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FILE NO.

Petition

OF

Gilman Park Community Club

For separation of married women from  
city payrolls

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H. W. CARROLL

CITY COMPTROLLER AND EX-OFFICIO CITY CLERK

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## REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Mr. President:

Your JUDICIARY Committee

to which was referred the within Petition

would respectfully report that we have considered the same and respectfully recommend that it be placed on file.

CHAIRMAN

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## Gilman Park Community Club

*Meets Every Second Tuesday, West Woodland School*

*Seattle, Washington*

September 22, 1931.

Honorable Members,  
City Council,  
Seattle, Washington.

Honorable Sirs:

The following Resolution has been ordered  
posted to you, by the majority members of this Club:

WHEREAS, We find that because of economic conditions prevailing in this country at present, that there is considerable hardship being wrought upon the working-class of people at this time, due to the fact that there does not seem to be positions for everyone, especially men, heads of families.

AND FURTHER, Investigation shows that married women are working for the City, County and State and even the Government, who have husbands well able to support them, and said families are living in luxury while those less fortunate, who are not able to secure a position, in many cases are in dire need. In order to equalize living conditions for humanity as a whole, why not give the positions married women are holding to men who are heads of families or have dependents.

BE IT RESOLVED, That all married women, whose husbands are able to support them, be abolished from the payrolls of the City, County and State, said positions to be filled by competent married men whose wives are unemployed, or by single girls with dependents.

Respectfully,

*Ethel Verner*

Secretary.

901 West 58th,  
c.c. Mayor,  
c.c. County Commissioners  
c.c. State Representatives.