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OF THE

HENRY WATSON

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

LIBRARY OF BALTIMORE

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WILSON BUILDING, 301 N. CHARLES STREET

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“Anything that touches the life of children, that deals with the beginning of life, cannot help being hopeful. It is as if you should drop something into the fountain which should rush on in the stream and go into the fields and make them richer. It is a joy to do something which shall not merely touch the present, but shall reach forward to the future.”

“He who helps a child helps humanity, with a distinctness which no other help given to human creatures can possibly give.”

—PHILLIPS BROOKS.



*Gift of
Henry Watson Children's Aid
Society*

The Aim of The Children's Aid Society.

To have up-to-date information on all matters of importance touching the welfare of destitute or neglected children.

To co-operate effectively with other charitable agencies.

To try to improve the condition of each child **within its home**, and to prevent the separation of families as far as is consistent with the welfare of the children.

To give to each child that has to be taken from its natural home real family life.

How to Further the Work of The Children's Aid Society.

By consulting the Society as to the disposition of destitute or neglected children.

By becoming a visitor for a home library.

By urging childless families to receive homeless children.

By becoming a subscriber of money, or a donor of clothes, books, or toys.

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1902-1903.

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Miss Isabelle Evans,
Miss Charlotte Glenn,
Miss Annie Hall,
Miss Frances E. Hartley,
Miss Grace Keech,
Mrs. M. C. Loney,
Miss Nola McKinney,

Miss Gertrude Mann,
Miss Miller,
Miss Beulah Register,
Miss Minnie Simon,
Miss Florence Small,
Miss Edith Stabler,
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Miss Fanny Turnbull.

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Mrs. John M. Glenn.

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Visiting Agents,

MISS EDITH P. FOULKE,
MISS ANTOINETTE MOORES.

Visitor and Collector,

MISS NELLYE LEE DETRICK.

Clerk,

JOHN ECKSTORM.

Linden House, 1205 Linden Avenue.

Matron,

MISS ANNIE K. SPALDING.

TABULATED REPORT OF THE YEAR'S WORK.

Children in free country homes, October 31st, 1901.....	329	
" Linden House, October 31st, 1901.....	8	
" country homes on wages, October 31st, 1901	2	
" boarding homes, October 31st, 1901.....	1	
" members of Home Libraries, October 31st, 1901	182	
Total number of children under oversight of Society, October 31st, 1901.....	522	

DURING THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31st, 1902.

Discharged to relatives or other agencies.....	33	
Became of age.....	19	
Died	3	
Ran away (not recovered)	4	
Total discharged from care of Society.....	59	
Received from parents	30	
" " magistrates.....	36	
" " institutions.....	16	
Total number received	82	
Children in free country homes, October 31st, 1902.....	348	
" Linden House, October 31st, 1902.....	10	
" country homes on wages, October 31st, 1902	3	
" boarding homes, October 31st, 1902.....	6	
" members of Home Libraries, October 31st, 1902	200	
Total number of children under oversight of Society, October 31st, 1902.....	567	

Total number of children received since organization of Society. 3285
Total number of children placed in country homes 2804

IN 1901-1902 CHILDREN WERE PLACED IN THE FOLLOWING INSTITUTIONS:

Orange Grove	1	Hospital for Crippled Children.....	1
Home of the Friendless.....	2	Garrett Hospital.....	4
School for Feeble Minded.....	4	Maryland General Hospital.....	6
House of Refuge.....	2	Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	2
St. Mary's Orphan Asylum.....	1	St. Agnes' Hospital.....	1
St. Antony's Orphan Asylum	1	Thomas Wilson Sanitarium.....	4
St. Paul's Girls' School.....	1	Florence Crittenton Home.....	1
St. Mary's Industrial School.....	1	House of Good Shepherd.....	1



LINDEN HOUSE.
THE RECEPTION-HOUSE FOR OUR CHILDREN.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31st, 1902.

PLACING OUT WORK

During the year 101 children have been placed in free homes in the country; 75 of these were placed for the first time, 20 for the second, five for the third and one for the fourth. Parents have been assisted in finding boarding homes for four children and we have overlooked and found boarding homes for seven others, the Charity Organization Society paying their board.

We now have 348 children in carefully selected homes. All of them except a few special cases have been visited twice during the year and their pastors and teachers have in almost every instance sent in reports.

The school attendance has improved, but in many places throughout the counties has not come up to what it should be. The country people feel that our standard, four and one-half months each year, is very high, many of them not sending their own children so long a time. If we can make them come up to the standard we may indirectly help the children of the farmers as well.

Two visitors have been at work constantly for what is equivalent to nine months each. Their reports are most encouraging; both foster-parents and children are coming to look upon them as their friends and advisers, instead of outsiders coming in to criticise.

Thirteen children have been removed from homes that have turned out to be unfit for them, 11 have been returned because their parents were able to care for them and 36 because the children themselves were unsatisfactory. Of these 36 returned, many are doing very well in their second or third homes; two have been and two more will be placed in the Training School for Feeble-Minded Children at Owings Mills, and eight have been placed in institutions.

Since having two visitors we have been able to visit each home before placing the child, and in the future we hope to be obliged to remove fewer children because the home is unfit. We realize, however, that no matter how fit it may seem when the child is first placed, constant watchfulness is required to know that new influences have not come in which have entirely changed its character.

One thing that has brought the children nearer to us was the sending out at Christmas of Perry pictures with Christmas greetings and to many of them personal letters. The pictures and the letters were much appreciated and we have received many delightful little letters from the children in acknowledgment.

BUREAU OF INFORMATION During the year our advice has been asked touching the disposition of 343 children; 82 of these have been accepted as wards, 19 cared for by parents or relatives, 80 taken into Home Library Groups, and the remainder referred to proper charities.

HOME LIBRARIES During the past winter we had 36, at present 25, with the prospect of three more being opened in the next two weeks. This work has been a great benefit and pleasure to at least 200 children and an influence for good in not only the 36 families in which the meetings were held but in those from which the children came.

During the summer about 600 books were loaned to the Play Ground Association, and we are told added much to the interest and good done to the hundreds of children who came under its influence.

Three hundred and five books have been given to us by the Sunday Schools of the Brown Memorial and Associate Congregational Churches, the Park Avenue Meeting, and by a number of friends of children.

Moving the books so frequently and having them handled by children quite unaccustomed to the care of them, wears them out very quickly. We hope more Sunday schools and many friends will give us books this year.

There are numbers of families needing the use of a library and the influence of a visitor, but we have not the visitors or the books to send.

THE LINDEN HOUSE This is the reception house or temporary home for our wards before they are placed in the country. One hundred and forty-two children have passed through the house in the past year, have been studied to try to see just what is best for them and then have been placed either in homes in the country or in institutions or have been returned to relatives.

All of these children must be clothed and fitted out for their country homes. We have been very much helped in this by the guilds and sewing societies of several of the churches and by two or

three ladies who have sewed for us. We are very grateful for this and hope to get many more interested in this part of our work.

Some very necessary repairs have been made at the house, but it is sadly in need of books, pictures, curtains and the many little things that help to make a place look homelike and pretty. This very beauty and homelike appearance is, we think, one of the essentials to the forlorn child who comes to us, a stranger among strangers.

OUR SOCIETY'S GRADUATES The General Secretary has arranged a list according to counties of all of the children who have come of age in the last eight years—a total of 161.

Of these the foster-parents have been visited or heard from in Baltimore, Cecil and Harford Counties, and in Virginia, and we hope during the next year to visit all of the others.

Of the 75 from these three counties and Virginia, 59 have been heard from; 17 are married, 18 are still living with foster-parents or in their families, 11 are doing very well either in Baltimore or elsewhere, six are doing only fairly well, five are questionable characters, and two are dead. Of the 16 not heard from at all, 10 are probably doing well, but are not in correspondence with their foster-parents, though they have been heard from indirectly from time to time.

It has been a pleasure to receive these reports, showing as they do in most cases how truly the child has become a member of the family and the neighborhood. A letter and a clipping from a newspaper in Virginia, speaking of the death of one of our wards, especially shows this. This young man, 24 years of age, had been with his foster-parents all of the time except seven months since he came of age.

He and his sister were placed here when nine and seven, and the clipping says, "By their gentle and courteous manner, their fidelity and devotion to their foster-parents, their always considerate and courteous treatment of others, these two young people came to be unanimously admired and loved." He was buried from the home of his foster-parents in their family lot in the cemetery. The foster-mother in writing to us of the boy's death spoke most lovingly of him and then said, "As for his sister, she is, I know, one of the loveliest characters in the world and one of my greatest earthly comforts. I know you never sent out from your Society any children who proved more faithful and true than my two."

As our visitor made her rounds in Harford and Baltimore Counties she got such encouraging reports as these :

“ Mary has been most satisfactory; stayed with us for three years after she was eighteen and is now married to a good, industrious man and is living in Baltimore. Her husband is head baker in a bakery.”

“ Bessie is evidently one of the daughters of the house, was very pleasant and cordial; showed me her room, which is very pretty.”

“ Annie, of age in 1894, is still with her foster-parents; received me most cordially, is bright and happy and perfectly at home.”

“ Walter, of age four years ago, is his foster-father's right-hand man; has always been most satisfactory.”

“ Katie, married last year to her foster-mother's brother, is most happy in her cosy little home.”

A foster-mother tells of one of our boys at work in a baking-powder company in Baltimore, getting a good salary, as member of the church and Y. M. C. A., who writes to her regularly, spends his vacations with her and brings his friends to visit with him. She gives him the love and interest of a mother.

Another foster-father speaks with pride of his boy having taken his name, and tells how well he is doing in the paper-hanging business in Baltimore.

Of the 19 who became of age this year, 11 remained with their foster-parents, one married, one has gone to a training school for nursery maids in New Jersey and six are at work in Baltimore, all but one doing fairly well.

CO-OPERATION WITH OTHER SOCIETIES

We feel that decided progress has been made in co-operation. Sixteen children have been turned over to us by other societies to place, viz., by the Home of the Friendless, St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, St. Mary's Orphan Asylum and St. John's School for Boys. The ones from the Catholic asylums were given to us because we had applications from good Catholic homes and no children to place in them; those from the other homes because they considered us better equipped than they are to care for children placed out.

We have also visited 25 children in country homes for the Home of the Friendless, and as they have paid us for this work it has helped us both.

The St. Paul's School for Girls has used us to make investigations for them and has most kindly considered any child whom we have recommended.

The Supervisors of City Charities have been most cordial in their co-operation as has been the Charity Organization Society, the former caring for those city children, who came to us, whom on account of physical defect or complication with relatives we could not place and the latter in boarding children or in the care of them in their own homes. We in turn have been able to relieve the city of the care of at least 30 children in this one year alone.

The General Secretary was appointed a volunteer probation officer and our Society has gladly co-operated with the Juvenile Court in every possible way. The Maryland General Hospital, the Garrett Hospital, and Thomas Wilson Sanitarium, the Hospital for Crippled Children and the dispensaries of the Johns Hopkins Hospital and the Baltimore Eye and Ear Hospital have been most kind in their care of our sick children.

ANNA E. RUTHERFORD,
General Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31st, 1902.

HERBERT M. BRUNE, *Treasurer*, in account with THE HENRY WATSON CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY OF BALTIMORE.

DR.		CR.	
October 31st, 1902.		October 31st, 1902.	
To Interest on Investments	\$4,989 43	By Expenses of Office, viz.:	
To Subscriptions for 1902	2,081 25	Salaries	\$2,519 96
To Board of Children	38 00	Rent, Telephone and Light	135 97
To Visit to Wards of Home of Friendless in Country		Printing, Stationery, Postage, Care and Inci-	
Homes	48 00	dentials	482 15
To Balance Due Treasurer	31 00	Repairs, Office	3 83
			\$3,141 91
		By Expenses, Linden House, viz.:	
		Salaries and wages	\$ 883 00
		Provisions	936 59
		Light and Heat	279 62
		Clothing, Medicines, etc.	465 14
		Furnishing House and Replacements	76 24
		Repairs	479 43
		Incidentals	90 00
		Travelling expenses in Visiting Wards	3,210 02
		Advanced Premium on Insurance Policy for Ward ..	815 00
		Box in Trust Company	5 25
		Insurance, Furniture, Linden House	7 50
			8 00
	\$7,187 68		\$7,187 68

TREASURER'S REPORT,—Concluded.

HOME LIBRARY ACCOUNT.

DR.	CR.
To Balance from last year...\$ 21 18	By paid for Bookcases\$ 20 25
To Subscriptions 17 00	By paid for Books..... 8 84
	By Paid for Carfare, etc. (Picnic) 9 09
\$ 38 18	\$ 38 18

BOARD OF SPECIAL CHILDREN.

DR.	CR.
To Balance from last year...\$ 43 39	By Cash paid for Board for 10 Children.....\$ 360 25
To received from Parents... 159 75	By Cash paid for Clothing.. 20 64
To Amount raised by Charity Organization Society..... 191 75	By Cash Balance on hand... 15 34
To Interest on Account..... 1 34	
\$ 396 23	\$ 396 23

SUBSCRIPTIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31st, 1902.

Abercrombie, David.....\$2 00	Bennett, B. F.....\$3 00
Adler, Charles 2 00	Benzinger, Harry M 1 00
Adler, Mrs. S. J..... 1 00	Betsworth, Mrs. A. E 1 00
Adt, John B 2 00	Bibb, B. C. Stove Co..... 2 00
Ahrens, Mrs. G. A..... 3 00	Black, John..... 5 00
Ahrens, Theo. G..... 2 00	Blankford, Mrs. J. B..... 5 00
Alstrom & Co 1 00	Blum, Philip..... 2 00
Ammidon, Mrs. J. P..... 1 00	Boericke & Tafel 1 00
Appold, L. T 10 00	Bolton, Frank C 2 00
Arens, Mrs. Henry 3 00	Bonaparte, Charles J 5 00
Arens, Miss A. M..... 3 00	Bond, Mrs. Nicholas P 2 00
Armstrong, Cator & Co 3 00	Bond, Mrs. Hugh L., Jr 2 00
Arnold, F. & Son..... 1 00	Bonday, James Jr. & Co 5 00
Arthur, Edw. F 1 00	Boring, John T..... 3 00
Ashburner, Charles H 2 00	Bowdoin, H. J..... 10 00
Atkinson, Dr. I. E..... 2 00	Bowdoin, Mrs. Julia M..... 5 00
Atkinson, Miss Louisa D 5 00	Brackett, Jeffrey R..... 25 00
Bagby, Charles T..... 5 00	Brager, Albert A..... 5 00
Baily, James 2 00	Brennan, Mrs. M. S..... 1 00
Baily, James & Son 2 00	Bridge, Mrs. C. W..... 50
Bamberger, Julius 1 00	Broderick, D. J 3 00
Barnard, Miss Helen 3 00	Brown, Mrs. George Wm 5 00
Bartlett, Mrs. Virginia..... 1 00	Brown, Robert D..... 5 00
Bartlett, E. L..... 5 00	Brown, Arthur George. 5 00
Bealmear, H..... 5 00	Brownell, Miss Jane L 2 00
Beasten, Mrs. Charles, Jr..... 2 00	Brune, Herbert M..... 20 00
Benedict Bros 5 00	Brune, Mrs. Herbert M..... 15 00

Buck, Miss M. C	\$3 00	Cash	\$1 00
Buckler, Wm.	10 00	Cash	1 00
Buckler, Mrs. Wm	5 00	Cash	1 00
Burger, Frederick G.	1 00	Cash	5 00
Burroughs, Horace	5 00	Cash	1 00
Burton, Mrs. Julia M.	1 00	Cash	5 00
Carey, James, Jr.	5 00	Cassell, C. E	5 00
Carey, Mrs. James, Jr.	35 00	Cator, Mrs. Franklin P	5 00
Carey, Thomas I	5 00	Chase, Mrs. Rebecca	1 00
Carter, Miss Alice A	1 00	Chew, Misses	2 00
Carter, Bernard	5 00	Chisolm, Dr. Francis M.	5 00
Carner, Mrs. A. E	1 00	Clabaugh, Albert T.	1 00
Cary, Mrs. John Brune	1 00	Clark, Wm. Bullock (1901)	5 00
Cary, John R	10 00	Clark, Wm. Bullock (1902)	5 00
Casey, Henry V	2 50	Clark, Mrs. Wm. Bullock	2 00
Cash	1 00	Clarke, Mrs. Wm. Wirt	5 00
Cash	1 00	Clendenin Bros.	5 00
Cash	1 00	Clendenin, Joseph	5 00
Cash	1 00	Clotworthy, C. Baker	1 00
Cash	2 00	Clotworthy, W. P	5 00
Cash	1 00	Coady, Charles P	1 00
Cash	1 00	Coale, Wm. Ellis	1 00
Cash	50	Coale, Miss Elizabeth	2 00
Cash	1 00	Cohen, Mrs. J. I	1 00
Cash	2 00	Cohen, Benjamin	1 00
Cash	1 00	Cohen, Lewis J.	2 00
Cash	25	Cook, John	1 00
Cash	50	Cooper, Miss H. F	5 00
Cash	1 00	Corkran, Mrs. Benj. W., Jr	2 00
Cash	1 00	Corning, A. J	1 00
Cash	1 00	Cranwell, James H.	2 00
Cash	1 00	Cromwell, Mrs. Hammond	5 00
Cash	1 00	Cross, Mrs. E. J. D.	2 00
Cash	1 00	Cumberland Coal Co	5 00
Cash	50	Cushing, Miss Annie	1 00
Cash	50	Cuyler, Miss	2 00
Cash	1 00	Dalrymple, Mrs. A. J	2 00
Cash	1 00	Dalsheimer, Mrs. Simon	5 00
Cash	50	Dannenberg, Miss Rosa	2 00
Cash	5 00	Dashield, R. S	1 00
Cash	5 00	Davis, Miss M. D	1 00
Cash	1 00	Davis, Francis A	5 00
Cash	1 00	Denegre, Mrs. John	1 50
Cash	50	Dennis, Mrs. J. T	1 00
Cash	10 00	D——, L. F	25 00
Cash	1 00	Dickey, Miss Elizabeth	5 00
Cash	1 00	Dickey, Charles H.	2 00
Cash	5 00	Dietrich Bros.	2 00
Cash	1 00	Dillehunt, Harry B	5 00
Cash	1 00	Dixon, Mrs. Wm. A	1 00
Cash	1 00	Dixon, Wm. T.	5 00
Cash	1 00	Dobbin, Mrs. Isabel L	1 00
Cash	1 00	Dobler, Mudge & Co	10 00
Cash	1 00	Drey, Sylvan	1 00
Cash	2 00	Dulany, H. S.	5 00
Cash	1 00	Dunn, C. Irvin	1 00
Cash	5 00	Dunn, J. B	2 00
Cash	5 00	Eaton, Miss Mary M.	10 00
Cash	1 00	Eiseman, Mrs. A	1 00
Cash	5 00	Ellicott, Mrs. W. M	5 00
Cash	1 00	Ellicott, Miss Priscilla	1 00

Elliott, Miss Mary	\$.50 00	Harvey, J. W., Jr	\$.50 00
Emerson Drug Co	10 00	Haydock, Miss Sarah G	1 00
Erlanger Bros.	2 00	Hayne, Daniel H.	5 00
Evans, Mrs. C. de L.	5 00	Heighe, John M.	1 00
Evans Marble Co	5 00	Hemmeter, Dr. John C.	2 00
Fassig, Oliver L.	3 00	Hershberg, M. H.	1 00
Feldner, Fred. W	1 00	Hershman, Mrs. J. M.	1 00
Fenhagen, D. C.	1 00	Hilken, Mrs. Henry	2 00
Fidelity & Deposit Co	5 00	Hill, Charles E.	5 00
Field, Dr. F. N.	1 00	Hochschild, Kohn & Co	5 00
Field, Mrs. J. V. L.	1 00	Hoffman, Philip H.	1 00
Finney, Dr. J. M. T.	10 00	Holt, Miss E.	5 00
Fisher, Charles D	50 00	Hopkins, Roger Brooke.	1 00
Fisher, J. Harmanus.	5 00	Hopper, Daniel W.	5 00
Fleming, Robert B.	1 00	Horn, George G	10 00
Flynn, James	1 00	Horn, Mrs. Wm.	1 00
Foster, Mrs. Reuben	2 00	Horner, George A	5 00
Foster Bros. Manfg. Co	2 00	Howard, J. D.	10 00
Foster, E. Edmond	1 00	Howard, Mrs. Charles McH.	5 00
France, Mrs. S. S.	1 00	Hughes, Mrs. Thomas.	5 00
Frank, Mrs. Samuel L.	5 00	Hunting, E. B.	10 00
Frick, Wm. F.	10 00	Hutton, Mrs. G. M.	5 00
Friend	10 00	Hutzler Bros.	5 00
Fuld, Manes.	2 00	Hyde, George W	5 00
Gail, Mrs. G. W	5 00	Hynson, Westcott & Co.	5 00
Gamble, Dr. Cary B., Jr.	1 00	Janney, Dr. O. Edward.	2 00
Gambrill Manfg. Co	5 00	Jencks, Mrs. Elizabeth P.	10 00
Gault, Wm. A.	2 00	Jenkins, Mrs. Joseph W., Jr.	10 00
Gernand, Edward L.	1 00	Jenkins Bros	5 00
Gibbons, James, Cardinal	5 00	Johnson, J. S. Co.	5 00
Gibson, Mrs. George	1 00	Keidel, Mrs. Charles.	5 00
Gibson & Kirk	1 00	Keidel, Henry	5 00
Gibson, Misses M. E. & K.	2 00	Kelly, Dr. Howard A.	5 00
Gilbert, J. L. & Bro.	1 00	Kemp, Lawrence B.	10 00
Gildersleeve, Mrs. Basil.	1 00	Kernan, James L.	5 00
Gilman, Miss Alice.	5 00	Keyser, R. Brent.	25 00
Gilman, Miss Elisabeth.	25 00	Kirk, Henry E.	5 00
Gilpin, Mrs. Henry B.	10 00	Knabe, Wm	10 00
Gilpin, Langdon & Co	5 00	Koppelman, Charles H.	5 00
Glenn, John M.	25 00	Kraft, Mrs. Marie T	1 00
Goddard, H. P.	1 00	Krauss, J.	1 00
Goldenberg, Mrs. M	1 00	Krebs, George L.	5 00
Goldsborough, Charles, Jr.	5 00	Kurtz, John B.	2 00
Gosnell, Mrs. Frank.	5 00	Lacy, Benjamin	5 00
Gottlieb-Bauernschmidt-StrausCo	25 00	Lamping, Clemens.	1 00
Green, Oscar E.	1 00	Lanahan, Miss Helen S.	41 00
Gresham, Le Roy.	5 00	Lanahan, Wm	5 00
Griffin, Edward H.	2 00	Lawford, Jasper M.	5 00
Griffith's, Charles, Sons.	1 00	Lawrence, A. F. & Co.	2 00
Griffith & Turner	1 00	Lemley, Mrs. C. M. C.	2 00
Gruebel, Fred. A.	1 00	Lemmon, J. Southgate.	2 00
Gutman, Joel & Co.	5 00	Levering, Eugene.	5 00
Gutman, Mrs. Joel.	3 00	Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Wm.	5 00
Hall, Mrs. John W	1 00	Liberty Brass Works	1 00
Halsted, Dr. Wm. S.	5 00	Lloyd, A. P.	2 00
Hamilton, Mrs. Elizabeth.	1 00	Loane, Miss Julia.	1 00
Harper, Mrs. C. A.	1 00	Lobe, H. J.	5 00
Hartman, Miss Pamela A.	1 00	Loewy Drug Co.	1 00
Harris, W. Hall.	3 00	Loney & Co	2 00
Harrison, Albert.	1 00	Lowenstein, Mrs. David	3 00
Hartwig & Kemper	5 00	Lowenstein, Mrs. Carrie	1 00

Lowndes, Hon. Lloyd.....	\$5 00	Platt, Dr Walter B.....	\$5 00
Lyon, Cardiff T.....	2 00	Pleasants, Mrs. J. Hall, Jr.....	5 00
McCaddin, Howard.....	2 00	Pleasants, Richard H.....	5 00
McCay, H. Kent.....	2 00	Polk, Mrs. L. C.....	5 00
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