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## TO WHOM SHALL WE PAY:

1. Camp Meeting Pledges? **Rev. Lloyd W. King, Ontario, Wisconsin, R. F. D.**
2. Church Budget? Foreign Missions, Home Missions, Orphanage, Education, President's Salary, Conference Building Fund, Conference Missions for Evangelism, (except what is sent through channels of the W.M.S., Y.M.W.B., and W.Y.P.S., see items 3, 4, 5)? **Rev. Ernest Freibel, Stone Lake, Wisconsin.**
3. All monies raised by the W.M.S.? **Miss Esther Johnson, 35 W. Marshall, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.**
4. All money raised by the Y.M.W.B.? **Mrs. Charles H. Butcher, 742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wisconsin.**
5. All money raised by the W.Y.P.S.? **Miss Beulah Butcher, Hillsboro, Wisconsin.**
6. All money raised by the Sunday School (including budget for Connectional Sunday School)? **Rev. Robert Thrasher, Stone Lake, Wisc.**
7. Superannuated Ministers' Funds? **Rev. I. J. Butcher, Hillsboro, Wisconsin.**
8. **ALL TREASURERS' BOOKS TO CLOSE JUNE 15, 1953.**
9. **W. Y. P. S. Business Conference—First Monday of Camp.**
10. **W.M.S. Conference—July 21, 1953.**
11. **1953 Conference to be at Burr Campground, July 20, 1953.**
12. **Conference Minutes \$1.00 per copy payable to the Conference Treasurer, Rev. Ernest Freibel, Stone Lake, Wisconsin.**

## CONFERENCE CALENDAR

Month	Week	Sunday School	Y.M.W.B.	W.M.S.	W.Y.P.S.	Church
July	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering			Education Offering	Pray and Fast each Friday Noon
August	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering				Pray and Fast each Friday Noon
September	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering		Quarterly Report and Money	Connectional Dues General Fund	News to "Wis. Wesleyan" Conference Work Offering, Sept. 14, 1952 Apportion Budget and send in Pray and Fast each Friday Noon Northern Fellowship Gathering
October	1 2 3 4	Quarterly Report Home Missions Offering	Quarterly Report Home Missions Offering	Harvest Home Gifts and Offering	Conf. Miss. for Evangelism Budget	Missionary Board Meeting—1st Tuesday Pray and Fast each Friday Noon Ministerial Institute Southern Fellowship Gathering Subscription Campaign
November	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering Thanksgiving Offering		Thank Offering		Pray and Fast each Friday Noon News to "Wis. Wesleyan"
December	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering Quarterly Report	Quarterly Report	Orphanage Quarterly Report and Money		Pray and Fast each Friday Noon Apportion Budget and send in
January	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering			Membership Drive Wesleyan Youth Sub. Youth Week	Pray and Fast each Friday Noon Northern Fellowship Gathering News to "Wis. Wesleyan"
February	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering Conn. Dues 5c per mem.				Pray and Fast each Friday Noon
March	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering Quarterly Report	Quarterly Report	Quarterly Report and Money	W.Y.P.S. Camp Worker's Offering	Apportion Budget and send in Pray and Fast each Friday Noon
April	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering Easter Offering	Educational Offering	Self-Denial Offering		Pray and Fast each Friday Noon Southern Fellowship Gathering News to "Wis. Wesleyan"
May	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering Foreign Missions Off.		Conf. Miss. for Evangelism		Pray and Fast each Friday Noon Announce vote for Pastor Camp Offering and Pledges Pastor and Stewards set Pastor's Salary
June	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Offering All money and receipts sent to Secretary Annual Report	Annual Report Election of Officers	Election of Officers Conf. Table—50c mem. Reports sent in	Report sent in Wesleyan Youth Drive Election of Officers	Vote for Pastor by June 7, 1953 Send money & receipts to Treas. June 15 Apportion Budget Del. Cred. Conf. Secy. Pray and Fast each Friday Noon

# Wisconsin Conference

## OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE

President Emeritus—Rev. J. B. Clawson, 821 Scribner, Spooner, Wisc.  
President—Rev. Loring H. Peterson, Hayward, Wisconsin.  
Vice President—Rev. Robert Mattke, Hayward, Wisconsin.  
Secretary—Rev. Sylvia Lee, Hillsboro, R. F. D. 2.  
Treasurer—Rev. Ernest Friebe, Stone Lake, Wisconsin.  
Sunday School Treasurer—Rev. Robert Thrasher, Stone Lake, Wisconsin.  
Tithing Secretary—Rev. Carl Holder, Gillingham, Wisconsin.  
Wesleyan Men's Fellowship Secretary—Gilbert Mortimer, Eau Claire, Wisconsin.  
Educational Secretary—Rev. H. L. Johnson, 445 Maxwell, Baraboo, Wisc.  
Secretary of Evangelism and Prayer Band—Rev. Tilman Hicks, Markville, Minnesota, R. F. D.  
Card Call Secretary—Rev. Lloyd Poe, Wonewoc, R. F. D.  
Child Evangelism Secretary—Mrs. Lois Peterson, 615 N. Richmond, Appleton, Wisconsin.  
Burial Association Secretary—Rev. Clarence Titus, Irish Road, R. D. 3, Madison, Wisconsin.  
Statistical Secretary—Virgil Jones, 3207 Locust Lane, Eau Claire, Wisc.  
Representative on Local Board of Managers of Miltonvale—Rev. Lloyd King, Ontario. (until 1955 Conference)

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Lloyd W. King .....	Term expires in 1953
Emerson Budde .....	Term expires in 1953
Clarence Mason .....	Term expires in 1954
John C. Lang .....	Term expires in 1954
Joseph B. Clawson .....	Term expires in 1955

## ADVISORY BOARD

Rev. Robert Mattke; Mack Budde

## STANDING COMMITTEES

Judiciary Committee—I. J. Butcher, 1956; J. B. Clawson, 1955; Lloyd W. King, 1953; David Peterson, 1954.  
Itineracy and Orders—Mrs. J. B. Clawson, 1956; Robert Mattke, 1953; Esther Johnson, 1954; Coral Butcher, 1955.  
Conference Camp Meeting Board—Mack Budde, 1956; Mrs. J. B. Clawson, 1953; Harry Johnson, 1954; Clarence Mason, 1955.  
Northern Camp Meeting Board—Bertha Gourd, 1955; L. W. King, 1953; Charles Bakke, 1954.

**OTHER COMMITTEES**

Conference Sunday School Board—Robert Thrasher, Secretary; Josephine King, Harry Johnson.

Missionary Board—Loring Peterson, Chairman; Mrs. Harry Johnson, W.M.S. President; Robert Mattke, W.Y.P.S. President; C. H. Butcher, I. J. Butcher, Charles Bakke.

Committee on Vacancies—Harry Johnson, Chairman; Robert Mattke, J. B. Clawson, Dolph Mortimer, Mack Budde.

Superannuated Ministers' Board—J. B. Clawson, Chairman; I. J. Butcher, Treasurer; Charles Finley.

1953 Conf. Nominating Committee—Loring Peterson, Chairman and first member; Harry Johnson; David Peterson, J. B. Clawson, I. J. Butcher

**OFFICERS OF THE WISCONSIN CAMP MEETING  
ASSOCIATION**

President—Rev. Loring H. Peterson, Hayward, Wisconsin.

Vice President—Rev. Carl Holder, Gillingham, Wisconsin.

Secretary—Rev. I. J. Butcher, Hillsboro, Wisconsin.

Treasurer—Rev. Lloyd W. King, Ontario, Wisconsin, R. F. D.

Camp Chairman—Rev. Carl Holder, Gillingham, Wisconsin.

# Conference Roll

## Elders on the Stationed List

Buck, Russel .....Richland Center, Wis., R. F. D.  
Butcher, C. H. ....742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.  
Butcher, Coral .....742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.  
Butcher, I. J. ....Hillsboro, Wisconsin  
Butcher, Orval .....742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.  
Clawson, J. B. ....821 Ccribner, Spooner, Wis. Tele. 212J  
Clawson, J. R. ....Spooner, Wis.  
Fegan, Robert .....Clarksfield, Minnesota  
Friebel, Ernest .....Stone Lake, Wis.  
Hahn, G. M. ....35 W. Marshall, Rice Lake, Wis.  
Hahn, Marie .....35 W. Marshall, Rice Lake, Wis.  
Heavilin, Alice Mae ...170 10th St., Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.  
Heavilin, Ronald .....170 10th St., Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.  
Holder, Carl .....Gillingham, Wis.  
Johnson, Esther .....35 W. Marshall, Rice Lake, Wis.  
Johnson, Harry L. ....445 Maxwell St., Baraboo, Wis.  
Johnson, Harold .....2613 Chome, Itabashi-machi, Itabashi-Ku; Tokyo  
Japan  
Hicks, Tilman .....Markville, Minnesota, R. F. D.  
Keller, Harold .....Station B. Superior, Wisconsin  
Kauffman, Grace .....Yerington, Nevada  
King, Lloyd W. ....Ontario, Wis., R. F. D.  
King, Josephine .....Ontario, Wis.  
Lee, Sylvia .....Hillsboro, Wis., R. F. D. 2  
Markee, William .....Cameron, Wis.  
Mason, Clarence .....General Delivery, Janesville, Wis.  
Mattke, Robert .....Hayward, Wis.  
Parker, Wilma .....318 Phipps, Rice Lake, Wis.  
Peterson, David .....615 N. Richmond, Appleton, Wis. Tele 4-2498  
Peterson, Loring .....Hayward, Wis.  
Poe, Lloyd .....Wonewoc, Wis. R. F. D.  
Thrasher, Robert .....Stone Lake, Wis.  
Titus, Clarence .....Irish Road, R. F. D. 3, Madison, Wis.  
Warren, Raymond ....Hillsboro, Wis.

## Unstationed Elders

Crandall, J. D. ....Chetek, Wis.  
Craker, Harold .....Elgin, Illinois  
Dietzmann, D. O. ....Richland Center, Wis.

## Elders on Superannuate List

Warner, O. S. ....Stone Lake, Wisconsin

## THE WISCONSIN CONFERENCE

## Conference Preachers on Stationed List

Butcher, Hazel	.....Hillsboro, Wis.
Butcher, Clayton	.....Clarissa, Minnesota
Johnson, Fay	.....% Asbury Seminary, Trailer No. 21; Wilmore, Ky.
Johnson, Orland	.....445 Maxwell St., Baraboo, Wis.
Berry, Donald	.....% M. W. C., Miltonvale, Kansas
Turner, Floyd	.....Boscobel, Wisconsin

## Delegates for 1952

Appleton	.....Mrs. H. Dachelet, Mrs. Olive Milheiser
Baraboo	.....Louise Gardiner
Beulah	.....Mrs. Sadie Spry
Burr & Valley	.....Helen Butcher
Central Wis. Circuit	..Laurence Fowler, Verla Gear, Marion Helliman
Darrow Road	.....Dorothy Kennier
Eau Claire	.....Brule Carleson, Virgil Jones,
Gull Lake	.....Mrs. Lois McNitt
Hayward	.....Anna Johnson
Hillsboro	.....Joe Alderson, Guida Butcher
Mill Creek	.....Mrs. Myron Marshall, Mrs. Virgil Ewing
Mt. Pisgah, Oak Ridge	Mack Budde
Rice Lake	.....Norman Parker, Al Benson, Marion Casico, Chester Finley
Spooner	.....Mrs. Olive Keller, Norma Clawson
Stone Lake	.....Mazie Hole, Mrs. John Boone
Trippville	.....Coral Greenwell
Valton	.....Grace Rott
Woodland	.....Meta Carlson, Len Carlson

## STANDING RULES

1. The Conference fiscal year close June 30, and that the local church fiscal year close June 15; that all money shall be in the hands of the proper Conference Treasurers within one week following June 15th; that immediately thereafter each pastor shall submit to the Conference Treasurer his budget check sheet with receipts covering same, and his statistical blank completed except for the budget section.

2. That the President of the Woman's Missionary Society and of the W.Y.P.S. be members of the Missionary Board by virtue of their office.

3. That a Nominating Committee composed of four elders and the President, ex-officio, be elected by ballot and that this group upon arrival at conference select 2 properly elected lay delegates to serve with them; and that they bring their report at the first session of the ensuing annual conference.

# Journal of Daily Proceedings

The first sitting of the Eighty-Second session of the Wisconsin Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America convened in the tabernacle of the Burr Campground, at 9:15 a. m., Tuesday, July 15, 1952.

**Devotional Period**—The song service was in charge of the Rev. Harold Johnson, Baraboo; with Norma Clawson presiding at the piano. Two selections were sung: "Constantly Abiding" and "Tell Me the Old Old Story." The Scripture Lesson was brought by our Conference President, the Rev. Loring Peterson; reading from Eph. 4:1-6; prayer by the Revs. J. B. Clawson and Ernest Friebe.

**Conference Sermon**—Rev. Orval Butcher, Youth for Christ International, brought to us God's message for our Conference Sermon. He read to us from God's Word, Romans 12:1, 2; then quoted from Ephesians, "I beseech you that ye walk worthy of the vocation wherewith ye are called." Said Rev. Butcher; "Our vocation is to be a Christian witness and to hold forth the truth that Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners. Everything else is to be secondary, the first business of the Christian is to be a Witness for Jesus."

His theme was "What is the message of the Christian Church of Wesleyan Methodists Today?" He brought forth five main thoughts which we should consider and with which we should stir ourselves regarding the projection of Jesus. 1. The curse of the Commonplace—the truth about sin, about salvation, sanctification, the Holy Spirit filled life, the resurrection and the second coming of Christ.

2. The matter of the machinery of our Church—mentioning the fact that we need the oil of co-operation upon our machinery.

3. The ministry of our Church—quoting II Tim. 4:1-5.

4. Then Rev. Butcher mentioned the members of the church and their responsibility.

5. The business of the Wesleyan Methodist Church is threefold—Revival, Evangelism, Missions.

Following the conference sermon all partook of the sacred emblems of communion—truly a precious and worthwhile way of beginning the business of the Conference. God blessed the message of the Rev. Butcher and the fellowshiping together in communion to the good of every partaker.

**Tuesday Afternoon Session** began by singing together, "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"—Rev. Royal Bailie read from Matthew the 7th chapter, then led us to The Throne of Grace.

**Business Session** called to order by our Conference President, the Rev. Loring Peterson.

**Roll Call** of the ministers showed 31 ministers present.

**Committee on Credentials**—By motion Rev. Clarence Mason to act as Committee on Credentials. His report was adopted as given.

**Bar of Conference**—By motion Bar of Conference was set at the first 10 rows of seats in the center section.

**Delegate**—By motion Miss Louise Gardiner be seated in the Bar of Conference, as delegate from Baraboo; the pastor to fill in the blanks.

**Time of Conference**—By motion time of conference be the same as last year, namely: 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon; and from 2:15 p.m. until 5:15 p.m.

**Presentation** of our Connectional Representative, Dr. F. R. Eddy, by the Rev. J. B. Clawson.

**Committee on Committees**—By motion this committee be elected by ballot. Tellers—Carl Holder, Clarence Mason, Harry Johnson. The balloting resulting in the following be elected to this committee: 1st member and chairman, Rev. Loring Peterson; David Peterson; Robert Matthe; lay members, Mack Budde and Chester Finley.

**Motion** carried that this committee retire for committee work.

Itineracy and Orders Committee to meet by the bookstand, also asked that those to be ordained to meet with them; also candidates for conference preachers.

**Adjourned** to the call of the Chair, adjourned by limitation of time.

### Wednesday A.M. Session

**Devotional Period**—Song Service in charge of Rev. Tilman Hicks. Sang "It Cleanseth Me"—Scripture reading by Rev. L. W. King, Vice President of the Conference—reading from Eph. 4:1-16—making a few very appropriate comments, then leading us as we do business for the King.

**Motion**—Dr. F. R. Eddy, Connectional Representative be given an honorary seat within the bounds of conference.

**Roll Call** showed 28 ministers and 30 delegates present.

**Minutes** of the last session read and approved as read.

**Committee on Committees** gave their report—motion carried to adopt it as read. (See Report No. 6.)

Suggestion regarding Ordination Service to be referred to the Committee on Religious Services and Orders of the Day.

**Recess** for Committee Work.

**10:00 a. m.—Orders of the Day**—Election of Conference Officers. The Conference President called Dr. F. R. Eddy to the Chair to preside during the ensuing election.

**Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders** gave a partial report which was adopted: that the following be elected to Elders Orders: Carl Holder Russel Buck; Harold Keller; Alice Mae Heavilin, Ronald Heavilin.

**Committee on Religious Services and Orders of the Day** gave a partial report which was adopted:

Ordination Service—Friday, 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, 2:30 p. m.—Russel Kingsley, Head of Christ for Wisconsin be given 10 or 15 minutes.

Wednesday, 2:30 p.m.—Connectional Address by Dr. F. R. Eddy.

Devotions—Wednesday p.m.—Clarence Titus; Thursday a.m., Esther Johnson.

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.—Missionary Program with Mr. Nate Scharff.

**Tellers** for the election of conference officers: Clarence Mason, Harry Johnson, Carl Holder.

By vote the following were elected:

President Emeritus—Rev. J. B. Clawson

Conference President—Rev. Loring Peterson

Vice President—Rev. Robert Mattke

Secretary—Rev. Sylvia Lee

Treasurer—Rev. Ernest Friebe

Sunday School Secretary—Robert Thrasher

Tithing Secretary—Carl Holder

Wesleyan Mens' Fellowship Secretary—Gilbert Mortimer

Educational Secretary—Harry Johnson

Secretary Evangelism and Prayer Band—Tilman Hicks

Card Call Secretary—Lloyd Poe

Child Evangelism Secretary—Lois Peterson

Burial Association Secretary—Clarence Titus

Motion carried to discontinue the Conference Book Club.

Statistical Secretary—Virgil Jones

Judiciary Committee for 4 years—I. J. Butcher

Trustee for 3 years—Joseph B. Clawson

Itineracy and Orders Committee—4 years, Mrs. J. B. Clawson, Robert Mattke to fill the term of Loring Peterson who resigned.

Conference Camp Meeting Board—1956, Mack Budde

Northern Camp Board—1955, Bertha Gourd

Conference S. S. Board—Secretary, Robert Thrasher, Josephine King; Harry Johnson.

Missionary Board—Chairman, Loring Peterson; W.M.S. President and W.Y.P.S. President be on this board by virtue of their office—Motion that this be a **STANDING RULE**. I. J. Butcher, Charles Butcher, Charles Bakke.

Committee on Vacancies—Harry Johnson, Chairman; Carl Holder, Russel Buck, Chester Finley, Mack Budde.

**Superannuated Ministers' Board**—J. B. Clawson, Chairman; I. J. Butcher, Treasurer, Chester Finley.

**Motion Carried** that the Superannuated Pension Board make a survey and bring a report of the percentage of ministers of the conference that

belong to the association. Also to consider a possible way to assist every minister to become a member.

Dr. Eddy called attention to the fact that the Committee on Ministerial Character should have the reports of ministers.

**Motion** carried that the Conference give a hearty vote of thanks to our outgoing Conference Treasurer.

**Motion** carried that we adjourn.

### Wednesday p. m. Session—July 16, 1952

**Devotional Period** in charge of Rev. Clarence Titus—sang "It is Mine." Rev. Titus read from God's Word—I Peter 2:13—Prayer.

**Roll Call** showed 27 ministers, 30 delegates present.

**Minutes** read, and with the correction of the number of years the member is to serve on the Judiciary Committee, adopted.

**2:30—Orders of the Day**—Connectional Address given by Dr. F. R. Eddy. Dr. Eddy spoke to us on the Theme: "The Story of Church Life as I See It." Said Dr. Eddy: "I have come to represent not only the Publishing House, but the denomination as a whole. He spoke of the pressure of open doors in the mission fields which must be acted upon by the general board. Two things of interest regarding open-doors: Open-doors are becoming increasingly frequent in the past few years shows that we are not slowing down in the spread of the gospel, but we are pressing forward very actively.

This year is no different from other years. Work in Colombia is becoming increasingly difficult. But as the work in Colombia becomes more difficult, doors are opening in other fields, Puerto Rico, where Mr. and Mrs. Crosby are going.

Open doors in Cuba, missionaries already there. Cost this year will be about 2500.00 to carry on this year.

Puerto Rico and Cuba are to be added to our Missionary projects.

Dr. Eddy mentioned Japan, Africa, home mission fields, mentioning the work among the Indians and how God is blessing the ministry of Brother Newcomb.

He stressed the schools, the growth in buildings, the paying off of debts; the fact that Miltonvale has become accredited and that Central is also accredited.

Spoke briefly upon the Publishing Interests—in 17 years the circulation of the Wesleyan has been from 4,000 to 17,000; Missionary Magazine from 2,000 to 13,000; the Sunday School Banner from 17,000 to 45,000.

He mentioned the new press recently purchased and to be ready for use about October 1st.

Net gain in business this past year has been approximately \$15,000.00.

**Recess**—motion carried to recess for a 10 minute period.

Courtesy Committee presented to the Conference, Rev. Leyh from Dakota.

**Partial Report** of the Committee on Ministerial Character read and adopted.

**Pastor's Reports**—Harry Johnson, Beulah; Carl Holder, Valton; Russel Buck, Mill Creek; Ernest Friebe, Stone Lake; Harold Johnson, Baraboo; Orval Butcher gave us an informal report of his work for Youth for Christ International.

Question asked Dr. Eddy as to what constitutes "Total Pastor's receipts."

**Motion** carried that we adjourn.

#### Thursday a. m. Session—July 17, 1952

**Devotional Period**—Song Service led by Rev. Orval Butcher—sang, "Revive us Again." Esther Johnson read from I Cor. 13—reading in unison. Prayer.

**Roll Call** showed 26 ministers and 29 delegates present.

**Minutes** of the last session read and approved as read.

Conference President called Dr. F. R. Eddy to the chair—The Committee on Pastoral Relations retired for Committee Work.

Letters were read from the following reporting their work: Mrs. Goodenough, Beloit; Donald Berry, Miltonvale, Kansas; Robert Fegan, Clarksfield, Minnesota.

**Motion** carried that the secretary reply to these letters.

**Partial Report** of Committee on Character included the name of David Peterson.

Rev. D. O. Deitzman from Beulah Charge gave his testimony.

**Pastor's Reports**—Clarence Mason, Mt. Pisgah and Oak Ridge; Tilman Hicks, Woodland; Mrs. J. B. Clawson read Spooner report; Robert Mattke, Hayward; David Peterson, Appleton; and I. J. Butcher, Hillsboro.

**Motion** to adjourn to the call of the chair.

#### Thursday p. m. Session—July 17, 1952

**Devotional Period**—Song service in charge of Rev. Harold Johnson, sang "He Ransomed Me." Ronald Heavilin read from Psalm 97. Prayer.

**Roll Call** showed 29 ministers and 27 delegates present.

**Minutes** of last session read and approved as read.

**Introduced** Russel Kingsley, director of "Christ for Wisconsin" by the Conference President. **Orders of the Day**—Rev. Kingsley.

Mr. Kingsley briefly related some of his experiences in his work. Said, Rev. Kingsley: "The incorporation of the "Christ for Wisconsin" is a non-sectarian and non-profit organization. We do not all see alike, but we can all get together on the fact that the world needs Jesus. Wisconsin is the only state set up for mass evangelism. If we could go all-out for Christ we could evangelize the whole world for Christ. Christ for Wisconsin is only trying to strengthen your churches. It is dedicated to the

work of **Saving Souls!** We have reached the time when we have to work together—meet conditions—get God's results.

Orval Butcher offered prayer centered on souls for Wisconsin.

**Courtesy Committee** presented Rev. Dudeck, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church, Reedsburg. Rev. Dudeck gave his testimony.

**Vice President** called to the chair by the conference president.

**President's Report** given and adopted. Rising vote of thanks given Rev. Peterson for his labors throughout the year. (See Report No. 1.)

**Pastoral Relations Committee** retired for work.

**Pastor's Reports**—L. W. King, Eau Claire; Royal Bailie, Milwaukee.

**Conference Treasurer's** report read and accepted. (See Report No. 2.)

**Committee on Morals**—report read and adopted. (See Report No. 3.)

**Committee on Budget**—read their report which was adopted. (See Report No. 4.)

Carl Holder, Tithing Secretary reported requesting information on how to carry out the duties of his office.

Motion carried that an appropriate amount of around \$25.00 be used from the Conference Administrative Fund or other appropriate fund, for the use of the Tithing Secretary.

**Pastor's Reports**—G. M. Hahn, Rice Lake; Harold Keller, Darrow Road; Raymond Warren, Trippeville; Clarence Titus, Gill Lake.

**Committee on Resolutions**—read report which was adopted. (See Report No. 5.)

Motion carried that the Itinerary and Orders Committee contain in its report a standing date set for the ordination service.

**Motion** carried that the Conference President, Board of Trustees, and Advisory Board look into the possibility of a Conference President's home and that something tangible be done this year. The type of building, and location as to whether to build on campground or not be left to the discretion of this body.

Motion carried that we adjourn.

#### Friday a. m. Session—July 18, 1952

**Devotional Period**—Song Service in charge of Ronald Heavilin—Prayer by our Conference President.

**Roll Call** showed 26 ministers and 25 delegates present.

**Minutes** of last session read and approved as read.

**Credentials Committee** presented the name of Bessie Vasey as an alternate from Eau Claire—filling the place of Brule Carlson. She was given seat within the bounds of Conference.

Chair recognized Harry Johnson who presented a motion regarding the Nominating Committee.

**Motion** that a Nominating Committee composed of four elders and the President, ex-officio; be elected by ballot and that this group upon arrival at conference select 2 properly elected lay delegates to serve with

them; and that they bring their report at the first session of the ensuing annual conference.

**Nominating Committee for the 1953 Conference**—Chairman and 1st member: Rev. Loring Peterson; 2nd member, Harry Johnson; 3rd member, David Peterson; 4th member, J. B. Clawson; 5th member, I. J. Butcher.

**Committee on Thanks** reported and this report adopted. (See Report No. 7.)

**Motion** carried to recess to the Call of the Chair.

**Session Called to Order**—Friday 4:00 p. m., by the president.

Song, "That Will Be Heaven For Me."

**Statistical Committee** report read and adopted. Rising vote of thanks given this committee.

**Pastor's Report**—Robert Thrasher gave his report of Missionary work in Northern Wisconsin.

**Report** of Sunday School Secretary read and adopted after report of the Auditing Committee.

**Superannuated Report** given by treasurer—conference report adopted. (See Report No. 10.)

**Superannuated Pension Treasurer** gave his report; adopted. (See Report No. 11.)

**Conference Minutes** committee gave their report. Adopted. (See Report No. 12.)

**Pastor's Reports**—for Central Wisconsin. Alice Mae and Ronald Heavilin gave oral reports; C. H. Butcher gave the church report.

**Calendar Committee** reported and report adopted.

**Stationing Committee** read a partial report which was adopted. (See Report No. 13.)

**Motion** carried that Dr. Rees be given opportunity to present the pension plan to the conference, and that this time be at the close of the devotions Saturday morning.

**Motion** carried to adjourn.

#### **Saturday a. m. Session—July 19, 1952**

**Devotional Period**—Song Service in charge of Tilman Hicks with La Vonne Poe presiding at the piano.

**Roll Call** showed 22 ministers and 14 delegates present.

**Minutes** of last session read and approved with corrections.

**Orders of the Day**—Dr. Rees presented to the conference—given an honorary seat within conference bounds.

**Presentation of Pension Plan by Dr. Rees.** Said Dr. Rees: "1. It is a Denominational plan. 2. It is not a perfect plan, but it would be difficult for a committee to work out a plan where every man would be suited. We should join the plan even though it is not perfect. 3. The Plan is a very fair plan. Its benefits are extremely liberal. It is a financial plan. 5. We are morally obligated to join the Plan."

**Courtesy Committee** presented Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Elmer, former members of the conference. Conference gave them a standing vote of welcome.

**Recessed** to the call of the Chair. Conference to convene after the afternoon worship service.

**Report** of the Committee on Pension Plan. Motion carried to refer this back to the committee for further study.

**Motion** carried that the Pension Committee adjourn and bring back a report to this conference session.

**Pastoral Relations Committee** read their final report which was adopted.

**Committee on Itineracy and Orders** gave their report which was adopted. (See Report No. 14.)

**Wisconsin Wesleyan** report given by Robert Mattke. Adopted. (See Report No. 15.)

**Motion** carried that the **Wisconsin Wesleyan** be carried on this year on the same basis as last year.

**Motion** carried that the Conference Sermon for 1953 be left in the hands of the Conference President.

**Motion** carried that the 1953 Conference convene the third Monday in July, unless this date conflicts with the coming of the evangelist, and providing the General Board accepts the date (July 20th); and that the Monday evening service consist of the Conference Sermon and the partaking of the Communion.

**Motion** carried that all who receive work at the hands of the conference automatically become members of the Pension Plan in keeping with the plan as outlined in the Discipline, and that the preachers be strongly urged to join this year, and that this action become mandatory with the 1953 sitting of Conference. Anyone who does not have the down-payment of \$5.00, provisions have been made by the committee to loan the money.

**Advisory Board** for 1952-1953—Robert Mattke, Mack Budde. Adopted by conference.

**Motion** carried that the report of the Camp Meeting Treasurer be read, but not acted upon—to be put in conference minutes and to be acted upon by the Camp Meeting Association.

**Motion** carried that authority be vested with the Conference President and his Advisory board to look into the consideration of incorporation and to care for it as soon as possible.

**Motion** carried to extend time to hear report of Camp Meeting Treasurer.

**Camp Meeting** treasurer read his report.

**Auditing Committee** reported all books, with exception of Camp Meeting Treasurer, audited and approved.

**Motion** carried that all unfinished business be left in the hands of the President and his advisory board.

**Minutes** of the last session read and adopted.

**Motion** carried to adjourn sine die.

Sylvia Lee, Secretary;  
Loring Peterson, President.

# Reports of Committees

## Report No. 1

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Mr. Chairman:

Members of this 82nd Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, and visiting friends, I hereby offer in part my labors during this past year. First of all I would like to speak of my appreciation to every member of this Conference for the fine co-operation. Last year legislation was passed that was a mark of progress. I'm glad to report to you that much of that legislation was carried forth as a great benefit to the Wisconsin Conference. It has been encouraging to view the harmonious working together on state projects—the major one being Milwaukee. Last year at this time we had only some lots and a pastor on the locality. I assure you that this pastor's report will be of joy to his Conference. (Madison and Janesville) have been investigated, and presumably will be entered this coming year.

We preached 132 times; conducted three revival meetings, of which two were within the Conference and one outside. We spoke at one Y.F.C. meeting. We attended nearly all fellowship gatherings. Sept. 3rd we were present at the dedication of the Wisconsin Rapids chapel. We attended the Billy Graham meeting in Washington, D.C. Feb. 8-11 attended the opening service at the new Milwaukee Church. April 28-30 attended, with a very good representation for Wisconsin the Area Ministerial meeting in Miltonvale. May 1-3 attended our Leaders' meeting with our vice president. May 13-15, presided at our State Institute at Pisgah. June 16-22 attended and assisted at "Youth Camp" in Hayward. November we assisted in re-dedication of the Mt. Pisgah Church.

Aug. 1st we appointed Russell Buck supply pastor at Mill Creek.

Aug. 15 appointed Owen Smith to supply Chittamo.

Oct. 25 approved of discontinuing services at Chittamo.

We worked with men of the Conference several weeks on the Miltonvale Church.

Salary Received .....	\$1500.00
Travelling Expense .....	750.00
House Rent .....	400.00

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\$2650.00

We travelled over 15,000 miles in the interest of Conference work.

For any advance that may have come about during the last year I am sure it is due to Divine guidance and the faithful co-operation of so many ministers and laymen of the Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

Loring H. Peterson

## Report No. 2

## CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

1951-1952

**Student Fund:**

July 1, 1951 Cash on Hand .....	\$145.00
July 1, 1952 Cash on hand .....	145.00
Judkins Note .....	\$28.00

**Conference Mission Endowment Fund:**

July 1, 1951 Cash on hand .....	\$1481.45
Rec'd. Spooner, payment on Note .....	34.00
Rec'd. Spooner Interest .....	15.00
Rec'd. Hayward, payment on Note .....	200.00
Rec'd. Hayward Interest .....	48.00
Rec'd. on loan to Conf. President Salary Fund from Conference Work .....	136.76

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 \$1915.21
**Disbursements:**

Loan to Conf. Pres. Sal. Fund .....	\$286.76
Loan to Missionary Board, Payment on trailer house .....	500.00

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 \$786.76

Cash on hand, July 1, 1952 .....	1128.45
Spooner note .....	\$315.46
Hayward note .....	1000.00
Trustee note .....	500.00

**Conference Building Fund:**

July 1, 1951 Cash on hand .....	\$176.16
Rec'd. from W.M.S. Treas. ....	5.00

Cash on hand, July 1, 1952 .....	\$181.16
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**Conference President's Salary:**

July 30, 1951 Rec'd. from Conf. Miss. Endow. Fund .....	\$286.76
Rec'd. from Charges .....	2251.00
Rec'd. from W.M.S. Treas. ....	62.60
Rec'd. from S. S. Sec. ....	128.00

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 \$2728.36

## Disbursements:

Loring Peterson, 1951 Deficit .....	\$286.76
Loring Peterson, On 1952 Salary .....	2322.00

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 \$2608.76

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 Cash on hand, July 1, 1952 ..... \$119.60
**Conference Missions for Evangelism:**

July 1, 1951 Cash on hand .....	\$1590.39
Rec'd. from Charges-budget .....	345.25
Rec'd. from Charges 2% Plan .....	832.50
Rec'd. from W.Y.P.S. Treas.-budget .....	76.14
Rec'd. from W.Y.P.S. Treas.-2% Plan .....	591.90
Rec'd. from W.M.S. Treas.-budget .....	209.00
Rec'd. from W.M.S. Treas.-2% Plan .....	25.00
Rec'd. from S. S. Sec.-budget .....	95.84
Rec'd. from S. S. Sec. 2% Plan .....	21.98
Rec'd. from Mr. and Mrs. Berl Elder for Milwaukee .....	50.00

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 \$3838.00

## Disbursements:

Royal Bailie, Drawing fund for credit .....	\$200.00
Royal Bailie, for support .....	554.00
Paul Vasey, payment on trailer house .....	400.00
Loring Peterson, telephone calls .....	7.66
Rodger Crabtree, Drawings for remodeling .....	30.00
Tilman Hicks, help on Salary .....	104.00
Rev. Mahnke, building payments completed .....	260.00
Emil Juedes & Son, Trucking and bulldozing serv. ..	74.37
Tews Lime & Cement Co. Ready-mix Cement ....	37.75
David Peterson, telephone calls .....	14.50
Royal Bailie, for Exp. of weeks of work .....	175.00
Royal Bailie, payment on furnace .....	800.00
Geo. Ehlenberger, rent of timbers .....	100.00
Royal Bailie, for fuel .....	25.00
Royal Bailie, Trailer Space rent .....	162.00

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 \$2994.28

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 Cash on hand, July 1, 1952 ..... 843.72

**Pastor's Adjusted Salary:**

July 1, 1951, Cash on hand .....	\$69.58	
Rec'd. from Charges .....	96.71	
	<hr/>	\$166.29

## Disbursements:

Loring Peterson, On 1951 Deficit .....	\$69.00	
Royal Bailie, for personal use for May & June .....	96.00	
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Cash on hand, July 1, 1952 .....	1.29
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**Conference President's Home:**

July 1, 1951, Cash on hand .....	\$875.05
July 1, 1952, Cash on hand .....	875.05

**Brieding Fund:**

July 1, 1951 Cash on hand .....	\$150.00
Disbursements:	
Loring Peterson, on Deficit .....	\$150.00

**Superior Church Fund:**

Down payment on Superior Church .....	\$1500.00	
Seven monthly payments .....	420.00	
	<hr/>	\$1920.00

## Disbursements:

Royal Bailie, Milwaukee church Exp. ....	\$1100.00	
Harold Keller, repairs on Superior parsonage .....	29.18	
Loring Peterson, Exp. of making sale .....	33.00	
J. R. Swauger, Interest on Superior church note ....	30.00	
J. R. Swauger, Amount due Home Dept. ....	246.50	
	<hr/>	\$1438.68
Cash on hand, July 1, 1952 .....		\$481.32

**Conference Work Fund:**

July 1, 1951, Cash on hand .....	\$83.24
Conf. Sunday pledges paid .....	319.48
Conference week offerings .....	259.21
Rec'd. from Charges .....	182.75
Wesleyan Pub. Co. Check refunded .....	2.92
Institute Offering .....	22.23

Rec'd. from S. S. Sec. ....	2.00
Rec'd. from Charges on Minutes .....	128.00

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\$999.83

## Disbursements:

Mrs. H. L. Johnson, cooking for Conf. ....	\$25.00
Mrs. Ensign, Assistant cook for Conf. ....	10.00
Norma Mortimer, 2 years postage .....	12.23
Wonewoc Reporter office, receipt books .....	7.50
Loring Peterson, on 1951 & 1952 Salary .....	328.00
Loring Peterson, telephone calls .....	8.95
Wesleyan Pub. Co. Blanks .....	13.60
Wesleyan Pub. Co. Minutes .....	238.92
Wesleyan Pub. Co. Postage .....	2.92
Loring Peterson, letter heads .....	7.50
St. Bank of Wonewoc, lock box rent .....	2.40
Reporter Office, 300 budget sheets .....	7.50
Loring Peterson, Pastor's reports, etc. ....	9.99
Midland Union Ins. Co., Carr Valley Ins. ....	1.10
Wesleyan Pub. Co., 3 Gen. Conf. Minutes .....	4.50
Transferred to Endowment Fund on loan .....	136.76
Loring Peterson, Ordination material & cards .....	9.00
John Main, Institute speaker .....	40.00
Sylvia Lee, Conf. Sec. Exp. ....	7.72
Transferred to Conf. Admin. fund .....	2.00

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\$875.59

Cash on hand, July 1, 1952 .....	\$124.24
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**Conference Administrative Fund:**

Rec'd. from charges .....	\$154.75
Rec'd. from S. S. Sec. ....	21.00
Rec'd. from Conf. Work fund .....	2.00
Rec'd. from W.Y.P.S. Treas. ....	7.91

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\$185.66

## Disbursements:

Sauk Co. Pub. Co., 3 issues of Wis. Wesleyan .....	107.00
Sylvia Lee, Conf. Sec. ....	25.00
Norma Mortimer, Conf. Treas. ....	25.00

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Robert Mattke, postage .....	8.00	
Master Products Co., stencils .....	4.15	
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		\$169.15

Cash on hand, July 1, 1952 .....		<hr/>
		\$16.51

**Education:**

Raised by the church .....	825.78	
Raised by the S. S. ....	87.00	
Raised by the W.M.S. ....	313.42	
Raised by the Y.M.W.B. ....	192.10	
Raised by the W.Y.P.S. ....	68.95	
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		\$1487.25

**Home Missions:**

Raised by the church .....	\$102.50	
Raised by the S. S. ....	493.93	
Raised by the W.M.S. ....	973.55	
Raised by the Y.M.W.B. ....	91.41	
Raised by the W.Y.P.S. ....	78.09	
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		\$1739.48

**Foreign Missions:**

Raised by the church .....	\$93.29	
Raised by the S. S. ....	98.01	
Raised by the W.M.S. ....	2174.45	
Raised by the Y.M.W.B. ....	472.19	
Raised by the W.Y.P.S. ....	93.84	
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		\$2931.78

**Orphanage:**

Raised by the church .....	\$68.25	
Raised by the S. S. ....	29.38	
Raised by the W.M.S. ....	109.68	
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		\$207.31

**General Conference Expense Fund:**

Raised by the church .....	\$79.06	
Raised by the S. S. ....	1.80	
Raised by the W.M.S. ....	9.00	
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		\$89.86

**General Conference Administrative Fund:**

Raised by the church .....	\$231.60	
Raised by the S. S. ....	4.80	
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		\$236.40
<b>Australia:</b>		
Raised by the church .....	\$73.25	
Raised by the S. S. ....	11.00	
Raised by the W.M.S. ....	303.24	
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		\$387.49

Respectfully submitted,  
Norma Mortimer, Conf. Treas.

**Report No. 3****COMMITTEE ON MORALS**

1. We, the Wisconsin Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church request that all pastors read the following resolutions to their respective congregations and that our conference secretary give a copy of our resolutions to a press association for publication.

2. We reaffirm our stand against the sale and use of intoxicating liquor and tobacco on all public transportation systems, and in places of public amusements, in the newspapers, magazines and on the radio. We urge our people not only to make an official protest through the Conference, but to exercise our right to write in our protest to publications and radio stations.

3. Resolved that whereas sin has sought to declare itself to be respectable and altogether the thing to do, such as drinking cocktails and beer, smoking in every public place, to show its boldness in the face of all people, and whereas God has declared in His Word that He requires purity of life, modesty of dress and conduct, and non-conformity to the world: Be it resolved that we declare our adherence to the principles of life and conduct found in God's Word on which our Church was founded and our determination to follow the same in our lives.

4. We request that "No smoking, please" signs be placed on the grounds in conspicuous places.

5. The Bible declares that "God is no respecter of persons" and as His children it is our duty to do all within our power to eliminate racial class discrimination.

Signed: Carl Holder,  
Anna Johnson,  
Chester Finley,  
Mazie Hoe,  
Coral Greenwell.

**Report No. 4****REPORT OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE**

We, the Budget Committee recommend that the following Budget be accepted:

**Connectional Budget:**

Administrative expense .....	\$ .40 per member
Superannuate Pension Plan .....	1.50 per member
Education .....	2.50 per member
General Conference Expense .....	.15 per member
Home Missions & Church Extension .....	1.25 per member
Australia .....	.25 per member
Hephzibah Orphanage .....	.25 per member
Foreign Missions .....	2.00 per member
Gen. Sunday School (Child Evangelism) .....	.10 per member
enrolled in Main School	
Conf. President's Expense .....	5.00 per member
(Salary, \$3.00; Travel, \$1.25; Parsonage, \$.75)	
Conf. Administrative Expense .....	.25 per member
Conf. Missions for Evangelism .....	1.00 per member

**We Further Recommend:**

1. That the assessment of 2% of gross receipts to be used for Conference Missions for Evangelism be continued.
2. That all Conference Budget moneys go through the hands of the Conference Treasurer.
3. That the Administrative Fund established last year continue to be used to pay Conference Secretary and Conference Treasurer fees of \$25.00 each and for other miscellaneous expenses.
4. That Sept. 14th, 1952 be designated "Conference Work" Sunday with emphasis on an offering to be taken with special envelopes provided by the Conference at the earliest opportunity prior to Sept. 14th.
5. That the first Sunday of 1952 Camp be designated for Conference Work and offering taken that day be for that purpose.
6. That the Pastors of the Conference emphasize the Pastor's Adjusted Salary to their respective congregations at least once each quarter.
7. That all annual, connectional and conference budget items be computed to the next highest dollar and that all remittances made by all treasurers to all conference treasurers be made in even dollars and in the event such local treasurers do remit in fractions of a dollar, the conference treasurer involved be authorized to apply the excess at his or her discretion.

We move that the following Resolutions be submitted to the Committee on Resolutions:

WHEREAS: It is common knowledge that the Biblical Plan of Tithing is the ideal method of financing the local church, THEREFORE Be it Resolved: that the pastors of local charges exchange pulpits under the direction of the Conference Tithing Secretary at least once during the year for the purpose of emphasizing STOREHOUSE TITHING and that each pastor be urged to stress STOREHOUSE TITHING at least once each quarter to his charge.

We wish to gratefully acknowledge the counsel of Norma Mortimer who so efficiently served the conference for a number of years as treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Mattke, Chairman;

Harry Johnson,

Harold Keller,

Grace Rott,

Norman Parker,

Brule G. Carelson.

#### Report No. 5

#### COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We, the Committee on Resolutions submit the following report:

#### RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Conference fiscal year close June 30, and that the local church fiscal year close June 15; that all money shall be in the hands of the proper Conference Treasurers within one week following June 15th; that immediately thereafter each pastor shall submit to the Conference Treasurer his budget check sheets with receipts covering same, and his statistical blank completed except for the budget section. "Standing Rule."
2. The Missionary Board shall hold a business meeting during Conference and on the first Tuesday of October, January, and April. Any business should be transacted at the call of the Chairman.
3. The pastors' reports be read, and the statistical reports be posted on a bulletin board at the Annual Conference session.
4. Each Sunday School conduct Daily Vacation Bible School during the Conference year.
5. Each church permit its pastor a two weeks vacation with pay, to be absent on vacation over one Sunday.
6. Each church be urged to hold at least one evangelistic campaign during the conference year.
7. The election of Conference Officers be Wednesday at 10:00 a. m.
8. A fellowship gathering of laity and ministers be held in each district during the Conference year.
9. That each charge, if possible, pay the moving expenses of the incoming pastor.

10. Each pastor attend each institute and convention sponsored by the Conference.

11. Each pastor subscribe to all the church periodicals and that he urge his people of his charge to do the same.

12. Sec. VIII Paragraph 168, Item (b) be adhered to in securing evangelistic help.

13. Our people refrain from all unnecessary work on the Sabbath.

14. Each church pay budget quarterly.

15. The pastor's salary equalization plan be continued, and that each pastor join and enthusiastically urge the members of his charge also to join the plan.

16. If the Missionary Board calls a pastor to hold a revival on a mission point that his church give him two weeks leave with pay.

17. Pastors and people set aside each Friday noon for prayer and fasting, humbling themselves and asking definitely for an outpouring of God's Spirit upon our Conference.

18. That the time spent on Camp Sundays, be kept to a very minimum, for raising money.

19. The Conference Camp Meeting Board appoint a supervisor for the children during conference sessions, this supervisor to select aids if necessary. It is recommended that the supervisor selected be notified at least one month before conference convenes.

Signd: Clarence Titus,  
Lois McNitt,  
Marion Helliman,  
Olive Milheiser,

#### Report No. 6

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

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

1. Pastoral Relations—Rev. Loring Peterson, J. B. Clawson, Robert Thrasher, C. H. Butcher, Mack Budde, Len Carlson, Virgil Jones.

2. Budget—Rev. Robert Mattke, Harold Keller, Harry Johnson, Brule Carlson, Norman Parker, Grace Rott. (We recommend that the Conference Treasurer act as a consultant to this committee.

3. Ministerial Character—Rev. Loring Peterson, G. M. Hahn, Clarence Mason.

4. Committee on Religious Services and Orders of the Day—Rev. Lloyd King, Mrs. J. B. Clawson, Lawrence Fowler, Olive Keller.

5. Committee on Courtesy—Rev. Harold Johnson, Isaiah Butcher.

6. Hostess of the Dining Hall—Norma Clawson.

7. Statistical Committee—Rev. Ernest Friebe, Russel Buck, Louise Gardiner, Marion Casicao.

8. Conference Nurse—Mrs. Lloyd King, R.N.

9. Committee on Minutes—Rev. Sylvia Lee, Lloyd Poe, Mrs. Virgil Ewing.
10. Committee on Morals—Rev. Carl Holder, Chester Finley, Coral Greenwall, Mazie Hole, Anna Johnson.
11. Committee on Calendar—Rev. Ronald Heavilin, Esther Johnson, Berla Gear.
12. Bell Ringer—Chester Finley
13. Electrician—Rev. Royal Bailie
14. Auditing Committee—Mrs. G. M. Hahn, Raymond Warren, Guida Butcher.
15. Committee on Thanks—Rev. Tilman Hicks, Mrs. Ronald Heavilin, Dorothy Kennier.
16. Committee on Resolutions—Rev. Clarence Titus, Lois McNitt, Marian Helliman, Mrs. Olive Milheiser.
17. Committee on Rooms—Rev. and Mrs. I. H. Butcher
18. Mail Carrier—Rev. Robert Mattke
19. Leading Morning Prayer Band—Dale Peterson

#### Report No. 7

#### COMMITTEE ON THANKS

We, the Committee on Thanks, extend our whole-hearted appreciation for:

1. God's help and blessing the past year.
2. Dr. F. R. Eddy's heart-searching message on consecration and his enlightening talk on the work of missions, and the publishing house.
3. The conference sermon by Orval Butcher, and his contribution to our missionary vision.
4. The fact that our grounds are gradually improving to meet state requirements due to the planning and labors of Carl Holder, campground chairman; and I. J. Butcher, camp carpenter, and those who have assisted them.
5. Those who have lended equipment for clean-up and improvement on the grounds.
6. Mrs. Harry Johnson and Mrs. Carl Holder and all those who have helped in preparing the meals.
7. Norma Clawson as dining-room hostess, and her smiling efficient service.
8. Mrs. I. J. Butcher who cheerfully and faithfully assigned rooms to delegates and visitors.
9. Mrs. Josephine King, in volunteering her services as camp nurse.
10. Rev. Loring Peterson, conference president, and his progressive leadership.
11. Norma Mortimer, and her 12 years of faithful, patient service as Conference Treasurer.
12. Sylvia Lee, and her efficient service as Conference Secretary.

13. Each local church, and their contribution of food, etc.
14. The W.M.S. and their bringing to us Nate Scharff, who opened our eyes to the need of the Jews.
15. The Golden Jubilee Y.M.W.B. services that also added to our missionary insight.
16. The Valton W.M.S. and their good job of cleaning the sixteen room dormitory.
17. All those carrying a sincere burden for the work of the conference in prayer and labors the past year.

We, the committee on Thanks also recommend that our Conference secretary send notes of thanks to the following:

1. The town chairman for grading and dust-proofing the road along the campground.
2. John Sake for obtaining the chloride for the dust-proofing.
3. Taylor's Locker Plant, for storing meat. Valley.
4. Richland Center Locker Plant for smoking and storing meat.
5. Bert Beiers for tractor and mower.
6. Orval Ward for rake and hauling hay.
7. Prestegards, Richland Center, for their gift of the coolerator.

Signed: Tilman Hicks, Chairman;  
 Alice Mae Heavilin,  
 Dorothy Kennerier.

#### Report No. 8

#### CHARACTER COMMITTEE'S REPORT

We, the Character Committee have examined and passed the following elders and conference preachers: Robert Mattke, Mrs. Coral Butcher, Russel Buck, Robert Thrasher, Lloyd W. King, Josephine King, Clayton Butcher, Marie Hahn, Tilman Hicks, Carl Holder, Ernest Friebe, Alice Mae Heavilin, G. M. Hahn, Sylvia Lee, C. H. Butcher, Orval Butcher, Hazel Butcher, Harold Johnson, I. J. Butcher, Ronald Heavilin, H. L. Johnson, Clarence Mason, David Peterson, William Markee, Clarence Titus, Raymond Warren, Wilma Parker, Grace Kauffman, Harold Keller, J. B. Clawson, Mrs. J. B. Clawson, Lloyd Poe, Royal Bailie, Esther Johnson, Robert Fegan, Loring H. Peterson.

#### Report No. 9

#### REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY

##### Financial Statement

Balance, July 1, 1951 .....	\$69.94
Local S. S. Expense .....	3258.06
Foreign Missions .....	98.01
Home Missions .....	493.93
Connectional Sunday School .....	118.75
Other Benevolences .....	59.50

**Report No. 10****ANNUAL REPORT OF SUPERANNUATE PENSION PLAN**

## Received:

Church Budget .....	\$796.28
Members 1% of income .....	207.98

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\$1004.26

## Disbursements:

To Dr. D. A. Rees .....	\$1004.26
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**SUPERANNUATE MINISTERS' FUND**

July 1, 1951, Cash on Hand .....	\$925.10
Hayward Camp Note .....	932.00
Baraboo church note .....	150.00
Interest received .....	36.43

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\$2043.53

## Disbursements:

Loan to Conf. to buy trailer .....	\$600.00
Hayward camp note .....	600.00
Baraboo church note .....	50.00
Cash on hand .....	793.53

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\$2043.53

Signed: I. J. Butcher

Conf. Pension Plan. Treasurer

**Report No. 11****COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE MINUTES**

We, the Committee on Conference Minutes, submit the following recommendations:

1. That the Conference Minutes not exceed 70 pages, if possible to stay within that limit.
2. That 300 copies be ordered.
3. That all reports be in to the Conference Secretary by the close of Camp Meeting or before leaving the campground if leaving prior to that time.
4. That the Conference Minutes be printed by our Publishing House.
5. That each church be responsible for at least  $\frac{1}{4}$  as many minutes as church members, at the price of \$1.00 per copy. The balance of expense to be taken from the Conference Work Fund.

Signed: Sylvia Lee,

Lloyd Poe,

Katherine Ewing, Sec.

**Report No. 12****PASTORAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT**

We, the Committee on Pastoral Relations, recommend the following:

1. That Tilman Hicks be returned to Woodland.
2. That David Peterson return to the Appleton charge.
3. That Harold and Edna Johnson be given relation as missionaries to Japan.
4. That Harry Johnson be appointed to Baraboo.
5. That Harold Keller return to Darrow Road.
6. That Robert Mattke return to Hayward charge.
7. That Raymond Warren return to the Trippeville charge.
8. That J. B. and Mrs. J. R. Clawson return to Spooner charge.
9. That Carl Holder be appointed to Beulah charge.
10. That I. J. and Hazel Butcher return to Hillsboro charge.
11. That Lloyd and Josephine King be appointed to the Mt. Pisgah and Oak Ridge charges.
12. That Clarence Mason be appointed to church extension work in Janesville.
13. That Lloyd Poe be appointed to Valton charge.
14. That G. M. and Marie Hahn return to Rice Lake charge.
15. That Sylvia Lee return to Burr charge.
16. That Ernest Friebe! return to Stone Lake charge.
17. That Clarence Titus be appointed as a co-laborer in church extension work in Madison.
18. That Gull Lake be left in the hands of Conference President and the Advisory Board.
19. That Charles and Coral Butcher return as pastors of Central Wisconsin churches and do evangelistic work.
20. That Ronald and Alice Mae Heavilin return as co-pastors of Central Wisconsin and to do evangelistic work.
21. That we recommend that Orval Butcher be General Evangelist connected with Youth for Christ International.
22. That Egwendolyn Butcher be given evangelistic work.
23. That Russel Buck return to Mill Creek.
24. That William Markee do missionary work at Tillinghast.
25. That Carr Valley be left in hands of Conference President.
26. That Beloit be left in the hands of the Conference President and Mrs. Harold Goodenough have charge of Sunday school work among the children.
27. That Robert Thrasher be appointed to do missionary work in conference

28. That Royal Bailie return to continue church extension work in the Milwaukee church.
29. That Clayton Butcher be given the privilege of supplying church in Clarissa, Minnesota.
30. That Robert Fegan be given privilege of supplying church in Clarksfield, Minnesota.
31. That Grace Kauffman, Esther Johnson, and Wilma Parker do missionary work under missionary board.
32. That the Conference President hold at least two quarterly meetings on each charge; that he receive \$35.00 a week salary; \$400.00 a year house rent and \$750.00 a year traveling expenses.
33. We recommend that Superior and Chittamo churches be disbanded.
34. We recommend that the Eau Claire charge be left in the hands of the Conference President and his Advisory Board.

Signed: Loring H. Peterson, Chairman;  
 Chas. H. Butcher,  
 J. B. Clawson,  
 Robert Thrasher,  
 Len Carlson,  
 Mack Budde,  
 Virgil Jones, Secretary.

#### Report No. 13

#### COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY AND ELDERS ORDERS

We, the Committee on Itineracy and Orders recommend the following:

1. We recommend for election to Elders Orders: Carl Holder, Russel Buck, Harold Keller, Ronald Heavilin, Alice Mae Heavilin.
2. As suitable to travel and study under the direction of the Conference: William Butcher, Stanley Straughn, Wayne Kelty, George Peder-son, Oliver Fowler, Nunzo Catrone, Rosetta Catrone.  
 We recommend that the first six attend school the coming year.
3. That Clayton Butcher and Floyd Turner hold the same relation as last year.
4. That Orland Johnson, Donald Berry and Fay Johnson continue in school and hold the same relation as last year.
5. That Hazel Butcher be given one year to complete the course, that she present herself for ordination next conference.
6. That Dale Peterson be returned to his quarterly conference.
7. That Egwendolyn Butcher be returned to her quarterly conference.

Signed: Mrs. J. B. Clawson, chairman;  
 Esther Johnson,  
 Robert Mattke.

**Report No. 14****FINANCIAL REPORT OF WISCONSIN CONFERENCE**

Offerings sent in .....	\$45.50
Disbursements:	
Postage .....	\$33.70
Stationery .....	.55
Office help .....	3.00
Cut .....	1.75
Phone .....	1.50
Balance on hand .....	5.00

\$45.50

Signed: Robert Mattke, Editor

**Report No. 15****COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE PAPER**

We, the committee, recommend the following:

1. That the Conference Paper be continued under the title of the WISCONSIN WESLEYAN.
2. That it be published quarterly the 15th of the following months: September, December, March and June.
3. That the conference elect an editor, an assistant editor and designate the department editors.
4. That all Conference officers use the paper as a means of promoting the work to which they have been assigned responsibility.
5. That we invite the W.Y.P.S. to co-operate in this project and be responsible for one page in each issue.
6. That all pastors of the conference send short news items to the editor subject to his editing the last week of each month preceding the month of publication.
7. That each pastor send the editor a mailing list of members and interested friends to whom the paper may be sent (one paper to a home) and that this mailing list be kept up to date.
8. That offerings and contributions be received from churches and interested individuals and if these contributions do not meet the expenses that the deficit be met from the Conference Administrative Fund.

Signed: Robert Mattke,  
Loring Peterson,  
Lloyd King.

**Report No. 16****REPORT OF CAMP MEETING TREASURER**

June 30, 1951-June 30, 1952

Balance from last year ..... \$454.70

## THE WISCONSIN CONFERENCE

Receipts for year .....	1702.18	
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Total receipts .....		\$2156.88
Expenditures .....		\$1553.45
Cash on hand .....		603.43
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		\$2156.88

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## Report No. 17. STATISTICAL REPORT

Charge	Item I. Pastor's Labors.										Item II. Periodicals										Item III. Membership																				
	Time Employed (Months)	Appointments	Organized Ch. Appointments	Wesleyan Methodists taken	Wesleyan Missionaries taken	Wesleyan Youths taken	Sunday School Banner	Junior Class Paper	Children's Friend	Teacher's Quarterly	Senior Quarterly	Intermediate Quarterly	Junior Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Home Dept. Quarterly	Lesson Leaflet	Our Little Folks Cards	Bible Lesson Chart	Pupil's Lesson Stories, Etc.	Bible Lesson Stories, Etc.	Flannelgraph	Flannel Art Work	Received	Expelled	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	Total Membership Lost	Number Reported Last Year	Present Number	Loss in Membership for Year	Gain in Membership for Year	No. Mem. Under 14 Years	Associate Members	Baptized	Unstationed Elders	Local Preachers	Number of Family Altars	Membership Tithing	No. Card Call Subscribers	
Appleton	12	1	1	24	6	5	35	8	12	6	35	...	12	12	...	10	12	1	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	4	4	47	47	...	...	1	6	2	...	1	14	31	10	
Baraboo	12	1	1	19	12	4	25	12	20	6	32	...	18	28	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	36	32	4	...	1	5	1	...	1	12	10	2	
Beulah	12	1	1	69	32	33	65	15	12	17	65	9	9	10	...	7	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7	70	63	7	...	...	1	5	25	25	12			
Burr and Valley	12	2	2	9	10	9	17	18	10	3	23	6	10	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	38	34	4	...	...	1	...	1	10	16	...		
Carr Valley	12	1	1	...	...	...	10	10	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Chittamo	12	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Darrow Road	12	1	1	17	11	8	14	10	15	5	10	18	10	10	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Eau Claire	12	1	1	50	32	15	50	20	20	13	50	8	22	22	14	6	14	...	14	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	95	95	...	...	9	2	4	...	4	20	50	12	
Gull Lake	12	1	1	15	3	1	15	...	4	3	10	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Hayward	12	1	1	32	10	5	40	30	15	2	35	9	30	...	...	20	30	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Hillsboro	12	1	1	11	10	6	15	15	15	6	20	...	4	3	3	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Mill Creek	12	1	1	5	4	3	10	10	5	3	11	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Mt. Pisgah	12	1	1	16	8	8	30	20	22	8	45	13	14	10	...	12	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Oak Ridge	12	1	1	11	5	4	16	20	6	2	30	4	11	2	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Rice Lake	12	1	1	34	14	6	25	25	...	8	20	21	6	11	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Spooner	12	1	1	8	6	30	12	10	3	30	...	18	10	...	...	10	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Stevens Point	12	6	1	14	5	10	18	5	5	5	18	3	...	5	4	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Stone Lake	12	1	1	19	9	10	35	12	8	3	28	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Trippville	12	1	1	3	3	5	16	14	6	4	20	...	6	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Valton	12	1	1	21	21	6	45	18	...	10	50	20	...	16	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Woodland	12	1	1	6	7	5	8	3	10	4	15	6	...	7	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Superior Society Disbanded	12	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	1240	26	21	384	210	155	519	277	195	117	547	117	180	152	37	97	124	7	45	6	6	49	59	...	27	7	25	58	658	648	44	34	13	41	62	5	24	192	348	72	

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Charge	Item IV. Sunday Schools															Item V. Church Property										
	No. of Sunday Schools	Whole No. of Officers and Teachers	Whole No. of Scholars in Main School	Total No. in Main School	No. in Home Department	No. on Cradle Roll	Total No. in Sunday School	Average Attendance	No. of Scholars Converted	No. Schol. Joining Church	No. of Departmental Supts.	No. of Organized Classes	No. of Books in Library	Enrollment V.B.S.	Average Attendance V.B.S.	No. W.Y.P. Societies	Total Membership of Soc.	No. of Church Buildings	Value of Buildings	Amount of Indebtedness	Amount of Insurance	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Amount of Indebtedness	Amount of Insurance	Cash or Other Values on Hand
Appleton	1	10	70	80	13	11	104	62	5	4	3	52	42	39	1	20	1	1	\$10,500	...	\$9,950	...	...	...	...	\$1,316.45
Baraboo	1	10	62	72	4	17	93	59	2	...	3	50	...	...	1	9	1	1	5,000	...	1,650	...	\$4,500	\$50	\$3,000	25.00
Beulah	1	11	83	94	9	21	124	71	8	...	1	147	50	45	1	8	1	1	5,000	...	3,000	...	4,500	...	3,500	40.00
Burr and Valley	2	9	36	45	...	...	45	40	...	...	...	...	24	22	1	10	2	2	9,500	...	13,500	...	1,800	...	1,800	65.00
Carr Valley	1	1	25	26	...	...	26	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Chittamo	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,000	...	800	...	400	...	...	...
Darrow Road	1	7	36	43	...	8	51	33	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	12	1	2,000	...	2,000	...	...	...	...	...
Eau Claire	1	20	107	127	48	27	202	89	6	1	4	1	33	52	40	1	36	1	9,000	...	6,000	...	6,000	...	4,000	716.88
Gull Lake	1	8	15	23	6	8	37	20	...	...	...	...	...	19	17	...	...	1	400	...	...	...	1,200	...	1,000	...
Hayward	1	14	120	134	...	12	146	104	2	8	4	...	45	65	59	1	14	1	17,000	\$1,000	10,000	...	5,000	...	4,100	347.57
Hillsboro	1	4	30	34	3	...	37	20	...	...	1	...	6	79	71	1	7	1	2,750	...	1,500	...	...	...	...	20.00
Mill Creek	1	7	28	35	...	16	51	20	...	...	...	52	...	...	...	...	1	1	2,000	...	1,500	...	1,300	...	1,200	35.00
Mt. Pisgah	1	8	61	69	1	9	79	52	4	...	2	2	82	51	46	1	12	1	6,500	...	3,200	...	3,000	...	2,000	46.46
Oak Ridge	1	8	55	63	2	7	72	32	1	...	2	...	25	20	1	12	1	1	2,500	...	1,800	...	...	...	...	40.58
Rice Lake	1	10	60	70	...	16	86	54	...	...	2	...	50	45	31	1	10	1	15,000	...	11,300	...	...	...	...	2,801.44
Spooner	1	7	63	70	...	8	78	63	...	...	...	...	36	31	26	1	7	1	4,000	...	3,500	...	6,500	306	5,000	...
Stevens Point	2	8	42	50	...	...	50	38	8	14	...	...	...	...	...	1	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stone Lake	1	14	57	71	2	3	76	56	7	...	3	...	56	34	31	1	15	1	1,500	...	1,280	...	3,000	...	2,000	57.34
Tripperville	1	7	31	38	...	6	44	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41.41
Valton	1	15	93	108	3	25	136	77	8	3	1	...	90	50	46	1	10	1	6,000	...	3,000	...	3,000	...	1,500	17.00
Woodland	1	5	34	39	...	...	39	29	7	3	...	...	...	18	17	1	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	517.87
Totals	22	183	1108	1291	91	194	1576	955	59	33	31	3	699	585	510	16	218	19	\$100,161	\$1,000	\$73,980	12	\$40,200	\$356	\$29,100	\$6,088.00

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Item VI. Disbursed for Pastor					Item VII. Disbursed for Church							
Charge	Salary	Parsonage Rent	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts	Total Pastor's Receipts	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building	Repairs	Amount Paid on Indebtedness	Church Incidental Expense	Total for Church
Appleton	\$2,290.00	\$360.00	\$15.00	\$116.00	\$2,781.00	\$346.70	\$293.63	.....	\$369.75	\$678.64	\$422.35	\$2,111.07
Baraboo	1,309.00	420.00	25.00	63.00	1,817.00	94.83	194.93	.....	.....	107.98	266.11	663.85
Beulah	2,285.00	300.00	2.00	225.00	2,812.00	229.00	193.74	\$944.69	42.60	.....	337.26	1,747.29
Burr and Valley	1,343.17	180.00	24.00	75.00	1,622.17	.....	75.00	410.71	.....	.....	213.60	699.31
Carr Valley	207.22	.....	.....	.....	207.22	.....	29.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	29.10
Chittano	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Darrow Road	535.30	.....	35.00	175.00	745.30	69.65	104.00	.....	37.40	.....	50.90	252.95
Eau Claire	2,295.00	480.00	35.00	275.00	3,085.00	532.00	323.46	1,510.99	106.75	.....	986.04	3,459.24
Gull Lake	608.96	120.00	12.00	152.57	893.53	133.00	72.49	.....	30.00	.....	.....	235.49
Hayward	2,030.00	480.00	50.00	147.00	2,707.00	262.00	360.39	250.00	332.63	200.00	400.14	1,805.16
Hillsboro	1,135.00	180.00	40.00	50.00	1,405.00	.....	126.29	.....	14.00	.....	165.00	305.29
Mill Creek	1,082.30	180.00	.....	25.90	1,288.20	.....	39.14	.....	.....	.....	76.67	115.81
Mt. Pisgah	1,052.00	90.00	17.00	319.80	1,478.80	35.00	264.33	450.00	.....	.....	136.29	885.62
Oak Ridge	625.00	90.00	.....	82.59	797.59	49.60	125.49	.....	.....	.....	21.70	187.19
Rice Lake	1,500.00	360.00	25.00	125.00	2,010.00	44.91	149.82	.....	127.34	.....	682.41	1,004.48
Spooner	1,718.50	480.00	15.00	254.90	2,468.40	160.00	209.55	37.10	2.00	34.00	145.10	587.75
Stevens Point	302.78	.....	90.00	32.00	424.78	240.00	59.65	.....	.....	.....	1,081.64	1,381.29
Stone Lake	1,124.34	180.00	10.00	235.04	1,549.38	85.00	213.15	.....	90.78	.....	336.87	725.80
Trippville	720.50	.....	143.00	45.00	908.50	75.00	53.50	.....	2.59	.....	28.73	159.73
Valton	1,597.18	216.00	65.00	590.16	2,468.34	273.58	231.06	.....	37.24	.....	200.65	742.47
Woodland	705.00	120.00	.....	298.57	1,123.57	96.25	139.40	319.04	.....	.....	147.44	702.13
Totals	\$24,466.25	\$4,236.00	\$603.00	\$3,287.53	\$32,592.78	\$2,707.92	\$3,258.06	\$3,922.53	\$1,192.99	\$1,020.62	\$5,698.90	\$17,801.02

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## Item VIII. Disbursed for General Budget

Charge	Foreign Missions Assigned	Foreign Missions Raised	Home Missions Assigned	Home Missions Raised	Education Assigned	Education Raised	Superannuated Ministers' Fund Assigned	Superannuated Ministers' Fund Raised	Orphanage Assigned	Orphanage Raised	Administrative Budget Assigned	Administrative Budget Raised	General Conference Travel & Entertainment Assigned	General Conference Travel & Entertainment Raised
Appleton	\$94.00	\$138.89	\$58.75	\$52.50	\$117.50	\$69.00	\$70.50	.....	\$11.75	\$12.00	\$18.80	\$23.00	\$7.05	\$9.00
Baraboo	72.00	283.89	45.00	49.32	90.00	92.26	54.00	\$54.00	9.00	9.00	14.40	15.00	5.40	6.00
Beulah	140.00	217.68	87.50	142.23	175.00	177.63	105.00	108.00	17.50	18.00	28.00	33.30	10.50	11.00
Burr and Valley	76.00	87.39	47.50	55.00	95.00	52.50	57.00	16.00	9.50	9.50	15.20	12.50	5.70	.....
Carr Valley	4.00	17.00	2.50	19.50	5.00	.....	3.00	.....	5.50	3.93	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittamo	44.00	96	27.50	.....	55.00	.....	33.00	.....	5.50	.....	8.80	8.80	3.30	2.01
Darrow Road	24.00	94.84	15.00	29.00	30.00	42.75	18.00	18.00	3.00	8.00	4.80	4.80	1.80	1.80
Em Claire	190.00	440.71	118.75	278.10	237.50	268.25	142.50	142.50	23.75	25.00	38.00	38.00	14.25	14.25
Gull Lake	46.00	34.00	28.75	30.00	57.50	12.00	34.50	6.00	5.75	5.00	9.20	5.00	3.45	.....
Hayward	72.00	155.61	45.00	48.32	90.00	91.88	54.00	54.00	9.00	10.00	14.40	15.00	5.40	6.00
Hillsboro	42.00	57.40	26.25	36.56	52.50	54.25	31.50	32.00	5.25	10.25	8.40	8.40	3.15	1.65
Mill Creek	24.00	29.74	15.00	28.60	30.00	30.00	18.00	18.00	3.00	3.00	4.80	5.00	1.80	2.00
Mt. Pisgah	58.00	218.02	36.25	180.33	72.50	73.50	43.50	53.50	7.25	12.00	11.60	12.00	4.35	6.00
Oak Ridge	42.00	47.39	26.25	30.00	52.50	54.00	31.50	32.00	5.25	6.00	8.40	9.00	3.15	4.00
Rice Lake	40.00	334.67	25.00	288.00	50.00	62.50	30.00	30.00	5.00	20.00	8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00
Spooner	60.00	162.75	37.50	54.56	75.00	74.00	45.00	45.00	7.50	15.13	12.00	12.00	4.50	5.00
Stevens Point	58.00	135.36	36.25	42.00	72.50	73.00	43.50	44.00	7.25	11.00	11.60	12.00	4.35	5.00
Stone Lake	44.00	85.58	27.50	74.50	55.00	66.00	33.00	33.00	5.50	6.00	8.80	9.00	3.30	4.00
Trippville	50.00	65.89	31.25	31.25	62.50	38.75	37.50	.....	6.25	6.25	10.00	.....	3.75	.....
Walton	82.00	286.06	51.25	100.61	102.50	104.64	51.50	82.90	10.25	10.25	16.40	16.40	6.15	6.15
Woodland	34.00	112.89	21.25	77.21	42.50	45.00	25.50	26.38	4.25	7.00	6.80	7.00	2.55	3.00
Totals	\$1,296.00	\$3,036.73	\$810.00	\$1,647.59	\$1,620.00	\$1,481.91	\$972.00	\$796.28	\$162.00	\$207.31	\$259.20	\$254.20	\$97.20	\$89.86

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Item VIII. Disbursed for General Budget—Continued								Item VIII. Disbursed for Conference Budget								
Charge	General Sunday School Work Assigned	General Sunday School Work Raised	Australia Assigned	Australia Raised	Total General Budget Assigned	Total General Budget Raised	President's Salary Assigned	President's Salary Raised	Conference Missions Assigned	Conference Missions Raised	Conference Admin. Fund Assigned	Conference Admin. Fund Raised	Total Conf. Budget Assigned	Total Conf. Budget Raised	Total Budget Assigned	Total Budget Raised
Appleton	\$7.90	\$8.00	\$11.75	\$12.00	\$398.00	\$324.39	\$188.00	\$188.00	\$47.00	\$47.00	\$11.75	\$12.00	\$246.75	\$247.00	\$644.75	\$571.39
Baraboo	8.30	8.30	9.00	9.00	307.10	526.77	144.00	144.00	35.00	38.00	9.00	9.00	189.00	191.00	496.10	717.77
Beulah	10.80	6.70	17.50	18.00	591.80	732.54	280.00	280.00	70.00	80.00	17.50	28.00	367.50	388.00	959.30	1,120.54
Burr and Valley	4.20	4.20	9.50	9.50	319.60	246.59	152.00	67.00	38.00	24.50	9.50	10.00	199.50	101.50	519.10	348.09
Carr Valley			5.00		16.60	40.43	8.00		2.00		5.00		10.50		27.10	40.43
Chittano	2.40		5.50		185.00	11.77	88.00	88.00	22.00	22.00	5.50	5.50	115.50	115.50	300.50	127.27
Darrow Road	4.20	3.40	3.00	3.00	103.80	205.59	48.00	48.00	12.00	13.00	3.00	3.00	63.00	64.00	166.80	269.59
East Claire	13.00	13.00	23.75	51.66	801.50	1,251.47	380.00	380.00	95.00	110.65	23.75	23.75	498.75	514.40	1,300.25	1,765.87
Gull Lake	3.30	2.00	5.75	6.00	194.20	100.00	92.00	30.00	23.00	10.00	5.75	4.00	120.75	44.00	314.95	144.00
Hayward	13.30	13.30	9.00	9.00	312.10	403.11	144.00	145.00	36.00	39.00	9.00	12.50	189.00	196.50	501.10	599.61
Hills o o	4.00	3.00	5.25	5.25	178.30	208.76	84.00	84.00	21.00	29.75	5.25	3.75	110.25	117.50	288.55	326.26
Mill Creek	3.00	2.25	3.00	3.00	102.60	121.59	48.00	48.00	12.00	12.00	3.00	3.50	63.00	63.50	165.60	185.09
Mt. Pisgah	7.90	6.60	7.25	10.00	248.60	571.96	116.00	133.00	29.00	29.50	7.25	10.00	152.25	172.50	400.85	744.46
Oak Ridge	6.40	6.30	5.25	6.00	180.70	194.69	84.00	84.00	21.00	21.00	5.25	6.00	110.25	111.00	290.95	305.69
Rice Lake	9.00	5.00	5.00	100.00	175.00	901.17	80.00	80.00	20.00	42.97	5.00	5.00	105.00	127.97	280.00	1,029.14
Spooner	5.30	8.00	7.50	8.00	254.30	384.44	120.00	121.00	30.00	33.00	7.50	10.00	157.50	164.00	411.80	548.44
Stevens Point	5.30	5.30	7.25	8.00	246.00	335.66	116.00	116.00	29.00	29.00	7.25	8.00	152.25	153.00	398.25	488.66
Stone Lake	6.60	7.00	5.50	6.00	189.20	291.08	88.00	88.00	22.00	22.00	5.50	6.00	115.50	116.00	304.70	407.08
Trippville	3.80		6.25	6.25	211.30	148.39	100.00	75.60	25.00	25.00	6.25		131.25	100.60	342.55	248.99
Valton	13.80	13.80	10.25	10.25	354.10	632.06	164.00	164.00	41.00	41.00	10.25	16.25	215.25	221.25	569.35	853.31
Woodland	4.00	2.60	4.25	5.00	145.10	286.08	68.00	68.00	17.00	19.00	4.25	5.00	89.25	92.00	234.35	378.08
Totals	\$136.50	\$118.75	\$162.00	\$285.91	\$5,514.90	\$7,918.54	\$2,592.00	\$2,431.60	\$648.00	\$688.37	\$162.00	\$181.25	\$3,402.00	\$3,301.22	\$8,916.90	\$11,219.76

## THE WISCONSIN CONFERENCE

## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Charge	Item IX. Disbursed for Benevolences							Item X. Disbursed Totals					
	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Orphanage	Conference Work	W. Y. P. S.	Other Objects	Total for Benevolences	Total for Pastor	Total for Church	Total for Budget	Total for Benevolences	Total for All Purposes
Appleton	\$29.89	\$80.60	\$20.00		\$82.00		\$292.00	\$504.49	\$2,781.00	\$2,111.07	\$571.39	\$504.49	\$5,967.95
Baraboo	10.61	56.15			28.00	\$15.00	203.66	313.42	1,817.00	663.85	717.77	313.42	3,512.04
Beulah	60.00	103.00	511.00		105.00	339.29	490.62	1,608.91	2,812.00	1,747.29	1,120.54	1,608.91	7,288.74
Burr and Valley					16.00	10.00	321.50	347.50	1,622.17	699.31	348.09	347.50	3,017.07
Carr Valley							40.50	40.50	207.22	29.10	40.43	40.50	317.25
Chittamo											127.27		127.27
Darrow Road	11.00				25.06	5.50	73.03	114.59	745.30	252.95	269.59	114.59	1,382.43
Eau Claire	26.96	209.06	222.00		33.00	36.00	891.64	1,418.66	3,085.00	3,459.24	1,765.87	1,418.66	9,728.77
Gull Lake	16.20		2.00		5.00		8.79	31.99	893.53	235.49	144.00	31.99	1,305.01
Hayward		6.86	25.00	\$10.00	33.50	278.96	555.84	910.16	2,707.00	1,805.16	599.61	910.16	6,021.93
Hillsboro	10.61				21.75	7.61	33.50	73.47	1,405.00	305.29	326.26	73.47	2,110.02
Mill Creek	5.61				3.00			8.61	1,288.20	115.81	185.09	8.61	1,597.71
Mt. Pisgah				27.00	63.00	28.90	160.85	279.75	1,478.80	885.62	744.46	279.75	3,388.63
Oak Ridge				15.00	18.42	30.26	68.25	131.93	797.59	187.19	305.69	131.93	1,422.40
Rice Lake		30.00		32.62	61.00		265.51	389.13	2,010.00	1,004.48	1,029.14	389.13	4,432.75
Spooner	5.61	12.00			8.00	60.00	143.00	228.61	2,468.40	587.75	548.44	228.61	3,833.20
Stevens Point	5.61		15.00		6.00		147.50	174.11	424.78	1,381.29	488.66	174.11	2,468.84
Stone Lake		16.00			9.00	27.00	80.63	132.63	1,549.38	725.80	407.08	132.63	2,814.89
Trippville	5.61				15.00		34.75	55.36	908.50	159.73	248.99	55.36	1,372.58
Valton	4.75	22.00			43.00	22.63	442.60	534.98	2,468.34	742.47	853.31	534.98	4,599.10
Woodland	5.61	6.00	42.00		10.50	44.95	102.09	211.15	1,123.57	702.13	378.08	211.15	2,414.93
Totals	\$198.07	\$541.67	\$864.00	\$57.62	\$586.23	\$906.10	\$4,356.26	\$7,509.95	\$32,592.78	\$17,801.02	\$11,219.76	\$7,509.95	\$69,123.51

# Minutes of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Wisconsin Conference

## CONFERENCE OFFICERS

President—Mrs. Harry Johnson, 445 Maxwell St., Baraboo, Wis.  
Vice President—Mrs. Lloyd King, Ontario, Wis., R. F. D.  
Treasurer—Miss Esther Johnson, 35 W. Marshall, Rice Lake, Wis.  
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Missionary Study Secretary—Mrs. Tilman Hicks, Markville, Minn.  
Literature Secretary—Mrs. Robert Mattke, Hayward, Wis.  
Prayer Chain, Northern—Mrs. Pearl Thrasher, Mrs. Robert Mattke  
Prayer Chain, Southern—Mrs. Carl Holder, Mrs. I. J. Butcher  
Magazine Solicitor—Mrs. Ernie Rott, La Valle, Wis.  
1953 Statistical Committee—Mrs. Lloyd King, Ontario, Wis., R.F.D.  
Membership Committee, Northern—Mrs. G. M. Hahn  
Membership Committee, Southern—Miss Louise Gardiner  
Delegates to Area Convention—Mrs. Lloyd King, Mrs. Robert Mattke

## W. M. S. DIRECTORY

Appleton—President, Mrs. Leslie Kipp, 1802 E. Newberry, Appleton, Wis.  
Secretary, Mrs. Mary Hensel, 737 W. Harris, Appleton.  
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Mrs. Cassie Harvey, Martin St., Baraboo, Wis.  
Beulah—President, Mrs. Lucretia Gillingham, Gillingham, Wis.; Secretary,  
Mrs. Sadie Spry, Gillingham, Wis.  
Burr & Valley—President, Mrs. Frank Butcher, Hillsboro, Wis., R.F.D.  
Secretary, Mrs. Fred Rich, Hillsboro, Wis., R.F.D. 2.  
Carr Valley—President, Mrs. Nancy Spry, La Valle, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs.  
Hazel Spry, Reedsburg, R.F.D.  
Darrow Road—President, Mrs. Alfred Tennier, Station B, Superior, Wis.;  
Secretary, Mrs. Roy Pearson, Station B, R.F.D. 1, Superior, Wis.

- Eau Claire—President, Mrs. Alfred Norgaard, 1518 Ave C., Eau Claire, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. Orville Stevens, 814 Oxford Ave., Eau Claire, Wisconsin.
- Gull Lake—President, Mrs. Wm. McNitt, Springbrook, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. Warren Parker, Lampson, Wis.
- Hayward—President, Mrs. Roy Gregerson, Hayward, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. Owen Smith, Hayward, Wis.
- Hillsboro—President, Mrs. Leslie Lee, Hillsboro, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. Hazel Butcher, Hillsboro, Wis.
- Milwaukee—President, Mrs. Royal Bailie, 415 B Badger Lane, 1460 S. 108th St., Milwaukee 14, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. Ann Dollhopf, 2010 105th St., Milwaukee, Wis.
- Mt. Pisgah—President, Mrs. Bernard Breidenstein, Ontario, Wis., R.F.D.; Secretary, Mrs. Harold Winchell, Hillsboro, R.F.D. 2.
- Oak Ridge—President, Mrs. Percy Bohland, Cashton, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. Leslie Currier, Cashton, Wis.
- Rice Lake—President, Mrs. Norman Parker, 318 Phipps, Rice Lake, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. G. M. Hahn, 35 W. Marshall, Rice Lake, Wis.
- Spooner—President, Mrs. J. B. Clawson, 821 Scribner St., Spooner, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. Doris Ensign, Shell Lake, Wis.
- Stone Lake—President, Mrs. J. M. Boone, Stone Lake, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. Lowell Gregory, Stone Lake, Wis.
- Trippeville—President, Mrs. Raymond Warren, Hillsboro, Wis.; Secretary, Mrs. Russel Williams, Kendall, R.F.D., Wis.
- Valton—President, Mrs. Charlotte Farra, La Valle, Wis., R.F.D.; Secretary, Mrs. Clarice Jackson, Wonewoc, Wis., R.F.D.
- Woodland—President, Mrs. Goldie Carlson, Markville, Minn., R.F.D.; Secretary, Mrs. C. L. Busby, Markville, Minn., R.F.D.

#### IN MEMORIAM—1952

“Blessed are they that die in the Lord.”

Members who have passed to their reward during the year 1951-1952:

Mrs. Anna Sizer—Hayward  
 Mrs. John Bosley—Gull Lake  
 Mrs. Emma B. Harsh—Eau Claire  
 Mrs. Julia Mayhew—Rice Lake

#### COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We, the Committee on Resolutions, submit the following:

1. Be it resolved, that we give praise and thanks to our Triune God for His many blessings upon the Conference sessions, for inspiration received, for progress made this past year, for the prospects of new organizations for the coming year, and that we are determined to carry back to our local societies a renewed vision and a burden for the cause of missions.

2. Be it resolved, that we remember China, Korea and our mission fields in this time of persecution and severe trial. In view of the fact of these conditions let us encourage our people to hasten in the funds for still open doors and also make memorials of money for the deceased rather than a superfluity of flowers. For said memorials we do express our gratitude.

3. Be it resolved, that we make use of the Penny-a-Meal Plan formulated by Mrs. Birch to raise more funds to send out more missionaries.

4. Be it resolved, that in view of the fact that communism and Catholicism are making such inroads in our public schools, that we pray more fervently for our children and for our Christian schools and colleges that they may be kept open and going strong for God.

5. Be it resolved, that we express our thanks to those who contributed to our devotional service, to Mrs. Leyh for her inspiration and counsel, to Dr. Eddy for his information concerning the publishing of the missionary magazine; to Mr. Scharff for his stirring message concerning the salvation of his own people, the Jews.

6. Be it resolved, that each member of the W.M.S. make it her personal responsibility to pray daily for Rev. and Mrs. Harold Johnson as they go to Japan; for Rev. and Mrs. Reisdorph as they make their World Tour, for Mrs. Harry Johnson who so faithfully carries the responsibility as our President of the W.M.S.

7. Be it resolved, that we express our appreciation to the many who have labored so faithfully during the Conference and camp to make it more pleasant for those attending, and to the many who donated necessary articles and provisions for the camp.

Signed: Esther Johnson,  
Irma Hicks,  
Hazel Butcher.

### FOOD COMMITTEE REPORT

Value of food—Use in figuring your donations to the Conference and Camp Kitchen:

Sweetened berries .....	\$ .45
Sweetened fruit .....	.35
Unsweetened berries .....	.35
Unsweetened fruit .....	.25
Vegetables .....	.25
Sweet Pickles .....	.25
Dill Pickles .....	.20
Jelly, per glass .....	.20
Beef .....	.90

### PLAN OF WORK FOR 1952-1953

We, the Committee on Plan of Work, submit the following as outlined by the General and Annual Conference:

1. Arrange with the pastor for one **Missionary Prayer Service** each month.

2. A minimum of 10 meetings be held during the year, in which prayer is given a prominent place, and business is transacted; and at least one public meeting.

3. Recognizing the power of **Prayer**, let us diligently observe the following:

a. The formation of **Prayer Partner Circles** in each society with a prayer partner secretary, who shall send a report to the Conference prayer partner secretary within 60 days after adjournment of the Annual Conference—Mrs. David Peterson, 615 N. Richmond St., Appleton, Wis.

b. the observance of a **Prayer and Fast Day** by each society once a month.

c. Co-operation in the **World Day of Prayer** services.

4. The President, Secretary, Treasurer and 75% of the active membership be subscribers to the **WESLEYAN MISSIONARY**.

a. Every member a subscriber to the **WESLEYAN MISSIONARY**.

b. **A Magazine Solicitor** to be elected who will faithfully endeavor to obtain all renewals and will gain not less than two new subscriptions a year.

5. Each society to be represented in annual conference by the new president and a delegate.

a. Delegate to be instructed by local society regarding the amount to be pledged by that society at the annual conference session.

b. Statistical Report Blanks filled out on time. Send one copy to Mr. Lloyd King, Ontario, R. F. D., by June 30, 1953.

6. All monies received as **DUES** to be sent to Conference Treasurer quarterly and final remittances not later than June 15, 1953, using remittance blanks sent out by Conference Treasurer who is Miss Esther Johnson, 35 W. Marshall St., Rice Lake, Wis.

7. Every woman in the church a member of the society or a 10% gain in total membership.

a. An effort to gain every man as honorary member.

8. Finance:

a. An amount equal to 2% of all monies raised, except funds for building and repairs and dues, to be paid for conference missions.

b. \$10.00 per society to be paid for **Home Missions**. This may apply on Budget.

c. \$5.00 per society to be paid **Hephzibah Orphanage**. This may apply on Budget.

- d. That all monies be sent in **Round Numbers**. (even dollars)
- e. That honorary members as well as active members be included in all our assessments, unless otherwise specified.
- f. \$.25 per active member be paid for a **General Administrative Fund, not to apply on budget**.
- g. \$3.00 or more per society to be paid to the **Medical Student Fund, not to apply on budget**.
- 9. a. Stress the use of Card Call Plan. Not to apply on budget.
- b. Use of "Penny-a-Meal" jar and/or Thank Offering Envelopes, the same to be turned in to local treasurer monthly.
- 10. **The Efficiency Standard** to be **Read** in the society at least once a year.

**We Recommend the Following:**

- 1. That there be continued reference to the Plan of Work as a guide for the year's work.
- 2. That a missionary offering be taken at the monthly prayer meeting.
- 3. That finances be provided for each representative to Annual Conference.
- 4. That we urge use of "In Remembrance Folders."
- 5. That Thank Offering monies be used as directed by the society.
- 6. That local societies inquire into the needs of Home Mission stations and orphanage before sending used clothing, and that no monetary value be placed on same; that such boxes be reported merely as to the number sent; that boxes of new merchandise be reported as to monetary value and that the sending society evaluate and fill out receipt for same, this to be sent to the missionaries for their signature, after which it should be forwarded to Conference Missionary Society Treasurer for prayer receipting.
- 7. That each society furnish needed things, rugs, dressers, etc., for camps at Hayward and Burr.
- 8. That gift subscriptions to the Missionary Magazine be encouraged.
- 9. That our prayer partners be remembered by letters.
- 10. That our local societies make bandages and that these be forwarded promptly to the Missionary Home, 32 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, New Jersey, to await outgoing missionaries, the number of pounds to be reported with no value attached.
- 11. That we promote the Mission Study and Reading course; the use of the study book designated each year, also program calendars and other helps.
- 12. That the Resolutions Report be read before the society upon receipt of the new conference minutes.
- 13. That the Membership Receipt Booklets sent out by the Membership Chairman to each society, be used this year.

14. That the recommendation to divide the North District from the Southern District to consist of Darrow Road, Woodland, Gull Lake, Hayward, Stone Lake, Spooner, Rice Lake and Eau Claire be accepted.

15. That each society endeavor to send in canned fruit, vegetables, jam or butter to the campgrounds for next year.

16. No money shall be received that is post-marked later than June 15th. That within four days the Treasurer shall send each society treasurer a statement of finance.

Signed: Mrs. J. B. Clawson,  
Mrs. Royal Bailie,  
Mrs. Robert Mattke.

#### W. M. S. TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1951-1952

##### Receipts:

Carried forward from last year .....	\$230.00	
Conference Offering 1951 .....	61.44	
Dues .....	283.00	
Cash Received .....	3876.03	
Interest from bank .....	5.54	
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Total cash received .....		\$4456.01
By receipt .....		560.00
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Total cash and receipts .....		\$5016.01

##### Disbursements:

General foreign .....	\$688.27	\$197.42
Mr. Witthuhn's support .....	999.76	
Haiti .....	7.00	
African Native worker .....	52.00	
India .....		30.00
Japan .....		200.00
Kamakwie Hospital .....	10.00	
Medical student .....	6.00	
Jewish Missions .....	9.01	
Brother Witthuhn's travel expense .....	112.20	
General Home Missions .....	968.55	
Brainerd Indian School .....	5.00	
Home for Clara Webb .....	10.00	
Australia-General .....	156.66	91.58
Australia Bible College .....	50.00	5.00
Card Call .....		17.00
Hephzibah Children's Home .....	109.68	
Christmas gifts to Orphanage .....	10.00	
Education-Miltonvale .....	294.42	19.00

# WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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Mrs. Reisdorph World Tour .....	150.52
Gen. Conf. Gen. Fund (dues) .....	70.75
Gen. Conf. Admin. fund .....	9.00
Gen. Admin. fund .....	61.05
Conf. Missions for Evangelism .....	209.00
2% Evangelism .....	15.00
Milwaukee church .....	15.00
Darrow Road Church .....	7.25
Paul Heavilin .....	7.00
Conf. Bldg. fund .....	5.00
Conf. Pres. salary .....	62.60
Conference table .....	44.00
Del. Expense to area convention .....	90.00
Entertainment for area convention .....	15.00
Bldg. material to lumber Co. ....	24.31
Gift to Mrs. Hahn .....	10.00
Postage, etc. ....	5.00

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Total disbursements .....	\$4289.03	\$560.00
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Total disbursements cash and receipts ....	\$4849.03
Cash on hand at close of year .....	166.98

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Grand total for the year .....	\$5016.01
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Signed: Esther Johnson, Treas.

## THE WISCONSIN CONFERENCE

## W.M.S. STATISTICAL REPORT

Name of Society	Receipts																	
	Active Members	Honorary Members	Members Gain	Members Loss	Total No. Meetings Held	Wesleyan Missionaries taken	Rank Under Efficiency Standard %	No. Missionaries Supported	Membership Dues	Offerings	From Labor	"Memorials"	Voucher Receipts	Other Sources	Pledges	Total Receipts for Year	Old Balance From Last Year	Grand Total
Appleton	17	8	24		12	6			\$25.00	\$151.22	\$10.00		\$90.00	\$1.00		\$277.22	\$5.99	\$283.21
Baraboo	13			2	15	12			13.00	24.13	72.83	\$200.00	61.12	98.23		469.31	9.18	478.49
Beulah	27	6		1	15	30	148		33.00	246.66	11.00				\$125.00	415.66		415.66
Burr and Valley	12		2		12	10			12.00	117.25	90.72			3.50		223.47	1.12	224.59
Darrow Road	10				18	11			10.00	33.56				26.00		69.56	78.50	148.06
Carr Valley	1		1		12	5			1.00	23.43				40.00		64.43		64.43
Gull Lake	9				13	3			9.00	33.91	27.07	25.00			12.00	108.98	.18	107.16
Hillsboro	6		6		22	10			6.00	62.19	5.00		17.00	13.70	25.00	128.89		128.89
Eau Claire	37		3		31	32			37.00	497.03	2.50	12.00	41.00	250.05	236.00	1,075.58		1,075.58
Hayward	16			1	14	16			16.00	207.03			25.34			248.37	.47	248.84
Mill Creek (Disbanded)																		
Mt. Pisgah	11		1		12	8			11.00	143.48	40.10		206.75			401.33	2.02	403.35
Oak Ridge	16				12	8			16.00	40.53			21.00	9.55		87.08	2.57	89.65
Rice Lake	12			1	12	14			12.00	256.38			575.00			843.38	3.08	846.46
Spooner	12		6		21	7			12.00	201.57	30.74					244.31		244.31
Stone Lake	13			5	10	9			13.00	121.22		5.00			56.00	195.22	.78	196.00
Trippville	12	1	1		14	3			13.00	75.20	154.15					242.35		242.35
Valton	22	1	1		15	21			23.00	78.94			62.50	190.00		354.44	12.55	366.99
Woodland	11		4		14	7			11.00	61.01			113.00			185.01	1.07	186.08
Conference								1		61.44						61.44		61.44
Miscellaneous										35.48				57.12	15.00	107.60		107.60
Stevens Point (Unorganized)	10								10.00	26.00						36.00		36.00
Totals	267	16	43	14	274	204		1	\$283.00	\$2,497.66	\$444.11	\$242.00	\$1,212.71	\$689.15	\$469.00	\$5,837.63	\$117.51	\$5,955.14

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Totals

# Young Missionary Worker's Band

Another year of blessings and God's care for us. We have much for which to praise Him. Let's do so with our tithe and offerings for Missions. And also let us show our devotion to Him by our prayers and loyal service.

## **Our Motto—**

"Not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit saith the Lord."

Let us remember:

1. That each band report quarterly with blanks and remit funds and receipts to Conference Superintendent, Mrs. C. H. Butcher, 742 Center St., Steven Point, Wisconsin.
2. That each Band report quarterly on such blanks to their respective quarterly meetings.
3. That each Band strive for the Banner which will be given to the Band bringing in the largest report. Funds brought in strictly by Y.M.W.B.
4. That a second Banner be given the largest new Band.
5. That we count only the children under 13 years of age.
6. That each Band remember to send an offering to Desk Fund, to the amount of 5¢ per member.
7. That each Band acquaint themselves with names and locations of our Missionaries and follow out the study material as far as possible.
8. Each Band take a generous offering before or by the first of December, for our littlest missionary, Little Lorelli Johnson going to Japan with her daddy and mother the Rev. and Mrs. Harold Johnson.

Beulah Band receives the Banner for bringing in the largest offering.

## Y.M.W.B. STATISTICAL REPORT

Band	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Special Projects (Credit)	Total (Band Credit)	Grand Total
Appleton .....	\$13.00	\$10.00	\$11.00	.....	\$34.00	\$34.00
Baraboo .....	36.31	1.52	11.52	.....	49.35	.....
Beulah .....	59.36	5.00	27.22	\$50.00	141.58	.....
Burr and Valley .....	12.50	7.50	30.00	.....	50.00	.....
Carr Valley .....	6.50	.....	.....	.....	6.50	.....
Eau Claire .....	87.25	5.00	20.00	.....	112.25	.....
Gull Lake .....	7.00	.....	.....	.....	7.00	.....
Hayward .....	39.63	12.82	22.88	.....	75.33	.....
Hillsboro .....	5.40	.....	.....	.....	5.40	.....
Oak Ridge .....	31.00	16.00	25.00	.....	72.00	.....
Mt. Pisgah .....	21.61	13.83	10.00	.....	51.30	.....
Rice Lake .....	28.67	.....	.....	.....	28.67	.....
Spooner .....	28.80	6.81	.....	.....	35.61	.....
Stevens Point .....	7.00	.....	.....	.....	7.00	.....
Stone Lake .....	28.00	6.00	10.00	.....	44.00	.....
Valton .....	48.16	6.93	22.48	4.75	82.32	.....
Woodland .....	5.00	.....	2.00	.....	7.00	.....
Wisconsin Rapids .....	7.00	.....	.....	.....	7.00	.....
Totals .....	\$472.19	\$91.41	\$192.10	\$54.75	\$816.31	.....

# Minutes

of the

## Wisconsin W.Y.P.S.

### July 21, 1952

#### OFFICERS

President—Rev. Robert Mattke, Hayward, Wis.

Vice President—Rev. Carl Holder, Gillingham, Wis.

Secretary—Miss Norma Clawson, 821 Scribner St., Spooner, Wis.

Treasurer—Miss Beulah Butcher, Hillsboro, Wis.

District Chairmen:

Northern District, John Heavilin

Southern District, Marjorie Cass

#### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Rev. Loring H. Peterson, Rev. Robert Mattke, Rev. Carl Holder, Norma Clawson, Beulah Butcher.

#### DAILY PROCEEDINGS

The first session of the 23rd Annual Business meeting of the W.Y.P.S. of the Wisconsin Conference convened in the Young People's tabernacle of the Burr Campgrounds, at 9:00 a. m. Monday, July 21, 1952. The meeting was called to order by the President. Roger Mortimer led the devotions.

**Credentials Committee**—Joanne Clemenson and Donald Carlson. The report of the committee as follows: 14 delegates were seated by motion of the Conference. By motion Ella Rae Rummpe from Oak Ridge Charge was seated as a delegate, since the delegate nor alternate were present. Lorene Schwartz from Central, Wis. was also seated as a delegate.

**Bar of Conference**—The motion was carried that the seats on the North side of the Young People's Tabernacle serve as the Bar of Conference.

**Tellers**—Ronald Norgaard and Arthur Johnson.

**Election of Officers**—Resulted as follows:

President—Rev. Robert Mattke

Vice President—Rev. Carl Holder

Secretary—Norma Clawson

Treasurer—Beulah Butcher

**Committees** elected by acclamation:

Statistical—Tilman Hicks, Marian Cascio

Auditing—Roger Mortimer, Geraldine Lemke

By motion the President and the Treasurer be on the Budget Committee and that two members of the delegates be elected to act on this committee; and also this be a **STANDING RULE**.

Budget—Henry Pearson, Mildred Asp

Publications—Lloyd Poe, June Dahler, Geraldine Lemke

Wesleyan Youth Solicitor—Mrs. Robert Mattke

By motion Thursday night be set for the time of the Young People's outing at Wild Cat Mountain State Park, providing the weather permits.

The following committees were elected for this outing:

Devotional—Harold Johnson, Ronald Heavilin.

Food—Alice Mae Heavilin, Marian Cascio, Lorene Schwartz

Recreation—Roger Mortimer, Lynford Sanders, William Butcher

Transportation—Harold Keller

Time of Conference—By motion, 9:00-10:20 a. m.

Adjourned by limitation of time.

The second session of the W.Y.P.S. Convention met Tuesday, July 22, at 9:00 a. m. in the Young People's Tabernacle. Roger Mortimer led the singing with Elda Mae Ewing at the piano. Dorothy read a portion of scripture and led in prayer.

Roll Call showed 16 delegates present and 4 local W.Y.P.S. Presidents present.

Secretary's report was read and accepted.

The following society reports were read and approved: Appleton, Baraboo, Beulah, Rice Lake, Hayward, Mt. Pisgah, Oak Ridge, Spooner, Stone Lake, Woodland, Darrow Road, Burr-Valley, Valton, Central Wisconsin gave a verbal report.

The presidents report was read and accepted.

The following societies pledged blankets for Youth Camp:

Darrow Road .....	2
Rice Lake .....	5
Woodland .....	2
Baraboo .....	2
Appleton .....	2
Hillsboro .....	2
Beulah .....	2

Spooner .....	3
Hayward .....	2
Eau Claire .....	2
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Adjourned by limitation of time.

### Third Session

The third session of the W.Y.P.S. Conference met Wednesday, July 23rd, 9:00 a. m. in the Young People's Tabernacle. Devotions were led by Lorene Schwartz.

Roll Call showed 12 delegates were present and 4 local W.Y.P.S. Presidents present.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted.

Committee reports read and accepted: Publication Committee, Budget Committee, Auditing Committee.

The Executive Committee Report was accepted as amended.

Treasurer's Report was accepted as read.

The District Chairmen elected were:

Northern District—John Heavilin

Southern District—Marjorie Cass

By motion Ronald Heavilin was elected to take an offering for the Service-Man's Commission.

Snack Shop Supervisors elected were: David Peterson, Carl Holder.

Promotional Chairman—John Heavilin.

Meeting Adjourned.

### Fourth Session

The fourth session of the W.Y.P.S. Conference met Thursday, July 24th, with the Vice President presiding.

The Statistical Report was read and adopted.

By motion we were adjourned.

Signed: Norma Clawson, Secretary.

### W.Y.P.S. CONFERENCE ROLL

Asp, Mildred .....	Hayward
Carlson, Donald .....	Woodland
Cass, Patricia .....	Mt. Pisgah
Dahler, June .....	Baraboo
Ewing, Evelyn .....	Mill Creek
Johnson, Alice Jane .....	Burr-Valley
Johnson, Arthur .....	Darrow Road
Keller, Mae .....	Spooner
Lemke, Geraldine .....	Appleton

Mortimer, Roger .....	Eau Claire
Norgaard, Ronald .....	Eau Claire
Pearson, Henry .....	Darrow Road
Robinson, George .....	Hillsboro
Rumppe, Ella Marie .....	Oak Ridge
Schwartz, Lorene .....	Central Wisconsin
Clemenson, Joanne .....	Eau Claire

### LOCAL W.Y.P.S. PRESIDENTS

Cascio, Marian .....	Rice Lake
Hicks, Mrs. ....	Woodland
Asp, Dorothy .....	Hayward
Keller, Clara .....	Darrow Road

### REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE W.Y.P.S. PRESIDENT

Members and Friends of the Wisconsin W.Y.P.S.:

It is a joy to bring to you this report for the year 1951-52 for the Lord Jesus Christ is doing wonderful things for us. To Him we ascribe the praise and the glory. How true it is that when we have done our part, God does for us what we cannot do for ourselves.

As president, I have endeavored to carry out the responsibilities of the office in so far as possible. Pastoral labors limit the time which can be given to the Conference W.Y.P.S. work. Because of this fact we have especially appreciated the co-operation of the Executive Committee, each officer and committee member and every pastor who has given himself to the W.Y.P.S. work.

It has been our pleasure this year to see new societies at the Woodland and Darrow Road churches officially organized and the Valton society was reactivated. We visited each of these societies in the interest of their organization. For the most part the members of these new societies are new converts and it is a real blessing to see their energies channeled into the W.Y.P.S. Not only are they interested in their local societies but they are also co-operating wonderfully in the work of the conference.

At our last annual conference action was taken to raise sixty dollars per month for the new church at Milwaukee and this was to be a special project for the year. Rev. H. K. Sheets gave us wonderful encouragement in this project and nearly \$600 was raised. Though we did not quite meet our goal we have felt the blessing of God to be upon this project. I would strongly urge the adoption of a special project for this new year.

Our 1952 Youth Camp held at Hayward, Wis., June 16-22 was one of the high points in the year's W.Y.P.S. work. The spiritual victories won at Youth Camp were many and it is of great satisfaction to hear of young people holding true to the Lord and taking their place in the work of the church. Orval Butcher gave much to the Camp in his ministry and also

by way of organization. Martin Cox, our area president, ministered the Word of truth to youth in a most understandable manner.

The district chairmen worked hard and efficiently in planning for the fall conventions. I spoke at the Southern District Convention held at Appleman over New Years.

I also journeyed to Milwaukee and visited and spoke at the church there in the interest of our conference project.

Youth week was very successful in our conference this year. The Eau Claire society won an A rating and the Woodland society won first place in our conference contest. A number of new members were received into the societies during this week.

The state-wide spring convention held at Stevens Point May 9 and 10 was owned of the Lord. The Spirit-filled ministry of Brother H. K. Sheets touched each of our hearts. We appreciated the encouragement which he gave us for our Milwaukee project. The host churches of Central Wisconsin are to be complimented for their entertainment of the convention.

I traveled approximately 820 miles in conference W.Y.P.S. work. I received \$30.42 in offerings.

As we enter into the new year, I would admonish each one of us to "put on the whole armor of God that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil" and "Take the sword of the Spirit which is the Word of God" and let us go forth to win souls for Jesus.

Yours in the Master's Name,  
Robert Mattke.

### REPORT OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE

We, the Committee on Budget of the W.Y.P.S. Annual Conference, wish to submit the following:

I. CONNECTIONAL BUDGET:	
Connectional dues .....	\$1.00
II. Miltonvale Area Dues .....	.10
III. CONFERENCE DUES:	
Conference Missions for Evangelism .....	.50
Education .....	.25
Y. P. Annual Camp Worker .....	.25
General Fund .....	.25
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	\$2.35

IV. An offering to be taken on each charge sometime during the year for Youth Camp Workers.

V. We recommend that the offering of the first Sunday of each month be divided equally between Foreign and Home Missions.

VI. We recommend that the offering of the third Sunday of each month be used for the Conference Special Projects.

Signed: Rev. Robert Mattke,  
Henry Pearson,  
Mildred Asp.

#### REPORT OF THE PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE

We, the Publications Committee, recommend that the W.Y.P.S. News be published quarterly in connection with the **Wisconsin Wesleyan** and that an offering be taken from each society the Sunday following each publication. Also that a notice be published in each issue reminding the Local W.Y.P.S. president to take this offering.

Signed: Lloyd Poe,  
Geraldine Lemke,  
June Dahler.

#### REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1. That the Young People's Conference be held the first Monday of the Camp.
2. The election of officers and committees be Orders of the Day following the seating of delegates.
3. The Conference W.Y.P.S. be divided into districts, the Northern and the Southern.
4. That there be a convention in each district sometime during the spring which the district chairman be responsible for.
5. That there be a State-wide convention in the fall of 1952, if possible.
6. We invite a recognized holiness leader to meet with us for the State Convention.
7. The Executive Committee shall present to the Annual Conference a slate of candidates from which the district chairman be elected.
8. Each society shall study the W.Y.P.S. Constitution.
9. We recommend that in each society there be classes taught on Personal Evangelism and that the same be stressed and practiced.
10. We recommend that each local society promote an evangelistic campaign where practical.
11. As an organization we recommend that the W.Y.P.S. be responsible for sponsoring at least one revival meeting in a pioneer field in co-operation with the Missionary Board.
12. We recommend that the W.Y.P.S. President and district chairmen compose a Committee to investigate the possibilities of organizing gospel teams and sponsoring Youth Crusades.

13. We recommend that we set the goal of at least one new society to be officially organized by the Conference President upon call of the local pastor.
14. We recommend that each society strive for a ten per cent gain in membership.
15. We recommend that each society measure its progress by using the Efficiency Standard.
16. The Conference W.Y.P.S. President or a representative meet with as many societies as practical in area rallies in the interest of the local and connectional work of the W.Y.P.S.
17. We recommend that each society observe Youth Week in so far as possible and where there is no organized society this week be used as a time of promoting Youth interests.
18. We recommend that we raise seven hundred dollars during this Conference year; \$350 to be used for equipment for Rev. and Mrs. Harold Johnson, and \$350 to be used for building improvements on the Conference Campgrounds.
19. That our societies be radiating centers of Christian character and the beauty of holiness.

Signed: Loring Peterson,  
Robert Mattke,  
Carl Holder,  
Beulah Butcher,  
Norma Clawson.

#### W.Y.P.S. TREASUER'S REPORT

	Debits	Credits
Connectional Dues .....	\$ 164.00	\$ 164.00
Area Dues .....	15.67	15.67
Conf. Miss. for Evang. ....	668.04	668.04
Education .....	68.95	68.95
Y. P. Camp Worker .....	103.55	50.00
General Fund .....	166.51	137.60
Youth Camp .....	517.90	491.36
Northern District Convention Fund .....	39.48	5.00
Joint Convention Fund .....	116.15	83.72
Foreign Missions .....	98.09	98.09
Snack Shop .....	112.58	96.43
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	\$2,184.76	\$1,992.70
Balance .....		192.06

Signed: Beulah Butcher, Treasurer.

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## W.Y.P.S. STATISTICAL REPORT

Name of Society	Active Members	Associate Members	Wesleyan Youth	General Dues	Conference Dues	Church Extension, Milwaukee Project	Miltonvale Area Dues	Foreign Missions and World Crusade	Home Missions	Servicemen's Commission	Local Work and Miscellaneous	Total Receipts Plus Balance	Total Disbursements	Cash on Hand
Appleton	20	10		\$16.00	\$38.00	\$65.00	\$1.00				\$78.50	\$198.71	\$198.50	\$ .21
Baraboo	6		4	8.00	7.70	22.00	1.30	2.00	2.00			45.00	43.00	
Beulah	6	2	33	2.00	6.00	151.12		15.43	15.42		149.32	339.29	339.29	
Burr and Valley	10		9	10.00	7.50	20.00	1.00					38.50	38.50	
Eau Claire	33	3	15	36.00	30.26	108.04	3.60	22.23	5.50		172.74	378.37	378.37	
Hayward	14	3	5	16.00	12.00	60.00	1.60	7.00	3.00		177.56	283.00	277.16	5.84
Hillsboro	7		6	7.00	7.00	13.50	.70	3.50	3.50		15.06	51.60	50.26	1.34
Mt. Pisgah	14		7	15.00	25.00	36.24		28.50	21.50	\$10.36	40.40	179.00	177.00	2.00
Oak Ridge	12	10	4	12.00	14.00	11.00	1.20	2.00	2.00		23.06	65.32	65.26	.06
Rice Lake	10	14	7	10.00	11.00	31.00		14.50	5.50	10.00	85.00	187.21	167.00	20.21
Spooner	7		5	7.00	7.00	20.00	.70	2.00	2.00		86.91	126.34	125.61	.73
Stone Lake	15	4	10	16.00	8.00	14.00		5.50	5.50		42.90	92.08	91.90	.18
Tripperville														
Woodland *	11	4	5			16.00					29.20	55.91	45.20	10.71
Valton *	10		6			30.00		3.00			19.63	52.63	52.63	
Darrow Road *	12	3	8	5.50	2.75	8.00		5.00	3.00		27.00	24.25	24.25	2.75
Central Wisconsin	29	6	10			65.00					250.00	315.00	315.00	
Totals	216	59	134	\$160.50	\$176.21	\$670.90	\$11.10	\$110.66	\$68.92	\$20.36	\$1,170.28	\$2,432.96	\$2,388.93	\$44.03

\*Organized after Conference of 1951.