

MIDDLE EAST DIVISION COMMITTEE MINUTESBeirut, LebanonDecember 9, 19511:30 P. M.PRESENT

Geo. J. Appel, R. H. Hartwell, George Keough,  
S. Nogeimie, R. C. Dinning, T. S. Geraty, and  
C. C. Morris.

OPENING

Prayer by R. H. Hartwell.

MISS D. LOIS BURNETT  
VISIT

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Since Miss Burnett will be in this section of  
the world field some time the latter part of 1952,

VOTED, That we extend an invitation to her to visit  
our field and spend a week in Baghdad, as may be  
arranged.

ARMENIAN VOICE OF  
PROPHECY LESSONS

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VOTED, To authorize the printing of 4,000 copies  
each of Lessons 1 and 2, and 1,000 each of the  
remaining 34 Voice of Prophecy Lessons in the  
Armenian language.

MIDDLE EAST PRESS  
BUILDING PLANS

312

VOTED, To accept the floor plans as submitted for  
the Middle East Press building.

ADJOURNMENT

VOTED, To adjourn.

Geo. J. Appel, Chairman

C. C. Morris, Secretary

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OPENING

Prayer by Elder George Keough.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

VOTED, That the minutes of December 9 be approved  
as read.

EIGHT HOLIDAYS

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At the recent full meeting of the Division Committee, provision was made for eight holidays during the year. Consideration was given to these eight days and designated as follows:

January 1  
Easter  
Martyr's Day - May 6  
Day for Outing or Picnic - May or June  
July 4  
September - (Open, to be arranged)  
Thanksgiving  
December 25

NILE UNION  
HEADQUARTERS

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At the time of the Nile Union Committee Meeting recently held in Heliopolis, consideration was given to the erection of an office and apartment building. It was decided to build offices on the ground floor and two living apartments above, a smaller unit than originally considered, and it was estimated that the building would cost in the neighborhood of \$ 17,500. In January, 1951, \$ 5,000.00 was set aside for the Nile Union Headquarters building, and in December, 1951, \$ 17,500.00 more was appropriated for this project.

VOTED, That any funds thus appropriated for the Nile Union Headquarters building not needed in the construction of the smaller proposed building, be used in the purchase of land for the Adventist Institute.

TITLE DEEDS FOR JULFA  
AND RAZIA CHURCH  
PROPERTIES

315

At the present time, we are unable to secure title in the name of the General Conference Corporation for the purchase of property at Julfa and Razia. In order to go forward with these church projects, it was

VOTED, To authorize Brother J. S. Gabriel and Brother M. Gasparian to secure title in their names until such time as arrangements can be worked out for taking title in the name of the General Conference Corporation, with the understanding that at such time as arrangements can be made for taking title in the name of the General Conference Corporation, Brother Gabriel and Brother Gasparian will sign over the title to the Corporation.

Y. E. BARBAWY  
MEDICAL

316

VOTED, That the medical bills submitted by Brother Y. E. Barbawy be studied, and that the regular polic, apply on the medical items.

MAXIMUM RENT

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VOTED, That the maximum on rents be set as follows:

Lebanon-Syria	-	25 %
Egypt	-	25 %
Iraq	-	25 %
Cyprus	-	27 %
Amman	-	30 %

ADJOURNMENTVOTED, To adjourn.

Geo. J. Appel, Chairman

C. C. Morris, Secretary

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