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FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVENTH MEETING  
 GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE  
 JOINT SESSION WITH REVIEW AND HERALD BOARD

March 3, 1930

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P R E S E N T:

O. Montgomery, W. A. Spicer, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban  
 F. M. Wilcox, E. R. Palmer, E. L. Richmond, L. W. Graham,  
 C. P. Bollman, J. W. Mace, F. D. Nichol, W. W. Eastman,  
 A. W. Spalding, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, G. W. Wells, E. F.  
 Hackman, M. E. Kern, M. N. Campbell, N. Z. Town, J. A. Stevens,  
 H. H. Votaw, T. E. Bowen.

Prayer by J. W. Mace.

EDITORIAL APPOINTMENTS:

Members of the Review and Herald Board having met with the Committee, the question of the appointment of editors for Review and Herald publications for the coming year was considered, and the following appointments were voted:

REVIEW AND HERALD: F. M. Wilcox: Associates,  
 W. A. Spicer, F. D. Nichol, C. P. Bollman: Special Contributors,  
 A. G. Daniells, J. L. Shaw, C. K. Meyers, B. E. Beddoe,  
 E. Kotz, I. H. Evans, O. Montgomery, L. H. Christian, E. E.  
 Andross, J. L. McElhany, W. H. Branson, C. H. Watson, C. B.  
 Haynes, A. W. Cormack, H. F. Schuberth, A. V. Olson, H. J.  
 Loebsock.

YOUTH'S INSTRUCTOR: Lora E. Clement: Editorial Council,  
 F. D. Nichol, C. A. Russell, H. T. Elliott, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer:  
Special Contributors, C. K. Meyers, Steen Rasmussen, Mrs. Stella P. Peterson.

LIFE AND HEALTH: L. A. Hansen; Associate, G. H. Heald, M. D.

LIBERTY: C. S. Longacre: Associates, H. H. Votaw, M. C. Taft:  
Managing Editor, C. P. Bollman.

SABBATH SCHOOL WORKER: Mrs. L. Flora Plummer; Associate,  
 Rosamond D. Ginther: Assistant, Margaret Weir.

CHURCH OFFICERS' GAZETTE: T. E. Bowen: Associates, M. E. Kern,  
 J. A. Stevens; Assistants, Emma E. Howell, Ruth Tyrrell:  
Editorial Council, J. L. McElhany, C. K. Meyers, E. Kotz.

PRESENT TRUTH: F. A. Coffin: Associate, C. P. Bollman.



BOOK EDITOR: C. P. Bollman; Associate, F. A. Coffin.

Close of joint session.

A. E. SANDERSON--ST. LAWRENCE CONFERENCE:

VOTED, That in response to a request from the Eastern Canadian Union, we ask the Review and Herald Publishing Association and the Atlantic Union Conference to release any claims they have on the services of A. E. Sanderson, and that Brother Sanderson be invited to connect with the Eastern Canadian Union for work in the St. Lawrence Conference.

B. ARMENAKIAN RELEASED:

VOTED, That inasmuch as the way is not clear for him to accept, we release B. Armenakian, of Southern Europe, from the call to the Central California Conference.

ITINERARIES AND APPOINTMENTS:

VOTED, That J. J. Reiswig be asked to respond to the request from the North Pacific Union to visit German churches in the Upper Columbia Conference, at an early date.

VOTED, That O. Montgomery accept the invitation to spend Sabbath, March 8, with the church in Richmond, Virginia.

VOTED, That W. A. Spicer make a trip to the Middle West.

VOTED, That in response to an invitation received, W. W. Eastman fill an appointment in Greater New York for Sabbath, March 15.

H. G. LUCAS--BOARD OF REGENTS:

VOTED, That H. G. Lucas be appointed a member of the Board of Regents, to fill the place made vacant by the departure of A. W. Peterson for South America.

O. MONTGOMERY, Chairman

E. KOTZ, Secretary

E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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## FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY-EIGHTH MEETING

## GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

March 6, 1930

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## P R E S E N T:

O. Montgomery, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban, E. R. Palmer, W. W. Prescott, W. W. Eastman, E. F. Hackman, J. A. Stevens, F. C. Gilbert, L. A. Hansen, N. Z. Town, M. N. Campbell, H. H. Votaw, G. W. Wells, A. W. Spalding, M. E. Kern, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, A. E. Nelson (of Africa), F. H. Robbins, T. E. Bowen, F. D. Nichol.

Prayer by M. N. Campbell.

## O. A. TROY RELEASED:

VOTED, On information that O. A. Troy does not feel free to accept, we release him from the appointment to South Africa.

## O. B. EDWARDS--AFRICA:

VOTED, That we request the Southern Union Conference and Oakwood Junior College to release O. B. Edwards, to connect with the African Division for city evangelistic work in the South African Union Conference.

## DR. C. F. BIRKENSTOCK--AFRICA:

VOTED, That we pass on to Dr. C. F. Birkenstock the invitation from the African Division for him to return to Africa for work in the Southeast African Union, requesting the Hinsdale Sanitarium to release him for this purpose.

## MEDICAL REPORTS:

Medical reports were presented and accepted for the following workers:

Mr. and Mrs. Fordyce A. Detamore, under appointment to the Malayan Union.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Klaser, and two children, under appointment to the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Higgins, appointed to Haiti.

## J. CRAVEN RELEASED:

VOTED, That we release J. Craven from the call to connect with the publishing house in Korea.



# REQUEST FOR MISS CLEMENT:

Request was presented from the Lake Union for Miss Lora Clement to attend the Missionary Volunteer Convention at Lansing, Michigan.

VOTED, That reply be made to the Lake Union that in view of the general help already provided for this meeting and the very heavy program Miss Clement will have in getting her work on the Instructor in shape to leave during the time of the General Conference, we think it would be inadvisable for her to attempt to attend the convention in Lansing.

# TREASURER FOR BOLIVIA:

Call was presented from the South American Division for a treasurer for the Bolivia Mission, with the desire expressed that a man might be found and sent from Germany.

VOTED, That we pass on by cable to the Central European Division the call from the South American Division for a treasurer for the Bolivia Mission, asking Central Europe to recommend a worker for this post.

# ISOM DURM--LAKE TITICACA:

VOTED, That we request the Central Union and the Nebraska Conference to secure the release of T. Isom Durm of Shelton Academy, to connect with the South American Division, as mission station director in the Lake Titicaca field.

# DONALD HUNTER--INDIA:

VOTED, That we request the Lake Union and the East Michigan Conference to release Donald Hunter, to connect with the Southern Asia Division, for vernacular evangelistic work in the Telegu field of South India.

# A. H. WILLIAMS--ITINERARY:

VOTED, That we approve of the following itinerary for A. H. Williams, of India, in making the trip from New York to the General Conference in San Francisco: April 2 - 5, New York City; 6 - 12, South Lancaster and Boston; 13 - 22, Washington Missionary College and Shenandoah Valley Academy; April 23-26, Mount Vernon and Columbus; April 27 to May 2, Berrien Springs; May 3, Chicago; May 4 - 8, Broadview and Hinsdale; May 10, St. Louis; May 11 - 17, Union College and Lincoln; May 20 until time of General Conference, California Academies.

# ON THE SENDING AND RETURNING OF MISSIONARIES:

The secretary gave some figures on the question of returning missionaries, and presented a series of resolutions which grew out of a study of the matter.



VOTED, That the resolutions presented by the Secretary be referred to the Missions Round Table at the coming General Conference for serious consideration, and action by the Conference if deemed advisable.

#### MANUAL FOR MISSIONARIES:

VOTED, That the officers nominate a committee to work on a revision of the Manual for Missionary Appointees, and of the Working Policy of the General Conference, preparing tentative material to be submitted to the Missions Round Table or the Committee on Plans at the General Conference.

#### J. F. HUENERGARDT--ITINERARY:

VOTED, That we approve of the following itinerary for J. F. Huenergardt: Chicago and Illinois Conference, March 6 - 27; Detroit, March 28 - 30.

#### G. W. SCHUBERT:

Letter was presented from G. W. Schubert, now in California, asking counsel as to whether to return to Washington, or work to an itinerary in the North Pacific Union in April and then return to California.

VOTED, That we advise G. W. Schubert to work to the itinerary in the North Pacific Union, and return to California for the remainder of the time preceding the General Conference.

#### F. C. GILBERT--ITINERARY:

VOTED, That we approve of the following itinerary for F. C. Gilbert: Greater New York, March 14 - 19; Southern New England, March 21 - 28; New York Conference, March 29 - April 2.

#### E. P. HOWARD--MEDICAL EXPENSE:

VOTED, That in view of heavy medical bills which E. P. Howard has had and on which he had received no assistance, the treasurer be authorized to make him an allowance of \$150 on medical expense.

O. MONTGOMERY, Chairman  
E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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## FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY-NINTH MEETING

## GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

March 10, 1930

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## P R E S E N T:

O. Montgomery, J. L. Shaw, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban,  
 F. M. Wilcox, E. R. Palmer, L. A. Hansen, N. Z. Town, Mrs.  
 L. Flora Plummer, C. A. Russell, E. F. Hackman, L. E. Christ-  
 man, W. W. Eastman, C. S. Longacre, T. E. Bowen, A. W. Spalding,  
 M. E. Kern, F. D. Nichol.

Prayer by C. A. Russell.

## CALL FOR A. E. SANDERSON:

VOTED, That, conforming to the request of the Atlantic Union, which feels they have a claim upon the services of A. E. Sanderson when he is released by the Review and Herald, the call from the East Canadian Union for Brother Sanderson to connect with the St. Lawrence Conference be held in abeyance until the time of the General Conference.

## J. F. HUENERGARDT--DELEGATE:

VOTED, That J. F. Huenergardt be appointed a delegate at large to the General Conference.

## APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, That we approve of H. T. Elliott meeting with Missionary Volunteer Society leaders in New York, March 28 - 30.

VOTED, That we approve of the following itinerary for W. W. Eastman: Emmanuel Missionary College, March 21 - 27; Broadview, March 28 - April 1; Union College, April 2 - 8; Oshawa, April 10 - 14.

## L. A. HANSEN--MEDICAL EXPENSE:

VOTED, That the medical expense of L. A. Hansen be referred to the Adjustment Committee.

## G. W. LAWRENCE--MEDICAL EXPENSE:

VOTED, That the medical expense of G. W. Lawrence be referred to the Adjustment Committee.

## BILL BOARD PUBLICITY AT GENERAL CONFERENCE:

Attention was called to a suggestion which had come from one of our artist brethren relative to the placing of a



drawing with appropriate wording, illustrating our world-wide work, on one of the bulletin boards on Market Street in San Francisco, during the time of the General Conference session in that city. It was felt that this might be the means of giving extended and favorable publicity to our missionary activity and to the nature of our work in general.

VOTED, That this suggestion be passed on for favorable consideration to the Committee on Arrangements.

#### DEATH OF PAUL DRINHAUS:

A cable message was read from Europe, reporting the death of Paul Drinhaus in Berlin, on March 9, from pneumonia.

VOTED, That the secretary be requested to convey to our brethren in the Central European Division, and to the family of Brother Drinhaus, the deep and sorrowful sympathy of this Committee with them in their loss.

O. MONTGOMERY, Chairman  
E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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#### FOUR HUNDRED FORTIETH MEETING

#### GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

March 13, 1930

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#### P R E S E N T:

O. Montgomery, J. L. Shaw, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban, N. Z. Town, M. E. Kern, L. A. Hansen, C. A. Russell, E. F. Hackman, E. R. Palmer, W. W. Eastman, L. E. Christman, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, A. W. Spalding, F. H. Robbins, F. M. Wilcox, T. E. Bowen, F. D. Nichol, C. S. Longacre, J. A. Stevens.

Prayer by Mrs. L. Flora Plummer.

#### J. L. HOLDER--MEDICAL EXPENSE:

VOTED, To refer the medical expense of J. L. Holder and family, returned from the Inter-American Division, to the Adjustment Committee.

#### BERNICE WEBBER--LAURELWOOD ACADEMY:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union and the Northern California Conference the call from the North Pacific Union for Miss Bernice Webber, of Lodi Academy, to connect with Laurelwood Academy.



## ITINERARIES AND APPOINTMENTS:

VOTED, That we approve of the following itinerary for L. E. Christman in connection with Big Week promotion work: Philadelphia, March 15 - 16; Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, West Michigan, March 21 - April 18.

VOTED, That E. Kotz spend the coming week end in New Jersey.

VOTED, That O. Montgomery respond to the invitation to attend a workers' meeting April 3 and spend that week end in the Greater New York Conference.

VOTED, That J. A. Stevens attend a workers' meeting in Mt. Vernon, Ohio, April 8 - 10.

VOTED, That we approve of the following itinerary for J. F. Huenergardt: Chicago and Wisconsin, April 19 - May 1; Kansas and Oklahoma, May 2 - 20; Los Angeles, May 21 - 24; San Francisco, May 25; visiting churches in Ohio and East Pennsylvania, if it can be arranged, on the way East, following the General Conference, to sail for Europe.

## C. E. KNIGHT--SALARY EXTENDED:

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to continue his present salary to C. E. Knight, returned from the Inter-American Division, for three months from May 30.

## DR. A. E. CLARK--RETURN TO INDIA:

Dr. A. E. Clark having asked counsel of the Committee as to whether he should forego attendance at the General Conference--having been appointed a delegate by the Southern Asia Division--and proceed at once to Edinburgh to qualify for the British degree, in order to return to India in time to relieve Dr. Coyne for his furlough, it was

VOTED, That we advise Dr. A. E. Clark to return to India via England and Edinburgh, as soon as he finds it consistent to do so.

## MARY V. KISZ--JAPAN:

VOTED, That we request the Pacific Union and the St. Helena Sanitarium to release Miss Mary V. Kisz, to connect with the Far Eastern Division as head nurse and matron of the hospital in Japan.

## IVADEL EATON--SHANGHAI:

VOTED, That we request the North Pacific Union and the Southern Idaho Conference to release Miss Ivadel Eaton to connect with the Far Eastern Division to serve as teacher of English in the China Theological Seminary.



**MARY BREWER RELEASED:**

VOTED, That in view of the cancelation of the call by the Southern Asia Division for a teacher for the Chichoki girls' school, we release Miss Mary Brewer from this appointment.

**ABBIE DUNN--MEDICAL REPORT:**

Medical report was presented and accepted as satisfactory for Miss Abbie F. Dunn, under appointment to China.

O. MONTGOMERY, Chairman  
E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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**FOUR HUNDRED FORTY-FIRST MEETING****GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

March 17, 1930

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**P R E S E N T:**

O. Montgomery, W. A. Spicer, J. L. McElhany, J. L. Shaw, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban, F. H. Robbins, N. Z. Town, E. R. Palmer, F. M. Wilcox, C. A. Russell, J. A. Stevens, W. W. Eastman, F. D. Nichol, W. E. Howell, W. W. Prescott, L. A. Hansen, E. F. Hackman, M. E. Kern, H. H. Votaw, A. W. Spalding, T. E. Bowen

Prayer by F. H. Robbins.

**C. W. IRWIN--N. C. ASSOCIATION MEETING:**

VOTED, That C. W. Irwin attend the meeting of the North Central Association of Colleges in Chicago, March 18 - 21.

**BEULAH WALLEKER--ATLANTIC UNION COLLEGE:**

VOTED, To pass on to the Lake Union and the Illinois Conference the call from the Atlantic Union for Miss Beulah Walleker to connect with Atlantic Union College.

**GUY JORGENSEN--SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA JUNIOR COLLEGE:**

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union Conference and Union College the call from the Pacific Union for Guy Jorgensen to connect with the Southern California Junior College as science teacher.

**H. E. EDWARDS--PACIFIC UNION COLLEGE:**

VOTED, To pass on to the Lake Union and Emmanuel



Missionary College the call from the Pacific Union for H. E. Edwards to connect with Pacific Union College.

PACIFIC UNION COLLEGE--SCIENCE HALL:

The Pacific Union asked approval of their plan to erect a Science Hall at Pacific Union College. The building is greatly needed and the funds have been provided.

VOTED, That we approve of the plan of the Pacific Union Conference for the erection of a Science Building for Pacific Union College.

GENEVA KERN--LODI ACADEMY:

VOTED, To pass on to the North Pacific Union and the Oregon Conference the call from the Pacific Union for Geneva Kern, of Laurelwood Academy, to connect with Lodi Academy as matron and teacher of sewing.

G. E. PETERS--GREATER NEW YORK:

VOTED, That in view of special circumstances and the situation existing in Greater New York, we authorize G. E. Peters, the secretary of the Negro Department to spend the time until the General Conference session, in the Greater New York Conference.

A. W. WERLINE AND C. E. WENIGER--DELEGATES:

VOTED, That we appoint A. W. Werline and C. E. Weniger delegates to the General Conference session, representing Washington Missionary College.

MEADE MacGUIRE--SOUTHEASTERN CALIFORNIA:

VOTED, That we approve of Meade MacGuire responding to the invitation to spend some time the latter part of April in the Southeastern California Conference, if he can arrange to do so.

MANUAL FOR MISSIONARIES AND WORKING POLICY:

VOTED, That the following be a committee on the revision of the Manual for Missionaries and the Working Policy of the General Conference:

The officers--general and division--. H. H. Cobban, E. R. Palmer, M. E. Kern, W. E. Howell, N. Z. Town, L. E. Froom; O. Montgomery to act as chairman.

PUBLISHING HOUSE IN CHOSEN:

Counsel having been requested by the Far Eastern Division relative to the rebuilding of the publishing house in Chosen, which was recently destroyed by fire, it was



VOTED, That we cable the Far Eastern Division favoring the rebuilding of the publishing house in Chosen, unless locally they know of some reason why they can handle their work otherwise to better advantage.

NATIVE DELEGATES FROM FAR EAST:

VOTED, That we authorize the Far Eastern Division to increase their native delegation to the General Conference from four to six.

MELVIN VENDEN RELEASED:

VOTED, That inasmuch as he thinks his condition of health would not make it wise for him to accept, we release Melvin L. Venden from the appointment to India.

CHICAGO CONFERENCE:

VOTED, That we counsel the Lake Union and the Chicago Conference Committees to postpone the holding of the Chicago annual conference until after the General Conference.

O. MONTGOMERY, Chairman  
E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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#### FOUR HUNDRED FORTY-SECOND MEETING

#### GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

March 20, 1930

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#### P R E S E N T:

O. Montgomery, J. L. Shaw, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban, N. Z. Town, H. T. Elliott, C. A. Russell, J. A. Stevens, E. F. Hackman, F. M. Wilcox, F. D. Nichol, Claude Conard, A. W. Spalding, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, M. E. Kern, E. R. Palmer, Dr. Roger Paul (of China), H. H. Votaw, T. E. Bowen, L. A. Hansen, A. E. Nelson (of Africa).

Prayer by Claude Conard.

#### SABBATH SCHOOL LESSON HELP:

The Sabbath School Department requested counsel concerning the publication of a lesson help on the book of Romans to be brought out by one of our publishing houses, since it had been stated that this help would be based exclusively upon the American Revised Version of the Bible. It was

VOTED, That while we recognize the equal value of the Authorized Version and the American Revised Version, and



often quote from the American Revised in our Sabbath School and other literature, the policy of the Sabbath School Department for years has been to use the Authorized Version, since that is the version in the hands of the majority of the people; and inasmuch as these lessons on Romans are based on the Authorized Version, we cannot approve of the publication of the proposed pamphlet as a help to the Sabbath School lessons on Romans unless it be based on the Authorized Version.

#### ITINERARIES AND APPOINTMENTS:

VOTED, That J. A. Stevens attend a workers' meeting in Philadelphia, March 24 and 25.

VOTED, That E. Kotz meet with the German and English churches in Philadelphia, March 21 and 22; and the German church in Brooklyn, March 20.

#### J. G. DASENT--LAKE UNION:

VOTED, To pass on to the Columbia Union and the Ohio Conference the call from the Lake Union for J. G. Dasent to connect with that union as Negro Secretary for the Union.

#### BLANCHE GILBERT--SOUTHWESTERN JUNIOR COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union and the Wyoming Mission the call from the Southwestern Union for Blanche Gilbert, of Union College, to connect with Southwestern Junior College as head of the language department.

#### ELIA JOHNSON--SOUTHWESTERN JUNIOR COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union and the Nebraska Conference the call from the Southwestern Union for Ella Johnson of Union College to connect with Southwestern Junior College as head of the registrar's office and library.

#### VEDA S. MARSH--WASHINGTON MISSIONARY COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union and the North California Conference the call from Washington Missionary College for Miss Veda Marsh to connect with the College as associate instructor in the department of Nursing and Health.

#### WILMA McCARTY--SOUTHERN JUNIOR COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Western Canadian Union Conference and the Canadian Junior College the call from the Southeastern Union for Miss Wilma E. McCarty to connect with Southern Junior College as instructor in Secretarial Training.

#### M. SABO--RUMANIA:

VOTED, That in harmony with the call from the Southern European Division, we invite M. Sabo to connect with the work in the Rumanian Union Conference.



## MEDICAL EXPENSE:

VOTED, To refer to the Adjustment Committee the medical expense of David Lust, returned from South America.

VOTED, To refer the medical expense of H. H. Cobban to the Adjustment Committee.

VOTED, That the medical expense of N. Z. Town be referred to the Adjustment Committee.

VOTED, That the medical expense of Mrs. A. E. Nelson, returned from Africa, be referred to the Adjustment Committee.

O. MONTGOMERY, Chairman  
E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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## FOUR HUNDRED FORTY-THIRD MEETING

## GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

March 24, 1930

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## P R E S E N T:

W. A. Spicer, O. Montgomery, J. L. McElhany, J. L. Shaw, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban, N. Z. Town, L. E. Froom, H. T. Elliott, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, H. H. Votaw, M. E. Kern, Claude Conard, F. M. Wilcox, J. A. Stevens, A. W. Spalding, W. W. Prescott, C. A. Russell, T. E. Bowen, C. W. Irwin, F. D. Nichol, F. H. Robbins, N. S. Ashton, J. A. Tucker, H. H. Hamilton, W. E. Howell, H. J. Klooster, E. R. Palmer, W. H. Heckman.

Prayer by J. A. Stevens.

## WORKERS' MEETING--PITTSBURGH:

VOTED, That J. A. Stevens or E. F. Hackman arrange to respond to the invitation to attend a workers' meeting in the West Pennsylvania Conference at Pittsburgh, March 31.

## D. A. OCHS--PORTLAND ACADEMY:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union and the Northern California Conference the call from the North Pacific Union for D. A. Ochs of Lodi Academy, to take the principalship of the Portland Academy, registering however, the consensus of opinion of this Committee that in view of Professor Ochs' short tenure of service at Lodi, careful counsel should be taken before such change is made.



W. F. MAYERS:

A request was presented from W. F. Mayers of Mexico for counsel regarding a financial loss which he claims to have sustained through transactions with a certain conference.

VOTED, That we refer this request to a committee composed of J. L. McElhany, H. H. Votaw, N. Z. Town, and M. C. Taft, for study and with power to refer the matter to the proper parties for adjustment.

ATLANTIC UNION COLLEGE:

A request was presented from the Atlantic Union for a general worker to deliver the Commencement address at Atlantic Union College, May 18.

VOTED, That in view of the fact that all general and departmental men will be leaving by that date for the pre-conference conventions in San Francisco, it will be impossible to accede to this request.

SOUTHERN JUNIOR COLLEGE:

Elders Heckman and Ashton, of the Southeastern and Southern Unions, and Prof. H. J. Klooster, of Southern Junior College, met with the Committee to present a memorial requesting that Southern Junior College be raised to the status of a senior college. After some discussion, it was

VOTED, That the question be referred to the officers, the Educational Department secretaries and the representatives from the South for detailed study and recommendation as to what could be done in meeting the request.

Adjourned to 2:30 P. M.

W. A. SPICER, Chairman  
E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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FOUR HUNDRED FORTY-FOURTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

March 24, 1930-- 2:30 P. M.

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P R E S E N T:

W. A. Spicer, O. Montgomery, J. L. McElhany,  
J. L. Shaw, E. Kotz, F. H. Robbins, H. J. Klooster, N. Z.  
Town, M. E. Kern, L. E. Froom, C. A. Russell, H. H. Hamilton,  
Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, L. A. Hansen, H. H. Votaw, F. M. Wilcox



T. E. Bowen, W. E. Howell, J. A. Stevens, Claude Conard,  
F. D. Nichol, W. W. Prescott, C. W. Irwin, N. S. Ashton,  
J. A. Tucker, W. H. Heckman.

Prayer by H. H. Hamilton

#### SOUTHERN JUNIOR COLLEGE:

The committee appointed in the morning meeting submitted the results of their consideration of the memorial from Southern Junior College in the form of three recommendations, which were adopted as follows: ✓

1. With every expression of appreciation of the growing strength of the Southern Junior College, and with full conviction that the desire to reach senior college status is a worthy aim, we register our sympathy with this aim and desire, and state our belief that ultimately this purpose must be realized, to the advantage of the great Southern field, whose youth must be trained to service in the Southland and in lands abroad.

In view, however, of the fact that any change of college status or the establishment of a new college is a major question affecting our present undertaking through the Association, as well as the matter of the territory of other colleges, and calls for re-distribution of appropriations to our colleges, we feel that this matter should be considered and acted upon by a full Committee in Council.

We therefore recommend, That the memorial be referred to the Autumn Council.

2. That we ask the Educational Department, in harmony with its program being carried on through its Board of Regents to outline a policy and set up standards for the advancing of a junior college or academy to a higher rank, to be submitted for adoption at the Autumn Council.

3. That we counsel our people in the Southeastern and Southern Union Conferences to rally strongly to the patronage and support of our denominational schools, and Southern Junior College in particular, for the finishing of the work in the Southland.

#### OAKWOOD JUNIOR COLLEGE:

Prof. J. A. Tucker, being present, sought counsel of the Committee as to plans for the future of Oakwood Junior College in connection with the arrangements for the establishment of a new school for colored young people. He felt that plans for both schools should be made in the closest cooperation. He asked regarding the solicitation of students, not wishing to interfere with the interests of the proposed new school.

VOTED, That we advise Professor Tucker to go forward with plans for the solicitation of students and the promotion



of the interests of Oakwood Junior College this season as heretofore, notwithstanding the fact that we are looking forward to the early establishment of another school for colored youth.

VOTED, further, That we suggest to the committee on the new colored school that at the proper stage they invite Professor Tucker to meet with them, in order that they may study together the relationship of the two schools.

#### FOREST LAKE ACADEMY:

VOTED, That we ask the Educational Department to arrange for one of the secretaries to respond to the request from the Southeastern Union to attend the board meeting of the Forest Lake Academy.

#### I. T. DURM RELEASED:

VOTED, That in view of unfavorable medical report we release Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Durm from the appointment to the Lake Titicaca field.

W. A. SPICER, Chairman  
E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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#### FOUR HUNDRED FORTY-FIFTH MEETING

#### GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

March 25, 1930

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#### P R E S E N T:

J. L. McElhany, W. A. Spicer, O. Montgomery, J. L. Shaw, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban, N. Z. Town, M. E. Kern, E. R. Palmer, L. E. Froom, C. L. Bond, H. H. Votaw, J. A. Tucker, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, Claude Conard, F. M. Wilcox, C. A. Russell, T. E. Bowen, F. D. Nichol, A. W. Spalding, W. E. Howell, H. T. Elliott, C. W. Irwin, W. W. Prescott, L. A. Hansen, J. C. Thompson.

Prayer by L. E. Froom.

#### PERIODICALS FOR L. A. SMITH:

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to make provision for supplying L. A. Smith, of the Press Bureau, with the denominational periodicals that the Bureau considers essential to his work.



MR. AND MRS. VINE--IQUITOS

VOTED, That we request the Northern European Division and the British Union to secure the release of Mr. and Mrs. Vine, of Stanborough Park College, to connect with the South American Division for work at Iquitos, Peru.

NON-COMBATANCY:

A letter from the students in one of our schools asked for information as to the attitude of the denomination toward the question of war, and the stand which should be taken on non-combatancy.

VOTED, That the following named persons be a committee to study this question, with a view to finding some means of helping our youth to understand the denominational position on the question of non-combatancy: O. Montgomery, chairman, E. Kotz, M. E. Kern, C. K. Meyers, F. M. Wilcox, C. S. Longacre, W. E. Howell, C. W. Irwin, H. T. Elliott, L. A. Hansen, Miss Kathryn Jensen.

GROUP DEVOTIONAL MEETINGS:

VOTED, That O. Montgomery be asked to have supervision of the morning group devotional meetings at the General Conference.

IRVING STEINEL--PIANIST:

VOTED, That we invite Irving Steinel to act as pianist during the General Conference session.

W. A. SPICER AND J. L. McELHANY:

VOTED, That W. A. Spicer and J. L. McElhany be authorized to make a trip to Chicago.

J. L. McELHANY, Chairman  
E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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FOUR HUNDRED FORTY-SIXTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

March 27, 1930

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P R E S E N T:

O. Montgomery, J. L. Shaw, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban,  
M. E. Kern, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, H. H. Votaw, J. A. Stevens,  
E. F. Hackman, Claude Conard, L. A. Hansen, N. Z. Town,



E. R. Palmer, F. D. Nichol, A. W. Spalding, T. E. Bowen,  
C. L. Bond, L. E. Froom, C. W. Irwin, J. C. Thompson, C. A.  
Russell, H. T. Elliott.

Prayer by F. D. Nichol.

H. DeFLUITER--MUSIC COMMITTEE:

VOTED, That we invite H. DeFluiter to serve as one of the members of the Music Committee for the General Conference.

E. F. HACKMAN--PATERSON:

VOTED, That E. F. Hackman respond to the request to spend Sabbath April 12 with the church in Paterson, New Jersey.

MRS. S. N. McCLARY--REVIEW AND HERALD:

VOTED, To pass on to the Columbia Union and the Ohio Conference the call from the Review and Herald for the services of Mrs. S. N. McClary, of Mt. Vernon Academy.

TH. SCHREYAK--SWISS UNION:

VOTED, That we request the Central European Division to secure the release of Th. Schreyak of the South German Union to connect with the Southern European Division for evangelistic work in the Swiss Union.

GEORGE HUTCHES RELEASED:

VOTED, That in view of the unfavorable medical report for Mrs. Hutches we release Mr. and Mrs. George Hutches from the appointment to India.

BESSIE MOUNT--MEDICAL REPORT:

Medical report was presented for Miss Bessie Mount, on furlough from China, and was accepted as clearing the way for her return on the expiration of her furlough.

F. T. HARTIN--SALARY:

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to continue the salary of F. T. Hartin, returned from Burma, until the end of June.

O. MONTGOMERY, Chairman  
E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary

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## FOUR HUNDRED FORTY-SEVENTH MEETING

## GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

March 31, 1930

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## P R E S E N T:

O. Montgomery, J. L. Shaw, E. Kotz, H. H. Cobban, L. E. Froom, N. Z. Town, Claude Conard, C. L. Bond, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, C. A. Russell, F. M. Wilcox, L. A. Hansen, T. E. Bowen, E. R. Palmer, J. C. Thompson, G. E. Peters, F. D. Nichol, M. E. Olsen, C. S. Longacre, H. H. Votaw, M. E. Kern, H. E. Rogers, C. W. Irwin, J. A. Stevens.

Prayer by Mrs. Plummer.

## W. E. PHILLIPS--GENERAL CONFERENCE:

VOTED, That W. E. Phillips be invited to attend the General Conference, to assist in the work of the Treasury Department.

## C. E. RICE--DENVER:

Request having been received that C. E. Rice, of the Medical Department, be allowed to remain in Denver during the time of the construction of the nurses' dormitory which is to be built for the Porter Sanitarium, it was --

VOTED, That C. E. Rice's stay in Denver in connection with the Porter Sanitarium be extended to include supervision of the construction of the dormitory which is to be built.

## JUNIOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING:

VOTED, That the following named persons be appointed leaders for the Junior Young People's meetings at the 5:15 P. M. hour at the General Conference: C. L. Bond, Mrs. C. A. Holt, Guy Mann, G. H. Smith, I. C. Colcord.

## MRS. R. C. GRAY--MEDICAL DEPARTMENT:

VOTED, That we pass on to the Washington Sanitarium Board the request from the Medical Department for the services of Mrs. R. C. Gray.



## L. E. FROOM--COMMENCEMENT APPOINTMENTS:

VOTED, That L. E. Froom respond to the request to preach the baccalaureate sermon to the nurses' graduating class of the Washington Sanitarium on Sabbath, May 3; and the baccalaureate sermon at Broadview College on Sabbath, May 17.

## C. L. BOND--MOUNT VERNON:

VOTED, That C. L. Bond respond to the request to preach the baccalaureate sermon at Mount Vernon Academy, Sabbath, May 10.

## COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS:

VOTED, That all other requests for commencement speakers be referred to the officers, with power to act.

## E. KOTZ--NEW YORK:

VOTED, That E. Kotz respond to the invitation to the Bronx church in New York, Sabbath, April 5.

## ARTHUR M. HANHARDT--UNION COLLEGE:

VOTED, That, with the understanding that Arthur M. Hanhardt is returning to the United States, we pass on to him through the Central European Division the invitation to connect with Union College as instructor in languages, provided satisfactory arrangements have been made for his transportation.

## WILLIAM KIRSTEIN--UNION COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Southern Union Conference and the Southern Publishing Association the call from the Central Union for William Kirstein to take charge of the printing department of Union College.

## SHATTUCK CHURCH DEDICATION:

VOTED, That E. Kotz respond to the invitation to take part in the dedicatory services of the German church in Shattuck, Oklahoma, if the dedication can be arranged for Sunday, May 18.

## APPOINTMENTS:

VOTED, That we approve of the following appointments for C. A. Russell: New Jersey, April 11-13; Shenandoah Valley, April 18 - 20.

VOTED, That we approve of C. L. Bond spending the week end with the churches in Baltimore and Wilmington.

VOTED, That C. S. Longacre meet an appointment to speak on the Calendar question in New Jersey, April 7.

O. MONTGOMERY, Chairman      E. KOTZ, Secretary  
E. ZEIDLER, Rec.  
Secretary