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# Two Hundred Fourth Meeting

## GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

July 6, 1961, 10:00 AM

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# PRESENT:

V G Anderson, R H Adair, Wesley Amundsen, C W Bozarth, E E Cossentine, E W Dunbar, H T Elliott, Richard Hammill, W J Harris, Mazie Herin, W A Higgins, Werber Johnson, H W Klaser, G M Mathews, D A McAdams, L L Moffitt, G R Nash, J R Nelson, J W Peeke, C E Randolph, J V Scully, Clark Smith, C L Torrey

OTHERS PRESENT:

C D Forshee, N W Litchfield, Boardman Noland, R Ruhling

The Chairman read several paragraphs from the book, "Thoughts of Peace," by Frederick Lee.

Opening prayer, by L L Moffitt.

MINUTES of the mee ing held June 29 were approved.

MISS BESSIE WAT -- HINSDALE SANITARIUM AND HOSPITAL:

VOTED, To pass on to Loma Linda University and Loma Linda Sanitarium and Hospital, the call from the Lake Union Conference for Miss Bessie Wat, to connect with Hinsdale Sanitarium and Hospital, to serve as Instructor in Operating Room technique.

ROBERT SEAMOUNT -- FAITH FOR TODAY:

VOTED, To pass on to the Voice of Prophecy, the call from Faith for Today for Robert Seamount, second tenor in the Voice of Prophecy Quartet, to join the Faith for Today Quartet as Second Tenor.

INTERIM EMERGENCY DOCTORS -- BRITISH GUIANA, INTER-AMERICA:

VOTED, That we approve of the following arrangements outlined by the Inter-American Division for the interim emergency service of two doctors in British Guiana:

Dr T J Littlefield, for two weeks, June 15-30; and Dr Russell T Smith for two months, beginning around June 28; the division arranging for the expense and salary.

LAMONT MURDOCH -- DEFERRED APPOINTMENT:

VOTED, To place Lamont Murdoch, a Junior medical student at the College of Medical Evangelists, under deferred appointment to overseas mission service.

L W CORNFORTH -- PRINCIPAL, VIETNAM TRAINING SCHOOL:

VOTED, To request the North Pacific Union and Oregon Conferences to release L W Cornforth, of Columbia Academy, Battle Ground, Washington, and to invite him to connect with the Far Eastern Division as Principal of the Vietnam Training School.

BEVERLY BUNNELL -- DEFERRED APPOINTMENT, SOUTHERN ASIA:

VOTED, To place Beverly Bunnell, nurse, now on permanent return. from Southern Asia, under deferred appointment to return to Southern Asia.

L P TOLHURST -- PERMANENT RETURN FROM INDIA:

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of L P Tolhurst, from India, at the end of his term of service, in view of his desire to take further school work, and in harmony with the recommendation of the Southern Asia Division.

VIRGINIA HENRICKSON -- PERMANENT RETURN:

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of Virginia Henrickson, daughter of Mr and Mrs Roy L Henrickson, of Karachi, Pakistan, Southern Asia, for educational reasons, in harmony with the recommendation of the Southern Asia Division.

MYRNA FOUTS -- PERMANENT RETURN:

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of Myrna Fouts, daughter of Mr and Mrs N R Fouts of Karachi, Pakistan, Southern Asia, for educational reasons, in harmony with the recommendation of the Southern Asia Division.

S ARAKAKI -- PERMANENT RETURN:

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of S Arakaki, a Nisei, studying at Andrews University, on his request, and with the concurrence of the Far Eastern Division.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, To authorize appointments and itineraries as follows:

J E Edwards, Cedar Falls, California - Counsel and guidance in connection with with the special Laymen's Convention at Cedar Falls, October 6-8.

W A Higgins, Stroudsburg, Pa - Publishing Rally, July 21-23.

C E Randolph, Atlanta, Georgia - Hospital Board Meetings, July 17 (already in Southern Union).

ADJOURNED.

V G ANDERSON, Chairman W P Bradley, Secretary MARJORIE MARSH, Assistant Recording Secretary

# Two Hundred Fifth Meeting

## GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

July 13, 1961, 10:00 AM

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#### PRESENT:

V G Anderson, R A Anderson, C W Bozarth, W P Bradley, M V Campbell, E E Cossentine, E W Dunbar, J E Edwards, H T Elliott, J O Gibson, C E Guenther, Richard Hammill, W J Harris, G A Huse. Werber Johnson, H W Klaser, M E Loewen, H W Lowe, G M Mathews, F R Millard, L L Moffitt, C E Moseley, Jr, G R Nash, J R Nelson, A V Olson, E W Pedersen, F L Peterson, J V Scully, W H Teesdale, Howard Weeks, A L White

#### OTHERS PRESENT:

C D Forshee, N W Litchfield, R Ruhling, B Noland

The Chairman read part of the chapter on "The Glory of the Angels," in I H Evans' book, "The Ministry of Angels." In some degree, we, if faithful, shall share this glory.

Opening prayer by E E Cossentine.

MINUTES of the meeting held July 6 were approved.

#### INGATHERING EDITORIAL COMMITTEE--ADDITIONAL MEMBEES:

In harmony with the Autumn Council action that the Ingathering Editorial Committee be held in connection with the Home Missionary Advisory Committee meeting,

VOTED, To appoint all Union Home Missionary Secretaries in North America as members of the Ingathering Editorial Committee, which is to meet in Takoma Park, D C, August 31 and September 1, 1961, and that their names be added to the list voted on June 8, 1961 authorizing attendance and invitations.

MIDDLE EAST DIVISION --RATE OF EXCHANGE FOR LEBANON:

VOTED, That the rate of exchange for the Lebanese pound be changed from 3.125 to 3.05 to the US dollar, effective July 1, 1961.

FAR EASTERN DIVISION --RATE OF EXCHANGE FOR INDONESIA:

VOTED, That the rate of exchange for the Indonesian Rupiah be changed from 70 to 90 to the US dollar, effective July 1, 1961.

July 13, 1961

SOUTHERN ASIA DIVISION -- PUBLIC AFFAIRS SECRETARY:

On recommendation of the Southern Asia Division and of the General Conference Officers, it was

VOTED, That T R Torkelson, editor-in-chief of the <u>Oriental Watchman</u>, be elected as Secretary of the Department of Public Affairs for the Southern Asia Division, until the 1962 General Conference Session.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, To authorize appointments and itineraries as follows:

W J Harris - McCook, Nebraska, District Meeting - September 8, 9 (in connection with trip to Canada)

Joyce Hopp - Lincoln, Nebraska - SDA Dietetic Assn Meeting - Oct 19-21; St Louis, Missouri - American Dietetic Assn Meeting - October 24-27

M E Loewen - Southern California, Utah, Arizona - Series of Religious Liberty Workshops - November 3-12

G R Nash - Indianapolis, Indiana - Speaking appointment and Sabbath School Rally, July 29

J R Nelson, Clark Smith - Atlantic Union College, Chaplains' Conference, August 14-21

J W Peeke - Atlantic Union - Insurance business - July 16-20

R R Figuhr, F L Peterson - Lake Region, Conference Session, August 29

Walter Schubert - Gary, Indiana - Work among Spanish-speaking people -September 4-11

W A Scharffenberg - Lacombe, Alberta - Tri-Conference Ministerial-Teachers-Temperance Institute - September 10-12

J V Scully - Lacombe, Alberta - Tri-Conference Ministerial-Teachers-Temperance Institute - September 10-12; Northern Union - Visit schools - Sept 14-21; Andrews University and Chicago - Secretaries' Institute - September 22 - Oct 5; Southern Union - Temperance work - October 6-17; Central Union - Temperance work - October 30 - November 4

G E Vandeman - Scottsbluff, Nebraska - District meezings - September15,16 Clark Smith - Norfolk, Virginia - Milityary problem - July 13-16 C E Moseley - Chester, Pa - Speaking appointment - July 15 F L Peterson - Trenton, N J - Speaking appointment - July 15

July 13, 1961

## GUSTAV TOBLER -- APPOINTMENT AT HOPE, BRITISH COLUMBIA:

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Press Publishing Association Board the request from the Canadian Union for Gustav Tobler to attend the British Columbia Camp Meeting at Hope, July 27-29, in connection with other appointments in Canada.

W E JAMERSON -- PERMANENT RETURN FROM SOUTH AMERICA:

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of W E Jamerson, from theInca Union, South America, on his request because of educational problems in connection with the children, and in harmony with the recommendation of the South American Division. Mention was made of the excellent work he has done in the past ten years, and the vote was taken with regret.

W E KOENIG -- PERMANENT RETURN FROM SOUTH AMERICA:

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of W E Koenig, Farm Manager, from the Inca Union, South America, on his request in view of the educational problems in connection with the children, and in harmony with the recommendation of the South American Division. Mention was made of the excellent work of Brother Koenig for the past nine years, and the vote was taken with regret.

LEWIS J LARSON -- PERMANENT RETURN FROM SOUTHERN ASIA:

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of Lewis J Larson, from India, at his request and on the recommendation of the Southern Asia Division, effective as of July 10, 1961.

ANDRE ROCHAT -- RELEASED:

VOTED, To release Andre Rochat from the appointment to serve in Gitwe, Southern Africa, at their request in view of educational problems with their children.

DR RANDOLPH GREAVES -- SELF-SUPPORTING DENTIST, INTER-AMERICA:

VOTED, To invite Dr Randolph Greaves, Dentist, of Chicago, to do self-supporting work in Barbados, Inter-America, going as a national on a self-supporting basis.

#### ROY HOYTE -- INTER-AMERICAN DIVISION:

VOTED, To request the Atlantic Union and Greater New York Conferences to release Roy Hoyte, of Brooklyn, New York, and to invite him to connect with the Inter-American Division as a District Leader in the East Caribbean Conference, on the basis of a national returning to his homeland.

DR MUELLER-GROTJAN -- SOUTHERN AFRICAN DIVISION:

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VOTED, To pass on to the Central European Division the call from the Southern African Division for Dr Mueller-Grotjan, of Koln, Germany, to serve as a doctor in the Southern African Division, on a regular term of service, rotating as necessary to relieve other doctors. MARGARET MURDOCH -- SOUTHERN AFRICAN DIVISION:

VOTED, To pass on to the Northern European Division the call from the Southern African Division for Margaret Murdoch, of the British Union, to serve as Assistant Normal Director for Lower Gwelo, in the Zambesi Union.

MRS PAULINE LONG -- SOUTHERN AFRICAN DIVISION:

VOTED, To request the Central Union and Kansas Conferences to release Mrs Pauline Long, of Enterprise Academy, and to invite her to connect with the Southern African Division again, to serve as Matron-Director of Food Service at Solusi.

ADJOURNED.

V G ANDERSON, Chairman W P BRADLEY, Secretary MARJORIE MARSH, Assistant Recording Secretary ╶┾╼┽╼┦╴

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# Two Hundred Sixth Meeting

#### GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

July 20, 1961, 10:00 A.M.

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#### PRESENT:

W. E. Murray, W. P. Bradley, W. Melvin Adams, Jr., R. A. Anderson, C. W. Bozarth, E. W. Dunbar, H. T. Elliott, T. R. Flaiz, M.D., J. O. Gibson, C. E. Guenther, E. B. Hare, Mazie Herin, W. A. Higgins, H. W. Klaser, M. E. Loewen, G. M. Mathews, F. R. Millard, L. L. Moffitt, J. R. Nelson, F. D. Nichol, C. E. Palmer, E. W. Pedersen, F. L. Peterson, W. A. Scharffenberg, Clark Smith

# OTHERS PRESENT:

C. D. Forshee, L. C. Litten, R. Ruhling, M. R. Thurber

W. E. Murray, Chairman, read Jeremiah 18: 1-10. Commenting on these verses he said that several very fine principles are given therein. The Lord told Jeremiah that Israel was like the clay in the potter's hand. It is a great principle--to be obedient to the divine will. It is a principle that is not adhered to very much nowadays. People in this world adhere to other principles. Instead of adhering to the principles of divine will, they adhere to what they call the principles of science, for example. In this text, the Lord says that if a nation turn from their evil, He will repent of the evil He thought to do unto them. Also He says that if a nation do evil and obey not His voice, He will be forced to turn back from His promise to do good to them. This is a great exemplification of the love of God. He is not a God that decides to do a certain thing with a nation or an individual, and carries that through despite what that individual does. What a wonderful thing it is that we have a God with these characteristics. The love of God is a great subject. We never can come to the end of it in understanding all its aspects and details, and wonderful characteristics.

Opening prayer by M. R. Thurber.

MINUTES of the meeting held July 13, 1961 were approved.

## LETTER OF APPRECIATION:

A letter was read by W. P. Bradley from Mrs. Roderick J. Carruthers, daughter of Wells A. Ruble, M.D. In this she expressed appreciation for the letter of comfort and words of appreciation for her father's service in the cause; also for the beautiful floral tribute sent for the funeral. The basket of flowers was sent also to the main auditorium at South Lancaster, Massachusetts, for the first part of the camp meeting.

FAR EASTERN DIVISION--AUTHORIZATION OF BANK SIGNATURES:

Authorization of bank signatures for the Far Eastern Division was voted as follows:

July 20, 1961

<u>Resolved</u>, That the First National City Bank of New York City, New York, be, and hereby is, authorized to recognize the signatures of C. L. Torrey, Treasurer, and/or O. A. Blake, Undertreasurer, and/or W. L. Pascoe, and/or G. O. Bruce, for the account which is in the name of the Far Eastern Division of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, to sign or make all or any changes and orders for the payment of money. All prior authorizations for this account are hereby annulled and canceled.

<u>Resolved</u>, That the National Bank of Washington, D.C., be, and hereby is, authorized to recognize the signatures of C. L. Torrey, Treasurer, and/or O. A. Blake, Undertreasurer, and/or W. L. Pascoe, and/or G. O. Bruce, for the account which is in the name of the Far Eastern Division of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, to sign or make all or any changes and orders for the payment of money. All prior authorizations for this account are hereby annulled and canceled.

Resolved, That the Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York City, New York, be, and hereby is, authorized to recognize the signatures of C. L. Torrey, Treasurer, and/or O. A. Blake, Undertreasurer, and/or W. L. Pascoe, and/or G. O. Bruce, and/or C. H. Davis, for the account which is in the name of the Far Eastern Division of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, to sign or make all or any changes and orders for the payment of money. All prior authorizations for this account are hereby annulled and canceled.

BETTY LOU GERBERDING--REVIEW AND HERALD PUBLISHING ASSOCIATION:

VOTED, To pass on to the Atlantic Union and Southern New England Conferences the call for Betty Lou Gerberding, to connect with the Review and Herald Publishing Association for secretarial work in the Periodical Department.

## **PERMANENT RETURNS:**

On recommendation of the Southern Asia Division, it was

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of children of missionaries in India, for educational purposes, as follows:

Danetta and George Johnson, daughter and son of Elder and Mrs. D. S. Johnson; Vernetta and Donald Johnson, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Johnson; Leland Shultz, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Shultz.

MR. AND MRS. MARCELIN BOCALY--DEFERRED APPOINTMENT TO INTER-AMERICAN DIVISION:

VOTED, To pass on to Mr. and Mrs. Marcelin Bocaly, of Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan, the call of the Inter-American Division for them to return to their home division, where Brother Bocaly is to serve as Bible teacher in the Franco-Haitian Seminary. This call is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Bocaly under the regular provision of the division policy for the return of nationals to their homeland, and with the additional understanding that they will be given financial assistance for one year at Andrews University, and for travel from Collonges, France, to the Andrews University.

JOYCE BOURNE--ETHIOPIA:

VOTED, To pass on to Miss Joyce Bourne, through the Inter-American Division for processing in the usual way, the call from the Northern European Division for her to connect with the work in Ethiopia, for service as a nurse. Miss Bourne's homeland is Barbados. She is at present in Canada, and will be ready for service after November 1, 1961.

RUTH C. NELSON--SPICER MEMORIAL COLLEGE:

VOTED, To request the Southwestern Union Conference and Southwestern Junior College to release Miss Ruth C. Nelson, and to invite her to connect with the Southern Asia Division as secretarial science teacher for Spicer Memorial College.

HAROLD G. HEBARD, M. D. -- RELEASED:

On June 29, 1961, the General Conference Committee took action appointing Harold G. Hebard, M.D. to serve as an emergency relief doctor in the Penang Sanitarium and Hospital, for a period of one or two years as might be arranged. A cable has now been received from the Far Eastern Division that they have been able to make provision for this need.

VOTED, To release Dr. Harold G. Hebard from the call to the Penang Sanitarium and Hospital.

APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, To authorize appointments and itineraries as follows:

Natelkka Burrell--Orlando, Florida, to Washington, D.C. (one way); called from Florida Sanitarium and Hospital to work on elementary textbooks; Washington, D.C., to Oakwood College (one way), return to Oakwood College to move her belongings (she is retiring and Oakwood College will pay return to Washington, D.C.);

M. V. Campbell--Northern Union Conference, speaking appointments and open house dedication of Union office, August 19, 20 (en route west);

G. A. Huse--Miami, Florida, Union Publishing Council, November 6-10, 1961; Daytona Beach, Florida, Union Colporteur Institute, January 3-6, 1962;

Joseph Laughlin--West Virginia, West Pennsylvania, Ohio, Insurance business, July 30-August 4;

G. M. Mathews--Pacific Press Publishing Association, textbook business, August 23, 24 (in connection with trip out west);

G. R. Nash--Ridgecrest, North Carolina (near Asheville), Southern Baptist Sunday School Convention, July 20 (in connection with trip to Wytheville, Virginia); Canton, Ohio, speaking appointment, August 5 (en route from Indianapolis, Indiana);

F. L. Peterson--Albany, New York, Youth Congress, October 13-15;

H. E. Rice--Lakeland Hospital, Georgia-Cumberland, Board Meeting, July 18; Palatka Hospital, Florida, Administrators Consultation, July 19; Nashville, Tennessee, Board Meeting of Mountain Sanitarium, July 20.

Adjourned at 10:25 A.M.

W. E. Murray, Chairman

W. P. Bradley, Secretary

Katie Farney, Recording Secretary

# Two Hundred Seventh Meeting GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE July 27, 1961, 10:00 A.M.

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#### PRESENT:

R. R. Figuhr, W. P. Bradley, W. Melvin Adams, Jr., Wesley Amundsen, R. A. Anderson, E. L. Becker, C. W. Bozarth, M. V. Campbell, E. W. Dunbar, J. E. Edwards, H. T. Elliott, K. H. Emmerson, T. R. Flaiz, M.D., C. E. Guenther, E. B. Hare, R. R. Hegstad, W. A. Higgins, G. A. Huse, Werber Johnson, H. W. Klaser, H. W. Lowe, D. A. McAdams, F. R. Millard, L. L. Moffitt, J. R. Nelson, A. V. Olson, C. E. Palmer, J. W. Peeke, F. L. Peterson, H. E. Rice, E. E. Roenfelt, Clark Smith, W. H. Teesdale

## OTHERS PRESENT:

N. W. Litchfield, Boardman Noland, R. Ruhling

R. R. Figuhr, Chairman, read Psalms 37: 1-11 for the devotional reading.

Opening prayer by J. R. Nelson.

MINUTES of the meeting held July 20, 1961 were approved.

#### OVERSEAS VISIT:

VOTED, To authorize W. E. Murray to visit the Inter-American Division, September 1-10, 1961, for the conference reorganization in Jamaica.

M. G. CHAMPION--RETIREMENT; NAME REFERRED TO SUSTENTATION COMMITTEE:

On May 25, 1961, the General Conference Committee authorized the permanent return of M. G. Champion from West Pakistan, he having served approximately thirty years in the Southern Asia Division. A request has now been received from him that he be retired from active service.

VOTED, To approve of the retirement of M. G. Champion, and that his name be referred to the Sustentation Committee for consideration.

ROBERT M. SHREWSBURY, M. D. -- PERMANENT RETURN:

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of Dr. Robert M. Shrewsbury and family from Rangoon, Burma, after two terms of service, in harmony with the recommendation of the Southern Asia Division.

#### JUNE RASMUSSEN--PERMANENT RETURN:

VOTED, To authorize the permanent return of June Rasmussen, daughter of Elder and Mrs. Lester Rasmussen, of Ethiopia, for educational purposes, in harmony with the recommendation of the Northern European Division.

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ROBERT GEORGE LEY--CENTRAL AMAZON MISSION:

VOTED, To invite Robert George Ley, an anesthetist and nurse employed in a general hospital in Staples, Minnesota, to connect with the South American Division, for service as a launch captain in the Central Amazon Mission.

# JOHN T. MASON, JR.--PUBLISHING DEPARTMENT SECRETARY NORTH PHILIPPINE UNION MISSION:

VOTED, To request the Southwestern Union and Arkansas-Louisiana Conferences to release John T. Mason, Jr., and to invite him to connect with the Far Eastern Division, as Publishing Secretary of the North Philippine Union Mission.

#### BERNICE JONES--DEFERRED APPOINTMENT TO ETHIOPIA:

On March 9, 1961, Miss Bernice Jones, of the Highland Sanitarium and Hospital, in Tennessee, was placed under appointment as a Supervisor of Nurses, for Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. Action was taken June 29, 1961 releasing her from this appointment in view of her family responsibilities, she having expressed herself as not clear in accepting the call. She has now stated that the situation as regards her family responsibilities has changed, and has requested that she be placed under deferred appointment.

VOTED, To place Miss Bernice Jones, of the Highland Sanitarium and Hospital, under deferred appointment to the Northern European Division, to serve in Ethiopia,

#### FAR EASTERN DIVISION -- SEMINARY EXTENSION SCHOOLS:

Because of the heavy expense of sending representatives from the northern section of the Far Eastern Division to one central extension school, it was

VOTED, To authorize the holding of two Seminary Extension Schools in the Far Eastern Division in 1962, one to be held in Japan, and one in the Philippines.

FAR EASTERN DIVISION -- SEMINARY EXTENSION SCHOOLS PERSONNEL:

VOTED, That the faculty for the Far Eastern Division Seminary Extension Schools, to be held beginning early in February until approximately the end of May, 1962, be approved as follows:

R. A. Anderson, from the General Conference, to both extension schools;

S. H. Horn, from Andrews University, to the extension school in Japan;

T. H. Blincoe, from Japan Missionary College, to the extension school in Japan;

E. Heppenstall, from Andrews University, to the extension school in the Philippines;

E. H. Wallace, from Philippine Union College, to the extension school in the Philippines.

It is understood that since two persons are being sent from Andrews University, the Far Eastern Division is to be responsible for \$1,000 of the expense in the sending of an additional man from the Andrews University.

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1961 AUTUMN COUNCIL--ATTENDANCE:

In view of the urgency of giving consideration to the continuing needs of two important General Conference institutions which draw a large portion of their support from the North American Division local conferences; and

In harmony with the recommendation of a group of General Conference Officers and Union Conference Presidents who met in Los Angeles, California, in May; and

Inasmuch as it has been the practice to invite the local conference presidents to two Autumn Councils in each guadrennium; it was

VOTED, That invitations be extended to the North American Division local conference presidents to attend the 1961 Autumn Council, to be held October 24-30, in Takoma Park, D.C., on the basis that they not attend the Autumn Council in 1962.

#### APPOINTMENTS AND ITINERARIES:

VOTED, To authorize appointments and itineraries as follows:

R. A. Anderson--Tampa, Florida, series of meetings, November 4-18;

C. E. Guenther--New York Center, Welfare work, July 28; Livingston and Kingston, New York, speaking appointments, July 29; Central Union Conference, Ingathering Rallies, November 2-14;

R. R. Hegstad--Albany, New York, Tri-Conference Youth Rally, October 21;

Dunbar Henri (missionary) -- Pacific Union Conference, visit Regional churches and promotion of Oakwood College, August 5-19;

E. L. Minchin--Brainerd, Minnesota, Northern Union Conference Youth Bible Camp, August 16-20;

W. E. Read--Mountain View, California, Jewish editorial work at Pacific Press Publishing Association, September 11-13.

DR. W. H. BEAVEN -- APPOINTMENT IN ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO:

VOTED, To pass on to the Columbia Union Conference and Columbia Union College the request from the Southwestern Union Conference for Dr. W. H. Beaven, to be guest speaker at the Women's Christian Temperance Union State Convention at Albuquerque, New Mexico, October 17, 18, 1961, it being understood that the travel expense will be met by the Southwestern Union Conference.

A. V. OLSON--APPOINTMENT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA CONFERENCE:

On request of the Canadian Union Conference, it was

VOTED, To authorize A. V. Olson to spend approximately two weeks in the British Columbia Conference.

Adjourned at 10:30 A.M.

R. R. Figuhr, Chairman W. P. Bradley, Secretary Katie Farney, Recording Secretary