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LOTUS STUDY CLUB

Miss Julia Williams

1927

Lotus Study Club

Organized Oct. 28 1915

January 26

Program Committee

Mrs. Myrtle F. Gorrell

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Mrs. Grace Y. Misch

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God bless you--Ah the blood runs
warm

Then dear lips breath the
prayer is sincere

Keep you safe from hurt or
God bless you thru the year.

Hostess----

Nora McCalment

Response--Tribute to purple and
fine linen from the Bible

The eagle and the vine

Nellie McClain

Parables of the lost sheep,
lost coin and lost son

Surprise Number Sadie DeLong

Nola Smith

Dues Day

February 23

To speak wisely may not always
be easy
But not to speak ill requires
only silence

Hostess-----Nola Smith

Response---Name a worthy woman
of the Bible

Self Control

Lula Barker

Primacy of Love

Ruth Denney

Surprise Number

Ora Briner

March 23

With gladsome hearts we come
Within our holy home
Our Saviors name to sing.

Hostess-----Elma Tudor

Every child has a right to a
faith

Grace Misch

Religious customs in the Bible

(a) Family prayer

(b) Family reading of the

Bible

(c) Grace at the table

Minnie Simon

Surprise Number

Myrtle Gorrell

April 27

Yes, I often think, when reading, that a book is like a friend, And the real ones bear a long acquaintance best, If there's one you love to browse in, countless times without an end, It is yours to keep; it stands the final test.

Hostess-----Lula Barker

Roll Call--My favorite author and one short quotation from his works

Lets hold the family together with books

Hazel Parsons

How to develop a taste for Good reading

Ruth Merritt

Women writers who are equal to men

Hazel McClain

Surprise Number Maude Winnings

May 25

A little more "we"
A little less "I"
A little more laugh-
A little less cry
A little more flowers
On the pathway of life
And fewer on graves
At the end of the strife.

Hostess-----Grace Misch

Roll Call---Name a wild flower

Flowers

- (a) American Roses
- (b) Modern Gladiolas
- (c) State Flowers

Elma Tudor

Decorative use of flowers

Nora McCalmont

Uncle Sams Plant Museum

Ora Brinner

Surprise Number

Hazel McClain

June 22

When Nature wants to drill a man
And thrill a man and skill a man
When Nature wants to mold a man
To play the noblest part;
When she yearns with all her
heart
To create so great and hold a
man
That all the world shall praise
Watch her method, watch her ways.
Hostess-----Minnie Simmons
Roll Call--A personal experience
with a bird

American game birds and game
Laws
Common birds usefull to man
Bird houses
Grace Misch
Bird Intimacies
Audubon and other Societies
Saddle Delong
Surprise Number
Ruth Denney

September 28

Lo, here hath been dawning
Another blue day;
Think, wilt thou let it
Slip useless away.

T. Carlyle

Hostess-----Ruth Merritt
Roll Call--Name a composition
by an Indianian
Any family can learn to
appreciate good music
Nellie McClain

What is Jazz?

Ruth Denney
Leading American Women Composers
Myrtle Gorrell
Solo-----Grace Misch
Surprise Number
Nora McCalment

October 26

I thought I was in heaven, from
the sight and sound and feel;
I doubted very much if I were
sober;
Yet by and by I felt the truth
into my bosom steal-
"There's naught amiss at all,
its just October!"

Hostess-----Ruth Denney

Roll Call--Name a famous
painter and an example of work
What the homemaker should
know about pictures
Maude winnings
American Women Artists
Nola Smith
Surprise Number
Elma Tudor

November 23

After the crops have been
garnered and the apples are
covered with sod,
When the old farm is set for
the winter, let us turn and
give thanks to our God;
Yet not a God who is distant-
not afar in the sky sits He-
But to Him who's within and
around us, who is One with us
all, you and me.

Hostess---Myrtle Gorrell

Roll Call--The number I've
enjoyed most on this years
program
The oldest Club in the county,
its origin and work
Hazel McClain
The oldest house in Washington
township
Nellie McClain
Surprise Number
Ruth Merritt

December 28

Membership

Charter Members:

Mrs. Nellie T. McClain
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Mrs. Sadle DeLong
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Mrs. Nola B. Smith
Mrs. Minnie M. Simmons
Mrs. Myrtle F. Gorrell
Mrs. Ruth B. Denney
Mrs. Ora MCC. Briner
Mrs. Hazel M. Parsons
Mrs. Nora M. McCalment
Mrs. Ruth E. Merritt

Words of ancient prophecy
Are mine to take or leave;
Visions of a golden age
This happy Christmas Eve;
Peace on earth, good will to men-
Oh, dim and holy light!
Little King of all the world,
I share Thy dream tonight!

Hostess-----Hazel McClain

Roll Call--Tribute to Christmas

The first Christmas
Elma Tudor

Stunt by each member

In Memoriam

Mrs. Claudia R. Money

Mrs. Clara S. Hadley