

BARNARD E. BEE CHAPTER  
UNITED DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY  
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Proceedings of the meetings of the Barnard E. Bee Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, San Antonio, Texas, including lists of members, coding keys, and treasurer's reports.



Minute Book of  
Barbara E. Bee Chapter  
United Daughters of Confederacy  
San Antonio, Texas.  
January 1905.



Jan 7- 1908.

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The regular meeting of the Barnard  
C. D. Chapter V. D. C. was held  
at the residence of the president Mrs  
J. D. Quinn. 25 members present.

Meeting called to order pres.  
at 4 P. M.

Opening prayer lead by Mrs Spence  
Minutes of previous meeting  
read and approved as read.

### Financial Business

#### Report of Treasurer.

D. Bal on hand at last meeting \$158.36.  
Dues collected at last meeting

Mrs C. E. Channing	2.00
Mrs Traylor	1.00
Mrs Dunlap	1.00
Mrs Schmitt	1.00
Mrs Wister	3.00
Mrs Kirkpatrick	1.00
Mrs Foster	1.00
Total	\$168.36

#### Disbursements since last meeting

To Mrs Molly Seamore	\$2.50
Traveller for flowers	1.75
Mrs Jones	4.00
Mrs Housman	4.00
Total	12.25

#### Bal in bank

\$156.11

#### Bills presented

To Mrs Quinn drayage on salary	\$2.00
R. Moore groceries for Mrs Langford	2.00
Holland for coffee used at Reception	1.00
Bakery " cake " " " "	.80
Post cost unit on dishes & crock	1.85



House for flowers \$4.00  
 Motion made and carried that these bills be allowed.

Communications  
 Letter from Mrs. Hester in which she sends \$3.00 the amt of her dues to date & asks for a with drawal card.

After a discussion in which it was reported that this decision of Mrs. Hester was final, a motion was by made by Mrs. Baugh and 2nd that the request be granted. Carried.

Corresponding Secretary to notify her of same.

Letter received from Mrs. Loney in which she sends her monthly donation of one dollar for the home.

Register reports having sent 5 blanks since last meeting.

Names presented for membership

Mrs. Baugh presented the name of Mrs. Brand, who comes on transfer from Dixie Chapter Cal. Mrs. Brand being present was duly welcomed by the chapter, but as she has not yet received her transfer card her name was not acted upon.

Other names for membership were Mrs. Joseph Sheller presented by Mrs. Riley, Mrs. W. R. Crolich " " Mrs. Halton. Mrs. Crouch has transfer from Stone Port Chapter.

Mrs. Jordan on behalf of Mrs. Coppini presented to the Chapter the bust of

President Jefferson Davis, General R. E. Lee, Jackson, and Albert Sidney Johnston.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Coppini be given a rising vote of thanks for his magnificent gift.

Mrs. Coppini wishing a letter of introduction to the U. D. C. of Kentucky a motion was made by Mrs. Riley 2d Mrs. Baugh that the request be granted. Carried. Cor. Sec. to attend to same.

Mrs. Guinn having notified the Chapter that she can not keep the busts as they require so much room it was decided to place them in the Olney or some other secure place until we could make other arrangements.

The Chapter for the past two years having met at the home of our president Mrs. J. D. Guinn. I feel that to continue to do so would be imposing on the cordial hospitality that has been extended to us not only at our business meetings but for all public affairs given by the Chapter.

Motion made by Mrs. Cotton 2d Mrs. Halton that in the future we meet in a hall. Carried.

Committee appointed to secure all Mesdames Cotton, Riley, Taylor and Jordan.

Mrs. Rowles presented to the Chapter a calendar on Confederate History.



At the suggestion of Mrs Bangs the meeting adjourned in respect to memory of our deceased members.

Miss Emma East & Mrs Laura Mitchell. Mrs Northrup and Spencer to draw resolutions of sympathy to their families.

Dues received at this meeting

Mrs Laura Reddock Wood	\$1.10
Miss Lala Ruth Quinn	2.00
Mrs J. D. Quinn	1.00
Mrs L. Spencer	1.00
Mrs Dunlap initiation fee	.10
Total receipt of meeting	5.20

Mrs J. A. Shirley  
Secretary

Jan 21- 1908.

The regular meeting of the Barnard E. Free Chapter W. D. C. was held at the residence of the president Mrs Quinn who called the meeting to order at 3:30 P. M. 20 members present.

Prayer led by Mrs Northrup.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

Financial Business

Bal in bank at last meeting	\$146.11
Disbursements since	"
To Mrs Bangs for Obligation Department	1.00
All bills paid on at last meeting	12.15
Total	\$13.15
Bal in Bank	\$145.16

Bills presented

Mrs Shirley for application blanks	\$1.00
" " minute book	.85
Mrs E. L. Halton stamps used 1907	1.00
Mrs Mc Clannahan refreshments for reception	4.90
Total	\$7.75

Moved and carried that these bills be allowed.

Dues received at this meeting

Mrs Mildred Brand	\$1.00
Mrs L. Chamberlain	1.00
Mrs M. Jeffries	1.00
Mrs L. H. Moss	1.00
Total receipt of meeting	\$4.00

Report of committees.

Mrs Jordan chairman of musical to be given report that the Veterans do not care to join us in giving the drill if Mrs McLean is allowed any of the proceeds. The submission of call present being that this was unjust a committee was appointed to again interview the Veterans.

Mrs Piley, Jordan, Northrup and Rayton Committee appointed.

Report of Cemetery Committee.

Mrs Piley reports that on account of lack of funds no work has been done.

Report of Hall Committee.  
As yet no hall secured.

Communications

Card received from Mrs Ogans soliciting for her book.



Motion made by Mrs Northrup & Mrs Gayton that the Chapter buy one of her books price \$1.50 Carried.

Letter received from Mrs Hughes of Cordoba Mex sending her application blank and requests that we send a blank for her daughter.

Letter received from Miss Daffin in which she requests Mrs Guinn to act as chairman of the Text Book.

Moved and carried that Mrs Guinn accept same.

Motion made and carried that Mrs McClannahan be given a note of thanks for her hospitality on Lis birthday celebration.

Motioned and carried that with Mrs Turkeys permission a tea be given at her home.

Mrs Northrup reports that Mrs Franklin is blind lady in destitute condition on Flavel Street.

Note of thanks received from Mrs H. Mannum and Miss Lenora Mitchell for sympathizing with them in recent bereavement.

Letter read from Mrs Walker of San Francisco in which she introduces Mrs C. W. Grand.

It was decided to organize a choir to sing the Lutheran Songs.

The literary programme was as follows.

Mrs M. C. Jordan recited two original poems.

Miss Mitchell and Miss Guinn played instrumental selections.

Mrs Northrup read Father Ryan's "The Old Year and the New."

The Chapter sang "Divine" in chorus.

Mrs J. A. Shirley  
Secretary

At a meeting of the U. D. C. held on Jan 7. 08 the Chapter adopted the following Resolutions.

Whereas, under the dispensation of Divine Providence, the members of Barnard E. Dix Chapter are called upon to mourn the loss of a beloved co-worker and Charter member of the organization Mrs Laura Mitchell, be it Resolved that we, the members of the Chapter express our profound sorrow for the death of our this sainted widow of a gallant Confederate officer, who was ever loyal to the Southern Cause.

Resolved that we extend to the bereaved family our deepest sympathy; their grief is our grief, and their affliction is our affliction.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the sorrowing family, and that a copy be recorded in the minutes of the Chapter.

Mrs J. D. Guinn  
Mrs R. H. Northrup  
Committee. Mrs C. O. Spenser.



Feb 4, 1908.

The regular meeting of the Forward & Love Chapter W.D.C. was held at the residence of the president Mrs. J. D. Quinn, who called the meeting to order at 3:30 P.M.

Fifteen members present.

Prayer led by Mrs. Northrup.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

### Financial Business.

The treasurer being absent her report was read by Mrs. B. B. Brough.

Dues received at last meeting.

Mrs. Preston	\$4.00
Mrs. L. H. Moss	1.00
Mrs. Lee Chamberlain	1.00
Mrs. M. Jeffries	1.00
Mrs. M. B. Brough	1.00
Miss Sheldon	1.00
Total	\$6.00

Mrs. A. C. Hughes paid dues in 1907.

Mrs. A. W. Houston paid \$2.50 which was for Mrs. Lee's burial.

Disbursements since last meeting.

To Mrs. Shirley for minute book and application blanks	\$1.55
" Mrs. Dalton for stamps	1.00
" Mrs. Northrup "	1.00
" Mrs. McClannahan for refreshments for Lu reception	4.90
" Mrs. Brough for charity	2.50
" Mrs. Moore	4.00
" Mrs. Dixon	4.00

To 7/10 Jones

\$2.00

Balancing bank \$137.20

A bill due Mrs. Cotton for punch served at bazar reported amt \$6.85

Mrs. Kirkpatrick presents bill from Dubing for fruit at Coppeni reception amt \$2.15

Moved and carried that these bills be allowed.

Moved and carried that Mrs. Quinn be allowed the \$2.50 which she sent to Mr. & Mrs. Portman.

Moved and carried that Mrs. Cotton be credited \$1.00 dues.

### Communications

Invitation received from Chapter in Houston to the unveiling of monument.

Letter from Mrs. Nunn requesting that Mrs. Quinn act on Textbook Committee.

Invitation from Luther T. Hare Camp no. 1. United Spanish War Veterans requesting our presence at their installation of officers.

### Report of Committees

Miss Burke reports condition of Mrs. Franklin.

Hall Committee report that no



hall has been secured.

Motioned and carried that we continue to meet at Mrs Quinn's residence until we get a hall where our relics will be safe.

Mrs Gillispie consented to take one of the statues busts presented by Mr Coppin. Mrs Baugh to take two and Mrs Shirley one.

Unfinished business.

Mrs Northrup report on badges, and was instructed to order fifty.

The choir was discussed and Miss Miller Lytle kindly consented to be leader of same.

It was moved and carried that Miss Lytle be given a rising vote of thanks.

New Business.

Mrs Baugh reports case of charity in Poor House stating that a white woman was placed in room with a Mexican and a negro woman.

Moved and carried that a committee be appointed to interview the Mayor and request that white women be given separate apartments from the negroes.

Mrs Kirkpatrick, Burk and Baugh committee.

Mrs Cotton and White donate \$1.00 each for the above mentioned lady.

Mrs Northrup report that the prize offered by the Chapter to the school children only one paper was sent in. This was a poem written by Miss Ford a student at the High School. She will be present with a badge in the form of a Texas star bearing appropriate inscriptions.

Another contest, the best poem or essay on Jefferson Davis will be conducted by the chapter. The contest will end in June, and prize will be given the boy and girl with best results.

It was decided to interview the school board and present the matter before each school.

Mrs Northrup and Baugh to report to three schools each and Mrs Bowler to inform Teacher's Military School.

Mrs Hallom and Mrs Bowler were appointed as a committee to call on Mrs Elliot who is now in hospital.

Mrs Burke reports Miss B. Long ill and unable to attend meeting.

Mrs Burke gave interesting and instructive parliamentary drill. The meeting closed with appropriate literary program.

Mrs J. A. Shirley  
Secretary.



The following is a poem written  
by the sister Miss Margaret  
Oliver Jordan the sister of  
Ranard E. Jordan Chapter N. L. C.  
to Mrs. Frances L. White  
in memory of her charity to our  
Cause.

I have tried so hard to tune my harp,  
To hit a graceful, sacred air  
To her, a daughter of the North  
Whose come to us and our Southland fair.

Whose come, and by one noble act  
Have shown the compass of her soul.  
And prove that there is no line  
As strong as Love, the whole World's goal.

Yes, Love, it makes the true forget  
And puts fair tender hands to work;  
And the heart buds only one great truth—  
"In North or South no duty shrink!"

Swifter grateful are we all  
As Daughters of the Confederacy,  
To her, the subject of this song  
For her sweet deed of charity.

For her remembrance of the "Home"  
And those who soon must hear this call,—  
Who by the changeful, lengthening years  
Have lost their youth, their wealth, their all:

And may the memory of this act  
Enwrap her like a cloth of gold,  
And comfort her as the years pass on  
As with the stars, she made our Old.

And when she wanders North again  
And quietly in her home will sleep  
May she reflect that she has been South  
And won a laurel wreath of love.

### The Best Gift of All.

Of the beautiful gifts from the  
All-Being power—  
From the myriads of planets  
To Earth's rarest flower;—  
Of all the fair things that illumine  
The roll—  
The best gift of all, is the  
Beautiful soul.

Even more beautiful than the  
Halo of Heaven,  
Is the glow of the soul out of love  
Fully given.  
Springing from truth's mind—  
Shed no shadow or cast  
It is duty, yet firmly the heartstring  
Is fast.

Yes, fairer than all that Nature  
Hath made  
In garden, forest, mountain  
Or glade;  
Fairer than all that emblazons  
Life's scroll,  
Is the tender, loving, beautiful  
Soul!

By Margaret Olive Jordan.



Feb. 17, 1908.

The regular meeting of the Barnard C. & B. Chapter N. D. D. was held at the residence of the president Mrs J. D. Quinn.

A large number of Veterans of the Great Sidney Johnston Camp were present for the purpose of assisting our Chapter in making arrangements for the drill.

Mr Cambell reported having secured the hall in the city market house free of charge for the purpose of rehearsals.

A chairman was discussed at length, and our noble president who has never failed us in any thing consented to be chairman with the understanding that the daughters assisting with their service when called upon.

Miss Quinn reported having the required number of girls for the drill also the musical numbers.

Mrs James Combs, Tiley and Heilig were appointed to act as chaperones at the rehearsals, the first one to be Wed. 18th at 4 P. M.

Our business meeting then opened with a prayer lead by Mrs Spencer.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

The treasurer being absent there was no report.

Mrs Quinn reported that Mrs Jones, to whom the chapter has been contributing

four dollars per month has passed away and the last check did not reach her until too late for her indorsement consequently was returned to chapter. It was decided to allow the \$4. to the family of Mrs Jones and Mrs Quinn in the absence of the treasurer advance the amount.

It was moved and carried that she be reimbursed for the amount.

Receipt of meeting	
Mrs Loney donation to home	\$2.00
Mrs Maurer dues	1.00
Mrs Lurkey "	1.00
Mrs Tiley "	1.00
Mrs C. A. Holmgren	1.00
Total	\$6.00

#### Communications

A note of thanks from Mrs Tulemus for letter of sympathy.

A note of thanks from Miss Ford for prize given by chapter for poem on the Confederacy.

A financial proposition from The Loggaw & Vrand Co.

Corresponding Secy. to reply to same.

Names presented for membership.

Mrs Lucy Titson.	Presented by Mrs. Halton
Mrs M. S. Agnes	
Miss Julia C. Gray	
Miss Jennie Gray	

All of 2105 Monterey St.



Mrs E. A. Rockwood }  
 Mrs Josephine Dearful } Monterey St.

Mrs B. Kennedy 412 St Mary's St.

Mrs Riley reported Mrs Pender in  
 need of help.

Mrs Quinn report Mrs <sup>Nathan</sup> Stevens in destitute  
 condition.

Moved and carried that she be given  
 \$2.50 Mrs Baugh and Bowler to attend  
 to same.

Mrs Baugh reported condition of the  
 woman in the poor house and read  
 paper from Mrs Quinn relating to  
 applications to the Home.

Mrs Lila Jewell Wiseman requests a  
 transfer card to the Therville Chapter  
 Secretary instructed to issue same.

The application of Mrs L. L. Boyd was  
 reported as being accepted.

There being no further business the  
 meeting closed with an interesting  
 literary program.

Winnie Shirley  
 Secretary.

March 3 1908.

The regular meeting of the Year-  
 man C. & Free Chapter, W.D.C.  
 was held at the residence of the  
 president, Mrs I. D. Quinn.

Meeting called to order by the  
 president.

Opening ceremonies lead by Mrs  
 Spencer.

Minutes of previous meeting  
 read, corrected and approved as  
 correct.

Report of Treasurer.

Received from Secy.	
Mrs F. Riley dues	\$1.00
Mrs J. Perkins "	1.00
Mrs W. W. Wainwright "	1.00
Mrs E. A. Holmgren "	1.00
Mrs Alice Hughes "	1.00
Mrs Loring donation to Home	2.00
Total	7.00

Communications.

A letter read from Mrs King in  
 which she thanked the Chapter  
 for letter of sympathy.

Mrs Northrup reported having  
 sent a letter of condolence to  
 Mrs T. C. Quinn.

A letter from Mrs Stone Pres. Genl  
 W.D.C. to Mrs Northrup in  
 regards to Associate Member was



read.  
Motion made and carried that this letter be copied in the minute book.

Names presented for membership.

Mollie B. Nelson

933 1/2 St. Ave. West End

Mrs Chas. Luskwell

1. Vassar St.

Miss Jasmine Candler

325 Martin St.

Mrs Miller

Applications received.

Mrs Ladden's application which was received over a year ago was read and acted upon. The delay having occurred by the application being misplaced.

Application of Mrs Kelly was presented.

Finished business.

Mrs Kington and Mrs Thurgate was appointed to get up a dodo for the Southern Cross Drill programme.

Mrs Kington presented a bill of \$5.75 for pictures.

Moved & carried that bill be paid.

Motion made and carried that we give to Mrs Langford \$2.50 per month.

New Business.

Mrs Coffman requested that she be excused from paying back dues due the chapter.

Motion was made and carried that Mrs Coffman's request be granted and that she be excused from paying any dues in the future.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned to and was followed by an interesting literary program.

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Letter on Associate Members  
from Mrs Cornelia Branch Stone  
President General U. D. C.

Galveston Texas  
February 8th 1908.

My dear Mrs Northrup.

The reply to your letter has been unavoidably delayed by the severe illness of my sister and brother-in-law, who has been in bed for two weeks past with grippe and my mail, at the rate of at least twenty five letters a day, has been neglected.

The "Honorary Associate Membership" was instituted by the Gen'l Convention, U. D. C., to honor Gen'l Inauss of Ohio who, through a Northern, and a member of the I. O. O. F., had risked the Confederate dead around and in Columbus, Ohio - and had erected, at his own cost, a monument to these Confederate Soldiers - and this honor will be used very sparingly or it will cease to be an honor.

It was not intended to apply to Chapter or State Divisions.

There is no Constitutional provision, or rather prohibition, that will prevent Chapters from having "Associate Members" but in the South, where there is so much eligible material for membership in the U. D. C., this neither seems desirable or advisable. So, you will see, that that By-Law

does not apply to the Chapter, it was adopted for the express purpose of honoring Col. Inauss, and it is not extended in its operations to Chapters or Divisions, but is to govern the Gen'l. U. D. C.

It should be a very extraordinary service, that should be so honored. It means nothing, except a title in that case. Confers no privilege, but in order to do it we had to make that By-Law - and I presented it, at the U. D. C. Convention which met in St. Louis, Cal.

Inauss' work has never been done by any one else - and he stands alone, as our "Honorary Associate Member".

Will be glad to hear of the work of the Barnard C. D. U. Chapter - a Chapter which has always been active in good work.

With all good wishes for your Chapter as a whole, and individually, believe me cordially yours,  
Cornelia Branch Stone



March 17, 1905.

The regular meeting of Barnard  
C. B. Chapter No. 2, D. C. no 86  
was held at the residence of the  
president Mrs J. D. Thuman. who  
called the meeting to order at  
7:30 P. M. 30 Members present.

Mrs. Spencer sang in prayer.

Minutes of the previous meeting  
read and approved as read.

### Financial Business.

#### Treasurer's report.

Dues received at last meeting Mar 3.

Mrs. Ross for 1905 ----- \$4.00

" L. A. Beck " " " 2.00

" A. Thuman " 1907. ----- 1.00

" Heilig " 1905 ----- 1.00

Badges ----- 1.50

Total receipt of meeting \$6.50

#### Disbursements.

For Mrs Jones charity \$4.00

" " Harshup express on badges .45

" Mrs Stinel frames for pictures 8.75

" Mrs Mon charity 1.00

Total \$17.20

Bal in Bank at last meeting \$48.63

Report of Southern cross drill.

#### Expenses.

Cher House \$8.00

Painting used in decorating .90

Flags 1.50

Express Publishing Co. 3.50

Printing of tickets 2.50

Paper signs 1.50

Mrs McKean bills to Express  
Publishing Co. \$7.30

To Mrs McKean 50.00

Total \$72.20

Amount collected for tickets \$435.50

Total profit to date \$363.30

#### Dues received at this meeting.

Mrs Allardice \$1.00

" H. Stul 1.00

" G. W. Hagg 1.00

" C. Smith sanitation fee 1.10

" V. Taylor " " 1.10

" L. Mitchell 1.00

" J. Schaefer 1.00

" Rogers 07x05 2.00

" J. W. Beck 1.00

" A. Sullivan 07x05 2.00

Badges .50

\$12.70

\$363.30 + 12.70 = \$386.00

Total in bank 434.63

President reports Veterans of  
Albert Sidney Johnston Camp  
in need of new flag.

It was moved and carried that  
the Chapter present them with a  
new one. Mrs Torden to make  
same.

President also reports that the Veterans  
is willingly helped to make our  
entertainment a success not only  
by taking a part in the drill but  
by selling such a large no. of  
tickets, and urged the Chapter



to return the compliment and help them in their concert by selling tickets.

Mrs. Bough reports condition of Mrs. Lyman who has appealed to the Chapter.

Mrs. Johns of 3011. Luth. St. was reported in need.

Motion made and carried that \$2.00 be given her.

It was decided to present to those who took part in the drive a picture of the group.

Mrs. Tannin, Mrs. Smith, Medaune, Tubmeyer, Kelly, Riley & Zigie to report to president the prices of same.

It was moved and carried that Mr. a vote of thanks be given.

Mr. Wise manager of the opera house  
Manager of Publishing Co.

The Veterans & Young Ladies.

The four little girls and Miss Mitchell for their assistance in our entertainment.

It was moved and carried that a rising vote be given our president Mr. J. D. Givens.

Mrs. Harrington  
Mrs. Bough, Harston, Riley, Kelly and Corns for their work in making our entertainment a success.

It was through the president that we

got the donation of the opera house to lights. She also sold over \$90. worth of tickets.

Mrs. Riley asks that Mrs. Jones be notified of membership.

Maries presented for membership  
Mrs. Wm. Morgan  
2110 W. Commerce St.  
presented by Mrs. Northrup.

Motion made by Mrs. Northrup that Chapter order some By Laws & constitution. Carried.

It was decided that the Chapter observe publicly four honor days - viz.

Genls Lee & Jackson	Jan 19-
Mrs. Davis	May 7-
Mrs. Davis	June 3
Judge Wagner	Oct 8.

Days to be observed in Chapter.

Mrs. McElire	March 23.
Mrs. Gifflet	Sept. 10.

And on Mrs. Davis birthday a reception to our honorary members.

A plan to make money during the carnival was discussed and it was decided to serve meals on the 22-23 and 24 of April.

Mrs. Bough was made chairman of dinner.

Committee to secure place.



Mrs. Dames  
Tulmager, Gillespie & Lovelady.  
Committee to report at our meeting.

There being no further business the meeting closed with an interesting literary program.

Mrs J. M. Shirley  
Secretary.

April 7, 1908.

The regular meeting of the Barnard C. Res. Chapter No. 86, U. D. G. was held at the residence of the president Mrs J. L. Quinn who called the meeting to order at 3:30 P.M.

Mrs. Spencer led in prayer.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

### Financial Business.

#### Treasurer's report.

Bal in bank at last meeting	\$434.68
Dues & badges " " "	12.70
Disbursements since " " "	
Bal in bank	

### Correspondence.

In the absence of the corresponding secy, the recording secy. read a card from the State president in which she requests that all pledges made for the

Woman's Home be paid as soon as possible as the plans are to have the Home opened on June 3-1908.

The president then brought the subject of the proceeds of our recent concert before the chapter and called for discussions as to whether the whole amount be sent to the home or just the \$100. which was our pledge. The subject was discussed and a motion was made by Mrs Jordan and Mrs Shirley, that on account of the many cases of charity which we are obliged to respond to and the no. of persons whom we donate different amounts to each month that we send the \$100. which we pledged and keep the bal. in our treasury. The motion was unanimously carried.

A communication from Raleigh N.C. was read in which we are informed that we can now get the true history of the Trial and Death of Henry King, recently published for at the price of 30 cts per copy. The Secy. was instructed to order six pamphlets.

A letter from Mrs L. W. Harrington of Eagle Pass was received in which she sends a P.O. order for \$3.00 for her dues.

Letter read from Mrs John Garland



Ames of Dallas Tex. in which she requests the chapter to assist in the sale of a March entitled "The Confederate Veterans' Grand March" by Mrs. Albert Sydney Johnston.

Mrs. Prichard her daughter wishes to divide the profits of any sale made in or through the Chapter to the "Confederate Woman's Home".

The price of the march is 50 cts. 20 cts of this amount goes to the home. Secy. instructed to order one copy as a sample.

A communication was read asking for a donation to a fund to erect a monument to John Hunt Morgan and his men. The monument to be erected in Lexington, Kentucky.

Motion made and carried that we donate \$5.00

Mrs. Jordan and Mrs. Howard donated \$1.00 each in addition to the \$5.00

An appeal for funds was received from the Industrial School at Washington City

Motion made and carried that we send \$10.

Now Business.

Mrs. Quinn reports the wife in the of a Veteran in the St. Francis Home. and Mrs. Whitehead and requests the daughters to call on her.

The president also reports that Mrs. Alford,

at whose house we held the celebration of Mrs. McClure birthday, donated the fruit used for the lunch and suggests that the \$5.00 be given to the cemetery committee.

Motion made and carried that Mrs. Alford be given a rising vote of thanks.

Motion made and carried that the five dollars be allowed the committee and in addition to this \$25. more was given the cemetery committee.

The president reported having received an appeal from Mrs. Purden. She having sent her \$3.00 a motion was made and carried that this be approved.

The flag to have been presented by the chapter to Albert Sydney Johnston's Camp being refused by the Commander, Capt. Collins. The subject was dropped.

Mr. Lanning being present reported that Mr. Hinley would make a picture of the Southern Cross still at the rate of 65 cts each. It was moved and carried that this offer be accepted.

Our representation in the flower battle was discussed.

President informed the chapter that on



account of having the flowers not having from last year that the cost of the decoration would be only \$15. and that she would like for the young ladies of our chapter and some of the Confederate Veterans who took part in the drill to ride in the trolley.

A motion was made by Mrs Jordan and duly seconded that as the chapter had heretofore extended this courtesy to our young ladies that for a change the officers <sup>of the chapter</sup> represent the U. S. C. in the parade. It being the wish of all present who expressed themselves that the older ladies of the chapter be the representatives. Mrs Jordan with drew her motion.

A motion was then made that our president Mrs Quinn, Mesdames Spencer Mrs Henderson, Harrington, Howard and Baugh represent the chapter.

A recess was then taken after which Mrs Spencer called the meeting to order and it was decided to have the young ladies ride in the trolley accompanied by the president.

Mrs Baugh request that resolutions of sympathy be sent Mrs Stone and Mrs Traflor.

Mrs Northrup and Mrs Howard instructed to write same.

Mrs Baugh reports donation of table cloths for the Home and that the children of

Mrs Lu Miller donated the dishes for the home.

Mrs Northrup reports on By Laws & constitution.

Mrs Gizick solicited subscriptions for a book entitled The Two Families written by her daughter. Price of book \$1.25. Those present who had read the book reported that it was well worth the reading. We felt proud to have me <sup>so young</sup> in our midst who is so talented.

Invitation received from the woman's club to a lecture to be by <sup>Rev.</sup> Mrs Shaw on the 26 and 27 of April.

Application for membership received of Mrs Georgia C. I. Pirnie of 210 Evergreen St. also application of Mrs Nora Steele of 617 Ave. C.

It was decided that in the future our meeting last one hour and a half this being deemed sufficient time to transact our business.

The literary contest following the business meeting was very interesting. In the guessing contest as to the Gov. of the Confederate States, Mrs Spencer won the prize which was a Confederate flag. Another contest was arranged for May. The subject to name <sup>united states</sup> the <sup>war</sup> states, in order that seeds from the Union.

Mrs Shirley Leary.



April 21-1908.

The regular meeting of the Barnard C. Bee Chapter U.D.C. was held at the residence of the president Mrs J. D. Guinn who called the meeting to order at 3 P. M.

Mrs Spenser read in prayer.

Minutes of previous meeting read, corrected and approved and corrected.

### Financial Business.

Treasurer's report.

Received at last meeting

Dues and fees	\$ 5.20
Drill concert	65.65
Mrs Northrup	2.00
Disbursements	
Pledge on Home	\$100.00
Cemetery Committee	25.00
Industrial School	10.00
Kentucky Monument Fund	5.00
Housed and Son	1.50
Mr Neil for cemetery	4.00
Mrs Baugh for Langfords	2.50
Total	148.00
Bal. in bank	\$383.13

Lucy report having cashed T. P. order for \$3.00 received from Mrs Harrington and paid out same for six pamphlets of the trial of Henry King \$1.50

Crosses of Honor	1.40
Postage	.16
Total	\$3.56

### Communications.

Letter of thanks read from Mrs R. R. Jennet, in which she expresses her appreciation for the use of our flag used at the burial services of her husband.

Letter from Mrs M. F. Howard, in which she is sending paper giving incidents of the life of Mrs McClure.

Letter from Mrs Sue Clark, daughter of Mrs McClure.

Letter from N. Y. Chapter U.D.C. soliciting funds to have picture of Mrs Davis placed in National Museum.

Motion made and carried that we donate \$4.00 for same.

Letter from Miss Kattie Doffan State President U.D.C. in which she acknowledges the donation from the Chapter and pays high compliment to our president Mrs Guinn and also to Barnard C. Bee Chapter.

Note from School Board, granting our request to have Jefferson Davis picture placed in the white public schools.

### Report of Committee.

Mrs Northrup reports having presented picture of Gen. Lee to



Miss Cotton's School.  
 Mrs Spenser reports having presented  
 Gen. Lee picture to High School.

### New Business.

It was decided to send representatives  
 from the chapter to the opening of the  
 Woman's Home, and the following  
 ladies were appointed by the president.

Mesdames.

J. D. Quinn, Spenser, Northrup, Kayton,  
 Shirley, Jordan, Riley, Kirkpatrick,  
 Lusk, Dunlap, Roberts, Buse,  
 Mitchell, Peterson.

It was decided to order from Mr  
 Stine six pictures of Jefferson Davis  
 at the cost of one dollar each.

An interesting literary program followed  
 the business meeting. Willie Shirley  
 Secretary.

May 5-1908.

The regular meeting of Barrow  
 C. P. Chapter No. 86.  
 was held at the residence of the  
 president Mrs J. D. Quinn, who  
 called the meeting to order at 4 P.M.

Mrs Spenser read in prayer.

Minutes of previous meeting were  
 read and approved as recd.

Treasurer report.

Disbursements.

Mrs Tracht for decorating carriage \$18.00

Mrs Quinn reports having received  
 a call for help in paying Mrs  
 Houson's funeral expenses and  
 agreeing to pay \$5.35.

Mrs Kayton reported having sent  
 \$4.00 making a total of \$22.35

Motion made and carried that the  
 \$5.35 be allowed.

Communications.

A letter from the McClure chapter  
 of St Louis was read.

A picture of Mrs McClure was  
 presented by F. Howard.

A letter from Mrs Ryzick was  
 read and a check enclosed for  
 \$25.00 for the Confederate Home.



A letter from Mrs. H. H. Donohue to Mrs. Cotton read, in regard to a joint entertainment.

A card from Miss Louise Trabue was read.

A letter from the Augusta Georgia Chapter W. C. D. soliciting funds for James R. Randall, widow and daughter, the composer of Maryland My Maryland. Motion made and carried that we send \$4.00 for same.

A transfer card of Mrs. Olive Fairfield of Palestine was received.

Names presented for membership.  
Mrs. H. C. Cihon 320 Madison St.  
Mrs. P. C. Dinwiddie 529 St. Louis St.

Bills presented and paid.

Louise \$1.50  
Bill for 6 pictures \$6.00

Mrs. Halton was appointed to make the punch for the reception to the Honorary Member.

Mrs. Spenser was appointed chairman of the sewing committee.

An interesting literary program followed the business meeting.

Mrs. C. E. Channing  
Secy. pro. tem.

Mar. 19, 1908

The regular meeting of the Barnard C. Bee Chapter No. 86, W. D. C. was held at the residence of the president, Mrs. J. D. Quinn at 4 P.M.

Meeting called to order by the president.

Opening ceremonies.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

Financial Business.

Funds received since last meeting.

Mrs. Tracht	\$2.00
Mrs. Fields	1.00
Miss King	1.00
Total	\$4.00

Mrs. Fairfield tickets for Northern Cross Drill \$1.00  
Total received \$5.00

Disbursements.

R. C. L. Chapter Columbus	
Ohio for flowers	\$2.50
Express Publishing Co.	1.00
Wheat	1.50
Loan & Sagg	5.25
Total	\$23.25

Balance in bank to date \$287.93

A bill of \$2.70 fruit for the punch was ordered paid.

Also a bill for \$1.15 to the Wells Fargo Co. express on books sent to the home.



Motion made and carried that we give \$5.00 to the fund for making the Jefferson Davis home into a park.

Dues received at this meeting.

Miss Kate Largin	\$1.00
Mrs. H. H. Sloan	1.00
Mrs. R. A. Votaw	1.00

New Business.

A motion was made and carried that the Secretary be instructed to have the names of deceased members taken off of the list.

Motion made and carried that we give Mrs. Dalton a rising vote of thanks for her making the punch used at last reception.

In a motion made by Mrs. Dalton Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. McHugh were made honorary.

Mrs. Wright was made an honorary member at the reception given May.

A transfer card was issued to Mrs. Votaw.

It was decided to hold only one meetings <sup>or more</sup> during the summer. The meeting to be on the 3rd Tuesday.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Mrs. D. E. C. Lawrence  
Secy pro tem.

June 16-1908.

The regular meeting of Barnard C. Bee Chapter U. S. C. no. 86, was held at the residence of the president Mrs. Quinn. President called the meeting to order at 4 P.M.

Prayer read by Mrs. Spencer.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

Financial Business.

Treasurer's report.

Dues received at last meeting.

Mrs. Votaw	- - - - -	\$1.00
Miss Largin	- - - - -	1.00
Miss Stella Halcome	- - - - -	1.00

Certificates sold.

Mrs. Dunlap	- - - - -	.10
Mrs. Votaw	- - - - -	.10
Mrs. Maddox	- - - - -	.10
Miss Halcome	- - - - -	.10
Mrs. Hadden	- - - - -	.10

Badges sold.

Mrs. Halcome	- - - - -	.35
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Total receipt of last meeting	\$3.75
Disbursements	
Mrs Northrup for	\$1.00
Spent Davis' Home	5.00
Stimler. Photos of Gen. Lee	6.00
To Mrs Quinn for sugar	.25
Selling for punch	2.70
Mrs Langford	2.50
Mrs Quinn express on book to home	1.15
Bell Jewelry present to Miss Quinn	25.00
Ticket for Mrs Whitehead	2.40
By cash to	3.50
Order of Mrs Quinn for	
Miss N. Lytle <sup>to reunion in Ala.</sup> pleasure trip	12.50
Stimler for Southern Cross Photos	25.00
Total	\$87.10
Balance Bank	\$265.30

Motion made and carried that Mr and Mrs Langford's allowance be advanced from \$2.50 to \$3.00 per month.

Motion made by Mrs S. Spencer and Mrs Kayton that a lawyer be employed to represent the Chapter in regards to Mrs Shardin's will. It was decided to engage Mr J. D. Quinn. Mrs Spencer, Northrup and Kayton committee to attend to same.

Membership applications received.  
Mrs Mary Hess.

Communications.

Note thanking the chapter for present from Mrs H. Traylor and Miss L. B. Martin.

Letter from Mrs Whitehead of the Woman's Home in Austin, in which she expresses her satisfaction and appreciation for protection in Home.

Note from Mrs Woodward expressing thanks for sympathy extended her by the Chapter.

Letter from B. Franklin in regard to dues.

Letter from Mr Harry Traylor, mayor of Rockport inviting the Chapter to present the Southern Cross Drill.

Receipt for \$10.00 received from Industrial School.

Receipt for \$100.00 from Home in Austin.

Card received from State president at U. C. V. Reunion.

Motion made and carried that bill of \$8.50 be allowed for string band used at last reception.

It was decided to allow the \$12.50 to Miss Lytle for trip to U. C. V. Reunion in Birmingham.



Alabama.

Letter from Mr. Harding as to  
Survivor of the Battle of New-  
Market Va.

Letter from A. J. Commerson in  
regards to publishing a book on  
Monuments to Southern  
Confederates.

Names presented for membership  
Mrs. Hargraves and <sup>Mrs.</sup> J. M. Sanson  
presented by Mrs. Bowles.

Motion made and carried that  
Mrs. Sanson be made an honorary  
member.

Mrs. Phil Wright presented by Mrs. Turkey  
Mrs. Martin Wright " " " Riley.

New Business.

Motion made and carried that  
the Registrar send cards to members  
notifying them of membership in  
Chapter.

It was decided to have a  
committee go over the books of  
the Registrar and Treasurer  
and make a list of members in  
good standing so as to have a  
correct membership list for the  
annual report. Committee.  
Messrs. Shirley, Halton, Hayton  
and Spencer.

Receipt of meeting 10 cts for  
certificate.

An interesting Literary program  
followed the business meeting.  
Willie M. Shirley  
Secretary.

June 30, 1908.

The B. and O. Chapter held a called meeting at the  
residence of the president Mrs.  
J. D. Quinn who called the  
meeting to order at 4 P. M.  
The purpose of the meeting was  
to investigate the application  
of Mrs. Franklin who wishes to  
enter the Confederate Women's  
Home in Austin.

And to make arrangements  
for the trip to Rockport and  
the basket picnic to be given  
at West End on the 4th of July.

Mrs. Northrup and Riley were  
appointed to prepare the papers  
to get Mrs. Franklin in Home.  
Mrs. Franklin reports having  
\$100. loaned for which she receives  
no interest. Mrs. Hayton and  
Riley were appointed as a committee  
to investigate same.



Miss Lytle gave a short  
account of the union of the  
W. C. T. U. in Birmingham.

A letter was read from Mrs.  
Whithead also a note of  
thanks from Miss Lytle.

The President reports that on  
account of the difficulty in getting  
overgrown from the hot houses  
that she has bought a belt of  
ribbon and in the future one  
body will be appointed to attend  
to the floral offerings.

Willie Shirley Secy.

July 31- 1908.

The regular meeting of Barnard  
C. D. S. Chapter, W. C. T. U.  
was held at the residence of  
the president Mrs. J. D. Quinn.

Meeting called to order by the  
president at 4 P. M.

Minutes of last regular meeting  
read, corrected, and approved as  
corrected.

Minutes of call meeting read  
and approved as read.

## Financial Business.

### Treasurer's report.

Dues received since last meeting

Mrs. Hadley	\$1.00
Mrs. C. W. Buckner	3.00
Miss Coltrane	1.00
Mrs. Kayton	1.00

### Disbursements

Lampfords charity	\$3.50
N. L. Price for music	8.50
Loranger for courses dancing	5.00
Bell Jewelry Co. Medal for boy	5.00
Mrs. Quinn messenger boy	25
N. L. Price music July 4th	5.00
Stamps for Mrs. Kayton	1.50
Mrs. Shirley express in annuals	1.15
" " " " Trial of Virg	25
Mrs. Quinn for Mrs. Whithead	5.00
Total	32.25 \$35.15

### Bills received.

Mrs. Kayton for stamps	\$1.50
Mrs. Shirley express	1.40
Electric lights for decorating	3.50
Solving Percy	2.85
Motion made and carried that these bills be paid.	

Mrs. Quinn reported having  
sent 5.00 to Mrs. Whithead for  
medicine, which was approved  
by the chapter.

### Communications.

Letter from A. O. Young in regard  
to an entertainment to be given



to visit the Rhode Island monument fund.

Motion made by Mrs Northrup that we accept his proposition in regards to same.

Mrs Kington Riley and Burk committee to secure hall and music.

Letter from Mr Coffman in regard to painting cannon.

Letter from the W. H. A. T. D. R. C. stating rates to Rock Jail.

Letter from P. R. Commissioner to give

### Reports of Committees.

Mrs Riley and Kington report on money of Mrs Franklin.

Stating that the interest was being held in readiness for her whenever she applied for same and suggests that Chapter take charge of her money and hold it in a suitable place.

It was decided to do this and Mrs Kington and Riley were instructed to attend to same.

Mrs Braugh and Spencer were appointed to attend to the two cases in the Poor House.

### New Business

Miss Long appointed to attend to the floral offering to the deceased confederates.

Motion made by Mrs Kington & Mrs Riley that we engage the women's club room for our meetings. Carried.

Committee to attend to same Mrs Northrup, Riley, Kington & Kington. Mrs Collins.

Secretary read part of the list of delinquent members and also those who have not filled out their application blanks.

Motion made and carried that circulars be sent to the latter requesting them to attend to same.

Motion made by Mrs Kington & Mrs Bowler that Mrs Caldwell who is a charter member of this chapter be made an honorary member. also Mrs Wm D. W.

Motion made by Mrs Shirley & Riley that the initiation fee be raised from 10 cts to 50 cts the initiation fee to cover cost of badge and membership certificate. Carried.



A motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed to go through the out desk now in Elks Hall and if necessary have it moved.

Committee.

Mr. Marshup, Riley, Walton, Kington and Shirley.

Got no Report of Registrar.  
Sent out 40 application blanks  
10 have been returned.

An interesting literary program followed the business meeting.

Received for badges 25 cts.

Willie Shirley  
Secy.

Aug 4-1908.

The regular meeting of the Barnard C. B. Chapter U. C. D. was held at the residence of the president Mrs J. D. Quinn who called the meeting to order at 4:15 P.M.

Prayer read by Mrs Spencer.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

No report from Treasurer.

Reports of Committees.)

The committee to interview the house of Woman's club in regard to securing hall for our meeting report that we can not secure the hall on the island 3rd Tuesdays on account of some other club having rented it for that date.

The president suggests and advises that this chapter buy a home for of their own. She stated that she would head the donation list with fifty dollars and knew of several who would donate liberally. and Bro. Peacock has offered to give us a benefit, Our daughters



present were heartily in favor of the suggestions of the president and we feel sure with such an enthusiastic leader we could soon have a home.

Committee on case of Mrs Franklin report and advise that she be placed with some family where she would be well taken care of. Her expenses to be paid for out of the Dist. in her money and draw on the principal if necessary, she having given the Chapter Inv. 86, the authority to act in regard to same.

A motion was made and carried that this suggestion be adopted and the committee have the matter attended to in a legal manner.

Committee Mrs Riley, Mrs Kayton and Miss Spencer.

### Communications.

Letter from our lawyer, Mr Ginn in regard to Mrs Hardin's will.

Mrs Colquitt acknowledges note of thanks sent by chapter.

Mrs Caldwell who was recently made an honorary member sent note of thanks and appreciation

for same.

Letter from Miss Daffin in which she urged that every member get a membership certificate. these certificates to be ordered by the secretary from Mrs A. L. Dawell, Secy. Am. Opelika, Ala.

Letter from Mrs Mary Spring in which she sent the verses of a song composed by herself, which was read by Miss Long.

Miss Long also read a very interesting newspaper account of the Southern Cross Bill and entertainment given in Rockport.

Mrs Spenser read an account of the protest made by Good Camp U. C. in regard to the examples relating to Gen. Grant, Sherman & Sheridan, given in the new text book Arithmetic to be used in the public schools of Texas.

Mrs Northrup made a motion that this chapter approve the action of the Good Camp and that this chapter also send a protest. this was unanimously adopted. Committee to attend to same.



Mrs Northrup and Mrs Spencer.

An interesting literary program given by our Historian Mrs Northrup who never fails to give us interesting facts on Confederate History, followed the business meeting.

Mrs. [unclear] a talented musician and composer of St. Louis, Missouri, favored us with several of her own compositions which was highly appreciated by all.

Mrs J. A. Shirley  
Secretary.

Aug 18-1908

The regular meeting of Barnard C. Bee Chapter N.D.C. was held at the residence of the president Mrs J. D. Quinn.

In the absent of the president the first vice pres. Mrs Spencer called the meeting to order at 7 P.M.

Prayer Read by Mrs Northrup.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

Report of the Treasurer.

Paid out since last meeting

Mrs Neil for June, July & Aug.	\$3.00
Mrs. Larkford	3.50
Total	6.50
Balance on hand	\$174.18

### Reports of Committees.

Mrs Riley and Kayton report having arranged with the sister of the St. Francis Home to board Mrs Franklin for \$12 per month.

Judge Clump, who has charge of her money, and financial affairs, having approved of the arrangements made.

Motion made by Mrs Northrup that a committee be appointed to ask Mr Clump to reimburse the lady with whom Mrs Franklin has made her home for the past year. Carried.  
The same committee to act as before.

Motion made by Mrs Kayton and Mrs Riley that a notice in regard to delinquent members also those who have not filled out paper be put in the paper. Carried.

A suggestion was made that the Chapter extend some little courtesy to Mr & Mrs Oppen in their return



from Europe  
It was decided to give a  
surprise party at their residence.  
The arrangements were to meet  
at the corner of Marara and  
Houston St. at 4 P.M. Friday  
21- Mrs. Pihy and Layton  
to attend to refreshments.

Motion made and carried  
that a letter of sympathy be  
sent to Mrs. Baughn on the  
loss of her sister.  
Mrs. Northrup appointed to  
write same.

Due to the absence of our president  
Mrs. Gunn no business of  
importance was taken up.

An interesting no. on the literary  
program was "What is our duty  
to our neighbors and to each  
other?" All present responded.

Helen Shirley.  
Secretary.



September 1, 1908.  
The regular meeting of the  
Bramble O. B. Chapter  
W. D. C. was held at the  
residence of the president,  
Mrs. J. D. Quinn.  
Meeting called to order  
by the president at 4 P.M.  
Prayer led by the chaplain  
Mrs. Johann.

Minutes of previous meeting  
read and approved as  
read.

Financial Business.  
Dues received at last meeting  
Mrs. A. J. Moore \$1.00  
Certificates of membership .20  
Total \$1.20

Disbursements  
Lantern - \$5.50  
Mr. Lick (charity) 2.50  
R. R. ticket for Mrs. Murphy 6.00  
3 doz. cakes (surprise party) .45  
Perish for framing  
Lamp photo. 6.25  
Total \$20.70

Balance in bank  
Bills received  
Reigler ice cream \$1.00  
President for message to  
Mrs. H. G. Litt - .50

Motion made and carried  
that these bills be paid.



Spencer Business.

Mrs Spencer reports a case of charity of a Confederate Veteran, in the St. Francis Homes, by the name of Leck.

Also reports that Mrs Murphy wished to go to St. Joe, Ind. and applied to chapter for railroad fares, half fare \$6.00 was given her.

September 29. Being Confederate Day at the fair, the president suggests that we give basket dinners.

No action was taken on this but it was decided that we serve meals several days during the fair either at the grounds or in the city.

Communications

Card read from the State pres. informing us that the State Corresponding Secy. Mrs. Russell is in the city located at 120 Mulberry St. and request that we call on her.

Letter from Mrs Alexander thanking the chapter for having been made an honorary member.

Letter and circular from the Art Publishing Co. of in regard to photo of Pres.

Jefferson Davis. Size of picture 32x28. price \$1.00 each.

Motion made by Mrs Northrup and <sup>Mr</sup> Riley that we order twelve photos.

The president suggests that on account of the many courtesy extended us by Prof. Peacock also Mr. Carlbain <sup>Stromas</sup> that we present to each of these schools one of the pictures.

This was unanimously adopted.

Mrs Riley and Miss Long were appointed to ascertain whether or not the picture of Jefferson Davis has been removed from the Backwilder Grammar School.

Miss Long read the address of Judge Purces of Dallas, made the State Reunion in which he paid the highest tribute to the women of the South.

Miss Long was instructed to invite him a letter from this chapter.

Mrs Shirley reports price of rent for meetings at the Woman's Club.



Mrs Northrup and Spencer were instructed to write a letter of condolence to Miss Henderson on the death of her sister.

The National Convention of the U. S. C. was discussed and it was the desire of the chapter that our president attend as a representative of this chapter. The president urges the daughters who care to attend also.

Committee to serve the meals during the fair.

1st Day.

Mrs. Danks, Spencer, Shirley, Williams, Beck, Burch, Dunlap, Kayton

2nd Day.

Mrs. Danks, Jordan, Tuley, Hohm, Rushmore and Peterson

3rd Day. Northrup.

Mrs. Danks

Halton, Heilig, Howard, Combs, Turkey and Riley.

Miss Coltrain, Miss Long and Miss Williams to serve punch every day.

A cordial welcome was given our Past Mrs. Sumner, Porter, Mrs. Jordan and Chaplin Mrs. Hohm who have been absent during the summer, also to Mrs. Williams via visiting daughters. These Shirley Kelly.

Sept 15 - 1908.

The regular meeting of the Barnard O. B. Chapter U. S. C. was held at the residence of the president Mrs. J. D. Quinn. Meeting called to order by the president at 4 P. M. Prayer read by the chaplain Mrs. Hohm.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Financial Business.  
Report of Treasurer  
Disbursements since last meeting.

Mr. Neil	\$1.00
Mr. & Mrs. Langford	3.50
Mrs. Northrup for Davis' Photo	2.25
Mrs. Riley for ice cream	1.00
Total	\$7.75
Balance in bank	\$105.33

Unfinished business.

The dinners to be served during the fair was again discussed and it was decided to serve them in the city instead of at the fair.

Committee appointed.



Decorating committee.  
 Mesdames. Bowles, Dearden,  
 Tilmeyer, Coffman, and Shelley.

Committee to get chairs and  
 tables etc.  
 Mesdames. Riley, Shelley, Maurer,  
 Kayton, and Turkey.

4th Day.

Mrs. Baugh, Giesner, Bowles,  
 Babney, Love, Winn, and Goldstone.

5th Day.

Mesdames, Turkey, Channing,  
 Jess, Tolson, Fields, Wright,  
 Wilson, & Coffman.

Ice Cream committee.

Mrs. Shelley, Miss Applewhite,  
 Miss Reynolds and Miss Lytle.  
 Miss King.

The price of the ice cream to be  
 ten cents and cake five cents.

Motion made by the Mrs. Northrup  
 and Mrs. Quinn that the price of  
 the dinner be 30 cts. Motion lost.

Motioned by Mrs. Kayton and  
 Mrs. Channing that the price be  
 35 cts. Carried.

Motion made by Miss Long and  
 Mrs. Northrup that on account of

September 29th being Confederate  
 Day at the fair that we  
 begin serving meals on Sept 30th  
 Carried.

Mrs. Northrup reports having  
 purchased 15 photos of Davis  
 for \$12.00.

Communications.

Letter received from Albert  
 Sidney Johnston Camp N.C.S.  
 inviting us to join them in  
 attending the Fair on Confeder-  
 ate Day and requests us to  
 assist them in arranging  
 a program.

Miss Lytle was appointed  
 to attend to same.

Card received from State  
 Pres. Mrs. Daffin in regard to  
 the delay in receiving the  
 crosses of honor.

Miss Long read circular and  
 letter from Mrs. Willard  
 who wishes to give an entertain-  
 ment entitled "The Singing  
 School" under the auspices of  
 the N.C.S.

The chapter to furnish the  
 talent, Mrs. Willard to train  
 them, and the profit to be  
 equally divided after all expenses  
 are paid.



It was decided to accept the offer and the entertainment begun in Nov.

The president reports that Mrs Heilig has a set of books of the History of the Civil War which she will sell to the chapter for 25 cts per volume.

Motion made by Mrs Bowles and Mrs Stuberger that we purchase the books.

An Amendment by Miss Long that they be sent to the home of our historian Mrs Northrup until we have a home of our own.

Motion and amendment carried.

Mrs Quinn report on Mrs Franklin in A. Francis Home.

Motion made by Mrs Northrup that we send the Rev. Superior a note of thanks. Carried.

An interesting literary program followed the business meeting.

Willie Shirley  
Secretary.

Oct. 6-1908.

The regular meeting of the Edward C. Bell Chapter, U. D. G. was held at the residence of the president, Mrs J. D. Quinn.

Meeting called to order by the president at 4 P. M.  
Prayer lead by the Chaplain, Mrs Gohmarch.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved & so read.

### Financial Business

#### Report of Treasurer.

Dues & fees received last meeting	\$7.50
Paids put since last meeting.	
J. W. Baccett	\$3.50
R. F. Northrup	1.25
Whell for Texas room	1.00
Mrs Heilig for books	8.00
Total	\$13.75

This being the end beginning of the fiscal year the officers gave their yearly reports after which the officers for the coming year were elected.

Nomination for president.  
Mrs J. D. Quinn.



Motioned and carried that Mrs Guinn be elected by acclamation. Result Mrs Guinn unanimously elected President.

Nominations 1st Vice Pres.

Mrs Spencer, Mrs Burke, Mrs Riley, Mrs Kelso, Mrs Jordan.

All candidates having with drew Mrs Spencer was requested to reconsider her nomination and was unanimously elected 1st Vice Pres.

Nomination 2nd Vice Pres.

Mrs Frank Riley being the only nominee was elected by acclamation.

Nomination 3rd Vice Pres.

Mrs Shelley, Mrs Evans, Mrs Hilley, Mrs Henderson.

Mrs Shelley & Mrs Hilley withdrew and Mrs Henderson was elected 3rd Vice Pres.

Nomination 4th Vice Pres.

Mrs Evans being the only nominee was elected by acclamation.

Nomination for Secretary.

Mrs J. A. Shirley being the only nominee was elected by acclamation.

Nomination for Treasurer.

Mrs Bessie Taylor being the only nominee was elected by acclamation.

Nomination for Cor. Secy.

Miss Bessie Long being the only nominee was elected cor. secy.

Nomination for Register

Mrs Ed. Hallow being the only nominee was elected by acclamation.

Nomination for Chaplin.

Mrs Gohmart being the only nominee was elected by acclamation.

Nomination for Poless.

Mrs Kirkpatrick, Mrs Jordan.

Mrs Jordan with drew and Mrs Kirkpatrick was elected by acclamation.

Nomination for Parliamentarian

Mrs Jordan, Burke, J. C. Smith.

Mrs Jordan & Burke with drew and Mrs J. C. Smith was elected.

Historian.

Mrs Northrup was elected Historian for life at the last election of officers Oct. 07, and this action was confirmed and approved by the Chapt.

A motion made by Mrs Spencer and Mrs Shirley that Mrs Northrup be exempt from paying dues. Unanimously carried.



An original poem was to Mrs Northrup was read by Mrs Jordan.

A motion was made and carried that Mrs Jordan be given a rising vote of thanks for this beautiful poem.

A motion was made by Mrs Halton and Mrs Spencer that the chapt get a new set of books for Treas Secy & Registrar Carried

### Reports of Committees.

Mrs Shirley reported having turned over to Mrs Shelley \$54.30 taken in for meals served <sup>during</sup> the fair.

Paid out \$6.00

Mrs Shelley turned over to Treas. \$9.85 cash taken in for cream and cake and dinner & supper on the above mentioned day.

Miss Lytle having taken \$33. paid out 23.65 bal \$10. on her day.

Motion made and carried that Miss Lytle be given a rising vote of thanks.

The Chairmans on the other days I not having made any report the complete profit on the dinners has not yet been reported.

Mrs Sarah E. Dickson widow of a Confederate Veteran was reported in destitute circumstances. Mesdames Tract. Kelso & Halton was appointed to investigate same.

Mrs Bowles reports having having ordered sample song book for our choir.

Names presented for membership

Presented by Miss Reynolds

Miss Annetta Saffron  
209 Evergreen St.

Mrs Alfred J. Evans  
121 W. Maple St.

Motion made and carried that Mr. Pro. Corlaine be given a vote of thanks for his compliment of Corlaine orchestra this for the afternoon.

Association followed the business meeting.

Mrs J. D. Meinen the president elected for the 4th term informs the chapt that in account of having to be absent from the city many much of the coming year according to news just received by telegraph from her husband, tenders her resignation as president.



The announcement  
we all love and respect is a  
great disappointment to the  
Chapter.

A motion was made and carried  
that the resignation be laid over  
until next meeting.

Vivian Shirley Secy.

## Yearly Reports of Officers.

Oct. 6-1905.

### 1. Report of Secretary.

During the past year the Barnard  
C. Bee Chapter has held 21  
regular and 1 called meeting,  
all of which have been held  
at the residence of our president  
Mrs. Quinn, thus saving \$33.00  
rent for our meetings alone.  
At each meeting our historian  
Mrs. Northrup has presented  
interesting and instructive  
literary programs. Her store  
house of deeds of bravery and  
patriotism of our country  
seems to be inexhaustible as she  
is ready on every occasion with  
some thing new.

We have contributed  
to many appeals of charity.  
To the Girls Industrial School  
\$1.00

N. Y. N. D. C. chapter of Columbus  
Ohio for memorial Decoration \$2.50

Confederate Veterans Home \$100.00

John Morgan Monument \$5.00

Donor in Richmond \$1.00

N. Y. N. D. C. of N. Y. for Mrs. Davis \$1.00

\$7.00

We have been placing the picture  
of Gen Lee and President Davis  
in the public schools.



All Honor Days have been observed with appropriate ceremonies.  
Oct 8 - Judge Regan's birthday was celebrated with a reception at the home of our president Mrs. Simon on which occasion she presented the Veterans of Albert Sidney Johnsons Camp with crosses of honor.

Jan - Gen. Lee and Jackson Celebration was held at the residence of Mrs. McElannahan Mar. 23 - McElure was celebrated with a reception at the residence of Mrs. Aldridge on which occasion we had the pleasure of having with us Mrs. who was a personal friend of Mrs. McElure and members of the same chapter.

May 7 - Mrs. Davis birthday a beautiful reception was given our honorary members at the home of our president. This home so well known for its gracious hospitality was appreciated more than upon this occasion, when we had with us our honored members. The red and white were in evidence everywhere, delicious refreshments were served by our young ladies. Souvenirs of the occasion were presented by Mrs. Northrup.

June 3 - President Davis birthday was celebrated with a reception and lawn fete at the residence of our president.

For our Southern Cross Quilt entertainment for which we are indebted to our young ladies and Vet. of U. S. Johnsons Camp we realized the sum of \$42.51.

In Oct. a reception was given at the studio of Mr. Toppini complimentary to the committee from the chapter in Palestine who were here to inspect the statute of Judge Regan representing the lost cause.

A surprise party was given to Mr & Mrs Toppini on their return from abroad.

Total increase in membership 14.  
Those who have been made honorary members this year are Mesdames Wright, Alexander, Minor, Kaufman, Caldwell, Carson, and Fly.

Associate members  
Mrs. White & Mrs. Toppini.  
Mrs. White was made an associate member for having donated so liberally to our Womans Home in Austin. Mrs. Toppini for having presented the bust of our past State president Mrs. Dibell to the chapter for the home in Austin, also to the chapter the busts of Gen. Lee, Jackson, Johnson.



The grim reaper has claimed 7  
of our esteemed members viz.  
Miss Anna Tait, Miss Mitchell  
Mrs P. Thardine Mrs Hal Howard  
Mrs Ed Buckley, Mrs. Fuson,  
Mrs Robert Trayler, Mrs L. Harrington

It is the intention of the chapter  
to work for a home of our own  
the coming year. Our deceased  
member Mrs Thardine having  
willed the Chapter \$5.00, and that  
with the amount we have in the  
treasury will be a neat little sum  
to start our home fund

The progress of the chapter during  
the past year has well as the two  
years previous, has been largely due  
to our beloved president Mrs  
Quinn, who through out the  
three years in which she has  
served us in this capacity, has  
displayed increasing enthusiasm  
and untiring devotion for the  
cause she so dearly loves

Mrs J. A. Shirley  
Secy.

Yearly report of the  
of Board of P. & C. Chapter  
N. D. C.  
for the year ending Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1908.

Number of letters written	31
" " invitations on	
post cards, birthday cards etc.	30
Circular letters to all schools	30
Total	94

Respectfully Submitted  
Pessie Long  
Cor. Secy.

Yearly report of Treasurer.  
To Balance Bank Oct 1, 1907 - \$336.46  
Perk. Dues, badges & fees 100.65  
" from Mrs Wagmaker for  
burial of Mrs Lee 5.00  
" " Mrs. Houston " " 2.50  
" " " " " " 45.25  
" " " " " " 176.30  
" " Fairfield " " " 1.00  
" " M. Howard for Ky. monument 1.00  
" " Mrs Chas Peterson " 1.00  
759.16

Paid Churches & various checks 583.63  
" Mrs McLean for Southern drill 57.30  
" Various small acts 9.70  
649.63

Balance in bank Oct 1, 1908 \$109.53  
Mrs Geo. Chamberlain holds check for 35.00  
for Cemetery Committee which has not.  
When it is cashed will leave a bal of 84.53

Mrs Bent Taylor  
Treasurer.



## Yearly report of Historian.

In reviewing the work of the past year we have cause to feel proud of our efforts in a literary way. Not only have we participated in an entertaining literary program at each meeting, but we have enlarged materially upon this branch of work.

No cause in our <sup>christianity</sup> branch of work has been more faithfully observed than that which declares for education in Southern literature.

Aiming that there is no more effectual way of instilling patriotism into the hearts of our children than by placing before them portraits of the great men of the South, the very names of whom is the synonym of patriotism and loyalty, and whose example is worthy of imitation we have during the past scholastic year placed in the public schools of our city nineteen portraits of General Lee and six of President Jefferson Davis, and on each occasion principals and pupils seemed alike enthused over the appropriate programs that were intended to impress upon the exalted character of the heroic figures placed before them.

Two poems and one essay have been added to our collection of Confederate data as results of the literary contests arranged by our chapter for benefit of the school children.

The poems, "The Confederate Soldier,"

and "The birthday of President Davis," were contributed by Miss Harriet Ford of the High School.

The essay on the life and character of Jefferson Davis was contributed by Arthur Donaldson of Bowie School.

As further evidence of interest manifested in our literary work it affords me great pleasure to add that two of our talented members, Misses Emma Mescott and Janie Baskin, have contributed an essay and a Poem to the State literary contests.

While busily engaged in promoting the welfare of our chapter in every feature of its work, we have not been unmindful of those who have sorrowed. The records show that the threshold of the home of twenty-one of our members and to each a letter of condolence from our chapter has been sent, also to our President General Mrs. Cornelia Branch Stone, who suffered the loss of an only son.

Aside from the affliction of our members, in common with the whole South, we have mourned the loss of two honored and beloved officers of the Confederacy, Generals Stephen D. Lee and A. P. Stewart, also the widow of General Braxton Bragg who recently died at her home in New Orleans.

"In sacred trust the Luthland holds  
Her dead, who loved her glorious gray,  
And fondly to her breast she clings



Her children as they pass away."

Mrs J. H. Harkness.  
Historian

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Oct. 10-1908

The Barnard E. Bee Chapter  
N. D. E. held a called meeting at  
the residence of the president Mrs  
J. D. Quinn.

The following ladies present.  
President Mrs Quinn, 3rd Vice Pres.  
Mrs Henderson, 4th Vice Pres.  
Mrs Evans, Secy. Mrs Shirley.  
Historian Mrs Harkness, and Mrs  
Heilig, with the proxy vote of Mrs  
Maurer and Mrs Shelly.

The president called the meeting  
to order at 9 A. M.

The object of the meeting was to  
consider the purchase of the  
property known as 115 & 113-3rd St.  
The lot is 50 x 141 ft. with a 20 ft. alley in  
rear. The house is a 9 room adobe with  
an servants house in back.

The price of this property is \$8500.00  
\$500. to be paid by Nov. 1- the bal.  
\$2000. per year 7% int.

The president reports having paid \$200.  
earnest money, which action was approved  
by the chapter, also that she has had the  
advice of several disinterested real  
estate men as to the value of the place.

After a lengthy discussion a motion  
was made by Mrs Heilig 2nd. by all  
present that we buy this place.  
Unanimously, carried.

Ways and means of raising the money

description of property



was discussed and at the suggestion of Mrs Shirley it was decided to issue life memberships for \$25.

Mrs Quinn & Monseratte gave their names for membership.

A letter was read from Mrs Sibell in regard to donations to the Arlington Monument.

Letter and \$2.00 received from Mrs Looney donation to home in Austin.

Letter read from matron of home in Austin in regard to the cow donated through this chapter in which she states that on account of having no one to milk her that she must not be sent. The meeting closed with all pledging themselves to use their best efforts in raising money for our home.

Miss Shirley Secy.

Oct 20, 1908.

The regular meeting of the Barnard E. The Chapter N. D. C. was held at the residence of the president Mrs J. D. Quinn.

Officers present 11 Absent 2.

Opening prayer.

Minutes of the last regular with those of the called meeting read and approved as read.

Financial business.

Report of Treasurer.

Receipt of last meeting	\$6.35
for dinners	\$135.00
Total	\$141.35

Disbursements

Carnest money on home	\$200.00
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State dues	28.20
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Texas room in Va	1.00
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Total	229.20
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Bal in bank	\$21.88
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Report of committees.

Mrs Shirley reports on price of notice of due blanks as follows: 500 blanks for \$1.75 Record and due book \$5.00

Mrs Quinn reports that the case of charity reported at last meeting viz. Mrs. Beah Dickerson had been sent to the hospital. Mrs. Halton on this committee reports not having been able to locate her.



## Communications

Letter from singing school in entertainment in regard to date of same.  
It was decided to have the entertainment on Nov. 27.

Letter read from Judge Pierson thanking the chapter for letter sent to him.

In answer to a petition sent to Judge Quinn in regard to our president's resignation a very flattering letter was received, and although sugar coated our request was refused much to the disappointment of the entire chapter.

Mrs Turkey made the request which was unanimously seconded that the president allow her resignation to be tabled for a few months, which she most graciously consented to do.

## New Business.

Mrs Spencer <sup>drops</sup> states that the poem written by our poetess Mrs Jordan to Mrs Washburn be published and sold for the benefit of the home. It was decided to have 100 of them and to be sold at 15 cts each. Mrs Jordan to attend to same.

Mrs Riley announced that she is going to have a sale of old furniture which she expects to have

donated for the purpose and expects to realize a good sum for the home.

Mrs Quinn reports that Mrs Miller will give a tea under the auspices of the chapter and that Mrs McLean will furnish the refreshments.

Mrs Turkey reports that the tenant who now occupies the home wishes to rent the back part of the house and offers us \$30. for same.

Delegates appointed to the National convention to be held in Atlanta Ga. Nov. 12, 13, 14. were Mrs J. D. Quinn, Mrs L. E. Cotton, Mrs W. Nelson and Mrs W. Spencer.

Delegates to the State convention were Mesdames Kirkpatrick, Shirley, Kayton, Riley, Halton, Quinn, Lordclady, Browning, Turkey, Cotton, <sup>Miss</sup> Reynolds and

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Mrs Shirley and Nelson were the only ones appointed the balance to be named latter.

Mrs Quinn having resigned as chairman of executive committee

Delegates to  
National Convention  
in Atlanta  
Ga.



Mrs. Allardice was appointed in her place.

Miss Long reports the Butthorn Hall can be secured for our entertainment for \$30.

A motion was made and carried that we engage this hall.

Mrs. Spenser suggest that a letter of condolence be sent to Mrs. Houston on death of her niece, also one to Mrs. Longford which suggestion was adopted.

On suggestion of the president little Miss (Ross) McKim was chosen mascot for our chapter.

Motion was made and carried that a vote of thanks be given to Mr. Meyer for the loan of dishes used at our dinner, also to the little Miss <sup>Wilson</sup> Houston and Master

Kayton for their assistance in waiting on the tables.

Names given for membership

Miss Emma Holmgren 207 Waverly <sup>St. Louis</sup>  
Mrs. John B. Stafler 326 W. Park Ave.

Presented by Mrs. Holmgren

Miss Burnice Spindall (Van Dyke St.)

Mrs. Elizabeth Carnal 1110 Nolan St.

Presented by Mrs. J. A. Shirley.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Willie Shirley Secy.

A motion was made and carried that \$5.00 be given to the Arlington Monument fund.

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Nov. 3-1908.

The regular meeting of the B. C. Chapter W. D. C. was held at the residence of the president Mrs. J. D. Quinn, who called the meeting to order at 3:30 P. M.

Opening prayer read by Mrs. Spenser.

Roll call of officers.  
Present 8 Absent 5.

Minutes of previous meeting read, corrected and approved as corrected.

Financial Business  
Report of Treasurer.

Paid out since Oct 8.  
Mrs. Wheeler for State dues & program in Va. \$29.20

Sherkey and Rose earnest money 200.00

Paid in, checks 45.55

Oct 28 Sherkey & Rose " " 200.00

Mrs. East charity for Mrs. Dickerson 2.50



Secretary for stamps	1.50
Total	\$478.75
Received for Mrs Miller tea	74.50
Dues received at this meeting	
Mrs. A. W. Houston	8.00
Miss B. Houston	1.00
Mrs. Phil Wright & initiation	1.50
Mrs. Martin Wright & "	1.50
Mrs. Nicolase dues to Oct-05-	4.90
Mrs. Mary Howard "	1.00
Mrs. W. Combs "	1.00
Mrs. Crouch "	1.00
	\$12.50
Donations for home	
Mrs. Harry Traylor	\$3.00
Mrs. Hilleg	5.00
Sale of premiums	2.00
Miss Miesot <del>dues</del> for Miller tea	1.00
Mrs. R. B. Ladden dues to Oct-09-	1.00
Total receipt of meeting	\$24.50

### Report of committee.

Mrs. Jordan reports having had the poem to Mrs. Northrup printed 200 for \$5.00 Mrs. Clark donated 50 making a total of 250 poems which are to be sold for 5cts each.

Mrs. Jordan having had one framed, presented it to the chapter for which she was given a rising vote of thanks.

Mrs. Tracht made report on charity case of Mrs. Dickerson, for which she was given an order on treasurer for \$5.00.

Mrs. Tracht was appointed to attend to the necessary papers required to get Mrs. Dickerson in the home in Austin. Mrs. Howard donated 1.00 for Mrs. Dickerson.

### Communications.

Miss Long read letter in regard to the singing school entertainment.

It was decided to fix the price of this entertainment at 25 cts for children 50 cts for adults. The raised seats on the sides also the three first rows in the balcony be reserved 10 cts extra.

### Committee appointed.

Printing comm. Mrs. Riley & Robert.  
Press comm. Mrs. Jordan & Miss Long.  
Com. to secure boarding house for leader and wife Mrs. Tulemeyer & Mrs. Roberts.

Names presented for membership

Mrs. Tulemeyer presented the names of Mrs. Elizabeth Goff for a social member.

Mrs. P. Wright, M. Wright, W. Combs & Mrs. Kate Murg Black presented application blanks duly filled, sub and are now registered.



members of the chapter.

New Business.

Yearly Committee for 1909.

Membership committee

Mrs. Emma Spencer, Riley & Roberts.  
Visiting sick committee,  
Mrs. Emma Hillispe, Turkey, & Evans.

Mrs. Maurers tea to be given for  
the benefit of the home was announced  
for Friday 13.

Mrs. Riley on behalf of the  
members of Burnard & C. B. C.  
Chapter presented our beloved  
president Mrs. Quinn with a  
pin, an emblem of our order as  
a small token of love & esteem &  
appreciation of her devoted loyalty  
& untiring work during the past  
three years.

Mrs. Quinn in a few well chosen  
words thanked the chapter for this  
token & stated that her success was  
due to the support given her by the  
members.

Mrs. Bowles & Miss Lytle were  
appointed to solicitate funds for  
Mrs. & Mrs. Hutchison.

No further business the meeting

adjourned and was followed by  
the literary program.

Mrs. J. A. Shiley Secy.

Nov. 19, 1908.

The regular meeting of the B. C.  
Bee Chapter No. D. C. was held  
at the residence of the president  
Mrs. J. D. Quinn.

Meeting called to order by  
the president at 3.30 P. M. after  
which the 1st. Vice Pres. Mrs. C. C.  
Spencer took the chair.

Roll call of officers.  
Present 9. Absent 4.

Minutes of previous meeting  
read and approved as  
read.

Financial Business.

Receipt of last meeting	\$4.50
Received since last meeting	
Mrs. Geo. Smith dues to Oct. 18-	3.50
Miss C. Cotton " " "	2.00
Mrs. H. C. McClary " " "	2.80
Mrs. C. B. Brockaway " " 190	5.00
" F. M. Hicks " " 08.	3.00
Donation to home Mrs. Peeler	25.00
Mrs. Millers tea	2.00
	<u>\$67.80</u>

Paid out since last meeting	
Mr. Phil care of secretary	1.00
Mr. Longford Charity	3.50



General Fund \$38.30  
Total 32.70

Mrs. Tuhmeyer having presented the name of Mrs. Goff for an associate or social member at last meeting and no action having been taken on same, it was brought before the chapter and after a lengthy discussion it was decided to abide by the ruling of the Pres. Gen. Mrs. Stone, which she sent to the chapter on this question a short time ago, and in which she states that it is against the by-laws of the organization to make or confer such membership, except in very rare cases.

A motion was made by Mrs. Geo. Chamberlain that Mrs. Goff be informed of this ruling, and although we cannot receive her as an associate or member, invite her to our meetings and social gatherings. Carried.

### Reports of Committees.

Mrs. Quinn reports that Mrs. Dickerson declines the protection of the Home in Austin.

Mrs. Chamberlain reports on cemetery, stating that the cemetery is badly in need of a new fence. On account of the small number present, no action was taken on same.

Mrs. Mauser reports on tea given at her home and turned over to secy. \$19.35

Mrs. C. A. Johnson, having recently passed away, a motion was made and carried that a letter of sympathy be sent to the family. Mrs. Northrup to write same.

Letter read from the Bowie School Mothers Club in which they thank the chapter for President Davis picture.

Receipt of meeting  
From Mrs. Spencer \$4.00  
Mrs. Hicks dress to Oct. 28 3.90  
" Brockaway 5.00  
" B. H. Anderson 3.00  
" Mauser Tea 19.35  
Total \$35.15

On account of the singing school committee the meeting adjourned without the literary program.

Mrs. J. A. Shirley  
Secy.



Dec. 7, 1908

Tuesday - Dec 1st 1908. Grand  
P. Post Chapter U. S. G. met  
at the home of the president  
Mrs J. D. Quinn South Omaha  
St.

The meeting was called to order  
by the first vice Pres. Mrs Spence  
at 3:40 P. M.

Mrs J. M. Bennett paid dues  
\$5.00 Receipt from Secy. layed  
over until next meeting, as no  
provision was made to have  
same on the desk.

Here some discussion was made  
by the presiding officer in  
regard to the right of the secy.  
had in giving these receipts.

saying it was only the treasurer  
right. Mrs. Kayton suggested  
that all other well organizations  
kept this rule. The presiding officer,  
where being informed that this  
rule was unanimously voted upon  
by the chapter after our last election,  
read in regard to same, under  
our constitution and by laws.  
However no action was taken to the  
contrary.

Mrs. Tulemeyer turned over to  
our Treasurer \$20.00 as gift on the  
U. S. G. Home fund, from Mr  
Will Sullivan.

Mrs. Kayton makes the motion

duly seconded that the corresponding Secy. be instructed to write  
a letter of thanks to Mr  
Sullivan.

Mr. Colbourn as a representative  
from the Albert Sidney Johnston  
Camp, U. S. V., was present and  
discussed with presiding  
officers and daughters present  
in regard to meeting with  
the Veterans at the U. S. V.  
Hall, and commemorating the  
memory in some appropriate  
or suitable manner the anniversary  
of the death of our beloved  
president Jefferson Davis.

Mr. Colbourn made inquiry  
in regard to his cross of honor,  
stating that he had applied  
to this chapter for same about  
five months ago. Mrs. Bowler  
explained that she had heard  
our chapter officers complaining  
of the negligence of our state  
president records. She also  
recalled to mind that perhaps  
Mr. Colbourn's name was called  
by our president at the last  
presentation of crosses, as several  
names were called and only  
one veteran responded.

Mrs. Northrup ask for stamps,  
an order for same was left over  
until next meeting.  
Resolutions of condolence to Mrs.



Albert Burke on the death of her husband, was read and handed in by Mrs Northrup.

Mrs Surkey was present and was ask if she could give any information in regard to the home. She reported that Mr Surkey was to see Mr Harriman today and ask for an extension of ten days time if not granted Mrs Surkey would at least make a strenuous effort to save the chapter their \$400.00 earnest money.

Mrs Surkey ask that no action be taken on her report during our presidents absence.

Mrs Northrup ask that the visiting committee be informed of the illness of Mrs Smith, mother of Mrs Jackson.

Mrs Bowles asked that some attention be given to an old and one time good worker Mrs. Norman on Omaha St.

The meeting closed with a reading by Mrs Northrup on Confederate & Charleston and a piano solo Dixie, by Mrs Bowles.

Mrs J. Bowles  
Secy. pro tem.

Resolutions of Condolence to Mrs Albert Burke on the death of her husband.

Where as It has pleased a loving and all wise Providence to call from his earthly labors the husband of our beloved friend and co worker, Mrs Albert Burke:

Resolved, that we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That we tender the bereaved family our deepest sympathy, and pray that God may fulfill his precious promises unto each one of them, and that they <sup>all</sup> may form an unbroken circle in our Fathers home above.

Resolved That these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, and a copy spread upon the minutes.

With kindest sympathy

Mrs J. D. Gurnea.

Mrs C. H. Northrup.

Mrs E. C. Spencer.

Miss Bessie Long.

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December 12, 1908.

Barnard C. Bee Chapter, N. D. C.  
held their regular meeting at the  
residence of the president Mrs  
J. D. Quinn. Meeting called to  
order by the president at 3.30 P.M.  
Opening prayer read by Mrs  
Spencer.

Roll call of officers.

Present 8 Absent 5.

Minutes of previous meeting read  
and approved as read.

Financial Business.

Report of Treasurer.

Mrs. Talmage, donation of Mr	
Will Sullivan for N. D. C. Home	\$30.00
Mrs. Bennett dues	5.00
Sutton & Ross refund of earnest money	350.00
Mrs. Langford dues to Oct-1-08.	3.90
Mrs. Vandervoort " " " "	2.00
	\$380.90

Disbursements.

Mrs. Northrup for stamps	\$1.00
Langfords for groceries	3.50
Mr. Phil care of cemetery	1.00
Bugher ice cream used at dinners	17.50
Total	\$23.00

Report of Committee.

Mrs. Shirley as one of the delegates  
to the Convention held in Turill Dec.  
1st 2nd & 3rd inst. made the report of  
same.

Mrs. Powell the delegate to the National  
Convention held in Atlanta Ga. Nov. 08

made an interesting report of same  
for which she was given a rising  
vote of thanks.

Mrs. Quinn made the following  
report of the singing school entertain-  
ment.

By cash to Iske Bros 30yds hunting	\$1.50
Express Publishing Co.	1.90
Loderic Printing Co.	13.75
Fee for accompanist	10.00
Services of Miss Gussie Rowley	30.00
Rent of Hall & hands	25.00
Express Publishing Co.	1.85
Am't turned over to Secy.	\$82.75
received by Secy at meeting for tickets	
Mrs. Reynolds	2.00
Mrs. Henderson	2.50
Mrs. Veyton	1.25
Mrs. Roberts	2.20
Mrs. Lovelady	.50
Mrs. Heileg	2.00
Mrs. Bables	.75
Mrs. Maurer	1.25
Mrs. T. J. May	4.20
Total amt for entertainment	\$99.40
Sale of premiums	.95
Mrs. Gillespie dinner & raffle on cake	3.85
Mrs. Maurer tea	1.50
Mrs. Roberts dues to Oct. 1-08.	.50
Mrs. Lamm " " " "	1.00
Total receipt of meeting.	\$106.20

The Registrar. Mrs. Halton, a committee  
was appointed to call on her and  
request that she try and be present  
at our meetings as it is very necessary

Singing School entertainment



for all officers to be present at our meetings.

The Committee appointed were Madeline Riley and Jordan. The Registrar coming in during the discussion said that on account of her mother being ill she had not been able to attend the meetings but that she would try and be present in the future.

Names presented for membership.  
Mrs W. B. Carrier of 215 Carson St.  
Presented by Mrs Kayton.  
Miss Helen Lytle Co. Macon & Jackson St.  
Miss Julia Moore presented by  
Mrs Northrup.

Mrs Looney who is a member of the U. D. C. from Indian Territory wishes to become a member of B. C. B. Chap. a motion was made by Mrs Kayton that she be instructed that it will be necessary for her to write and get a transfer card from her chapter and when same is presented to our chapter we will be glad to receive her as a member.

### Communications.

Letter of thanks for Gen. Lee's picture received from Committee of High School.

Letter received from Matron of U. D. C. Home in Austin, asking

for wool blankets for Mrs Whitaker. Mrs Guinn kindly donated same to be sent for Imash.

Cor. Secy. instructed to write letter of thanks to Mr. J. J. Thomas, Mr. Sullivan & Sharrer for their donations to our home.

Mrs Guinn reports a message received from Mrs Stiel of Backersridge School, Sectioning Pres Davis picture.

Mrs Guinn, Alledye Riley and Jordan were appointed as a committee to wait on the School Board in regard to same. This is the only school that has objected to the placing of these pictures in the school.

Letter of thanks received from Mrs Arnold, principal of Milan School.

Unfinished Business.  
The question of getting a hall was again discussed and at the request of our president we decided to continue meeting at her home.

No further business the meeting adjourned.

Mrs J. A. Shirley  
Secy.



January 5-1909.

The regular meeting of the Barnard C. B. Chapter was held at the residence of the president Mrs J. D. Guinn. Meeting called to order by the president at 3:30 P.M.

Opening prayer lead by Mrs Schmitt.

Roll call of officers.

Present 10 Absent 3.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

### Financial Business.

Treasurer report having received from Secy at last meeting \$106.20

Bal in bank Jan 5-09 \$439.99

Dues received at this meeting.

Mrs A. C. (B. H.) Custer to Oct 1-08 3.90

" Jane L. Cotton " " " 2.60

" J. T. Nelson " " " 2.00

Mrs Effie Preston " " " 1.00

Mrs Lovelady " " " 2.00

" Holmgren " " " .90

" Warrick " " " 2.90

Total \$15.30

The president reports having received \$50.00 of the earnest money, paid to Durkin and Ross having a bal. of \$50. which they promise to pay soon.

This money is to be placed in the

bank as the home fund and used to purchase a home for the chapter as soon as we find a suitable piece of property.

A motion was made and carried that a rising vote of thanks be given Mr. Durkin and Ross for their liberality in refunding the earnest money that we paid on the property on 3rd St.

Mrs Guinn reports having sent Mrs Whitehead \$5.00 of the entertainment money.

### Communications.

Letter to Mrs Guinn from Mrs Guinn inviting her to the annual reception of the Board.

Letter from Mrs Whitehead acknowledging receipt of blankets & thank Mrs Guinn for same.

Mrs Guinn reports having received a phone message from Mrs Robeson of Custer in regard to Mrs Whitehead stating that they fear her mind is affected and advise that she be placed in the Asylum. The question was discussed at length and a motion was made by Mrs Schmitt and by Mrs Tulemeyer that Mrs Guinn go to



Austin and investigate this matter.  
On motion of Mrs. Tulemeyer  
and Mrs. Henderson that some  
other member accompany the  
past: Mrs. Roberts was selected.

Mrs. Smith the parliamentarian  
being present gave a most interesting  
and instructive drill.

Names presented for membership.

Miss Lucie Dykes of 132 W. Clinico St.  
(presented) by Mrs. Hadden.

New Business.

Jan 19 being Gen. Lee's birth  
anniversary it was decided to  
celebrate it jointly with Gen. Jackson's  
anniversary, with a reception and  
entertainment. Motion made and  
carried that the Rev. Mr. Bergen  
be invited to make deliver an  
address on this occasion.

Mrs. Northrup suggests that  
the school children be invited to  
take part. A motion was made  
and carried that we serve ham  
sandwiches, cake, coffee & chocolate.  
The donations were as follows.  
Cakes.

Mrs. Fields. Mesdames: Halton,  
Hujun, Henderson, Hess, Steel,  
Spencer & Dunlap, Bowles, Sherry.  
Chocolate. Mrs. Channing.  
Coffee. Mrs. Hadden.

Cream. Mesdames Halton & Spencer.  
Ham. Mrs. Wright  
300 bread. Mrs. Lovelady.

A committee composed of Mrs.  
James Northrup, Shinn and  
Spencer was instructed to  
write a letter of condolence  
to Miss Davis on the death  
of her father Dr. Davis, also  
one to Mrs. Jackson on the  
death of her mother Mrs.  
Della F. Smith who died  
Jan 5-1909.

A literary program followed  
the business meeting which  
was a most interesting one.  
A rising vote of thanks was  
given our historian Mrs.  
Northrup to who we are  
indebted for same.

Willie Sherry  
Secy.



Jan. 9 - 1909.

The Forward C. B. Chapter N.D.C. held a called meeting at the residence of the president Mrs. Guinn for the purpose of receiving the report of the committee on the investigation of the charge of insanity against Mrs. Whitehead, an inmate of the Confederate Home in Austin sent there by this chapter.

Mrs. Guinn and Roberts report that while Mrs. Whitehead is very ill according to their judgement, and that of Dr. Roberts who accompanied them, she is not mentally unbalanced. The following are their complete reports.

Jan. 9 - 09.

To the Daughters of the Confederacy  
In obedience to your desire I went to Austin, Tex. Jan. 7, accompanied by Dr. Roberts and wife to investigate the report of the insanity of Mrs. Whitehead who was sent to the Home from San Antonio.

Mrs. Roberts & myself first called at her room & talked with her - she informed us that an effort was being made to put her in the Asylum and begged pitiously to us to prevent it.

After talking with her for some time we saw no signs of insanity, & then vacated the room and sent Dr. Roberts who examined her and reported that she was of

sound mind. We then called the inmates to give their separate opinions. Two of them were positive she was insane and said many things about her, indicating that they disliked her very much. Five of the other inmates said they thought she was not crazy - but had a very high temper. We were informed by one that knew that the superintendent of insane asylum had visited her as also other physicians who pronounced her of unsound mind - also that they were sure the trustees intended having her removed to the Asylum.

We also learned that the lady had been in very bad health for some time and had been quite a deal of trouble from this and inability. My view of the case is, as that of Mrs. Roberts. This unfortunate lady is not a subject for the asylum, and that it would be wrong to send her there. And that this chapter should, respectfully so state the board of Trustees and say to them that in case they hold that she is insane, that they so state, but notify this chapter of their conclusions, and in that event we ask them to have her sent back to us so we can have her put at the St. Francis Home from where we took her.

Mrs. J. I. Guinn.

Mrs. Roberts who accompanied Mrs. Guinn

Report of the committee on investigation of Mrs. Whitehead's mental condition.



read the following report.

The committee arrived at Austin at 11 A. M. and proceeded directly to the home. Were met by Mrs. Liles who entertained us and presided at a very enjoyable dinner, after which Mrs. Liles called the inmates together and Mrs. Guinn questioned them concerning the report they had made to Officials, of the possible if not probable unbalanced mental condition of Mrs. Whitehead.

The ladies gave their views of the case as follows:

Mrs. Finney, Julia Jackson Chapter H. W. O. W. said she considered Mrs. Whitehead dangerous and mentally unbalanced and it was her opinion that she should be placed in some other institution.

Mrs. Murchison of Thimmar Chapter, said "Mrs. Whitehead had a fiery temper and when angry would be capable of almost any act of cruelty, also considered her mentally wrong."

The five other ladies present,

Mrs. Edwards, Pat Ceburn Chapter, Ceburnes,  
Mrs. Taylor, Woodall & Lloyd Chapter,  
Taylor,

Mrs. Ballw San Marcos

Mrs. Chambers Crossland and

Mrs. Mc Cartey said they thought Mrs. Whitehead very quick tempered,

annoying and at times disagreeable but not dangerous and were not at all afraid of her.

Mrs. Liles said that Mrs. Whitehead had

been examined by three expert Drs. pronounced mentally unbalanced, and advised that she be placed in a sanitarium.

Later we were told by Mrs. Liles that three of the Trustees had determined that Mrs. Whitehead should be removed from the home.

Signed Mrs. Roberts.

After a discussion a motion was made by Mrs. Bingham & July 2nd. That the Secy. be instructed to write a letter to the State President and Board of Directors informing them of the case and ask that the pres. call a meeting of the board to investigate same and request as many of them as possible to be present. Carried.

Motion made and carried that Dr. Roberts be given a vote of thanks for his kindness in accompanying the committee to Austin.

Motion made and carried that the committee's expenses of \$8.50 be allowed.

Mrs. Allred's report that Mrs. Lemons' application to the home, having been favorably acted upon, Mrs. Lemons will leave in a few days for Austin.

A motion was made and carried that she be given \$5.00 for B. & F. fare etc.

Mrs. Lemons who is a charming old lady being present the Daughters had an opportunity of wishing her a peaceful and happy life in the Home.



Receipt of meeting 30 cts for picnic.

Mrs John A. Shirley  
Secretary.

Jan 19 1909.

The regular meeting of the Barnard & Bee Chapter N. D. B. was held at the residence of the president Mrs J. D. Quinn who called the meeting to order at 3:30 P. M.

Roll call of Officers.

Present 4. Absent 9.

Minutes of last regular meeting also of call meeting read and approved as read.

Communications.

Secretary read letter from Mrs Daffan State President in answer to one directed written by secy. in regard to having Mrs Whitehead placed in the reglurn. and having a call meeting of the board.

Mrs Daffan states that it will be impossible to call a meeting now as the members reside in different portions of the State. She also states that the Board of Directors do not control the affairs of the Home but that the Board of Managers of the Home who are elected by the Directors

look after the Home. A questionnaire of this board reside in Austin.

Letter received from Jefferson Texas R. E. Lee Chapter no 872 asking for a donation of \$1.00 or more to assist them in their work of improving their park.

Motion made by Mrs Northrup and Mrs Bowler that we send \$1.00

Mrs Northrup reports that we need more photos of President Davis and advises that we purchase 12 more. This was carried.

Letter received from Mrs J. K. Collins who writes in answer to a notice of dues sent her, and states that she as well as her daughter, Miss Lillian Burn, resigned their membership several years ago. Our books do not show that any such resignation was ever received or acted upon.

Letter of thanks was received from Miss Laura Davis in answer to resolutions of sympathy sent her on the death of her father Dr. Davis.

Letter received from Mrs Geo. M. Edgar in regard to an entertainment & lecture on the character & achievements of Stonewall Jackson. No action was taken on this by