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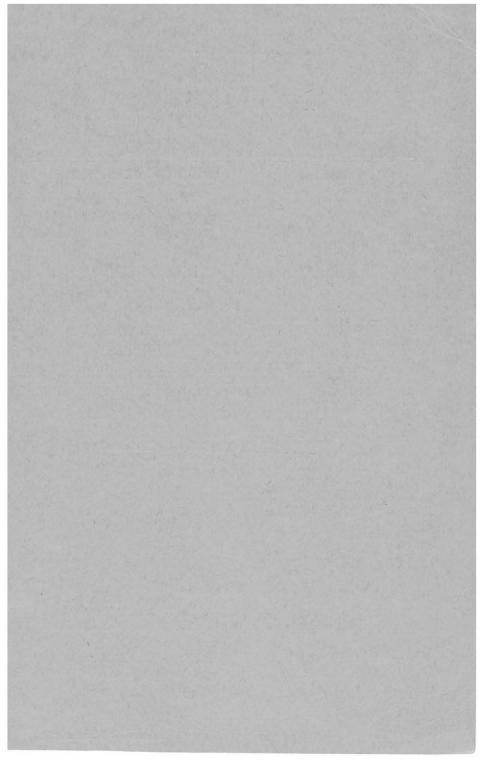
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OF THE 56th CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF THE MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCHES OF NORTH AMERICA

PART I - DEVOTIONAL SERVICES

SATURDAY, 7 P.M., JULY 3, 1966, YOUTH RALLY

The Youth Program of this evening was prepared by the Youth Committee of the Canadian Conference. In the absence of Br. C. Braun, the chairman of the committee, Br. H. Dueck led the service.

Brother Bert Warkentin led the congregation in the singing of the hymns, God is Love and All Hail the Power of Jesus Name.

For the invocation brother John Konrad, Youth Leader of B.C., read 2 Peter 1:1-11 and led in prayer. A ladies' double trio from Vineland sang: There is a Holy and Beautiful City.

Following the announcements brother Clarence Hiebert of Hillsboro, Kansas, gave a brief word of information on the Christian Service opportunities. Under the direction of brother Henry Goerzen the Virgil Band presented two musical numbers.

Brother Peter Rempel of Edmonton, in his report on the Youth Caravan which visited a few churches in B.C. last year, stated that the Caravan was youth on the move. Its purpose was that young people communicate to young people. It proved itself a fruitful experiment and showed great potential in reaching many young people today.

The offering was designated for the Youth Projects of the Canadian Conference. Under the direction of brother Walter Unger of St. Catharines a Youth Forum was conducted. Gloria Schroeder of Inman, Kansas told of the opportunity in Christian Service in Truro, Nova Scotia, where she worked in a school for delinquent girls.

Peter Klassen of Kitchener spoke of the challenge of social work in a mental hospital in Woodstock, Ontario. Lydia Martens, a teacher in St. Catharines shared blessings received in her personal quiet time, while Hartmut Wiens, a university student told how he related himself as a Christian to other students.

Following a song, **Nothing But Leaves**, by the ladies' group, Hugo Jantz, who just returned from mission work in Europe, presented the message.

MESSAGE

Youth Separated unto God for Effective Witnessing

We are faced with a problem of 'new math' in the churches. It is not a question of learning how to use numbers but learning how to 'total' the resources of the Church for the work of God's Kingdom. This means learning to use the educational resources, abilities, finances, many personal qualifications of the Church to make it a vital spiritual force in society.

- (1) To do this the Church must come to a **New Understanding** of the **Meaning of True Sanctification**. Rather than building higher denominational fences and more rigidly enforcing old church regulations we need a new understanding of the do's of the Gospel. The way to holiness comes through an experience of the unique power of Christianity, through learning to live Christ.
- (2) To do this the Church must also **Develope** a **New Sense of Stewardship**. This is the neglected area among church people. The world is crying for the skills and training we have. Time is too short to spend on better houses, cars, etc. Not one moment of our lives belongs to ourselves, we must become full-time workers for Christ.

Brother H. Goosen of Borden, Sask. closed the service with prayer.

SUNDAY DEVOTIONAL MEETINGS IN THE ST. CATHARINES ARENA

Sunday Morning July 3, 1966 at 10:00 a.m. at the Garden City Arena in St. Catharines

The congregation was led by brother Ed Boldt of Kitchener in singing: "Come Let Us Join Our Cheerful Songs", "Praise to the Lord."

Brother John G. Baerg of Virgil welcomed all, reading John 12:20-26 for the invocation and led in prayer.

The choir sang: O Come Ye Servants of the Lord under the direction of brother Ernie Reimer of Vineland.

The brethren John F. Froese of Hepburn and George L. Braun of Willingdon led the congregation in prayer in a brief prayer service.

Mayor R. M. Johnston extended greetings to the congregation on behalf of the city of St. Catharines.

Following the announcements the choir again sang under the direction of brother Jake Pauls, Praise To The Lord.

The first message was given by brother J. A. Froese, pastor of Mountain Lake, Minnesota, based on 1 Peter 2:9 and John 17:11-19 on the theme of the Conference: Separated unto God for Effective Witnessing.

Separated Unto God for Effective Witnessing John 17:11-19

Separation, from the specific setting aside of the Nazarite of Numbers 6:2 to the sanctification of the peculiar people of 1 Peter 2:9, sought to glorify God and witness for Him.

The subject before us suggests that every born again believer is to live a separated life for an effective witness for our Lord.

I THE BURDEN OF SEPARATION

- A. Is based upon the new creation in Christ Jesus. 2 Cor. 5:17.
- B. Is to Reveal the Son in the life of the believer. Gal. 1:15, 16; Gal. 2:20.
- C. Is not Isolation but Insulation of the believer. John 17:15, 18. Biblical separation emphasizes separation from evil, unto the Lord with a living message for the world.

II THE CHALLENGE OF AN EFFECTIVE WITNESS

- A. The Great Commission is relevant today. Matth. 28:18-20, "make disciples" is the need of the hour.
- B. Calls for contemporary methods. The message is and remains basically the same, but the methods vary from Sunday School, mass evangelism to radio, literature, T.V. and personal witnessing, etc.
- C. Calls for the proclaimation of the message. Ps. 107:2, Acts 8:4. God speaks through the foolishness of preaching. 1 Cor. 21:24.

III THE DYNAMIC OF A SEPARATED WITNESS

An effective witness can come only through a separated vessel.

A. Scripture combines separation and an effective witness in the early church. Acts 1—8.

- B. Separation and witness were combined in Paul's experience. 1 Thess. 1:5-7.
- C. A combined thrust of a separated life and an oral witness is essential. It is not either or, but a combined thrust.

Conclusion: May the Lord establish our brotherhood in a biblical separation with a burning, enthusiastic and effective witness for our Lord to a dying world.

Following the message the congregation sang: Am I A Soldier Of The Cross. The choir, conducted by Peter Dick, sang: Sine Nomine.

Brother A. J. Neufeld, returned missionary from Europe, delivered the second message on the Conference Theme.

Separated unto God for Effective Witnessing. Acts 10:34-44

Introduction: Separation is not primarily a New Testament term. In Numbers 8:14 God says "the Levites shall be mine." But then in Acts 9:15 God says of Paul, "He is a chosen vessel unto me" And Paul says of himself that he is a servant of Jesus Christ, called to be an apostle, separated unto the gospel. Romans 1:1. In each of the above references separation means more than

- 1. avoidance of sin
- 2. adaptation to certain Christian habits
- 3. adaptation of pious phraseology.

Separation unto God is primarily God's choice finding its realization in man's acceptance of the choice.

I THE EFFECTIVE WITNESS

- A. Effective witnessing is possible only through an effective witness.
- B. An effective witness can be only one who has seen, heard, or experienced the object he is witnessing to.
- C. An effective witness is ready to testify at the expense of his own life. Witness and martyr are identical.

II EFFECTIVE WITNESSING

- A. Effective witnessing flows out of a prayer saturated life of one separated unto God v. 9.
- B. It follows upon God's intervention through his Holy Spirit.
- C. Effective witnessing is primarily "being" not merely activity.
 - It is essence, not dogma
 - It is life, not program.
- D. Effective witnessing must be the preoccupation of the beliver. The effectiveness of our witness in Judea, Samaria, and the uttermost part of the world will largely be determined by the witness we are at Jerusalem in our home.

III THE CONTENT OF OUR WITNESS

- A. The Spirit of the Anointed Christ v. 38.
- B. The Crucified Christ, v. 39.
- C. The Resurrected Christ. v. 40.
- D. The Living Christ. v. 40.
- E. The Forgiving Christ. v. 43.

IV THE RESULT OF EFFECTIVE WITNESSING

- A. Spirit-filled believers. v. 44.
- B. A break-through of cultural and national barriers. v. 45.
- C. The Oneness of Circumcision and the gentiles "One in Christ".

Conclusion: Effective witnessing knows no fear, but the fear of failing in the very purpose of Christian witnessing.

The offering received was designated for Conference Home Missions. The congregation united in singing: Stand Up For Jesus and brother Baerg pronounced the benediction.

Sunday Afternoon at 2:30 - July 3, 1966

Brother Ed Boldt led the congregation in singing: Revive Thy Work and O That I Had A Thousand Voices.

Brother John M. Schmidt of Vineland served as chairman, reading 1 Tim. 6:11-16 for the invocation and praying. The choir sang: Sing and Rejoice, directed by brother Peter Dick.

The first message was delivered by brother H. H. Janzen,

Separated to be Witnesses

In the 15th chapter of John, Christ describes his followers in three different ways: vinebranches, friends and witnesses. In accordance with our main theme, we want to consider the topic given above.

I THE SIMPLE STATEMENT BY THE LORD

- A. "And you also are witnesses"
- B. "You will be my witnesses" Acts 1:8
- C. "This Jesus God raised up, and of that we all are witnesses"
- D. "And we are witnesses to all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem."

- E. The God of our fathers appointed you to know his will, to see the just one and to hear a voice from his mouth; for you will be a witness for him to all men of what you have seen and heard. Acts 22:14, 15.
- F. "That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our own eyes, which we have looked upon and touched with our hands we saw it and testify" 1 John 1, 12.

II HOW DO THEY BECOME WITNESSES?

- A. The Counselor comes
- B. The Spirit of Truth
- C. Whom I shall send to you from the Father
- D. He will bear witness to me.

III THEIR WITNESSING BRINGS THEM INTO CONFLICT WITH THE WORLD

- A. The world hates you. Those who are blessed by the Lord, are being hated by the world. The heirs of heaven have at no time been the favorites of the world.
- B. Why the world hates them?
 - 1. Because they are not of the world
 - Chose you out of the world "Save yourselves from this crooked generation"
 - 3. "A servant (slave) is not greater than his master" v. 20.
 - "But all this they will do to you on my account, because they do not know him who sent me."
 - 5. The world has hated Jesus before it hated his disciples.

After the choir had sung: Wacht auf, ruft uns die Stimme, directed by brother J. Pauls, the congregation sang "Encamped along the Hills of Light."

Brother H. J. Brandt of Vancouver delivered the second message:

TEXT — 1 Cor. 1:23-31

INTRODUCTION

I PERTINENT THEME

- A. The theme set for this convention is certainly a pertinent one.
- B. Its choice obviously implies a lack in this area.
- C. To this we must agree and confess our guilt.

II SIGNIFICANT WORDS

A. Separated.

- 1. Appear to be opposed to separation
- 2. God has placed a premium upon separation
 - a. Separated unto God
 - (i) God calls those who are unimportant
 - (ii) God has followed this pattern throughout the ages 1 Peter 2:9.
 - (iii) Acts 13 Paul and Barnabas

b. Separated from the world.

- (i) Effective separation unto God requires separation from the world
- (ii) We have gone from one extreme to another
- (iii) From isolation to conformity
- (iv) A great deal of our tolerance and promotion of moderation is nothing less than self-gratification
- (v) Indulge in social drinking to make contacts
- (vii) Separation will always be a painful process as long as we are in our human body
- (viii) Romans 12:2; 2 Corinthians 6:17.
- c. We need to learn from Jesus. "He entered into one of the ships and said to separate from the land a little," but not too much., Luke 5.
- d. The metaphors that Christ used all speak of penetration: salt, light, leaven.

B. Witnessing

- 1. Jesus left us with the command to be a witness unto Him
- 2. There appears to be some confusion concerning the meaning of witnessing.
 - a. There is a distinct difference between witnessing and soul-winning
 - b. Effective witnessing should lead to the salvation of souls.
- 3. The scriptures give us an insight in what it means to witness.
 - a. 1 John 1:1-3
 - b. Mark 5:19-20

SEPARATED BY THE BLOOD

I EFFECTIVE WITNESSING HAS ITS ROOTS IN OUR BLOOD-BOUGHT POSITION

- It was the blood that separated God's people from the Egyptian, the people of the world.
- 2. Their witness became effective because they rested in the blood
- 3. The scripture teaches:
 - a. 1 Cor. 6:19-20
 - b. 1 Peter 1:18, 19

II EFFECTIVE WITNESSING HAS ITS BASIS IN OUR BLOOD-WASHED LIVES

- 1. The trend is away from the simplicity of faith in the blood
- 2. A bloodless religion will make us lifeless witnesses

SEPARATED BY THE MESSAGE

I EFFECTIVE WITNESSING IS DETERMINED BY ITS MESSAGE

- 1. There is a crying need for witnesses today
 - a. Feel inadequate for the task
 - The message seems outmoded, outdated and generally irrelevant.
 - Self-conscious weaknesses cause us to refrain from speaking.
 - (i) Illustration—Have You No Religion At All? None to speak of.
 - (ii) Evident lack of a vital, daily relationship with Christ

2. This was not a new problem.

- a. 1 Cor. 1:23-30
- b. These members lived in an important city
- d. They attempted to meet the situation by trying to be intellectual as the pagans
- e. Turned the simple message of the gospel into an arid philosophical system.
- f. Wanted to bring the message down to the level of the people.

II EFFECTIVE WITNESSING IS DONE BY GOD'S CHOICE OF MESSENGERS

 God has called feeble, powerless, apparently foolish persons to bear witness of Him.

- 2. Man desires to impress
 - Political campaigns and list wealthy, powerful and influential
 - b. Lend their weight. Impress others to join
 - c. Danger that we feel the same way in our witnessing

SEPARATED BY THE CALL

I GOD CALLS HIS WITNESSES

- 1. 1 Cor. 1:23, 24 "Unto them which are called."
- 2. Of fundamental importance
 - a. Not cut out, but called out
 - b. Not an assignment, but a call
 - c. Not self-appointed
 - d. God determined that the message was to be given by men
 - e. Joshua was a called man. "Have not I commanded thee?"
 - f. Illustrate "Is you went, or is you sent?"

II GOD CALLS EVERY CHRISTIAN TO WITNESS

- 1. Many people sit idle waiting for a call
- The word of God gives us the assurance that if we know Christ, then we have a call to bear witness for Him of the great things He has done
- 3. The letter to the Corinthians was not written to a select few.
- 4. Witnessing is the business of God's people
 - a. Peter said, "Cannot but speak."
 - b. Paul said, "Constrained by love."
 - c. Paul called to be a witness. Acts 22:14, 15.
 - d. The early Christians went everywhere gossiping the gospel
 - e. They became addicted to the gospel.

SEPARATED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT AND POWER

I WITH THE CALL TO WITNESS COMES THE POWER

- 1. Acts 1:8
- 2. Peter and the other apostles became a power in God's house
- 3. God's strength is made perfect in weakness

II THROUGH THE MIGHTY IN-WORKING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, GOD USES THE TESTIMONY OF HIS WITNESSES

- 1. 1 Cor. 2:13
- 2. We need to be Holy Spirit anointed and Christ-mastered

- 3. The apostles could not help but speak because an event had gripped their hearts and a challenge lay before them.
 - 4. They did not know whether the world was flat or round, but that it was lost.

III TO BE EFFECTIVE IN OUR WITNESSING WE WILL HAVE TO BECOME LESS PROBLEM CONSCIOUS AND MORE POWER CONSCIOUS

The Holy Spirit inspired witness will bring down opposition.
 a. 1 Cor. 1:28 "Bring to nought things that are."
 b. We need to be spiritfilled.

CONCLUSION

I WE NEED THE OVERFLOW OF CHRIST-LIKE EXPERIENCE

II ILLUSTRATION

Lady who was being spoken to concerning personal witness asked concerning the secret of victory in this regard. The answer—clean life and confess Christ. I die. That's exactly what it costs

The offering was received for Home and Foreign Missions and then the choir sang: **Praise to the Lord** directed by brother E. Reimer. Brother H. H. Epp of Saskatoon closed with prayer.

Sunday Evening, July 3, 1966 at 7.00 p.m. — Foreign Mission Night

The congregation sang: Work For The Night Is Coming and Hasten On To The Goal led by brother Ed Boldt.

Brother J. G. Baerg welcomed the congregation and introduced brother H. Lenzmann of Winkler, a member of the Board of Missions, as chairman. Brother H. Penner of St. Catharines, also a member of the Board read Acts 17:24-28 for the invocation and led in prayer.

The choir, directed by brother H. Goerzen, sang: Hallelujah, Praise Him. Brother J. H. Epp, of the Mission Office, introduced the missionaries:

The Gerhard Jantzes of Austria
Anne Woelk of Colombia
Anne Ediger of India
Edith Wiens, Brazil
Annie Dyck of Texas
Ben Kllassens, returning to the Congo
H. H. Janzens of Europe
Elfrieda Kuerner from Europe, working in Labrador

Several of the missionaries were asked to give testimonies. Sister Anne Ediger spoke of the radio ministry in India. This ministry has a tremendous potential in India. We can reach more people by radio in one hour than Paul could reach in a lifetime. The penetration of the radio is excellent in India. The Far East Broadcasting Co. and the Radio Voice of the Gospel from Addis Albaba beam the programs into India. There is a real need of reaching the middle class in order to win leaders for the Church. The radio is a great help in reaching this group.

Sister Elfrieda Kuerner of Austria told how she became a Christian and later became a member of our congregation in Linz. She has worked in our Radio Office in Griesheim, Germany, and then accepted a call to Labrador to work among the Eskimos.

Brother Ben Klassen, who has taught for two years in Quebec, is returning to the Congo to train leaders and teachers for the Congo. He will be the principal of the Inter-Mission High School in Kikwit. He sees in this a tremendous challenge, even though he is aware of the obstacles which they will have to overcome.

The choir now sang: Oh For A Thousand Tongues, conducted by brother E. Reimer. After brother Boldt had led the congregation in singing: Rescue The Perishing, brother J. J. Toews delivered a brief but challenging message.

The offering was designated for Foreign Missions. When the choir, under the direction of H. Goerzen, had sung: Rise Up O Men of God, brother Lenzmann pronounced the benediction.

Henry Warkentin, Secretary

Monday Afternoon, July 4, 1966

Convention Message - F. C. Peters

The Faith of the Fathers for the Days of the Children (Titus 3:4-8)

I A DARING PROJECTION

- A. Many of us will be older
- B. Many will be richer
- C. More will be living in cities
- D. More will receive education
- E. More laymen will be involved

II A SOBER DEDICATION

- A. We need a renewal of fellowship
- B. We need a stronger sense of ministry
- C. We need a revival of biblicism

III AN ENCOURAGING PROSPECT

- A. We have great human resources
- B. We have unfathomable spiritual resources
- C. We sense the moving of the spirit

Tuesday Morning, July 5, 1966

9:00 p.m. Memorial and Communion Service

(Minutes of the Memorial Service recorded in the Business Sessions)

The Memorial and Communion Service was conducted by H. Lenzmann who also gave the communion message. The outline of this message follows.

The Lord's Supper (1 Cor 10:16-17, 21-22)

I A PUBLIC CONFESSION OF OUR UNITY WITH CHRIST

- A. A confession of the deity of Christ
- B. A confession of the atonement of Christ

II A PUBLIC CONFESSION OF OUR SEPARATION FROM SIN

- A. In Life
- B. In practice
- C. In methods applied

III A PUBLIC CONFESSION OF OUR UNITY AS BROTHER-HOOD

- A. Unity in o'r position
- B. Unity in our decision (John 6:57-60)
- C. Unity in our message

PART II - BUSINESS SESSIONS

First Session, Monday Morning July 4, 1966

SECTION A-INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARY BUSINESS

I. OPENING AND WELCOME

A. While delegates assembled, brother J. Schroeder led in the singing of "Lord Have in Me Complete Control" and "More Holiness Give Me."

B. Brother John G. Baerg, moderator of the Ontario Conference and host pastor welcomed the delegates. He read Acts 15:13 ff. and emphasized the three truths: 1. What God has done: 2: What God nas said, and 3. What God has ultimately in mind. Brother Baerg expressed the wish that the conference might experience the guidance of God in the deliberations this year. A session of prayer followed.

C. Brother J. H. Quiring, moderator of the conference, addressed words of welcome to delegates and thanked the churches of Ontario for the hearty welcome extended to delegates and guests. Several changes in the program were announced by the moderator. The Reference and Counsel and MBBC Committees will be on the floor Monday afternoon. The Bethesda Committee was scheduled for Tuesday.

II. APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT SECRETARIES

- A. Secretaries for the Business Sessions William Schroeder, Domain, Manitoba; Henry Voth, Herbert, Saskatchewan.
- B. Secretaries for Devotional Session J. P. Suderman, Winnipeg (German); Henry Warkentin, Chilliwack, (English).

III. APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES

A. Ballot Committee

Peter Fast, chairman, Ernest Klippenstein, Helmut Koop, Kurt Hamur, John Rempel (Fairview) Harry Heidebrecht, Jake Boldt, Nick Rempel, Jake Andres, John Koop, Edgar Toews, Art Durksen, Henry Petkau.

H. C. Born, B.C. (chairman) A. J. Konrad (Ontario) W. Gripp (Saskatchewan)

B. Resolutions Committee

IV. TIME SCHEDULE

The time schedule was announced by the secretary

Morning Sessions — 9:00 to 12:00

Afternoon Sessions — 2:00 to 5:00

Evening Sessions — 7:00 to 9:00

On Tuesday afternoon, in view of the tours arranged for delegates the time of the session was announced as being from 2 to 4.

V. CONFERENCE MESSAGE

(See second session and devotional session)

VI. ELECTION OF CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE FOR 1966-67

A. Moderator

Candidates: Herman Lenzmann, D. J. Pankratz, F. C. Peters, H. H. Epp.

Elected F. C. Peters

During the second session on Monday afternoon the moderator read a note from brother F.C. Peters who felt that he could not ac-

cept the responsibility of being conference moderator for the next year:

I regret deeply that I could not be present when nominations for moderator were made. It is impossible for me to function in this capacity due to my present work commitments and limited time. Please accept this resignation as a sincere expression of my concern for aggressive leadership which I know I cannot give at this time.

F. C. Peters

Another election followed

Candidates: H. Lenzmann, D. J. Pankratz, H. Voth, H. H. Epp, H. R. Baerg. The result indicated that another vote had to be taken between brother H. Lenzmann and brother H. H. Epp.

During the third session when the second vote was to be taken brother H. H. Epp moved that the conference elect brother Lenzmann by acclamation. Brother Lenzmann requested that the vote be postponed until the next day and that meanwhile the delegation make it a matter of urgent prayer that the right brother be found to lead the conference at this time when crucial questions face our brotherhood.

After brother Lenzmann and brother Epp had stated their position once more after prayer and consideration a vote was taken during the fourth session. Brother Lenzmann was elected.

B. Assistant Moderator

Candidates: H. Lenzmann, J. H. Quiring, D. J. Pankratz.

J. H. Quiring was elected on second ballot.

C. Secretary: A motion carried that D. D. Duerksen be elected by acclamation.

VII. GREETINGS AND RESOLUTIONS

The secretary read greetings from the following brethren: J. A. Toews, South America; William Baerg, Congo; Roy Just for Tabor College; P. J. Warkentin, Debolt, formerly pastor of Tofield; C. D. Toews; A. Toews, Clearbrook; Jacob Thiessen, Vancouver. Brother H. H. Janzen extended greetings on behalf of the European Conference of MB churches. The request was made that brother Janzen submit to the resolutions committee the address to which acknowledgement is to be sent. A brief session of silent prayer in remembrance of the brethren who greeted the conference and the needs they represented followed.

During the course of the conference greetings or resolutions to the following were to be submitted: the brethren J. H. Quiring and J. J. Toews in gratitude for their services at MBBC; C. A. Defehr; Jacob Lepp, Dalmeny; the South American Conference of MB churches; G. J. Epp retiring chaplain of Bethesda; Isaac Block, chaplain Bethesda; Dr. Latham of Bethesda; Bethesda personnel; and brother A. J. Sawatzky who is seriously ill in Vancouver (Greetings and Resolutions are listed in the approximate order in which they

were brought to the convention floor. The Resolutions Committee formulated all greetings and resolutions).

A. Greetings - brother J. A. Toews

1) Greeting to the Conference

Dear brother Quiring:

Greetings to you and the brethren and delegates of our Canadian Conference with 1 Cor. 16:13,14.

May it please the Lord to manifest His gracious presence in your midst, and bless you abundantly as you deliberate and plan for the progress of His Kingdom. May the Lord give you the spirit of discernment and commitment for the solution of all the problems that confront our Brotherhood in these crucial days of human history. In spirit and with my prayers I shall be with you during Conference days.

By God's gracious providence it has been my privilege again to minister in the churches and colonies of our Brotherhood in S.A. Since my ministry here fifteen years ago many changes have taken place, and I would add, that changes are generally positive in both the material and spiritual realm. Man's basic needs, his spiritual needs, have remained the same, and we rejoice in the fact, that the Gospel still meets that need. My work has consisted thus far of deeper life meetings, Christian Workers Meetings, a Ministers Conference, when I served in association with our brethren, and evangelistic sessions. The brethren here have arranged for a busy schedule but God's grace is sufficient for our needs. I appreciate your prayerful support.

Sincerely yours in Christ

J. A. Toews

2. Response of the Conference to the Greeting:

Our dear brother Toews:

It was a joy indeed to receive your kind words of greeting to this 56th annual Conference.

We rejoice with you in the gracious visitation of God upon your labours together with the Lord and our South American Brethren. May our rejoicing be even greater when we all stand before the Lord, giving account of these days of opportunity.

Your ministry was presented to the Lord as the delegation was led in moments of silent prayer. "We thank God on your behalf, for the grace of God which is given you by Jesus Christ."

B. Greetings - brother William Baerg, Congo

1) Greeting to the Conference

Greetings to the Canadian Conference with Isaiah 62:6 "Upon your walls, O Jerusalem, I have set watchmen; all the day and all the night they shall never be silent."

2) Response of the Conference to Greeting:

Dear brother Baerg:

It was a joy to receive your words of greeting to this 56th Annual Conference. These words brought us together and united us with our co-labourers in Congo, in the bonds of fellowship, possible in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Your ministry was brought before the Lord as the Delegation was led in moments of silent prayer. "We thank God on your behalf, for the grace of God which is given you by Jesus Christ."

C. Greetings - Tabor College

1) Greeting to the Conference

Dear Brethren:

Tabor College sends its greetings as you meet in your conference sessions at St. Catharines. Our prayers are with you and we think of you as you plan for the continued and expanded work of your conference. May you especially experience the Lord's blessings and guidance during your conference.

Yours for Christ at Tabor

Roy Just president

2) Response of the Conference to Greeting

Dear brother Just and Faculty Members:

Your greetings to the Canadian Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches were most welcome as they indicated your thoughtful and prayerful interest in the promotion of the Lord's work.

May we thank you and assure you of our mutual interest in the Lord's work committed to you. It is our prayer, "that you shall always abound in the work of our Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord," as you continue to prepare men and women to more effectively honour our lovely Lord.

D. Greetings - brother P. J. Warkentin

1) Greeting to the Conference

Greetings to the Canadian Conference came from Rev. P. J. Warkentin from Debolt, Alberta, formerly pastor of the

Tofield MB church. Brother Warkentin is seriously ill in the Grand Prairie General Hospital.

2) Response to Greeting

Dear brother Warkentin

The Canadian Conference at Virgil would like to thank you heartily for the Greeting to the delegates. With deep sorrow we have learned of your illness and hospitalization.

The conference would like to respond to your greeting with Isaiah 40:31 (Original in German yearbook)

E. Greetings - brother C. D. Toews

1) Greetings

Dear Brethren in the Lord:

Greetings with Col. 2:5; "For though I be absent in the flesh, yet I am with you in the spirit, joying and beholding your order, and the steadfastness of your faith in Christ."

Due to the deep and sorrowful experiences I have gone through this last winter — in that my beloved wife, Anna, was taken home to be with the Lord — my health is not at all at par. So I felt it necessary to dispense with attending the Conference this time. I have asked the brethren of the Clearbrook MB Church to represent us — the East Aldergrove MB Church.

As stated above — we are with you in the spirit, and according to 1 Thess. 1:2 "We give thanks to God always for you all, making mention of you in our prayers."

On behalf of the East Aldergrove MB Church Yours in Christ Jesus,

C. D. Toews

2) Response to Greetings

Dear Brother Toews:

Your greeting to the 56th Canadian Conference was received with gratitude. Our sympathies are with you in your present bereavement. May "the God of all comfort, who comforteth us in all our tribulations" by His grace sustain you in this difficult time and give you much joy and blessing in your ministry.

We greet you with III John 2, "Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mightest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth."

F. Greetings - brother A. Toews

1) Greetings to the Conference

Brother Toews sent greetings to the Canadian Conference with Acts 20:32. Although his strength is diminishing physic-

ally, he is grateful to God for the preservation of his ability to think clearly.

2) Greeting from the Conference

Dear brother Toews:

The Canadian Conference at Virgil wishes to thank you most heartily for the greeting to the delegates. We rejoice in the fact that our older brethren are remembering us in their prayers, and thus have an important part in the work of our conference. Our wish and prayer for you is found in 3 John v.2 "Beloved, I pray that all may go well with you and that you may be in health; I know that it is well with your soul." (Original in German yearbook)

G. Greetings - brother J. G. Thiessen

Brother Thiessen sent greetings with Joshua 1:8 and the conference replied as follows:

Dear brother Thiessen:

The Canadian Conference in Virgil thanks heartily for your greeting submitted by brother D. B. Wiens. Your spiritual and mental vigor at the age of 90 remind us of Psalm 92:12, 14. "The righteous flourish like the palm tree and grow like a cedar in Lebanon. They still bring forth fruit in old age, they are ever full of sap and green." (Original in German yearbook-

H. Greetings to the MB Conference of Europe

The 56th Canadian Conference of MB Churches of America express gratitude for the sincere greetings submitted to us by brother H. H. Janzen. We were strengthened by your interest in the welfare of our conference and rejoice at your progress in Europe.

Our conference wishes that God may guide you in your work for him. "For the mountains may depart and the hills be removed, but my steadfast love shall not depart from you and my covenant of peace shall not be removed, says the Lord, who has compassion on you" Isaiah 54:10. (Original version in German yearbook)

I. Resolutions of Gratitude to J. H. Quiring and J. J. Toews

1) Resolution to J. H. Quiring

Dear brother Quiring:

The Canadian Conference accepts with regret your resignation as President of the M.B. Bible College and College of Arts. We are mindful at this time of the 14 years of dedicated service as instructor and the 3 years of creative leadership as president given to our College. We know you have given

yourself without reservation to the upbuilding of our school and are deeply grateful for your devotion to the task. We also know that you will not cease to work for the good of our College even though the Lord leads you into a different field of labor.

We wish you and your family the Lord's blessing as you take up a pastoral ministry, and assure you that we will continue to remember "your work of faith, and labour of love, and patience of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ, in the sight of God and our Father" 1 Thess. 1:3.

2) Resolution to J. J. Toews

Dear Brother Toews:

It is with sincerest regret that this Conference accepts your resignation from the college faculty. Your years of dedicated and devoted services in training men and women to God-honouring labours in His vineyard, will continue to have a positive and profound effect unto the ends of the earth, wherever these men and women go to serve the Lord.

Realizing how inadequate any further expressions of appreciation would be, may we therefore draw upon God's Word from Luther's translation of Gal. 6:9 which promises an increasing reward, for "in His time we shall reap without ceasing."

May God abundantly bless you in your new assignment of Executive Secretary and Extension in the committee of Evangelism.

J. Greeting to brother C. A. DeFehr

When the delegates of the Canadian Conference looked at the various aspects of conference work, they noticed with regret that you could not take part at this meeting.

In view of your dedicated service in the founding of our Bible College in Winnipeg, and in view of the years of your service as a member of the Bible College Board, the brother-hood would like to extend its greetings and gratitude with Ephesians 3:16 "that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with might through his Spirit in the inner man." May the Lord richly reward you (Original version in German minutes)

K. Greeting to brother Jacob Lepp, Dalmeny

Dear brother Lepp:

The delegates of the 56th annual Conadian Conference of M.B. churches are mindful of those of our brethren who have laboured sacrificially in the past in the Lord's service but are no longer able to actively participate in the great work which the Lord has entrusted unto us.

We greet you, brother Lepp, with the promise of Is. 40:31: "But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint."

L. Greetings to Bethesda Workers

1) To Dr. Latham:

Greetings of the Conference

The Canadian Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches expresses its sincere thanks to you, Dr. Latham, for the many years of devoted service that you have given to our Bethesda Institution. Your (compassionate) understanding ministry to the patients of Bethesda has been greatly appreciated by the Board, the staff, and of course the patients themselves. We wish you God's blessing in your labours and look forward to many further years of happy association in the ministry of healing. May the words of Jesus in Matthew 25:40, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me", be an encouragement to you in your work.

2) To G. J. Epp

Dear brother Epp:

The delegates of the Canadian M.B. Conference wish to express their sincere gratitude to you for your faithful and sacrificial services as chaplain to the patients at the Bethesda home in a time of acute need.

May the Lord reward you in an abundant way.

"He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him. Ps. 126:6.

3) To Isaac Block

Dear brother Block:

The delegates of the Canadian Conference of M.B. Churches express their gratitude to you for your willingness to accept the responsibilities as chaplain in the Bethesda Home, and greet you with II Cor. 9:8:

"And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work."

4) To Bethesda Personnel

Greetings of the Conference to the Bethesda Personnel:

The Conference is indeed thankful to the Lord for our Bethesda Institution. We are especially grateful for a dedicated

staff of workers to administer the affairs of the institution and give the patients physical, mental and spiritual care. We feel that the good name that Bethesda has in the Conference, the community, and also in professional circle, is largely to be attributed to the sacrificial efforts of the personnel. May the Lord continue to bless your ministries as you keep in mind the words of Gal. 6:9, "And let us not be weary in well doing for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not."

M. Greeting to brother A. J. Sawatzky, Vancouver

Dear brother Sawatzky:

The Canadian M.B. Conference heard with deep sympathy the news of your illness and present confinement to the hospital. May the Lord sustain you during these difficult days and also strengthen and bless your family and, "supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."

We would encourage you, brother Sawatzky, with the words of the Lord to Paul the Apostle:

"My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness." II Cor. 12:9.

N. Telegram of Greeting to the South American M.B. Conference

Most sincere greetings to the South American M.B. Conference with Hebrews 13:20-21. May God give you guidance power, and joy to glorify his name and to build his kngdom.

All resolutions were signed by H. C. Born, chairman of the resolutions committee. The telegram (N) was submitted on behalf of the Canadian Conference under the name of the secretary.

VII ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GREETING OF GUESTS PRESENT AT THE CONVENTION

A. Announcement of Saskatchewan Amalgamation

Brother Eugene Gerbrandt, moderator of the Saskatchewan provincial conference announced the amalgamation of the two conferences.

Greetings with Psa 126:3: "The Lord hath done great things for us, whereof we are glad." The North and South Sask. Districts wish herewith to announce the amalgamation into one provincial conference, known as the Saskatchewan Conference of Mennonite Brethren.

On Saturday, June 11, 1966, at a duly called meeting of delegates from north and south, the resolution to amalgamate received unanimous support of the 106 delegates who assem-

bled in Swift Current to deal with this and other matters of provincial concern.

Sask. Conference officers: Eugene Gerbrandt, chairman; Henry Voth, vice-chairman; George Dyck, secretary; J. D. Wall. treasurer.

The moderator extended wishes for God's blessing to the newly amalgamated provincial conference.

B. Greetings to Guests

The moderator extended a hearty welcome to the following:

- 1) J. A. Froese, fraternal delegate of U.S.A. conference.
- 2) Rev. Peter Klassen, Virgil, fraternal delegate of the General Conference of Mennonites.
- 3) The brethren Martin Kroeker and Clarence Hiebert representing the Board of Welfare.

The moderator also announced that brother H. R. Baerg our fraternal delegate to the Conference of Mennonites convening in Winnipeg on July 6 be asked to convey greetings on behalf of this convention to the Conference of Mennonites.

IX RULES GOVERNING CONFERENCE SESSIONS

The moderator called the attention of the delegates to the rules of order and parliamentary procedure to be followed during the business sessions.

SECTION B—ORGANIZATIONAL AND SPIRITUAL QUESTIONS

I. ACCEPTANCE OF NEW CHURCHES

The secretary read the recommendation for the acceptance of the Cariboo Bethel Mennonite Brethren Church of Williams Lake, B.C. into the Canadian Conference. The pastor is brother Paul Unger. The membership is 30.

The British Columbia Conference of the Mennonite Brethren Churches wishes to recommend the acceptance of the Cariboo Bethel Mennonite Brethren Church of Williams Lake into the Canadian Conference. This Church was accepted into the B.C. Conference at our June, 1966 Convention.

Henry J. Unger (secretary)

The motion that the church be accepted into the conference and be welcomed on behalf of the conference by a letter from the secretary carried.

II. SUBMITTED QUESTIONS

A. Request for assistance in Building Program—Kitimat M.B. Church.

The secretary read the request from the B.C. Conference on behalf of the Kitimat M.B. Church for permission of this church to appeal for offerings towards its building fund:

"The B.C. Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches asks that permission be granted to the Kitimat M.B. Church to appeal for funds from the Canadian M.B. Churches to assist in its building program. The Kitimat M.B. Church is a mission church subsidized by our Conference.

H. J. Unger, secretary

A motion carried that this requested permission be granted.

B. Request Regarding Ministers' Handbook

The Alberta Conference requested that the Canadian Conference publish a handbook for ministers. The moderator explained that a plan of publishing such a handbook sponsored by our U.S.A. brethren in which the Canadian Conference has been asked to share is already under way. A motion carried that we work together with the U.S.A. conference in publishing this handbook carried.

C. Request Regarding the Release of the Russian Gospel Light Hour Via Saskatoon

(Question presented at the final session, Wednesday, July 6, 1966.)

The Manitoba Conference asks the Canadian Conference to continue as it has done in the past year to assume the responsibility for subsidizing the Russian program at Saskatoon released by the Gospel Light Hour to the extent of \$1,000. The motion carried to grant the request.

At this point a departure from the regular agenda took place when the questions of the treasurer, the board of trustees were taken up. This was followed by an introduction of the report of the Board of Missions by J. H. Epp. The minutes of these deliberations and reports will be recorded in their proper place on the agenda.

After the treasurers report had been adopted and brother Peter Martens had led the delegation in a prayer of thanks for his provisions for meeting our financial requirements for conference work, brother and sister Henry Goertzen served with a song "May the Mind of Christ My Saviour."

In delivering the report of the Board of Foreign Missions, in which he also announced the appointment of brother A. J. Neufeld to the secretariat, brother J. H. Epp was interrupted by announcements, instructions, and the adjournment for the noon meal after the concluding prayer by brother A.J. Neufeld.

Second Session - Monday Afternoon

July 4, 1966

Brother Jac Neufeld led the congregation in the singing of "Far and Near the Fields are Teeming" and "I Love to Tell the Story."

The moderator called upon F. C. Peters to deliver the conference message. Brother Peters spoke on the theme "The Faith of the Fathers for the Days of Our Children" based on Titus 3:4-8. In his introduction brother Peters emphasized the importance of making our judgment of evaluation from the right perspective. The church will always be motivated in its task and in its evaluation of itself by an understanding of the Word of God, and by an understanding of the age in which we live. Brother Peters continued to make a daring projection, a sober deduction, and offered an encouraging prospect for the future. (For outline of the message—see Devotional Sessions). A session of prayer followed.

The minutes of the morning session were adopted with one addition.

Brother J. H. Epp continued giving his report on foreign missions. Brother and sister John N. Klassen missionaries recently returned from Germany were welcomed by brother Epp. Brother Epp also presented the financial report as prepared by brother P. J. Funk. All reports were adopted (See Section D—Missions)

Brother Quiring thanked brother Epp and urged delegates to read the reports at home in their entirety in anticipation of hearing the full report at the General Conference in fall.

At this time the board and the president of MBBC reported and presented recommendations (See Section E IV for a record of proceedings).

SECTION B—ORGANIZATIONAL AND SPIRITUAL QUESTIONS (continued)

III. COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AND COUNSEL

The chairman of the committee, brother J. H. Quiring introduced the members after they had taken their places on the platform.

A. Report.

The secretary of the committee read the report.

Dear brethren of the Conference:

During the past year the work of the Committee of Reference and Counsel has largely revolved around one major concern. It is the concern voiced by our Lord and Master in his prayer for his disciples and for his church: "That they all may be one: as thou Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent me." (John 17:21) We have ample

evidence of the pertinence of this prayer for us at this time, for as a small brotherhood of 117 churches with an approximate total membership of 15,750, we have not yet attained the ideal of unity for which our Master pleads. Specific problems related to the doctrinal and to the working unity of our brotherhood have been brought to the attention of the CRC during the past year.

1. Problems Related to Doctrinal Unity

Three major problems related to the doctrinal unity of our brotherhood were presented to the Committee of Reference and Counsel. The Manitoba Ministers' and Deacons' Conference asked for guidance and instruction in the question of marriages of believers and unbelievers. Attention was drawn to the fact that according to CRC recommendation and Conference decision (1960 Conference Yearbook, pp. 154-155) church members entering such a marriage relationship be excommunicated. Since this has apparently become an optional practice, the Manitoba Ministers' and Deacons' Committee expressed the concern as to how a church practising such discipline ought to react to the transfer of members who have entered such a marriage-relationship in a former church in which such discipline was not excercised. The second problem, also presented by the Ministers' and Deacons' Conference, concerns the need for a clearer understanding of the scriptural principles and their present day application in the matter of the ordination and the ministry of deacons. The third problem affecting the doctrinal unity of our brotherhood was submitted by the B.C. Board of Reference and Counsel and concerns the release of members. According to conference resolution (1960 Yearbook p. 153) "A member in whose case there is no evidence of open sin, and who for certain unknown reasons does not feel at home in our church, could be released with a word of regret and concern." The B.C. Reference and Counsel asked that the Canadian CRC recommend deletion of this section from its membership policy on the ground that the principle might be applied wrongly when a release is used where a member actually ought to be excommunicated and on the further ground that this policy might produce "church-tramps." (According to the 1965-66 membership statistics 31 members released did not join any other denomination.

All three problems were discussed at length and with much prayerful concern at the CRC meetings. Realizing that in these matters legislation without brotherhood consensus would be futile, realizing also the need for more light on these subjects, the members of the CRC favour the calling of a study conference of ministers and at the Canadian Conference level in the winter of 1967. The three problems presented will become part of the agenda at this convention. In preparation for the study of the problem of the deaconate in our time, the CRC has submitted a questionaire to the pastors of all churches in order to gather information about present practises. In the matter of the transfer of members who marry unbelievers, a motion carried that chuches be reminded to send clear transfers; if a transfer is not clear the receiving church should contact the church sending the transfer for clarification.

2. Problems Relating to the Working Unity of Our Conference

For some time the need for a reorganization of our conference for the purpose of presenting a more united and a more effective witness has been apparent. The CRC wishes to acknowledge with gratitude the work done by the Commission for Conference Reorganization. The recommendations of the commission were discussed and with minor alterations sent to the churches for study in preparation for action by delegates at this convention.

The task of implementing a Canada-wide radio broadcast was given to the Committee on Evangelism by the conference last year. The CRC has gone on record as favoring the further study of this question by the combined committees of Evangelism and Gospel Light of Manitoba in consultation with the treasurer and the Board of Trustees of the Canadian Conference.

3. Problems Relating to the Working Unity with U.S.A.

Communications have been received from our brethren in U.S.A. regarding the possibility of a greater degree of co-operation in the question of seminary and possibly also in radio work. Various brethren of our own constituency have from time to time expressed their concerns on these matters. After a lengthy discussion of the seminary question and related questions regarding co-operation with our American brethren, the CRC proposed a meeting of representatives of the Canadian and U.S.A. CRC's in order to consider both the larger problem of unity of our brotherhood as well as the specific problem of seminary education. The executive of the General Conference has been asked to call the meeting and to chair it.

It is the concern of the members of the Committee of Reference and Counsel that we as a brotherhood might find the Lord's will and be willing to do it in the questions confronting us in order to be able to present a united and strengthened witness in our time.

On behalf of the Committee

D. D. Duerksen

The report was adopted.

B. Proposed Reorganization of the Canadian Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches

(As submitted for consideration of the M.B. churches by the Committee of Reference and Counsel of the Canadian Conference of M.B. Churches)

(Note: The minutes indicate how this proposal was altered by the conference)

1. Introduction

At its annual meetings on March 18 and 19 the CRC of the Canadian Conference discussed the report of the Commission for the Reorganization of the Canadian Conference. The commission consisting of the brethren F. C. Peters (chairman) H. J. Brandt, and J. M.

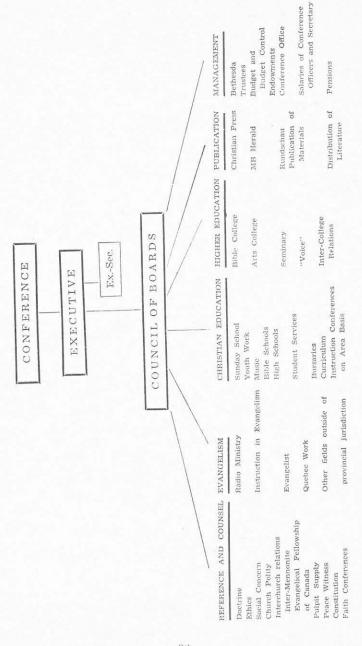
Klassen, appointed by the CRC according to the decision of the 1965 Conference at Hepburn, have conducted a thorough study of the question of conference reorganization. With two exceptions the CRC, accepted the recommendations of this commission for submission for consideration by the churches.

The following pages contain the plan for Canadian Conference reorganization. It is the hope of the brethren of the CRC that the plan as well as the recommendations will be discussed by the local churches in order that conference delegates may be prepared to discuss the proposed reorganization on the conference floor and be ready to act upon the plan at the 1966 conference in Ontario. If any of the churches have strong feelings on the recommendations reactions would be appreciated and could be sent to the conference secretary at 43 Pleasant Bay, Winnipeg 15, Manitoba.

2. Proposed Structure of the Conference of M.B. Churches

The diagram on page 2 indicates the proposed new structure of the conference. Six boards responsible to the conference would be in charge of the total work of the conference, each board being responsible for the specific areas indicated in the diagram. The conference executive as hitherto would consist of moderator, vice-moderator and secretary. Although the conference secretary would continue to record the minutes at convention sessions, and would also record the minutes at the joint sessions of the boards, many of his executive functions would be taken over by the executive secretary who would direct and coordinate various conference efforts from a conference office. (See page four for delineation of some of the duties of the executive secretary).

3. Diagram of Proposed Conference Structure



4. Brief Description of some Board, Commissions, and Personnel Functions

a. Council of Boards

There shall be an biannual (twice a year) meeting of all Confence Boards for the purpose of dealing with current business which must be transacted before the next convention of the Conference. At this time the boards will share with each other the major decisions or projections concerning their work.

The Conference Executive shall be responsible for calling these meetings and shall prepare the agenda. The moderator shall preside at the meeting of the Council of Boards and the Secretary of the Conference shall keep the minutes.

This Council shall act as the Conference in interim and its decisions shall be considered binding whenever such decisions are required during the interim. No decisions shall be made at this level if they could reasonably be made during convention sessions. Budgets shall be approved during convention sessions.

b. Reference and Counsel

The Board of Reference and Counsel would be charged with the spiritual oversight of the Conference and would be responsible for areas involving doctrine, ethics, and church polity. Matters involving inter-church relations (Mennonite and non-Mennonite e. g. Evangelical Fellowship of Canada) and witness in areas of social concern would be the responsibility of this Board. A constitution commission would be appointed by the Board to write or to revise the constitution. This commission would be responsible to the Board of Reference and Counsel.

The Board of Reference and Counsel would be responsible for the peace witness of our Conference, encouraging the provincial conferences and the local churches in the teaching of this doctrine.

c. Board of Management

All questions pertaining to Bethesda would be the concern of this Board. It is assumed that a committee of the Board would be charged directly with this area of work.

This Board would be responsible for the work formerly done by the Board of Trustees. It would also set up the budget and be responsible for budget control.

d. Nominating Commission

One person from each province would be appointed by the Board of Reference and Counsel.

The Commission would meet at least three months in advance of each convention.

The Commission would check with each nominated brother to make sure that he would permit his name to stand.

e. Executive Secretary

- i. Should be nominated by the executive of the Conference and approved by the convention.
- ii. He would be responsible for inter-board communications.
- iii. He would keep in touch with Board, Committees and Commissions to assure that certain decisions of the Convention are actually carried out.
- iv. He would represent our Conference in areas where the moderator could not attend.
- v. He would carry out special assignments given him by the Executive and by the Convention.

5. Definition of Terms

Board—Larger executive bodies of the Conference charged with the responsibility of implementing the decisions of the conventions in the different areas of witness and service.

Commission—A temporary committee elected or appointed by the convention or a board for a special assignment.

Committee—A unit of the Board charged with one or more sections of that board's responsibility.

Conference—The total area brotherhood of Mennonite Brethren churches.

Convention—The meeting of the delegates from local churches (A convention may be district, provincial or Canadian).

Provincial Conference—The total provincial brotherhood of Mennonite Brethren churches.

Provincial Convention—The meeting of the delegates from the local churches of the provincial conference.

Sessions—The individual meetings of a convention.

C. Recommendations of the Committee of Reference and Counsel

The secretary read the recommendations and also gave a summary of the reactions of the churches who responded to the proposal.

By a motion which carried the conference decided to discuss the recommendations on the structural reorganization of the conference which after amendments are made on the conference floor would be sent to the churches for acceptance as required by constitution.

Recommendation 1a. was discussed and amended. (Amendment recorded after listed recommendations.) After several announcements brother D. B. Wiens closed the session with prayer.

Third Session - Monday Evening July 4, 1966

Brother J. K. Schroeder led in the singing of "Come Let us all unite and sing".

Brother M. A. Kroeker opened the session with prayer.

The minutes of the second session were adopted as read.

Brother H. H. Epp and brother H. Lenzmann spoke to the point of their candidacy for election on Conference moderator (See Election of Conference Moderator-.

C. Recommendations of Committee of Reference and Counsel (continued)

- 1. The CRC recommends that the conference act upon the recommendations regarding the structural reorganization of the Canadian Conference as sent to the churches:
 - a. That the regular conventions of the Conference be held annually and that the emphasis at these conventions be on planning for the future with just enough reporting on past progress to give a sense of direction.
 - b. That the Conference operate according to organizational chart
 - c. That each Board be composed of eleven (11) members:
 - five chosen by each province directly
 - six elected by the convention (three elected at each convention).
 - d. That all Boards meet twice a year, at the same time, and that part of that time be devoted to joint sessions as a Council of Boards. Boards would subdivide into committees with each committee charged with one or more areas of responsibility.
 - e. That the Conference Executive, consisting of the moderator, vice-moderator and secretary also function as executive of the Council of Boards.
 - f. That the convention program be prepared by the conference executive, the pastor of the host church and by the provincial executive of the inviting conference.
 - g. That a Nomination Commission be appointed by the Board of Reference and Counsel, but that nominations from the convention floor also be in order.

- h. That the following schedule be adopted for the implementation of this organization:
 - (i) Adopt the new structure at the 1966 convention.
 - (ii) Implement the organization at the 1967 convention.
 - (iii) Adopt the revised constitution at the 1969 convention.
- i. That an Executive-Secretary be appointed, responsible to the conference executive whose work would be to coordinate the various functions of the Conference and to help implement the decisions of the convention.
- j. That the convention, at some later date, reconsider present provincial boundaries to ascertain whether such "political" boundaries are the best divisions for conference purposes.
- 2. The CRC recommends that a Canada-wide faith study convention for ministers and deacons, planned by the CRC to discuss relevant questions of doctrine and ethics be called for February 15 and 16 at the Mennonite Brethren Bible College.
- 3. The CRC recommends that the Canadian Conference absorb the expenses of this convention and that churches pay the travelling expenses of their delegates.
- 4. In view of the fact that 728 German Yearbooks were requested for 1966, the CRC recommends publication of a German Yearbook in 1967 and recommends further that this matter be reviewed annually.
- 5. The CRC recommends that delegates to the Mennonite World Conference be selected by the provincial conferences according to the pattern set by the Canadian Conferences in the past. Information will be submitted to the provincial executive as soon as available.

Recommendation 1 — After considerable discussion, the motion that the conference go on record as favoring an organizational change at the present time carried at the third session.

At the second session an amendment to Recommendation 1 a. to the effect that conventions take place every year with business and faith conventions alternating annually carried. The recommendation as amended was accepted.

Recommendtion 1b. "that the conference operate according to organizational chart." The following amendments carried:

i) that Bible Schools, High Schools, Student Services, and bursaries be the responsibility of the Board of Higher Education instead of the responsibility of the Board of Christian Education.

ii) That the mid-week program be listed as a responsibility of the Board of Christian Education.

The motion carried to accept recommendation 1 b. as amended.

c. Attention in Recommendation 1 c. was drawn to the faulty wording. Instead of "five chosen by each province directly" the wording should be: "five members of each board be elected by the provinces directly, each province electing one representative to each of the six boards."

"Six elected by the convention" should read "six elected by the Canadian Conference." Recommendation c. carried.

Recommendation 1 d. was accepted as recorded.

Recommendation 1 e was accepted.

In Recommendation 1 f. the motion of amendment to delete the phrase "the pastor of the host church" carried. A motion to accept the recommendation as amended carried.

Recommendation 1 g. A motion of amendment carried that each provincial conference elect one member to the nominations commission one year in advance. In the discussion the faulty wording of the second part was clarified "but that nominations from the convention floor also be accepted" should be a separate sentence and should read, "In addition to the candidates submitted by the nominations commission for the six boards, nominations from the convention floor are also in order.

The ammended recommendation was accepted.

Recommendation 1 h (i) is made obsolete by previous motion to send revised recommendations back into the churches.

(ii) and (iii) — The motion carried to accept these parts of recommendation 1 h.

Recommendation 1 (i) Executive secretary — After a discussion of the question a vote was taken by secret ballot on the motion that the conference appoint an executive secretary. The question of the manner in which he be appointed was postponed until the result of the vote was known. (Result: In favour 145; opposed 123).

At the fourth session the question as to how the executive secretary was to be appointed was taken up. A motion carried that he be appointed by the executive of the conference, be responsible to the conference executive, but that the appointment be approved by the conference.

Recommendation 1. j. was accepted.

Recommendation 2: was accepted at the fourth session.

Recommendation 3: A motion of amendment to delete the last clause "that churches pay travelling expenses of their delegates" was defeated. The recommendation was accepted as proposed at the fourth session

Recommendation 4 was accepted at the fourth session.

Recommendation 5 was presented and accepted at the seventh session.

- D. The Voting of Churches on Conference Reorganization. The following motions carried to regulate the voting on conference reorganization.
- 1. That the draft of the proposed reorganization be sent to the churches for approval after revision and amendment on the conference floor. (Motion carried and recorded under secon session).
- 2. That the deadline for the churches to cast their vote be three months from the date of mailing. The delegation was reminded that a % majority of the total votes cast by members present at the local church meeting discussing this question would be required since this decision involves a constitutional change (Fourth Session).
- 3. That the recommendations be divided into three groups and be voted on separately by groups. The grouping is to be as follows:
 - a. Alternating annual business and faith convention
 - b. Reorganization of the Conference
 - c. Executive-Secretary (Fouth Session).

After the announcements brother H. P. Nikkel closed the third session with prayer.

Fourth Session — Tuesday Morning, July 5, 1966.

Brother Henry Goertzen led in the singing of "When I survey the Wonderous Cross". Brother Lenzmann led in the opening prayer and presided at the memorial and communion service. He read and commented briefly on Hebrews 13:17, 7, and 12:2. Brother Lenzmann then read the names of the ministering brethren who were called home to be with the Lord during the past conference year. The following brethren were named by brother Lenzmann:

Manitoba: G. J. Klassen A. J. Voth

J. Harms

Saskatchewan: John D. Hiebert British Columbia: D. K. Janzen

Philip Wiebe John I Wiebe After the service the following additional names were presented:

Abram Huebert, Leamington, Ontario John J. Neufeld, Virgil, Henry C. Penner, Yarrow.

After a few moments of silent prayer, brother Lenzmann led in the prayer of remembrance. Brother Lenzmann based the communion message on 1 Cor. 10:16-17, 21-22. (The outline of the message is recorded in the Devotional Section). Brother Isaac Tiessen of Toronto led in the communion service.

The moderator took the chair after the memorial service and reminded delegates that in the business sessions too, they should be mindful of building the kingdom of God.

After some clarifications the minutes were accepted as read.

The election of moderator was completed (See Election of Moderator).

III. COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AND COUNSEL (continued)

The conference completed taking action on the recommendations of the Committe of Reference and Counsel (Conference action recorded under III C and D, Recomendations of the CRC).

E. Elections of the CRC

Ontario: H. P. Penner, Isaac Tiessen

Manitoba: A. J. Froese, I. W. Redekopp

Alberta: D. J. Pankratz, R. Boschman

Saskatchewan: John D. Goertzen, E. Gerbrandt

British Columbia: H. J. Brandt, Wilmer Kornelson

Elected: H. P. Penner, Ontario

A. J. Froese, Manitoba D. J. Pankratz, Alberta

Eugene Gerbrandt, Saskatchewan H. J. Brandt, British Columbia

Brother A. J. Neufeld read Lamentations 3:22-25 and sang "Great is Thy Faithfulness" including two verses in the German.

IV. CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

A. Report

Brother C. C. Warkentin read the report.

Greetings to you dear brethren of the conference from your Constitution Committee. Last year we presented to you a Draft

of the Constitution of the Mennonite Brethren Bible College in written form. It was the decision of the Conference at that time, that this draft be routed through all our churches of our Conference to enable our membership through the medium of a vote to register their approval or disapproval of the Constitutional Draft.

Following was the result:

1920 members voted for the draft.
38 members voted against the draft.
This is 98% of the vote in favor.

We consider this vote as conclusive and the Draft of the Constitution of the Mennonite Brethren Bible College as accepted by the churches of our Conference.

Your Constitutional Committee.

B. Additional remarks by brother Warkentin

Brother Warkentin also reported briefly on the Missions Fund of the General Conference of MB Churches. This report was also adopted. In appreciation for the services rendered by brother Warkentin who will retire from the Board of Trustees this year, the delegation rose.

V. PEACE COMMITTEE

A. Peace Committee Report

Brother John Reimer introduced the members on the platform and read the report:

Dear brethren:

Jesus pronounced a decided blessing on all who wish to follow him in Matt. 5:9, "Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God," but He also established a principle which we must uphold. It is for this reason that we as Mennonite Brethren Churches feel a definite obligation to the world about us to establish a positive "Peace Witness."

The work done in the previous year by the former Peace Committee and the Conference decision last year enabled us to mail 3000 copies of What does Christ say about War?, 3000 copies of Is there a Middle Road? and 20,000 bulletins to the churches in Canada. We sincerely hope that these pamphlets challenged our young people to seriously consider their responsibility to be an example and a witness for Peace. A number of Pastors and Youth Workers have expressed their appreciation for this literature.

The Herald Press was most gracious and co-operative in mailing this literature directly to the individual churches which cut our postage expenses by 50%. We rationed the pamphlets on a per member basis and regret that not each young person was able to have a copy of each booklet. We tried desperately to remain within our budget limits and still serve the Conference as effectively as possible. Had the USA currency exchange and postage not been so high we would have been able to distribute many more booklets.

Unfortunately, there was quite a changeover in the Peace Com. last year which disrupted the continuity to some extent. We were unaware of the practice of joint planning between the committees of Board of Welfare (USA) and Peace Com. (Canada) on the Peace Sunday project. This caused some misunderstanding which we deeply regre and hope to avoid in the future. We are convinced of the advantages of a united Peace Witness. We realize there are many areas where we can and should work together with our brethren of the USA.; but then there are also some areas where we will have to launch out on our own because of the difference in policies of our respective governments.

We have searched in vain for some guiding principles which would indicate the areas and duties of the Peace Com. and which would see direction and define obligations. We would welcome suggestions by the Board of Reference and Council in this matter. (The panned re-organization would no doubt solve the problem.)

We wish to encourage the Peace emphasis through special services we many churches and provinces. This is an ideal way to instruct and establish this biblical principle. The major burden and responsibility to promote this doctrine must necessarily be borne by our Pastors and Youth Workers and other responsible people within the individual church. It is hardly possible for the Can. Peac Com. to do more than give encouragement and limited direction. May we be found faithful in praying for Peace and in establishing a positive Peace Witness wherever we are.

Respectfully submitted,

John Reimer (on behalf of Can. Peace Committee)

The report was adopted.

B. Recommendations of the Peace Committee

The Peace Committee recommends:

- 1. That the biblical doctrine of peace and non-resistance be preached and taught in homes, churches, schools and Youth Meetings.
- 2. That workshops be conducted to promote discussion and response that the vital questions and problems confronting our young people in this area may be answered satisfactorily.
- 3. That November 13 be set aside as Peace Emphasis Sunday for 1966.

- 4. That in the interest of greater unity in the teaching, understanding, promotion and implementation of this coctrine, the chairman of the Peace committee be urged to be at meetings where implications of this position for Mennonite Brethren are discussed (such as Board of General Welfare, MCC, Study Conferences, etc.) The conference is asked hereby to endorse these contacts and to make this possible.
- 5. That churches again be sent literature and bulletins with Peace Witness emphasis for use and distribution on Peace Sunday
 - 6. That the following budget be accepted:

Literature			\$750.00
Travelling	Expenses		250.00
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All recommendation including the budget were accepted

C. Election of Peace Committee

The motion carried that the members of the Peace Conmittee be asked to serve for another year.

Section C. — BUSINESS AND ADMINISTRATIVE QUESTIONS (Proceedings as recorded in First and Fifth Sessions)

I. CCNFERENCE TREASURY

A. Treasurer's Report

Brother J. J. Riediger read his report and explained the financal statements.

Dear Delegates:

The words of II Chronicles 31:5 and 10 tell the story of what happened when the people of God responded to the call to give of their material possessions. I want to claim that, that which happened there illustrates, to some degree at least, what has transpired in our conference during this year. The report which presents the contributions by the churches as well as the total amounts may appear cold and lifeless. However, when seen in the light of the above passages of Scripture it becomes clear that the figures reflect the attitude of willingness, of devotion, and of loyalty to God and His cause. I would ask you to look at these reports in that light and praise God that the brethren and sisters of our conference have demonstrated during this year that "the people had a mind to work" (Neh. 4:6)

- 1. The receipts have been sufficient to meet the budget expenditures and the conference proposed program of activity.
- 2. The total giving to MCC (Canada) for a period Dec. 1/64 to Nov. 30/65 in round figures is \$77,000.00 and is not included in the statement.
- 3. The total of \$15,386.44 has been added to the Endowment fund of the General conference by gifts and interests from trust funds and notes. Part of these figures have been reported in the Statement.
- 4. Every church has received a report of their contribution to the conference projects as well as per member average giving. These figures are very interesting and it is hoped that comparitive information will be available in the years to come.
- 5. Section D give you the statistical report of the giving per church and provincial conference as well as provincial averages. Section E gives you the Canadian totals as well as provincial and Canadian per member giving all the cents have been eliminated. Section F is a report of trend giving and speending in the consistent conference program. Section G is a report that shows the 1965-66 Budget. The actual expenditures and a proposed 1966-67 Budget based on the past year's activity as well as a column for the approved 1966-67 Budget.
- 6. I wish to thank all who have been associated with the Treasury for their wonderful co-operation.

B. Capital Funds Balance Sheet as at May 31, 1966

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C. Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements Period June 1, 1965 — May 31, 1966.

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2. Expenditures

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Bible College

Grants Ministers Course Bursaries Needy Students	\$40,000.00 1,500.00 500.00 500.00	\$ 42,500.00	
Christian Education			
Board of Education S. School, Youth, Music Evangelism	206.36 5,855.41 3,624.44	9,686.21	
Missions and Christian Service			
Board of Welfare Canada Inland Mission	4,500.00 13,117.00	17,617.00	
Publication Committee			
Rundschau Grant Herald Rundschau to S.A. Conference Publications	13,680.00 31,850.00 2,000.00 1,000.00	48,530.00	
General Conference Levies	- 455	4,770.00	\$123,103.21
Debt Retirement			
Bank Loan G. Conf. Board of Trust.	141,087.47 10,000.00	151,087.47	
Advances to Conf. Committees			
Bethesda Publication Canada Inland	15,000.00	46,600.00	197,687.47
* Conference Expenses			37,261.95
Designated Funds Missions			
Board of Missions Board of Welfare Endowment Fund	484,394.85 18,762.50 1,837.09	504,994.44	

Conference Committees

Bible College	14,025.69		
Western Patients	17,506.65		
Can. Youth	6,000.00		
Music	629.44		
Student Loan	2,262.40		
Designated Funds	11,385.46	51,809.64	\$556,804.08
			914,856.71
Cash on Hand in Bank			18,011.70
			\$932,868.41

* Conference Expenses

Travel	\$10,784.64
Taxes	6,100.46
Bank Charges and Int.	10,099.35
Insurance	645,77
Conf. Moderator	100.00
Sec work	191.25
Treasurer	3,632.50
Coif. Secretary	600.00
Office, Telephone, Supplies	416.25
Printing and Stationery	3,397.65
Anna Thiessen	275.00
Miscellaneous	822.20
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Respectfully Submitted,

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RECORD OF CHURCH RECEIPTS FROM NORTH SASKATCHEWAN - 1517 members

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	Board of Missions	83925	110278	32967	52125	43913	140675	19/16	483601	91,33		34,94	26,07	42,10	34,35	33.78	27,05	
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RIBUTION	Music	176	295	25	87	68	284		986	90°	TRIBUTION	8U.	200	.10	90*	90*	\$0.	
RECAP STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTION	Youth Committee Music	494	1127	458	491	504	1751	344	5173	.34	VERAGE CON	.20	.27	53.	.32	33	.34	
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	Bethesda	2161	2129	509	494	500	3033		9424	.61	RE	.90	.50	.77	.33	.77	.58	
	College	2155	3826	1239	616	1315	4897		14354	56.		06.	Do.	1,58	.63	1.01	\$6.	
	Sunday College Conference Support	897	1056	171	113	433	2128	1052	2832	*38		.37	.25	*22	20.	.33	.41	
	Ievies	26587	46541	7984	13072	12887	57211		164283	10.64		11,07	11,00	10.20	8,62	16.6	11,00	
	Gross Amount Received	126953	173377	46334	21065	66518	222948	23593	730852	47,35		58,85	40,98	59,25	46,85	51,17	42,87	
	Members	2402	4231	783	1517	1300	1025		15434									

F. General Pattern of Receipts and Expenditures of the Conference for a year period.

Receipts	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66
General Conference				
Conference Sunday	\$ 3,869.11	\$ 4,208.78	\$ 3,509.61	\$ 5,822.21
Easter Sunday	8,039.86	7,047.05	10,736.67	10,951.29
Evangelism	5,371.47	4,396.67	2,832.45	1,808.81
Levies	130,398.72	133,351.80	164,190.12	164,508.74
Gen. Conf. Dues	2,388.33	6,117.91	2,935.00	2,254.66
Bible College	13,107.46	14,198.43	15,002.36	14,025.69
Bethesda	11,117.30	5,649.87	8.115.89	9,393.61
Canadian Youth	7,360.29	5,639.79	5,797.86	5,296.18
Music	649.37	334.82	1,328.00	1,035.06
Des. Funds				
Board of Welfare	23,006.38	14,311.65	19,830.82	17,319.98
Board of Missions	352,608.69	422,005.74	468,672.51	484,394.85
	\$557,916.98	\$617,262.51	\$702,951.29	\$716,811.08

Disbursements

MBBC Grant & Coll. \$	35,607.46	\$ 41,698.43	\$ 57,502.36	\$ 56.525.69
MBBC Bldg. Fund	13,102.69	14,361.70	25,655.76	28,000.00
Bethesda	13,150.65	990.00	250.00	17,506.65
Can. Inland Miss.	15,360.00	11,165.83	7,500.00	13,117.00
Evangelism	8,659.78	8,878.05	4,581.70	3,624.44
Youth Projects	6,100.00	2,601.66	5,493.50	6,000.00
Music Projects	587.46	600.00	600.00	600.00
Publication & S.S.	38,936.58	29,525.25	35,110.00	48,530.00
General Conference	2,388.38	6,117.91	4,200.00	4,770.00
Welfare	21,861.61	27,210.42	19,021.60	18,762.50
Missions	352,608.69	422,005.74	468,672.51	484,394.85
Conf. Evangelism	25,093.79	27,653.34	36,954.89	37,261.95

533,457.09 592,808.33 665,542.32 719,093.08

The figures of receipts and expenditures do not reflect the total giving or spending but mainly that related basically to committee activity.

G. Budget Comparisonand 1966 - 67 Budget

	Budget	Actual	Proposed
	1965-66	1965-66	1966-67
Receipts			
Cash on hand Conf. Sunday Coll. Easter Sunday Coll. Evangelism	3,600.00 7,000.00	\$ 38,552.90 5,822.21 9,451.29 1,808.81	\$ 18,011.70 4,500.00 7,000.00 4,000.00
Debt Retirement			
Endowment Fund College Revenue Bethesda Christian Press	7,000.00 10,000.00	6,000.00 7,000.00 9,325.62 3,855.00	6,000.00 7,000.00 9,000.00 5,000.00
Other Sources			
Bank Loan			30,000.00
Levies - 15434 members	\$ 80,007.90 167,200.00	\$ 81,815.83 164,508.74	\$ 90,511.70 223,793.00
	\$247,237.90	\$245,324.57	\$314,304.70
Expenditures			
Bible College Christian Education Canada Inland Mission Christian Ed. Committee Evangelism S.S., Youth & Music Publication Board of Welfare Debt Retirement Gen. Conf. 1.20 –3yrs Conference Expenditures	500.00 11,617.00 9,400.00 11,500.00 1,900.00 48,530.00 4,500.00 45,000.00 4,770.00	\$ 42,500.00 206.36 11,617.00 5,855.41 3,624.44 48,530.00 4,500.00 45,000.00 4,770.00 37,261.95	\$ 42,500.00 500.00 12,000.00 9,400.00 11,500.00 1,900.00 57,500.00 45,000.00 5,170.00 40,000.00
Other Expenditures			
English Radio Program Bible School Subsidy Student Subsidy 350x100 Budget Reserve			20,000.00 7,500.00 35,000.00 21,834.70
	\$247,207.90	\$203,865.16	\$314,304.70

All reports were accepted. This was followed by a prayer of gratitude in which brother Peter Martens led (as recorded in session 1).

II. BOARD OF TRUSTEES

At the first session the Board of Trustees was called to the platform and introduced by chairman A. A. DeFehr.

A. Report

The chairman read the report which was adopted.

Dear Brethren and Guests of this Conference,

Your Board of Trustees would like to thank you for the confidence you have placed in them.

It is the responsibility of the Board of Trustees to carry out the wishes and recommendations accepted by the Canadian Conference.

The funds needed to purchase a church site in Quebec, capital expansion at Bethesda, and capital for the Christian Press have been obtained as decided by this Conference.

Our highest loan from the bank stood at \$197,087.00. At present it is at \$80,000.00. This is due to:

- A line of credit we have now established with the bank where our loan is geared to our requirements.
- Endowment funds have been received which have been applied to the loan.
- 3. Sales tax refund on the College building received this amounted to close to \$6,000.00.

Your Board has been entrusted to investigate, further, the possibility of entering the field of annuities. With the help of our treasurer, brother Riediger, and the advice of a solicitor, we do not have to change our charter for the time being, and still be able to launch out on an Annuity Program as explained below.

This whole program was explained an presented to the Committee of Reference and Counsel held in Winnipeg on March 19th, 1966. Briefly the Annuity Program is intended to procure funds from our brotherhood on different plans, and in this way borrow less from the bank.

After a lengthy discussion the CRC accepted this plan wholeheartedly and decided that these plans should be presented to the Canadian Conference for final acceptance.

We will now briefly look at these different plans:

PLAN A. This is a straight loan with either annual or semiannual interest payable to investor with the proviso that money loaned will be bequeathed to the Conference at death of the person loaning the money. The person could specify for what purpose this money is to be used in the Conference or missions.

- **PLAN B.** A straight loan to the conference, interest paid on a semi-annual or annual basis and the principal bequeathed to the conference at the death as in Plan A. However, this plan has the option of requesting that the loan be repaid to the investor on a 60 to 90 day notice.
- **PLAN** C. This plan is also similar to Plan A where the funds are bequeathed to the Conference at death but in case of a married couple, makes the provision that if the widow needs and desires the interest, this would be paid to her until she also dies.
- **PLAN D.** This is a straight gift of money or property but with the provision that the principal cannot be used up but only loaned out for Churches, Colleges, Schools, Hospitals and only the interest can be used for conference or Mission projects. The principal will remain for perpetual use.

Once these plans have been accepted your Board of Trustees will proceed at once in preparing brochures, application forms and contracts, to get this program started as soon as possible.

The other matter your Board was asked to look into was the Pension Plan and Group Insurance Plan for members of our Conference who are engaged in any church, conference, education, college, in administration capacity including radio and Christian Press. We have made some preliminary investigation and find it is very difficult to get a set rate for both pension and group insurance unless you can provide a list of employees with their ages end earnings. We would also like to point out that if the churches and conference entered into such an arrangement it would cost each church, school, college, etc. 50% of the premium. Usually when a plan of this nature is practiced, the employee pays 50% and the employer, which in this case would be the church or conference, would pay the other 50%.

If the Conference decides to go ahead with this program, your Board would have to make a complete survey of all the churches, schools, colleges, etc. to get complete information on ages and salaries and find out how many would participate in such a program. Then a cost could be obtained and this would be sent back to each group.

Cost of Group Insurance is based on total amount and average age; a preliminary survey would indicate a cost of \$5.00 to \$8.00 annually per \$1,000.00 of life insurance.

The Pension Plan operates on a service charge, the larger the group the lower the cost per individual. The returns are based on the length of time contributions have been made and the earnings realized through investment.

The Pension Plan could be made operative in all of Canada except the Province of Ontario which has its own Pension Plan. The Pension Plan contributions would be on a 50--50 basis based on $3\frac{1}{2}\%$ of earnings contributed by each employee and employer.

If the Board of Trustees, or the Management Board as it will probably be called in the future, should look after this, it will involve extra cost for administration.

We also made a brief survey as to the possibility of insuring all churches and Conference property at one place. We find that the total value of such properties amount to about \$7,000,000.00. It will require further study and investigation to determine if it is advisable to go ahead with this program.

Thank you for being able to serve you in this manner,

Sincerely, A. A. DeFehr

B. Recommendations of the Board of Trustees

1.A recommendation regarding having Canadian members of the General Conference Board of Trustees come out of Canadian Board of Trustees was presented at the first session. The recommendation was deferred for study to be presented later at this convention after it had been rewritten. In its rewritten form the recommendation had two parts:

The board of Trustees recommends

- a) that the Canadian members on the General Conference Board of Trustees be ex-officio members of the Board of Trustees of the Canadian Conference.
- b) that the chairman of the Canadian Board of Trustees be an ex-officio member on the General Conference Board of Trustees.
- 2. The Board of Trustees would like further direction regarding the pension plan.
- 3. The Board of Trustees would like further direction in the matter of a group insurance plan on which its members have been working.
- 4. That Economy Air Fares will be paid for by the conference for Committee members where overnight train travel is not available. Maximum of two trips per year; any trips over the maximum would have to be be approved by the conference executive. Committee members having their trips paid for by the conference should be present for all committee sessions.

Recommendation 1 — The altered deferred recommendation was

presented by chairman A. A. DeFehr at the fifth session. The recommendation was amended to include the addition to b. of the recommendation "that we recommend this to the General Conference Board of Trustees."

Recommendation 2 — At the first session a motion carried to shelve the issue indefinitely in view of the Canada Pension Plan that is in existence.

Recommendation 3 — After discussion it was moved and seconded that the question be shelved indefinitely. The motion was amended to the effect that the question be shelved for a year. Both the amendment and the motion as amended carried.

Recommendation 4 — This recommendation was presented and considered at the fifth session. A motion to amend "that all air fares paid by conference be economy fares to and from all sessions" was defeated. The original recommendation was accepted.

C. Election of the Board of Trustees

Candidates: Ontario: Walter Janzen, John Janzen

Manitoba: C. C. DeFehr, P. Kroeker

Saskatchewan: J. C. Willems, Jake Giesbrecht

B.C.: Henry J. Block, J. V. Friesen

Elected: Ontario: John Janzen

Manitoba: C. C. DeFehr

Saskatchewan: Jake Giesbrecht

B.C.: H. J. Block

II. GENERAL CONFERENCE BOARD OF TRUSTEES REPORT (Not read at the Conference, but inserted in the yearbook)

A. Receipts by the Mission Fund (year ending June 1, 1966).

		From Notes	Cash don.	Total
From From	Canada U.S.A.	\$ 4,998 10,946	\$10,389 10,780	\$15,387 21,726
	Total	\$15,944	\$21,169	\$37,113
В.	Outstanding notes			
	Canada U.S.A.			\$ 28,189 106,301
				\$134,490
C.	Profit distribution			
	Canada: To Foreign Miss	sions		\$14,000.00
	U.S.A. To Foreign Mission			21,000.00
				\$35,000.00

D. Loans in force:

E.

Canada	\$562,602.00
U.S.A.	593,622.00
Foreign	7,345.00
Board of Missions	35,000.00
Board of General Welfare	4,000.00
Tabor College	124,000.00
Pacific College	60,000.00
M.C.C.	2,500.00
\$	1,368,096.00
General Conference \$1.00 levy (1963-66)	
From Canada	\$15,088.00
From U.S.A.	9,503.00

\$24,591.00

F. Canadian Loans as of June 1, 1966

B.C. Conference	\$11,750	Sask. Bethany \$ 2,9	956
Bakerview	95,000	Carrot River 1,5	561
Clearbrook	7,383	Glenbush 2,9	995
Greendale	7,500	Herbert SCH 47,5	
Kelowna	400		300
Pr. George	9,363	Lashburn 21,5	500
Vancouver			379
Willingdon	18,000	Nutana 20,0	
_		Regina 10.8	
	\$151,396	Sask. Missions 2,4	166
		Saskatoon 33rd 16,6	319
Alta. Crooked Creek	\$ 2,000	Saskatoon W.P. 13,5	60
Lendrum	36,492	Swift Current 4,4	198
Highland	29,085	A CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACTOR	
LaGlace	3,917	\$149,4	65
Lakeview	37,559		
Linden	2,836	Man. Boissevain \$35,0	000
Tofield	4,516		90
-		Justice 1,0	
	\$116,405	Man. Conference 5,8	
		Newton 1,8	77
Ont. Eden	\$ 3,144	Portage Ave. 2,2	
Hamilton	20,000		
Hampshire	1,750	\$53,8	10
Toronto	18,132		
Vineland	8,500	Total loans: \$562,602	

\$51,526

G. Canadian Trust Fund Loans (to the Board of Trustees)

Ontar	io 4	depositors	\$11,018	B.C. 27 depositors 63,024
Man.	15	depositors	41,151	Can. Conference 48,000
Sask.	15	depositors	35,585	
Alta.	4	depositors	\$23,439	\$222,217

H. Our sincerest thank you to the 78 churches and individuals of our brotherhood who gave their generous support to the "Mission Fund" during the past year.

H. J. Block, J. V. Friesen, C. C. Warkentin.

SECTION D - MISSIONS

I. BOARD OF MISSIONS (General Conference of M.B. Churches)

A. Report

During the first session brother J. H. Epp, associate general secretary of the Board of Missions of the General Conference of M.B. Churches introduced the Board members present and made some oral announcements including the appointment of brother A. J. Neufeld to the secretariat. He then began giving excerpts from the report. During the second session brother Epp completed giving the reports including the financial report prepared by brother P. J. Funk.

We often hear of people talking about making the world a better place to live in. Political powers talk about high ideals to be accomplished. President Johnson talks about building a great society.

In a speech in Honolulu regarding the transformation to be attained, President Johnson said recently: "They know and we know that this revolutionary transformation cannot wait until the guns grow silent and until terrorism stops. Together we must take stock of where we are and where we must go in the days and the weeks and the months that are ahead of all of us."

The Church of Christ is also concerned about a revolutionary transformation, a great miraculous spiritual transformation that takes men and women out of the realm of darkness into the kingdom of light. This is a transformation that affects not only the individuals, but through them, the family and the entire community.

We say with Johnson — this transformation cannot wait until the guns grow silent and until terrorism stops. Long ago the preacher Solomon said: "He that observeth the wind shall not sow, and he that regardeth the clouds shall not reap." (Eccl. 11:4) The nations of the world are seething in a spirit of restlessness. Political powers seem to be in a state of flux. In the midst of these uncertainties, we hear the voice of Jesus say, "These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world." (John 16:33)

We have been able to function fairly normally in all areas. During this past year we have sent out 12 new workers. For this coming year, eight are returning to the Congo who had been home for several years. Nineteen new workers are scheduled to leave within the next weeks and months or as soon as the visas come through.

Due to the retirement of older missionaries, health problems of others and the evacuation of personnel from the Congo, our missionary staff had been reduced considerably. With the present increase, we will bring our labor force back to what it used to be.

The inflationary trends have increased our budget. We thank God for open doors and for young people who would like to go out to meet the challenge of the day. The budget allotted by the Gen. Conference is one factor that will determine the extent to which we will be able to heed the call of Christ to go into all the world. The financial responses from the churches become a gauge to indicate whether we are to make further advances in our mission program.

We thank God for the way in which you as a conference, and district, and local churches represented here, have continued to send in your contributions. May the Lord richly bless and give further opportunities for such and even greater contributions. We covet your continued prayers for wisdom and guidance as we seek to make necessary policy changes to meet the needs of a changing world.

You have been informed through our periodicals that the Board of General Welfare and the Board of Missions have gone on record favoring a merger. This has been referred to the General Conference Board of Reference and Council for objective study and for the purpose of presenting recommendations to the General Conference in November for conference decisions. Such a merger no doubt will help to solve some problems, but it will also create others. Much wisdom for an objective evaluation-implementation will be needed. Your prayers will be much appreciated.

Above all we want to continue to uphold those in prayer who are faithful serving in the foreign fields. Their dedication is a continued inspiration to us. They need our prayers especially in these changing times. The following is a list of missionaries according to their field of service as of July 1, 1966:

Brazil

Those on the field
Arndt, Mr, and Mrs. Victor
Banman, Miss Linda
Born, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd
Faul, Mr. and Mrs. Donald
Gerbrandt, Mr. and Mrs. Ken
Thiessen, Miss Edna
Wiebe, Mr. and Mrs. James.

Canada — 2 US = 17 SA = 2Total = 21 1965 — 19

Colombia

Those on the field
Buller, Mr. and Mrs. Herman
Friesen, Mr. and Mrs. Ebner
Goertz, Mr. and Mrs. John
Reimer, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon
Schafer, Miss Lillian
Tieszen, Miss Elizabeth
Voth, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin
Wiens, Miss Esther
Klassen, Miss Ruth
Loewen, Mr. and Mrs. Peter

Canada — 8 USA — 13 Total — 21 1965 — 20

Congo

Those on the field Baerg, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Berg, Miss Nettie Derksen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyck, Miss Margaret Epp, Mr. and Mrs. Siegfried Fast, Miss Helen Faul, Mr. and Mrs. George Fehderau, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fischer, Miss Elsie Friesen, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Gerdes, Miss Arlene Goertzen, Miss Anna Kliewer, Mr. and Mrs. John Kopper, Miss Dorothy Pauls, Dr. and Mrs. Ferdinand

Penner, Miss T. Katie Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred

Those at home and on furlough Janzen, Mrs. Martha Kroeker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peters, Miss Sarah Prieb, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wiens, Miss Katherine

Those returning to the field Erlich, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Klassen, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ratzlaff, Mr. and Mrs. John Wiens, Miss Katherine

Under Appointment
Dyck, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest
Funk, Miss Betty
Hamm, Dr. and Mrs. Rudy
Nickel, Mr. and Mrs. Jake

Those at home and on furlough Kliewer, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klassen, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Thiessen, Mr. and Mrs. Erven Wiens, Miss Edith

Those returning to the field Klassen, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Wiens, Miss Edith

Under appointment Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Wm.

Those at home and on furlough Friesen, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Savoia, Mr. and Mrs. John Woelk, Miss Gertrude

Those returning to the field Savoia, Mr. and Mrs. John Woelk, Miss Gertrude

Under Appointment Schroeder, Mr. Hartmut Toews, Miss Helen Toews, Miss Mary Wall, Miss Mathilda Warkentin, Miss Frieda Willems, Miss Kathryn Willems, Miss Martha

Europe

Those on the field Balzer, Mr. and Mrs. C. Braun, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Jantz, Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Jantzen, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Vogt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warkentin, Mr. and Mrs. L.

India

Those on the field Block, Dr. and Mrs. Peter Dueck, Miss Helen Fast, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Froese, Dr. and Mrs. George Hamm, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lepp, Miss Emma Neufeld, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Nickel, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Suderman, Miss Anna Suderman, Miss Regina Toews, Miss Rosella Unruh, Mr. and Mrs. A. A.

Canada - 19 US - 13 Total 32 1965 - 32

Japan

Those on the field Bartel, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Krause, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Peters, Miss Pauline Wiens, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wiens, Miss Ruth Wohlgemuth, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Those returning to the field Zerbe, Mr. and Mrs. Ben

Canada — 3 US — 16 Total — 19 1965 - 19 Penner, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sawatzky, Miss Vivian

Canada — 35 US - 22 Total - 57 1965 - 41

Those at home and on furlough Jantz, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Janzen, Mr. and Mrs. John N.

Canada - 12 US — 6 Total — 18 1965 - 18

Those at home and on furlough Ediger Miss Anne Friesen, Dr. and Mrs. Jake Harder, Miss Helen Hiebert, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neufeld, Miss Frieda Poetker, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Riediger, Miss Marie Siemens, Miss Katie

Those returning to the field Harder, Miss Helene Neufeld, Miss Frieda Siemens, Miss Katie

Under Appointment Wiebe, Dr. and Mrs. David

Those at home and on furlough Enns, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Friesen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gunther, Miss Rubena Koop, Mr. and Mrs. Abe

Friesen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Koop, Mr. and Mrs. Abe

Mexico

Those on the field

Friesen, Miss Mabel Heinrichs, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Janzen, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kroeker, Miss Elsie Schulz, Miss Maria Wiens, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Those at home and on furlough Petker, Mr. and Mrs. Dan

Canada — 3 US — 8

Total -11 1965 -10

Panama

Those on the field Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. James US - 2Total - 2 1965 - 2

Paraguay

Those on the field

Enns, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Franz, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klassen, Miss Ann Martens, Miss Mary Wiebe, Miss Mary Wiebe, Miss Anne Wiens, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Canada — 6
US — 1
SA — 4
Total — 11 1965 — 12
Those at home and on furlough
Jantzen, Miss Miriam
Under Appointment
Wiens, Miss Lucille

Peru

Those on the field Dirks, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Friesen, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Geddert, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Under Appointment
Plett, Miss Herta
Canada — 5
US — 4
Total — 9 1965 — 8

South Texas

Those on the field Dyck, Miss Annie Wirsche, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Canada — 3 US — 2 Total — 5 1965 — 3 Under Appointment Quiring, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred

Inter-Mission

Those on the field
Andres, Mr. and Mrs. James
Derksen, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest
Huebert, Mr. and Mrs. Peter
Kasper, Miss Linda
Kleinsasser, Mr. and Mrs. V.
Lomheim, Mr. and Mrs. Jim
Seaman, Dr. and Mrs. Maynard
Schroeder, Miss Sally

Those at home and on furlough
Benedict, Miss Valla Vee
Vetter, Miss Helen
Wiens, Miss Mary
Canada — 2
US — 15
SA — 2
Total — 19 1965 — 24

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Willems, Mr. Noel Wollman, Miss Mary

Complete totals

1966		1965	
Canada	98	Canada 8	5
US	119	US 11	5
SA	8	SA	8
Total	225		_
		Total 208	3

At our last Board Meeting the following list of personnel needs was presented. Some of these needs have been met, but we want to continue to pray the Lord of the harvest to send forth more laborers.

Personnel Needs

Brazil:

- 2 couples evangelism and church ministries 1 couple orphanage directors

Colombia:

- 2 couples evangelism and church ministries
- 1 lady nurse for University Hospital

Congo:

- 2 couples evangelism and church ministries
- 1 couple Bible School instructor
- 2 couples secondary school instructors 2 couples medical doctors
- 1 lady nurse
- 1 couple administration
- 1 couple builder

Europe:

3 couples - evangelism and church ministries

India:

2 couples - evangelism and church ministries

Japan:

2 couples - evangelism and church ministries

Paraguay:

3 ladies - nurses in the Chaco

Peru:

- 1 couple develop an economic program for the Campas
- 1 couple houseparents in missionary children's school in Tournavista or
- 1 lady teacher in missionary children's school

Ecuador:

1 couple - HCJB German department

1 lady - to help while secretaries are on furlough

Fied Report

The full statistical report of the present status of our Mission program will be presented to the General Conference in November. We shall try to make these reports available to all our families. Hence, we will take time to present only a few highlights of the past year's experience.

Brazil

Since the conference last year, wie are happy to report that the Gospel has been proclaimed in many places. Souls have received Christ and followed Him in baptism and new churches have been founded.

The church building in Sao Paulo was completed and dedicated. A group of believers in Curitiba have elected a pastor and are now preparing to purchase land and build their own church facilities.

The Bible School is enjoying a fruitful year. The men graduates are being placed as pastors. The crying need is for better training leadership. The city of Curitiba has notified the Bible School that their campus will have to be sold to the city for railroad yard purposes. Pray that the new location for the Bible School may be chosen with wisdom.

The Children's Home needs our special intercession. A new juvenile judge in Curitiba is permitting parents to take their children out of the Home when they can be of help as a financial gain to the parents.

Colombia

This past year our field has experienced repeated revivals. Many hundreds of souls have been saved and many baptisms are taking place. Several new churches have been started. Some older churches are enlarging their facilities and new church buildings are being erected. The potentials for the Gospel outreach are great indeed at the present.

Last year there were six churches that had day schools with 150 pupils and eight teachers. This year nine churches have day schools with an enrollment of over 400 pupils and 14 teachers. Many Catholic families are sending their children to these schools because our schools have higher moral and academic standards. The Secondary School program is in its second year and doing well.

Our nurses working in the University Hospital have been able to organize Bible classes which are attended by doctors and nurses. This field is planning for a greatly expanded literature, radio and film ministry.

Congo

The Lord has permitted the work in the Congo to get back on its own feet inspite of the fact that leaders have been replaced on several occasions. Due to interior restlessness, our main efforts during the early part of the year were directed towards a ministry in literature and radio. This had led to the opening of another center in Kinshasa (formerly Leopoldville).

We were able to meet with the missionaries and the national brethren in the month of January. During these meetings we prepared some projections for Board consideration. The following decisions have been made:

In view of the present open doors in the Congo and because of the present needs, we recommend that the field projections be used as a guide for our ministries in the Congo with the following ramifications:

- a. That Leopoldville be considered as a logical center for our radio and literature work as well as the place for the missionary children's school.
 - To the extent that time permits and without compromising our evangelical position, we are also prepared to assist in various co-operative efforts.
- b. That we aggressively pursue the matter of helping the church obtain its own "personalite civile" (Incorporation).
- c. That we supply three missionaries to serve our churches as counsellors and teachers of pastors, evangelists and catechists, and who will become involved in youth work and in encouraging a strong evangelistic outreach.
- d. That due to the present poverty a limited amount of subsidies be granted to the church.
- e. Bible Institute This program needs to be pursued with renewed vigour. A large number of our present pastors, evangelists and teachers are products of the Bible Institute in Kafumba. This program will require two couples and one single sister.
- f. The theological school, a joint effort with CIM, needs to be strengthened. In time perhaps the two schools could be combined. For the time being we need to provide for two or three missionary teachers
- g. The religious instruction in the primary schools needs to be strengthened and fostered. Missionaries teaching in the theological schools, and secondary teachers could assist in these areas.

- h. That we recognize the secondary radio outreach as of the Lord and that we continue to use two missionaries in this ministry.
- That we seek to strengthen our Bible correspondence school, by giving it strong leadership and training an adequate national staff.
- j. That we give the literature departments in Leo and Kikwit our wholehearted support. This work will need a strong subsidy for some time. The mission staff will need to be strengthened to take care of furlough replacement.
- k. The religious education classes in the government schools in Kikwit should be continued. We should strive to enter every open door available.
- Our field can absorb from 2 to 3 additional teachers every year for the next five years. Most of these could come out under the foreign aid program and receive their remuneration from these sources.
- m. The women's and girls' school needs our continued attention for some years. As more girls attend the secondary schools, much of this work can be accomplished in Home Economics classes and in a supervised dormitory situation. We will need someone to assist Dorothy Kopper.

Kajiji Hospital

- 1. 60 Bed Ward At the August, 1965 Board Meeting, the responsibility of raising money for it was given to the Medical Commission.
- 2. Continue to seek to find a second doctor for Kajiji to make visits to Kahemba Hospital and take charge of a badly needed Public Health program.
- 3. T.B. Centre With an average of 1 new T.B. patient every 10 days it is imperative that something be done to accommodate them. We are awaiting the visit of some doctors from France who are interested in Tuberculosis and Leprosy. If we cannot work something out with them, we should seek other sources of money to build adequate facilities for the T.B. patients. Medical Institute Kajiji

1. A school building

1 boys' dormitory

1 girls' dormitory with nurses' residence.

In view of the fact that the Ecole Managere has forced us to move our male students in 1965 to temporary quarters and is

counting on our moving the rest of our students by June 1966, we would consider the dormitories and nurses residence a top priority. A total of \$25,000 was requested by the Medical Commission to cover the ward, school building and dormitories. It will probably not be quite enough to complete the nurses residence.

- 2. Courses to be offered.
- Continue with the present Grade Malade 3-year course, until at least 1968.
- b. Possibly move the Midwifery course to Pay in 1967, because of the bigger maternity set-up at Pay.
- c. Possible affiliation with Pay by sending them our third year male students for a part of their year.

Pai Kongila

- 1. Re-activation of our medical witness January 1966 with Dr. and Mrs Voth, Tillie Wall, and Arlene Gerdes.
- 2. Midwifery course possibly to be transferred from Kajijij in 1967.
 - 3. Affiliation with I MK of III year students in 1967.
- 4. 1967 Re-evaluation of a possible co-operation on a 50-50 basis with ARFMS in a higher level training school to begin in 1963.

Dispensaries

- 1. Establish a dispensary at Kikwit in conjunction with our school. Details to be worked out in consultation with the Provincial doctor and the mission.
 - 2. Rural Dispensaries. Kipungu?

Europe

The churches report of souls being saved and baptized. A new church was organized in Muessen. The members are MB immigrants from Paraguay. They are planning to begin quite soon with the building of their own church facilities. The other churches also report growth. Some churches are experiencing internal difficulties and are in need of our prayers.

The two weekly radio programs continue to be a great blessing even if the time of the broadcast was changed from 6:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m. Many East German people are regular listeners. Listeners send in enough contributions to pay for one of the weekly programs.

The roomy Mennoheim in Kaiserslautern has been purchased by the European MB Conference with aid from North America. This will now be the headquarters of the MB work in Europe instead of Griesheim beginning July 1, 1966.

A. bookstore was opened in Wels, Austria. Austria has very few Christian bookstores, but the people are hungry for Christian literature.

India

It is our impression that India is on the threshold of another revival in the area of evangelism. Pastors, teachers, and nurses are manifesting a keen interest in sharing the Gospel with their fellow men. Our mission staff has been depleted due to the retirement of older missionaries. In certain areas such as the educational program this was justifiable, but we do need additional help in the area of a church building program.

Sister Marie Riediger had to come home due to illness. Our prayer is that God may give her complete recovery.

Japan

Both the spiritual and the physical church building program is continuing in Japan. Men trained in the Osaka Biblical Seminary are filling pulpits, thus, permitting missionaries to move on to open new areas. The Osaka Biblical Seminary is a joint effort with two Baptist missions. The Lord is blessing the work. Some time ago it was decided to build an administration building. To this time we have been using missionary residences. Plans have been laid for a \$90,000 building. The costs are to be shared equally by the three cooperating Boards; thus, \$30,000 will be our share. \$15,000 was included in this year's budget, leaving another \$15,000 for next year.

During this past year the Ivan Wohlgemuths have been able to assume responsibilities of assisting a young church after completing the preliminary language studies. Sister Pauline Peters is busily engaged in student work.

It was a shock to all of us when Sister Rubena Gunther had to be rushed home for a cancer operation. According to all indications, the operation has been successful. We trust that after a few months of further observation, she will be able to return to the field.

Mexico

Also from this field they report of souls accepting Christ and following Him in baptism. A new work was opened in the city of Monterrey this past year. An expanded literature and film work has been begun in this Durango area.

The missionaries and national leadership are planning for a greater Gospel outreach. The national leadership is energetic but they encounter many problems and difficulties and need our prayer support.

Panama.

This field continues to bear fruit. The Indian believers as well as the colored believers of Jaque continue to invade new territory with the Gospel, both in Panama and in northern Colombia among their own people. The results are gratifying.

The missionaries are continuing the summer program of literacy and Bible instruction. Emphasis is placed on work among the women, teaching them how to conduct a Christian home. Considerable work is being done in translating Scripture into their languages and producing more literature for the literacy program.

The government is taking note of the good of the missionaries in the field of literacy and are training several of the Indian men in Panama City to be teachers among their people. Our missionary in Panama City supervises the study program of these men and also teaches them the Scriptures. The women of these men also are worked with and taught in the ways of the Lord.

Paraguay

Percentage wise the work among the Indians of the Chaco is perhaps our most fruitful one. There are more then 1,100 believers. They have their own pastors and church buildings and carry on a rather full church program. Each village also has its own primary school with an Indian teacher.

The schools at Yalwa Sanga (Bible School for Indians, Spanish school for the Paraguayans and advanced Indian students, and a school to help the Indians to begin Spanish study) are enjoying good enrollments.

Bible translation in the Lengua and Chulupie languages is progressing well. The American Bible Society is printing Bible portions for them.

The work in Asuncion is also prospering. The Bernardino Caballero Church is growing and they have begun their building program of their new church. The other churches also report of blessings inspite of severe tension in one of the churches.

The Bible School work is continuing with God's blessings. A day school was begun in the Spanish language for the children of Asuncion. This school promises to be a point of contact with many Catholic families for many gladly send their children to our school because of the high moral and academic standards that are maintained.

Peru

We have two missionary families east of the Andes working with the Campa Indians. The missionaries go from village to village, staying in each for a period of time to evangelize and instruct them in the Word. Bible translation in cooperation with the Wycliffe Translators is also done. In Lima the two missionary families are busy establishing a new work. They also help in other areas. One couple teaches in the seminary and Bible School, and the other one is working with the Evangelism in Depth program and taking a leading part in this important work.

South Texas

The Latin American MB Conference is moving ahead in that they are assuming an ever greater responsibility, for the work both spiritually and financially. A new church was begun in Donna, Texas, and they are planning to extend their work into Edinburg, Texas.

The El Faro School has enjoyed a good and blessed year and enjoys the respect of the community.

Their radio program once a week is proving to be a fruitful spiritual ministry to the Spanish speaking people of South Texas as well as to those across the Rio Grande River in Mexico.

Inter-Mission

1. HCJB, Quito, Ecuador

God's hand of blessing continues to rest upon the German Department at HCJB. Last year 10,499 letters were received from listeners. Many conversions were reported and much spiritual counselling and encouragement could be given by the programs and in answering mail.

Besides this cooperative ministry in radio, we subsidize the overseas ministries of the Gospel Light Hour. The following schedule shows the extent of our participation:

Gospel Light Proposals

A. TWR Russian Program

1.	Releases:	Monaco Bonnaire			ce)	54.00
						\$162.00
2.	Tapes 2 tape	es weekly	(a	\$5.00		10.00
			7	Total		\$172.00
3.	Financial 52x 17 Our sl		-	\$8,944.0 \$8,944.0		\$6,708.00

B. Established Programs

1. Production Costs per 30 minute unit

Russian	69.00
English	31.59
German (Licht des Evang	.)63.17
Low German G.L.H.	45.12

\$208.88 weekly

Total production costs 52 x \$208.88 — 10,861.76

2. Broadcast Release Costs:

Quito, HCJB		
1 Russian	36.00	
1 German	36.00	72.00

Manila DZAS

1 Russian	30.00			
Inchou, Korea HLKX				
1 Russian	10.00			
San Juan, Costa Rica				
1 English	7.50			
Curitiba, Brazil XYZ				
1 German	6.00	off	at	present
Bage, Brazil ZYU	4.00	off	at	present
Total weekly releases	cost			129.50
10 tapes weekly (not i	return	ed)		55.00
(includes mailing \$5.00				
				\$184.50

$52 \times \$184.50 - \$9,594.00$ 3. Total Financial Projection

Total Broadcast costs

Total	foreign	production costs release costs	\$10,861.76 9,594.00
			\$20,455.76

Our share 50% — \$10,227.88

2. Missionary Aviation Fellowship

We are supporting missionaries in this vital missionary ministry in Brazil, Congo and West Irian. MAF renders our missionaries on various fields a great service in providing rapid transportation into areas that would be difficult and take a long time to reach.

3. Sudan Interior Mission

We are continuing to support six missionaries under this Board in Nigeria and Ethiopia. Reports show that these missionaries are rendering a vital ministry in the Gospel outreach.

4. The Evangelical Alliance Mission

Dr. and Mrs. Maynard Seaman of Onida, South Dakota, were privileged to return to Northern India this past month. Their work will be particularly with refugees from Tibet.

B. Letter from P. J. Funk

To the Delegates of the Canadian Conference

Dear brethren:

Greetings with Psalm 11 5:1 — "Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but unto thy name give glory..."

As we review the past conference year we have much cause for rejoicing and want to praise Him who has made all of these things possible.

There are a number of things I would like to point out. First of all the giving of the Canadian churches for the cause of missions has increased by 11% during the past conference year. We would like to point out that the contributions through the Board of Trustees from the Endowment Fund increased by \$5,000, our annuity gifts increased by \$2,600 and that the income from Estates increased by \$194.000.

In this connection we would like to point out that in the total amount of estate income there were three from Canada amounting to \$7,063 and \$203,218 representing ten estates from U.S. We want to thank the Lord that He has laid upon the heart of the people the work of missions through wills and want to encourage ourselves as we distribute our estates to ask the Lord what share He wants us to leave for His work which will be for eternal investments.

In our total expenditure of \$1,000,000 we want to point out that \$17,688 was for assigned contributions, \$26,000 repayment of a loan and \$25,000 was investment with the Board of Trustees as a reserve for building needs in foreign countries.

Over all we are grateful to our churches and above all to the Lord for His marvellous provision to make it possible for us to carry on the program of missions.

> Peter J. Funk, Secretary of Finance

C. Annual Financial Statement

Mennonite Brethren Board of Missions June 1, 1965 — May 31, 1966

Receipts

United	States
CHILCU	States

Pacific District Southern District Central District Miscellaneous	\$117,713.17 89,359.98 58,965.13 35,388.11	
Canada		
British Columbia Alberta Saskatchewan Manitoba Ontario Quebec Miscellaneous	147,281.73 45,691.37 81,297.41 105,242.66 76,638.31 247.42 4,552.63	
Miscellaneous		
Assigned Contributions Notes Receivable Estate Income Memorial Fund Annuity Endowment Income Tranfers Sales Rents	15,817.37 280.00 585.10 585.10 3,100.00 35,000.00 57.80 40.50 2,08730	
Total Receipts		1,029,626.92
Balance as of June 1, 1965		
U.S. Treasury Canadian Treasury	11,299.85 1,203.19	12,503.04
Balance as of May 31, 1966		\$1,042,129.96
US. Treasury Canadian Treasury	6,441.96 4,440.07	10,882.03
Total Disbursements		1,031,247.93
		\$1,042,129.96

Disbursements:

Administrative		
	\$ 36.30	
Office Supplies	1.820.60	
Postage	2,170.63	
Printing and Publicity	4,285.20	
Telephone and Telegraph	1,258.08	
Maintenance	432.70	
Taxes	189.28	
Interest Costs	3,441.72	
Insurance	930,23	
Travel — Domestic	20,086.36	
Travel — Abroad	1,814.65	
Affiliation with other Societies	1,791.50	
	737.65	
Utilities	30,416.50	
Salaries Social Security — Office	1,089.75	
	63.50	
Petty Cash	3,433.79	
Miscellaneous	184.55	\$ 74,182.99
206 — East C Street	104.55	ф (4,102.55
General		
Insurance — Missionaries	5,594.41	
Social Security — Missionaries	9,717.17	
Rent and Utilities — Missionaries	3,631.40	
Foreign Radio Broadcast	19,172.42	
Medical Aid	8,150.93	
Educational Aid	3,205.62	
Christian Literature	1.567.72	
Pensions	8,436.96	
Assigned Contributions	2,246.07	
Notes Payable	26,000.00	
Notes Payable — fields	640.00	
Children's Christmas Gifts	(CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR	
Office Equipment	52.75	
Board of Trustees — Trust Fund (Inv.)	25,000.00	114,223.45
Double of Transceed		
Fields		
Africa		
Assigned Contributions	\$ 3,756.69	
Remittance	145,154.31	
Travel	9,810.84	
Freight & Equipment	5,319.30	
American Bible Society	2,000.00	Addition alongonism
Personal Accounts	4.74	\$166,045.88

Brazil

Assigned Contributions	1.325.11	
Remittance	C4 200 C0	
Traval	64,392.60	
Travel	4,607.35	
Freight and Equipment	277.48	70,602.54
Colombia		
Assigned Contributions	1,406.55	
Remittance	63,227.11	
Travel		
Freight and Equipment	4,371.72	70,915.13
Europe		. 0,010110
Assigned Contributions		
Remittance	62,290.01	
Travel		
Freight and Equipment	771.65	
Radio Luxembourg		79 725 00
	5,025.00	72,735.00
India		
Assigned Contributions	333.61	
Remittance	81,774.11	
Travel		
Freight and Equipment	2,548.64	96,954.21
Peru		
Assigned Contributions	700 40	
Assigned Contributions	766.40	
Remittance	29,252.24	
Travel	2,334.35	
Freight and Equipment	479.96	
Personal Account	53.25	32,886.20
Japan		
Assigned Contributions	142.50	
Remittance		
m ,	127,806.05	
Travel	2,750.55	
Freight and Equipment	198.78	
Japan Building Fund	15,000.00	145,897.88
Mexico and South Texas		
Assigned Contributions	223.00	
Remittance		
The same of the sa	78,290.31	
	142.20	
Freight and Equipment	317.80	78,973.31

Paraguay

Assigned Contributions Remittance	58.20 46,267.17	
Travel	2,869.18	
Freight and Equipment	263.62	49,458.17
Panama		
Assigned Contributions	4,074.63	
Remittance	11,040.04	
North Carolina		
Remittance	1,220.00	1,220.00
Intermissions		
Assigned Contributions: — HCJB	110.00	(
— SIM	82.50	
— TEAM	70.00)
— MAF	35.00	
Remittance — SIM	11,049.12	
— TEAM	6,267.00)
— MAF	8,868.15	
— HCJB	14,969.77	
Travel	586.96	42,038.50
Total disbursements		\$1,031,247.93
Total disputsements		A 10.

II. BOARD OF WELFARE OF THE GEN. MB CONFERENCE

Brother C. J. Rempel introduced the brethren M. A. Kroeker, Clarence Hiebert and the Canadian members of the board.

Brother M. A. Kroeker delivered greetings from his co-workers and mentioned that a number of short term voluntary workers under this board have later decided to enter full time mission service. The report was read and adopted. It was also decided at this point to send a telegram of greetings to the Conference of MB Churches of S. America (See Greetings).

A. Report:

Did You Know?

- 1. that the Board of General Welfare needs YOU in its expanding ministry, as it seeks to minister out of love to our Lord, our brother and our fellowman?
 - 2. that the Board of General Welfare Program is carried out in

three areas: Christian Service, South America and Relief and Services?

Christian Service

3. that the CHRISTIAN SERVICE Program is being called "the new face of the church and its mission", or "God at work through our young people today"?

4. that the CHRISTIAN SERVICE Program currently has 59 dedicated persons serving the Lord in 23 projects in 9 countries, and that another 31 are already confirmed to begin service this year?

5. that 21 out of the 59 CHRISTIAN SERVICE workers are Canadians, more than double last year's figure, and that there are

another 5 among the 31 confirmed?

6. that last fall one of five new CHRISTIAN SERVICE projects was opened in Truro, Nova Scotia, which though less than a year old, is expanding rapidly. Six persons are there now, with another 11 scheduled for the near future.

7. That about 80 per cent of the CHRISTIAN SERVICE \$100,000 budget is met through project earnings of the workers, \$23,000 to

be met by congregations?

South America

8. that in the SOUTH AMERICA program the Board of General Welfare is subsidizing 35 workers, including five couples from Canada?

9. that the SOUTH AMERICAN program is strengthening the "household of faith" spiritually through Bible schools, the Theoligical Institute, radio broadcasts and church building?

10. that physically it ministers through leprosy work, projects among Indians and Paraguayans, the Home-to-Home project, and through the sizeable grant and loan to Sarandi, Uruguay in 1965?

11. that financially Canada and the United States share equally

in the annual SOUTH AMERICA budget of \$35,000?

Relief and Service

12. that the Mennonite Brethren church donates about \$200,000 worth of gifts-in-kind? Food and clothing, blankets and bundles have cheered many deprived souls, and so have medical and educational assistance.

13. that in terms of financial contributions the Mennonite Brethren churches in Canada forwarded about \$90,000 directly to MCC — Canada in 1965, while in the United States the Board of General Welfare is the official channel between the churches and MCC, and routed about \$30,000 to MCC — Akron?

14. that 58 Canadian young people represent the Mennonite Brethren church in key areas of MCC's world-wide program?

The Board of General Welfare is sincerely grateful to its supporting constituency for the faithful support in interest, prayer, and

gifts. At the same time the Board is charged to go forward in faith, in its ministry of love among the needy all around us. For this reason:

Pray for and support your Board of General Welfare.

Brother Clarence Hiebert spoke briefly on behalf of the Christian service program.

Brother J. Riediger, Canadian Treasurer, reported briefly on the financial contributions from Canada.

Brother C. J. Rempel reported on the prospective merger of the welfare and missions boards.

B. Recommendations of the Board of Welfare

- 1. We recommend that the conference continue to pray for those who work on our behalf:
 - in the Board Office in Hillsboro
 - in the various Christian service assignments
 - in the schools and churches which we support in So. America.
- 2. We recommend for your intercession the following new workers who are under appointment for the South America program of the Board and will be leaving shortly to take up their assignment:
 - Br. John Boldt going to the Theological Institute in Curitiba, Brazil, as instructor of music.
 - Br. Henry Martens, and his family, going to Friesland, Paraguay, where brother Martens will teach in High School and assist in the work of the church.

3. We recommend:

- a) that the financial support of the work of the Board of Welfare be continued by taking three offerings annually in each church.
- b) that the amount of \$6,000 be allowed from the conference treasury for the administrative expenses of the Board of Welfare.

All recommendations were accepted.

III. MCC (CANADA)

A. Report

Brother C. J. Rempel read the report. After extending greetings for brother J. M. Klassen, executive secretary, brother Rempel moved the adoption of the report. The report was adopted.

I. Introduction

"He that hath pity upon the poor lendeth unto the Lord; and that which he hath given will he pay him again." Proverbs 19:17.

The escalation of the war in Vietnam, continued unrest and movement of refugees in Congo and Angola rebellion in Rhodesia, food riots in India and inflation in Latin America have provided our news media with headlines and feature articles. Our own nation, while preparing to celebrate its one hundredth birthday, is aware of problems which threaten its stability and hinder its progress. In the midst of this world in conflict is the Church of which Jesus said, "... I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."

It is in this context that the twelve Mennonite and Brethren in Christ conferences and groups have joined hands and are trying to be the "salt", "light", and bearers of the Good News.

2. 1965 Activity

Instead of dwelling on work already done and reported to the MCC (Canada) annual meeting, the provincial MCC annual meetings, the provincial conferences, in the 1965 Annual Report (mailed to every church directly, or to its members via conference papers), in the newspapers and through direct mailings to the churches, this report will outline projected program in order that counsel may be given to the person(s) who represent(s) us on MCC (Canada).

Since MCC (Canada) is the servant of different conferences and groups whose interests and emphasis may vary, it requires mutual understanding and respect in order to be able to move forward in a united program. The harmony that has prevailed since its inception is what makes MCC (Canada) look to the future with hope, optimism and enthusiasm.

3. Future Program Planning

The major work of MCC (Canada) is the gathering of supplies, personnel and funds for overseas relief. This is to be continued and increased as constituent groups feel led to respond. The trend toward more designated giving needs to be checked since some projects that have obvious appeal are oversubscribed whereas others, equally valid, are overlooked. It is not practical to promote each project separately and to expect designated contributions to be received for every aspect of the work. Greater emphasis must be given to general relief giving.

- a) Canada's Centennial. The Canadian Interfaith Conference called into being by the Centennial Commission of the government of Canada includes thirty-one different faiths. (The Jehovah's Witnesses are the only ones who have declined to participate). What these faiths can do together is quite limited. However, several projects are emerging:
 - i. Writing the proclamation of the Centennial Year.
 - ii. Writing a Centennial hymn.
 - iii. Encouraging public libraries to provide a shelf containing books suggested by the different faiths.

- iv. Encouraging open houses (Inter-faith visitation).
- v. Encouraging inter-faith services on special days such as January 1, July 1 and Thanksgiving Day, 1967.
- vi. The preparation of an Anthology of Prayers and Hymns. Each faith group will decide what it wishes to do during the year of Canada's birthday. Is there something this conference would like to suggest to its member churches? Should next year's conference program include a brief "Centennial Service", or should these observances take place only at the local congregration or community level? Do we have any suggestions of what MCC (Canada) might undertake as a Centennial Project?
- b) i. Peace education (within our constituency). Responsibility for the teaching of the doctrine of peace and non-resistance falls largely to the local congregation. The emphasis given to this teaching varies from one congregation and conference to the next. Is there any way in which MCC (Canada) could help churches to do this more effectively? Some provincial MCCs have sponsored seminars and retreats for ministers and young people. Should these be encouraged? What means could be used?
 - ii. Peace witness (beyond our constituency). Peace booths have been used in Ontario and British Columbia to share our understanding of Christ's teaching with others. There seems to be a great need for carefully written and selected literature on this subject. Should MCC (Canada) place greater emphasis on this?
- c) Social concerns. To what extent shall MCC (Canada) give leadership in such matters as studies on labour relations, labour unions, business ethics. Pilot studies have been held in several provinces and there are strong indications that our church members are very much interested in working at these problems more intensely.
- d) Vietnam. Canadian churches, together with the U.S. churches are involved in a large relief program in South Vietnam. Our citizenship in a Kingdom that is not of this world challenges us to our responsibilty to minister to needy people everywhere, regardless of their political and ideological persuasions. Be cause it is not possible for a U.S.-based agency to work in North Vietnam, MCC (Canada) has begun to explore the possibility of sending a representative to North Vietnam to assess the situation and to help decide whether a work of mercy might be initiated there. It is hoped that a Canadian, presently serving in the Far East, may be able to obtain a visa to visit North Vietnam.
- e) **Delegation to Soviet Union.** The Russian Baptist Church has invited a delegation from North America to visit the Soviet

Union in November, 1966. Included in this delegation are two Canadian Mennonites: D. P. Neufeld and F. C. Peters. Tentative plans call for public meetings to be held in several locations after the delegates return.

- f) Immigration. Routinely, MCC (Canada) works with persons seeking to come to Canada. There is a need to do something on behalf of people living in heavily populated countries. Many would not qualify for entry into Canada, because they lack the required skills. Is there something MCC (Canada) should do to provide training in Canada if Canada were to allow immigrants to come under those conditions?
- g) Voluntary Service. The Summer Service program is not new, but consideration is being given to year-round service projects.
- h) Expo '67. Not to be confused with the Centennial, but occuring in the same year is the World Fair (Expo 67) in Montreal. MCC (Canada) has decided not to participate in the Christian Pavilion. Participation in Sermons from Science is on individual basis.

Your reaction to the foregoing will help our representative(s) to represent us more adequately. The next several pages contain some statistical data for further information.

May God use MCC (Canada) to His honour and glory.

Respectfully submitted,

MCC (Canada) members

A period of questioning and discussion in which suggestions and encouragement were offered, followed.

MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

FACTS as at November 30, 1965

Number of countries in which MCC has workers Number of workers overseas	300	35
in North America serving in four mental hospitals	211 254	
Total		765
Types of projects—education (76 teachers)		
medical (13 doctors and 41 nurses) agricultural		962
material aid (food, bedding, clothing, self-help (needlework and crafts) peace witness	etc.)	
Total overseas cash expenses in 1965 \$	1,268,5	85.19
Value of material aid shipped in 1965	2,157,8	29.90

Some Material Aid details: (1965) U.S. government surplus food shipped 9,280,974 lbs. (1 Clothing \$776,098.05 Christmas bundles 40,665 bundles Leprosy bundles 6,905 bundles Contributed food (meat, dried fruit, etc.) \$356,554.94 Children sponsored by North American sponsors — 1,7 Contributions needed for 1966	s s 738 children.
Number of Canadians working in MCC	149
Income: General contributions \$174,032.40 Designated 228,586.78	
Value of material aid-in-kind	\$402,619.18 367,331.95
Disbursements:	\$105,551.15
Cash to MCC, Akron \$190,654.13 Designated 194,343.83 Administration 20,831.18	\$405.829.14
Value of material aid-in-kind	367,331.95
Disbursements exceeded income by Budget for 1966	\$773,161.09 \$ 3,209.96
	\$742,680.00

MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE (CANADA) MEMBERSHIP

December 1, 1965

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1. (Old) Mennonite Church, Ontario 2. (Old) Mennonite Sask.-Alberta 3. Evangelical Mennonite Brethren

4. Markham-Waterloo Mennonites 5. Brethren in Christ

6. Western Ontario Menn. Conference 7. Old Colony Mennonites

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Analysis of Contributions by Groups and Conferences as received by Provincial Treasurers for the 12 month Period, ending November 30, 1965

control on or only	Brit. Col.	Alberta	Sask.	Manitoba	Ontario	Total
				3	(Since May 1	
Amish	60	59	99	69	\$ 332.30	\$ 332.30
Brethren in Christ			67.65		-	, T
Church of God in Christ		2,571.00		3.077.80	11.00	
Conf. of Mennonites	20,094.26	7,776.58	27,353.10	21,661,58	16.193.74	55
E.M.B. Church	109.00		179.79	1,153.00		1,441.79
E.M.C.			456.80	11,357.86		11,814.66
E.M.M.C.			63.68	4,689.00		4,752.68
Mennonite Brethren	26,227.38	7,663.69	10,339.53	18,008.06	9,124.65	71,363.31
Old Colony Mennonite			50.00	1,250.00		1,300.00
Old) Mennonite		1,313.54	608.39		9,649.63	11,571,56
Stirling Avenue Church					2,554.38	2,554.38
Waterloo-Markham					5,357.60	5,357.60
Western Ontario Menn.					11,164.94	11,164.94
United Church of Canada	54.84					54.84
nter-Menn. Meetings	348.19			886.71	1.064.60	2.299.50
Beachy Amish					634.00	
Other	83.50			6,633.34	13,719,42	20.
Conservative Mennonite					36.00	36.00
Evangelical United Brethren					334.52	334.52
N.R.R.O.					5,326.64	5,326.64
Old Order Mennonite					2,550.00	2,550.00
Inted Missionary					240.60	240.60
First Mennonite, Winnipeg				1,496.25		1,496.25
	\$ 46,917.17	\$ 19,324.81	\$ 39,118.94	\$ 70.213.60	\$ 79 944 02	\$255 518 54

E. Elections for MCC (Canada)

A motion carried that brother Victor Adrian be elected by acclamation.

After the announcements brother William Neufeld closed the session with prayer in which he remembered especially the workers under MCC and the Board of Welfare as well as the newly elected moderator of the Canada Conference.

Fifth Session: Tuesday afternoon, July 5, 1956

Brother Henry Goertzen led in the singing of "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name", "Take the World, but Give Me Jesus" and "I Need Thee Every Hour".

Brother Rudy Boschman read Numbers 9:17 ff. and opened the afternoon session with prayer.

IV. EVANGELISM

Brother John M. Schmidt introduced committee members present and read the report.

A. Report

Dear Brethren:

"Other sheep I have, which are not of this fold, them also I must bring and they shall hear my voice, and there shall be one fold and one shepherd." John 10:16.

With this plain but significant statement, Jesus proclaims the supreme cause of His coming to this world, the principle reason for laying down His life, and the fundamental basis that constitutes the Great Commssion which his followers are dutybound to fulfill. The planning and operation of the Committee on Evangelism during the past year, was consciously directed to achieve this divine objective, namely, "to bring other sheep" into the Lord's fold.

Although the work of evangelism was somewhat hampered and limited for lack of a full-time evangelist, many spiritual blessings were recorded by churches that conducted campaigns with pastors who willingly served in this capacity. One small church alone experienced a revival where over twenty souls, mostly all of adult age, professed salvation during their evangelistic services. For every soul reclaimed, for every soul redeemed, we gratefully thank our Lord. These are tokens of encouragement, for they verify that God is still able to do the impossible.

The Committee on Evangelism was kept active and functional by the various related issues, some of which particularly required much prayerful concentration and intensive deliberation. This was done through a considerable amount of correspondence and an interim meeting in February. We confess that we have not discovered all the answers confronting successful evangelism, but with the Conference look to the Lord for further guidance and direction. Some of the main areas of consideration in which we believe progress of various degree has been made, were:

- The planning and designing of a strategy for a more effective approach in evangelism.
- 2. The searching for, and engaging of a full-time evangelist.
- 3. Groundwork preparation for the Canadian Radio Broadcast.
- 4. Investigation and exploring the possible co-operation in related areas, with the Interim Christian Education Committee.

Due to the proposed re-organization of the Conference structure, the preparing of a preliminary constitution for this committee, was with the consent of the Conference Executive, deferred to a later date.

While the message of the cross must essentially always remain the same, it is expedient in the field of communication, to change methods, procedures and approaches from age to age, culture to culture and generation to generation. Keenly aware of this need, we have sought to discover God's divine strategy by which the living message can more effectively be projected to our contemporary world. The ultimate objective of the divine program, is nothing less than to penetrate the entire world with the Gospel and make disciples of all who will believe. To achieve our part in this tremendous task, calls for unreserved "Total Evangelism", or in other words, the strategy of "Total Evangelism by the Total Church". To be faithful to our Master's assignment, and true to our Godgiven heritage, evangelism must be re-rated and acted upon as the solemn responsibility of every member within the brotherhood. It is a serious violation of the New Testament principles, as well as an arbitrary infringement on our Lord's will, if the occupation of soul-winning is relegated to the pastor and the evangelist. The old conventional pattern of evangelism is simply inadequate and incompetent to do the job alone. It no more suffices for the layman to pay the pastor to do his soul-winning for him, than for the Church to pay the Evangelist to evangelize for them. It is no more the duty of the pastor to do all the soul-winning, than for a coach of a football team to do all the playing, or for a captain of an army to do all the fighting. Every able member must be mobilized and become personally involved in soul-winning, for this is the responsibility of every believer, and not only that of a few selected specialists. To this end our church-life must be shifted from conventional and all too mechanical programming, to a live dynamic, and meaningful involvement of the individual in which they purposefully befriend and bring in the Lord's "other sheep also". If our embarrassing lack of growth, which our statistics so bluntly reveal, is indicative of our spiritual condition, then we may not

be as evangelical as we think we are! It is no secret that an individual, a church or a brotherhood is only evangelical in so far as they are actively evangelistic, and no more. Our brethren in the south have been aroused by the Lord and have set a commendable example with the launching of their "Double in a Decade" master-plan. May the same gracious Spirit of God. grant us and our Conference a renewed vision, an intensified inspiration and thereby activate and project us into a similar orbit for soulwinning. Within our local churches, we have spiritually minded laymen who possess a spirited interest in evangelism. This dynamic taskforce is waiting and looking for leadership, for instruction. They are wistfully hoping to be marshalled for the specific purpose of becoming directly employed for soul-winning. It is imperative that we capitalize and utilize this potential resource as well as train others for evangelism, if our brotherhood is to be maintained and its number increased. Our churches can be electrified with the Evangelist's message, the whole atmosphere may be charged with spiritual power, but we will not see more visible results until we as individual members will establish positive rapport and bring our unsaved friends under the sound of the Gospel. To accomplish this goal in a greater measure, we trust this conference will react favourably to the recommendations of the Committee.

Since the resignation of our past evangelist, Br. H. H. Epp, the Committee has prayerfully searched for a suitable person, called and enabled of God to serve the Conference in this important capacity. We are happy to announce that we believe he has been found in Bro. J. J. Toews. Brother Toews has gained wide experience as pastor, as instructor at our College and as evangelist in our churches. He has a warm love for souls and is burdened with a keen concern for the cause of evangelism. In accordance with the Board of Reference and Counsel, Br. Toews has been engaged to serve as Executive Secretary of Evangelism and Extension. We would heartily recommend him to this Conference and our entire brotherhood for your fervent intercession and support. Let us pray for our brother, his family and the work that must be done, that the Spirit of God may begin revival fires burning within us and our local churches.

Much of the Committee's work during the past year was focused on the matter of the Canada-wide Radio Broadcast. We have sincerely attempted to make an objective and a thorough study of the various possibilities related to such a project. On the basis of the Radio Commission's findings, and the recommendations which were accepted at our last years' conference, we have sought to make progress towards the actual initiation of the program. In compliance with the wishes of this Conference we entered into negotiations with the Radio Committee of Manitoba regarding the production of such a program. It was during these joint meetings that we particularly sensed the Spirit's leading toward a common consensus of thought and purpose. As a result of these combined meetings, a brief which recommendend the total merger of the Gospel Light Hour complex with the Canadian Conference was

drawn up for submission to, and approval by the Manitoba and Canadian conferences.

This brief was then jointly presented by the Committee on Evangelism and the Gospel Light Hour Committee to the Canadian Reference and Counsel as well as to the Manitoba Reference and Counsel. Both Boards were favourably inclined and endorsed the plan in principle, encouraging the Committees to continue negotations towards the intended goal. In response to this same joint brief, the Manitoba Convention in June reacted as follows:

- that it welcomes the prospect of a Canada-wide evangelistic radio voice of Mennonite Brethren;
- that it commends the Radio Committee for its willingness to assist in the launching of this program, and to produce such a program, if desired;
- that the Radio Committee be authorized to relinquish control over the English weekly half-hour program to such a degree as it finds advisable, that is, to integrate this program or even to discontinue it, but that these actions be subject to the approval of the Committee of Reference and Counsel;
- 4. that if, after the successful establishment of the Canada-wide ministry, the Canadian Conference take the initiative in further negotiations towards greater organizational union, that the Manitoba Committee of Reference and Counsel then appoint a special committee to thoroughly investigate the implications for other areas of our radio work, and to negotiate on our behalf in consultation with the Radio Committee.

In consideration of the above response and the fact that an amalgamation would simultaneously resolve the complex problems which the implementation of a separate Radio Broadcast poses to the Canadian Conference as it also would to the English Gospel Light Hour, which is presently heard over 9 stations in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and B.C., we would hesitate to produce another program that would closely parallel the existing one. The Committee is confident that an arrangement can be negotiated with the Manitoba brethren, which will be satisfactory and beneficial to both Conferences. We trust that with the help of the Lord, the Canadian Radio Broadcast will become a reality in the very near future. The Committee would solicit your moral and prayerful support for this new missionary arm, that it might be used of God to the evangelization of our Dominion, to the salvation of souls, and the building of the Church.

Conscious of the urgency of the time, "for the night is nearly over, the day has almost dawned," we conclude with the appeal of the Apostle Paul: "Let us not allow slackness to spoil our work, but let us keep the fires of the Spirit burning as we do the work of the Lord." Rom. 12:11 (Phillips)

The Committee on Evangelism

The report was adopted. A brief discussion followed.

B. Campaigns conducted from June 1, 1965-May 31, 1966

Name of church	Evangelist	Number	of Days
Gem, Alberta	J. J. Toews	10	Days
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	J. M. Schmidt	10	"
Hill Avenue, Regina, Sask.	L. A. Rdekopp	7	**
Woodrow, Saskatchewan	Nick Willems	6	.,,
McMahon, Saskatchewan	Wally Gripp	7	,,
Lendrum, Edmonton, Alberta	I. W. Redekopp	11	,,
Foam Lake, Saskatchewan	J. D. Goertzen	6	,,
Justice, Manitoba	Wm. Schmidt	6	"
Lucky Lake, Saskatchewan	Herman Voth	6	**
West Portal, Saskatchewan	A. H. Wieler	7	"
Arnold, B.C.	Herm, Lenzmann	8	"
Leamington, Ontario	Henry Penner	6	,,
Hampshire, Ontario	J. M. Schmidt	8	22
La Glace, Alberta	Henry Penner	6	>>
Lethbridge, Alberta	Helmut Klassen	8	3)
Main Centre, Saskatchewan	Eugene Gerbrand	The second second	2)
Vineland, Ontario	Otto Derksen	8	"
Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario	Waldo Wiebe	7	,,
Virgil, Ontario	Waldo Wiebe	8	11
Elbow, Saskatchewan	Rudy Boschman	12	**
North Battleford	J. J. Toews	7	**
Glenbush, Saskatchewan	Н. Н. Ерр	6	,,

C. Recommendations of the Committee of Evangelism

Br. David Epp read the recommendations.

- 1. That the ministry of intercession and prayer be encouraged and strengthened for Evangelism and Extension in our Churches.
- 2. That the Conference approve the appointment of Br. J. J. Toews as Executive Secretary of Evangelism and Extension, and that intercession be made for him and his family.
- 3. That the Conference approve the following proposed approach to Evangelism and Extension:

a. Pre-preparation

The pastor considering such services should prepare his congregation with a series of appropriate messages.

b. Revival Services

The services will have the emphasis and objective to lead Christians to a commitment to soul-winning.

c. Group Instruction

Following the series of revival services, the Evangelist will conduct workshops on the practical aspects of personal evangelism.

d. Implementation

The Evangelist will be prepared to assist the local church in implementing the actual program of Personal Evangelism. We envision the program to be a maximum of 10 days duration. Where and when desired the Executive Secretary would be prepared to conduct workshops with the pastors of the provinces on personal evangelism and church extension.

4. Since the Conference Evangelist is unable to meet all the requests from the churches we recommend that we continue to conduct evangelistic services with other brethren serving as evangelists.

5. That we produce a Canada-wide radio program by integrating the English Gospel Light Hour on the basis suggested by the Manitoba Conference.

- 6. That the proposed program be a 30 minute program.
- 7. That the program be called the Canadian Gospel Light Hour, and be identified with the respective province where aired (e. g. The Canadian Gospel Light Hour brought to you by the Mennonite Brethren Churches of British Columbia).
- 8. That the provinces assume the responsibility for their own radio-time and that the donations from the provinces be credited toward the station cost.
- 9. That it be the prerogative of the Provincial Conferences to choose the radio station or stations, but that the negotations be finalized through the Committee.
- 10. That the present speaker of the Gospel Light Hour be appointed as the radio-speaker for the program.
- 11. That we engage the full-time services of a clerical secretary, serving half-time in the Evangelism and Church Extension office and half-time in the Gospel Light Office.
- 12. That permission be granted the Committee for an interim meeting.

Recommendations 1 and 2 were accepted. Recommendation 3 was accepted, but was followed by considerable discussion. Recommendations 4—9 were accepted. Recommendation 10: — A motion of amendment to the effect that the name of brother William Schmidt be substituted for "the present speaker" carried. The recommendation as ammended was accepted. Recommendations 11-12 were accepted.

D. Budget

A. Evangelism

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1.	Wages	for Execut	ive Secretary	and Office	
	Secreta	ry		CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR	\$ 8,018.40
					2,450.00
3.	Office	Equipment,	Materials		600.00
4.	Other	Evangelists			4,500.00

\$ 15,568.40

B. Radio

1. Wages for Speaker and Secretary	4,200.00
2. Recording Costs	600.00
3. Tapes	250.00
4. Duplicating	500.00
5. Literature (follow-up)	1,000.00
6. Miscellaneous	400.00
	6.950.00
Total	\$ 22,518.40

*Churches desiring the services of the Erecutive Secretary should submit a written request to the Committee during the Conference or forward the request to the Office of Evangelism and Extension.

81 Henderson Highway, Winnipeg 5, Manitoba

The budget was accepted.

E. Elections for the Committee on Evangelism:

Candidates: Alberta: A. J. Esau

Peter Rempel

Manitoba: E. A. Issac

V. D. Toews

Elected: A. J. Esau Victor D. Toews

The chairman of the board of Trustees, brother A. A. Defehr, at this time presented the altered deferred recommendation. (See Section C — Board of Trustees.) A recommendation regarding air travel was also discussed and accepted. (See Section C — Board of Trustees.)

The moderator read a telegram of greeting prepared by the resolutions committee to the S. America Conference of MB Churches in session during the second week of July. The resolution was accepted by the conference. (See Greetings)

(Mrs.) Margaret Heidebrecht served by singing "I am Satisfied with Jesus."

V. BETHESDA

Brother C. J. Rempel introduced the committee members on the platform, Isaac Block, chaplain, and auditing consultant Fred Pfisterer. Brother Rempel read the report:

A. Report by chairman:

Dear Brethren of the Conference:

Because of the blessings we have received from our heavenly Father during the past year and because of the prayer and financial

support on the part of many members of our brotherhood, it is a pleasure to share again some of our experiences. Others will report in more detail about various aspects of our work, and so I will confine my remarks to a few pertinent facts.

We thank God for the staff and for their faithful ministry. To work year after year with patients who seldom show appreciation for service rendered to them, requires devotion to duty, and a call to service. Such workers we have on our staff, and we are, and will want to continue to be thankful for them.

The position of chaplain, which was so graciously, and effectively filled on a temporary basis by Bro. G. J. Epp, has now been assumed by Bro. Isaac Block. We feel the institutional care has not suffered through this temporary chaplaincy, and will become even more meaningful when Bro. Block has become more acquainted with his new duties, and can add his knowledge, and training in the field of social service.

The Executive and Board have worked well together, and tried to discharge their duties conscientiously and through prayer. We are ever searching for better and more meaningful service to the patients. We were much encouraged when overtures were made to us to expand our services to the Mentally Retarded, at Government expense. Nothing has been done about it but we will want to hear more about the plans and what such change would mean in terms of a new witness.

We regret that we are losing our struggle to contribute \$20,000.00, annually from farm profits and frugal administration in order to support Western patients. We believe other ways must be found to meet this need as we are unable to continue on this basis without undermining our entire financial structure. Certain budget changes were necessary which helped to bring about this seemingly impossible condition.

The reputation of our Home from the standpoint of Medical service, and Christian witness continues on a high level. People of authority and leaders in the field of mental health, believe our conference has a unique, tremendously valuable and effective program. Let us thank God for having given wisdom and understanding to our leadership for their forethought in pioneering in this field. May we never hide our light under a bushel.

Respectfully submitted, C. J. Rempel, Chairman

B. Administrator's Report

Brother Nick Braun read the administrator's report. Dear Brethren:

Greetings with Col. 3:17. "And whatsoever we do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by Him."

Conditions at the Bethesda Home are generally the same as

reported in 1965. A total of 68 people are employed. We were fortunate to obtain more professional nursing staff, making it possible to have one graduate nurse on duty on each shift. The hospital has a bed capacity of 110. The average occupancy at present is 103. A good number of applications for admission were not accepted, because of lack of space. There is great demand for this type of hospitalization. In 1966 so far 16 (7 male, 9 female) people admitted, 2 died, (female) 5 discharged (1 male, 4 female).

The financial statements are submitted separately. The proposed budget for 1966 is \$341,750.00.

We are grateful indeed, for the fine donations received from churches, individuals, friends and relatives of patients.

Income from the farm and donations, is used towards the maintenance cost of western patients. Allowance for depreciation on buildings and equipment in our budget are paid to the conference towards the retirement of the Bethesda loan. Little or no funds are thus available for capital improvements. Projecting to the future, we should realize that some of these needs will have to be considered. With today's emphasis on individual patient care, facilities should be made available for increased recreational therapy. Our kitchen facilities are inadequate. An elevator is a definite need. A new dishwasher and other hospital equipment are urgently required. (among other urgent needs)

With healing, spiritual care and Christian witness in mind great things can be done for patients, relatives and the community. This work remains a real challenge for our conference.

Allow me, on behalf of everyone at Bethesda, to thank you for your interest and prayers for us. May we ask you to continue to pray and support us in this task for our Master.

Yours in His Service, Nick Braun.

C. Chaplain's Report

Brother G. Epp, retiring chaplain, who had served after the resignation of brother D. A. Friesen last year, read the report.

Dear Conference:

Greetings with Ephesians 1:3 — "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessing in heavenly places in Christ." To convey this message to a people in need of spiritual blessings, is our task. They have very few or no other temporal blessings to partake of and to enjoy.

It is a joy to our heart to be a vessel, in God's sight to reveal Him to these people who are weak, and to be of spiritual comfort to them.

Many times the Lord has enriched us through the singing of gospel songs, and hearkening to His Holy Word. It is saddening however, that many do not appear to have any understanding or comprehension for spiritual needs. Some are completely complacent.

Physical activity is very necessary for body and soul, and this need is felt here too. Many react differently even to this opportunity. It takes much grace to deal with these problems.

It was a personal blessing to me to be of service again at the institution for the past 10 months. My sincere wish and prayer is that the Lord may bless this work, and that our hospital may be blessed with sincere spiritual-minded workers. I have appreciated their service.

May the Lord's blessing and mine be the portion to the new chaplain, Bro. Isaac Block.

Yours in Christ, G. J. Epp.

D. Financial Report

The financial report was given by brother Nick Braun and consisted of:

1. Audit Report

Feburary 17, 1966

The Canadian Conference of the Mennonite Brethren Churches of North America

We have examined the balance sheet of the Bethesda Home for the Mentally III as at December 31, 1965 and the statements of revenue and expenses of the institutional, general and farm accounts for the year ended on that date. Our examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying balance sheet and statements of revenue and expenses of the institutional, general and farm accounts, present fairly the financial position of Bethesda Home as at December 31, 1965 and the results of its operations for the year ended on that date, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Signed — Pfisterer, Ray & Ariss Chartered Accountants

Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1965

Assets

Current Assets

Petty cash	\$ 100.00	
Bank	17,612.58	
Accounts receivable	27,086.84	
Advances to employees	529.40	
Prepaid insurance	617.71	\$ 45,946.53
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Deferred Assets

Investment — gra Dairy Cattle			1.00 6,500.00	\$ 6,501.00
Fixed Assets				
	Cost or			
	Appraised	Accumulated		
	Value	Depreciation	Book Value	
Institutional		Dop' conteron		
Land	\$ 23,000.00		\$ 23,000.00	
Buildings	361,069.41		306,036.68	
Equipment	39,922.99		20,321.20	
Furniture	13,472.32		9,911.40	
Station Wagon	4,076.00		2,649.40	
Lagoon	2,000.00		1,700.00	
	2,000.00	500.00	1,100.00	
Farm				
Land Barns and	21,500.00		21,500.00	
outbuildings	14,316.39	1,802.91	12,500.00	
Trucks	7,811.35	1,669.09	6,142.26	
Tractor Machinery and	4,000.00	450.00	3,550.00	
equipment	8,330.51	1,407.86	7,422.65	
General				
Apartm. houses Furniture and	18,000.00	2,700.00	15,300.00	
fixtures	1,145.92	316.77	829.15	
	\$519,144.89	\$ 88,268.67		430,876.22
				\$483,323.75
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	L	iabilities		
Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable a Bank loans — curr	rent portion		\$ 10,320.56 17,200.00	# 00 F18 08
Employees' income	ax deduct	ions payable	1,226.40	\$ 28,746.96
Patients' Trust Ac Deferred Liabilities		CARREST CONTROL FOR EVEN		26,442.42
Bank loans			\$ 39,426.53	
Less Current portion	on — above		17,200.00	\$ 22,226.53
Total Liabilities				\$ 77 415.91

Conference Equity

(Conference of Canadian Mennonite Brethren Churches)

Surplus				
Balance—January 1, 1965 Add: Excess of revenue over expenses General account—			\$412,443.21	
per Exhibit "C"	\$ 2	20,395.23		
Farm account-per Exhibit "D"		7,119.58		
	\$ 2	27,514.81		
Less: Excess of expenses over				
revenue Institutional account	0 -	12,612.53	14,902.28	
—per Exhibit "B"	Φ.	12,012.33	14,502.20	
Gain on disposal of fixed assets			1,057.44	
Received from Conference			2,000.00	
			\$430,402.93	
Deduct: Book value of barn			10 - 10	
written off in demolition	\$	1,625.00		
Write down of value of investment in grapes shares		849.00		
Maintenance of western		010.00		
patients	\$:	22,021.09	\$ 24,495.09	
Balance—December 31, 1965				\$405,907.84
				\$483,323.75
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3. Statement of Revenue	and	Expense	es for the	year Ended
December 31, 1965				
Revenue		Access, Commission		\$306,292.35
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Expenses				
Wages and salaries—staff			\$197,598.36	
—doctors			11,175.00	
Medical care—drugs and suppl	ies		9,831.82 768.50	
—extras			2,039.44	
Occupational therapy, supplies	œ	racinnes	400.26	
Small Equipment			38,721.22	
Food and groceries			A 1750 (1977) # 10,000 (1970) 10 (1970) [1	
Household supplies			8,174.59	
Linen and bedding			1,642.17	
Repairs and maintenance			8,334.12	
Electricity			3,560.03	
Fuel for heating and cooking			6,759.90	

Offices expenses and postage		850.29	
Interest and bank charges		2,177.68	
Professional fees and dues		1,431.00	
Telephone		2,989.64	
Staff pension plan		7,135.35	
Staff group insurance and workmen's com-			
pensation		3,654.32	
Taxes and insurance		2,063.36	
Travel and convention expenses		3,193.13	
Miscellaneous expenses		1,753.58	
Depreciation—buildings		9,039.24	
—equipment and other	(65	5,603.83	
	2	328,896.83	
Less: Staff board and miscellaneous income	Ψ	9,991.95	
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Excess of Expenses over Revenue for the	year	r	\$ 12,612.53
4. General Account			
Statement of Revenue and Expens	ses	for the	vear Ended
December 31, 1965			,,
Revenue			
Donations			
	4	8 420 04	
Sale of handcrafts	\$		
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Expenses

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—tractors machinery and equipment	525.00 860.17	33,505.42

Excess of Revenue over Expenses for the year

\$ 7,119.58

All Bethesda reports were adopted.

E. Recommendations:

- 1. We ask the brotherhood to continue prayer-intercession for the staff and patients of the Bethesda Home.
- We recommend that our conference greet the personnel as our representatives in this mission of mercy, as well as Dr. H. D. Latham, the Medical Director of the institution, and that we wish them the Lord's blessing.
- We ask the conference to accept the amount of \$17,000 as our contribution towards the support of western patients.
- 4. We ask the conference to ratify the appointment of brother Isaac I. Block Chaplain and Social Worker, and that the Resolutions Committee prepare an appropriate resolution regarding his appointment and the retirement of brother G. J. Epp.

All recommendations 1—4 were accepted.

A number of staff members present in the auditorium were intorduced to the conference.

After several announcements had been made, brother G. J. Epp closed the session with prayer in which he remembered especially brother Peter Neumann, a delegate from Port Rowan. Brother Neumann was taken to the hospital during this convention time.

Sixth Session — Tuesday Evening, July 5, 1966

Brother Henry Goertzen led in the singing of "Revive Thy Work O Lord."

The sacred songs quartet, Kitchener sang "Herz lass das Sorgen sein," brother Eugene Gerbrandt opened the session with the reading of I Peter 2:9-10, a few pertinent applications, and prayer.

The minutes of the previous session were read and accepted without alteration.

V. BETHESDA (continued)

Brother C. J. Rempel read the report on proposed service to mentally retarded. The report included two recommendations which were accepted after some questions and discussion.

F. Report on proposed service to the Mentally Retarded

Periodically we are encouraged by the recognition Bethesda receives from people in authority for its contribution in the field of mental health. A further such recognition has come from the Association of the Mentally Retarded, and from D. D. E. Zarfas, director, Mental Retardation Branch of the Ontario Department of Health, by way of an offer to expand our facilities for the care of Adult Retardation Patients.

As a centennial project, facilities for up to 300 beds will be built in this area, providing accommodation and an active treatment program. Indirectly we have been given to understand that government grants of up to \$10,500.00 per bed will be available. We have reason to believe that there are additional funds, available for this type of program. The development of this program has been offered to Bethesda.

Some of the advantages, as we visualize them, are the following 1. A new outreach would be made available affecting many people.

- 2. Facilities would become available, not only to the new patients but also to those now in Bethesda.
- 3. It would meet a need which has become acute during the last several years.

Some of our concerns would be the following:

- 1. That we maintain our Christian witness.
- 2. That in spite of liberal grants, we maintain ultimate ownership and control.

It is our definite belief that such recognition and offer should be investigated, particularly in view of the fact that authorities have been thoroughly acquainted with the spiritual emphasis and program, and our code of ethics; which do not include such things as dancing, smoking, drinking etc. Careful consideration should be given to this new avenue, which would seem to offer a wonderful opportunity of an effective Christian Witness. We would therefore ask the Conference to consider, and if possible, to approve the following recommendations:

- 1. To extend an invitation to the Association for the Mentally Retarded, to consider Bethesda for this project.
- 2. To authorize the Bethesda Board to make further investigations and to present the findings to the Committee of Reference and Council.

The Bethesda Board.

G. Special Committee for Western Patients

1. Report

Brother I. H. Block (Borden) reported. Referring to several scripture passages, brother Block pointed to the opportunity and the obligation the conference has in the field of mental health. The statistical information given by brother Block was as follows:

At the present time 11 of the Bethesda patients are from western provinces: Manitoba—6 patients. Saskatchewan—3 patients. Albera—1 patient. B.C.—1 patient.

The cost of caring for these patients was approximately \$37,000. Of this about \$8,000 were paid by the respective families or the provincial M.C.C. The remainder was contributed by Bethesda and by means of Conference collections.

2. Recommendations of the Committee for Western Patients

a. In view of the fact that the Bethesda Committee is making a contribution of \$17,000 for western patients, we recommend that the churches of our conference contribute two strong offerings towards the support of western patients and that relatives again contribute \$2 per day.

Recommendation (b) was withdrawn at the six-session, but presented to the conference as a joint recommendation from the Bethesda Committee and the Committee for Western Patients at the final session:

b. We recommend that one of the duties of the Committee for Western Patients is to assist released patients from the Bethesda Home in a program of rehabilitation.

Both recommendations were accepted

3. Election of Committee for Western Patients

A motion carried that the committee be asked to serve for another year.

H. Election of the Bethesda Committee

It was pointed out that brother A. A. Dick formerly of N. Sas-katchewan is to represent all of Saskatchewan now.

Candidates: Ontario, G. J. Epp, Leonard Martens

Elected: G. J. Epp

The Sacredaires Octet from the Fairview M.B. Church in St. Catharines served with the song "Rejoice."

VI CANADA INLAND MISSION

Brother Harvey Gossen, chairman of the committee introduced the workers, brother Ernest Dyck and brother and sister Don Balzer, as well as the committee members and some substituting members on the platform. The brethren Gossen, Balzer and Dyck gave their reports. The financial statement was read by the treasurer, brother Ed Wiebe.

A. Chairman's Report

Dear brethren:

A verse of scripture that has meant much to me lately is the challenge of Rev. 4:11, "Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created." I trust that our lives do give God pleasure. It is our privilege to share with others God's plan and purpose for their lives.

We rejoice at the evidence of God's blessing in Quebec. It is encouraging to hear of interested responses to the faithful witness of God's people. We praise God for those that have accepted Christ as well as for the fact that new converts together with those who minister are growing in Christlikeness. How challenging that professional people may also share in this witness. We do express our gratefulness to the Ben Klassens for their faithful service in the work of the church. May God continue to bless their ministry as they return to the Congo.

We look into the coming year with optimism and enthusiasm. We are convinced that with the help of God's servants the many witness and outreach opportunities will be undertaken with continued faithfulness by the membership of the church in Quebec. Pray for them.

Let us also continue to pray and give so that the Canada Inland Mission may extend its witness for Christ as directed by the brother-hood and the Holy Spirit.

On behalf of the Canada Inland Mission, Harvey C. Gossen.

B. Brother Balzer's Report

Dear brethren:

We are very optimistic about the work of God in Quebec because we know that it is His work. As His ambassadors we are working together with Him to accomplish His task. We know that God can by His power in us, do far more than we could ever ask or imagine (Ephesians 3:20). Knowing this, we can say with William Carey, "Expect great things from God; attempt great things for God."

Please include us in your prayers so that God may open doors for us to enter with the gospel. Pray that we may talk freely of the mystery of Christ and make it understandable to men for their spiritual and eternal benefit (Col. 4:3,4.)

Yours in His Service, Don and Joan Balzer.

C. Brother Ernest Dyck's Report

Dear brethren:

Greetings with I Cor. 15:57, "But thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Since all the churches have received the pamphlet entitled, "The Mennonite Brethren Church Proclaiming the Gospel of Christ in French Canada," the report I am presenting will be a supplement to the above-mentioned publication. Permit me, therefore, to enumerate a number of victories the Lord has given in the work during the past year.

These are:

- The baptism of three converts and their acceptance into the local M.B. Church.
- 2. The completion of language study by the Don Balzers and their active participation in the work.
- 3. The people contacted last summer through "Operation Mobilization" and the permission to conduct street meetings in St. Jerome.
- 4. The beginning of a visitation program in which a number of local church members are taking an active part.
- 5. The publishing of a weekly evangelical article in the local French paper which has a circulation of over 9,000 copies.
- The purchase of a dwelling with an adjacent lot for the building of a chapel in St. Therese. The local church is participating financially in this project.
- 7. The radio program sponsored by our Canadian Conference Young People is now called "La Foi Vivifiante" (The Lifegiving Faith). The speaker is a French Canadian evangelist, Fernard St. Louis.
- 8. The Ben Klassens, who have spent two years in Quebec as teachers, are the first missionaries of the local M.B. church leaving for the foreign field.

As we face the future we thank the Lord for the victories He has given in the past. We are grateful for the prayers and financial support of our Canadian churches. Today we would ask you to continue to pray with us for an effective ministry in French Canada.

We submit the following needs:

1. That workers will come forth from the local church who have a burden for the lost. We are expecting to send two students to Bethel Bible Institute this year.

That Canada Inland Mission and the local church members would find a fruitful witness through participation in "Sermon From Science Pavilion" during Expo '67.

3. That the funds for the construction of a chapel in St. Therese might be procured by the fall of 1967.

4. That Canada Inland Mission and the local M.B. church may know God's will in reaching out to the most needy and fruitful areas of the province with the Gospel.

On behalf of the M.B. church and workers in Quebec, Ernes Dyck

D. Financial Statement of the Canada Inland Mission For the year ending May 31, 1966

Income .		
Opening Balance Received, Conf. Treas. re budget Special donations	13,117.00	
Expenditures		\$14,925.00
Legacy paid out for purchase of		
St. Therese property	\$ 1.301.25	
Radio	1,489.00	
Rent	1,140.15	
Taxes	452.95	
Salary — Dycks and Balzers	6,772.65	
Literature and Extension	192.65	
Administration	238.25	
Deputation	150.00	
Subsidy (utilities and repairs)	1.010.00	
Language study	730.40	
Garage and Ceiling tile	625.00	
Miscellaneous	23.30	
Balance Forward	2.29.2007; a.10. a. KVV	\$14,185.60 739.40
		\$14,925.00

We audited the Canada Inland Treasury books. In our opinion the financial report is a fair representation of monies received and forwarded by this treasurer.

Appointed auditors,

H. Unrau, Jake Janzen.

The recommendations were read by brother Henry Willms.

E. Recommendations of the Canada Inland Mission

We thank God for His blessings, for the prayers of our conference and for the ministry of our workers. We believe the coming year will include new opportunities and challenges; therefore, let us pledge ourselves to an increasing ministry of prayer for the work.

Therefore we recommend:

- 1. That the Canadian Conference commit itself to a program of further extension into new areas by authorizing the CIM to engage an additional worker, if and when its investigation should warrant such action.
- 2. We recommend our involvement in 'Sermons from Science' at Expo '67 to the extent that we supply one counsellor for a six-month period involving:
 - a. Expenses \$ 692.00
 - b. Salary for 4 months 1,000.00

We recommend that the Conference continue its church building support in Quebec so that after the completion of payments for St. Jerome a church building could be started in Ste Therese. This would be approximately in the fall of 1967.

- 4. We recommend that we again designate the Easter offering for the Canada Inland Mission.
- 5. We recommend a closer, co-operation between the CIM and the Provincial Home Missions Committees in the following areas:
 - a. Local pastors inform the H.M.C. whenever an M.B. member moves to a locality not served by an M.B. Church, that the H.M.C. could encourage personal, spiritual involvement of that member in active witness.
 - b. Provincial H.M.C. would share with the C.I.M. possibilities for future church extension and present service opportunities. The C.I.M. would then become the channel through which the entire brotherhood would receive information regarding Christian witness and service oportunities.

All five recommendations were accepted.

The budget was presented by brother Ed Wiebe.

F. Budget of the Canada Inland Mission-1966-67

Expenditures

Salaries	\$ 6,936.00
Pension Plan	141.71
Subsidy (utilities, repairs, mileage, tax extensions)	2,429,69
Radio	1,500.00
Investigation — NWT	500.00
Rent (debt retirement) Ste. Therese	1,140.00
Deputation	150.00
Administration	200.00
Bethel Bible Institute	200.00
Counsellors at EXPO	750.00
Miscellaneous	50.00
Medical Coverage	300.00
Total	\$14,297.40

Income

Opening balance	739.40
Youth Project	1,000.00
Offerings	12,558.00
Total	\$14 297 40

The budget was accepted.

G. Election of Chairman of Canada Inland Mission Committee Brother Harvey Gossen was nominated. A motion to elect brother Gossen by acclamation carried.

Brother Ernest Dyck gave a further explanation of the Expo '67

project and asked for prayer support for the counsellors.

SECTION E — EDUCATION AND PUBLICATION

- I. SUNDAY SCHOOL, YOUTH, AND INTERIM-CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEES
 - A. Report by the Chairman of the Interim-Christian Education Committee.

Brother J. H. Penner read the report which was adopted.

Dear brethren:

In Haggai 2:4 we read these words of encouragement:

"Yet now be strong, O Zerubbabel, saith the Lord; and be strong, O Joshua, son of Josedech, the high priest, and be strong all ye people of the land, saith the Lord, and work; for I am with you, saith the Lord of Hosts."

Almost a year ago our committee met to plan the work for the coming year. The first item on the agenda dealt with the resignation of our Executive-Secretary, brother George Konrad. After some discussion the motion to accept the resignation was carried.

We regretfully accept brother Konrad's resignation, having sincerely appreciated the services he has rendered the conference and having looked forward to the time when he could give this work his full time and attention. We thank him for the work done and wish brother and sister Konrad God's richest blessing for their future service. We herewith also express our sincere desire to enlist brother Konrad's valued services for the future as much as his time permits.

Because of the resignation, as you can understand, our projected work plans had to be rather curtailed.

I shall not attempt to report on each area of work at this time. Perhaps the major project has been the work on the supplemental curriculum for the Youth Training program. Brother Konrad had agreed to carry on with this project. This is quite a big undertaking. The material is a supplement to the Scripture Press Youth Training Program. It covers the total curriculum (Junior-High — 3 years; Senior-High — 4 years).

The "Leadership Training Program" has been the other major project during this past year. Brother Konrad has worked together with brother Elmo Warkentin of the U.S.A. on this project. This is to be completed and ready for the General Conference this fall.

We have also attempted to promote the use of libraries by printing a basic list of recommended books. This was done in close cooperation with brother Henry Dick of the Christian Press .

We feel that many of the things that we would like to have done we have not been able to do for one reason or another. The main reason being, perhaps, the lack of an Executive-Secretary. We would earnestly covet your prayers that we might find the brother who would serve our Conference in this capacity.

Respectfully submitted, J. H. Penner (chairman)

Brother H. H. Dueck read the report of the Youth Committee after introducing the youth committee members on this larger committee.

B. Report of the Youth Committee

Dear brethren:

As a segment of the Interim Christian Education Committee that has specific responsibilities in the area of youth work, we want to briefly report on the following areas of work:

I. Youth Projects and Finances

The following projects were undertaken this past year:

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Bursaries for M.B.B.C. students	\$ 600.00
French Broadcast, Quebec	1,500.00
Pussian Broadcast Saskatoon	1,000.00
Russian Broadcast, Saskatoon Japanese Broadcast, Osaka	1,000.00
Bethany Bible Institute, India	1,000.00
Theological Institute Curitiba	400.00
Voluntary Christian Service (Bd. of Welfare)	500.00
Bursary for European Bible School Student	200.00
TOTAL	6,200.00

With a credit balance of \$2,780.65 from last year and \$5,296.18 in donations a total of \$8,076.83 to work with. All the projects except the last bursary could be carried out. Pehaps we were too late with our bursary offer to the Board of Foreign Missions.

We want to thank all contributors to our projects.

II. Youth Worker

Brother G. Konrad with the help of an editorial advisory board has done a fine job in the preparation of the Youth Worker. Its purpose was to supplement or replace some of the material offered by the Scripture Press Training Hour series which we have adopted as the basic curriculum for youth work. We want to thank brother Konrad for the fine work he has done in studying and offering practical solutions for our curriculum problem.

III. Youth Work

January 30 — February 5 was again designated as Youth Week for the churches of our conference. The theme, "In the Name of Christ," was emphasized with the aim that our young people would use every relationship of life, to live for Christ.

IV. Youth Caravan

The evaluations of the work of the Youth Caravan that visited some B.C. Churches under the auspices of Voluntary Christian Services were generally positive. Due to a lag in communications we were unable to implement a Youth Caravan on the Canadian level this year, but hope to do so for 1967.

V. Canadian Wide Youth Rally

We have studied the possibilities and advantages of such a venture. The details of our plans appear in the recommendations.

May God bless the work done this past year and continue to give us vision, love and grace to meet the real needs of our young people in all the various levels of youth work in our conference.

Sincerely on behalf of the Committee

C. Financial Report of the Interim-Christian Education Committee

Brother H. R. Baerg introduced the members of the Sunday School Committee. Brother D. E. Redekop read the financial report.

Balance Sheet, June 29, 1965 to June 30, 1966

Receipts		
Bank balance — May 31, 1965 Conference Treasury	\$ 95.17 5 100.00	
Refund on Youth Caravan	26.24	5,221.41
Expenditures		
Wages — Executive Secretary	1,533.56	
— Office Help	338.65	
Office Supplies	119.12	
Travel — Executive Secretary	193.00	
Members	493.00	
Sunday School Materials	19.21	
Christian Education Meetings	103.97	
Petty Cash and Exchange	119.62	
Sunday School Insert — Adult Quarterly	185.63	
Youth Caravan	100.00	
Editorial Work re: Youth Worker	1.338.96	
Library	153.72	
Bank Balance — June 30, 1966	362.97	5,221.41

D. E. Redekop, treasurer

The report was adopted.

D. Recommendations of the Interim Christian Education Committee

General

We recommend:

- 1. that the Canadian Conference adopt the new Leadership Training Program for implementation in our local churches and allow \$1000 toward the printing of materials. This is a joint venture with the Committee on Evangelism and Christian Education in the U.S.A.
- 2. that in view of the continuing need for church workers, the churches be challenged and encouraged to continue to offer Leadership and Teacher Training courses, both on the local church and provincial levels. As far as possible, all the educational agencies of the local church should be involved.

Sunday School

- 1. We recommend that this conference authorize the Interim Christian Education Committee to plan and conduct a Canada-Wide Sunday School Convention, to be held some time in the latter part of 1967. This recommendation arises out of the following ensiderations:
 - a) To foster and promote unity in all aspects of our Sunday School endeavors it is necessary for those involved in the Sunday School work of our churches to meet from time to time for consultation and mutual inspiration.
 - b) A Sunday School Convention with such a broad basis has the potential of providing a program which will cover all aspects of instruction, administration and curriculum to meet the needs of all departments of our Sunday Schools.
- 2. We recommend that we continue to consider both the M.B. Imprint material and the Scripture Press material as the curriculum materials which this Conference recommends for use in our Sunday Schools.

Youth Committee

We recommend:

1. that the following youth projects be accepted for	1966-67:
M.B.B.C. Bursaries (3)	\$ 600.00
Quebec Bible School bursaries (2)	400.00
Bethany Bible Institute, India	
Russian Broadcast, Saskatoon	500.00
Japanese Broadcast, Osaka	1,000.00
French Broadcast, Quebec	1,000.00
Youth Caravan, Welfare Board	400.00
Jeep for Leprosy Mission, Paraguay	1,000.00
Sermons from Science, Expo '67	

\$6,100.00

- 2. that the **Youth Worker** continue to be published and that the Scripture Press **Training Hour Youth Guides** be used for additional youth program materials.
- 3. that the last week in January be observed as Youth Week in all churches of the Canadian Conference.
- 4. that a Canadian Youth Caravan Project be implemented for the Ontario and Manitoba churches in 1967.
- 5. that a Canadian Youth Rally be planned and implemented for all young people in Canada in 1968.

General Recommendations: Both 1 and 2 were accepted.

Sunday School Recommendations

Recommendation 1 was defeated.

Recommendation 2 was accepted.

Youth Committee Recommendations

Recommendations 1-4 were accepted.

Recommendation 5, concerning the Canadian Youth Ralley in 1968 was discussed at some length and defeated by a vote of 94 to 92.

E. Budget of the Interim Christian Education Committee.

The budget was presented by brother D. E. Redekop and adopted after some questions had been answered.

Budget 1966-67

Sunday School

Promotion	\$ 500.00
Literature	500.00
Library	200.00
Youth — Youth Worker	1,100.00
Education work	300.00
Canadian Youth Rally 1968	150.00
General — Executive Secretary	5,000,00
Casual help	1,000.00
Office	700.00
Leadership training	1,000.00
Miscellaneous	300.00

\$10,750.00

After some announcements the Sacredaires Octet sang: "Some Day My Yearning Will be O'er". A delegate from the floor closed the meeting with prayer.

Seventh Session - Wednesday Morning

July 6, 1966

Brother J. K. Schroeder led the delegation in the singing of "Voran, Voran, mit Jesus".

Brother Wilmer Kornelson took charge of the opening devotional session. In his introductory remarks he asked for prayer and intercession on behalf of brother A. J. Sawatzky who is seriously ill in Vancouver. Brother Kornelson read 1 Cor. 1:18-24 and opened the session with prayer.

The moderator asked the Resolutions Committee to formulate an appropriate greeting to be sent in form of a letter to brother Sawatzky. He also announced that brother Is. Dyck, Clearbrook, had gone to be with the Lord. (See **Greetings**)

The minutes of the previous session were read by the secretary and adopted as read.

It was also decided to send a greeting from the conference to brother Jac. Lepp, Dalmeny. (See Greetings)

I. Interim - Christian Education Committee (continued)

F. Elections

1. Chairman of Youth Committee

A motion carried that brother H. H. Dueck be elected chairman of the Youth Committee by acclamation.

2. Secretary of Youth Committee

Brother John Eckert was elected by acclamation after several brethren had withdrawn their nomination.

- Chairman of the Interim Christian Education Committee Candidates: Jacob H. Penner, John Unger Elected: Jacob H. Penner
- 4. Treasurer of the Interm Christian Education Committee Brother D. E. Redekop was elected by acclamation.

II. MUSIC AND HYMNAL COMMITTEES

A. Report of Music Committee

Brother John Martens introduced committee members on the platform and read a report on behalf of the chairman, brother Helmut Janzen who was not present. The report was accepted. In his oral comments brother Martens emphasized one responsibilty in transmitting our musical heritage to our children and to utilize centennial year opportunities.

Dear Brethren of the Conference:

In retrospect of the mercy and grace the Lord has shown us in the past year, we exclaim with the Psalmist, "Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but unto thy name give glory, for thy mercy and for thy truth's sake."

In our report last year you will remember that we briefly gave an account of the work in the provinces. Due to circumstances we have not been able to do this this year but will briefly report on the work of the Canadian Committee.

We were encouraged by many brethren to once again have an all Canadian music conference. The executive met in the last week of December to finalize the program and make the necessary arrangements for such a conference. The conference was held during the Easter week at the Bethany Bible Institute, Hepburn, Saskatchewan. The brethren Duane Sample from Warren, Ohio and George Wiebe from Winnipeg served us well with demonstration lectures in children's choir work and conducting. Some 50-60 musicians were able to avail themselves of this time of learning and training.

Three music students at MBBC received each a bursary this year. We wish to thank all the churches, especially the choirs, for their faithful stewardship. As had been planned, we have nearly enough money for three bursaries for this coming school year.

Some of the greatest benefits for all our church musicians will still come from the provincial activities and workshops. We would encourage our brethren to heartily support the provincial work so that God's work can be done more effectively. May the Lord help us in our God-given assignment.

Respectfully submitted, on behalf of the committee Helmut T. Janzen

B. Recommendations of the Music Committee

- 1. We recommend that the members of our churches be periodically reminded to pray for all our church musicians.
- 2. We recommend that a budget of \$800.00 be accepted for 1966-67.

Both recommendations were accepted.

C. Report of the Hymnal Committee

Brother Eugene Gerbrandt read the report written by secretary Peter Klassen who was not present.

Dear Brethren of the Canadian Conference:

During the past year the work of revising and editing and publishing a new English MB Hymnal has continued. The members of the committee have been working on individual projects and the

full committe has met twice for work sessions of several days' duration, once in Winnipeg and again at Fresno.

A comprehensive and rather detailed report of our work will be presented to the General Conference this fall in Corn, Oklahoma. That report is to include (in tentative form) following information:

- 1. A brief historical sketch of our hymnals and the reasons for embarking on a new publication.
- 2. Methods used in selecting the "core material" from each hymnal.
- A list of hymns in alphabetical order, presently under consideration.
- A table of contents sheet with the number of hymns presently in each category.
- A statistical analysis of certain sections to show the balance between old and new hymns.
- 6. A statement on budget requirements operating costs, publication estimates, printing and binding, etc.

Some publicity concerning various aspects of the work will be appearing in our periodicals shortly and from time to time. We are planning to have groups sing a number of hymns at the General Conference.

Depth studies in the following areas are continuing: worship aids, translations, Gospel songs, Negro Spirituals, hymns for children and youth, evaluations and classification of texts. We are constantly on the lookout for good new hymns, especially in such areas as social justice, stewardship, and missionary hymns.

We are concerned that the new hymnal will serve the manifold needs in our constituency adequately, and to aid the believer in private spiritual devotion. You assist us in this work by supporting this effort in prayer and by letting us know of your own concern about specific hymns. Please send us hymns or texts that you think ought to be in the book and which you think we might have overlooked; or send us new translations of German (or other) texts.

"Speaking to each other in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs..."

The Hymnal Committee (Peter Klassen, Sec.)

The report was adopted. During the discussion it was stated that the target date for the completion of the new hymnal is 1970.

D. Election of Music Committee Executive

Candidates for chairman of Music Committee:

J. K. Schroeder, Alan Janzen, Howard Dyck, Henry Peters

Elected: J. K. Schroeder

Other Members of Music Committee

Executive:

Nominations Howard Dyck, Peter J. Dick

A motion carried that these two brethren be elected by accla-

III. BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Brother D. J. Pankratz took the chair. Brother John Wiebe, chairman of the board, introduced board members and read the report.

A. Report:

Dear brethren:

Your Board of Christian Education has continued to concern itself with questions related to the institutional education in our conference. This is an accounting of our stewardship. In the past few years and again now we sense that the direction which we feel led to go is not that which all our brotherhood favors. We are somewhat in the position of Abraham's servant sent on an assignment. He swore before God to do as Abraham directed, yet realizing that what he was asked to do was unconventional and difficult he exclaimed "What if the woman will not be willing to follow me" (Gen. 24:5). We also are going out to make proposals, but what if you are not willing to follow us? Our plea is not that you follow our wisdom, but that God give us together wisdom in all matters.

The report now in several areas:

- 1. Teacher placement bureau A directory of potential teachers for our institutions has been compiled for several years. It has been used, but only to a limited extent. In view of the effort involved the board voted to suspend this activity for the present.
- 2. Student survey Bro. H. R. Baerg took on the difficult task of compiling the Canadian M.B. student survey list. We had hoped to have the list complete earlier than was the case in previous years. Again the amount of work proved to be too much to be done quickly in the "spare" time of busy men. We are sorry that the list was not out earlier. We are not sure just how we will attempt to do this work in the coming year. We may go back to the previous system of working with the intermennenite and U.S. M.B. committees more closely.
- 3. Student services Something has been done, much more could be done. This is an area where we need to get our thinking clear.
- a. Bro. H. R. Baerg attended the inter-Mennonite student services meeting in Chicago. From this he gained insight into the work underway in other conferences.

- b. The future of joint student services work was discussed but was not clarified.
- c. The chairman attended part of the meeting of the Consultation of Christian Churches and Agencies Regarding University Work in Canada held in Ottawa. It was decided to apply for membership since the cost is nominal and we could learn much from others working with students.
- d. A sub-committee under chairman J. B. Toews was appointed to study the area of direct student services more closely. The report of this committee follows:

"In any type of Christian outreach it is always essential to remember that it is only the power of God which, in the final analysis, can affect a basic change in the individual, Methodology and organization, ingenious and well-structured though it might be, will, in the long range, do little to transform men and women. The complete supremacy of the Spirit of God must be recognized and reconed with in any program of the church on the campus.

We must be aware as to the basic issues involved in a campus outreach. The principles of the Gospel do not allow us to think in terms of serving only our own young people on the University campus. Survival in future decades will not depend on self-preservation and segregation but upon a selfless penetration of all levels of society with the gospel. The basic task which confronts us in university evangelism is that of enriching the lives of Christian students on the campus and of training these to communicate their Christian experience to others. The task therefore cannot be a worker-dominated effort but rather a worker directed effort.

A campus work will never be a highly dramatic public work in the sense that it can be statistically well documented. It does not achieve its justification through mass rallies or a whirl of social and religious activities. Instead the campus becomes a place where the gospel is preached individually and personally. The target is the individual student and his problems. A campus ministry must help the student solve his personal difficulties and to make him willing to share these with other Christian students or a special worker. Then he must be encouraged to share his faith with others. Essentially the campus ministry is concerned with training Christian students to engage in an active witness.

How is the task of a campus witness best accomplished? For many denominations the University Chaplaincy has been a traditional means of fulfilling this obligation. Such a minstry has certainly had its positive results. Some smaller denominations, unable to afford the expense of a chaplain at every campus, have resorted to a travelling chaplaincy. As a solution to the problem of a campus witness the chaplaincy is not without its problems.

The chaplain is essentially outside of the university community and has no organic connection with it. He can to be sure serve in a counseling capacity or as a speaker for religious clubs on campus. To many Christian students, however, he represents the Church transferred to the campus. Since the student's Christian experience in the church has always been in the context of a speaker-listener relationship, the ministry of the chaplain often encourages him not to think of himself in his Christian faith. If a chaplain is appointed, the use of a young man, recently out of University himself, might aid in this problem of identification and integration.

In addition to the chaplaincy the possibilty of a student centre might be explored. This could take the form of a special building near the campus staffed by a full-time worker. Since many individuals in the constituency are finding employment in the universities of our land, these should possibly be encouraged to set up student centers in their own homes, if possible.

If the conference should feel compelled to proceed with a student project of one kind or another close co-operation with IVCF would be adviseable, especially since this organization has years of experience in university work.

Another desireable area of activity might relate to conference sponsored student camps at which students planning to attend university as well as those already in university could meet for discussions, workshops and lectures.

The problems of a Christian witness on campus should not be unduly delayed by the conference. The direction which our conference will take in future decades depends upon the type of men and women our constituency trains."

4. Christian High Schools —

Bro. Rudy Bartel presented considerable information on the MB Christian high schools. Of interest may be some comparative figures on attendance in the past 3 years.

	Sharon	M.B.C.I.	M.E.I.	Eden	Total
1963-64	84	227	372	150	833
1964-65	67	209	399	166	841
1965-66	76	175	370	169	790

In addition to the comprehensive survey on many aspects of the schools there were a number of questions asked about attitudes toward school support, and areas of greatest difficulty. The results were sent back to the schools and should be helpful to all.

5. Bible school and Bible College attendance —

A tabulation of students in our Bible training institutions according to home province indicates that proportionately Saskatchewan and Alberta have high attendance and Ontario has the lowest

	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Other	Total
M.B.B.I.	1	1	0	3	59	3	67
Bethany	6	1	78	30	32	3	150
Winkler	13	50	0	1	0	0	64
Bible School Total	20	52	78	34	91	6	281
M.B.B.C.	23	53	12	13	37	10	148
Total in all schools	43	105	90	47	128	16	429
% of Prov. membership	1.8	2.5	3.9	3.6	2.3		2.8

In addition it was found that nearly half of the M.B.B.C. students have attended at least one year of Bible school. Also now far over half of the students in our Bible schools have completed high school and almost all have had at least some high school training.

6. Future structure of Bible Institute training -

Following the thinking of the past two years, as indicated in the reports to the conference, your board has discussed further the unification of effort in Bible Institute training within our brotherhood. The reasining of the board for suggested centralization of effort is given on pages 108-110 of the 1965 Conference yearbook. Progressing from this we now would like to outline the next steps needed, as we see them, as we proceed towards that goal.

The present arrangement of contacts between schools and with our board, though far from perfect achieves at least some of the responsibilities given us by the conference. We visualize a structure for the immediate future which would retain the presently existing schools with their local boards. With time we as a conference implement the decisions made in 1963 (Yearbook 1963 page 90) to make a Canadian conference board responsible for the curriculum and academic standards of our schools. Local Bible Institute boards should always be kept responsible for the local operation of the school but we as a Canadian conference must decide the overall purpose and direction of our training program.

Before we can go much further in attempting to set policy in any of our schools we will have to become involved in the schools financially. At present some parts of our total constituency are making heavy sacrifices for the schools while others have very little or no direct financial involvement. We are all responsible, we will all benefit, and it seems to us that we should all carry a more nearly equal part of the burden of finances if we are going to consider these "our schools". For this reason we recommend direct financial subsidy to the schools on both a per student and a per school basis.

The report was adopted and discussion followed particularly on the question of university chaplaincy service.

Brother H. R. Baerg requested prompt response of the churches to the committee's student survey questionnaires.

B. Recommendations of the Board of Christian Education.

Brother H. R. Baerg submitted the recommendations on behalf of the Board of Christian Education.

- 1. That we continue the student survey and budget \$500 for this.
- 2. That we allow the Board up to \$150 for secretarial services if this is required.
- That we continue studies on student service possibilities and permit travel as required to related meetings by Board representatives, with a limit of \$150.
- 4. That we begin direct subsidy of our Bible Institutes from Canadian Conference funds. That the subsidy be at the rate of \$100 per student enrolled in the school and \$2,500 per school per year.

Recommendation 1 accepted.

Recommendation 2 accepted.

Recommendation 3 accepted.

Recommendation 4 It was moved to refer this matter to the provincial conferences for their consideration and action.

A motion of amendment that the conference endorse in principle the matter of direct subsidy and then refer it to the provincial conference was defeated.

The original motion regarding this recommendation then carried.

Brother J. K. Schroeder led the delegation in the singing of "O Lord My God, How Great Thou Art."

C. Further details re: Future Structure of Bible Institute Training and Explanation re: Recommendation $\#\ 4$:

In Board sessions the discussion led to concensus that we try to work our centralization through a grant system from the Canadian Conference. This grant could be given on a per student basis and would be contingent upon the meeting of specified standards as required by the conference.

The following plan is presented for your careful consideration:

A Board of Christian Education, elected by the Can. Conf. and responsible to it, would assume the following duties and responsibilities:

- supervise the granting of the subsidy
- supervise a core curriculum
- promotion of the total Bible training program

- give advice on long-range planning and expansion
- give advice on salary schedule
- set standards
- approve local electives
- in general, give leadership to the Conference in all matters of Christian education

The local school executives would have the following duties and responsibilities:

- Hire teachers
- Curriculum (electives)
- Plant operation and maintenance
- Local financing
- Local publicity and promotion
- Implimentation of expansion
- Salaries

Membership on Board

- Every province to have one representative per 2000 members or fraction thereof.
 - Representatives from Institutions 2 from College
 - 3 from B.I.'s (one from each school)
 - 1 from High Schools
 - A chairman elected at large but serving as one of the representatives from his province.

What do we hope to accomplish through its implementation:

- Equalization of financial burden
- Personal financial incentive to the student
- Promote the structuring of a total, unified program
- Incentive for a core curriculum
- Present a unified image to the constituency
- allows for specialization on the basis of local needs within a total framework.

Prayerfully submitted, Board of Christian Education

IV. MENNONITE BRETHREN BIBLE COLLEGE

(Proceedings and deliberation as they took place during the session on Monday afternoon, July $4\ \mathrm{are}\ \mathrm{recorded}\ \mathrm{here}).$

Chairman H. W. Redekopp introduced the board members, called to the platform faculty members present and read the report. The report was adopted.

A. Report by Chairman of the Board

Dear brethren of the Conference:

When we consider what God has done for M.B.B.C. during this past year our hearts are filled with gratitude and therefore we give thanks unto Him.

As a board we have met four times, with the meetings being well attended. We carried out our responsibilities with diligence and enthusiasm, as representatives of our brotherhood. Because of the good administration and because of the support of all of the staff, we are also able to show a good financial report.

We would like to thank the President, faculty and staff that they have so faithfully carried out their duties during the past year.

We report with regret that our President has resigned. Upon the receipt of this resignation the executive felt that a meeting of the whole board should be called to deal with the question, and also with all matters that we often try to do so hurriedly during conference time.

The board gave consideration to various ways of filling the position of the President. After considerable deliberation at a joint meeting of the board and faculty it was agreed that an Interim Committee for administration of the College be appointed to carry on the administration of the College for the coming year. It was agreed to ask the three brethren D. Ewert, J. A. Toews and H. Voth to serve on this committee with Brother D. Ewert as chairman. This arrangement would be in effect until God will show us the brother to fill the position of President. In the meantime it was agreed by the board and faculty that we move forward enthusiastically and optimistically.

At the conference at Hepburn in 1965 the board received permission to go ahead on planning further expansion of buildings on our campus. The condition was that it would be long term financing and would not put a further immediate demand upon the conference funds.

At our annual meeting in January, 1966, the board discussed and worked out a Building Program for the needs of our College in coming years.

A building containing dormitory, kitchen and dining room facilities received first priority. This possibly could be built in 1967. A building for music facilities and a student centre was placed next on the list. Plans were to be worked out and presented to the College board members for study and decision. Further plans will be made. However, we must voice some concerns to you brethren. Until the position of president is again filled, there may be some delay in our expansion program.

The board recommends the Bible College and College of Arts to the Conference for further moral and financial support but especially to pray for the future of our institution.

H. W. Redekopp, chairman

B. Report by the President of MBBC

The president read the report and inserted orally an appeal for kitchen help for the next year. Suggestions are to be given to H. W. Redekopp or D. Ewert.

Gratitude

The College faculty, staff, and students are sincerely grateful to God, to the constituency and to the Board for making another year at college possible. There is a growing awareness that the College and the churches need to work together in harmony and mutual inter-dependence for promoting the work of the Lord. We wish to thank all who have in any way supported this important ministry.

Our Task

Our task is to recruit and train young men and women for service in the Kingdom of God in a century of change and challenge. It is a task that calls for clear thinking, frank discussion and resolute action. We trust that together we can gain enough insight, courage and faith to provide for the progressive development of a school in which we can offer the best possible training at a price we can afford to pay.

Faculty and Staff

The following are the members of the faculty and staff who have served the College during the past school year.

Faculty:

- J. H. Quiring, B.A., B.D. President
- V. Adrian, B.A. (Hon.) M.Th. Historical and Biblical Theo.
- D. Ewert, M.A., M.Th. Registrar Exegetical Theology
- H. Giesbrecht, M.A., B.Th. Librarian English
- P. Klassen, M.A. Music
- H. Loewen, M.A., B.R.E. German
- V. Martens, B.A., A.R.C.T. Music
- J. A. Toews, Ph.D., B.D. Historical and Syst. Theol.
- J. J. Toews, M.A., B.D. Chr. Service Director Pract. Theol.
- H. Voth, B.A., B.D. Dean of Students Pract. Theol

Instructors:

Marjorie Wiens — Piano Filmer Hubble — Organ V. Morone — Italian

Staff:

John Konrad — Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds

Mrs. Esther Horch — Dean of Women

Anne Schmidt - Accountant

Alice Dueck — Secretary

Mrs. Kay Quiring — Secretary to the Librarian (part-time)

Anne Froese - Dietition

Katie Thielmann - Cook

Mrs. Lena Falk — Cook

There will be some changes in faculty and staff for next year. Brotner Adrian has been granted a sabbatical leave for the second semester and will take up graduate work at Concordia Biblical Seminary. Brother Victor Martens is already in Europe with his family where he will continue his studies during a two-year leave of absence. Brother J. J. Toews has submitted his resignation as instructor to take on an assignment under the Canadian Conference Committee on Evangelism. Miss Marjorie Wiens has also terminated her services as piano teacher. Miss Anne Froese, who has served the College as dietition for eleven years, has expressed a need for a change and will not be with us next year. Her helpers also have other plans for next year and so we are looking for a new staff in the kitchen.

The following new members have been added to the faculty for next year:

William Baerg, B.A., A.R.C.T. — Music Mrs. Irmgard Baerg, A.M.M., A.R.C.T. — Piano Visiting lecturers:

Abram J. Dueck, B.A., B.D. Vernon Ratzlaff, B.A., B.S.W., M.A. (cand.) — part-time Herbert L. Swartz, B.A., B.D., M.Th. (cand.)

The Board has also employed the brethren Allen Guenther and John Regehr to commence service in 1967 and 1968 respectively. Brother Guenther will complete his work toward his M.A. in Biblical Literature at Wheaton College this summer, and plans to continue his seminary work for another year, concentrating in Old Testament studies, at either Trinity Evangelical Seminary or Gordon Divinity School. Brother John Regehr, who is majoring in practical theology, has been accepted by the Southern Baptist Seminary at Louisville, Kentucky, for his doctoral program.

Changes in the administration have already been reported by the chairman of the Board.

Students

Our enrollment has remained fairly constant during the past five years:

	1961-62	1962 - 63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66
Full-time	139	135	160	154	149
Part-time	5	19	19	14	15
Total	144	154	179	168	164

The 1965-66 student body may be classified as follows:

Geography:

British	Columbia	ACTION 10 (0.000 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000	35
Alberta			13

Saskatchewan	13	
Manitoba	F0	
Ontario	24	
Foreign (including 1 from USA)	11	149
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Marital Status:		
Married	47	
Single	102	149
Sex:		
Men	94	
Ladies	55	149
Church Affiliation:		
Mennonite Brethren	130	
Other Mennonites	77	
Baptists	5	
Other denominations	7	149

The average age of our students was 25.1 years. Student prospects for the coming year are encouraging:

Students who have indicated their intention to return: 71

New applications as of June 15: 38

Total: 109

Graduates

1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964 - 65	1965-66
_	1	1	3	2
14	10	16	13	10
19	15	22	17	15
9	3	5	1	1
W.U.C.)	_	-		2
42	29	44	34	30
	(1 stu	ident rece	eived 2 de	egrees)
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On May 8 we graduated 29 students, 22 men and 7 women.

Of these:

- 8 plan to continue their studies
- 2 enter the pastoral ministry
- 4 have accepted a Bible school ministry
- 5 will go into teaching
- 2 go back into nursing

2 will serve under the Board of Welfare and Chr. Service

1 has received an assignment under MCC

1 has received an assignment under our Mission Board

3 are indefinite

Pray for these brethren and sisters.

Curriculum

The Board has discussed and approved our program of courses in the following divisions: Bible College

College of Arts Seminary

The Bible College program continues to represent the core of our offerings and attracts the larger number of students. However, the interest in the liberal arts program is much alive and may increase. Our enrollment in the B.D. division is not great but the program recognizes a growing need for graduate work in theology. We place confidence in the board and the constituency to help us direct our program of studies to meet our current needs.

Further information on our curriculum is printed in our college catalogues and may be obtained by writing to the college.

Library

Our library is a pleasant place to work. It provides adequate space, a growing collection of books and periodicals, and friendly and efficient service to students. We have over 12,000 volumes and 80 paid periodicals available to students. The librarian reports increased use of library materials by students. Special donations for the library are always appreciated and applied to good use.

Student Life

All college employees feel under obligation to help maintain a high standard of Christian conduct in school and to promote the Christian life. We are again happy to report that class-room instruction, chapel services, prayer meetings, missionary conference, and mutual exhortations have helped students to grow spiritually. However, there was evident need for further growth.

Our students have been a great asset to the school. Their participation in Christian service, in our deputation ministry, and their testimony in general has been appreciated.

Recruitment

Efforts have been made to present the College and its program to the constituency. Attractive and informative literature has been mailed to graduates of Bible and High Schools and also to university students whose names and addresses have been provided by Mennonite Brethren Student Services.

The A Cappella Choir visited a number of churches in British Columbia this past winter and received a very fine and encouraging response. Faculty members, accompanied student groups, have visited the Manitoba churches. An attempt was also made to arrange for a few faculty visits to address our youth more particularly and to challenge them with our college program. Brother Adrian visited the Saskatoon-Hepburn area over a week end in spring and Brother Ewert visited most churches in Ontario. Both brethren returned with joy, and encouraging reports.

Finances

Our financial needs have again been met. Income from students and donations from the churches, and groups have made it possible to conclude our fiscal year with a small balance. A sincere word of thanks to all who have given. We encourage you to continue to give according to your ability and our need. A brief summary of receipts for the operational fund over the last five year period may be of interest:

	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66
Tuition	25,238.80	26,569.00	34,413.10	36,748.30	36,711.25
Board	28,534.75	22,752.46	26,087.53	26,163.83	21,061.50
Room	15,493.65	14,597.75	16,424.45	21,216.55	27,128.25
Appl. Music fees	6,615.49	7.669.00	7,753.93	5,695.58	5,754.05
Conf. Grant	20,000.00	20,000.00	25,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00
Church Offering					
& Priv. Donat.	13,723.63	14,586.24	14,770.43	15,871.59	14,748.37
Educ. Endow.	1,440.00	1,800.00	2,000.00	2,400.00	2,160.00
Balance end of y	7. 6,801.44	9,950.09	79.12	6,846.15	882.96

The president's report was adopted.

Brother H. W. Redekopp gave the financial reports. The reports were adopted.

C. Financial Reports

1. Balance Sheet

As at May 31, 1966 Assets Revenue Fund

Cash:

Accounts Receivable Student's Charges, etc. 6,978.46 Inventories Dormitory Foodstuffs 270.53	Cash on Hand and in Bank (including Petty Cash) \$	1,790.61
		6,978.46
		270.53

\$ 9.039.60

Capital Fund

Capital Assets. Book Value Depreciation			
	1,661.70 8.604.35		
and Fixtures 40,463.70 26,002.04 1	4,461.66 0,000.00		
\$544,216.12 \$ 79,488.41		\$46	34,727.71
Trust Fund			
Trust Assets			
Cash on Hand and in Bank		\$	4,153.56
		\$47	77,920.87
		7	
Liabilities and Surplus			
Revenue Fund Current Liabilities			
Accounts Payable \$ Students' Credit Balance Employees' Deductions Payable	947.11 288.50 738.94	\$	1,974.55
Nominal Surplus (Canadian Conference of Mennonite Brethren):			
Balance, May 31, 1965 \$ 7 Deduct:	7,948.01		
	882,96		
Balance, May 31,1966		\$	7,065.05
		\$	9,039.60
Capital Fund			
Building Fund Loan (Note 1) \$113	3,111.42		
Net Investment in Capital Assets			
(Canadian Conf. of Mennonite Brethren) Balance, May 31, 1965 \$317,808.15 Add:			
Capital Expenditures from Revenue Fund 4,449.40			

Debit Retirement — BuildingFund Loan 43,888.58 Provision for Depreciation 14,529.84	\$351,616.29	
Balance, May 31, 1966		\$464,727.71
Trust Fund		
Trust Liabilities		
B. B. Fast Memorial Library Collection Medical Aid Insurance Fees Music Fund Specified Donations Canadian Conference of M.B. Churches — Scholarship College Car Fund	498.44 1,633.73 327.65 500.00	\$ 4,153.56
		\$477,920.87
Revenue College Operating Instruction:		
	# 20 711 0F	
Tuition — General Tuition — Music Textbook Sales Graduation Fees "The Voice" — Subscriptions, etc.	5,754.05 482.91 203.00	\$ 43,636.16
Board and Room:		
Board — General \$ 21,061.50 Room — Rents 27,128.25	\$ 48,189.75	
Less: Assessment for Debt Retirement — Canadian Conf. of M.B.	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 41,189.75
Other:		
Projector Rental Student Work Parking	102.00 512.00	e 1.474.00
Laundry fee	833.00	\$ 1,474.00

\$ 86,299.91

Donations and Grants Canadian Conference of Mennonite Brethren:

Ministers' Training Course General	\$ 1,500.00 40,000.00	
	\$ 41,500.00	
Donations:		
Educational Endowm. Fund \$ 2,160.00 General \$ 14,748.37	\$ 16,908.37	\$ 58,408.37
Total Revenue on College Account . Net loss for year	±52 = 0.00	\$144,708.28 \$ 882.96
		\$145.591.24

Expenditures

College Operating

Instruction:

Salaries—Teaching Staff — General	\$ 70,233.89	
Salaries—Teaching Staff — Music	3,735.75	
Textbooks	336.34	
Library Books	3,007.40	
Ministers' Training Course	1,537.35	
Graduation Expense		
Gymnasium Rent (net)	642.00	
Music Expense \$ 1,394.25		
Less: Choir Revenue 565.56	828.69	
Miscellaneous, Year Book, etc.	439.93	\$ 81,165.47
Kitchen:		
Wages—Kitchen Staff	\$ 5,579.00	
Provisions	10,986.70	
Dishes, etc. (deep freeze, garburator)	1,017.90	\$ 17,583.60
Dormitories:		
Wages — Caretaking	\$ 5,696.58	
Washroom and Janitor's Supplies	1,277.57	
Repairs and Alterations	7,310.80	
Supplies and Equipment	435.59	
Fuel	3,179.13	

Light and Power		2,697.50		
Telephone and Telegraph		451.74		
Water		834.69	\$	21.883.60
Other:				
Deputation and Christian Service			\$	1,991.37
College Operating Expenses directly applicable to Students			\$1	22,624.04
Administrative and General Expenses				
(See below)			\$	21,668.30
Other Expenditure:				
Furniture, Equipment and Fixtures Deduct:	\$	4,449.40		
Specified Donations	\$	3,150.50	\$	1,298.90
Total Expenditure on College Account			\$1	45,591.24
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Accrediting Assoc. of Bible Colleges fee	\$	212.86		
Canada Pension Plan Contributions		428.21		
Exchange and Bank Charges		82.11		
Office and Administrative Salaries		6,737.77		
Office Expenses and Instructional Supplies		1,424.84		
Convention Expense		235.00		
President's Administrative Allowance		600.00		
Postage		505.07		
Printing		740.69		
Telephone and Telegraph		607.17		
Travelling		655.68		
Fuel		2,961.27		
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\$ 21,668.30

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Light and Power

Manitoba Medical Service

Advertising Station Wagon Expenses

"The Voice"
Parking (Rental and Maintenance)

Water

4. Statement of Trust and Cash Receipts and Payments

For the Year ended May 31, 1966

	Re	Cash	Cash Payments
Cash on Hand and in Bank, June 1, 1965 Bursaries and Scholarships:		7,441.50	
Canadian Alumni Canadian Conference of Menn. Brethren Canadian Conference of Mennonite		200.00 500.00	\$ 200.00
Brethren — Youth Committee Canadian Conference of Mennonite		600.00	600.00
Brethren — Music Committee		600.00	600.00
Manitoba Youth Committee		200.00	200.00
A. J. Thiessen Bursary		100.00	100.00
Bank Interest		49.48	
Students' Assistance Fund		560.00	560.00
Specified Donations		930.13	1,388.50
Unruh Memorial Fund		9,718.76	13,759.55
B. B. Fast Memorial Library Collection		250.00	1,006.26
Foreign Student Fund		204.00	536.00
Music Fund Medical Aid Insurance Fees		1,050.00	
Library Account (Wm. DeFehr) College Car Fund		1,000 700.00	1,000.00
Cash on Hand and in Bank, May 31, 1966			4,153.56
	\$	24,103.87	\$24,103.87

D. Auditors' Certificate

We have examined the books and accounts of the Mennonite Brethren Bible College for the twelve months ended May 31, 1966. Our examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as we considered necessary in the circumstances, with the exception that Accounts Receivable — Students' Charges have not been verified directly with the students.

In our opinion, and subject to the foregoing, the accompanying Balance Sheet and related Exhibits and Schedule present fairly the financial position of the College as at May 31, 1966 and the results of its operations for the year ended on that date, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied oon a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Sill, Streuber, Meger & Fiske. Chartered Accountants.

Budget Comparison — 1965-66

Brother H. W. Redekopp presented the 1966-67 budget. The budget was accepted.

INCOME	Budget	Actual	1966-67
Cash	\$ 4,227.65	\$ 4,227.65	\$ 1,790.61
Accounts Receivable	4.977.85	4,713.40	6,978.46
Educational Endowment Fd.	2,160.00	2,160.00	1,920.00
Conference Grant	40,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00
Donations	15,000.00	14,748.37	15,000.00
Tuition	34,500.00	36,711.25	36,000.00
Rent	23,420.00	27,128.25	27,000.00
Board	24,000.00	21,061.50	22,400.00
"The Voice" subscription	700.00	478.74	700.00
	\$148,985.50	\$151,229.16	\$151.789.07
EXPENDITURES			
Administration			
Salaries	69,950.00	70,145.84	71,000.00
Office Salaries	7,402.00	6,737.77	7.500.00
Accrediting Assoc. Fee	200.00	212.86	215.00
Administrative Expenses	600.00	600.00	700.00
Office & Instruct. Supplies	1,500.00	1,424.84	1,500.00
Deputation	2,000.00	1,987.97	2,000.00
Christian Service	100.00	3.40	100.00
Music Expenses	1,000.00	828.69	1,000.00
Group Insurance	800.00	842.46	800.00
Postage	500.00	505.07	500.00
Printing	1,000.00	740.69	750.00
Publicity	1,000.00	886.55	750.00
Telephone	1,030.00	1,052.66	1,100.00
Travelling Expenses	600.00	655.68	600.00
"The Voice" publication	1,300.00	1,545.65	1,680.00
Canada Pension	500.00	428.21	1,062.00
Gymnasium	1,000.00	642.00	800.00
Allow. for profession, mtgs.	500.00	235.00	500.00
Liability Insurance	95.00	120.00	120.00
Interest & Exchange	100.00	82.11	100.00
Debt Retirement	7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00
	\$107,582.00	\$ 96,677.45	\$ 99,777.00
Maintenance			
Salaries — Caretaking	6,520.00	5,696.58	6,380.00
Fuel	6,000.00	6,138.92	6,250.00
Light & Power	4,240.00	4,658.00	4,400.00

Water	1,200.00	1,374.94		1,400.00
Janitors Supplies	1,000.00	972.50		1,000.00
Station Wagon	400.00	388.52		500.00
Repairs	4,500.00	6,434.53		6,000.00
Unforeseen	453.50	997.21		1,407.07
	\$ 24,323.50	\$ 26,661.20	\$	25,930.00
Capital Investments				
Library	3,000.00	3,007.40		3,000.00
Equipment	2,000.00	2,136.46		1,500.00
Campus Development	1,00.00	1,100.00		
	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 6,243.86	\$	4,500.00
Kitchen Expenses				
Salaries	6,695.00	5,579.00		6,175.00
Provisions	13,000.00	11,396.07		13,000.00
Kitchen Supplies	800.00	1,025.00		1,000.00
	\$ 20,495.00	\$ 18,000.07	\$	20,175.00
			\$	151,789.07
			1,2	PERSONAL PROPERTY OF

The chairman of the board expressed appreciation of the services of retiring faculty members J. J. Toews and J. H. Quiring. A motion carried that the Resolution Committee draw up an appropriate resolution of gratitude. (Recorded under Greetings.)

- F. Recommendations The secretary of the College board read the recommendations. After some discussions of reports, concerns expressed by delegates, and questions raised by delegates all three recommendations carried in one vote.
 - We recommend that the churches continue to support the college with two offerings per year plus a third offering if and when visited.
 - We recommend that the Conference approve the appointment of the Interim-Committee, consisting of the brethren David Ewert, Chairman, J. A. Toews, and H. H. Voth, to carry on the administrative duties of the president for the year 1966-67.
 - 3. The board requests the right to borrow from the conference treasury up to \$6,000.00 at current bank rate to assist teachers who have accepted a call to teach at the college and are at this time studying in preparation for his service.

G. Elections

Candidates: Ontario: Rudy Bartel

Jake Neufeld

B.C.: Jack Block

Wm. Friesen Rudy Janzen Helmut Klassen

Alta.: Raymond Ratzlaff

David Dick

Elected: Rudy Bartel

Jack Block Rudy Janzen David Dick

V. PUBICATIONS COMMITTEE

Brother David Durksen introduced Committee members as well as Editor Harold Jantz and Manager Henry Dick. Brother Durksen then read the report. The report was adopted.

A. Chairman's Report:

Dear Brethren:

The Publications Committee of the Canadian Conference has been entrusted with the operation of the Christian Press and the publishing of the Mennonitische Rundschau and the M.B. Herald. We can report to you that we have had a successful year and that the potentialities of this business are becoming more evident as improvements, in equipment and management, are effected.

Financially, as you will see from the Manager's report, we notice a continued improvement. Our staff has done excellent work and staff problems have been few. We wish, at this time, to acknowledge the excellent contribution of Brother J. K. Neufeld to the cause of publication within the conference. Brother Neufeld served as production manger of the printing department for many years and was compelled to retire from this position this year for reasons of health. He is continuing with the Christian Press as linotype operator and will continue in this work on a part-time basis as long as his health will allow or until he wishes to retire. Last year the Conference expressed a vote of thanks and confidence for the work of Brother Neufeld. As a Committee, we appreciate the fine way in which he has stepped into a position of less responsibility.

We must also report the resignation of Brother Gilbert Brandt as Senior Clerk in the Book Department. Gilbert felt called to serve with Zondervan's in Los Angeles.

When we think of the Mennonitische Rundschau, we almost automatically think of Brother H. F. Klassen, who has been as-

sociated with that paper for the past 21 years. Brother Klassen has already worked past retirement age and now has notified the Committee of his intentions to retire, for reasons of health, as of August 1, 1967. He will, however, continue on special assignment until the end of 1967. The Committee has looked for a replacement and found one in the person of Brother Eric Ratzlaff, from B.C., who will be coming to work as editor of the Mennonitische Rundschau as of August 1, 1967. We would like to take this opportunity to express a sincere word of appreciation to Brother H. F. Klassen for his work as editor of the M.R. and to wish him health and strength for the coming years. Brother Klassen writes to the Conference:

"Greetings with Ps. 116:1.2: "I love the Lord, because he has heard my voice and my supplications. Because he has inclined his ear unto me, therefore will I call upon him as long as I live."

I sincerely would have loved to be with you at this Conference, and pray that God may grant you much grace and guidance not only in your deliberations on publications but in all your undertakings!

To what extent and how well the "Mennonitische Rundschau" has served the readers I can only conclude from some of their reactions. We find it somewhat encouraging that the number of subscribers (at present 6,700) has since 1965 not shrunk more in spite of deaths, changeovers to English and owing to other reasons.

I do hope fervently that you will continue to publish the M. Rundschau as long as there are readers to be served with this German Christian family paper!

Next year the M. Rundschau will be in the 90th year of its service. If God so will, and I live I desire to retire from the editor's duty at the end of 1967."

The Committee can report that our staff at the Christian Press has worked with enthusiasm, imagination and dedication. A visit to the CP book department is necessary to fully appreciate the changes that have been effected this past year; changes which have transformed the store into a very attractive place to browse around and purchase Christian literature and supplies. Most of the credit for these changes goes to our Manager, Brother Henry Dick. Brother Dick will report in greater detail with regard to new equipment purchased in the past year for the printing department. This equipment not only is evident in better printing jobs but has also provided for greater efficiency on the part of the staff.

The Editorial Committee, comprised of Rev. V. Adrian, Rev. J. Wall, Brother Neil Unruh and myself, met several times to discuss the emphasis which should prevail in our papers. The long range aim is to develop a positive, forward looking approach as against the negative, reactionary one which can so easily develop. We realize that much planning and Divine guidance is necessary to do

this effectively. We expect that the Editorial Committee will be even more active next year so that they might help the editors in their very important task.

From Brother Harold Jantz, our M.B. Herald editor, we have the following message to the Conference:

"The change that has come to typify our era has not left our brotherhood untouched. It finds expression in the moving appeal of "New Wineskins for Old Wine"; in the desire of a Bible school to change its name; in the sudden emergence of small, unstructured fellowships; in the growing involvement of our churches in the life of great Canadian cities; in the restless urgency with which many of us view the need to communicate our faith to more than merely our children, and in the effort to create a conference structure that will match the needs created by the circumstances in which we find ourselves.

We find it difficult to view ourselves objectively, partly because we feel so much a part of one another, partly because we are a relatively small brotherhood and partly because we are satisfied to be where we are.

The challenge to change, however, is before us. It frightens us. Why should we change? What should we change? We don't want to undermine the authority of the Word, do we? We desire a deep and continuing experience with God. We want a stronger brotherhood, not a weaker; one in which our commitment to God will include a commitment to one another. We desire a dynamic and deeply meaningful witness in the sin-sick society in which we live. But we have always wanted these. Does this mean nothing really changes?

Yes, change will take place and it has begun with considerable force.

We see it in the new resurgence of strength in our Bible schools. After a time of re-orientation, a process which is still continuing, the Bible schools are beginning to find a renewed purpose and a new vitality. The change is partly exemplified in the aggressive drive by the B.C. school to draw students from non-Mennonite church communities, and in the plans for expansion in each of our institutions.

We sense it in the growing concern for a clarification of our role as a church in society. What does "separation of church and state" actually imply? Does it mean we accept funds wherever we can get them but never speak a word about the moral dilemmas our government(s) create(s) for us as citizens? Does a deep, evangelical concern void us of a genuine concern for the direction our political decisions are taking us? Can we meanfully and in significant numbers communicate the gospel of Christ to the communities lying about us?

I sense it also in a renewed desire to experience the meaning

of "church" in its deepest sense. There is a desire for the exercise of God's gifts to the church. There is a deep hunger in many circles for an experience of soul-satisfying fellowship and interaction. There is the awareness that we cannot be "complete" Christians alone, that we need the brotherhood for direction, for encouragement, for growth. There is a renewed attempt underway in many churches to establish a genuine, corporate witness to our society, one that is truly meaningful in our day.

I sense it also in the rapid shifts that have taken place in recent years in relation to our acceptance of higher education, in our shifts to the English language, in our acceptance of the principle that two Mennonite Brethren churches can exist within a mile of each other, in our acceptance of the fact that we can be a united brotherhood though we attend a church in which twenty or thirty different occupations are represented.

What will control and direct the change that will envelope our brotherhood in the years ahead? If anything it will be the conviction that Christ is Lord and that the cause we are in is his; that he has not left his body here on earth without all the guidance it needs—through the Word and the indwelling Spirit; and that the functioning, obedient Church is indeed the Church.

This is in part my vision of and for the brotherhood, inadequately but lovingly expressed. Within this setting we desire for the Herald and increasingly prophetic voice."

In order to bring about improvements in our two Conference papers it would be most helpful to see a greater degree of response from our readers as to what they like in the present editions, what they don't like, as well as suggestions for what they would like to see published. We feel that our papers are generally well received. It is disturbing however to hear that in some sections of our Constituency they are being read very little — if at all! Where this is true, it would seem that the blame for this situation should not be laid solely at the door of the papers but that the lack of reading interest on the part of our people is also to blame. Let's encourage each other to produce more — and also to read more — good material.

Brother Henry Dick, manager, read his general report, the finacial report and added some information orally. The report was adopted.

B. Managar's Report

Dear Brethren:

Our report, together with the attached auditor's report covers the twelve month period ending May 31, 1966 and reflects our financial position of this date.

Circulation of periodicals: The circulation of the M.B. Herald is 7,400 per issue to date which is an increase of 7% over a year

ago. The direct paid subscription to the Herald is very limited. Although we had an increase in circulation of the Rundschau about a year ago due to the "Zionsbote" subscriber transferal it has dropped, during the course of the year, to below the figure of 1964. At present it is under 7,000. Under prevailing circumstances we may anticipate a general decline also in the future. This trend has effected our income in the past and will continue to do so in the future.

Physical Improvements: The following capital expenditures were made during the year:

Printshop equipment Office equipment and fixtures Redecorating and renovating	\$11,287 4,758 470
	\$16,515

These expenditures have improved the general appearance of our retail department and facilitated savings in the production department as well as improving our service rendered.

Promotion: Wherever possible we have participated with displays at local and area conventions, such as — Education Conferences, Provincial Conferences, Local Church Rallies, VBS Workshops, etc. We had special fall and spring promotion features in the store. This fall we plan to send our catalog to all homes in our constituency.

Sales trends: Since our two periodicals are produced on a cost basis we have broken down our sales figures accordingly:

Bookstore — mdse dealer	Annual 1964 \$49,170 24,499	Fiscal '65 - '66 \$ 58,586 13,028
S.S. and VBS	24,102	31,950
Job printing	97,771 36,838	103,564 49,820

Other details are reflected in our operating statement.

Our operating statement shows a loss of \$3,875 for the current twelve month period after a charge of depreciation of \$6,175.

Finances: We have been able to operate satisfactorily within the limits of our \$35,000 operating loan at the bank. During the course of the year we paid out, on demand, a further \$5,000 of the private loans reducing this amount to \$17,000. We have not been in a position to repay any of the Conference capital loan, however, regular interest has been paid on this amount. Our trade accounts are in a current position. Last year the Conference transferred to the Christian Press their inventories of unsold publications and S.S.

materials. Sales returns from this material amounted to \$3,126. We did not report this figure in our operating statement since it would effect any present or future comparative trends. With the consent of our auditors returns from this department will be reported in our capital and surplus account.

Conclusion: We have appreciated the support and patronage of our Conference, churches and individuals, as we have participated in the proclamation of the Gospel through publications and the distribution of literature.

Respectfully,

Henry Dick, manager.

C. Budget for Periodicals

M.B. '65-'66	Herald '66-'67	Runds '65-'66	ichau '66-'67
Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget
48	45	50	50
\$ 426	\$ 500	\$20,645	\$20,000
3,695	3,600	6,806	6,500
\$ 4,121	\$ 4,100	\$27,451	\$26,500
\$23,904	\$24,548	\$26,111	\$20,950
10,560	10,395	7,027	12,400
8,072	8,680	9,541	9,750
\$42,536	\$43,623	\$42,679	\$43,100
38,415	39,523	15,228	16,600
\$31,850		\$15,680*	
(6,565)		452	
	\$ 426 3,695 \$ 4,121 \$23,904 10,560 8,072 \$42,536 38,415 \$31,850	Actual 48 Budget 45 48 45 \$ 426 \$ 500 3,695 3,600 \$ 4,121 \$ 4,100 \$23,904 \$24,548 10,560 10,395 8,072 8,680	'65-'66 '66-'67 '65-'66 Actual Budget Actual 48 45 50 \$ 426 \$ 500 \$20,645 3,695 3,600 6,806 - \$ 4,121 \$ 4,100 \$27,451 \$23,904 \$24,548 \$26,111 10,560 10,395 7,027 8,072 8,680 9,541 \$42,536 \$43,623 \$42,679 38,415 39,523 \$15,228 \$31,850 \$15,680*

^{*)} This amount included \$4,000 to cover retroactive loss. However, due to current reduction in subscription income almost the entire sum was applied to this years' operation.

D. Auditor's Certificate

The Members, Mennonite Brethren Conference, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

We have examined the Balance Sheet of Christian Press as at May 31, 1966 and the Statement of Income and Expense for the year ended on that date and have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. Our examination included a general review of accounting Procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, and according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Company, the accompanying Balance Sheet and Statement of Income and Expense are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the affairs of the Company as at May 31, 1966 and the results of its operations for the year ended on that date.

Kelm, Neufeld, Gateson & Company Chartered Accountants

Winnipeg, Manitoba, June 15, 1966.

E. The Christian Press

Balance Sheet as at May 31, 1966

ASSETS

Current assets				
Cash – on handin bank	\$ 854.73 1,596.80	\$ 2,451.53		
Accounts receivable Less: allowance for a	21,039.88 79.97	21,119.85		
Inventories — Book store Printing shop Office supplies	67,164.39 2,523.86 956.91	70,645.16		
Prepaid expenses — Insurance Taxes Workmens compensation Post office deposit			226.35 1,057.78 163.33	1,447.46 51.00
Tota	l current	assets Accumulate	ed	\$95,715.00
Fixed assets	Cost	Depreciation	on Net	
Land Building Machinery & equip. Office equipment	\$13,383.80 12,435.42 43,040.55 8,330.01	\$ 621,77 4,304.05 1,249.50		
	\$77,189.78	\$6,175.32		\$ 71,014.46
			-	\$166,729.46

LIABILITIES

Current liabilities

Canadian Imp. Bank of Commerce — dem Sales tax payable		
Trade accounts payable		
Accrued charges and outstanding cheques		
Customers deposits		830.41
Prepaid subscriptions		10,514.25
Total current liabilities		\$63,578.15
Loans payable		
Mennonite Brethren Conference	\$29,500.00	
The Christian Press Ltd.	54,969.35	
Sundry	17,086.01	\$101,555.36
Net Worth		
Contribution from Menn. Brethren Conf.	\$ 5,471.13	
Deduct: Net loss for the year		
ended May 31, 1966	3,875.18	1,595.95

\$166,729.46

This is the Balance Sheet referred to in our report dated June 15, 1966

Chartered Accountants

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F. Statement of Income and Expense PRINTING SHOP Job

	Rundschau	Herald	Job Printing	Total	Store	Total
INCOME: Sales			\$ 49.819.92	\$ 49.819.92	\$103.564.22	\$153,384,14
Advertising	\$ 6,806.46	\$ 3,694.82	1	10,501.28		10,501.28
Publications - Rundschau			29,478.50	29,478.50		29,478.50
Herald			31,462.08	31,462.08		31,462.08
Subscription income	20,645.06	425.85	1 000 00	21,070.91		21,070.91
Substay - MD Comercine	T,0000.00	00.000,10	T,000.00	20,000,02		20,000,00
EXPENSES:	\$43,131.52	\$35,970.67	\$111,760.50	\$190,862.69	\$103,564.22	\$294,426.91
Advertising					\$ 3,057.48	\$ 3,057.48
Cuts and stereos			\$ 3.934.80	\$ 3,934.80		3,934.80
Freight and duty					1,665.21	1,665.21
Light and power			1,070.02	1,070.02		1,070.02
Mailing			4,820.56	4,820.56	2,012.06	6,832.62
Publishing costs	\$29,478.50	\$31,462.08		60,940.58		60,940.58
Purchases			23,584.86	23,584.86	75,982.36	99,567.22
Repairs and maintenance			766.85	766.85		766.85
Sundry	245.11	74.98	1,053.71	1,373.80	304.47	1,678.27
Supplies			283.30	283.30	831.50	1,114.80
Wages	9,541.28	5,863.46	51,247.08	66,651.82	8,427.59	75,079.41
Writers' fees	199.50	1,291.16		1,490.66		1,490.66
	\$39,464.39	\$38,691.68	\$ 86,761.18	\$164,917.25	\$ 99,280.67	\$257,197.92
Gross profit	\$ 3,667.13	\$(2,721.01)	\$ 24,999.32	\$ 25,945.44	\$ 11,283.55	\$ 37,228.99
Administration expenses, Sched. "1"	3,214.61	3,844.74	21,312.14	28,371.49	12,732.68	41,104.17
Net income (loss) for the year	\$ 452.52	\$ (6,565.75)	\$(6,565.75) \$ 3,687.18		\$ (2,426.05) \$ (1,449.13) \$(3,875.18)	\$(3,875.18)

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Schedule of Administrative Expense

For the year ended May 31, 1966.

Bad debts		397.51
		179.43
		212.74
Employee benef		
Canada Pe	nsion Plan \$ 585.21	
	rance 617.94	
Manitoba I	Medical 1,033.40	
Pension an	d life insurance 2,730.03	
	ent insurance 656.25	5,622.83
	power	584.18
Insurance	TO THE TAXABLE PROPERTY OF THE	1,830.44
Interest	***************************************	3,762.92
		1,358.67
Office expenses	. 2673 1765 1774 1776 2.136 1775 1775 1775 1775 1775 1775 1775 177	791.75
TO 1	***************************************	129.89
Printing and st	ationery	464.28
Professional fee	es	600.00
		14,085.83
Sundry		669.16
Taxes	TAMATAN ANTANA	1,770.44
Telephone	***************************************	841.45
Travel		1,627.33
Depreciation —	Building 621.77	
	Equipment 4,304.05	
	Office furniture 1,249.50	6,175.32
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\$41,104.17

After some questions and comments the 4 recommendations were submitted by chairman D. Durksen.

G. Recommendations of the Publications Committee.

- 1. We recommend that a Conference grant of \$39,500 be approved to defray the publishing and distribution costs of the MB Herald for the 1966-67 fiscal year.
- 2. That the Conference provide a subsidy of \$16,600 to cover the anticipated deficit of publishing and distributing the MENNO-NITISCHE RUNDSCHAU for the 1966-67 fiscal year. (This includes \$2,000 for the distribution of literature to South America, included as a separate item last year).

- 3. That the Conference grant permission to the Publications Committee to find ways and means for the disposal of accumulated surplus, "undated" stocks of books and other items. Such methods could include drastically reduced prices; gifts to other countries (particularly some of the German books) etc., until stocks are reduced to a normal operating level.
- 4. Because we believe that every home in our Conference is entitled to receive **free** one of the two Conference papers, we recommend that, **on request**, church members may receive the MENNONITISCHE RUNDSCHAU free in lieu of the MB Herald. Such requests must be submitted through the local church; no refund of prepaid subscriptions will be given.

(If this recommendation is approved, this will require an additional subsidy of \$2.30 for every individual subscription transfer from the MB Herald to the Mennonitische Rundschau).

Remommendations 1-3 were accepted. Recommendation 4 was also accepted after considerable discussion.

H. Resignation of Manager H. Dick.

Brother D. Durksen reported that the manager, brother H. Dick had submitted his resignation which had been accepted by the Publication Committee with keen regret.

There was some discussion of editorial policy as well as of the content of the MB Herald.

I Election of the Publication Committee

Candidates:

Ontario: Peter Derksen, Edward Boldt

Manitoba: J. A. Froese, A. W. Schellenberg

Saskatchewan: W. E. Redekopp, Helmut Schroeder

Alberta: Victor Friesen, George Dirks

Elected were the following: Peter Derksen, J. A. Froese,

Helmut Schroeder, George Dirks.

Brother Quiring resumed the chairmanship from brother Pankratz who chaired the discussion of the publication question.

SECTION F - CONCLUDING BUSINESS

I. STATISTICAL REPORT

(Not read at the convention, but included in the Conference Yearbook).

Dear brethren of the Conference!

May I express my thanks to the statisticians of our churches for completing the statistical reports. During the past year all

but one or two of the smaller churches responded to the statistical questionnaires. We are also grateful for the work of brother G. Konrad, the Interim-Christian Education Committee, and the pastors of the Winnipeg MB Churches, for their help in the revision of the questionnaire. According to some of your responses the questionnaire has been improved; others think it is still too extensive and contains too much irrelevant detail. Although we have tried to simplify and to clarify questions, we were also governed by the thought of making questionnaires available to other conference committees for study of details not tabulated in my report. The diversified nature of our church activities makes, relevancy a matter of relativity to some extent. On the basis of the 1965 compilation I should like to make several observations.

- 1. The 117 churches listed do not include the churches accepted into our conference at this convention. Taking these into consideration, the total membership increase during the past year is somewhat over 300, a modest 2%.
- 2. The number of members joining other denominations appears to be increasing slightly through the years. It should be noted however, that this year's figure of 128 also includes 31 members who were released and joined no church.
- 3. The greatest number of baptisms consistently occurs in the 16-20 age group. Our rejoicing at this fact should perhaps be tempered a little by the consideration of the danger that social and parental pressures might also enter and the danger that joining the church at a certain age might become mere form.
- 4. The total Sunday School enrollment is up for all age groups, indicating the importance of this arm of the ministry of the church.
- 5. While the number of our students attending private high schools is remaining relatively constant, the number attending government schools has increased by about 300 during the past year.
- 6. The enrollment of our students at universities has increased by 86 students or 26% during the past year. We ought to take this trend seriously in our educational plans for the future.
- 7. About 48% of our churches have boys' and girls' clubs as part of their mid week training program. Most of our churches have ladies' mission societies and mid-week Bible study and prayer.
- 8. Although our total offerings for missions again show a marked increase over the past year, a considerable portion of this increase is in the area of church building and own church need while offerings towards foreign missions, welfare, and MCC are down somewhat.

Although we are grateful to God for the work he has enabled us to do in the past year, the statistical report also makes us aware of needs in several areas. How can we channel the tremendous resources that we have in our young people most effectively? How can we deepen our spiritual life? Are we really wise stewards of the material resources God has entrusted to us? How can we win others more effectively? These are some of the serious questions posed by the dull figures of the statistical report. May God give us the grace to find the answers.

D. D. Duerksen

Statistical Report of the Canadian Conference of the Mennonite Srethren Church for the year 1965

Provinces	Que, &Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta	B.C.	Total 165	Total '64	Total 163	- 1
Membership								6	
No. of churches	13	28	29	13	34	117	110	108	
Membership May 31, 1965	2,418	4,229	2,308	1,299	5,208	15,462	15,288	15,221	
Accepted by certificate	146	211	115	84	425	186	506	772	
Accepted through hantism	4	133	73	32	136	453	695	400	
Readmission of excommunicated members	r	2	0	0	2	12	10	6	
Recommendations	e	18	2	6	21	56	45	20	
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Toined other denominations	26	39	41	18	84	172	161	136	
Membership May 31, 1966	2,517	4,251	2,316	1,307	5,356	15,747			
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51 years and over	1	2	-	0	7	11	11	47	
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No. of teachers	272	539	321	149	414	1,695	1,714	1,539	
Assistants	110	143	165	52	331	801	762	209	
Other workers	62	134	26	43	164	200	345	311	
Toutous with Bible College or B. Test training	159	302	346	131	557	1,495			
S.S. workers who are teachers by profession	65	143	70	47	157	482			- 8
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Nursery	157	330	128	633	410	1,130	1,000	1,000	
Beginner	265	217	257	132	6/0	1,850	1,129	1,423	
Primary	415	750	417	195	1,171	2,948	2,712	2,508	
Timior	379	619	381	187	988	2,614	2,415	2,082	
Tatamadiata	311	528	305	175	708	2,027	1,849	1,642	
	221	332	213	125	426	1,317.	1,259	1,257	
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marria	2 820	768 7	2.886	1.670	6.416	13,686	17,442	16,496	
local enrolment	- 4064					•			

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	Bible study and prayer meeting	13	26	26	13	33	111	101	46

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	Que.&Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta	B.C.	Total #65	Total 164	Total *63
Boys' clubs	7	11	12	6	20	56		
Girls' clubs	7	11	12	7	21	58		
Family Life								
Marriages	21	79	26	25	58	209	206	205
Mixed marriages	U1	2	2	₽	w	13	13	19
Unbellevers	4	0	w	w	9	19	19	13
Civil marriages	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Marriages of divorced persons	0	2	1	0	0	w		
No. of widows	154	158	66	8	179	617	780	678
	15	27	14	10	17	83	91	79
Pastoral Work	78	198	199	81	180	726	625	648
House Visitations	13	27	25	11	31	107	95	88
Have all members been visited	00	Ço	13	O'	18	53	63	34
Workers in Church								
No. of ordained ministers Dec. 31, 1965	40	85	43	28	85	287		
of ministers ordained in 1965	J	N.	2	ш	2	00		
No. of ministers elect	Ui	18	10	7	7	47	75	62
No. of ministers died	1	2	0	0	ı	4	6	4
No. of ordained deacons Dec. 31, 1965	36	61	29	16	60	202		
of deacons ordained in 1965	2	7	0	0	2	11		
No. of deacons elect	18	22	21	UI	28	94	01	64
No. of deacons died	0	0	0	0	1	,,	4	w
Missionaries on M.B. Fields	15	38	16	10	28	107	96	113
Missionaries on non-M.B. fields	15	30	S	10	37	130	112	94
Pastors remunerated	11	13	20	6	22	72	67	56
Pastors not remunerated	1	9	w	4	w	20		
Pastors partly remunerated	0	ω	4	w	o	16	13	20

Statistical Report of the Mennonite Brethren Church for the year 1965

	Que, cont.	Man	Sask.	Alta	B.C.	Total 165	5 Total 164 T	Total 163
Church Offerings								
Board of Foreign Missions	\$ 78,567	\$122,032	\$ 67,536	\$ 32,153	\$131,718	\$ 432,006		
Board of Melfare	3,677	4,466	1,762	1,926	4,831	16,662		
Relief and MCC	14,530	21,482	10,000	6,905	29,949	52,867	89,523	75,693
Education	42,770	19,355	14,801	2,870	62,681	142,476		
Building of churches	103,444	97,837	67,992	70,566	214,071	533,910		
Own church needs	146,233	189,136	130,412	74,673	239,093	779,548		
Other missions within Conference	82,987	192,956	81,812	50,247	178,524	586.526		
Missions of other denominations	7,323	6,180	9,765	3,612	31,023	57,903		
Total	479,531	653,444	384,080	242,952	891,890	2,651,898	.228.385	1.891.098
Largest contribution per member	451	272	495	322	520			2012101
Smallest contribution per member	101	81	103	72	83			
Average Contribution per member	198 163 191 153	163	161	153	206	182	154	133

II. Election of Candidates for Committees of the General Conference of MB Churches.

A. Committee of Reference and Counsel.

Candidates: J. A. Toews, H. J. Brandt, J. J. Toews, J. H. Quiring, D. J. Pankratz, H. H. Epp

Elected: J. A. Toews, H. J. Brandt, J. H. Quiring, H. H. Epp

B. Board of Welfare:

Candidates: George Braun, Victor Adrian, Henry Voth (Herbert) Henry Born, J. Riediger, Henry Warkentin

Elected: George Braun, Victor Adrian, Henry Voth (Herbert) J. Riediger

C. Board of Foreign Missions

Nominations:

B.C. — J. J. Kasper, Henry Warkentin

Man. — Frank H. Friesen, J. J. Neufeld

Alta. — J. P. Derksen, A. J. Esau

Ontario - Henry Penner, Harvey Gossen

A motion carried that the Canadian Conference approve provincial nominations. The above by this motion have been elected as candidates.

D. Board of Trustees (6 to be elected)

Candidates: A. A. DeFehr, H. W. Redekopp, I. R. Dyck,

D. E. Redekop, John Braun, John V. Friesen,

C. C. DeFehr, J. J. Klassen

Elected: A. A. DeFehr, H. W. Redekopp, I. R. Dyck, John Braun, John V. Friesen, J. J. Klassen

III. Unforseen Business

Under unforeseen business the following items were discussed.

- A. CRC recommendation regarding delegates to world conference.
- B. A submitted question by Manitoba regarding the contribution of the Canadian conference of \$1000 towards the release of the Russian Gospel Light Hour via Saskatoon.
 - C. Joint recommendation of the two Bethesda Committees.

All motions regarding these items are recorded in their respective sections in the yearbook.

IV. Invitation to the Next Conference

Brother J. H. Quiring on the basis of a note received from the moderator of the Alberta Conference, brother R. Boschman announced that the Alberta Conference extends an invitation for the Canadian Conference to convene in that province next year. Details as to the place of the convention in Alberta will be announced later.

V. 1966 - 67 Budget

V. 1966 - 67 Budget		
The budget was presented by J.	J. Riediger	
Cash on Hand \$ Conference Sunday Easter Sunday Evangelism	4,500.00 7,000.00 4,000.00	33,511.70
Debt Retirement		
Endowment Fund College Revenue Bethesda	6,000.00 7,000.00 10,000.00	23,000.00
Other Sources		20,000.00
15791 x 12.00		76,511.70 189,492.00
		266.003.70
Expenditures		
Bible College Christian Education Canada Inland Evangelism Radio Work Publications Board of Welfare Debt Retirement G/C L — 3 years Faith Conference Music	13,297.40 16,568.50 6,950.00 56,100.00 6,000.00 45,000.00 5,170.00	
Youth Committee Sunday School Interim Christian Education Peace Committee Conference Expenses	12,550.00 42,000.00 248,435.80	
Reserve	4 = F0 = 00	266.003.70

Collections:

- 1. Kitimat Church
- 2. College and one on visitation
- 3. Collections Board of Welfare
- 4. Collections for Bethesda
- 5. Collection for Choir Bursary of MBBC
- Youth Committee of Local Churches to contribute to Canadadian Youth projects.

The budget was accepted

VI. AUDITORS' REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The report was read by brother I. R. Dyck.

A. Report

Dear Brethren:

As Auditing Committee we have examined the Cash Receipts and Disbursements of the Conference Treasury books and have obtained the informations and explanations required of the Conference fiscal year ending May 31, 1966.

In our opinion the entries in the books are made correctly in accordance with cash receipts and other documents which verify the cash disbursements; all documents including cancelled cheques are kept in files in order of date or number.

The Cash balance at June 1, 1965 plus all cash receipts during the fiscal year 1965, 1966, less all disbursements during the same period show a cash balance in agreement with the cash on hand and the balance of the Conference account at the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce as of May 31, 1966. This balance is verified by the signatures of our Committee in the Conference Treasury books.

Books are kept neat and in order

Respectfully submitted by the Auditing Committee, Sam Janzen, Morden Alfred Schellenberg, Winnipeg I. R. Dyck, Winkler

B. Recommendation:

We are thankful that the Lord has blessed our brotherhood with increasing abundance in material goods. We have also found grace to recognize our duty as stewards for the Lord. This has resulted in an ever increasing treasury and field of operation. We recommend that this conference approve the appointment of: Sill, Streuber, Meger and Fiske, chartered accountants, to audit the Conference treasury and prepare the financial statement for the coming year.

The recommendation of the auditing committee carried.

VII. REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

The report was read by brother H. C. Born.

In retrospect upon these convention days we realize that this was a time of praise and rejoicing, as well as a time of taking stock, of re-setting sights and laying plans, whereby our Conference is to move ahead as satisfactorily as possible.

The convention theme, "Separated unto God for Effective Witnessing", placed us squarely into the tension area of reaching out into all strata of life without jeopardizing the true image and holy charter of the Church of Jesus Christ. It placed before us our responsible position in Christ, and our service responsibility in proclaiming Him in an effective way, in a time where people are surrounded by constant change yet manifest the age-old longing for knowledge of God and peace with Him.

We were brought to see the innumerable areas that are open to be entered with the gospel of Jesus Christ, and anew we want to pledge that we avail ourselves of these to the fullest extent possible. We want to seek to keep pace with our times both in methods of communication and in organizational structure. May the Lord grant the newly elected conference executive abundant grace in guiding the brotherhood on.

We acknowledge with gratitude that the various boards and committees have been seeking to move ahead. We realize also that in some areas of conference work we will need to be much in prayer for divine counsel and grace.

It was encouraging to be able to welcome one new church into our conference; but on the other hand the mere 2% membership increase is an impelling factor which tells us we must take our outreach responsibilities much more seriously.

The passing of some of the ministering brethren reminds us that time goes on. May they be an encouragement to us that our contributions in life be exemplary and abiding ones.

We wish to express our sincerest gratitude to the Ontario churches for hosting the delegates in such a brotherly and efficient way. Special thanks go to the many individuals who have served in the various areas looking after all the details that make a conference possible. May God reward you openly!

As we now go on to implement the plans made, we want to go in confidence, laying hold upon God's resources and continually seeking guidance from Him who is the head of the church.

The report was adopted.

A motion carried that the reading of the minutes of the morning session be dispensed with and that the checking of these minutes be entrusted to the executive.

VIII. CLOSING OF THE CONFERENCE SESSIONS

After brief comments by the host pastor, brother J. G. Baerg, brother D. J. Pankratz brought the concerns of our brotherhood to the Lord in the closing prayer.

J. H. Quiring (moderator)

D. D. Duerksen (secretary)

PART III

DUES AND OFFERINGS IN CHURCHES OF THE CANADIAN

MB CONFERENCE FOR THE YEAR 1966-67.

According to a decision of the 1954 Conference (page 82) all offerings and dues are to be sent to the Treasurer of the Canadian Conference, brother J. J. Riediger, 81 Henderson Highway, Winnipeg 5, Manitoba. This includes all offerings for foreign missions.

The monies, however, are not to be sent directly to the treasurer of the Canadian Conference but to the provincial treasurer, who will forward all monies to the treasurer of the Canadian Conference, Brother Riediger.

The conference has accepted motions for the following dues and offerings:

A. For the Conference Treasury

- A conference Levy of \$11.00 per member including College Building Fund levy and the General Conference Levy of \$1.00 per member in three years.
 - 2. Foreign Missions. One monthly offering in each church.
- Board of General Welfare Three yearly offerings in each church.
- 4. MB Bible College Two yearly offerings and special offerings when visited by teachers, students, or members of the board.
- 5. Canadian Inland Mission One offering on Easter Sunday for Canada Inland Mission work.
- 6. Bethesda Two yearly offerings to be used by the Bethesda committee for western patients for special patients from western provinces.
- 7. MCC (Canada) At the 1965 Conference a motion encouraging continued strong support of MCC (Canada) carried. In practical terms this would mean retaining one monthly offering as has been the practice in the past.

This offering is to be sent to provincial treasurers for relief work.

- 8. **Youth Work** Offerings at youth meetings for support of youth projects.
 - 9. Scholarships for Music Students at MBBC

a. From choirs with 14 singers or less \$6.00.

b. From choirs with 15-25 singers — \$12.00 per year.

c. From choirs with 25 singers or more — \$20.00 per year. B. Churches Receiving Permission at the 1966 Conference to Ask All Canadian MB Churches for one Offering In Support of Their Building Program.

The Kitimat MB Church, B.C.

PART IV

LIST OF DELEGATES TO 1966 CONFERENCE

QUEBEC

St. Jerome: Ernest Dyck. Ste. Therese: Don Balzer.

ONTARIO

Fairview: Wally Unger, John Wichert, J. Dueck, John Rempel, Alvin Braun, Harry Thiessen, John E. Janzen, H. Gossen, John Braun, P. Derksen.

Hampshire: Herman Kroeker.

Kitchener: H. H. Dueck, C. J. Rempel, Peter Klassen, Rudy Dyck, H. H. Janzen, N. J. Fehderau, Jacob Kutz, F. C. Peters, Peter J. Loewen.

Leamington: Peter Willms, David Derksen, A. J. Konrad, John Wiebe, Franz Bartel, Ben Harder.

Mountview: John Reimer.

Niagara: Jake Neufeld, Jake Wichert, Jake Froese.

Port Rowan: P. J. Reimer, John Wall, Aron C. Pauls, Peter Krahn.

Scott Street: Gerhard Epp, Peter Klassen, Henry Penner, Harry Heidebrecht, Henry Ens, Gerhard Fast, Kurt Hamm, John Isaac, Henry Janzen, Abr. Wiens, John Braun, Hugo Wiens, Jake Boldt, Ben Redekopp, Cornie M. Penner, Abram Block, Henry Friesen, John Durksen.

Vineland: Isaac Block, John Wiebe, John M. Schmidt, A. G. Wall, Frank Isaac, H. Wiebe, Helmut Koop, J. D. Andres, Abe Dyck, Ervin Gossen, George Reimer, H. H. Wiebe, Henry A. Hubert.

Virgil: Rudy Bartel, Dan Willms, John Derksen, Nick Dyck, C. D. Warkentin, G. P. Reimer, Ernest Klippenstein, John Kliewer, Walter Bergman, Victor Franz, F. J. Wiens, John Neufeld, Jr, John Koop, G. Goossen, Nick Rempel, Frank Kroeker, Rudy Bartel, George Wichert.

Toronto: David Warkentin, Isaac Tiessen.

Zion: Gerhard Schierling.

MANITOBA

Alexander: J. P. Derksen. Arnaud: D. J. Thiessen. Brandon: Henry Willms.

Brooklands: Abe Quiring, Bert Huebner. Domain: Wm. Schroeder, Ben Rempel.

Elm Creek: J. Kroeker, Peter Kroeker, Corny Klassen, John J. Funk.

Elmwood: Martin Hamm, D. Ewert, C. C. DeFehr, Jake Sudermann, John Bock, Jake Enns, Henry Voth, I. Goertz, John Regehr, Henry Thiessen, W. A. Fast, N. P. Enns, Herb Giesbrecht, H. H. Sukkau, Walter Kroeker.

Fort Garry: D. Durksen, J. J. Riediger, J. D. Friesen, David Froese, John Wall, Rudy Thiessen.

Gospel Light - Kronsgart: John Labun

Lena: G. P. Martens, J. F. Poetker.

Manitou: C. J. Riediger, John H. Gossen.

Morden: W. J. Wiebe, John Isaac, A. H. Voth, F. G. Kehler, W. Falk, W. H. Klassen, S. H. Janzen, F. H. Friesen.

Newton: H. H. Dueck, A. B. Dyck, John Nikkel.

Niverville: D. Dick, T. Martens, John Kowslowsky, David Falk, Wm. Dyck.

North Kildonan: C. C. Warkentin, H. W. Redekopp, A. A. DeFehr, David Pauls, John Suderman, Jacob Regehr, Cornelius Sawatzky, John Klassen, John J. Pauls, Abe Enns, P. G. Reimer, F Sawatzky, Victor Toews, J. H. Unruh, Victor Wilms, David Penner.

Portage Avenue: H. H. Voth, D. E. Redekop, H. R. Baerg, G. D. Huebert, John J. Neufeld, Frank Peters, P. F. Toews, P. P. Dueck, Walter Voth, George Enns, Jacob Wiens, Martin Pauls, Jake Falk, John Martens.

Portage la Prairie: John B. Epp.

River East (Winnipeg): J. H. Quiring, Peter Klassen, Harold Jantz, D. D. Durksen, Ernie Isaac, W. J. Schmidt, Ben Baerg, Don Kornelson, Henry Dick, John M. Thiessen.

Salem: Rudy Willms, Jake Balzer.

Steinbach: H. A. Regehr, Abr. Friesen, Peter Martens, J. J. Toews, A. A. Bergman.

Winkler: B. J. Froese, H. Lenzmann, G. G. Enns, Howard Dyck, John W. Kuhl, Abe C. Klassen, Allen Schritt, Peter Kroeker, B. D. Enns, J. R. Dyck, F. F. Peters, Murray Enns.

Winnipeg Central: Adolf Janzen, Cornelius Wall.

SASKATCHEWAN

Beechy: David Woelk. Borden: Henry J. Gossen.

Brotherfield: J. F. Willems, David Bergen.

Carrot River: Cornelius Funk.

Dalmeny: Isaac Block, J. M. Lepp, J. H. Voth, Ben Heppner, J. Giesbrecht.

Hepburn: George Geddert, J. K. Schroeder, F. J. Froese, John C. Willms, D. G. Friesen, Jacob Boldt, Elmer Andres, Reuben Peters, P. J. Andres.

Herbert: Herman Voth, John Regiehr, Albert Falk, J. G. Redekopp,

H. Voth, John J. Voth.

Hill Avenue (Regina): Peter A. Klassen.

Main Centre: David Epp. McMahon: H. F. Klassen.

Saskatoon: Henry Epp, E. Gerbrandt, C. C. Willms, K. K. Siemens,

H. S. Rempel, Leo Regehr.

Swift Current: Jake Wiebe, Eugene Martens, J. I. Regehr.

Waldheim: John Enns, P. P. Warkentin.

Watrous: A. H. Dueck.

West Portal: Wally Gripp, Allan Baerg.

Woodrow: Helmut Schroeder.

ALBERTA

Coaldale: D. J. Pankratz, Peter P. Regier, David Dick, Martin Janzen, John Dueck.

Gem: J. P. Doerksen.

Grassy Lake: Roland Marsch, Victor Hildebrand. Highland (Calgary): P. P. Doerksen, John Schmidt.

Lakeview (Lethbridge): Wm. E. Thiessen, Henry Nikkel.

Lendrum (Edmonton): Peter Rempel, Ken Epp.

Linden: R. Boschman.
Tofield: George Quiring.
Vauxhall: A. J. Esau.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Abbotsford: N. J. Dyck.

Bakerview: J. J. Klassen, D. H. Neumann, H. C. Born.

Black Creek: John E. Klassen.

Chilliwack: Henry Warkentin, P. H. Unger.

Clearbrook: Eric Ratzlaff, H. G. Thielman, P. J. Klassen, John K. Brandt, G. A. Konrad, George Wiens, Rudy Janzen.

East Chilliwack: George Thielman, Jacob Bergen, John J. Esau. Fraserview: Henry J. Block, Niel Neumann, Wilmer Kornelson, John V. Friesen, Dave Peters.

Greendale: David Froese. Kelowna: Abe B. Janzen. Kennedy Heights: Nick Willems.

Killarney Park: Paul J. Wiebe, Jake H. Penner, H. J. Brandt, Abe

Voth. P. H. Epp, John Isaac.

Lake Errock: George Loewen, Art Isaac.

Matsqui: Julius Kasper.
Oliver: Peter C. Penner.

S. Abbotsford: Wm. I. Neufeld. South Otter: Victor Stobbe. Terrace: George P. Peters.

Vancouver, 43rd: P. J. Esau, David Wiens.

Willingdon: George L. Braun, John Konrad, George Letkeman.

Yarrow: Peter P. Friesen, D. A. Friesen.

PART V

COMMITTEES OF THE CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF THE M.B. CHURCHES FOR THE YEAR 1966-67

(Addresses of Committee Chairmen are given)

Conference Executive

Herman Lenzmann (moderator) 251 8th Street, Box 426 Winkler, 325-8396

- J. H. Quiring (vice-moderator) Box 136, Clearbrook, B.C.
- D. D. Duerksen (secretary) 43 Pleasant Bay, Winnipeg 15, Man. 339-6796.

Treasurer of the Conference

J. J. Riediger (office) 81 Henderson Highway, Winnipeg 5, LE3-8923; (home) 871 Crescent Drive, Wpg. 19, 474-3829.
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Bethesda Committee

Chairman C. J. Rempel, 20 Idlewood Drive, Klitchener Vice-chairman G. J. Epp, 11 Meadowvale, St. Catharines, 935-7630 1967: C. J. Rempel, Ont., Dr. Ben Froese, Man.; P. Doerksen, Alta.

1968: D. Warkentin, Ont. A. A. Dick, Sask., Abe Voth, B.C.

1969: G. J. Epp, Ontario

Bethesda Committee for Western Patients

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Board of Christian Education

Chairman: John Wiebe, Vineland Station, Ontario; (416) 562-5487 Secretary: Henry Dick, 1195 Kildonan Drive, Wpg. 16; 334-2705. Ontario: John Wiebe; Manitoba: H. R. Baerg, Henry Dick; Saskatchewan: Eugene Gerbrandt; Alberta: J. B. Toews; B.C. Nick Willms, George Neumann.

One representative from Christian High Schools. (To be elected

by schools)

One representative from each Bible School or Institute.

Two representatives from the Bible College (the president and the dean.)

All members serve until 1967.

Board of Foreign Missions (General Conference of M.B. Churches)

(valid until the convention at Corn, Oklahoma in fall of 1966.) Canadian representatives.

Vice-chairman: J. J. Toews, 81 Henderson Highway, LE 3-8923 H. Thielman, B.C.; A. A. Dick, Sask.; H. Lenzmann, Man.; J. P. Doerksen, Alberta; H. P. Penner, Ontario.

Board of Mennonite Brethren Bible College

Chairman: H. W. Redekopp, 1224 Henderson Hwy., Wpg. 16, ED 4-7386.

Vice-chairman: J. M. Klassen, 106 Cameo Crescent, Wpg. 15 338-9411.

Secretary: D. D. Duerksen, 43 Pleasant Bay, Wpg., 15. ED 9-6796 1967: Arnold Baerg, Ont.; J. M. Klassen, Man.; D. Neumann, B.C.

1968: D. D. Duerksen, Man.; H. W. Redekopp, Man.; David Dick, Alberta.

1969: Rudy Bartel, Ont.; Jack Block, B.C.; Rudy Janzen, B.C.

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1968: D. D. Derksen, Ontario; C. J. Riediger, Manitoba; P. J. Dueck, Alberta;

1969: John Janzen, Ontario; C. C. DeFehr, Manitoba, J. Giesbrecht, Sask.; H. J. Block, B.C.

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Chairman: Harvey C. Gossen, 455 Geneva Street, St. Catharines, 935-7155.

Treasurer: Ed Wiebe, R.R. 3,, Beamsville, Ont. (Members are the Home Missions chairmen of the provincial committees.)

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1967: V. D. Toews, Man; G. L. Braun, B.C. 1968: J. M. Schmidt, Ont.; D. Epp, Sask.

1969: A. J. Esau, Alta.

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MCC (Canada)

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M.B. Representatives

1967: C. J. Rempel, Ontario 1968: J. A. Toews, Manitoba 1969: Victor Adrian, Manitoba.

Music Committee

Music Committee Executive

Chairman, J. K. Schroeder, Box 205, Hepburn, Sask. Howard Dyck, % Winkler Bible School, Winkler, Man.; P. J. Dick, 13 Woodelm, St. Catharines, Ont. (Members of the committee are also the chairmen of the Music Committees of the provinces).

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John Gossen, Man.; Waldo Lepp, Sask.; David Dick, Alta.; Paul Wiebe, B.C.; G. Thielmann, B.C.

Program Committee: Conference executive plus executive of inviting provincial conference.

Publications Committee

Chairman: D. Durksen Secretary: Peter Klassen

Executive member: J. A. Froese Honorary member: C. A. DeFehr

1967: H. H. Dueck, Ont.; Peter Klassen, Man.; E. Ratzlaff, B.C.; J. Neumann, B.C.

1968: D. Durksen, Man.; George Geddert, Sask.; Vern Ratzlaff, B.C.

1969: Peter Derksen, Ont.; J. A. Froese, Man.; Helmut Schroeder, Sask.; George Dirks, Alberta.

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J. H. Quiring, Box 136, Clearbrook, B.C.

D. B. Wiens, 445 East 36th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

Reference and Counsel Committee

Chairman: Conference moderator.

Vice-chairman: Conference vice-moderator

Secretary: Conference secretary

1967: John G. Baerg, Ontario; H. Lenzmann, Manitoba; H. Voth,

Sask.; H. P. Nikkel, Alberta; D. B. Wiens, B.C.

1968: H. P. Penner, Ont.; A. J. Froese, Man.; Eugene Gerbrandt,

Sask.; D. J. Pankratz, Alta.; H. J. Brandt, B.C.

Sunday School Committee

Chairman: H. R. Baerg, 1095 Wolseley Avenue, Winnipeg 10, Manitoba.

Secretary: H. H. Voth, 730 McLeod Ave., 338-2055.

Treasurer: D. E. Redekop, 665 Viscount Place, GR 5-5427.

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Saskatchewan: John F. Froese, Hepburn, Sask.

Alberta: Henry Walde, Gem, Alberta.

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Youth Committee

Chairman: H. H. Dueck, 16 Meadow Crescent, Kitchener, Ont., 744-2127

Secretary: John Eckert, 46 Trelawne Dr., St. Catharines, Ont.. (Other members are Youth leaders of provincial Youth Committees.)

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PART VI

DIRECTORY OF CHURCH WORKERS AND MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS

QUEBEC MEMBERSHIP - 20

ST. JEROME and STE. THERESE - Membership 20

Pastor:

Ernest Dyck, 7 Morand Street, St. Jerome — 438-1736

Missionaries:

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Klassen, 270 Parkview Ave. Rosemere—625-2332 Sunday School Supt.

Ed. Wiebe, 3137 Glen Street, Fabreville — 625-6207

Youth Leader

David Franco, 6 Rouen Street, Ste Therese — 435-4012.

Choir Director:

Ed. Wiebe, 3137 Glen Street, Fabreville — 625-6207

Secretary:

Ben Klassen, 270 Parkview Avenue, Rosemere — 625-2332 Treasurer:

Don Balzer, 20 Chenier Street, Ste. Therese - 435-3972

ONTARIO MEMBERSHIP - 2517

FAIRVIEW (St. Catharines) — Membership 247

Pastor:

Harvey C. Gossen, 455 Geneva Street, St. Catharines, 934-3398

Assistant Pastor: Walter Unger, 5 Surrey Place

Minister Elect:

Walter Unger, 5 Surrey Place

Deacons Elect:

John Braun, 3rd Ave. South, 684-5033 John Wichert, 26 Grosvenor, 934-2149

Ben Jansen, R.R. 3, St. Catharines, 684-0200 Nick Braun, 51 Trelawne, 935-6589

Sunday School Supt.

Arthur Durksen, 5 Dunblane, 684-7165

Youth Leader:

Jake Warkentin, 57 Bayview Dr., 935-4438 Choir Director:

Jake Pauls, 3 Youngblut, 935-6156

Education Director:

Peter Derksen, 3 Glencairn Dr., 935-4404 Sstatistician:

John Voth, 14 Lonsdale Ave., 682-9964

Secretary:

Henry Petkau, 73 Strathcona Dr., 935-6274 Treasurer:

Abe Isaac, R.R. 3, 9th St., Louth, 682-5201

HAMPSHIRE - Membership 26

Pastor:

Herman Kroeker, R.R. 4, Orillia, 326-4840

Norman Whitney, R.R. 3, Orillia, 326-3909 Robert Gowenlock, R.R. 4, Orillia, 326-2987 Alex Braun, R.R. 3, Orilla, 326-2910

Sunday School Supt.

Robert Gowenlock, R.R. 4, Orillia, 326-2987

Youth Leader:

Bob Duncan, Skyline Dr., Orillia-326-2391

Treasurer:

George Whitney, R.R. 3, Orillia-326-3909

KITCHENER — Membership 431

Pastor:

Frank C. Peters, 50 Brick St., Kitchener - 742-9408 Assistant Pastor:

Henry H. Dueck, 16 Meadow Crescent, Kitchener — 744-2127 Ministers:

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Deacons:

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Education Director: Henry H. Dueck, 16 Meadow Crescent, Kitchener — 744-2127

Sunday School Supt.

J. C. Isaac, 42 Lyle Place, Kitchener — 744-8401

Youth Leader:

Jake F. Willms, 137 Cornell Ave., Kitchener — 744-9209

Choir Director:

John Goerz, 799 Rockway Dr., Kitchener — 742-9473

Treasurer:

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Pastor:

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Assistant Pastor:

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Deacons:

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Sunday School Supt.

B. J. Toews, R.R. 1, Kingsville — 326-9878

Youth Leader:

J. Rosenfeld, R.R. 3, Wheatley — 825-7882

Choir Director:

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Treasurer:

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Pastor:

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Deacons Elect:

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Sunday School Supt.

Jim Siebert, 350 Upper Ottawa, Hamilton — 383-2324

Youth Leader:

Jake Dyck, 121 22nd St., Hamilton — 383-1130

Choir Director:

Jake Janzen, 542 Queenston Rd., Apt. 501, Hamilton—547-5494 Treasurer:

Jake Janzen, 542 Queenston Rd., Apt. 501, Hamilton—547-5494 Secretary:

John Janzen, 20 Brierwood, Grimsby — 945-2533

NIAGARA (Niagara-on-the-Lake) - Membership 66

Pastor:

- J. Neufeld, R.R. 1, Niagara-on-the-Lake 468-3190 Assistant Pastor:
- J. Pankratz, Lorraine St., Virgil 468-7558 Deacons:
 - J. Dueck, R.R. 2, Niagara-on-the-Lake 468-1048
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- J. Froese, R.R. 2, Niagara-on-the-Lake 468-3535 Education Director:

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- J. Froese, R.R. 2, Niagara-on-the-Lake 468-3535 Choir Director:
- P. Neufeld, Lorraine St., Virgil 468-7347 Treasurer:
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Secretary:

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 - E. Kroeker, Calle Jose Morelos 1310, Nuevo Ideal, Durango, Mexico

J. Pankratz, Montreal, Quebec

PORT ROWAN - Membership 153

Pastor:

Committee: Peter Reimer (leader) Peter Krahn and Ralph Teigrob

Ministers:

Peter Reimer, R.R. 3, Port Rowan — 586-2312 Jacob Penner, R.R. 3, Port Rowan — 586-2697 Aaron Pauls, R.R. 3, Port Rowan — 586-3324

Ministers elect:

Peter Klassen, R.R. 1, Port Rowan — 586-2526 Abram Toews, R.R. 3, Port Rowan — 586-2858

Deacons:

Alex. Suderman, R.R. 3, Port Rowan — 586-2461 Peter Krahn, R.R. 3, Port Rowan — 586-3606

Deacon elect:

Ralph Teigrob, R.R. 1, Port Rowan — 586-2284

Sunday School Supt.

Ralph Teigrob, R.R. 1, Port Rowan - 586-2284

Youth Leader:

Henry D. Hiebert, R.R. 2, St. Williams - 586-3806

Choir Director:

Alex. Suderman jr., R.R. 3, Port Rowan — 586-2346

Church Treasurer and Endowment Treasurer: Peter Teigrob, R.R. 3, Port Rowan — 586-2394

Church Secretary and Statistician:

Jacob Reimer, sr., R.R. 3, Port Rowan — 586-2040

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M.C.C. Worker:

Miss Martha Klassen, Port-Au-Prince, Haiti

SCOTT STREET (St. Catharines) — Membership 492

Pastor:

H. P. Penner, R.R. 2, Irvine Rd., St. Catharines — 935-6617 Assistant Pastor:

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Isaac Toews, 25 McKenzie St. — 935-4747

Peter Mandtler, 341 Scott St., Apt. 7 — 935-8839 John Eckert (elected) 46 Trelawne Dr. — 935-6648

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John N. Wiens, 495 Vine St. - 935-5283

Jacob Andres, 146 Geneva St. - 682-0814

Jacob Walde, 10 Joanna Dr. — 934-2328

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Jacob Martens, 22 Wolseley - 682-0986

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Sunday School Supt.

Dave Thiessen, 448 Grantham Ave. — 935-5344

Youth leader:

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Choir Director:

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Treasurer:

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Secretary:

Jacob Penner, 129 Louth St. - 694-1791

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Sunday School Supt.

Jake Wiens, 342 Ridelle Ave., Toronto 19 — 781-8320

Treasurer:

Wern Heinrichs, 472 Circle Parkway, Toronto 7 — 489-8743

Secretary:

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Ministers:

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Aron Wall, Glenview Rd., Vineland - 562-4495

Peter Lodde, R.R. 1, Vineland — 562-4009

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Education Director:

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Sunday School Supt.

John Wiebe, Vineland Station - 562-5487

Youth Leader:

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Youth Leader:

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Minister:

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Choir Director:

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Secretary:

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Treasurer:

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Sunday School Supt.:

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Youth Leader:

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Choir Director:

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Assistant Pastor:

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Youth Leader:

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Minister:

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Choir Director:

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Choir Director:

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Deacons:

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Youth Leader:

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Choir Director:

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Treasurer:

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Pastor:

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Assistant Pastor:

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Sunday School Supt .:

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Youth Leader:

A.A. Dyck jr., Newton — Ph. 303 - 13 Oakville Ex.

Choir Director:

P. Nikkel, Elm Creek

Secretary:

P. J. Froese, Newton — Ph. 331 - 22 Oakville Ex.

Treasurer:

A. A. Giesbrecht, Fortier — Ph. 307 - 3 Oakville Ex.

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Youth Leader:

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Choir Director:

Jacob C. Klassen, 303 McLeod Ave., Wpg. 15 — Ph. 334-7233

Secretary:

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Treasurer:

Abram Enns, 210 DeGraff Bay, Wpg. 16 - Ph. 339-0823

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PORTAGE AVENUE (1420 Portage Ave., Wpg. 10, Ph. SP 4-7777) Membership 473

Pastor:

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- Choir Director:
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- Secretary:
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- Treasurer:
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Treasurer:

Benj. Baerg, 258 Arby Bay, Wpg. 16 - Ph. 338-0438

SALEM (691 Alexander Ave., Wpg. 3, Ph. 772-0606)

Membership 53

Pastor:

Jacob Balzer, 864 Winnipeg Ave., Wpg. 3 — Ph. 775-6041

Ministers:

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Sunday School Supt.:

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Youth Leader:

John Rademaker, 42 Noble Ave., Wpg. 5 — Ph. 533-7091

Choir Director:

Eldon DeFehr, 77 Henderson Hwy., Wpg. 5 — Ph. 533-2280

Secretary:

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Treasurer:

Peter Brown, 33 Fieldstone Bay, Wpg. 22 — Ph. 837-8432

SPERLING - Membership 10

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Minister:

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Secretary:

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Treasurer:

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STEINBACH — Membership 255

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Ministers:

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Choir Director:

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Secretary:

Dave Voth, Box 1081, Steinbach - Ph. DA 6-6157

Treasurer:

J. G. Wiebe, Box 85, Steinbach - Ph. DA 6-2494

WESTVIEW (Portage-la-Prairie) - Membership 24

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P. B. Klassen, 210 Melville Ave., Port. la Prairie — Ph. 857-7037 Minister:

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WINKLER — Membership 331

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Assistant Pastor:

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Ministers:

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George P. Dyck, Box 354, Winkler -- Ph. 325-4632

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Youth Leader:

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Choir Director:

Alan Janzen, Box 804, Winkler - Ph. 325-8366

Secretary:

John J. Janzen, R.R. Rosengart School, Winkler — Ph. 325-8514 Treasurer:

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Deacons:

H. Doerksen, Pigeon Lake — Ph. Headingly Ex. 307 - 2

G. C. Kroeker, 256 Sydney Ave., Wpg. 15 - Ph. 334-6523

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Deacon Elect:

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Choir Director:

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Miss Lilly Kliewer, 390 Harbison Ave., Wpg. 5 — Ph. 533-3871 Treasurer:

A. Foth, 147 Helmsdale Ave., Wpg. 5 — Ph. 339-8291

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Secretary-Treasurer: Charles Wagner, Winnipegosis — Ph. OL 6-4336

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BEECHY — Membership 36

Pastor:

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Assistant Pastor:

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Minister Elect:

Jake Schellenberg, Beechy — 84

Deacon Elect:

Jake Wiens, Beechy - 11 ring 31

Missionaries:

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Sunday School Supt.:

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Choir Director:

Melvin Wiens, Beechy — 11 ring 31

Secretary:

Jake Schellenberg, Beechy — 84

Treasurer:

John Schellenberg, Beechy — 124

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BETHANIA (Beaver Flat) - Membership 11

Church Leader:

G. J. Janz, Main Centre - 784-2907

Ministers:

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George Penner, Herbert

Sunday School Supt: Chester Funk, Stewart Valley — 773-7942

Treasurer:

G. J. Janz, Main Centre - 784-2907

BORDEN - Membership 84

Pastor:

Henry G. Gossen, Borden

Minister:

A. K. Rempel, Borden — 16:11

Deacons elect:

Jacob A. Block, Borden - 13:2

Jake Peters, Borden

Sunday School Supt:

John Rempel, Great Deer — 14:13

Youth Leader:

Albert Block, Great Deer — 15:5

Choir Director:

Ruben Derksen, Borden

Secretary:

H. P. Derksen, Borden — 16:14

Treasurer:

A. J. Block, Great Deer — 15:11

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

A. J. Block, Great Deer — 15:11

BROTHERFIELD (Hepburn) — Membership 76

Pastor:

David Bergen, Box 119, Hepburn — Hepburn 13 r 6

Assistant Pastor:

C. Braun, Hepburn — Hepburn 25

Ministers:

David Bergen

C. Braun

Frank Kroeker, Waldheim - Waldheim 5 r 10

Deacon Elect:

David Sawatzky, Hepburn — 2 r 5

Sunday School Supt:

David Sawatzky, Hepburn — 2 r 5

Youth Leader:

John G. Willems, Hepburn — 2 r 6

Choir Director:

Walter Willems, Waldheim - 6 r 16

Secretary:

Frank Kroeker, Waldheim - 5 r 10

Treasurer:

J. J. Gossen, Waldheim — 1 r 5

CARROT RIVER — Membership 46

Pastor:

Cornelius Funk, Box 7, Carrot River — 768-2465

Assistant Pastor:

Rev. and Mrs. Jake Dyck, Germany

Sunday School Supt.:

Norman Schultz, Carrot River — 768-2520

Youth Leader:

Gerald Sawatzky, Carrot River - 768-2560

Secretary:

Norman Schultz, Carrot River - 768-2520

Treasurer:

George Ginter, Carrot River - 768-2556

DALMENY — Membership 163

Pastor:

Ben L. Heppner, Box 70, Dalmeny — 25

Assistant Pastor:

Waldo Lepp, Dalmeny

Ministers:

Ben L. Heppner

Jacob Lepp (retired), Dalmeny - 9 r 6

Deacone.

Abram J. Buller, Box 95, Dalmeny - 3 r 7

J. M. Lepp, Box 24, Dalmeny — 3 r 10

Henry F. Peters, Box 132, Dalmeny — Saskatoon 244-1482

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Henry P. Wall, Box 22, Mennon — Dal. 4 r 5

John F. Wiens, Box 176, Dalmeny — 9 r 4

Missionaries:

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Miss Emma Lepp, India

Mr. and Mrs. Don Enns, MBBC, Winnipeg Rev. and Mrs. P. W. Fast, Wycliff Bible Trans., Ecuador Sunday School Supt.:

Henry Bartsch, Box 205, Dalmeny — 27 r 2

Youth Leader:

Milfred Wall, Box 74, Dalmeny — 4 r 1

Choir Director:

David L. Lepp, Box 187, Dalmeny - 2 r 8

Secretary:

Henry Bartsch, Box 205, Dalmeny — 27 r 2

Treasurer:

J. M. Lepp, Box 24, Dalmeny - 3 r 10

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

J. M. Lepp, Box 24, Dalmeny - 3 r 10

ELBOW - Membership 18

Church Leader:

John Dahl, Elbow — 101

Deacon Elect:

Henry Martens, Loreburn

Sunday School Supt .:

Miss Nettie Dahl, Elbow

Treasurer:

George Bahnman, Loreburn

ELIM (Kelstern) — Membership 29

Moderator:

Otto Beich, Hodgeville - 677-2638

Deacon Elect:

Otto Beich, Hodgeville — 677-2638

Sunday School Supt .:

Hans Muller, Kelstern — 269-3352

Youth Leader:

Hans Muller, Kelstern — 269-3352

Secretary:

Herman Ohlmann, Schamrock — 269-3362

Treasurer:

Peter P. Klassen, Kelstern — 677-2626

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Peter P. Klassen, Kelstern — 677-2626

EMMANUEL (Langham) — Membership 19

Pastor:

Jacob M. Waldner, 1816 Ave. B.N., Saskatoon

Sunday School Supt.:

Joe P. Miller, 1215 Ave. I, N. Saskatoon

Treasurer:

Jacob M. Waldner, 1816 Ave. B. North, Saskatoon

FOAM LAKE - Membership 29

Pastor:

Peter Willms, Foam Lake

Sunday School Supt.:

Isaac Goosen, Foam Lake

Youth Leader:

Ben Brown, Foam Lake - 272-3887

Secretary:

John Friesen, Foam Lake - 272-3927

Treasurer:

Wm. Goosen, Foam Lake - 272-3364

GLENBUSH - Membership 105

Moderator:

A. J. Klassen, Glenbush — 2 r 2

Assistant Pastor:

A. H. Pauls, Glenbush — Medstead 101 - 14

Minister:

A. H. Pauls, Glenbush - 2 r 2

Deacons:

Arnold Harms, Glenbush - 101 - 31

J. D. Isaac, Medstead

Henry Bargen, Glenbush — 2 r 32

Sunday School Supt.:

Jacob D. Isaac, Medstead

Youth Leader:

Henry Siemens, Medstead

Choir Director:

Peter N. Pauls, Glenbush

Secretary:

Jacob D. Isaac, Medstead

Treasurer:

C. J. Klassen, Glenbush

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

C. J. Klassen, Glenbush

GNADENAU (Flowing Well) - Membership 27

Moderator:

E. Loewen, Box 86, Ernfold - 5-23

Assistant Leader:

J. J. Priebe, Flowing Well

Deacon:

E. Loewen, Box 86, Ernfold — 5-23

Sunday School Supt.:

A. Schmidt, Ernfold, Box 144 - 5-13

Youth Leader:

E. Penner, Flowing Well

Secretary:

A. Barkman, Flowing Well

Treasurer:

J. Wiebe, Flowing Well

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

E. Loewen, Box 86, Ernfold — 5-23

HEPBURN — Membership 211

Pastor:

John F. Froese, Box 28, Hepburn — 23 r 9

Assistant Pastor:

G. D. Geddert, Hepburn - 13 r 3

Ministers:

John F. Froese

G. D. Geddert

H. A. Willems, Hepburn - 19 r 6

H. M. Willems, Hepburn

Elmer Andres, Hepburn — 1 r 8

A. H. Wieler, Hepburn — 7 r 13

Deacons:

P. P. Friesen, Hepburn — 4 r 8

Peter Andres, Hepburn - 1 r 10 C. J. Boldt, Hepburn — 3 r 2

Deacon Elect:

Ruben Peters, Hepburn — 2 r 14

Missionaries: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schmidt, Congo

Rubena Peters

Mrs. Milfred Stickwood

Sunday School Supt .:

John Boldt, Hepburn — 21 r 10

Youth Leader:

Herman Berg, Hepburn - 19 r 15

Choir Director:

J. K. Schroeder, Hepburn - 7 r 8

Secretary:

C. J. Boldt, Hepburn — 3 r 2

Treasurer:

J. A. Wiens, Hepburn — 22 r 10

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Herman Schmor, Hepburn — 10 r 7

HERBERT — Membership 236

Pastor:

Herman Voth, Box 577, Herbert - 784-2413

Assistant Pastor:

Henry Voth, Box 59, Herbert - 784-2574

Minister:

Nick Janz, Herbert

Ministers Elect:

J. M. Neufeld, Herbert Henry Voth, Herbert

Deacon:

Frank F. Braun, Herbert - 784-2503

Deacons Elect:

Wm. Falk, Herbert Albert Falk, Herbert George Penner, Herbert

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Sunday School Supt.:

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Youth Leader:

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Choir Director:

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Secretary:

Jake Klippenstein, Herbert — 784-2648

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Endowment Fund Treasurer:

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P. Wiebe, Regina — 536-1409

Deacons:

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P. Suderman, Sr., 1101 Broadway Avenue, Regina — 523-7259 Missionaries:

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Sunday School Supt .:

Clifford Jantzen, 4057 Montague, Regina — 536-0823

Youth Leader:

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Choir Director:

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Secretary:

Hugo Schmidt, 21 Bobolink Bay, Regina — 536-4415

Treasurer:

P. Suderman, Jr., 88 Dolphin Bay, Regina — 536-3916

Endowment Fund Tresurer:

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LAIRD — Membership 39

Pastor:

Rudy Heidebrecht, Hepburn, 11R10

Leader:

Dave Martens, Box 161, Laird, 223-4210

Sunday School Supt.:

A. J. Quiring, Box 102, Laird, 223-4464

Youth Leader:

Rudy Heidebrecht, Hepburn, 11R10

Choir Director:

Arnold Fischer, Laird, 223-4453

Secdetary:

Ed. Fischer, Hepburn, 13R9

Treasurer:

Ed. Fischer, Hepburn, 13R9

LASHBURN — Membership 33

Pastor:

Otto Derksen, Lashburn

Ministers:

Paul J. Wiebe, Lashburn — 34

Otto Derksen, Lashburn

Missionaries:

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gripp, Home address Lashburn

Sunday School Supt.:

Otto Brandt, Lashburn

Choir Director:

Jerry Sommerfeld, Waseca

Secretary:

Harold Martin, Lashburn

Treasurer:

Jerry Sommerfeld, Waseca

LUCKY LAKE — Membership 28

Pastor:

J. J. Thiessen, Box 283, Lucky Lake - 61

Missionary:

Miss Ruby Dueck

Sunday School Supt.

Ben Quiring, Lucky Lake - 24 r 14

Youth Leader:

James Thiessen, Lucky Lake — 61

Choir Director:

Peter Funk, Lucky Lake — 18 r 13

Secretary:

J. S. Dueck, Lucky Lake — 23 r 32

Treasurer:

J. S. Dueck, Lucky Lake — 23 r 32

MAIN CENTRE — Membership 103

Pastor:

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Assistant Pastor:

John Siemens, Main Centre - 784-2924

Deacons:

Corny Wiebe, Main Centre — 784-2883 Ben Wiebe, Main Centre — 784-2965

Missionaries:

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brown, Swift Current (on furlough)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martens, India Miss Blondina Neufeld, India

Miss Eleanor Neufeld, % S.I.M., Box 127, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia Mr. George Pepin, I.L.V. Casilla 2492, Lima, Peru

Mr. and Mrs. Art Redekop, S.I.M. Zabolo via Jos, N. Nigeria West Africa

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schroeder, India

Sunday School Supt.:

Beno Schellenberg, Main Centre — 784-2959

Youth Leader:

David Epp, Main Centre — 784-2874

Choir Director:

Ernest Block, Main Centre - 784-2942

Secretary:

Otto Martens, Main Centre - 784-2950

Treasurer:

John Klippenstein, Main Centre — 784-2941

NUTANA (Saskatoon) - Membership 129

Pastor:

H. H. Epp, 6 Sparling Cresc., Saskatoon — 374-2961 Assistant Pastor:

G. J. Thiessen, 3323 Harrington St., Saskatoon — 343-4994 Moderator:

Jacob Warkentin, 2515 Paul Cresc., Saskatoon — 374-0299 Minister:

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Deacons Elect:

J. D. Wall, 6 Simpson Cresc., Saskatoon — 343-3819 Henry Balzer, 1705 Preston Ave., Saskatoon — 343-5735

Dan. Klassen, 2210 Broadway Ave., Saskatoon — 652-8211

Sunday School Supt.:

Ray Baerg, 2804 MacEachern Ave., Saskatoon

Youth Leader:

Dr. J. A. Dick, 5 Salisbury Dr., Saskatoon

Choir Director:

Walter Toews, 52 Porteous Cresc., Saskatoon Secretary:

C. R. Wall, 59 Moxon Cresc., Saskatoon

Treasurer:

Ed. Schmidt, 1520 Park Ave., Saskatoon

PIERCELAND - Membership 16

Pastor:

Walter A. Penner, Box 32, Pierceland — 32

Sunday School Supt.:

Roy Markel, Pierceland

Secretary:

Mrs. Mary Berg, Pierceland - 17

Treasurer:

Walter A. Penner, Pierceland - 32

McMAHON — Membership 20

Moderator:

Henry Penner, McMahon — 627-3430

Minister:

H. F. Klassen, McMahon — 773-9270

Minister Elect:

John Harder, McMahon

Deacon Elect:

H. Wieler, McMahon

Sunday School Supt.:

John Bergen, McMahon

Youth Leader:

Menno Lepp, McMahon

Treasurer:

Abe E. Olfert, Box 36, McMahon - 773-9193

MEADOW LAKE — Membership 15

Pastor:

Rev. William Buller, Meadow Lake, Box 1167 — 236-5544

Sunday School Supt.:

Bill Veer, Meadow Lake

Choir Director:

Cliff Nickel, Meadow Lake

Secretary

Cliff Nickel, Meadow Lake

Treasurer:

Cordel Cross, Meadow Lake

NORTH BATTLEFORD — Membership 12

Pastor:

Arno Fast, 1572—106 St., North Battleford — 445-4581

Sunday School Supt.:

Harvey Janzen, 1901-99 St., North Battleford

Secretary:

Frank Willems, 1912-96 St., N. Battleford

Treasurer

Howard Harder, 1602-103 St., N. Battleford

SASKATOON — Membership 291

Pastor:

Eugene Gerbrandt, 1010 Ave., I North, Saskatoon — 652-3563 Assistant Pastor:

Harry Schmidt, 1218 Ave. J. North, Saskatoon — 242-0335 Ministers:

Eugene Gerbrandt

H. S. Rempel, 1114 Ave. B. North, Saskatoon — 242-3577
 E. T. Schmidt, 1019 Ave. C North, Saskatoon — 652-3095

A. J. Dick (Retired)

B. L. Sawatzky (Retired)

Deacons:

George Balzer, 7 Kusch Cresc., Saskaoon — 652-5614 Henry Sawatzky, 338 Ave. M North, Saskatoon — 244-5260 J. B. Stobbe, 1130 Ave. F. North, Saskatoon — 652-0518 Sam Peters, 1401 Ave. C North, Saskatoon — 652-6049

F. J. Baerg (Emeritus), 1237 Ave. C. North, Saskatoon — 652-6049

Deacons Elect:

Walter Friesen, 1605 Ave. F. North, Saskatoon — 652-1413 Harry Schmidt, 1218 Ave. J. North, Saskatoon — 242-0335 Waldemar Toews, 402—109th St., Saskatoon — 343-0345 Missionaries:

Dr. Peter Blocks, India Sylvester Dirks, Peru George Brucks, Holland

Sunday School Supt.:

Bill Veer, 1309 Ave. I North, Saskatoon — 242-8039

Youth Leader:

Bill Krestinski, 735—4th St. East, Saskatoon — 242-9694

Choir Director:

Art Priebe, 1506 Ave. C North, Saskatoon — 242-2564 Secretary: Harry Schmidt, 1218 Ave. J North, Saskatoon — 242-0335

Treasurer:
Wiegand Friesen, 5 Kusch Cresc., Saskatoon — 244-1229

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

H. S. Rempel, 1114 Ave. B. North — 242-3577

SWIFT CURRENT — Membership 127

Moderator:

John Penner, Swift Current

Assistant Pastor:

Eugene Martens, Box 155, Swift Current — 773-6782 Minister:

Frank J. Peters, 1311 Walker Street, Swift Current — 773-8928 Deacon:

B. C. Schellenberg, 403—15th N.E., Swift Current — 773-5747 Deacons Elect:

William Wirsche, 310 Bell Place, Swift Current — 773-8108

Missionaries:

Miss Nettie Dahl, Calle Fresser 53F*, 1a Barcelona 13, Spain Mr. and Mrs. Corney Enns, Germany (with Janz Team)

Miss Daisy Martens, Box 156, Swift Current (Congo)

Miss Katie Penner, L'Institut Medical, Kajiji, B.P. 4341, Kinshasa II, Republic of Congo, Africa.

Sunday School Supt.:

Jake Regehr, 817 Connaught Drive, Swift Current — 773-6398 Youth Leader:

Dave Gunther, 1440 Bell Street, Swift Current — 773-3301

Choir Director:

Menno Martens, 849—8th Ave. N.E., Swift Current — 773-6262 Secretary:

Edwin Lautermilch, 1276 Irwin Drive, Swift Current — 773-8544

Treasurer:

Theodore Wall, 620—8th Ave., Swift Current — 773-6496

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Theodore Wall, 620-8th Ave., Swift Current - 773-6496

WALDHEIM - Membership 83

Pastor:

John D. Goertzen, Waldheim — 3 r 15

Assistant Pastor:

John H. Janzen, Waldheim - 3 r 11

Ministers:

John D. Goertzen

Deacons:

John H. Janzen, Waldheim — 3 r 11 John H. E. Janzen, Waldheim — 17 r 5 Ernest Jeschke, Waldheim — 16 r 13

Missionaries:

Miriam Janzen, Paraguay

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Janzen, Germany

Sunday School Supt.:

A. A. Schultz, Waldheim — 3 r 13

Youth Leader:

John D. Goertzen, Waldheim — 3 r 15

Choir Director:

John D. Goertzen, Waldheim — 3 r 15

Secretary:

Jacob Speiser, Laird - 223-4498

Treasurer:

P. P. G. Warkentin, Waldheim — 16 r 8

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

John E. Regier, Waldheim — 8 r 5

WATROUS — Membership 73

Pastor:

A. H. Dueck, Box 663, Watrous — 946-3785

Moderator:

H. M. Toews, Watrous

Ministers:

A. H. Dueck

H. H. Thiessen, Watrous

Deacons:

Peter Dyck, Guernsey

Missionary:

Miss Lydia Manday, Austria

Sunday School Supt.:

Walter Dick, Guernsey

Youth Leader:

Walter Dick, Guernsey

Choir Director:

Victor Toews, Guernsey

Secretary:

David Dick, Watrous

Treasurer:

Jacob Wiens, Watrous

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Henry M. Toews, Watrous

WEST PORTAL (Saskatoon) — Membership 141

Pastor:

Waldemar Gripp, 324 Ave. Y North, Saskatoon - 653-0181

Assistant Pastor:

Maynard Waldner, 1319 Ave. B North, Saskatoon — 652-0363

Ministers:

Waldemar Gripp, 324 Ave. Y North, Saskatoon — 653-0181 Lawrence Redekopp, 219 Ave. W South, Saskatoon — 382-1446 Mark J. Gripp, 449 Ave. U South, Saskatoon — 382-0215

Deacons:

Allan Baerg, 1219 Ave. I. North, Saskatoon — 652-3099

Isaac Bergen, 805 Ave. T North, Saskatoon — 382-1358

Jacob Nickel, 831 Ave. K. North, Saskatoon — 652-2408

Missionaries:

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Taves, Three Hills, Alberta

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Dyck, Candidates under appointment to Congo Helen Peters, Zambia, Africa

Sunday School Supt.:

David Niessen, 131 Ave. O South, Saskatoon

Youth Leader:

Ben Bergen, 1822-2nd Ave. North. Saskatoon

Choir Director:

Sam Regier, 801 Ave. I North. Saskatoon

Secretary:

David Niessen, 131 Ave. O South, Saskatoon

Treasurer:

Allan Baerg, 1219 Ave. I North, Saskatoon

Endowment Fund Treasurer.

Allan Baerg, 1219 Ave. I North, Saskatoon

WOODROW - Membership 98

Pastor:

Helmut Schroeder, Woodrow

Assistant Leader:

Raymond Rusk, Box 64, Woodrow

Deacons:

Rueben Engel, Box 4, Woodrow

Sam Sutter, Woodrow

Raymond Rusk, Box 64, Woodrow

Missionary:

Mrs. Gil Reimer, Panama

Sunday School Supt.:

Lloyd Engel, Gravelbourg

Youth Leader:

Allan Engel, Woodrow

Choir Director:

Gordon Lautermilch, Woodrow

Secretary:

Ewalt Engel, Woodrow

Treasurer:

Murray Wilson, Meyrome

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Ray Rusk, Woodrow

ALBERTA MEMBERSHIP - 1310

COALDALE - Membership 447

Pastor:

D. J. Pankratz (Minister), Box 207, Coaldale — 345-3529

Assistant Pastor:

J. J. Siemens (Minister), Box 503, Coaldale — 345-3071 Ministers:

H. H. Kornelsen, Box 188, Coaldale — 345-3547

D. G. Dyck, Box 423, Coaldale — 345-3554

A. P. Regier, Box 143, Coaldale — 345-3069

N. Reimer (Elected), Box 522, Coaldale — 345-4147 Deacons:

J. Wall, Sr., Box 214, Coaldale — 345-3042

J. P. Dueck, Box 23, Coaldale — 345-3216

P. P. Regier, Sr., Box 143, Coaldale — 345-3780

A. A. Baerg, Box 421, Coaldale — 345-3116

P. P. Regier, Jr., Box 578, Coaldale — 345-3188

J. Schulz, Box 391, Lethbridge — 345-3111

J. J. Dueck (Elected), Box 551, Coaldale — 345-4182 Missionaries:

Rev. and Mrs. J. Franz, Paraguay, South America

Miss Nettie Berg, Congo, Africa

Miss Helen Toews, Congo, Africa

Miss Katie Wiens, Brazil, South America

Miss Helen Dueck, India

Mrs. Tina Erion, Somalia, Africa

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kasper, Argentina, South America Sunday School Supt.:

J. J. Janz, Box 39, Coaldale — 345-3105

Youth Leader:

J. J. Dueck, Box 551, Coaldale — 345-4182

Choir Director:

G. Baier, Box 895, Coaldale — 345-4337 Secretary:

J. Esau, Box 330, Coaldale — 345-3509

Treasurer:

I. I. Regehr, Box 235, Coaldale — 345-3739 Endowment Fund Treasurer:

I. I. Regehr, Box 235, Coaldale — 345-3739

CROOKED CREEK — Membership 25

Church Leader:

N. Thiessen, DeBolt — DeBolt 22

Assistant Pastor:

P. Penner (Minister), DeBolt

Minister:

P. Warkentin, DeBolt

Deacon:

A. N. Siebert, DeBolt Sunday School Supt.:

A. Fast, Crooked Creek — R 312

Youth Leader:

P. Penner, DeBolt

Choir Director:

J. Cornelsen, Valleyview — 524-3655

Secretary:

J. Cornelson, Valleyview — 524-3655

Treasurer:

A. Fast, Crooked Creek — R. 312

GEM - Membership 75

Pastor:

J. P. Doerksen (Minister), Box 52 — 472-2166

Assistant Pastor:

H. Walde, Gem — 472-2178

Minister:

H. H. Siemens, Box 3, Gem — 472-2177

Deacon:

A. Willms, Gem — 472-2175

Missionaries:

Miss K. Siemens, India

Miss Mary Wiens, Quito, Ecuador

Sunday School Supt.:

P. P. Plett, Gem — 472-2276

Youth Leader:

J. Rempel, Gem — 472-2265

Choir Director:

H. Walde, Gem — 472-2178

Secretary:

J. V. Bergen, Box 69, Gem - 472-2264

Treasurer:

J. J. Willms, Gem — 472-2176

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

A. Willms, Gem — 472-2175

GRASSY LAKE — Membership 45

Pastor:

Roland Marsch (Elected Minister), Box 610, Grassy Lake

Assistant Pastor:

H. Thiessen, Box 778, Grassy Lake — 655-2414

Deacons:

D. Penner, Sr., Box 728, Grassy Lake — 655-2412

J. Koehn (Elected), Box 579, Taber — 223-8466

Sunday School Supt.:

H. Willms, Box 625, Grassy Lake — 655-2413

Youth Leader:

R. Marsch, Box 610, Grassy Lake

Choir Director:

B. Reimer, Burdett - 833-2247

Secretary:

D. Dyck, Box 639, Grassy Lake

Treasurer:

W. Penner, Box 668, Grassy Lake — 655-2421

HIGHLAND (Calgary) — Membership 174

Church Address:

4018 Centre B St. N.W., Calgary - 276-1555

Assistant Pastor:

J. Schmidt, 2508—Cherokee Dr., Calgary — 282-1119 Jinisters:

J. Bergen, 3720—1 St. N.W., Calgary — 276-3084

P. P. Doerksen, 4355—2 St. N.W., Calgary — 277-7246

D. Kroeker, 3832—2 St. N.W., Calgary — 277-2905 Deacons:

G. Thiessen, 91 Cumberland Dr. N.W., Calgary — 289-5745

B. Foth, 3332—Barrett Place, N.W., Calgary — 289-4705 Missionaries:

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Quiring (under appointment)

Sunday School Supt.:

A. Nikkel, 3612—Beaver Rd. N.W., Calgary — 289-5257 Youth Leader: S. Rempel, #13, 3208—19 St. N.W., Calgary — 282-6835 Choir Director:

T. Quiring, 2431—34 Ave. N.W., Calgary — 289-9665 Secretary:

J. Wiens, 904—32 Ave. N.W., Calgary — 283-0919 Treasurer:

J. Traber, 1811 Canberra Rd. N.W., Calgary — 282-2784 Endowment Fund Treasurer:

J. Traber, 1811 Canberra Rd. N.W., Calgary — 282-2784

LA GLACE - Membership 45

Church Leader:

J. J. Heidebrecht, R.R. 1, Wembley — 766-2488 Pastor:

V. Pankratz (Minister), La Glace — X 1113 Sexsmith Missionaries:

Rev. P. P. Pauls, Hong Kong

Sunday School Supt.:

D. Schmidt, La Glace - 766-2489

Youth Leader:

H. Buhler, La Glace - R 1506

Choir Director:

H. Siebert, La Glace — R 1206

Secretary:

G. Wiebe, La Glace — R 407

Treasurer:

C. Friesen, La Glace - 766-2490

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

F. Driedger, Sexsmith — 766-2494

LAKEVIEW (Lethbridge) — Membership 67

Church Address:

1509—29 St. S., Lethbridge — 327-5854

Pastor:

Wm. E. Thiessen (Minister), 1318 Henderson Lake Blvd., Leth-bridge — 327-0785

Assistant Pastor:

H. P. Nikkel (Minister), Box 179, Coaldale — 345-3335 Minister:

A. Neumann, 4407 "B" Valiant Dr., Calgary

Deacon:

J. Martens (Elected), Box 60, Coaldale — 345-3067

Missionary:

Miss E. Reimer (M.C.C. Worker), % Gene Kaufman Personnel House, 100 Kilein St., Reedley, California, U.S.A. Sunday School Supt.:

J. Braun, 1114 Lakeview Dr., Lethbridge — 327-5197

Youth Leader:

H. Klassen, Box 75, Coaldale — 345-3752

Choir Director:

P. Martens, Box 60, Coaldale - 345-3004

Secretary:

P. Penner, Box 122, Coaldale — 345-3206

Treasurer:

H. Allert, 2102-24 St. S., Lethbridge - 328-4253

LENDRUM (Edmonton) - Membership 109

Church Address:

11210-59 Ave., Edmonton - 434-4268

Pastor:

Peter Rempel (Minister), 5712—113A St., Edmonton — 434-5524 Assistant Pastor:

P. F. Bargen, 8010—154 St., Edmonton — 489-7439

Ministers:

P. Goertz, 7556-78 Ave., Edmonton - 466-0804

B. W. Sawatzky, 6316—105 St., Edmonton — 434-6213

J. Isaac (Elected), 1604—88 Ave., Edmonton — 484-1815

Deacons:

P. Poetker (Elected), 6736—84 St., Edmonton — 466-1244

N. Thiessen (Elected), 4607—116A St., Edmonton — 434-6782

Sunday School Supt.:

W. Kruger, Box 750, Stony Plain — 777-2257

Youth Leader:

W. Sawatzky, 6507—112A St., Edmonton — 434-7278

Choir Director:

J. Pauls, 4816—116 St., Edmonton — 434-4086

Secretary:

J. Isaac, 16104--88 Ave., Edmonton — 484-1815

Treasurer:

R. Kornelsen, 9501—162 St., Edmonton — 489-8578

LINDEN — Membership 112

Church Phone - Acme 2804

Pastor:

R. Boschman (Minister), Box 92, Linden — Acme 2815 Assistant Pastor:

S. Megli, Linden — Acme 2007

Deacons:

J. Klassen, Sunnyslope — Three Hills 443-7761

A. D. Penner, Acme - Acme 511

Missionary:

Miss Margaret Thiessen, S.I.M. Kwoi via Klafanchan, Nigeria, Africa

Sunday School Supt.:

Miss V. Ratzlaff, Linden - Acme 2013

Youth Leader:

Miss D. Martens, Trochu

Choir Director:

R. Ratzlaff, Linden — Acme 2021

Treasurer:

D. Falk, Jr., Linden — Acme 2205

NAMAKA — Membership 14

Pastor:

G. Dirks (Minister), Box 8, Namaka — Strthmore 382-2057 Assistant Pastor:

V. Thiessen, Box 19, Namaka

Sunday School Supt.:

E. Dirks, Box 8, Namaka — Strathmore 382-2057

Youth Leader:

V. Thiessen, Box 19, Namaka

Choir Director:

V. Thiessen, Box 19, Namaka

Secretary:

G. Quiring, Box 488, Strathmore — 382-2482 Treasurer:

D. Penner, Box 606, Strathmore

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

E. Dirks, Box 8, Namaka — Strathmore 382-2057

PINCHER CREEK — Membership 12

Church Leader:

A. Bensler, Box 563, Pincher Creek — 627-2176 Minister:

D. Durksen, Box 184, Pincher Creek — 627-2264 Choir Director:

E. Bensler, Box 563, Pincher Creek

Secretary:

J. Dyck, Box 251, Pincher Creek — 627-2481 Treasurer:

J. Willms, Box 352, Pincher Creek — 627-2348

TOFIELD — Membership 104

Pastor:

G. Quiring (Minister), Box 63, Tofield — 662-2169 Assistant Pastor:

P. H. Warkentin (Minister), Box 293, Tofield — 662-2629 Ministers:

D. H. Balzer, Box 113, Tofield — 662-2606

D. Thiessen (Elected), R.R. 2, Tofield — 662-2347

J. J. Dueck (Elected), Box 99, Tofield — 662-6208 Deacons:

J. J. Dueck, Box 99, Tofield — 662-2208

J. Baerg (Elected), R.R. 3, Tofield — 662-2625 Missionary:

Miss Frieda Warkentin, Congo, Africa

Sunday School Supt.:

B. Thiessen, Box 284, Tofield — 662-2407

Youth Leader:

B. Thiessen, Box 284, Tofield - 662-2407

Choir Director:

M. Hamm, R.R. 2, Tofield — 662-2513

Secretary:

D. H. Balzer, Box 113, Tofield — 662-2606 Treasurer:

P. P. Thiessen, Box 189, Tofield — 662-2126

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

A. Poettcker, Lindbrook

VAUXHALL - Membership 81

Pastor:

A. J. Esau (Minister), Box 521, Vauxhall — 654-2595

Assistant Pastor:

H. A. Unruh (Minister), Box 297, Vauxhall — 654-2801 Minister:

D. Rempel (Elected), Box 435, Vauxhall — 654-2726

Deacon:

J. B. Reimer, Box 146, Vauxhall — 654-2802

Sunday School Supt.:

A. Reimer, Box 437, Vauxhall — 654-2309

Youth Leader:

V. Friesen, Box 375, Vauxhall

Choir Director:

A. Reimer, Box 437, Vauxhall — 654-2309

Secretary:

H. Rempel, Box 143, Vauxhall — 654-2763

Treasurer:

H. Rempel, Box 143, Vauxhall — 654-2763

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

H. Rempel, Box 143, Vauxhall — 654-2763

BRITISH COLUMBIA MEMBERSHIP — 5377

ARNOLD — Membership 123

Moderator:

J. J. Rempel, 38705 Old Yale Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 853-2331 Assistant Moderator:

A. Fast, 38644 Old Yale Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 859-9323

Ministers:

G. Ratzlaff, 38489 Old Yale Rd., R.R. 2, Albbotsford — 859-8642

P. Janzen, 38611 Old Yale Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 853-1024 Ministers Elect:

J. J. Rempel, 38705 Old Yale Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 853-2331
J. Goerzen, 38927 Old Yale Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 859-5192

H. B. Klassen, Corbould Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 853-2063

H. B. Falk, 184 Corbould Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 859-8234

Sunday School Supt.:

C. Wiens, 973 Marion Rd., R.R. 2, Albbotsford — 859-5008

Youth Leader:

H. A. Wiens, Marion Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 859-8991 Choir Director:

J. E. Derksen, Old Yale Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 859-5634 Secretary:

A. H. Fast, 38644 Old Yale Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 859-9323

Treasurer:
E. Ratzlaff, 39289 Vye Rd., R.R. 2, Albbotsford — 853-1016

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

J. Dahl, Vye Rd., R.R. 2, Abbotsford — 853-2363

BAKERVIEW (Clearbrook) - Membership 170

Pastor:

J. H. Quiring, Box 136, Clearbrook

Ministers:

H. C. Born, Box 513, Clearbrook — 859-4359

A. J. Friesen, Box 444, Clearbrook — 859-9308

D. H. Neumann, Box 1, Clearbrook — 859-9988

Deacons:

John K. Enns, Box 137, Clearbrook — 859-8226 Henry Martens, Box 116, Abbotsford — 853-2677

Sunday School Supt.:

Fred Peters, 31808 Beech Ave., Clearbrook — 853-1469

Youth Leader:

Henry Klassen, Box 282, Clearbrook — 859-9403

Choir Director:

Rudy Baerg, Box 615, Clearbrook — 859-9875

Secretary:

Peter Enns, Box 446, Clearbrook - 859-5097

Treasurer:

John Rempel, Box 78, Clearbrook - 859-5387

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Jake Warkentin, 33435 Lynn St., R.R. 5, Abbotsford — 859-8808

BLACK CREEK - Membership 86

Pastor:

J. E. Klassen, R.R. 1, Black Creek — 337-5428 Assistant Pastor:

J. B. Falk, R.R. 1, Black Creek — 337-5486 Deacons:

J. B. Falk, R.R. 1, Black Creek — 337-5486 Deacon Elect:

D. Klassen, R.R. 1, Black Creek — 337-5504 Sunday School Supt.:

B. Falk, R.R. 1, Black Creek — 337-5284

Youth Leader:

P. Derksen, R.R. 1, Black Creek — 337-5251

Choir Director:

A. Wedel, R.R. 1, Black Creek - 337-5208

Secretary:

P. Hamm, R.R. 1, Black Creek — 337-5205

Treasurer:

P. P. Klassen, R.R. 1, Black Creek — 337-5531

BROOKSWOOD (Langley) - Membership 18

Pastor:

George Warkentin, Box 418, Langley — 534-5450

Assistant Pastor:

Herb Voth, 18368 South Fraser Way, R.R. 3, Cloverdale — 574-5278 Sunday School Supt.:

John Froese, 13971—100 Ave., North Surrey — 581-7239

Choir Director:

Herb Voth, 18368 South Fraser Way, R.R. 3, Cloverdale — 574-5278

Secretary: John Froese, 13971—100 Ave., North Surrey — 581-7239

Treasurer:

Peter Isaak, 19863-36 Ave., Langley - 534-6801

CARIBOO BETHEL (Williams Lake) - Membership 27

Pastor:

Paul Unger, Box 1441, Williams Lake — 392-7457

Assistant Pastor:

Neil Isaac, Box 1104, Williams Lake — 392-4651

Tom Loewen, Box 2072, Williams Lake — 392-5158

Deacon Elect:

Nick Pauls, Lac La Hache

Sunday School Supt.:

Henry Pankratz, Box 1194, Williams Lake — 392-7433

Youth Leader:

Nick Pauls, Lac La Hache

Secretary:

Mrs. Nettie Stasiuk, Box 1843, Williams Lake — 392-7693

Treasurer:

Heinz Teichgraef, Box 1553, Williams Lake — 932-5042

CENTRAL HEIGHTS (Abbotsford) - Membership 223

Pastor:

N. J. Dyck, 33333 Hawthorne Ave., Abbotsford — 859-9217

Assistant Pastor:

H. H. Nikkel, 2559 Minter St., Clearbrook — 859-9951

Minister:

Jacob Thielmann, 1679 Jackson Rd., R.R. 5, Abbotsford — 859-4121 Deacons:

Frank DeFehr, Columbia Rd., R.R. 5, Abbotsford — 859-8692

P. F. Ewert, 32245 Peardonville Extension, Clearbrook — 859-5340 Paul Neufeld, 31934 Peardonville Extension, Clearbrook — 859-9513

Missionaries:

Leslie Buhler, Peint Nasik Dist. B.S., India

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dyck (furlough), King Rd. and Clearbrook Rd., R.R. 5, Abbotsford — 859-4775

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Rudy Dyck, 1664 Highview St., Abbotsford — 859-9458 Youth Leader:

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CHILLIWACK — Membership 250

Pastor:

Henry Warkenutin, 619 Maple Ave., Chilliwack — 792-1152 Assistant Pastor:

Peter S. Thiessen, 53 Broadway Street, S., Chilliwack — 792-6093 Ministers:

Henry Fast, 9484 Coote St., Chilliwack — 795-7406

Paul Rogalsky, Ste. 102 Helena Apt., 209 Church Ave., Chilliwack — 795-7715

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David Baerg, 10735 McSween Rd., R.R. 3, Chilliwack — 795-3246 John Wiens, 11244 Kitchen Rd., R.R. 3, Chilliwack — 792-2607 Jacob Suderman, 10469 McSween Rd., R.R. 3, Chilliwack — 975-3100

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Sunday School Supt .:

John Neumann, 36 Windsor St., Chilliwack — 795-9652

Youth Leader:

Peter Funk, 46495 Strathcona Rd., R.R. 3, Chilliwack — 792-6428 Choir Director:

John Hooge, 9650 Carleton St., Chilliwack — 795-7373

Secretary:

Herbert Hamm, 46541 Cedar Ave. W., Chilliwack — 795-7600

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Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Henry Goossen, 37 Woodbine N., Chilliwack - 795-7927

CLEARBROOK — Membership 656

Pastor:

H. G. Thielman, Box 622, Clearbrook — 853-1255

Assistant Pastor:

J. J. Unger, Box 494, Clearbrook — 853-2340

Ministers:

J. P. Dueck, Box 428, Clearbrook — 859-9059

John Enns, 427 McCallum Rd., R.R. 5, Abbotsford — 859-9943 Jac. P. Friesen (R), Box 362, Clearbrook — 859-9758

Samuel Hodel (R), Box 24

Rudy Janzen, Box 1493, Abbotsford — 853-2742

Peter Langemann (R), Gen. Del., Clearbrook - 853-1540

N. H. Pauls (R), Box 195, Clearbrook — 859-9983

A. A. Toews (R), Box 158, Clearbrook — 859-5746

H. P. Toews (R), Box 552, Clearbrook — 859-9961

I. J. Toews (R), 2799 Victoria St., R.R. 3, Abbotsford —859-9476

G. P. Warkentin (R), Box 528, Clearbrook - 859-9245 Deacons:

J. J. Harder, 32536 Peardonville Extension, R.R. 5, Abbotsford — 859-8930

Jac. H. Issak, Trethewey St., R.R. 1, Abbotsford — 859-5878

Dav. Quapp, Box 186, Clearbrook — 859-9839

B. P. Ratzlaff, Queen Rd., R.R. 1, Abbotsford - 859-8810

Jac. J. Rempel, 2919 Evergreen St., R.R. 3, Abbotsford — 859-9842

D. D. Schmidt, Box 292, Clearbrook — 859-8245

Jac. N. Toews, 3396 Clearbrook Rd., R.R. 3, Abbotsford — 859-5303

Missionaries:

Miss Mary Toews, Congo. Home Address: Box 158, Clearbrook, B.C. Miss Susie Brucks, Nigeria. Home Address: Box 521, Clearbrook, B.C.

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Sunday School Supt.:

Jac. J. Peters, Box 617, Clearbrook — 853-1220

Youth Leader:

Rudy Janzen, Box 1493, Abbotsford — 853-2742 Choir Director:

Victor Thiessen, Box 176, Clearbrook — 859-9893 Secretaries:

John K. Brandt, Box 23, Clearbrook — 859-9822 H. P. Hooge, Box 41, Clearbrook — 853-2412

Treasurer:

Peter J. Klassen, Box 67, Clearbrook — 859-5966 Endowment Fund Treasurer.

F. Neufeld, 1552 Clearbrook Rd., R.R. 5, Abbotsford — 859-8875

COUNTY LINE (Mt. Lehman) — Membership 18

Pastor:

George J. Penner, Howell Rd., R.R. 1, Aldergrove — 856-2623 Sunday School Supt.:

Bruno Muller, Starr Rd., Bradner — 856-8008

Youth Leader:

Bruno Muller, Starr Rd., Bradner — 856-8008

Choir Director:

John W. Willms, 4330 Ross Rd., R.R. 1, Mt. Lehman — 856-8959 Secretary:

Dave Pauls, 29005 Mctarish Rd., R.R. 1, Mt. Lehman — 856-6342 Treasurer:

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DAWSON CREEK - Membership 28

Pastor:

Leo Siemens, 1731—109 Avenue, Dawson Creek — 2-8086 Assistant Pastor:

John Isaak, 1408—111 Avenue, Dawson Creek — 2-7251 Deacon Elect:

John Braun, 1528—111 Avenue, Dawson Creek — 2-4985

Sunday School Supt.:

Eldon Penner, 1109—117 Avenue, Dawson Creek — 2-8681 Youth Leader:

Hugo Neufeld (resigning Sept. 1), 10505—13th Street, Dawson Creek — 2-8839

Choir Director:

John Suderman, 1024—121 Avenue, Dawson Creek — 2-4291 Secretary:

Mrs. Anne Suderman, 1024—121 Avenue, Dawson Creek — 2-4291

EAST ALDERGROVE — Membership 145

Pastor:

Cornelius D. Toews, Box 256, Clearbrook — 859-8423 Assistant Pastor:

J. C. Voth, Box 632, Clearbrook — 853-1889

Minister:

John Pankratz, Princess Street, Clearbrook — 859-5568

Minister Elect:

John Neufeld, 984 Columbia Road, R.R. 5, Abbotsford — 859-4563 Deacons:

J. C. Voth, Box 632, Clearbrook — 853-1889

J. J. Esau, Mt. Lehman Rd., R.R. 3, Abbotsford — 856-2023

Deacon Elect: Dave Martens, 1654 Howes Rd., R.R. 1, Aldergrove - 856-8651

Missionaries: Henry and Edna Thiessen, Borneo (under the Mission of "Regions Beyond")

Sunday School Supt.:

Henry Koop, Ross Rd., S., R.R. 1, Aldergrove — 856-8243

Youth Leader:

Ron Sawatzky, 4364 Coghlan Rd., R.R. 3, Aldergrove — 856-2574 Choir Director:

Herman C. Klassen, 1939 Howes Rd., R.R.1, Aldergrove — 856-2774

Secretary:

Dave Redekop, 28080 T.C.H., R.R. 2, Aldergrove — 856-8080

Treasurer:

Isaac Sawatzky, 4564 Coglan Rd., R.R. 3, Aldergrove — 856-2574 Endowment Fund Treasurer:

John Andres, Box 261, Clearbrook — 853-1263

EAST CHILLIWACK — Membership 214

Pastor:

G. Thielmann, R.R. 1, Chilliwack — 794-7109

Assistant Pastor:

B. P. Epp, R.R. 2, Chilliwack — 792-6435

Minister: J. I. Bergen, 523 Clayton Ave., Chilliwack — 795-9252

Minister Elect:

Peter Dyck, 9766 Carleton St., Chilliwack — 795-9278 Deacons:

J. P. Doerksen, 96 Windsor St., Chilliwack — 795-5394

Alfred Hamm, R.R. 2, Chilliwack — 794-7053 Joh. Isaac, 42 S. Wells St., Chilliwack — 792-2663

H. P. Wiens, R.R. 2, Chilliwack — 794-7635

J. C. Willms, R.R. 2, Chilliwack — 795-7388

Missionaries:

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Koop, Japan Miss Marie Riediger, India

Mr. John Bill Toews, MCC Worker in Africa

Sunday School Supt .:

Alfred Hamm, R.R. 2, Chilliwack - 794-7053

Youth Leader:

Henry G. Pauls, R.R. 1, Rosedale - 794-7235

Choir Director.

Walter Esau, R.R. 2, Chilliwack — 794-7554

Secretary:

H. P. Wiens, R.R. 2, Chilliwack - 794-7635

Treasurer:

Isaac Wiebe, R.R. 2, Chilliwack — 794-7580

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

P. J. Esau, 189 McNaught Road, Chilliwack — 795-7975

FRASERVIEW (Vancouver) - Membership 384

Pastor:

Rev. Wilmer Kornelson, 7426 Culloden St., Vancouver 15 — FA 5-8856

Assistant Pastor:

Harold Ratzlaff, 7284 Rupert St., Vancouver — HE 5-8593 Ministers:

Rev. Jake J. Dick, Apt. 303, 7884 Knight, Vancouver — 327-1886 Rev. Peter Dyck, 1369 E. 60th Ave., Vancouver — 325-6073 Rev. Wilmer Kornelson, 7426 Culloden St., Vancouver — 325-8856 Rev. Jake Neumann, 102—1416 Harwood Ave., Vancouver — 685-5091

Deacons:

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John Bargen, 1138 Bird Rd., Richmond — CR 8-8196 Abe Kroeker, 6835 Heather St., Vancouver — AM 1-5400 Missionaries:

Miss Helen Dyck, Casilla 690, Guayaguil, Ecuador, South America Miss Frieda Neufeld, Ste. 205, 6850 Knight St., Vancouver Sunday School Supt.:

Edward Hintz, 2965 Rosemont Dr., Vancouver — FA 7-2336

Choir Director.

John Wiebe, 2333 Harrison St., Vancouver — 325-7055

Secretary:

Henry Penner, 7373 Culloden St., Vancouver 15 — 325-3124 Treasurer:

Alwin Ens, 909 E—54th Ave., Vancouver — FA 5-6260 Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Henry Epp, 1020 Bird Rd., Richmond — CR 8-0084

GREENDALE (Sardis) - Membership 266

Pastor:

Dave Froese, 6550 Sumas Prairie Rd., R.R. 1, Sardis — 823-6418 Assistant Pastor:

David Balzer, 46251 Chilliwack Central Rd., R.R. 2, Chilliwack — 795-3278

Ministers:

Henry G. Dueck, 42667 South Sumas Rd., R.R. 4, Sardis — 823-6587 Jacob B. Harder, 42975 South Sumas R., R.R. 4, Sardis — 823-6695

Nick. Siebert, 42205 South Sumas Rd., R.R. 1, Sardis — 823-6568 Henry J. Unger, 43444 Adams Rd., R.R. 1, Sardis — 823-6662 Minister Elect:

David Froese, 6550 Sumas Prairie Rd., R.R. 1, Sardis

Deacons:

David Balzer, 46251 Chilliwack Central Rd., R.R. 2, Chilliwack — 795-3278

Peter Dyck, 46220 Downing Rd., R.R. 4, Sardis — 823-6724 Cornelius Friesen, 6350 Sumas Prairie Rd., R.R. 4, Sardis — 823-6049

Deacons Elect:

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Missionary.

Miss Helen Fast, B.P. 4341, Kinshasa II, Rep. Dem. du Congo Sunday School Supt.:

Victor Guenther, 6435 Sumas Prairie Rd., R.R. 1, Sardis — 823-6055

Youth Leader:

Rudy Reimer, 6450 Reid Rd., R.R. 3, Sardis — 858-4552

Choir Director:

Jacob Driediger, 44048 South Sumas Rd., R.R. 4, Sardis — 858-4665 Secretary:

William Dueck, 7324 Hopedale Rd., R.R. 4, Sardis — 823-6666

Treasurer:

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John Froese, 42940 South Sumas Rd., R.R. 4, Sardis - 823-6684

KELOWNA - Membership 137

Pastor:

E. J. Lautermilch, 825 Fuller Ave., Kelowna — 762-7495

Moderator:

H. H. Enns, 1797 Glenella Place, Kelowna — 762-2839

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Missionaries:

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Janzen, Panama

Sunday School Supt.:

Peter Decker, 1211 Centennial Cresc, Kelowna — 762-2750

Youth Leader:

Art Born, Radont Rd. R.R. 4, Kelowna — 764-4338

Choir Director:

Arnold Peters, 1889 Chandler St., Kelowna

Secretary:

Geo. Pauls, Fitzpatrick Rd., R.R. 2, Kelowna — 765-5796

Treasurer:

Sam Janzen, KLO Rd., R.R. 3, Kelowna — 762-7229

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

George Cornelson, 657 Francis Ave., Kelowna - 762-4684

KENNEDY HEIGHTS (North Surrey) — Membership 151

Pastor:

Nick Willems, 11846—88 Ave. North Surrey — 596-8178

Assistant Pastor:

Jacob Friesen, 13432—98 Ave., North Surrey — 581-2391 Ministers:

Abram Wiebe, 8945—135 A St., North Surrey — 594-4553 Abram Toews, 447 Boundry Rd., New Westminster — 521-7097

Deacons:

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Henry Esau, 414 Boundry Bay Rd., Ladner — 943-2798 Adolf Dirks, 13513—88 A Ave., North Surrey — 596-3726 Arthur Reimer, 14103—113th Ave., North Surrey — 584-0240 Henry Schellenberg, 9315—114th Sreet

Missionary:

John Goertz, Apartads 4172, Cali, Colombia, South America Sunday School Supt.:

Adolf Dirks, 13513—88 A Ave., North Surrey — 596-3726

Youth Leader:

William Giesbrecht, 13430 Hilton Rd., North Surrey — 584-6901 Choir Director:

Al Willms, St. 302, 6580, Dublane Ave.

Secretary:

Sam Baerg, 8246—152nd St., North Surrey — 594-9271 Treasurer:

John Unger, 9661—120 A St., North Surrey — 581-6043 Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Art Reimer, 14103-113 Ave., North Surrey - 584-0240

KILLARNEY PARK (Vancouver) — Membership 324

Pastor:

H. J. Brandt, 2776 East 50th Avenue, Vancouver 16 — 325-0319 Assistant Pastor:

Jacob Penner, 7269 Lancaster Place, Vancouver 16 — 431-4904 Minister:

P. J. Wiebe, 3204 Waverly St., Vancouver 16 — HE 4-9862 Deacon:

Peter Epp (Inactive), 3177 Waverly St., Vancouver 16 — HE 5-6374

Deacons Elect:

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Aron Koehn, 6929 Lancaster Street, Vancouver — HE 3-3620 Henry Neufeld, 6173 Battison Street, Vancouver — 435-4950

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nickel, M.B. Medical Centre, Jadcherla, Andhra Pradesh, India

Mr. and Mrs. John Thielmann, C.P. 688, Sao Paulo, Capital, Brazil Dr. and Mrs. Rudy Hamm, Congo Mr. and Mrs. Jake Nickel, Congo

Sunday School Supt.:

Bill Friesen, 5827 Royal Oak Avenue, S. Burnaby — HE 1-1335 Youth Leader:

Gary Cullen, 3215 E. 46th Avenue, Vancouver — 431-2521

Choir Director:

Robert Wedel, Ste. 205, 41 E. 16th Avenue, Vancouver — TR 4-0395 Secretary:

Jake Abrahams, 6226 Wales Street, Vancouver — 435-9867

Treasurer:

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Pastor:

A. E. Schmidt, Box 4501, Kitimat - 808

Assistant Pastor:

George Neumann, Box 4129, Kitimat - 936 L

Deacons Elect:

Mr. and Mrs. David Esau, Box 446 N.P.O., Kitimat — 1335 Sunday School Supt.:

Wilfred Penner, Box 103, N.P.O., Kitimat - 768 R

Youth Leader:

Martin Epp, Box 4745, Kitimat — 2240 R

Music Chairman:

Don Krause, Box 4777, Kitimat

Secretary:

Roy Dueck, Gen. Del. N.P.O., Kitimat - 649

Treasurer:

Mrs. B. E. Neumann, Box 4129, Kitimat — 936 L

LAKE ERROCK (Deroche) - Membership 28

Pastor:

Art Isaac, Deroche Landing Rd., R.R. 1, Deroche — 826-8967 Assistant Pastor:

Harry Doerksen, 32055 Cedar Lane, Gen. Del., Clearbrook — 853-2351

Deacon:

Frank Friesen, 2471 Hilltout Rd., Box 311, Clearbrook — 853-2086 Sunday School Supt.:

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Youth Leader:

Helmut Schmidt, 2703 Victoria St., Box 397, Clearbrook — 859-5445

Choir Director:

Miss Erna Block, 32109 Old Yale Rd., Box 8, Clearbrook — 859-8276 Secretary:

Harry Doerksen, 32055 Cedar Lane, Gen. Del., Clearbrook — 853-2351

Treasurer:

George Loewen, 2618 James St., Box 392, Clearbrook — 859-9621 Endowment Fund Treasurer:

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MATSQUI — Membership 103

Pastor:

J. J. Kasper, Box 174, Clearbrook — 853-3086

Assistant Pastor:

Alvin Wiebe, Box 1234, Mission City - 826-2335

Minister:

A. J. Klassen, 1520 Flanagan St., Pomona, Calif.

Minister Elect:

Victor Neufeld, 31860 Oak Ave., Clearbrook — 859-5071

Deacons:

H. F. Brown, Clearbrook Rd., R.R. 3, Abbotsford — 859-9362

P. Janzen, Box 124 Matsqui — 826-7774

B. B. Peters, Box 157, Clearbrook — 859-9959

Heinrich Suderman, Clearbrook Rd., R.R. 3, Abbotsford — 859-5849

Missionaries:

Henry Goertzen, Jirvin Prakash, Jhanri, U.P., India (TEAM) Miss Frieda Janzen, % S.I.M. Miango via Jos, Nigeria, West Africa (on furlough)

Miss Pauline Peters, 21-2 Chone Kofuen, Nishinoniya shi, Wyogo Ken, Japan

Sunday School Supt.:

Wm. Born, Box 255, Clearbrook — 859-5070

Youth Leader:

Victor Neufeld, 31860 Oak Ave., Clearbrook — 859-5071

Choir Director:

J. Konrad, Glenmore Rd., R.R. 1, Matsqui — 859-9902

Secretary:

Jacob A. Loewen, Gallagher Rd., R.R. 1, Matsqui — 826-2798 Treasurer:

H. F. Brown, Clearbrook Rd., R.R. 3, Abbotsford — 859-9362 Endowment Fund Treasurer:

W. G. Poetker, Glenmore Rd., R.R. 1, Matsqui — 859-8227

MOUNTAIN VIEW (Mission) — Membership 57

Pastor:

H. D. Neufeld, R.R. 3, Mission — 826-8400

Assistant Pastor:

Peter Willms, R.R. 3, Gladwin Rd., Abbotsford — 859-5728 Minister:

H. D. Neufeld, R.R. 3, Mission — 826-8400

Deacon:

C. Klassen, Gladwin Road, Matsqui — 853-1075

Missionaries:

Miss Sandra Syverson, Apdo Aereo 244, Palmira Valle, Colombia, South America

Miss Sarah Unger, Box 240, Vieux Fort, St. Lucia, Windward Islands

Miss Mary Giesbrecht, % Miss Irene Walters. Lenaustrasse 4, Stuttgrat, West Germany

Sunday School Supt.:

C. Klassen, Gladwin Rd., Matsqui — 853-1075

Youth Leader:

Jake Braun, Box 508, Clearbrook — 859-9205

Choir Director:

P. Willms, R.R. 3, Gladwin Rd., Abbotsford — 859-5728 Secretary:

Peter Ewert, Hatzic, P.O. - 826-6062

Treasurer:

William Wiens, Matsqui, P.O. — 826-6466

NEW HAZELTON — Membership 10

Pastor:

George Braun, Box 11, New Hazelton — 96 W

Assistant Pastor:

Martin Penner, Box 81, New Hazelton — 52 K

Sunday School Supt.:

John J. Kornelson, Box 88, New Hazelton — 176 X

Youth Leader:

Martin Penner, Box 81, New Hazelton — 52 K

Treasurer:

Mrs. Martin Penner, Box 81, New Hazelton - 52 K

NORTH PEACE (Fort St. John) - Membership 29

Pastor:

Peter Boschman, Box 1258. Fort St. John — 785-2860

Education Director:

Abe Dueck, Box 2093, Fort St. John — 785-3373

Deacon:

Irwin D. Klaassen, Box 939, Fort St. John — 785-2153 Missionaries:

Mr. and Mrs. Art Klassen, S.I.M., Kwoi via Klafanchan, Nigeria, West Africa

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Peters, Titcombe College, Egbe via Ilorin, Nigeria, West Africa

Sunday School Supt.:

Irwin D. Klaassen, Box 939, Fort St. John — 785-2153

Youth Leader:

John Unger, Box, Fort St. John - 785-3000

Choir Director:

L. Fehr, Box 36, Fort St. John — 785-2753

Secretary:

Irwin D. Klaassen, Box 939, Fort St. John — 785-2153

Treasurer:

A. D. Koehn, Box 373, Fort St. John — 785-4002

OCEAN FALLS GOSPEL FELLOWSHIP (Ocean Falls) -Membership 8

Pastor:

John Balzer, Box 248, Ocean Falls — 289-4062

Deacon:

Ed Schnieder, Box 405, Ocean Falls — 289-4089

Sunday School Supt .:

Ed Schnieder, Box 405, Ocean Falls - 289-4089

Youth Leader:

Bernie Brandt, Box 1069, Ocean Falls — 289-7760

Secretary:

Ernie Hurd, Box 976, Ocean Falls — 289-7795

Treasurer:

Ernie Hurd, Box 976, Ocean Falls — 289-7795

OLIVER — Membership 19

Pastor:

Peter C. Penner, Box 113, Oliver — 498-2786

Assistant Pastor:

Geo. Rempel, Box 817, Oliver — 498-2788

Sunday School Supt.:

Geo. Rempel, Box 817, Oliver — 498-2788 Youth Leader:

Peter C. Penner, Box 113. Oliver — 498-2786

Secretary:

John H. Dyck, Box 247, Oliver — 498-3407

Treasurer:

John H. Dyck, Box 247, Oliver — 498-3407

PACIFIC GRACE MISSION CHAPEL (Vancouver)—Membership 46

(Pastor) Missionary:

H. G. Classen, 896 E 33 Ave., Vancouver 10 — 321-8086

Assistant (Pastor):

W. M. Classen, 2720 Waverley St., Vancouver 12 — HE 4-9268 Mission Worker:

Sue Neufeld, 6796 Dumfries St., Vancouver 15 — FA 7-7148

Deacons Elect:

Rae McAlister, 3682 Turner St., Vancouver 6 — CY 9-35-9

Dan Balzer, 6134 Beatrice St., Vancouver 15 — FA 5-0881

Missionaries:

Miss Betty Funk, Clearbrook, Box 477, going to the Congo in August, 1966

Sunday School Supt .:

W. M. Classen, 2720 Waverley St., Vancouver — HE 4-9268

Youth Leader:

Ron Hrabovski, 1620 Haro St., Suite 105, Vancouver 5 — MU 4-0883 Treasurer:

John Giesbrecht, 2425 York St., Vancouver 9, 731-7493

Secretary:

W. M. Classen, 2720 Waverley St., Vancouver — HE 4-9268

PEDEN HILL (Prince George) — Membership 72

Pastor:

Helmut Klassen, S.S. 1, Goglin Rd., Prince George — 563-9507 Assistant Pastor:

Bill Voth, 177 N. Ogilvie St., Prince George - 564-5439

Sunday School Supt .:

Walter Dueck, S.S. 1, Charella Gardens, Prince George

Youth Leader.

Neil Toews, 955 Alward St., Prince George — 563-3555

Choir Director:

Ernest Block, S.S. 1, Davis Rd., Prince George — 563-3188

Secretary: Ernest Block, S.S. 1, Davis Rd., Prince George — 563-3188

Treasurer:

Jack Siemens, 1610 Juniper St., Prince George

Endowment Fund Treasurer:

Jack Siemens, 1610 Juniper St., Prince George

PORT EDWARD — Membership 17

Pastor:

John Schmidt, Port Edward — 638-4536

Assistant Pastor:

Paul Konig (Interim), Port Edward — 638-4350

Sunday School Supt .:

John Schmidt, Port Edward - 638-4536

Treasurer:

John D. Kroeker, Port Edward

QUEENSBOROUGH (New Westminster) — Membership 25

Pastor:

V. J. Nickel, 444 Thompson Rd., Richmond — 277-0570

Assistant Pastor:

Walter Epp, 11685-72 Ave., North Surrey - 596-8936

Sunday School Supt.:

Walter Epp, 11685—72 Ave., North Surrey — 596-8936

Youth Leader:

Henry Penner, 2338 Westminster Hwy., New Westminster — 522-4960

Choir Director:

Menno Rempel, 2336 Westminster Hwy., New Westminster — 526-7947

Secretary:

Henry Penner, 2338 Westminster Hwy., New Westminster — 522-4960

Treasurer:

Mrs. Rosela Vanee, 1719 London St., New Westminster — 522-8978

SOUTH ABBOTSFORD (Abbotsford) - Membership 337

Assistant Pastor:

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Choir Director:

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Pastor:

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Deacons Elect:

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Erwin Charlton, 1860 Brown Road, Langley — 534-6727

Sunday School Supt.:

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Youth Leader:

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Choir Director:

Albert Warkentine, General Delivery, Clearbrook — 853-2685

Secretary:
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Treasurer:

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Alvin Penner, Box 1767, Terrace - VI 3-5976

Deacons Elect:

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Sunday School Supt.:

Jake Martens, S.S. 1, Kalum Lk. Rd., Terrace - VI-3-2987

Youth Leader:

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Secretary:

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Choir Director:

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TOTAL MEMBERSHIP — May 31, 1966

Province:	No. of Cl	hurches membership
Quebec	1	20
Ontario	12	2,517
Manitoba	28	4,251
Saskatchewan	29	2,316
Alberta	13	1,310
British Columbia	35	5,377
Totals	118	15,791

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