Our regular meeting was opened at 2:05 P.M. at the Douglass Center Annex, 804 N. 5th St., Champaign, IL 61820. Prayer by Mrs. Odessa Hudson, followed with everyone singing "Lift Every Voice and Sing." The minutes were read and approved. Correspondence was read by Mary Haywood.

Our annual dues of \$8.00 are due, if you have not paid, please pay today. We need to keep 50 members to be in good standing with National Headquarters. The annual dues are not to be confused with the monthly dues of \$2.00 which are kept to help run the section.

The financial report was approved as read. Mrs. Lucy Gray program chairperson had no definite outline, but she will have a program for each meeting. Anyone interested in joining either the program or membership committee can sign up now.

Mrs. Odessa Hudson, Mrs. Emma Wright, and Mrs. Elaine Copeland have agreed to write by-laws for our section. President Shirley Walker went over what should be in the by-laws.

Mrs. Dorothy Vickers-Shelley checked with the places that we are going to donate items to each quarter. She also passed out sheets with the names and addresses of each place, and what items are needed. Food and clothing are needed for the North Urbana Multi-Service, 811B N. Lincoln, Urbana, IL 61801. We will be donating to them for the months of February and March, please tell the person in charge that you are from the National Council of Negro Women. Our magazine drive started out with a bang and has fizzled out. We are still donating to the library Mrs Joyce Ingram Mock will be the coordinator.

Mr. Gary Tyler the new Director of Community Development in Champaign was the speaker. He urged everyone to come out to the city council meetings, and also said to feel free to come by his office. Keep abreast of what is going on in our community.

Shirley Walker has left the area and Mrs. Rebecca J. Williams has been elected as our new President. Mrs. Octavia Cole motion that we charge the nominating committee with presenting us names at our next meeting for a new 2nd Vice President. Motion second and accepted.

Mrs. Lucy J. Gray presented Shirley Walker with a plaque from the Champaign County Section as a going away gift.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:00 P.M. with everyone singing "This Little Light of Mine."

Respectfully submitted Gray Haywood Lecording Secretary



NATIONAL COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN Inc.

P.O. BOX 364

URBANA, IL. 61801 January 31, 1983

Dear NCNW Member:

The regular meeting of the National Council of Negro Women will be held at the Douglass Annex, 804 N. 5th St., Champaign, IL 6i820, on February 12, 1983 at 2:00 P.M. The executive committee meeting will be February 11, 1983 at 7:00 P.M. in the home of Mrs. Dorothy Vickers-Shelley, 1178 West Michigan, Urbana, IL 61801.

#### AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

OPENING MEDITATION

"LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING"

MINUTES OF JANUARY 8, 1983

CORRESPONDENCE

FINANCIAL REPORT

Chaplain

Everyone

Mary Haywood, Rec. Sec.

Dorothy Vickers-Shelley, Treasurer Kathryn Humphrey, Financial Sec.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

BUSINESS

PROGRAM PRESENTATION

NEGROES IN EARLY CHAMPAIGN-URBANA Erma Bridgewater

NEGROES IN CHAMPAIGN-URBANA THE LAST 50 YEARS Lucy J. Gray

NEGROES IN EDUCATION- Mildred Barksdale

NEGROES IN POLITICS- Anna Wall Scott

"THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE

Everyone

REFRESHMENT WILL BE SERVED IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE MEETING

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Send to news media

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North Urbana Malti-Service 811 B N. Lincoln 367-7744 11-F 9:00 - 12:00 1:00 - 5:00

Clothes and canned food

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Empty Toob Incorporated

13th W. University (Brown house restromine)

M-F 9:00 - 12:00 M, T, Th, F 1:00 - 5:00 W 2:00 - 5:00 (A,M, best time for dropping off items)

Clothes, canned goods, dried beans, dry milk

July July Sep

The Food Bank at Bethany Perk Church 14:01 E. Grove Rantoul 893-3661 -14-F 9:00 - 12:00 1:00 - 3:00

Clothes; Carmed goods (soup, pork & bears, powdered milk, green bears)
Tread, Applesance, peanut butter

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Girls Club of Champaign/Urbana

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NATIONAL COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN Inc.

P.O. BOX 364

URBANA, IL. 61801

March 3, 1983

Dear NCNW Member:

The regular meeting of the National Council of Negro Women will be held at the Douglass Center Annex, 804 N. 5th St., Champaign, Il 61820 on March 12, 1983 at 2:00 P.M. The executive meeting will be at 1:00 r.M. at the above address.

Remember to take your canned goods and discarded clothing to the Urbana multi-service for the month of March. A reminder to pay your dues.

#### AGENDA

CALL TO UNDER

OPENING MEDITATION

"LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING"

MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 12, 1983

CORRESPONDENCE

FINANCIAL REPORT

COMMITTEE REPORTS

BUSINESS

PROGRAM PRESENTATION

Joyce Ingram Mock coordinator

Dorothy Vickers-Shelley, Treas. Kathryn Humphrey, Financial Sec.

SOCIAL SECURITY

"THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE

Everyone

Chaplain

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· Mary Haywood, Rec. Sec.

REFRESHMENT WILL BE SERVED IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the National Council of Negro Women opened at 2:00 P.M.. Prayer by Odessa Hudson, followed by everyone singing "Lift Every Voice". The minutes were read and approved.

Financial Secretary reported that National had acknowledged our membership dues and we are now in compliance. She had a balance of one hundred sixty seven dollars and seventy three cents (\$167.73).

Monthly dues were collected at this time.

Discussed giving a scholarship to a Parkland student. We are having our inflation raffle again this year. We are asking each member to be responsible for twenty (20) tickets. The drawing will be held June 11, 1983, Mary Haywood is chairperson for the raffle.

Treasurer report that we had a balance of one hundred ninety nie dollars and seventy three cents (\$199.73). The report was

approved as read.

By-laws will be read at the May meeting. The May meeting will be held in Rantoul, at the City Building at 3:00 P.M. This quarter we will be donating canned goods and clothing to the Empty Tomb located at the corner of Romine and University in Urbana. We are also still collecting old magazines. Bring them to the meeting with you.

Our President asked that we attend the conferences on Common Differences sponsered by the Church Women United. Shirley Walker shared with us that other sections were starting a Black Women in the Mid West. Any information that you have about black women

the famous and not so famous will be appreciated.

Dorothy Vicker-Shelly motion that National Council of Negro Women take an ad for the Jabberwock that is being given by Delta Sigma Theta Sororoity, April 30, 1983. It was moved and second that a quarter page ad be taken out for fifteen dollars (\$15.00).

The meeting adjourned at 3:30 P.M. with everyone singing

"This Little Light of Mine."

Respectfully submitted,

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Mary Haywood



NATIONAL COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN Inc.

P.O. BOX 364

URBANA, IL. 61801

April 15, 1983

Dear NCNW Member:

The regular meeting of the National Council of Negro Women will be at the-City Building in Rantoul, Il. May 14, 1983 at 3:00 P.M. There will be no executive meeting. Each member is asked to be be responsible for twenty (20) raffle tickets. If more tickets are needed please contact Mary Haywood, 359-6402.

#### AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

OPENING MEDITATION

CHAPLAIN

"LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING"

MINUTES OF APRIL 9, 1983

FINANCIAL REPORT

EVERYONE

MARY HAYWOOD, REC. SEC.

FINANCIAL REPORT

DOROTHY VICKERS-SHELLY, TREAS. KATHRYN B. HUMPHREY, FIN.SEC.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

BUSINESS

PROGRAM

SOMETHING EVERY BLACK WOMAN SHOULD KNOW

EVERYONE

THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE

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REFRESHMENT SERVED IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE MEETING

### Dear NCNW MEMBER

The National Council of Negro Women will hold its monthly meeting; Saturday October 8th at 2:00 p.m. at the Douglas Center Annex: 512 E. Grove St. Champaign II.

The executive meeting will be at 12:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Anna Wall Scott; 309 W. Michigan, Urbana.

Looking forward to seeing you at the meeting; invite a friend.

Rebecca Williams President



P.O. BOX 364

URBANA, IL. 61801

November 1, 1983

Dear NCNW MEMBER:

The regular monthly meeting will be held at Douglas Center Annex. Time: 2:00p.m. Novembel 12TM.

The executive broad meeting will be at 1:30 at Douglas Center Annex.

Looking forward to seeing you at the meeting; invite a friend.

Sincerely:

Rebecca Williams President

Rose Embry Rose M. Loubey Corresponding Secretary



P.O. BOX 364

URBANA, IL. 61801

December 2, 1983

Dear NCNW Member:

The monthly meeting of the National Council of Negro Women will be Saturday December 10, 1983 at the Douglass Center Annex. Time: 2:00p.m. The business meeting will be at 1:30.

Bring a small gift for the girls club.

The National dues of \$8.00 is due before December 31.

Looking forward to seeing you at the meeting; invite a friend.

Hope you and your family have a very Merry Christmas and Happy Kwanza.

Rebecca Williams President

Rose M. Embry
Ross M. Embry
Corresponding Secretary