There being no Feb meeting business for both Jan and Feb were taken care of at the March meeting. March 12, 1951 the library board met at the library, with Mrs. Lena Jones the president presiding. Members present Mrs. Redman, Mrs. Truman, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Lycan, Rev. Frances, Rev. Hartwick and Mr. Moss, Members absent Mrs. Stiedell and Mrs. Tatt L. Jones. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. Report of House Committee for Jan and Feb. Read aby Rev. Hartwick. To Harley Phillips for installing new lavatory and repair plumbing $90.27 report accepted. Report of book committee for Jan and Feb. Read by Mrs. Redman.

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| To western news co | books | 149.89 |
| To Doubleday and Co | books | 36.23 |
| Edwin Allern and Co | books | $8.32 |
| total |  | 194.44 |

Report accepted

Report of finance committee read by Mr. Moss library bills for May, June, Aug, Sept, October, November, Dec, Jan and Feb.

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|  |  | $7,305,23 |
| Appropriation for the yr | $11.000 |  |
| Expenditures | $7.305.23 | Report |
| Balance | 3.694.77 | approved |
| Library bills for month Jan and Feb 1957 | | |
| Nina Dulin Russel | Librarians Salary | 400.00 |
| Carolyn Airhart | Asst Librarians Salary | 270.00 |
| Rebeca Jones | Asst Librarians Salary | 90.00 |
| Sherman Walters | Janitor service | 200.00 |
| Western News Co | Books | 149.99 |
| Doubleday and Co |  | 31.23 |
| Edwin Albert and Co |  | 8.32 |
| Harley Phillips | Lavatory and plumbing | 90.27 |
| Liella Cooley | Substitute work | 73.50 |
| total |  | $1318.21 |

Bills were approved

Jan and Feb report continued

Librarians report for Jan and Feb

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| Amount from Tax levy | 39.00 |
| Fines, damages and lost books | 78.76 |
| Rental Col | 63.44 |
| Other services | 116.40 |
| Total | $297.60 |
| Amt spent | $27.60 |
|  | $270.00 |

Moved by Rev. Francis, seconded by Mrs. Truman report be accepted, Motion carried.

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| Total circulation of books for Jan | 1957 |
| Adults | 3.397 |
| Children | 3.203 |
| Pictures, maps etc | 117 |
|  | 6.707 |

Gain of 573 compared with Jan. 1950 Feb. adults 3334 children 2575 pictures maps etc. 98-total 6007 a gain of 111 as compared with Feb 1951 the regional meeting which is to be held at the library April 2 was discussed, Mrs. Russel appointed Mrs. Truman to see Mrs. Yownd at hotel France about the menu for noon meal. There being no other business the meeting adjourned. Neva S. Lycan pro term secy.