

AUSTRALIAN CHURCH WOMEN  
MINUTES of Meeting of Working Committee held in  
the Chapter House, St. Paul's Cathedral, Melbourne,  
10.30 a.m. Monday, 14/9/31.

PRESENT: Deac. Alfred (President), Freda Morris (Secretary),  
Myra Dixon (Treasurer) and Mesdames Strack, Ackland, Hughes,  
Downes, Callander and Foster.

OPENING: Deaconess Alfred opened the meeting with prayer and  
welcomed Jean Hughes and Berna Foster to the meeting.

BUSINESS ARISING from Preliminary Meeting of 10/9/31:

1. Visit of Bishop of Burma - E. Alfred hopes to see him  
briefly. O. Ackland to check on time of his visit.
2. Duplicator at Chapter House available for use to photo-  
copy - 3c. per page. National Committee Minutes to cost  
approximately \$45.

CORRESPONDENCE:

- In. 1. Lady Leila Wilson - hints for Working Committee.  
2. T. Dobber - Minutes of National Committee Meeting,  
plus Minutes from N.A. and Queensland and Australian  
Council Churches Publications. re 100 Circles of  
Prayer received in Hobart.  
3. 600 Circles of Prayer received from Dorothy Wagner.  
(200 still to come)

BUSINESS FROM CORRESPONDENCE:

2. T. Dobber to be asked to send 100 Circles of Prayer to  
Lena Meadows (Queensland).

TREASURER'S REPORT:

M. Dixon reported that the Bank Account transfer was not  
yet finalised - \$22.10 received from National Working C'tee  
Tasmania for sale of Circles of Prayer, and \$24 from T. Dobber  
for despatch of Minutes.

To cover Winifred Kiek Scholar's return fare which would be  
due in November IT WAS MOVED M. Dixon/F. Morris that authority  
be given to redeem 5000 Government Bonds, \$2000 to be put  
in cheque a/c to cover fares and balance in Investment A/c  
at 11.5%. Carried

MOVED R. Callander/D. Strack that advance of \$10 Petty Cash  
be made to each convener - Carried.

MOVED F. Downes/O. Ackland that payment of \$300.02 U.S. be  
made to Dorothy Wagner for cost of Circles of Prayer and  
shipping cost - Carried.

CONVENERS' REPORTS

Special Days: O. Ackland:

Fellowship Day Order of Service received "Co-workers in  
Christ for Renewal" with attractive graphic for cover.  
MOVED F. Morris/F. Downes that Committee to edit Orders of  
Service be - O. Ackland, E. Alfred and D. Strack. Carried  
Copyright on hymns and poems to be checked, waiting on  
letter from Bible Society re verses from scripture in  
Good News Bible. Hymns over 50 years old not subject to  
copyright.

Theme for Community Day, 1932 - "Women Care, Women Care,  
Women Act."

Women at Work - R. Callander:

Discussion on first edition to go out in October.  
Cost for 500 copies per month to be \$24. Printing to be  
done by Salvation Army.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

1. Members to study National Committee Meeting Minutes  
received today and business arising from these to be  
dealt with next meeting.
2. Invitation to be sent to Asian Church Women's Conference  
to hold 1936 quadrennial Assembly in Adelaide.
3. Greetings to be sent to Catholic Women's League Conference.
4. Letter of thanks to Retiring National Committee.

CLOSURE: The President closed the meeting with prayer and the Grace.

NEXT MEETING: Monday, 12th October, 1931 at 10.30 a.m.

Date:

Confirmed:

National Working Committee

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