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#### OREGON CONFERENCE

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#### WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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#### Standing Rules.

- 1. The clerk of each local society is to place the deed of his church property in the hands of the Conference president, who is custodian of the deed and who is empowered to rent a safety deposit space for the preservation of deeds, abstracts, and other valuable Conference papers. The Conference shall pay rent on space.
- 2. The President and his Advisory Board are designated a deed examining committee. Deeds for churches, parsonages, or other Conference property to be submitted to them for examination before recorded, to make sure that such disciplinary clauses are included as are needed to make such property sesure to the Conference.
- 3. That each pastor is to bring his statistical report in full ready to be read the first day of Conference.
- 4. All pastors are required to report number of calls at the time of reading their reports.
- 5. Our members are solicited to faithfulness in tithing and our churches are to consider the storehouse plan.
- 6. The Campmeeting and Conference are to be held together with the date of Conference to be set by the Board of Administration. If possible, it shall be incorporated at the beginning or at the close of campmeeting.

- 7. The Annual Conference Body shall elect a Committee on Committees whose duty is to nominate the Session and Standing Committees.
- S. The following item's of the Pastor's Statistical report shall be read each year on the Conference floor: Pastor's calls, Wesleyan Methodist, Wesleyan Missionary, Wesleyan Youth subscriptions, Present membership, gain or loss, Average Sunday School attendance, No Church Bldg, value and insurance, Item IV Complete, Total Contributed for Church, Item VIII complete, Total Benevolence, Contributed totals.
- 9. That each local church be responsible for paying the moving expenses of the pastor whom they have called.
- 10. Conference Secretary and Treasurer be paid ten dollars annually from the Conferency treasury.
- 11. The Conference Treasurer's books be closed one week before the opening session of the Annual Conference.
- 12. No Treasurer be allowed to pay out funds without proper authorization.
- 13. The Standing Rules of the Conference are to be included in the Conference minutes from year to year.
- 14. The Superannuate Pension Fund Treasurer be a member of the Superannuate Pension Flan Committee.

#### Conference Officers.

President: Henry B. Aarhus, 2101 East 10th Vancouver, Wash.

Vice-Pres: William Ward, 7518 N. Chicago Portland, Oregon

Secretary: Kathleen Kelsven, Sheridan, Ore.

Treasurer: Dennis M. Brenner, 212 West Rural Salem, Ore.

Superannuate Pension Fund Treasurer:
Glenn Hoerner, Aumsville, Ore.

Sunday School Secretary: A.G. Yates 1932 Federal Ave, Seattle, Wash.

Tithing Secretary: Dennis M. Brenner

Educational Secretary: Atwood J. Cool 2530 S.E. 89th Portland, Oregon.

Transportation Secretary:
Henry B. Aarhus

Secretary Men's Fellowship:

W.A. Kaufmann 352 So. 16th, Salem, Oregon

Representative to Local Board of Managers; Wesleyan Methodist College, D.H. Cline 520 N.E. 96th, Portland, Ore.

Alternate Representative; Glenn Hoerner

#### Standing Committees

Board of Trustee: Elders, Henry B. Aarhus, 1955, D.H. Cline, 1954, A.G. Yates, 1954

Layman: Dennis M. Brenner 1955 Arthur T. Vessey 1953

President's Advisory Board:
Frank Betzer Arthur T. Vessey

Committee on Itineracy and Orders
Atwood J. Cool-1956 William Ward 1954
Donald H. Cline 1955 L.W. Melton 1953

Committee on Vacancies

Frank Betzer Henry B. Aarhus William Ward Glenn Hoerner

Sunday School Board: W.A. Kaufmann Glenn Hoerner

Committee on Church & Parsonage Location

Board of Trustee

Missionary Board:

Henry B. Aarhus Helen Aarhus
Dennis M. Brenner Donald H. Cline
William Ward Paul Lippold
John Ehr.

Apportionment Committee:

Glenn Hoerner Jaunita Cissna

Supperannuate Pension Fund Committee
Dennis M. Brenner 1955
Kathleen Kelsven 1953
Glenn Hoerner, Treasurer.

Campmeeting Board: W.A. Kaufmann, Treasurer. Henry B. Aarhus Donald H. Cline William Ward E.F. West-Arthur T. Vessey John Ehr A.G. Yates, Bus, Mg. Walter Hinz. Conference Roll Meetings at Elders Henry B. Aarhus 2101 E. 10. Vancouver, Wash Frank Betzer R. F. D. No.1, Albany, Ore. Donald H. Cline 520 N.E. 96th, Portland, Ore. Donovan Dahlgren Crawfordsville Helmer Danielson 5106 S.E. 99thAve, Portland, Ore J.H. Hinchsliff 0 515 N.E. 53rd Ave, Portland, Ore Glenn Hoerner Aumsville, Oregon W.A. Kaufmann 352 So. 16th, Salem, Oregon Kathleen Kelsven Sheridan, Oregon Glenn D. Lauby 0 L.W. Melton 0 Houghton, New York

Mary A. Robinson 5624 N.E. Glisan Ave, Portland, Ore.	
William Eard 7518 N. Chicago, Portland, Ore.	6
Vera M. Willis 520 So. 18th, Salem, Oregon	2
Frank Wing Star Route #2, Lebanon, Oregon	8
A.G. Yates 1932 Federal Ave, Seattle, Wash.	క
Conference Preachers:	• •
Marjory Gjesdal 11520 S.E. Holgate, Portland, Ore.	<b>3</b>
Marion Kelsven Sheridan, Oregon	0
Elsie Ward 7518 N. Chicago, Portland, Ore.	7
Delegates Church Meter Pearl Belles Emmanuel Helen Bench Seattle Dorothy Blacketer Lebanon Dennis M. Brenner Salem Jaunita Cissna Russellville Jennie Cline St. John's Leona Cool Emmanuel Martha Gjesdal Aumsville Amanda Hinz Vancouver Paul Lippold Salem Verna Polits St. John's	tings At'd  8  8  6  7  8  6

Alice Reed	g
Zelda Snyder	8
Lillian Stone	<b>g</b>
Luella Hmphries	· 8
Agnes Wakefield	6

#### Journal of Daily Proceedings

The fifty-minth Annual Session of the Oregon Conference met for the first service Monday evening July 28, at 8:00 P.M. on the Free Methodist Campground, 3401 Crestdale Drive, Portland, Oregon. The Rev. Atwood J. Cool lead the song service. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Edward Clark, of Des Moines, Iowa. A special number in song was brought by Rev. and Mrs. Cool. The Rev. W.A. Kaufmann, pastor at Salem, brought the message. He spoke on the subject "The place where humanity contacts divinity." The service closed with a season of prayer around the altar.

#### July 29, Tuesday 9:00 A.M.

Devotions were conducted by A.G. Yates who read from Psalm 133 then offered prayer.

The Conference president, Henry B. Aarhus

called the conference body to order.

The roll was called, eight Elders and one Conference Preacher responded to the roll.

Glenn Hoerner was elected the Committee on Credentials.

The Reverend J.R. Swauger, Denominational Home Missionary Secretary, was greeted and asked to take the Chair.

Report from the Committee on Credentials Adopted by motion.

Zelda Snyder
Amanda Hinz
Leona Cool
Martha Gjesdal
Agnes Wakefield
Pearl Belles
Luella Umphries
Verna Polits
Jennie Cline
Dorothy Blacketer
Alice Reed
Lillian Stone
Helen Bench
Jaunita Cissna

St. John's
Vancouver
Emmanuel
Aumsville
Salem
Emmanuel
Russellville
St. John's
St. John's
Lebanon
Emmanuel
Vancouver
Seattle
Russellville.

The Conference Bar was set by motion to be the rostrum and the first five rows of seats in the center of the tabernacle.

Additional report from the Committee on

Credentials adopted by motion.

These names presented. Dennis M. Brenner Paul Lippold

Salem Salem

The Conference president gave his report. Wt was adopted by motion. (Report No 1)

Upon the adoption of the report of the Conference president, W.A. Kaufmann and Atwood J. Cool became members of the Conference and were called within the Conference

ence Bar.

A Committee on Committees was elected as follows: Donald H. Cline, W.A. Kaufmann, Henry B. Aarhus, Dennis M. Brenner, and Verna Polits.

The time for business meetings set by motion to be: Morning 9:00A.M. to adjourn 11:30 A.M. Afternoon: 1:30 P.M. to adjourn by motion.

Election of Lillian Stone reporter to Local Papers and Wesleyan Methodist.

The election of Conference Officers set by motion to be Wednesday afternoon following Roll Call.

A communication was read from Frank Betzer. Motion prevailed to instruct the Secretary to send a letter and a telegram of greeting to Brother Betzer.

Adjourn by motion to the call of the

chair.

Met at the call of the Chair.

The committee on Committees reported the nomination of Session Committees. It was adopted by motion as follows: Ministerial Character—William Ward

Frank Wing

Courtesy
Religious service
Thanks
Thanks
Statistical

Cline
Agnes Wakefield
Glenn Hoerner
Paul Lippold
Lillian Stone
Atwood J. Cool

Auditing Elsie Ward Agnes Wakefield

Resolutions Zelda Snyder
Alice Reed
W.A. Kaufmann

Pastoral Relations——— Henry B. Aarhus
William Ward
Donald H. Cline
A.G. Yates
Verna Polits
Jaunita Cissna
Dennis M. Brenner

The resignation of Lillian Stone from the Committee on Statistics was accepted by motion.

The following were presented by the

Courtesy Committee.

The Reverend Edward Clark. Church of the Nazarene, Des Moines, Iowa. The Reverend John H. Koch, Church of the Nazarene, Lebanon, Oregon The Reverend and Mrs. Atwood J. Cool,

pasters of our Emmanuel Church Portland,

Oregon,

The Committee on Religious Service reported the following: Denominational Address to be given Wednesday 11:00 A.M. Memorial service Thursday afternoon following roll call; J.R. Swauger, Home Missionary Secretary, to speak Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. Accepted by motion.

Communication read from Charlain Clenn D. Lauby, Motion prevailed to request the Secretary to reply to Chaplain

Lauby,

Adjourned for Committee work.

#### Tuesday 1:30 P.M.

Devotions were in charge of Frank A. Wing, who read John 15, then offered praver.

The roll was called,

The Committee on Ministerial Character reported the character of the following ministers passed: Henry B. Aarhus, Donald H. Cline, W.A. Kaufmann, A.G. Yates, William Ward, Atwood J. Cool, Marjory Gjesdal, Frank Wing, Mary A. Robinson, Glenn Hoerner, Elsie Ward, Kathleen Kelsven Frank Betzer and Glen Lanby.

Word regarding L. W. Melton, his character

passed by motion.

Motion carried that it become a Standing Rule to read each year only the following Items of the Pastor's Statistical report: Pastor's calls, Wesleyan Methodist, Wesleyan Missionary, and Wesleyan Youth subscriptions, Present membership, gain, or loss, Average Sunday School attendance, Number of Church buildings, Value and Insurance: Item IV Complete, Total Contributed for church, Item VIII Complete, Total Benevolence, Contributed totals.

Report from Henry B. Aarhus and

Mary A. Robinson,

Motion carried to rescind the action of the morning meeting fixing the time for election of Conference Officers for Wednesday afternoon following roll call.

Motion carried that the time for election of the Conference Officers be set for Wednesday morning following Roll call.

The motion carried that the deficit in the Pension Fund, caused by the dissolving of the Central Church, be paid from the Conference Expense fund.

A verbal report from the Tithing Secretary, Dennis M. Brenner. Adopted by motion.

Motion carried that the 10% Financial plan of the Conference be discussed.
Adjourn to allow the W.M.S. to meet.

July 30, Wednesday, 9:00 A.M.

Glenn Hoerner conducted devotions, reading the Scripture Ephesians 4, then offered prayer.

The Roll was called, the minutes read

approved.

Since a report on the Committee on Itineracy and Orders involves the voting of the moring, a motion carried to recess to allow this committee to meet and prepare a partial report.

Called to order by the Chair.

The Committee on Itineracy and Orders presented a partial report recommending Atwood J. Cool to receive Elders Orders. Adopted.

The election of Conference Officers

was as follows:

President----Henry B. Aarnus Vice.Pres-----William Ward Secretary------Kathleen Kelsven Trustees-- Elder--Henry B. Aarhus,1955 Lay----Dennis M. Brenner,1955

A motion prevailed to proceed by acclamation.

Superannuate Pension Fund Treasurer Glenn Hoerner

Sunday School Secretary A.G. Yates Tithing Secretary Dennis M. Brenner Educational Secretary Atwood J. Cool Secretary Wesleyan Men's Fellowship W.A. Kaufmann

Recess in order to give the Committee on Committees an opportunity to make nominations for Standing Committees.

Wednesday 1:30 P.M.
Prayer offered by Zelda Snyder.
Roll called. Report from Committee on
Committees nominating Standing Committees.
Member of Itineracy and Orders

Atwood J. Cool-- 1956 Vacancies-- Frank Betzer, Henry B. Aarhus, William Ward, Glen Hoerner. Judiciary -- Frank Betzer, Henry B. Aarhus, William Ward, Glenn Hoerner.

Missionary Board--President of Annual Conference and President of W.M.S. by virtue of office, Recommend the Conference Treasurer be a member, Donald H.Cline, William Ward, Paul Lippold, John Ehr.

Apportionment -- Glenn Hoerner, Jaunita

Cissna.

By motion the Committee on Church and Parsonage Location be the same as the Board of Trustee.

As a result of our deliberation we recommend a special Committee be provided to study the function and provinces of the following Standing Committees: President's Advisory Board, Board of Trustee, and the Missionary Board,

Member Superannuate Pension Committee

Dennis M. Brenner-1955.

Commission on Child Evangelism-as provided in Discipline,

Recess to allow the Committee on Committees to complete work.

Called to order by the Chair.
Additional report from the Committee on CommitteesIt was adopted as follows:
Campmeeting Board—Henry B. Aarhus,
Donald H. Cline, William Ward, Arthur T.
Vessey, E.F. West, John Ehr, Alter Hinz,
A.G. Yates Business Manager, W.A.
Kaufmann, Treasurer.

We recommend that Standing Rule No 8

be rescinded.

Motion carried that the Committee on Committees be the Special Committee as called for in their report,

Upon request the Conference President took the Chair, He introduced to the

Conference, the Reverend J.R. Swauger, Home Missionary Secretary, who brought the Den-ominational Address. He spoke of the Publishing House, the arrangement, the work, and urge urged the support of the Pension Plan.

Adjourned by motion.

#### July 31, 9:00 A.M.

Atwood J. Cool conducted devotions he read Colossians 4, then offered prayer.

The roll was called, the minutes were read

and approved.

The Auditing Committee gave a partial

report. (Report No 2)

Additional report from the Committee on Committees adopted as follows: General consent of the Committee is that the three members elected, are sufficient number on Statistical Committee.

Statistical Committee.

Report of Conference Treasure.
(Report No 3) Motion prevailed to give the Treasurer a rising vote of thanks for his excellent services.

Reports from the Superannuate Pension Fund Treasurer (Report No 4) and the Camp-

meeting Treasurer (Report No 5)

Additional report from Committee on Ministerial Character, reports the character of the following passed: Marion Kelsven, J.H. Hinchsliff, Donovan Dahlgren, Vera Willis, Adopted by motion.

Greetings were read from Donovan Dahlgren and Marion Kelsven. Motion carried to instruct the Secretary to reply to these communications.

Verbal report from Donald H. Cline, representative to Local Board of Mamagers of Miltonvale Wesleyan College,

#### Thursday 1:30 P.M.

Prayer was offered by Donald H. Cline. The Conference President called the Conference body to order.

Orders of the Day was a Memorial service for J.M. Willis, Elder in the Conference who want to his reward in June. After congregational singing, William Ward read the Scriptures and offered prayer.

Veda Olson brought a special number in song. The following spoke concerning the deceased: A.G. Yates, W.A. Kaufmann,

Zelda Snyder and Alice Reed.

Committee on Courtesy introduced to the Conference the Reverend E.F. McCarty, of Seattle, Washington, returned Missionary to Africa, He too spoke of the memory of J.M. Willis,

Report of Statistical Committee.
Adopted by motion, (Report no 14)
W. Y. P. S. treasurer read report
Report No 6)

Committee on Courtesy introduced Mrs. Nellie Cook, of Vancouver, Washington, a retired Methodist Minister.

Reports from the following: Frank Wing, A.G. Yates, W.A. Kaufmann, Kathleen Kelsven, Marjory Gjesdal, Atwood J. Cool, Elsie Ward.

Motion carried to instruct the Secrretary to send greetings to Helmer Danielson and to send a letter to the District Superintendent of the Free Methodist Church, Rev. R.T. Fine, to convey the thanks of this body for the use of these Campgrounds.

Elected the President's Advisory Board, Frank Betzer and A.T. Vessey.

Motion carried that we have the Confer-

ence minutes printed.

Motion carried that each Secretary prepare own minutes then turn over to the Conference President who will arrange for printing.

Motion carried that the Conference President instruct the local churches at time of first quarterly meeting the pay period of pastor's salary and duration of Conference year.

Adjourn by motion,

August 1, Friday 9:00 A.M.

A Scripture, Psalm 32 was read by Kathleen Kelsven, followed by prayer by Verna Polits.

Roll was called, the minutes read and

approved.

Committee on Courtesy presented the following: Reverend George Ford, Northwest Regional Director of the National Association of Evangelicals. He presented the work of the N.A.E. Dr. B.H. Pearson of the O'riental Missionary Society. Dr. and Mrs. 'E.F. McCarty of Seattle, Washington, returned missionaries to Africa. Motion carried that the McCarty's be given hondrary seats within the Conference bar.

Reverend Charles Wilson, professor in Miltonvale Wesleyan College, evangelist

for Campmeeting.

Reports from the following given and adopted.

Missionary Board, adopted as amended, Itém 9 be changed to read "Sunday morning" instead of "Sunday Afternoon."

Committe on Resolutions: (Report No 7)
Committee on Pastoral Relations
(Report No 8), Adjourn to meet at 1:00.

#### Friday 1:00 P.M.

Prayer was offered by Atwood J. Cool.

The Rool was called.

The Committee on the study of the duries and province of the President's. Advisory Board. Board of Trustee, and Mastenary Board reported. (Report No9)

An amendment was proposed and carried that Item I be amended by adding the following: The President and His Advisory Board shall be the Board of Controls to take care of all business demanding attention during the interim between Annual Conference sessions and their decision shall be final unless said decision is appealed from; in such a case the final decision shall be rendered by the Annual Conference at its next session.

The Committee on Courtesy introduced

the following:

Donald Jones from the Dakota Conference. Henry B. Aarhus, our Conference Pres who after eleven years of study is to receive the Doctor of Theology Degree from Burton Theological Seminary at Manito Springs, Colorado on August 17,1952, which is to be at the close of the summer term.

Reports from the following were given and adopted.

Sunday School Secretary, Report Bo 10) Apportionment Committee. (Report No

A motion was made and adopted that every Church and Sunday School send a tithe each month of the regular Sunday offerings to the Conference Treasurer to be used on the budget.

The motion was made and adopted that the President and Secretary be instructed to supply copies of the report of the Apportionment Committee for each local church.

Motion carried to adjourn.
Adjourned with prayer by Mrs. Verna Hinchsliff.

Henry B. Aarhus, Pres. Kathleen Kelsven, Sect. Leona Cool, secretary pro tem last meeting. Report No 1. Conference President.

To the members of the Oregon Conference.

Greetings in the Master's Name.

The Conference year is now history, It is with great gratitude to God for His mercy and grace that this report is presented. As we meet for this annual gathering, and I look back over the past year a few veses of Scripture come to mind that we believe fitting to this occasion. The verses are from the Book of Lamentations, chapter 3, verses 22 through 26, "It is of the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not. They are new every morning great is thy faithfulness. The Lord is my portion, saith my soul; therefore will I hope in Him. The Lord is good unto them that wait for him, to the soul that seeketh him. It is good that a man should both hope and quietly wait for the salvation of the Lord." Truly we can say, "Great is thy faithfulness.
This has been a good year. Some gracious

revivals have been held in the various churches, which is always an encouragement, however, we believe more of our churches ought to plan special revival meetings. The hope of our Conference is to keep the

revival fires burning.

Your president has visited each of the churches twice during the year, conducting the first and fourth quarterly meetings, be-

dides other contacts.

October 15th we dedicated our church at Lebanon. In this service I was assisted by Frank Betzer, J.H. Hinchsliff, Donald H. Cline and the pastor, Frank Wing. During the year we transferred Clarence

E. Mills to the Oklahoma Conference.

During the year I received from the President of the Kansas Conference, the transfer of W.A. Kaufmann, an Elder in good standing.

In April I attended the Miltonvale

Area Ministerial Institute at

Miltonvale, Kansas.

In May I attended the Conference President's Leaders Conference at

Miltonvale, Kansas.

The President and his Advisory Board appointed the Reverend Atwood J. Cool pastor of the Emmanuel Church, to fill the unexpired term of Rev. E. M. Peabody

who resigned.

The action of the Conference last year placed the Central Church in the hands of the Conference President and his advisory Board. A number of meetings were held to determine the course to follow. After lengthy deliberations and much prayer the Advisory Board recommended to the Conference Board of Trustee at a meeting held Oct. 18,1951, the disbanding and sale of the Church.

This body voted to accept the report of the President and his Advisory Board. For various reasons any further action regarding the sale of the church was dropped until in May when an attempt to sell was made. A number of prospects have been received, but as yet no further

action has been considered.

Since the middle of December the First Free Methodist Church in Portland has been renting the church for \$40.00 per month.

All of the remaining members of Central Church were granted letters of standing.

Henry B. Aarhus

Report No 2. Committee on Auditing

We, the auditing committee, have examined the books of the Conference Treasurer, the Superannuate Minister's Fund treasurer and the Young People's treasurer and found them to be correct.

Elsie Ward. Agnes Wakefield

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Report No 3.Oregon Conf July 26.195		easurer
Conference Work: Bal.7/26/51		680,23
Cash Rec'd-Churches Cash Rec'd-W.M.S.	1,130,62	
Cash Rec'd-W.Y.P.S. Cash Rec&d-Misc	25.00 75.91	
Cash Rec'd-lumber sold at Holgate	300,00	
Cash Recid-Rent Central		2 7FF (7
Total Cash Rec'd	•	1,755.63 2,435.86
Disbursements Conf.PresSalary	750.00	
Spec Travel Expto Connectional mtg	60.00	•
Con. Minutes printing Insurance Central Ch.	170.50 79.40	
Advertising Miltonvale Miscellaneous	Gm 25.00	
Total Dispursements Bal.7/26/52	19.99	1,104.89
Conference Extension:		<b>-,</b> 7,000,7
Bal 7/25/51		45.68
Cash Reciderchurches Holgate-Sunday school	1,133,97 328,46	
Salem Spec offering		•

Non-Budget

Bethel Meth Church \$50.00 Rec'd from Indv for Holgate 185.00 Holgate mcney in trust200.00 J.R. Swauger-ST. John's 250.00 J.R. Swauger-Aumsville 300.00 Total cash rec'd	3,219,97 3,174,29
Disbursements: Salaries-Holgate 732.50 Construction-Holgate 1267.52 Int.Betzer-note 54.00 Salaries-Lebanon 420.00 Specified Gift-Aums 300.00' Specified Gift-St.J. 250.00 Principle-Betzer-note 300.00 Total Disbursement Bal.7/26/52	3,324.02 149.73
Co-Ord Plan Administration Bal 7/25/51 Cash Rec'd	53.10 80.35
Disbursement by check Bal. 7/26/52	133.45
General Conference Delegate Fr Bal. 7/26/51/ Cash Received Disbursements by check	1.45 30.10 31.55 31.55
Dal 7/26/52/ Orphanage Bal 7/26/51/ Cash Rec d 15.68	20.65
Receipts Rec'd 45,29 Tetal cash & receipts	60.97

Disbursements by check Receipts In and Out Total disbursements Bal 7/26/52	\$36.33 45,29	\$81.62 -00-
Education: Nal7/25/51 Cash Received Receipts received	167,38 298,57	113,61
Total cash and receipts		.579•56
Disbursements by check Receipts In and Out Total disbursements	280.99 248.57	579•56
Ba17/26/52		<b>=00−</b>
Home missions: Bal.7/25/51. Cash received Receipts rec'd Total cash and receipts	75.18 -700.77	116 <b>.</b> 21 775 <b>.</b> 95
Disbursements by check Receipts In and Out Total disbursements	191 <b>.3</b> 9 700 <b>.</b> 77	892.16
Bal 7/26/52		-00-
Foreign Missions: Bal.7/25/51 Receipts receited		34.00 867.37
Disbursements by check Receipts In and Out Total disbursements	34.00 867.37	901.37
Bal.7/26/52		-00-

25. Denominational Sunday School;	å
Bal.7/25/51 Cash received	\$7.35
Total cash and R Disbursements by check75,45	83,50 90.85
Receipts In& Out 5.40 Total disbursements	90.85
-Bal,7/26/52	00
Australia: Bal,7/25/51 Cash Rec'd 46.68	<b>~</b> 00~
Total cash & receipts 9.75	56.43
Disbursementsby ck 46.68 Receipts In and Out 9.75 Total disbursements	- 56.43
Bal.7/26/52	-00-
Summary of funds and reconcil of cash in Bank as of 7/26/52	
Conference Work Fund1, 3 Conference Ext. Fund 1 Total cash per funds1, 1	330,97 .49,73 .81,24
Plus deposits in transit through 7/26/52	
as of 7/26/521,0 Total cash in Bank1,1	
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Dennis M. Brenner

Report No 4. Superannuate Minist	er's Fund
Receipts: Balance on hand 7/26/5/ Total rec( on budget 1% Salary assessments Total	\$182,96 312,50
Disbursements:	:
Budget in full	307,50 13,72 321,22 187,96
Glenn Hoerner, Treasur	er.
Report No 5. Campmeeting Treasu	rer
Receipts: Cash on hand 7/27/51 Cash rec'd 7/26/52 Total cash	989,44 1181,22 2170.66
Disbursements: General expense Dining Hall Cabins Tents Utilities Rooms	178,00
Rooms	46.00
Rooms	

E.M. Peabody, Treasurer.

#### Report No 6. W.Y.P.S.Treasurer

Receipts: Bal.7/23/52 Cash received Total receipts	\$115.71 284. 82 400.53
Disbursements:  Home Missions Foreign Missions Area Expense Education World Crusade Connectional Dues Periodicals Printing Minutes Stamps Youth Speaker '51 Newspaper Material Stationary	20.19 31.86 7.80 89.80 4.00 63.90 11.25 25.00 25.00 10.00 25.75
Total Disbursements	315.14 85.39

Marjory Gjesdal.

Report No 7, Committee on Resolutions

We, your Committee on Resolutions, wish to submit the following:

We resolve:

- 1. That we as a Conference more earnestly seek and live holiness of heart and life as a definite experience realizing that our lives are expected to be an example of Lord Jesus Christ.
- 2. That we study and adhere to the Wesleyan Discipling giving special attention to the Scripturally founded

Articles of Religion as well as the General and Special rules.

J. Due to the perilous times and conscious of the vital need of evangelism in the light of the present world crisis that we give the more earnest heed to centering our thoughts in Bible Study and "Diligent teaching" of the Word of God to our childeren as taught in Deuteronomy 6:7

4. That we as a Conference, both pastors and laity, give ourselves daily to personal private prayer as well as to building strong family altars, seeking to tread the old paths of our Spirit filled Church Fathers.

E. That we as a Conference and as individuals take an active position in all civil interests which are beneficial to us as a nation and as members of the Body of Christ, especially when they pertain to such items as a consolidating of church and state or when they encrouch upon the domestic and moral rights of humanity; when it is expecient we will as individuals express our sentiments to our governmental authorities.

6. That we individually shall writ upon the Lord until we have a burning realization of the need of personal evangelism in reaching the lost found in every "streat and lane (ally) of our orn communities as admonished in Luke 14:21-23. Let us "cry out" against sin for the evident Second Coming of our Lord draweth nigh.

Zelda Snyder W.A. Kaufmann Alice Read Atwood J. Gool

Committee

Report No 8, <u>Pasteral Relations</u>
Aumsville - ---------------Clean Hoerner Central ------Dispanced Crawfordsville -- In hands of Con, President X Emmanuel ------Atwood J. Cool Holgate ----- Donald and Marjory Jones Lebanon ----- C. W. Calhoon, Supply Salemann - W. A. Kaufmann Seattle-----A.G. Yates St.John's-----William Ward Vancouver------Henry B, Aarhus L Assistant, Pouglas Bachelor Presa Emeritus ---- Frank Betzer Pres of Conference----Henry B. Aarhus Superannuated ------J.H. Hinchsliff Vera K. Willis dissionary on Furlough Harion L. Kelsven Chaplain In U.S. Army-Glenn D. Lauby City Missionary ----- Mary A. Robinson Conference Evangelists Frank Wing E.M. Peabody Kathleen Kolsven Field man Houghton College -- L. W. Melton Unstationed Elder------Helmer Danielson Leave of absence to attend school-----Donovan Dahlgren

#### Report no 9. Special Committee

The committee on the study of the duties and province of the President's Advisory Board, Board of Trustee, and the Missionary Board, wish to submit the following recommendation:

After much deliberation it seems advise able to dispense with the drafting of a standing rule and by common consent understand that in general

1. The duties and province of the Presidents in the area of personal.

Amendment— The President and his Advisory Board shall be the Board of controls to take care of all business demanding attent ion during the interim between Annual Conference Sessions and their decisions shall be final unless said decision is appealed from: in such a case the final decision shall be rendered by the Annual Conference at its next session.

II. The province of the Board of Trusttee be the area of Church and parsonage property and building.

III, The Missbonary Board's province to be in the area of Missionary and Conference projects.

1. Allocation of funds for Mission

projects and salaries.

2. Recommendations as to specifications of Mission buildings and advisability of construction.

#### Report No 10.Sunday School Secretary

No of scholars in Cradle Roll-108 Average attendance	No of Sunday Schools10
No in Home Department———————————————————————————————————	Whole No of Officers37
No in Home Department  No of scholars in Cradle Roll-108  Average attendance  No in Main school  Total No in Sunday school  No Scholars converted  No Scholars joining church  Ko departmental Supt  No in Teacher's training  No crganized elasses	Whole No of Teachers-61
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Enrollment in D.V.B.S.	Enrollment in D.V.B.S326

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Attendance on Rally Day600
Thanksgiving offering132,82
No. Books in Library 229
Efficiency Standard:
Efficiency Standard: No. of schools reporting 0
Wesleyan Lesson helps.
Sunday school banner 273
Junior class nanor 193
Junior class paper 193 Children's Friend 197
Teacer's quarterly 81
Home Dept Quarterly 13
Conton Charterly
Senior Quarterly 214 Intermediate Quarterly 60
Junior Quarterly 86 Primary Quarterly 38
Junior Quarterly
Primary Quarterly 38 Our little folks cards 137
Our little folks cards
Bible lesson Chart
Financial Statement:
Financial Statement: Sunday school expense2,461.98
LOTEIGH WISSIONS
Home. Missions 181,27
For Connectional S.S 92.20
Other Benevolence102.69
Report No 11, Missionary Board
We wish to recommend the following:
1. That the Conference Presidents
Salary be 3750.00 2. That we pay 375.00 per month to the
2. That we pay \$75.00 per month to the
Holgate pastors,
3. That \$500.00 be set aside for an
emergency fund.
4. That \$400.00 be appropriated for the
building at Holgate.
5. That we help the W.Y.P.S. if they
need financial assistance in the pub-
lishing of the conference paper,
6. That the Conference Treasurer be
authorized to transfer funds to the Con-
ference Extafund from the Conference

work funds or vice versa if the need arises. 7. That we give Brother Wing \$100.00 as a token of appreciation for his work at Lebanon.

8. That the Tithe plan pay one-fourth of item three and all of items 5,6,7,9.10, all surplus to be divided equally between Conference Work and Conference Ext.funds.
9. That an offering of cash and pledges be taken Sunday Afternoon for Church Extension.

#### Report No 12, Committee on Thanks

"O Give thanks unto the Lord for He is good, for His meroy endureth forever." Enter into His gates with thanksgiving and into His courts with praise."

We truly thank God for the privilege of again meeting in the Annual conference and campmeeting and for the presence of the Blessed Holy Spirit in all the services of the Conference.

We are thankful that J.R. Swauger is again with us as our Denominational represent ative and for his spirit in conducting the Conference business.

We are grateful to our Conference President for his untiring labors through the year and for the blessing that he has been to all of us.

We are grateful for the kind spirit of our kitchen and dining hall workers and for the splended meals that are being served.

We are thankful to our Camp manager and those that are working with him in supplying the material needs.

We are grateful to all who have brought us messages in song to encourage us.

We thank God for this Campground and for

the fine accomodations.

We truly thank the Lord for the safe arrival home of our missionary, Marion L. Kelsven, and for her good spirit.

#### Agnes Wakefield.

Minutes of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Wesleyan Methodist Churcha

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	Conference Roll:
•	Sessions Attended
Mrs.	Helen Aarhus
Mrs.	Eva Anderson 7:
Mrso	Gladys Bass
Mrs.	Helen Bench
Mrs.	Jaunita Cissna
Mrs	Jennie Cline
	Winnetta Cline
Mrs.	Eunice Dahlgren
Mrs,	Elodie Downer
	Hazel Edwards
Mrs.	Ione Feurhelm 7
Wrne	Mortha Gjesdal
Mrs.	Verna Hinchsliff
$M_T s_c$	Freida Hoerner

Mrs.	Amanda Hinz8
Mrs.	Marie Kautz
Mrs.	Ruth Kaufmann
Mrs.	Virginia McBride3
Mrs.	Veda Olson
Mrs.	Hazel Overby9
Mrs.	Edith Peabody0
Mrs.	Eileen Peabody7
Mrs.	Ethel Pilgrim
Mrs.	Verna Polits
Mrs.	Mary Pomeroy9
Mrs.	Frances Rawlins1
Mrs.	Donna Scott2
Mrs,	Lillian Stone9
Mrs.	Carrie Taylor
Miss	Agnes Wakefield6
Mrs.	Elsie Ward
Mrs.	Ruth Wing0

#### Journal of Daily Proceedings

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Oregon Conference convened on the Free Methodist campground July 28, at 3:15 p.m with the president Helen Aarhus presiding.

We were led in group singing by Ruth Kaufmann. The hymn "The last mile of the Way." the chorus "Faith Mighty Faith" and Make me an Intercessor Lord as the prayer Chorus.

Devotions were led by Carrie Taylor reading from Ephesians 1:15-23 and using the theme, "So send I you" as suggested by our president for this Conference.

The Roll was called with twelve presidents and society members present.

A motion by Jennie Cline was supported that Mary Pomeroy be elected on the Committee on Oredentials. The motion supported that we accept the partial report of the Committee on Credentials,

The roll of delegates was called with

eleven responding.

A motion by Helen Bench was passed that we set the first five seats as the Conference bar.

A motion by Jennie Cline was approved that Veda Roe Olson be seated as delegate from the Seattle society.

Report of the President read and accepted by motion (Report No 1)

A motion by Jennie Cline was supported that Gladys Bass be elected the Committee on Courtesy.

The Committee on Courtesy introduced Dorothy Blacketer, Leona Cool, Jaunita Cissna, Lucy White, May Calhoon, and Martha Gjesdal. Each gave a word of testimony.

A letter of greeting was read from the Connectional president, Ruby Reisdorph and a note of appreciation from Vera Willis.

A motion by Helen Bench was supported that we have a nominating committee.

A motion by Jaunita Cissna was approved that the nominating committee consist of five members.

A motion by Agnes Wakefield passed that Helen Aarhus be the first member of the nominating committee.

A motion by Hazel Overby that Veda Olson.

be the second member.

A motion by Freida Hoerner that Jennie Cline be the third member.

A motion by Jennie Cline that Elsie Ward be the fourth member.

A motion by Jaunita Cissna that Eva Anderson be the fift and last member. Aljourned by motion,

## Wednesday 8:20 A.M.

Group singing led by Ruth Kaufmann. Scripture verses were given by several of the ladies.

Martha Gjesdal, Ione Feurhelm, and

Veda Olson led in prayer.

Committee on Credentials gave a partial report and was adopted by motion.

Courtesy Committee introduced Donna Scott and Eileen Peabody, both gave their testimony,

Report of the Nominating Committee was

read by Veda Olson,

A motion by Helen Bench was supported to accept the report of the Nominating Committee.

A motion by Agnes Wakefield was approved that the Executive Body be a standing Committee and constitute the Orders of the Day committee.

A motion by Gladys Bass was supported that we change the Moral reform Committe to read

38.

Resolutions Committee. Adjourned by Motion,

Wednesday 3:15, P.M.

Meeting opened with group singing led by Ruth Kaufmann.

Devotions were led by Veda Olson and prayers by Agnes Wakefield and Jaunita Cissna.

Roll was called with twenty-four members responding by giving the name of their prayer partners. Minutes were approved.

By error, Alice Reed's name was placed on the Plan of Work Committee; this was referred

back to the Nominating Committee.

The Committee on Courtesy introduced Mrs. Howard Williams who spoke a few words of testimony. Dr. J.R. Swauger, Home Mission Secretary, was presented to the body as the Denominational Representative. Dr. Swauger spoke to us on Home Missions giving a very vivid picture of the work over theDenomination. He urged us to remember Conference extension in our own Conference that Home Missions migh be enlarged, thus promoting the Foreign program as well.

A motion by Hazel Overby was supported that the election of officers be immediately after roll call following the afternoon

Conference session.

A most interesting biography of the Missionary T.C. Studd was given by Freida Hoerner and thoroughly enjoyed by all the ladies.

# Thursday 8:25 A.M.

After a good song service the ladies engaged in a season of prayer,

Partial report.

A motion by Elsie Ward was supported to accept the report of the Committee on Credentials.

Orders of the Day called for the election

of officers.

A motion by Jennie Cline was approved that the first ballot be the electoral ballots

The following officers were elected: 

receiving 18 votes of 22 ballots Oorresponding SecretaryMrs. Frances Ravian receiving 16 vites of 22 ballots.

receiving 15 votes of 22 ballets Solicitor ---- Mrs. Leona Cool

receiving 12 votes of 22 ballots

Gleanersreceiving 18 votes of 21 ballets.

A motion by Amanda Hinz was supported that the remaining officers be elected by acclamation.

Prayer Secretary --- -- Mrs. Jennie 614ne Mission Study Sec't - Miss Hazel Edwards Prayer Partner Sec't-Mrs. Freida Hoerner The finance Committee report was reads

A motion by Amenda Hinz was passed to accept the report of the Committee en

Finance. (Report No 5)

A loose offering of \$12.12 was taken to apply on the rentrof the Missionary tabernacle. Also a love offering of \$37.00 was given to Mrs. Margaret McCarty who spoke to us so ably of the work in Africa

Adjourned by motion.

Public Missionary Service, Thursday 7:45 P.M.

A Public missionary service was held in the large tabernacle with Mrs. Helen Aarhus presiding. Mrs. Leona Cool led the Congtegation in singing "Where He leads I'LL follow" the chorus "There's nothing too hard for thee" and "If Jesus goes with me I'll go."

The Rev. E.F. McCarty led in prayer.
Mrs. Alice Calhoon sang, "He tenderly

looked at me,"

Greetings were read from our own Missionary, Marion Kelsven who is on furlough from South America, but unable to attend the services because of ill health,

A duet was rendered by Freida Hoerner

and Ruth Kaufmann.

Mrs. Margaret McCarty was introduced as the speaker of the evening, and after bringing greetings from the African people to the Oregon Conference she read from the 53rd chapter of Isaiah, verses 5 through 10 and Acts 1:8. Through the McCarty's recent trip to Africa she was able to picture the needs so vividly, also the progress made which was indeed an encouragement and a strengthening of our faith, thus stirring us to a more definite prayer for missions. "We are to be His witnesses, "He expects us to pray, "He expects us to Give, and He expects us to Go."

Offering and pledges amounted to \$1,137,07.

Dr. J.R. Swauger played the piano offertory and dismissed the congregation with prayer.

# 42. Friday 8:25 A.M.

The chorus "Contend for the Faith" was sung in the opening of the morning session after which Hazel Overby led in Prayer.

Roll was called with twenty-one members

responding. Minutes were approved.

The Courtesy Committee presented Mrs. Margaret McCarty who spoke of the woman's work in Africa.

Report of the Northern District Organizer was read and by motion accepted. Report No 6.

Veda Olson was elected by motion as the

Northern District Organizer.

By motion Ruth Kaufmann was elected as the Southern District Organizer.

Report of the Prayer Secretary was given and by motion accepted. (Report No 7)

Report of the Resolutions Committee was read and accepted by motion (Report No 8)

The treasurers report was read and a motion by Freida Hoerner supported that the report be referred to the Auditing Committee, (Report No 9)

Adjourned by motion,

### Friday 4:00 P.M.

The 91st Psalm was read by Leona Cool and Mrs. Wilson led in prayer.

The Committee on Courtesy presented Mrs. Charles Wilson who spoke words of greeting

and gave her testimony,
Statistical reports were read from Salem Oircle 2, Salem Circle 1, Aumsville, Seattle, St. John's, Vancouver, Gleaners,

Russellville, Lebanon and Emmanuel

societies.

Committee on Thanks report was read and by

motion accepted (Report No 10)

Report of the Y.M.W.B. Sur't read and accepted by motion, with financial atatement referred to the Finance Committee. (Report No 11)

Ethel Pilgrim, the Y.M.W.B. Sup't presented 100% awards to the St. John's

and Emmanuel societies.

Report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by motion. (Report No 12)

The resignation of Ruth Kaufmann as Y.M.W.B. Sup't was read and a motion by Amanda Hinz was supported to accept the resignation

resignation

Mrs. Margaret McCarty was again welcomed in our midst as she spoke to us and presented some helpful suggestions as to promoting the work and bringing cheer to those in hospitals and convalescent homes.

Adjourned by motion.

# Saturday 9:20 A.M.

Devotions were led by Elsie Ward. Some prayer requests were given for Africa by Mrs. McCarty and Mrs. Vera Willis offered prayer.

Roll was called and fifteen members responded by giving the name of their

home missions prayer partner.

Agnes Wakefield was elected treasurer by ballot, receiving twelve of the fifteen votes cast,

Veda Olson was elected Sup&t of the Y.M.W.B.

A motion by Helen Bench was supported that we elect a committee to care for

for the camp bedding and supplies.

A motion by Gladys Bass was approved that Eileen Peabody be the first member.

A motion by Hazel Overby was passed that Eva Anderson be the second member.

A motion by Agnes Wakefield was supported that Virginia McBride be the third and last member.

The Post Office Committee report was read

and by motion adopted.

The Courtesy Committee presented Dr. E.F. McCarty who spoke to us of his burden and concern for missions and relating some of their recent experiences in Africa, how the Lord had so wondefully answered prayer in their behalf.

The magazine Committee gave their report

and was accepted by motion,

The report of the Mission Study Secretary was read and adopted by motion. (Report No13)

The Plan of Work Committee report was read and by motion accepted.

Veda Olson gave a word summary of the posters from the different societies, each having its own spiritual message and a challenge to a greater concern for missions.

Mrs. Aarhus skpoe of her appreciation of each and every lady who had been in the meetings and who had contributed to the success of this 1952 session; also urged each one to work and pray for the work with a new zeal that much might be accomplished throughout this coming year for His Glory. Adjourned by motion.

Lillian Stone, Secretary,

The Lord has allowed us to meet together in this another session of the WoMoSo, We trust it shall be a time when much prayer shall be offered in behalf of our Missionary interests. We would that God shall so permeate each heart with His Divine love that from this time forth, our vision shall not be impaired, our hearing shall be sharpened more keenly, our understanding shall be clarified and we shall realize the full meaning of Romans 1:14 16-"I am Debtor-I am ready."

If each member of our W.M.S. should have this same kind of attitude that the Apostle Paul had, how much more easily and quickly the task of missions could be accomplished.

Official acts:

In working with the District Chairman we were able to schedule a short itineracy for the Witthuns, during the last week in January.

Mrs. Hazel Overby was appointed Statistical Chairman by action of the Executive Board.

There have been 45 letters and postal cards written in the interest of the Missionary work.

"The clock of life is wound but once And no man has the power To tell just when the hands will stop At late or early hour. Now is the only time you own; Work, pray, give with a will; Place not faith in tomorrow—for The clock may then be still."

Mrs. Helen Aarhus.

# Report No 2. Prayer Partner Secretary

No of	Prayer Partner circles9 Prayer Partners
MO 07	112,461 121,011018
Total	No of Missionaries chosen
	Home 73
	Foreign 86
No of	Y.M.W.B. prayer partners—6
•	Hazel Edwards.

# Report No 3. Southern District Organizer

Last year at the close of Camp, arrangements were made with Rev and Mrs. Carter, returned missionaries to Africa, to speak to each church group of the Southern District and to a combined meeting of Aumsville and Salem. Rev. Carter brought a soulstirring missionary message at that time.

In January letters were sent to each local president concerning a rally which was held at Salem with Mr. and Mrs. Witthun, returned missionaries to Haiti. A delegation attended from the Aumsville and Lebanon churches, The evening meal was served in the parsonage basement by the local societies.

We were priviledged to have Mrs. Aarhus attend part of the relly. Sacred and lasting impressions were stamped on our minds by Mrs. Withun concerning the need of faithful

prayer partners.

We humbly thank God for His help and Divine leading thru this year and may we as burden-bearers meet the challenge of the vest scope of Missionary activity in the coming year.

Ruth Kaufmann,

Report No 14, Committee on Finance, We the committee on Finance recommend the following to be paid:

Pledges made at the public missionary service be divided as follows:
One-third to South America
One third to Connectional Home
One third to Conference Extension

Lillian Stone, Secretary.
Report No 5. Northern District Organizer

We are grateful for the privilege which has been ours this year of doing a few of the small things to help advance the work of the Lord.

We were invited to hold one election and presided at two public missionary meetings. At the Russellville Church, Rev. and Mrs. Charles Carter challenged us anew with the responsibility of getting the gospel to needy hearts and at the Emmanuel Church Rev. and Mrs. Witthun told us of conditions and need in their adopted land Haiti.

Winnetta Cline.

Report No 6. Prayer Secretary.

Dear Sister of the Oregon Conference. We do thank our Heavenly Father again for the answered prayers and victories won through Jesus blood during this year.

We thank you also for your earnestness in intercessory prayer, may God bless you each one.

"Of the times and seasons, dear ones, Ye have no need that I write unto you." "For yourselves know perfectly well that the day of the Lord so cometh as a theef in the night." I Thes. 5:1-2.

Yow are aware that we are living in those perilous times of which Paul warned us. II Timothy 3. Also, that the fields are ripe unto harvest, therefore, I again exhort you as colaborers with Him, Let us not sleep as others, but let us watch and be sober, remembering, "Men ought always to pray and not to faint." "To pray without ceasing"— Praying with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching therefore with all perserverance and supplication for all saints.

And much more as we see the day approach-

Jennie Cline.

Report No 7. Resolutions Committee.

"Lord, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? Who shall dwell in thy Holy Hill? He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness and speaketh the truth in his heart. He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbor, nor taketh up a teproach against his neighbor. Psa. 15:1-3.

"Likewise ye wives— whose adorning let it not be that outward adorning of plaiting the hair, and of wearing of gold, or of putting on of apparel, but let it be the hidden man of the heart, in that which is not corruptible, even the ornament of a meek and quiet spirit, which is in the sight of God of great price." I Peter 3:1-4 Inasmuch as these words were given to us

through the Holy Scriptures let us as missionary woman be resolved:

To maintain a femily altar in each home.
To instruct and nurture our children in
Godliness and holy living.

To remember the Sabbath day and to keep

it Holy.

To provide wholesome literature for children as well as adults, thereby promoting clean ideals and cultivating the mind.

To guide our children carefully in their selection of associates and places of recreation.

To dress as becometh holiness.

To speak in charity of our neighbor and brethern, remembering the admonition of the Scriptures, "Speak not evil one of another." James 4:11.

To keep our conversation free from by words and those expressions which are not in keeping with holiness.

To be diligent in witnessing for Christ.
Ruth Kaufmann

Freida Hoerner.

# Report No S. Treasurer's Report.

Bal on hand 7 Receipts from		\$270.48 2260.50 2530.98
Disbursements:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	

# Offering to Gowan's 90.85 Paid on Conference minutes 20.00 President's expense 9.62 Gleaners President's Exp. 4.53 Offering to Leo Cox 63.00 Paid to Alice Boyd 12.70

Offering to Witthuns Carlsbad Mission Rent on Miswonary Tabernacle Memorial to Rev. J.M. Willis Prayer and Fast offering Gen. Evangelistic Missionary Tour- Holgate Project Offering to Hephzibah	3.00 16.00 5.00 421.98 45.00 220.81 3.00
Australia	_
Conference Home Missions—————————————————————————————————	2 <b>.</b> 00 75
Gen. Conference Home Missions	
South America	527047
Membership Dues	
Gen. Administrative Fund	
Education	
Medical Student	33.00
Hephzibah Orphanage	67.14
Foreign Missions	32.14
Brainard Indian School	
Total	
Bal on hand7/28/52	77.97
Grand Total-	2630÷88
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Agnes Wakefield, Treas.

### Report No 9. Thanks Committee.

"Enter into His gates with Thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise; be thankful unti Him, and bless His name, For the Lord is good." Psalm 100:4-5

We thank God for a land still uncontroled by Communism, where we may serve Him

in truth and liberty.

We thank God for His manifest presence in our midst; for our president, Sister Aarhus, her diligence, and godly admonitions; for the labours of the official committee, the local officers, and each burden-bearer on the field and at home.

We thank God for the careful and stirring ministry of our Denominational representative, Dr. J.R. Swauger, likewise, of Rev. Aarhus our Conference President, Rev. Charles Wilson, and Dr. and Mrs. McCarty, and the presence in spirit of our dear Sister Marion Kelsven.

We tahnk God for the new faces and the new members on our Woman's Missionary

Society.

We thank God for the efficient, and willing service of the kitchen and dining hall workers, even in the least task.

We thank God for the presence and efforts of all, who combined to make a blessed and profitable conference.

We thank God for the presence of His precious Holy Spirit, to work in every needful way.

Veda Olson.

## Report No 10. Y.M.W.B.

"Train up a child in the way he sould go and when he is old he will not depart from it." Proverbs 22:6

Cash on hand\$ .37
Cash rec'd from societies 445.87
Foreign Missions259.70
Home Missions 37.48
Education 90.53
Jubilee offering 53.31
Desk Fund————————————————————————————————————
Total446.24

Money orders fees and p Paper and envelopes——— Phone calls———————————————————————————————————	<u> </u>
	Total 445.00 Baleon hand. 1.24
Active members 2	40
Total3	

No receipts sent out 27 Conference reports to SR. Shea 4 Local yearly reports rec'd 6 Number letters written 8 Number 100% bands 2

Ethel Pilgrim, Supt.

Report No 11. Auditing.

The treasurer's books of the W.M.S. and the Y.M.W.B. have been audited and found correct.

Jennie Cline, Helen Bench.

Report No 12. Plan of Work.

We recommend that each local society:

1. Observe Harvest Home Day with program and contributions of cash and supplies—cash to apply on educational budget.
2. Observe "Men and Missions" in November providing there is no Wesleyan Men's Fellowship. Program to be sponsered by the men, offering to be sent through the Church treasurer to the Foreign department.
3. Join churches or other Holiness groups in observing the World Day of Prayer.

4.(a) Urge all members to visit the sick and make calls, the same to be reported to the local president at each monthly meeting.

(b) Report all new unchurched contacts, or those needing a pastoral call to the

pastor.

5. Hold one monthly prayer meeting as arranged by the president and pastor. 6. Elect a solicitor for the Wesleyan Missionary, striving to gain five new subscriptions this year.

7. Contribute five dollars or more to Hephizbah Orphanage, the same to apply on

budget.

g. Take an offering of three dollars for Medical Missions, the same not to apply on budget.

9. Give a liberal offering for Denominational Home Missions, the same to apply on

budget.

10. Send letters to Viola Gjesdal at Brainard Indian School.

11. Insist on each member writing to their

prayer partner often.

12. Use the program calendars, study book, missionary magazine and other helps to make an interesting monthly program for your meeting.

13. Read the Plan of Work and Efficiency Standard at least three times a year in

the monthly meetings.

14. All officers, committees and delegates be elected before the Annual Conference convenes.

15. Be responsible for all camp supplies and produce, the same listed as items of interest on yearly report blank.

16. Collect remnants, cut quilt blocks, make bandages etc., forwarding same to the Missionary Home, Bergen Ave, Jersey City, New Jersey. Number of pounds with no value attached, as items of interest on yearly report.

17. Measure up to Standard Efficiency in our societies, putting the grade on

the report.

18. That dues of one dollar per member be sent quarterly directly to the Conference Treasurer, fifty cents of which shall be disignated as Denominational Home Missions and to apply on budget, all monies and vouchers be sent to the Conference Treasurer quarterly. 19. That each local society pay annually an amount equal to twenty five cents per member to be used as a general administrative fund, not to apply on budget. (For W. M. S. General President's salary and emergency needs.)

20. That each District Chairman supervise, under the direction of Conference president, one district convention and all join in at least one joint conven-

tion during the year.

21. That the President with the Secretary, Treasurer, and the first delegate make out the yearly report.

22. Send to the W.M.S. Conference

treasurer quarterly their "Prayer and Fast" offering for Conference Extension to be used for the Holgate Work. the same not to apply on budget.

Helen Aarhus, Hazel Overby Elsie Ward Martha Gjesdal

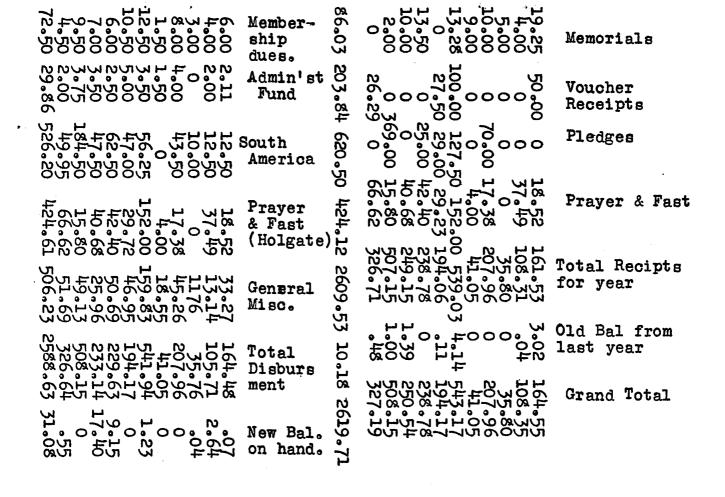
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