



## **Rolla Saturday Club Records (R0901)**

**Collection Number:** R0901

**Collection Title:** Rolla Saturday Club Records

**Dates:** 1904-2014

**Creator:** Rolla Saturday Club

**Abstract:** These are the records of the Rolla Saturday Club, a women's club organized to promote individual, social, and civic improvement. The records consist of minutes of meetings, financial records, yearbooks, and scrapbooks.

**Collection Size:** 3 cubic feet  
(52 of folders, 13 volumes, 7 oversized scrapbooks)

**Language:** Collection materials are in English.

**Repository:** The State Historical Society of Missouri

**Restrictions on Access:** Collection is open for research, but is stored offsite. This collection is available at [The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center – Rolla](#). If you would like more information, please contact us at [rolla@shsmo.org](mailto:rolla@shsmo.org). Collections may be viewed at any research center.

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**Preferred Citation:** [Specific item; box number; folder number] *Rolla Saturday Club Records* (R0901); The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Rolla [after first mention may be abbreviated to SHSMO-Rolla].

**Donor Information:** The records were loaned for copying to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Lenore J. Morris on April 17, 1998 (Accession No. RA700). Additions were made on November 13, 2003 by Virginia Z. Lomax (Accession No. RA1002); on September 6, 2005 by Rolla Public Library (Accession No. RA1189); on September 15, 2017 by Virginia Z. Lomax (Accession No. RA1646).

**Notes:** Oversized items were separated from the collection and are stored onsite in oversized storage. Items are label as oversized in the container list.

**Processed by:** Processed by John F. Bradbury, January 2, 2004. Revised by John F. Bradbury, October 1, 2005. Revised by Kathleen Seale, November 15, 2017.

### **Historical Note:**

The Rolla Saturday Club was organized on October 16, 1897. Mrs. C.D. Jamison, the wife of a prominent local attorney, was the first president. The organization became affiliated with the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs in 1898 and the General Federation of Women's Clubs in 1905. The Saturday Club billed itself as the 'oldest club in Rolla' until the group dissolved in 2015.

In addition to its social function, the club was dedicated to self-improvement, public education, and civic development. Monthly meetings featuring programs and discussion topics concerning literature, fine arts, and home management. Among the Rolla Saturday Club's early civic efforts was a lawn social to benefit the Anti-Saloon League. In the club's later years, it supported, Missouri Girls Town Foundation, the Rolla Regional Diagnostic Center and the Rolla Public Library.

### **Arrangement:**

The collection has been arranged into the following 4 series:

Meeting Minutes and Financial Records  
Annual Yearbooks  
Records  
Scrapbooks

### **Scope and Content Note:**

#### **Meeting Minutes and Financial Records**

This series contains materials related to monthly meetings held by the club including financial records. Also included are minutes from the Rolla Saturday Club's involvement in the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

#### **Annual Yearbooks**

This series consists of yearbooks published annually by the Rolla Saturday Club. The yearbooks reflect the groups activism during the club year, September-May. The yearbooks contain lists of past and present officers, rosters of members, and meetings information. The yearbooks are organized chronologically with the dates listed on the folder consisting of the encompassing years.

#### **Records**

This series contains records pertaining to the club's activities, membership, and operation. This includes correspondence and records relating to the club's involvement with the Missouri Girls Town Federation and their sponsorship of the sophomore program.

## Scrapbooks

This series contains scrapbooks put together annually covering the club's activities during the club year, September-May. The scrapbooks contain photographs, news articles, and ephemera related to the club and its members. The scrapbooks in folders 37-38, 42-43, 47, 49, 51 are oversized and stored separately. The scrapbooks in folders 39-40 were disbound for preservation purposes.

## Container List:

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|------------------|--|
| v. 1-13, f. 1-16 | Meeting Minutes and Financial Records                                |
| Box 1            |  |
| v. 1             | Minute book, 1904-1907 [photocopies]                                 |
| v. 2             | Minute book, 1920-1939   |
| v. 3             | Record boo, 1938-1944  |
| v. 4             | Secretary's book, 1944-1947  |
| v. 5             | Meeting minutes, 1993-2001   |
| v. 6             | General Federation of Women's Clubs Convention, 1938                 |
| v. 7             | Treasurer's book, 1906-1918  |
| v. 8             | Treasurer's book, 1927-1942  |
| v. 9             | Treasurer's book, 1974-1986  |
| v. 10            | Treasurer's book, 1986-1999 [photocopies]                            |
| v. 11            | Treasurer's records, 1994-2001                                       |
| v. 12            | Bank statements, 1996-2001   |
| v. 13            | Treasurer's book, 1999-2009, 2012-2013                               |
| f. 1             | Meeting minutes and financial reports, 2005                          |
| f. 2-3           | Meeting minutes, 1999-2006   |
| f. 4             | Meeting minutes and treasurer's report, 2006-2007                    |
| f. 5             | Meeting minutes and financials reports, 2005-2010                    |
| Box 2            |  |
| f. 6             | Treasurer's report, 2008   |
| f. 7             | Meeting minutes and reports, 2009                                    |
| f. 8             | Meeting minutes, 2010  |
| f. 9             | Meeting minutes and financial records, 2011                          |
| f. 10            | Financial records, 2011-2013   |
| f. 11            | Meeting minutes and financial records, 2012                          |
| f. 12            | Meeting minutes and treasurer's report, 2013                         |
| f. 13            | Treasurer's report, 2012-2014  |
| f. 14            | Meeting minutes and financial reports, 2014                          |
| f. 15            | General Federation of Women's Clubs district meetings, 1996-2007     |
| f. 16            | General Federation of Women's Clubs Rolla meeting minutes, 2008-2012 |
| f. 17-22         | Annual Yearbooks   |
| f. 17            | Yearbooks, 1908-1929   |
| f. 18            | Yearbooks, 1929-1946   |
| f. 19            | Yearbooks, 1946-1971   |
| f. 20            | Yearbooks, 1971-1989   |
| f. 21            | Yearbooks, 1989-2000   |
| f. 22            | Yearbooks, 2000-2013   |
| f. 23-35         | Records  |
| f. 23            | Activities reports, 2000-2002  |

	f. 24	Activities reports, 2003
	f. 25	Activities reports, 2004-2005
	f. 26	Activities reports, 2008-2009
	f. 27	Club reports, 2010
	f. 28	Annual reports, 2012
	f. 29	History of the Rolla Saturday Club
	f. 30	Sophomore Pilgrimage
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Box 3	f. 36	Scrapbook, 1930s
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	f. 38	Scrapbook, 1953-1954
	f. 39	Scrapbook, 1954-1955
	f. 40	Scrapbook, 1955-1956
	f. 41	Scrapbook, 1956-1957
	f. 42	Scrapbook, 1957-1958
	f. 43	Scrapbook, 1958-1959
	f. 44	Scrapbook, 1959-1960
	f. 45	Scrapbook, 1960-1961
	f. 46	Scrapbook, 1961-1962
	f. 47	Scrapbook, 1962-1962, 1982-1987
	f. 48	Scrapbook, 1968-1969
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