

OREGON CONFERENCE MINUTES



SEVENTY-THIRD ANNUAL SESSION
of
OREGON CONFERENCE OF WESLEYAN
METHODIST CHURCH OF AMERICA

1966

STANDING RULES

1. The clerk of each local society is to place the deed of the local church property in the hands of the Conference Pres., who is custodian of the deed and who is empowered to rent a safety deposit space for the preservation of deeds, and other valuable papers. The Conference shall pay for rent on space.
2. The Pres. and Advisory Bd. are designated a deed examining committee. Deeds for churches, parsonages, or other Conf. property are to be submitted to them for examination before recorded, to make such property secure to the Conference.
3. The local church fiscal year shall end June 30th. Pastors shall report membership as of this date. All conf. treasurer's books shall be closed July 10th. The pastoral year shall end with the closing of Camp Meeting.
4. Near the end of the fiscal year the Conference Sec. shall forward one copy of each pastor's statistical blank to the Conf. Treasurer, who after closing his books will fill in Item No. IX "Disb. for Budget," forwarding the same to each pastor. The pastor shall complete the report in full, make a second copy and be ready to read it the first day of Conf. The pastor shall forward his statistical report to the statistical comm. chairman at least 10 days prior to the convening of Conference.
5. Pastors are required to rpt. number of calls at time of reading their rpts.
6. The following items of the Pastor's statistical rpt. shall be read each year on the Conf. floor: Pastor's calls; Wes. Meth.; Wes. Miss; Wes. Youth subscriptions; present membership; gain or loss; Ave. S. S. attendance; number Church bldgs.; Value & Insurance; Item VII Complete; Total Contributed for Church; Item IX Complete; Total Benev.; and Contributed totals.
7. Each local church is responsible for paying the moving expense of the pastor whom they have called.
8. The Conference Secretary and Conference & Conference Treasurer shall each be paid (\$10) annually from the Conference Treasury.
9. No Treasurer is allowed to pay out funds without proper authorization.
10. The Standing Rules of the Conf. are to be included in the Journal.
11. The Camp Meeting Board shall consist of seven members; the President of the Annual Conf., W.M.S. Pres., W.Y. Pres., and Camp Mtg. Treasurer, who will be members by virtue of their offices; and that the other members be elected from the floor after the election of Conference Officers.
12. The Conference W. Y. President and the Conference Treasurer, the Conference W.M.S. President will be members of the Conference Board of Church Extension and Evangelism, by virtue of their offices.
13. The pastor of each charge shall send to the Conference President written notice of the names of each delegate-elect from his church, said notice be sent immediately following the official election of said delegate or delegates.
14. All who are taking the Course of Study shall acquaint themselves with the requirements thereof, and the Conference officials and all pastors shall keep these regulations in mind in helping their young people plan this important preparation for service.
15. The bar of the Conference shall consist of the first four rows of seats in the tabernacle and the platform.
16. There shall be a Nominating Comm. whose duties shall be to present nominations for all the regular session committees of the Conference. This comm. shall consist of the Conf. Pres. as chair, and three Elders elected annually by the conf. The Conf. shall each year designate two churches whose delegates shall also be part of the comm. Said comm. shall meet prior to the opening of each annual Conf. at a time and place designated by Pres. It shall nominate session committees and may serve to nominate special committees as the Conference may request.

Minutes
of the
SEVENTY – THIRD OREGON ANNUAL CONFERENCE
including
(Women's Missionary Society)
(Wesleyan Youth)
of the
WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH OF AMERICA
held at
AURORA, OREGON
August 1 – 5, 1966

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Conference Journal Prepared and edited by Committee:
David L. Gowan, Conf. Secretary
Ira C. Gross, Conf. Vice President
C. Wesley Lovin, Conf. President

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Secretary	Magdalene Brenner 412 Rural Ave. S. Ph. 362-7916 Salem, Oregon
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PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS

AUMSVILLE	Gordon L. Bennett
EMMANUEL	Lorin P. Miller
RUSSELLVILLE	Donald H. Cline
SALEM	Douglas O. Bacheller
SEATTLE	Herman A. Smith
ST. JOHNS	Ira C. Gross
VANCOUVER	Marvin Johnson
PIONEER WORK	Lester Bennett

LOCATION OF CHURCHES

AUMSVILLE	111 E. Main Aumsville, Oregon
EMMANUEL	S. E. 89th at Division Portland, Oregon
RUSSELLVILLE	N. E. 96th at Glisan Portland, Oregon
SALEM	410 19th S. E. Salem, Oregon
ST. JOHNS	8550 N. St. Louis Portland, Oregon
SEATTLE	9204 11th Ave. N.W. Seattle, Washington
VANCOUVER	Mill Plain at 'U' St. Vancouver, Washington

CONFERENCE DATES FOR 1967 - August 5-13, 1967 - Aurora, Oregon

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STANDING COMMITTEES

BOARD OF TRUSTEES: Herman Smith (1969); Lorin Miller (1969); Fred
Arnold (1968); A. G. Yates (1967); Dennis Brenner
(1967)

PRESIDENT'S ADVISORY BOARD: Ira C. Gross (ministerial), Dennis M.
Brenner (lay)

ITINERACY AND ELDER'S ORDERS: Ira Gross (1970); Herman Smith (1969);
A. G. Yates (1968); Donald H. Cline (1967)

CAMP MEETING BOARD: Ira C. Gross (Camp manager and treasurer); Leona
Bennett; David Gowan; Douglas Bacheller; Dennis
Brenner; Glenn Bethune; C. Wesley Lovin

CHURCH AND PARSONAGE LOCATION: (Board of Trustees)

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD: David Overby (1969); Thomas Porter (1968);
David Gowan (1967)

VACANCIES: Lester Bennett; Lorin Miller; Walter Stamm; Burdette
Edwards; Dennis Brenner

CONF. CHURCH EXTENSION AND EVANGELISM: C. Wesley Lovin; Leona Bennett;
David Gowan; Gordon Bennett; Lorin Miller; Dennis
Brenner; Glenn Bethune

MINISTERIAL INSTITUTE: C. Wesley Lovin; Herman A. Smith (1967); Lorin
Miller (1968)

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: Elders: Herman Smith, Lester Bennett, Ira Gross;
Lay: Delegates from Salem and Russellville

STATISTICAL COMMITTEE: Burdette Edwards; Ralph Jones
9703 or 9321 2nd N. W., Seattle, Washington

AUDITING COMMITTEE: Dennis Brenner; Chester Austin

APPORTIONMENT COMMITTEE: Herman Smith; Kathleen Edwards

RELIGIOUS SERVICES COMMITTEE: Ira Gross; Lorin Miller

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE: Lorin Miller; Ira Gross

ROLL

<u>Elders</u>	<u>Church</u>	<u>Present</u>
Bacheller, D. O.	Salem	4
Bennett, Lester	Aumsville	4
Cline, D. H.	Russellville	3
Gale, W. D.	Evangelist	0
Gross, I. C.	St. Johns	4
Miller, Lorin	Emmanuel	4
Porter, T. G.	Russellville	3
Smith, Herman	Seattle	3
Stamm, Walter	Russellville	3
Vreugdenhil, Harmon	Aumsville	2
Vreugdenhil, Eunice	Aumsville	4
Willis, Vera	Salem	0
Yates, A. G.	St. Johns	3
Edwards, Kathleen	Seattle	4
Fendall, D. V.	Salem	0
<u>Conf. Preachers</u>		
Bennett, Gordon	Aumsville	3
Bethune, Glenn	Emmanuel	3
Cram, Francis	Vancouver	0
Vreugdenhil, Ralph	Vancouver	0
<u>Lay Delegates</u>		
Aarhus, Helen	Vancouver	4

(ROLL Cont.)

Lay Delegates

Bennett, Leona	Aumsville	4
Bennett, Norma	Aumsville	4
Brenner, Dennis	Salem	4
Edwards, Burdette	Seattle	4
Kelsven, Beverly	St. Johns	4
Maples, Gail	Russellville	4
Rawlins, Frances	Salem	4
Stamm, Mabel	Russellville	3
Tollen, Dorothy	Aumsville	3
Umphries, Leo	Russellville	3
Yates, Rosiland	St. Johns	4

CONFERENCE SERMON

Rev. C. Wesley Lovin delivered the Conference Sermon to the assembly on Monday evening August 1, 1966. Taking Luke 10:29 as a text Bro. Lovin stated that this was not a time to pat each other on the back, but "to look openly into the heart and the conference." The lawyer asked, "Who is my Neighbor?" The Good Samaritan parable was his answer. The Good Samaritan "took care of the beaten man" and asked the inn keeper to "take care" of him. Rev. Lovin exhorted each minister and lay person present to "Find the Man by the side of the road," and minister to his needs.

DAILY PROCEEDINGS

August 2, 1966 - 9:00 a.m.

Rev. A. G. Yates led in singing "Lead Me To Calvary". Rev. Herman A. Smith read from I Corinthians 3:1-16. He mentioned the fact that a few people do not realize that "God gives the increase". He went on to say that there are a multitude of people who do not realize that we are "Laborers together with God". "Each of us has a place in the result of God's work. The pace is set by people. God is able to produce hastily but He is limited by our lagging and holding back." Following the devotional talk the group knelt for a season of prayer.

Rev. C. Wesley Lovin, conference president, called the 73rd Session of the Oregon Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America to order. The roll was called. There were 11 ministerial and 13 lay delegates present.

A motion to seat the delegates within the bar carried.

The Nominating Committee secretary read the committee report (Rpt # 1)

Nomination for member to thanks committee was referred back to the Nominating Committee.

Brother Smith declined to serve on the pastoral relations Committee.

Rev. Lorin Miller was nominated to fill the vacancy.

Motion to refer the vacancy on the Pastoral Relations Committee back to the Nominating Committee carried.

Motion to adopt the report of the Nominating Committee with the two exceptions passed.

The Religious Services Committee gave a report. (Rpt. # 2) It was adopted by majority vote.

The Conference President noted that the proposed constitution for merger between the Pilgrim Holiness Church and the Wesleyan Methodist Church would be posted at the front and right of the tabernacle for those who wished to re-read it. Also posted was a report of votes taken from various conferences on the proposed merger.

Adjourned on motion for committee work and camp clean-up.

August 3, 1966 - 9:00 a.m.

Glenn Bethune led in singing, "Nothing but the Blood". Rev. Lorin Miller spoke from Psalms 133 mentioning that the 'unity' of the brethren is both good and pleasing. Pleasing things are not always good nor are good things always pleasing but God's children in unity are blessed with both.

The Courtesy Committee introduced John Larson who gave words of witness and greeting.

On motion John Larson, supply pastor at Vancouver, was invited within the bar as a honorary member.

The Conference President, Rev. C. Wesley Lovin, gave his report. It was adopted. (Rpt. # 3)

The Conference Vice President gave a report and it was adopted. (Rpt. # 4)

The Nominating Committee gave a partial report. (Rpt. # 5) Report adopted.

The Auditing Committee gave a report (Rpt. # 6). A motion to adopt the report carried.

The Conference Treasurer's report was given. (Rpt # 7) A motion to accept the report with a standing vote of thanks carried.

ORDERS OF THE DAY: Election of Officers

Motion to make the first ballot for President a nominating ballot carried.

Result of Balloting:

President: C. Wesley Lovin

Vice President: Ira C. Gross

Secretary: David L. Gowan

Treasurer: Gordon L. Bennett

Trustee: Lorin P. Miller (1969); Herman A. Smith (1969)

A motion to elect one more elder to a position as trustee lost.

Itineracy and Elders Orders: Ira C. Gross (1970)

The Statistical Committee reported. On motion the committee was permitted to post their report for its presentation. (Report # 10)

The Sunday School Secretary reported. Report received. (Rpt # 11)
The C. Y. C. Director reported. Report was adopted with a rising vote of thanks to the director for his good work. (Report # 12)

The Thanks Committee report was read. Motion to approve carried. (Report # 13)

Wesleyan Youth President reported on the officers who have been elected for the coming year. This report was approved (Report # 14)

A report of the C. C. E. & E. Committee was given and adopted. (Report # 15)

Educational Secretary's report was given and received. (Rpt # 16)

The following pastoral reports were read:

Russellville
Seattle
Aumsville
Salem
St. Johns
Emmanuel

Standing Rule # 24 of last year was brought up for discussion. A motion to defer standing rule # 24 for the coming year was carried.

The Conference President presented a FIVE POINT GOAL for each church in the conference for the year 1966-1967. (Report # 17)

Election of Standing Committees:

STATISTICAL Committee: Burdette Edwards
9703 2nd N. W.
Seattle, Washington 98107
Ralph Jones
9231 2nd N. W.
Seattle, Washington 98107

Auditing Committee: Dennis Brenner
Chester Austin

Apportionment Committee: Herman A. Smith
Kathleen Edwards

Religious Services Committee: Lorin Miller
Ira Gross

Time for the Memorial Service was set to begin immediately preceeding the afternoon conference session.

The Chairman directed a recess until the afternoon session.

The secretary read a letter from Rev. William Gale suggesting his desire to resign from the Board of Trustees. His resignation was accepted.

Rev. A. G. Yates was elected to fill the vacancy.

Trustee: A. G. Yates (1967)

Motion to hear the camp treasurer's report. Carried.

Report given by Camp Manager and Treasurer, Ira C. Gross. It was accepted by a rising vote of thanks. (Report # 8)

Camp Treasurer and Manager: Ira C. Gross

Camp Meeting Board: Dennis Brenner, Glenn Bethune, Douglas Bacheller

Sunday School Board: David Overby (1969)

C. C. E. & E. Board: Lorin Miller, Dennis Brenner, Glenn Bethune

Motion to elect one more member to C. C. E. & E. Board lost.

Ministerial Institute Committee: Lorin Miller

Nominating Committee: Elders: Herman A. Smith 1st
Lester Bennett 2nd
Ira C. Gross 3rd
Lay: Delegates from Salem
Delegates from Russellville

Committee on Vacancies: Lester Bennett, Lorin Miller, Walter Stamm, Burdette Edwards, Dennis Brenner

Sunday School Secretary: Douglas O. Bacheller

Educational Secretary: Thomas G. Porter

Tithing Secretary: Walter Stamm. Walter Stamm resigned from the office of tithing Secretary. Resignation accepted.

Tithing Secretary: A. G. Yates

Card Call Secretary: A. G. Yates

Meeting adjourned on declaration of chairman.

August 3, 1966 - 1:00 p.m.

The song "Faith is the Victory", was sung by the group, led by Rev. Thomas Porter.

Rev. Lester Bennett read from II Chronicles 20 stating that we too have a battle to face as individuals and church. Jehosaphat gathered the people together and admonished them saying, "the battle is yours... ..be not afraid.....Believe in the Lord your God."

The Courtesy Committee recognized by the chairman.

The Committee introduced Rev. Harley Briggs, N. W. District Superintendent of the Pilgrim Holiness Church, and Rev. Doyle Brannon, pastor of the Portland First Church of the Pilgrim Holiness Church. Both men gave words of testimony and greeting.

The Courtesy Committee introduced Marvin Johnson, a local preacher, from the Russellville church, to the body. He greeted the conference.

The roll call was given. Minutes of the previous meeting read and corrected.

ORDERS OF THE DAY: Merger

The Conference Secretary read a letter from the Board of Administration, the Preamble to documents on merger and the Legal Resolution relative to the proposed merger of our General Church with the Pilgrim Holiness Church.

Considerable discussion followed.

Ballots were passed out by the tellers and instructions given for the voting. Result:

	In favor of ratifying the proposed constitution:	
	-----	11 (Eleven)
	Not in favor -----	12 (Twelve)
Total votes cast	-----	23 (Twenty-three)

The meeting was adjourned by the President.

Recess - - - -

After singing a hymn Rev. Douglas Bacheller read a portion of I Corinthians 12 stating that the mission of the church is evangelism. There are many members to the one body, some are more honorable and important but all need the same care. For as the hammered thumb, the fallen or wounded member of Christ's body needs immediate care.

The Conference meeting was called to order by the president, C. Wesley Lovin.

The Courtesy Committee was recognized and they presented Rev. W. C. Brannon, our camp evangelist, who gave words of greeting.

The roll was called and minutes read and approved.

The Character Committee gave a complete report. Adopted on motion. (Report # 9)

August 4, 1966 - 1:00 p.m.

The first business was the nomination by the President of members of his advisory board. The President nominated Ira C. Gross, ministerial member and Dennis Brenner, lay member to this board. These were approved by the conference.

The Apportionment Committee gave a report which was adopted. (Rpt # 18)

The C. C. E. & E. Committee reported and the report was adopted.
(Report # 19)

The Pastoral Relations report was given and adopted. (Report # 20)

The Itineracy & Elder's Orders Committee reported. Adopted (Rpt # 21)

A recess of 10 minutes was called by the chairman.

C. Y. C. Director : Douglas O. Bacheller

The Resolutions Committee reported. (Report # 22)

Rev. Lorin Miller explained the hospitalization insurance plan to be recommended. Report Adopted.

Insurance Secretary: Lorin Miller Duties are to care for
information and promotion of new program.

Motion that the Resolution Committee become a standing committee with two elders. Carried.

Motion that the session Resolution Committee become the Standing Resolution Committee. Carried.

Motion that the President and his Advisory Board take care of unfinished business.

Motion to adjourn by expressing our thanks to the Conference President for his labors among us with a standing vote of thanks.

Adjourned.

Report 1 - NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The Nominating Committee submit the following report:

Committee on Credentials	- David Gowan Glenn Bethune
Character Committee	- Brother Stamm Glenn Bethune
Courtesy Committee	- Brother Bacheller Brother Miller
Thanks Committee	- Dorothy Tollen Lana Gjesdal
Resolutions Committee	- Brother Miller Brother Gross
Pastoral Relations	- Brother Gross Burdette Edwards Brother Miller Dennis Brenner Douglas Bacheller Joe Maples
Reporters	- Norma Bennett Brother Stamm

The committee voted to discontinue the office of mailcarrier.

Committee members: Ira C. Gross, H. A.
 Smith, Lester Bennett, Helen
 Aarhus, Glenn Bethune

Report 2 - RELIGIOUS SERVICES

To: The Oregon Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church in
Session: August 2, 1966

The Committee recommends the following:

I. Devotions at Conference meetings.

Tuesday A.M.	Rev. Herman A. Smith
Wednesday A.M.	Rev. Lorin P. Miller
Wednesday P.M.	Rev. Lester Bennett
Thursday A.M.	Rev. Douglas O. Bacheller
Thursday P.M.	Rev. Donald H. Cline

II. Memorial Service

It is recommended that the Women's Missionary Society
direct and arrange for the Memorial Service.

III. Conference Services.

Monday - Conference Sermon . . . Rev. C. Wesley Lovin
Tuesday - Missionary Service with W.M.S. in charge and
Rev. C. Wesley Lovin speaking.
Wednesday - Denominational Address - Rev. Lovin

Respectfully submitted, C. Wesley Lovin,
Ira C. Gross, A. G. Yates

Report 3 - CONFERENCE PRESIDENT

To the members of the Oregon Conference:

Greetings in the name of our wonderful Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. It is His name we honor as we come to the seventy-third session of the Oregon Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

Because of the nature of my responsibilities the report will, of necessity, be different to one that might be made by a resident leader.

It was my privilege to visit each of the churches of the conference twice. These were times of blessing to my own heart. I feel sure that I receive much more from the visits than I am able to give. Your courtesies to me in the church and in your homes were undeserved but appreciated.

I have tried to keep in touch by personal mail and a monthly news-sheet. I am aware that this method leaves much to be desired but if taken seriously it can keep our work coordinated as we remain "Workers Together with Him."

Since many of the incidental expenses of the president were cared for by the General Office we are not giving a detailed financial report. The Conference Treasurer's report will give the money paid out for the president's travel.

We are thankful that the General Superintendent of our Zone, the Rev. B. H. Phaup, could visit our conference this year. It proved valuable to him to have personal contact with the pastors and their people. He gave a valuable ministry and helpful advice.

This has been a historical year for Wesleyan Methodism as was evidenced by those who were able to attend our General Conference. Some of the actions of that session will be on the agenda of this Annual Conference.

I want to express sincere appreciation to the vice-president who handled much detail on the conference level. The efficient manner in which he discharged his responsibilities meant much to me during this year.

To all conference officials, pastors and their faithful people we say a 'Thank You' in the name of Christ.

Official Acts of the Conference President:

- August 30, 1965 - Accepted the resignation of the Rev. Wm. D. Gale as pastor of the Emmanuel Wesleyan Methodist Church.
- August 30, 1965 - Received the transfer of the Rev. Lorin Miller, elder in the Kansas Conference. Appointed the Rev. Lorin Miller as pastor of the Emmanuel Wesleyan Methodist Church.
- September 7, 1965 - At the request of the church I appointed the Rev. Thomas L. Medders as assistant pastor of the Salem Wesleyan Methodist Church
- January 26, 1966 - Gave approval for the dismantling of the old Aumsville church building.
- April 8, 1966 - Set Sunday May 22nd as the date for the annual pastoral vote.
- The above actions had the concurrence of the members of my advisory board.

C. Wesley Lovin, President

Report 4 - VICE PRESIDENT

Greetings in the Lord's name!

During the past conference year I have endeavored to fulfill those assignments given to me by the last annual conference session and the Conference President.

Our responsibility to the president has been to serve primarily as liaison between his office and the field. Thus we have:

1. Traveled 3600 miles by car within the conference
2. Written 93 pieces of correspondence, plus numerous routine mailings.
3. Endeavored to organize and direct work projects at the campgrounds, committee meetings, etc.
4. Had numerous times for consultation in person and by telephone on conference matters.
5. Received from the conference treasurer \$ 314.58 for travel postage, and misc. office expenses.

We have also represented the conference at Miltonvale Wesleyan College, the General Conference, and other local organizations, have served as camp manager and treasurer, in addition to pastoring the St. Johns Church.

To serve has been a delight. We sincerely trust that it has been profitable service for the Master.

Respectfully submitted, Ira C. Gross

Report 5 - NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Thanks Committee: Mrs. Gail Maples

Pastoral Relations Committee: Dorothy Tollen

Respectfully submitted, Helen Aarhus, Sec.
Nominating Comm.

Report 6 - AUDITING COMMITTEE

In examining the financial statements and records of the Camp Meeting Treasurer, the Conference Sunday School Department, and the Conference Treasurer our work was limited to testing of amounts on reports with the respective records. Canceled checks were compared with disbursements as recorded. Deposits per bank statements were tested with deposits as recorded and in some instances invoices were compared with disbursements.

We were unable to implement sufficient audit procedures in order to express an auditor's opinion as to the fairness of the above financial statements.

Respectfully submitted, Dennis M. Brenner
Frances Rawlins

Report 7 - CONFERENCE TREASURER

Conference Treasurer's Report - July 10, 1965-July 10, 1966

General Fund

Balance on Hand July 10, 1965 \$ 191.95

Conference Work Fund:

Balance on Hand July 10, 1965 (- 5,236.60)

Receipts: Conference Churches \$ 1,620.00
Fifth Sunday Offering 717.26
Conference Pledges 92.00
Total 2,429.26

Disbursed: Minutes 131.10
Taxes 147.97
Insurance 149.56
Misc. 97.61
Total 526.24

Balance for year -----\$ 1,903.02

Balance in Fund - July 10, 1966 (- 3,333.58)

Conference Extension Fund:

Balance on Hand July 10, 1965 \$ 5,599.18

Receipts: Headquarters 1,650.00
W. M. S. 398.51
Churches 180.00
Total 2,228.51

Disbursed: Aumsville 1,200.00
Seattle 500.00
Vancouver 1,300.00
Total 3,000.00

Balance for year -----(\$ -771.49)

Balance in Fund July 10, 1966 \$ 4,827.69

Ministerial Trust Fund:

Received and Balance July 10, 1966 10.00

Conference Sunday School Fund:

Cash Received and Disbursed \$ 110.05
Receipts In and Out 5.60
No Balance on hand

Conference Administration Fund:

Receipts: Headquarters 100.00
Churches 1,705.45
Total 1,805.45

Disbursed: C. Wesley Lovin 579.19
I. C. Gross 314.58
B. H. Phaup 152.32
1,146.09

General Budget Fund:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Bal. 7/10/65</u>	<u>Cash In & Out</u>	<u>Rcpts. In & out</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Bal.</u>
Church Ad.	.00	305.00	.00	305.00	.00
Gen. Conf. Del.					
Expense	.00	90.00	.00	90.00	.00
Orphanage	.00	27.95	43.20	71.15	.00
Education	.00	459.24	309.66	768.90	.00
Church E. & E.	.00	211.35	77.65	289.00	.00
World Missions	.00	150.50	494.91	645.41	.00
Sunday School	.00	150.25	42.50	192.75	.00
Brainerd	.00	10.00	221.91	231.91	.00
Ed. Mtg. Exp.	.00	25.00	.00	25.00	.00
Seminary	.00	49.80	.00	49.80	.00
Australia	.00	41.50	9.00	50.50	.00
Sally Heer	.00	.00	1,480.07	1,480.07	.00

Pension Fund:

Balance July 10, 1965		\$ 12.00
Receipts:		
Old Fund	\$ 4.75	
Churches	<u>635.00</u>	
Total	639.75	
In & Out	5.00	
Disbursed: Arrears	128.00	
'65-66	<u>639.75</u>	
Total	767.75	
Balance in Fund July 10, 1966		\$ (-116.00)

Revolving Fund:

Balance July 10, 1965		\$ 352.33
Receipts:		
Bank Charge Return	5.00	
Hdqtrrs. for Emmanuel	20,000.00	
Refund on Interest	10.00	
Lebanon Church	799.44	
Short Term Loan	<u>40.00</u>	
Total	26,203.65	
Disbursements:		
Lebanon Sale Exp.	148.86	
Emmanuel	20,000.00	
Interest	109.04	
Hill Note	2,000.00	
Betzner Note	<u>2,500.00</u>	

Short term Loan	\$	<u>550.00</u>
		25,307.90

Balance on Hand July 10, 1966	\$	1,248.08
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Assets:

Lebanon Contract	Approx.	\$	5,500.00
Short Term Loan			550.00
Cash on Hand			1,248.08

Liabilities - None

Fixed Assets:

Land - Camp	5,338.60
Caretakers Home	11,000.00
Camp Imp. & Equip.	22,358.56

Summary Fund Balance:

Administration Fund	659.36
Work Fund	(-3,333.58)
Ext. Fund	4,827.69
Trust Fund	10.00
Pension Fund	(- 116.00)
Revolving Fund	1,248.08
Literature Fund (Old)	<u>(- 182.63)</u>
Cash in Bank	\$ 3,112.92

Respectfully Submitted, Gordon Bennett
Conference Treasurer

Report 8 - CAMP MEETING TREASURER

BALANCE ON HAND JULY 1, 1965	\$	443.37
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RECEIPTS:

Rooms	\$	36.00
Meals		365.75
Auxiliary & Refunds		445.61
Pledges & Misc.		<u>2,076.62</u>

TOTAL RECEIPTS

2,923.98

TOTAL RECEIPTS PLUS BEGINNING BALANCE

\$ 3,367.35

DISBURSEMENTS:

Utilities	\$	169.67
Dining Hall		981.17
Maintainance		190.13

Evangelists	\$ 380.00
Improvements	685.15
Misc.	567.59
Aux. Accounts	<u>48.20</u>

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS

\$ 3,021.91

Balance On Hand June 30, 1966

345.44

Respectfully Submitted, Ira C. Gross
Treasurer

Report 9 - CHARACTER COMMITTEE

We the character committee have reviewed the following minister's reports and passed the following names:

Rev. Lorin P. Miller	Rev. Herman A. Smith
Rev. Douglas O. Bacheller	Rev. Ira C. Gross
Rev. Lester Bennett	Rev. Donald H. Cline
Rev. Gordon Bennett	Rev. Marvin Johnson
Rev. Kathleen Edwards	Rev. David L. Gowan
Rev. Thomas Porter	Rev. Walter Stamm
Rev. Glen Yates	Rev. Glenn Bethune
Rev. Ralph Vreugdenhil	Rev. Eunice Vreugdenhil
Rev. Harmon Vreugdenhil	Rev. Francis Cram

Committee: Glenn W. Bethune
Walter E. Stamm

Report 10 - STATISTICAL COMMITTEE

1965-1966 Statistical Report

<u>ITEM I - PASTOR'S LABORS</u>	<u>Aumsville</u>	<u>Emmanuel</u>	<u>Russellville</u>	<u>Salem</u>	<u>Seattle</u>	<u>St. Johns</u>	<u>Vancouver</u>	<u>Totals</u>
No. Local Preachers	2	1	2	3	0	1	2	11
No. Appointments	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
No. Organized Churches	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
Time Employed (Months)	12	10	12	12	12	12	12	82
Calls	180	240	516	926	192	880	328	2746
 <u>ITEM II - PERIODICALS</u>								
Wesleyan Methodist Taken	15	37	17	39	12	55	8	183
Wesleyan Missionaries Taken	24	24	17	29	15	27	17	153
Wesleyan Youth Taken	7	7	6	10	6	6	6	48
Wesleyan S. S. Lit. Used.								
Devotional Quarterly	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	7
Adult & Teacher's Quart.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	6
Sr. Youth & Teacher	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4
Jr. Youth & Teacher	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	7
Jr. & Teacher	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	6
Primary & Teacher	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	6
Aldersgate Kindergarten	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	6
Aldersgate Nursery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4
Aldersgate Adult	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	3
S. S. Banner	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	7
High School Signal	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	7
Junior Journeys	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	7
Children's Friend	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	6
 <u>ITEM III - MEMBERSHIP</u>								
1. Full Mem. Rptd Last Year	22	36	26	44	13	48	14	203
2. Full Mem. Rcvd. This Yr.								
By Transfer	2	4	5	7		2	4	24
Total on Profession			2			5		7
Total Received	2	4	7	7		7	4	31
3. Add Lines 1 & 2	24	40	33	51	13	55	18	234
4. Full Members Expelled								
5. Full Members Discontinued						2		2

	Aums	Emman	Russell.	Salem	Seattle	St.J	Vanc.	Totals
6. Full Members Died		1			1	2		4
7. Full Members Transferred		4	1		1			6
8. Full Members lost (4,5,6,7)		5	1		2	4		12
9. Present Full Members	24	35	32	51	11	51	18	222
10. Associate Members	1	5	12	4	5	15	1	43
11. Junior Members		5	7	11	3	6		32
12. Total Present Members	25	45	51	65	19	72	19	296
13. Total Members Last Year	23	48	41	58	18	63	15	266
14. Gain in Members	2		10	5	1	9	4	31
15. Loss in Members		3						3
16. Number Seekers	22	40	32	20	5	15	6	140
17. Persons Baptized		1	22	10		8		41
18. Infants Dedicated	1			2	1	10	2	16
19. Number Family Altars	10	22	19	35	9	33		128
20. Members Tithing	15	30	41	36	16	35	12	185
21. Card Call Subscribers	7	5	5	10	3	8		38

ITEM IV - SUNDAY SCHOOLS

1. Number Sunday Schools	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
2. Average Attendance	59	83	91	125	50	91	40	539
3. Pupils Enrolled	85	109	120	162	67	186	33	762
4. Officers & Teachers	11	16	17	20	8	15	11	98
5. Potential Reg. Attendance	96	125	137	182	75	201	44	860
6. Cradle Roll Dept.	20	9	15	9		5	3	61
7. Home Dept.	13	2	6	9	4	7		41
8. Total Enrollment	129	136	158	200	79	213	47	962
9. Number Pupils Join Ch.	2		1	7	3	5		18
10. Standard Achievement Score	65	51		64	45	64	53	342
11. Teacher's Training Units				1		1		2
12. WETT Credit Cards Earned				10		8		18
13. Number CYC Chapters		1		2				3
14. Total CYC Members		3		35				38
15. Average Attendance VBS	36	54		86	55			231
16. Enrollment VBS	45	61		109	71			286

<u>ITEM V - WESLEYAN YOUTH</u>	<u>Aumsville</u>	<u>Emmanuel</u>	<u>Russellville</u>	<u>Salem</u>	<u>Seattle</u>	<u>St. Johns</u>	<u>Vancouver</u>	<u>Totals</u>
1. Number of Locals	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
2. Active Members	15	16	14	22	10	7	10	94
3. Associate Members	2	7	7	1			1	18

ITEM VI - CHURCH PROPERTY

Number Church Buildings	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
Value of Buildings	40,000.00	20,500.00	85,000.00	90,000.00	16,000.00	100,750.00	15,000.00	331,250.00
Amt. of Indebt.	13,660.26		12,990.00	28,866.17	621.10	18,000.00		74,137.53
Amt. of Insurance	35,000.00	12,000.00	68,500.00	55,000.00	11,000.00	90,000.00		190,500.00
No. Parsonages & Aux. Bldgs	2	2	2	3	1			10
Value of Same	5,500.00	44,000.00	27,000.00	25,000.00	8,000.00			109,500.00
Amt. of Debt		19,368.45		9,827.43	4,823.42			34,019.30
Amt. of Insurance	3,500.00	28,000.00	5,000.00	47,000.00	10,000.00			93,500.00
Cash or other Values on Hand		482.07	193.00	11,247.78	418.74	3,795.00		16,136.59

ITEM VII - DISBURSED FOR PASTOR

Salary	1,960.00	3,120.41	3,220.00	4,005.00	1,800.00	3,900.00	2,640.00	20,645.41
Parsonage Rent & Utility	874.00	1,404.73	1,284.22	1,433.08	840.00	1,407.66	1,080.46	8,324.15
Special Services - Gifts	32.00	35.00	30.00	177.73	10.00	348.00		632.73
Donations		253.50		100.00	57.00	47.00		457.50
Allowance for Travel (Rcvd)		265.00	130.00	252.80	158.40	260.00	30.25	1,096.45
Pastor's Unadjusted Rcvd.	2,866.00	5,079.64	4,664.22	5,968.61	2,865.40	5,962.66	3,750.71	31,156.24
Amt. Spent for Travel	850.00	500.00	900.00	1,125.00	499.40	570.00		4,444.40
Net Ministerial Income	2,016.00	4,578.64	3,764.22	4,843.61	2,366.00	5,392.66	3,750.71	26,711.84

ITEM VIII - DISBURSED FOR CHURCH

Other Evangelistic Help	280.00	82.51	118.06	879.99	142.00	232.00	125.00	1,858.57
Sunday School Expense	438.60	483.32	195.25	1,312.88	233.07	970.97	143.58	3,777.67
Promotional & Other	25.33		99.22	440.34	64.51			629.04
Buildings (Not Borrowed)		718.73		443.01		725.00		1,886.74
Repairs (Not Borrowed)	40.00	80.87	349.45	273.59	166.73		156.58	1,067.32
Amt. Pd. on Indebtedness	572.66	631.55	1,608.12	3,691.09	991.11	2,460.00		9,954.53
Church Incidental Exp.	477.26	1,410.43	1,204.67	3,217.33	533.80	2,551.58	81.00	9,476.09
Amt. Pd on Exp. of Debt	627.34	887.47		2,539.21	340.88			4,394.90
Amt. Spent by Pastor for Trav.	850.00	500.00	900.00	1,125.00	499.40	570.00		4,444.40
Total for Church	3,311.21	4,794.88	4,474.77	13,921.45	2,971.14	7,509.55	506.26	37,489.26

<u>ITEM IX - GENERAL BUDGET</u>								
	<u>Aumsv.</u>	<u>Emman.</u>	<u>Rusvl.</u>	<u>Salem</u>	<u>Seattle</u>	<u>St. Johns</u>	<u>Vancouver</u>	<u>Totals</u>
World Missions Assigned	44.00	72.00	52.00	88.00	24.00	96.00	28.00	404.00
Raised	126.71	201.90	280.14	618.52	227.07	507.76	133.38	2095.48
Australia Assigned	5.50	9.00	6.50	11.00	3.00	12.00	3.50	50.50
Raised	5.50	9.00	6.50	11.00	3.00	12.00	3.50	50.50
Brainerd Indian Sc. Assng.	5.50	9.00	6.50	11.00	3.00	12.00	3.50	50.50
Raised	4.00	17.00	92.41	85.00	8.00	20.00	3.50	229.91
Gen. Ch. Exten. Assigned	33.00	54.00	39.00	66.00	18.00	72.00	21.00	303.00
Raised	8.65	54.00	34.00	66.00	23.00	72.00	26.25	283.90
Pension Plan Assigned	77.00	126.00	91.00	154.00	42.00	168.00	49.00	707.00
Raised	5.00	126.00	91.00	154.00	42.00	168.00	49.00	635.00
Ch. Administration Assigned	38.40	61.20	44.20	74.80	20.40	81.60	23.80	344.40
Raised		61.20	44.20	74.80	20.40	81.60	23.00	305.20
Gen. Conf. Exp. Assigned	11.00	18.00	13.00	22.00	6.00	24.00	7.00	101.00
Raised		18.00	13.00	22.00	6.00	24.00	7.00	90.00
Board Mtg. Exp. Assigned	3.30	5.40	3.90	6.60	1.80	7.20	2.10	30.30
Raised		5.40	3.90	6.60	1.80	7.20	2.10	27.00
Hephzibah Assigned	7.70	12.60	9.10	15.40	4.20	16.80	4.90	70.70
Raised	9.10	12.60	9.10	15.40	8.15	16.80		71.15
Wes. Sem. Fnd. Assigned	6.60	10.80	7.80	13.20	3.60	14.40	4.20	60.60
Raised		10.80	7.80	13.20	3.60	14.40		49.80
Education Assigned	88.00	144.00	104.00	176.00	48.00	192.00	56.00	808.00
Raised	12.75	144.00	106.00	176.00	84.00?	192.00	54.15	768.90
Gen. S. Sch. Assigned	19.50	32.00	27.50	42.00	15.75	45.50	10.50	192.75
Raised	19.50	32.00	27.50	42.00	15.75	45.50	10.50	192.75
Total Gen. Bug. Assigned	339.50	554.00	404.50	680.00	189.75	741.50	213.50	3122.75
Raised	191.21	691.90	715.55	1284.52	442.77	1161.26	312.38	4799.59
<u>CONFERENCE BUDGET</u>								
Conf. Admin. Assigned	208.00	318.20	317.50	375.75	180.00	396.00	113.00	1908.45
Raised		318.20	317.50	375.75	180.00	396.00	113.00	1700.45
Conf. Work Assigned	198.00	324.00	234.00	396.00	108.00	432.00	126.00	1818.00
Raised	30.49	324.00	234.00	396.00	108.00	432.00	126.00	1650.49
Conf. Ext. & Ev. Assigned	22.00	36.00	26.00	44.00	12.00	48.00	14.00	202.00
Raised	6.50	36.00	26.00	44.00	12.00	48.00	14.00	186.50
Conf. S. Sch. Assigned	11.70	19.20	16.50	25.20	9.45	27.30	6.30	115.65
Raised	11.70	19.20	16.50	25.20	9.45	27.30	6.30	115.65
Total Conf. Bug. Assigned	439.70	697.40	594.00	840.95	309.45	903.30	259.30	4044.10
Raised	48.69	697.40	594.00	840.95	309.45	903.30	259.30	3653.09
Tot. Gen. & Conf Bug. Assn.	779.20	1251.40	998.50	1520.95	499.50	1645.30	472.80	7167.35
Raised	239.90	1389.30	1309.55	2125.47	752.22	2064.56	571.68	8452.68

<u>ITEM X - DISBURSED BENVS.</u>	<u>Aumsvl.</u>	<u>Emman.</u>	<u>Russvl.</u>	<u>Salem</u>	<u>Seattle</u>	<u>St. Johns</u>	<u>Vancouver</u>	<u>Totals</u>
World Missions	100.50	246.17	180.00	1009.37	208.60	250.53	132.96	2128.13
Australia							3.50	3.50
Brainerd Indian School	78.02	740.38	117.53	75.30	179.05	37.04	44.40	1271.72
Gen. Church Ext. & Evang.	38.00	45.58		87.50		23.00	21.35	215.43
Education	2.00	38.00	907.17	1122.84	350.00	375.00	38.15	2833.16
Hephzibah				12.90			5.00	17.90
Wesleyan Seminary Fndn.								
Conference Work		200.00		1321.82	139.17	213.28	126.00	2000.17
Wesleyan Youth	31.44	128.60	249.00	229.06				638.10
Other Objects	108.20	277.24		1787.33	94.14	275.78	299.00	2841.79
World Hdqtrrs.				35.67				35.67
Total for Benevolences	358.16	1676.07	1453.70	5681.79	970.96	1174.63	670.36	11985.67
 <u>ITEM XI - DISBURSED TOTALS</u>								
Total for Pastor	2016.00	4578.64	3764.22	4843.61	2366.00	5392.66	3750.71	26711.84
Total for Church	3311.21	4794.88	4474.77	13921.45	2971.14	7509.55	506.26	37489.26
Total for Budget	239.90	1389.30	1309.55	2125.47	752.22	2064.56	571.68	8452.68
Total for Benevolences	358.16	1676.07	1453.70	5681.79	970.96	1174.63	670.36	11985.67
 Total for All Purposes	 5925.27	 12438.89	 11002.24	 26572.32	 7060.32	 16141.40	 5499.01	 84639.55

Report 11 - SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY

I. FINANCIAL

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for year ending June 30, 1966

Beginning cash on hand, 7-1-65		448.87
RECEIPTS:		
Budget transfer from Conf. Treas.	40.00	
Camp fees	440.00	
C. Y. C. Missionary off. at camp	30.58	
Misc'l.	<u>38.11</u>	
TOTAL		<u>548.69</u>
		997.56
DISBURSEMENTS:		
C. Y. C. Camp Operation		
Food and utilities	250.73	
Crafts	62.06	
Promotion	7.94	
Curriculum	20.92	
Honorariums	85.00	
Transportation		
Insurance	25.90	
Missions Offering	30.58	
Misc'l	<u>16.23</u>	
Total	<u>499.36</u>	
Film Library	10.00	
Sunday School Promotion	<u>2.50</u>	
TOTAL DISBURSED	<u>511.86</u>	<u>511.86</u>
Ending cash on hand, 6-30-66		485.70

Statement of funds reserved:

	Beginning of year	End of year	
For new Sunday School	\$ 350.00	350.00	(Wesleyan Investment)
Film Library	72.78	62.78	
Undesignated	26.09	72.92	

Properties: Two filmstrips: "Mr. Layman" (CYC) & "No Vacant Chairs" (WETT) one film strip projector for use by churches and S.S. Dept.

II. Labors of S. S. Secretary:

- * Met with the S. S. Bd. two times; at Conf. 1965 and at ST. Johns church Feb. 7, 1966.
- * Held planning session with pastors and S. S. Supts. regarding 'March to S. S. in March' contest Feb. 15, 1966 at Emmanuel church.
- * Co-ordinated 'March to Sunday School in March' contest.
- * Visited Vancouver S.S. staff mtg. in interest of promoting Conf.S.S. work.
- * Mailed annual S. S. rpt. reminders and S. S. Achvmt. sheets to pastors.
- * Promoted and directed annual C. Y. C. Camp.

Respectfully submitted, Douglas O. Bacheller

Report 12 - C. Y. C. DIRECTOR

Number of Registered C. Y. C. Chapters

Heralds 0
Cadets 2
Crusaders 1

Number of Certified Directors 7

Number of Registered C.Y.C.ers 39

Number attending Chap Mtgs. 50

Number of award pins 428

Number of highest awards won:

R. S. Nicholson 0

O. G. Wilson 6

John Wesley 0

Number attending C. Y. C. Camp 1965 . . . 60

Labors of Director

- Directed C. Y. C. Camp
- Corresponded with Directors
- Have accumulated 41 books and pamphlets for C. Y. C. reference library.

Respectfully, Douglas O. Bacheller

Report 13 - THANKS COMMITTEE

II Corinthians 2:14

"Now thanks be unto God which always causeth us to triumph in Christ and maketh manifest the savor of his knowledge by us in every place."

We thank the Lord for His presence with us throughout the Conference.

We are grateful to the President and all who rendered services during the Conference session.

Gail Maples, Thanks Committee

Report 14 - W. Y. PRESIDENT

The newly elected officers to the Wesleyan Youth Conference:

President: David L. Gowan
Vice president: James Tollen
Secretary: Pam Jensen
Treasurer: Carol Sloan
Sales Manager: Ronda Brown

Submitted by, David L. Gowan

Report 15 - C. C. E. & E. BOARD

Conference Church Extension & Evangelism Board

We recommend that:

- The Annual Conference and Camp be held the fourth full week in July.

We suggest that:

- The Woman's Missionary Society and the Wesleyan Youth convene the preceeding Saturday.
- A Youth Rally be held the first Saturday evening.
- The public Missionary Rally be held the first Sunday afternoon.
- Opening of Conference be 9:00 a.m. Monday.
- Camp services be held at 11:00 a.m. and evenings during Conference and that the denominational address be 11:00 a.m. Tuesday.

We further suggest that the Conference authorize the Joint Boards to make necessary changes to fit this schedule.

Leona Bennett, Secretary

Report 16 - EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

Labors:

- One Educational service held with Dr. Knapp from M W C at the last camp meeting.
- Ordered film series from M W C and made four showings:
 1. Vancouver
 2. Russellville
 3. Emmanuel
 4. St. Johns
- Made approximately 30 mailings
14 phone calls
- Contacted 9 youth in the interest of M.W.C.
- Attended and received credit for one course in W. E. T. T.

Submitted by, David L. Gowan

Report 17 - FIVE POINT GOAL

GOALS FOR CONFERENCE YEAR 1966-1967

1. A genuine Holy Ghost revival in each church
2. A 10% gain in every area of the church.
3. A full budget paid by each church.
4. 100% co-operation from every pastor and member.
5. A conscientious adherence to all standing rules.

Report 18 - APPORTIONMENT COMMITTEE

	AUMSVILLE	EMMANUEL	RUSSELLVILLE	SALEM	SEATTLE	ST. JOHNS	VANCOUVER	TOTALS
Full Members	24	35	32	51	11	51	18	222
Sunday S. Members	96	125	125	182	75	201	44	848
World Missions (2.00)	48.00	70.00	64.00	102.00	22.00	102.00	36.00	444.00
Australia (.25)	3.00	8.75	8.00	12.75	2.75	12.75	4.50	52.50
Brainerd (.25)	3.00	8.75	8.00	12.75	2.75	12.75	4.50	52.50
Church Ext. (1.50)	36.00	52.50	48.00	76.00	16.50	76.00	27.00	332.00
Pension Plan (7.00)	168.00	245.00	224.00	357.00	77.00	357.00	126.00	1554.00
Church Adms. (2.15)	51.60	75.25	68.80	109.65	23.65	109.65	38.70	477.30
Gen. Conf. Ent. (.50)	12.00	17.50	16.00	25.50	5.50	25.50	9.00	111.00
Hephzibah (50)	12.00	17.50	16.00	25.50	5.50	25.50	9.00	111.00
Gen. S. School (.25)	24.00	31.25	31.25	45.50	18.75	50.25	11.00	212.00
Education (5.00)	120.00	175.00	160.00	255.00	55.00	255.00	90.00	1110.00
Seminary Fnd. (.50)	12.00	17.50	16.00	25.50	5.50	25.50	9.00	111.00
Total Gen Bug. (19.90)	489.60	719.00	660.05	1047.15	234.90	1051.90	364.70	4567.00
Conf. Work (9.00)	216.00	315.00	288.00	459.00	99.00	459.00	162.00	1998.00
Conf. Ext. (1.00)	24.00	35.00	32.00	51.00	11.00	51.00	18.00	222.00
Conf. S. S. (.15)	14.40	18.75	18.75	27.30	11.25	30.15	6.60	127.20
Conf. Adm. 8% of Pastor's Salary	156.00	249.60	257.60	320.40	144.00	312.00	211.00	1650.80
Total Conf. Bug.	410.40	618.35	596.35	857.70	265.25	852.15	397.80	3998.00
Total Conf. & Gen Budget	900.00	1337.05	1256.40	1904.85	500.15	1904.05	762.50	8565.30

Report 19 - C. C. E. & E. BOARD

Report of the C. C. E. & E. Committee

We recommend to the Conference that we continue to take a fifth Sunday offering from each of the Conference Churches.

This offering for the Conference Year 1966-67 will be used for a pioneer Conference Work.

Report 20 - PASTORAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Aumsville	Gordon Bennett
Emmanuel	Lorin P. Miller
Russellville	Donald H. Cline
Seattle	Herman A. Smith
Salem	Douglas O. Bacheller
St. Johns	Ira C. Gross
Vancouver	Marvin Johnson
General Evangelist	William D. Gale
Reserve Elder	Thomas G. Porter
Pioneer Pastor, under direction of Conference Board	Lester Bennett
Superannuated	Walter Stamm, Vera M. Willis, Harmon Vreugdenhil, Eunice Vreugdenhil, A. G. Yates
Unstationed Elders	Kathleen Edwards, D. V. Fendall
Missionary, Brainerd Indian Sc. .	Viola Gjesdal
Missionary, Colombia, S. A. . .	Sally Heer
Editor, <u>Wesleyan Missionary</u> . .	Marie Lind
Dorm Parent and Maint.	M. W. C. Ralph Vreugdenhil
Study, Preparatory to Travel . .	Glenn Bethune, John Garretson, Gary Sloan, Jerry Sloan

Report 21 - ITINERACY AND ELDER'S ORDERS COMMITTEE

We recommend that:

Gordon Bennett be continued to travel under the direction of the conference.

Ralph Vreugdenhil be continued to travel under the direction of conference.

Glen Bethune be continued to study under the direction of the conference.

Marvin Johnson be continued to study and travel under the direction of the conference.

Francis Cram be returned to his quarterly conference.

David Gowan be returned to his quarterly conference.

Gary Sloan be received to study under the direction of the conf.

Jerry Sloan be received to study under the direction of the conf.

Ira Gross, Herman Smith, A. G. Yates, D. H. Cline

Report 22 - RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

1. We recommend that unleavened bread be used in communion services.
2. We recommend that Standing Rules no. 3, 12, 18 and 19 be deleted from Standing Rules. (refer to conf. schedules and organization)
3. Whereas it seems advisable for our churches and conference to provide some type of hospitalization insurance for the church's economy and the pastor's well being, we recommend that all our pastors be included in a group hospitalization program now under operation in the Kansas Conference with the Brotherhood Mutual Insurance Co. of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Be it further recommended that each church pay at least one-half of the pastor's premium.
4. We recommend that the Conference President and Secretary be authorized to edit and arrange the Standing Rules as amended.

Respectfully submitted,
Lorin P. Miller
Ira C. Gross

WOMENS' MISSIONARY SOCIETY

OFFICERS AND ADDRESSES

President	Leona Bennett 7830 N. River Road Salem, Oregon 97325
Vice President	Virginia Miller 2530 S.E. 89th Portland, Oregon 97216
Secretary	Magdalene Brenner 412 Rural Ave. S. Salem, Oregon 97302
Treasurer	Helen Aarhus 7821 Mill Plain Court Vancouver, Washington 98664
Y.M.W.B. Spt.	Marion Kelsven 3915 N. Kiska Portland, Oregon 97217
Literature Secretary	Lillian Stone 2401 'D' Street Vancouver, Washington 98663
Magazine Solicitor	Evelyn Gjesdal 8385 Aumsville Hwy Aumsville, Oregon 97301
W. W. F. Secretary	Eunice Vreugdenhil Box 296B Rt. 2 Aurora, Oregon 97002
Northern Dist. Chairman	Rosalind Yates 8915 N. Smith St. Portland, Oregon 97203
Southern Dist. Chairman	Norma Bennett Box 187 Aumsville, Oregon 97325
Work Director	Louise Gross 9222 N. Windle Portland, Oregon 97203
Hostess Chairman	Eunice Vreugdenhil Rt. # 2 Box 296B Aurora, Oregon 97002

Societies and Presidents

Aumsville --- Eunice Vreugdenhil - Box 296B Rt. 2 - Aurora, Oregon 97002
 Emmanuel ---- Lydia Schindler - 2414 S. E. 92nd Ave. - Portland, Oregon
 Russellville -Mabel Stamm - 533 N. E. 74th Ave. - Portland, Oregon 97216
 Salem ----- Marjorie Bacheller - 352 16th S.E. - Salem, Oregon 97301
 Seattle ----- Kathleen Edwards - 504 N. 107th St. - Seattle, Washington
 After November 9703 2nd N. W. - Seattle, Wash. 98133
 St. Johns --- Marion Kelsven - 3915 N. Kiska - Portland, Oregon 97217
 Vancouver --- Lillian Stone - 2401 'D' St. - Vancouver, Washington 98663

ROLL

Helen Aarhus	3	Kathleen Edwards	3
Eva Anderson	0	Marie Englehart	3
Cecile Arnold	0	Evelyn Gjesdal	0
Marjorie Bacheller	3	Louise Gross	3
Leona Bennett	3	Marion Kelsven	1
Norma Bennett	3	Virginia Miller	3
Magdalene Brenner	3	Lydia Schindler	2
Ronda Brown	3	Mabel Stamm	3
Jennie Cline	0	Lillian Stone	3
Winetta Cline	3	Dorothy Tollen	2
Daisy Culwell	3	Eunice Vreugdenhil	2
Rosalind Yates	2		

DAILY PROCEEDINGS

The Women's Missionary Society of the Oregon Conference met for the opening of the sixty-third session on August 2, 1966.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Leona Bennett. Norma Bennett led the singing of "Blessed Tidings" and the theme song of "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling."

Mrs. Virginia Miller used various verses from Psalm 119:49-165 stressing the Word of God as the light for our lives for the devotional period.

The following executive committee report was read and adopted:

Courtesy	Rosalind Yates
Credentials	Ronda Brown, Daisy Culwell
Auditing	Kathleen Edwards, Louise Gross
Statistical	Marjorie Bacheller, Norma Bennett
Reporter	Virginia Miller
Plan of Work	Leona Bennett, Mabel Stamm
	Lillian Stone, Marion Kelsven,
	Eunice Vreugdenhil
Nominating	Lydia Schindler, Rosalind Yates,
	Virginia Miller, Helen Aarhus,
	Marie Englehart.

Motion carried that the first five seats on the south side of the tabernacle be designated as the bar.

Program schedule was distributed and adopted.

An offering of \$5.53 was taken for fruit for the worker's Cabins.

The following reports were read and adopted: President (Rpt. # 1) Magazine Solicitor (Rpt. # 2), W. W. F. Secretary (Rpt. # 3), Northern District Chairman (Rpt. # 4), Southern District chairman (Rpt. # 5), Literature Secretary (Rpt. # 6), And Work Director (Rpt. # 7).

Magazine Tag Day started by the distributing of lapel labels to each one present by the Literature Secretary, Lillian Stone.

A partial report on General Conference was given by Magdalene Brenner, Delegate to General Conference, closing in prayer.

Afternoon session called for 1:15 p.m.
Dismissed in prayer by Margaret McCarty.

Tuesday-August 2, 1966-1:15 p.m.

Meeting was opened by singing "Blessed Tidings" and "Hark, The Voice of Jesus Calling," led by Norma Bennett.

Courtesy Committee presented Mrs. Margaret McCarty, outgoing missionary to Sierra Leone, Africa. She brought to us the devotions using Psalm 139:17-18. As numerous as the grains of sand of the sea so are the Father's care and thoughts of us were facts brought forth.

Minutes were read and approved.

Roll was called with 19 present.

Orders of the day called for the election of officers. By proper procedure the following were elected:

President	Leona Bennett
Vice President	Virginia Miller
Secretary	Magdalene Brenner
Treasurer	Helen Aarhus
Y.M.W.B. Supt.	Marion Kelsven
Lit. Secretary	Lillian Stone
Mag. Solicitor	Evelyn Gjesdal
W.W.F. Secretary	Eunice Vreugdenhil
Work Director	Louise Gross
Hostess Chairman	Eunice Vreugdenhil
N. Dist. Chair.	Rosalind Yates
S. Dist. Chair.	Norma Bennett

The Auditing Committee report was read and adopted. (Rpt. #8)

The Treasurer's report was read and accepted with a rising vote of thanks. (Rpt. #9)

The Y.M.W.B. report was read. (Rpt. #10)

Partial report of the General Conference was given by Magdalene Brenner closing in prayer.

The Executive Committee report on finances was read and adopted as follows:

1. Recommend that the pledges be divided as:
 - a. 3/4 towards Sally Heer's support----Budget
 - b. 1/4 towards Conf. Church Extension--Non budget
2. Recommend that we pay \$40.00 towards dining hall expense from Dining Hall Fund.
3. Recommend that we give Margaret McCarty \$25.00 as an honorarium.

4. Recommend that we pay \$50.00 on the printing of the Conference minutes.
5. Recommend that we pay \$15.00 towards the amount given to the Children's worker during Conference and Camp.
6. Recommend that we pay \$10.00 towards the cost of playground equipment.

A letter from Sally and Franklin Heer of Colombia, South America, was read.

Meeting was closed in prayer.

Tuesday - 7:30 p.m.

The Public Missionary meeting was held Tuesday evening in the tabernacle with the President, Leona Bennett, presiding. David Gowan led the singing of "Faith is the Victory".

Special duet was sung by Miss Emily Bedient and David Gowan followed with prayer by Rev. Lorin Miller.

Mrs. Margaret McCarty gave glimpses of Sierra Leone, Africa, two years ago and what to expect now. Also she told a little background history of the girl's school at Kamabai in Africa where she will be stationed.

Rev. C. Wesley Lovin, Executive Secretary of Church Extension, brought a challenging message using John 6:5 as his text. He urged us to look at our cities and towns through the eyes of Jesus. Jesus looked and saw the people's need. In order to reach more people we are going to have to extend our churches.

An offering and pledges were taken by Rev. Douglas O. Bacheller.

Meeting was closed in prayer by Rev. Herman A. Smith.

Wednesday - August 3, 1966 - 3:00 p.m.

The minutes were read and approved.
Roll was called with 14 present.

The Statistical report (Rpt # 11) and the Plan of Work report (Rpt # 12) were read and accepted by motion.

Certificates were presented to the following Societies with 85% or more on the Efficiency Standard:

St. Johns
Salem
Emmanuel
Aumsville

The Literature Secretary, Lillian Stone, distributed materials to each local society.

A final report on General Conference by delegate was given.

The treasurer, Helen Aarhus, reported the amount of pledges made at the public meeting as \$1,636.00 and \$10.00 in cash.

Minutes were read and approved.

Meeting closed in prayer by Virginia Miller.

Report 1 - CONFERENCE PRESIDENT

"And he that reapeth receiveth wages, and gathereth fruit unto life eternal: that both he that soweth and he that reapeth may rejoice together." John 4:36. We do rejoice in each accomplishment of this past year. May our labors result in "Fruit Unto Life Eternal."

The activities of the year included following:

- Arranged for Sister Stark's visit to our Societies in October.
- Planned the Workshop for October 23, 1965, with Sister Helen Stark and Rev. C. W. Lovin as speakers.
- Worked with Sister Eva Anderson in the plans for the Northern District Rally at Russellville in January, with the Harry Shreve's as missionary speakers.
- Worked with the Pastors and W.M.S. presidents in behalf of the visitation of John Putney and Esther Smeenge in our conference in January and February.
- Enjoyed working in the planning and completion of the hospital project for Africa: a barrel of blankets, gowns and bandages. Thanks to the Conference Work Director and Emmanuel ladies for the packing and shipping.
- Attended General Conference Sessions at Houghton, N. Y., June 14-19.
- Arranged the visitation of the Chamberlins in July, helped them get clothing and other supplies for New Guinea.
- Met with the Bd. of Conference Ch. Ext. and Evang. four times, and three times with the Camp Bd.
- One W. M. S. Executive meeting was held in July.
- Fifty-six pieces of mail were sent in the interest of the conference. Seventeen toll calls were made.
- We are thankful to God for His help and to the Conference for its cooperation.

Respectfully submitted, Leona Bennett
W.M.S. President

Report 2 - WESLEYAN MISSIONARY SOLICITOR

<u>CHURCH</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>CHURCH</u>	<u>SUBSCRIPTIONS</u>
OR - 1		Aumsville	24
OR - 3		Emmanuel (Portland)	21
OR - 6		Russellville (Portland)	17
OR - 8		Salem	28
OR - 9		Seattle	15
OR - 10		St. Johns (Portland)	25
OR - 11		Vancouver	<u>17</u>
Total			147

Seventy-five pieces of correspondence have been mailed in the interest of "Wesleyan Missionary", and forty phone calls made.

I attended "Work-shop" at the Camp Grounds in October, and attended a number of Missionary meetings, this past year.

Congratulations to Russellville for their work, they were on the "honor roll" this year.

We had the increase of 5 new Subscriptions this past year, and there is good interest shown, and hope to have a good year again next year.

Respectfully submitted,
Evelyn Gjesdal
W.M. Mag. Solicitor

Report 3 - WOMENS' WORLD FELLOWSHIP

Name of Conference	Oregon
Number of Prayer Circles	6
Number of Prayer Partners	103
Number of World Missionaries Chosen	205
Number signing W. W. F. Covenant	36
Number participating in Bible Study	9
Number of societies observing monthly Prayer and Fast Day.	2
Number of Y. M. W. B. Prayer Partners	33

Respectfully submitted,
Eunice Vreugdenhil
W. W. F. Secretary

Report 4 - NORTHERN DISTRICT CHAIRMAN

We had a good year in the Northern District. There were two area rallies; one January 16, 1966, with Rev. and Mrs. Harry Shreve, missionaries from Formosa, and the Cuban Mission work in Florida. This was held at Russellville Church.

Emmanuel Church was host February 6, 1966, for an afternoon rally with

Rev. John Putney, South America; Miss Esther Smeenge, Africa; and Rev. Neal Phipps, missionary to the American Indian.

We were most thankful for the cooperation of the pastors and W.M.S. Presidents.

These were certainly times of enlarging our missionary vision and of giving us a greater prayer burden for the "lost".

Respectfully submitted,
Eva G. Anderson
Northern District Chairman

Report 5 - SOUTHERN DISTRICT CHAIRMAN

Approximately 35 women met at Salem to greet Mrs. Stark, General W.M.S. President, during her tour in October. Her visit was greatly appreciated and new women were reached.

Several from Aumsville were able to attend and lend their support to the Annual Missionary Convention at the Salem Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Marjorie Bacheller
Southern District Chairman

Report 6 - LITERATURE SECRETARY

Name of Conference	Oregon
Number reading six books	45
Number reading four books	10
Number reading 1-3 books	78
Number participating	127
Number of societies reading	7

Respectfully submitted,
Lillian V. Stone
Literature Secretary

Report 7 - CONFERENCE WORK DIRECTOR

We do thank the Lord for His presence with us in this work. We enjoy it and have quite a bit accomplished to my estimation.

We surely thank each society for such fine cooperation when the S.O.S. call was made for Africa including bandages, baby blankets, and gowns.

We obtained a steel barrel lid and rim, to be locked, given to us free of charge. The barrel was filled, sealed, and sent to New York to be taken by a nurse on her ticket after General Conference.

Now another barrel is being filled, by Conference time (August 1, 1966) to go with Sister McCarty to Africa.

We have sent letters to each local Work Director for much needed mattress covers for the mattresses at Camp.

Thanking each of you for being so faithful in our Missionary work.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Cecile Arnold
Conference Work Director

Report 8 - AUDITING COMMITTEE

We the Auditing Committee, have examined the Y. M. W. B. and W. M. S. Treasurer's books and have found them correct.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathleen Edwards
Louise Gross

Report 9 - TREASURER

Balance on hand July 29, 1965 \$ 207.61

Receipts:

Department of World Missions:

General	\$ 122.93	
Sally Heer Support	1,296.49	
South America	84.17	
Africa	95.19	
Bogota	91.25	
Haiti	15.00	
American Indian	146.84	
Custer Home	15.04	
Viola Gjesdal (P and F)	206.14	
Australia	9.00	
Medical Missions	23.00	
Mission Equipment	73.22	
White Christmas	146.35	
Miscellaneous W. M.	333.13	
Total World Missions		2,657.75

Church Extension and Evangelism

General	58.08
Card Call	33.00
Self Denial	196.58
Hephzibah	43.20

Honary Enrollment	29.58	
Education Budget	154.00	
General Dues	157.00	
Conference Working Fund	131.35	
Conference Extension	398.51	
American Bible Society	49.00	
Service Men's Commission	12.00	
Pension Fund	5.00	
Dining Hall Fund	22.00	
Total C.E.&E		1289.30
Total Cash Receipts		4154.66
Miscellaneous Vouchers & Receipts		<u>1115.94</u>
Total receipts		\$5270.60

Disbursements:

Department of World Missions:

General	122.93	
Sally Heer Support	1296.49	
South America	84.17	
Africa	95.19	
Bogota	91.25	
Haiti	15.00	
American Indian	146.84	
Custer Home	15.04	
Viola Gjesdal P&F	206.14	
Australia	9.00	
Medical Missions	23.00	
Mission Equipment	73.22	
White Christmas	146.35	
Miscellaneous W.M.	333.13	
Total for World Missions Disbursements:		2657.75

Church Extension & Evangelism

General	58.08	
Card Call	33.00	
Self-denial offering	196.58	
Hephzibah budget	43.20	
Honorary enrollment	29.58	
Education budget	154.00	
General dues	157.00	
Conference extension	398.51	
American Bible Society	49.00	
Service men's Commission	12.00	
Pension fund	5.00	
Neal Phipps (Speaker)	25.00	
Children's worker	15.00	
President's expense	5.75	
Meda Brenner	<u>1.69</u>	
Total C. Ext. & E.		1183.39

Total Cash Disbursements	\$3841.14
Miscellaneous Vouchers and Receipts	<u>1115.94</u>
Total disbursements	4957.08
Balance on hand July 29, 1966-working fund	261.24
Balance on hand July 29, 1966-Dining hall fund	<u>52.28</u>
	313.52

Receipts-	5270.60
Disbursements	<u>4957.08</u>
	\$ 313.52

Respectfully submitted,
Helen Aarhus
Treasurer

Report 10 - Y.M.W.B. SUPERINTENDENT

For Year 1965-1966

During the past year the work of the Y.M.W.B. has been carried on in each of our churches. There have been some hindrances which prevented some of the Bands from carrying on full scale activities, but the local Superintendents have carried on the work of missions among our children as they could, for which we are grateful. Most of all we are grateful for the Lord's workings in hearts and lives.

Salem was the only Honor Band this year, having the required 100% efficiency rating. As a conference we had a slight drop in membership to a total of active and honorary members of 308. We failed to surpass last year's giving, so did not achieve Honor Roll status.

It was not possible for me to spend much time in Band promotion this year, which could account for our lack of gains. Surely this is a factor in promoting God's work, but as we diligently seek God's help in this important phase of the work, we may go forward in the knowledge that He is faithful to help in the advancement of His kingdom.

Respectfully submitted,
Marion Kelsven
Y.M.W.B. Superintendent

Balance on hand July 20, 1965	\$26.11
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Receipts:	
World Missions	\$203.52
Taiwan	19.83
Honduras	16.90
Africa	27.42
Brooks, Florida	2.90

Brainerd	11.00
Hephzibah	5.00
Church Extension	22.51
Education	85.76
Desk fund	<u>10.22</u>

Total Receipts	<u>437.87</u>
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Grand Total	\$463.98
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Disbursements:

To Mrs. Kindley, General Superintendent:

World Missions	203.52
Taiwan	19.83
Honduras	16.90
Africa	27.42
Brooks, Florida	2.90
Brainerd	11.00
Hephzibah	5.00
Church Extension	22.51
Education	<u>85.76</u>

Total to Mrs. Kindley:	<u>427.65</u>
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Stamps and envelopes	<u>2.63</u>
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Total Disbursements:	\$430.28
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Balance on hand July 15, 1966	33.70
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Respectfully submitted,
Marion Kelsven
Y.M.W.B. Superintendent

Report 11 - STATISTICAL

<u>SOCIETY</u>	Active Mem.	Honorary	Gain	Loss	Total Mtgs. Held	Wes. Miss. Subscriptions	Efficiency Stnd.	Missionaries Supported	No. boxes	No. Pounds
Aumsville	17	3	0	1	19	24	88%	0	9	25
Emmanuel	20	4	2	0	15	24	92%	0	14	16
Russellville	13	6	0	2	34	17	79%	0	12	39
Salem	16	2	0	0	24	28	92%	0	3	22
St. Johns	27	7	2	0	18	25	89%	0	4	0
Seattle	12	0	2	0	21	13	73%	0	0	0
Vancouver	14	7	1	0	27	17	83%	0	0	21
Total	119	29	7	3	158	148		0	42	123

<u>SOCIETY</u>	Membership Dues	Offerings	Memorials	Voucher Receipts	Total receipts for year	Old balance	Grand total
Aumsville	19.00	244.85		68.45	332.30	3.90	336.20
Emmanuel	34.00	324.57	5.00	268.12	631.69	42.71	674.40
Russellville	19.00	446.29	15.00	352.83	833.12	37.77	870.89
Salem	18.00	620.00		614.00	1252.00	21.47	1273.47
St. Johns	34.00	707.68	5.00	41.42	788.10		788.10
Seattle	12.00	391.78		292.05	695.83	33.05	728.88
Vancouver	21.00	339.44		20.50	380.94		380.94
Total	157.00	3074.61	25.00	1657.37	4913.98	138.90	5052.88

<u>SOCIETY</u>	World Missions (General)	Am. Indians (Brainerd)	Australia	Med. Missions	Mission Equip.	White Christmas	Church Ext. (Card Call)	Self Denial	Hephzibah	Education	Honorary En- rollment
Aumsville	151.65	17.50	5.50	5.00	5.00	10.00	30.00	10.00	9.10	10.00	2.00
Emmanuel	143.25	244.14		3.00		31.05	11.73	45.58	5.00		23.00
Russellville	297.07	184.08		3.00	6.80	15.28	17.00	38.43	81.32	26.00	
Salem	700.25	75.30		3.00	56.32	27.00	38.00	33.50	5.00	44.00	14.58
St. Johns	358.75	52.04		3.00		21.60	10.00	23.43	5.00	48.00	4.00
Seattle	326.44	184.05		3.00		20.00	18.00	18.50	5.00	10.00	
Vancouver	110.68	44.40	3.50	3.00	5.10	21.42	34.35	27.14	5.00	16.00	9.00
<u>Total</u>	2098.09	801.51	9.00	23.00	73.22	146.35	159.08	196.58	115.42	154.00	52.58

<u>SOCIETY</u>	General dues	Conf. working fund	Conf. Ext.	Comm. Missions	Local Ch. work	Other objects	Total disbursements	New balance	Grand Total
Aumsville	19.00	14.00	6.50		15.95	15.00	326.20	10.00	336.20
Emmanuel	34.00	14.00	37.75		68.92		661.42	12.98	674.40
Russellville	19.00	13.00	7.84		42.87	60.58	812.27	58.62	870.89
Salem	18.00	16.00	169.75			59.96	1260.66	12.81	1273.47
Seattle	12.00	12.00	42.50		29.60	25.52	706.61	22.27	728.88
St. Johns	34.00	34.00	111.25	6.00	30.93	36.10	788.10		788.10
Vancouver	21.00	21.00	22.92			15.48	359.99	20.95	380.94
<u>Total</u>	157.00	124.00	398.51	6.00	188.27	212.64	4915.25	137.63	5052.88

Report 12 - PLAN OF WORK

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It is recommended that the LOCAL W.M.S.--

Credit points

I. INFORMATION

A. Wesleyan Missionary

1. --participate in Wesleyan Missionary subscription campaign month. 3
2. --have the equivalent of at least 75% of active society membership (and including all executive officers) as subscribers. 4
3. --solicitor achieve a net gain in subscriptions, striving to secure all renewals and using assigned conference-church key and zip codes when remitting subscriptions to Wesley Press. (See also Reports under Organization.) 5

B. Other Literature

1. --provide a missionary library adding at least the reading course books each year. 2
2. --have the equivalent of at least 10% of the active membership read all the reading course books annually. 2
3. --subscribe to and use The Guide as program source material. 2
4. --reading course secretary promote the reading course and circulate books. (See also Reports under Organization.) 2

C. Conventions

- sponsor a local annual missionary convention which may be the round-robin type, rotating a team of speakers among several cooperating churches. Or participate in conference-sponsored deputational tour. 3

D. Posters

- participate in conference-sponsored poster display in accordance with specifications in WMS Manual. 2

II. DEVOTION

A. Fast and Prayer Day

- observe a monthly day of fasting and prayer in the interest of Wesleyan World Missions and Church Extension. (Minimum of 10). 3

B. Women's World Fellowship

1. --WWF secretary promote the general WWF program, namely, prayer circles and neighborhood or other Bible studies (preferable on Tuesdays), and witnessing. 3
2. --WWF secretary encourage each member (active and honorary) to choose a world missionary partner and earnestly support him by prayer daily throughout the year. 3
3. --WWF secretary urge each member to use, in daily prayer, the monthly prayer calendar page and the listing of national workers in the July-August Wesleyan Missionary. 3

III. SERVICE

A. Community Missions

1. --participate in Community Missions at least during March (Focus Month) conducting, under the supervision of the Vice President, an aggressive soul-winning campaign, with tract and Scripture distribution. 2

2. --engage in community relief work, under the supervision of the work director, (food or clothing), reporting same according to conference recommendations. 1
- B. Extended Outreach (Also under supervision of the Work Director)
 1. --inquire into needs of Hephzibah Children's Home and send supplies and/or coupons, and/or trading stamps. 1
 2. --assist Wesleyan Indian Missions or World Relief Commission of the NAE as suggested in WMS Manual with reusable clothing and/or cash send through regular channels, or give clothing to other worthy outlets. 1
 3. --collect and send commemorative and foreign stamps to American Bible Society as suggested in WMS Manual.
- IV. FINANCE (See WMS Manual for instruction on approved methods of fund raising.)
 - A. Operations
 1. --raise and remit to conference WMS treasurer by conference fiscal date-line:

Dues <u>per member</u>	\$1	
Conference Working Fund	As assessed	2
General Church Extension (budget credit)	\$5 or more	2
Hephzibah (budget credit)	\$5 or more	2
Medical Missions	\$3 or more	2
Self-Denial Offering		2
White Gift Christmas Offering		2
Educational Offering		2
Mission Equipment (dime strips)		2
American Bible Society Offering (through regular channels)		2
 2. --encourage Card Call participation 2
 3. --set reasonable amount to be raised during year for World Missions general fund and/or Church Extension and Evangelism general fund, attaining goal and remitting same to conference WMS treasurer. 5
 4. --adopt approved World Missions and/or Church Extension and/or Educational project(s), set and attain reasonable goal for year and remit same to conference WMS treasurer. (This may be participation in a conference project for the above departments.) 2
 5. --make financial provision for president, (or vice president), delegate, and YMWB superintendent to attend conference. 2
 - B. Gains
 - show an increase in cash receipts grand total. 3
- V. ORGANIZATION
 - A. Meetings
 1. --have a minimum of 10 meetings during the year at which time the missionary challenge is presented and business transacted. 2
 2. --arrange with pastor and hold one missionary prayer meeting for entire church each month. (Minimum of 10.) 2
 3. --officers hold an annual planning session, preferable before the first meeting after conference, at which they will de-

cide methods and times for carrying out the "local" section of the Plan of Work and the conference plan of Work.	2
B. Membership	
--show gain in membership.	3
C. Reports	
1. --send annual statistical report to conference statistician before date-line set by conference.	2
2. --executive committee assess rating of local society by this Plan of Work and report same on annual statistical blank. (All items are to be reckoned according to conference fiscal dates.)	2
3. --Wesleyan Missionary solicitor submit reports to conference (or district) solicitor at close of each quarter using report cards provided.	2
4. --reading course secretary report to conference reading course secretary by January 15.	2
5. --WWF secretary report to conference WWF secretary at end of fiscal year.	2
D. Representation	
1. --elect delegate who shall attend conference.	2
2. --have newly elected president (or vice president if necessary) attend conference.	2
3. --have YMWB superintendent attend conference.	2

TOTAL	100
Honor Roll	85

VI. LOCAL CONFERENCE WORK

- A. That a monthly offering for Viola Gjesdal, at the descretion of the local society, be sent to the Conference WMS Treasurer.
- B. The new officers and delegates names to be send to the Conference President immediately after election.
- C. That an offering be sent by each society, to be used for dining hall supplies.
- D. That each society inquire into the meeds of Mission Stations and the orphanage before sending used clothing. That no monetary value be placed on same; boxes of merchandise be reported as monetary and the society evaluate same. The voucher evaluation signed by the missionary to be forwarded to the Conference WMS Treasurer for proper receipting.
- E. That all projects for the Conference WMS shall be approved by the WMS executive board.
- F. That each Society sponsor one or more local projects during the year and, if possible, bring sample for display at Conference for the purpose of sharing ideas.
- G. That each society participate in Conference sponsored poster display. To stimulate enthusiasm awards shall be given for the best posters.
- H. Recommended that each society in cooperation with their work director be sure that such society is represented by one or more at the camp work day.

Respectfully submitted,
 Leona Bennett, Mabel Stamm, Lillian Stone,
 Marion Kelsven, Eunice Vreugdenhil

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ROLL

Gordon Bennett	2	Ken Sjodin	0	Jean Paulson	1
David Gowan	2	Linda Dean	2	Carolyn Gross	2
Pam Jensen	2	Marilyn Bennett	2	Emily Bedient	2
Carol Sloan	2	David Brenner	2	Grace Larson	2
Karen Schindler	0	Jerry Sloan	2	Lois Medders	2
Jim Tollen	2	Wayne Campbell	2	Dave Smith	0
Paul Campbell	2	Joel Cline	2	D. O. Bacheller	2
Judy Matthiessen	2	Virginia Jensen	2	L. C. Bennett	1
Ronda Brown	2	Gwen Paulson	1	I. C. Gross	1

DAILY PROCEEDINGS

Meeting #1-Saturday-July 23, 1966-10:00 a.m.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Gordon Bennett. He then read the Sunday School lesson for the following Sunday titled "Mean What You Say."

Dave Gowan led in prayer.

Gordon Bennett welcomed all W.Y. to conference.

Standing Rule #3 which states that the Conference Bar consists of the first four benches and table at the north end front of the tabernacle was discussed. Motion was made and carried to strike out Standing Rule #3 and that the first six rows of the south end front of tabernacle serve as this year's conference bar.

Roll call was taken from list of delegates and officers. Corrections were made.

Motion was made and carried to seat pastors in the Conference Bar.

It was moved and seconded to accept agenda for conference sessions. Motion carried.

Motion was made and carried to approve session committees after corrections were made where necessary because of absence of delegates. Session committees which were appointed by the president were as follows:

Credential Committee	Judy Matthiessen
	Linda Dean
	Joel Cline
Resolutions Committee	Ronda Brown
	Jerry Sloan
	Marilyn Bennett
	Emily Bedient
Finance and Apportionment	Carol Sloan
	Wayne Campbell
Auditing Committee.	Lois Medders
	Virginia Jensen
	Grace Larson
Statistical Committee	Dave Gowan
	Gwen Paulson
	David Brenner
Traveling Trophy Committee. . . .	Paul Campbell
	Carolyn Gross
	Jim Tollen
	Pam Jensen

The president brought to the attention of the body that the nominating committee should be nominated and elected by the conference body. Discussion followed. Motion was made to elect a committee of three to serve as a nominating committee. Motion seconded and carried. Nominations for members of committee followed. Dave Gowan, Emily Bedient and Marilyn Bennett were elected by parliamentary procedure with Dave Gowan acting as chairman.

Motion was made and supported to adjourn first session. Motion carried.

Meeting #2-Saturday-July 23, 1966-1:30p.m.

President Gordon Bennett called the meeting to order.

Dave Gowan led the group in some choruses.

Roll call was taken.

Minutes were read and approved.

The president read his report to the body. It was moved and seconded that this report be accepted. Motion carried. (Rpt. #1)

Treasurer's report was read. Motion made and seconded to accept this report. It was brought to the attention of the chair that the Auditing Committee's report should be read before treasurer's report be accepted. An amendment was made to previous motion to defer the acceptance of the treasurer's report until after Auditing Committee's report was read.

Auditing Committee report was read by Lois Medders.

Vote followed to accept treasurer's report. (Rpt. #2)

Motion was made and carried to accept Auditing Committee report. (Rpt.#3)

The Conference Sales Manager's report was read by the president in the absence of the Sales Manager. Motion was made to receive the report after corrections were made. (Rpt. #4)

The Credentials Committee report was read by Judy Matthiessen. Motion was made to accept report. Seconded and carried. (Rpt. #5)

Election of officers followed, beginning with a nominating ballot for president. Dave Gowan and Gordon Bennett were nominated. Dave Gowan was elected president for the coming year.

Gordon Bennett as out-going president expressed his appreciation for the cooperation he received while in office.

The Nominating Committee report was read by Marilyn Bennett. Report was accepted with the privilege of further nominations from the floor. (Rpt.#6)

The remaining officers were elected by parliamentary procedure. They were as follows:

Vice President Jim Tollen
Secretary Pam Jensen
Treasurer Carol Sloan
Sales Manager Ronda Brown
Conference reporter. . Lois Medders

Meeting was recessed to the call of the chair.

Conference reconvened at 3:30 p.m. by declaration of the president.

The Apportionment Committee report was read by Carol Sloan. It was moved and seconded to accept report. Discussion followed on how apportionment was drawn up. Motion was carried. (Rpt. #7)

The Statistical report was read by David Brenner. Report was accepted. (Rpt. #8)

Traveling Trophy Committee report was read by Paul Campbell. Motion was made and seconded to accept report. Discussion followed. Motion carried. (Rpt. #9)

The Resolutions Committee report was read by Ronda Brown. Motion was made and carried to accept this report. Secretary was instructed to send a copy of this report to each local youth group. (Rpt. #10)

Dave Gowan and Gordon Bennett gave reports on General Conference. Their reports were very interesting and informative.

Pam Jensen read the Plan of Work Committee report. It was moved and supported to accept this report. Motion carried. (Rpt. #11)

It was moved and supported to pay \$25.00 to Conference Treasurer to cover the cost of having the youth conference minutes published with the Conference Minutes. Motion carried.

A suggestion was made that the Wesleyan Youth extend greetings to the Pilgrim Holiness Youth. A motion was made and seconded that the conference secretary extend fraternal greetings to the Pilgrim Holiness Youth. Discussion followed. Previous motion was withdrawn. Motion was then made that Dave Gowan, as next year's president try to call the Pilgrim Holiness Youth and extend greetings. Motion seconded and carried.

It was moved and seconded that the conference body give a standing ovation to out-going president Gordon Bennett. Motion carried. Ovation followed. Gordon thanked the youth.

The president laid special emphasis on the Wesleyan Youth Magazine and urged each member to subscribe and encourage others to subscribe. President entertained a motion to adjourn. Motion made and carried. Meeting was adjourned by the president.

Respectfully submitted,
Pam Jensen
Oregon Youth Conference Secretary

Report 1 - PRESIDENT

It has been a pleasure serving Wesleyan Youth again this year. The past year has been a very busy one, and I wish I could have spent more time for W.Y. Many things intruded, such as Oral and Comprehensive Exams at Willamette University. All worked out well though and I received my B.A. on May 23.

Highlights of the year: (1) Working with the Executive Council (2) Young married coupled outing (3) Youth Retreat at the coast (4) Chittum Chop (5) Rallies at Vancouver, Emmanuel and Salem (6) Graduation Banquet (7) Attending General Conference.

I am happy to announce that Vancouver is now a fully organized local. Congratulations to them!

Executive Council meetings were held Aug. 1, Aug. 8, Aug. 13, Oct. 3, Oct. 30, 1965 Feb. 20, and April 6, 1966.

Thanks to everyone who has helped to make this a successful year, and thanks be to God for His many blessings.

Gordon Bennett
Conference W.Y. President

Report 2 - TREASURER

July 10, 1966

Balance brought forward \$ 43.38

Receipts:

World Missions	\$ 55.68	
Conference Dues.	61.24	
General Dues	120.63	
Area Dues	5.50	
Youth Project.	138.04	
Special Offerings.	220.65	
Education.	18.00	
Snack Bar.	191.17	
Miltonvale Wesleyan College.	89.17	
Miscellaneous.	<u>2.00</u>	
Total Receipts	\$902.08	<u>902.08</u>
Total Receipts plus balance brought forward. \$945.45		

Disbursements:

World Missions	\$105.68	
Youth Project.	69.02	
Education.	18.00	
Conference Youth Promotion	221.37	
General Dues	120.63	
Area Dues.	5.50	
Snack Bar.	162.55	
Miscellaneous.	3.60	
Miltonvale Wesleyan College.	100.00	
Sally Heer	34.51	
Viola Gjesdal.	<u>34.51</u>	
Total Disbursements	\$875.37	<u>875.37</u>
Balance on Hand.		<u>\$ 70.09</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Carol L. Sloan
Wesleyan Youth Treasurer

Report 3 - AUDITING

Mr. President, Pastors, and Wesleyan Youth Delegates,

We, the Auditing Committee, have checked the books of the Conference Wesleyan Youth Treasurer and have found them accurate.

We wish to commend the treasurer for the neatness and legibility of her work.

Respectfully submitted,
Lois Medders, Chairman
Virginia Jensen, Grace Larson

Report 4 - SALES MANAGER

July 23, 1966

Aumsville	6
Emmanuel	7
Russellville	6
Salem	13
Seattle	6
St. Johns	6
Vancouver	6

Karen Schindler
Conference Sales Manager

Report 5 - CREDENTIALS

The Credentials Committee met and approved delegate credentials for the 1966 Wesleyan Youth Conference.

Respectfully submitted,
Judy Matthiessen, Chairman
Linda Dean
Joel Cline

Report 6 - NOMINATING

We, the Nominating Committee, do hereby submit this report:

Vice President	James Tollen
	David Gowan
Secretary	Pam Jensen
Treasurer	Carol Sloan
WY Sales Manager	Ronda Brown
	Alleen Porter
Conference Reporter.	Gwen Paulson

Respectfully submitted,
David Gowan
Emily Bedient
Marilyn Bennett

Report 7 - APPORTIONMENT

We, the Apportionment Committee, have met and propose that the following division of Conference Dues be set for the coming year:

Youth Promotion and Project	\$.65
General W.Y. Dues	2.00
Area Dues	.20
Youth Camp Fund	<u>.50</u>
	\$3.35

Respectfully submitted,
Carol Sloan
Wayne Campbell

Report 8 - STATISTICAL

	Active Members	Assoc. Mem.	Wesleyan Youth	Readers Club Mem.	A Rating	B Rating	C Rating	Blue Seal	General Dues	Conf. Dues	Education	World Missions
Aumsville	15	2	6	0			X		13.40			
Emmanuel	16	7	7	10				X	41.10	87.50	15.00	420.74
Russellville	14		6					X				
Salem	20	0	13	0				X	40.00	27.00	18.00	7.60
Seattle	10	9	6	0				X	.80	16.00		
St. Johns		20	6					X				
Vancouver	10	1	6					X	17.12	9.45	14.00	5.64
Total	85	39	50	10					112.42	139.95	47.00	434.07
	Church Ext. & Evang.	Youth Week Offering	Local Work		Other	Total Rec. plus bal.	Total Disb.	Cash on Hand				
Aumsville	3.00		6.13		18.04	40.57	40.57					
Emmanuel		13.84	81.95			713.70	660.13	53.57				
Russellville												
Salem	2.00		98.37		56.00	273.27	249.06	24.21				
Seattle					35.00	62.51	51.80	10.71				
St. Johns					25.00							
Vancouver					36.09	1186.39	86.34	4.04				
Total	5.00	13.84	186.45		170.13	1176.39	1083.86	93.53				

Report 9 - TRAVELING TROPHY

We, the Traveling Trophy Committee suggest that these changes be made in the point system at our rallies.

- 1-Executive officers of the conference be lowered from 50 to 25 points.
- 2-Only one adult counselor is to be counted.
- 3-If one person serves as both Secretary and Treasurer he is counted as two (2).
- 4-Each mile traveled shall be given 3 points in place of one.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul Campbell
Carolyn Gross
Pam Jensen
James L. Tollen

Report 10 - RESOLUTIONS

We, the Resolutions' Committee of the Oregon Wesleyan Youth Conference, do hereby resolve:

I. As individual WY members:

- a. That we conduct our lives in accordance with the standards set forth in the Bible.
- b. That we are daily assured of God's will through prayer and Bible study.
- c. That we avail ourselves of every God-given opportunity to witness to others and lead them to Christ.
- d. That we fully support the Wesleyan Youth as well as the total program of the church.

II. As local WY's:

- a. That our plan of work be Christ-centered and conducive to Christian growth.
- b. That we encourage the planning of Christian social activities.
- c. That we support the activities of the conference WY and strive for a spirit of unity.
- d. That this report be read quarterly and posted.

Respectfully submitted,
Ronda Brown
Jerry Sloan
Emily Bedient
Marilyn Bennett

Report 11 - PLAN OF WORK

We, the Plan of Work Committee, met and proposed the following activities and projects for the coming conference year.

- 1-Propose an unmarried youth retreat and a young married couples' retreat to be planned at a later date.
- 2-Continue matching conference aid fund for M.W.C.
- 3-Graduation Banquet
- 4-Fifth Sunday Rallies
 - October-St. Johns
 - January-Russellville
 - April-Seattle
- 5-Propose to take pledges for conference youth project.
 - $\frac{1}{2}$ -camp improvement
 - specifically, drinking fountain, wash basin and running water in Snack Shop.
 - $\frac{1}{2}$ -world missions
 - Viola Gjesdal
 - Sally Heer
- 6-Recommend a Conference Youth Paper with the Conference Reporter as editor.

Respectfully submitted,
Dave Gowan
Jim Tollen
Pam Jensen
Carol Sloan
Ronda Brown

STANDING RULES - W. Y.

1. The chair shall appoint the Conference session committees.
2. The Conference W.Y. Treasurer shall surrender books and bank balance to the new treasurer at the close of the Conference.
3. The Executive Council shall be the plan of work committee. They shall bring a projected budget and work plan to the first session of the Youth Conference.
4. The Conference W.Y. Treasurer shall close his books on July 10th.

17. Churches shall give consideration to the payment of pastor's utilities and a gasoline allowance. When these are paid they shall be reported in Item VII of the pastor's Statistical report of separate lines. When the parsonage is used for Sunday School and other church activities, the pastor and board of stewards shall agree on the proportion of the total utilities to be reckoned as used by the pastor.
18. The Ministerial Institute Committee be comprised of three members elected with terms of office to expire on alternating years similar to that of trustees. (Minutes 1962)
19. It shall be the duty of the Conference President and the Secretary to arrange for the printing of the Conference Minutes and Reports.
20. The publication of a Conference Paper shall be placed in the hands of a committee consisting of the Conference President and two persons elected by the Conference. This committee shall select an Editor and Publisher and arrange for the financing of said paper.
21. The Conference President's report shall include a statement of all official acts, a summary of church business meetings held, personnel and phone consultations, and a financial statement listing gifts, marriage and funeral fees received and travel and office expense.
22. The C.C.E.&E. Committee shall be designated as a Board of Managers.
23. The President and Secretary of the Annual Conference, upon proper authorization by the Conference Board of Trustees of the Oregon Annual Conference in session, shall be empowered to sign any notes, mortgages, and any instruments of acquisitions or conveyances of property of and for the Oregon Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America.
24. All property that is held by the Conference shall be deeded to the Oregon Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America, Inc. (Not to the Trustees of the Oregon Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America, Inc.)
25. Each church shall elect its delegates to the Annual Conference at the third quarterly business meeting.
26. The Apportionment Committee (2 members), Comm. on Religious Services (2 members), Auditing Committee (2 Members), Statistical Committee (2 members), Resolutions Committee (2 members), be standing committees. These committees will function prior to and during the conference session following their election, whether their members are seated in the conference bar as delegates or not. When a committee member is unable to attend the session or act on his particular committee, he shall notify the Committee on Vacancies and that Committee shall designate a replacement. The standing committees shall do as much work as feasible prior to the convening of conference. The above named committees to be elected from the floor during the election of conference officers.
27. Recommended that unleavened bread be used in communion services.
28. Whereas it seems advisable for our churches and conference to provide some type of hospitalization insurance for the church's economy and the pastor's well being, we recommend that all our pastors be included in a group hospitalization program now under operation in the Kansas Conference with the Brotherhood Mutual Ins. Co. of Fort Wayne, Indiana.
Be it further recommended that each church pay at least one-half of the pastor's premium.
29. The Annual Conference and Camp Meeting shall be held the fourth full week in July (See report number 15).

Committee to prepare and publish Journal:
 C. Wesley Lovin
 Ira C. Gross
 David L. Gowan