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Huntington, W. Va.

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INDIVIDUAL LIBERTIES

1. How necessary is it for the government to screen the 10 million employees of the federal security program including janitors, stenographers, and elevator girls?
2. What policy should the government follow to determine loyalty of employees?
3. Do the five present federal loyalty security programs test or create loyalty?
4. What is a "sensitive" job? A "non-sensitive" job?
5. Does the variation in federal security investigations open the way to communistic "star chamber" tactic in our government?

These questions and many others will be discussed in units starting this month. This discussion will begin a two year study of the Federal Security program.

Morning Unit: 9:30 A.M., Wednesday, Nov. 28th--Mrs. H. L. Broh, 1123 12th Ave.
Leaders: Dorothy Broh and Jane Pierson

Afternoon Unit: 1:00 P.M., Thursday, Nov. 29th--Mrs. Robert Gamage, 2601 3rd. Ave.
Leader: Betty Jo Pinson

Evening Unit: 8:00 P.M., Wednesday, Nov. 28th--Mrs. Morton Snitzer, 1408½ 15th St.
Leader: Joan Weisberg

IMPORTANT GENERAL MEETING

December 11, 7:45 P.M. - Woman's Club Joint meeting with the AAUW. Subject: Consider This, Our Legislature. Speakers: Cecil Underwood, Governor-elect of West Virginia, Ralph Bean, President of the West Virginia Senate, Albert Sturm, Political Science Department, West Virginia University.

This will be one of the most interesting panels Huntington will have the opportunity to hear this year. Open to husbands and guests for both organizations.

SUCCESS!!!!

Something new and different for Huntington was tried this year. Voters' Service manned two information centers for answering non-partisan questions pertaining to the election. The most popular question asked was, "What are the three amendments?" second, "Where do I vote?". We also had a few who inquired, "For whom shall I vote?". (Needless to say, the latter is not considered non-partisan. Ninety calls were received, most of them prior to election day.

One surprising result was the reaction of the people to the speed and intelligence with which their questions were answered. This phase of Voters' Service not only enhanced the prestige of the League but won us many new friends.

OUR THANKS TO THE GIRL SCOUTS

For distribution of 10,000 "I Will Vote, Will You?" tags on the Sat. before election.

ALSO TO WSAZ

For cancelling their scheduled radio program to carry our National President, Mrs. John G. Kee, and our local president, Lynn Heckmann, on the coast to coast Ted Malone show.

JURY SERVICE FOR WOMEN PASSED

On Nov. 6th, ten years of effort on the part of interested women in the State were rewarded. The ammendment allowing women to serve on juries passed!! Now that we are no longer classified with lunatics and vagrants, lets accept our new responsibility when we are asked to serve.

NEW MEMBERS

Mrs. George Dugan, 520 Tenth Ave.	21992	Mrs. Homer Hall, 702 11th Ave.	39808
Mrs. David Harris, 1508 Upland Rd.	8982	Mrs. Harold Kagan, 502 13th Ave.	44655
Mrs. Paul Kirsch, 108 N. Blvd.	38764	Mrs. Harry A. Martin, 428 5th A.	26418
Mrs. Evelyn Metrie, 2402 9th Ave.	29971	Mrs. I. N. Schoenfeld 1226 12 St	37784
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