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Oct + Nov Only

MINUTES OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING 11/20/72

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Dir. Present: Emerson, Gilloon, McKern, Meyer, Oliver, Robinson, Strauss.
Dir. Absent: Crane, Fox, Franklin, Hoskins, Jennings, Kelley, McGuire, Shanor.
Others Present: Lloyd, Margolis, Swift, Wuerth.

The meeting was called to order at the home of Jane Emerson by Pres. Robinson at approximately 7:45PM. A question was asked concerning the tax item on the Treasurer's report. Swift explained that it had to do with salary withholding tax. Current membership exceeds 400.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Education: There was a general discussion of the passage of Prop. 21. Mrs. Emerson reported that if there is any evidence of discrimination on the part of the SD City Schools, if facts are presented to HEW, that agency will take up the matter. 6th grade camping is a place where possible de facto discrimination may take place in some schools due to students' lack of money or knowledge of availability of campership funds. It was suggested that more than one student from any particular school be encouraged to attend "magnet schools" so that individuals would not feel so alone. A pot luck dinner with Board of Educ. member Johnston will be held at Mrs. Emerson's home on the 2, 3, or 4th Friday of January.

Employment: No new developments.

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BOARD ABSENCES AND VACANCIES

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