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- Osorio, Jose (Euro-Afr) -- Evangelist, Col-Venezuela Un, Int-Amer Div
- Ostring, Drs S A R & Elizabeth -- Physicians, Tsuen Wan Hospital, Hong Kong, Far Eastern Division

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- J R Spangler -- Int-Am Div, June 28-July 20, 1974

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- H F Rampton -- Euro-Afr Div (Europe only) May 6-11, 1974
- M T Battle -- So Am Div, Feb 18-Apr 11, 1974, instead of Feb 15-Mar 25
- A L White -- N Eur-W Afr Div (Europe only) April, 1974, instead of Jan
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- Antonio Lopes -- From South Africa, Trans-Africa Division
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Seminary name amended

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### Pirpiras, George

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### Pordage, Sally & friend (Australasia)

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PRESENT


OTHERS PRESENT

Karl Bahr, H M Baldwin, Orley Berg.

Prayer was offered by Herbert White.

REPORTS

Fernon Retzer reported that the members of one of the churches in Louisville, Kentucky, have doubled their Sabbath School offerings since April this year. He also presented the figures for Sabbath School giving for the first three quarters of 1973, in the North American Division. The total was $8,793,202.13, which represents a gain of $609,567.72 over the same period last year.

A C Fearing brought an encouraging report of the evangelistic campaigns he conducted in Zurich and Berne, Switzerland. In Zurich, 12 have already been baptized, 37 are preparing for baptism, 50 are attending the Sabbath Seminar, and 900 names of interested people have been turned in. In Berne, 15 are attending baptismal class. The work in both these cities is being continued by Harald Knott, Swiss Union president, who is also an evangelist.

C C Weis gave the Ingathering report for the third week of the campaign. The total through December 1, 1973, is $3,954,737.97, a per capita of $8.31 in the North American Division. Seven unions and 45 conferences show gains over last year's total for the same period.

MINUTES of the meeting held November 29, 1973, were approved.

(A-363) C M WILLIS--INVITED TO
REGIONAL PUBLISHING MEETING

VOTED, To invite C M Willis of the Southern Publishing Association to attend the Regional Publishing meeting to be held in Washington, D C, December 10, 1973.
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(A-363) HUMAN RELATIONS COMMITTEE--
DATE AND PLACE OF MEETING

VOTED, To authorize a meeting of the Human Relations Committee in Washington, D.C., March 25, 1974.

(A-357) B B BEACH RESIGNATION, TEMPERANCE DEPT--
N EUROPE-W AFRICA DIVISION

VOTED, To accept the resignation of B B Beach as secretary of the Temperance Department of the Northern Europe-West Africa Division.

(A-357) J H WOLLAN--TEMPERANCE DEPT SECY--
N EUROPE-W AFRICA DIVISION

On the recommendation of the Northern Europe-West Africa Division,

VOTED, To elect J H Wollan to serve as Temperance Department secretary of the Northern Europe-West Africa Division in addition to his duties as secretary of the Sabbath School and Stewardship and Development Departments.

COMMITTEE ON APPOINTEES--REPORT

VOTED, To accept the following report from the Committee on Appointees:

Appointments

Lee Chiang Yeo (Far Eastern Div national, student, Andrews University)--Teacher, Southeastern Asia Union College, Singapore, Far Eastern Division.

Henry Zuill, PhD (Riverside, California)--Biology teacher, Montemorelos Vocational and Professional College, Mexico, Inter-American Division.

Calls and Transfers

Drs S A R and Elizabeth Ostring (Australasian Div)--Call of Far Eastern Division as physicians, Tsuen Wan Hospital, Hong Kong

Jeanette Whittaker (Australasian Division, Sydney Adv Hospital)--Call of Far Eastern Division as relief nurse, Saigon Adventist Hospital, Vietnam, up to six months.

Sally Pordage and friend (Australasian Division)--Call of Inter-American Division as relief nurses, Andrews Memorial Hospital, Jamaica, one or two years.

Dr and Mrs Caleb Mercier (Spain, Euro-Africa Division)--Call of Inter-American Division as physicians, Andrews Memorial Hospital, Jamaica, nationals returning.

Jose Osorio (Spain, Euro-Africa Division)--Call of Inter-American Division as evangelist, Colombia-Venezuela Union.

Joel Leiva (N Chile Conference, So American Div)--Call of Inter-American Division as pastor-evangelist, Upper Magdalena Conference, Colombia-Venezuela Union.

Daniel Harawa (Trans-Africa Division)--Call of Euro-Africa Division as worker in Mozambique Union voted June 14, 1973 as national returning, revised to regular call.
Releases

Edward R Dunn (Oshawa, Canadian Union) from appointment as X-ray and laboratory technician, Andrews Memorial Hospital, Jamaica (Inter-American Division). Declined.

Permanent Returns

Antonio Lopes, from Helderberg College, South Africa, Trans-Africa Division, to Euro-Africa Division (Mozambique), personal, effective January, 1974.
Milton P Krause, from Helderberg College, South Africa, Trans-Africa Division, to Australasian Division, personal, effective date December 31, 1974.

OVERSEAS TRAVEL

On the recommendation of the Overseas Travel Committee,

VOTED, To approve the following overseas travel:

Authorizations

Joan Coggin, MD (LLU) Far East Div (SE Asia Un), December 1973
Loma Linda University expense
(Request: Loma Linda University)

S J Joannou (TAD) Eur-Afr Div (Mozambique) date to be arranged
Euro-Afr Div expense. (Request: Trans-Africa Division)

(Request: Andrews University)

B E Schuenemann (SAD) Eur-Afr Div (Angola, Mozambique, Portugal)
early 1974, date to be arranged. Brazil Publishing House expense. (Request: South American Division).

WILLIAM SKIDMORE--MISSOURI CONFERENCE

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Press Publishing Association, the call of the Central Union for William Skidmore to serve as manager of the Adventist Book Center of the Missouri Conference.

H W PRITCHARD--GEN CONF INSURANCE SERVICE

VOTED, To pass on to the Columbia Union and Chesapeake Conferences, the call for H W Pritchard to connect with the General Conference as Risk Manager, Insurance Service.

CHERYL ALLEN--PORTLAND ADVENTIST HOSPITAL

VOTED, To pass on to Cheryl Allen of the General Conference staff, the call of the North Pacific Union and Oregon Conferences for her to serve as a secretary in the Pathology Department of the Portland Adventist Hospital.
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GEORGE ARTIGA—SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CONFERENCE

VOTED, To pass on to the S D A Radio, Television, Film Center, the call of the Pacific Union and Southern California Conferences for George Artiga of the Voice of Prophecy to serve as pastor of the Filipino church, Highland Park.

ELEANOR QUIGLEY—REVIEW & HERALD

VOTED, To pass on to the Columbia Union and Potomac Conferences, the call for Eleanor Quigley to serve as secretary to the General Manager of the Review and Herald Publishing Association.

LORNA HARRISON—RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL

VOTED, To pass on to the Central Union and Central States Conferences, the call for Lorna Harrison to connect with Riverside Hospital as a secretary.

SUNNY LIU—VOICE OF PROPHECY

VOTED, To pass on to the North Pacific Union and Oregon Conferences, the call of the S D A Radio, Television, Film Center for Sunny Liu to connect with the Voice of Prophecy as singing evangelist.

Adjourned

M S Nigri, Chairman
A Edwin Gibb, Secretary
Martha Horn, Recording Secretary
Two Hundred Twenty-ninth Meeting

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

December 13, 1973, 10:00 a.m.

PRESENT


OTHERS PRESENT

Karl Bahr, H M Baldwin, D A Delafield, F E J Harder, P F Lemon, C R Spangler, F Donald Yost.

DEVOTIONAL MESSAGE

Theodore Carcich presented interesting facts regarding the journey of Pioneer 10. Directions for finding the earth have been given on the body of the spacecraft in the event that it might encounter intelligent life.

While men may be nebulous in their thinking of where the earth is located, how thankful we can be that God knows exactly where we are this morning. We can therefore pray in confidence.

Prayer was offered by P F Lemon, former president of the Zaire Union, Trans-Africa Division.

REPORTS

C C Weis related thrilling experiences of soul-winning through the Ingathering work. The total amount of Ingathering raised through December 8, 1973, is $5,145,903.02, an increase of $337,522.38 over the same period last year. The amount of $1,191,165.05 raised in the fourth week of the campaign is the largest weekly amount in history.

C O Franz gave a brief report of his visit to the Far Eastern Division, mentioning the Philippines, Vietnam and Japan. The Division evangelistic budget for 1974 totalled more than a quarter of a million dollars (US). Special emphasis was given to Target 80 (a campaign to reach a membership of half a million by 1980) and The Bold Adventure (the aim to "plant" a new church for each existing church organization by 1975).

E E Cleveland reported that over 100 people have been baptized in Natchez, Mississippi, a city in which there were no Seventh-day Adventists six months ago.
DA Delafield told about the Glendale evangelistic campaign conducted with the assistance of John Osborne, Leslie Hardinge and John Todorovich, featuring The Big Issues. The Bible and Spirit of Prophecy were quoted throughout the meetings and an average of 850 attended each meeting. Simultaneously, meetings for the 75 to 120 children who accompanied their parents were conducted by W E Jamerson.

MINUTES of the meeting held December 6, 1973, were approved. The Minutes of the meeting held November 21, 1973, were amended.

(A-364) MISSION '73, '74 COMMITTEE--
W J CANNON

VOTED, To name W John Cannon to serve on the Mission '73, '74 Committee.

(A-367) CONFERENCE-WIDE STEWARDSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE--ADDITIONAL MEETING AUTHORIZED

VOTED, To authorize an additional meeting of the ad hoc Conference-Wide Stewardship Development Committee to be held in Washington, D C, January 22, 23, 1974.

(A-369) LAY EVANGELISM RESEARCH & PLANNING COMMITTEE--INVITEES

VOTED, To invite the following to present papers to the Lay Evangelism Research and Planning Committee which will meet in Toronto, Ontario, August 26-29, 1974: Robert Cushman (layman, Florida Conference), Walter Burns (Ark-Louisiana Conference), James Finn (New Jersey Conference), Harold Lindsay (Potomac Conference).

(A-373) CHILDREN'S TV PROGRAM--
STUDY COMMITTEE MEETING

VOTED, To invite the following to meet with Faith for Today representatives at Thousand Oaks, California, January 23, 1974, (following the S D A Radio, Television and Film Center Board meeting) to study the possibility of developing a children's television program, with the understanding that General Conference personnel concerned will be in the area at the time: Paul DeBooy (Pacific Union), J H Hancock, Clarence Kott (Pacific Union), B J Liebelt, Mrs Phyllis Paytee (Southern California Conference), H L Reiner, W R L Scragg.

(A-374) DEPT OF COMMUNICATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE--INVITEES

VOTED, To invite Mrs Clara Anderson (Central Union) and Cecil Coffey (North Pacific Union) to attend the Department of Communication Advisory Committee meeting to be held in Denver, Colorado, February 17, 18, 1974.
VOTED, To appoint Alice Smith to serve on the Department of Health Advisory Committee instead of Carl Miller.

COMMITTEE ON APPOINTEES--REPORT

VOTED, To accept the following report from the Committee on Appointees:

Appointments
Heath Rowsell, MD--Reassignment from Bandung to Bangkok after furlough, Far Eastern Division.
John R Melnick, MD, Deferred medical (Adelphi, Maryland)--Reassignment from Bangkok to Penang Adventist Hospital, Far Eastern Division.
Donald Frederick Lonnstrom (Can Union Coll, Alberta)--Manager, Packing Services, Franco-Haitian Seminary, Inter-American Division.

Calls and Transfers
Martha Aalmoes (N Europe-W Africa Div)--Call of Afro-Mideast Division as nurse/matron, Gimbie Hospital, Ethiopia.
Ben Siapco (Far Eastern Div)--Call of Inter-American Division as X-ray/laboratory technician, Andrews Memorial Hospital, Jamaica.

Releases
Arlen G Arzoo, MD from appointment as Sustentation Overseas Service health educator, East Mediterranean Field (Afro-Mideast Division)

Permanent Returns
Leland Y Wilson, PhD, from Philippine Union College, Far Eastern Division, personal, effective April, 1974.
Patsy and Kenny Mattison (daughter and son of R F Mattison, South American Division), education and marriage respectively, effective June 1, 1973.

Adjourned

Theodore Carcich, Chairman
A Edwin Gibb, Secretary
Martha Horn, Recording Secretary
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Two Hundred Thirtieth Meeting
GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
December 20, 1973, 10:00 a.m.

PRESENT


OTHERS PRESENT

Karl Bahr, H M Baldwin, C M Clark, F Donald Yost.

DEVOTIONAL MESSAGE

M S Nigri said that although joy, faith and hope are the spirit of Christmas, one of the most brilliant meanings of Christmas is victory, for Jesus came to "... save His people from their sins."

In Luanda, Angola, 94 people have realized this victory in their lives since M S Nigri conducted an evangelistic campaign there in July. Also in Brazil, many who had joined the reform movement have recently returned to the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Prayer was offered by Ethel Young.

REPORTS

B J Liebelt reported briefly on his visit to the Southern Asia Division. Plans for evangelizing the multitudes include the goal for each pastor to establish a Branch Sabbath School in 1974, to develop it into a company in 1975, and into a church in 1976. One worker has set a personal goal of opening 100 Branch Sabbath Schools in one year.

Leo Ranzolin told of the remarkable success of the Youth for Youth Congress which was held near Valencia, Spain. Although seating capacity had been arranged for 500 and an attendance of 300 had been expected, 1,000 came to the meeting. On the last Sabbath of the Congress, 11 young people were baptized.

He also conducted Mission '73 meetings in Lisbon, Portugal, speaking to capacity crowds nightly from November 9 to 30. During December and January, 6 Voice of Youth programs will be held in Lisbon and vicinity.

C C Weis reported the amount of $1,097,181.09 raised in the fifth week of the Ingathering campaign. The total to date is $6,243,084.11.
MINUTES of the meeting held December 13, 1973, were approved.

(A-285) W D EVA, MEMBER OF RIGHTOUSNESS BY FAITH COMMITTEE (DOCTRINE/EXPERIENCE)

VOTED, To name W Duncan Eva as a member of the ad hoc, "Righteousness by Faith as a Doctrine and as an Experience" Committee.

(A-383) N A D COMMISSION ON ELEMENTARY EDUCATION SUBCOMMITTEE

On the recommendation of the Department of Education,

VOTED, To name the following members of the North American Division Commission on Elementary Education, to also serve as members of the ad hoc North American Division Commission on Elementary Education Subcommittee, which will meet in Washington, D C, March 25, 26, 1974: Jack Shull, Chairman; Ethel Young, Secretary; Ben Beck, R C Evans, W A Howe, Ward Scriven, Dale Wendt.

(A-378) J W BOTHE TO ATTEND UNION PRESIDENTS' MEETINGS

VOTED, To authorize J W Bothe to attend all general meetings of the North American Division Union Presidents.

(A-385) LAY ACTIVITIES ADVISORY MEETING--SPECIAL INVITEES

On the recommendation of the Lay Activities Department that five Dorcas Federation Presidents be invited to attend the 1974 Lay Activities Advisory Council for two days at the time the community service agenda is considered,

VOTED, To invite the following Dorcas Federation Presidents to attend two days of the 1974 Lay Activities Advisory Council, with the understanding that the Dorcas Federation concerned will pay all related expenses:

Atlantic Union                  Mrs Jeanette Baldwin
Canadian Union                  Rolf Blix
Columbia Union                  Mrs Ralph Ahnberg
Lake Union                     Mrs Hattie Scott
Southern Union                 Mrs Eugene Steiner

COMMITTEE ON APPOINTEES--REPORT

VOTED, To accept the following report from the Committee on Appointees:

Appointments
Michael Jay Fillman (Deferred dental appt, LLU '74)--Assignment to Guam Dental Clinic, Far Eastern Division.
C A Ninan, MD (Los Angeles, California)--Physician, Poona, India, Southern Asia Division, national returning.
Appointments

S Fashina (Loma Linda, California)--Departmental manager, Adventist Hospital, Ile-Ife, Nigeria, Northern Europe-West Africa Division, national returning.

Mrs S Fashina (Loma Linda, California)--Director, School of Nursing, Adventist Hospital, Ile-Ife, Nigeria, Northern Europe-West Africa Division, national returning.

Smuts Van Rooyen (Loma Linda University)--Pastor-evangelist, South African Union, Trans-Africa Division, national returning.

Calls and Transfers

Claude Celicourt (Inter-American Division)--Call of Trans-Africa Division as pastor-evangelist, Kinshasa, Zaire.

Releases

Everett L Fisher (Shelton, Nebraska) from call as farm manager, Chile College, (South American Division)

Donald Kellogg (Puyallup, Washington) from call as farm manager, Rusangu Secondary School, Zambia (Trans-Africa Division)

George Pirpiras (Greece, Euro-Afr Div) from call as physician, Songa Hospital, Zaire (Trans-Africa Division)

A L TUCKER--SUSTENTATION

VOTED, To recommend to the Sustentation Committee that A L Tucker be granted the benefits of sustentation beginning April 1, 1974; and further, to express to him our appreciation for 21 years of service in the General Conference office.

MICHAEL ERNEST MILLER--CHRISTIAN RECORD

VOTED, To pass on to the Columbia Union and Chesapeake Conferences, the call for Michael Ernest Miller to be district representative of the Christian Record Braille Foundation, Inc.

RUTH PARM--INSURANCE SERVICE, WEST COAST

VOTED, To pass on to the Pacific Union and Southeastern California Conferences, the call for Ruth Parm to serve as a secretary in the office of the Insurance Service, West Coast.

Adjourned.

M S Nigri, Chairman
A Edwin Gibb, Secretary
Martha Horn, Recording Secretary
Two Hundred Thirty-first Meeting

GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

December 27, 1973, 10:00 a.m.

PRESENT


OTHERS PRESENT

Karl Bahr, H M Baldwin, Orley Berg, A A Esteb, E W Pedersen, Mr and Mrs Graham Satchell, C R Spangler, L R Van Dolson.

DEVOTIONAL MESSAGE

W Duncan Eva read Acts 16:30, 31 as his text, and spoke about four concepts of Christianity: inward fellowship with God, a standard of life, the highest satisfaction of the mind, access to God. He placed special emphasis upon the high privilege of direct communion with God.

Prayer was offered by C R Spangler.

INTRODUCTIONS

J R Spangler paid tribute to his father, C R Spangler, a retired minister who is still engaged in pastoral work. He also introduced Paul Knudsen, auditor of the Euro-Africa Division, his brother-in-law, presently on leave.

E W Howse introduced Graham Satchell, director of the American Samoa Section and Mrs Satchell who are attending Andrews University while on furlough.

REPORTS

E H J Steed referred to the interest of the military of many countries in temperance work. A contract is to be signed with the US Navy for the holding of Five-Day Plan programs on all US Navy bases throughout the world.

C C Weis gave the report of the sixth week of the Ingathering campaign. The total raised through December 22, 1973, is $6,942,326.98, which is a gain of $307,226.76 over last year.

MINUTES of the meeting held December 20, 1973, with amendments, were approved.
CONDOLENCES

A message has been received of the death of Jose Naves, Jr, a pastor of the Bahia-Sergipe Mission, Brazil, in an automobile accident. Information has also been received of a bus accident in which 21 were killed and 14 seriously injured. All were members of the Sao Paulo Central Church, returning home after a youth congress held in northern Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil.

VOTED, To request the Secretary to send messages of sympathy to the bereaved families, the Sao Paulo Conference and Central Church, and the South Brazil Union.

(A-261) MONTEMORELOS VOCATIONAL & PROFESSIONAL COLLEGE UPGRADING--COMMITTEE

VOTED, To approve the following on-site ad hoc committee to study the upgrading of Montemorelos Vocational and Professional College approved at the October 4, 1973, meeting of the General Conference Committee (GCC 73-1650) to meet in Montemorelos, Mexico, March 3 and 4, 1974:

Committee appointed: C B Hirsch, Chairman; C R Taylor, Secretary; Manuel Baez (Mexican Union), W J Brown, Jose Carrillo (Mexican Union), J H Figueroa (Int-Am Div), Enrique Gil (Mexican Union), Samuel Guizar (Mexican Union), Mazie Herin, David Hinshaw (Loma Linda Univ), M E Kemmerer, Guillermo Krieghoff (Mexican Union), Samuel Landeros (Mexican Union), Jose Luis Munoz (Mexican Union), A R Norcliffe (Int-Am Div), Velino Salazar (Mexican Union), Howard Smith (Loma Linda Univ), Vernon Sparks (Int-Am Div), Ralph F Waddell.

It is further understood the following shall review the plan of financing:
C B Hirsch, Chairman; W J Brown, Secretary; K H Emmerson, M E Kemmerer.

(A-390) SABBATH SCHOOL LESSON COMMITTEES

On the recommendation of the Sabbath School Department,

VOTED, To appoint the following ad hoc Sabbath School Lessons Committees to restudy the cycle of the Primary, Kindergarten and Cradle Roll lessons, to meet in Washington, D C, January 28-30, 1974. Expenses of lay members will be borne by the General Conference:

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Sabbath School Lesson Committee for Kindergarten and Cradle Roll

Departments

Alice Lowe, Chairwoman
Mrs Vera Groomer, Secretary
Mrs Donna Habenicht
Mrs Jean Hickerson
Mamie Lindo
Mrs Dorothy N Moore
Mrs Mary Ellen Schwab

Employed by

General Conference
Michigan Conference
Andrews University
Non-denominational
Andrews University
Non-denominational

(A-391) PRIMARY SABBATH SCHOOL SONGBOOK COMMITTEE

VOTED, To appoint the following ad hoc Primary Sabbath School Songbook Committee to meet in Washington, D C, January 31, 1974:

H F Rampton, Chairman
Audra Wood, Recording Secretary
Mrs E E Calkins
R F Cottrell
Alice Davis
Mrs Richard Hogart
Mrs Barbara Manspeaker

Employed by

General Conference
General Conference
Voice of Prophecy
Review & Herald Publ Assn
Non-denominational
Non-denominational
Non-denominational

(A-22 PHILIPPINE UNION COLLEGE--SEMINARY NAME AMENDED

VOTED, To authorize naming the graduate program in theology at Philippine Union College "Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary (Far East)," thus amending the action taken October 25, 1973 (GCC 73-1855).

COMMITTEE ON APPOINTEES--REPORT

VOTED, To accept the following report from the Committee on Appointees:

Appointments

George Nathaniel Benson, MD (Furlough-Res, deferred, Afro-Mideast Div, Nashville, Tennessee)--Radiologist, to Saigon Adventist Hospital, Far Eastern Division.

OVERSEAS TRAVEL

On the recommendation of the Overseas Travel Committee,

VOTED, To authorize the following overseas travel, adjustments, and cancellation:

Authorizations

Paul Gordon
Afro-Mideast Div, 4-6 weeks, Sept-Oct, 1974
Dec 27, 1973

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**MRS NADIA ABOUASSAL--WEST COAST INSURANCE OFFICE**

VOTED, To pass on to Loma Linda University, the call for Mrs Nadia Abuassal to serve as Underwriting Assistant in the West Coast Insurance office.

**AILENE ANDRES--REVIEW AND HERALD**

VOTED, To pass on to Andrews University, the call for Ailene Andres to serve as a secretary on the Review and Herald editorial staff.

Adjourned. W Duncan Eva, Chairman

A Edwin Gibb, Secretary

Martha Horn, Recording Secretary