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SEVENTY-NINTH MEETING
GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 3, 1947

MEMBERS PRESENT:

J L McElhany, J J Nethery, H T Elliott, W P Bradley, A W Cormack, H H Cobban, Roger Altman, J F Cummins, W K Ising, H W Lowe, R Ruhling, L H Christian, H A Morrison, K J Reynolds, Claude Conard, H H Votaw, E E Andross, G A Huse, J J Ireland, W A Scharffenberg, M E Kern, E B Hare, Miss Lois Burnett, Miss Winifred McCormack, W A Butler, W P Elliott, D A McAdams, T E Lucas, E W Dunbar, D E Rebok, W E Phillips.

OTHERS PRESENT:

A L White, D E Robinson.

Prayer by L.H.Christian, Minutes of the meeting of January 30 were approved.

DR. GEORGE C. CHENG--MALAYA:

VOTED, To pass on to Dr. George C. Cheng the invitation from the Far Eastern Division for him to return to Malaya, his homeland, for medical missionary service in that field, it being understood that the Far Eastern Division has a plan for liquidating Dr. Cheng's indebtedness over a period of years.

CREDENTIALS AND LICENSES:

A report from the Committee on Credentials and Licenses was submitted, and adopted as follows:

We recommend, 1. For ministerial credentials for the quadrennial term: M.E.Eckenroth, G.A.Roberts, W.A.Scharffenberg, L.A.Skinner, T.R.Flaiz, G.E.Vandeman, S.A.Wellman.

2. For ministerial credentials for the year 1947: W.H. Bergherm, R.M.Cossentine, H.O.Olson, W.C.Raley, H.M.J.Richards, Axel Varmer, Elmer Walde.

3. For ministerial license for the quadrennial term: Dr. Holger Lindsjo, Dr. Daniel Walther, C.E.Weniger.

4. For ministerial license for the year 1947: F.Brennwald, B.Glanzer, Wayne Hooper, V.R.Lebedoff, G.A.Otter, A.G. Rodgers, David Rose, Robert E.Seamont, Raymond Turner.

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5. For missionary credentials for the quadrennial term: Mrs. R.B.Thurber (if she connects with the General Conference), Mrs. Mabel Towery.

6. For missionary credentials for the year 1947: C.H. Anscombe, Anna Schmidt.

We recommend, 1. That missionary license for the year 1947 be granted to members of the General Conference office staff as follows:

Mrs. Leila Adair, Elsie Argent, Leilafred Ballard, Erna Borm, George T.Bourne, Mrs. Catherine M.Buxbaum, Hazel R.Broome, Minnie Lou Campbell, Mrs. Ralph E.Case, Irene Caslow, Louise Caslow, Mrs. Jean Chappel, Mrs. Myrtle Christman, Grace Coyl, T.Rose Curtis, Mrs. Jaqueline Dusing, Mrs. Alice Fagerstrom, Katie Farney, Mrs. Esther L.Fenn, J.R.Finch, Arthur F.Folger, Dorothy Ford, Mrs. Ellen Franklin, Edith Geymet, Mrs. Louis Halswick, Jewell Hatcher, Betty Jane Horko, Emma Howell, Mrs. Nell Hunter, Marjorie Isner, Grace Johnson, Mrs. Velede Johnson, Jane Kerr, Pauline Klady, Marilyn Knecht, Eva M.Linscott, Frances Maiden, Myrtle McGee, Genevieve Melendy, Helen Miller, Mrs. Elsie Minesinger, John Moorehead, Mrs. Lois Mullinax, Mary Neufeld, Dorothy Ninaj, Frances Nowlin, Marion Nyman, Mary Ogle, Russell Osborn, Mrs. Mary D.Patterson, Mary Paul, Mrs. Julius Peter, Mrs. Lottie Quinn, Frances Russell, Mary Sachs, Frances Sampson, Mrs. W.A. Scharffenberg, Mrs. Mary Scott, Hasel Shadel, Elaine Shull, Verna Slate, Helen Smith, Louise Surface, Mrs. Shirley Swinyar, Villa Staley, Esther Stoehr, Mrs. Walter Tate, Minnie Truitt, Mintie Truitt, Mrs. Page E.Tull, Mrs. Pauline Vaughan, Mrs. Irene Walters, Thelma Wellman, Evelyn Wells, Kenneth Wetmore, Mrs. Lena Wetmore, Vera Mae Wilkins, Ora Williams, Ruth Williams,

2. To former language students: Mrs. V.R.Lebedoff, Mrs. G.A.Otter, Mrs. David Rose.

3. To Theological Seminary, Voice of Prophecy, and Home Study Institute workers, as follows: Leta Burgess, Mrs. Iva A.Brande, Mrs. Juanita Byrd, Thelma Collins, Mrs. Bessie Detamore, Mrs. Irma Fae Doering, Dorothy Ferren, H.B.Fisher, Mrs. Elora Ford, Mrs. Carol Johnson, Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Edith Seek, Mrs. Mabel Wilson, Theodora Wirak, Mrs. F.H.Yost.

ELEANOR BAER--MEDICAL DEPARTMENT:

VOTED, To place a request with Miss Eleanor Baer for her services for about three months in the General Conference Medical Department, to complete the work begun on the Home Nursing textbook.

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F.A.MORAN AND F.R.ISAAC--SYLLABUS FOR BIBLE:

VOTED, To place a request for the services of F.A.Moran and F.R.Isaac, for ten to twelve weeks this coming summer, to continue the work begun a year ago on a Syllabus for Bible for School of Nursing first-year students, the Union College School of Nursing being requested to meet the salary of F.R.Isaac, and the Loma Linda Sanitarium the salary of F.A.Moran, the General Conference to meet the transportation, board (actual) and room, and expense of stenographic help.

MRS. KATHRYN JENSEN-NELSON
WASHINGTON MISSIONARY COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union Conference and the Union College School of Nursing, the request from the Columbia Union on behalf of Washington Missionary College, for the services of Mrs. Kathryn Jensen-Nelson for teaching in the summer school for a period of six weeks, beginning June 18.

DR. D.A.COURVILLE--WALLA WALLA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union Conference and Pacific Union College the call from the North Pacific Union for Dr. D.A.Courville to connect with Walla Walla College as head of the Chemistry Department.

M.E.MATHISEN--WALLA WALLA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union and the Central California Conference the call from the North Pacific Union for M.E.Mathisen, of the Mountain View Union Academy, to connect with Walla Walla College to teach in the Chemistry Department.

MARGARET AMBS--WALLA WALLA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union Conference and La Sierra College the call from the North Pacific Union for Miss Margaret Ambs, of La Sierra Academy, to connect with Walla Walla College, to teach in the English Department.

DORIS BATCHELDER--WALLA WALLA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union Conference and Atlantic Union College the call from the North Pacific Union for Miss Doris Batchelder to connect with Walla Walla College as piano teacher.

LOIS TEEL--WALLA WALLA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Lake Union Conference and Emmanuel Missionary College the call from the North Pacific Union for Miss Lois Teel to connect with Walla Walla College, for elementary grade teaching.

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ALVIN G. MUNSON--NORTH PACIFIC UNION:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union Conference the call from the North Pacific Union for Alvin G. Munson, to connect with the North Pacific Union as auditor.

HENRIETTA IMMERGUT--ILLINOIS:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union and the Greater New York Conference the call from the Lake Union for Henrietta Immergut to connect with the Illinois Conference for German work, it being understood that the Home-Foreign Department will subsidize her salary up to \$300 for one year.

DON R. REES--INDIANA:

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union and the Colorado Conference the call from the Lake Union for Don R. Rees to connect with the Indiana Conference as Home Missionary Secretary,

L. H. HARTIN--WASHINGTON MISSIONARY COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union Conference and Atlantic Union College the call from the Columbia Union for L. H. Hartin to connect with Washington Missionary College as Professor of Bible and head of the Bible Department.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, That we approve of the following appointments and itineraries:

J. J. Nethery, W. P. Elliott, H. H. Cobban, constituency meeting of the Southern Publishing Association, March 31-April 3.

Miss Lois Burnett, Florida Sanitarium, February 25-28.

W. A. Scharffenberg, Dallas, Texas, date to be arranged.

Eric B. Hare and Miss Louise Meyer, North Pacific Union, February 28-March 8.

Eric B. Hare, Child Evangelism Institutes, Southern New England Conference, August 2-16.

F. H. Yost, church officers' meeting, Syracuse, February 28-March 2.

Representative of the Home Missionary Department, church officers' meeting, Syracuse, February 28-March 2.

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W.A. Butler, Berrien Springs, February 8.

D.A. McAdams, Philadelphia, Sabbath, February 8.

H.H. Votaw, Waynesboro, Pennsylvania, Sabbath, February 15.

DR. T.R. FLAIZ--CHINA:

VOTED, That in case Dr. T.R. Flaiz arrives in America in time and it can be arranged, he be asked to join the General Conference representatives who have been appointed to visit China and the Far East.

ACADEMY PRINCIPALS:

VOTED, That the date for the meeting of Academy Principals be set for June 10, 11, 12. (As previously authorized the date was for three days between June 1 and 15.)

SPONSORSHIPS:

VOTED, To extend the sponsorships required by the Government on behalf of the following, in connection with their application for immigration visas to the United States:

Elder George Raus, his wife, Anna Raus, and Lydia Perk, the sister of Mrs. Raus, Russian citizens, now in Germany.

Edith Saknit, and her mother, Mathilde Dance, Russian citizens, now in Germany.

DR. C.P. BRINGLE--EXTENSION OF FURLOUGH:

VOTED, That Dr. C.P. Bringle, of Africa, be granted an extension of his furlough, to September 1.

E.B. JEWELL--EXTENSION OF FURLOUGH:

VOTED, That in order that he may complete the school work he is taking, E.B. Jewell, of Africa, be granted one month's extension of his furlough.

PRINTING PLANT IN ICELAND:

VOTED, To appropriate \$8,000 from the Publishing House Rehabilitation Fund, to the Northern European Division, for a small printing plant in Iceland.

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ACCOUNTS IN SOUTH AMERICA--

AUTHORIZATION OF SIGNATURES:

RESOLVED, That the National City Bank of New York, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, South America, be, and hereby is, authorized to recognize the signature of E.L.Moore, in addition to that of O.A.Blake, Treasurer, previously authorized, for the account of the South American Division of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, to sign or make all or any changes and orders for the payment of money.

RESOLVED, That the National City Bank of New York, Sao Paulo, Brazil, South America, be, and hereby is, authorized to recognize the signature of O.A.Blake, Treasurer, and/or E.L. Moore, for the account of the South American Division of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, to sign or make all or any changes and orders for the payment of money.

J.L.McElhany, Chairman.
H.T.Elliott, Secretary.
E.Zeidler, Recording Secretary.

EIGHTIETH MEETING
GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

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MEMBERS PRESENT:

J J Nethery, J L McElhany, W P Bradley, H T Elliott,
A W Cormack, H H Cobban, J F Cummins, Roger Altman, L E Froom,
E W Dunbar, E E Andross, T E Lucas, H W Lowe, H H Votaw, K J
Reynolds, W K Ising, Claude Conard, R Ruhling, Miss Lois Burnett
Miss Winifred McCormack, M E Kern, G E Peters, E B Hare, G A Huse,
W A Scharffenberg, J J Ireland, D A McAdams, D E Rebok, R H Adair,
W A Butler, H A Morrison.

OTHERS PRESENT:

J.B. Conley, of Australia.

Prayer by L.E. Froom. Minutes of the meeting of February 3 were approved.

RELIGIOUS LIBERTY IN ITALY:

An organization known as "Citizens United for Religious Emancipation" is sending two men, Frank Gigliotti and Dr. Farne, to Italy in the interests of religious minorities, and request has been made that we assist in meeting the expense of this endeavor, since our work in Italy will benefit if the mission is successful. It was

VOTED, To appropriate \$1000 toward meeting this expense in the interests of religious liberty in Italy.

LITERATURE SALES RESTRICTIONS:

A committee that had been appointed on the question of procedure in handling cases in which the sale of our literature is restricted by municipal ordinances, submitted the following recommendations, which were adopted:

In view of conditions prevailing in many parts of the United States under which restrictive ordinances against the sale of our literature are being enforced,

We recommend, 1. That when it becomes necessary to appeal to the courts in order to safeguard our constitutional rights in this matter, we undertake to share equally with our three publishing houses, and the local and union conferences

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immediately concerned, the cost of such court procedure, on the basis of the General Conference paying one-sixth, the publishing houses one-sixth each, the union and local conferences one-sixth each.

2. That this provision apply to the sale of all literature produced by our denominational publishing houses and sold through our recognized channels of distribution.

3. That a committee be appointed representing the Religious Liberty and Publishing Departments, and the Treasury and Secretarial Departments, by which such cases shall be handled on the plan outlined above.

ABRAHAM MAZLUM--MINISTERIAL LICENSE:

VOTED, That ministerial license for the year 1947 be granted to Abraham Mazlum, a worker from Turkey now attending La Sierra College.

PICTURE LIBRARY COMMITTEE:

VOTED, That L.A. Skinner be appointed to serve on the Picture Library Committee, in place of C.L. Bond.

DEATH OF EMIL E. FRAUCHIGER:

Word was received of the death of Elder Emil E. Frauchiger, on January 8, in Switzerland. Elder Frauchiger was one of the early pioneers of our work in Europe, where he served faithfully in responsible positions for many years.

VOTED, That the Secretary be asked to convey to Sister Frauchiger and other relatives our appreciation of the contribution which Elder Frauchiger made to our work in Europe, and an expression of our deep sympathy in this hour of sorrow and bereavement.

EMMETT VANDEVERE--EMMANUEL MISSIONARY COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the North Pacific Union and the Washington Conference the call from the Lake Union for Emmett Vandevere, of Auburn Academy, to connect with Emmanuel Missionary College as Associate Professor in History.

H. E. HINE--EMMANUEL MISSIONARY COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union Conference and Pacific Union College the call from the Lake Union for H. E. Hine to connect with Emmanuel Missionary College as Mathematics and Science teacher.

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J.R.PERKINS--HINSDALE SANITARIUM:

VOTED, To pass on to the Southern Union and the Georgia-Cumberland Conference the call from the Lake Union for J.R.Perkins to connect with the Hinsdale Sanitarium as chaplain.

R.H.HARTWELL--GREATER NEW YORK:

VOTED, To pass on to R.H.Hartwell, returned from China, the call from the Atlantic Union to connect with the Greater New York Conference, to serve as pastor of the New York City Temple Church.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST BOOKS
IN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARIES:

Attention of the Committee was called again to the desirability of having a number of our denominational books placed in the libraries of the theological seminaries in North America, and it was

VOTED, That the committee that is dealing with the question of supplying our denominational books to public libraries, and university, college and seminary libraries, and that is to report to the next Autumn Council, be asked to give special consideration to this feature of placing our books in the libraries of the theological seminaries.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, That we approve of the following appointments and itineraries:

J.E.Edwards, Arkansas-Louisiana Conference officers' meeting, March 1-8.

W.E.Phillips and H.P.Bloum, Atlantic and Canadian Unions, for auditing.

D.E.Rebok, Columbia Union Conference session.

E.B.Hare and Miss Louise Meyer, Child Evangelism Institute, Syracuse, New York, May 31 to June 7.

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G.E.Vandeman, Southern Union Conference session.

A.Lohne, of the Northern European Division, California, February 12-18.

J.B.SEAL--MALAMULO MISSION:

VOTED, To request the Southwestern Union and the Texico Conference to release J.B.Seal, to connect with the Southern African Division, to serve as accountant-printer at the Malamulo Mission.

V.E.DUNN--CHINA TRAINING INSTITUTE:

VOTED, To request the Central Union Conference and Union College to release V.E.Dunn, to connect with the China Division, to serve as business manager of the China Training Institute.

WILMA LEAZER--BRAZIL:

VOTED, To request the North Pacific Union Conference and the Portland Sanitarium to release Miss Wilma Leazer, to connect with the South American Division in response to the call for a nurse for Belem, in the North Brazil Union.

DRS. C.E.RANDOLPH AND G.C.BOLTON--RELEASED:

VOTED, That since the way is not clear for them to go forward, Dr. C.E.Randolph and Dr. G.C.Bolton be released from the call to China.

I.V.STONEBROOK--PERMANENT RETURN:

VOTED, That on recommendation of the China Division Committee, and in harmony with his own request, the return of I.V.Stonebrook be changed from furlough to the permanent return basis.

H.E.McCLURE--PERMANENT RETURN:

VOTED, That in view of health conditions in his family, and on recommendation of the South American Division Committee, we authorize the permanent return of H.E.McClure from Brazil.

TRUMAN REED--RELEASE AND SETTLEMENT:

VOTED, That because of changed conditions in the Middle East Union, Truman Reed be released from appointment to teaching work in Egypt, and that his case be referred to the Committee on Allowances for financial adjustment.

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GENERAL CONFERENCE OFFICE FAMILY:

VOTED, That a sum of \$200 be set up, taken from the Contingency Fund, for meeting expenses incident to general gatherings of the General Conference office family.

NORTH PARK CHURCH, SAN DIEGO:

Request was presented from the Pacific Union on behalf of the Southeastern California Conference for approval of the erection of an addition to the North Park church, in San Diego, at a cost of \$22,000, the local conference appropriating \$7,500 and the church raising \$14,500.

VOTED, That we approve of the proposed addition to the North Park church in San Diego, with the understanding that building operations will not be begun until 75% of the required amount is in hand.

CHRISTIAN RECORD--APARTMENT HOUSE:

Request was presented from the Central Union on behalf of the Christian Record Benevolent Association, for approval of the erection of a two-family apartment house for employees in College View, at a cost of \$9,000, the necessary funds being in hand.

VOTED, That we approve of the erection of the proposed apartment house for Christian Record employees in College View.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA--CAMP MEETING SITE:

Request was presented from the Pacific Union on behalf of the Central California Conference, for approval of the purchase of 87 acres of land at a cost of \$17,400, part of the tract to be used as a permanent camp meeting site. They have the necessary funds in hand.

VOTED, That we approve of the purchase of the piece of land as proposed by the Central California Conference.

J.J.Nethery, Chairman.
W.P.Bradley, Secretary.
E.Zeidler, Recording Secretary.

EIGHTY-FIRST MEETING
GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 10, 1947

MEMBERS PRESENT:

A V Olson, J J Nethery, T J Michael, H T Elliott, W P Bradley, A W Cormack, H H Cobban, W A Scharffenberg, E J Lorntz, Claude Conard, W K Ising, M E Kern, H H Votaw, E B Hare, G A Huse, H W Lowe, G E Peters, E W Dunbar, Miss Winnifred McCormack, D A McAdams, H A Morrison, L H Christian, R Ruhling, K J Reynolds, M C Taft, J J Ireland, T E Lucas, D E Rebok, W A Butler, F D Nichol, T L Oswald.

Prayer by T.L.Oswald. Minutes of the meeting of February 6 were approved.

RAY UNDERHILL--ATLANTIC UNION COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the North Pacific Union Conference and Walla Walla College the call from the Atlantic Union for Ray Underhill to connect with Atlantic Union College as head of the Physics Department.

HOMER BURWELL--SOUTHWESTERN UNION:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union and the Northern California Conference the call from the Southwestern Union for Homer Burwell to connect with that union as union Sabbath School and Home Missionary Secretary.

H.C.HARTMAN--WALLA WALLA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union and the Missouri Conference the call from the North Pacific Union for H.C.Hartman of Sunnydale Academy, to connect with Walla Walla College as treasurer and business manager.

CLARENCE T.RICHARDS--ARIZONA:

VOTED, To pass on to the Columbia Union and the Allegheny Conference the call from the Pacific Union for Clarence T. Richards, to connect with the work in the Arizona Conference.

JOHN SHULL--LA SIERRA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Lake Union and the Michigan Conference the call from the Pacific Union for John Shull, of Cedar Lake Academy, to connect with La Sierra College as dean of men.

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ETHEL STAMPER--LA SIERRA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Lake Union and the Michigan Conference the call from the Pacific Union for Miss Ethel Stamper of Adelpian Academy, to connect with La Sierra College as assistant dean of women.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, That we approve of the following appointments and itineraries:

L.A. Skinner, Northern Union, Missionary Volunteer rallies April 1-12.

D.A. McAdams, Colporteur Institute, Emmanuel Missionary College, April 2-7.

Winifred McCormack, Chicago Secondary School Health Curriculum Committee, February 13, 14.

W.A. Butler, Dorcas Federation and Church Elders' meetings, February 23-March 2, New York Conference.

LITERATURE TO GERMANY:

Information was given that the way is now open for printed matter to be sent into the American Zone in Germany, and that the Review and Herald Board has voted to send the Review, Instructor and one or two other periodicals in packages to our conference offices in the American Zone for one year. It was

VOTED, To express our appreciation to the Review and Herald Board for this kind and generous action on their part, and that we suggest as the other periodicals to be included in their gift, the Church Officers' Gazette and the Sabbath School Worker.

V. SPERANZA---SPONSORSHIP:

VOTED, To extend the sponsorship required by the Government on behalf of V. Speranza in connection with his application for visa to the United States. Brother Speranza is an Italian worker who went to Europe from America. He has now been granted a leave of absence to visit his old home in the United States.

S. CHRISTOFFERS--HAMBURG PUBLISHING HOUSE:

VOTED, To pass on to S. Christoffers, formerly of Germany, now in Japan, the call from the Central European Division to connect with the Hamburg Publishing House for editorial work.

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S. CHRISTOFFERS--SPONSORSHIP:

VOTED, To extend the sponsorship that will be required by the United States Government on behalf of S. Christoffers in connection with his application for visa in order that he may proceed from Japan to Germany by way of the United States, to assume the responsibilities at our Hamburg Publishing House to which he has been appointed.

A.V. Olson, Chairman.
T.J. Michael, Secretary.
E. Zeidler, Recording Secretary.

EIGHTY-SECOND MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 13, 1947

MEMBERS PRESENT:

J J Nethery, W P Bradley, H T Elliott, T J Michael, A W Cormack, H H Cobban, J F Cummins, Roger Altman, E E Andross, J J Ireland, L H Christian, T E Lucas, E W Dunbar, H A Morrison, F H Yost, H W Lowe, W H Teesdale, Claude Conard, K J Reynolds, W K Ising, G A Huse, J E Edwards, T L Oswald, W A Scharffenberg, E J Lorntz, M C Taft, H H Votaw, M E Kern, L A Skinner, D E Rebok W E Phillips.

OTHERS PRESENT:

Miss Lora Clement, A Varmer.

Prayer by W.H. Teesdale.

DEATH OF DR. IDA NELSON:

Word was received of the death, at the St Helena Sanitarium, on Tuesday afternoon, February 11, of Dr. Ida S. Nelson, the wife of Elder Andrew Nelson and sister of Mrs. W.E. Nelson.

Resolved, That we hereby extend to Elder Andrew Nelson and the two daughters, and to Elder and Mrs. W.E. Nelson and other relatives our deep sympathy in this sorrow and bereavement that has come to them.

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E.F. HEIM--MALAMULO MISSION:

VOTED, To request the Pacific Union and the Northern California Conference to release E.F. Heim, of Lodi Academy, to connect with the Southern African Division, as director of the mission and principal of the Malamulo Mission Training School.

DR. I.G. KRIEGER--CHINA:

VOTED, To invite Dr. I.G. Krieger, of Arizona, to connect with the China Division, in response to the call for a doctor for Yencheng.

DR. RAYMOND ERMSHAR--CHINA:

VOTED, To invite Dr. Raymond Ermshar, of Maryland, to connect with the China Division, to fill the call for a doctor for Canton.

MISS ALMA BINDER--INDIA:

VOTED, To request the Pacific Union Conference and the Paradise Valley Sanitarium to release Miss Alma Binder, to connect with the Southern Asia Division, to serve as Bible instructor in Bombay, India.

G.M. MATHEWS--FAR EASTERN DIVISION:

VOTED, To request the Lake Union Conference to release G.M. Mathews, to connect with the Far Eastern Division as Educational Secretary of the division.

O.A. BLAKE--ORDINATION:

The South American Division has recommended that O.A. Blake, the secretary-treasurer of the division, now in the United States, be ordained before he returns to South America.

VOTED, That we concur in the recommendation of the South American Division relative to the ordination of O.A. Blake, and that J.J. Nethery and W.P. Bradley be appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

FRANCIS MacDOUGALL--SOCIETY ISLANDS:

VOTED, To pass on to the Southern European Division the call from the Australasian Division for Francis MacDougall, of the North France Conference, to connect with the Australasian Division for work in the Society Islands.

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LITERATURE SALES RESTRICTIONS--COMMITTEE:

The committee called for in the recommendations adopted in the meeting of February 6, with reference to Literature Sales Restrictions, was announced as follows:

W.P.Elliott, chairman, H.H.Votaw, H.H.Cobban, W.P.Bradley J.J.Nethery.

COMMISSION ON RURAL LIVING:

VOTED, That Dr. T.R.Flaiz be appointed a member of the Commission on Rural Living, in place of Dr. H.M.Walton.

CHURCH AND COLLEGE MISSION BAND HELPS:

VOTED, That L.A.Skinner be added to the Committee on Church and College Mission Band Helps.

R.G.BROWN--WALLA WALLA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Canadian Union Conference and Canadian Union College the call from the North Pacific Union for R.H.Brown to connect with Walla Walla College as head of the Physics Department.

THERESA BRICKMAN--WALLA WALLA COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Southern Union Conference and Southern Missionary College the call from the North Pacific Union for Miss Theresa Brickman to connect with Walla Walla College to teach Secretarial Science.

JOSEPH DOBIAS--CHICAGO:

VOTED, To pass on to the Columbia Union and the West Pennsylvania Conference the call from the Lake Union for Joseph Dobias to connect with the Illinois Conference as pastor of the Czechoslovakian church in Chicago.

E.H.MOLDRICK--NEW JERSEY:

VOTED, To pass on to the Lake Union and the Illinois Conference the call from the Columbia Union for E.H.Moldrick, of Chicago, to connect with the work in the New Jersey Conference.

G.F.WIMER--IDAHO:

VOTED, To pass on to the Canadian Union and the British Columbia Conference the call from the North Pacific Union for G.F.Wimer to connect with the Idaho Conference as Publishing Department Secretary.

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RALPH MCGANN--NEW JERSEY:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union and the Southern New England Conference the call from the Columbia Union for Ralph McGann to connect with the New Jersey Conference as Assistant Publishing Department Secretary.

FRANK ULLRICH--POTOMAC CONFERENCE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Southwestern Union and the Texas Conference the call from the Columbia Union for Frank Ullrich to connect with the Potomac Conference as Assistant Publishing Department Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, That we approve of the following appointments and itineraries:

T.L.Oswald, Kentucky-Tennessee Conference, one week early in March.

W.A.Scharffenberg, Southern Missionary College, February 26 to March 1.

E.J.Lorntz, Denver, Colorado, two weeks, date to be arranged.

HARTFORD CHURCH:

Information was given that the Hartford, Connecticut, church is planning for a church building at an estimated cost of \$85,000. Request was presented from the Atlantic Union on their behalf for approval of the construction of the basement only at this time, which with a temporary roof will cost between \$35,000 and \$40,000. The church has \$35,000 in cash in hand.

VOTED, That we approve of the construction of the basement of the church building as proposed, for the church in Hartford, Connecticut.

J. VAN GINHOVEN--NEW YORK:

VOTED, That the Treasury be authorized to meet the expenses of J. Van Ginhoven, of Washington, in accompanying H.H. Votaw and F.H. Yost to New York, to assist in making certain contacts there.

J.J. Nethery, Chairman.
W.P. Bradley, Secretary.
E. Zeidler, Recording Secretary.

EIGHTY-THIRD MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 17, 1947

MEMBERS PRESENT:

A V Olson, J J Nethery, T J Michael, H T Elliott, W P Bradley, A W Cormack, H H Cobban, J F Cummins, Roger Altman, J J Ireland, E E Andross, L Halswick, R Ruhling, T L Oswald, W A Butler, J E Edwards, W K Ising, G A Huse, M C Taft, Claude Conard, L H Christian, C S Longacre, W H Teesdale, M E Kern, H W Lowe, H A Morrison, Miss Winifred McCormack, A Varmer, D E Rebok, T E Lucas.

Prayer by A.W.Cormack. Minutes of the meeting of February 10 and 13 were approved.

SYMPATHY TO J.L.McELHANY:

Word was received of the death of Elder McElhany's sister, Mrs. Lulu Good, in California.

Resolved, That we hereby extend to Elder J.L.McElhany our heartfelt sympathy in the sorrow that has come to him through the loss of his sister. We extend to other sorrowing relatives also an expression of our sincere sympathy.

G.GUDMUNDSEN--PERMANENT RETURN:

VOTED, That G.Gudmundsen, on furlough in America from Ethiopia, be granted permanent return to Europe, inasmuch as health conditions make it impracticable for them to return to Ethiopia.

G.GUDMUNDSEN--VOICE OF PROPHECY OFFICE:

VOTED, That in harmony with the recommendation of the Northern European Division and West Nordic Union Committees, we authorize G.Gudmundsen to accompany A.Varmer, of the Northern European Division, on a trip to the Voice of Prophecy office in California.

DANIEL AUGSBURGER--COLLONGES SEMINARY:

VOTED, To pass on to Daniel Augsburg, now at Ann Arbor, Michigan, the call from the Southern European Division, to return to Europe to connect with the faculty of the Collonges Seminary, in France.

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AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS OVERSEAS COMMITTEE:

VOTED, That, acting on the request of the secretary of the Audio-Visual Aids Overseas Committee, of the Foreign Missions Conference, and understanding that no financial obligation is involved, we hereby appoint H.H.Cobban as our representative under Classification C of that Committee; and under Classification D, Correspondent Members, we appoint E.Toral Seat, F.R. Millard and Werber Johnson.

W.E. ATKIN--VOICE OF PROPHECY:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union Conference and the Glendale Sanitarium the call from the North American Radio Commission for W.E. Atkin to serve as business manager of the Voice of Prophecy.

FLORENCE ROSCOE--UPPER COLUMBIA CONFERENCE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Review and Herald Board the call from the North Pacific Union for Miss Florence Roscoe to connect with the work in the Upper Columbia Conference.

L.H. HARTIN--CANADIAN UNION COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union Conference and Atlantic Union College the call from the Canadian Union for L.H. Hartin to connect with Canadian Union College as head of the Bible Department.

R. GRANT MOTE--CAROLINA CONFERENCE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union and the Nebraska Conference the call from the Southern Union for R. Grant Mote to connect with the Carolina Conference as secretary-treasurer.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, That Dr. T.R. Flaiz be authorized to attend the Canadian Union departmental meetings and union session.

VOTED, That W.E. Nelson, or Treasury representative, and J.J. Nethery be authorized to attend the Riverside Sanitarium Board meeting, February 24.

ELLA PRAESTIIN--TROPICAL MEDICINE COURSE:

VOTED, That in harmony with the request of the Southern African Division Committee, we authorize Miss Ella Praestiin, who is under appointment as a nurse to the Belgian Congo, to proceed to England on her way to Africa, to take such course in tropical medicine as may be available for nurses in England.

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R.H.ADAIR---ENGLAND:

VOTED, That R.H.Adair be asked to audit the books of the British Union Conference and the London Transportation office while he is in England in response to the request of the British Union, as authorized by our action of December 12.

JACKSON CENTER CHURCH:

Request was presented from the Columbia Union on behalf of the Ohio Conference, for approval of the erection of a building for the Jackson Center church, at a cost of \$10,000 for the material, the work to be done largely by donated labor, and to proceed only as the funds are in hand. The Ohio Conference is underwriting the undertaking and assurance is given that no indebtedness will be incurred.

VOTED, That we approve of the erection of the church building for the church at Jackson Center, Ohio.

ADDITION TO DAYTON CHURCH:

Request was presented from the Columbia Union on behalf of the Ohio Conference for approval of the construction of an addition to the Dayton church, at a cost of \$25,000, the church having pledged to proceed only as the funds are raised and the Ohio Conference underwriting the undertaking, and giving assurance that no indebtedness will be incurred.

VOTED, That we approve of the construction of the proposed addition to the church building in Dayton, Ohio.

DR. RAYMOND ERMSHAR---INDEBTEDNESS:

VOTED, That Dr. Raymond Ermshar, under appointment to Canton, China, be granted assistance on his indebtedness to the amount of \$1000, this to be canceled, according to the policy, year by year for each year of service in the field.

A.V.Olson, Chairman.
T.J.Michael, Secretary.
E.Zeidler, Recording Secretary.

EIGHTY-FOURTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 18, 1947, 8:15 A.M.

The meeting was held immediately following the morning worship hour.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

J J Nethery, H T Elliott, T J Michael, W P Bradley, H H Cobban, J F Cummins, Roger Altman, W K Ising, R H Adair, W E Phillips, J E Weaver, W A Butler, W H Teesdale, Claude Conard, M E Kern, E W Dunbar, T E Lucas, J E Edwards, R Ruhling, G A Huse, T L Oswald, D A McAdams, H W Lowe, L A Skinner, F Brennwald.

R.H.WENTLAND--SOUTHERN UNION:

VOTED, To pass on to the Lake Union and the Michigan Conference the call from the Southern Union for R.H.Wentland to connect with that union as Home Missionary and Sabbath School Secretary.

J.J.Nethery, Chairman.
H.T.Elliott, Secretary.
E.Zeidler, Recording Secretary.

EIGHTY-FIFTH MEETING

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 20, 1947

MEMBERS PRESENT:

J J Nethery, W P Bradley, T J Michael, A W Cormack, H H Cobban, J F Cummins, Roger Altman, L Halswick, H W Lowe, G A Huse, M E Kern, R Ruhling, D E Rebok, W K Ising, E W Dunbar, K J Reynolds, T E Lucas, W H Teesdale, W P Elliott, J E Edwards, Claude Conard, H H Votaw, H A Morrison, W A Butler, T L Oswald, D A McAdams, C S Longacre.

OTHERS PRESENT:

S E Wight, H K Halladay.

Prayer by D.E.Rebok. Minutes of the meeting of February 17 were approved.

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ELVERA ECKERMAN--SOUTH AFRICA:

VOTED, That the appointment of Miss Elvera Eckerman be changed from the West African Union as a girls' teacher in West Nigeria, to the Southern African Division, as normal director for the Bethel Training School.

HELEN BASSETT--KENYA, EAST AFRICA:

VOTED, That the appointment of Miss Helen E. Bassett be changed from the West African Union, as teacher for the girls' school in Sierra Leone, to the Southern African Division, as teacher in the girls' school in Kenya Colony, East Africa.

PAUL WILSON--SOUTHWESTERN JUNIOR COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Northern Union and the Minnesota Conference the call from the Southwestern Union for Paul Wilson, of Maplewood Academy, to connect with Southwestern Junior College as head of the Science Department.

E.N. DICK--SOUTHERN MISSIONARY COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union Conference and Union College the call from the Southern Union for E.N. Dick to connect with Southern Missionary College as head of the History Department.

MABEL BARTLETT--SOUTHERN MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union Conference the call from the Southern Union for Miss Mabel Bartlett to connect with Southern Missionary College as secretary to the president and arts teacher.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, That we approve of the following appointments and itineraries:

K.J. Reynolds, Pacific Union, March 7 to April 30.

B.L. Grundset and S. Kaplan, to Takoma Park, to attend a meeting of the Jewish Literature Committee, February 26.

E.W. Dunbar, Pacific Union, February 24-27.

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J.E.Edwards, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Parkersburg, West Virginia; and a camp site in Illinois, February 22-27, to investigate possibilities for location of the Home Missionary Secretaries' Council.

E.J.Lorntz, visit Spanish churches for a month or six weeks, the time to be arranged.

W.A.Scharffenberg, Columbia Union session.

W.H.Teesdale, Columbia and Lake Union sessions.

W.E.Nelson to St. Paul and Denver, to investigate facilities for the 1948 Autumn Council.

H.O.Olson, Atlantic and Columbia Unions, six weeks during March and April, in the interests of the Home-Foreign work.

D.A.McAdams, colporteur rally, Chicago, March 1,2.

J.J.Nethery, Chairman.
W.P.Bradley, Secretary.
E.Zeidler, Recording Secretary.

EIGHTY-SIXTH MEETING
GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 24, 1947, 8:15 A.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

H T Elliott, T J Michael, W P Bradley, H H Cobban, Roger Altman, G A Huse, D A McAdams, R Ruhling, T E Lucas, L A Skinner, R A Anderson, E E Franklin, W K Ising, M C Taft, W P Elliott, K. J. Reynolds, Claude Conard, M E Kern, L Halswick, H W Lowe, F H Yost, J R Ferren, H H Votaw, C S Longacre, L H Christian, T L Oswald, G E Peters.

H. T. Elliott was asked to take the chair.

Prayer by T. E. Lucas. Minutes of meetings of February 18 and 20 were approved.

DR. C. C. SCHNEIDER--EXTENSION OF FURLOUGH:

VOTED, That for health reasons, Dr. C. C. Schneider, of South America, be granted a further extension of his furlough until early April.

B. A. WALTON AND C. A. BARTLETT--EXTENSION OF FURLOUGH:

VOTED, On recommendation of the West African Union Committee, that the present furloughs of B. A. Walton and C. A. Bartlett of Nigeria and the Gold Coast respectively, be extended to nine months.

S. CURMATUREANU AND A. COSENDAI--EXTENSION OF FURLOUGH:

VOTED, On Recommendation of the West African Union Committee, that the present furloughs of S. Curmatureanu and A. Cosendai, of the Cameroons, be extended to twelve months.

H. E. McCLURE--CALLS:

VOTED, To pass on to H. E. McClure, returning from the South American Division, calls as follows for his consideration: from the Atlantic Union to connect with the Northern New England Conference as Home Missionary and Sabbath School Secretary; from the Lake Union to connect with the Indiana Conference as Home Missionary and Sabbath School Secretary.

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MR. AND MRS. P.G.HOAR--OSHAWA MISSIONARY COLLEGE:

VOTED, To pass on to the Lake Union and the Michigan Conference the call from the Canadian Union for Mr. and Mrs. P.G. Hoar, of Cedar Lake Academy, to connect with Oshawa Missionary College, Mr. Hoar for science and printing, and Mrs. Hoar to teach commercial subjects.

L.M.ASHLEY--WASHINGTON MISSIONARY COLLEGE;

VOTED, To pass on to the College of Medical Evangelists the call from the Columbia Union for L.M.Ashley to connect with Washington Missionary College as head of the Biology Department and chairman of the Science Division.

DR. L.H.LONERGAN--ARIZONA:

VOTED, To pass on to the College of Medical Evangelists the call from the Pacific Union for Dr. L.H.Lonergan, of Loma Linda, to connect with the Arizona Conference as physician for the Navaho Mission.

T.T.BABIENCO--LODI:

VOTED, To pass on to T.T.Babienco the request from the Pacific Union that he spend two or three weeks in March, assisting in some special services in Lodi, California.

AUDITORS--APPOINTMENTS:

VOTED, That we approve of the following appointments for the General Conference auditors:

H.W.Barrows, auditing in the Northern and North Pacific Unions, and the Pacific Press.

H.P.Bloum, auditing in the Lake and Central Unions, the Christian Record and the Pacific Press.

W.E.Phillips, auditing in the Southwestern and Lake Unions, and the Pacific Press.

H.T.Elliott, Chairman.
T.J.Michael, Secretary.
E.Zeidler, Recording Secretary.

EIGHTY-SEVENTH MEETING
GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 27, 1947

MEMBERS PRESENT:

J L McElhany, J J Nethery, N C Wilson, W P Bradley, E D Dick, H T Elliott, T J Michael, A W Cormack, W E Nelson, H H Cobban, Roger Altman, W H Teesdale, J J Ireland, C B Haynes, L Halswick, H W Lowe, H A Morrison, R Ruhling, K J Reynolds, E E Andross, M L Andreasen, Claude Conard, L A Skinner, T L Oswald, M E Kern, W K Ising, R A Anderson, L H Christian, Glenn Calkins, W E Murray, T E Lucas, G A Huse, W P Elliott, D A McAdams, F D Nichol, D E Rebok, J R Ferren, M C Taft.

OTHERS PRESENT:

J B Conley, of Australia, F Brennwald, A L White, M R Thurber.

Prayer by J.B.Conley. Minutes of the meeting of February 24 were approved.

M.G.CHAMPION--EXTENSION OF FURLOUGH:

VOTED, That for health reasons, M.G.Champion, of India, be granted a three months' extension of his furlough.

ELWOOD SHERRARD--CHILLAN ACADEMY:

VOTED, To request the North Pacific Union Conference and Walla Walla College to release Elwood Sherrard, to connect with the South American Division in response to the call for a Bible teacher for the Chillan Academy.

SVEA R.HÖGLUND--CHINA:

VOTED, To pass on through the Northern European Division, an invitation to Miss Svea R.Höglund, nurse, of Sweden, to connect with the China Division, for service in Canton.

J.B.SEAL--RELEASED:

VOTED, That since the way is not clear for him to accept, J.B.Seal be released from the call to the Malamulo Mission, in South Africa.

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CABLE FROM CHINA:

A cable was received from the China Division officers, stating that serious financial developments in the country require postponement of certain rehabilitation plans, that travel conditions are growing worse, that it will probably be impossible to hold the June meeting, and suggesting that the General Conference representatives appointed to visit China defer their visit until next winter. It was

VOTED, To concur in the suggestion from the China Division officers that the visit by General Conference representatives to China be deferred until next winter; it being understood, however, that this not apply in the case of G.A.Huse, who is to assist in reestablishing the publishing houses in China, the Philippines and Malaya.

DR. A.ANDERSON--MEDICAL SECRETARY
NORTHERN EUROPEAN DIVISION:

VOTED, On recommendation of the Northern European Division Committee, that we hereby appoint Dr. A.Anderson Medical Secretary of the Northern European Division.

L.E.BIGGS--RESIGNATION:

L.E.Biggs, formerly connected with the College of Medical Evangelists, now secretary-treasurer of the North Pacific Union Conference, tendered his resignation as one of the elective members of the General Conference Committee. It was

VOTED, To accept the resignation of L.E.Biggs as a member of the General Conference Committee.

SPONSORSHIPS:

VOTED, To extend the sponsorship required by the Government on behalf of Charles Winandy, of Paris, a Swiss citizen, in connection with his application for visitor's visa to the United States. Brother Winandy is coming to Washington to attend the Theological Seminary.

VOTED, To extend the sponsorship required by the Government on behalf of M.E.Lind, of South Africa, in connection with his application for visitor's visa to the United States. Brother Lind is at present furloughing in Norway, and has been authorized by the Southern African Division to come to Washington to attend the Seminary.

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INVITATIONS TO SPRING MEETING:

VOTED, That K.L.Gant, W.C.Hannah and C.L.Smith, members of the Board of Regents, be invited to attend the Spring Meeting in Los Angeles.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, That D.A.McAdams be authorized to attend a colporteur rally at Columbus, Ohio, March 8 and 9.

VOTED, That C.B.Haynes be authorized to meet appointments in Jacksonville, Florida, March 22-29.

VOTED, That we approve of the following itinerary for J.B.Conley, of Australia, between now and May 16, when he leaves for Australia: spend a few days at Columbia Union session in Cincinnati; Atlantic Union College and points in New England; Atlantic Union session in New York City; Emmanuel Missionary College, Grand Rapids, Battle Creek, Toronto; Union College and Walla Walla College; Spring Meeting in Los Angeles, and remainder of time until sailing date in California.

MEETING OF PUBLISHING GROUP:

VOTED, That the Publishing Department be authorized to call a meeting, April 28-30, at the Pacific Press, of certain publishing house men, to study questions pertaining to the production of our literature.

RIVERSIDE SANITARIUM BOARD MEETING:

VOTED, That we approve of the calling of a meeting of the Riverside Sanitarium Board, for approximately May 7, to give study to ways and means of raising the required funds for equipping the new sanitarium building, and that there be invited to attend this meeting the following: presidents of unions with colored constituencies; presidents and treasurers of the colored conferences; pastors of large colored churches; and representatives of the General Conference.

SOUTH CENTRAL CONFERENCE--\$5000:

VOTED, To appropriate \$5000 from the Emergency Fund to the Southern Union for the South Central Conference, to assist in replacing the camp meeting and evangelistic equipment which was destroyed in a warehouse fire.

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COLLEGE OF MEDICAL EVANGELISTS--\$9000:

VOTED, That from the funds appropriated to the College of Medical Evangelists for the year 1945, we authorize them to place in their operating budget the remaining \$9,000 of the total amount granted.

DEPARTMENT OF PURCHASE AND SUPPLY:

VOTED, That we authorize the removal of the Department of Purchase and Supply from the General Conference Building to the Northwestern Building, on Carroll Avenue.

AUTHORIZATION OF SIGNATURE OF HENRY BAERG:

RESOLVED, That the national City Bank of New York, Buenos Aires, Argentina, South America be, and hereby is, authorized to recognize the signature of Henry Baerg, in addition to that of O.A.Blake, Treasurer, previously authorized, for the account of the South American Division of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, to sign or make all or any changes and orders for the payment of money.

RESOLVED, That the First National Bank of Boston, Buenos Aires, Argentina, South America be, and hereby is, authorized to recognize the signature of Henry Baerg, in addition to that of O.A.Blake, Treasurer, previously authorized, for the account of the South American Division of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, to sign or make all or any changes and orders for the payment of money.

J.L.McElhany,
J.J.Nethery, Chairmen.

W.P.Bradley, Secretary.
E.Zeidler, Recording Secretary.