

THIRTIETH MEETING NORTH
AMERICAN DIVISION CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Held in Assembly Room, Takoma Park, D. C.,

November 4, 1913

I H Evans in the Chair.

MEMBERS PRESENT: I H Evans, W T Knox, W W Eastman, W W Prescott, G B Thompson, J L Shaw, Matilda Erickson, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, W E Howell; also, A G Daniells, W A Spicer, M E Kern, N Z Town, L A Hansen, C L Benson.

EDUCATIONAL CONVENTION:

The question of the time and place of the joint Educational Convention was considered.

VOTED, That the joint convention of the Educational, Missionary Volunteer, and Sabbath-School Departments be held at College View, Nebraska, July 8 - 21, 1914.

Adjourned.

I H Evans, Chairman,
G B Thompson, Secretary.

THIRTY-FIRST MEETING NORTH
 AMERICAN DIVISION CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Held in Assembly Room, Takoma Park, D. C.

November 5, 1913

I H Evans in the Chair.

MEMBERS PRESENT: I H Evans, W W Prescott, W W Eastman, G B Thompson, W T Knox.

Prayer by W W Prescott.

CHANGES IN PUBLISHING COMMITTEE:

VOTED: That the following changes be made in the Publishing Department Committee; that T D Gibson take the place of B B Noftsgor, and that the following names be added to the Committee: W W Prescott, J W Davis, J R Ferren, Miss Edith M. Graham.

ASSISTANT SABBATH-SCHOOL SECRETARY:

After careful consideration of the need of the Sabbath-School Department, it was

VOTED: That we invite Miss Rose D Ginther, of Portland, Oregon, to connect with the Sabbath-School Department as Assistant Secretary.

BOWEN-MILLER SALARIES:

VOTED: That in view of the fact that L M Bowen is a member of the Finance Commission, and Dr. H W Miller is Secretary of the Division Conference Medical Department, that we pay the entire salary of L M Bowen, and one-half the salary of Dr. H W Miller.

STENOGRAPHER-NEGRO DEPARTMENT:

VOTED: That we authorize Elder C B Stephenson, Secretary of the Negro Department, to employ his daughter as stenographer for such time as may be necessary.

W. S. CONNERLY:

VOTED: That we suggest to the Lake Union Conference the name of W S Connerly as a city worker among the negro people.
 Adjourned.
 I H Evans, Chairman,
 G B Thompson, Secretary.

THIRTY-SECOND MEETING NORTH
AMERICAN DIVISION CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Held in Assembly Room, Takoma Park, D. C.

November 6, 1913.

I H Evans in the Chair.

MEMBERS PRESENT: I H Evans, G B Thompson, W W Prescott, W T Knox, B G Wilkinson; also, A G Daniells, W A Spicer, N Z Town, L M Bowen.

Prayer by B G Wilkinson.

DR. KRESS' WORK:

Dr. D H Kress, having written that he would be pleased to connect in evangelistic work in the Atlantic Union Conference for a time, and Elder R D Quinn having written favoring this plan; it was

VOTED, That we recommend that Dr. D H Kress connect with the Atlantic Union Conference in evangelistic work for a time, in harmony with the request of Elder Quinn, and that we suggest that he plan to be present at the coming session of the Union Conference to be held at South Lancaster, Massachusetts.

Adjourned.

I H Evans, Chairman,
G B Thompson, Secretary.

THIRTY-THIRD MEETING NORTH
AMERICAN DIVISION CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Held in Assembly Room, General Conference,

November 7, 1913.

I H Evans in the Chair.

MEMBERS PRESENT: I H Evans, W T Knox, W W Prescott, G B Thompson, Miss Matilda Erickson; also, A G Daniells, C L Benson.

Prayer by W T Knox.

R. HOOK JR., REQUEST REVIEW AND HERALD:

The following request from the Review and Herald Board was laid before the Committee:

"VOTED, to request the North American Division Conference to invite R Hook Jr., present manager of the Southern Publishing Association, to connect with the Review and Herald Publishing Association as its Treasurer, and to ask the Southern Publishing Association to release Brotker Hook for this position."

After careful consideration it was

VOTED, That the Secretary be asked to open correspondence with the Southern Publishing Association in response to the above request from the Review and Herald Board, and if satisfactory arrangements can be made that this transfer be brought about.

Adjourned.

I H Evans, Chairman,
G B Thompson, Secretary.

THIRTY-FOURTH MEETING NORTH
AMERICAN DIVISION CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Held in Assembly Room, Takoma Park, D. C.

November 13, 1913.

MEMBERS PRESENT: I H Evans, W T Knox, W W Prescott,
C S Longacre, G B Thompson, B G Wilkinson; also, A G Daniells,
W A Spicer, N Z Town, T E Bowen, L A Hansen.

I H Evans in the Chair.

MRS. PLUMMER - ATLANTIC UNION:

Following a meeting of the General Conference Committee
a short meeting of the Division Conference Executive Committee
was held. The following actions were taken:-

VOTED: That Mrs. L Flora Plummer be invited to attend
the coming session of the Atlantic Union Conference and Minister-
ial Institute, to be held at South Lancaster, Massachusetts,
November 25 to December 7, to labor in the interests of the
Sabbath-School work.

EASTMAN - CREDENTIALS:

VOTED: That Elder W W Eastman, Secretary of the Pub-
lishing Department, be granted ministerial credentials,

Adjourned.

I H Evans, Chairman,
G B Thompson, Secretary.

THIRTY-FIFTH MEETING NORTH
AMERICAN DIVISION CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Held in Assembly Room, November 19, 1913.

MEMBERS PRESENT: I H Evans, W T Knox, G B Thompson, E R Palmer, C S Longacre, W W Eastman; also, A G Daniells, W A Spicer, N Z Town, L A Hanson, F M Wilcox, T E Bowen, C L Benson.

Prayer by C L Benson.

CHURCH OFFICERS' GAZETTE:

The following plan for starting a periodical containing special instruction for church officers, passed at a joint meeting of the General Conference and Division Conference Committee, was taken up and considered, and adopted as follows:-

We recommend, 1. That a monthly periodical be established, to bring before the officers in our churches the weekly programs of the Missionary Volunteer Society and the monthly programs of the Home Missionary Society, together with such instruction as the North American Division and the General Conference officers may wish to place before the local church officers in circular letters from the departments, so far as it may be practicable to send this out through this medium.

2. That the subject matter for this paper be strictly limited to instruction to church officers.

3. That our general papers continue carrying for the various departments of work the subject matter which has been provided heretofore for the instruction and encouragement of the general church membership.

4. That the circulation be limited to church clubs or individual subscriptions for officers and isolated members, this journal in the nature of the case being not intended for general circulation.

5. That the officers of the various departments of the General and the North American Division Conference take the responsibility of building up the circulation of the periodical.

6. That the Review and Herald Publishing Association be asked to handle the mechanical work, and to assume the financial responsibility in the publishing of the journal.

7. That the price of the paper be 50 cents single subscription, and 35 cents in clubs of two or more to one address.

8. That the office editors be Miss E. M. Graham and Miss Matilda Erickson, and that the department sections be conducted by the respective department officers and the general church department by the North American Division officers.

9. That the Division, union, and local conferences endeavor to place clubs in their churches or companies by securing subscriptions from the various church officers or from the church for its officers.

10. That the secretaries of the Home Missionary and Missionary Volunteer Departments give special attention to keeping up the subscription list.

11. That the name of the periodical be "The Church Officers' Gazette."

12. That if arrangements can be made the first issue be for January, 1914, containing the January programs

13. That the North American Division and General Conferences provide \$250 for promoting the initial circulation.

STUDENTS' VOLUNTEER CONVENTION:

VOTED, That Miss Matilda Erickson, C. L. Benson and Meade MacGuire be invited to attend the Students' Volunteer Convention to be held at Kansas City, Missouri, December 31 to January 4, providing suitable arrangements can be made for their admittance to the Convention.

Adjourned.

I H Evans, Chairman,

G B Thompson, Secretary.

THIRTY-SIXTH MEETING OF THE
NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Held in Assembly Room, November 21, 1913.

I H Evans in the Chair.

MEMBERS PRESENT: I H Evans, G B Thompson, W W Prescott, C S Longacre, Mrs. L. Flora Plummer, W W Eastman, W T Knox, L M Bowen, W E Howell; also, W A Spicer, N Z Town, F M Wilcox, L A Hanson, C L Benson, and T E Bowen.

Prayer by J L Shaw.

CREENTIALS C. L. BENSON AND MEADE MACGUIRE:

VOTED, That ministerial credentials be granted to C L Bonson and Meade MacGuire.

WEEK OF PRAYER HELP:

VOTED, That we look with favor on the requests from the Mount Vernon and Berrien Springs College for help during the Week of Prayer, and that the matter be referred to the officers of the Division Conference to arrange for those to go who are free at that time.

BOOTH-VIRGINIA:

The requests from the President of the Columbia Union and from Elder W J Stone, President of the Virginia Conference for the labors of Elder A S Booth, of Southern California, were considered.

VOTED, That we ask the Southern California Conference to release Elder A S Booth to labor in the Virginia Conference, providing it is consistent with the work he is carrying in Southern California.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT APPROPRIATIONS:

VOTED, That the request from the Foreign Departments that some appropriations for work in different places be made from the appropriation made to the North American Foreign Department, be referred to the officers of the Division Conference for action.

Adjourned.

I H Evans, Chairman,
G B Thompson, Secretary.