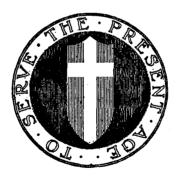
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To Whom Shall We Pay:

- Camp Meeting Pledges? Rev. Charles H. Butcher, 1315 Main St., Stevens Point, Wisconsin.
- 2. Church Budget—Conference Missions for Evangelism; Conference Building Fund; Foreign Missions; Connectional Home Missions; Orphanage; Education; (except what is sent through channels of the W. H. & F. M. S., Y. M. W. B. and W. Y. P. S., see items 3, 4 and 5)? Mrs. Norma Mortimer, Lavalle, Wisconsin.
- All money raised by W. H. & F. M. S.? Miss Esther Johnson, 205 Noble Avenue, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.
- All money raised by Y. M. W. B.? Mrs. Aileen Shea, Houghton, New York.
- All money raised by W. Y. P. S.? Mrs. Ernest Friebel, Springbrook, Wisconsin.
- Conference President's Salary? Mrs. Norma Mortimer, Lavalle, Wisconsin.
- Superannuated Ministers' Fund? Rev. I. J. Butcher, Spooner, Wisconsin.
- 8. All Treasurer's books close June 30th.

CONFERENCE CALENDAR

MONTH	sun.	SUNDAY SCHOOL	Y. M. W. B.	W. H. & F. M. S.	W. Y. P. S.	CHURCH
July	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering			Offering Education	Day of Prayer (1st Wed. of Month. See Resolution)
August	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering			Rev. Eddy, \$1.00	Superannuated Offering
September	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering Quarterly Report In	Quarterly Report In			Conference Incidental Conf. Pres. 50c Per Mem.
October	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering	guarion, Inspect an	Harvest Home Gifts and Offerings		Education Offering
November	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering				
December	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering Quarterly Report In	Annual Report In	Orphanage		Conf. Pres. 50c Per Mem.
January	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering			Membership Drive	Day of Prayer 1st Wed. of Month
February	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering				Superannuate Offering
March	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering Quarterly Report In	Quarterly Report In			Conf. Pres. 50c Per Mem.
April	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering	Education Offering			Day of Prayer 1st Wed. of Month
May	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering		Conf. MissEvangelism		Announce Vote for Pastor
June	1. 2. 3. 4.	Home Missions Offering All money and receipts sent to Secretary Annual Report	Quarterly Report In	Election of Officers Conf. table 50c per mem. Reports Sent In	Journal Drive Reports Sent In	Vote for Pastor Conf. Pres. 50c Per Mem. All Money and Receipts to Conference Treasurer

OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE

President-Rev. J. B. Clawson, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.

Vice-President-Rev. Charles H. Butcher, Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

Secretary—Rev. Mrs. Orval C. Butcher, Appleton, Wisconsin.

Treasurer-Mrs. Norma Mortimer, Lavalle, Wisconsin.

Sunday School Secretary—Rev. Mrs. Grace Kauffman, Hillsboro, Wisconsin.

Tithing Secretary—Rev. Charles H. Butcher, Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

Conference Education Secretary—Rev. Miss Sylvia Lee.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

John C. Lang, 5 years; J. B. Clawson, 4 years; Charles H. Butcher, 3 years; G. M. Hahn, 2 years; Charles Bakke, 1 year.

ADVISORY BOARD

Charles Bakke and I. J. Butcher

STANDING COMMITTEES

Judiciary Committee—G. M. Hahn, 4 years; Grace Kauffman, 3 years; Lloyd King, 2 years; I. J. Butcher, 1 year.

Itineracy and Orders—Coral Butcher, 4 years; Esther Johnson, 3 years; Grace Kauffman, 2 years; Jennie R. Clawson, 1 year.

(Lay members for 1943: Henry Clark, Ruth Finley, Mazie Hole.)

Conference Camp Meeting Board—Carl Olander, 4 years; H. H. Turner, 3 years; Jennie R. Clawson, 2 years; Mack Budde, 1 year.

Northern Camp Meeting Board—Carl Olander, 3 years; Robert Thrasher, 2 years; Vice-President of Northern Camp Meeting Association, 1 year.

OTHER COMMITTEES

Committee to Fill Vacancies—Ministerial: Guy Hahn, Lloyd King, H. H. Turner. Lay Members: Claude Cass, Charles Bakke.

Conference Sunday School Board-Grace Kauffman, Marie Hahn, Josephine King.

Missionary Board-H. H. Turner, Lloyd King, G. M. Hahn, Norma Mortimer, Robert Thrasher, Chester Finley.

Superannuated Ministers' Board—Chairman, G. M. Hahn; Secretary, Grace Kauffman; Treasurer, I. J. Butcher.

Pastoral Relations—Ministerial: Guy M. Hahn, I. J. Butcher, H. H. Turner. Lay Members: Gilbert Mortimer, Eugene Graham, Albert Breidenstein.

Committee on Ministerial Character—Charles H. Butcher, Helen Herron.

Statistical Committee—Sylvia Lee, Grace Kauffman.

Auditing Committee-Sylvia Lee, G. M. Hahn.

Resolutions Committee-Coral Butcher, Melva Mortimer, Cloie Kuhn.

Budget Committee-Marie Hahn, Eldred Perkins, Robert Thrasher.

Courtesy Committee-Lester Buckman, Eldred Perkins.

Committee on Thanks-Hazel Butcher, Myrna McNitt.

Conference Calendar Committee—Grace Kauffman, Orval Butcher, G. M. Hahn.

Credentials Committee-Lester Buckman.

Committee on Conference Minutes—Lester Buckman, Egwendolyn Butcher, Clarence Mason.

Committee on Nominations—J. B. Clawson, Robert Thrasher, I. J. Butcher, H. H. Turner, Gilbert Mortimer.

Committee on Religious Orders of the Day-Lloyd King.

Member of Miltonvale Board-Lloyd King.

CONFERENCE ROLL

Elders on Stationed List

Elders on Stationed List
Name Address
Bakke, Wilma110 Couture Avenue, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.
Buckman, LesterChaplain in U. S. Army.
Butcher, Charles H1315 Main Street, Stevens Point, Wisconsin.
Butcher, Coral1315 Main Street, Stevens Point, Wisconsin.
Butcher, I. JSpooner, Wisconsin.
Butcher, Orval C615 N. Richmond Street, Appleton, Wisconsin.
Clawson, J. B35 W. Marshall Street, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.
Clawson, Jennie Reed35 W. Marshall Street, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.
Crandell, J. DChetek, Wisconsin.
Hahn, G. M
Hahn, MarieWonewoc, Wisconsin.
Hintz, Kenneth445 Maxwell Street, Baraboo, Wisconsin.
Hotchkiss, S. SSupplying in Oregon.
Hoveland, Oscar1612 Bluff Street, Beloit, Wisconsin.
Johnson, Esther205 Noble Avenue, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.
Jones, ClintonSupplying in Kansas Conference.
Kauffman, GraceHillsboro, Wisconsin.
King, Josephine1221 Emery Street, Eau Claire, Wisconsin.
King, Lloyd1221 Emery Street, Eau Claire, Wisconsin.
Lee, Sylvia
Markee, WilliamCanton, Wisconsin.
Mason, Clarence1015 7th Street, Superior, Wisconsin.
Nofsinger, GeorgeMarble Falls, Arkansas.
Perkins, EldredOntario, Wisconsin.
Turner, H. HYuba, Wisconsin.
Warren, RaymondHillsboro, Wisconsin.
Unstationed Elders
Name Address
Craker, Harold304 Linn Street, Baraboo, Wisconsin.
McTavish, D. JSparta, Wisconsin.
Warner, O. SStone Lake, Wisconsin.

Conference Preachers on Stationed List

Conference Preachers Not Appointed

Name Address
Butcher, Alice MaeMarion College, Marion, Indiana.
Clark, EdwardU. S. Army.
Peterson, DavidMiltonvale Wesleyan College, Miltonvale, Kans.
Rossow, RichardMarion College, Marion, Indiana.

Delegates of 1943

Delegate Charge AppletonMrs. William Stilson. BeulahCharles Clock. Burr and ValleyAlbert Breidenstein and Nellie Johnson. ChittamoJulius Salisbury. Gull LakeEugene Graham. HaywardMrs. Alice Lockhart. HillsboroMelva Mortimer and Cloie Kuhn. Mill CreekArthur Marshall. Oak Ridge and Pisgah Claude Cass. Rice LakeRuth Finley, Alfonse Benson, Charles Bakke. SuperiorMrs. Roy Johnson. TripvilleMrs. Clara Bell.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

Burr Campground, July 20, 1943.

The first sitting of the Seventy-third session of the Wisconsin Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection (or Church) of America, convened in the Tabernacle on the Burr Campground at 10:00 a. m., Tuesday, July 20, 1943.

Rev. Carl Olander led the Conference in singing the following songs: "Revive Us Again," "Love Divine" and "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

At the request of the President, Rev. J. B. Clawson, the Conference engaged in a precious season of prayer around the altar.

The Conference Sermon was delivered by Rev. Mrs. Grace Kauffman of the Hillsboro Charge. Her message was taken from John 17:9-26 and 1 John 4:7-21. Her theme was "The Preëminence of Love," text taken from 1 Cor. 13:13. The timely message exhorted the Church to the necessity of divine love in its midst.

The business session of the Conference was called to order by the President.

Rev. Lester Buckman, having been appointed by the President as Committee on Credentials, gave a report of the Delegates credentials received. His report was accepted.

Upon motion Wayne Mortimer, Alternate Delegate from Hillsboro, was given the right to vote in the Conference during the temporary absence of the regular Delegate.

Roll call showed 23 Ministers and 16 Delegates present.

Upon vote the bar of the Conference was fixed to include the front eight rows of seats in the central section of the tabernacle.

Upon motion the hours of the sessions for Conference were set as follows: 9:00 to 11:45 a. m. and 2:30 to 5:00 p. m.

The Committee on Nominations were elected as follows: J. B. Clawson, Robert Thrasher, I. J. Butcher, H. H. Turner, Gilbert Mortimer.

Conference adjourned for committee work, subject to the call of the Chair.

Tuesday Afternoon

The session was opened by a song service conducted by Wayne Mortimer.

Rev. Mrs. Coral Butcher led the devotional service using Psalm 84 as the scripture lesson for a short message.

Business session was called to order by the President.

Kauffman, Hillsboro; Mrs. J. B. Clawson, Rice Lake; H. H. Turner, Beulah; Baraboo report was read by Lester Buckman.

The following co-pastors gave their reports: Mrs. Orval Butcher, Appleton; Mrs. Robert Thrasher, Stone Lake; Mrs. G. M. Hahn, Valton.

Upon motion the Conference Trustees were given the privilege of having access to the Pastor's Statistical Reports for the purpose of adjusting a proper evaluation of church property according to local assessed valuation, the same to be corrected on the respective Statistical reports which are records of the local church.

Upon motion the following were elected members of a Committee on Conference Minutes: Lester Buckman, Mrs. Orval Butcher, Conference Secretary; Clarence Mason.

The Committee on Credentials presented the credentials of Mrs. Clara Belle of Tripville. Her credentials were accepted.

Upon motion the following were elected members of a Committee to draw up a Conference Calendar, which calendar shall be included in the Conference Minutes: Mrs. Grace Kauffman, Orval Butcher, G. M. Hahn.

Wednesday Afternoon

The session was opened by a song service led by Wayne Mortimer.

Rev. Carl Olander led the devotions using the 27th chapter of Acts beginning with the 15th verse for a scripture lesson.

The business session was called to order by the President.

Roll call showed 22 Ministers and 19 Delegates present.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Committee on Conference Minutes reported. Their report was accepted.

The following statistical reports were read: Wilma Bakke, Oak Ridge and Pisgah; G. M. Hahn, Valton; Lloyd King, Burr and Valley; Clarence Mason, Gull Lake and Chittamo Charges.

Mrs. Lloyd King as co-pastor of Burr and Valley gave her report and also the report of the missionary work at Sparta.

The Conference adjourned for committee work.

Wednesday Evening, 8:00 O'clock

The Wednesday evening service was given to the W. H. & F. M. S. and the Y. M. W. B.

Rev. Rufus Reisdorph delivered the missionary address which was helpful and inspiring to all.

An offering was taken for missions and the different local Y. M. W. B. societies presented their offerings. The total of all was an amount nearly sufficient to support two native workers in Africa.

Thursday Morning

The session was opened by a song service led by Wayne Mortimer.

Rev. Rufus Reisdorph, Connectional Sunday School Secretary, led the devotions using 2 Timothy 2 as a scripture lesson and spoke to the Conference on the eleven qualifications of A Wesleyan Methodist Preacher. They were as follows:

1. He must have a divine call. 2. He must have a personal experience of salvation. 3. He must appear well groomed. 4. He must love his work and work at his job. 5. He must study. 6. He should have a good disposition. 7. He should be optimistic. 8. He should be courteous and kind. 9. He should be a good financier. 10. He should be a good preacher. 11. He must be a man of prayer.

The business session was called to order by the President.

Roll call showed 24 Ministers and 24 Delegates present.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

At the request of the Conference Treasurer the Conference voted to pay to the Conference Incidental Fund, from the General Conference Delegates Expense Fund now on hand, the amount of deficit caused by borrowing money from the treasury for General Conference Delegates Expense four years ago.

The Committee on Courtesy presented Rev. Rufus Reisdorph, Connectional Sunday School Secretary, to the Conference.

Upon motion Mrs. Raymond Warren, Alternate Delegate of the Tripville Charge, was given the right to vote in the absence of the regular Delegate.

The Committee on Credentials presented the credentials of Arthur Marshall of Mill Creek. His credentials were accepted.

The Conference then proceeded with the Orders of the Day, the election of Conference Officers.

By ballot the following Conference Officers were elected: President, J. B. Clawson; Vice-President, Charles H. Butcher; Secretary, Mrs. Orval Butcher; Treasurer, Mrs. Norma Mortimer.

On motion the following were elected members of the Committee to Fill Vacancies: Ministerial.—Guy M. Hahn, Lloyd King, H. H. Turner. Lay Members.—Claude Cass, Charles Bakke.

The members of the Advisory Board were appointed by the President as follows: Charles Bakke, I. J. Butcher.

Upon motion Mrs. Grace Kauffman was elected as Conference Sunday School Secretary.

Upon motion the following were elected as members of the Conference Sunday School Board: Grace Kauffman, Marie Hahn, Josephine King.

Upon motion G. M. Hahn was elected to succeed S. S. Hotchkiss as member of the Judiciary Committee and to be member for 4 years.

By ballot John C. Lang was elected as member of the Conference Board of Trustees to succeed Floyd Ewing and to be a member for 5 years.

Upon motion Coral Butcher was elected as member of the Committee on Itineracy and Orders to succeed Charles Butcher and to be a member for 4 years.

Upon motion the Missionary Board was elected to succeed itself, the members being: H. H. Turner, Lloyd King, G. M. Hahn, Norma Mortimer, Robert Thrasher, Chester Finley.

Upon motion Carl Olander was elected as member of the Conference Camp Meeting Board to succeed Lester Buckman and to be a member for 4 years.

Upon motion Carl Olander was elected as member of the Northern Camp Meeting Board to succeed John Sipe and to be member for 3 years.

Upon motion the Conference decided that whoever shall be elected as Vice-President of the Northern Camp Association by the North Camp Association shall be second member of the Board elected by the Conference.

Upon motion Sylvia Lee was elected to succeed herself as Conference Educational Secretary.

Upon motion Charles H. Butcher was elected to succeed himself as Tithing Secretary.

Upon motion the members of the Superannuated Ministers' Board were elected as follows: Chairman, G. M. Hahn; Secretary, Mrs. Grace Kauffman; Treasurer, I. J. Butcher.

Upon motion Lloyd King was elected from the Conference as a member of the Educational Board at Miltonvale for 4 years.

Upon motion it was decided to take an offering to be divided equally between the Conference Treasurer and Secretary.

Upon motion the time was extended for further business.

The Committee on Budget reported and the report was accepted as a partial report.

By vote of the Conference it was decided that henceforth there be two main paid cooks in charge of the kitchen during the Conference session.

Conference adjourned by limitation of time.

Thursday Afternoon

The session was opened by a song service led by Wayne Mortimer.

The devotions were led by Rev. I. J. Butcher.

The Orders of the Day being that of the Connectional Address, Rev. Rufus Reisdorph delivered his address on the theme: "The Church and Its Mission." The address included the following points: 1. The Church As An Instrument or Tool. He exhorted us to remember that unless we use

the instruments or tools—church buildings, machinery, publications and schools—they are of no value. 2. The Church As a Servant. The Church is obligated as a servant to provide our youth as well as our adults with a proper pattern of life. It is to assume leadership in moral reforms. It must provide an opportunity for leadership for youth. It must carry the light of life and salvation. 3. The Church As a Master. The Church as a master is entitled to a portion of our time, talents, means and service.

The business session was called to order by the President.

Roll call showed 18 Ministers and 18 Delegates present.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Committee on Ministerial Character reported that to date 25 minister's characters had been passed.

Upon motion it was decided that the Conference Secretary send the Pastor's Statistical Reports to the Statistical Committee before Conference that they might fill in the items peculiar to our Conference. They, in turn, should mail them to the pastors. The completed reports should then be returned to the Statistical Committee not later than the first day of Conference.

Upon motion it was also decided that the pastors turn their Character Reports to the Committee on Ministerial Character the first day of Conference.

The Committee on Courtesy presented Rev. William Judkins of the Iowa Conference to the Conference body.

Rev. Harry Johnson presented his report of the Bethel Sunday School near Eau Claire.

The following Statistical Reports were read: Charles Butcher, Eau Claire; Lester Buckman, Hayward; Mill Creek report read by Elvina Perkins; Superior, Eldred Perkins; Raymond Warren, Tripville.

Mrs. Charles Butcher reported as co-pastor of Eua Claire and also on the work in the Shawtown District of Eau Claire.

Upon motion it was decided to prepare for the offering for the Secretary and Treasurer in the next session of Conference.

The Conference adjourned by limitation of time.

Friday Morning

The session was opened by a song service led by Wayne Mortimer. The devotions were led by Rev. Rufus Reisdorph used the 27th Psalm as a scripture lesson.

The business session was called to order by the President.

Roll call showed 19 Ministers and 14 Delegates present.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

The report of the Committee on Itineracy and Orders was read and accepted.

The Conference adjourned for committee work.

Friday Afternoon

The business session was called to order by the President.

The roll call and reading of the minutes were omitted.

The Conference Treasurer reported. After hearing the report of the Auditing Committee the Treasurer's report was accepted.

The Committee on Courtesy presented to the Conference: Rev. Tokley, Camp Evangelist, and the Miltonvale College Quartet. The quartet then sang a special number by way of greeting.

Upon motion of the Conference the Conference Missionary Board was authorized to get in touch with the owner of prospective church property in Milwaukee for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not a lease can be obtained for a short time to test the possibilities of starting a work in Milwaukee.

The Treasurer of the Superannuated Ministers' Board reported. After hearing the report of the Auditing Committee the Treasurer's report was accepted.

Upon motion the interest on the Meredith Turner note (mentioned in the above report) was forgiven.

The Committee on the Conference Calendar reported. The report was accepted.

The Committee on Thanks reported. The report was accepted.

Saturday Morning

The session was opened by a song service led by Wayne Mortimer.

The business session was called to order by the President.

Roll call showed 17 Ministers and 13 Delegates present.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Committee on Statistics reported. The report was accepted.

Grace Kauffman, the Conference Sunday School Secretary, reported. The report was accepted.

Upon motion it was decided to have the Educational Address at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon with the Camp Meeting service following at 3:00 o'clock.

A petition asking for the Conference Session of 1944 to be held at the Hayward Campgrounds was presented. The following committee was elected by motion of the Conference to consider the matter: Lester Buckman, Grace Kauffman, Mrs. G. E. Wesche.

Upon motion it was decided that the Ordination Service be at 2:00

o'clock Sunday afternoon with Brother Reisdorph bringing the Ordination address.

Upon motion the Conference was adjourned for committee work.

Sunday Afternoon

At 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Rev. Rufus Reisdorph brought the Ordination Address. Rev. Oscar Hoveland having been elected to elder's orders was ordained.

Monday Morning

The session was opened by a song service. We were led in prayer by Rev. Esther Johnson.

The business session was called to order by the President.

Roll call showed 16 Ministers and 10 Delegates present.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Upon motion it was decided to hold the Annual Conference and Camp of 1944 on the Hayward Campground, and the Conference Camp during the latter part of August.

The report of the Committee on Pastor's Relations was read.

Upon motion the item concerning the appointment of Rev. and Mrs. Charles Butcher was referred back to the Committee.

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was read and accepted item by item.

Upon motion it was decided that the Camp Meeting Treasurer's report be included in the Conference Minutes.

Conference was adjourned by limitation of time.

Wednesday

The session was opened with a song service. Rev. Coral Butcher led in prayer.

The business session was called to order by the President.

Roll call showed 20 Ministers and 6 Delegates present.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Upon motion it was decided that hereafter the Ordination Service shall be held on Sunday morning.

Upon motion the Secretary was instructed to insert a page in the minutes denoting the standards of the Church.

Upon motion it was decided that a missionary travel the churches of the Conference.

The Conference was adjourned for committee work.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

Thursday Morning

The session was opened by a song service. Rev. Carl Olander led in prayer.

The business session was called to order by the President.

The roll call showed 20 Ministers and 6 Delegates present.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Pastor's Relations Committee reported. The report was accepted item by item, except three items which were referred back to the committeer for further consideration.

Conference adjourned to the call of the Chair.

Thursday Afternoon

The session was opened by song and prayer.

The business session was called to order by the President.

Roll call showed 18 Ministers and 8 Delegates present.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Upon motion it was decided that those who cleaned the Camp buildings be paid an hourly wage for the work done and the cost be divided between the Conference and the Camp Meeting Association.

The Missionary Board reported and the report was accepted item by item.

The remaining items of the Pastoral Relations Committee were read and accepted. The report as a whole was accepted.

The Conference adjourned.

IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY

Lavern Graham	Lampson, Wisconsin.
Herbert Graham	
Leslie Graham	
Wesley Johnson	
Vernon Johnson	
Marvin Parker	
Vernon Parker	
Edwin Buckman	
Lavern Graham	
Kenneth Erickson	
Alvin Clark	
Allen Clark	
Thayne Smith	
Orval Johnson	Minong, Wisconsin.
Bernard Johnson	
Lyle Johnson	
Duane Mortimer	
Roy Manglos	. Wonewoc, Wisconsin.
Earl Holderman	.Wonewoc, Wisconsin.
Jerome Mortimer	. Wonewoc, Wisconsin.
Maurice Mortimer	. Wonewoc, Wisconsin.
Harold Mortimer	. Wonewoc, Wisconsin.
Harry Janechek	
Roy Janechek	.Lavalle, Wisconsin.
Harvey Janechek	
Alance Gibeaut	.Wonewoc, Wisconsin.
Spencer Grimmer	.Lavalle, Wisconsin.
Herbert Rabuck	
Frank Rabuck	
Eldon Hatcher	. Wonewoc, Wisconsin.
Carl Budde	
Roy Elmer	. Hillsboro, Wisconsin.
Fay Elmer	. Hillsboro, Wisconsin.
Donald G. Kauffman	
Frank Sander	Hillsboro, Wisconsin.
Walter Hazelton, Jr	
Vincent Gregerson	Hayward, Wisconsin.
James Bund, Jr	nayward, Wisconsin.

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Bruce Walker	Hayward Wisconsin.
Charles E. Fegan	Hayward Wisconsin.
Leon Hooker	Hayward Wisconsin
Melvin Sipe	
Loring Peterson	Hayward Wisconsin
Donald Boone	
Claire Gudin	
John Sorenson	Spring Valley Wisconsin
Orville Clark	
Arthur Dawn	
George Turner	Yuha Wisconsin.
Newell Albaugh	. Y uba, Wisconsin.
Naran Peasley	Gillingnam, Wisconsin.
Thomas Kohlhepp	O E Ci : P !!
Kenneth Holmes	. On Eau Claire Roll.
Ernest Anderson	. On Eau Claire Roll.
Archie Riley	On Eau Claire Roll.
Ralph Martinson	On Eau Claire Roll.
Harold Martinson	On Eau Claire Roll.
Everett Seager	On Eau Claire Roll.
Vilas Grurud	On Eau Claire Roll.
Russell Knutson	On Eau Claire Roll.
Leonard Butcher	On Eau Claire Roll.
Merlin Asplin	On Eau Claire Roll.
Edward Clark	On Eau Claire Roll.
Phyllis Stuve, R. N	On Eau Claire Roll.
William Bisher	.On Eau Claire Roll.
Lawrence Brostrom	On Eau Claire Roll.
Raymond Wold	.On Eau Claire Roll.
Charles Wold	, On Eau Claire Roll.
Clifford Haskins	On Eau Claire Roll.
Bud Caldwell	. On Eau Claire Roll.
Sgt. Warren Tutz	. On Eau Claire Roll.
Charles Ross	. On Eau Claire Roll.
John Beach	On Eau Claire Roll.
Bill Bunch	On Eau Claire Roll.
Warren Allen	On Eau Claire Roll.
Roy Boettcher	. On Eau Claire Roll.
Marlin Hammond	On Eau Claire Roll.
Tames Harvey	. Baraboo, Wisconsin.
Milton Angell	Baraboo, Wisconsin.
Robert Mahoney	Baraboo, Wisconsin.
George Coolidge	Baraboo, Wisconsin.
Lewis Hotchkiss	Baraboo, Wisconsin.

Victor NewlandBaraboo, Wisconsin.
Kent SlazahBaraboo, Wisconsin.
Arvid CrakerBaraboo, Wisconsin.
Kenneth HaneyBaraboo, Wisconsin.
Emil KoglinOn Appleton Roll.
Alfred NabbefeldtOn Appleton Roll.
James HenselOn Appleton Roll.
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Wesley YoungOn Appleton Roll.
Russell PankratzOn Appleton Roll.
Norman TewsOn Appleton Roll.
Willard MarshallRichland Center, Wisconsin.
Martin BakkeRice Lake, Wisconsin.
Virgil JonesRice Lake, Wisconsin.
Harold GaumitzRice Lake, Wisconsin.
Two Crandell BoysRice Lake, Wisconsin.
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Elton AldersonOn Burr Roll.
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Lyle JeffriesOn Burr Roll.
Fay W. JohnsonOn Burr Roll.
Charles L. JohnsonOn Burr Roll.
Vernon OftedahlOn Burr Roll.
Ronald Rich On Burr Roll.
Donald SnowValley, Wisconsin.
Lewis HaughValley, Wisconsin.
Orville Knapp
Wyland Kilgore Spooner, Wisconsin.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Report No. 1

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Brothers and Sisters of the Wisconsin Conference:

Greetings! The years roll on and time runs its ceaseless course, another Conference year has passed. What has been attempted in His name He holds the record of. We are grateful for the help which He has given throughout the year. None of our Conference members have been taken by death.

Those of the laity who have passed to their reward are: John and Ella Gillem, Grandma Budde, mother of the Budde Brothers of Pisgah; Brother Johnson, father of Esther Johnson; Freddie Turner, Dollie Mitchell, O. J. Little, Arthur Bruce, Mary Lockhart.

I began the work assigned to me immediately after Conference last year. I have held 51 quarterly meetings and six special meetings, two of these in pioneer fields, namely, near Superior, and Angelo near Camp McCoy. Rev. and Mrs. Eldred Perkins have had charge of the field near Superior and Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd King the field near Camp McCoy.

I have been able to meet the challenge, by the grace of God, of the good Sister who offered to give \$500 for Conference Mission Endowment Fund if the Conference would match it with another \$500. This amount has been raised and considerable more has been raised and pledged.

My official acts have been: I appointed Rev. Harold Goodenough to take charge of the Beloit Sunday School. I gave letters of transfer to the Iowa Conference to Rev. and Mrs. Willard Archer.

I am ready to do service to my Conference in any way the Lord may lead. I love my Lord and my brethren. My desire is to spread Scriptural Holiness over this land.

REV. J. B. CLAWSON.

Report No. 2

COMMITTEE ON MINISTERIAL CHARACTER

The following ministers' characters were passed: Lester Buckman, Jennie Reed Clawson, Grace Kauffman, Oscar Hoveland, Robert Thrasher, Pearl Thrasher, H. H. Turner, Charles Butcher, Coral Butcher, I. J. Butcher, Hazel Butcher, Orval Butcher, Egwendolyn Butcher, Clarence

Mason, Wilma Bakke, G. M. Hahn, Eldred Perkins, Elvina Perkins, Sylvia Lee, Raymond Warren, Lloyd King, Josephine King, Ernest Friebel, Esther Johnson, Harry Johnson, J. B. Clawson, George Nofsinger, S. S. Hotchkiss, William Markee.

The following ministers are unstationed: O. S. Warner, Harold Craker, D. J. McTavish.

The following ministers did not report: Clinton Jones, J. D. Crandell.
Signed, CHARLES BUTCHER,
HELEN HERRON.

Report No. 3

REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE

After having examined the records of the following officers we find them correct.

- 1. Conference Treasurer.
- 2. Camp Meeting Treasurer.
- 3. Superannuated Ministers' Board Treasurer.

Signed, SYLVIA LEE, G. M. HAHN.

Report No. 4

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY AND ORDERS

The Committee on Itineracy and Orders submit the following report: We recommend:

- 1. That Oscar Hoveland be elected to Elder's Orders.
- 2. That Ernest Friebel, having completed the Theological Course at Miltonvale College is eligible for election to Elder's Orders when he has completed the reading course, and met the required two years of service.
- 3. That Egwendolyn Butcher be given credit in the following subjects: Foundations of Doctrine, History of Wesleyan Methodism, ½ credit, Psychology, ½ credit, Binney's Compend, Discipline, ½ credit, and that she continue to study and travel under the direction of the Conference and be given the rights of a Conference Preacher.
- 4. That Henry F. Clark be received as a suitable person to travel and study under the direction of the Conference; that he be credited with Discipline, Binney's Compend, Bible I and some work in Theology.
- 5. That Richard Rossow having completed the Theological Course at Miltonvale College be eligible for ordination when he has completed two years of service and completed the reading course; that he be accepted as a Conference Preacher, that he continue his education at Marion College.

- 6. That Robert Thrasher complete the four studies lacking in his course, finish the reading course and come up next year for ordination at Conference, and meanwhile he be given the rights of a Conference Preacher.
- 7. That Pearl Thrasher continue to study and travel under the direction of the Conference; that she be given credit in Bible I, and English I and receive the rights of a Conference Preacher.
- 8. That Kenneth Kintz, an elder in the Salvation Army, be received as an elder in the Wesleyan Methodist Church according to Article 171.
- 9. That David Peterson be recommended as a suitable person to study under the direction of the Conference, and that he continue to study at Miltonvale College.
- 10. That Harry Johnson, having been reinstated as a Conference Preacher be credited with Foundations of Doctrine and Church History and that he continue the course of study.
- 11. That Edward Clark having reported by letter concerning his activities and purposes continue in his course of study as his army activities will permit.
- 12. That Alice Mae Butcher be given credit in the following subjects: Bible I, Christian Evidences and Life of St. Paul.
- 13. That Hazel Butcher be given credit in Philosophy of the Plan of Salvation and Foundations of Doctrine.
- 14. That Elvina Perkins continue to travel and study under direction of the Conference.
 - 15. That June Jones be urged to continue to study.
- 16. That Carl Olander a B. Rel. of Marion College and a Conference Preacher of the Indiana Conference be received and that when he has finished his two years of service required he shall come up for ordination.
- 17. That there be held two Institutes, one in the Fall and one in the Spring, and that \$20 be allowed from the Conference Fund, that at one convention there be secured a speaker, that the other convention be a study convention.

Signed, CHARLES H. BUTCHER, Chairman; MRS. J. B. CLAWSON, Secretary.

Report No. 5
STATISTICAL REPORT

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Name of Charge	Time Employed (Months)	Appointments	No. of Church Societies	Wesleyans Taken	Wes. Missionarys Taken	W. Y. P. S. Journals	Sunday School Banner	Junior Class Paper	Children's Friend	Teacher's Quarterly	Senior Quarterly	Intermediate Quarterly (2.2)	Junior Quarterly 1/9	Primary Quarterly	Home Dept. Quarterly	Lesson Leaflets	Little Folks Cards	Bible Lesson Chart	Pupils Lesson Stories 35	Bible Lesson Stories, Etc.
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	3 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 22 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	18 2 18 10 7 9 6 6 5	12 9 3 13 2 12 4 6 8 7 2 4 2 2	1 12 1 6 2 3 2 1 3 1 1 5 1 2	45 35 30 10 65 12 30 20 8 35 12	25 10 24 10 30 5 8 35 12 18	25 11 19 10 15 6 18 6 27 10 15 10 15 5	12 5 3 3 5 7 4 5 2 8 2	52 10 50 12 36 13 15 70 15 12 15 12	10 19 8 12 5 8	15 12 6 5 18 3 10	8 12 5	15 28 10 2 11 	5 16 6 5 6 8 4 5	19 10 8 6 25 8	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	16	10
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Name of Charge	Received	Expelled	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	No. Reported Last	Present Number	Loss	Gain	No. Members Under	Associate Members	Baptized	Unstationed Elders	Local Preachers	Membership Tithing
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton	8 3 1 133 2 111 6 31 1		2	1 1 1 1 1	1 2 2 2 2 1 1 10 4 	47 59 56 54 21 96 38 37 13 34 65 21 25 32 24 16 45	50 54 55 52 21 108 40 43 19 32 64 18 25 22 21 15 42	2 1 3 10 3 1	3 12 2 6 6 6	111 2 3 3 2 2 2	2 1 2 4 9 19	2 3 3 7 7 5 4 1 8 8	1	1 1 2 1	26 25 15 12 15 52 35 30 13 4 10 8 9 12 6 2 14
Totals	48		14	8	27	683	671	30	29	127	37	34	3	19	288

																	
Item IV. Sunday Schools																	
Name of Charge	No. of Sunday Schools 20	Whole No. of Officers / p. 2.	Whole No. of Teachers	Whole No. of Scholars/32/	Total No. in Main School	Average Attendance 7 6 2-	No. of Schol. in Home Dept.	No. on Cradle Roll 2 / 4	Total No. in Sunday School	No. Scholars Converted 29/	No. Schol. Joining Church	No. Departmental Supts.	Teacher's Training Course	No. or Organized Classes	No. Books in Libary	No. W. Y. P. Societies	Total Membership of Soc.
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton		2 8 2 4 5 10 8 2	57 6 111 30 105 8 4 5 9 3 5 4 6 4 8	99 63 33 122 60 98 26	70 86 83 38 140 67	50 63 52 22 73 39 75 23 15 211 23 33 35 20	5 1 2 15 83 3 8 2 1 10 2	12 11 16 10 12 2 14 22 4 12 26 10	97 64 249 77 113 40	2 10 1	5 2 1 8 4 2 3 1	3 4 4 1 4 3 3 5 5 3 3	9	3	10 120 40 15 25 25 40 16 25 3	22 11 11 11 11 11 12 11 11 11 11	35 111 20 8 19 20 22 21 15 36 10 7
Totals	20	102	103	1081	1178	762	135	219	1517	39	22	48	20	8	439	16	230

Iten	1 V.	Church	Property				
Name of Charge	No of Church Buildings	Value of Buildings	Amount of Indebtedness	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Amount of Indebtedness	Cash or Other Values on Hand
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton	1	\$500.00 3000.00 \$000.00 500.00 500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1600.00 1700.00 1500.00	1560.00	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	4000.00 1500.00 1000.00 	2000.00	36.75 15.00 146.04 30.00 166.12 47.61 120.61 35.00 8.00
Total	19	\$43700.00	\$9320.00	11	\$17850.00	\$4530.00	\$785.97

Item VI. Amount	Contribut	ed for Pas	stor		
Name of Charge	Pastor's Salary	Parsonage Rent	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts /	Total Pastor's Receipts
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Guil Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton	\$908.62 1017.50 1536.85 718.94 287.75 1047.20 252.85 860.00 180.00 696.05 661.22 660.00 400.00 390.25 620.24 104.97 757.01	130.00 80.00 84.00 120.00 144.00 112.00 96.00 300.00	\$11.00 2.00 13.00 31.00 54.00 10.00	381.15	1267.11 2000.00 840.94 450.92 1643.35 441.30 193.50 828.05 825.22 1000.00 644.00 455.21 971.24
Totals	\$11039.45	\$2306.00	\$266.75	\$1773.40	\$15385.60

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Item VII. Amount Contributed for Church												
Name of Charge	Conference President's Salary	Conference Evangelist's Salary	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building and Repairs	Incidental Expenses	Total for Church					
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Guil Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton	\$76.79 85.12 106.00 57.28 41.47 115.00 30.29 75.59 26.91 65.00 78.94 46.50 20.60 61.89 90.10		\$103.00 178.84 60.00 42.00 286.00 36.20 137.00	138.67 86.88 59.30 25.87 153.50 42.47 128.18 35.49 34.81 77.49 41.66 39.67 61.19 40.47	\$1039.18 113.39 65.30 805.69 80.69 1166.45 107.05 235.40 225.62 15.00 143.33	737.30 58.75; 70.57 11.02 305.52; 23.46 150.00 43.13 18.53 35.00 74.85 125.75 2.00	212.58 99.81 265.92 358.00 360.74 257.83 .265.92					
Totals	\$1015.89	\$11.00	\$974.70	\$1209.83	\$4222.06	\$1960.34	\$9393.82					

Item VIII. Amount Contributed for Benevolences							
Name of Charge	Undivided Budget	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Education Active	Conference Work	Superannuated Ministers' Fund	
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton		\$20.65 37.93 92.78 25.65 10.266 40.82 13.00 52.17 11.73 31.98 44.77 21.85 25.57 21.10 2.75 58.50	114.80 130.09 80.40 41.46 103.81 43.27 80.34 27.06 39.12 94.30 40.50 31.30 89.58	138.79 78.46 64.01 17.50 115.79 25.00 73.28 29.50 11.25 17.16 30.00 18.50 30.00	96.75 149.58 81.50 11.50 149.64 46.50 15.00 18.60 10.00 36.00 106.75 34.30 18.00	20.9 23.0 12.5 5.0 10.0 8.5 10.6 13.0 18.5 7.4 9.5	
Totals		\$530.01	\$1616.73	\$769.91	\$1420.41	\$195.25	

Item VIII. Amount Contributed for Benevolences—Continued							
Name of Charge	Connectional Sunday School Work	W. Y. P. S.	Other Benevolent Objects	Orphanage	Camp Meeting	Total for Benevolences	
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton	\$3.60 6.20 3.75 7.50 4.25 1.15 2.00 3.50 1.50 2.00	4.00 13.89 1.57 4.25 44.96 8.67 1.00	75.89 140.47 71.20 22.10 141.46 6.50 16.96 33.48 48.45 55.63 49.13 3.50 4.25	15.00 46.50 14.000 2.50 8.75 6.67 10.00 3.68 9.00 4.00 6.46 3.60 6.50	40.50 134.50 46.50 10.50 31.00 25.00 21.50 15.00	544.17 806.08 403.56 105.32 613.76 147.51 342.00 158.76 197.65 369.41 304.86 142.22 178.95 7.63	
Totals	\$44.95	\$88.64	\$873.22	\$186.91	\$530.00	\$6316.53	

Item IX. Totals								
Name of Charge	Total for Pastor	Total for Church	Total for Benevolences	Total For All Purposes				
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill_Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton	\$1365.57 1267.11 2000.00 840.94 450.92 1643.35 441.30 1143.00 193.50 828.05 825.22 1000.00 644.00 455.21	\$1496.02 1074.48 430.47 312.40 120.36 1665.71 213.11 1657.22 212.58 89.81 265.92 358.56 362.74 257.83	544.17 806.08 403.56 105.32 613.76 147.51 342.00 158.76 369.41 304.86 142.22 178.95	2885.7 3236.5 1556.9 676.6 3922.8 801.9 3142.2 564.8 1125.5 1460.5 1663.4 1146.9 891.9				
Totals	\$15385.60	\$9393.82	\$6316.53	\$31095.				

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		Item X	. Budget	Assign	ed			
Name of Charge	Undivided Budget	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Education	Orphanage	Conference Missions Evan- gelism	Building Fund	Total Section 2
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gufl Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton		\$23.50 28.00 26.50 27.00 10.50 45.00 18.50 16.00 10.00 12.50 16.00 10.00 22.50	112.00 106.00 108.00 42.00 180.00 74.00 26.00 64.00 128.00 40.00 50.00 64.00 3.0	\$70.50 84.00 75.00 81.00 31.50 135.00 57.00 19.50 48.00 96.00 30.00 37.50 48.00 24.00 67.50	14.00 26.50 13.50 5.25 22.50 9.50 9.25 8.00 15.00 6.25 8.00	37.50 27.00 10.50 67.50 28.50 18.50 9.75 24.00 48.75 15.00	40.50 15.75 45.00 19.00 27.75 6.50 32.50 10.00 12.50	308.00 298.00 297.00 115.50 495.00 209.00 203.50 71.50 160.00 337.25 110.00
Totals		\$317.50	\$1334.00	\$996.00	\$180.00	\$502.75	\$318.00	\$3648.25

STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

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Name of Charge	Undivided Budget	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Education	Orphanage	Conference Missions Evangelism	Building Fund	Total Section 1997
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr and Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton		\$13.10 34.07 92.78 24.65 10.26 40.82 13.00 52.17 11.73 31.98 44.73 20.57 21.10 2.75 58.50	114.80 130.09 80.40 41.46 103.81 43.27 80.34 27.06 39.12 94.30 40.50 31.30 87.08	138.79 78.46 64.01 17.50 115.79 25.00 73.28 29.50 11.25 17.16 30.00	16.00 46.50 14.00 2.50 8.75 6.67 10.00 3.68 9.00 4.00 6.46 3.60 3.60 6.50	27.00 15.00 6.80 7.00	\$4.50 26.50 40.50 7.00 15.70 5.00 10.00 6.50 	260.56 82.22 383.81 132.94 230.79 88.22 96.35 192.23 119.34 83.27 160.68
Totals		\$508.13	\$1614.15	\$761.91	\$167.91	\$382.53	\$156.45	\$3591.08

Report No. 6 COMMITTEE ON PETITION

We recommend that the Conference and Northern Camp be held at Hayward, Wisconsin at the same time Conference is usually held; and that the Burr Camp be held the latter part of August before school starts.

Signed, REV. LESTER BUCKMAN, REV. GRACE KAUFFMAN, MR. G. E. WESCHE.

Report No. 7 CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

CONFERENCE TREASURERS RE	- 0	I/ I		
Student Fund Cash on hand July 1, 1942	\$	18.00		
Judkins note, value		38.00		
Total in fund	\$	56.00		
Tent Fund				
Cash on hand July 1, 1942	\$	5.63		
Cash on hand July 1, 1943	·	5.63		
Endowment Fund				
Cash on hand July 1, 1942	\$			
Lathrope note, value		150.00		
Butcher note, value		500.00		
Total in fund	\$	685.00		
General Conference Fund				
Deficit			\$	10.95
Received from charges	\$	58.81	Ť	
J. B. Clawson, Delegate's expense				25.50
Norma Mortimer, Delegate's expense				12.25
Cash to balance				11.11
	\$	58.81	\$	58.81
Conference Mission Endowment Fund				
Challenge gift from Valton	\$	500.00		
Received from charges		520.00		
Interest on savings account		1.00		
Total in fund	\$	1021.00		

\$	78.87		
	96.75		
		\$	28.80
			4.00
			1.50
			141.32
\$	175.62	\$	175.62
\$	75.00		
	220.00		
	13.51		
		\$	6.25
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Lock Box Rent			1.20
General Conference President's salary			2.50
Postage, stationery, receipt book			2.99
Cash to balance			36.08
_	\$	72.27	\$ 72.27
Conference Missions for Evangelism Fund			
Cash on hand July 1, 1942	\$	125.84	
Received from charges		173.24	
Received from St. Treasurer W. H. & F. M. S.		46.00	
Received from St. Treasurer W. Y. P. S		3.50	
Paid I. J. Butcher on fuel bill			\$ 50.00
Paid W. Y. P. S. Treasurer			50.00
Paid Lloyd King on trips to Sparta			25.77
Paid G. M. Hahn on trip to Sparta			1.54
J. B. Clawson, two weeks' salary at Sparta			45.83
Cash to balance			175.44
-	\$	348.58	\$ 348.58
Education			
Raised by church	\$	390.64	
Raised by W. H. & F. M. S		144.35	
Raised by Sunday School		40.34	
Raised by W. Y. P. S		122.08	
Raised by Y. M. W. B		29.08	
Total for Education	\$	726.49	
Home Missions			
Raised by church	\$	46.06	
Raised by W. H. & F. M. S	٣	111.10	
Raised by Sunday School		52.84	
Raised by W. Y. P. S		2.00	
Raised by Y. M. W. B		42.29	
Total for Home Missions	\$	254.29	
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Orphanage	\$	79.32	
Raised by church	Φ	48.03	
Raised by W. H. & F. M. S		28.56	
Raised by Sunday School			
Raised by Y. M. W. B.		11.00	
Total for Orphanage	\$	166.91	

Foreign Missions		
Raised by church	\$ 208.42	
Raised by W. H. & F. M. S	595.80	
Raised by Sunday School	123.12	
Raised by W. Y. P. S	4.50	
Raised by Y. M. W. B.	713.11	
Total for Foreign Missions	\$1644.95	
Conference Building Fund		
Raised by church	\$ 96.75	
Raised by W. H. & F. M. S.	41.50	
Total for Building Fund	\$ 138.25	
MRS. JOHN MORTIMER, Con	ference Treasure	er.

Report No. 8

COMMITTEE ON PASTOR'S RELATIONS

We, your Committee on Pastor's Relations, submit the following report:

We recommend that Rev. J. B. Clawson, Conference President, travel the Conference, and hold at least two quarterly meetings on each charge, over Sunday if at all possible; that he receive \$850.00 salary and \$350.00 traveling expenses; and that he be requested to meet with the Board of Stewards of each church, according to the discipline, urging them to increase their pastor's salary this year.

We recommend that the circuits be supplied as follows:

Appleton—Orval and Egwendolyn Butcher.

Baraboo-Kenneth Hintz (supply).

Bethel Missionary Charge-Harry Johnson.

Beloit Missionary Charge-Oscar Hoveland.

Beulah-H. H. Turner.

Burr and Valley-In the hands of the President.

Eau Claire-Lloyd and Josephine King.

Gull Lake and Chittamo charges-Ernest Friebel.

Havward-Carl Olander.

Hillsboro-Grace Kauffman.

Mill Creek-Henry Clark.

Oak Ridge and Pisgah—Eldred and Elvina Perkins (unless they do pioneer work in Milwaukee).

Rice Lake-Jennie R. Clawson.

Spooner-Isaiah and Hazel Butcher.

Stone Lake-Robert and Pearl Thrasher.

Superior-Clarence Mason.

Sparta-In the hands of the President.

Tripville-Raymond Warren.

Valton-Guy and Marie Hahn.

Carr Valley—In the hands of the President.

We recommend that the following be Conference Evangelists: Rev. and Mrs. Charles Butcher.

We recommend that the following do missionary evangelistic work under the direction of the President and his Advisory Board: Sylvia Lee, Esther Johnson, William Markee, Wilma Bakke.

We recommend that George Nofsinger do evangelistic work in Arkansas.

We recommend that J. D. Crandall be appointed to work under the direction of the American Sunday School Union.

We recommend that the following Conference Preachers continue to pursue their theological courses: Richard Rossow in Marion College; Alice Mae Butcher in Marion College; David Peterson in Miltonvale College.

We recommend that Clinton Jones supply in the Kansas Conference.

We recommend that S. S. Hotchkiss supply a Methodist Church in the state of Oregon.

We recommend that Lester Buckman be given a leave of absence to be Chaplain in the U. S. Army.

Signed, GUY M. HAHN,
H. H. TURNER,
EUGENE GRAHAM,
I. J. BUTCHER,
GILBERT MORTIMER,
J. B. CLAWSON.

Report No. 9

SUPERANNUATED MINISTERS' FUND

Receipts	
Cash on hand (August 1, 1942)	\$ 228.57
Other values—Notes	635.00
Received—Ministers 1%	110.60
Received—Churches	84.65
Received—Interest	6.40

Expenditures		
Notes	\$ 565.00	
Total expenditures	_	\$ 565.00
Cash on hand (August 1, 1943)	_	\$ 500.22

Report No. 10

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

We, the Committee on Committees, submit the following report: The following have been recommended for the named committees:

- 1. Pastor's Relations—Guy M. Hahn, I. J. Butcher, H. H. Turner, Albert Breidenstein, Gilbert Mortimer, Eugene Graham.
 - 2. Committee on Courtesy-Lester Buckman, Eldred Perkins.
 - 3. Committee on Thanks-Hazel Butcher, Myrna McNitt.
- 4. Lay Members of the Committee on Itineracy and Orders—Henry Clark, Ruth Finley, Mazie Hole.
 - 5. Ministerial Character-Charles Butcher, Helen Herron.
- 6. Committee on Resolutions—Coral Butcher, Melva Mortimer, Cloie Kuhn.
 - 7. Budget Committee-Marie Hahn, Eldred Perkins, Robert Thrasher.
 - 8. Mail Carrier—Oscar Hoveland.
 - 9. Bell Ringer-Julius Salisbury.

Signed, J. B. CLAWSON, Chairman; H. H. TURNER, I. J. BUTCHER, ROBERT THRASHER, GILBERT MORTIMER.

Report No. 11

CONFERENCE TRUSTEES

July 24, 1942

A meeting of the Board of Conference Trustees was called for July 24, 1942, at which time officers were elected as follows: Chairman, Charles Butcher; Secretary, G. M. Hahn; Treasurer, Mrs. Norma Mortimer.

Upon motion it was decided that the Bethel property be sold to Maurice Moon for \$800.00 with \$75.00 down and \$20.00 per month until paid, with interest.

Upon motion it was decided to pay G. M. Hahn for trip to Baraboo, and lawyers fee for writing up the deed.

Upon motion it was decided to give the Appleton Church \$50.00 on the new church.

The Board voted to pay \$10.00 per month on the Spooner parsonage note, and that the Spooner Church pay \$5.00 per month on the same.

The Board voted to pay \$2.00 per month on the plumbing bill on the Spooner parsonage and that the church pay \$3.00 or more on the same.

Upon motion the Secretary was instructed to check over the amounts given to various charges in past years and make a report of same.

September 4, 1942

A special meeting of the Board was called on September 4, 1942, when it was voted to permit the Appleton Church to borrow \$2100.00 to purchase building to be remodelled for chapel and parsonage.

July 26, 1943

The Conference Trustees met on July 26, 1943, and voted to print the actions of their board in the Conference Minutes.

Upon motion it was decided to permit the Appleton Church to borrow up to \$300.00 to purchase stone from the old County Court House Building for the erection of a church edifice.

July 27, 1943

A meeting of the Board of Conference Trustees was called on July 27, 1943, at which time it was decided to make payments on the Spooner parsonage as last year providing that the church do the same as last year, namely, that the board pay \$10.00 per month and the church pay \$5.00 per month; and that the board pay \$2.00 per month on the plumbing bill and the church pay \$3.00 or more per month.

Amounts Given to Charges

Charge	Amounts	Year
Baraboo (Insurance from Fairfield church)	\$925.60	25—26
Baraboo parsonage	100.00	2930
Baraboo	200.00	3031
Bethel	80.00	
	25.00	34
	87.84	
Eau Claire	100.00	29—30
Rice Lake	100.00	
	25.00	32
	25.00	
	16.00	
Stone Lake	125.00	30-31
Gull Lake	25.00	

375.00

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Hillsboro	8.00 50.00 4.00 10.00	33—34
Valley Spooner Spooner	100.00 53.50 55.00	—32 33—34
	25.00 20.00	3334
Mill Creek	50.00 12.00 100.00 13.05	32

Report No. 12

BUDGET COMMITTEE

We, the Budget Committee, submit the following report:

We recommend that:

1. The budget be divided as follows: Foreign Missions, \$2.00; Connectional Home Missions, \$1.00; Orphanage, \$.25; Education, \$1.50; Conference Missions for Evangelism, \$1.00; Conference Building Fund, \$.50; Total per member, \$6.25.

That the Conference Missions for Evangelism be set aside for the express purpose of opening new works and helping weaker charges employ evangelists, and that no funds be drawn from this fund without a requisition signed by the members of the Missionary Board, and all money paid for Conference work must go through the hands of the Conference Treasurer in order to count on budget.

That Conference Building Fund be used for aid in building or buying church property.

2. That 50 cents per member per quarter be raised for Conference President's salary, outside the budget, and each pastor assume the responsibility of raising the Conference President's salary quarterly.

3. One offering be taken in September for Conference Incidental Fund.

Signed, MARIE HAHN, Chairman; ROBERT THRASHER, ELDRED PERKINS.

Report No. 13

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Resolved-

- 1. That according to article No. 4 of Resolutions of 1942, all Treasurers, including Camp Meeting Treasurer, close their books June 30th and report same before the Conference body.
- 2. That we recommend to the Camp Meeting that time be given them for their annual business and election of officers within the Conference period.
- 3. That we set aside one day each quarter as a day of prayer for a Conference-wide revival, and a certain portion of such days be given to prayer especially for our men in service, and the war-torn world; and such dates be placed upon the Conference Calendar.
- 4. That each pastor compile in a well bound book the History, official records, annual statistical reports, and including dates of all sub-organizations as near as possible. And that each pastor bring such books to Conference for review next year.
- 5. That the Conference Missionary Board meet within the Conference period and report to such Conference plans and stipulations of fund for Conference Missionary projects for coming year.
- 6. That all pastor's reports and statistical reports be the Order of the Day, immediately following appointment of Committees.
- 7. That each pastor raise for Superannuated Ministers' Fund at least two offerings per year, according to article No. 10 of Pastor's Reports. And also remit 1% of his salary for same purpose.

Signed, CORAL BUTCHER, CLOIE KUHN, MELVA MORTIMER.

Report No. 14

COMMITTEE ON THANKS

We wish to express the thanks of the Conference as follows:

- 1. To God for permitting us to meet again as a Conference, for preserving and protecting us and for His Spirit which prevails.
 - 2. To Mrs. Clawson for supervision of the dining hall.
 - 3. To the various charges who have sent in provisions for the table.
- 4. To those who have worked so faithfully in the dining room and kitchen.
 - 5. To the bell ringer and the mail carrier.
 - 6. To Mrs. Kauffman for her inspiring Conference sermon.
 - 7. To Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mortimer for their messages in song.

- 8. To Brother Clawson, our Conference President, for his faithful services. We ask God's richest blessing for the following year.
 - 9. To Mrs. Norma Mortimer, our Conference Treasurer.
 - 10. To Mrs. Orval Butcher, our Conference Secretary.
- 11. To our Camp Meeting Evangelists who have come to minister to us.
- 12. To God, not alone for past and present blessing, but, for His promise, "Lo! I am with thee even unto the end of the world."

Signed, HAZEL BUTCHER, MYRNA McNITT.

Report No. 15 CAMP MEETING TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts \$ 195.28 Cash on hand (from last year) Money found on the Grounds25 Gift from the Hillsboro Farmers' State Bank 3.00Membership dues paid through the Secretary 11.00 Donated labor, not pledged 14.25 Offerings from Charges (on Anna Mortimer note) .. 39.00 Pledges paid (by supplies for table) 8.00Anonymous Envelopes 21.01 Pledges paid 578.64 Total plate offerings 73.25 Total receipts \$ 943.68 Expenditures For evangelistic help \$ 310.00 For hardware and equipment 38.95 Advertisement 7.75 Children's meeting's expense 5.00 1.50 Cartage To dining hall for supplies 10.00 Milk bill paid by pledge 5.00 For labor on roofing and repairs 68.52 Electric stove for kitchen 40.00 Roofing, other building material repairs 81.60Camp Meeting Committee expense 8.89 Electric bills 19.36 Annual insurance on Camp Meeting buildings and equipment 14.38

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Interest (on Anna Mortimer note)	13.75	
Song books	9.00	
Incidental expenses	7.43	
Preparation of campgrounds for use	27.00	
Total expenditures		\$ 668.13
Cash on hand (July, 1943)	_	\$ 275.55
Report of Dining Hall (1942) Receipts		
Cash on hand (from previous year)	\$ 12.00	
Board, rooms, enrollment fees, etc	444.00	
Food and cash (from charges)	43.00	
Total receipts	\$ 499.00	
Expenditures		
Wages for help	\$ 35.00	
Food	440.00	
Kitchen and dining hall equipment	24.00	
Total expenditures	\$ 499.00	

Signed, CHARLES H. BUTCHER, Treasurer.

Report No. 16

COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE MINUTES

The Committee recommends the following:

- 1. That the minutes be prepared and sent to the Wesleyan Methodist Publishing House for publication.
- 2. That the minutes be prepared in a complete report of the actions and proceedings of all the arms of the Conference, and that they include also the cuts of the President and Vice-President, a Service Men's Roll, a Table of Information and a Conference Calendar.
- 3. That each pastor subscribe for the number of minutes his charge shall require, which shall include at least one copy for himself and for the leader of each department of the church, namely, Sunday School, Y. M. W. B., W. Y. P. S. and W. H. & F. M. S.

Signed, LESTER BUCKMAN, EGWENDOLYN BUTCHER, CLARENCE MASON.

Report No. 17

CONFERENCE MISSIONARY BOARD (1943)

We, the members of the Missionary Board, recommend as follows:

- 1. That Eldred Perkins and H. H. Turner be sent to Milwaukee to investigate possibilities of starting a new work there and that the Missionary Board pay their expense.
- 2. Having received the report of the above mentioned we further recommend that Eldred Perkins be sent to Milwaukee to canvas and make a survey of the City in order to find a suitable location and that he receive \$25.00 per week (not to exceed two weeks) to cover expenses for this work.
- 3. That the Missionary Board pay Henry Clark's moving expense and pay him \$20.00 on rent.
- 4. That the Missionary Board pay Rev. and Mrs. Charles Butcher \$25.00 a month for the year and that \$50.00 of this amount of \$300.00 be paid in advance and we also recommend that we pay their moving expense.
- 5. That the Missionary Board pay one-half of Oscar Hoveland's moving expense and that the other half be paid equally by Brother Hoveland and the Beloit charge.
- 6. That Oscar Hoveland receive a loan of \$37.50 from the Missionary Board to pay the first month's rent and his part of the moving expense, to be paid back as soon as he is able.

Signed, H. H. TURNER,
LLOYD KING,
G. M. HAHN,
NORMA MORTIMER,
ROBERT THRASHER,
CHESTER FINLEY.

MINUTES

OF THE

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY

OF THE

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HELD AT

Burr Campground

July 20—23, 1943

Minutes of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society

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IOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

The Annual Conference of the W. H. & F. M. S. met at the Burr Campground for the 1943 session July 20, 1943 at 1:30 p. m. with our President, Mrs. J. B. Clawson, in charge.

The meeting was opened with the song, "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story."

Following this Sister Clawson gave a splendid exhortation on the "Pearl of Great Price."

Sister Harmon led in prayer.

The following committees were elected:

Credentials-Wilma Bakke.

To Grade Y. M. W. B .- Esther Johnson.

Resolutions-Mrs. H. H. Turner and Mrs. Eldred Perkins.

Plan of Work-Mrs. Coral Butcher, Mrs. J. B. Clawson, Mrs. Ernest Friebel.

Magazine Solicitor-Mrs. Kenneth Hintz.

The Committee on Credentials presented the following: Mrs. Louie Budde, Pisgah; Mazie Hole, Stone Lake; Mrs. G. Hopkins, Eau Claire; Minnie Shore, Valton; Mrs. C. E. Mason, Gull Lake; Mrs. Eldred Perkins, Superior; Mrs. Mary Hensel, Appleton; Mrs. Oscar Hoveland, Mill Creek; Mrs. Harmon, Hayward.

A motion was made and supported that the following be accepted as Delegates without credentials: Mrs. Nellie Johnson, Burr; Mrs. Grace Kauffman, Hillsboro; Esher Johnson, Rice Lake.

It was moved and seconded that the Annual Conference Society pay for a Quadrennial Book for each society.

Mrs. Josephine King, Mrs. Coral Butcher and Mrs. Grace Kauffman gave echoes of the General Conference.

Adjourned by limitation of time.

Wednesday, July 21, 1943, 1:30 p. m.

The meeting was opened with the song, "Reach Your Arms Around the World."

Mrs. Grace Kauffman had charge of the devotions, reading from Luke 10: 25-27.

The minutes from the previous session were read and approved.

The following reports were read and accepted: Appleton, Burr, Hayward, Hillsboro, Mt. Pisgah, Rice Lake, Valton, Stone Lake.

Adjourned by limitation of time.

Thursday, July 22, 1943, 2:00 p. m.

The meeting was called to order and opened with the devotional period which was led by Mrs. Harmon. The basis for her thought was taken from Titus the second and third chapters.

The following reports were read and accepted: Baraboo, Beulah, Mill Creek, Gull Lake, and Superior.

Adjourned by limitation of time.

Friday, July 23, 1943, 1:30 p. m.

The meeting was called to order and opened with the devotional period which was led by Mrs. J. B. Clawson, using for her scripture, Psalm 111:10. The Statistical Report was read and accepted.

The reports of the Treasurer, Committee on Plan of Work, and Committee on Resolutions were read and accepted.

By motion the Mt. Pisgah Alternate Delegate, Mrs. C. Cass, was accepted without credentials.

Conference officers were elected.

Adjourned.

MRS. G. M. HAHN, Secretary.

VALUATION

Meat, \$1.00; beans, 10 cents; tomatoes, 15 cents; peas, 20 cents; pickles, 15 cents; unsweetened applesauce, 15 cents; unsweetened fruit, 25 cents; sweentened fruit, 30 cents; cake, 50 cents; pie, 40 cents.

PLAN OF WORK

- 1. That each society send \$5.00 to the Conference Treasurer for the Building Fund.
- 2. That each society secure the Efficiency Standard and measure thereby.
- 3. That each society send one dollar per member, undivided, to Conference Treasurer.
- 4. That we take the Magazine according to standard, if possible. A special program for securing Magazine subscriptions is suggested.

- 5. That each society observe "Harvest Home Day" sending to Miltonvale.
 - 6. That we continue to collect bandages.
- 7. That each society send the statistical report to Esther Johnson, 205 Noble Avenue, Rice Lake, Wis., the first of July.
- 8. That we emphasize prayer for fields and workers and that we use the Missionary Study as outlined in the Magazine. Also that we coöperate in the observances of the World Day of Prayer.
- 9. That each society remit 50 cents per member for the Conference table.
- 10. That each society endeavor to raise \$5.00 for Conference Missions for Evangelism.
- 11. That if there is any building done, each society furnish a room completely.
- 12. That all books close the last of June and that the report blanks be filled out and sent to Esther Johnson to be checked by July 1st, and as soon as they are returned they be sent to the Statistical Committee Chairman, Mrs. Lloyd King, 1221 Emery Street, Eau Claire, Wis.
- 13. That each society place the Magazine properly inscribed with name and address of both society and pastor in the public library.
- 14. That in this time of world stress each meeting be given largely to prayer for missions, naming each one before the throne.
- 15. That a feature of the Missionary Program at next Conference be a book review or other inspirational feature.
- 16. That we finish the Missionary Building and Worker's Cottage and that this project be left in the hands of the Executive Committee.
- 17. That each society use no funds for local church work, such as church repairs or pastor's salary.
- 18. That a copy of the plan of work be given to the Secretary of each society to be read at the first meeting of the year and frequently thereafter.

Signed, MRS. J. B. CLAWSON, MRS. CORAL BUTCHER, MRS. ERNEST FRIEBEL.

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE W. H. & F. M. S.

Receipts Cash on hand (from last year) \$ 180.53 Dues 211.36 Cash and receipts 915.19 Total receipts \$1307.08

Disbursements		
Foreign Specially for South America Specially for India Specially for Africa Medical	\$ 279.12 146.68 30.00 140.00 7.50	
Total for Foreign Missions	\$ 603.30	
Home Orphanage Education General Fund to General Treasurer Bethshan Home Conference Missions for Evangelism Delegates Expense to General Conference	\$ 111.10 48.03 144.35 52.84 1.00 59.00 50.00	
Total disbursements		\$1069.62
Cash to Balance:		
Building Church Extension General Fund Lavatory	\$ 108.19 40.75 75.93 12.59	
Cash on hand		\$ 237.46

Signed, ESTHER JOHNSON, Treasurer.

W. H. & F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT

Receipts									
Name of Society	Active Members	Honorary Members	Members Gained	Members Loss	Regular Meetings Held	Special Meetings Held	Do You Use Missionary Programs?	No. Wesleyan Missionarys	Cash on Hand From Last Year
Appleton Baraboo Burr and Valley Beulah Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah Rice Lake Stone Lake Stone Lake Superior Valton *Tripville	16 14 10 24 28 7 14 7 10 8 6 8 14 23	1 1 1 4	33 22 11	4	11 11 12 24 12 13 6 9 15 12 26 21	1	No Yes Yes No Yes No	12 3 9 13 2 12 5 6 8 7 4 2 24	\$4.49 .06
Totals	189	20	20	17	196	9		112	\$14.48

^{*}Society inactive at present.

W. H. & F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT-Continued

							
Receipts							
Name of Society	Membership Dues	Offerings	Labor	Clothing and Other Gifts to Home Work	Gifts and Donations	Total	
Appleton Baraboo Burr and Valley Beulah Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah Rice Lake Stone Lake Stone Lake Superior Tripville Valton	\$17.26 14.00 11.00 31.00 29.60 14.00 7.00 11.50 9.00 10.00 8.00 14.00 27.00	31.54 12.00 36.72 78.92 20.10 107.67 3.85 30.00 48.59 28.87 98.53	\$10.93 62.70 5.00 1.50	\$20.00	47.78 6.00 25.00 13.00	137.76 102.72 157.80 33.50 121.67 17.85 41.50 91.11 65.37 142.44 63.98	
Totals	\$211.36	\$883.28	\$88.03	\$151.44	\$227.76	\$1576.35	

W. H. & F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Disbursements							
Name of Society	Home, Cash	Home, Clothing and Other Gifts	Hephzibah, Cash	Foreign, Cash	Medical Students	Education, Cash	Education, Provisions
Appleton Baraboo Burr and Vailey Beulah Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah Rice Lake Stone Lake Superior Valton Tripville	10.00 6.00 6.00 4.85 6.00 11.00 4.00 6.00 16.00	\$20.00 33.85 	5.00 5.00 1.25 6.50	57.50 25.50 24.80 7.50 39.50 3.50 5.75 14.50 17.87 56.00 7.00	2.50	2.00 2.40 16.80 32.37	\$21.76
Totals	\$112.10	\$200.29	\$48.03	\$584.25	\$7.50	\$122.60	\$21.76

W. H. & F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT-Continued

Disbursements							
Name of Society	Conference Missions for Evangelism	Membership Dues	Other Objects	Conference Table	Conference Building Fund	Cash on Hand	Total
Appleton Baraboo Burr and Valley Beulah Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah Rice Lake Stone Lake Stope Lake Superior Valton Tripville	\$5.00 10.00 10.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 3.00 3.00	\$8.63 7.00 5.50 15.50 4.00 3.50 5.75 4.50 5.00 4.00 7.00	9.67 33.55 1.00 8.43	7.00	5.00 5.00 5.00	2.92	\$38.71 121.53 137.76 102.72 157.80 33.50 121.76 17.85 41.50 91.11 65.37 142.44 63.98 440.41
Totals	\$56.00	\$105.68	\$184.20	\$62.85	\$41.50	\$29.59	\$1576.35

Y. M. W. B. STATISTICAL REPORT

Name of Band	No. of Members	No. of Meetings Held	Dues	Offerings	Education	Total
Appleton Baraboo Burr and Valley Beulah Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah Rice Lake Stone Lake Stone Lake Superior Valton Tripville	43 35 5 20	6 11	18.20	10.95 20.72 32.84	4.00	15.95 38.92 36.84
Totals	110	53	\$57.56	\$98.62	\$6.92	\$203.10

Y. M. W. B.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Dues and Offerings	\$ 386.15	
Home Missions	42.29	
Education	29.08	
African Evangelism	200.00	
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Special gift	60.00	
South America	3.96	
Total	\$ 783.48	
Amount raised at Conference for Native Workers		\$ 109.48

Our Aim:

- 1. That each Band report Quarterly at Quarterly Meetings on blanks furnished them by Superintendent.
- 2. That each Band remit funds quarterly to Mrs. Aileen Shea, Houghton, New York, General Superintendent, sending receipts of same together with duplicate Quarterly Meeting report to Conference Superintendent, Mrs. Charles Butcher, 1315 Main Street, Stevens Point, Wis.
- 3. That each Band strive for "Banner" obtained by such Band as receives the greatest percentage of gain in membership and funds.
- 4. That we urge a missionary to travel our Conference this year and that we be privileged the visitation of a missionary at our Conference session of 1944.

Signed, MRS. CHARLES BUTCHER, Conference Superintendent, 1315 Main Street, Stevens Point, Wis.

Minutes of Wisconsin Conference W. Y. P. S.

JULY 28-30, 1943

OFFICERS

President-Orval C. Butcher, 615 N. Richmond St., Appleton, Wis.

Vice-President-Carl Olander, Hayward, Wis.

Secretary-Norma Clawson, 35 W. Marshall St., Rice Lake, Wis.

Treasurer-Mary Friebel, Springbrook, Wis.

Editor of W. Y. P. S. Paper—Eleanor Salisbury, Lakeview Sanitarium, Madison, Wis.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Rev. J. B. Clawson, Irene Olander, Evangeline Turner.

DAILY PROCEEDINGS

The first session of the business meeting of the Wisconsin W. Y. P. S. met in the Young People's Tabernacle, Wednesday evening, July 28, at 7:30 p. m. After a season of prayer and praise the business of the convention was taken up. The following Delegates were present:

Beulah-Evangeline Turner.

Eau Claire-Genevieve Johnson.

Superior-Gertrude Perkins.

Appleton-June Ellis.

Hayward-Pearl Lockhart.

Bethel S. S .- Beverly Rudy.

Baraboo-Alice Holderman.

Rice Lake-Norma Clawson.

Burr and Valley-Margarette Butcher.

It was decided by motion that all members present between the ages of 14 and 40 have the privilege of voting.

It was moved and carried that the business meeting be held Thursday evening and if more time is required, that the business meeting be continued Friday evening.

It was moved and carried that the Executive Committee bring in a plan of work for the coming year containing suggestions as offered by the President.

Adjourned by limitation of time.

The second session of the convention was held Thursday evening at seven o'clock. After a precious season of singing, praise and prayer, the business of the convention was resumed.

The Treasurer read her report and by motion the report was accepted. By motion it was decided to take the minutes for the Treasurer's report from the pastor's statistical reports.

It was moved and carried that the banner be given to the church having the largest number of subscriptions to the Young People's Journal.

It was moved and carried that from this year on the district having the greatest number of subscriptions to the Journal receive the banner.

It was moved and carried that the cost of the banner be paid from the General Fund.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted as read.

The election of officers was the next order of business.

Rev. Lloyd King, W. Y. P. S. Delegate to General Conference, made his report to the convention. His report was accepted as read.

The Plan of Work as suggested by the Committee was read.

- It was decided by motion that:
- 1. We have a W. Y. P. S. Worker, accepted by Executive Committee and Camp Board.
 - 2. That all financial obligations be left with the Executive Committee.
- 3. That a committee be selected by the President to see to the finishing of the W. Y. P. S. building.
- 4. That \$20.00 be paid to the Camp Board toward this year's Camp Evangelists.
 - 5. That new fields for Evangelism be looked for.
- 6. That the Executive Committee be instructed to open a new field sponsored by the W. Y. P. S.
- 7. That plans for the cleaning of the grounds be left with the Executive Committee.
- 8. That we edit a Young People's Paper. The plans and methods to be left in the hands of the Executive Committee to work out.

The Convention was adjourned by motion.

PLAN OF WORK

- 1. That the Annual Convention shall be held during the time of Conference Camp at Burr.
- 2. That we ask the local societies to coöperate in raising \$100.00 for our Annual Convention Worker.
- 3. That the Conference W. Y. P. S. be divided into two districts, the Northern and Southern.
- 4. That an attempt be made to hold one or two conventions, if possible, in each district during the year.
- 5. That officers of each district are to be elected at the first district convention of the Conference year. District officers are to serve a term of one year.
- 6. That a Journal contest between the Northern and Southern districts be directed by the W. Y. P. S. Conference President and that a banner be presented to the winning district at the Annual Convention.
- 7. That we raise 50 cents per member for dues to be divided thus: W. Y. P. S. Conference Missions Fund, 20 cents; Education, 20 cents; and Conference Building Fund, 10 cents.
- 8. That during the first months of the Conference year each society send \$1.00 to Rev. F. R. Eddy.
- 9. That each local society read before the members of that society article No. 398 in the Wesleyan Discipline, "The Local Society."
- 10. That each society, if it has not already done so, furnish a mattress for the 1944 Camp.
- 11. That, if the W. Y. P. S. Executive Committee recommends Angelo, near Sparta, we take it as a project for the year.
- 12. That the young people of the Conference meet on Tuesday, August 1, 1944, to begin clearing the grounds and cleaning the buildings prior to the Camp Meeting, and that they bring provisions for the clean-up days.
- 13. That we have a W. Y. P. S. Conference Paper; Eleanor Salisbury as Editor; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Friebel and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olander as publishers. That the local societies take offerings for financing the paper.
- 14. That each society elect a reporter to send material to the Conference Paper upon the request of the Editor.
- 15. That our societies be radiating centers of Christian character and the beauty of holiness.

Signed, ORVAL C. BUTCHER, President.





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