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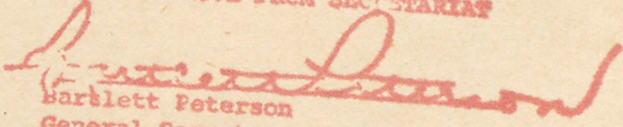
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**COMBINED MINUTES OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL OF THE ASSEMBLIES OF GOD IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, CANADA AND FOREIGN LANDS—1914-1920.**

**PREAMBLE AND RESOLUTIONS OF CONSTITUTION.**

Whereas, God, our Heavenly Father, sent His only begotten Son, the Lord Jesus Christ, into the world, who purchased and redeemed fallen man with His own precious blood, and called out of the world and saved a people, of whom He built and established His Church (Assembly of God. Matt 16:18), upon the foundation of the Apostles and Prophets, Jesus Christ Himself being the Head and Chief Corner-stone (Eph. 2:20), and organized and baptized it with the Holy Spirit, with its government upon His shoulders (Isa. 9:6-7), and said: "The gates of hell shall not prevail against it" (Matt. 16:18); and

Whereas, He gave the Holy Inspired Scriptures, (both old and new covenants, Heb. 8:6-13) as the all-sufficient rule for faith and practice (2 Tim. 3:16), saying: "All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: that the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works," we therefore shall not add to nor take from them (Rev. 22:18); and

Whereas, He commanded that there should be no schism (division, sectarianism) in His Body, the GENERAL ASSEMBLY (Church) of the first born, which are written in heaven, Heb. 12:23; and

Whereas, We recognize ourselves as members of said GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD, (which is God's organism), and do not believe in identifying ourselves as, or establishing ourselves into, a sect, that is a human organization that legislates or forms laws and articles of faith and has unscriptural jurisdiction over its members and creates unscriptural lines of fellowship and disfellowship and which separates itself from other members of the General Assembly (Church) of the first born, which is contrary to Christ's prayer in St. John 17, and Paul's teaching in Eph. 4:1-16, which we heartily endorse: therefore be it

Resolved: First, That we recognize ourselves as a

GENERAL COUNCIL of Pentecostal (Spirit Baptized) saints from local Churches of God in Christ, Assemblies of God, and various Apostolic Faith Missions and Churches, and Full Gospel Pentecostal Missions and Assemblies of like faith in the United States of America, Canada and Foreign Lands, whose purpose is neither to legislate laws of government, nor usurp authority over said various Assemblies of God, nor deprive them of their Scriptural and local rights and privileges, but to recognize Scriptural methods and order for worship, unity, fellowship, work and business for God, and to disapprove of all unscriptural methods, doctrines and conduct, and approve of all Scriptural truth and conduct, endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bonds of peace, until we all come into the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, and to walk accordingly, as recorded in Eph. 4:17-32.

Resolved: Second, That we recognize all the above said Assemblies of various names, and when speaking of them refer to them by the general Scriptural name, "Assemblies of God," and recommend that they all recognize themselves by the same name, that is, "Assembly of God" and adopt it as soon as practicable for the purpose of being more scriptural and also legal in transacting business, owning property, and executing missionary work in home and foreign lands, and for general *convenience, unity and fellowship*.

### **Parliamentary Order.**

On motion it was adopted that the Council should be governed by Parliamentary usage, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and according to the Word of God.

### **Roster Committee.**

At each meeting of the General Council the chair shall appoint a Roster Committee of three, which shall be authorized to pass upon the eligibility of all names reported as delegates, and to prepare a roll of all those approved. Any complaints as to delegates being received should be made to this committee.

### **Resolution Committee.**

At each meeting of the Council the chair shall appoint a Resolution Committee of five or more persons, unless some other order of procedure shall be ordered by the Council, whose duties shall be to receive all reso-

lutions offered by delegates and give them their first consideration in said committee and present them to the Council for final action in such form as the committee deems best. (See new arrangement on pages 46-47.)

Unless otherwise ordered, all resolutions shall be first offered to this committee. All resolutions should be signed by the writers, and in case any one desires to discuss with the committee any resolution, he should attach a written note to this effect, and state where he may be found when needed by the committee. Or he may accompany the resolution with any written explanation as to why such resolution should be adopted.

### **Delegates From Local Assemblies.**

Resolved, That each assembly in co-operation with the Council, or desiring to co-operate, should send at least one delegate each year, and that the assembly is especially invited to send its pastor or some other representative, chosen by the assembly, as a delegate to each meeting of of the General Council. Each assembly should aid the pastor on the expenses of the trip.

### **Preacher Delegates.**

All men and women holding up-to-date credentials from the General Council, when in attendance, shall be recognized as full delegates.

### **The General Presbytery and the Executive Presbytery.**

Resolved, That this Council select as many representative men in various sections of the home field as it deems advisable as *General Presbyters* to represent this Council in all the phases of its work and interests in their respective fields; and that five of these, together with the Chairman and the Secretary of the Council, seven in all, be appointed as an *Executive Presbytery*, which shall hold as a perpetual trust the Gospel Publishing House and all other properties of the General Council, to meet together as often as necessary in executing the work of the General Council; and that two of the Executive Presbyters serve one year, two of them two years, and three, three years, or until their successors are elected, who shall hereafter be elected for three years each; and that in case of a vacancy for any cause in the Executive Presbytery, the remaining members of the Executive Presbytery are hereby authorized to fill said vacancy, also to add at any time such members to the



General Presbytery as they shall deem necessary to efficiency.

### **Associate Presbyters.**

On motion, the names of all the chairmen of District Councils in co-operative fellowship with this General Council, who are not already on the General Presbytery, were recognized, by virtue of their office, as Associate Presbyters.

### **Nominations to Be Made From the Floor.**

Resolved, That nominations for Chairman and Secretary, for Missionary Secretary-Treasurer, for Executive Presbyters as well as for General Presbyters, shall be made on the floor of the house; and thereafter, before any name for a general officer or for a General Presbyter or an Executive Presbyter be voted upon, the entire list shall be referred to a committee of seven brethren chosen by the Council, and this committee shall review the list and report back as many as they deem best qualified and best situated on the field to be voted upon for Presbyters and other officers; and that all objections to any nomination be made to said committee: provided, however, the committee shall be empowered to add such names to the list as they may deem advisable.

On motion it was agreed that the names proposed should be voted upon one at a time, and each nomination should require a two-third's majority to insure election.

### **Consulting the General Presbytery.**

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That in all matters of great importance, the Executive Presbytery communicate with the members of the General Presbytery before any final decision is reached, or final action is taken by the Executive Presbytery.

### **The Work of the General Presbytery.**

Resolved, First: That the General Presbytery is especially charged with the duty of administering the obligations of the General Council to the young converts, young preachers, and young assemblies in unity with us; and we express the prayerful hope that the ordained ministers everywhere will co-operate with, and render all the assistance in their power to the Presbyters in the discharge of these arduous labors.

Second: That among other things enjoined by the word of God upon such officers as our General Presbyters,

they be expected to travel over the field, at home and abroad, as the Lord may lead, with the view to acquainting themselves and the General Council with conditions everywhere.

Third: That after consultation with the pastors and officers of the local assemblies, the Presbyters, or officers of the District Council, where such exist, recommend to the General Council, which of the local assemblies in unity with us are scripturally set in order, and which also of said assemblies are not yet so qualified, in order that the General Council, through the Presbytery and the District Councils, may assist in the development of the latter in the will of God.

Fourth: We recognize the right of any Assembly of God, scripturally set in order, to conduct all its congregational affairs without interference from any outside source, and we express the prayerful hope that all such local bodies will continue in unity with the General Council, send messengers to its sessions and co-operate in all of its work.

Fifth: That we recommend to those assemblies which are not thus scripturally qualified that they seek the advice and service of the Presbytery, or the officers of the District Councils where such exist, and of such brethren as may be able to help them in "setting in order the things that are wanting," Tit. 1:5.

Sixth: That we further recommend all assemblies, which have difficulties of any kind which seriously threaten to cause division in their midst, to seek the help of the Presbytery or the officers of the District Councils, where such exist, for advice before the division occurs.

Seventh: That, wherein any brother be used of God to establish an assembly in a new field, he be recognized as the logical overseer or pastor of that flock, and that he be encouraged to remain with the same assembly and feed it and care for it until the Lord shall raise up a pastor to take this responsibility and thus relieve him that he may press on to new fields; and if he shall find it needful to go before this is accomplished, let him confer with the nearest Presbyter, or the officers of the District Council, where such exist, before leaving. Thus we may avoid disaster that has come to many of the young assemblies that have been left without pastoral care.

## **Resolutions on Incorporation.**

The Resolution Committee made the following report:

Whereas, it is necessary to become an incorporated body in order legally to transact business in the United States and Foreign Lands, we recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, That the General Council now assembled hereby authorizes the Executive Presbytery to incorporate the General Council of the Assemblies of God.

The above, after discussion, was, on motion, adopted unanimously.

In accordance to these instructions the General Council was incorporated according to the laws of the State of Arkansas, on October 30, 1914, with headquarters at Hot Springs, Ark., and according to the laws of the State of Missouri, on Nov. 1st, 1916, with headquarters at St. Louis, Mo., and the incorporation was amended Oct. 6, 1919, with headquarters at Springfield, Mo.

### **District Councils.**

The Resolution Committee recommended to the GENERAL COUNCIL that, whereas, it is impractical for all the Local Assemblies of God in the United States, Canada and Foreign Fields to meet in the GENERAL COUNCIL, and whereas, it would be impossible for the GENERAL COUNCIL to transact the business of the Local Assemblies of God in the various sections of the United States, Canada and the Foreign Fields, we recommend that the Local Assemblies, in the various fields, establish District or State Councils, and that the Presbytery be authorized to appoint Elders or Evangelists to assist the Local Assemblies of God in the recognition and establishing of the District or State Councils, that everything may be in harmony in the District Councils with the Constitution of the GENERAL COUNCIL.

### **Church Offices and Officers.**

The subject of the recognition of the different offices of the Church, which was referred back to the Resolution Committee, was revised and presented as follows:

We, the Resolution Committee, recognizing that in the Word of God there are set certain offices, which represent the various activities of the body of Christ, recommend that the GENERAL COUNCIL declare itself in accord with the Word of God on this question, and stand ready to accept and endorse any and all of these various offices



as they may appear or develop among us, and so far as they may now be present, we do stand ready to do so by suitable letters of commendation; and as a matter of convenience in their recognition, that we adopt the Scriptural terms of Elder, Pastor, Evangelist, Minister, Exhorter and Deacon.

### **Rights and Offices of Women.**

The Resolution Committee recommended to the GENERAL COUNCIL that whereas the hand of God is mightily upon many women to proclaim and publish the "good tidings of great joy" in a wonderful way, that the GENERAL COUNCIL of the ASSEMBLIES OF GOD submit the following Scriptures for consideration:

1. In Christ, that is in the matter of salvation, the lines of sex are blotted out, Gal. 3:28.

2. Women are commanded to be in subjection and not to usurp authority over the men in the churches, 1 Tim. 2:11-15.

3. They are called to prophesy and preach the gospel (Acts 2:17). "He that prophesieth speaketh unto men to edification, to exhortation and to comfort," 1 Cor. 14:3.

4. To be helpers in the gospel, Rom. 16:3.

Therefore be it, Resolved, That this Council recommend to the ministry and Assemblies of God, that we recognize their God-given rights to be ordained, not as elders, but as evangelists, after being duly approved, according to the Scriptures; and that they serve as assistant pastors, missionaries, or as evangelists.

### **Violations of Ministerial Courtesy.**

RESOLVED, That all discourteous conduct is disapproved and that all ministers are advised against interfering with others who may have charge of an assembly, whether it be by going in upon the work without consent of the one in charge or by such correspondence with the members of the assembly as will affect the influence of the leader. All correspondence which concerns the whole assembly, such as visiting that field, holding meetings, etc., should be addressed to the one in charge, not to private members. When there is no pastor, letters concerning the work should be addressed to the deacons or elders of the Assembly.

Any minister who so offends should be subjected to a scriptural treatment as an offender, and it is recommended that it be given him by the local authorities, or the District

Council, or if there be none, by the Executive Presbytery of the General Council. Such matters will seriously affect the granting of annual Fellowship Certificates and may be the basis of their recall.

### **Standing Credential Committee.**

Resolved, That the Chairman and Secretary of the Executive Presbytery constitute a Credential Committee, and that the Council hereby authorizes them to bring out a form of credential certificate in keeping with the constitution and fundamental principles of the Council, and to issue annual certificates of fellowship to all ordained ministers in good standing; and further, on account of the expenditure incurred, and for the upkeep of the general office, applicants for credentials are requested to send in an offering of one dollar with their application for ordination certificate, and that each year thereafter, an annual offering of fifty cents be asked for, to cover the cost of the fellowship certificate.

### **Duties of Credential Committee.**

Resolved, That the Credential Committee shall issue credentials to qualified ministers in accordance with recommendations set forth in the Combined Minutes.

Resolved, further, That in the case of serious unscriptural teaching, of ministerial discourtesy, or other conduct unbecoming to a minister of the gospel, that those concerned refer these matters to the District Council or General Presbyter in the district where such minister may be located; and where these evils cannot be corrected by this means, that these matters be referred to the Credential Committee, which shall deal with the same in a scriptural way; and if it is found necessary, the Chairman shall, with the agreement by the rest of the Committee, call for the credentials of such offender; but such accused person shall be later granted a fair and impartial trial, if desired, by a council of ministers under the direction of a District Council or before the Executive Presbytery, or by a Council of ministers chosen by the Executive Presbytery, and that a final disposition of the case shall be made as these direct after such scriptural trial.

### **Prerequisites to Ordinations.**

On motion, the following resolutions on the question of ordinations were adopted:

1. Resolved, That the General Council recommend that all candidates for ordination be first proved as li-

centiates, and only such as stand true and prove efficient, be ordained to the full ministry by any district council or by a mature local assembly through a council of ministers.

2. Resolved, That the Credential Committee provide for the issuing of annual licenses to worthy candidates where this matter cannot be attended to by a district council or by a mature and well accredited assembly where there is no district council.

3. Resolved, That we recommend, no persons be ordained as missionaries. Persons *qualified* for the full ministry, whether called to the home work or the foreign field, should be ordained to the ministry. Those not qualified for the ministry should not be ordained, even though endorsed for the foreign field as workers.

4. Resolved, That all outgoing missionaries, whether ordained or not, who expect financial help from the General Council, must be endorsed by the Missionary Committee of this Council, and shall receive a certificate of appointment under seal of the General Council.

### **Examinations and Time for Ordinations.**

The following resolutions were adopted:

1. Resolved, That this Council advises all district councils to have published a regular set time and place once or more each year at which, as a rule, ordinations shall be performed in said districts.

2. Resolved, That each district is advised to have a committee of three or more which, with a General Presbyter, shall carefully examine into the candidate's character, life, soundness of doctrine, Christian experience, ministerial ability and previous success; and that these should be found satisfactory before the district council proceed with the ordination. Provided that this shall in no wise limit the privileges of a mature local church in the matter of ordaining such qualified candidates where no district council exists.

3. Resolved, That in states and territories where there are no district councils, nor a strong mature assembly near them, that candidates may take the matter up with the Credential Committee of this Council, which shall satisfy itself as to the candidates' fitness, and cooperate with approved candidates for a satisfactory ordination.



**A STATEMENT OF FUNDAMENTAL TRUTHS  
APPROVED BY THE GENERAL COUNCIL  
OF THE ASSEMBLIES OF GOD,  
October 2-7, 1916.**

According to our Constitution we have the right to approve of all Scriptural truth. The Bible is our all-sufficient rule for faith and practice. Hence this Statement of Fundamental Truths is not intended as a creed for the Church, nor as a basis of fellowship among Christians, but only as a basis of unity for the ministry alone (i. e., that we all speak the same thing, 1 Cor. 1:10; Acts 2:42). The human phraseology employed in such statement is not inspired nor contended for, but the truth set forth in such phraseology is held to be essential to a full Gospel ministry. No claim is made that it contains all truth in the Bible, only that it covers our present needs as to these fundamental matters.

**1. THE SCRIPTURES INSPIRED.**

The Bible is the inspired Word of God, a revelation from God to man, the infallible rule of faith and conduct, and is superior to conscience and reason, but not contrary to reason. 2 Tim. 3:15, 16; 1 Pet. 2:2.

**2. THE ONE TRUE GOD.**

The one true God has revealed Himself as the eternally self-existent, self-revealed "I AM;" and has further revealed Himself as embodying the principles of relationship and association, i. e., as Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Deut. 6:4; Mark 12:29; Isa. 43:10, 11; Matt. 28:19.

**3. MAN, HIS FALL AND REDEMPTION.**

Man was created good and upright; for God said, "Let us make man in our image and in our likeness." But man, by voluntary transgression, fell, and his only hope of redemption is in Jesus Christ the Son of God. Gen. 1:26-31; 3:1-7; Rom. 5:12-21.

**4. THE SALVATION OF MAN.**

**(a) *Conditions to Salvation.***

The grace of God that brings salvation to all men has appeared through the preaching of repentance toward God and faith toward the Lord Jesus Christ; whereupon man is saved by the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Ghost and, having been justified by grace through faith, he becomes an heir of God according to the hope of eternal life. Tit. 2:11; Rom. 10:13-15; Luke 24:47; Titus 3:5-7.

**(b) *The Evidences of Salvation.***

The *inward* evidence, to the believer of his salvation, is the direct witness of the Spirit. Rom. 8:16.

The *outward* evidence to all men is a life of righteousness and true holiness, Luke 1:73-75; Titus 2:12-14; the fruit of the Spirit, Gal. 5:22; and brotherly love, Jno. 13:35; Heb. 13:1; 1 John 3:14.

#### 5. THE PROMISE OF THE FATHER.

All believers are entitled to, and should ardently expect, and earnestly seek the promise of the Father, the baptism in the Holy Ghost and fire, according to the command of our Lord Jesus Christ. This was the normal experience of all in the early Christian Church. With it comes the enduement of power for life and service, the bestowment of the gifts and their uses in the work of the ministry. Luke 24:49. Acts 1:4; 1:8; 1 Cor. 12:1-31.

#### 6. THE FULL CONSUMMATION OF THE BAPTISM IN THE HOLY GHOST.

The full consummation of the baptism of believers in the Holy Ghost is indicated by the initial physical sign of speaking with other tongues as the Spirit of God gives them utterance, Acts 2:4. This wonderful experience is distinct from and subsequent to the experience of the new birth, Acts 10:44-46; 11:14-16; 15:7-9. The speaking in tongues in this instance is the same in essence as the gift of tongues, 1 Cor. 12:4-10, 28, but different in purpose and use.

#### 7. ENTIRE SANCTIFICATION THE GOAL FOR ALL BELIEVERS.

The Scriptures teach a life of holiness without which no man shall see the Lord. By the power of the Holy Ghost we are able to obey the command, "Be ye holy, for I am holy." Entire sanctification is the will of God for all believers, and should be earnestly pursued by walking in obedience to God's Word. Heb. 12:14; 1 Pet. 1:15, 16; 1 Thess. 5:23, 24; 1 Jno. 2:6.

#### 8. THE CHURCH A LIVING ORGANISM.

The Church is a living organism; a living body; yea the body of Christ; a habitation of God through the Spirit, with divine appointments for the fulfillment of her great commission. Every true believer and every true local assembly are integral parts of the General Assembly and Church of the First-born, written in heaven. Eph. 1:22, 23:2:22; Heb. 12:23.

#### 9. THE MINISTRY AND EVANGELISM.

A divinely called and a scripturally ordained ministry is the command of the Lord for the evangelization of the

world and the chief concern of the Church. Mark 16:15-20; Eph. 4:11-13.

#### 10. THE LORD'S SUPPER.

The Lord's Supper, consisting of the elements, bread and the fruit of the vine, is the symbol expressing our sharing the divine nature of our Lord Jesus Christ, 2 Pet. 1:4; a memorial of His suffering and death, 1 Cor. 11:26; and a prophecy of His second coming, 1 Cor. 11:26; and is enjoined on all believers "until He comes."

#### 11. BAPTISM IN WATER.

The ordinance of Baptism by a burial with Christ should be observed as commanded in the Scriptures, by all who have really repented and in their hearts have truly believed on Christ as Saviour and Lord. In so doing, they have the body washed in pure water as an outward symbol of cleansing while their heart has already been sprinkled with the blood of Christ as an inner cleansing. Thus they declare to the world that they have died with Jesus and that they have also been raised with Him to walk in newness of life. Matt. 28:19; Acts 10:47-48; Rom. 6:4; Acts 20:21. Heb. 10:22.

#### 12. DIVINE HEALING.

Deliverance from sickness is provided for in the atonement, and is the privilege of all believers. Isa. 53:4, 5; Matth. 8:16, 17.

#### 13. THE BLESSED HOPE.

The Resurrection of those who have fallen asleep in Christ, the rapture of believers which are alive and remain, and the translation of the true church, this is the blessed hope set before all believers. 1 Thess. 4:16, 17; Rom. 8:23; Tit. 2:13.

#### 14. THE IMMINENT COMING AND MILLENNIAL REIGN OF JESUS.

The premillennial and imminent coming of the Lord to gather His people unto Himself, and to judge the world in righteousness while reigning on the earth for a thousand years is the expectation of the true Church of Christ.

#### 15. THE LAKE OF FIRE.

The devil and his angels, the beast and false prophet, and whosoever is not found written in the Book of Life, the fearful and unbelieving, and abominable, and murderers and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolators and all liars shall be consigned to everlasting punishment in



the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone, which is the second death. Rev. 19:20; Rev. 20:10-15.

#### 16. THE NEW HEAVENS AND NEW EARTH.

We look for new heavens and a new earth wherein dwelleth righteousness. 2 Pet. 3:13. Rev. 21 and 22.

#### ADDENDA:

##### THE ESSENTIALS AS TO THE GODHEAD.

(Being an explanation of Sec. 2 above.)

(a) *Terms Explained.*

The terms "Trinity" and "Persons," as related to the Godhead, while not found in the Scriptures, yet are words in harmony with Scripture, whereby we may convey to others our immediate understanding of the doctrine of Christ respecting the Being of God, as distinguished from "gods many and lords many." We, therefore, may speak with propriety of the Lord our God, who is One Lord, as a trinity or as one Being of three persons, and still be absolutely Scriptural. (Examples: Matth. 2:6; 8:16, 17; Acts 15:15-18.)

(b) *Distinction and Relationship in the Godhead.*

Christ taught a distinction of Persons in the Godhead which he expressed in specific terms of relationship, as Father, Son and Holy Ghost, and that this distinction and relationship, as to its existence, is an eternal fact, but as to its mode it is *inscrutable* and *incomprehensible*, because *unexplained*. (That is, it is not explained as to *how* there can be three persons in the Godhead). (Luke 1:35; 1 Cor. 1:24; Matth. 11:25-27; 28:19; 2 Cor. 13:14; 1 Jno. 1:3, 4.)

(c) *Unity of the One Being of Father, Son and Holy Ghost.*

Accordingly, therefore, there is *that* in the Father which constitutes him *the Father* and not the Son; there is *that* in the Son which constitutes Him *the Son* and not the Father; and there is *that* in the Holy Ghost which constitutes him *the Holy Ghost* and not either the Father or the Son. Wherefore the Father is the Begetter, the Son is the Begotten; and the Holy Ghost is the one proceeding from the Father and the Son. Therefore, because these three eternally *distinct* and *related* persons in the Godhead are in a state of *unity*, there is but one Lord God Almighty and His name one. Jno. 1:8; 15:26; 17:11, 21; Zech. 14:9.

(d) *Identity and Co-operation in the Godhead.*

The Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost are never *identical* as to *Person*; nor *confused* as to *relation*; nor *divided* in respect of the Godhead; nor *opposed* as to *co-operation*. The Son is *in* the Father and the Father is *in* the Son as to relationship. The Son is *with* the Father and the Father is *with* the Son, as to fellowship. The Father is not *from* the Son, but the Son is *from* the Father, as to authority. The Holy Ghost is *from* the Father and the Son proceeding, as to nature, relationship, co-operation and authority. Hence, neither Person in the Godhead either exists or works separately or independently of the others. Jno. 5:17-30.

(e) *The Title, Lord Jesus Christ.*

The appellation "Lord Jesus Christ" is a proper name. It is never applied, in the New Testament, either to the Father or to the Holy Ghost. It therefore belongs exclusively to the *Son of God*. Rom. 1:1-3, 7; 2 Jno. 3.

(f) *The Lord Jesus Christ, God with us.*

The Lord Jesus Christ, as to His divine and eternal nature, is the proper and only Begotten of the Father; but as to His human nature, He is the proper Son of Man. He is, therefore, acknowledged to be both God and man; who, because He is God and man, is "Immanuel," God with us. Matth. 1:23; 1 Jno. 4:2, 10, 14; Rev. 1:13, 14-17.

(g) *The Title, Son of God.*

Since the name "Immanuel" embraces both God and man in the one Person, our Lord Jesus Christ, it follows that the title, Son of God, describes His proper Deity, and the title, Son of Man, His proper humanity. Therefore, the title, Son of God, belongs to the *order of eternity*, and the title, Son of Man, to the *order of time*. Matth. 1:23, 21; 2 Jno. 3; 1 Jno. 3:8. Heb. 7:3; 1:1-13.

(h) *Transgression of the Doctrine of Christ.*

Wherefore, it is a transgression of the Doctrine of Christ to say that Jesus Christ derived the title, Son of God, solely from the fact of the incarnation, or because of His relation to the economy of redemption. Therefore, to deny that the Father is a real and eternal Father, and that the Son is a real and eternal Son is a denial of the distinction and relationship in

the Being of God; a denial of the Father and the Son; and a *displacement* of the truth that Jesus Christ is come in flesh. 2 Jno. 9; Jno. 1:1, 2, 14, 18, 29, 49; 8:57, 58; 1 Jno. 2:22, 23; 4:1-5; Heb. 12:3, 4.

(i) *Exaltation of Jesus Christ as Lord.*

The Son of God, our Lord Jesus Christ, having by Himself purged our sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high; angels and principalities and powers having been made subject unto Him, And, having been made both Lord and Christ, He sent the Holy Ghost that we, in the name of Jesus, might bow our knees and confess that Jesus Christ is Lord to the glory of God the Father until the end, when the Son shall become subject to the Father that God may be all in all. Heb. 1:3; 1 Pet. 3:22; Acts 2:32-36; Rom. 14:11; 1 Cor. 15:24-28.

(j) *Equal Honor to the Father and the Son.*

Wherefore, since the Father has delivered all judgment unto the Son, it is not only the *express duty* of all things in heaven and in earth to bow the knee, but it is an *unspeakable joy* in the Holy Ghost to ascribe unto the Son all the attributes of Deity, and to give Him all the honor and the glory contained in all the names and titles of the Godhead, (except those which express relationship. See paragraphs b, c and d) and thus honor the Son even as we honor the Father. Jno. 5:22, 23; 1 Pet. 1:8; Rev. 5:6-14; Phil. 2:8, 9; Rev. 7:9, 10; 4:8-11.

**Unity in the Ministry.**

Inasmuch as unity among ministers is dependent upon their speaking the same thing on all fundamental matters (1 Cor. 1:10), the Credential Committee is hereby instructed to ask each applicant of the ministry for Credentials, or for a Certificate of Fellowship whether he recognizes and accepts the truth in the Statement of Fundamentals to the extent that he will endeavor, with all lowliness and meekness and loving forbearance, to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace, till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ. Eph. 4:2, 3, 13.

This Committee is hereby instructed to issue credentials to those who agree, and to refuse to those who seriously disagree; and that in the case of minor disagreements, the committee is instructed to use its own discre-

tion in the matter; and that in the case of violations of the agreement and the causing of trouble and division, they are instructed to deal with the case as directed in the item pertaining to Violations of Ministerial Courtesy.

### **Our Distinctive Testimony.**

The resolution was adopted as follows:

Resolved, That this Council considers it a serious disagreement with the Fundamentals for any minister among us to teach contrary to our distinctive testimony that the baptism of the Holy Spirit is regularly accompanied by the initial physical sign of speaking in other tongues as the Spirit of God gives the utterance, and that we consider it inconsistent and unscriptural for any minister to hold credentials with us who thus attacks as error our distinctive testimony.

### **Resolution on Baptismal Formula.**

Resolved, That since the words in Matt. 28:19 and the words in Acts 2:38 were both inspired of God, we hereby disapprove of contending for the one to the exclusion of or as against the other, because confusion and a party spirit are sure to follow such unscriptural conduct. This Council therefore recommends that all our preachers include in their formula used in connection with the act of baptism the words used by Jesus in Matt. 28:19.

### **Marriage and Divorce.**

The Resolution Committee recommended to the GENERAL COUNCIL that:

First, Whereas there are now among Christian people those who became entangled in their marriage relations in their former lives of sin, and who do not now see how these matters can be adjusted, therefore we recommend that these cases be left in the hands of the Lord, and that they walk in the light as God lets it shine on their souls.

Second, Whereas low standards on marriage and divorce are very hurtful to individuals, to the family, and to the cause of Christ, therefore be it recommended that in the future we discourage divorce by all lawful means and teaching, and that we shall positively disapprove in the future of Christians getting divorce for any cause except for fornication or adultery (Matt. 19:9), and that we recommend the remaining single of all divorced Christians, and that they pray God so to keep them in purity and peace. (See 1 Cor. 7).

Third, Whereas divorced and remarried persons in the ministry usually cause stumbling, reproach and di-



vision, whatever may have been the cause of divorce, therefore we advise and recommend our ministers and Assemblies in the future not to ordain to the full gospel ministry those who have remarried, and are now living in the state of matrimony, while former companions are living. (Ezekiel 44:22).

### **Manual Asked For.**

Whereas, it is the desire of the General Council to maintain a high standard of efficiency in the ministry, therefore be it

Resolved, That a committee be appointed by the Chairman to prepare a manual, outlining a common scriptural standard for the ministry, as a guide to the various district councils and ordaining committees, and that co-operation be consistently maintained between various district councils and ordaining committees in these matters, and that the manual be printed so as to be available to all.

### **Support of the General Council Office.**

The following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, The work of the General Council in its definite program of development of the spirit of co-operation and fellowship in home and foreign fields will incur considerable expense during the coming year, including financial support of the Chairman, Secretary, and such other help as he will need, maintaining headquarters, stationery, postage, traveling expenses, etc.;

Resolved, That every minister in the fellowship be requested to contribute from his tithes or as an offering, or through his influence, the sum of one dollar per month. And further, looking towards the increased efficiency of the General Council throughout the entire field, all who can contribute more, personally or through their assemblies, than the suggested amount, are hereby strongly urged to do so. If practicable, let each assembly take one offering each year for the upkeep of the General Council office and traveling expenses.

### **Change of Headquarters.**

A resolution was presented as follows:

Resolved, That this body now in session hereby confirms the removal of the headquarters of the General Council from St. Louis, Mo. to Springfield, Mo.

On motion the resolution was adopted.

### **Auditing the Accounts.**

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That we hereby direct the Executive Presbytery to have the books of the General Council office, Missionary Department and Publishing House audited each year.

### **Paying Tithes.**

Resolved, That this Council hereby urges all its ministers to teach their people the duty of paying tithes to God, and to turn them over regularly as much as is needed to the support of their local ministry; and any surplus, or where there is no local ministry, to their respective headquarters, for the spread of the Gospel throughout the world. According to the Scriptures, tithes are to go to the support of the active ministry, and not to charity and other purposes.

### **Publishing Interests.**

The oldest paper in the movement was the free paper called The Apostolic Faith, published in Houston, Texas. About 1911 Bro. E. N. Bell was made editor of this paper, and it was moved to Malvern, Ark., where it was later united with another paper from Nashville, Tenn., as the WORD AND WITNESS. This paper had a circulation of 25,000 when it became the official organ of the General Council, organized at Hot Springs, Ark., in April, 1914. This was the nucleus of the publishing interests of the Council.

In the summer of that same year the Christian Evangel also became the property of the General Council, and the Gospel Publishing House became the name of the publishing branch of the Council, printing both papers. At the Council in Chicago in the fall of 1914, the publishing interests were moved to St. Louis, and a printing plant established. That Council also asked that Sunday School literature be published as soon as possible. In the 1916 Council the following resolution was passed to supercede all other directions about the publishing business.

Resolved, That the Gospel Publishing House, with all its interests, including all papers and periodicals, be and is hereby committed permanently into the hands of the Executive Presbytery to supervise and direct, also to appoint such help as is needed personally to conduct the same.

### **Circulation of Good Literature.**

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, In view of the great need of spreading the Gospel to all men everywhere, that Pentecostal preachers

and laymen distribute freely in all depots, jails and public places our Pentecostal Evangel and other good Pentecostal literature; and that the various assemblies be recommended to subscribe for the Evangel to go into the Public Libraries in their cities, and all other places where permitted.

### **Foreign Missionary Work.**

Resolved, That this Council exert all its powers to promote the evangelization of heathen lands according to New Testament methods, viz.:

First. In the proper testing of those who claim to be called to foreign work. Rev. 2:2; Acts 13:1-4.

- A. As to a personal experience of full New Testament salvation.
- B. As to a definite call to foreign work.
- C. As to physical, mental and spiritual fitness for work.
- D. As to Christian standing, being first endorsed by their local assemblies.

Second. In the proper supporting and supervising of those approved.

- A. Every assembly ought to have a definite part in it, either sending and maintaining one or more missionaries of its own, or sharing the burden of one or more missionaries with one or more other assemblies.
- B. Missionaries receiving the baptism on the field ought to be brought in touch with and supported by the assemblies having no missionaries of their own.

Third. Missionaries home on furlough should be maintained and supervised by their assemblies the same as while on the field. Every opportunity should be afforded them to present the needs of their field and of mission work in general, not only to their own assemblies, but the Assemblies of God everywhere.

### **Establishment of a Missionary Department.**

Resolved, That we hereby establish a distinct Missionary Department under the supervision of the Executive Presbytery, which Presbytery shall constitute the Foreign Missions Committee, and direct that all of the missionary interests of the General Council be coordinated into it.

Be it further Resolved, That a fund be provided to meet the expenses of such department, and a Missionary

Secretary-Treasurer be elected to conduct this department under the supervision of the Missionary Committee.

### **Expense Fund.**

Further, Recognizing the many expenses entailed in the maintenance of a forward missionary policy, that this Council recommends that all assemblies and individuals, when sending in missionary offerings, send additional contributions for the support of the Missionary Department.

### **Monthly Missionary Offerings.**

Whereas our blessed Master said to His disciples, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature," we believe it is alike our privilege and our duty to assist in every practical effort to get the full Pentecostal message to the uttermost ends of the earth, therefore be it

Resolved, That this Council heartily recommends that every local Pentecostal assembly take up a monthly offering for our Pentecostal missionaries who are faithfully laboring to preach the Gospel "to every creature."

### **Distribution of Missionary Funds.**

Resolved, That the undesignated funds sent to the Missionary Treasurer of the General Council should be sent to those who have received the endorsement of the General Council and who are in harmony with the Fundamental Truths for which this Council stands.

All funds assigned to particular persons will be forwarded by the treasurer exactly as directed.

### **Ratification of Missionary Policy.**

Whereas, the Lord has been pleased to abundantly bless the policy of the Missionary Committee in sending to the missionaries 100 per cent of funds received for them,

Resolved, That this Council hereby directs the continuance of this policy.

### **Co-operation for Missionary Work.**

The Resolution Committee presented the following resolution for consideration, which was adopted:

Whereas, in the providence of God there have sprung up spontaneously in this movement throughout the country, Pentecostal centers; and whereas, these places have gathered about them a constituency by the publication of periodicals for the dissemination of Pentecostal truths; and whereas, in consequence moneys for missionary purposes are being sent to these several centers



and distributed upon the missionary field, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Presbytery be instructed to seek to bring about a more perfect co-operation among these centers, in the matter of distribution of missionary funds, and the sending out of missionaries, with a view to greater efficiency in each of these various centers.

### **Endorsement of Missionaries.**

Resolved, That all missionaries going out to the foreign field who desire the endorsement of this General Council and its aid, by having it divide among them the undesignated funds coming into our hands, shall report to the Missionary Committee and receive its approval before leaving this country. Otherwise this Council will assume no responsibility for their going out or for their support after arrival upon the field. That in all cases where there are representative Pentecostal missionaries on the field who do not seek such approval, we will nevertheless gladly forward to them all funds coming into our hands designated for them.

### **Renewal of Fellowship Certificates.**

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Credential Committee be instructed to renew the Fellowship Certificates of all foreign missionaries on the field in good standing on or before the first of each year without cost to the missionaries.

### **Co-operation in Missionary Work Defined.**

1. Resolved, That all missionaries who desire the endorsement of the General Council should make application for an appointment certificate, provided they already hold credentials from the General Council; and that those not holding credentials may make application for the same and for appointment certificate.

2. Resolved, That all missionaries making application for credentials and appointment certificates shall be expected to subscribe to the Statement of Fundamental Truths approved by the General Council of the Assemblies of God.

3. Resolved, That each missionary be requested to file with the Foreign Missions Committee a full statement regarding their work, e. g., concerning their families and accommodations, period of service, language qualifications, nature of the work engaged in, prospects of the field, present number of recognized adherents—Christian and non-Christian—etc., etc.

4. Resolved, That it be urged upon the Foreign

Missions Committee the necessity of insisting upon two full years of language study, if necessary, before taking up the full active work; and that courses of study with examinations be arranged for by an advisory committee on each field.

5. Resolved, That in order to facilitate the equitable distribution of funds, each missionary be requested to furnish such quarterly financial reports as will enable the Foreign Missions Committee to understand the needs of their respective stations with a view to intelligent and hearty co-operation.

6. Resolved, That we recommend that the Pentecostal missionaries in the several distinct foreign districts come together in co-operation according to our liberal constitution and establish District Councils in co-operative relationship with the General Council of the Assemblies of God. We recommend that officers be elected who are in full sympathy with the Fundamental Truths for which this Council stands, and who have the endorsement of the Council. That the election of these officers be referred to the Executive Presbytery for ratification. After approval the chairmen of the District Council shall be recognized as associate members of the General Presbytery.

7. Resolved, That advisory committees, or District Council officers on the respective fields, shall determine and report to the Missionary Department of the Council what in their estimation constitutes a proper term of service.

8. Resolved, That in the matter of providing funds for missionary homes, stations, schools, and such like, adequate and proper safeguards, such as complying with the laws of the respective countries for the legal holding of property, and such as establishing and maintaining a proper relationship between these missionary projects and the General Council, be first made before Council funds are made available for same.

9. Resolved further, That all missionary property purchased with missionary funds should be transferred, where legally possible, to the General Council; and where not legally possible, a District Council or local corporation be formed in affiliation with the General Council, in accordance with the laws of the country in question, to hold such property in perpetual trust for missionary purposes.

10. Whereas, There is, and has been for sometime, a great demand from the missionaries for a deputation from the home land to visit the various mission fields, and

Whereas, We recognize this as a real need in order to a fuller understanding of missionary conditions and problems, and for the encouragement and assistance of missionaries on the field, therefore be it

Resolved, That we authorize the Executive Presbytery, as soon as practicable, to arrange such deputation, consisting of one or two suitable men for this work, and that when such deputation has been appointed, the Missionary Treasurer shall be authorized to place the names of such appointees upon the list of endorsed missionaries to receive a share in the monthly distribution of missionary funds. (The purpose of this motion is to secure through a practical missionary representative, an unbiased report of the conditions and opportunities to set missionary centers in order where needed, give instruction, and encourage and support the ministry and constituency abroad.)

11. Resolved, That missionaries at home keep the Foreign Missions Committee informed as to all monies received and all monies forwarded by them to the foreign field.

12. Resolved, That wherever possible the Foreign Missions Committee be advised to recognize mission centers at various points and ports of entry as receiving homes.

The following resolution was recommended by the missionaries themselves in their independent conference, and passed by the Council at their request:

13. Resolved, That we hereby recommend that funds received by prospective missionaries which are intended for outfit, passage or expenses while on the field, should be deposited with the Missionary Treasurer or other responsible agency, and should such prospective missionary be prevented from going forward to the field, for any reason, such funds shall be either returned to the parties from whom received, if desired by them, or made available for other missionaries or missionary purposes.

### **Maintenance of Missionary Stations.**

Resolved, That all missionaries planning to return to the home field co-operate with the Missionary Department, where there is not a District Council on their field,

in making arrangements for a supply to take charge of their work or station, and that they co-operate with the Missionary Department to secure and forward funds for the maintenance of such work or station during their absence.

### **Missionary Itineraries.**

Whereas, Promiscuous and independent itineraries by returned or prospective missionaries often take them over the same ground and to the same assemblies at close intervals, thus burdening some and neglecting others, and

Whereas, We desire the development of every place in the entire home field on missionary lines, therefore be it

**Resolved,** That we discourage these promiscuous and independent itineraries, and that we recommend co-operation with the Missionary Department in *systematic* itineraries through the District Councils where such exist, otherwise through various representative men on the field. (The idea is that the Missionary Secretary aid the missionaries in such arrangements.)

### **Permanent Missionary Work.**

On motion, the following resolution was adopted :

**Resolved,** That we, as representatives of the Assemblies of God and of the saints in the home-land, hereby disapprove of all floating missionary efforts, of all aimless traveling from place to place, and from station to station, instead of settling down to learn the language and opening up stations and doing permanent missionary work.

**Resolved,** further, That in fields where there are already Pentecostal missionaries on stations, that consultation be had with the brethren on the field and the Missionary Department, and a satisfactory place be agreed on before opening up new stations in those regions.

**Resolved,** further, That hereafter women missionaries be advised not to travel alone in going to or from the field ; and when going out for the first time, that they and their work be under the supervision of the older and experienced missionaries on the field.

### **Missionary Schools.**

**Resolved,** That the General Council hereby directs the Missionary Committee to take under advisement the establishment of schools for the education of duly accredited Native Workers, in the various fields where



practicable, also schools for the education of the young children of missionaries where possible.

### **Mexican Missions.**

Whereas, There is already a blessed and prosperous work among the Mexicans along the Mexican border, and

Whereas, There are quite a number of approved missionaries who are giving their entire time to this work, therefore be it

Resolved, That a special fund be created by appeal from the Missionary Department through the Pentecostal papers for the support of this Mexican work, and that a proportionate share of the undesignated funds be available for this work, at the discretion of the Missionary Committee.

### **Missionary Rest Home.**

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That this Council hereby approves and ratifies the action of the General Presbytery in providing for, through the officers of the General Council, a Missionary Rest Home in Chicago, and that we provide for the election of a Committee of Management.

And further, That a committee be appointed to formulate a general policy for the government of the Rest Home, this policy to be subject to the approval of the Council.

### **Committee of Management and Policy for Home.**

Resolved, That the Executive Presbytery be delegated to appoint the local committee of management, and also be the committee to formulate a policy for this Home.

Further, That they submit this policy, when formulated, to the General Council.

### **Recognition of Our Relationship in the Body.**

Whereas, the Scriptures teach that we are all in one Spirit baptized into one body; and whereas, because of this fact, we are already organically, co-operatively, and sympathetically related one to another; and whereas there seems to be everywhere a prevailing lack in the understanding of these principles, therefore be it

Resolved, That the General Council hereby recommends to all our ministers that they give definite and repeated instructions on the necessity of *recognizing* these already existing principles as set forth in Paul's teaching in 1 Cor. 12:12-27, etc., and urge them to a faithful ad-

herence to the same in all their relations one to another in the body of Christ.

### **Fellowship and Co-operation.**

Resolved, That we again declare our Christian fellowship with every true child of God, and that we stand ready also to co-operate with all Christians who stand for our Fundamental teachings.

Resolved, further, That the officers of this Council and of our Publishing House are hereby directed to heartily co-operate with all such who will also really co-operate with us.

### **Co-operative Relationships.**

Resolved, That this General Council recommend to the Executive Presbytery that they proceed to formulate suggestive plans to be presented to the officers of the various District Councils and General Presbyters, where District Councils do not exist, clearly defining co-operative relationships, that there may be a uniformity in the matter of setting churches in order, and an understanding of the relationships that exist in the local assembly, its officers and pastor, and between the local assemblies and District and General Councils.

### **Safeguarding the Assemblies.**

On motion, the following resolution presented by the Eastern District Council was adopted:

Whereas, it is known that many unreliable and unsafe teachers and preachers go about seeking entrance into assemblies without any recommendation, be it

Resolved, That all pastors, workers and leaders of Assemblies make proper investigation regarding such not known to them, and that the platform be denied strangers until proper recommendations be forthcoming.

Furthermore, be it resolved, That the advice and counsel of the District Presbyter be sought in such cases, and in all matters of importance when at all possible, and that pastors and presbyters notify each other, reciprocally, as to such persons when any unreliability becomes manifest.

### **A Co-operative Evangelism.**

As a Council, we hereby express our gratitude to God for His great blessing upon the movement in the past. We are grateful to Him for the results attending this forward movement, and we commit ourselves and the movement to Him for the greatest evangelism that the

world has ever seen. We pledge our hearty co-operation, prayers and help to this end.

### **Extension Work.**

Resolved, That the matter of carrying the Pentecostal Message into the neglected districts of this country, where it is practically unknown, be referred to the various District Councils and that these Districts be encouraged to press this work; and in sections where there are no District Councils, that brethren who feel led to enter said sections, be encouraged by the assemblies, through their prayers and co-operation, to press out into these fields; also that the General Council and Executive Committee lend its support to this Extension Work, and that they consider some evangelists on the field and take them into consultation about pushing out into new fields, and also pressing the campaign through the Evangel.

### **Field Work.**

Resolved, That this Council shall encourage a series of Bible and Missionary Conferences in various centers throughout the country, and that the Chairman shall be Office Superintendent of this field work. He shall have the right to appeal to any presbyter, evangelist, teacher, missionary or other minister to aid in the conduct of such work.

### **Bible Schools.**

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Executive Presbytery is hereby authorized to take under advisement the matter of encouraging Bible Schools for young preachers in various parts of the country; that they take such steps in this direction as to time and places as in their power and judgment are practicable.

### **Bible Study and Convention Lectures.**

On motion, the matter of Bible Schools was referred to the General Presbytery, who brought forth the following resolution, which was adopted:

Whereas, there is a great famine in the land for the Word of God and a great need that the people of God should be fed with knowledge and understanding of the Scripture by those who are placed over them in the Lord; therefore,

Resolved, That we encourage our people as a whole, and our young people especially, to attend faithfully to a diligent search of the Scriptures, and if possible to attend

some properly and scripturally accredited Bible Training School; and further

Resolved, That in all our public gatherings, camp meetings, and conventions, we give to the Bible its due place, and that provision be made by those in charge, for the fullest exercise of the gift of teaching by those who are specially called and qualified thereto; and be it further

Resolved, That we encourage "Ten-Day Bible Conferences," or "Itinerary Bible Schools," to be held in different sections of a given district, in which due attention shall be given to evangelistic work for the unsaved, and solid scriptural teaching for the saints.

### **Pacific Bible School.**

Resolved, That the General Council hereby bids God-speed to the Pacific Bible and Missionary Training School at San Francisco, Cal., and the efforts of Brother Craig in behalf of young men and women who desire to equip themselves for practical Christian work; and we further recommend that the school be made a District Council proposition. Adopted.

### **Sunday Schools.**

A resolution also passed recommending to the Executive Presbytery that they do their best to make provision for, and stimulate interest in Sunday Schools for the children and young people in our midst.

### **Against Setting a Time for the Lord's Return.**

Resolved, That it is unwise to teach that the Lord will come at some specified time, thereby setting a date for His appearing; and also, that it is unwise to give out from the platform, or publish visions of numbers and dates fixing the time of the second coming of the Lord.

### **Heresies Disapproved.**

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That this Council hereby disapproves of the "Seventh Day" teaching, also of the extreme so-called "Eternal Security" teaching, and of a teaching known as the "Fourth Blessing of Perfection."

### **Meats.**

The Conference Committee recommended that whereas the pressing of the question of eating, or not eating meats, is causing divisions in some of the Assemblies, that the General Council recommend their disapproval of such extreme positions on this question which cause these divisions, and that we recognize the right of each in-



dividual conscience in this matter, according to Col. 2:14-17.

**Resolution Concerning the Attitude of the General Council of the Assemblies of God toward any Military Service which Involves the Actual Participation in the Destruction of Human Life.**

While recognizing Human Government as of Divine ordination and affirming our unswerving loyalty to the Government of the United States, nevertheless we are constrained to define our position with reference to the taking of human life.

Whereas, in the Constitutional Resolution adopted at the Hot Springs General Council, April 1-10, 1914, we plainly declare the Holy Inspired Scriptures to be the all-sufficient rule of faith and practice, and

Whereas, the Scriptures deal plainly with the obligations and relations of humanity, setting forth the principles of "Peace on earth, good will toward men." (Luke 2:14); and

Whereas, we, as followers of the Lord Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace, believe in implicit obedience to the Divine commands and precepts which instruct us to "Follow peace with all men," (Heb. 12:14); "Thou shalt not kill," (Exod. 20:13); "Resist not evil," (Matt. 5:39); "Love your enemies," (Matt. 5:44); etc., and

Whereas, these and other Scriptures have always been accepted and interpreted by our churches as prohibiting Christians from shedding blood or taking human life:

Therefore, we, as a body of Christians, while purposing to fulfill all the obligations of loyal citizenship, are nevertheless constrained to declare we cannot conscientiously participate in war and armed resistance which involves the actual destruction of human life, since this is contrary to our view of the clear teachings of the inspired Word of God, which is the sole basis of our faith.

**Expression of Loyalty to the Government.**

Resolved, That the General Council hereby declares its unswerving loyalty to our Government and to its Chief Executive, President Wilson, and that we hereby restate our fixed purpose to assist in every way morally possible, consistent with our faith, in bringing the present "World War" to a successful conclusion.

## **Minutes of Past Councils.**

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Chairman appoint a committee of three to examine the Minutes of all Past Councils—that all non-essential resolutions may be brought before this Council and rescinded, and that all essential resolutions be combined in logical order and published by the Executive Presbytery. Committee was appointed.

### **Report of Committee on Combined Minutes.**

The Committee appointed by the Chairman to examine the Minutes of all past Councils, and to eliminate from the Council Minutes all non-essential resolutions brought in their recommendations, through their Chairman, Brother Andrew Fraser.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That where resolutions are of a temporary nature, or adopted for emergency; or where subsequent resolutions change or invalidate earlier resolutions; that all such temporary, emergency, or invalidated resolutions be dropped automatically.

A number of resolutions from past Council meetings were referred to the Council, and were classed as essential and as non-essential resolutions. All essential resolutions appear in this edition of the Combined Minutes of the Council.

### **All Ministers to Have Minutes.**

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the General Council send a copy of the revised General Council Combined Minutes to every one of the ministers of the General Council, making provisions from the General Council funds to cover cost of same.

## **Duties of General Officers.**

The following suggestions have been made by the Executive Presbytery as a guide to the several officers of the Council as to their duties in the same.

### **Duties of the Chairman.**

In addition to the duties already or elsewhere defined, the following shall be expected of the Chairman of the General Council:

1. To preside at the meetings of the Council.
2. To be the Head of the General Office, and to supervise all the work of that office from one Council meeting till the next.

3. To be Chairman of the Credential Committee, and to sign all credentials.

4. To be Chairman of the Executive Presbytery, and to receive all communications directed to that body.

5. To be general superintendent of all work on the field conducted in behalf of the General Council and its work, and to encourage Bible and Missionary Conventions throughout the country.

6. To receive General Council and office funds, and to have general oversight over the same.

7. To call temporarily for the return of Credentials on the part of any offending minister in cases where requested to do so by the Credential Committee.

8. Finally to perform any other functions usual and customary as Chairman of a religious body or such as may be directed by this Council or Executive Presbytery.

### **Duties of the Secretary.**

1. To make proper minutes of the meeting of the General Council and to publish the same as approved and directed by the Executive Presbytery.

2. To be the Head of the General Office, and to supervise all the work of that office from one Council meeting till the next.

3. To do such work as secretary of the Credential Committee as may be directed by the Chairman or may be mutually agreed upon.

4. To be a member of the Credential Committee, and to sign all credentials.

5. To keep the books, act as treasurer, and conduct all the work of his office in co-operation with and under the general oversight of the Chairman.

6. To perform such other functions as are customary or as may be directed by this Council or the Executive Presbytery.

### **Duties of the Missionary Secretary-Treasurer.**

1. To act as head of the Missionary Department.

2. To conduct all the business of the Missionary Department under the supervision of the Missionary Committee.

3. To keep a record of all decisions of the Missionary Committee and of all other official acts of said Committee.

4. To receive all missionary funds, to act as Treas-

urer, and to distribute the same as directed by the donors or by the Missionary Committee.

5. To keep a system of checking up with the missionaries so that he can see that the funds sent out are received by the missionaries; take receipts, and see that no funds are lost on the way to the missionaries.

6. To conduct all missionary correspondence with prospective missionaries and with those already out on the field.

7. To acknowledge in the Pentecostal Evangel all funds received for missionaries, and to conduct the missionary columns in the Evangel from missionary letters and reports.

8. To perform such other functions as are customary, or such as may be directed by the Missionary Committee.

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**OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL, HELD AT**  
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**Sept. 21st to 27th, 1920.**

The eighth annual session of the General Council of the Assemblies of God met at 3 P. M., Sept. 21st, 1920, in Convention Hall, Springfield, Mo. The meeting was opened with devotional exercises, after which J. W. Welch, Chairman, called the business session to order.

**Roster Committee.**

The Chairman appointed the following to act as a Roster Committee: J. C. Wilder, J. R. Kline, F. A. Hale, J. H. Law, H. C. Ball.

All were asked to sign the list. They did so, and the roster, as reported by the committee, was accepted as the basis of membership in the 1920 Council. Council adjourned until tomorrow morning.

**WEDNESDAY A. M.**

The Council came to order after prayer and a time of worship. Moved and carried that the order of committee work be changed from former custom, and that separate committees be appointed by the Chairman for the various phases of the work of the Council. The Chair then appointed the following committees:

*Program and Resolutions*—D. W. Kerr, J. N. Gortner, R. E. McAlister.

*Rules and Order of Business*—F. A. Hale, John McAlister, and O. E. McCleary.

*Nominations and Elections*—E. N. Richey, S. A. Jamieson, R. J. Craig, J. T. Wilson, and C. O. Benham.

*Foreign Missions and Missionaries*—J. R. Flower, D. W. Kerr, Arthur Frodsham, J. T. Boddy, and J. R. Buckley.

*Home Missions and Evangelism*—W. Opie, C. A. McKinney, Jack Saunders, E. L. Banta, and W. T. Gaston.

*Schools*—S. A. Jamieson, O. E. McCleary, A. P. Collins, W. J. Walthall.

*Ordinations*—J. C. Wilder, Fred Lohmann, J. R. Evans, and J. R. Kline.

**General Office Report.**

First in order came the Chairman's report, which

was accepted and ordered to become a part of the Minutes.

Brother Welch reported a year of progress for the Council along the various lines of its activities. There had been an increase in the number of ministers associated in the Council, an increase in the number of missionaries who have the Council endorsement, an increase in the number and growth of the District Councils, and a very satisfactory increase in the volume of finances for the General Council Office. He also mentioned the fact that the business of the Publishing House had prospered. Mention was made of the development of essential unity among us as a people, followed by an outline of some things apparent in the way of observation. The Missionary Report of the Council work presents an unbalanced condition, there being more missionaries on the field, and ready to go, than the present development of the home fields would seem to warrant sending out, which condition is sufficient reason for giving special attention to a consideration of the Missionary policy and plans of the Council. The foreign end of the situation is not too well developed, but the home field is not sufficiently well developed on missionary lines. The need of making an effort toward the development of the home field came with no uncertain sound, and was heartily agreed upon.

Another apparent need is that for qualified men in the general work of the Council. Men are needed who can give their time and energies to this phase of the work of the Council, unhindered by local responsibilities.

The following account was given of the office expense funds:

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1919.....	\$1365.87
Rec'd from credentials and renewals....	560.10
Rec'd in offerings .....	3666.14
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	\$5592.11

Disbursements, including allowances for Chairman, Secretary, office help, postage, stationery, printing, traveling expenses, etc., .....	\$3786.33
To E. O. Baker, annuity, .....	180.00
To Missionary Dept., for H. K. Needham, ..	110.00
Discount on bonds, .....	58.61

Expense on property, .....	37.41
Total expenses, .....	\$4172.35
Balance in office funds Sept. 1, 1920, .....	1419.76
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	\$5592.11

### **The Missionary Report.**

The Missionary Treasurer read his report, which, on motion, was accepted to become a part of the records. It was later resolved that the report be put into pamphlet form for convenience in distributing among the missionaries and interested parties at home.

The following is a brief survey of the report. Mention having been made as to the many reasons for praise to God in a general way, the report proceeds to emphasize the following points:

First: The Missionary Department has been established with its own office, and is entirely dependent upon its own resources for support. The Council was informed that the needs of the department have been met through free-will offerings.

Second: The development of co-operation between the department and the missionaries has grown during the year, and a number of District Councils have been formed in foreign lands, including India, Egypt, Japan and Liberia.

Third: Evidences of a clarified vision on the part of our missionaries was shown. It was made manifest that we are a distinctive people with a distinctive mission to which God is adding His blessing and approval.

Fourth: The call and need for Deputational Work has been met in the visit to the various fields by Brother and Sister Needham, who at present are in China.

Fifth: A very encouraging increase in missionary offerings for the current year was reported. The total offerings received by the department for the year ending Sept. 1st, 1920, amounted to \$90,812.40, a gain slightly in excess of 30% over the amount received for the previous year. This does not take into account offerings sent direct from assemblies to missionaries and only reported to the Missionary Department. These extra offerings amounted to \$4500.00. Much more went out from individuals unreported.

These amounts have been forwarded to the field without any deductions whatever for expense of for-

warding. The expense of conducting the Missionary Department has been met by voluntary free-will offerings in addition to the regular missionary offerings, as follows:

Total receipt of offerings, .....	\$2,353.83
Support of office, .....	\$2,309.03
Cash in bank, to balance, .....	44.80
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	\$2,353.83

The report shows that the \$90,812.40, total amount of money forwarded, has been handled at an expense of 2½% and even this small per cent was not taken out of the offerings for missions.

The number of missionaries under endorsement of the Council, September 1st, 1920, was 210. Number on the field, 154, number on furlough, 24. Sailing this fall, and later, 32. The fields include Africa, China, India, Japan, Latin America, Cuba, Porto Rico, West Indies, Hawaii, Alaska, Mexican Border. This list only includes endorsed missionaries, and does not include native workers.

The Missionary Policy of the Council was referred to and discussed in the way of survey, as well as problems that confront the department and the missionaries. Unfavorable exchange conditions, results following the war, increase in rents and cost of living on all fields, and lack of adequate support, were among the problems referred to. Some practical recommendations were given, and an interest solicited in a practical, onward movement for God in the future.

For complete copy of the Missionary Report, see pamphlet for distribution by the Missionary Department.

### **Healing Service.**

Wednesday afternoon was given up to a general healing service. Hundreds of those in distress were present, and three groups of ministers prayed for the sick from 2 until 6 o'clock, and all were not reached even then. God was present in a blessed way, and there were many healed. Healing services were continued from one to two o'clock each day up to the close of the Council sessions.

### **THURSDAY A. M.**

The Council was opened in the usual way at ten



o'clock Thursday morning. The order of business—reports of officers—was taken up again.

### **The Publishing House Report.**

Pro. E. N. Bell, as Manager of the Gospel Publishing House, which belongs to the General Council read a report, showing, while cash was short at the present time, that nevertheless God had met the increased expenses of the year, due to high cost of paper stock, enlargement of work and the increase in number of workers.

Cash on hand Sept. 4 was only \$805.32, while the bills due were \$1911.44. But the value of the plant and stock on hand last year was only \$12,576.00, while the same assets this year had increased to \$20,584.00, showing a net increase for the year in stock of \$8,008.00. Two items mainly made up this \$8,008.00, namely an increase in paper stock on hand of \$3,440.00, and of Bibles and such like to the amount of \$3,470.00.

The increase in circulation of the SUNDAY SCHOOL LITERATURE was very gratifying. A little over a year ago we began publishing cards, leaflets, also junior, intermediate and adult quarterlies for our Sunday Schools. Within one year the total combined circulation of these has increased from about 4,000 to about 26,000. The cards are for the little tots, the Junior Quarterlies for the next higher grade, the Intermediate for the next higher, and the Adult Quarterlies for the grown folks. The leaflets may be used for every class, except the little tots. We do not yet publish weekly story papers for Sunday Schools, but hope to do so soon.

The circulation of the Pentecostal Evangel has increased during the year from about 12,000 to over 16,000. The high cost of paper stock, inks, and labor, makes the Evangel cost us probably more than we get from the subscription price of the paper. But the Evangel is the channel of communication from the General Council office to the preachers, of information for the missionaries and the Missionary Department to all our readers. Through the Evangel over \$2,300 came in for expenses of the Missionary office, over \$4,200 for the General Council work proper, and over \$90,800 for the missionaries. While in itself it is no source of income, yet considered as a whole it lies at the foundation of all the work we are doing for God, and it is a greatly

prospered channel of missionary work, and the greatest agency in our midst, aside from the personal preaching of the gospel, for the extending of the kingdom of Christ in the hearts of men throughout the earth.

He who would put a little work where it will count most, in every direction, for the Master will take subscriptions and work for the increased circulation of the Evangel. The Evtngel has averaged during the year in gifts to missions over \$5.00 to each subscriber. If you love the cause of missions, you will circulate the Evangel, and for every dollar you get paid for subscriptions, God in return will send the missionaries over \$5.00.

The next order of business was reports of committees. The following report and recommendation came from the committee on nominations and elections:

We, the committee on nominations and elections, recommend that nominations for Officers and Presbyters be made the next order of business.

### **Amendment as to Nominations.**

We further recommend that the article entitled "Nominations Made from the Floor," (page 6, paragraph three) be amended by adding at the end these words: "provided, however, the committee shall be empowered to add such names to the list as they may deem advisable."

### **Officers to Serve Two Years.**

The same committee also recommended as follows:

Inasmuch as the election of Chairman, Secretary, Missionary Secretary, or other officers who must reside at headquarters, may involve the moving of families to Springfield, with consequent trouble and expense, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the term of office of these servants of the Council be and is hereby extended to two years instead of one year, with the privilege of changing this order at the option of any annual Council.

The report and recommendations of the committee were adopted as a whole, and the Council proceeded at once to the order of nominations of Officers and Presbyters. The elections followed in order as recommended, with the following results:

### **General Officers.**

E: N: Bell, Chairman; J. W. Welch, Secretary; and J. R. Flower, Missionary Secretary-Treasurer.

Stanlye H. Frodsham and E. N. Bell were elected

Executive Presbyters to succeed themselves. Also previous to the election of the General Presbyters, the regular order was suspended, and the following resolution was adopted:

### **Qualification of Presbyters.**

Whereas, it seems expedient to define a standard of qualification for General Presbyters, be it

Resolved, That only men of mature experience and ability, whose life and ministry are above question, shall be eligible to the office of General Presbyter, and that such qualification rather than location determine their eligibility.

During the suspension of the regular order, ordination of ministers occurred. Also the Minutes of the meetings held during the year by the Executive Presbytery were read and explained by E. N. Bell, the former Secretary.

The Council then adjourned to meet Friday morning at nine o'clock.

### **FRIDAY A. M.**

The Council was called to order by Bro. Kerr, who had been asked by Bro. Bell to act in his behalf. After devotional exercises the order of business was taken up, and the Council proceeded to the election of General Presbyters, with the following results:

#### **General Presbyters.**

E. R. Fitzgerald, W. J. Walthall, M. M. Pinson, R. J. Craig, D. W. Kerr, John Coxe, G. E. Smith, John Goben, R. A. Brown, Frank Boyd, N. R. Nichols, S. A. Jamieson, S. H. Patterson, J. R. Kline, O. P. Brann, T. K. Leonard, J. N. Gortner, J. T. Boddy, J. W. Welch, S. H. Frodsham, E. N. Bell, A. P. Collins, F. A. Hale, E. N. Richey, Frank Gray, D. H. McDowell, L. Wooten, Eric Booth-Clibborn, L. V. Roberts, A. H. Argue, C. O. Benham, Joseph Tunmore and R. E. McAlister.

It was moved and carried that the names and addresses of the Officers and Presbyters be published in the Evangel at least four times each year.

#### **Missionary Policy Settled.**

It was moved and carried that the Council take up and discuss that part of the Missionary Secretary's report which referred to the Missionary policy of the Council. After the discussion, it was moved and carried that the Council continue its policy as in the past, and that the

missionaries be encouraged to look to God alone for their needs, the Missionary Committee taking into consideration the fact that missionaries having children will need more funds than those that have none.

The Council adjourned to meet at two-thirty P. M.

### **FRIDAY P. M.**

The Council resumed the regular order of business after devotional exercises, and the following matters were disposed of:

Whereas, There is urgent need of General Council representatives on the home field, who can assist in forming District Councils, holding Conventions, and in every way forward the development of the principals for which the Council stands, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Council recommend that the General Presbytery provide for the selection of one or more such representative field workers whose activities will be under the supervision and direction of the Executive Presbytery. The resolution was adopted. The Presbytery later selected A. P. Collins as Field Secretary. Council adjourned to meet at nine-thirty tomorrow.

### **SATURDAY A. M.**

The Council came together with prayer and worship. Business was taken up as follows:

#### **Report of Committee on Schools.**

We, your committee on Bible School and Missionary Training, call attention to the example and method employed by Jesus Christ, the Head of the Church, in fitting and qualifying the first heralds of the gospel to preach the word: viz. Teaching and training them before sending them forth with the gospel to all the world.

We believe He established the proper order and method. If three years tutorship under the Master was considered by the Great Teacher as necessary to prepare the apostles for the ministry, we may well heed the admonition of Paul, "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." Although the Council makes no rule requiring this, yet it is our conviction that every young preacher will greatly profit by spending at least two years in special Bible study. Christ set TEACHERS in the Church. Hence, in providing schools to teach the word and train those who



are called to preach the gospel, we are persuing the method established by Jesus Himself.

We advise the Assemblies of God, claiming apostolic standards, to encourage in every legitimate way those called to preach, to avail themselves of the opportunity afforded by the several Bible Schools to study the word of God.

We urge that the Schools thus filling so vital a function have the hearty support of all, and that proper provision be made to meet their financial needs, and that time and occasion be afforded at this Council for these needs in the Council School at Auburn.

### **Mid-West Bible School.**

The Mid-West Bible School, located at Auburn, Nebraska, owned by and under the supervision of the General Council of the Assemblies of God, we believe to be in direct answer to prayer to meet a crying need. Its policy and purpose is to promote apostolic teaching, order, methods and standards. It is not a Literary or Theological Institution, but a Bible Training School in the true sense, in harmony with the fundamentals of the gospel endorsed by the Assemblies of God.

The teachers of this School trust the Lord for a living, and are dependent upon the offerings sent in for their support. Besides the support of the teachers, there is immediate need of funds to meet coal bills, and other incidental expenses. A piano is needed, also motors for the laundry and the school printing press.

No funds are in sight to meet these needs. We believe that the assemblies and brethren will gladly respond to an opportunity to contribute to these needs.

We ask the General Council to provide for these immediate needs by requesting the assemblies to take at least one offering a year, not later than November, and in such other ways as may be possible.

### **Sunday School Literature.**

We recommend for the consideration of the Publishing Committee, the advisability of adding, as soon as possible, Sunday School papers to other Sunday School literature already being printed, and thus make a complete line of Pentecostal literature for our people.

S. A. Jamieson and O. E. McCleary, Committee.

After discussion, the above report on schools and literature was adopted. Then, upon request, Bro. S. A.

Jamieson outlined for the Council the course of study proposed for the Mid-West Bible School.

### **Report of Committee on Rules and Order of Business**

Your committee recommends that the following order of business be adopted and followed at all times, unless temporarily set aside by special order of the Council:

1. Call to order by the Chairman.
2. Prayer.
3. Reports of Officers.
4. Reports of committees in following order:
  - (1) Committee on Roster.
  - (2) Committee on Program.
  - (3) Committee on Rules.
  - (4) Committee on Nominations and Elections.
  - (5) Committee on Ordinations.
  - (6) Committee on Foreign Missions, including work among foreigners in the United States.
  - (7) Committee on Home Missions and Evangelism.
  - (8) Committee on Schools.
  - (9) Committee on Literature and Publishing interests.
5. Unfinished Business.
6. Miscellaneous Business.
7. Announcements.
8. Adjournment.

Respectfully submitted,  
F. A. HALE,  
JOHN McALISTER,  
O. E. McCLEARY,  
Committee.

After discussion, the report was adopted.

### **Report of Committee on Home Missions and Evangelism.**

Whereas, There is great need of effective evangelism in the home field; and

Whereas, We have as yet no regularly organized Home Missionary Department, we, your Committee on Home Missions and Evangelism, recommend that until such time as a Home Missionary Department shall be organized, the District Councils be advised to appoint a committee on Evangelism to co-operate with the pastors

and evangelists in developing the home base and in promoting a revival spirit among our people.

We further recommend that a committee be appointed at this session of the General Council to devise a feasible plan for the organization of a Home Missionary Department of the General Council, said committee to report, if possible, during this meeting, and not later than the next annual session of the Council.

W. E. OPIE, Chairman,  
A. H. ARGUE,  
J. D. SAUNDERS,  
E. L. BANTA,  
C. A. McKINNEY,

Committee.

The report was adopted. No report was made at this session, and the committee will report next year, the Lord willing.

The following resolution was offered on the floor of the Council, and after some discussion, was adopted:

### **Three Days for Special Prayer.**

Whereas, The three days prayer conferences held among Pentecostal saints during June of 1919, was made a source of great blessing to the Pentecostal saints in general, and to all the missionaries in particular, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Executive Presbytery is recommended by this General Council to again appoint a time of three days during which the saints everywhere shall be requested to make special intercession together for a mighty out-pouring upon the work in general, for Foreign Missionaries, Native Workers, Native Churches, and the heathen everywhere. The announcement to be given out over as wide a field as possible.

The Council adjourned until one o'clock.

### **SATURDAY P. M.**

The Council was opened with prayer and praise, after which the regular order of business was resumed, and the following matters were considered:

### **Report on Program and Resolutions.**

Whereas, There has been a marked increase in the number of ministers and missionaries in fellowship with the Assemblies of God, our Father in Heaven having greatly blessed the preaching of the Word and our fellowship together; and

Whereas, The long distances to be traveled by the

brethren who come together each year in this co-operative fellowship and the great expense involved in traveling these distances make it impossible, or inexpedient, for many whose counsel is greatly needed, to meet with us, and

Whereas, It would seem that the time is approaching when it may be advisable for us to have two or three or more large District Councils to meet annually, to be known possibly as the Eastern Council, the Western Council, and the Central Council., etc., the boundary lines of which may be determined by the General Council in regular session assembled, the General Council to meet in such case only each quadrennium or as often as may be later determined; and

Whereas, Much prayer and thought should be given to this subject before a final decision is reached, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of five be now appointed to carefully and prayerfully consider this matter and to devise and recommend to the next General Council, in annual session assembled, a plan whereby—in the judgment of the committee—this suggestion can be made effective.

Signed,

J. NARVER GORTNER,  
J. R. KLINE,  
G. E. SMITH,  
C. A. McKINNEY,  
T. K. LEONARD,  
L. V. ROBERTS,  
FRED VOGLER,  
A. B. COX,  
J. R. EVANS.

The resolution was adopted, and the following committee appointed: J. N. Gortner, R. J. Craig, A. P. Collins, J. W. Welch, R. A. Brown.

### **An Amendment as to Mexican Missionary Work.**

Be it,

Resolved, That the resolution as to Mexican Work on page 27, paragraph 1, be amended by adding the following words at the end: "and that a proportionate share of the undesignated funds be available for this work at the discretion of the Missionary Committee."

The resolution was adopted in the regular way.



### **Missionary Matter.**

Resolved, That a committee of two be appointed by the Chair to co-ordinate into proper form, all Missionary Resolutions heretofore adopted by the Council, to be published for the use of the Missionary Department. Carried.

J. R. Flower and S. H. Frodsham were appointed on this committee.

### **Missionary Department Amendment.**

Amendment to a resolution concerning Missionary deputation, page 25 of the Combined Minutes, was adopted as follows:

Resolved, That the following words be stricken out, "that when such men are appointed, the expenses of their trip be met out of such funds as are designated for the purpose," and the following words be substituted at the same place: "that when such deputation has been appointed, the Missionary Treasurer shall be authorized to place the names of such appointees upon the list of endorsed missionaries to receive a share in the monthly distribution of missionary funds."

### **Foreign Deputation Ratified.**

Whereas, The Executive Presbytery has made arrangements for a missionary deputation, and this deputation consisting of Harold K. Needham and his wife, Hulda Needham, is now on the field in the interest of the Pentecostal missionary work of the General Council, therefore be it

Resolved, That this Council hereby ratifies the appointment by the Executive Presbytery of Brother and Sister Needham to this special deputational work. Carried.

### **Missionary Co-operation.**

Whereas, Some uncertainty has developed concerning what constitutes a basis of co-operation between the missionaries and the home field, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Missionary Committee be authorized to correspond with the missionaries associated in the Council with a view to determining what constitutes a workable basis of co-operation between missionaries themselves on the one hand, and between the missionaries and the Missionary Department on the other hand. This was adopted.

### **Field Work.**

At this point the Secretary read a report from the

General Presbytery concerning the selection of field representatives as follows:

The General Presbytery in regular session assembled, having discussed thoroughly this matter referred to them, has made the following arrangements for representative Field Work: Elder A. P. Collins was selected to act for the General Council as General Field Representative, Brother A. H. Argue was authorized to represent the Council in connection with his regular evangelistic work in Canada and elsewhere. It is expected that Elder S. A. Jamieson and Elder D. W. Kerr may also be able to give some time to special field work next summer. There was no official appointment at this time of the last two mentioned.

The report was received and adopted.

The Council then adjourned to meet again Monday at 10 A. M.

### **MONDAY A. M.**

The Council resumed business after the usual devotional exercises, during which it was clearly shown that God was in the midst of His people, as He had been through preceding days.

#### **Women Given the Voting Privilege.**

Whereas, There is a strong sentiment among us in favor of granting our women a larger share of responsibility and privilege in our work, be it

Resolved, That all restrictions upon the privileges of women on the General Council floor be removed from the Minutes and records of the Council, and that they be given equal privileges with the brethren in voting upon all questions at the Council meetings, as well as in speaking. Carried.

#### **Standing Committees Next Year.**

Moved and carried, that the Chair appoint standing committees beforehand for the next session of the General Council, and that the names of the various chairmen be published in the Evangel some time previous to the time set for the Council to meet again. This is to expedite the work of the Council by the committees being ready to report at once as soon as the Council meets.

#### **Standing Committees.**

The first named on each committee is to act as chairman of his committee, to confer by correspondence with the rest, and to have his report, if possible, ready to sub-

mit at the opening of the 1921 General Council meeting.  
*Committee on Roster*—D. H. McDowell, John Goben, L. Wooten.

*Committee on Program*—A. P. Collins, J. N. Gortner, and J. T. Boddy.

*Committee on Rules*—F. A. Hale, S. H. Patterson, E. R. Fitzgerald.

*Committee on Nominations and Elections*—R. A. Brown, G. E. Smith, R. E. McAlister, Frank Gray, Eric Booth-Clibborn, and R. J. Craig.

*Committee on Credentials*—Joseph Tunmore, E. N. Richey, W. J. Walthall.

*Committee on Foreign Missions*—D. W. Kerr, J. R. Flower, S. H. Frodsham.

*Committee on Home Missions*—S. A. Jamieson, J. W. Welch, Joseph Tunmore, J. R. Kline, and D. W. Kerr.

*Committee on Schools*—Frank Boyd, John Coxe and O. E. McCleary.

*Committee on Publishing and Literature*—A. H. Argue, J. C. Wilder, and C. O. Benham.

Moved and carried that the Minutes of this session of the Council be edited by the Executive Presbytery, and when corrected, they be adopted and published as the authorized Minutes of the General Council.

### **The Next Council.**

Moved and carried that the Council convene again at the call of the Executive Presbytery who shall announce the time and place about next June, after receiving invitations from all places which desire such meeting.

Moved and carried that the Council express its appreciation and extend a vote of thanks to the Local Church and people of Springfield for the generous and hearty hospitality and help afforded it.

After some general announcements were made, a motion to adjourn was made, and the Council came to its feet in an attitude of praise and worship, to commit the interests and membership to God for future oversight and supervision. Thus ended the eighth annual General Council meeting, a remarkable gathering of the saints. It was the largest meeting the Council ever held. All are agreed that the future holds remarkable opportunities for the Council Fellowship in the great World-Wide Fields, and that God is pleased with its purpose to develop and maintain essential unity among His people.

J. W. WELCH, Secretary.

## OFFICERS.

E. N. Bell, .....	Chairman
J. W. Welch, .....	Secretary
J. Roswell Flower, .....	Missionary Sec.-Treas.

## EXECUTIVE PRESBYTERS.

E. N. Bell, .....	Springfield, Mo.
J. T. Boddy, .....	Springfield, Mo.
S. H. Frodsham, .....	Springfield, Mo.
S. A. Jamieson, .....	Auburn, Neb.
D. W. Kerr, .....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Joseph Tunmore, .....	Pittsburgh, Pa.
J. W. Welch, .....	Springfield, Mo.

## GENERAL PRESBYTERS.

A. H. Argue, .....	Canada
E. N. Bell, .....	Missouri
C. O. Benham, .....	Canada
J. T. Boddy, .....	Missouri
Eric Booth-Clibborn, .....	Colorado
Frank Boyd, .....	New Jersey
O. P. Brann, .....	Maryland
R. A. Brown, .....	New York
A. P. Collins, .....	Texas
John Coxe, .....	Massachusetts
R. J. Craig, .....	California
E. R. Fitzgerald, .....	Arkansas
S. H. Frodsham, .....	Missouri
John Goben, .....	Iowa
J. N. Gortner, .....	Ohio
Frank Gray, .....	Washington
F. A. Hale, .....	Texas
S. A. Jamieson, .....	Nebraska
D. W. Kerr, .....	California
J. R. Kline, .....	Michigan
T. K. Leonard, .....	Ohio
R. E. McAlister, .....	Canada
David H. McDowell, .....	Pennsylvania
N. R. Nichols, .....	New Mexico
S. H. Patterson, .....	Kansas
M. M. Pinson, .....	Arizona
E. N. Richey, .....	Texas
L. V. Roberts, .....	Indiana
Geo. E. Smith, .....	Illinois
Joseph Tunmore, .....	Pennsylvania
W. J. Walthall, .....	Arkansas
J. W. Welch, .....	Missouri
L. Wooten, .....	Alabama

## ASSOCIATE PRESBYTERS.

O. P. Brann, .....	Chairman Maryland District
R. A. Brown, .....	Chairman Eastern District
John Coxe, .....	Chairman New England District
Geo. W. Clopine, .....	Chairman Nebraska District
Arch P. Collins, .....	Chairman Texas and Arizona District

R. J. Craig,.....	Chairman Northern California District
E. R. Fitzgerald, .....	Chairman Arkansas District
John Goben, .....	Chairman Iowa District
Frank Gray, .....	Chairmon Washington and Oregon District
W. H. Hamilton, .....	Chairman Colorado District
Fred Eiting, .....	Chairman Oklahoma District.
W. B. Jessup, ....	Chairman Mississippi, Ala. and Fla. District
Gortner, J. Narver, .....	Chairman Central District
D. W. Kerr, .....	Chairman Southern California District
John McAlister, .....	Chairman Western Canada District
S. H. Patterson, .....	Chairman Kansas District
John T. Wilson, .....	Chairman Southern Missouri District

## ORDAINED MINISTERS IN GOOD STANDING WITH THE GENERAL COUNCIL OF THE ASSEMBLIES OF GOD.

Adams, Ernest M. ....	McAlester, Okla.
Adams, N. R. ....	Davenport, Okla.
Adler, Wm. John .....	Burbank, Calif.
Alariz, Enemencio .....	Harrisburg, Tex.
Albach, Louise Bertha .....	Auburn, Neb.
Albright, Rudolph C. ....	Toledo, Ohio
Alford, H. E. ....	Dallas, Tex.
Alford, Mrs. Roxie .....	Dallas, Tex.
Allison, John Philip .....	Cave Spring, Ark.
Alvey, Herbert L. ....	Indianapolis, Ind.
Anderson, Albert T. ....	Winnipeg, Man., Can.
Anderson, Courtney H. ....	Concord, W. Va.
Anderson, Mrs. Maudie .....	Corsicana, Tex.
Anderson, Wm. ....	W. Philadelphia, Pa.
Andrews, John W. ....	Graceville, Fla.
Andrews, Rex Bradley, .....	Waukegan, Ill.
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Morwood, Wm.	Houston, Tex.
Morwood, Mrs. Martha E.	Houston, Tex.
Mosaly, Charlie S.	Los Angeles, Calif.
Moseid, Albert	Colfax, Wis.
Moseid, Mrs. Ella M.	Colfax, Wis.
Moser, Charles	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Moss, Harold Henry	Bridgeport, Conn.
Motter, Samuel	Alger, Ohio
Moyer, Frank	Yakima, Wash.
Mumbulo, Verner Sylvester	Youngstown, Ohio
Murray, James Monroe	Bennington, Okla.
Nader, Johnathan	Flint, Mich.
Neal, J. G.	Searcy, Ark.
Neeley, Isaac S.	Chicago, Ill.
Neeley, Mrs. Martha A.	Chicago, Ill.
Neidholt, C. Brooks	Terrell, Tex.
Nelson, Luther Calvin	Port Arthur, Tex.
Nelson, John Christ	Los Angeles, Calif.
Nelson, Mrs. Nora C.	Los Angeles, Calif.
Newby, Edgar L.	Wichita Falls, Tex.
Newby, Rewel Washington	Bridgeport, Tex.
Newsom, James W.	Dallas, Tex.

Newsom, Orland C. ....	Millville, Fla.
Nichols, Norman R. ....	Portales, New Mex.
Nickell, Guy N. ....	Oakland, Calif.
Nielsen, N. G. ....	Hartford, Conn.
Nigh, Gus T. ....	Mercer, Mo.
Nix, Clifford M. ....	Golbertown, Ala.
Noles, Docia Mae ....	Slocomb, Ala.
Norton, Richard H. ....	Boston, Mass.
Nylander, Mrs. Carolina ....	Seattle, Wash.
O'Bryan, Thos. R. ....	Hopkinsville, Ky.
Odom, Thomas L. ....	Noble, La.
Ogburn, Ernest W. ....	Tallahassee, Fla.
O'Guinn, Carl ....	Granite City, Ill.
Olazabal, Francisco ....	El Paso, Tex.
Oliver, Walter O. ....	Galena, Kan.
Olsen, Oscar ....	Three River Falls, Minn.
Opie, Richard C. ....	San Diego, Calif.
Opie, Wm. E. ....	Fresno, Calif.
Opie, Mrs. Hazel Velma ....	Fresno, Calif.
Orozco, Rodolfo ....	Simonton, Tex.
Osborn, Edward Howard, ....	Kenmore, Ohio
Osborn, Winfield Scott ....	Deming, N. Mex.
Osborn, Mary Jane ....	Deming, N. Mex.
Packard, Elbridge E. ....	Milwaukee, Wis.
Padgett, Samuel M. ....	Hartfford, Ark.
Pangborn, Mabel Copeland ....	National Mine, Mich.
Parfitt, Ernest Joseph ....	Portland, Ore.
Parks, Wm. Wright ....	Howe, Okla.
Parton, Lattie D. ....	Ada, Okla.
Pascoe, Mrs. Emily ....	Chicago, Ill.
Patterson, Geo. Marvin ....	Arcadia, Kan.
Patterson, Sherwood H. ....	Osborne, Kan.
Paul, Ernest A. ....	Brandon, Man., Can.
Payne, Charles W. L. ....	Mt. Hope, W. Va.
Peace, James L. ....	Lineville, Iowa
Peck, Mrs. Mina L. M. ....	Chicago, Ill.
Pelton, C. W. ....	Conneaut, Ohio
Pennock, Miss Opal V. ....	Grand River, Iowa
Peirce, Willard Chester ....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Peirce, Mrs. Willard C. ....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Peppers, Charlie ....	Haywood, Okla.
Perkins, James A. ....	Mountainair, New Mex.
Perry, Marion R. ....	Hartford, Ala.
Peters, Mrs. Anna M. ....	Akron, O.
Peters, Mrs. Lottie ....	Ottumwa, Iowa
Peterson, Adolph ....	Turlock, Calif.
Peterson, Mrs. Marie E. ....	Turlock, Calif.
Pierce, Mrs. Hattie A. ....	Independence, Ore.
Pipkin, Henry D. ....	Weatherford, Tex.
Planter, Josephine S. ....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Plymire, Victor G. ....	York, Pa.
Pocock, Emma L. ....	Toronto, Can.
Pococceck, Wm. ....	Toronto, Can.
Polhemus, Ernest Raymond ....	Phoenix, Ariz.
Pope, W. H. ....	Denver, Colo.



Potter, Wm. R.	Long Beach, Calif.
Pottorff, John W.	Grafton, W. Va.
Preston, John A.	San Diego, Calif.
Preston, Mrs. John A.	San Diego, Calif.
Price, Daisy	Chicago, Ill.
Qualls, Rex E.	Fresno, Calif.
Qualls, Mrs. Della Isabella	Fresno, Calif.
Radke, Paul H.	Sour Lake, Tex.
Rahter, Mary R.	Harrisburg, Pa.
Rainey, Iverne	Los Angeles, Calif.
Ralstin, Paul Herbert	Wellston, Okla.
Remsey, Pleas F.	Russellville, Ark.
Rasmussen, James E.	Egeland, No. Dak.
Rasmussen, Mrs. Anna C.	Egeland, No. Dak.
Rasmussen, Rasmus S.	Egeland, No. Dak.
Ray, Arthur James,	Fresno, Calif.
Ray, Charles E.	Ft. Smith, Ark.
Reckley, Mrs. Ettie Elizabeth	Cumberland, Md.
Rediger, Joseph C.	Auburn, Neb.
Reel, Mary Elizabeth	Austin, Tex.
Reeves, Horace Martin	Alcino, Tex.
Rhodes, Johnnie A.	Woodville, Tex.
Richardson, Horace J.	Los Angeles, Calif.
Richey, E. N.	Houston, Tex.
Richey, Raymond T.	Houston, Tex.
Riddle, Kenneth M.	Tulsa, Okla.
Ridgway, Mrs. Effie V.	Los Angeles, Calif.
Riggs, Calvin M.	Jenny Lind, Ark.
Riley, Luther L.	Havana, Ark.
Roberts, Limaheus V.	Indianapolis, Ind.
Roberts, Preston	Fairlands, Okla.
Robertson, Frank	Kansas City, Kans.
Robertson, Stephen	Los Angeles, Calif.
Robinson, A. B.	Owassa, Ala.
Robinson, John E.	Zion City, Ill.
Robinson, Jessie G.	Calgary, Alt., Can.
Roblez, Salud	Edna, Tex.
Rockholt, W. W.	Blaine, Okla.
Romines, Fayette	Hartford, Ark.
Rose, Geo. L.	Pawhuska, Okla.
Ross, Josephine	Greenwood, Ark.
Ross, Julia A.	Kingsville, Tex.
Rosselli, Etella C.	Thayer, Mo.
Rosselli, Joseph	Thayer, Mo.
Ruch, Geo. W.	Seattle, Wash.
Rudd, Newton E.	Wausau, Fla.
Rushing, Emily	Baker, Fla.
Rutherford, P. Daily	Letona, Ark.
Sadler, Robert	Sawtelle, Calif.
Samuelson, Emil	Radford, Pa.
Sanderfer, W. L.	Port Lavaca, Tex.
Sappington, Lloyd R.	Louisville, Ky.
Saunders, John Dennis	Pomona, Calif.
Saunders, John S.	Indianapolis, Ind.
Saunders, Mrs. Rosa M.	Indianapolis, Ind.

Savell, James O.	Anguilla, Miss.
Saxton, Albert C.	Boise, Idaho
Says, John H.	Zion City, Ill.
Scarborough, Mary Luella	Yuma, Colo.
Scarborough, James D.	Yuma, Colo.
Schaefer, Clyde J.	Portland, Ore.
Scheumack, Mrs. Daisy B.	Elgin, Tex.
Schmiech, Henry	Houston, Tex.
Schmitt, Chas. D.	Milwaukee, Wis.
Schneider, George	Edmonton, Alta., Con.
Schwartz, Florence	Long Beach, Calif.
Scott, Roy Everett	Kansas City, Kan.
Secrist, Jacob S.	Olympia, Wash.
Selby, Franklin E.	Wichita, Kan.
Selby, Wm. Leander	Lineville, Iowa
Sell, Jacob J.	Cleveland, Ohio
Sell, Mrs. Carrie A.	Cleveland, Ohio
Sellers, Belle	Decatur, Iowa
Sévier, Maurice	Dallas, Tex.
Shands, Wm. H.	Des Arc, Ark.
Sharp, John Tillman	Dallas, Tex.
Shary, John	Cleveland, Ohio
Sheall, Chas.	Scranton, Kan.
Shell, Arthur L.	Garland, Ala.
Shepherd, George Elmon	Mercer, Mo.
Shields, Chas. E.	Paris, Ark.
Shields, Sidney G.	Alcino, Tex.
Shockey, Samuel L.	Findlay, Ohio
Shurron, James O.	Koshkonong, Mo.
Sidford, Alfred E.	Ealing, London, Eng.
Sigafoose, Charles Walter	Los Angeles, Calif.
Sikes, Edwin G.	Patterson, N. J.
Simmonett, Charles	Bairdford, Pa.
Sims, Allen Bird	London, Ark.
Simms, Herbert Edward	Malvern, Ark.
Simms, Mrs. Dollie Annie	Malvern, Ark.
Sinfield, Albert	Portland, Ore.
Sisk, Thomas Wesley	Ft. Smith, Ark.
Sisson, Elizabeth	New London, Conn.
Skipper, John Carroll	Sines, Md.
Slay, James Lawrence	Prichard, Ala.
Sloan, W. H.	Eskdale, W. Va.
Smalley, Culbertson D.	Port Lavaca, Tex.
Smith, Cary W.	Charleston, W. Va.
Smith, Geo. E.	Chicago, Ill.
Smith, George Sidney	Seal Cove, Moss Beach, Calif.
Smith Susie Porter	Seal Cove, Moss Beach, Calif.
Smith, James Benj.	Quinlan, Tex.
Smith, Robt. F.	Paris, Ark.
Smith, Mrs. Tennie	Corsicana, Tex.
Snell, Willie L.	Columbus, Ga.
Snyder, Robt. Elmer	West Plains, Mo.
Sorg, Fred G.	Norwich, N. Dak.
Sorg, Mrs. Mary C.	Norwich, No. Dak.
Southern, David B.	Pulaski, Va.
Spain, Walter A.	Milan, Tenn.
Spellman, Chas. L.	Los Angeles, Calif.

Speilman, Mrs. Linda Phillips .....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Spence, James E. ....	Mobile, Ala.
Spencer, Ira Elmer .....	Willard, Okla.
Spencer, Ivan Quay .....	Hornell, N. Y.
Squier, Mrs. Fannie Caroline .....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Squier, Stanley W. ....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Standley, W. H. ....	Beloit, Wis.
Stanley, Howard D. ....	No. Topeka, Kan.
Stansbury, Geo. S. ....	Rockport, Tex.
Stegenga, Martin .....	Chicago, Ill.
Stephens, Joseph F. ....	Oklahoma City, Okla.
Stephens, Mrs. Emma .....	Oklahoma City, Okla.
Sternall, Reuben E. ....	Kingston, Ont.
Stevenson, Matilda .....	Akron, Ohio
Stevens, Willie M. ....	Anguilla, Miss.
Stokely, Philip M. ....	Woodston, Kan.
Stokely, Mrs. Katherine .....	Woodston, Kan.
Stokke, Ben .....	Stephens, Minn.
Stone, Frank Lewis .....	Milwaukee, Wis.
Strayer, Charles B. ....	Des Moines, Iowa
Stroh, Carl John .....	Stockton, Ohio
Stroud, John H. ....	Rondo, W. Va.
Stuart, John Logan .....	Pueblo, Colo.
Sturgis, Geo. Henry .....	Davenport, Iowa
Suarez, J. Conception .....	Baumont, Tex.
Surface, Ira E. ....	San Francisco, Calif.
Sutton, G. W. ....	Prairieville, Tex.
Swan, Mangus P. ....	Wetaskiwin, Alta., Can.
Swanson, Samuel .....	Turlock, Calif.
Talcott, Bert .....	Kennett, Mo.
Tanner, Elmer L. ....	Summerfield, La.
Taylor, Waymon D. ....	Austin, Tex.
Taylor, Annie Laura .....	Austin, Tex.
Taylor, Arthur .....	Findlay, Ohio
Taylor, Malcom Arthur .....	Berkeley, Calif.
Taylor, Richard E. ....	Graceville, Fla.
Taylor, Sophia .....	Chumatien, Howan, China
Terrill, Wm. B. ....	Eureka Springs, Ark.
Tharp, Sim .....	Edom, Tex.
Thayer, Oscar H. ....	Keene, N. H.
Thomes, Charles V. ....	Pueblo, Colo.
Thomas, Edgar D. ....	San Antonio, Tex.
Thomas, Ellsworth S. ....	Beaver, Meadows, N. Y.
Thomas, Geo. M. ....	Nacozari, Son. Mex.
Thomas, Herbert Winford .....	Sioux City, Iowa
Thomas, Joda C. ....	Chickasha, Okla.
Thomas, Mary E. ....	Keokee, Va.
Thomas, Richard M. ....	Newcastle, Tex.
Thomas, Mrs. Margurette D. ....	Newcastle, Tex.
Thompson, Clyde F. ....	La Moine, Calif.
Thompson, Thomas .....	New Rocelle, N. Y.
Thompson, T. D. ....	Grand Saline, Tex.
Throop, Mrs. I May .....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Timmons, Jesse C. ....	Haynes, Calif.
Tompkins, Isaac Benj. ....	Keokee, Va.
Toms, Harry A. ....	Pittsburgh, Pa.

Travis, Elbert .....	Gove, Kans.
Trotter, Wm. C. ....	Portland, Ore.
Trout, Jenny Kidd .....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Trusty, Hansel H. ....	Paris, Ark.
Tullos, Will .....	Knight, Tex.
Tunmore, Joseph .....	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Turnbull, John C. ....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Twiss, Thomas .....	Scranton, Pa.
Underwood, Lillie .....	Black Rock, Ark.
Utiger, Katie E. ....	Eureka Springs, Ark.
Van Dalen, Emma .....	Seattle, Wash.
Vanover, Jackson .....	Eagle Rock, Mo.
Varnell, Henry Houston .....	Russellville, Ark.
Varnell, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth .....	Russellville, Ark.
Varonaeff, John E. ....	Galata, Constantinople, Turkey
Vincent, Alson .....	Covina, Calif.
Vincent, Wallace Spencer .....	Van Nuys, Calif.
Vincy, Joseph Manning .....	Harrison, Ark.
Vogler, Fred .....	Topeka, Kan.
Waddle, Homer E. ....	Malden, Mo.
Waddell, Wm. T. ....	Grand River, Iowa
Waldron, Clarence H. ....	Los Angeles, Calif.
Waldron, Samuel R. ....	Bradley Beach, N. J.
Walker, Alva Innes .....	Vancouver, B. C.
Walker, Irl J. ....	Scotts Bluff, Neb.
Walker, Roger M. ....	Portales, New Mex.
Walker, Watt .....	Macomb, Mo.
Wallace, Zed Dock .....	Jasonville, Ind.
Walls, Henry Wesley .....	Ashland, Ky.
Walters, Lyman R. ....	Moss Point, Miss.
Walters, Robert J. ....	Knight, Tex.
Walshall, Wm. Jethro .....	El Dorado, Ark.
Waggoner, John H. ....	Warren, O.
Ward, Alfred G. ....	Toronto, Ont., Can.
Ward, Chas. M. ....	Grand Prairie, Tex.
Watkins, Ora L. ....	Pattonburg, Mo.
Watts, Mrs. Pearl .....	Crescent, Okla.
Webb, Floyd E. ....	El Dorado, Ark.
Webster, Chester B. ....	Columbus, Ohio
Weik, John .....	Phoenix, Ariz.
Welch, J. W. ....	Springfield, Mo.
Welchel, Wm. H. ....	Seminole, Okla.
Wellard, David M. ....	Syracuse, N. Y.
Wells, Columbus N. ....	Saratoga, Tex.
Wells, L. D. ....	Crighton, Ala.
Wells, John D. ....	Reno, Nev.
Wells, Mrs. Lillian D. ....	Reno, Nev.
Werda, Jeremiah J. ....	Chicago, Ill.
Wewetzer, Fred C. ....	Ferndale, Wash.
White, Charles W. ....	Midland City, Ala.
White, Edgar Wayne .....	Alton, Kan.
Whittley, Henry .....	San Bernardino, Calif.
Wight, Alfred .....	Framingham, Mass.
Wilder, Jesse C. ....	Springfield, Mo.

Williams, Burton C.	Anaheim, Calif.
Williams, Ernest S.	Philadelphia, Pa.
Williams, Laura O.	Newark, N. J.
Williamson, James G.	Jasonville, Ind.
Williamson, Mrs. Jennie	Jasonville, Ind.
Williamson, Chas. G.	Florence, Ala.
Wilson, Homer G.	Kingsville, Tex.
Wilson, Herbert J.	Chicago, Ill.
Wilson, John H.	Chicago, Ill.
Wilson, John T.	Springfield, Mo.
Wray, Hugh H.	Breckenridge, Tex.
Wooding, John H.	Knoxville, Iowa
Wood, Washington L.	Los Angeles, Calif.
Woods, Mrs. Susie Ione	Indianapolis, Ind.
Woolley, Charles Hopkins	Reedley, Calif.
Woolley, Mrs. Mabel H.	Reedley, Calif.
Wooten, Leaman	Elba, Ala.
Wooten, Mrs. Christina	Elba, Ala.
Workman, W. H.	Savannah, Ga.
Workman, Mrs. Maggie	Savannah, Ga.
Workman, W. G.	Essex, Mo.
Zader, Wilbur L.	Fortuna, Calif.

#### LICENTIATES.

Burpee, Florence L.	Framingham, Mass.
Foster, Helene	Portland, Ore.
Hardin, Mrs. Ethel E.	Jeannette, Pa.
Leonard, Mrs. Linda M.	Valley Station, Ky.

#### MISSIONARY LIST.

Anderson, Thomas	Bolivia, South America
Anderson, (Mrs.) Fanny	Bolivia, South America
Andreasen, Paul	Saharanpur, U. P., India
Anglin, Leslie M.	China (On furlough)
Appleby, Blanche R.	Lo Pau, South China
Aston, Almyra D.	India
Aston, Olga J.	India
Baker, Robert F.	Dallas, Texas (To Mexicans)
Ball, H. C.	San Antonio, Texas (To Mexicans)
Ball, (Mrs.) Sunshine L.,	San Antonio, Texas (To Mexicans)
Baltau, Fred	Tientsin, N. China
Baltau, (Mrs.) Margaret	Tientsin, N. China
Barker, Forrest G.	Peru, South America
Barker, (Mrs.) Clara E.	Peru, South America
Beckdahl, Christian	Nanpara, U. P., India
Beckdahl, (Mrs.) Agnes T.	Nanpara, U. P., India
Bendiksen, Edwin M.	Congo Belge, W. Africa
Bendiksen, (Mrs.) Jennie Louise	Congo Belge, W. Africa
Blaisdell, George E.	Nacozari, Sonora, Mexico
Blakeney, Alfred A.	India (On furlough)
Blakeney, Joseph K.	Congo, Africa (On furlough)
Blakeney, (Mrs.) Mary Ann	Congo, Africa (On furlough)
Brandt, Adam	Danli, Honduras, Central America
Brandt, (Mrs.) Katherine	Central America (On furlough)



Brelsford, Lydia E. .... Egypt (Sailing fall-1920)  
 Bristow, Percy ..... Tung Hsien, Chihli, N. China  
 Bristow, (Mrs.) Thyra C. .... Tung Hsien, Chihli, N. China  
 Brown, A. Elizabeth ..... Jerusalem, Palestine  
 Buchwalter, Ada ..... Yunnan, S. W. China  
 Buckley, John R. .... B. E. Africa (On furlough)  
 Buckley, (Mrs.) Sibyl E. .... B. E. Africa (On furlough)  
 Builder, Katie P. .... India (Sailing Fall-1920)  
 Bush, (Mrs.) S. Anna ..... Peking, N. China

Carlson, Jennie W. .... Africa (Sailing fall-1920)  
 Caton, Eva May ..... Hawaiian Islands (On furlough)  
 Chapman, Mary W. .... Royapetta, Madras, India  
 Chenoweth, James H. .... Minchow, Kansu, China  
 Chester, Susan R. .... Bangalore, S. India  
 Clifford, Walter H. .... Mankapur, U. P., India  
 Clifford, (Mrs.) Gertrude ..... Mankapur, U. P. India  
 Cook, Albert V. .... China (Sailing fall-1920)  
 Cook, (Mrs.) Ruth Denton ..... China (Sailing fall-1920)  
 Cook, Robert F. .... Dodballapur, Mysore State, S. India  
 Cook, (Mrs.) Bertha N. .... Dodballapur, Mysore State, S. India  
 Cox, Herbert H. .... Saharanpur, U. P., India  
 Cox, (Mrs.) Barbara ..... Saharanpur, U. P., India  
 Cox, Sara ..... Saharanpur, U. P., India  
 Creamer, Lloyd G. .... Tientsin, N. China (On furlough)

Daab, Emma E. .... Sainam, S. China  
 Dahlstein, Gideon A. .... China (On furlough)  
 Daniel, Charles ..... Transvaal, S. Africa  
 Davis, Elisha N. .... Tientsin, N. China  
 Davis, (Mrs.) Maud Crump ..... Tientsin, N. China  
 Dean, Bartholomew ..... Fyzabad Dist., U. P., India  
 Deline, Augustus A. .... Africa, (Under appointment)  
 Denney, Lillian ..... Lucknow, U. P., India  
 Dirksen, Mechteld D. .... India (Under appointment)  
 Doney, Charles W. .... Cairo, Egypt  
 Doney, (Mrs.) Rachel E. .... Cairo, Egypt

Eady, Constance Swinfen ..... Bangalore, S. India  
 Easton, Susan C. .... Madhupur, E. I. R., India  
 Ellithorpe, Mabel G. .... India (Under appointment)  
 Erickson, Ruth ..... Cape Palmas, Liberia W. Africa  
 Escarcega, Fermin, Jr. .... Campas, Sonora, Mexico  
 Evans, Alice E. .... Peking, N. China  
 Farnsworth, Jennie E. .... Senegal, W. Africa  
 Felch, Margaret ..... India (On furlough)  
 Feliciano, Solomon ..... Ponce, Porto Rico  
 Feliciano, (Mrs.) Dianicia ..... Ponce, Porto Rico  
 Finch, Clinton E. .... Lo Pau, S. China  
 Finch, (Mrs.) Olive E. Maw ..... Lo Pau, S. China  
 Finch, Ella E. .... Sainam, S. China  
 Francisco, Edna ..... Ningpo, China  
 Gager, Bessie V. .... India (Sailing fall-1920)  
 Gardner, Laura A. .... India (On furlough)  
 Garlick, Henry B. .... Liberia, W. Africa (Sailing fall-1920)  
 Garlick, Blanche M. .... Liberia, W. Africa (Sailing fall-1920)  
 Garza, Loreto ..... Riohondo, Texas (To Mexicans)

Goodrich, Della .....Guatemala, Cen. Amer.  
 Gordon, Elsie H. ....Bangalore, S. India  
 Griest, Ellis L. ....La Victoria, Venezuela, South America  
 Griest, (Mrs.) Carrie Harvey ....La Victoria, Venezuela, S. A.  
 Guillen, Miguel .....Port Arthur, Texas (To Mexicans)

Hacker, Hattie .....India, (On furlough)  
 Hansen, H. E. ....Peking, N. China  
 Hansen, (Mrs.) Margaret .....Peking, N. China  
 Hanson, Charles J. ....West Indies (On furlough)  
 Harris, Frances S. ....India (Under appointment)  
 Hedges, Elsie M. ....India (Under appointment)  
 Hewitt, Pearl M. ....Honolulu, Hawaii  
 Hinckley, Etta M. ....Shanghai, China  
 Hindle, Thomas .....Gashatay, Mongolia  
 Hindle, (Mrs.) Louise .....Gashatay, Mongolia  
 Hines, Christopher A., Totonicapan, Guatemala, Cen Amer.  
 Hines, (Mrs.) Inez Ruth, Totonicapan, Guatemala Cen. Amer.  
 Hurlburt, J. R. ....Peru, South America

Jacobs, Louis M. ....Bettiah, U. P., India  
 Jacobs, (Mrs.) Olive May .....Bettiah, U. P., India  
 James, John D. ....China (On furlough)  
 James, (Mrs.) Flora Halland .....China (On furlough)  
 James, Hannah A. ....Middelburg, Transvaal, S. Africa  
 Jamieson, Melville R. S., Taochow, (Old City), Kansu, China  
 Jamieson, J. R. ....Trinidad, B. W. I.  
 Jamieson, (Mrs.) Elizabeth .....Trinidad, B. W. I.  
 Johnson, William H., Cape Palmas, Liberia, W. Africa  
 Johnson, (Mrs.) Sarah Jane .....Africa (On furlough)  
 Johnson, Ruth A. ....Yokohama, Japan  
 Johnson, Arthur F. ....Sweden (Enroute to Russia)  
 Johnson, (Mrs.) Beatrice F. ....Sweden (Enroute to Russia)  
 Juergensen, Carl F. ....Tokyo, Japan  
 Juergensen, John W. ....Tokyo, Japan  
 Juergensen, (Mrs.) Esther D. ....Tokyo, Japan

Kelley, George M. ....Sainam, S. China  
 Kelley, (Mrs.) Margaret .....Sainam, S. China  
 Kelty, Harriet L., .....Cuba  
 Kelty, Harriet M. ....Cuba  
 Kenning, Grace K. ....Shansi, China  
 King, Ethel M. ....Uska Bazar, U. P. India  
 Kirsch, Katherine M. ....Cape Palmas, Liberia, W. Africa

Lawler, F. Harland .....Shanghai, China  
 Lawler, (Mrs.) Agnes .....Shanghai, China  
 Ledbetter, Mattie .....Fat Shan, S. China  
 Leeper, Elbert O. ....Senegal, Africa  
 Leeper, (Mrs.) Lydia A. ....Senegal, Africa  
 Leonard, Lavada R. ....Sainam, S. China  
 Lindsay, Alexander .....Poona, India  
 Lindsay, (Mrs.) Wilhelmina .....Poona, India.  
 Lowther, Willa B. ....China (On furlough)  
 Luce, Alice E. ....Long Beach, Calif. (To Mexicans)  
 Lugo, John L. ....Ponce, Porto Rico

Lynne, Emily A. ....	Bangalore, S. India
McLeod, Christina .....	India (On furlough)
Mader, Herman J. ....	China (Sailing fall-1920)
Mader, (Mrs.) Mable M. ....	China (Sailing fall-1920)
Mahaffey, Dick S. ....	Bihar, India
Mahaffey, (Mrs.) Eva M. ....	Bihar, India
Malick, Yumna G., .....	Palestine (Under appointment)
Mayo, Mae F. ....	Kiangsu, China
Merian, Fred A. ....	India (Under appointment)
Merian, (Mrs.) Lillian .....	India (Under appointment)
Mills, Dorothy M. ....	Japan (Under appointment)
Militscher, Bella .....	Hong Kong, S. China (Sailing fall-1920)
Moore, Barney S. ....	Yokohama, Japan
Moore, (Mrs.) Mary Ellis .....	Yokohama, Japan
Murcutt, Florence J. ....	Long Beach, Calif. (To Mexicans)
Mueller, Jacob J. ....	India (Sailing fall-1920)
Mueller, (Mrs.) Isabelle Turnbull .....	India (Sailing fall-1920)
Munroe, Alexander .....	Tokyo-fu, Japan
Munroe, (Mrs.) Gwendolyn Frances .....	Tokyo-fu, Japan
Needham, Harold K. ....	Deputational work
Needham, (Mrs.) Hulda Eldridge .....	Deputational work
Nichols, (Mrs.) Nettie D. ....	Ningpo, China
Nichols, Ruth .....	Ningpo, China
Nicodem, Frank .....	Bahraich, U. P., India
Nicodem, (Mrs.) Ruby C. ....	Bahraich, U. P., India
Norli, Ingeborg .....	Ping Ting Chow, N. China
Norton, William K. ....	Benares, U. P., India
Norton, (Mrs.) Mary Courtney .....	Benares, U. P., India
Nygard, Sophia .....	Cape Palmas, Liberia, W. Africa
Olazabal, Francisco .....	El Paso, Texas (To Mexicans)
Ortiz, Frank, Jr., .....	Lares, Porto Rico
Parker, L. Hazel .....	Nawabganj, U. P., India
Pemberton, Ruth L. ....	Trinidad, B. W. I.
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