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Ku Klux Klan Women's Organization Collection

Ku Klux Klan Women Collection. Records, 1923–1928. .66 foot.

Women's organization. Official correspondence (1926–1928); membership lists (1924–1928); minutes (1924–1928); booklets (1923–1928); song sheets (n.d.); flyers (n.d.); and memorabilia (1923–1928) from this Alfalfa County, Oklahoma, women's group.

Box 1

Folder:

1. Military Committee of the Women of the K.K.K. publications: "Suggestions for the Military Committee," and "Membership."
2. "Educational Year-Book of the Women of the K.K.K."
3. Signcards: "The Tenets of the Christian Religion."
4. K.K.K. Women's Oath of Allegiance.
5. Booklet, "Burial Service," issued by the Imperial Headquarters.
6. Funeral service rites: directions and chants.
7. Directory of the secret signs of the K.K.K.
8. Booklet: "Constitution and Laws of the Women of the K.K.K., 1927"
9. Booklets: "Constitution of the United States of America" published by the Women of the Ku Klux Klan. (4 copies)
10. Booklets: "Instructions to Kligrapps for Organized Realms Only," and "Suggestions to Kligrapps." Also includes flyers, "Women of the K.K.K. Creed."
11. Booklets: "The Code of the Flag."
12. Order form for supplies.
13. Notices of delinquent dues.
14. Blank forms: notices of election to membership in the Women's K.K.K.
15. List of district meetings in Oklahoma by county and town.

16. "Chartered Klans in Good Standing as of April 1, 1925 in U.S.A.," listed by state and city.
17. Organizational minutes of meetings, 1924.
18. Audit sheet for branch organizations and to be mailed to Imperial Headquarters, 1927-1928.
19. Flyer announcing the vindication of a lawsuit brought against the K.K.K.
20. Lists of supplies ordered by the K.K.K. chapter at Cherokee, Oklahoma.
21. Official bulletins from the Imperial Commander of the K.K.K, 1927-1928.
22. Organizational minutes of meetings and correspondence, 1925. Official document from the Imperial Commander.
23. Organizational minutes of meetings and correspondence, 1926.
24. Organizational minutes of meetings and correspondence, 1927.
25. Song copy: religious hymns; book of "battle hymns of the republic" published by the Imperial Headquarters and titled, "Musiklan," circa 1925.
26. Booklet: "Out of Their Own Mouths They Shall Be Condemned" and published by the Imperial Headquarters; scarlet-colored bands with symbols on each; letter to all Klanswomen from the Realm Commander of Oklahoma. Note: the letter directs all Klanswomen to use the booklet as a text to inform them of the dangers of Roman Catholicism, 1928.
27. Signcards: "A Patriotic Call." For recruitment, n.d.
28. Klan officer titles list, 1928.
29. Song copy: "Onward Christian Klansmen," sung to the tune of "Onward Christian Soldiers."
30. Correspondence from Imperial and Realm Headquarters regarding the change of passwords and release of the new constitution, 1927-1928.
31. "Second Degree Obligations:" correspondence regarding applications, identification, and procedures as well as fill-in cards.
32. Correspondence from the Imperial Commander regarding the burning of the Klorans; procedures and directions, 1928.

33. Booklets: "The Truth About the Charges Made Against the Imperial Commander," and "The Truth About the Women of the K.K.K."
 34. Booklets: "Address of the Imperial Commander," "Eight 'C's for Klanswomen," and "Women of America! The Past! The Present! The Future!"
 35. Booklet: "Article XIX Covering Offenses and Penalties and Procedure for Trial."
- Receipt: The Cherokee National Bank.
- "Blank (sheet) for Charges Against Klanswomen."
- Blank form used in trials of Klanswomen.
36. Certificates: memorial testimony record of K.K.K.
 37. Membership list.
 38. Transfer statement for member of Women's K.K.K, 1926. (One chapter to another.)
 39. Correspondence from Imperial Headquarters regarding logs of membership, 1928.
 40. Petitions for citizenship in the Invisible Empire forms. (Blank)
 41. Applications for membership, 1924.

Box 2

Folder:

1. Book: lists of members dropped.
2. Book: cash accounts and donation receipts .
3. Membership and dues records.
4. Correspondence from Imperial Headquarters and Realm Headquarters regarding quarterly reports and dues, 1925-1928.
5. Correspondence from Realm Commander regarding procedures and directions for various affairs, n.d.
6. Correspondence from Realm Commander regarding urgent statewide meetings called to oppose presidential candidate Al Smith, Governor of New York, and a Roman Catholic, 1928.

7. Correspondence regarding a sale on damaged robes, 1926-1928.
8. Book: quarterly records, n.d.
9. Receipts and checks for membership dues, 1924-1926.
10. Membership and dues records.
11. Membership cards of Women's K.K.K. for Alfalfa County, Oklahoma.
12. Women's K.K.K. quarterly reports; membership records, 1924-1929.
13. Official document regarding Imperial and Realm taxes, 1927, n.d.
14. Correspondence and order forms regarding Special Oklahoma Edition of the Fellowship Forum.
15. Receipts.
16. Official document and accompanying correspondence regarding prevention of the election of Al Smith, a Roman Catholic, to the presidency of the U.S.A.
17. Report of the First Imperial Klonvocation held in St. Louis in 1927.