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THREE HUNDRED FORTY-FIRST MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

May 2,1932

PRESENT:

C H Watson, I H Evans, O Montgomery, J L McElhany, J L Shaw, E Kotz, M E Kern, W H Williams, H H Cobban, F M Wilcox, M N Campbell, J A Stevens, H H Hall, F L Peterson, E F Hackman, J C Thompson, C L Bond, H T Elliott, W I Smith, C Conard, Mrs Plummer, E L Richmond, S A Wellman, W E Howell, Miss Jensen, C P Crager, H H Votaw, M C Taft, L E Christman, C S Longacre, H E Rogers, L E Froom, L A Hansen, also F.A. Landis (of China).

Prayer by F.A. Landis.

MISSIONS PROMOTION THROUGH DENOMINATIONAL PERIODICALS:

One of the recommendations of the Spring Meeting, just closed, was that we request the Signs of the Times, the Watchman and the Canadian Watchman to make special appeals to their readers for mission offerings, the publishers to send the gifts to the General Conference to be credited on the Sixty-cent-a-week Fund for the conference in which the donor lives. Some study having been given to the assignment of different fields to these various papers, it was-

VOTED, That the Signs of the Times be asked to make appeal through its columns in behalf of missions in China and the Far East; the Watchman for mission work in the Southern Asia Division; and the Canadian Watchman for the work in South Africa.

C.B. HAYNES -- SALARY AND MOVING EXPENSES:

Inasmuch as Elder C.B. Haynes has suffered considerable loss because of the uncertainty comerning his work and in connection with his transfer to the Michigan Conference, it was--

VOTED, That for the present year the treasurer be authorized to make up to Elder C.B. Haynes the difference between the maximum rate for ministers in the Michigan Conference and what he would have received had he remained in General Conference employ.

FURTHER VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to allow \$200 on the moving expenses of C.B. Haynes from Washington to Battle Creek, Michigan.

HOME HISSIONARY CONVENTION:

VOTED, That the convention of union Home Missionary secretaries authorized by the Foring Meeting for May 13 to 17. be held in Washington.

W.H.WILLIAMS-SOUTHWESTERN UNION:

VOTED, That as a part of his itinerary already arranged, W.H.Williams be asked to include some work at the Southwestern Union headquarters office in Oklahoma City.

J. L. HOELHARY AND M. E. KERN--NEW YORK

VOTED, That J.L.McElhany and M.E.Kern attend the Greater New York Conference session, beginning May 10.

T. RAY LUKENS -- BROADVIEW COLLEGE:

VOTED, That we request the Western Canadian Union Conference to release T.Ray Lukens, to connect with Broadview College as business manager.

H. H. HALL--CANADIAN UNION SESSION:

VOTED, That H.H.Hall attend the joint session of the Canadian Union Conferences at Winnipeg.

COMMITTEE ON SUSTENTATION:

In harmony with the recommendation of the last Autumn Council that a committee be appointed to study a mutual benefit plan for workers to assist in sustentation income, it was--

VOTED, That the chair appoint such a committee.

Named: J.L.Shaw, W.H.Williams, C.Conard, J.L. McElhany, H.H.Cobban, C.C.Pulver, R.L.Walin, L.W.Graham, O.Montgomery.

COMMITTEE TO STUDY COMEBACK PLAN:

VOTED, That the Committee recommended by action of the Spring Meeting to study the Comeback plan, be constituted as follows:

J.L.Shaw, C.H.Watson, O.Montgomery, W.I.Smith, Claude Conard, W.E.Howell, W.H.Williams.

A.W. SPALDING--MEDICAL EXPENSE:

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to allow one half the medical expense of A.W. Spalding, after Brother Spalding has applied the equivalent of one week's salary on the amount.

R.J.ROY--SALARY:

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to continue salary to R.J.Roy, returned from South America, for three months from March 7.

C.H.WATSON, Chairman. M.E.KERN, Secretary. E.ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary.

THREE HUNDRED FORTY-SECOND MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

May 4, 1932, 8:30 A.M.

PRESENT:

C.H.Watson, O.Montgomery, J.L.McElhany, W.H.Branson, J.L.Shaw, E.Kotz, H.E.Kern, W.H.Williams, H.H.Cobban, H.H.Hall L.A.Hansen, H.T.Elliott, G.W.Wells, M.N.Campbell, Mrs.Plummer, L.E.Froom, W.I.Smith, J.A.Stevens, C.S.Longacre, L.E.Christman C.P.Crager, C.Conard, C.L.Bond, S.A.Wellman, M.C.Taft, Miss Jensen, W.E.Howell, E.L.Richmond, F.M.Wilcox, H.E.Rogers, J.C.Thompson.

Prayer by G.W.Wells. Minutes of the Spring Meeting were approved.

WASHINGTON SANITARIUM LAND:

The treasurer presented a letter from a representative of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission relative to their request for the deeding of a portion of Washington Sanitarium land, on the opposite side of the Sligo from the Sanitarium, for inclusion in the projected National Parkway.

The representative suggested that he would be glad to recommend to the Commission that they pay \$15,000 cash for the land, they to accept a deed containing certain restrictions namely, that no improvements be made in the area except the building of a road, the construction of park benches and paths leading thereto, said restriction to be an actual covenant in the deed and run for a period of thirty years. It was—

VOTED, That we authorize the same committee that had been working on the matter to negotiate the sale of this property at \$22,000 cash, or such figure below as may be recessary in order to effect the sale, with the covenant proposed as a part of the deed, but with the added provision that this covenant continue so long as our buildings are used for Sanitarium and Hospital purposes.

F.B. JENSEN--ELEGANUEL MISSIONARY COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the North Pacific Union Conference and Walla Walla College the call from the Lake Union for F.B.Jensen to connect with Emmanuel Missionary College as head of the Bible Department.

THIRTEENTH SABBATH OFFERING GOAL:

VOTED, That the goal for the Thirteenth Sabbath Offering for the fourth quarter of 1932, be \$88,000.

W.A. SPICER--FAR EASTERN DIVISION:

VOTED, That W.A. Spicer who is now in China be asked to extend his trip to the Far Eastern Division, thus meeting the request of that Division for a representative of the General Conference to attend their Division council.

C.H.WATSON, Chairman.
E.KOTZ, Secretary.
E.ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary.

THREE HUNDRED FORTY-THIRD MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

May 5, 1932

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PRESENT:

C.H. Watson, O. Montgomery, W.H. Branson, J.L. McElhany, E.Kotz, M.E.Kern, W.H. Williams, G.W. Wells, H.H. Cobban, E.F. Hackman, H.M. Campbell, H.T. Elliott, C.P. Crager, W.I. Smith, C.L. Bond, L.A. Hansen, Mrs. Plummer, H.H. Votaw, L.E. Froom, S.A. Wellman, F.M. Wilcox, H.H. Hall, J.A. Stevens, M.C. Taft, C. Conard, F.L. Peterson, C.S. Longacre, L.E. Christman, W.E. Howell, H.E. Rogers.

Prayer by G.W.Wells.

GREETINGS TO EUROPEAN WORKERS AND BELIEVERS:

VOTED, That we ask Brethren Evens, Branson and Schubert, who are to be in Europe this summer, to convey the greetings of this Committee to all our workers and believers in the various European fields, extending to them in our behalf the hand of fellowship and our assurances of unity in the common faith.

TEMPERANCE COMMISSION-O.MONTGOMERY, CHAIRMAN:

VOTED, That O.Montgomery be appointed chairman of the Temperance Commission.

TEMPERANCE COMMISSION-M.E.KERN:

VOTED, That M.E.Kern be added to the Temperance Commission, and that he serve as vice-chairman.

COMMITTEE ON DENTAL COURSE:

The Spring Meeting having referred to the Minority Committee for study the question as to the feasibility of establishing a dental course for our young people, it was felt that a small sub-committee should give preliminary study to the question. It was—

VOTED, That the chair appoint a committee of five to explore the possibilities relative to the establishment of a dental course for our young people.

Named: O.Montgomery, C.K.Meyers, Dr. A.W.Truman, W.E.Howell, W.I.Smith.

SCHOOL ACCREDITING:

VOTED, That O. Montgomery associate with the secretaries of the Educational Department in studying the requirements for school accrediting, he to act as chairman of the group.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, That we approve of C.L.Bond's responding to a call to attend a young people's convention at Lynchburg, Virginia, May 7 and 8.

VOTED, That M.N.Campbell be authorized to attend a meeting at Bridgeport, Connecticut, May 9.

VOTED, That W.I. Smith be asked to attend the Oak-wood Junior College Board meeting, May 10.

VOTED, That H.H. Votaw respond to the invitation to deliver the commencement address at Atlantic Union College, May 23.

VOTED, That F.L.Peterson be authorized to respond to the call for his help in the Michigan Conference, if some later date than next week can be arranged.

F.L.PETERSON-SOUTHERN CAMP MEETINGS:

VOTED, That F.L.Peterson be authorized, in counsel with J.L.McElhany, to attend any of the camp meetings in the South where his services may be required.

C. P. CRAGER--RELEASED FROM FLORIDA CAMP MEETING:

VOTED, That C.P.Crager be released from the appointment to attend the Oakwood Junior College Board meeting and the Florida camp meeting.

W.E.HOWELL--OAKWOOD:

VOTED, That W.E. Howell be asked to attend the Oak-wood Junior College Board meeting.

C.S.LONGACRE AND H.H.VOTAW RELEASED FROM CAMP MEETINGS:

VOTED, That in order that they may give their attention to the completion of the work on American State Papers, C.S.Longacre and H.H.Votaw be released from camp meeting appointments this summer.

"ORIGIN AND PROGRESS":

The publishers sought counsel relative to reprinting the book, "Origin and Progress! Inasmuch as there is a feeling that the world field ought to be represented in any consideration as to the future of this book, it was--

VOTED, That the question relative to the revision and reprinting of the book, "Origin and Progress," be referred to the Autumn Council, the Educational Department to arrange with the schools that are using the book as a text book to tide over in some way until the question is settled.

VOTED, Further, that the chair appoint a committee of five to correspond with the field and gather facts, preliminary to the study to be given the question at the Autumn Council.

Named: W.E.Howell, chairman; C.P.Crager, J.W.Mace, E.Kotz, O.Hontgomery.

MRS. T.E. BIERTNESS--MEDICAL EXPENSE:

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to meet one half the medical expense of Mrs. T.E.Biertness, after Brother Biertness has applied one week's wage on the amount.

C.H. WATSON, Chairman.

E.KOTZ,

M.E.KERN, Secretaries.

E. ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary.

THREE HUNDRED FORTY-FOURTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

May 9, 1932

PRESENT:

W.H.Branson, M.E.Kern, H.H.Cobban, J.J.Ireland, M.N. Campbell, W.I.Smith, C.P.Crager, L.A.Hansen, Miss Jensen, L.E. Froom, J.A.P.Green, M.C.Taft, Mrs. Plummer, H.T.Elliott, H.H.Hall C.Conard, W.E.Howell, C.A.Russell, F.C.Gilbert.

The meeting was called immediately following the morning chapel service.

TEMPERANCE COMMISSION -- J.L. SHAW:

VOTED, That J.L.Shaw be appointed a member of the Temperance Commission, and that he serve as treasurer of the Commission.
M.N.CAMPBELL--PENNSYLVANIA:

VOTED, That M.N.Campbell be authorized to meet with the Slovak church in Duquesne, Pennsylvania, over the coming week end.

W.H.BRANSON, Chairman. E.ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary.

THREE HUNDRED FORTY-FIFTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

May 13, 1932

PRESENT:

W.H.Branson, M.E.Kern, H.H.Cobban, Mrs.Plummer, Miss Jensen, E.E.Franklin, C.A.Russell, L.A.Hansen, H.H.Hall, M.C.Taft J.A.P.Green, F.C.Gilbert, S.A.Wellman, C.P.Crager, H.T.Elliott, C.Conard.

The meeting was held immediately following the chapel service.

ROSAMOND GINTHER-WILMINGTON:

VCTED, That Miss Rosamond Ginther be authorized to respond to the invitation to attend a Sabbath School convention in Wilmington, Delaware, June 11.

F.C.GILBERT--ITINERARY:

VOTED, That we approve of the following itinerary for F.C.Gilbert: one week in the Lake Union and one week in the Central Union, preceding his attendance at the Central Union camp meetings.

L.E.CHRISTMAN--WILMINGTON:

VOTED, That L.E.Christman be authorized to meet with the Wilmington, Delaware, church, over the week end of May 21.

SYMPATHY TO MRS. BRODERSEN:

VOTED, That the secretary be asked to convey to Mrs. P.E.Brodersen and family the sympathy of this Committee because of the tragic death of Elder Brodersen.

W.H.BRANSON, Chairman. M.E.KERN, Secretary. E.ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary.

THREE HUNDRED FORTY-SIXTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

May 16, 1932

PRESENT:

W.H.Branson, J.L.McElhany, J.L.Shaw, M.E.Kern, F.M. Wilcox, W.E.Howell, H.H.Cobban, G.W.Wells, F.C.Gilbert, H.H. Hall, H.T.Elliott, E.E.Franklin, C.A.Russell, H.H.Votaw, J.C. Thompson, C.P.Crager, W.I.Smith, S.A.Wellman, J.A.P.Green, C.Conard, L.E.Froom, H.E.Rogers, M.C.Taft, C.L.Bond, Mrs. Plummer, M.N.Campbell, L.A.Hansen, C.S.Longacre.

Prayer by W.I.Smith. Minutes of meetings of May 2, 4 and 5 were approved.

H.D.CASEBEER--CHILE:

VOTED, To pass on to H.D.Casebeer, of the Bureau of Home Missions, the call from the South American Division for him to take the presidency of the Chile Conference.

"HOME AND SCHOOL" DEFICIT:

In closing up their work with the journal "Home and School," the Washington Missionary College Press found there was a deficit in the cost of publication of \$284.55. In turning the journal over to the Southern Publishing Association,

the College Press deducted this amount from paid in subscriptions. Inasmuch as it was felt that the Southern Publishing Association should not have to bear this deficit, it was--

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to remit to the Southern Publishing Association the sum of \$284.55, to cover the deficit in the cost of publication of "Home and School" up to the time of its transfer from the Washington Missionary College Press.

MEDICAL AND FUNERAL EXPENSES OF NORMAN HIGGINS:

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to meet one half the medical and funeral expenses of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Higgins, of the Treasury Department, after one week's salary has been applied on the amount.

SUSTENTATION:

The secretary of the Sustentation Committee reported recent actions of that Committee.

R.E. HAY -- SOUTHERN OREGON:

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union and the Nebraska Conference the call from the North Pacific Union for R.E. Hay to connect with the Southern Oregon Conference.

T.M.LANGBERG--NEBRASKA:

VOTED, To pass on to the North Pacific Union and the Southern Oregon Conference the call for T.M. Langberg to connect with the Nebraska Conference.

C.H.WATSON AND J.L.McELHANY -- NORTH PACIFIC UNION:

VOTED, That C.H. Watson and J.L.McElhany be authorized to make a trip to the North Pacific Union following the Canadian Union session at Winnipeg.

LEON W.COBB--OAKWOOD JUNIOR COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union Conference and Pacific Union College the call for Leon W.Cobb to connect with Oakwood Junior College as president and business manager.

J.L.MORAN--CAKWOOD JUNIOR COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union Conference and the Greater New York Conference the call for J.L.Moran of the Harlem Academy, to connect with Oakwood Junior College to serve as dean and teacher.

M. N. CAMPBELL-BROADVIEW:

VOTED, That M.N. Campbell be authorized to respond to the call to attend a board meeting at Broadview College, May 19.

W.H.BRANSON, Chairman. M.E.KERN, Secretary.

E.ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary.

THREE HUNDRED FORTY-SEVENTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

May 19,1932

PRESENT:

J L McElhany, J L Shaw, M E Kern, G W Wells, F M Wilcox, W E Howell, H H Cobban, J A Stevens, H H Hall, M C Taft J A P Green, C Conard, C A Russell, L E Froom, J C Thompson, C P Crager, F C Gilbert, E F Hackman, S A Wellman, W I Smith, Mrs Plummer, L A Hansen, E E Franklin, H H Votaw, C S Longacre, C L Bond, T E Bowen, L E Christman, also T.R.Flaiz, of India.

Prayer by H.T. Elliott.

HOME MISSIONARY CONVENTIONS IN LAKE UNION:

Request was presented from the Lake Union for help from the Home Missionary Department in the holding of a number of Home Missionary conventions. It was --

VOTED, That in case the Lake Union can arrange to hold the contemplated Home Missionary conventions in July, following the camp meetings in the union, the Home Missionary Department be authorized to plan for one of the department secretaries to attend.

ITINERARIES AND APPOINTMENTS:

VOTED, That we approve of L.A. Hansen's attending an institute which is being conducted at the New England Sanitarium.

VOTED, That C.A.Russell be authorized to respond to the invitation to assist in the Week of Prayer at the Greater New York Academy, May 32 to 28.

VOTED, That H.H.Hall make a trip through the Eastern and Western Canadian Unions in the interests of the Publishing Department work.

VOTED, That E.E.Franklin be authorized to spend three or four weeks in the Central and Southwestern Unions during the month of July.

T.M. FRENCH--ELMANUEL MISSIONARY COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union Conference and Atlantic Union College the call from the Lake Union for T.M. French to connect with Emmanuel Missionary College as head of the Bible Department.

CARL SWENSON--ILLINOIS:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union and the Southern New England Conference the call from the Lake Union for Carl Swenson to connect with the Illinois Conference.

O.J. NERLUND--NEW JERSEY:

VOTED, To pass on to the Lake Union and the Illinois Conference the call from the Columbia Union for O.J.Nerlund to connect with the New Jersey Conference.

CAMP MEETING ASSIGNMENTS:

VOTED, That the following schedule of camp meeting assignments be adopted:

ATLANTIC UNION:

New York, Union Springs, June 24 to July 3, J.L.McElhany, S.A.Wellman.

Southern New England, South Lancaster, July 1 to 10. J.L.McElhany, S.A.Wellman, S. Lundstrum.

Northern New England, July 1 to 10, J.L.McElhany, S.A.Wellman.

CENTRAL UNION:

Inter-Hountain, May 27 to June 1, D.A.Ochs.

Wyoming, June 2 to 7, D.A.Ochs.

Colorado, June 9 to 18, D.A.Ochs, H.H. Humann.

Schuster, J.J.Reiswig. 9 to 18, F.C.Gilbert, M.H.

North Dakota, June 17 to 26, F.C.Gilbert, H.O.Olson J.J.Rerswig, S.Demchuk, D.A.Ochs.

Minnesota, June 23 to July 2, F.C.Gilbert, H.O.Olson, J.J.Reiswig, D.A.Ochs.

Nebraska, August 11 to 20, O.Montgomery, J.C. Thompson.

 \underline{Kamsas} , August 19 to 27, O.Montgomery, G.A.Grauer, W.B.Ochs, J.C.Thompson.

Missouri, August 19 to 27, O.Montgomery, J.C. Thompson Iowa, August 18 to 28, O. Montgomery, J.C. Thompson.

COLUMBIA UNION:

Potomac, June 9 to 19, J.L.Shaw, C.S.Longacre, C.K.Meyers C.P.Crager.

New Jersey, June 23 to July 3, C.H. Watson, C.K. Meyers, C.P. Crager.

E. Pennsylvania, June 30 to July 10, C.H. Watson, C.K. Meyers, C.P. Crager.

Chesapeake, July 7 to 17, C.H. Watson, C.K. Meyers, C.P. Crager, J.L.McElhany (latter part).

W.Pennsylvania, July 14 to 24, C.K.Meyers, C.P.Crager, J.L.McElhany.

Ohio, August 18 to 28, C.H. Watson, C.P. Crager.

W. Virginia, August 11 to 21, C.P.Crager, J.L.McElhany.

LAKE UNION:

Illinois, Broadview, June 6 to 12, O. Montgomery, H.O. Olson, M.E.Olsen, G.W.Wells.

Indiana, Cicero, June 9 to 19, O. Montgomery, M.E.Olsen, W.Wells.

Michigan, Hastings, June 16 to 26 -- Gladstone, June 29 to July 3,-- O. Montgomery, M.E.Olsen, G.W.Wells.

Wisconsin, Portage, June 23 to July 3, O. Montgomery, M.E.Olsen, G.W.Wells.

NORTH PACIFIC UNION:

Southern Oregon, June 2 to 11, J.W.Westphal.

Idaho, June 9 to 19, J.W.Westphal.

Oregon, August 11 to 21, E. Kotz, N.R. Welson.

Washington, August 18 to 28, E. Kotz, N.R. Nelson.

<u>Hontana</u>, -- Regional

PACIFIC UNION:

E. Kotz, C.L.Bond, G.A.Grauer (Northern and Central Cal.) J.W.Westphal (Northern and Central California).

EASTERN CANADIAN UNION:

St. Lawrence, June 23 to July 3, M.N.Campbell, J.A.P.Green.

Ontario, June 30 to July 10, M.N.Campbell, J.A.P.Green.

Maritime, September 9 to 18.

SOUTHERN UNION:

Florida, May 19 to 29, 0. Montgomery.

Georgia-Cumberland, August 5 to 13, C.K. Meyers, W.I. Smith.

Kentucky-Tennessee, August 12 to 20, C.K.Meyers, W.I.Smith,

Alabama-Mississippi, August 19 to 27, C.K. Meyers, W.I. Smith

Carolina, August 26 to September 3, C.K.Meyers, W.I.Smith.

SOUTHWESTERN UNION:

South Texas, July 14 to 24 (local), L.E.Christman, H.T. Wlliott.

Arkansas-Louisiana, July 21 to 31, H.T.Elliott, L.E. Christman, E.E. Franklin.

North Texas, July 28 to August 7 (local), H.T.Elliott, L.E.Christman.

Texico, August 1 to 14, H.T. Elliott, L.E. Christman.

Oklahoma, August 11 to 21, H.T.Elliott, L.E.Christman, W.B.Ochs, G.A.Grauer.

WESTERN CANADIAN UNION:

Manitoba, June 27 to July 3, J.H. Seibel, N.R. Nelson, P.G. Yakavenko, D.A. Ochs.

Saskatchewan, July 1 to 10, D.A.Ochs, J.H.Seibel, N.R. Nelson, W.B.Ochs, S.Demchuk.

Alberta, July 8 to 17, D.A.Ochs, J.H.Seibel, N.R.Nelson, S.Demchuk.

British Columbia, July 15 to 24, D.A.Ochs, N.R.Nelson.

MRS. PAUL QUIMBY--MEDICAL EXPENSE:

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to meet one half the medical expense of Mrs. Paul Quimby, on furlough from China.

FUNDA FROM CENTRAL EUROPE TO NORTHERN EUROPE:

VOTED, That in case it is possible to effect a transfer of funds from Germany to Denmark, we authorize the transfer of mission funds accumulating in Berlin available up to July first, to the Northern European Division, at exchange current at the time of transfer, with the understanding that the Northern European Division give the General Conference a note in dollars, payable one half in April, 1933, the second half July 1, 1933, bearing interest at three per cent per annum, the same to apply on appropriations to the Northern European Division in 1933.

J.L.McELHANY, Chairman. M.E.KERN, Secretary. E.ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary.

THREE HUNDRED FORTY-EIGHTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

May 26,1932

PRESENT:

J L Shaw, M E Kern, H H Cobban, F M Wilcox, G W Wells E L Richmond, H J Detwiler, E E Franklin, E F Hackman, Miss Jensen, J A Stevens, C S Longacre, L E Christman, C P Crager, M C Taft, W I S mith, S A Wellman, A W Spalding, J J Ireland, L E Froom, J A P Green, C Conard, J C Thompson, W E Howell, H H Votaw, H T Elliott, C P Bollman, J A Mace, C L Lawry, L W Graham, R W Conard.

Prayer by L.W.Graham.

BOOK PRICES:

By their request, the Review and Herald Board met with the Committee and sought counsel regarding a reduction in the prices of their large subscription books. After some discussion of the question, it was--

VOTED, That a committee of five be appointed to draft a letter to be sent to the Pacific Press, the Southern Publishing Association and the Canadian Watchman Press, setting forth the reasons why the Review and Herald feels it necessary to advocate this reduction of prices in their territory.

Named: E.E.Franklin, J.L.Shaw, J.W.Mace, J.A. Stevens, J.A.P.Green.

MINISTERIAL READING COURSE:

Whereas, Painstaking care has been exercised in selecting volumes of merit and practical value for the Ministerial Reading Course for 1933, chosen through competent reading committees appointed by the Advisory Council of the Association; and

Whereas, The 1932 Spring Meeting gave strong endorsement to this plan of systematic and united reading, declaring it "worthy of the universal support and participation of our workers," calling upon all our leaders to give the course for 1933 "definite moral support and active encouragement;" and

Whereas, The titles recommended are now before us for final action; therefore,

VOTED, That we accept the recommendation of the Coordinating Committee specifying the Ministerial Reading Course titles for 1933 as follows:

Reading of the Old Testament chronologically--with study outlines furnished.

"Patriarchs and Prophets," by E.G. White.

"The Soul Winner, " by C.H. Spurgeon.

"The History of the Christian Church," by F.J. Foakes-Jackson.

The new S.D.A. "Church Manual," by J.L.McElhany.

Further, that we commend this helpful study set to our workers everywhere, and cordially invite them to benefit by the advantages offered.

GLADYS D. CURTRIGHT -- OAKWOOD JUNIOR COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union and the Greater New York Conference the call for Miss Gladys D. Curtright, of the Harlem Academy, to connect with Oakwood Junior College as English teacher.

A.J.CLARK--SOUTHERN UNION:

VOTED, To pass on to the Columbia Union and the Chesapeake Conference the call for A.J. Clark to connect with the work in the Southern Union.

J.C.OSWALD--COLUMBIA UNION:

VOTED, To pass on to the Southern Union and the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference the call for J.C.Oswald to connect with the work in the Columbia Union.

KATHRYN JENSEN--PHILADELPHIA:

VOTED, That Miss Kathryn Jensen be authorized to accept the invitation to attend a special service in the South Philadelphia church the evening of June 2.

R.J.ROY--SALARY:

VOTED, That the treasurer be authorized to continue salary to R.J. Roy, returned from South America, for three months from May 11.

J.L.SHAW, Chairman. M.E.KERN, Secretary. E.ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary.

THREE HUNDRED FORTY-NINTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

May 29, 1932.

PRESENT:

J L Shaw, M E Kern, H H Cobban, W E Howell, G W Wells C Conard, J A Stevens, L E Christman, M C Taft, C A Russell, H T Elliott, F M Wilcox, E L Richmond, C P Crager, W I Smith, L E Froom, J J Ireland, S A Wellman, J A P Green, E F Hackman, L A Hansen, Miss Jensen.

Prayer by L.A. Hansen. Minutes of the meeting of May 26 were approved.

TEMPERANCE COMMISSION-DR. A.W. TRUMAN:

VOTED, That Dr. A.W. Truman be appointed a member of the Temperance Commission.

D.A.OCHS--OAKWOOD JUNIOR COLLEGE:

VOTED, That we invite D.A.Ochs, of the General Conference Missionary Volunteer Department, to take the presidency and business management of Oakwood Junior College.

SCHOOL ACCREDITING:

A statement was read, which had been prepared for presentation to the Commission on Institutions of Higher Education of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. It outlined our denominational educational system and set forth the reasons why in connection with the question of accrediting we feel our colleges should be exempt from the endowment requirement of the Association. It also requested exemption for Emmanuel Missionary College and Union College from the decision of the Association requiring that schools accredited as junior colleges should not do senior college work unless they secure accrediting as senior colleges by 1933.

Some suggestions were made in an endeavor to clarify certain points in the statement, and it was--

VOTED, That a committee be appointed by the chair, to incorporate these suggestions, and that then the statement be forwarded to the Commission.

Named: W.I.Smith, W.E.Howell, J.L.Shaw, M.E.Kern, F.M.Wilcox, C.Conard, H.T.Elliott, C.P.Crager.

J.L.SHAW, Chairman. M.E.KERN, Secretary. E.ZEIDLER, Recording Secretary.