

Annual Meeting of N.S.W. Women's
Inter-Church Council, 25 May 1962.

The President, Mrs Hew, was in the chair and opened the meeting with prayer.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and adopted on the motion of Mrs Thode, seconded by Mrs Walker.

The Annual Report read by Mrs Brigadier Baker was adopted on the motion of Mrs Baker seconded by Mrs Stolz.

The Financial Statement read by Mrs Hilley showed a credit balance of £23.16.0; its adoption was moved by Mrs Hilley, seconded by Mrs Hunter.

Mrs Hew thanked Mrs Baker, Mrs Pearson, Mrs Hilley and the executive for their work during the year.

The Hostel Committee report was read by Mrs Miller on behalf of Mrs Knight. Mrs Miller proposed and Miss Eastaway seconded the adoption of the report.

Mrs Miller then presented the balance sheet for the hostel on behalf of Miss Roseby and stated that Miss Roseby

wished to be relieved of the work as Treasurer as she found it difficult to continue. Warm tributes were paid to Miss Roseby; it was hoped that Mr Hall would be able to undertake the work. The Annual Report of the Appeals Committee was presented by Mrs Miller, for Mrs Wyper, and the Financial Statement of that Committee was presented by Mrs Payten. All these reports were accepted; Mrs Hew and Mrs Walker spoke appreciatively of the work of both committees; Mrs Hall spoke especially of Mrs Miller's devoted service.

The election of officers was then held. President Mrs Vero who was warmly welcomed by Mrs Hew.

Immediate Past President. Mrs Hew would hold this office until Mrs Mansfield returned.

Secretary Mrs Brigadier Baker.

Recording Secretary Mrs Pearson.

Treasurer Mrs Hilley

Publicity Officer. Miss Eastaway

Vice Presidents. Mrs Montgomerie, Mrs Farr, Mrs Stolz, Mrs Hall, Mrs Briggs

It was pointed out that Mrs Knight, who did so much for the Hostel, was not a member of the executive. It was the general feeling of the Council that the constitution should provide that the Registrar of the Hostel was a member of the executive. Notice of motion of an amendment to the constitution to that effect was proposed by Miss Eastaway, seconded by Mrs Hunter.

Mrs Hew mentioned that the Executive were of the opinion that the constitution should be revised and reprinted.

The following delegates to affiliated organizations were appointed:

National Council of Women Mrs Lt. Col.

Pack, Mrs Stolz.

W. C. T. U Mrs Clappett, Mrs Lt. Col.

Liddell

Inter Church Aid Mrs Wilson, Mrs ~~Garnett~~.
Yelds.

Good Neighbour Council Mrs Thode,
with Mrs Pearson as alternate.

N. S. W. Council for Children's Films and
Television Mrs Palmer, Mrs Payten

Women's World Day of Prayer Mrs Stolz,

Mrs Pearson, Mrs Dixon, Mrs Greenhalgh,
Mrs Hall.

Mrs Hunter mentioned that she was
very interested and would like to
serve on that committee if there were
a vacancy.

Youth Temperance Mrs Neelsen.

Hostel Committee. President, Secretary
and Treasurer of Inter Church Council
ex officio, also Mrs Stolz, Mrs Greenhalgh,
Mrs Knight, Mrs Hall, Mrs Thode.

With reference to the President Elect
correspondence with the Archbishop
was read. He was not able at present
to make a nomination and suggested
that the matter of an Anglican as
President Elect be deferred till next year.
The Salvation Army should be asked
to make a nomination.

The customary letters of thanks were to be sent:
to British & Foreign Bible Society for use
of room with a donation of £5.5.0.

To the Auditor, to Miss Dougherty,
Matron of the Hostel, and to Mr & Mrs
Knight for help with the Hostel.

The meeting closed with the benediction

Chelmsford 24.5.63.