

Executive  
Committee  
Feb. 18, 1960

Those present at the Executive Committee meeting on Feb. 18, 1960 were President & Mrs. Moore, Mr. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wincor, Mrs. Lockwood, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Dyer and Miss Stillwell.

The Secretary's, Treasurer's and Librarian's reports were read and approved.

Mr. Moore reported that he and Mr. Fernald had investigated the costs of installing new bookcases in the upper, Southeast Hall and in the downstairs North Hall and had found that, according to grade, the cost of pine would be either \$205.00 or \$265.00. Since redwood is less likely to "bleed," takes paint equally well, and would cost a sum between the two figures quoted, he said that - in accord with the vote at an earlier meeting - they had authorized Mr. Herbert Pearson to proceed with the work with the understanding that the project would be completed by April 1st.

Mr. Scott reported that he had been unable to get an estimate on a marquee to protect the north door leading to the parking area.

The chairman of the book committee reported that \$550.00 of the \$800.00 of the Federal allotment had been spent for books and that other books were under consideration. Miss Stillwell reported that Cranford Club planned to give the Library a Rhaidon book on art.

As chairman of the Activities Committee she reported that the meeting held on Sunday, January 31st, in honor of our new, 49th State, was a great success. Illustrated talks were given by Miss Alice M. Comstock, who had toured Alaska last summer, and by Miss Helen E. True, who had lived in Alaska for two years or more. It was not a case of standing room only for there was hardly that. Both speakers displayed interesting examples of native crafts; and Mrs. Reid had skillfully constructed a small igloo on an "ice-flow" which, decorated with U. S. and Alaskan