

Total assets Jan. 13, 1917	\$18,182.50
Pledges raised - - - - -	560.98
	<u>18,743.48</u>

Collected - - - -	\$628.48
Cancelled	67.70
	696.18
Total assets Jan. 20th, 1917	<u>\$18,047.30</u>

Personal Prop.	\$4105.52
Bequests	300.00
	<u>\$4405.52</u>
	4,405.52

Total liabilities Jan. 13, 1917	\$6,895.47
Added obligations	105.30
	<u>\$ 7,000.77</u>
Paid - - - - -	241.27
Liabilities Jan. 20, 1917	<u>\$6,759.50</u>

AUDITORS -----

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING

FEBRUARY 10, 1917.

	PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE.	SALARY.
W. J. Arnold	\$46.83	\$36.33	\$22.71	\$57.70
G. L. Briggs	199.00	40.00	11.73	17.30
W. G. Calderwood	-----	-----	3.73	34.61
C. E. Carlisle	6.00	-----	-----	-----
C. J. Hall	92.88	74.88	27.06	70.00
B. C. Hoyt	144.50	51.50	1.44	23.08
Harold Kleven	-----	-----	24.66	12.50
E. E. Lobeck	5.75	5.75	.30	10.00
O. V. Siniff	49.00	46.00	2.83	28.84
Tobias Smith	-----	-----	28.43	15.00
	<u>\$543.96</u>	<u>\$254.46</u>	<u>\$122.89</u>	<u>\$269.03</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	AMOUNT	TOTAL.
Salaries	\$82.61	
Rent & Light	1.21	
Stationery	35.65	
Postage	36.00	
Advertising	8.90	
Miscellaneous	9.95	
Total office Expense		\$174.32
Field expense	\$122.89	
Field salary	269.03	
Total field expense		\$391.92
Grand total-----		<u>\$566.24</u>

Total pledges raised during the week \$543.96
 Total expense during the week----- 566.24
 Total loss----- \$ 22.28

Total assets Feb. 3, 1917 \$18278.30
 Pledges raised 543.96
\$18822.26
 Collected----- 365.71
 Total assets Feb 10, 1917 \$18456.55
 Personal Prop \$4105.52
 Bequests 300.00
4405.52
\$22862.07

Total liabilities Feb 3, 1917 \$6602.60
 Added obligations ----- 330.40
\$6933.00
 Paid----- 408.72
 Total liabilities Feb 10, 1917 \$6524.28
 Overdraft----- 160.88
\$6685.16

AUDITORS _____

MINUTES OF THE PROHIBITION STATE EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE.

Monday, March 26, 1917.

Those present were Messrs. Dorsett, Leffler, Nelson, Stromme, and Shields, and Mrs. Calderwood.

Upon motion of Mr. Stromme, Mr. Dorsett was elected temporary chairman.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report of the preceding week was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

After informal discussion it was moved and carried that Mr. Calderwood be requested to withdraw his resignation as chairman of this Committee.

The motion was made and carried that the Secretary be placed in executive charge of the work of this Committee with the same authority and responsibility as was formerly vested in the chairman.

Motion made and carried that a Committee consisting of Messrs. Stromme, Leffler and Shields be appointed to draft a resolution of Condolence and send same to the Treasurer, Mr. W. C. Thompson, and family, expressing the sympathy of the Committee upon the death of Mrs. Thompson.

Upon proper motion the Committee adjourned.

Sec'y.

[March 12, 19, 26, 1917]

MINUTES OF THE PROHIBITION EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.

Those present were Calderwood, Mrs. Taylor, Stromme, Vroman, Dorsett, Shields---visiting, Prof. O. O. Stageberg and G. Hood Thompson.

The minutes of the meeting of February 12th and approved,

The financial report covering the past four weeks was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

Mr. Calderwood made an informal report on the disposition by the legislature on statutory prohibition.

Mr. Calderwood reported that he had accepted the ~~chair-~~^{secretaryship} ~~manship~~ of the Committee of Sixty and he handed it his resignation ^{to take effect} which was accepted with regret on the motion of Mr. Stromme. Mr. ^{March 24.} Stageberg was informally considered as a successor and was called upon by the chairman to express his views on the subject and he spoke informally, discouraging the idea that he be considered for the head.

Upon motion of Mr. Stromme it was decided that a committee of three be selected to choose a chairman, Mr. Calderwood being one of the three as long as he remains in the city.

Upon proper motion the meeting adjourned.

John A. Shields,
SECRETARY

MINUTES OF THE PROHIBITION STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Monday, March 19, 1917.

Those present were Messrs Doreett, Engle, Vroman, Markve, Nelson, Stromme, Calderwood, and Shields, and Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Calderwood.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Financial report for the preceding week was read and referred to the Auditing Committee under the rules.

The Committee on recommending a Chairman to succeed Mr. Calderwood, consisting of Messrs Calderwood, Stromme, and Shields, reported informally concerning the progress the committee had made, recommending that Senator Lobeck be elected Chairman, it being understood that he is not to be expected to assume any financial or administrative obligations of the Committee, or be paid for his services in the capacity of Chairman.

It was ordered that a Committee consisting of Messrs. Markve, Vroman and Shields draft resolutions of condolence expressive of the sympathy of this Committee to Dr. Haggard and his daughter in their bereavement occasioned by the death of Mrs. Haggard.

Upon proper motion the Committee adjourned.

John A. Shields, Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS

The Prohibition State Executive Committee, at its regular meeting on March 19, 1917, expresses to its Vice Chairman and his daughter, Miss Mildreth Haggard, its most sincere sympathy in this hour of bereavement in the loss of wife and mother.

May He whom Mrs. Haggard loved and served so well be your strength and comfort.

PROHIBITION STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Arthur Markve

Frank P. Vroman

John A. Shields

Committee on Resolutions.

TRIAL BALANCE FEBRUARY 1917.

	February Balance 1917		Loss & Gain		Resoursec & Laib.	
	DR	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
Present Worth		: 18291.55	:	:	:	: 18291.55
Cash	10.57:	:	:	:	10.57:	:
Bank	:	193.74	:	:	:	193.74
Pledges	18911.47:	:	:	:	18911.47:	:
Personal Property	4184.02:	:	:	:	4184.02:	:
Bequests	200.00:	:	:	:	200.00:	:
Literature	798.75:	:	:	:	798.75:	:
Loss & Gain Plgs.	:	2493.59	:	2493.59:	:	:
Field Salary & Exp	2055.72:	:	2055.72:	:	:	:
Office " " "	887.56:	:	887.56:	:	:	:
Ledger	4837.81: 10907.02	:	:	:	4837.81: 10907.02	:
	31885.90: 31885.90	:	:	:	:	:
Present Worth	:	18291.55	:	:	:	:
Loss & Gain	:	449.69	:	449.69	449.69	:
	:	17841.86	:	2943.28: 2943.28	29392.31: 29392.31	:

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

FEBRUARY 3, 1917.

	PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY
W. J. Arnold	\$32.65	\$23.15	\$9.23	\$57.70
Geo. L. Briggs	127.95	31.75	11.15	17.30
W. G. Calderwood	86.25	47.30	32.30	34.61
C. J. Hall	159.20	128.20	46.22	70.00
B. C. Hoyt	82.65	31.65	7.93	23.08
Harold M. Kleven	----	----	19.46	12.50
O. V. Siniff	30.00	33.00	14.21.	28.84
Tobias Smith	----	----	24.14	T 15.00
	<u>\$518.70</u>	<u>\$295.05</u>	<u>\$164.64</u>	<u>\$259.03</u>

OFFICE SUMMARIES.

	AMOUNT	TOTAL.
Salaries	\$70.29	
Rent & Light	40.00	
Stationery	60.86	
Postage	29.00	
Advertising	36.10	
Miscellaneous	6.35	
Total office expense		\$242.60
Field expense	\$164.64	
Field salary	<u>259.03</u>	
Total field expense		423.67
Grand total----		<u>\$666.27</u>

Pledges raised during the week \$518.70
 Total expense during the week 666.27
 Total loss----- \$147.57

Total assets Jan 27, 1917 \$18189.10
 Pledges raised ----- 518.70
 \$18707.80
 Collected----- 429.50
 \$18278.30
 Personal property \$4105.52
 Bequests----- 300.00
 \$4405.52 4405.52
 \$22683.82

Total liabilities Jan 27, 1917 \$6684.57
 Added obligations ----- 594.90
 \$7279.47
 Paid----- 676.87
 Total liabilities Feb. 3, 1917 \$6602.60
 Over draft----- 178.85
 \$6781.45

AUDITORS _____

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PROHIBITION STATE
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Monday April 2, 1917.

Those present were: Messrs. Dorsett, Nelson, Thompson, Stromme and Shields, and Mrs. Taylor and Calderwood.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report for the preceding week was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

It was moved and carried that the Committee continue to pay Mr. Calderwood's salary until the first of April, 1917.

The matter of contracting with Mr. Bryan, and some other speakers of national renown for one or more lectures during the campaign of 1918 was informally discussed. The purpose of the plan being to get these men under contract and be able to go before the people of this state, not only showing that the Committee intended to do something about securing the ratification of the amendment, but also showing that a start had already been made. It was the sense of the Committee that the matter be investigated with the view of finding out the cost.

Upon proper motion the committee adjourned.

Sec'y.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE.

Headquarters,

April 16th, 1917.

Those present were: Messrs. Dorsett, Thompson, Engle, Stromme, Nelson, and Shields, and Mrs. Calderwood and Taylor.

Mr. Thompson was elected temporary chairman.

The minutes of the preceding week were read and approved.

The financial report for the two weeks preceding was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

The matter of ordering Mr. Buhl's book on the Minnesota Legislature was discussed and it was moved and carried that we order 300 at 10¢ a copy.

It was moved and carried that the Ford automobile be sold to Mr. Dahle for \$125.

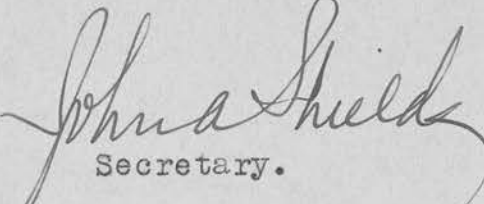
The matter of the Stoddard-Dayton automobiles was discussed informally.

The matter of our policy with regard to a federation of the temperance workers amendment campaign was discussed informally, and upon motion of Mr. Engle was made a special order for business for the next meeting.

The announcement that Mr. Stageberg and Senator Lobeck plan to work with us this summer was discussed informally.

The matter of changing the hour of meeting was taken up but no definite action was taken.

Upon proper motion the Committee adjourned.


Secretary.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

MARCH 31, 1917

PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
Geo. L. Briggs \$5.00	\$5.00	\$3.65	\$5.76
A. G. Dahle 17.93	17.93	7.16	-----
C. J. Hall 25.00	21.50	5.14	10.00
B. C. Hoyt 248.00	104.25	8.89	23.08
Harold M Kleven -----	-----	17.26	11.40
O. V. Siniff 145.00	95.50	12.92	28.84
Mail 15.00	15.00		
<u>\$455.93</u>	<u>\$259.18</u>	<u>\$55.02</u>	<u>\$79.08</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$65.61	
Postage	17.00	
Total office expense		\$82.61
Field expense	\$55.02	
Field salary	79.08	
Total field expense		\$134.10
Grand total-----		<u>\$216.71</u>
Total pledges raised during the week	\$455.93	
Total expense during the week-----	216.71	
Total gain-----	<u>\$239.22</u>	

Total assets Mar. 24, 1917	\$19119.93
Pledges raised-----	455.93
	<u>\$19575.86</u>
Collected \$660.48	
Cancelled 142.00	
	<u>\$802.48</u>
	802.48
Total assets Mar. 31, 1917	<u>\$18773.38</u>
Personal Property \$4105.52	
Bequests----- 200.00	
	<u>\$4305.52</u>
	4305.52
	<u>\$23078.90</u>

Liabilities March 24, 1917	\$7338.36
Added obligations-----	89.50
	<u>\$7427.86</u>
Paid-----	684.16
Liabilities March 31, 1917	<u>\$6743.70</u>

AUDITORS _____

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE
C O M M I T T E E.

Headquarters,

April 23rd, 1917.

Those present were: Messrs Dorsett, Thompson, Vroman, Engle, Shields, Mrs. Calderwood and Mrs. Taylor.

Mr. Thompson was elected chairman pro tem.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The financial report for the past week was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

The special order left over from last week was taken up and the matter of our relation to the proposed state dry federation was discussed at some length. It was moved and ordered that the report of the secretary concerning what he had done toward the securing of the formation of such a federation be endorsed.

It was moved and carried that until further action the regular meeting day of the Committee be set for Tuesday each week at 12:30 P. M.

The matter of disposing of the automobile in storage was discussed informally and the announcement of the secretary that he would probably find it necessary to sell it for storage charges was informally agreed upon.

The matter of the finances of the Committee was discussed at some length informally.

Upon proper motion the Committee adjourned.

S ecretary.

TRIAL BALANCE MARCH 1917

	March Balance 1917		Loss & Gain		Resources & Liab.	
	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
Present Worth	:	17841.86;	:	:	:	17841.86
Cash	40.93:	:	:	:	40.93:	:
Bank	47.72:	:	:	:	47.72:	:
Pledges	19504.29:	:	:	:	19504.29:	:
Personal Property	4201.52:	:	:	:	4201.52:	:
Bequests	200.00:	:	:	:	200.00:	:
Literature	786.15:	:	:	:	786.15:	:
Loss & Gain Plgs	:	3610.28:	:	3610.28:	:	:
Field Salary & Exp.	1650.80:	:	1650.80	:	:	:
Office " " "	716.00:	:	716.00	:	:	:
Ledger	5018.27:	10713.54:	:	:	5018.27:	10713.54
	32165.68:	32165.68:	:	:	:	:
Present Worth	:	17841.86:	:	:	:	:
Loss & Gain	:	1243.48:	1243.48	:	:	1243.48
	:	19085.34:	3610.28	3610.28	29798.88:	29798.88

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE FOUR WEEKS ENDING.

MARCH 10, 1917.

PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
W. J. Arnold	\$475.06	\$317.01	\$93.69
Geo. L. Briggs	173.50	96.00	36.47
W.G. Calderwood	481.98	57.73	61.39
C.E. Carlisle	32.25	31.25	3.20
C. J. Hall	1019.47	743.52	142.85
B. C. Hoyt	297.75	75.75	3.68
Harold M. Kleven	-----	-----	88.65
E.E. Lobeck	42.06	36.06	.80
J. A. Shields	5.05	5.05	3.58
O. V. Siniff	317.50	283.00	45.29
Tobias Smith	-----	-----	86.34
J. H. Woertendyke	503.30	295.15	64.30
	<u>\$3347.92</u>	<u>\$1940.52</u>	<u>\$630.14</u>
			<u>\$1475.00</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	Amount	Total
Salaries-----	\$219.10	
Rent & Light	42.97	
Telephone & Telegram	48.08	
Stationery	132.12	
Postage	203.00	
Advertising	46.95	
Miscellaneous	10.50	
Total office expense-----		\$702.72
Field expense	\$630.14	
Field salary	<u>1475.00</u>	
Total field expense		<u>\$2105.14</u>
Grand total-----		<u>\$2807.86</u>

Total Pledges raised during the four weeks	\$3347.92
Total expense during the four weeks-----	2807.86
Total gain-----	<u>\$ 540.06</u>

Total assets Feb. 10, 1917	\$18456.55
Pledges raised-----	3347.92
	<u>\$21804.47</u>

Collected	\$2680.29
Cancelled	65.50
	<u>\$2745.79</u>
	<u>2745.79%</u>
	<u>\$19058.68</u>

Personal Property	\$4105.52
Bequests	300.00
	<u>\$4405.52</u>
	<u>4405.52</u>
	<u>\$23464.20</u>

Total liabilities Feb. 10, 1917	\$6523.28
Added obligations	3148.79
	<u>\$9673.07</u>
Paid-----	2430.70
Total liabilities March 10, 1917	<u>\$7242.37</u>
Overdraft-----	<u>158.75</u>

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING

MARCH 17, 1917.

PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
Geo. L. Briggs	\$83.00	\$32.75	\$7.66
A. G. Dahle	18.86	17.86	8.95
W. G. Calderwood	428.00	98.00	.60
C. J. Hall	96.00	66.95	21.81
B. C. Hoyt	47.00	26.00	8.98
E. E. Lobeck	19.67	12.67	-----
J. A. Shields	-----	-----	10.07
O. V. Siniff	72.00	32.00	10.93
Tobias Smith	-----	-----	27.96
J. H. Woertendyke	165.05	90.90	45.45
	<u>\$929.58</u>	<u>\$377.13</u>	<u>\$142.41</u>
			<u>\$390.94</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY

AMOUNT	TOTAL.
Salaries	\$51.17
Telephone & Tel.	39.60
Stationery	3.00
Postage	36.00
Advertising	12.96
Miscellaneous	22.00
Total office expense	\$164.73
Field expense	\$142.41
Field salary	390.94
Total field expense	533.35
Grand total-----	<u>\$698.08</u>

Pledges raised during the week	\$929.58
Expense during the week-----	698.08
Total gain	<u>\$231.50</u>

Total assets March 10, 1917	\$19058.68
Pledges raised-----	929.58
	<u>\$19988.26</u>
Collected-----	558.33
	<u>\$19429.93</u>
Personal Property \$4105.52	
Bequests----- 200.00	
	<u>\$4205.52</u>
	<u>4205.52</u>
	<u>\$23735.45</u>

Total liabilities March 10, 1917	\$7242.37
Added obligations-----	215.87
	<u>\$7458.24</u>
Paid-----	360.44
Total liabilities March 17, 1917	<u>\$7097.80</u>
Overdraft-----	298.14
	<u>\$7395.94</u>

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING

MARCH 24, 1917

PLEDGES & COLL	Cash.	EXPENSE	SALARY
Geo. L. Briggs \$64.45	\$28.05	\$16.73	\$17.30
W. G. Calderwood 17.00	1.00	-----	34.61
C. J. Hall 274.56	188.56	31.57	70.00
B. C. Hoyt 163.50	89.50	16.98	23.08
O. V. Siniff 13.00	xx7.00	11.55	4.80
Tobias Smith -----	-----	24.96	15.00
H.H.Woertendyke 14.30	10.35	9.60	37.50
Mail 79.92	77.92		
<u>\$625.73</u>	<u>\$402.38</u>	<u>\$111.39</u>	<u>\$202.29</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$84.61	
Rent and Light	1.40	
Stationery	3.00	
Postage	56.00	
Advertising	26.25	
Miscellaneous	.75	
Total office expense		\$172.01
Field expense	\$111.39	
Field salary	202.29	
Total field expense		313.68
Grand total-----		<u>\$485.69</u>

Total pledges raised during the week \$625.73
 Total expense during the week----- 485.69
 Total gain---- \$140.04

Total assets Mar. 17, 1917 \$19429.93
 C/Pledges raised 2,98 625.73
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 935.73 935.73
 Collected \$872.98
 Canceled 62.75
\$935.73 935.73
 Total assets Mar. 24, 1917 \$19119.93
 Personal Prop \$4105.52
 Bequests 200.00
\$4305.52 4305.52
\$23425.45

Liabilities Mar. 17, 1917 \$7097.80
 Added obligations 895.00
\$7992.80
 Paid----- 654.44
 Liabilities Mar. 24, 1917 \$7338.36

AUDITORS. _____

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Headquarters,

May 1, 1917.

Those present were: Messrs. Stromme, Dorsett, Wells, Vroman, Thompson, Martin, Haggard, Nelson, Shields, and Mrs. Taylor.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report covering the past week was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

Mr. Engle's resignation from the Executive Committee was read and accepted, and his request that he be allowed to resign from the state Committee was passed over under the ruling that the Executive Committee has no authority to accept a resignation from the State Committee.

The matter of electing a chairman to fill the vacancy was left in the hands of a committee to make recommendations and report at the next meeting. The committee consists of Dr. Haggard, Mr. Dorsett, and Mr. Vroman.

Dr. Nelson was duly appointed as the representative of this Committee on the Health and Happiness Week Committee.

An auditing committee, consisting of Messrs. Thompson, Stromme and Wells, was appointed, whose function is to look into the open accounts of the Committee with a view to recommending action concerning them, and also with a view to cutting expenses, and increasing the income of the Committee wherever possible.

An informal report was made concerning the proposal of the Illinois Dry Dialogue Debate coming to Minnesota, and also re-

garding making some dates for Mrs. Viola D. Romans, both of which were left in the hands of the Secretary with the understanding that the Committee is not impressed with the advisability of such campaigns at the present time.

The statement of the cost per dollar of raising funds thru various field men was made to the Committee by the Secretary and he recommended that it be understood that a deviation of 10¢ on the dollar from a cost of 35¢ on the dollar for raising funds would be the subject of the special consideration of the Executive Committee.

Upon proper motion the Committee adjourned.

Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE EXECU-
TIVE COMMITTEE.

Tuesday, May 8th,
Headquarters.

Those present were Messrs: Haggard, Stromme, Dorsett, Thompson, Vroman, Wells, and Shields.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report of the week preceding was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

The Secretary made a special financial report covering the work of Mr. Hall since he came into the state.

The special committee appointed to recommend a chairman to succeed the chairman of the Executive Committee, recommended that Mr. Wells be elected. The matter was left over for one week. The National Committee's proposition to concentrate on certain Minnesota Congressional Districts in the election of 1918 was presented to the Committee and taken under consideration.

The matter of the automobiles at present and formerly the property of the Committee was informally discussed.

It was moved and ordered that hereafter the financial report show the pledges and collections, cash receipts, and expenses and salary of each individual field worker, totaled under the above headings.

Upon proper motion the Committee adjourned.


Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE MEETING

Headquarters,
May 15th, 1917.

Those present were: Mrs. Calderwood, Messrs. Vroman, Dorsett, Nelson, Haggard, Wells, Markve, Thompson and Shields.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report for the preceding week was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

Mr. Markve presented his resignation from this committee and it was moved and ordered that the matter be deferred until the next meeting.

Mr. Wells outlined a financial campaign for raising \$10,000 with which to liquidate the debt of the Committee, and pay the cost of raising the same. His plan in brief was to secure the conditional pledges of not less than 100 people and as many more than 100 as possible to share equally in the payment of \$10,000 not earlier than October 31, and not later than December 31, 1917. After full discussion the plan was approved by the Committee.

It was moved and ordered that the matter of a get-together of prohibitionists in the Twin Cities be looked into from the standpoint of cost, etc., and that it be brought up for consideration at the next meeting.

Upon proper motion the Committee adjourned.

Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
MEETING

Tuesday, May 22nd.
Headquarters.

Those present were: Mrs. Taylor, Messrs. Stromme, Haggard, Nelson, Thompson, Wells and Shields.

Dr. Nelson was elected chairman protem.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The financial report for the preceding week was read and referred to the auditing Committee under the rules.

It was moved and carried that the resignation of Mr. Markve from this Committee be accepted.

No action having been taken on the report of the Committee on chairmanship the matter was re-committed to the same Committee.

It was moved and ordered that the chair appoint the secretary and two others to act as a committee to work out a picnic plan, and a war slogan for the field workers and others. The chair appointed, in addition to the Secretary, Messrs. Wells, and Stromme.

After informal discussion of several topics, the Committee adjourned.


Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
MEETING

May 29, 1917.

Headquarters.

Those present were Mrs. Taylor, Messrs. Haggard, Thompson, Dorsett, Vroman, Wells and Shields.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

The financial report for the past week was read and referred to the Auditing Committee under the rules.

Mr. Wells made an informal report of his progress on the proposition of securing 100 men to pledge \$100 each.

It was moved and ordered that we request Mr. C. J. Buell to give us an honorable discharge from the obligations of our order for 300 copies of "The Minnesota Legislature of 1917."

Several other matters were discussed informally, after which the Committee upon proper motion adjourned.

Secretary.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING

APRIL 28, 1917.

	PLEDGES & COLL	CASH	EXPENSE	SALARY.
Geo. L. Briggs	\$26.00	\$1.00	\$2.45	\$17.30
C. J. Hall	119.50	97.50	26.05	80.00
B. C. Hoyt	24.00	3.00	3.42	15.36
E. E. Lobeck	63.20	43.20	6.20	12.50
L. S. Siniff	53.50	17.50	14.76	17.30
O. V. Siniff	91.00	59.00	18.54	28.84
Pierre A. Vilain	-----	-----	22.35	12.50
Mail	72.00	47.75		
	<u>\$449.20</u>	<u>\$268.95</u>	<u>\$93.77</u>	<u>\$183.80</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$80.61	
Telephone & Tel	6.17	
Stationery	15.99	
Postage	43.00	
Advertising	60.00	
Total office expense		<u>\$205.77</u>

Field expense	\$93.77	
Field salary	183.80	
Total field expense		<u>277.57</u>
Grand total-----		<u>\$483.34</u>

Total pledges raised during the week	\$449.20
Total expense during the week-----	<u>483.34</u>
Total loss-----	<u>\$ 34.14</u>

Total assets April 21, 1917	\$18601.83
Pledges raised-----	<u>449.20</u>
	<u>\$19051.03</u>

Collected	\$470.20
Cancelled	<u>141.50</u>
	<u>\$611.70</u>
Total assets April 28, 1917	<u>\$18439.33</u>

Personal property	\$3906.97
Bequests	<u>200.00</u>
	<u>\$4106.97</u>
	<u>\$22546.30</u>

Total liabilities April 21, 1917	\$6625.21
Added obligations-----	<u>641.00</u>
	<u>\$7266.21</u>
Paid-----	<u>817.35</u>
Total liabilities April 28, 1917	<u>\$6448.86</u>
Overdraft-----	<u>371.93</u>
	<u>\$6820.79</u>

TRIAL BALANCE APRIL 1917

	April Balance 1917		Loss & Gain		Resources & Liab.	
	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
Present Worth		19085.34				19085.34
Cash	37.53				37.53	
Bank		233.32				233.32
Pledges	19661.84				19661.84	
Personal Property	3906.97				3906.97	
Bequests	200.00				200.00	
Literature	786.15				786.15	
Loss & Gain Plgs		2230.11		2230.11		
Field Salary & Expense	1276.16		1276.16			
Office " " "	736.27		736.27			
Ledger	5152.53	10208.68			5152.53	10208.68
	31757.45	31757.45				
Present Worth		19085.34				
Loss & Gain		217.68	217.68			217.68
			19303.02	2230.11:2230.11:29745.02:		29745.02

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

APRIL 7, 1917.

PLEDGES & COLL	CASH	EXPENSE	SALARY
Geol L. Briggs \$10.00	\$20.00	\$8.50	\$2.88
A. G. Dahle 77.36	20.51	15.85	17.30
Chas. J. Hall 29.00	16.50	5.58	10.00
B. C. Hoyt 85.00	33.00	10.58	23.08
Harold M. Kleven -----	-----	4.84	10.75
J. A. Shields 19.60	19.60	15.58	34.61
O. V. Siniff 110.00	42.50	17.30	28.84
Mail 141.30	87.30		
<u>\$472.26</u>	<u>\$239.41</u>	<u>\$78.23</u>	<u>\$127.46</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$37.00	
Rent	40.00	
Stationery	5.00	
Postage	46.00	
Advertising	7.35	
Total office expense		\$135.35
Field expense	\$78.23	
Field salary	127.46	
Total field expense		205.69
Grand total-----		<u>\$341.04</u>

Total pledges raised during the week \$472.26
 Total expense during the week 341.04
 Total gain----- \$131.22

Total assets March 31, 1917 \$18773.38
 Pledges raised----- 472.26
\$19245.64
 Collected----- 691.66
 Total assets April 7, 1917 \$18553.98

Personal Property \$4184.02
 Bequests 200.00
\$4384.02 4384.02
\$22938.00

Total liabilities March 31, 1917 \$6743.70
 Added obligations----- 113.50
\$6857.20
 Paid----- 262.18
 Total liabilities April 7, 1917 \$6595.02

AUDITORS _____

FINANCIAL RPEORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

APRIL 14, 1917.

PLEDGES & COLL.		CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
Geo. L. Briggs	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$1.15	\$2.88
A. G. Dahle	10.00	4.00	3.25	2.88
Chas. J. Hall	112.00	87.35	19.31	40.00
B. C. Hoyt	219.25	71.75	20.36	23.08
Harold M. Kleven	-----	-----	7.53	9.60
L. S. Siniff	173.00	57.50	31.73	25.94
O. V. Siniff	44.00	22.50	11.14	28.84
Mail	54.00	41.50		
	<u>\$614.25</u>	<u>\$286.60</u>	<u>\$94.47</u>	<u>\$133.22</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$71.61	
Rent & Light	195	
Stationery	11.56	
Postage	15.00	
Miscellaneous	8.00	
Total office expense	-----	\$107.12
Field expense	\$94.47	
Field salary	133.22	
Total field expense	-----	\$227.69
Grand total	-----	\$334.81

Total pledges raised during the week	\$614.25
Total expense during the week-----	334.81
Total gain-----	<u>\$279.44</u>

Total assets April 7, 1917	\$18553.98
Pledged raised during week	614.25
	<u>\$19168.23</u>

Collected	\$528.35
Canceled	123.55
	<u>\$651.90</u>
Total assets April 14, 1917	<u>\$18516.33</u>

Personal Prop.	\$4201.52
Bequests	200.00
	<u>\$4401.52</u>
	<u>4401.52</u>
	<u>\$22917.85</u>

Total liabilities April 7, 1917	\$6595.02
Added obligations-----	3705.14
	<u>\$10300.16</u>
Paid-----	3678.07
Total liabilities Apr., 4, 1917	<u>\$6622.09</u>

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

APRIL 21, 1917.

	PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
Geo. L. Briggs	\$67.00	\$48.00	\$5.10	\$17.30
C. J. Hall	118.35	79.60	29.22	70.00
B. C. Hoyt	143.00	83.00	11.11	23.08
L. S. Siniff	104.50	20.50	32.14	17.30
O. V. Siniff	137.50	81.00	32.88	28.84
P. A. Vilain	-----	21.00	13.93	10.50
	<u>\$570.35</u>	<u>\$312.10</u>	<u>\$114.38</u>	<u>\$167.02</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$70.61	
Rent & Light	1.09	
Telephone & Tel.	37.50	
Stationery	39.98	
Postage	36.00	
Miscellaneous	21.00	
Total office expense		\$206.18
Field expense	\$114.38	
Field salary	167.02	
Total field expense		281.40
Grand total-----		<u>\$487.58</u>

Total pledges raised during the week \$570.35
 Total expense during the week----- 487.58
 Total gain \$ 82.77

Total assets april 14, 1917 \$18516.33
 Pledges raised----- 570.35
\$19086.68
 Collected----- 484.85
 Total assets April 21, 1917 \$18 601.83

Personal Property \$42.01.52
 Bequests 200.00
\$4401.52 4401.52
\$23003.35

Total liabilities April 14, 1917 \$6622.09
 Added obligations----- 186.48
\$6808.57
 Paid----- 183.36
 Total liabilities April 21, 1917 \$6625.21

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[June 5, 12, 19, 26, 1917]

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

June 5, 1917.
Headquarters.

Those present were: Mrs. Taylor, Messrs. Dorsett, Nelson, Thompson, Wells, Leffler, Shields. Visiting were: Messrs. Kleven and Buell.

Mr. Dorsett was elected chairman protem.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

The financial report for the week last preceding was read and referred to the Auditing Committee under the rules.

A special financial report, covering the work of the various field men for the past three months, showing the cost of raising funds, was presented.

Mr. Buell presented his views with reference to the book on the Minnesota Legislature, and the matter of whether or not it would be advisable for this Committee to cancel its order was discussed at some length. Mr. Buell finally stated that he would absolve the Committee from taking the books ordered, if so desired. The matter was left with the understanding that the Committee pay for the books so far used, and that the others be returned to Mr. Buell.

The matter of the chairmanship of the Executive Committee was informally discussed.

The law relating to the application of the Reed-Randall

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measure to the state of Minnesota was discussed at some length; and also the law relating to the new definition of the word "credits" was gone into informally.

Messrs. Wells and Shields, Miss Crosman and Mrs. Taylor, were appointed as a Committee to handle the matter of a silver wedding anniversary present for Mr. and Mrs. Calderwood.

Upon proper motion the Committee adjourned.

Secretary.

FIELD MEN SUMMARIES.

MAY

	Cash & Pledges	Cost, Sal. & Exp.	Cost per Dollar
George L. Briggs	204.05	81.07	.39
Chas. J. Hall	610.10	390.47	.64
B. C. Hoyt	625.35	156.23	.25
E. E. Lobeck	823.04	258.08	.32
L. S. Siniff	465.50	153.98	.33
O. V. Siniff	489.50	180.68	.37
George F. Wells	427.00	139.21	.32

	March	April	May	Average
Geo.L. Briggs	.485	.44	.39	.438
Charles J. Hall	.38	.79	.64	.60
B. C. Hoyt	.23	.28	.25	.25.3
E.E.Lobeck	.--	.--	.32	.32
L. S. Siniff	.--	.41	.33	.37
O. V. Siniff	.34	.55	.37	.42
George F. Wells	.--	.--	.32	.32

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

June 12, 1917.
Headquarters.

Those present were: Messrs. Stromme, Wells, Nelson, Dorsett, Vroman, Shields, Mrs. Taylor, and Mrs. Calderwood; visiting:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

The financial report covering the preceding week was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

The special auditing committee made its report covering certain accounts due to the Committee, a list of which is attached hereto. It was moved and ordered that these accounts be charged off, and the total amount, \$511.98, be closed on our books.

It was moved and ordered that a letter be sent to selected names on our list urging the necessity of at once sending letters and petitions to the president, and Congress asking favorable action on the question of National Prohibition, and laying special stress upon our opposition to prohibiting merely the manufacture and sale of spiritous liquors. Not more than \$25 is to be used for postage in connection with this letter.

It was also moved and ordered that a copy of the letter above referred to be sent to the leaders of the W. C. T. U., the I. O. G. T., the Young Peoples Society, and similar organizations with the request that they carry on similar campaigns amongst their people to secure petitions

The matter of what should be done with reference to attacking the tax proposition included in Chapter 130 of the 1917 Session laws, was informally discussed and left for future consideration.

The matter of the chairmanship was again brought up and the committee requested that it be postponed for another week.

Upon proper motion the Committee adjourned.

Secretary.

The special Auditing Committee appointed to investigate the accounts receivable, and to report thereon, made the following report at the regular meeting of the Prohibition State Executive Committee, June 12th:

"We recommend that the following items, representing amounts due the Prohibition State Committee be cancelled and that the accounts be balanced on our books."

Everett Baker, fieldman	\$ 27.16
Rev. H. J. Burgstahler, fieldman	1.26
The Clarions	6.58
Goodhue County Comm.	20.05
C. L. Johnson (work)	248.67
J. H. Morse (work)	131.37
Robert W. Nesmith, fieldman (7th Dis)	26.67
W. A. Rice	<u>60.22</u>
	\$511.98

Upon proper motion it was ordered that these accounts be cancelled and the books balanced.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

June 19, 1917.
Headquarters.

Those present were: Messrs. Dorsett, Stromme, Thompson, Vroman, Shields and Mrs. Taylor.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

The financial report covering the preceding week was read and referred to the auditing committee under the rules.

No formal business was done. The financial situation was somewhat reviewed, the matter of Miss Wintringer coming to Minnesota was discussed, and the action of the Secretary regarding it approved, and the tax situation in the state was reviewed.

The Secretary informally reported on the progress of the matter of securing the Post Office Department order, closing the mails to liquor advertising and solicitation for liquor orders, addressed to dry points in Minnesota.


Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

MEETING

Tuesday, June 26th, -17.

Those present were: Messrs. Wells, Thompson, Vroman, Dorsett and Shields.

Upon proper motion Mr. Wells was elected chairman pro-tem.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The reading of the financial report was postponed on account of ~~its not being ready~~ *sickness of B.K.*

It was moved and ordered that we inform the National Committee that so far as we can now see we are favorable to a Congressional campaign for the election of Bert Wheeler to Congress.

It was moved and ordered that the name of John A. Shields, Secretary, be substituted for the name of W. G. Calderwood, Chairman on the checks of the Committee.

The financial situation was informally discussed. Announcement was made that we will have fourth of July speakers at Wanamingo, St. Francis, Greenbush and perhaps other points.

On proper motion the Committee adjourned.

Secretary.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

MAY 26, 1917.

	PLEDGES & COLL.	SALARY & EXPENSE	CASH.
Geo. L. Briggs	\$-----	\$5.13	\$8.00
Chas. J. Hall	152.70	75.41	114.70
B. C. Hoyt	203.35	28.84	93.35
F. Kavli	6.00	-----	12.00
E. E. Lobeck	286.45	104.68	187.45
L. S. Siniff	96.00	32.68	72.50
O. V. Siniff	95.00	53.31	81.00
Pierre A. Vilian	-----	38.00	-----
Geo. F. Wells	225.00	35.51	152.00
Mail	29.00	-----	24.00
	<u>\$1093.50</u>	<u>\$373.56</u>	<u>\$745.00</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	AMOUNT	TOTAL.
Salaries	\$80.61	
Rent & Light	.55	
Telephone & Tel.	1.55	
Stationery	10.09	
Postage	33.00	
Advertising	2.20	
Miscellaneous	2.00	
Total office expense		\$130.00
Total field expense		373.56
Grand total-----		<u>\$503.56</u>

Total pledges raised during the week \$1093.50
 Total expense during the week----- 503.56
 Total gain----- \$ 589.94

Total assets May 19, 1917 \$18740.33
 Pledges raised----- 1093.50
\$19833.83
 Collected----- 609.56
 Total assets May 26, 1917-- \$19224.27

Personal Prop. \$3156.97
 Bequests----- 200.00
\$3356.97
3356.97
\$22581.24

Total liabilities May 19, 1917 \$6605.19
 Added obligations----- 202.20
\$6807.39
 Paid----- 151.80
 Total liabilities May 26, 1917 \$6655.59
 Overdraft----- 183.39
\$6838.98

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TRIAL BALANCE MAY 1917

	May balance 1917			Loss & Gain			Resources & Liab.	
	DR.	CR.		DR.	CR.		DR.	CR.
	:	:		:	:		:	:
Present Worth		: 19303.02:		:	:		:	: 19303.02
Cash	24.81 :	:		:	:		: 24.81 :	
Bank		: 145.01:		:	:		:	: 145.01
Pledges	20703.39 :	:		:	:		:20703.09 :	
Personal Property	3156.97 :	:		:	:		: 3156.97 :	
Bequests	200.00 :	:		:	:		:: 200.00 :	
Literature	794.65 :	:		:	:		: 794.65 :	
Loss & Gain Plgs.		: 3824.73:		:	: 3824.73:		:	
Field Sal & Exp,	1777.54 :	:	:1777.54 :	:	:		:	
Office " " "	470.40 :	:	: 470.40 :	:	:		:	
Ledger	5878.48 :	9733.48:		:	:		: 5878.48:	9733.34
	33006.24 :	33006.24:		:	:		:	
	:	:		:	:		:	
Present Worth		: 19303.02		:	:		::	:
	:	:		:	:		:	:
Loss & Gain		: 1576.79	1576.79	:	:		:	: 1576.79
	:	:	:	:	:		:	:
	:	: 20879.81:	3824.73 :	:	: 3824.73:	30758.00 :	:	: 30758.00

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING
MAY 11, 1918.

	<u>Pledges & Coll.</u>	<u>Salary & Expenses</u>	<u>Cash.</u>
H. L. Castle	\$ 60.75	\$ 116.20	\$ 52.75
A.H. Cross		28.57	
E. L. Darley	15.00	31.91	15.00
C. J. Hall	263.25	132.32	200.25
B. C. Hoyt	295.50	43.76	163.00
E. E. Lobeck	128.10	30.72	64.10
W. G. Mergener		41.41	
G. O. Parish	85.50	67.45	53.50
H. H. Parish	100.51	64.94	62.51
C. E. Price		35.00	
Claude Spicer	38.00	17.13	14.00
C. C. Taylor	328.00	57.50	88.50
Geo. F. Wells	216.50	46.15	98.00
J. J. Wittrup		39.53	
	<u>\$1,531.11</u>	<u>\$ 752.59</u>	<u>\$811.61</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY

Salaries	\$ 127.00	
Light and Rent	41.00	
Postage	54.00	
Misc.	.25	
	<u>\$ 222.25</u>	
Total Office Expense-----		\$ 222.25
Total Field Expense-----		\$ 752.59
Addl. Field Ex. paid thru off.		\$.50
		<u>\$ 975.34</u>

Total Pledges raised during week	\$1,531.11
Total Expenses During Week-----	975.34
Total Gain-----	<u>\$ 555.77</u>

Total Assets May 4, 1918-----	\$28,963.02
Pledges Raised-----	1,531.11
	<u>\$30,494.13</u>
Collected-----	1,075.21
	<u>\$29,418.92</u>

Personal Property	\$ 3196.97	
Notes Receivable	400.00	
Bequests	200.00	
	<u>3,796.97</u>	
	<u>\$33,215.89</u>	

Obligations May 4, 1918	580.97
Added Obligations	
Paid Obligations	<u>41.00</u>
	<u>\$539.97</u>
Cash on Hand	\$ 59.08
Bank Balance	528.56
	<u>\$ 587.64</u>

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING

MAY 5, 1917.

	PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
Geo. L. Briggs	\$72.00	\$14.50	\$8.93	\$17.30
C. J. Hall	73.95	39.95	40.08	60.00
B. C. Hoyt	113.50	31.50	16.57	25.39
L. S. Siniff	87.50	44.00	23.31	17.30
O. V. Siniff	128.00	76.00	12.35	28.84
P. A. Vilain	-----	-----	20.74	12.50
Geo. F. Wells	30.00	25.00	-----	34.61
	<u>\$504.95</u>	<u>\$230.95</u>	<u>\$121.98</u>	<u>\$195.94</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$80.61	
Rent & Light	57.00	
Stationery	43.10	
Postage	18.00	
Advertising	19.10	
Total office expense		\$217.81
Field expense	\$121.98	
Field salary	195.94	
Total field expense		317.92
Grand total-----		<u>\$535.73</u>

Total expenses during the week	\$535.73
Total pledges during the week	504.95
Total loss	<u>\$ 30.78</u>

Total assets April 28, 1917	\$18439.33
Pledges raised-----	504.95
	<u>\$18944.28</u>
Collected-----	455.20
Total assets May 5, 1917----	<u>\$18489.08</u>

Personal Prop.	\$3906.97
Bequests	200.00
	<u>\$4106.97</u>
	4106.97
	<u>\$22596.05</u>

Total liabilities April 28, 1917	\$6448.85
Added obligations-----	2866.01
	<u>\$9314.86</u>
Paid-----	2387.28
Total liabilities May 5, 1917	<u>\$6927.58</u>
Overdraft -----	111.42
	<u>\$7039.00</u>

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

MAY 12, 1917.

	PLEDGES & COLL.	CASH.	EXPENSE	SALARY.
Geo. L. Briggs	\$34.00	\$38.00	\$7.10	\$17.30
Chas. J. Hall	177.70	123.70	20.68	80.00
B. C. Hoyt	87.00	45.00	20.11	25.39
L. S. Siniff	112.00	79.00	24.26	17.30
O. V. Siniff	93.00	47.50	12.76	28.84
P. A. Vilain	-----	-----	17.94	12.50
Geo. F. Wells	62.00	16.50	.65	34.61
Mail	37.25	37.25		
	<u>\$602.95</u>	<u>\$386.95</u>	<u>\$103.50</u>	<u>\$215.94</u>
			Field exp.	103.50
			Total	<u>\$319.44</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY.

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$80.61	
Rent & Light	.95	
Telephone & Tel.	.40	
Stationery	6.00	
Postage	26.00	
Total office expense		\$113.96
Field expense	\$103.50	
Field salary	215.94	
Total field expense		319.44
Grand total-----		<u>\$433.40</u>

Total pledges raised during the week	\$602.95
Total expense during the week-----	433.40
Total gain-----	<u>\$169.55</u>

Total assets May 5, 1917	\$18489.08
Pledges raised-----	602.95
	<u>\$19092.03</u>
Collected-----	502.20
Total assets May 12, 1917.	<u>\$18589.83</u>

Personal property	\$3906.97
Bequests	200.00
	<u>\$4106.97</u>
	4106.97
	<u>\$22696.80</u>

Total liabilities May 5, 1917	\$6927.58
Added obligations-----	14.00
	<u>\$6941.58</u>
Paid-----	180.92
Total liabilities May 12, 1917	<u>\$6760.66</u>
Overdraft-----	219.94
	<u>\$6980.60</u>

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING.

May 19, 1917.

PLEDGES & COLL.	SALARY & EXPENSE	CASH.
Geo. L. Briggs \$46.50	\$22.72	\$16.00
Chas. H. Hall 113.10	66.11	80.10
B. C. Hoyt 211.50	29.09	91.50
E. E. Lobeck 272.28	74.56	138.28
L. S. Siniff 123.00	37.87	65.50
O. V. Siniff 65.50	41.51	51.50
P. A. Vilain -----	36.04	-----
Geo. F. Wells 15.00	34.61	-8.59
Office & Mail 90.49	-----	75.49
<u>\$937.37</u>	<u>\$342.51</u>	<u>\$526.87</u>

OFFICE SUMMARY

	Amount	Total
Salaries	\$80.61	
Telephone & Tel.	16.40	
Stationery	8.00	
Postage	27.00	
Miscellaneous	10.65	
Total office expense		\$142.66
Total field expense		342.51
Grand total-----		<u>\$485.17</u>

Total pledges raised during the week \$937.37
 Total expense during the week----- 485.17
 Total gain----- \$452.10

Total assets May 12, 1917 \$18589.83
 Pledges raised----- 937.37
\$19527.20
 Collected \$688.87
 Cancelled 98.00
\$786.87 786.87
 Total assets May 19, 1917---- \$18740.33

Personal Prop. \$3156.97
 Bequests 200.00
\$3356.97 3356.97
\$22097.30

Total liabilities May 12, 1917 \$6760.66
 Added obligations----- 421.27
\$7181.93
 Paid----- 576.74
 Total liabilities May 19, 1917 \$6605.19
 Overdraft----- 245.87
\$6851.06

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