

MINUTES OF THE INTERNATIONAL CLUB ASSOCIATION MEETING

Wednesday, April 22, 1931, 1 P. M.

Meeting called for Wednesday, April 15, adjourned for lack of quorum.

Present April 22: Dr. Morris, Dean Faville, Dr. Mez, Dr. Rebec, Mr. Ager, Dr. Smith, Mr. Tillman, Mr. Outhank, Mr. Markewitz, Mr. Robert Robinson.

Mr. Markewitz reported briefly on the financial status of the house, indicating that after taxes for the year, rent in full, and the loan secured from the Rotary Club early in the autumn are paid off and assuming that the present membership of the house pay in full for the rest of the year, there will be a deficit of \$90.00 at the end of the year. Against this the house has purchased and received from various sources property estimated at approximately \$900.00, two or three hundred dollars worth of which was purchased out of current income during the present year. Expenses for repairs and improvements and additional equipment needed for another year are estimated at from \$100.00 to \$200.00. It was recalled that the gift of \$1000.00 for rent and expenses from Mrs. Warner this year was for one year only and will not be available for the next year. It was evident, therefore, that there would be needed approximately \$300.00 to cover the deficit at the end of the year and capital expense in the fall and that crediting approximately \$300.00 capital expense for the present year against the \$1000.00 advanced by Mrs. Warner approximately \$700.00 in addition to current expense at the present level will be needed to finance the house for the next year.

At this point there was extended discussion of various aspects of the Club and its activities and its prospects for next year. Dr. Smith, president of the Eugene Rotary Club, and Mr. Tillman, past president, reported in the interest of Rotary and gave assurance that if it were desired to continue the Club that Rotary would give definite assurance of assistance for the local club and would endeavor to secure aid from other clubs in this district but that if the Club were discontinued Rotary would turn to an endeavor to secure support for scholarships for foreign students coming from Japan and China, scholars to be selected by Rotary Clubs of these countries. Dr. Rebec, owner of the house occupied by the International Club this year, generously offered to take whatever risk were involved in collection of rent next year by way of helping toward assuring the continuance of the organization on the University campus. Possibility of securing financial aid from the Portland International Club was discussed but because of the present economic situation was considered not promising at present. The shortage of European students; the possibility of a higher non-resident fee; recruiting members for the house, both regular resident and for meals only; arrangements for sponsoring the group; were all discussed freely in connection with plans for next year.

Motion was made by Dr. Mez, seconded by Dr. Smith, and carried

That the appreciation of the trustees be expressed to Professor and Mrs. Tuttle for their generous and effective service as sponsors of the group and that upon the recommendation of the student members of the group present assurance be given them of the desire of the trustees that they continue this relationship next year provided plans can be worked out to continue the club.

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Mr. Markewitz reported briefly on the financial status of the house, indicating that after taxes for the year, rent in fall, and the loan secured from the Rotary Club early in the autumn are paid off and assuming that the present membership of the house pay in fall for the rest of the year, there will be a deficit of \$80.00 at the end of the year. Against this the house has purchased and received from various sources property estimated at approximately \$900.00, two or three hundred dollars worth of which was purchased out of current income during the present year. Expenses for repairs and improvements and additional equipment needed for another year are estimated at from \$100.00 to \$200.00. It was recalled that the gift of \$1000.00 for rent and expenses from Mrs. Warner this year was for one year only and will not be available for the next year. It was evident, therefore, that there would be needed approximately \$300.00 to cover the deficit at the end of the year and capital expense in the fall and that existing approximately \$200.00 capital expense for the present year against the \$1000.00 advanced by Mrs. Warner approximately \$700.00 in addition to current expense at the present level will be needed to finance the house for the next year.

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Motion was made by Dr. Hess, seconded by Dr. Smith, and carried.

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rent from five to eight dollars and from seven to ten dollars respectively. Consensus of opinion favored this provided adjustments could be made in cases where it is impossible to meet this scale. Moved by Dr. Men and carried

That a committee be appointed to confer with Dr. Rebec with regard to arrangements for the house for next year on a basis practicable with the limitations of the budget.

The chairman appointed the following committee with authority to make a tentative agreement: Dr. Morris, Mr. Tillman, Mr. Ager.

Moved by Dr. Smith and carried

That a committee be appointed to confer with the International Club of Portland with a view to securing assistance from this organization.

Moved by Dr. Smith and carried

That it be agreed to go ahead with plans for next year provided an adjustment as to rent practicable within the budget of normal income from the house with fair estimates of receipts from gifts, can be worked out with Dr. Rebec and that Mr. Tillman be authorized to make a proposition to Rotary Clubs in this district on this basis.

Meeting adjourned.

Karl W. Onthank, Secretary.

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Meeting adjourned.

Karl W. Gathank, Secretary.

