## **MINUTES**

OF THE

## Seventy-Eighth Annual Session

OF THE

## WISCONSIN CONFERENCE

OF THE

Wesleyan Methodist Church of America

Burr Campground

Hillsboro, Wisconsin

July 13—16, 1948

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## A PAGE OF INFORMATION

To Whom Shall We Pay:

- 1. Camp Meeting Pledges? Rev. E. W. Hall, 615 N. Richmond, Appleton, Wisconsin.
- 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)? Mrs. Norma Mortimer, La Valle, Wisconsin.
- 3. All monies raised by the W. M. S.? Mrs. Lloyd King, 1221 Emery St., Eau Claire, 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.?
- All money raised by the Sunday School (including budget for Connectional S. S. Work)? Rev. Robert Thrasher, Hayward, Wisconsin.
- 7. Superannuated Ministers' Fund? Rev. I. J. Butcher, Hillsboro, Wisconsin.
- 8. All Treasurer's Books to close June 30, 1949.
  Conference Sermon for 1949 to be preached by Rev. E. W. Hall,
  Appleton, Wisconsin.

#### CONFERENCE CALENDAR

W. M. S.

W. Y. P. S.

Church

Y. M. W. B.

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Sunday School

July	1034	Home Missions Off.			Education Off.	Pray and Fast
August	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Off.		,	Connectional Dues	Pray and Fast
September		Home Missions Off.	Quarterly Report		General Fund	Conference Work Offering Apportion Budget and send in Pastor's Report - Fray and Fast Sept.27Ministerial Inst. at Burr.
October	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Off.	Home Missions Off.	Harvest Home Gifts and Off.	Conf. Miss. for Evangelism, 50¢ mem.	Missionary Board Meetinglst Tuesday Pray and Fast
November	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Off. Thanksgiving Off.				Pray and Fast
December	1 2 3 4	Rome Missions Off.  Quarterly Report	Quarterly Report	Orphanage		Pray and Fast Apportion Budget and send in Pastor's Report
January	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Off.		,	Membership Drive	Missionary Board Meeting1st Tuesday Pray and Fast Jan.25-North. Fellowship at Spooner
February	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Off.  Con. Dues 5¢ per mėm.				Pray and Fast Feb.22-South. Fellowship at Beulah
March	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Off.  Quarterly Report	Quarterly Report		W.Y.P.S. Camp Worker's Off.	Apportion Budget and send in Fray and Fast Pastor's Report
April	1 2 3 4	Quarterly Report Home Missions Off.	Educational Off.			Missionary Board Meeting1st Tuesday Fray and Fast
May	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Off. Foreign Missions Off.		Conf. Miss. for Evangelism		Pray and Fast Announce vote for Pastor Pastor and Stewards set Pastor's Salary
June	1 2 3 4	Home Missions Off. All money and receipts sent to Secretary Annual Report	Annual Report  Election of Officers	Election of Officers Conf.Table-50¢ mem. Reports sent in	Report sent in Wes. Youth Drive Election of Officers	Vote for Pastor Send money and Apportion Budget receipts to Treas. Del. Cred. Conf. Secy. Pray and Fast Pastor's Annual Report

## WISCONSIN CONFERENCE

#### OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE

President—Rev. G. M. Hahn, 821 Scribner St., Spooner, Wisconsin.

President Emeritus—Rev. J. B. Clawson, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.

Vice-President—Rev. Lloyd W. King, Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

Secretary—Rev. Sylvia Lee, Hillsboro, Wisconsin.

Treasurer—Mrs. Norma Mortimer, La Valle, Wisconsin.

Sunday School Secretary—Rev. Robert Thrasher, Hayward, Wisconsin.

Tithing Secretary—Rev. Clarence Mason, Ontario, Wisconsin.

Educational Secretary—Rev. Loring Peterson, Baraboo, Wisconsin.

Praper Band Secretary—Charles Bakke, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.

Card Call Secretary—Rev. E. W. Hall, Appleton, Wisconsin.

#### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

J. B. ClawsonTen	rm	expires	A.D.	1949
Lloyd W. KingTer	rm	expires	A.D.	1950
Emerson BuddeTen	rm	expires	A.D.	1950
Clarence MasonTen	m	expires	A.D.	1951
John C. LangTer	rm	expires	A.D.	1951

#### ADVISORY BOARD

Rev. Harry Johnson, Dolph Mortimer

#### STANDING COMMITTEES

Judiciary Committee—Lloyd King, 1949; Grace Kauffman, 1950; G. M. Hahn, 1951; I. J. Butcher, 1952.

Itineracy and Orders—Grace Kauffman, 1949; Esther Johnson, 1950; Coral Butcher, 1951; Mrs. J. B. Clawson, 1952.

Conference Camp Meeting Board—Mrs. J. B. Clawson, 1949; Harry Johnson, 1950; Clarence Mason, 1951; Mack Budde, 1952.

Northern Camp Meeting Board—J. B. Clawson, 1949; Charles Bakke, 1951; Bertha Gourd, 1952.

#### OTHER COMMITTEES

Conference Sunday School Board—Robert Thrasher, Clarence Titus, Harry Johnson.

Missionary Board—G. M. Hahn, Chairman; E. W. Hall, Lloyd King, J. B. Clawson; Lay Members: Charles Bakke, Pearl Thrasher.

Committee on Vacancies—I. J. Butcher, Chairman; Clarence Mason, E. W. Hall, Dolph Mortimer, Sanford Gillingham.

Superannuated Ministers' Board—Chairman, Henry Clark; Secretary, Bessie Vasey; Treasurer, I. J. Butcher.

# OFFICERS OF THE WISCONSIN CAMP MEETING ASSOCIATION

President—Rev. G. M. Hahn, 821 Scribner St., Spooner, Wisconsin. Vice-President—J. B. Clawson, 35 W. Marshall, Rice Lake, Wisconsin. Secretary—I. J. Butcher, Hillsboro, Wisconsin.

Treasurer—E. W. Hall, 615 N. Richmond, Appleton, Wisconsin.

## CONFERENCE ROLL

## Elders on Stationed List

Present of Stationed Pist
Name Address
Butcher, C. H. (0)742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.
Butcher, Coral (4)742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.
Butcher, I. J. (8)Hillsboro, Wis.
Butcher, Orval (0)616 9th Ave. S., Minneapolis 4, Minn.
Clark, Henry F. (7)
Clawson, J. B. (8)35 W. Marshall, Rice Lake, Wis.
Clawson, Jennie Reed (8)35 W. Marshall, Rice Lake, Wis.
Fegan, Robert (8)Markville, Minn.
Hahn, G. M. (8)821 Scribner St., Spooner, Wis., Tel. 212 J.
Hahn, Marie (8)821 Scribner St., Spooner, Wis., Tel. 212 J.
Hall, E. W. (7)Tel. 4-2498—615 N. Richmond, Appleton, Wis.
Hall, Ione (7)Tel. 4-2498—615 N. Richmond, Appleton, Wis.
Johnson, Harry (8)Tel. 32F33 Beulah—Gillingham, Wis.
Johnson, Esther (0)35 W. Marshall St., Rice Lake, Wis.
Kauffman, Grace G. (8)Tel. 136—Hillsboro, Wis.
King, Josephine (8)Tel. 3959—1221 Emery St., Eau Claire, Wis.
King, Lloyd (8)Tel. 3959—1221 Emery St., Eau Claire, Wis.
Lee, Sylvia (8)R. F. D. 2, Hillsboro, Wis.
Markee, William (0)Cameron, Wis.
Mason, Clarence (8)Tel. 28-R. 3, Ontario, Wis.
Nofsinger, George (0)Marble Falls, Ark.
Parke, Wilma Bakke (10) 318 Phipps St., Rice Lake, Wis.
Peterson, David (8)Stone Lake, Wis.
Peterson, Loring (8)445 Maxwell St., Baraboo, Wis.
Thrasher, Robert (8)Hayward, Wis.
Titus, Clarence (8)Springbrook, Wis.
Warren, Raymond (4)Hillsboro, Wis.
(Figures after names indicate times answered to roll call)
Unstationed Elders
Name Address

Name		Address	
Warner,	O. S. (0)	Stone Lake, Wi	3.
Crandall,	J. D. (0)	Chetek, Wis.	
Cracker,	Harold (0)	Elgin, Ill.	
Dietzmai	nn. D. O. (3)	Richland Center	. v

## Elders on Supernumery List

Name Address
Friebel, Ernest, Jr. (0) .....4305 Selby St. S., Marion, Ind.

## Conference Preachers on Stationed List

Name	Address
Butcher,	Egwendoyn (0) . 616 9th St. S., Minneapolis 4, Minn.
Heavlin,	Alice Mae (0)742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.
Heavlin,	Ronald (0)742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.
Butcher,	Hazel (8)Hillsboro, Wis.
Keller, 1	Harold (8)1015 N. 7th St., Superior, Wis.
Turner,	Floyd (0)Cazenovia, Wis.

### Delegates for 1948

	•	Answer
Charge	Name of Delegate	Roll Call
Appleton	Mrs. William Milheiser	8
	June Ellis	5
	Priscilla Hall	6
Baraboo	Miss Louise Gardiner	8
Burr & Valley	Frank Butcher	3
	Mrs. Nellie Johnson	8
Chittamo	Allen Clark	8
Beulah	Sanford Gillingham	8
Eau Claire	Mrs. Bessie Vasey	8
	Mrs. Pearl Clemenson	8
Hillsboro	Mrs. Less Lee	8
Gull Lake	Mrs. Eugene Graham	. 6
Hayward	Mrs. L. A. Roberts	8
Mill Creek	Katherine Ewing	3
Oak Ridge & Mt. Piss		6
	Winifred Rumppee	8
Rice Lake	Charles Bakke	' 5
	Edward Gaumitz	5
	Alfonse Benson	7
Spooner	Helen Keller	8
Stone Lake	Hazie Hole	8
	. Mrs. P. Gregory	8
	Mrs. Harold Keller	-8
Trippeville	Albert Breidenstien	6
Valton	Dolph Mortimer	8
	Mrs. Wallace Grover	6

## JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS

Burr Campground, July 13, 1948

The first sitting of the Seventy-eighth 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 13, 1948.

**Devotional Period**—Brother Gillingham of the Beulah Charge had charge of the song service. Sister Robert Thrasher presided at the piano. We were led to the Throne of Grace by Rev. D. O. Dietzmann and Rev. E. W. Hall. God's presence was felt from the very first.

Conference Sermon—Was delivered by the Rev. Lloyd King, vice-president of the Conference and pastor of the church at Eau Claire, Wisconsin. Brother King read to us from the Holy Scriptures a portion found in Hebrews 12:1-11 and again from Paul's letter to the Ephesian Church; chapter 3:1-12. The theme of the message God laid on Brother King's heart was "Looking Unto Jesus"—surely a very timely message for such a gathering and for such a time as this. In his message it was brought to our attention the sadness of broken fellowship, the privileges of fellowship, the thought that fellowship transfigures sorrow, and that "Looking Unto Jesus" transforms men.

Communion Service—Following the message from God's Word we sang, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" and all gathered around the Table of the Lord and partook of the Communion. We truly thank God for His Presence and for the seal of approval He set upon our gathering together. We look forward to a glorious Conference and Camp as we indeed "Look Unto Jesus the Author and Finisher of our Faith."

Business Session called to order by the Conference President, Rev. G. M. Hahn.

Roll Call—There were 22 ministers present.

Committee on Credentials—Rev. David Peterson was elected as Committee on Credentials. The report of this committee was adopted and the Delegates were seated by the Conference, there being 21 present.

Bar of Conference—Motion carried that the first eight seats of the center section of the tabernacle serve as the Bar of Conference.

Time of Conference—Motion carried that the time of Conference be set as follows: 9:00 a. m. to 12 noon; and 2:15 p. m. to 5:30 p. m.

Committee on Committees—Motion carried that this committee consist of five members and that they consist of the following: Rev. G. M. Hahn as Chairman; J. B. Clawson, Harry Johnson, Mrs. Bessie Vasey, and Lloyd King.

Adjourned to await the report of the Committee on Committees. Adjourned by limitation of time.

#### Tuesday Afternoon Session—July 13, 1948;

**Devotional Period**—Song service led by Rev. Robert Thrasher with Sister Kauffman presiding at the piano. Brother Poe of Marion, Indiana read the Scripture, John 6:21-27; then led us to the Throne of Grace.

Roll Call showed 22 Ministers and 21 Delegates present.

Minutes of the last session read and approved as read.

Committee on Credentials gave a partial report. Credentials of the following were accepted: Charles Bakke, Rice Lake; Edward Gaumitz, Rice Lake; Alfonse Benson, Rice Lake; and Louis Budde of the Mt. Pisgah-Oak Ridge Churches.

Committee on Committee gave their report which was adopted in full. Secretary read letters from two brethren who could not be in attendance at Conference: Robert Matke, student at Asbury Seminary, Wilmore, Ky.; and Rev. George Nofsinger, home missionary in the Ozark Mountains.

President's Report—Rev. G. M. Hahn, Conference President, called the Vice-President to the Chair, then read his report which was adopted as read.

Motion carried that the Conference give our Conference President a rising vote of confidence and thanks for his faithful labors of the past year.

Motion carried to drop Mr. Hintz's name from the Conference Roll.

Courtesy Committee—Presented Brother Poe of Indiana and Brother and Sister Keller to the Conference—Brother Hahn extended to them the right hand of fellowship.

Motion carried that Brother Poe be given an honorary seat within the bar of Conference.

Motion carried that Mrs. Norma Mortimer, our Conference Treasurer be given an honorary seat within the bar of Conference.

Secretary reread the committees as named from the report of the Committee on Committees.

Adjourned for Committee Work to the call of the Chair; adjourned by limitation of time.

#### Wednesday Morning Session-July 14, 1948

**Devotional Period**—Song Service led by Rev. E. W. Hall with Sister Hall presiding at the piano. Brother Loring Peterson, pastor of the Baraboo Church read from Phil. 4:11—the Theme of his message was "Adjusting ourselves to life's changing circumstances."

Roll Call showed 23 Ministers and 25 Delegates present.

Committee on Credentials presented a partial report—the Delegate from Mill Creek, Mrs. Katherine Ewing was seated in Conference.

Minutes of the Last Session were read and approved as read.

Courtesy Committee presented Brother Lloyd Turner, Sister Loring Peterson, and Sister Poe—these gave their testimony.

Partial report of the Committee on Resolutions read.

Secretary read letter of thanks from Brother Roy S. Nicholson, in response to a gift sent him from the Wisconsin Conference when he was ill.

Report of Superannuated Ministers' Committee read and adopted as read. This had reference to monies in our own superannuated fund paid prior to July 1, 1947.

Coutesy Committee presented Brother Swauger our Connectional representative.

Partial Report of Committee of Itineracy and Orders given—Brother Loring Peterson, Clarence Titus and Robert Fegan are eligible for ordination this conference year.

Motion carried that there be a committee of five elected to investigate a plan for helping in the pastor's salary especially of the weaker charges. Committee to be Harry Johnson, Chairman; Clarence Mason, Dolph Mortimer, G. M. Hahn and J. B. Clawson.

Orders of the Day-Election of Officers.

Motion Carried that Brother Swauger take charge of election of officers.

**Tellers**—Chosen by Conference President—Brothers Loring Peterson and David Peterson.

Motion Carried that first ballot be an electing ballot.

Election—By ballot the following were elected: Rev. G. M. Hahn, President for the ensuing year; Rev. Lloyd King, Vice-President; Secretary, Sylvia Lee; Conference Treasurer, Mrs. Norma Mortimer; Sunday School Secretary, Robert Thrasher; Tithing Secretary, Clarence Mason; Board of Trustees: Ministerial Member, Rev. Clarence E. Mason, and Lay—John G. Lang. These for a three year period ending in 1951.

By Vote—Educational Secretary, Loring Peterson—Prayer Band Secretary, Charles Bakke.

#### Following Standing Committees:

Judiciary Committee-I. J. Butcher, 4 years-1952.

Itineracy and Orders—Mrs. J. R. Clawson, 4 years—1952.

Conference Camp Meeting Board—Mack Budde, 4 years—1952., and for Clarence Mason for 3 years—1951.

Northern Camp Meeting Board-4 years-1952; Mrs. Bertha Gourd.

Conference S. S. Board—Robert Thrasher, Chairman; Clarence Titus, Harry Johnson.

Missionary Board—G. M. Hahn, Chairman; E. W. Hall, Lloyd King, J. B. Clawson.

Adjourned by limitation of time.

#### Wednesday Afternoon Session, July 14, 1948

Devotional Period—Brother King led us in the Song Service and Rev. Clarence Titus of the Gull Lake-Chittamo charge read the Scripture Lesson—reading from 1 Thess. the fifth chapter.

Roll Call showed 24 Ministers and 23 Delegates present.

Minutes of the last session were read and approved as corrected.

**Orders of the Day**—Continuation of the Election of the Conference Officers.

Missionary Board—Lay Members: Charles Bakke and Pearl Thrasher. Committee to fill Vacancies—I. J. Butcher, Chairman; Clarence Mason, Dolph Mortimer, Sanford Gillingham.

Superannuated Ministers' Board—Henry F. Clark, Chairman; Bessie Vasey, Secretary; I. J. Butcher, Treasurer.

Advisory Board-Harry Johnson and Dolph Mortimer.

Pastor's Reports were given by the following: Rev. L. W. King, pastor of the Eau Claire Charge; J. B. Clawson of the Rice Lake Charge.

Partial Report of the Committee on Religious Services and Orders of the day.

Motion Carried that Brother Swauger take the Chair and listen to pastor's reports and the Committee on Pastoral Relations be excused.

Pastor's Reports were given by the following: Sister Markee for the Tillinghast Mission Work; Robert Thrasher for the Woodland Work; Sister C. H. Butcher for the Central Wisconsin work and their General Evangelist report; Orval Butcher's report given orally by Sister Coral Butcher; Robert Fegan of the Mill Creek Charge; David Peterson of the Stone Lake Charge; Raymond Warren of the Trippevill Charge. D. O. Dietzmann gave his testimony.

Motion Carried that we adjourn.

#### Thursday Morning Session-July 15, 1948

**Devotional Period**—Brother Charles Bakke of Rice Lake had charge of the song service—Scripture Lesson read by Rev. David Peterson, Stone Lake Charge. He chose one verse found in 1 Tim. 4:12—reading and bringing us some very inspiring thoughts.

Roll Call showed 21 Ministers and 22 Delegates present.

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

Report of the Committee on Vacancies read and adopted as read.

Report of 'the Conference Treasurer read and after accepting the Auditing Committee's report—the Treasurer's report also adopted as a whole.

Pastor Report-Rev. Clarence Mason, Mt. Pisgah and Oak Ridge.

Report of the Budget Committee read and adopted after item IV was amended.

Report of the Committee on Resolutions read and adopted.

Motion Carried Brother Swauger take the Chair—hear pastors' reports—Stationing Committee be excused for work.

Following Pastor's reports given: Loring Peterson, Baraboo; Henry Clark, Hayward; E. W. Hall, Appleton; Harry Johnson, Beulah; Sister Hahn, Valton; Clarence Titus, Gull Lake and Chittamo.

Motion carried that we adjourn.

#### Thursday Afternoon Session-July 15, 1948

Devotional Period—Rev. Robert Fegan led the song service with Sister Coral Butcher presiding at the piano. Volunteer prayers.

Roll Call showed 22 Ministers and 25 Delegates present.

Report of Committee on Conference Minutes read and adopted.

Annual Report of the Sunday School Treasurer was read and adopted after hearing and accepting the report of the Auditing Committee.

Report of the Camp Meeting Treasurer read before the Conference.

Motion Carried that we adopt the report of the committee on "Study of Equalization of Pastor's Salaries" as read.

Orders of the Day—Connectional Address at 3:00 p. m. For a text Rev. Swauger used Ex. 14:15, "Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward." In a review of the history of nations which fell because their people denied their accountability to God, mention was made of France going into Atheism, Germany into Higher Criticism; and the fact that England was saved from English Deismonoly because of the Wesleyan Revival. The United States, today, stands as the world's only bulwark against Communism; and if the United States fails in her mission the whole world will be lost. Mention was made of our publishing house, with its different offices and their work.

Partial Report of the Calendar Committee was read and adopted.

Motion Carried the Conference buy a Conference President's Home.

Motion Carried that the Conference President appoint a committee to see about this and that there be 3 ministers and 2 lay members on this committee. Following chosen: Harry Johnson, Robert Thrasher, E. W. Hall, Charles Bakke and Albert Breidenstein.

Motion Carried that Brother Swauger take the Chair and hear reports while Stationing Committee retire for work.

Pastor Report given by Sister Grace Kauffman of Hillsboro. Upon motion of the Conference a rising vote of thanks was given her for her labors during a very trying situation.

Motion that H. F. Clark be excused for work.

Pastors Reports—I. J. Butcher, Spooner; Harold Keller, Superior; Sylvia Lee, Burr and Valley.

Motion we adjourn.

#### Friday Morning Session—July 15, 1948

**Devotions**—Song Service led by Brother Gillingham; and Brother Keller had the devotions, reading from Isaiah 40:28.

Roll Call showed 22 Ministers and 19 Delegates present.

Minutes of the last session read and approved as read.

Report of the Committee on Thanks read and adopted.

Partial Report of the Committee on Itineracy and Orders read and approved as read. Separate motions adopted that the following come up for ordination this conference year: Robert Fegan, Clarence Titus, Loring Peterson, David Peterson.

Motion that we post statistical report for the Conference on the bulletin board.

Motion Carried that the grand totals be read.

Partial Report of the Committee on Resolutions read and adopted.

Report of Prayer Band Secretary given-adopted.

Motion a rising vote of thanks be given the Prayer Band Secretary, Educational Secretary and tithing.

Harry Johnson called to the Chair, Vice-President gave the report of the Conference Trustees and reports of the school at Miltonvale, as representative of Wisconsin on the Local Board of Managers. Sister Coral Butcher made some remarks in regard to the approval of our school by outside churches.

Brother Swauger presented the Card Call Plan.

E. W. Hall was elected Card Call Secretary for the Conference.

Adjourned by limitation of time.

#### Friday Afternoon Session-July 15, 1948

Tithing Sermon preached by Rev. H. Robb French.

Roll Call showed 18 Ministers and 17 Delegates present.

Minutes of the last session read and approved as read.

Motion Brother Swauger take the Chair.

Motion Carried that Rev. E. W. Hall of Appleton to preach the Conference Sermon for 1949.

Motion Carried date of 1949 Conference be set for July 19th; if accepted by the Executive Board.

Report of Stationing Committee read and adopted as a partial report. Partial report of Itineracy and Orders Committee read and adopted.

Report of the Committee for financing the President's Home read and adopted.

Motion Carried that we have a man travel the Conference in the interest of Conference President's Home; Charles Bakke elected.

Report of the Treasurer of Superannuated Fund read and adopted; after adoption of Auditing Committee reports.

Report of the Missionary Board read and adopted.

Final Report of the Stationing Committee read and adopted.

Courtesy Committee presented Brother and Sister S. S. Hotchkiss of Oregon, and formerly of our own Conference.

Report of Committee on moral reform be given to President and his Advisory Board for approval and then to be given to Secretary.

Motion Carried that the President and Advisory Board take care of any business in the interim of Conference.

Motion Carried that the Conference adjourn sine die.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

To the Members of the Wisconsin Conference—Greetings in the name of Jesus.

We rejoice that once more under Divine Providence and the mercy of Almighty God we are privileged to meet here on the Burr Wesleyan Methodist Campground. The past year has been blessed and crowned with God's loving kindness and grace, and we would give praise and honor unto Him who doeth all things well.

We join with pastors and laymen in giving God praise and praying that these conference sessions shall be filled with a new measure of consecration and devotion. May we forget personalities and seek divine guidance, may sacred reverence permeate this tabernacle during every session, and may we work in perfect harmony in carrying forward a progressive program.

#### Supervision of the Work This Past Year

I entered into the work assigned me by the Conference and I feel that I have faithfully fulfilled my every obligation and the duties assigned to me.

The duties have not all been pleasant. Many a problem has been encountered and many decisions had to be made and in some cases they may have seemed a bit unwise with the limited information the public had at hand, but I have done my best.

#### Advance Steps Taken

This has been in many respects a good year, there has been much rebuilding and a general moving forward.

The Beulah Church has enlarged their parsonage which is a great blessing to the pastor's family.

The Mill Creek church build an enclosed porch on the parsonage, suitable for a room. The Baraboo Church installed a much-needed bath-room in the parsonage. The Stone Lake Church has made much improvement around both church and parsonage, installing two furnaces.

The Hayward Chrurch completely remodeled their church and dedicated it on June 27th. The Appleton Church has made a large payment on their indebtedness, also painting their building. The Mt. Pisgah, Oak Ridge charge insulated their parconage and are buying a refrigerator for the parsonage.

The Conference purchased the Tillinghast Church near New Auburn expecting to establish a church there. While other missionary points will receive a full time pastor. Other churches that have not made any im-

provements this year are making plans for improvement in the coming year. May we all take on an evangelistic program and a forward step.

#### Duties Performed

I have held all of the quarterly meetings except three and preached 131 times.

Baptized 5, performed 5 weddings, conducted 5 funerals and assisted with two.

I attended the Leaders Conference in Marion, Ind., the National Holiness Convention in Minneapolis, and our state meetings and conventions.

#### My Official Acts

August 20-I gave Walter Rogers a letter of transfer to the Indiana Conference.

September 23, 1947—I gave Edward Clark a letter of transfer to the Iowa Conference.

December 4, 1947—I received Robert Thrasher's resignation as pastor of the Superior and Darrow Road churches effective January 1, 1948.

January 1, 1948—I appointed Harold Keller, a local preacher and member of the Spooner Church as pastor of the Superior and Darrow Road churches.

January 16, 1948—I accepted the resignation of Kenneth Hintz as pastor of the Hillsboro Church.

January 25, 1948—I gave Harold Keller a conference preacher's license.

January 29, 1948—I accepted Kenneth Hintz's credentials and resignation from the Wisconsin Conference—he having joined without proper credentials.

Febuary 26, 1948—I gave Carl Olander a letter of transfer to the Iowa Conference.

May 31, 1948—I dedicated the Beulah Parsonage.

June 27, 1948—I assisted in the dedication of the Hayward Church.

#### Financial Statement

i received my full salary each month—\$100.00 or	
yearly	\$1200.00
I received my full allotment for expense	400.00
Wedding Fee	35.00
Funeral Fee	27.50
Baptism	
Gifts	
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## Expense

I traveled 9553 miles @ 4¢ per mile  Meals Telephone calls Postage	\$382.12 13.10 6.75 4.28	
Total Expense		\$406.25
Income Expense Net Income Signed:	G. M.	\$1707.50 406.25 \$1301.25 HAHN.

Expense Net Income		406.25 \$1301.25
Signed	: G. M.	HAHN.
CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REF	ORT	
1947-1948		
Student Fund		
July 1, 1947, Cash on Hand	\$124.00 38.00	
Disbursements		
Loan to Clinton Butcher		\$100.00
Cash and Values on Hand	\$162.00	\$100.00 62.00
Conference Missions Endowment Fund		
July 1, 1947, Cash on Hand	\$744.70 749.00 114.00 245.00 40.35	
Disbursements	-	
Loan to Hayward Church		\$1200.00 .300.00
Cash to Balance	\$1893.05	\$1500.00 393.05
Spooner Mote	200.00	

Conference Building Fund		
July 1, 1947, Cash on Hand	\$275.33	
Received from Charges	203.33	
Superior, Completion of Loan Made in 1945	15.00	
State Sunday School Secretary	15.26	
From the State Treasurer of the W. M. S	58.00	
From the State Treasurer of the W. Y. P. S	3.05	
Darrow Rd., Payment on Note	20.00	
Disbursements		
A. A. Brieding, Interest		\$ 28.80
Loan to Stone Lake		80.00
Gift to Superior		150.00
Gift to Hayward		100.00
	\$589.97	\$358.80
Cash to Balance	φοσσιστ	231.17
Conference President's Salary		
July 1, 1947, Cash on Hand	\$ 73.73	
Received from Charges	1407.35	
Received from State Sunday School Secretary	9.00	
Received from State Treasurer of W. Y. P. S	12.15	
Disbursements		
Rev. G. M. Hahn, Salary and Expenses		\$1313.15
	\$1502.23	\$1313.15
Cash to Balance	φ1302.20	189.08
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Conference Missions for Evangelism		
July 1, 1947, Cash on Hand	\$599.01	
Received from Charges	547.59	
Received from Stone Lake on Moving Pastor	12.25	٠,
Received from Clarence Titus, Payment of Note Received from State Treasurer of W. Y. P. S	50.00 75.39	
Received from State Sunday School Secretary	101.07	
Received from State Treasurer of W. M. S	86.10	
Received Payment on Mill Creek Note	90.00	
Disbursements		
Loan to Clarence Titus		\$ 50.00
Loan to Mill Creek Church		300.00
to Woodland		222.32

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHUR	RCH	21
Robert Thrasher, Help on Salary  Harold Keller, Help on Salary  Emerson Budde, Moving Pastors		375.00 271.16 45.00
Cash to Balance	\$1561.41	\$1263.48 297.93
Conference Work Fund		
July 1, 1947, Cash on Hand Mid-Week Conference Offerings Three Offerings and Pledges Conference Sunday Received for Gas Stove Conf. Sunday Pledges Paid Through the Year Refund from Wesleyan Publishing Co. Received from State Treasurer of the W. M. S. on Minutes Received from State Treasurer of W. Y. P. S. on Minutes Received from Charges	\$ 283.21 29.09 361.67 300.00 10.00 .50 38.09 22.85 20.50	
Disbursements	•	-
Norma Mortimer, Treasurer's Expense Robert Fagen, Prayer Band Secretary Fees G. M. Hahn, Salary and Expenses Mr. Stacy, for Gas Stove Wesleyan Publishing Co. for Blanks Wonewoc Reporter, Receipt Cards Wonewoc State Bank, Lock Box Rent Wayne Caldwell, ¼ Page in Annual Wesleyan Publishing Co., Minutes G. M. Hahn, Telegram Dr. F. R. Eddy, Wisconsin's Share of Expense of Leaders' Conference Bluedorn Flower Co., Eau Claire Gift to Brother Roy Nicholson Conference Secretary, Stationery and Postage		\$ 4.96 2.47 286.85 300.00 15.60 3.50 2.40 7.50 152.39 3.24 48.00 1.50 5.00 4.93
Cash to Balance	\$1065.91	\$ 838.34 227.5 <b>7</b>
Connectional Sunday School—Dues Raised	\$ 54.93	\$ 54. <b>93</b>

Superannuated Ministers' Fund-Raised .......

719.66

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Home Missions		
Raised by the Church	\$ 258.30	
Raised by the W. M. S	250.24	
Raised by the Sunday School	546.15	
Raised by the Y. M. W. B	47.88	
Raised by the W. Y. P. S.	20.91	•
•	\$1123.48	\$1123.48
Orphanage	4	T
Raised by the Church	\$ 73.68	
Raised by the W. M. S.	88.45	
Raised by the Sunday School	15.07	
	\$177,20	\$177.20
Education	φ	Ψ
Raised by the Church	\$ 706.45	
Raised by the W. M. S.	184.47	
Raised by the Sunday School	83.98	
Raised by the Y. M. W. B	75.39	
Raised by the W. Y. P. S.	117.38	
77	\$1167.67	\$1167.67
Foreign Missions		
Raised by the Church	\$ 240.97	
Raised by the W. M. S.	898.58	
Raised by the Sunday School	. 178.22	
Raised by the Y. M. W. B.	463.29	
Raised by the W. Y. P. S.	47.25	
	\$1828.31	\$1828.31
General Conference Expense Fund		
Raised by the Church	\$ 91.30	
Raised by the W. Y. P. S.	2.50	
Raised by the Sunday School	3.40	
	\$ 97.20	\$ 97.20
Executive Budget Fund		
Raised by the Church	\$ 116.14	
Raised by the Sunday School	5.82	
	\$ 121.96	\$ 121.96

NORMA MORTIMER, Conference Treasurer.

#### PASTORAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

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

- 1. Appleton-Brother and Sister Hall.
- 2. Baraboo—Brother Loring Peterson.
- 3. Beulah-Brother Harry Johnson.
- 4. Burr and Valley-Miss Sylvia Lee.
- 5. Chittamo-Brother Clarence Titus.
- 6. Gull Lake-Brother Clarence Titus.
- 7. Eau Claire \*Brother and Sister King.
- 8. Hayward—Brother Robert Thrasher.
- 9. Hillsboro-Brother and Sister I. J. Butcher.
- 10. Mill Creek-Brother Lloyd Poe, Supply.
- 11. Mt. Pisgah and Oak Ridge-Brother Clarence Mason.
- 12. Rice Lake-Brother and Sister J. B. Clawson.
- 13. Spooner-Mrs. Marie Hahn.
- 14. Stone Lake-Brother David Peterson.
- 15. Superior-Brother Harold Keller.
- 16. Trippeville-Brother Raymond Warren.
- 17. Valton—Brother Carl Holder, Supply.
- 18. Darrow Road-Brother Harold Keller.
- 19. Tillinghast Mission-Brother William Markee.
- 20. Wisconsin Rapids and Sherwood-Brother and Sister Heavlin.
- 21. Woodland Mission-Brother Robert Fagen.
- 22. Carr Valley (Missionary Point)—Brother Floyd Turner, Supply.
- 23. Beloit—Be Left in Hands of Conference President and Advisory Board.
- 24. Grace Kauffman, Esther Johnson and Wilma Parker do Missionary Work Under the Direction of the Missionary Board.
- 25. Henry Clark be appointed to Conference Evangelism under the direction of the Missionary Board.
- 26. Robert Mattke, Wendell Craker, Lyle Stevens, Fay Johnson, and Dale Peterson continue the Course of Study.
  - 27. Ernest Friebel, Jr. hold the same relations as last year.
- 28. Brother and Sister Orval Butcher be given privilege of supplying in First Covenant Church in Minneapolis.
- 29. Brother and Sister Charles Butcher be appointed as pastors of Stevens Point and do evangelistic work.

- 30. G. M. Hahn, Conference President, be required to travel the Conference and hold at least two quarterly meetings on each charge, over Sunday, if possible, that he hold evangelistic services and encourage the pastors in every way possible; that he receive a salary of \$1400.00; with additional \$400.00 for traveling expenses.
- 31. That George Nofsinger do Missionary Evangelistic Work in the Ozark Mountains in Arkansas.

Signed: G. M. HAHN,
CLARENCE E. MASON,
J. B. CLAWSON,
DOLPH MORTIMER,
SANFORD W. GILLINGHAM,
CHARLES BAKKE,
LLOYD W. KING.

#### COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We, the Committee on Resolutions, submit the following report. Resolved that:

- 1. All Church and Conference Treasurers close their books June 30.
- 2. Since fasting is mentioned more than fifty times in the Bible, and Jesus says "Except our righteousness exceed the righteousness of the Scribes and the Pharisees we shall in no wise enter into the kingdom of heaven"—that we observe the needs by referring to the church calendar, we set aside a period of time during the week for fasting and prayer (individually and collectively) and the upbuilding of His Kingdom.
- 3. The Missionary Board shall hold a business meeting during Conference and on the first Tuesday of October, January and April. Any business for consideration should be in the hands of the Missionary Board Chairman two weeks before the date of the meeting, and that any other business should be transacted at the call of the Chairman.
  - 4. That the Delegate Credentials be mailed to the Conference Secretary the Saturday preceding Conference.
  - 5. The pastors' reports be read, but the statistical report be posted on a bulltin board at the Annual Conference Session.
  - 6. Each Sunday School conduct a Daily Vacation Bible School during the Conference year, if at all possible.
  - 7. Each church permit its pastor the privilege of taking a two weeks' vacation with pay, to be absent on vacation only over one Sunday.

- 8. Each charge be urged to hold at least one revival campaign during the Conference year, and if possible, two be held. "There is that that withholdeth and yet cometh to poverty."
- 9. The Conference officers to be elected the first Wednesday morning of Conference at 10:00 o'clock.
- 10. A fellowship gathering be held in each of the districts during the Conference year. This gathering to be held at the desecration of the Conference President, this gathering to be held apart from the already organized Holiness Conventions. The purpose of this gathering is to give inspiration and help both to the ministry and laity and to promote a spirit of unity.
- 11. That each charge, if able to do so, pay moving expenses of incoming pastor.
- 12. Because of the benefits he receives socially, mentally, and spiritually, we feel that every pastor owes it to himself and to his church to attend every institute. Therefore, we resolve that every pastor attend each institute and convention sponsored by the Conference.
- 13. That each pastor compile a well-bound book of church records including the history, official records, annual statistical reports and including dates of all suborganizations as near as possible.
  - 14. Each pastor subscribe to all the church periodicals.
- 15. No church secure evangelistic help other than Wesleyan Methodist without the consent of the Conference President.
  - 16. Our people refrain from any unnecessary work on the Sabbath.
  - 17. Each church pay their budget quarterly.
  - 18. Each pastor be urged to remain all through camp meeting.
- 19. Every member, if possible, be required to pay his budget to the church in which he holds his membership, and may the God of all grace anoint our hearts to be workers together with Him.
- 20. We recommend that each church bring in a donation of staple groceries, or an offering, quarterly prior to the coming of the Conference President. This offering to be used at the discretion of the Conference President for new and needy churches.
- 21. That the Conference Minutes be free but that each charge have an offering taken for same.

Signed: E. W. HALL, Chairman; NELLIE JOHNSON, LOUISE GARDINER, NELLIE LEE, Secretary.

#### COMMITTEE ON THANKS

In behalf of the Conference, we, the Committee on Thanks, wish to submit the following expressions of appreciation:

- 1. To our Heavenly Father, who loved us and gave His Son to redeem us; to Jesus, our Savior and Elder Brother; and to the Holy Spirit, our faithful Teacher and Leader. "For we are workers together with him."
- 2. To our Conference Officers: Rev. G. M. Hahn, President, for his loving service of sacrifice and labor among us; Mrs. Norma Mortimer, Treasurer, for her patience and her kind helpfulness; and to Miss Sylvia Lee, Secretary, for her many hours of loving toil.
- 3. To Rev. Swauger, our Home Missionary Secretary and Connectional Representative, for his helpful ministry among us, for his wise counsel and tender spirit.
- 4. To Rev. and Mrs. I. J. Butcher who have so efficiently prepared our rooms and welcomed us on the grounds.
- 5. To Mr. James M. Johnson and sons, Orlin and Marion, who donated their labors in mowing and raking the grounds.
- 6. To Mrs. E. W. Hall, our dining room hostess, who has been an inspiration to each one of us and who has welcomed God's presence in the dining hall.
- 7. To Mrs. Florence Johnson, Genevieve and Beatrice, who have faithfully and willingly labored in the kitchen that the temporal needs be supplied and who, we know, carry equally the burden that our spiritual needs be fulfilled.
- 8. To Rev. Lloyd King for the message brought in the Conference sermon as he held forth the fact that "Looking Unto Jesus" gives victory in every phase of living.
- 9. To all ministers and laity who in any way helped in promoting the Conference.

To each we would say, "The Lord bless thee, and keep thee: The Lord make his face to shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee; The Lord lift up his countenance upon thee, and give thee peace." Numbers 6: 24-26.

Signed: MRS. HAROLD KELLER,
HELEN KELLER,
MRS. J. B. CLAWSON,
MRS. JOSEPHINE KING, Chairman.

#### COMMITTEE ON MORALS

We, the Committee on Morals, do resolve that the Wisconsin Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church reaffirm our position on the following:

- 1. Our protest against the sale and use of intoxicating liquors, and to take our stand in the enforcement of laws for minors in such places.
- 2. Our protest against indiscriminate use of tobacco on trains and busses and request that "No smoking" signs be observed.
- 3. That our men and women, boys and girls dress on all occasions as becometh the dignity and honor to holiness.
- 4. We urge that both the ministry and laity support the principles, and organizations so far as possible of the W. C. T. U.
- 5. We request the pastors to encourage the church members to make it their duty to vote in all elections.

Signed: VIOLET GROVER,
BROTHER GAUMETZ,
MRS. CHARLES BUTCHER,
HENRY F. CLARK.

#### COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY AND ORDERS

The Committee of Itineracy and Orders respectfully recommends that:

- 1. Robert Fegan, Clarence Titus, Loring Peterson and David Peterson be recommended to Conference for ordination this year.
- 2. Ronald Heavlin and Alice Mae Heavlin be recommended to Conference as suitable persons for appointment as Conference Preachers to study and travel under the direction of the Conference, each to pass an examination this year.
- 3. That Lloyd Poe be recommended as suitable person to travel and study under the direction of the Conference, and that he pass an examination this year on the Discipline of the Weslevan Methodist Church.
- 4. That Hazel Butcher be continued as a licentiate and urged to complete the Course of Study and to come up for ordination next year.
- 5. That Floyd Turner be recommended as a suitable person to travel and study under the Conference and that he be required to pass an examination on the Discipline of the Wesleyan Methodist Church and such other subjects as the committee shall prescribe.
- 6. That Harold Keller be given credit for his work in the St. Paul Bible School and that he meet requirements of the Course of Study in Discipline, Theology, The History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, Perfect Love and Foundations of Doctrine.

- 7. That Egwendolyn Butcher be granted credits in Church History I, and Perfect Love, and that she complete the Course of Study and come up for ordination next year.
- 8. That Clayton Butcher, Dale Peterson, Robert Mattke, Wendell Craker, and Lyle Stevens continue their attendance in school.
  - 9. That Fay Johnson attend school and pursue the Course of Study.
- 10. That a preacher's institute be held the last week of September at the Burr Campground and that if it be possible we have a guest speaker, and that the Conference appropriate up to \$50.00 for such an institute.

Signed: LLOYD KING, Chairman; MRS. J. B. CLAWSON, CORAL BUTCHER, GRACE KAUFFMAN, Secretary.

#### REPORT OF CAMP MEETING TREASURER

Report July 16, 1947 to July 6, 1948.

Treasurer's Annual Report of the Wesleyan Methodist Camp Meeting Association of Wisconsin Conference.

Balance brought forward		\$156.50 945.86
Total	\$ 896.01	\$1102.36
Total		\$1102.36

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF DINING HALL AND KITCHEN

#### Receipts

Cash to Balance August 1, 1947	 36.74 582.41
	\$ 619.15

#### Disbursements

For Supplies and Kitchen Help	\$ 523.94
Cash to Balance	95.21

\$ 619.15 \$ 619.15

#### COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE MINUTES

· We, the Committee on Conference Minutes, beg to submit the following recommendations:

- 1. That the Conference Minutes not exceed 60 page, if possible to stay within that limit.
- 2. That our Wesleyan Publishing Association be asked to print the minutes.
- 3. That all reports be in to the Conference Secretary by the close of camp meeting or before leaving the campgrounds if leaving prior to that time.
  - 4. That there be ordered 200 copies of the minutes.
- 5. That the Conference minutes be paid for as adopted by the Resolutions Committee.

Signed: MRS. G. M. HAHN, Chairman;
BESSIE VASEY,
ALBERT BRIEDENSTEIN,
LOUIS BUDDE,
MRS. MILHIESER,
SYLVIA LEE, Secretary.

# COMMITTEE TO STUDY EQUALIZATION OF PASTOR'S SALARY

Motion carried that Brother Hahn get printed cards for raising money for low salaried pastors.

Motion carried that Missionary Board be authorized to regulate the disbursement of these funds.

Motion carried that this plan be called Conference Missions for pastoral support on weak charges.

Signed: HARRY JOHNSON, Chairman; G. M. HAHN, J. B. CLAWSON, DOLPH MORTIMER, CLARENCE MASON.

# REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PURCHASING PRESIDENT'S HOME

"Be not weary in well doing, for in due season ye shall reap if ye faint not."

We, the Committee on Purchasing a Home for President of our Conference, recommend the following plan for raising money for same: That each church pay \$20.00 per thousand on total receipts after indebtedness is deducted.

#### REPORT OF SUPERANNUATED MINISTERS' BOARD

The Superannuated Ministers' Board of the Wisconsin Conference met July 13, 1948. The following recommendations are submitted:

- 1. That the pastor's 1% be paid back in full to each one, whether now in this Conference or not.
- 2. That each pastor (or minister) desiring to enter the "Connectional Superannuated Ministers' Bension Plan" pay his or her own initial fee of \$25.00.
- 3. That the money paid by the charges into the Conference Superannuated Ministers' Fund before July, 1947 be retained in the Conference as a fund to be loaned from, with interest, within the bounds of the Conference

HENRY CLARK, Chairman; I. J. BUTCHER, Treasurer; JOSEPHINE KING, Secretary.

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## REPORT OF TREASURER OF SUPERANNUATE FUND, 1947-1948

#### Assets:

Note, Hayward Camp Meeting	777.21	×
Total		\$3607
Expenditures:		
Hayward Note	\$1550.00	
Check Exchange and Postage	.84	

Cash on Hand, August 1, 1947 .....

Cash to Balance .....

Signed: I. J. BUTCHER, Treasurer.

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#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

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

- 1. Pastoral Relations—G. M. Hahn, L. W. King, J. B. Clawson, Clarence Mason, Brother Gillingham, Dolph Mortimer, Charles Bakke.
- 2. Ministerial Character—G. M. Hahn, Harry Johnson, Loring Peterson.
  - 3. Statistical Committee—Henry Clark, I. J. Butcher.

- 4. Auditing Committee-Mrs. E. W. Hall, Pearl Clemenson.
- 5. Committee on Resolutions—E. W. Hall, Nellie Johnson, Louise Gardiner, Nellie Lee.
- 6. Committee on Budget—Grace Kauffman, Frank Butcher, Floyd Ewing, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. P. Gregor, Mazie Hole, Norma Mortimer.
  - 7. Committee on Courtesy-Robert Thrasher, Robert Fegan.
- 8. Committee on Thanks-Josephine King, Sister Clawson, Mrs. Keller, Helen Keller.
- 9. Committee on Conference Calendar—David Peterson, Mrs. I. J. Butcher, Winnie Rumppe, Priscilla Hall, Allan Clark, Harold Keller.
- 10. Committee on Conference Minutes—Mrs. G. M. Hahn, Charles Butcher, Mrs. Vasey, Sylvia Lee, Albert Breidenstein, Louis Budde, Mrs. Milheiser.
- 11. Committee on Religious Services and Orders of the Day—Harry Johnson, Sister Hahn, Sister Clawson, Rev. Warren, June Ellis.
- 12. Committee on Moral Reform—Henry Clark, Coral Butcher, Violet Grover, Edward Gometz.
  - 13. Bell Ringer-Edward Gometz.
  - 14. Mail Carrier-Clarence Titus.
  - 15. Leader of Morning Prayer Band-E. W. Hall.

#### REPORT OF BUDGET COMMITTEE

We, the Budget Committee, submit the following report. We recommend that:

1. The Budget be divided as follows:

Connectional Budget:			
Foreign Missions\$	2.00	per	member
Home Missions	1.00	per	member
Orphanage	.25	per	member
Connectional Sunday School Dues	.05	per	member
Education	2.00	per	member
Superannuated Ministers	1.50	per	member
General Conference Expense Fund	.20	per	member
Executive Budget Fund	.25	per	member
<del>-</del>	7.25	per	member
Conference Budget:			•
President's Salary\$	2.50	per	member
Conference Building Fund	. 50	per	member
Conference Missions for Evangelism	1.50	per	member
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Total Budget (Conn. and Conf.)\$	11.75	per	member

- 2. We recognize the \$.50 dues to be sent by the Conference W. Y. P. S. to the Connectional W. Y. P. S. Treasurer. We suggest that our churches assist the local W. Y. P. S. to meet this obligation.
- 3. We request that the Conference W. Y. P. S. assume responsibility for \$.50 per member for Conference Missions for evangelism and that Budget credit be given, providing this money pass through the hands of the Conference Treasurer, and that the Conference W. Y. P. S. Treasurer itemize budget on receipts.
- 4. We recommend that the Conference Missions for Evangelism be used ONLY for opening new works, to help weaker charges employ evangelist and if necessary to aid pastors on low salary charges, but that no funds be drawn from this fund without a signed requisition by the members of the Missionary Board. All monies paid into Conference Missions for evangelism and Conference Building Fund must go through the hands of the Conference Treasurer in order to count on budget.
- 5. We recommend that Conference Building Fund be used ONLY for aid in building or buying church property.
- 6. We recommend that one offering be taken in September for the Conference Work Fund, and that the pastors realize the importance of this offering and the necessity of its being a generous one.
- 7. We recommend that the Conference Sunday Offerings be credited to Conference Work.
- 8. We recommend that each pastor meet with his local treasurers each quarter for the purpose of opportioning budget and making quarterly remittances to the respective Conference Treasurers.

Signed: GRACE KAUFFMAN,
LOLA GREGORY, Secretary;
MRS. GENE GRAHAM,
MAZIE HOLE,
MRS. L. A. ROBERTS,
NORMA MORTIMER.

#### GENERAL EVANGELIST REPORT

And Central Wisconsin Missionary Labors for the year of Wisconsin Wesleyan Methodist Conference, ending June 30, 1948.

All praise and honor belongeth to God! Feeling a deep sense of heart gratitude to GOD, through our Lord Jesus Christ, under the direction of the precious HOLY SPIRIT, we humbly submit this report of another year's labors in His service and Kingdom. Our souls were made to rejoice with those who have been saved and sanctified, with others who have been strengthened in the Faith once delivered unto the saints. Amen!

Item I. Labors.		
1. Time employed, months	12	
2. Revivals in local Conference	4	
3. In other Conferences, now in Iowa	1	
4. In other denominations	0	
5. Quarterly meeting held	0	
Only communion services for Missionary		
Groups	* .	
6. Other services held—Prayer meetings and	•	
Bible Study	37	
Other speaking engagements	9	
Active in Youth for Christ, times preached	216	
Item II. Receipts.		
1. Offerings from regular services		\$578.84
2. Revival services		94.37
3. Speaking engagements		16.00
4. Marriage and funeral fees		30.00
5. Gifts		137.00
Total Receipts		\$856.21
6. Traveling expense in Gospel Work	\$355.60	
1. Miles traveled	9890	

Signed: CHARLES H. BUTCHER, CORAL BUTCHER.

#### STATISTICAL REPORT

CHARGE	Time Employed (Months)	Appointments	No. Church Societies	. Wesleyan Methodist Taken	Wesleyan Missionary Taken	Wesleyan Youth Taken	Sunday School Banner	Junior Class Paper	Children's Friend	Teacher's Quarterly	Senior
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr-Valley Chittamo Darrow Rood Eau Claire Gull Leke Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt Pisgah Oak Ridge Rice Lake Syponer Stone Lake Superior Trippeville Valton.	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 1	1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	12 6 24 8 20 2 18 7 6 9 6 15 6 6 5 4	10 10 29 13 2 37 2 20 9 8 12 4 8 5 5 5 22	9 11 7 3 18 8 12 4 3 16 5 9 2 5 3 3 4	50 25 45 20 8 14 65 10 40 20 23 30 15 25 20 25 12 45	20 25 18 20 7 30 3 35 6 12 20 15 12 20 15 12 20 15	20 10 10 22 3 16 5 6 27 10 10 10	5 9 7 1 11 3 8 6 5 10 2 6 6 3 7	40 30 46 20 15 50 12 40 15 20 36 30 12 20 25 5 18
TOTALS	228	20	20	186	202	123	510	301	193	109	484

## STATISTICAL REPORT -- Continued

CHARGE	Intermediate Quarterly	Junior. Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Home Department Quarterly	Lesson Lesflet	Our Little Folks' Cards	Bible Lesson Chart	Pupil's Lesson Stories	Bible Lesson Stories	Received	Expelled	Discontinued
Appleton. Baraboo Beulah. Burr-Valley. Chittamo. Darrow Rood. Eau Claire Gull lake: Hayward. Hillsboro. Mill Creek. Mt. Pisgah Oak Ridge. Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Superior. Trippeville. Valton.	12 1 12 10 16 7 4 4 4 7 5	12 18 12 7 5 25 18 6 14 16 4 9	12 20 10 3 6 30 10 8 18 5 10	4 10 14 8 3 2	6 5 10 5 5 10 8 5 16 12	15 12 10 15 5 12 5 7 25 6	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	12 5 7 1	12 1 5 12 10 8	62381 5 92 2 122 1	1	2 1 8 3 12 4 7
TOTALS	86	173	168	43	92	161	9	25	48	44	1	37

STATISTICAL REPORT -- Continued

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CHARGE	Died	Granted Letters	Total Membership Loss	Number Reported Last Year	Present Number	Loss	Gain	Number of Members Under 14 Years	Associate Members	Baptized	Unstationed Elders	Local Preachers
Appleton	1 1	5 6 1 3	7	46 37 64 32 18	35 32 66 37 18	11 5	2 · 5	6	5	2 4 8	1	3 2, 14 1
Darrow Rood Eau Claire. Gull Lake Hayward. Hillsboro. Mill Creek. Mt. Pisgah Oak Ridge. Rice Lake Spooner. Stone Lake. Superior.	1 1 2 2 1 1	2 7 4 3 1	5 8 6 6 5 14 5 8	91 34 44 19 21 26 23 24 34 25	91 26 47 13 21 28 18 25 20 22	8 6 5 14 3 8	3 2 1	1	2 1 1 1 1 3	13 <sub>.</sub>	1	3 1 1 2
Trippevillevalton	10	32	67	16 50	17 50 579	61	14	11	8 24	5 39	1	28

#### STATISTICAL REPORT -- Continued

CHARGE	Number of Femily Altars	Membership Tithing	Number of Sunday Schools	Whole Number of Officers	Whole Number of Teachers	Whole Number in Main School	Total Number in Main School	Average Attendance	No. Scholars in Home Department	Number on Cradle Roll	Total Number in Sunday School
Appleton. Baraboo. Beulah. Burr-Valley. Chittamo. Darrow Rood. Eau Claire. Gull Lake. Hayward. Hillsboro. Mill Creek. Mt. Pisgah. Oak Ridge. Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Superior. Trippeville. Valton.	19 16 8 4 18 1 20 8 8 9 9 6 4 4 3	23 20 39 10 45 8 43 7 11 19 19 12 15 14 7 5		925328343042436246	56854411484464846437	60 71 117 30 23 120 31 99 20 30 64 46 57 38 39 77	66 77 128 40 37, 27 139 35 111 24 44 74 52 65 38 68 41 42	61 45 28 35 25 15 79 19 70 10 25 52 27 42 20 43 24	16 5 11 3 42 10 3 2 2 2	9 16 35 10 4 40 8 16 15 21 12 11 5 7	91 98 173 53 37 31 221 43 127 34 62 97 54 77 39 78 61
TOTALS	151	311	, 50	70	105	1009	1203	774	110	239	1526

CHARGE	Number of Scholars Converted	Number of Scholars Joining Church	Number of Departmental Supts.	Teacher's Training Course	Number of Organized Classes	Number of Books in Library	Enrollment V. B. School	Average V.B.S. Attendance	W.Y.P. Societies	Total Membership W. Y. P. S.
Appleton. Baraboo Beulah Burr-Valley. Chittamo Darrow Rood. Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward. Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner. Stone Lake Superior Trippeville Valton.	10	2 3 1 1 2	2 2 4 1 1 4 1 3 2 1 2 3 1 2	14	4 1 4 8 4 6	18 145 8 29 43 45 6 51 15 40 16 58 13	50 35 37 61  34 45 78 40 35 62	50 33 32 42 28 39 20 38 31 54	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	18 32 15 30 18 10 10 17 16 16 11 12
TOTALS	67	18	34	14	33	706	474	367	18	215

CHARGE	Number of Church Buildings	Value of Buildings	Amount of Indebtedness	Amount of Insurance	Number of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Amount of Indebtedness	Amount of Insurance
Appleton. Baraboo Beulah. Burr-Valley Chittamo. Darrow Rood	1 2 1	5000. 3500. 6000. 1000. 750.	\$. 3105.00 69.00	2500. 3500. 6000. 800. 600.	1	\$ 4000. 4500. 1800.	\$ 300.00	1800. 1800.
Eau Claire	1 1 1	6000. 400. 12500. 2500.	2200.00	5000. 5000.	1 1	5000. 1150. 3500.		4000. 1000. 1100.
Hillsboro. Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah Oak Ridge	1 1 1	1500. 2000. 2000.		1100. 1200. 1150.	1	1300. 3000.	\$10.00	1150. 1900.
Rice Lake	1 1 1 1	5000. 3000. 1500. 2500.		3200. 2500. 1200. 2500.	1 1 1	3000. 3000. 1200.	900.00 80.00 246.00	2500. 2000. 1000.
Valton. TOTALS.	19	6000.	\$ 5374.00	4500. 551450.	13	3000. 34450.	\$ 1736.00	1200. \$ 20950.

STATISTICAL REPORT -- Continued

CHARGE	Cash or Other Values on Hand	Salary	Parsonage Rent	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts	Total Pastor's Receipts
Appleton. Baraboo. Beulah. Burr-Valley. Chittamo.	382.92 166.05 6.97 54.89	\$ 2020.00 1471.00 1820.00 1124.71 554.00	\$ 420.00 420.00 300.00 180.00	\$ 35.00 25.00 15.00	\$ 222.45 229.65 465.72 72.00 142.85	2145.65 2600.72
Darrow Rood	481.44 540.36 486.00	224.61 2080.00 520.00 1840.00 675.00	480.00 120.00 420.00 90.00	52.00 58.00	30.24 50.00 65.33 414.50	2662.00 705.33
Mill Creek. Mt. Pisgah. Oak Ridge. Spooner	4.62 474.55 132.44 256.31 20.00	1055.10 984.00 520.00 2141.45 744.00	120.00 90.00 90.00 360.00 360.00	35.00 20.00 10.00 15.00 78.00	663.76 463.20 151.95 150.00 68.00	1873.86
Stone Lake. Superior. Trippeville. Valton.	39.00 100.44	899.04 528.91 325.37 1271.23	180.00 252.00 150.00	10.00 15.00 121.00 10.00	200.00 25.00 17.00 266.34	1289.04 820.91 463.27 1697.57
TOTALS	\$ 3325.63	\$ 20898.42	\$ 4032.00	\$ 499.00	\$ 3697.99	\$ 29,127.41

STATISTICAL REPORT -- Continued

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CHARGE	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building	Repairs	Amount Paid on Indebtedness	Church Incidental Expense
Appleton. Baraboo. Beulah. Burr-Valley. Chittamo. Darrow Rood. Eau Claire Gull Lake. Hayward. Hillsboro. Mill Creek. Mt. Pisgah. Oak Ridge. Rice Lake. Spoomer. Stone Lake. Superior. Trippeville.	\$ 275.00 17.00 334.50 114.00 78.96 507.20 61.57 110.00 313.04 193.00 25.00 165.00 80.00 53.00	118.26 344.50 85.62 52.97 44.63 224.75 37.89 222.86 67.84 70.50 252.31 59.37 508.51 83.55	\$ 1017.60 1857.78 61.90 4429.94 204.38 73.47 49.92 480.90	16.00 10.00 309.40 39.65 4.68 54.93 74.84 220.00	\$ 542.80 20.00 245.00 75.00 312.00 15.00	308.12 557.84 175.23 77.61 709.55 13.77 194.26 146.28 93.02 233.71 82.50 378.44 130.66 107.65
Valton	\$ 2480.27	<del> </del>	<del> </del>	\$ 1082.09	\$ 1209.80	\$ 6058.91

		For Churc	h Budget	For Com	nectional B	udget
CHARGE	Interest on Notes	Insurance	Total for Church	Supersnnuated Assigned	Superannuated Raised	Undivided Budget Raised (None Assigned)
Appleton. Baraboo Beulah. Beurr-Valley Chittamo. Darrow Rood Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah. Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner. Stone Lake Superior Trippeville	\$ 40.50 39.00	\$ 13.85 27.32	\$ 3738.64 1494.61 3094.62 404.70 271.44 74.63 1750.90 152.88 4961.74 269.05 1041.28 899.02 166.87 1152.74 470.43 1192.17 382.35 68.89 837.27	\$ 69.00 52.00 96.00 27.00 136.50 51.00 66.00 28.50 31.50 39.00 27.00 37.50 31.50 37.50	\$ 69.00 52.50 96.00 12.00 136.60 63.00 33.50 12.00 39.00 34.50 46.00 27.00 37.66 14.00	\$ 2 <b>1.</b> 00
TOTALS	\$ 79.50	\$ 41.17	\$ 22405.23	\$ 911.50	\$ 687.31	\$ 21.00

STATISTICAL REPORT -- Continued

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JARGE	Foreign-Missions Assigned	Foreign Missions Raised	Home Missions Assigned	Home Missions Raised	Education Assigned	Education Raised	Orphanage Assigned	Orphanage Ralsed
Appleton Baraboo Beulah Burr-Valley Chittamo Darrow Rood Eau Cleire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah Oak Ridge Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior, Trippeville Valton	\$ 92.00 70.00 128.00 64.00 36.00 182.00 68.00 38.00 42.00 42.00 36.00 42.00 36.00 42.00 34.00	90.82 174.23 57.63 30.84 9.59 217.71 55.92 111.85 61.27 131.03 92.34 55.65 104.12 44.17 37.50 29.05 57.00	35.00 64.00 32.00 18.00 91.00 34.00 44.00 19.00 25.00 24.00 18.00 21.00 21.00	40.56 176.39 33.00 18.05 22.47 198.25 29.77 76.89 19.00 66.69 100.38 28.00 73.46 24.00 15.00	\$ 92.00 ,70.00 128.00 64.00 36.00 182.00 68.00 88.00 42.00 46.00 48.00 36.00 50.00 42.00 34.00	\$ 98.00 70.45 147.75 46.00 20.85 189.50 45.75 40.15 44.50 33.00 65.63 56.85 54.18 26.43 50.95 26.00 33.86 100.00	\$ 11.50 8.75 16.00 8.00 4.50 22.75 8.50 11.00 4.75 5.25 6.50 4.50 6.25 5.25 4.25 12.50	\$ 11.52 8.75 16.00 8.00 2.00 23.10 7.25 25.00 5.00 5.30 6.50 5.75 13.00 4.50 6.28 3.25 6.00 7.50
TOTALS	\$ 1156.00	<del> </del>		<del> </del>	\$ 1216.00	\$ 1150.15	\$ 152.00	\$ 167,20

		Contribut	ed for Cor	ference Bu	idget	
CHARGE	President's Salary Assigned	President's Salary Raised	Conference Building Fund Assigned	Conference Building Fund Raised	Conference Missions Assigned	Conference Missions Raised
Appleton. Baraboo. Beulah. Burr-Valley. Chittamo. Darrow Rood. Bau Claire. Gull Lake. Hayward. Hillsboro. Mills Creek. Mt. Piegah. Oak Ridge. Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Superior. Trippeville. Valton.	87.50 80.00 80.00 45.00 227.50 85.00 110.00 47.50 52.50 65.00 57.50 60.00 45.00 62.50	\$ 115.00 87.50 160.00 54.00 42.50 15.00 227.54 35.00 110.00 47.50 52.37 65.00 57.50 60.00 39.23 62.52 30.00 47.72	\$ 23.00 17.50 32.00 16.00 9.00 44.50 17.00 22.00 9.50 10.50 12.00 9.00 12.50 10.50 8.50 8.50	\$ 26.50 17.50 32.00 5.00 9.00 9.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 9.50 12.00 11.50 12.00 12.00 9.39 6.50 9.00	\$ 69.00 52.50 96.00 48.00 27.00 136.50 51.00 66.00 28.50 31.50 36.00 27.00 27.50 31.50 25.50	\$ 69.00 52.50 84.50 23.50 12.00 15.00 8.50 31.00 41.25 38.50 37.75 30.00 43.06 23.50 25.50
TOTALS			\$ 306.00	\$ 262.59	\$ 922.00	\$ 794.00

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		Contributed for Connectional Budget						
CHARGE	Connectional S. S. Work Assigned.	Connectional S. S. Work Raised	Administrative Budget Assigned	Administrative Budget Raised	Conference Travel and Expense Assigned	Conference Travel and Expense Raised	Total Connectional Budget Assigned	Total Connectional Budget Raised
Appleton Baraboo. Beulah. Burr-Yalley. Chittamo Darrow Rood. Eau Claire. Gull Lake, Hillsboro. Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah. Oak Ridge. Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Superior Trippeville.	\$ 5.00 1.75 6.35 1.60 .90 6.95 1.70 4.00 1.05 3.50 3.00 4.00 1.25 1.00 2.10 7.50	4.00 1.28 3.15 2.25		\$ 11.50 16.00 5.00 2.00 22.75 5.00 3.50 6.50 5.75 6.00 4.50		\$ 9.20 10.80 5.00 3.60 19.20 4.00 2.80 5.20 4.60 4.80 3.60	253.75 465.15 232.00 130.50 662.15 246.50 320.80 137.80 152.25 190.70 168.60 145.85 181.25 152.25 152.25	278.83 643.82 168.38 91.84 683.91 140.09 341.89 172.27 248.82 319.05 194.10 304.56 138.20 158.28 88.70
TOTALS	\$ 55.70	<del></del>	\$ 144,75	\$ 108.50	\$ 115.80	\$ 85.20	\$ 4366.75	\$ 5177.86

	Cont	ributed for Co	onference Bud	get
CHARGE	Total Conference Budget Assigned	Total Conference Budget Raised	Total Budget Assigned	Total Budget Raised
Appleton. Beraboo Beulah. Burr-Valley. Chittemo. Darrow Rood. Eau Claire. Gull Lake. Hayvard. Hillsboro. Mill Creek. Mt Piegah. Oak Ridge. Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Superior. Trippeville. Valton.	157.50 288.00 144.00 72.00 409.50 153.00 198.00 85.50 94.50	\$ 210.50 157.50 276.50 82.50 63.50 410.64 71.00 123.50 88.00 79.37 119.35 107.50 109.75 81.23 114.97 60.00 77.91 266.00	\$ 543.20 411.25 753.15 376.00 202.50 1071.65 399.50 518.80 223.30 246.75 307.70 272.10 253.80 216.25 293.75 246.75 200.00 585.00	\$ 628.56 436.33 920.32 250.88 155.34 1274.60 211.09 465.39 260.27 358.19 438.40 301.60 523.31 219.43 273.25 148.70 233.91 746.45
TOTALS	\$ 2748.00	\$ 2490.07	\$ 7114.75	\$ 7667.93

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	Contributed for Benevolences							
CHARGE	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Orphanage	Conference Work	W. Y. P. S.	Other Objects	Total for Benevolences
Appleton. Baraboo Beulah. Burr-Valley. Chittamo. Darrow Rood. Eau Claire Gull Lake. Hayward. Hillsboro. Mill Creek. Mt. Pisgah. Oak Ridge. Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Superior. Trippeville. Valton.	\$ 7.50 6.43 3.00 6.43 100.00 10.00 111.33 188.75 71.00 22.50	62.00 3.85 384.00 38.50 130.50 5.00 127.12 325.52 18.75 188.00 17.00 22.75	\$ 23.30 28.43 5.00 30.47 10.00 2.00 37.74 59.56	\$ 5.00 5.00	10.00 1.00 3.50 11.00	10.73 315.85 7.50 2.97 15.00 7.73 12.00 5.00 45.25 16.00	68.34 85.00 181.80 3.35 8.00 600.96 6.18 191.18 174.33 81.97 173.34 37.65 595.68 78.21 62.93 35.50 59.00	\$ 345.17 356.84 862.19 257.30 27.10 8.00 1013.06 90.31 447.18 207.33 397.16 858.72 81.90 874.48 113.71 142.67 45.70 67.00 287.74
TOTALS	-		\$ 273.01	\$ 10.00	-	<del></del>	<del></del>	\$ 6483.56

STATISTICAL REPORT -- Continued

	Contributed Totals								
CHARGE	Total for Pastor	Total for Church	Total for Budget	Total for Benevolences	TOTAL FOR ALL PURPOSES				
Appleton. Baraboo. Beulah. Burr-Valley. Chittamo. Darrow Rood. Eau Claire. Gull Lake. Hayward. Hillsboro. Mill Creek, Mt. Pisgah. Dak Ridge. Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Superior. Frippeville.	\$ 2797.45 2145.65 2600.72 1376.71 696.85 264.85 2662.00 705.33 2732.50 765.00 1873.86 1557.22 771.95 2666.25 1250.00 1289.04 820.91 463.37 1697.57	1494.61 3094.62 404.70 271.41 74.63 1750.90' 152.86 4961.74 269.05 1401.28 889.02 166.87 1125.42 470.45 1197.18 382.95 68.89	\$ 628.56 436.33 920.32 250.88 155.34 69.06 1274.60 241.09 465.89 260.27 328.47 438.40 301.60 523.31 219.43 273.25 148.70 233.91 746.45	356.84 862.18 257.30 27.10 8.00 1013.06 90.31 447.18 207.33 397.16 858.72 81.90 874.48 113.71 142.69 45.70	4433.43 7477.85 2289.59 1150.73 406.54 6700.56 1159.63 8619.31 1501.65 3640.77 3753.34 1322.32 5190.46 2053.59 2892.16 1398.26				

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

# CONFERENCE OFFICERS

President-Mrs. G. M. Hahn, 821 Scribner Ave., Spooner, Wis.

Vice-President-Mrs. Grace Kauffman, Hillsboro, Wis.

Secretary-Mrs. Bessie Vasey, Elk Mound, Wis.

Treasurer-Mrs. Lloyd King, 1221 Emery St., Eau Claire, Wis.

Y. M. W. B. Superintendent-Mrs. Coral Butcher, 742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.

Organizer-Mrs. E. W. Hall, 615 N. Richmond, Appleton, Wis.

Prayer Band Secretary-Mrs. David Peterson, Stone Lake, Wis.

Secretary for Reading Course-Mrs. Florence Johnson, Gillingham, Wis.

#### W. M. S. DIRECTORY

Appleton-Mrs. Olive Milleheiser, 918 Gardners Row, Appleton, Wis.

Baraboo-Mrs. Arthur Mattke, 8th St., Baraboo, Wis.

Burr and Valley-Mrs. Frank Butcher, Valley, Wis.

Beulah-Mrs. Harry Johnson, Gillingham, Wis.

Chittamo-Mrs. Andrew Clark, Minong, Wis.

Eau Claire-Mrs. Lulu McCarthy, 603 Gilbert St., Eau Claire, Wis.

Gull Lake-Mrs. Clarence Titus, Springbrook, Wis.

Hayward-Mrs. Martha Roberts, Hayward, Wis.

Hillsboro-Mrs. Leslie Lee, Hillsboro, Wis.

Mill Creek-Mrs. Floyd Ewing, Richland Center, Wis.

Mt. Pisgah-Mrs. Claude Cass, Ontario, Wis.

Rice Lake-Mrs. Myrna Bakke, 110 Courure Ave., Rice Lake, Wis.

Spooner-Mrs. G. M. Hahn, 821 Scribner Ave., Spooner, Wis.

Stone Lake-Mrs. David Peterson, Stone Lake, Wis.

Trippeville-Mrs. Clara Bell, Elroy, Wis.

Superior-Mrs. Harold Keller, 1015 N. 7th St., Superior, Wis.

Valton-Mrs. Harry Jordan, Wonewoc, Wis.

## **DELEGATES FOR 1948**

Place	Name	Ans'd Roll Call Out of 5 Sessions	Sub. to Mag.
Appleton	Mrs. E. W. H.	all 5	10
Baraboo	Mrs. Loring Pe	eterson 3	
Beulah	Mrs. Sadie All	oaugh 4	25
Burr-Valley	Mrs. James Jol	hnson 4	13
Chittamo	Mrs. Graham .	4	2
Eau Claire	Pearl Clemenso	on 4	37
Gull Lake	Mrs. Clarence	Γitus 5	2
Hayward	Mrs. L. A. Rol	berts 5	20
Hillsboro	Lillie Sanders	4	6
Mill Creek	Mrs. Floye Ew	ing (Excused)	6
Oak Ridge, Mt. Piss	gahMrs. B. Breide	nstein	12
Rice Lake	Mrs. J. B. Clay	wson 5	. 9
Spooner	Mrs. Ensign	5	3
Stone Lake	Mrs. David Per	terson 2	5
Superior	Mrs. Harold K	lel1er 5	1
Trippeville	Anna Walker	3	5
Valton	Mrs. Dolph Mo	ortimer 5	22

Signed: BESSIE VASEY, Secretary.

# TREASURER'S REPORT FOR W. M. S., 1947-1948

# Receipts

Cash from Last Year	\$ 235.84
Conference Offering	89.03
Dues	263.75
Cash Received	1179.38
Receipts Received	977.37
Total Cash and Receipts	\$2745.37

### Disbursements

# Foreign

General	\$670.00
South America	173.58
Japan	38.00
China	25.00
India	30.00

Total Foreign	\$936.58
Medical	16.55

Press South America	245.02	
Home	250.24	
Australia	215.63	
Australia Bible School	74.98	
Education	184.47	
Miltonvale Building Fund	14.00	
Miltonvale Dormitory	45.00	
Orphanage	88.45	
Conference Building Fund	58.00	
Conference Evangelism	86.10	
Conference Table	45.60	
General Conference General Fund	65.94	
Travel Expense (Davis)	28.00	
Conference Minutes	38.09	
Postage, Etc.	2.00	
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	\$2394.65	
Cash to Balance		
Building Fund	\$ 52.14	
Church Extension	45.75	
Lavatory	12.59	
Conference Offering	89.03	
General Fund	151.21	
	\$ 350.72	
	\$2745.37	\$2745.37

Signed: ESTHER JOHNSON, Treasurer.

### PLAN OF WORK

We, the Committee on the "Plan of Work," submit the following:

- 1. That the Plan of Work be given to the Secretary of each Society. and that is be read at the first meeting of each quarter.
- 2. That each Society secure the Efficiency Standard and measure thereby.
- 3. That each Society send to the Conference Treasurer \$5.00 for Conference Building Fund.
- 4. That each Society send one dollar per member undivided to the Conference Treasurer.
- 5. That each Society aim to send at least \$6.00 to our Conference Treasurer for Home Missions.

- 6. That each Society observe Harvest Home Day taking an offering for Miltonvale College.
- 7. That we continue to collect bandages, sending them to the Missionary Home, 32 Bergen Ave., Jersey City, New Jersey.
- 8. That we observe prayer for fields and workers. That each Society co-operate in the World Day of Prayer.
- 9. That each member take the Missionary Magazine. That there be a special program for securing subscriptions.
- 10. That each Society elect a Mission Study Reading Course Secretary and that the reading as outlined in our Program Calendars be followed as closely as possible. The local Secretary report individual credits to the Conference Secretary, Mrs. Harry Johnson, Gillingham, Wisconsin.
- 11. That each Society remit 50 cents per member for the Conference table.
- 12. That each Society endeavor to raise at least \$10.00 for Conference Missions for Evangelism.
- 13. That all books close at the last of June and that report blanks be filled out and sent to Mrs. Josephine King, 1221 Emery St., Eau Claire, Wisconsin to be checked by the first of July.
- 14. That each Society, where possible, place the magazine properly inscribed with name and address of both society and pastor in the public library.
- 15. That in this time of world stress each meeting be marked by special prayer for missions and our missionaries.
- 16. That a feature of the Missionary Program at next Conference be a book review or other inspirational feature.
- 17: That no Society use funds for local church work such as pastor's salary or church repair.
- 18. That each Society elect a Prayer Partner Secretary and the Prayer Partner Plan be worked faithfully in each Society. That each local secretary send the report to Mrs. Lois Peterson, Stone Lake, Wisconsin before October 1st.
- 19. That each Society furnish rugs and slop jars for the dormitories also that an offering be taken in each Society for the purchase of needed kitchen utensils for the camp.

Signed: JOSEPHINE KING,
MRS. ROBERT FEGAN, Secretary.
GRACE G. KAUFFMAN.

W.M.S. STATISTICAL REPORT

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SOCIETY	Active Membership	Honorary Membership	Gain	Loss	Total Number of Meetings Held	No. Wesleyan Missionary Taken	Membership Dues	Barinas	97772	From Labor	Memorials	Voucher Receipts	Other Sources
Appleton Beraboo Beulah Burr-Valley Chittamo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillaboro Mill Creek Mt Fingah Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Velton Darrow Rood Darrow Rood	17 13 29 11 4 30 10 21 14 12 9 8 6 8 8	6 5 4 2	5 3 1 2 4 3	6 7 6 2 1 1 3	12 11 14 11 13 29 11 16 12 14 24 12 10 12 12 15	10 10 29 13 2 37 2 20 6 8 12 8 3 5 1	\$ 17.00 13.00 35.00 11.00 4.00 56.00 10.00 21.00 14.75 12.00 6.00 10.00 8.00 28.00		114.87 77.32 234.19 137.88 19.27 363.93 175.00 51.83 86.61 174.51 210.85 50.73 136.65 16.00 199.15	\$ 2.00 5.00 10.55 19.50 1.00	\$ 13.00 20.00 3.65	73.19 66.00	23.72 100.00 77.95 44.80
TOTALS	239	24	29	27	240	190	\$ 263.75	\$ 2	2151.04	\$ 82.50	\$ 36.65	\$ 460.14	\$320.02

W.M.S. STATISTICAL REPORT -- Continued

		Receipts	3	·		Disbu	rsements		
SOCIETY	Clothing and Cifto to Home Missions	Total Receipts for the Year	Old Balance from Last Year	GRAND	Homo Missions	Foreign Missions	Medical Student	Cabh (Képhzibah)	Provisions (Reshathan)
Appleton Beraboo Beulah. Burr-Valley. Chittamo. Edu Claire Gull Lake Heayward. Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt. Pisgah Rressessessessessessessessessessessessess	\$ 96.00 187.40 206.49 86.00 333.00 38.50 130.50 197.09	\$ 282.87 503.27 553.96 214.88 35.82 837.75 91.93 446.50 159.18 201.41 480.03 222.85 77.68 146.63 24.00 407.15	1.59 12.74 1.70 5.24 52.59 9.53	\$ 285.58 304.86 566.60 214.88 35.52 842.99 91.93 499.09 168.71 201.41 480.08 222.85 81.00 150.80 35.03 483.13	\$ 7.00 16.83 32.00 2.50 94.30 6.74 36.00 11.46 12.00 14.00 7.03 6.00 12.00	\$ 124.22 22.71 82.85 38.13 5.70 62.85 40.50 49.27 91.15 7.00 68.55 31.00 25.20 4.00 199.00	\$ 13.55 3.00	16.00 8.00 20.00	5
TOTALS	\$ 1337.95	\$ 4652.05	\$ 178.45	\$ 4830.50	\$ 274.24	\$ 918.58	\$ 16.55	\$ 88.45	\$10

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SOCIETY	Cash (Education)	Local Church Work	Membership Dues	Other Objects	Conference Missions for Evangelism	Conference Building Fund	Total Disbursements	New Balance on Rand	GRAND TOTAL
Appleton Beraboo Beulah Burr-Valley Chittemo Eau Claire Gull Lake Hayward Hillsboro Mill Creek Mt Piagah Rice Lake Spooner Stone Lake Superior Valton Darrow Rood Darrippeville	\$ 11.02 15.00 49.30 35.00 5.00 10.00 7.00 7.00 36.29	\$ 8.50 44.97 27.33 10.75 45.00 20.00 29.24	\$ 8.50 6.50 17.50 5.50 18.00 5.00 7.38 6.00 7.38 6.00 5.00 4.00	204.84 383.79 99.50 20.32 577.79 65.29 292.27 109.53 62.80 404.52 122.00 35.00 63.31 171.98	\$ 5.00 11.75 5.00 5.00 5.00 3.00 12.35 5.00 5.00	55555 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	\$ 285.34 304.57 565.12 214.88 35.52 842.99 87.68 497.27 166.18 201.41 479.76 222.55 81.00 150.75 24.13 411.98	\$ .04 .29 1.48 4.25 1.82 2.53 .32 .30 .05 8.90 71.15	* 285.38 304.86 556.60 214.88 35.52 842.99 91.93 499.08 168.71 201.41 480.08 222.85 81.00 150.80 33.03 483.13
TOTALS	\$ 84.47	\$ 185.79	\$ 131.88	\$ 2704.31	\$ 81.10	\$ 53.	\$ 4739.37	\$ 91.13	\$ 4830.50

# YOUNG MISSIONARY WORKERS' BAND

We praise God for His leading Spirit through the past year, helping us to adjust to the new plans, for our Bands. And for the hearty exhortation of our Superintendent (Sister Shea) toward Child Evangelization. May this coming year be one of ingathering, not alone of funds, but also our children to the Lord. And resolve to pray, pay, and labor as never before, that His cause shall prosper at home and abroad.

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

### TO BE REMEMBERED:

- 1. That each Band remit funds and receipts quarterly to the Conference Superintendent, Mrs. C. H. Butcher, 742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.
- 2. That each Band report quarterly to their respective quarterly meeting same on blanks specially prepared and furnished to Bands by Superintendent and mailing a duplicate of same to the Superintendent.
- 3. That each Band strive for the Banner, which will be given this year to the Band bringing in the largest report. Work being done strictly by the Y. M. W. B.
  - 4. That a second Banner be given to the largest new Band reported.
- 5. That we remember to count only the children under 13 years as members.
- 6. That each Band send to Superintendent, Mrs. C. H. Butcher, to the amount of five cents per member, to apply on General Conference Delegates' expenses and provide desk fund.
- 7. Let us rally well when our Missionary travels our Conference, and pray, and labor diligently this coming year.

MRS. CHARLES H. BUTCHER,

742 Center St., Stevens Point, Wis.

Y.M.W.B. STATISTICAL REPORT

BAND		Foreign Missions	Omon	Missions		Education	Totals	Membership
Appleton. Baraboo. Beulah Burr-Valley. Chittamo. Eau Claire. Gull Lake Haywerd. Hillsboro. Mill Creek. Oak Ridge Pisgah. Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Stevens Point Valton. Wisconsin Rapids.	€\$-	39.62 11.50 91.88 19.50 6.61 61.25 2.60 6.00 10.92 44.65 57.01 35.57 8.00 12.30 2.00 39.88 4.00	<b>€</b> ₽	2.00 1.00 8.26 1.00 4.15 .28 3.00 10.25 9.22 5.00 1.00 1.72	· (O	3.76 4.35 9.25 2.00 3.00 1.65 25.35 19.21 4.19 1.68	\$ 45.38 16.85 109.39 22.50 6.61 68.40 2.88 10.65 10.00 10.92 80.25 85.49 44.76 10.68 14.97 2.00 39.88 4.00	12 22 25 69 20 16 21 60
Children's Offering	\$	13.37 476.66	\$	46.88	\$	75.39	\$ 13.37 34:50 633.48	299

# MINUTES OF THE WISCONSIN CONFERENCE W. Y. P. S.

July 19-23, 1948

### **OFFICERS**

President—Rev. David Peterson, Stone Lake, Wis. Vice-President—Rev. Loring Peterson, 445 Maxwell St., Baraboo, Wis. Secretary—Mrs. Loring Peterson, 445 Maxwell St., Baraboo, Wis. Treasurer—Mrs. Robert Fegan, Markville, Minn. "Outlook" Editor and Publisher—Rev. Loring Peterson, Baraboo, Wis. "Outlook" Assistant Editor—Mrs. Loring Peterson, Baraboo, Wis.

#### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Rev. G. M. Hahn, David Peterson, Loring Peterson, Flossie Peterson, Vivian Fegan.

### DAILY PROCEEDINGS

The first session of the 19th Annual Business Meeting of the W. Y. P. S. of the Wisconsin Conference met Monday, July 19th in the Young People's Tabernacle at the Burr Campgrounds. The meeting was opened by the Vice-President. Genevieve Johnson had charge of the song service. Following the devotions, which were led by Rev. Robert Fegan, Rev. King took charge. Genevieve Johnson was chosen Secretary pro tem. William Butcher was elected the Committee on Credentials. By motion all delegates were admitted to the Conference Bar. The first four rows of seats made up the Conference Bar. The President appointed Rev. Harry Johnson and Ronnie Norgaard to be tellers. The election of officers and committees resulted as follows:

President—Rev. David Peterson. Vice-President—Rev. Loring Peterson. Adjourned by limitation of time.

### July 19, 1:00 p. m.

The second session met Monday, July 19th at 1:00 p.m. in the Young People's Tabernacle. Following prayer the Secretary's report of the first session of business was read and approved. The election of officers and the following committees continued:

Secretary-Mrs. Loring Peterson.

Treasurer-Mrs. Robert Fegan.

Publications Committee—Rev. Lloyd King, Marjorie Cass, Alice Mae Holderman.

Auditing Committee-Rev. Robert Fegan, Rev. Clarence Titus.

Budget Committee-Beulah Butcher, Allen Clark, Joan Ellis.

Statistical Committee-Beatrice Johnson, Helen Keller.

It was moved and carried that instead of electing a Youth Camp Committee, all business for the Youth Camp would be left in the hands of the Executive Board.

District Chairmen:

Northern-Rev. Clarence Titus.

Southern-Anna Wilson.

The following local reports were read: Stone Lake, Hillsboro, Eau Claire, Rice Lake, Hayward, Valton, and Appleton.

Adjourned for Committee work.

### July 20, 9:00 a. m.

The third session met in the Young People's Tabernacle, Tuesday, July 20, 9:00 a.m. Following prayer, roll call was taken and the Secretary's report was read and approved. The local reports read were Burr and Valley, and Spooner. President's report was read and adopted.

Adjourned for Committee work.

### July 20, 1:00 p. m.

The fourth session met in the Young People's Tabernacle, Tuesday, July 20, 1:00 p.m. The Vice-President took charge in the absence of the President. Following the devotions the Secretary's report was read and adopted. The report of the Beulah Society was read. The Budget Report was read and approved.

Adjourned for Committee work.

### July 21, 9:00 a. m.

The fifth session met in the Young People's Tabernacle, Wednesday, July 21, 9:00 a.m. Following prayer the Secretary's report was read and approved.

Adjourned for Committee work.

### July 23, 1:00 p. m.

The sixth session met in the Young People's Tabernacle, Friday, July 23, 1:00 p. m. Following devotions the Secretary's report was read and approved. The following reports were adopted: Auditing, Publication, and Executive. It was voted that all unfinished business be left in the hands of the Executive Board.

FLOSSIE PETERSON, Secretary.

### REPORT OF THE PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE

The Publications Committee submit the following resolutions:

- 1. That the Editor and Publisher of the "Outlook" be Loring Peterson.
  - 2. That Mrs. Loring Peterson be Assistant Editor.
- .3. That each local Society elect a reporter and that this reporter with the aid of the pastor be responsible for sending in news by the deadline, said deadline to be 15th of the month of publication.
- 4. That the "Outlook" be published every two months with the exception of June and July, thus making five editions, the first edition to be sent out for distribution on the last Sunday of September, that succeeding editions be sent to the charges so that distribution can be made the last Sunday of each second month.
- 5. Upon the request of the Editor, spiritual messages may be sent in from pastors, W. Y. P. S. Presidents, officers, missionaries or evangelists from time to time.
- 6. That each Society take an offering each time the "Outlook" is distributed to pay the expenses. Any additional expense for its publication to be paid from the General Fund.
- 7. That each reporter send to the Editor the number of copies needed by the local Society, and the number of students in Miltonvale and Marion.
- 8. That the Editor will send copies of the "Outlook" to students in Miltonvale and Marion.
  - 9. That the number of pages of the "Outlook" be not limited.

Signed: L. W. KING,

ALICE MAE HOLDERMAN.

### REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

- 1. The election of officers and committee be the Order of the Day following the seating of the delegates.
- 2. The Conference W. Y. P. S. be divided into districts, the Northern and the Southern.
- 3. That there be an attempt to have at least two conventions in each district.
- 4. The officers of each district are to be elected at Annual Conference.
- 5. Each Society shall study the section regarding the W. Y. P. S. in the new Discipline.
- 6. We invite one of our Connectional men to meet for a rally in each district.

- 7. The recommendation was made that each local Society promote one youth revival meeting in the local church.
- 8. As an organization we recommend that the W. Y. P. S. be responsible for finding and holding at least one revival meeting in a pioneer field in co-operation with the Missionary Board.
- 9. We recommend that we set the goal of at least one new Society and that the Conference President would act as organizer.
- 10. We recommend that each Society add a minimum of four members to their roll during the Conference year.
- 11. The Conference W. Y. P. S. President or a representative visit each Society in the interest of the local and connectional work of the W. Y. P. S.
- 12. The Annual Conference Convention shall be composed of the officers of the Conference W. Y. P. S., the District Chairmen, Presidents of Local Societies, the President of the Annual Conference, and two elected delegates from the active membership of each local Society in the Conference. When the active membership in any local Society exceeds twenty-five there may be one additional delegate elected. Local societies with two or more age departments, will, as far as possible, choose delegates from each department.
- 13. That the Young People's Conference be held the Monday following Annual Conference.
- 14. That our Societies be rainting centers of Christian character and the beauty of holiness.

Signed: L. W. KING, L. H. PETERSON, FLOSSIE PETERSON, VIVIAN FEGAN, G. M. HAHN.

### CONFERENCE W. Y. P. S. PRESIDENT'S REPORTS

During the past Conference year we have endeavored to do our best for God and give our best to Him in the work of the W. Y. P. S., and the Wisconsin Youth Camp.

God has been gracious to us. His presence has been manifest in the district conventions, in the Youth Camp and in our local societies. It was our privilege to have Rev. Dale Campbell, Area President, visit us in conventions, one in the north and one in the south. The Rev. George Hilson, Connectional President, was with us as evangelist and teacher in the Youth Camp.

The Conference W. Y. P. S. Vice-President, Rev. Loring Peterson, visited all churches of the Southern District during the latter part of the year. I visited churches of the Northern District that I was able to but

did not make a complete tour. We found the pastors and people co-operative and working faithfully. We wish to praise God for those who are consistent and wholehearted in their service in the W. Y. P. S.

In this our last report as Conference President, we wish to thank each one of you who have so nobly and loyally labored and prayed with us. We love you. Our desire is that we continue to labor together with Christ—"for without him we can do nothing."

May the Lord who sees even the cup of water given, though it be in a hidden desert place back in your local charges, bless you each one.

Yours for VICTORY in the Wisconsin W. Y. P. S.,

LLOYD W. KING, Conference President.

### REPORT OF BUDGET COMMITTEE

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

I.	Connectional Budget: Connectional Dues	.50	per	member
II.	Conference Budget:			
	Conference Missions for Evangelism	.25	per	member
	Education	.25	per	member
	Y. P. Camp Worker (Annual)	.25	per	member
	General Fund	.25	per	member
	Total\$	1.50	per	member

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

Signed: BEULAH BUTCHER, ALLEN CLARK, IOAN ELLIS.

# REPORT OF WISCONSIN YOUTH CAMP, HAYWARD

June 21-26, 1948

Youth Camp Workers:

Rev. George Hilson, Syracuse, New York.

Rev. and Mrs. Edward Angell, Miltonvale, Kansas.

Miltonvale Male Quartet, Miltonvale, Kansas.

Rev. Mrs. J. B. Clawson, Rice Lake, Wis.

Attendance-131 Registered on the Roll.

Paid on the Barracks at Hayward Youth Camp by Youth Camp, \$200. Balance carried over for next year—Approx. \$90.00.

W.Y.P.S. STATISTICAL REPORT

SOCIETY	Organized	Active Members	Associate Members	Wesleyan Youth	Total Receipts for the Year	Church Extension	Education	Local Work
Appleton. Beulah. Beurand Valley. Eau Claire. Hayward. Hillsboro. Mt. Pisgah. Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Valton. Oak Ridge.	Yes	18 26 15 30 14 9 17 11 11 9 10	1 5 3	9 11 7 18 12 4 15 8 1 4 4 5	\$ 171.10 351.19 36.50 164.82 83.12 19.81 131.00 194.88 80.10 79.46 23.86 43.54	\$ 100.00 10.00 21.18	\$ 4.50 50.00 3.75 15.00 3.50 2.50 2.50 2.75 5.71 2.50 5.75	\$ 16.33 30.17 .25 5.25 13.01 9.47 6.90 9.73
TOTALS		176	9	98	\$ 1379.38	\$ 131.18	\$ 113.38	\$ 91.11

W.Y.P.S. STATISTICAL REPORT -- Continued

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SOCIETY	Conference Dues	General Dues (Connectional)	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Other Sources *	Total Disbursements	Cash on Hand
Appleton. Beulah Burr and Valley Eau Cleire. Hayward. Hillsboro. Mt. Pisgah Rice Lake. Spooner. Stone Lake. Valton. Oak Ridge.	\$ 13.50 23.25 11.25 15.00 7.50 12.75 16.00 8.25 6.29 2.50 8.00	\$ 9.00 16.00 7.50 15.00 5.00 8.50 8.50 5.50 6.00 8.00	\$ 10.25 28.33 6.17	\$ 3.50 19.16 10.00	\$ 42.41 245.61 14.00 79.40 30.00 4.25 39.00 143.87 37.96 32.46 13.86 4.00	351.19 36.50 164.82 44.00 19.50 126.41 194.88	\$ 1.69  39.12 .31 4.59 .92 2.81
TOTALS	\$ 124.29	\$ 100.50	\$ 48.25	\$ 34.41	\$ 686.82	\$ 1329.94	\$ 49.44