

THE
ACTS AND PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
OF
The Presbyterian Church in Canada

HAMILTON, ONTARIO, June 4th-9th, 1978



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ERRATA SHEET

Note: Addresses of Ministers on pages 739-762
 (These Errata Sheets are perforated that they may be discarded.)

| No. of Presbytery | Place | Congregation | Name of Minister, Clerk of Session |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|---|---|
| 3 from 1 | Blue Mountain Pastoral Charge | | Lee MacNaughton |
| 3 from 1 | Tatamagouche, N.S. | Sedgewick Memorial | Donald E. MacLeod |
| 7 | Tyne Valley, P.E.I. | | James Wyllie |
| 7 | Brookfield, P.E.I. | | (Mrs.) Susan Triantafillou |
| 7 | Formerly - Alberton, P.E.I. | Retired | Edward S. Hales |
| 7 | Alberton, P.E.I. | | George Beals |
| 8 | Melbourne, Que. | Eglise Presbyte- rienne, St. Paul - Stated Supply | J. Ross H. Davidson |
| 8 | Port Cartier, Que. | Good Shepherd | Fred Howard-Smith |
| 8 from 17 | Sherbrooke, Que. | St. Andrew's | Blake W. Walker |
| 9 | Montreal, Que. | Tyndale-St. George's | R. Drennan |
| 9 | Beaconsfield, Que. | Briarwood | David S. Heath |
| 9 | Pointe Claire, Que. | Appendix to Roll | Daniel Shute |
| 9 | Montreal, Que. | Retired | Paul S. Chan |
| 9 | Montreal, Que. | Appendix to Roll | Hovannes Agnarian |
| 9 from 16 | Montreal, Que. | Principal Presby- terian College | Dr. Wm. Klempa |
| 11 | Vernon, Ont. | Osgoode | Lloyd R. Smith |
| 11 | Ottawa, Ont. | Assistant Minister, St. Andrew's | W. K. Pottinger |
| 11 | Ottawa, Ont. | St. Paul's | J. Desmond McConaghy |
| 11 | Alymer, Ont. | Died June 3, 1978 | A. B. Casselman |
| 14 from 15 | Kingston, Ont. | Strathcona Park | Donald Hanley |
| 15 | Kirkfield, Ont. | St. Andrew's | Nancy L. Cocks |
| 15 | Lakefield, Ont. | St. Andrew's | Carol Johnson |
| 15 | South Monaghan | Centreville | J. Morrison Campbell |
| 16 from 25 | Markham, Ont. | St. Andrew's | Alan B. Embree |
| 16 | Toronto, Ont. | Armour Heights, Clerk of Session | Mr. L. G. Jamieson, 266 Melrose Ave., Toronto, Ont. M5M 1Z3 |
| 16 | Don Mills, Ont. | Gateway, Clerk of Session | Mr. G. W. Montgomery, 6 Eagle Point Rd., Agincourt, Ont. M1W 2X5 |
| 16 | Toronto, Ont. | Glebe | Brian J. Fraser |
| 16 | Don Mills | Gateway | Dr. G. D. Johnston |

| No. of Presbytery | Place | Congregation | Name of Minister, Clerk of Session |
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| 16 | Toronto, Ont. | Glebe, Clerk of Session | Miss Isabel Montgomery, 447 Balliol St., Toronto, Ont. M4S 1E1 |
| 16 from 9 | Milliken, Ont. | Extension Charge | R. W. Johnson |
| 17 from 15 | Toronto, Ont. | York Memorial | W. Newman |
| 17 | Toronto, Ont. | Died April 20, 1978 | D. M. Kerr |
| 17 | Toronto, Ont. | Appendix to Roll | (Mrs.) N. Mae Davidson |
| 18 | Erin, Ont. | Burns | Noble H. Dean |
| 20 | Cochrane, Ont. | Knox | John Blue |
| 22 | Rockwood, Ont. | | Carrie Doehring |
| 23 from 26 | Caledonia, Ont. | | Malcolm E. Muth |
| 23 | Jarvis, Ont. | Knox | Dr. Raymond Hodgson |
| 23 | Hamilton, Ont. | Calvin | S. Duncan Fryfogel |
| 23 | Burlington, Ont. | Brant Hills, Clerk of Session | Donald J. MacDonald 2064-1 Brant St., Burlington, Ont., L7P 3A6 |
| 23 | Hamilton, Ont. | Roxborough Park | George L. Zimmerman |
| 23 | Kirkwall, Ont. | Retired | Wm. Reid |
| 24 | St. Catharines, Ont. | West St. Andrew's | Robert J. Wray |
| 24 | St. Catharines, | Died April 29, 1978 | Hugh J. Scott |
| 25 | Brantford, Ont. | Died July 14, 1978 | Dr. G. Deane Johnston |
| 25 | Delhi, Ont. | Retired | Dr. Leslie Pandy |
| 26 | Belmont, Ont. | Knox | K. Oakes |
| 26 from 40 | London, Ont. | New St. James | Dr. Leslie R. Files |
| 26 | Dorchester, Ont. | Retired | K. F. McKenzie |
| 27 | Blenheim, Ont. | | D. A. Beaton |
| 29 | Molesworth, Ont. | St. Andrew's | Hilbertus Vancook |
| 30 from 34 | Chesley, Ont. | Geneva | Angus Sutherland |
| 30 | Holstein, Ont. | | D. Kettle |
| 30 | Lucknow, Ont. | | W. G. Munshaw |
| 34 | Dauphin, Man. | St. James' | R. J. McMillan |
| 34 | Elphinstone, Man. | | Wm. Morrow |
| 36 | Saskatoon, Sask. | College Park Extension | Frank VanderZwan |
| 37 | Brownvale, Alta. | McQueen | Mr. Thomas Nicholson Lay Missionary |
| 37 | Stella, Ont. | Appendix to Roll | Norman J. Allison |
| 38 | Edmonton, Alta. | Millwoods, Clerk of Session | Mr. P. Dawson, 8507-56th St., Edmonton, Alta. T6B 1H8 |
| 38 | Killam, Alta. | | Donald G. Carson |
| 38 | Edmonton, Alta. | Others on Roll | Geo. A. Johnston |

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| 39 | Red Deer | St. Andrew's | Mark McLennan |
| 40 | Fort Macleod | St. Andrew's | Caroline R. Lockerbie |
| 40 from 16 | Calgary, Alta. | Others on Roll | Dr. J. S. Glen |
| 41 | Kimberley, B.C. | St. Andrew's | Edwin F. Millin, 117 Norton Ave., Kimberley, B.C., V1A 1X8 |
| 43 | Abbotsford, B.C. | Calvin | H. F. Bailey |
| 43 from 40 | Vancouver, B.C. | Fairview | J. W. Mills |
| 43 | Coquitlam, B.C. | | Terrence P. Hibbert |
| 44 | Parksville, B.C. | St. Columba | Tony Boonstra |
| 44 | Sooke, B.C. | Knox, Clerk of Session | Mr. L. J. Simpson, Box 54, Sooke, B.C. V0S 1N0 |

CLERKS OF PRESBYTERY

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| 15 | Presbytery of Lindsay-Peterborough | Rev. S. O. McEntyre 289 North St., Port Perry, Ont. L0B 1N0 |
| 38 | Presbytery of Edmonton | Mr. Ben H. Sutherland 8138-77th Ave., Edmonton, Alta. T6C 0L2 |

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 The Reverend E. A. Thomson, B.A., D.D., *Principal Clerk of Assembly Emeritus*
 The Reverend L. H. Fowler, M.A., B.D., D.D., *Principal Clerk of Assembly Emeritus*
 The Reverend D. C. MacDonald, B.A., D.D., Don Mills, Ont. - *Principal Clerk*
 The Reverend E. H. Bean, B.A., B.Th., B.D., D.D., Sydney, N.S. (*Deputy*)
 The Reverend D.B. Lowry, B.A., B.D., Ph.D., Bolton, Ont. (*Clerks*)

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| Secretary for Mission Education | | Rev. R. M. Ransom |
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| Secretary for Field Operations - Mission Personnel & Leadership Development | | Miss M. E. Whale |
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| | | Rev. John Duncan |
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| | | Mr. H. Livingston |
| | | Rev. J. C. Cooper |
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| Knox College, Board | Mr. F. Arnold Beale | |
| Presbyterian College, Senate | Dr. W. J. Klempa | Dr. W. J. Klempa |
| | | Principal |
| Ewart College | Rev. J. K. English | Dr. M. Webster, Principal |
| St. Andrew's Hall, Vancouver | Rev. J.H.W. Statham | |
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- 1925 Toronto, E. Scott, D.D., Montreal, Que.
- 1926 Montreal, A. J. MacGillivray, D.D., Guelph, Ont.
- 1927 Stratford, W. Leslie Clay, D.D., Victoria, B.C.
- 1928 Regina, John Buchanan, M.D., D.D., Amkhut, India.
- 1929 Ottawa, David Perrie, D.D., Wingham, Ont.
- 1930 Hamilton, Frank Baird, M.A., D.D., LL.D., Pictou, N.S.
- 1931 Toronto, W. G. Brown, M.A., B.D., Saskatoon, Sask.
- 1932 London, R. Johnston, M.A., D.D., Ottawa, Ont.
- 1933 Peterborough, H. R. Grant, D.D., Fort William, Ont.
- 1934 Toronto, J. S. Shortt, M.A., D.D., Barrie, Ont.
- 1935 Montreal, D.T.L. McKerrroll, D.D., Toronto.
- 1936 Hamilton, Malcolm A. Campbell, D.D., Montreal, Que.
- 1937 Ottawa, Hugh Munroe, B.A., D.D., New Glasgow, N.S.
- 1938 Toronto, Donald MacOdrum, B.A., D.D., Brockville, Ont.
- 1939 Midland, Stuart C. Parker, M.A., B.D., D.D., Toronto, Ont.
- 1940 St. Catharines, William Barclay, M.A., B.D., D.D., Hamilton, Ont.
- 1941 Toronto, J. B. Skene, B.A., D.D., Vancouver, B.C.
- 1942 Montreal, N. A. MacLeod, B.D., Ph.D., D.D., Brockville, Ont.
- 1943 Hamilton, H. B. Ketchen, M.A., D.D., Hamilton, Ont.
- 1944 Toronto, A. C. Stewart, M.A., D.D., Midland, Ont.
- 1945 Toronto, J. M. MacGillivray, B.A., D.D., Sarnia, Ont.
- 1946 Toronto, W. Gordon Maclean, M.A., B.D., D.D., Winnipeg, Man.
- 1947 Calgary, Charles H. MacDonald, D.D., Lucknow, Ont.
- 1948 Toronto, C. Ritchie Bell, B.A., B.D., D.D., Outremont, Que.
- 1949 Kitchener, C. L. Cowan, B.A., B.D., D.D., Hamilton, Ont.
- 1950 Outremont, F. Scott Mackenzie, M.A., B.D., S.T.M., Th.D., D.D., D.C.L., Montreal, Que.
- 1951 Ottawa, Norman D. Kennedy, M.C., M.A., D.D., Regina, Sask.
- 1952 Toronto, J. A. MacInnes, B.A., B.D., D.D., Orillia, Ont.
- 1953 Toronto, W. A. Cameron, B.A., D.D., LL.D., Toronto, Ont.
- 1954 Toronto, J.L.W. McLean, M.A., D.D., Victoria, B.C.
- 1955 Toronto, W. T. McCree, M.A., D.D., Toronto, Ont.
- 1956 Toronto, F. G. Stewart, D.D., Kitchener, Ont.
- 1957 Vancouver, A. D. MacKinnon, B.A., D.D., Little Narrows, N.S.
- 1958 Toronto, John McNab, M.A., S.T.M., D.D., Toronto, Ont.
- 1959 Toronto, Alexander Nimmo, D.D., Wingham, Ont.
- 1960 Guelph, Robert Lennox, M.A., Ph.D., D.D., Montreal, Que.
- 1961 Toronto, Robert L. Taylor, B.A., D.D., Medicine Hat, Alta.
- 1962 Toronto, Ross K. Cameron, M.A., D.D., Toronto, Ont.
- 1963 Toronto, Harry Lennox, C.D., B.A., D.D., Vancouver, B.C.
- 1964 Toronto, Hugh MacMillan, M.A., B.D., Ph.D., D.D., Toronto, Ont.
- 1965 Toronto, J. Alan Munro, M.C., B.A., D.D., Toronto, Ont.
- 1966 Toronto, G. Deane Johnston, C.D., M.B.E., M.A., D.D., Brantford, Ont.
- 1967 Ottawa, J. Logan-Vencta, C.D., E.D., O.B.E., M.A., D.D., Ottawa.
- 1968 Toronto, C. J. MacKay, B.A., D.D., Montreal, Que.
- 1969 Toronto, E. H. Johnson, B.Sc., Th.B., LL.D., D.D., Toronto, Ont.
- 1970 Halifax, D. T. Evans, B.A., B.D., D.D., Thornhill, Ont.

MODERATORS OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY SINCE 1925 - continued

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| 1971 Toronto, | Murdo Nicolson, M.A., D.D., Calgary, Alta. |
| 1972 Toronto, | M. V. Putnam, B.A., D.D., Kingston, Ont. |
| 1973 Toronto, | Agnew H. Johnston, M.A., D.D., Thunder Bay, Ont. |
| 1974 Kitchener, | Hugh F. Davidson, M.A., D.D., Don Mills, Ont. |
| 1975 Montreal, | David W. Hay, M.A., D.D., Toronto, Ont. |
| 1976 Arnprior, | A. Lorne Mackay, B.A., B.D., D.D., Hamilton, Ont. |
| 1977 Toronto, | DeC. H. Raynor, C.D., B.A., D.D., Toronto, Ont. |
| 1978 Hamilton, | Jesse C. Bigelow, B.A., B.D., M.Th., D.D., Edmonton, Alta. |

THE ATTENTION OF THE COURTS IS DRAWN TO THE FOLLOWING:

- i. The recommendations of the Boards and Committees as amended by the Assembly, and the various Acts of Assembly. (A complete copy of these is being sent to Clerks of Synods and Presbyteries, and all Courts are requested to respond within the time limit.)
2. Nominations:
 - A. Moderator of the 105th General Assembly, to be received by the Clerks of Assembly by November 30th, 1978.
 - B. The Chair of New Testament, Language and Literature, Knox College, to be forwarded to the Clerks of Assembly by November 30, 1978.
3. Remits under the Barrier Act:
 - A. Recommendation #1 of the Report of Church Doctrine Committee, Pages 220-223, as amended on Page 48.
 - B. Recommendation #2 of Report of Clerks of Assembly, Pages 232 and 50, noting change of Section III to 111.
 - C. Recommendation #4 of the Report of the Clerks of Assembly, Pages 233 and 50.
 - D. Recommendation #10 of the Report of the Clerks of Assembly, Pages 236 and 50.
 - E. Recommendation #36 of the Report of the Administrative Council, Pages 215 and 73.
 - F. Recommendation #3 of the Report of the Church Doctrine Committee as revised on Page 78 of 1978 A. and P., (Pages 226-227).
 - G. Recommendation #20 of the Report of the Board of World Mission, Pages 409 and 81.

For changes in the Book of Forms, see the last page of the Acts and Proceedings, which changes are intended to be attached (pasted) to the 1977 or the 1969 copy of the Book of Forms.

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HELD IN
MACNAB STREET CHURCH, HAMILTON
JUNE 4th, 1978

FIRST SEDERUNT

At the City of Hamilton, and within MacNab Street Church there, Sunday, the fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at eight o'clock in the evening.

Which place and time Ministers and Ruling Elders, Commissioners from the several Presbyteries of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, convened pursuant to appointment of the General Assembly held in the City of Toronto, Ontario, on the fifth day of June last year.

The Rev. DeCourcy H. Rayner, C.D., B.A., D.D., Moderator of the 103rd General Assembly, assisted by the Rev. John Johnston, M.A., Th.M., Ph.D., Mr. Wilfred McLeod, Mr. Frank Milne and Mr. Jalel Daniel, conducted public worship and preached a sermon on the text Romans 10:14-15, entitled "The Christian Imperative". According to appointment, Dr. DeCourcy H. Rayner administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. In this he was assisted by Dr. Johnston, Mr. McLeod and Mr. Daniel. The tables were served by Elders of MacNab Street Church.

Thereafter, with prayer, Dr. Rayner did constitute the General Assembly in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ, the only King and Head of the Church.

ROLL CALL

The names of those commissioned by the several Presbyteries of the Church twenty-one days before the date were presented in a printed list, and the Assembly agreed to accept the same as the Roll of Assembly, subject to correction subsequently to be made when the same is scrutinized.

The Roll finally adopted is as follows:

Ministers

Elders

I.-SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

1.-PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON

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| D. T. Stiel, Grand River, N.S. | Alexander Gillis, Orangedale, N.S. |
| Murdock J. MacRae, Bras d'Or, N.S. | Gordon Reynolds, Marion Bridge, N.S. |

2.-PRESBYTERY OF NEWFOUNDLAND

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| David A. Renwick, Wabush, Nfld. | Thomas Arklie, Grand Falls, Nfld. |
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3.-PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU

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| Paul A. Brown, Scotsburn, N.S. | Charles Wavrock, Oxford, N.S. |
| Dr. Fred Pauley, Pictou, N.S. | Elmer C. Way, Stellarton, N.S. |
| D. Neil McCombie, Stellarton, N.S. | Fulton Clarke, Pictou, N.S. |

4.-PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX & LUNENBURG

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| Dr. A. O. MacLean, Halifax, N.S. | Leo Creaser, Riverport, N.S. |
| J. Pace, Halifax, N.S. | Raymond Pearse, Enfield, N.S. |

5.-PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN

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| Gerald E. Sarcen, Moncton, N.B. | Rainnie Moran, St. George, N.B. |
| M. A. Caldwell, Woodstock, N.B. | Lyman F. D. Purnell, Q.C., Saint John, N.B. |

6.-PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI

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| Evan Bottomley, Newcastle, N.B. | Ingles Dunnett, Newcastle, N.B. |
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7.-PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

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| John R. Cameron, Charlottetown, P.E.I. | Perley Taylor, Charlottetown, P.E.I. |
| John Fortier, Tyne Valley, P.E.I. | Kenneth MacArthur, Tyne Valley, P.E.I. |

II.-SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

8.-PRESBYTERY OF QUEBEC

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| J. Ross H. Davidson, Melbourne, P.Q. | Kelton MacKenzie, Scotstown, P.Q. |
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9.-PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL

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| A. Ross Mackay, St. Laurent, Que. | Jack Bouclair, Mercier, Que. |
| James Armour, Baie d'Urfe, Que. | Ross Common, Baie d'Urfe, Que. |
| D. Linda Corry, Ormstown, Que. | Mrs. J. D. Clark, Lachute, Que. |
| John Herman, Montreal, Que. | Mrs. G. Y. Davidson, Westmount, Que. |
| Arthur Iarrera, Ville d'Anjou, Que. | Mrs. Jean Day, Beaconsfield, Que. |
| Dr. J. C. McLelland, Montreal, Que. | Ron Veniez, Duvernay, Laval, Que. |

10.-PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

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| Dr. Wallace MacKinnon, Ingleside, Ont. | R. Grant MacGillivray, Dalkeith, Ont. |
| John H. Wiseman, Avonmore, Ont. | H. Kendall Kaye, Lancaster, Ont. |

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11.-PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

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| W. K. Palmer, Ottawa, Ont. | Robert J. Wilson, Ottawa, Ont. |
| W. E. Sayers, Aylmer, Que. | I. Pritchard, Ottawa, Ont. |
| Dr. G. E. Dobie, Ottawa, Ont. | Mrs. June Heathcote, Ottawa, Ont. |

12.-PRESBYTERY OF LANARK AND RENFREW

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| Robert Hill, Carleton Place, Ont. | William Gordon, Carleton Place, Ont. |
| F. R. McPhee, Renfrew, Ont. | H. Stinson, Smiths Falls, Ont. |
| L. E. Siverns, Deep River, Ont. | *W. M. Thomson, Pembroke, Ont. |

13.-PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE

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| Fred Reed, Chesterville, Ont. | James Purcell, Spencerville, Ont. |
| Howard Smith, Winchester, Ont. | Bruce Laidlaw, Westport, Ont. |

III.-SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

14.-PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON

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| R. C. Jones, Picton, Ont. | Oran Greatrix, Picton, Ont. |
| John W. Bell, Amherstview, Ont. | E. Blackwood, Amherstview, Ont. |

15.-PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY-PETERBOROUGH

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| Stephen Hayes, Cobourg, Ont. | Rodney Haynes, Leaskdale, Ont. |
| Stuart McEntyre, Port Perry, Ont. | Glenn Hay, Campbellford, Ont. |
| Gordon Timbers, Sutton West, Ont. | Dr. M. Dymond, Port Perry, Ont. |
| Winston Newman, Leaskdale, Ont. | John McIsaac, Bobcaygeon, Ont. |

16.-PRESBYTERY OF EAST TORONTO

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| Dr. DeC. H. Rayner, Toronto, Ont. | J. B. Jenkinson, Toronto, Ont. |
| F. Conkey, Pickering, Ont. | J. C. Walker, Toronto, Ont. |
| Evelyn Carpenter, Toronto, Ont. | R. I. Shaw, Oshawa, Ont. |
| Dr. K. G. McMillan, Toronto, Ont. | Dr. J. S. Moir, Markham, Ont. |
| R. M. Ransom, Don Mills, Ont. | A. R. Johnson, Mississauga, Ont. |
| Dr. D.G.M. Herron, Toronto, Ont. | W. Adair, Oshawa, Ont. |
| W.J.S. McClure, Whitby, Ont. | B. Davidson, Stouffville, Ont. |
| Dr. J. C. Robson, Toronto, Ont. | Mrs. Nora Gorham, Toronto, Ont. |
| Dr. E. S. Mackay, Toronto, Ont. | Miss Giollo Kelly, Don Mills, Ont. |
| C. R. Talbot, Don Mills, Ont. | Miss Mary Whale, Don Mills, Ont. |
| Wm. Manson, Scarborough, Ont. | Miss Ina Hill, Don Mills, Ont. |
| Keith E. Boyer, Scarborough, Ont. | Mrs. W. H. Henry, Willowdale, Ont. |
| J. L. Self, Toronto, Ont. | R. R. Merifield, Q.C., Toronto, Ont. |
| Dr. W. J. Klempa, Toronto, Ont. | Dr. B. H. McNeel, Scarborough, Ont. |

17.-PRESBYTERY OF WEST TORONTO

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| A. M. McCombie, Islington, Ont. | R. J. Morse, Toronto, Ont. |
| V. W. Raison, Rexdale, Ont. | G.E.H. King, Rexdale, Ont. |
| E. Seress, Toronto, Ont. | J. Stevenson, Toronto, Ont. |
| H. M. Park, Agincourt, Ont. | *W. Y. Bai, Mimico, Ont. |
| E. O'Neill, Toronto, Ont. | D. D. Anderson, Islington, Ont. |
| Dr. R. K. Cameron, Toronto, Ont. | J. P. Hong, Agincourt, Ont. |
| Dr. J. K. Lattimore, Toronto, Ont. | Arthur Gray, Toronto, Ont. |

18.-PRESBYTERY OF BRAMPTON

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| K. E. King, Mississauga, Ont. | Ivan Death, Dixie, Ont. |
| W. A. Young, Orangeville, Ont. | Stanley J. Wilson, Milton, Ont. |
| W. R. Lewis, Milton, Ont. | Harry Boyce, Caledon East, Ont. |
| T. J. Lewis, Milton, Ont. | Alex T. Moore, Campbellville, Ont. |
| R. C. Taylor, Oakville, Ont. | Fred McLaren, Erin, Ont. |

19.-PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE

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| Robert Little, Midland, Ont. | Brent Whetham, Orillia, Ont. |
| M. D. Summers, Barrie, Ont. | William Bates, Mansfield, Ont. |
| W.G.S. McDonald, Elmvale, Ont. | Keith Elliott, Bradford, Ont. |
| C. H. Carter, Victoria Harbour, Ont. | Miss Tillie Jestin, Torrance, Ont. |

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20.-PRESBYTERY OF TEMISKAMING

Morley Mitchell, New Liskeard, Ont. Stanley Maddock, New Liskeard, Ont.

21.-PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA AND NORTH BAY

Tijis Theijsmeijer, Burke's Falls, Ont. Art White, Sundridge, Ont.
Roy Taylor, Sudbury, Ont. Ken MacRae, Sudbury, Ont.

22.-PRESBYTERY OF WATERLOO-WELLINGTON

Gordon Griggs, Cambridge, Ont. Dr. W. L. Shantz, Waterloo, Ont.
R.R. Whitehead, Elora, Ont. Ian Beacock, Cambridge, Ont.
K. J. Wilson, Guelph, Ont. Gordon Klager, Cambridge, Ont.
A. M. Beaton, Cambridge, Ont. Emerson Fogal, Elmira, Ont.
William Nicholson, Cambridge, Ont. Manley Yearwood, Kitchener, Ont.

IV.-SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

23.-PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON

Dr. J. A. Johnston, Hamilton, Ont. W. E. Laing, Ancaster, Ont.
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T. M. Bailey, Hamilton, Ont. Dr. W. F. Mackenzie, Grimsby, Ont.
C. M. Shaver, Burlington, Ont. N. A. MacKay, Burlington, Ont.
G. L. Fish, Burlington, Ont. J. Munro, Hamilton, Ont.
Dr. L. J. Shein, Ancaster, Ont. A. Beck, Hamilton, Ont.

24.-PRESBYTERY OF NIAGARA

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J. R. Esler, Port Colborne, Ont. G. C. Vanviegen, Port Colborne, Ont.
M. S. Jess, Welland, Ont. Mrs. Margaret Cairns, St. Catharines, Ont.
R. A. Sinclair, Fenwick, Ont. John McLeish, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.

25.-PRESBYTERY OF PARIS

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W. A. Henderson, Woodstock, Ont. Mrs. Eleanor Ellis, Brantford, Ont.
A.C.G. Muir, Embro, Ont. Mr. Malcolm MacAlpine, Brantford, Ont.

26.-PRESBYTERY OF LONDON

Alex J. Simpson, Ailsa Craig, Ont. Mrs. Eleanor Wilson, London, Ont.
J. J. Jennings, London, Ont. Mrs. Freda MacDonald, London, Ont.
D.E.W. Lennox, Glencoe, Ont. Douglas Hunt, Dorchester, Ont.
H. M. Creaser, St. Thomas, Ont. J. Bethel Frank, Komoka, Ont.

27.-PRESBYTERY OF CHATHAM

Dr. D. Chan, Windsor, Ont. William Hudson, Ridgetown, Ont.
C. C. Pettigrew, Windsor, Ont. H. Smith, Chatham, Ont.
B. G. Headley, Windsor, Ont.

28.-PRESBYTERY OF SARNIA

Dr. A. Brown, Strathroy, Ont. A. Christensen, Sarnia, Ont.
J. W. Cruickshank, Corunna, Ont. J. Chappell, Sarnia, Ont.

29.-PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD-HURON

E. G. Nelson, St. Pauls, Ont. Edwin Patterson, St. Marys, Ont.
W. J. Murray, Mitchell, Ont. Mrs. Reta Bell, Shakespeare, Ont.

30.-PRESBYTERY OF BRUCE-MAITLAND

Dr. R. D. MacDonald, Port Elgin, Ont. Mrs. Mae Moyer, Owen Sound, Ont.
P. D. Mellegers, Paisley, Ont. Robert Crerar, Chesley, Ont.
M. Tubb, Durham, Ont. Andrew MacTavish, Walkerton, Ont.

V.-SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

31.-PRESBYTERY OF SUPERIOR

Hank Ruiter, Thunder Bay, Ont. *Harcourt T. Johnston, Thunder Bay, Ont.

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32.-PRESBYTERY OF LAKE OF THE WOODS

I. L. Jackson, Atikokan, Ont. S. T. Robinson, Kenora, Ont.

33.-PRESBYTERY OF WINNIPEG

Dr. B. A. Miles, Winnipeg, Man. *Gregory Sinclair, Winnipeg, Man.
N.W.B. Phills, Winnipeg, Man. Jake Slyker, Selkirk, Man.

34.-PRESBYTERY OF BRANDON

H. L. Henderson, Portage la Prairie, Man. H. Currie, Portage la Prairie, Man.
A. Sutherland, Dauphin, Man. Mrs. E. Forfar, Dauphin, Man.

VI.-SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

35.-PRESBYTERY OF ASSINIBOIA

Walter Donovan, Kipling, Sask. William McNichol, Estevan, Sask.
Lloyd Fournay, Moose Jaw, Sask. J. Doka, Kipling, Sask.

36.-PRESBYTERY OF NORTHERN SASKATCHEWAN

A. D. McGillivray, Prince Albert, Sask. D. S. Robin, North Battleford, Sask.
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VII.-SYNOD OF ALBERTA

37.-PRESBYTERY OF PEACE RIVER

Brian P. Penny, Dawson, Creek, B.C. Max Neave, Whitehorse, Y.T.

38.-PRESBYTERY OF EDMONTON

Ian P. MacSween, Edmonton, Alta. J. Craig Lawson, Killam, Alta.
Dr. Jesse E. Bigelow, Edmonton, Alta. Miss Margaret Lammie, Edmonton, Alta.

39.-PRESBYTERY OF RED DEER

Gordon Cunningham, Rocky Mountain House, Alta. Ed Moorehead, Red Deer, Alta.

40.-PRESBYTERY OF CALGARY-MACLEOD

L. D. Hankinson, Lethbridge, Alta. J. Chabay, Coaldale, Alta.
J. K. West, Medicine Hat, Alta. R. McFadyen, Calgary, Alta.
S. J. Stewart, Calgary, Alta. Glen McKenzie, Banff, Alta.

VIII.-SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

41.-PRESBYTERY OF KOOTENAY

C. Smyth, Trail, B.C. A. Codling, Creston, B.C.

42.-PRESBYTERY OF KAMLOOPS

Dr. A. Gordon Faraday, Penticton, B.C. Mrs. Helen Edgar, Kamloops, B.C.
R. G. Krepps, Salmon Arm, B.C. James Hanna, Salmon Arm, B.C.

43.-PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER

R. Allison, North Vancouver, B.C. Mrs. M. Hepburn, Chilliwack, B.C.
K. C. Doka, White Rock, B.C. Miss J. Rodger, New Westminster, B.C.
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44.-PRESBYTERY OF VANCOUVER ISLAND

B. J. Molloy, Victoria, B.C. Mrs. Amy Chwojka, Sooke, B.C.
A. V. Bentum, Cowichan Station, B.C. Mrs. W. J. Hogg, Victoria, B.C.

(Those marked with an asterisk were not present.)

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ELECTION OF MODERATOR

Dr. Rayner called upon the Assembly to choose a Moderator to preside over its deliberations.

On behalf of the Committee to Advise with the Moderator and in accordance with the method determined by the Ninety-Fifth General Assembly (See A. & P. 1969, pp. 34, 355-6, 362), Dr. J. K. Lattimore placed in nomination the name of the Reverend J. E. Bigelow, B.A., B.D., S.T.M., D.D. No further nominations being offered, Mr. H. L. Henderson moved, duly seconded by Dr. J. C. McLelland, and it was agreed that nominations be closed. On further motion of Dr. J. K. Lattimore, duly seconded by Mr. H. L. Henderson, it was agreed that Dr. J. E. Bigelow be declared elected Moderator of the Assembly.

DR. PETER BRODIE WELCOMED

Dr. Rayner welcomed Dr. Peter Brodie, Moderator of the Church of Scotland, this being the first time a Moderator of the Church of Scotland attended our Assembly during his term of office.

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DR. RAYNER EXPRESSES THANKS

Dr. Rayner expressed appreciation for all the kindness shown him during his travels through the Church and the assistance afforded to him by members of the staff in the Church Offices. He also expressed thanks for the opportunity of being presented to the Queen representing our Church and for the opportunity to visit Guyana where he served as a Missionary. The highlight was the visit to the Presbyterian Church of the New Hebrides and the continuing Presbyterian Church of Australia. He also attended the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

INSTALLATION OF MODERATOR

Dr. Jesse E. Bigelow, having been conducted to the Chair by Dr. D. C. MacDonald, was welcomed by Dr. Rayner.

Whereupon Dr. Rayner did by prayer call upon God to bless the newly elected Moderator and confer upon him strength and wisdom that he might discharge the duties of his office. He then did install him in the Moderator's Chair.

THANKS TO DR. RAYNER

Mr. Lyman Purnell, Q.C. moved a sincere and hearty vote of commendation to Dr. DeCourcy Rayner for his service to the Church, and for the sermon with which he had opened the Assembly. The motion was duly seconded and carried unanimously. The Moderator conveyed this commendation to Dr. Rayner and Mrs. Rayner.

THANKS OF MODERATOR

The newly-elected Moderator thanked the Assembly for the trust it had conferred upon him and called upon the commissioners for their support in the business of the Court and for their prayers.

SYNOD RECORDS

The Clerks called for the records of the several Synods that they might be placed in the hands of such committees as may be appointed to examine them.

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REV. ARCHIBALD CASSELMAN

Dr. Donald MacDonald advised the court of the passing on June 3 of the Rev. Archibald Casselman of Aylmer East, Quebec. After a period of silence, the Moderator led the Assembly in commemorative prayer.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, Convener. On motion of Mr. A. D. McGillivray, duly seconded, the report was received and considered seriatim.

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To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Committee on Business recommends as follows:

1. That with a view to having the attendance recorded, each Commissioner be requested to write on a card, which has been provided for the purpose, his/her name, home address, the Presbytery which he/she represents, and other relevant matters, and to hand it in at the Registration Desk.
2. That the Sederunts of the Assembly be on Monday evening from 7:30 to 10 o'clock at MacNab Street Presbyterian Church; on Tuesday evening from 7:30 to 10 o'clock at Knox Church, Dundas; on Wednesday morning from 9:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. at MacNab Street Presbyterian Church; and at the same place from 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. in the afternoon; on Thursday morning from 9:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M., and 2 P.M. to 5 P.M. at MacNab Street Presbyterian Church; and from 7:30 P.M. to 10 P.M. at Knox Church, Burlington; on Friday, from 9:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. at MacNab Street Presbyterian Church, and, as may be necessary, from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M., and from 7 P.M. to 10 P.M. at the same place, and that from 8:30 to 9:30 A.M. on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday a Service of Worship be held.
3. That the Committee on Bills and Overtures be constituted as follows: Clerks of Assembly, Clerks of Synods and Presbyteries who are Commissioners; and the following: Mr. C. H. Carter, Convener; Mr. D. N. McCombie, Mr. I. P. MacSween, ministers; Mr. A. Gillis, Mr. W. M. Thomson, and Mrs. Reta Bell, elders.
4. That the Committee on Business be constituted as follows: Mr. D. Herbison, Convener; Mr. E. Bottomley, Mr. J. K. West, ministers; Mr. K. Elliott, Mr. S. T. Robinson and Mr. R. Mercer, elders.
5. That the Committee on Roll and Leave to Withdraw be constituted as follows: Dr. A. O. MacLean, Convener; Mr. R. Hill, Mr. R. Taylor, Mr. A. J. Simpson, ministers; Mr. R. Beaton and Mrs. Nora Gorham, elders.
6. That the Committee on Loyal Addresses be constituted as follows: Dr. G. E. Dobie, Convener; Mr. G. Timbers, Mr. K. C. Doka, ministers; Mr. J. Doka and Mr. R. Common, elders.
7. That the Committee on Courtesies be constituted as follows: Dr. J. K. Lattimore, Convener; Mr. H. M. Creaser, ministers; and Mr. Fulton Clarke, Mrs. Elizabeth Snyder and Mr. Glen McKenzie, elders.
8. That the Committee to Confer with the Moderator be constituted as follows: Dr. A. Gordon Faraday, Convener; Dr. DeC. H. Rayner, Mr. G. E. Sarcen and Mr. M. Mitchell, ministers; Mrs. Eleanor Wilson and Mr. H. Currie, elders.
9. That the Committee on Remits be constituted as follows: Mr. R. A. Sinclair, Convener; and Mr. A. Ross MacKay, ministers; Mrs. Mae Moyer, and Mr. Gregory Sinclair, elders.
10. That as nominated by the Synods the Committee to Nominate Standing Committees be constituted as follows: Mr. William R. Russell, Convener; Mr. L. M. Clifton, Secretary; Mr. Murdock MacRae, Mr. J.R.H. Davidson, Mr. S. McEntyre, Mr. Robert C. Jones, Mr. Charles Shaver, Mr. H. Lloyd Henderson, ministers; Mr.

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Charles Wavrock, Mr. Gordon Klager, Mr. J. Bethel Frank, Mr. R. Mercer and Mr. Kelton MacKenzie, elders.

11. That the Committee to Examine the Records of the 103rd General Assembly (1977), and the Synods of the Church be as follows (The first named to be the Convener thereof with instructions to report as soon as possible):

The 103rd General Assembly: Dr. B. A. Miles, Mr. W. A. Young, ministers; and Mrs. Jean Day, elder.

The Synod of the Atlantic Provinces: Mr. W. Donovan, Mr. H. Reichelt, ministers; and Mr. William McNichol, elder.

The Synod of Quebec and Eastern Ontario: Mr. Brian P. Penny, Mr. George L. MacDonald, ministers; Mr. J. Chabay, elder.

The Synod of Toronto and Kingston: Mr. G. Philps, Mr. C. Smyth, ministers; and Mrs. Helen Edgar, elder.

The Synod of Hamilton and London: Mr. M. A. Caldwell, Mr. John Fortier, ministers; and Mr. I. Dunnett, elders.

The Synod of Manitoba and North Western Ontario: Mr. W. K. Palmer, Mr. John Herman, ministers; and Mr. Kelton MacKenzie, elder.

The Synod of Saskatchewan: Mr. S. Hayes, Mr. W.J.S. McClure, ministers; and Miss Tillie Jestin, elder.

12. That the Board of Education be granted leave to sit during the Sederunts.

13. That the Committee to Nominate Standing Committees be granted leave to sit during the Sederunts.

14. That the official photograph of this Assembly be taken on Monday, June 5th, at 12 o'clock.

Each of the recommendations as presented was adopted on motion of Mr. A. D. McGillivray, duly seconded, and it was further agreed that the Committee would bring in an additional report naming committees to examine the records of Alberta and British Columbia.

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REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of Education, which was presented by the Chairman, Dr. James Ferguson.

On motion of Dr. J. K. Lattimore, seconded by Mr. W. A. Henderson, the report was received, taken as read, spread on the Minutes, and the Committee on Business was instructed to find a place for consideration of it on the docket of a future sederunt. The report is as follows:

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Board of Education begs to submit the following report:

I. SPECIAL COURSES

Guide Lines for the Board of Education (1977)

1. No application for a Special General Assembly course may be recommended unless the applicant has attained the age of 35 years and not

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attained the age of 60 years as of June 1st of the year in which the application is to be considered.

2. Requirements for special General Assembly programmes shall be:

(a) Age 35-40

10 courses in Arts, three years intramural study in Theology. One Biblical language may be assigned if it is thought useful.

(b) Age 41-59

5 courses in Arts, three years intramural study in Theology with exemption from the Biblical language requirement.

Reported for information.

- a) Applications already considered by previous General Assemblies:

1. *Dorothy Bulmer*. Presbytery of Lindsay-Peterborough. Miss Bulmer has satisfactorily completed the first year of the two year course assigned her by the General Assembly. Reported for information.

2. *John Morrison Campbell*. Presbytery of East Toronto. Mr. Morrison has satisfactorily completed the three year course assigned him by the General Assembly, and received the Certificate of Knox College on May 2nd. It is recommended that permission be granted to take him on trials for licence.

3. *Donald Garth Carson*. Presbytery of Ottawa. Mr. Carson has satisfactorily completed the Professional or In-Ministry Year of Presbyterian College and has received the Certificate of the College. It is recommended that permission be granted to take him on trials for licence.

4. *Mike Chawrun*. Presbytery of Algoma and North Bay. Request permission to meet with commissioners from the Presbytery.

5. *David Angus Dewar*. Presbytery of St. John. Mr. Dewar has completed, with the exception of two half courses, the first year of the three year intramural course in Theology assigned by the General Assembly. In view of further information it is recommended that a Biblical language be not required.

6. *Jean Ford*. Presbytery of Montreal. With the exception of two summer courses, Miss Ford has satisfactorily completed the first year of a two year intramural course in Theology assigned by the General Assembly. Reported for information.

7. *Shirley Jean Herman*. Presbytery of Montreal. Mrs. Herman is pursuing a programme beyond General Assembly's assignment of four subjects in Arts and three years intramurally in Theology. Reported for information.

8. *Ian Kenneth Johnston*. Presbytery of Stratford-Huron. Mr. Johnston has satisfactorily completed 5½ of the "six additional Arts courses" assigned by the General Assembly. Reported for information.

9. *James Beverley Kay*. Presbytery of Kamloops and Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland. Mr. Kay was taken on trials for license and ordained by the

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- Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland on June 19, 1977. Reported for information.
10. *Robert Noel Kinnon*. Presbytery of Niagara. Except for the completion of the Biblical language credit, Mr. Kinnon has satisfactorily completed the first year of the three year course assigned by the General Assembly. In view of further information it is recommended that a Biblical language be not required.
 11. *Arthur Clarence Leeder*. Presbytery of Superior. Mr. Leeder has completed 9½ courses of the usual 14 required of Assembly students in second year at Knox College. Will take four years to complete all requirements. Reported for information.
 12. *William Lennips*. Presbytery of Barrie. Mr. Lennips has satisfactorily completed the first year of the three year course assigned him by the General Assembly. Reported for information.
 13. *Raymond Ernest Pearse*. Presbytery of Halifax and Lunenburg. It is noted that he plans to commence the assigned course during 1978.
 14. *Robert Alexander Syme*. Presbytery of Montreal. Mr. Syme was taken on trials for license and ordained by the Presbytery of Montreal on September 25, 1977. Reported for information.
 15. *Sheina Smith*. Presbytery of Montreal. Miss Smith was taken on trials for license and ordained by the Presbytery of Montreal, on August 2, 1977. Reported for information.
 16. *Charlotte MacPherson Stuart*. Presbytery of East Toronto. Miss Stuart has satisfactorily completed 8½ subjects in Theology at the second and third year level. In light of further information it is recommended that the candidate be considered to have completed the equivalent of the required courses in Arts and two years in Theology, and that she be required to take one further year in Theology under the direction of the Senate of one of our Colleges.
 17. *Kees Vandermeij*. Presbytery of East Toronto. Request permission to meet with commissioners from the Presbytery.
 18. *David Allan Young*. Presbytery of Montreal. Mr. Young has completed the second of the assigned three year courses in Theology. Reported for information.
 19. *Mary Anne Yee*. Presbytery of Brockville. Miss Yee is pursuing a course beyond the General Assembly's requirement of 8 courses in Arts and the regular 3 year course in Theology intramurally. Reported for information.
 20. *Douglas Henry*. Presbytery of Brockville. Mr. Henry has completed 3 of the 4 Arts subjects assigned by the General Assembly and 8 courses in Theology. Reported for information.

b) New Applications

1. *Gordon Hubert Fresque*. Presbytery of Kingston. It is recommended that he be required to take the three year course with exemption in Biblical languages under the direction of the Senate of one of our Colleges, and that he be encouraged to qualify for a theological degree.
2. *Thomas C. Brownlee*. Presbytery of Ottawa. It is recommended that the Presbytery advise him to take the full regular course leading to degrees in Arts and Theology under the direction of the Senate of one of our Colleges.

II. APPLICATIONS FOR RECEPTIONS OF MINISTERS AND LICENTIATES AND FOR PERMISSION TO TAKE ON TRIALS FOR LICENSE.

Note:

1. All recommendations are made in terms of the ruling of the General Assembly that (A. & P. 1957, p. 18): "All ministers from other denominations and Presbyterian Churches outside of Canada who desire to be received into the ministry of our Church, shall be required by the Presbyteries in which they may labour to pass satisfactorily an examination on the History of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and on the Rules and Forms of Procedure: the examination to be taken any time between the time of application for reception and the time the applicant is received; the results of such examination to be sent to the Board of Education, who in turn shall advise the Clerk of the General Assembly that all requirements have been met. The Clerk of the Assembly may then inform the Presbytery concerned that it may proceed to license or ordain or induct as the case may be.
 2. Attention is drawn to the Book of Forms, Section 248, subsection XI.
 3. The Board of Education calls attention of Presbyteries to the Book of Forms 248, subsection VII and VIII and asks that Presbyteries emphasize the matters therein and especially the interrogation of applicants.
- a) Applications - to take on trials for license already considered by previous General Assemblies.
1. *Harry F. Bailey*, B.A., M.Div. Presbytery of Kootenay. Having fulfilled all requirements laid down by the 103rd General Assembly, Mr. Bailey was taken on trials for license and ordained by the Presbytery of Westminster. Reported for information.
 2. *Alexander M. Deans*. Presbytery of West Toronto. Pursuant to action by the 103rd General Assembly, Mr. Deans was taken on trials for license and ordained by the Presbytery of West Toronto, on June 19, 1977. Reported for information.
 3. *Stephen Chas. Farris*, B.A., D.Min. Presbytery of East Toronto. Request permission to meet with commissioners from the Presbytery.

4. *Melvin G. Fawcett*, B.A., Dip. in Theology. Presbytery of St. John. Mr. Fawcett has completed four full courses and two half courses and will enter the B.Th. 3 in September 1978. Reported for information.
 5. *Willem Henrik Joubert*, M.A., B.D. It is recommended that upon acceptance of an appointment by the Board of World Mission, permission be granted to take him on trials for licence, (or to receive him as a licentiate), subject to the usual stipulations.
 6. *Ellen T. Lemen*, B.A., M.A. Presbytery of West Toronto. Mrs. Lemen took two full years of theology at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary which issued in the M.A. degree in religious studies. It is recommended that she be required to take one further year of study under the direction of the Senate of one of our Colleges, upon the successful completion of which permission be given to take her on trials for licence, subject to the usual stipulations.
 7. *David Alistair Renwick*, B.Sc., M.Div. Presbytery of Cape Breton. Mr. Renwick was taken on trials for license and ordained by the Presbytery of Newfoundland, on September 8, 1977. Reported for information.
 8. *David Keswick Sutherland*, B.Comm. M.Div. Presbytery of Cape Breton. Mr. Sutherland was taken on trials for license and ordained by the Presbytery of Cape Breton. Reported for information.
- b) Applications - to be received as a Licentiate considered by previous General Assemblies.
1. *David Sidney Heath*, B.A., M.A., Presbytery of Montreal. Mr. Heath has satisfactorily completed the course of studies prescribed by the General Assembly. It is recommended that permission be granted to take him on trials for license, subject to the usual stipulations.
 2. *Gordon Reid*, B.Sc., M. Div., B.Ed. Presbytery of P.E.I. Mr. Reid was received as a licentiate and ordained by the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island, on August 2, 1977. Reported for information.
 3. *Michael Chang-Te Tai*, M.A., B.D. Presbytery of Montreal. Mr. Tai was received as a licentiate and ordained by the Presbytery of Assiniboia, on July 14th, 1977. Reported for information.
 4. *Gordon S. Ivey*, B.A., M.A., M.Th. Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington. Request permission to confer with commissioners from the Presbytery.
 5. *Neal Mathers*, B.A., B.D. Mr. Mathers was licensed by the Presbytery of Paisley, Scotland, in June 1977, and ordained by the Presbytery of Northern Saskatchewan, on August 4, 1977. Reported for information.
- c) Applications - to be received as a Minister considered by previous General Assemblies.
1. *Rev. Henry Gregory Adams*. Presbytery of East Toronto. Request permission to confer with Commissioners from the Presbytery.

2. *Rev. Byoung Ahn*. B. of Law. Presbytery of East Toronto. Mr. Ahn has requested that his application be withdrawn. Reported for information.
 3. *Rev. Linda Jean Bell*, B.A., M.Div. Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew. Permission being granted by the 103rd General Assembly, Miss Bell was received as a minister of our Church by the Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew, on July 31, 1977. Reported for information.
 4. *Rev. Francis Bennett*. Presbytery of Stratford-Huron. Mr. Bennett has returned to Ireland. It is recommended that this case be dropped.
 5. *Rev. Gary Donald Bouma*, M.A., Ph.D. Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg. Request permission to confer with Commissioners from the Presbytery.
 6. *Rev. Stephen Yeong-Shy Chen*, B.Th., M.Div. Presbytery of East Toronto. Permission being granted by the 103rd General Assembly, Mr. Chen was received as a minister of our Church by the Presbytery of East Toronto. Reported for information.
 7. *Rev. David Marshall*, M.A., B.D. Presbytery of Hamilton. Permission being granted by the 103rd General Assembly, Mr. Marshall was received as a minister of our Church by the Presbytery of Hamilton, on September 15, 1977. Reported for information.
 8. *Rev. Joseph Wm. Reed*, B.A., M.Div. Presbytery of Montreal. Permission being granted by the 103rd General Assembly, Mr. Reed was received as a minister of our Church by the Presbytery of Montreal. Reported for information.
 9. *Rev. In Whan Rheem*. B. of Pol. Sc. Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington. It is recommended at the suggestion of the Presbytery that this case be dropped.
 10. *Rev. Douglas Waugh*, B.A. (Ordained by the Presbyterian Church in Southern Africa). Permission being granted by the 103rd General Assembly, Mr. Waugh was received by the Committee on Reception as a minister of our Church. Reported for information.
 11. *Rev. Ernest Zugor*, B.Th. Presbytery of Chatham. Request permission to consult with Commissioners from the Presbytery.
 12. *Rev. J. C. Rufenacht*. Presbytery of Montreal. Request permission to consult with Commissioners from the Presbytery.
- d) New Applications - to be taken on trials for license.
1. *Thomas John Kay*, B.D. (Scotland) It is recommended that he be required to take two years in Arts under the direction of the Senate of one of our Colleges, upon the successful completion of which permission be granted to take him on trials for licence subject to the usual stipulations, and that he be encouraged to proceed toward a degree in Arts.
 2. *Edward F. Millin*, B.A., M.Div. Presbytery of Vancouver Island. That upon accepting an appointment under the Board of World Mission, permission

be granted to take him on trials for licence, subject to the usual stipulations.

3. *Susan M. Triantafillou*, B.A. Presbytery of Assiniboia. In the light of her qualifications and her acceptance of an appointment by the Board of World Mission, that permission be granted to take her on trials for licence, subject to the usual stipulations.

e) New Applications - to be received as a Licentiate.

1. *Joseph Vasarhelyi*. Presbytery of West Toronto. It is recommended that he be required to take one year's work under the direction of the Senate of one of our Colleges, with at least one course in Oral English, upon the successful completion of which, and his acceptance of an appointment under the Board of World Mission, permission be granted to take him on trials for licence, subject to the usual stipulations.

f) New Applications - to be received as a Minister.

1. *Mardiros M. Aylenjian*. Presbytery of Quebec. Since complete documentation is not available at this time it is recommended that the matter be referred back to the Presbytery of Quebec, and permission is requested to meet with Commissioners from the Presbytery.
2. *Rev. George Robert Bell*. Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington. It is recommended that permission be granted to receive him as a minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.
3. *Rev. Wayne L. Chatterton*. Presbytery of Lindsay-Peterborough. It is recommended that, subject to communication with the appropriate authorities of the Anglican Church and circularization of the Presbyteries, permission be given to receive him as a minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, subject also to the usual stipulations.
4. *Rev. Sung Jae Lee*. Presbytery of Westminster. It is recommended that upon completion of a course in Church History permission be granted to receive him as a minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, subject to the usual stipulations, and that he be encouraged to continue studies in Oral English.
5. *Rev. Elisabeth Nitsch*. Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod. It is recommended that upon acceptance of an appointment by the Board of World Mission permission be granted to receive her as a minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, with the usual stipulations.
6. *Rev. Dennis Mackintosh Oliver*. Presbytery of Assiniboia. It is recommended that this application be referred back to the Presbytery of Assiniboia for further consultation with the candidate, with particular attention to the doctrine of baptism, and report to the Board of Education in 1979.
7. *Rev. Martin C. C. Wang*. That upon acceptance of a Call from a congregation, or an appointment from the Board of World Mission, permission be

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granted to receive him as a minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, subject to the usual stipulations.

III. WILLIAM E. ARCHIBALD TRUST

Agreed that the William E. Archibald Trust bursary be awarded this year to two students from The Presbyterian College, Montreal, in the amount of \$75.00 each, namely:

Mrs. Shirley Jean Herman
 Miss Mary Anne Yee

Reported for information.

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

1. Requirements for Applications.

It was agreed to recommend to the General Assembly that Presbyteries be forbidden to submit applications simpliciter for special courses, or for the reception of ministers or licentiates, and that any request for "permission to receive" be accompanied by the formal application from the candidate, an extract minute indicating the action taken by the Presbytery, information justifying the request and proof that the Presbyteries were being circularized as required.

2. Regarding pre-arrangements.

That Presbyteries be advised that pre-arrangements whereby a candidate is to all intents and purposes installed in a charge before being properly received, will not be countenanced.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. James Ferguson
 Chairman

Rev. Alex. F. MacSween
 Secretary

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SUPPLEMENTARY REPORTS

On motion of Dr. J. C. McLelland, duly seconded, it was agreed that the following supplementary reports be received and circulated:

1. Administrative Council
2. Senate of Presbyterian College, Montreal
3. Knox College Board
4. Presbyterian Record

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PERMISSION TO DISTRIBUTE

On motion of Mr. W. A. Donovan, duly seconded, permission was granted to distribute the following reports.

1. Second Century Advance for Christ
2. Evaluation forms from Committee on Business
3. Docket of Business and Roll of Assembly
4. Provisional Agenda

COMMITTEE TO NOMINATE

The report of the Committee to Nominate was presented by Mr. W. R. Russell.

On motion of Mr. S. O. McEntyre, seconded by Mr. Mercer, the report of the Committee to Nominate, as printed, was received and ordered to be distributed for consideration at a later sederunt.

Mr. McEntyre moved, seconded by Mr. Mercer, that any proposed changes to the Committee's report be given to either the Chairman or the Secretary of the Committee to Nominate, in writing, over the signature of any commissioner, within twenty-four hours, indicating the name of the person his/her nominee is placing; and that, when the Committee has studied the nomination, its report completes the Committee's consideration. Mr. H. L. Henderson moved in amendment, duly seconded, that twenty-four hours be changed to read forty-eight hours. Dr. W. J. Klempa moved, duly seconded, in amendment to the amendment that "within twenty-four hours" be changed to read "by nine a.m. Tuesday".

The amendment to the amendment prevailed in the voting and the original motion with the change "by nine a.m. Tuesday" was adopted.

On motion of Mr. S. O. McEntyre, seconded by Mr. Mercer, it was agreed that the nominations of the commissioners previously made, but not recommended by the Committee to Nominate, may be introduced as amendments on the floor of Assembly, by motion duly made and seconded. (Continued on page 53)

YOUNG ADULT OBSERVERS

Dr. D. C. MacDonald called forward and then presented the Young Adult Observers to the 104th General Assembly.

The Moderator welcomed the Young Adult Observers to the Assembly.

THANKS TO MACNAB STREET CHURCH

The Moderator expressed the thanks of the Assembly to the Minister, Session, Choir and Members of MacNab Street Church for their warm welcome and hospitality.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet in MacNab Street Church tomorrow, Monday, June the fifth, nineteen hundred and seventy-eight, at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening, of which public intimation was given, and the Sederunt was closed by the Moderator with the Benediction.

SECOND SEDERUNT

At Hamilton, and within MacNab Street Presbyterian Church, on Monday, the fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at seven thirty o'clock in the evening, the Assembly met pursuant to adjournment. The Moderator called upon Mr. D. T. Stiel to conduct opening devotions after which he did constitute the Assembly with prayer.

CIVIC DELEGATES

At the preceding supper hour Dr. D. C. MacDonald introduced civic delegates who in turn addressed the commissioners. They were Mr. Jack MacDonald, Mayor of the City of Hamilton, and Mrs. Anne Jones, Chairperson of Hamilton and Wentworth Region. The commissioners were also treated to Scottish music by the Saltire Singers, directed by Mrs. John Davis.

FRATERNAL GREETINGS

Mrs. Heather Johnston, Convener of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations, presented fraternal delegates who in turn brought greetings from their respective bodies as follows:

Dr. John Johnston, the Congregation of MacNab Street Presbyterian Church, whose word of welcome was fittingly replied to by the Moderator.

Dr. William Sewell, President of Hamilton Downtown Church Association.

Rev. Andrew Kuyvenhoven, Christian Reformed Church.

Right Rev. E. Kent Clarke, Suffragan Bishop, Anglican Diocese of Niagara.

Rev. Frank B. Rice, Past President of the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec.

Rev. N. C. Wang, Past Moderator of the Presbyterian Church in Taiwan.

Rev. Peter De Jong, Reformed Church of America.

Rev. T. J. Lim, Moderator of The Presbyterian Church of Korea (Jesus/Ecumenical)

Bishop Paul Reding, Canadian Catholic Conference of Bishops.

Right Rev. George Tuttle, Moderator of the United Church of Canada.

Dr. Donald W. Anderson, General Secretary of Canadian Council of Churches.

Dr. Kenneth McMillan, General Secretary of Canadian Bible Society.

Dr. Peter P. Brodie, Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

Major Roy Calvert, Divisional Secretary for the Salvation Army, Southern Ontario had attended the dinner but was not able to remain to address the Assembly.

Each of those present addressed the Assembly briefly and the Moderator, after expressing the Assembly's thanks, presented to each a logo of the Commonwealth Games or a copy of the "Stitched Minutes".

THE KOREAN CHRISTIAN CHURCH IN JAPAN

Mrs. Heather Johnston read a cable received from Tokyo from the Rev. Sam. Choi, General Secretary, The Korean Christian Church in Japan. The cable was as follows: "Greetings; and prayer for solidarity in mission."

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, Convener. On motion of Mr. J. K. West, seconded by Mr. R. Mercer, the following was added to the Committee on Business Report given at the First Sederunt, and was approved:

Committee to Examine Records

Synod of Alberta - D.E.W. Lennox, E. G. Nelson, Ministers; and Mr. Malcolm MacAlpine, Elder.

Synod of British Columbia - H. L. Henderson, H. Ruitter, Ministers; Mr. Gregory Sinclair, Elder.

Also on motion of Mr. J. K. West, seconded by Mr. R. Mercer, the report of the Committee on Business was received and considered, and being adopted, the business for the Second Sederunt was ordered accordingly.

MISSION BOARD PERSONNEL

At a Mission Luncheon at noon today the following persons were introduced to the commissioners, and spoke briefly:

Rev. David Mphande, of Malawi, Scholarship student at Presbyterian College, Montreal.

Miss Diana Wadsworth, Jhansi, India.

Rev. Brian Penny, Dawson Creek, B.C.

Miss Joy Randall, Changhua Christian Hospital, Taiwan.

Dr. Margaret Kennedy, on assignment in Canada after 32 years of service in India.

Rev. Arthur Iarrera, Beckwith Memorial Church, Montreal, Quebec.

Miss Ida White, Jobat, Central India.

Miss Mavis Hyndman, Korean Christian Church in Japan, now serving in the B.W.M. Office, Toronto.

COMMITTEE ON LOYAL ADDRESSES

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Loyal Addresses, which was presented by Dr. George Dobie, the Convener, being assisted by Mr. R. J. Wilson, who read the addresses in French. On motion, duly seconded, the following report was received.

To Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II

May it please Your Majesty! The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, convened in the City of Hamilton, Ontario, respectfully assures Your Majesty of its loyalty to Your Majesty's Person and Throne.

We rejoice and give thanks to Almighty God for the devotion and grace with which Your Majesty has served Your Nation and Commonwealth through a quarter of a century; and express deepest appreciation of Your visits to Canada and the other nations of the British Commonwealth during Your Jubilee Year.

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We shall continue to pray for God's blessing upon Your Person as you bear the heavy responsibilities of Your Office; and upon the family of nations who love You and acclaim You as Sovereign Queen.

To God's gracious care we also commend the Royal Consort, Prince Philip, the Queen Mother, Prince Charles, Princess Anne, Prince Andrew, Prince Edward and all members of the Royal Family.

A Sa Majesté, la Reine Elizabeth II

Qu'il plaise à Votre Majesté: La cent quatrième Assemblée générale de l'Eglise presbytérienne au Canada, réunie en ce moment à Hamilton, Ontario, vient respectueusement assurer Votre Majesté de sa loyauté envers son auguste Personne et envers le Trône.

Nous nous réjouissons et nous rendons grâce à Dieu tout-puissant, du dévouement et de la grâce dont Votre Majesté a donné la preuve pendant un quart de siècle, au service de Votre pays et au service de tout le Commonwealth. Nous tenons à vous exprimer combien nous avons apprécié vos visites au Canada, et aux autres pays du Commonwealth pendant votre année jubilaire.

Nous continuerons de prier Dieu qu'il vous accorde ses bénédictions, à vous qui avez à porter les responsabilités si lourdes du Trône. Qu'il bénisse aussi la famille des nations qui vous aiment et vous acclament comme leur Souveraine.

Nous recommandons aussi à la grâce de Dieu, Votre Consort Royal, le prince Philip, la Reine mère, le prince Charles, la princesse Anne, le prince Andrew, le prince Edward et tous les membres de la Maison Royale.

The address was responded to by the singing of "The Queen".

*To His Excellency, The Right Honourable
 Jules Leger, Governor General of Canada*

May it please Your Excellency!

The One Hundred and Fourth General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, now in session in MacNab Street Church, in the City of Hamilton, Ontario, would express to Your Excellency as representative of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II, this assurance of their loyalty, sincere regard and affection for the manner in which you represent with grace and dignity both our Queen and our Nation. In this we are confident that we speak on behalf of all Canadian people. We pray that God will continue to bless your Excellency and Madame Leger as you continue to fulfill the heavy demands of your high office.

We respectfully request that our Address to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II be forwarded to London with our continued Loyalty and devotion to her Person and Throne.

*A Son Excellence, le très honorable Jules Léger
 Gouverneur-général du Canada*

Qu'il plaise à Votre Excellence:

La cent quatrième Assemblée générale de l'Eglise presbytérienne au Canada, réunie en ce moment dans l'église de la rue MacNab, dans la ville d'Hamilton,

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Ontario, voudrait exprimer à Votre Excellence, comme le représentant de Sa Majesté la Reine Elizabeth II, l'assurance de sa fidélité, de son estime et de son affection, pour la façon dont vous représentez, avec distinction et dignité, notre Souveraine et notre pays. Nous sommes sûrs d'être, en ceci, les interprètes fidèles de tout le peuple canadien. Nous prions Dieu de continuer à Votre Excellence et à Madame Léger, ses bénédictions afin que vous puissiez toujours vous acquitter des lourdes charges de votre haute mission.

Nous vous demandons respectueusement, de transmettre à Londres, à Sa Majesté la Reine Elizabeth II, l'adresse ci-inclus, témoignage de notre attachement fidèle à sa Personne et au Trône.

*To The Right Honourable Pierre Elliott Trudeau,
Prime Minister of Canada*

Right Honourable Sir:

The One Hundred and Fourth General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, now meeting in MacNab Street Church in the City of Hamilton, Ontario, send to you, your Government, the Senate and Parliament of Canada our most respectful greetings.

May God continue to bless and uphold you during this critical period of our national life. We assure you of our continued prayers and concerted actions in furthering a sense of unity within our nation and towards reconciling the many and varied needs and interests of people from coast to coast.

*Au très honorable Pierre Elliot Trudeau
Premier ministre du Canada*

La cent quatrième Assemblée générale de l'Eglise presbytérienne au Canada réunie en ce moment dans l'église presbytérienne de la rue MacNab, dans la ville d'Hamilton, Ontario, envoie à vous-même, à votre Gouvernement, au Sénat et au Parlement du Canada, ses salutations les plus respectueuses.

Puisse Dieu continuer à vous accorder sa bénédiction et à soutenir votre action en cette période critique de la vie de notre pays. Vous pouvez compter sur les prières et les actions de tous parmi nous, afin que d'une mer à l'autre, le sentiment de ce qui fait l'unité de notre pays soit toujours mieux perçu et que l'on arrive à la conciliation des intérêts de toutes sortes de ceux qui le peuplent.

The address was responded to by the singing of "O Canada".

On motion of Dr. Dobie, duly seconded, these addresses were adopted and it was agreed to forward them to the Governor General of Canada and to the Prime Minister.

THANKS TO THE ORGANIST

The Moderator expressed the thanks of the Assembly to Mr. John Repchuck, the Organist of MacNab Street Presbyterian Church, who provided music for worship and in addition for the singing of "The Queen" and "O Canada".

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PRESENTATION TO MISS LILLIAN REAY

At the invitation of Dr. Douglas Herron, the President of the Deaconess Council, Miss Evelyn Murdoch, made a presentation to Miss Lillian Reay regarding her contribution during twenty-five years in the Order of Deaconesses. The text of Dr. Herron's remarks was as follows:

"Miss Lillian Reay was raised on a farm near Red Deer, Alberta, the city in which she was born. She received her elementary and high school education in Alberta. After graduating from high school she worked for a period in the Post Office in Calgary. She entered the Missionary and Deaconess Training School (now Ewart College) in the fall of 1950.

"During her student years she had two summer appointments under the Women's Missionary Society (W.D.). The first was in van work in the Peace River district and the second in survey work in the City of Regina.

"Miss Reay graduated from the Missionary and Deaconess Training School in the spring of 1953 and joined the staff of the Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) on May 15th of that year to take up an appointment as Presbytery deaconess within the Presbytery of Peace River. She served in this area until September 30th, 1954.

"In October 1954 she was transferred to downtown mission work in the City of Toronto, where she was based in Queen Street East Presbyterian Church. She served there until 1957 at which time she was appointed Presbytery deaconess in the Presbytery of Saskatoon. Miss Reay served in Saskatoon until August of 1960 when she went on a study furlough at Union Theological Seminary in New York from September 1st to March 31st, 1961.

"Following her study furlough she undertook several months of deputation work for the W.M.S. In October 1961 she was appointed to the St. Matthew's Centre in Vancouver, where she continued until the fall of 1964. In November 1964 Miss Reay was transferred to the position of Port Worker in our Church's immigration Department in Montreal. In November of 1966 Miss Reay was appointed as a visitor to senior citizens homes in the Presbytery of East Toronto, where she has continued to the present time, interrupted by a study furlough from September 25th, 1967 to March 9th, 1968, which was taken at the San Francisco Seminary, San Anselmo, California.

"Miss Reay is a dedicated church worker and has served faithfully in all of her appointments."

Miss Evelyn Murdoch, President of the Council of the Order of Deaconesses, made the presentation.

COMMITTEE ON THE ROLL AND LEAVE TO WITHDRAW

On motion of the Convener, Dr. A. O. MacLean, seconded by Mr. R. Hill, it was agreed that the above report be received and adopted as follows:

1. That Mr. Alex T. Moore, Campbellville, be seated in place of Mr. Joseph Henderson from the Presbytery of Brampton.
2. That Mr. Stan Maddock, New Liskeard, be seated in place of Mr. Jack Kincaid from the Presbytery of Temiskaming.

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3. That Mrs. Eleanor Ellis, Brantford, be seated in place of Mrs. Dale Franklin from the Presbytery of Paris.
4. That the Rev. Gordon Cunningham, Rocky Mountain House, be seated in place of the Rev. George L. MacDonald from the Presbytery of Red Deer.

NOTICE OF MOTION

I shall move or cause to be moved at a future sederunt that the constitution of all Boards and Committees of the General Assembly be reviewed.

(Signed) J. K. West
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COMMITTEE ON BILLS AND OVERTURES

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Bills and Overtures which was presented by Mr. C. H. Carter, Convener.

On his motion, duly seconded, Overtures were referred as follows:

- Overture 1* - To a special Committee to be named by the Moderator.
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- Overture 2* - To the Clerks of Assembly for study and report with their report concerning Overture 12, 1978.
- Overture 5* - To the Board of Ministry to report to the 105th General Assembly.
- Overture 6* - To the Administrative Council in consultation with the Board of Congregational Life and the Board of World Mission.
- Overture 7* - To the Board of World Mission.
- Overture 11* - To the Board of Congregational Life.
- Overture 15* - To a Special Committee to be named by the Moderator.
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- Overture 17* - To the Board of Ministry.
- Overture 18* - To the Clerks of Assembly for study and report to the 105th General Assembly.
- Overture 19* - To a Special Committee to be named by the Moderator.
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- Overture 23* - To the Clerks of Assembly for study and report to the 105th General Assembly.
- Overture 24* - To the Clerks of Assembly for study and report with their report concerning Overtures 2 and 12, 1978.
- Overture 25* - To a Special Committee to be named by the Moderator.
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- Overture 26* - To the same Special Committee as Overture 25.
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- Overture 27* - To the Board of Congregational Life.
- Overture 28* - To the Committee on Church Doctrine.
- Overture 29* - To the Board of Congregational Life consulting with the Board of World Mission.

- Overture 30* - To the same Special Committee as Overture 1.
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- Overture 31* - To the Clerks of Assembly to report to the 105th General Assembly with their report concerning Overture 23.
- Overture 32* - To the Special Committee to consider the place and time of future General Assemblies.
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- Overture 33* - To a Special Committee to be named by the Moderator.
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- Overture 35-42* - re names to be placed on the Constituent Rolls of Presbytery - To a Special Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.
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- The appeal of Mr. T. O. McAllister against the decision of the Presbytery of Brampton - To a Special Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.
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SPECIAL COMMITTEE

It was moved by Mr. M. MacAlpine, duly seconded, and agreed that the Moderator name a committee re Place and Time of Future Assemblies.

PERMISSION TO CIRCULATE

On motion of Dr. Johnston, duly seconded, it was agreed that permission be given to circulate a document relating to the report of the Committee on the State of the Church.

ADJOURNMENT

Announcements having been made, the Moderator adjourned the Assembly to meet in Knox Church, Dundas, on Tuesday, June the sixth, nineteen hundred and seventy-eight, at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening, and he did then pronounce the Benediction.

THIRD SEDERUNT

At Dundas, and within Knox Presbyterian Church there, on Tuesday, the sixth day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening, the General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted by the Moderator, after devotions conducted by Dr. Walter Allum.

THANKS TO KNOX, DUNDAS

The Moderator expressed appreciation of the Assembly to Knox Church, Dundas, for the supper arrangements and pipe band music following the meal, also for the accompaniment of the choir and organist during devotions.

PRESENTATION TO DR. ALLUM

On behalf of the Committee on History and of Knox College, Dr. J. S. Moir presented to Dr. Walter Allum, minister of Knox Church, Dundas, a copy of *The Tide of Time*, by Dr. Allan Farris. The book contains an article on the Rev. Mark Young Stark, the first Presbyterian minister in Dundas.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, Convener. On motion of Mr. J. K. West, seconded by Mr. R. Mercer, it was received and considered and, being adopted, the business for the Third Sederunt was ordered accordingly.

REPORTS HAVING NO RECOMMENDATIONS

The Assembly called for the above indicated Reports which, as printed, having no recommendations were presented by Dr. D. C. MacDonald. On motion of Mr. A. D. McGillivray, duly seconded, the following reports were received and adopted:

The Annie Thomson Bingham Memorial Fund
Judgement of the Special Commission of the 103rd
General Assembly re the Appeal of Mr. Zigmund
Kolozsvary (for information only).
Supplementary List of Degrees and Their Sources
Auditor's Report (for information only)
Lending Fund
McBain Memorial Fund
The Andrew McCormick Trust Fund
Report on Nominations
The Principal of Presbyterian College
The Principal of Knox College
The Chair of Church History - Knox College
The Chair of Preaching and Worship - Knox College
The Reverend David Morrison Reid Memorial Fund
Presbyterian Residence, Saskatoon, and Financial Report
St. Andrew's Hall, Vancouver, B.C. and Financial Statement
Knox College, Senate
Trustee Board
Statistical and Financial Reports

FUND FOR MINISTERIAL ASSISTANCE

The Assembly called for the Report of the appointors of the Fund for Ministerial Assistance, which was presented by Mr. George Malcolm, on behalf of Dr. G. D. Johnston, and is as follows:

The Fund for Ministerial Assistance distributed \$62,574. for the year 1977 to an average of 140 eligible ministers and 233 children. Three gifts were made in special circumstances of need within the terms of the Fund. The Appointors met in

March and December to review the finances of the Fund and to determine the quarterly gift and the Christmas gift.

The Appointors are grateful for the assistance of the Board of World Mission and Comptroller's office staff for administering the funds. A special word of appreciation is expressed to the Comptroller, Mr. James Barbour, for his work on behalf of the Fund for Ministerial Assistance.

The number of ministers and children receiving gifts has remained fairly constant these past two years while the revenue has increased. The Appointors have agreed to increase the gift of \$200 to \$220 per eligible minister for 1978. The gift for the children remains at \$60 per year for each child. Each Christmas an additional gift is made.

The gifts are gratefully received and appreciation is often expressed to the Appointors and the Donor.

Moved by Mr. R. Merifield, seconded by Mr. F. Conkey, and agreed, that the report be received for information, and that the good wishes of the Assembly for full recovery of the health of Dr. Johnston, be forwarded to him.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE
RE OVERTURE 21, 1977

Dr. James Ferguson, Convener, presented the report of the Special Committee re Overture 21, 1977 (Page 373) and on motion of Dr. J. K. Lattimore, duly seconded, the recommendation was adopted.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Consideration of the Report of the Board of Education was resumed, Dr. James Ferguson, Chairman, reporting.

The following items were considered, motions being made by Dr. J. K. Lattimore, duly seconded.

I. SPECIAL COURSES

- a) 1. *Dorothy Bulmer* - Received as information.
2. *John Morrison Campbell* - Recommendation adopted.
3. *Donald Garth Carson* - Recommendation adopted.
4. *Mike Chawrun* - Deferred.
5. *David Angus Dewar* - Recommendation adopted.
6. *Jean Ford* - Received as information.
7. *Shirley Jean Herman* - Received as information.
8. *Ian Kenneth Johnston* - Received as information.
9. *James Beverley Kay* - Received as information.
10. *Robert Noel Kinnon* - Recommendation adopted.
11. *Arthur Clarence Leeder* - Received as information.
12. *William Lennips* - Received as information.
13. *Raymond Ernest Pearse* - Received as information.
14. *Robert Alexander Syme* - Received as information.
15. *Sheina Smith* - Received as information.
16. *Charlotte MacPherson Stuart* - Recommendation adopted.

17. *Kees Vandermeij* - Deferred.
18. *David Allan Young* - Received as information.
19. *Mary Anne Yee* - Received as information.
20. *Douglas Henry* - Received as information.

- b) 1. *Gordon Herbert Fresque* - Recommendation adopted.
2. *Thomas C. Brownlee* - Recommendation adopted.

II. APPLICATIONS FOR RECEPTIONS OF MINISTERS AND LICENTIATES AND FOR PERMISSION TO TAKE ON TRIALS FOR LICENSE

- a) 1. *Harry F. Bailey*, B.A., M.Div. - Received as information.
2. *Alexander M. Deans* - Received as information.
3. *Stephen Chas. Farris*, B.A., D.Min. - Deferred.
4. *Melvin G. Fawcett*, B.D., Dip. in Theology - Received as information.
5. *Willem Henrik Joubert*, M.A., B.D. - Recommendation adopted, with substitution of "unless he had been licensed previously" in place of the words in parentheses.
6. *Ellen T. Lemen*, B.A., M.A. - Recommendation adopted.
7. *David Alistair Renwick*, B.Sc., M.Div. - Received as information.
8. *David Keswick Sutherland*, B.Comm., M.Div. - Received as information.
- b) 1. *David Sidney Heath*, B.A., M.A. - Recommendation adopted.
2. *Gordon Reid*, B.Sc., M.Div., B.Ed. - Received as information.
3. *Michael Chang-Te Tai*, M.A., B.D. - Received as information.
4. *Gordon S. Ivey*, B.A., M.A., M.Th. - Deferred.
5. *Neal Mathers*, B.A., B.D. - Received as information.
1. *Rev. Henry Gregory Adams* - Deferred.
 2. *Rev. Byoung Ahn*, B. of Law - Received as information.
 3. *Rev. Linda Jean Bell*, B.A., M.Div. - Received as information.
 4. *Rev. Francis Bennett* - Recommendation adopted.
 5. *Rev. Gary Donald Bouma*, M.A., Ph.D. - Deferred.
 6. *Rev. Stephen Yeong-Shy Chen*, B.Th., M.Div. - Received as information.
 7. *Rev. David Marshall*, M.A., B.D., - Received as information.
 8. *Rev. Joseph Wm. Reed*, B.A., M.Div. - Received as information.
 9. *Rev. In Whan Rheem*, B. of Pol. Sc. - Recommendation adopted.
 10. *Rev. Douglas Waugh*, B.A. - Received as information.
 11. *Rev. Ernest Zugor*, B.Th. - Deferred.
 12. *Rev. J. C. Rufenacht* - Deferred.
- d) 1. *Thomas John Kay*, B.D. - Recommendation adopted.
2. *Edward F. Millin*, B.A., M.Div. - Recommendation adopted.
3. *Susan M. Triantafillou*, B.A. - Recommendation adopted.
- e) 1. *Joseph Vasarhelyi* - On motion of Mr. E. Seress, duly seconded, this case was referred back.
- f) 1. *Mardiros M. Aylenjian* - Deferred.
2. *Rev. George Robert Bell* - Recommendation adopted.
3. *Rev. Wayne L. Chatterton* - Recommendation adopted.

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4. *Rev. Sung Jae Lee* - Recommendation adopted.
5. *Rev. Elisabeth Nitsch* - Recommendation adopted.
6. *Rev. Dennis Mackintosh Oliver* - A motion by Mr. W. Donovan, duly seconded, that Mr. Oliver be received was defeated.
On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, the matter was referred back.
7. *Rev. Martin C. C. Wang* - Recommendation adopted.

III. WILLIAM E. ARCHIBALD TRUST - REPORT RECEIVED AS INFORMATION

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

Recommendations 1 and 2 were adopted.

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SPECIAL COMMITTEES APPOINTED

The Moderator named and the Assembly accepted the following Special Committees:

Committee to Advise with the Moderator - Mr. K. E. King (Chairman), Dr. A. F. MacSween (Secretary), Dr. D. C. MacDonald, Dr. D.G.M. Herron, Miss M. Nutt, Mr. James Dickey, Dr. DeCourcy H. Rayner, Dr. J. K. Lattimore.

Committee Re Overtures 1 and 30 - National Staff Functioning under The Authority of the General Assembly

Re: Deputy Clerks of General Assembly

Mr. A. M. Beaton, (Chairman), Dr. E. S. Mackay, Dr. R. G. MacMillan, Miss Evelyn Carpenter, ministers; and Mr. Roy Mercer, elder.

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Committee Re Overture #15 - The Method of Electing Moderators of The General Assembly

Mr. L. D. Hankinson (Chairman), Mr. R. Allison, ministers; and Mr. James Purcell, elder.

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Committee Re Overture #19 - The Canadian Seal Hunt.

Mr. J. Pace (Chairman), Mr. David A. Renwick, Mr. Wm. Nicholson, ministers; and Mr. Perley Taylor and Mrs. Eleanor Wilson, elders.

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Committee Re Overtures #25, 26 - Re: Members of Presbytery - Section 176, 2(a), (b), Book of Forms.

The Communion Roll.

Mr. James Armour (Chairman), Mr. Wallace MacKinnon, ministers; and Mr. William Bates, elder.

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Committee Re Overture #32 - The arrangements for Assemblies.

Dr. John Johnston (Chairman), Mr. Bruce Molloy, Mr. Robert Hill, ministers; and Mrs. W. H. Henry and Mr. Stan Maddock, elders. (Continued on page 50-52)

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Committee Re Overture #33 - The Problem of Illiteracy in Canada.

Dr. W. J. Klempa (Chairman), Mr. Gerald E. Sarcen, ministers; Mrs. W. J. Hogg and Mrs. F. MacDonald, elders. (Continued on pages 59 and 60)

T. O. McAllister - Appeal re Brampton Presbytery Decision.

Dr. D.G.M. Herron (Chairman), Mr. Rex Krepps, Dr. E. Bean, ministers; and Mr. R. J. Morse, elder. (Continued on page 57)

Names to be placed on The Constituent Roll - Mr. Ian MacSween (Chairman), Dr. B. A. Miles, Dr. Douglas Lowry, ministers; and Mr. D. Anderson, elder.

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REPORT OF ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

The Assembly called for the Report of the Administrative Council which, as printed, (pages 201-217) was presented by Mr. Lyman Purnell, Q.C., the Chairman.

On his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and its recommendations considered.

On motion of Mr. Purnell, duly seconded, Dr. D. C. MacDonald and Mr. James Barbour were given permission to speak during the consideration of this report.

STATEMENT OF TREASURER

The Treasurer, Mr. R. Merifield, Q.C., reported on the state of finances of the Church. He expressed appreciation of the outstanding contribution of Mr. James Barbour as comptroller. Mr. Barbour was greeted by a standing ovation by the Assembly. He addressed the Assembly briefly. The Moderator and Mr. Purnell added words of gratitude for Mr. Barbour's work, and wished him well in his retirement.

Recommendation 13 was adopted.

NOTICE OF MOTION OF MR. J. K. WEST

Mr. West moved in terms of his notice of motion presented at the Second Sederunt (Page 24) re review of the constitution of Boards and Committees. This motion was seconded and adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 35

Recommendation 35 of The Administrative Council (page 214) was moved by Mr. L.F.D. Purnell, duly seconded.

An amendment to the first portion of the recommendation was moved by Mr. W. Donovan, duly seconded, making the recommendation to read:

"That the following changes in the membership of the Boards and Committees of General Assembly be made, and that the recommendation become effective during this and the next two years with the action of Assembly in appointing members for three year terms."

A motion by Mr. G. McKenzie, duly seconded, to table the motion and the amendment was defeated.

It was agreed on motion of Mr. K. E. King, duly seconded, to take an immediate vote on the amendment. The amendment carried. (Continued on page 38)

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Mr. H. L. Henderson dissented from the vote on the amendment for reasons to be given in. (Continued on page 37)

BOARD OF WORLD MISSION

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of World Mission which, as printed, (Pages 399-455), was presented by Mrs. W. E. McCutcheon, the Chairman. Mr. Ross Common moved, duly seconded, that the report be received and its recommendations be considered seriatim. The motion was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Ross Common, duly seconded, it was agreed that the following be permitted to speak during the presentation of the report: Mr. George A. Malcolm, Dr. A. F. MacSween, Dr. A. G. MacDougall, Mr. Earle Roberts. Recommendation 3 was adopted.

RE: APPRECIATION TO MR. R. M. RANSOM

The Moderator called Mr. Ransom forward and expressed to him the appreciation of the Assembly; whereupon Mr. Ransom expressed his gratitude for the thanks of the Assembly. (Continued on page 34)

PERMISSION TO MEET

The commissioners from the Presbytery of East Toronto were given permission to meet with the Board of Education at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet in MacNab Street Presbyterian Church, Wednesday, June seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at nine-thirty o'clock, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed by the Moderator with the Benediction.

FOURTH SEDERUNT

At Hamilton, and within MacNab Street Church there, on Wednesday the seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at nine-thirty o'clock in the morning, the General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted by the Moderator, with prayer.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, the Convener. On motion of Mr. J. K. West, duly seconded, it was received and considered and, being adopted, the business for the Fourth Sederunt was ordered accordingly.

MINUTES

The minutes of the First and Second Sederunts were presented by the Clerks in mimeographed form and sustained on motion of Dr. A. O. MacLean, duly seconded.

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PERMISSION TO MEET

Permission was given to the commissioners of Presbyteries to meet with the Board of Education as follows:

10.30 a.m. - West Toronto; 11.00 a.m. - Quebec; 11.30 a.m. - Algoma and North Bay; 12.00 noon - Waterloo-Wellington; 2.00 p.m. - Montreal; 2.30 p.m. - Halifax-Lunenburg; 3.00 p.m. - Paris.

THE BOARD OF MINISTRY

The Moderator called for the Report of the Board of Ministry, which, as printed, (Pages 337-342), was presented by Dr. D.G.M. Herron, Chairman, and on his motion, duly seconded, the report was received, and its recommendations to be considered seriatim.

RECOMMENDATION 1

Recommendation 1 was adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 2

The court agreed to treat Recommendation 2 as 2(a), and the paragraph immediately following as Recommendation 2(b).

Mr. B. C. Molloy moved in amendment to recommendation 2(a), duly seconded, that the decision of the western Presbyteries, as requested by former General Assemblies, be honoured by seeking to implement such majority decision.

At the request of the mover and seconder, permission was given for the withdrawal of the amendment. On motion of Dr. J. C. McLelland, duly seconded, recommendation 2 in its entirety was referred back to the Board of Ministry.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Dr. D.G.M. Herron, duly seconded, Mr. J. C. Cooper was given permission to speak to the report.

RECOMMENDATIONS 3 and 4

On motion of Dr. J. C. McLelland, duly seconded, it was agreed to delete II (b) (iii) in the preamble of Recommendation 3.

Recommendations 3 and 4 were adopted, permission having been given to reconsider the constitution of all Boards.

RECOMMENDATION 5

With consent of the mover and seconder, the following was added to recommendation 5 of the Board of Ministry: "according to existing regulations."

Recommendation 5 was adopted. (Continued on page 53)

THE BOARD OF CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of Congregational Life which, as printed, (Pages 276-283), was presented by Dr. W. J. Adamson, chairman. On

motion of Mr. R. C. Taylor, duly seconded, it was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

MR. ALEXANDER M. DEANS

Dr. Adamson paid tribute to the work of the Rev. Alex. Deans who leaves the Board of Congregational Life in 1978 to take up a pastoral ministry. The Moderator added appropriate words on behalf of the Assembly, after which Mr. Deans addressed the court briefly.

RECOMMENDATION 1

With permission of the Court, Recommendation 1 was changed to read as follows: "That the above statement of the purpose and functions of the Board of Congregational Life be received for information, replacing the introduction to the statement in the Report to the 102nd General Assembly."

Mr. D. T. Stiel moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the above statement of the purpose and the functions of the Board of Congregational Life plus the full report as found in the Minutes of the General Assembly, 1976, be received for information.

The amendment was adopted, as was recommendation 1 as amended.

RECOMMENDATIONS 2-7

Recommendations 2 through 7 were adopted.

ADDITIONAL RECOMMENDATION

An additional motion was put forward by Dr. W. Klempa, duly seconded, and adopted as follows: that those congregations which find themselves unable to accept their full Budget allocations be required to communicate to Presbytery the reasons why they are unable to do so and also to indicate the steps which they propose to take to meet their allocations in the future.

RECOMMENDATION 8

Recommendation 8 was adopted.

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REPORT OF THE PENSION BOARD

The Assembly called for the report of the Pension Board, which, as printed, (Pages 346-349), was presented by Mr. M. D. Summers on behalf of Mr. G. Palmer, the Chairman.

On motion of Mr. Summers, duly seconded, the report was received and its recommendations considered.

RECOMMENDATION 1

Recommendation 1 was adopted, with the understanding that its reference is to Overture 28, 1977.

RECOMMENDATIONS 2 and 3

Recommendations 2 and 3 were adopted.
 The report as a whole, with its recommendations, was adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE RE: OVERTURE 11, 1976

The Assembly called for the report of the above committee which as printed (page 375) was presented by Dr. D. C. Smith, Convener. On motion of Dr. W. Klempa, duly seconded, it was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

Dr. D. C. MacDonald was granted permission to speak during the presentation of this report.

RECOMMENDATIONS 1, 2 and 3

Recommendations 1, 2 and 3 were adopted.
 The report as a whole with its recommendations was adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WORLD MISSION

Consideration of the report of the Board of World Mission (pages 399-455) was resumed, Mrs. W. E. McCutcheon, Chairman, reporting.

RECOMMENDATIONS 1, 2, 4 and 5

Recommendations 1, 2, 4 and 5 were adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 6

Mr. W. Donovan moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the increase in basic stipend be \$300. and that the car allowance be increased by \$300. The amendment was defeated.

Recommendation 6 was adopted with the addition of "Overseas Missionaries" to those receiving the stipend increase.
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COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH AID, REFUGEE AND WORLD SERVICE

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Inter-Church Aid, Refugee and World Service which, as printed (pages 328-330), was presented by Mr. C. R. Talbot for the Convener.

On motion of Mr. Talbot, duly seconded, it was agreed that the report be received and the recommendation considered.

The Recommendation and the Report as a whole were adopted, on motion of Mr. Talbot, duly seconded.

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COMMUNICATION SERVICES COMMITTEE

The Assembly called for the report of the Communication Services Committee which, as printed (pages 273-275), was presented by Mrs. K. Denton Taylor, Chairman.

On motion of Mr. W. A. Henderson, duly seconded, the report was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

Recommendations 1 and 2 were adopted.

The report as a whole with its recommendations was adopted, on motion of Mr. W. A. Henderson, duly seconded.

COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

The report of the Committee on International Affairs, as printed on pages 335-336, was presented by Dr. E. S. Mackay.

On his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and its recommendations were considered. Additional recommendations were adopted, on motion of Dr. Mackay, duly seconded, as follows:

ADDITIONAL RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That in the midst of this period in which the United Nations special session on disarmament is deliberating, that General Assembly now rise to be led in prayer by the Moderator that the Special Session be led to fruitful decision and action in the cause of world peace.
2. That this action be reported to His Excellency Kurt Waldheim, Secretary General of the United Nations and assurance given of the continuing prayerful support of The Presbyterian Church in Canada of the United Nations in its special session on Disarmament.
3. That this 104th General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada commend the Prime Minister, Right Honourable Pierre Elliot Trudeau, for the strong presentations he made to the United Nations Special Session on Disarmament and to the NATO consultation in the cause of disarmament and world peace.

Recommendation 1(a) was adopted.

Recommendation 1(b) was defeated.

Recommendations 2 through 4 were adopted.

REASONS FOR DISSENT

I request that the court record my dissent in the result of the vote on Recommendation 1(a) and 2 in the report of the Committee on International Affairs on the grounds that I believe this is not properly within the jurisdiction of the Committee or the Church.

(Signed) John McLeish,
 Glen W. McKenzie

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RECOMMENDATION 5

Dr. J. C. Robson moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the term "and ramifications" be deleted. This was adopted. (Continued on page 54)

NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice of motion that it is my intention to move or cause to be moved at a future sederunt, that this General Assembly request the Administrative Council to study the question of the possibility of holding the Assembly sometime during July.

(Signed) H. L. Henderson
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NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice of motion that it is my intention to move or cause to be moved at a future sederunt that our Young Adult Observers be invited to sit and correspond during this General Assembly.

(Signed) J. C. McLelland
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NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice of motion that it is my intention to move or cause to be moved at a future sederunt, that henceforth the substance of an overture be printed along with the committee's reply to that overture.

(Signed) J. C. McLelland
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NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice of motion that it is my intention to move or cause to be moved at a future sederunt: that for the 1979 General Assembly commissioners be provided with reports early enough before June 1st so that familiarity with documents and issues will facilitate discussion and questioning of officials: *and that* each group of commissioners be charged with responsibility for reaching tentative decisions on issues to come before Assembly, the recommendations to be distributed among the groups; *and that* an orientation session on the Sunday Afternoon be provided for commissioners attending their first Assembly; *and that* mechanisms be prepared whereby there will be no more than six groupings of Assembly agencies rather than nine, allowing time for commissioner groups to deliberate and reach decisions on their assigned reports; *or* to do in its wisdom what the Assembly thinks best to achieve the needs of responsibility and efficiency.

(Signed) J. C. McLelland
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REASON FOR DISSENT GIVEN IN 3RD SEDERUNT

The Presbyterian Church in Canada is a National Church having congregations and membership in every province of Canada. To continue as a National Church there must be suitable representation from every area of the Church on all the major boards and committees of the Church. At present there exists in Canada to a greater or lesser degree a feeling of alienation from the central area especially with respect to the Atlantic Provinces and Western Canada, this alienation appearing in political, racial and economic terms. The action of Assembly in reducing the representation, because of finances or other reasons, is not germane to the issue at the present time, especially when as Canadians we are grappling with the question of national unity. In my opinion this whole issue is "crucial" to the Church and to Canada as a whole at the present time. For these and other reasons, I dissent from the action of the 104th General Assembly with respect to reducing the membership of the boards and committees of the Church.

(Signed) H. L. Henderson

ADJOURNMENT

Announcements having been made, the Moderator adjourned the Assembly to meet on the same day in the same place and at two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was made and this Sederunt was closed by the Moderator with the Benediction.

FIFTH SEDERUNT

At Hamilton, and within MacNab Street Presbyterian Church there, on Wednesday, the seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at two o'clock in the afternoon the General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and constituted by the Moderator with prayer.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, the Convener. On motion of Mr. J. K. West, duly seconded, the report was received and considered and, being adopted, the business for the Fifth Sederunt was ordered accordingly.

PERMISSION TO MEET

Permission was granted the Committee on Bills and Overtures to meet on request of Mr. C. Carter, the chairman.

DR. RAYNER HEARD

Dr. DeC. H. Rayner, Moderator of the 103rd General Assembly gave a report to the Assembly of his visit to the New Hebrides, Australia, and Scotland where he attended the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

Dr. Rayner expressed thanks to those of the Church Office Staff, who assisted him during the past year.

The Moderator expressed the thanks of the Court to Dr. Rayner.

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REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (E.D.)

The Assembly called for this report which, as printed (pages 396-397), was presented by Miss Mabel Bannerman, the President. On motion of Dr. A. O. MacLean, duly seconded, the report was received.

On motion of Mr. M. R. Caldwell, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

REPORT OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (W.D.)

The Assembly called for the report of the Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) which, as printed (pages 397-398) was presented by Mrs. J. A. Newstead, the past President.

On motion of Mrs. W. H. Henry, seconded by Miss Mary Whale, the report was received and adopted.

Mrs. Newstead introduced the new President of the W.M.S. (W.D.) in the person of Miss Isabella Hunter.

COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCES

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Benevolences which, as printed (pages 218-219), was presented by Mrs. W. E. McCutcheon, Chairman. On motion of Dr. J. K. Lattimore, duly seconded, the report was received and its recommendation considered.

Recommendation 1 was adopted.

On motion of Dr. J. K. Lattimore, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

REPORT OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

Consideration of the Report of the Administrative Council, (pages 201-217) was resumed, Mr. Lyman Purnell, Chairman, reporting.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

Mr. J.J.H. Morris was given permission to address the Assembly in connection with Congress '79.

PERMISSION TO CIRCULATE

On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, permission was given to circulate material concerning Congress '79.

NEWLY APPOINTED COMPTROLLER

Mr. Purnell introduced to the Court Mr. Norman Creen, newly appointed Comptroller of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, effective October 1st, 1978.

RECOMMENDATION 35

Consideration of recommendation 35 (page 214) was resumed. Mr. Paul Brown moved in amendment, duly seconded, the addition of the words: "giving all due consideration to the continuing need for nation-wide representation on the boards and committees". The amendment was adopted.

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At the request of two commissioners, the sections of recommendation 35 were considered seriatim.

Recommendation 35A was adopted.

Recommendation 35B was amended on motion of Mr. P. Brown, duly seconded, with the change from "nine" to "eight of whom will be from Central Synods".

Recommendation 35B as amended was adopted.

Dr. W. Shantz moved, duly seconded, that Recommendation 35, parts C through BB, be referred back to the Council for study and report to this Assembly.

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THE BOARD OF EWART COLLEGE

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of Ewart College, which, as printed, (Pages 237-248), was presented by Mr. J. K. English, the Chairman.

On motion of Mr. K. J. Wilson, seconded by Mr. M. S. Jess, the report was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

Recommendations 1, 2 and 3 were adopted.

On motion of Mr. K. J. Wilson, duly seconded, the report as a whole with its recommendations was adopted.

BOARD OF KNOX COLLEGE

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of Knox College which as printed (pages 248-259) and the supplementary reports, (page 479), were presented by Mr. G. B. Mallion.

On motion of Mr. John Pace, seconded by Dr. R. D. MacDonald, the report was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

Recommendations 1, 2 and 3 were adopted.

The vote on recommendation 3 was recorded as 98 for, 94 opposed, and Dr. Pater was declared elected.

DR. J. C. HAY

Dr. J. C. Hay was presented to the Assembly. The Moderator welcomed him as the newly elected Principal of Knox College. Dr. Hay briefly addressed the court.

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PRE-ELECTION KIT COMMITTEE

On motion of Mr. S. O. McEntyre, duly seconded, it was agreed that a special committee be appointed to study a request re a "Pre-Election Kit" and make a recommendation to this Assembly. (See Administrative Council supplementary report, page 479).

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SENATE OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

The Assembly called for the Report of the Senate of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, which, as printed, (pages 262-263) and the supplementary report (pages 487-489), were presented by Mr. J. M. Cerini, Q.C., Chairman. On motion of Dr. J. C. McLelland, duly seconded, the report was received.

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RECOMMENDATION 1

Recommendation 1 was amended on motion of Mr. Jas. Armour, duly seconded, with change of "an initial" to "a" and deletion of the final clause beginning "renewable . . ."

Recommendation 1 as amended was adopted.

DR. W. J. KLEMPA

Dr. W. J. Klempa was invited to come forward, and the Moderator congratulated him on his appointment as Principal of Presbyterian College. Dr. Klempa then addressed the Assembly. (Continued on page 41)

ADJOURNMENT

Announcements having been made, the Moderator adjourned the Assembly to meet in the same place, on Thursday, June eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight at nine-thirty in the morning, of which public intimation was made, and he did then pronounce the Benediction.

SIXTH SEDERUNT

At Hamilton, and within MacNab Street Church there, on Thursday, the eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at nine-thirty o'clock in the morning, the General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted by the Moderator with prayer.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, the Convener. On motion of Mr. J. K. West, seconded by Mr. R. Mercer, it was received and considered and, being adopted, the business for the Sixth Sederunt was ordered accordingly.

COMMITTEE NAMED

The Moderator named the Special Committee re Administrative Council Recommendation 40, (Pre-Election Kit) as follows:

Mr. John Cameron, Chairman, Mr. H. L. Henderson,

Dr. R. D. MacDonald, Mrs. Mae Moyer and Mr. Gregory Sinclair.

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ITEM OF SPECIAL PRIVILEGE

Dr. D. C. MacDonald, with permission of Assembly, presented an item of special privilege re Mr. R. F. Cunningham, who has come to Assembly to present what he considers an injustice done to him. Dr. MacDonald commented that he considered that legally Mr. Cunningham had no right to have his case considered by this Assembly, but requested on grounds of compassion that the Assembly appoint a special committee to meet with Mr. Cunningham and report to Assembly what

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action, if any, this Assembly might take to discover if any injustice has taken place and what future action may be taken to heal the hurt of a member of our Church. On motion of Dr. A. O. MacLean, duly seconded, it was agreed that a special committee be appointed for the above purpose. (Continued on page 44)

MINUTES

The Minutes of the Third Sederunt were presented by the Clerks in mimeographed form and sustained.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. D.E.W. Lennox moved, duly seconded, in terms of Dr. J. C. McLelland's notice of motion (page 36) and with permission of Assembly changed the wording as follows:

"That Young Adult Observers be permitted to speak on subjects of their concern."

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

Permission was given to Young Adult Observer, Mr. Larry Bates to speak to the motion, on motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded.

The motion of Mr. D.E.W. Lennox was defeated.

REPORT OF THE SENATE OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE

Consideration of the Report of the Senate of the Presbyterian College was resumed, Dr. J. C. McLelland reporting.

Recommendation 2 was adopted, as was an additional motion moved by Dr. McLelland, duly seconded:

That the Principal Clerk be asked to prepare a suitable letter to be sent to Dr. D. N. MacMillan expressing the gratitude of the church for his long and devoted service to Presbyterian College, Montreal, on the occasion of his retirement. (Continued on page 74)

COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations which, as printed (pages 330-335), was presented by Mrs. Heather Johnston, Convener.

On motion of Dr. John Johnston, duly seconded, the Report was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

RECOMMENDATION 1

Dr. DeC. H. Rayner moved in amendment to recommendation 1, duly seconded, the deletion of the words: "both The Presbyterian Church of Australia, and"

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

Dr. D. C. MacDonald was given permission to speak to this report.

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Mr. R. McFadyen moved in amendment, to the amendment, duly seconded, the addition of the words: "and we offer to God our prayers on their behalf."

On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, recommendation 1 with its amendment and amendment to the amendment was referred to a Special Committee to be named by the Moderator. (Continued on page 53)

RECOMMENDATIONS 2 and 3

Recommendations 2 and 3 were referred on motion of Mr. K. E. King, duly seconded, to the same Special Committee.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

Dr. D.J.M. Corbett was given permission to address the Assembly during presentation of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations.

RECOMMENDATION 4

Recommendation 4 was adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 5

Mr. G. McKenzie moved in amendment, duly seconded, that after "presently taking place" the wording be "between congregations of the Presbyterian, United Church, and other Churches." (Continued on page 76)

REPORT OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

The Report of the Administrative Council was resumed, Mr. L.F.D. Purnell, Chairman, reporting.

RECOMMENDATION 33

Mr. Purnell moved, duly seconded, in terms of recommendation 33 (page 213). Mr. Frank Whilsmith was given permission to speak re the Second Century Advance for Christ.

Recommendation 33 was adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 35

On motion of Mr. M. Tubb, duly seconded, it was agreed that an immediate vote be taken on Recommendation 35, parts C through BB. Recommendation 35 (parts C through BB) was adopted.

RECOMMENDATIONS 1 through 8

Recommendations 1 through 8 were adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 9

Dr. J. C. McLelland moved in amendment to Recommendation 9, duly seconded, that the emolument for the Principals of our three theological colleges be raised to \$2,500. per annum.

The amendment was defeated.

Recommendation 9 was adopted.

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REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE RE: NATIONAL UNITY OVERTURES #13 and #17, 1977

The Assembly called for the Report of the above Committee which as printed on pages 367-372, was presented by the Convener, Mr. William Russell, Montreal.

On motion of Dr. J. S. Moir, duly seconded, it was agreed that the report be received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

RECOMMENDATION 1

Recommendation 1 was adopted.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Mr. Ian Shaw, duly seconded, Mr. John Bannerman, a Young Adult Observer, was given permission to speak.

RECOMMENDATIONS 2 and 3

Recommendations 2 and 3 were adopted.

ADDITIONAL MOTION

With permission of Assembly, Mr. Paul Brown moved, duly seconded, an additional motion as follows:

"That this report be printed and made widely available to congregations for discussion."

This motion was adopted.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Mr. Ian Shaw, duly seconded, Miss Barbara Williams, Young Adult Observer, was given permission to speak.

RECOMMENDATION 4

Mr. C. R. Talbot moved in amendment to recommendation 4, duly seconded, the addition of "and that a small Committee be appointed by the Moderator to review progress on Recommendations 2 and 3, and report to the 105th General Assembly and that the remainder of the funds allocated to the Special Committee be provided for the expenses of this Committee".

The amendment was adopted, as was recommendation 4 as amended.

REPORT AS A WHOLE

On motion of Dr. J. S. Moir, duly seconded, the report as a whole as amended was adopted.

PERMISSION TO DISTRIBUTE

Permission was given to Mr. John Cameron to circulate materials concerning Canadian National Unity.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE NAMED

The Moderator named the Special Committee to meet with the Rev. R. E. Cunningham:

Dr. A. O. MacLean, Halifax; Dr. B. A. Miles, Winnipeg; Mr. Walter Donovan, Kipling, Sask.; Mr. Robert Wilson, Ottawa; Mr. H. Stinson, Smiths Falls.

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REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE RE: ROLE OF THE MODERATOR

The Assembly called for the Report of the above Committee (pages 376-380) which was presented by Mr. R. J. Bernhardt, Secretary. On motion of Mr. Bernhardt, duly seconded, it was agreed that the report be received and the recommendations considered seriatim.

RECOMMENDATION 1

Mr. Ross Davidson moved in amendment to Recommendation 1, duly seconded, the addition of the words, "in terms of the preamble". This amendment was defeated.

Recommendation 1 was defeated.

RECOMMENDATIONS 2 and 3

Recommendation 2 was defeated.

Recommendation 3 was adopted and the Committee was thereby discharged, with thanks.

REPORT AS A WHOLE

On motion of Mr. R. J. Bernhardt, duly seconded, the report as a whole, with its recommendations as amended, was adopted.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE RE: A FORUM ON THE CHURCH IN THE WORLD

The Assembly called for the Report of the Special Committee on the Church in the World, which, as printed (pages 380-381), was presented by Mr. Karl English, the Convener.

On motion of Mr. Robert Sinclair, duly seconded, the Report was received and its recommendations considered.

Recommendations 1-6 were adopted.

Recommendation 5 was not referred to the Administrative Council as the Assembly was assured there would be no significant expenditure of funds required from the Budget Funds of the Church.

On motion of Mr. Robert Sinclair, duly seconded, the report as a whole with recommendations was adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE RE: STATE OF THE CHURCH

The Assembly called for the Report of the above Committee (pages 382-395) which was presented by Dr. W. J. Adamson, Convener. On motion of Mr. R. C. Taylor, duly seconded, it was agreed that the report be received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Mr. R. C. Taylor, duly seconded, Mr. W. L. Young and Dr. Goodwill MacDougall were given permission to speak during the presentation of this report.

MODERATOR

At the request of the Moderator, Dr. Ross Cameron assumed the Chair.

RECOMMENDATION 1

Mr. R. C. Taylor moved, duly seconded, Recommendation 1 and the Assembly concurred in the addition at the end of part (b) the words: "and report to the 105th General Assembly".

Mr. S. O. McEntyre moved in amendment, duly seconded, the following alternative wording:

"That the 104th General Assembly commit The Presbyterian Church in Canada to church renewal and growth as a major, long-term priority:

To enable such a commitment:

- a) that concrete plans for strong church renewal and growth initiative be brought before the 105th General Assembly for consideration and action, by the Board of Congregational Life in co-operation with the Board of World Mission so that an on-going national strategy for church renewal and growth may be developed for at least a ten year period;
- b) that the Board of Congregational Life and the Board of World Mission be given necessary funding in 1978-79 to enable consultations with specialists in the area of church renewal and growth to assist in the process of planning a national strategy for renewal and growth.
- c) that the Board of Congregational Life be instructed to proceed forthwith to seek ways and means to help all Presbyteries and local congregations to enlist in church renewal and growth programmes (preparatory to a national strategy being developed) which will include an emphasis on (1) personal commitment;

- (2) the development of supportative fellowships to conserve members; and (3) outreach programmes;
- d) that local congregations be encouraged to participate in the planning through Presbyteries for a national strategy of church renewal and growth;
- e) that Synods, Presbyteries and clusters of congregations be encouraged to hold consultations on church renewal and growth annually or bi-annually throughout the next ten to twelve year period;
- f) that the Board of Congregational Life and the Board of World Mission consult together on ways and means of implementing a strong on-going national and local ministry to youth and report to the next General Assembly;
- g) that the Board of World Mission seek to encourage its personnel and congregations under its care at home and overseas to participate in church renewal and growth projects in co-operation with the Board of Congregational Life."

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Mr. Ian Shaw, duly seconded, Miss Patricia Page, Young Adult Observer, was given permission to speak.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Mr. F. R. McPhee, duly seconded, Mr. Larry Bates, Young Adult Observer, was given permission to speak.

Dr. Bruce Miles moved in amendment to the amendment, duly seconded, the addition "that Presbyteries study the Report on membership trends published by the U.P.C.U.S.A., 1976-77 and implement where applicable".

MODERATOR

The Moderator resumed the Chair.

The amendment to the amendment was adopted.

The amendment was adopted.

The motion as amended was adopted.

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NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice that it is my intention to move or cause to be moved at a future sederunt, that in view of the current deficit budgeting facing our denomination, a period of restraint be implemented, for a period of one year, freezing appointments at Church Offices.

(Signed) Mrs. Ellen Forfar
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NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice that it is my intention to move, or cause to be moved, that this 104th General Assembly invite the Principals and faculties of our Church colleges to consider the advisability and practicality of making available to students a study

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of the relationship between Christianity and Communism and report to the 105th General Assembly.

(Signed) Mr. Bruce Molloy
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ADJOURNMENT

Announcements having been made, the Moderator adjourned the Assembly, to meet on the same day, in the same place, at 2:00 p.m., of which due intimation was made, and he did then pronounce the Benediction.

SEVENTH SEDERUNT

At Hamilton, and within MacNab Street Presbyterian Church there, on Thursday, the eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at two o'clock in the afternoon, the General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted by the Moderator with prayer.

COMMITTEE NAMED

The Moderator requested the Committee to Confer with the Moderator to produce the minute re retirement of Mr. James Barbour.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, the Convener. On motion of Mr. J. K. West, seconded by Mr. R. Mercer it was received and considered and, being adopted, the business for the Seventh Sederunt was ordered accordingly.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WORLD MISSION

Consideration of the Report of the Board of World Mission was resumed, Mrs. W. E. McCutcheon, Chairman, reporting.

RECOMMENDATION 7

The words "be provided" were added to recommendation 7 (a) after "overseas" with concurrence of the Court. Recommendation 7 (parts A and B) was adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 8

With concurrence of Assembly, the beginning of recommendation 8 was reworded: "That the General Assembly redefine the minimum stipend. . .".

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, Mr. Sandy Beaton, Young Adult Observer, was granted permission to speak.

Mr. R. McFadyen moved in amendment, duly seconded, the substitution of the following for the last sentence of explanation of recommendation 8:

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"That congregations will pay these costs of utilities directly unless their financial statement indicates they are unable to do so. When this is the case a formula shall be worked out between the Presbytery and the Board of World Mission to cover costs."

IMMEDIATE VOTE

On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, an immediate vote was taken. The amendment to recommendation 8 was defeated.

Recommendation 8 was adopted.

On motion of Mr. W. Donovan, duly seconded, recommendations 7 and 8 were referred to the Administrative Council, as finances are involved.

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH DOCTRINE

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Church Doctrine, which, as printed (pages 220-230), was presented by Dr. I. G. Nicol, the Convener. On motion of Mr. Stephen Hayes, duly seconded, it was agreed that the Report be received and its Recommendations considered seriatim.

RECOMMENDATION 1

On motion of Mr. H. Creaser, duly seconded, it was agreed to take an immediate vote.

Recommendation 1 was adopted, with the Assembly concurring in the following changes of wording:

- a) Supplement to chapter 4, part 1 . . . substitution of the word "Service" for "Worship".
- b) Supplement to chapter 4, part 5, both in sections (c) and (d) after ". . . Church" - insertion of the words "or in a full time position recognized by a Presbytery of the Church."
- c) Book of Forms section 174 line 3, substitution of the word "currently" for "presently".
- d) Book of Forms section 174 line 3, substitution of the word "demit" for "resign".

RECOMMENDATION 2

Mr. Ian Shaw moved, duly seconded, that Recommendation 2 be referred back for further study. The motion to refer back was adopted. (Continued on page 78)

REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH BUILDING CORPORATION

The Assembly called for the Report of the Presbyterian Church Building Corporation, which, as printed, (pages 348-349), was presented by Senator R.J.H. Stanbury.

On motion of Dr. R. K. Cameron, duly seconded, it was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

Recommendations 1, 2 and 3 were adopted.

On motion of Dr. R. K. Cameron, duly seconded, the report as a whole with its recommendations was adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON HISTORY

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on History, which, as printed, (Pages 326-328), was presented by Dr. J. S. Moir in place of the Convener.

On his motion, duly seconded, the Report was received and its Recommendations considered seriatim.

MODERATOR

At the request of the Moderator, Dr. Ross Cameron assumed the Chair.

RECOMMENDATIONS 1, 2 and 3

Recommendation 1 was defeated.

Recommendations 2 and 3 were adopted.

REPORT AS A WHOLE

On motion of Dr. J. S. Moir, duly seconded, the report as a whole with its recommendations as amended was adopted.

COMMITTEE ON REMITS

The Moderator called for the Report of the Committee on Remits which as printed (Page 359) was presented by Mr. Robert Sinclair. On motion of Mr. Sinclair, duly seconded, the report was received, and its recommendations considered seriatim.

1. Remit "A" re Constitution of Committee on Business

Your committee reports that sufficient Presbyteries have approved this remit to permit this Assembly to adopt this legislation.

We recommend that the constitution of the Committee on Business be as stated in A. & P., 1977, pp. 26 and 58.

Moved by Mr. R. A. Sinclair, duly seconded and adopted.

2. Remit "B" re Dismissory Letter

Your committee reports that sufficient Presbyteries have approved this remit to permit this Assembly to adopt this legislation.

We recommend that in Section 251 of The Book of Forms, "letter of standing" replace "dismissory letter" in the three places of the Section, and "or her" follow "his" in the three places of the Section.

Moved by Mr. R. A. Sinclair, duly seconded and adopted.

3. Remit "C" re Assistant Minister

Your committee reports that due to the lack of explanatory information which was to have been forwarded to the Presbyteries, few Presbyteries replied to this Remit.

We recommend that this Remit be sent down once again to the Presbyteries with the necessary explanatory information from the Committee on Church Doctrine.

Moved by Mr. R. A. Sinclair, duly seconded and adopted.

4. Remit "D" re Dates of Future Assemblies

Your committee reports that sufficient Presbyteries have approved this remit to permit this Assembly to adopt this legislation.

We recommend that Section 281 in the Book of Forms be changed by adding "notwithstanding any Assembly may determine the location of future Assemblies for the ensuing five years" after "before it dissolves".

Moved by Mr. R. A. Sinclair, duly seconded and adopted.

The report as a whole of the Committee on Remits was adopted, and the laws of the Church were changed accordingly.

REPORT OF CLERKS OF ASSEMBLY

The Assembly called for the above Report, which, as printed, (Pages 231-237), was presented by Dr. D. C. MacDonald.

On motion of Mr. W. Donovan, duly seconded, this report was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

MODERATOR

The Moderator resumed the Chair.

RECOMMENDATIONS 1 - 10

Recommendations 1 through 10 were adopted.

In part of the preamble to recommendation 2, it was noted that what appears as "Section III" should read "Section 111".

Recommendation 11 was deferred for later consideration with Recommendation 5 of the report of the Committee on Church Doctrine. (Continued on page 79)

REPORT OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

The Report of the Administrative Council was resumed, Mr. Lyman Purnell, Chairman, reporting.

Recommendations 10 and 11 were adopted.

Mr. Purnell moved Recommendation 12, duly seconded. Dr. John Johnston received permission to present the report of the Special Committee on Place and Time of future Assemblies. The report is as follows:

This committee has carefully considered Overture #32, 1978, (Page 477), Recommendation #12 of the Administrative Council, 1978, (Page 205) and the correspondence of the Clerks of Assembly relating to future Assemblies.

The committee agreed that it did not support that portion of Recommendation #12 of the Administrative Council which reads,

"for the next four years the General Assembly meetings be located in Toronto"

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for the following reasons:

1. It is important for the spiritual well-being and growth of Presbyterianism in particular areas to be involved, on occasion, in planning for, and participating in, a General Assembly. Clusters of congregations should be utilized where possible.
2. It is good for the witness of the Presbyterian Church to the secular community in any particular area; for example, media coverage, civic involvement, etc.
3. It is good for the strengthening of ecumenical relationships in an area.
4. It is important to "de-Toronto-ize" the image of the church.
5. It is good to indicate that the national church can identify with varied communities (small, ethnic, etc.) introducing the Assembly to the strengths of the mosaic of our denomination.
6. Moving from place to place indicates the flexibility of the church.
7. Meeting in a smaller or contained area strengthens, in many cases, the community spirit within the Assembly itself.

Recommendations

1. That Assembly accommodation continue to be provided in institutional residences or hotel facilities adjacent to the meeting area, where possible.
2. That business sessions be held in suitable rooms where Commissioners can lay out papers and where overhead projection facilities, etc., are available.
3. That microphones be located in various locations; and that there be easy entry to the meeting rooms to permit committees to withdraw and return without unduly upsetting the on-going business.
4. That the following future locations of Assemblies be presented to the appropriate General Assembly provided that the above guidelines will be accepted by the invitees:

1979 - Sudbury

1980 - Windsor (with negotiation on dates in order to coincide with the Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church in Detroit)

1981 - Ottawa (Presbytery invitation)

1982 - Toronto (if a suitable invitation is received)

1983 - Stratford

1984 - Toronto (if a suitable invitation is received)

1985 - Lethbridge

1986 - Cornwall

JOHN A. JOHNSTON,
Chairman

EDNA HENRY,
Secretary

Dr. Johnston moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed that the report be received and the recommendations considered seriatim.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Dr. J. C. McLelland, duly seconded, Dr. D. C. MacDonald was given permission to speak during the presentation of this report.

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RECOMMENDATION 1

On motion of Mr. J. Ross Davidson, duly seconded, the report was referred back to the Committee along with the notice of motion of Mr. Lloyd Henderson re date of Assembly meeting, consulting with the Principal Clerk.

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ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

Recommendations 14 to 17 were adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 18

Mr. J. Armour moved in amendment, duly seconded, that \$1,000. replace \$200. The amendment was defeated.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Mr. Ian MacSween, duly seconded, Mr. W. L. Young was given permission to speak.

Recommendations 18 and 19 were adopted.

RECOMMENDATIONS 20 - 22

Mr. D. T. Stiel moved in amendment to Recommendation 20, duly seconded that the prayer of overture #10 of the Presbytery of Cape Breton be sent down to all the Presbyteries and Synods of the Church for further study of the positive possibilities that are given - such as

- breaking out of bad congregationalism
- of bearing one another's burdens and so to fulfil the law of Christ
- of utilizing the Presbyterian system of government for the promotion of the welfare of each of the participating churches
- of promoting good Christian Stewardship over our facilities -

and that they be asked to report to the Administrative Council before December 31, 1978, for further review and study by the Council, and that the Council report to the 105th General Assembly.

The Amendment was defeated.

Recommendation 20 was adopted.

Recommendations 21 and 22 were adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 23

Dr. G. E. Dobie moved an amendment, duly seconded, that the following words be added "and General Assembly instruct the Presbyterian members of the Task Force on Churches and Corporate Responsibilities to refer to the Committee on Social Responsibility all public pronouncements prior to their publication."

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ADJOURNMENT

Announcements having been made, the Moderator adjourned the Assembly to meet in Knox Church, Burlington, on the same day and at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening of which public intimation was given, and the Sederunt was closed by the Moderator with prayer.

EIGHTH SEDERUNT

At Burlington, and within Knox Church there, on the eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at seven thirty o'clock in the evening, the General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and, after devotions conducted by Mr. James Weir, was constituted by the Moderator with prayer.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, the Convener. On motion of Mr. J. K. West, duly seconded, the report was received and considered and, being adopted, the business for the Eighth Sederunt was ordered accordingly.

THANKS TO KNOX, BURLINGTON

The Moderator expressed appreciation to Mr. James Weir and the Knox, Burlington congregation for arrangements for the evening worship and sederunt.

RECORDS OF ASSEMBLY AND SYNODS

On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, the Reports on the Records of Assembly, 1977 and the several Synods were adopted, cum nota in certain instances.

COMMITTEE TO NOMINATE STANDING COMMITTEES

Consideration of the Report of the Committee to Nominate Standing Committees was resumed. Mr. W. Russell, Convener, reporting. (Continued on page 63)

SPECIAL COMMITTEE NAMED

The Moderator named the Special Committee re Inter Church Relations:
 Chairperson - Mrs. Heather Johnston
 Dr. DeC. H. Rayner, Dr. W. Klempa and Mr. R. McFadyen

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REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MINISTRY

Consideration of the Report of the Board of Ministry was resumed, Mr. D.G.M. Herron, Chairman, reporting.

Recommendations 6 through 9 were adopted.

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ADDITIONAL MOTION

On motion of Mr. D. T. Stiel, duly seconded, the Assembly adopted the following as recommendation 10:

"That presentation of a new Remuneration system (as requested by Overture #9, 1978) be made to the 105th General Assembly."

On motion of Dr. D.G.M. Herron, duly seconded, the report as a whole of the Board of Ministry, with its recommendations as amended was adopted.

COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Consideration of the Report of the Committee on International Affairs was resumed, Dr. E. S. Mackay reporting in the absence of the Chairman.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Mr. D.E.W. Lennox, duly seconded, Mr. D. DuCharme and Mr. Lawrence DeWolfe, Young Adult Observers, were given permission to speak.

Recommendation 5 as amended in the Fourth Sederunt was adopted.

Recommendation 6 was adopted with the figure of \$3,000. reduced to \$2,000. with concurrence of the Court.

ADDITIONAL RECOMMENDATION

Mr. G. McKenzie moved, duly seconded, the following as an additional recommendation #7; that the documents referring to apartheid, called The Koinania Declaration be obtained and the committee study and report back to the 105th General Assembly. Also that the committee provide copies of this document to all Presbyteries and that they be urged to contact each congregation, supply them with a copy, and solicit their comments.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

Mr. George Malcolm was given permission to speak in connection with this report.

Recommendation 7 above was adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 8

Mr. Ian Shaw moved an additional motion as recommendation 8, duly seconded, that in future assemblies this committee bring in recommendations reprimanding injustices in other countries in the world, in the same ratio as used by Amnesty International, i.e., one for a communist country, one in the capitalist sphere, one in the neutral sphere.

This motion was defeated.

RECOMMENDATION 9

Mr. James L. Hanna moved the following as recommendation 9, duly seconded, "that The Presbyterian Church in Canada does not condone or support its funds being used to purchase weapons in Africa."

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IMMEDIATE VOTE

Dr. A. O. MacLean moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed that an immediate vote be taken.

The motion was defeated.

POSTPONE ADJOURNMENT

Mr. John Pace moved, duly seconded, that Assembly postpone adjournment to 10:30 p.m.

The motion was defeated.

On motion of Dr. E. S. Mackay, duly seconded, the report as a whole, with recommendations as amended was adopted.

NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice of motion that it is my intention to move or cause to be moved at a future sederunt that this General Assembly instruct the Administrative Council to establish a committee to examine the role of Mission Superintendents consulting with the Board of World Mission and the Board of Ministry, so that present and future needs of ministry may be effectively met.

Signed: Stuart McEntyre
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NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice of motion that it is my intention to move or cause to be moved that the Clerks of Assembly investigate the possibility of assigning tasks of some smaller Assembly committees to various regions of the country (west, central, east) by rotation, and with other regions by correspondence as deemed necessary, and that the Clerks of Assembly report back to the 105th General Assembly.

Signed: Gordon Timbers
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ADJOURNMENT

Announcements having been made, the Moderator adjourned the General Assembly to meet in MacNab Street Church on Friday, the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at the hour of nine thirty o'clock in the morning, of which public intimation was made, and this Sederunt was closed by the Moderator with prayer.

NINTH SEDERUNT

At Hamilton, and within MacNab Street Presbyterian Church there, Friday, the ninth day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at nine thirty o'clock in the morning, the General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted by the Moderator with prayer.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Business which was presented and read by Mr. D. J. Herbison, the Convener. On motion of Mr. E.

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Bottomley, duly seconded, it was received and considered and, being adopted, the business for the Ninth Sederunt was ordered accordingly.

MINUTES

The Minutes of the Fourth and Fifth Sederunts were presented by the Clerks in mimeographed form and sustained.

REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN RECORD COMMITTEE

The Assembly called for the Report of the Presbyterian Record Committee which, as printed (pages 350, 489-490) was presented by Mr. W. Fairley, Convener.

On motion of Mr. J. Fortier, duly seconded, the Report was received and considered.

Recommendation 1 was adopted.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, Mr. J. R. Dickey, Editor, was given permission to speak.

ADDITIONAL MOTION

Mr. W. Donovan moved, duly seconded, that the subscription rates for the Presbyterian Record be increased by 50 cents, beginning with the new subscriptions at the end of December, 1978.

Dr. W. Shantz moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the subscription rate be increased as necessary with a view to making the Presbyterian Record self-supporting, the Administrative Council having authority to issue after consultation with the Presbyterian Record Committee.

IMMEDIATE VOTE

On motion of Mr. G. McKenzie, duly seconded, it was agreed to take an immediate vote.

The amendment was adopted, as was the motion as amended.

On motion of Mr. W. Donovan, duly seconded, the report as a whole with its recommendations as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE
RE: MR. R. F. CUNNINGHAM

The Assembly called for the Report of the above Committee which was presented by Dr. A. O. MacLean, Convener. On his motion, duly seconded, it was agreed that the report be received and its recommendation considered.

The Committee recommended that this 104th General Assembly appoint a Commission to meet with the Rev. Roy Cunningham and the Presbytery of Vancouver Island.

The Committee also nominated that the personnel of this Commission be - Dr. Bruce Miles, Mr. Ian McSween and Mr. Hugh Lloyd, Elder, together with the Principal Clerk or his appointee, as consultant.

At the suggestion of Mr. Bruce Malloy the court commended the Principal Clerk for the compassion with which this matter was brought before the Assembly. The recommendation together with the nominations was adopted.

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REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE
RE: APPEAL OF MR. T. O. McALLISTER

The Assembly called for the Report of the above Committee which was presented by Dr. D.G.M. Herron, Convener. On his motion, duly seconded, it was agreed to receive the report and consider its recommendation.

The Committee recommends that the General Assembly establish a Commission to hear the appeal of Mr. T. O. McAllister from the decision of the Presbytery of Brampton;

That the Commission meet without undue delay with both parties separately and jointly; and rule in the matter;

That the Commission consist of Mr. Wallace I. Little, Hespeler, Ont., Dr. A. Lorne Mackay, Hamilton, Ont., Ministers; and Mr. R. J. Morse, Toronto, Ont., and Mr. F. E. Milne, Hamilton, Ont., Elders; with Dr. D. C. MacDonald, Principal Clerk, as consultant.

The recommendation of the Special Committee was adopted.

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REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON OVERTURE NO. 19

The Assembly called for the Report of the Special Committee on the above overture which was presented by Mr. J. Pace, Convener, on whose motion, duly seconded, the report was received and considered.

On motion of Mr. J. Pace, duly seconded, it was agreed that the Prayer of the overture be granted with the following changes:

In the body of the overture, in the 5th Whereas, the words "and the Unity of Canada" be deleted.

In the Prayer of the overture the word "vicious" be deleted.

On motion of Mr. Pace, duly seconded, the report as a whole was adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE, OVERTURES 1 AND 30
PRESBYTERY OF WATERLOO-WELLINGTON
AND ROSEDALE CHURCH SESSION
RE: DEPUTY CLERKS OF ASSEMBLY

The Assembly called for the Report of the Special Committee on the above Overtures which was presented by Mr. A. M. Beaton, the convener. Mr. Beaton moved, duly seconded, that the following recommendation be received and considered:

"That the Assembly appoint a Committee to consider overtures 1 and 30 and report to the 105th General Assembly."

The Recommendation was adopted.

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REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE, OVERTURE NO. 15
 PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER
 RE: METHOD OF ELECTING MODERATORS

The Assembly called for the Report of the Special Committee on the above Overture which was presented by Mr. L. D. Hankinson, Convener. On motion of Mr. Hankinson, duly seconded, it was received and considered.

The report was as follows:

The Special Committee to study overture 15, p. 468, has met and answers the overture in the following manner:

- that whereas, no perfect way has been found, free of human weakness and fault to nominate a Moderator;
- and whereas, no other alternative has given the whole Church a greater opportunity to participate in the selection of the Moderator;
- and whereas, the preferential vote does leave some with the impression they must vote for all candidates known or unknown to them, lest their vote be invalidated.

RECOMMENDATION 1

That a Statement by the Clerk of Assembly explaining the whole procedure of the preferential vote system be sent to the Presbyteries, and that diligent and prayerful attention be given by all Presbyters in their nomination that only nominees with qualifications befitting the responsible position of Moderator be forwarded.

Recommendation 1 was adopted on motion of Mr. Hankinson, duly seconded.

The report as a whole was adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE, OVERTURE 25
 PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY
 RE: MEMBERS OF PRESBYTERY

The Assembly called for the Report of the Special Committee on the above Overture which, as printed (page 471) was presented by Mr. J. Armour, Convener. On his motion, duly seconded, it was received and adopted.

The Committee begs to report in the following terms:

"It should be understood that a pastoral charge is made up of one congregation, or of two or more congregations when a Presbytery has officially joined them in one pastoral charge.

In this case one Representative Elder will be appointed to Presbytery. Congregations not so amalgamated may be separately represented in Presbytery even though they are under the Pastoral care of one Minister.

This interpretation will affect the principle of parity in the sense of maintaining an equal number of Ministers and Ruling Elders on the Constituent Roll of Presbytery but is within the spirit of the Book of Forms Section 176, 2b."

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REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON OVERTURE NO. 26
 PRESBYTERY OF CHATHAM
 RE: COMMUNION ROLL

The Assembly called for the Report of the Special Committee on the above Overture, which was presented by Mr. J. Armour. On his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and considered.

RECOMMENDATION 1

That the Prayer of Overture 26 be answered by the addition of a sentence to 125 e) of the Book of Forms to read as follows "whereas the addresses of members are not known to the Session they may be listed on an Appendix to the Roll with a notation of the date of removal from the Communion Roll as such," and that this change be sent down under the Barrier Act.

On motion of Mr. W. Henderson, duly seconded, this matter was referred to the Clerks of Assembly, to report to the next General Assembly.

COMMITTEE ON OVERTURE NO. 33
 PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN
 RE: THE PROBLEM OF ILLITERACY IN CANADA

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Overture No. 33 which was presented by Dr. W. Klempa, the Convener.

Overture 33 from the Presbytery of Saint John, Re: The Problem of Illiteracy requests that this General Assembly express its concern to the Secretary of State and urge the Federal Government to initiate a national program to help eradicate the problem of illiteracy in Canada.

It is the judgment of your Committee that Overture 33 underlines a serious problem which exists in our Canadian Society. It is difficult to define literacy and illiteracy with any degree of precision. The Canadian Association for Adult Education defines functional illiteracy in Canada as a Grade 8 level of education or less. Others define functional illiteracy as a Grade 5 level of education or less. If the former definition is accepted there are as many as five million Canadians 15 years of age or over who are functionally illiterate; if the latter definition is used, there are one million Canadians 15 years of age or over who are functionally illiterate.

These statistics point to a very serious social problem in our midst; namely, the existence of a large number of Canadians who either cannot read and write or who have great difficulty in doing so. This ought to be a matter of deep concern to all Christian people and particularly to our Church which has traditionally placed such a large emphasis on education.

Your Committee therefore recommends that the prayer of the overture be answered in the following terms:

1. That we go on record as supporting the Movement for Canadian Literacy, 640 Coxwell Avenue, Toronto, in its efforts to raise public awareness of the existence of this problem.

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2. That we communicate with the Secretary of State and the Ministries of Education of the Provinces to urge them to implement programs for literacy where they do not exist and to co-ordinate existing programs.
3. That congregations be urged to support literacy programs already in existence and to implement new ones and that they encourage their members and adherents to assist in the tutoring of persons who are functionally illiterate.
4. That the whole matter of illiteracy be referred to the Board of Congregational Life to make it an ongoing concern and to study the implications of the problem of illiteracy for Christian Education programs.

Recommendations 1 through 4 were adopted on motion of Dr. Klempa, duly seconded.

On motion of Dr. Klempa, duly seconded, the report as a whole was adopted.

ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL RECOMMENDATION 40

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Recommendation 40, Administrative Council which was presented by Mr. John Cameron, the Convener.

On motion of Mr. Cameron, duly seconded, the report was received and the following recommendation was adopted:

"That the name of The Presbyterian Church in Canada be not attached to the Pre-Election Kit."

TRIBUTE TO MR. J. B. BARBOUR

On motion of Mr. Gordon Faraday, duly seconded, it was agreed that the following tribute to Mr. J. B. Barbour be adopted and printed in the minutes:

"The 104th General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada expressed, with a well deserved standing ovation, its gratitude and appreciation to our Comptroller, Mr. J. B. Barbour at the time of considering his resignation.

"During your long term of office as Assistant Comptroller and then Comptroller, you gave unstintingly of yourself in the discharge of your duties. You have been kind but firm, friendly and fair, honest and truthful, just and merciful in all your relationships. As a dedicated servant of the Church you always placed the interest of the Church paramount in all your advice and decisions to various Boards and Committees. The Presbyterian Church in Canada wishes you a long and healthy retirement, praying that God will bless you with a happy and contented life."

COMMITTEE NAMED

The Moderator named the following as the continuing Special Committee on National Unity: Mr. W. R. Russell, Chairman, Dr. D.G.M. Corbett, Mr. John M. Cerini, Q.C.

NATIONAL UNITY

Mr. J. R. Cameron addressed the Court regarding materials distributed earlier re National Unity. He moved, duly seconded, that the 104th General Assembly endorse the "People to People Petition for Canadian Unity" and permit its distri-

bution throughout the Presbyteries and congregations of the Church so that those of a mind to support it may have the opportunity to do so.

MODERATOR

At the request of the Moderator, Dr. R. K. Cameron assumed the Chair.

Mr. N.W.B. Phills moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the petition be sent down simpliciter to Presbyteries without the name of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

On motion of Mr. L.F.D. Purnell, duly seconded, the motion and amendment were referred to the members of the National Unity Committee present at Assembly together with Mr. David Craig, Mr. J. R. Cameron and Dr. J. C. McLelland, to report to the afternoon sederunt. (Continued on page 83)

MODERATOR

The Moderator resumed the Chair.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON RECOMMENDATIONS 1 - 3 OF INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS COMMITTEE

The Assembly called for the Report of the above Committee which was presented by Mrs. John Johnston, the Convener.

Dr. Johnston moved, duly seconded, that Recommendation 1 of the Inter-Church Relations Committee be adopted in the following terms:

1. That The Presbyterian Church in Canada reaffirms its fraternal relationship with The Presbyterian Church of Australia and recognizes the Uniting Church of Australia as a member of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches.

Mr. Roy McFadyen moved, duly seconded, in amendment: That The Presbyterian Church in Canada reaffirm its fraternal support of the Presbyterian Church of Australia and we offer to God our prayers in their behalf.

IMMEDIATE VOTE

On motion of Mr. N. Phills, duly seconded an immediate vote was taken.

The amendment was defeated.

On motion of Mr. G. MacKenzie, duly seconded, a recorded vote was taken. The Moderator announced 30 in favour of the amendment and 129 against.

Recommendation 1 was adopted.

Dr. J. Johnston moved, duly seconded, to delete recommendation 2 of the Inter-Church Relations Committee and this was adopted.

Recommendation 3 was adopted as follows: That the Uniting Church of Australia and the United Church of Canada be considered when the General Assembly reviews, revises and updates the list of Churches which the Assemblies of 1948 and 1961 established as the list of Churches from which The Presbyterian Church in Canada can call ministers directly. That this review be done by the Committee on Inter-Church Relations in consultation with the Committee on Doctrine, the Board of Ministry and the Board of Education.

The report as a whole with recommendations was adopted on motion of Dr. J. Johnston, duly seconded.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON FUTURE ASSEMBLIES

The Assembly called for the Report of the above Committee, which was presented by Dr. J. A. Johnston, the Convener, and on his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and considered. The latter part of the report was revised as follows:

Guidelines

1. That Assembly accommodation be provided in institutional residence or hotel facilities adjacent to the meeting area, where possible.
2. That business sessions be held in suitable rooms where Commissioners can ideally lay out papers and where overhead projection facilities, etc., are available.
3. That microphones be located in various locations; and that there be easy entry to the meeting rooms to permit committees to withdraw and return without unduly upsetting the on-going business.

Recommendation

That the following future locations of Assemblies be presented to the appropriate General Assembly provided that those who invite seek to meet the above guidelines and that the Administrative Council be empowered to effect any necessary revisions as to place and time of the next Assembly in cases of emergency.

1979 - Sudbury

1980 - Windsor (with negotiation on dates in order to coincide with the Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church in Detroit)

1981 - Ottawa

1982 - Toronto (if a suitable invitation is received)

1983 - Stratford

Mr. J. Pace moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the latter part read: "1980 - Toronto, 1981 - Toronto, 1982 - Toronto, 1983 - Toronto.

The amendment was defeated.

The Recommendation was adopted.

On motion of Dr. Johnston, duly seconded, the report as a whole was adopted.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON OVERTURE NOS. 35-42 TO PLACE ON CONSTITUENT ROLL

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Overtures No. 35-42 which was presented by Mr. Ian MacSween, the Convener. On motion of Mr. MacSween, duly seconded, the prayers of Overtures 35, 36, 39, 40, 41, 42 were granted.

Mr. MacSween moved, duly seconded, that the Prayer of the Overture No. 37 be not granted, and the motion was adopted.

Mr. MacSween moved duly seconded, that the Prayer of Overture No. 38 be not granted. Mr. H. M. Creaser moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the Prayer be granted.

The amendment was adopted. The recommendation as amended was adopted and the prayer of the Overture was granted.

On motion of Mr. MacSween, duly seconded, it was agreed that permission be granted to their respective Presbyteries to place the names of Rev. T.G.M. Bryan, Rev. S. J. Sharkey, Rev. Keith E. Wilcox, Rev. Leonard E. Graham, Dr. E. H. Johnson, Dr. DeCourcy H. Rayner, Rev. G. Taylor-Munro, Dr. J. S. Glen, on their Constituent Rolls.

COMMITTEE TO NOMINATE STANDING COMMITTEES

Consideration of the Report of the Committee to Nominate Standing Committees was resumed, Mr. W. Russell, Convener, reporting.

The report as a whole, as amended, of the Committee to Nominate Standing Committees was adopted on motion of Mr. S. O. McEntyre, duly seconded, as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO NOMINATE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, 1978

(It is understood that the Moderator is a member ex-officio of all Assembly Boards and Committees, and the Treasurer is a member ex-officio of all the Spending Boards and Committees of Assembly.)

GROUP "A" ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

One Year - Mr. L.F.D. Purnell, Q.C., Saint John, N.B. (Chairman) (73); Rev. Dr. G. Dobie, Ottawa, Ontario (Vice-Chairman) (76); Rev. F. R. McPhee, Renfrew, Ontario (76); Mr. E. F. Bell, Winnipeg, Man. (76); Rev. T. Plomp, Richmond, B.C. (73); Synod of Atlantic Provinces - Rev. R. W. Cruickshank, New Glasgow, N.S. (76); Synod of Toronto and Kingston - Rev. John F. Allan, Willowdale, Ont. (76); Synod of British Columbia - Rev. R. C. Garvin, Port Alberni, B.C. (73).

Two Years - Miss E. Leitch, Toronto, Ont. (74); Mr. G. B. MacDonald, Toronto, Ont. (74); Rev. D. S. Campbell, Tara, Ont. (74); Mr. J. D. Mackie, Montreal, Que. (77); Rev. J. R. Cameron, Charlottetown, P.E.I. (77); Synod of Quebec and Eastern Ontario - Mr. George van Beek, Williamstown, Ont. (77); Synod of Hamilton and London - Mr. Frank Milne, Ancaster, Ont. (77); Synod of Alberta - Rev. Ian MacSween, Edmonton, Alta. (77).

Three Years - Mrs. Frances MacOdrum, Brockville, Ont. (75); Rev. Graeme E. Duncan, Carberry, Man. (75); Mr. E. R. Clark, Montreal, Que. (78); Mr. Eugene Gillies, St. Catharines, Ont. (78); Synod of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario - Rev. Dr. Bruce A. Miles, Winnipeg, Man. (78); Synod of Saskatchewan - Mr. Fraser Reid, Regina, Sask. (75).

Plus - Ex-Officio members as per regulations of the Administrative Council. (See Book of Forms, p. 131, 1970 edition.)

Note: Rotation for appointments to the Administrative Council by Synods (See p. 81, A. & P., 1975). These appointments are to be sent to the Committee to Nominate to be included in their report and to be shown as the Synod representatives.

For the 1979 Assembly: Synods of Atlantic Provinces (minister); Toronto and Kingston (minister); British Columbia (elder).

(For system of rotation between minister and lay representatives see Stitched Minutes, A. & P. 1976, p. 323).

BOARD OF CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

One Year - Mr. Hugh Lloyd, Winnipeg, Man. (73); Rev. James Armour, Baie d'Urfe, Que. (75); Rev. A. M. McCombie, Islington, Ont. (76); Mr. E. David White, St. Albert, Alta. (76); Rev. David Craig, Ste. Foy, Que. (76); Mr. Rolfe E. MacLagan, Guelph, Ont. (76).

Two Years - Rev. Dr. W. J. Adamson, Islington, Ont. (Chairman) (73); Mrs. F. R. McKee, Toronto, Ont. (73); Rev. G. L. Blackwell, Saint John, N.B. (77); Mr. R. McTavish, Stratford, Ontario (74); Rev. A. McGillivray, Prince Albert, Sask. (77); Mrs. Betty McLagan, Montreal, Que. (77).

Three Years - Rev. Dr. Malcolm A. McCuaig, Ottawa, Ont. (76); Rev. Charles Congram, Belle River, Ont. (75); Miss Cae Dickson, Vancouver, B.C. (78); Mr. Ralph Kane, Halifax, N.S. (75).

One appointed by each Synod; either the Synod Convener of Congregational Life, or an equivalent office.

Two representatives from the W.M.S. (W.D.)

One representative from the W.M.S. (E.D.)

One representative from each of the following - National Committee of Presbyterian Men, National Advisory Council for Youth Ministry, Board of World Mission.

BOARD OF WORLD MISSION

One Year - from W.M.S. (W.D.) - Mrs. S.V.A. Gordon, Winnipeg, Man. (75); Miss D. L. Blaise, Montreal, Que. (76); Mrs. E. Henry, Toronto, Ont. (76); from W.M.S. (E.D.) - Miss A. Condon, Moncton, N.B. (77); from Assembly - Mr. T. Foulkes, Ottawa, Ont. (72); Rev. D. G. Neil, Montreal, Que. (73); Rev. E. Herron, Nanaimo, B.C. (73); Rev. J.S.S. Armour, St. John's, Nfld. (73); Rev. G. B. Cunningham, Scarborough, Ont. (76); Dr. John Ross, Kitchener, Ont. (76); Mr. Robert Kennedy, Winnipeg, Man. (76).

Two Years - from W.M.S. (W.D.) - Mrs. W. H. Adamson, London, Ont. (72); Mrs. J. M. Burnett, Thornhill, Ont. (74); Mrs. J. D. Cleghorn, Guelph, Ont. (74); from W.M.S. (E.D.) - Mrs. A. J. Murchieson, Charlottetown, P.E.I. (77); from Assembly - Rev. T.G.M. Bryan, Burlington, Ont. (74); Rev. J. J. Harrold Morris, Listowel, Ont. (Chairman) (74); Mrs. D. K. Percival, Calgary, Alta. (77); Rev. D. Stewart, Kelowna, B.C. (77); Rev. M. Garvin, Weston, Ont. (77); Rev. J. Williams, Creemore, Ont. (77); Mrs. Marjorie Ross, Toronto, Ont. (78).

Three Years - from W.M.S. (W.D.) - Mrs. K. W. Rayner, Paris, Ont. (76); Mrs. H. Hogg, Willowdale, Ont. (75); from W.M.S. (E.D.) - Miss J. M. Bannerman, Hampton, N.B. (74); from Assembly - Rev. A. M. Duncan, Brockville, Ont. (75); Rev. J. W. Cruickshank, Corunna, Ont. (75); Rev. W. A. Donovan, Kipling, Sask.

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(75); Rev. Dr. J. E. Sutherland, Malton, Ont. (78); Rev. F. R. Kendall, Ottawa, Ont. (78).

Ex-Officio - Members as per regulations of the Board of World Mission: Conveners of Synods' Mission Committees; President of the W.M.S. (W.D.).

BOARD OF MINISTRY

One Year - Rev. Dr. D.G.M. Herron, Toronto, Ont. (Chairman) (73); Miss Agnes Roy, Toronto, Ont. (Vice-Chairman) (73); Rev. J. C. MacIver, Winnipeg, Man. (76); Mr. H. S. Stewart, Mississauga, Ont. (76); Rev. Dr. R. K. Cameron, Toronto, Ont. (77).

Two Years - Rev. Dr. D. R. MacDonald, Port Elgin, Ont. (73); Miss Evelyn Murdoch, Hamilton, Ont. (73); Mr. W. Halyk, Kelowna, B.C. (77); Rev. C. H. Carter, Victoria Harbour, Ont. (77); Mrs. M. Manson, Valois, Que. (78).

Three Years - Rev. W. I. Little, Cambridge (H), Ont. (75); Prof. Dr. Alexandra Johnston, Toronto, Ont. (77); Rev. W. I. McElwain, Ottawa, Ont. (78); Rev. M. MacRae, Bras d'Or, N.S. (78); Rev. P. Rose, St. Catharines, Ont. (78).

One representative from each of the following: the Board of World Mission, the Board of Congregational Life and the Pension Board.

Plus - Principal of Knox College, Presbyterian College, Ewart College, ex-officio, or their designees.

- a representative of the Council of the Order of Deaconesses.

- The General Secretary of the Board of Ministry as a non-voting member.

GROUP "B"

SENATE OF KNOX COLLEGE

One Year - Prof. J. Thompson, Ottawa, Ont. (67); Rev. H. Goggin, Mississauga, Ont. (76); Rev. Dr. W. S. Reid, Guelph, Ont. (76).

Two Years - Rev. M. Muth, North Battleford, Sask. (77); Prof. E. Beame, Hamilton, Ontario (77); Mrs. J. Stewart, Mississauga, Ont. (77).

Three Years - Rev. J. A. Sitler, Montreal, Que. (75); Rev. R.A.B. MacLean, Dartmouth, N.S. (75); Rev. D. Mahood, Banff, Alta. (78)

Principal (Chairman); Two student representatives; one from the Alumni; the Professors; and permanent lecturers.

BOARD OF KNOX COLLEGE

One Year - Mr. R. R. Finch, Don Mills, Ont. (73); Mr. F. A. Beale, Hamilton, Ont. (Chairman) (72); Rev. W. F. Duffy, Kingston, Ont. (76); Dr. R. H. Armstrong, Wingham, Ont. (76); Mr. G. Patterson, Thornhill, Ontario (73); Rev. E. A. Beggs, Orillia, Ont. (76).

Two Years - Rev. G. MacDonald, Kitchener, Ont. (77); Rev. J. Pace, Halifax, N.S. (77); Dr. J. K. Lattimore, Toronto, Ont. (77); Miss P. Waldie, Toronto, Ont. (77); Mr. A. C. Burgess, Toronto, Ont. (77); Mr. W. Jack, Listowel, Ont. (74).

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Three Years - Mr. Donald Pounsett, Toronto, Ont. (75); Rev. Dr. R. Johnston, Montreal, Que. (75); Rev. Dr. Bruce Miles, Winnipeg, Man. (78); Mr. D. A. Carman, Oakville, Ont. (78); Rev. M. S. Jess, Welland, Ont. (78).

Principal; One Faculty member; two student representatives; two representatives of the Alumni; Treasurer of the Church, ex-officio.

THE SENATE OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

One Year - Rev. Dr. A. O. MacLean, Halifax, N.S. (76); Dr. T. E. Dancey, Montreal, Que. (76); Mrs. G. McLagan, Montreal, Que. (76); Miss Ruth M. Low, Montreal, Que. (74); Mr. John D. Hogg, Montreal, Que. (74); Mr. W. S. Bush, Montreal, Que. (74); Mr. John R. McCallum, Outremont, Que. (74); Rev. Harvey Reichelt, North Battleford, Sask. (76).

Two Years - Rev. J. H. Kouwenberg, Prince George, B.C. (77); Rev. J. B. Robertson, New Glasgow, N.S. (77); Rev. Dr. G. Dobie, Ottawa, Ont. (77); Mr. Allan G. MacKenzie, St. Lambert, Que. (77); Rev. D. Craig, Ste. Foy, Que. (77); Rev. J. P. Jones, Guelph, Ont. (77); Mr. G. Auchinleck, Montreal, Que. (77); Rev. S. Hayes, Cobourg, Ont. (77).

Three Years - Mr. Lee S. Donohue, Montreal West, Que. (Vice-Chairman) (77); Rev. Dr. E.G.B. Foote, Ottawa, Ont. (75); Mr. W. Kenneth Hall, Montreal, Que. (78); Mr. Murray V. McDonald, Town of Mount Royal, Que. (78); Mr. Dan De Silva, Dollard Des Ormeaux, Que. (78); Rev. J. Bodkin, Montreal, Que. (78).

Principal (Chairman); Professors; two representatives of Students; two Alumni representatives.

BOARD OF EWART COLLEGE

One Year - Mrs. C. Remus, Paisley, Ont. (72); Miss H. Sinclair, Toronto, Ont. (71); Mrs. J. C. Bigelow, Charlottetown, P.E.I. (76); Rev. W. M. Moncrief, Pembroke, Ont. (76); Mrs. R. A. Sinclair, Fenwick, Ont. (72); Rev. T.A.A. Duke, London, Ont. (78).

Two Years - Rev. J. K. English, Niagara Falls, Ont. (Chairman) (77); Mrs. K. Timbers, Sutton West, Ont. (77); Mr. J. D. McCormack, Toronto, Ont. (77); Rev. Dr. A. E. Bailey, Vancouver, B.C. (77); Rev. Peter Gilbert, Willowdale, Ont. (78); Mrs. Margaret Daniels, Calgary, Alta. (78).

Three Years - Rev. R. R. Robinson, Brantford, Ont. (75); Rev. G. A. Beaton, Scarborough, Ont. (78); Mrs. D.J.M. Corbett, Toronto, Ont. (78); Rev. H. Crawford, Willowdale, Ont. (78); Mr. R. Jack, Cambridge (P), Ont. (78).

Principal; Members of Faculty, Graduates Representative; Student Representative; One representative from: Board of World Mission, Congregational Life; W.M.S. (W.D.) and (E.D.).

BOARD OF ST. ANDREW'S HALL

One Year - Mr. W. Walker, Vancouver, B.C. (76); Rev. J.H.W. Statham, Duncan, B.C. (Chairman) (75); Rev. Dr. A. G. Faraday, Penticton, B.C. (73).

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Two Years - Mr. R. R. Stevens, Vancouver, B.C. (77); Mr. W. R. Martin, Vancouver, B.C. (77); Rev. D. Maxwell, Vancouver, B.C. (77).

Three Years - Rev. R. G. Krepps, Salmon Arm, B.C. (78); Dr. W. Sinclair, New Westminster, B.C. (75); Mr. G. D. Mowat, Port Alberni, B.C. (75).

THE PRESBYTERIAN RECORD COMMITTEE

One Year - Miss H. Allen, Scarborough, Ont. (67); Rev. J. Congram, Toronto, Ont. (72); Mrs. D.G.M. Herron, Toronto, Ont. (76); Rev. D. Young, Toronto, Ont. (73).

Two Years - Rev. O. Channon, Windsor, N.S. (74); Rev. W. Fairley, Fenelon Falls, Ont. (Chairman) (72); Mrs. J. W. Cooke, Carleton Place, Ont. (77); Mr. R. Crichton, Toronto, Ont. (74).

Three Years - Mr. I. McKenzie, Portage la Prairie, Man. (78); Mr. J. Ball, Ottawa, Ont. (75); Rev. M. P. Farmery, Campbellville, Ont. (78); Mrs. G. Y. Davidson, Montreal, Que. (78).

THE PENSION BOARD

One Year - Mr. J. C. Macdonald, London, Ont. (66); Rev. C. Kirk, Fort Erie, Ont. (76); Mr. George Caldwell, Winchester, Ont. (76); Rev. M. D. Summers, Barrie, Ont. (76); Rev. S. W. Gentle, Southampton, Ont. (76); Mr. M. McBride, Montreal, Que. (76).

Two Years - Mr. G. Palmer, Toronto, Ont. (Chairman) (69); Mr. W. A. McCall, Toronto, Ont. (77); Mr. K. A. Mader, Halifax, N.S. (74); Mr. D. Ritchie, Parry Sound, Ont. (77); Mr. D. H. Winhold, Waterloo, Ont. (74); Mr. Wayne MacDonald, Peterborough, Ont. (77).

Three Years - Mr. Richard Roberts, Toronto, Ont. (Vice-Chairman) (72); Mr. K. Clarke, Belleville, Ont. (77); Rev. T. J. Caldwell, Hamilton, Ont. (75); Mr. William Russell, Windsor, Ont. (78).

Conveners of three Central Synods.

By Correspondence, Mr. K. R. MacGregor, Waterloo, Ont.; and Conveners of other Synods.

COMMUNICATION SERVICES COMMITTEE

Two representatives from Board of World Mission; Two representatives from the Board of Congregational Life; Two representatives from the W.M.S. (W.D.); Two representatives from the Record Committee; Two representatives from the National Religious Advisory Council of the C.B.C.

Up to six others appointed by the Committee.

By correspondence - 1 representative from W.M.S. (E.D.)

GROUP "C" BOARD OF EDUCATION

One Year - Mr. K. McKellar, Glencoe, Ont. (73); Rev. P. J. Darch, Niagara Falls, Ont. (73); Rev. Dr. W. R. Bell, New Westminster, B.C. (76).

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Two Years - Rev. Shirley Jeffery, Port Carling, Ont. (77); Rev. Dr. Sheldon MacKenzie, St. John's, Nfld. (78); Rev. Dr. R. A. Davidson, Saskatoon, Sask. (75).

Three Years - Rev. Dr. J. Ferguson, Stratford, Ont. (Chairman) (75); Mr. Trevor Boyes, Kitchener, Ont. (75).

Principals of Knox College, Presbyterian College, and Ewart College, or their representatives; Secretary for Field Operations, Canada Mission Fields and General Secretary, Board of Ministry, ex-officio.

GROUP "D" COMMITTEE ON HISTORY

One Year - Rev. W. F. Gillespie, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont. (76); Rev. W. M. Moncrieff, Pembroke, Ont. (75); Mr. H. MacMillan, Rockwood, Ont. (65).

Two Years - Prof. M. Evans, Guelph, Ont. (77); Mr. A. Ross, Toronto, Ont. (77); Rev. Dr. W. S. Reid, Guelph, Ont. (77).

Three Years - Rev. F. Rennie, Cornwall, Ont. (Convener) (75); Rev. T. M. Bailey, Hamilton, Ont. (69).

Archivist.

By correspondence: Synod Conveners.

Ex-Officio - Professor of Church History at Knox College and Presbyterian College (by correspondence).

COMMITTEE ON CHURCH ARCHITECTURE

One Year - Mr. M. Ross, Toronto, Ont. (Convener) (70); Rev. J. C. Elder, Don Mills, Ont. (73); Mr. J. Ma, Toronto, Ont. (71); Mr. L. Hagedorn, St. Catharines, Ont. (76).

Two Years - Mr. E. Gavel, Sydney, N.S. (74); Mr. I. Griffith, Pelham, Ont. (74); Mr. C. MacIver, Burlington, Ont. (77); Rev. F. Slavik, Toronto, Ont. (77).

Three Years - Mr. Robert Heughan, St. Lambert, Que. (75); Mr. Gordon Yuen, Vancouver, B.C. (75); Rev. F. J. Reed, Chesterville, Ont. (78).

Secretary of the Board of Congregational Life; Secretary of the Board of World Mission for Canada Mission Fields; Manager of The Presbyterian Church Building Corporation; Directors of Canada Extension for Synods of Hamilton and London, and Toronto and Kingston.

COMMITTEE TO NOMINATE - 1979

Rev. L. M. Clifton, Orillia, Ont. (Convener)

Rev. M. S. Jess, Welland, Ont. (Secretary)

COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS OF ASSEMBLY

One Year - Rev. W. C. McBride, Huntsville, Ont. (76); Mr. Chas. Smith, London, Ont. (78).

Two Years - Rev. L. S. van Mossel, Kitchener, Ont. (Convener) (76); Mr. F. E. Milne, Ancaster, Ont. (76).

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Three Years - Rev. S. Macdonnell, Montreal, Que. (78); Rev. R. A. Taylor, Sudbury, Ont. (78).

Ex-Officio - The Principal Clerk or his nominee.

COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH AID, REFUGEE AND WORLD SERVICE

One Year - Mr. R. W. McGraw, St. Catharines, Ont. (Convener) (74), Rev. A. Beaton, Cambridge (P), Ont. (78); Mr. J. Hong, Toronto, Ont. (78).

Two Years - Mrs. Marjorie Lowry, Scarborough, Ont. (75); Mr. John van Mossel, Kitchener, Ont. (77); Mr. Lloyd B. McGinnis, Winnipeg, Man. (78)

Three Years - Rev. G. Dalzell, Chatham, Ont. (75); Rev. R. Syme, Montreal, Que. (78); Rev. L. Landell, Atwood, Ont. (78).

Ex-Officio - Two representatives from the Board of World Mission; one representative from the W.M.S. (W.D.); Two representatives from the Board of Congregational Life; the Editor of "Glad Tidings" and "The Presbyterian Record"; Director of Mission Education, or alternate; Secretary of Administrative Council, or alternate; a representative of the Finance Committee of the Administrative Council.

COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

One Year - Rev. C. A. Dunn, North Bay, Ont. (76); Mrs. E. C. Treleaven, Toronto, Ont. (76).

Two Years - Rev. G. Doran, Windsor, Ont. (77); Rev. Dr. I. Nicol, Toronto, Ont. (77).

Three Years - Rev. D. W. Clarke, Sarnia, Ont. (75); Rev. R. Gellatly, Mississauga, Ont. (78).

Ex-Officio - The Convener (or first named) of the representatives of the Canadian Council of Churches, and representatives of the Alliance of Reformed Churches; Two Secretaries from the Board of World Mission; the Principal Clerk; Editor of the Presbyterian Record; two delegates from this Church to the Assembly of the World Council, including Mrs. J. A. Johnston (Convener); one representative of the W.M.S. (W.D.).

NORTH AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN AREA COUNCIL THE WORLD ALLIANCE OF REFORMED CHURCHES - 1976-79

Delegates: Rev. Dr. W. Klempa, Toronto, Ont. (70); Rev. B. Fraser, Toronto, Ont. (Convener) (74); Miss May Nutt, Don Mills, Ont. (77); Mr. K. Hall, Toronto, Ont. (72); Rev. D. L. Campbell, Ottawa, Ont. (76).

Alternates - Rev. G. Malcolm, Don Mills, Ont. (77); Mrs. E. C. Treleaven, Toronto, Ont. (77).

CANADIAN COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, 1978-81

For membership: See A. & P. 1974, p. 333.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH BUILDING CORPORATION

N.B. "Directors shall be elected annually by The General Assembly from Nominees of the Directors."

One Year - The Hon. Mr. Justice G. A. McGillivray, Toronto, Ont. (69); Mr. A. S. Aitken, Calgary, Alta. (69); The Hon. R.J.H. Stanbury, Q.C., Toronto, Ont. (Chairman) (69); Mr. R. R. Merifield, Q.C., Toronto, Ont. (71); Dr. J. D. Mundie, Winnipeg, Man. (76).

Two Years - Mr. D. A. Carman, Oakville, Ont. (76); Mr. R. H. Carley, Q.C., Peterborough, Ont. (70); Mr. A. L. Caldwell, Q.C., Halifax, N.S. (69); Hon. M. B. Dymond, M.D., Port Perry, Ont. (74); Mr. J. D. Finney, Toronto, Ont. (70).

Three Years - Mr. G. O. Huggan, C.A., Don Mills, Ont. (69); Mr. D. M. Walker, C.A., Vancouver, B.C. (69); Mr. R. Thomson, Montreal, Que. (71); Rev. Dr. A. F. MacSween, Don Mills, Ont. (Ex-officio) (73); Dr. G. D. Johnston, Brantford, Ont. (69); Rev. Dr. R. G. MacMillan, Oakville, Ont. (Ex-officio) (77).

Four Years - Rev. W. I. McElwain, Ottawa, Ont. (77); Mr. J. S. Marshall, Q.C., Hamilton, Ont. (69); Mr. D. S. McKercher, Saskatoon, Sask. (70); Mr. J. B. Barbour, Don Mills, Ont. (72); Rev. Dr. H. F. Davidson, Listowel, Ont. (78).

BOARD OF PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE, SASKATOON

One Year - Mr. A. Carey, Regina, Sask. (76); Mr. D. Back, Biggar, Sask. (Convener) (74); Rev. H. Reichelt, North Battleford, Sask. (75).

Two Years - Mrs. H. Neil, Saskatoon, Sask. (76); Mr. R. Phillips, Saskatoon, Sask. (78); Mr. Jack Wells, Saskatoon, Sask. (59);

Three Years - Rev. Dr. R. A. Davidson, Saskatoon, Sask. (65); Mr. Peter Mackie, Saskatoon, Sask. (74); Rev. J. C. Duff, Saskatoon, Sask. (78).

Ex-Officio - Superintendents of Missions for Synods of Manitoba and North Western Ontario, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

COMMITTEE ON CHURCH DOCTRINE

One Year - Rev. H. Goggin, Mississauga, Ont. (71); Rev. Dr. J. C. McLelland, Montreal, Que. (75); Rev. Dr. D.J.M. Corbett, Toronto, Ont. (76); Rev. E. M. MacNaughton, Toronto, Ont. (76); Rev. D.J.C. Cooper, Toronto, Ont. (77); Rev. Dr. D. Smith, Toronto, Ont. (76).

By correspondence - Dr. J. A. Ross, Vancouver, B.C. (70); Dr. D. L. Campbell, Ottawa, Ont. (67).

Two Years - Dr. Garth Wilson, Rexdale, Ont. (76); Rev. N. Vandermeij, Prescott, Ont. (74); Dr. W. Klempa, Toronto, Ont. (77); Rev. Dr. J. Burns, Thornhill, Ont. (77); Rev. S. Hayes, Cobourg, Ont. (77); Rev. Harry Waite, Barrie, Ont. (78).

By Correspondence: Rev. H. L. McCall, Marion Bridge, N.S. (74); Rev. Dr. Ian Rennie, Vancouver, B.C. (74).

Three Years - Rev. D. W. Hay, Caledon East, Ont. (75); Rev. J. W. Hutchison, Peterborough, Ont. (75); Rev. J. Archer, Port Dover, Ont. (78); Prof. J. S. Moir, Markham, Ont. (78); Rev. D. T. Stiel, Grand River, N.S. (78).

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By correspondence - Rev. Dr. W. R. Bell, New Westminster, B.C. (73); Rev. Dr. C. Scobie, Sackville, N.B. (75).

Ex-Officio - Professors of Systematic Theology in Knox College, (Convener) and Presbyterian College and Associate Professor of Biblical Studies in Ewart College.

COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

One Year - The Hon. R.J.H. Stanbury, Q.C., Toronto, Ont. (76); Mr. Alex I. Inglis, Ottawa, Ont. (76).

Two Years - Rev. G. Johnston, Toronto, Ont. (77); Rev. D. G. Neil, Montreal, Que. (Convener) (74).

Three Years - Mr. Heath MacQuarrie, Sackville, N.B. (76); Rev. B. P. Dass, Tottenham, Ont. (78).

Plus - 3 persons appointed by the Board of World Mission
 - 2 persons appointed by the Board of Congregational Life
 - 1 person appointed by the W.M.S. (W.D.)

N.B. The General Assembly shall elect up to 4 lay persons to the Committee.

DR. P. BRODIE'S ADDRESSES

On motion of Mr. L. E. Siverns, duly seconded, the Clerks were instructed to make the addresses of Dr. P. Brodie available to the commissioners of the 104th General Assembly, if Dr. Brodie is agreeable.

PERMISSION TO LEAVE

The members of the Committee on National Unity were granted permission to leave the Assembly at 2:30 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Announcements having been made, the Moderator adjourned the Assembly to meet on the same day and in the same place and at two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was made and this Sederunt was closed by the Moderator with the Benediction.

TENTH SEDERUNT

At Hamilton, and within MacNab Street Church there, on Friday, the ninth day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at two o'clock in the afternoon, the General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted by the Moderator with prayer.

REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, the Convener. On motion of Mr. Evan Bottomley, duly seconded, it was received and considered.

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On motion of Mr. J. Pace by way of amendment, duly seconded, it was agreed that the Administrative Council, the Board of Knox College, and the Senate of Presbyterian College be the first items on the docket for the Sederunt. The motion as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

The report of the Administrative Council was resumed, Mr. L.F.D. Purnell, Chairman, reporting.

RECOMMENDATIONS 23 - 30

The amendment to Recommendation 23 (Page 52) was adopted, as was Recommendation 23 as amended.

Recommendations 24-28 were adopted.

Recommendation 29 was adopted in terms of the Board of World Mission Recommendation 6. It was noted that the proportional increase for deaconesses was 97 percent.

On motion of Mr. K. E. King, duly seconded, it was agreed to consider Recommendation 5 of Knox College in connection with Recommendation 30.

On motion of Mr. L.F.D. Purnell, duly seconded, Recommendation 30 was adopted, excluding professors and Principal of Knox College.

KNOX COLLEGE BOARD

Knox College Board Recommendation 5 was moved by Mr. John Pace, duly seconded.

An amendment to section 1 of this recommendation was moved by Mr. J. McLeish, duly seconded, that, whereas the professors at Knox College accepted tenure at present salaries, that present salaries be increased by 6 percent at this time, and that consideration be given to a revision, if any, when Recommendation 4 is approved with a corresponding increase in regard to rental allowances where applicable, and that this increase be effective January 1, 1979. The amendment was adopted, and the motion as amended was adopted. (Continued on page 73)

ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

Recommendations 31 and 34 were adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 32

Mr. B. Headley moved in amendment to Recommendation 32, duly seconded, that (A) the committee for the Presbyterian Congress for 1979 be requested to set up electives which correspond with each of the congregational suggestions as listed in this report on page 390 part V(1) (a through k), and that (B) the committee be encouraged to make presentations to correspond to part 5-1(a) and 5-1(b), namely, that each presentation be Biblical (referring to both Old and New Testaments) and call for a commitment to Jesus Christ the Lord and obedience to His will, as an example of the renewal for which we pray.

The amendment was defeated.

Recommendation 32 was adopted.

Recommendation 36 was adopted, 83 voting for, 55 against.
 Recommendations 37 and 38 were adopted.

MODERATOR

At the request of the Moderator, Dr. R. K. Cameron assumed the chair.

RECOMMENDATION 39

Dr. R. D. MacDonald moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the budget for Knox College for 1979 be increased from \$202,710 to \$212,710.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. A. Sutherland moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the clause "and that the proviso mentioned in the preamble" be deleted and the following be added: "and that Synods, Presbyteries and Sessions be directed to call all Presbyterians to greater commitment to, and prayer to God on behalf of the present financial position of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

This amendment was defeated.

Recommendation 39, as amended, was adopted.

MODERATOR

The Moderator resumed the chair.

RECOMMENDATION 12

Recommendation 12 was considered dealt with in the action taken on the report of the Special Committee on the place and time of future Assemblies.

ADDITIONAL MOTION

The following motion of Dr. D. Herron, duly seconded, was adopted:

1. that the Administrative Council be given permission to arrange with Presbyteries that the names of commissioners to the 105th General Assembly be forwarded to the Principal Clerk by March 1st, in order to take advantage of reduced fare rates for advanced bookings;
2. that the Principal Clerk be authorized to purchase advance reservations and cancellation insurance on behalf of commissioners, as required;
3. that Young Adult Observers be included in the provisions for this plan;
4. that meal expenses during Assembly be the responsibility of commissioners.

The report as a whole with recommendations as amended was adopted on motion of Mr. Purnell, duly seconded.

BOARD OF KNOX COLLEGE

Consideration of the report of the Board of Knox College was resumed, Mr. G. B. Mallion, the Chairman, reporting.

Recommendation 6 was revised with consent of Assembly following adoption of Recommendation two in the following terms: "By virtue of this Assembly's action in appointing the present incumbent of the Chair of New Testament Lan-

guage and Literature to the Chair of Preaching and Worship, thereby leaving the Chair of New Testament Language and Literature vacant, the Board of Knox College recommends that it be granted permission to circularize the Presbyteries inviting the submission of names to be considered for nomination to the Chair of New Testament Language and Literature at Knox College."

Mr. McLeish moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the words be added "according to established procedures."

The amendment and the motion as amended were adopted.

Recommendation 4 was adopted.

On motion of Mr. J. Pace, duly seconded, the report as a whole of the Board of Knox College, with its recommendations as amended, was adopted.

MR. G. B. MALLION

On motion of Dr. B. Miles, duly seconded, the Assembly accorded Mr. G. B. Mallion, Q.C., a hearty vote of thanks for his twenty-four years of service on the Board of Knox College. The Moderator added suitable words.

COMMITTEE NAMED

The Moderator named the committee on Overtures 1 and 30, 1978, re National Staff and Deputy Clerks as follows: Dr. Lorne Mackay, Mr. Harry Waite, Major W. S. Thomson, Oakville.

REPORT OF THE SENATE OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE

Consideration of the report of the Senate of the Presbyterian College was resumed, Dr. J. C. McLelland reporting.

Recommendation 3 was adopted, the Assembly concurring in the addition of the phrase, "in accordance with established procedures".

On motion of Dr. J. C. McLelland, duly seconded, the report as a whole of the Senate of the Presbyterian College, with its recommendations as amended, was adopted.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Consideration of the report of the Board of Education was resumed, Dr. James Ferguson reporting on the recommendations presented.

I. SPECIAL COURSES

a) Applications already considered by previous General Assemblies:

1. *Mike Chawrun*. Presbytery of Algoma and North Bay. It is reported that Mr. Chawrun has been pursuing the prescribed courses in Arts and plans to enter Knox College this fall. Received as information.
2. *Kees Vandermeij*. Presbytery of East Toronto. It is reported that he is continuing with the prescribed course. Received as information.

II. APPLICATIONS FOR PERMISSION TO RECEIVE MINISTERS AND LICENTIATES FROM OTHER CHURCHES, AND TO TAKE ON TRIALS FOR LICENSE.

a) Application to take on trails for license.

1. *Stephen Charles Farris, B.A., D.Min.* Presbytery of East Toronto. It is reported that he is continuing with theological studies abroad. Received as information.

b) Application to be received as a licentiate.

1. *Gordon S. Ivey*. Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington. It is reported that he has rejected the requirements stipulated by the General Assembly of 1977, and has joined another denomination. At the request of the Presbytery, it is recommended that this case be dropped. Adopted.

c) Applications to be received as a Minister

1. *Rev. Henry Gregory Adams*. Presbytery of East Toronto. Due to a misunderstanding the information requested is not yet available. It is recommended that the action of 1977 be renewed, viz. that consideration be deferred for one year and further information be secured about the applicant, and that he be encouraged to take courses in theology under the direction of the Senate of one of our Colleges. Adopted.
2. *Rev. Gary Donald Bouma, M.A., Ph.D.*, Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg. Having met with commissioners from the Presbytery, it is recommended that the Presbytery be requested to report on this case to the Board in 1979. Adopted.
3. *Rev. J. C. Rufenacht*. Presbytery of Montreal. Permission was granted by the 103rd General Assembly, 1977 to receive him as a minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada upon completion of the usual stipulations regarding courses in the History and Polity of the Church. Assurance has been given that the required stipulations will be met, and that the usual notification will be forwarded to the Board. Received as information.

d) New application to be received as a licentiate

1. *Joseph Vasarhelyi*. Presbytery of West Toronto. Following consultation with commissioners from the Presbytery, it is recommended after correction of a printing error, the original recommendation be renewed, viz. that he be required to take one year's work under the direction of the Senate of one of our Colleges, with at least one course in Oral English, upon the successful completion of which, and his acceptance of an appointment under the Board of World Mission, permission be granted to receive him as a Licentiate, subject to the usual stipulations. Adopted.

e) New applications to be received as a minister.

1. *Mardiros M. Aylenjian*. Presbytery of Quebec. Following consultation with the commissioners it is recommended that since complete documentation is not available at this time that the matter be referred back to the Presbytery of Quebec for close supervision of the candidate and report next year, and that Mr. Aylenjian be encouraged to take part-time studies under the direction of the Senate of one of our Colleges. Adopted.

2. *Rev. Dennis Mackintosh Oliver*, Presbytery of Assiniboia. Following consultation with the commissioners, it is recommended that the application be referred to the committee on Reception for further consultation with the Presbytery and candidate, with particular attention to the doctrine of baptism, and that the Committee on Reception have power to issue. Adopted.
3. *Rev. Ernest Zugor, B.Th.* Presbytery of Paris. After consultation with the commissioners and Knox College it has become apparent that he is carrying out the studies prescribed, and the Board recommends that this be noted and that a further report be requested from the Presbytery to the Board in 1979. Adopted.

COMMITTEE ON RECEPTION

The report of the Committee on Reception was received on motion of Dr. J. K. Lattimore, duly seconded, and its recommendation was adopted.

The Committee on Reception met on September 7th, 1977, to consider an application from the Rev. A.N.D. Waugh, a minister of the Presbyterian Church of South Africa, who requested admission into the ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. All documents being in order, the Presbyteries were circularized and given two months to lodge protests, if any. When none was received after the two month period, the Rev. A.N.D. Waugh was admitted into the ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

On motion of Dr. J. K. Lattimore, duly seconded, the report as a whole of the Board of Education, with its recommendations as amended, was adopted.

COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

Consideration of the report of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations was resumed, Mrs. John Johnston reporting.

Mr. R. McFadyen moved, duly seconded, that recommendations 5 through 11 be referred to Presbyteries for study and report to the committee.

On motion of Mr. F. Conkey, duly seconded, it was agreed to take an immediate vote on the motion to refer.

The motion to refer was carried 63 voting for, 56 against.

On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, the report as a whole of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations, with its recommendations as amended, was adopted.

NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice of motion that it is my intention to move or cause to be moved at a future sederunt that this General Assembly reconsider the motion presented in this sederunt by Dr. D.G.M. Herron re future Assemblies with particular reference to commissioners paying for their own meals.

(Signed) S. O. McEntyre.
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NOTICE OF MOTION

I give notice of motion that it is my intention to move or cause to be moved at a future sederunt that Overture number 37, the Presbytery of Paris, on behalf of Keith E. Wilcox, because of further information received, be reconsidered.

(Signed) B. A. Miles.
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ADJOURNMENT

Announcements having been made, the Moderator adjourned the Assembly, to meet on the same day, in the same place, at 7.00 p.m. of which due intimation was made, and he did then pronounce the Benediction.

ELEVENTH SEDERUNT

At Hamilton, and within MacNab Street Presbyterian Church there, on Friday, the ninth day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at seven o'clock in the evening, the General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted by the Moderator with prayer.

COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was presented by Mr. D. J. Herbison, the Convener. On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, the report was received and considered and, being adopted, the business for the Eleventh Sederunt was ordered accordingly.

JULY ASSEMBLIES

Mr. H. L. Henderson moved, duly seconded, in terms of his notice of motion re study of July Assemblies (page 36). Adopted.

CHAPLAINCIES - CANADIAN FORCES

The Moderator called for the report of the Canadian Forces Chaplaincy Committee, which, as printed (pages 219-220) was presented by Dr. Ross Cameron. On his motion, duly seconded, the report of the Canadian Forces Chaplaincy Committee was received and adopted.

PERMISSION TO SPEAK

Dr. Cameron introduced Major L. Sams who was granted permission to speak on motion of Dr. Cameron, duly seconded. The Moderator thanked Major Sams for his presence and his encouraging report.

COMMITTEE ON CHURCH ARCHITECTURE

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Church Architecture which, as printed (page 220), was presented by Dr. A. F. MacSween, in the absence of the Convener.

On motion of Dr. A. G. Faraday, duly seconded, the report was received and adopted, its recommendation having been dealt with under the Administrative Council report.

COMMITTEE ON CHURCH WORSHIP

The Assembly called for the above report, which, as printed (pages 230-231) was presented by Mr. Robert Hill.

On his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

Recommendations 1 and 2 were adopted.

On motion of Mr. Hill, duly seconded, the report as a whole was adopted.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE, OVERTURE 12, 1977 PRESBYTERY OF EAST TORONTO RE: STRUCTURE OF THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION

The Assembly called for the report of the Special Committee on the above Overture which, as printed, (pages 381-382) was presented by Dr. D. C. MacDonald in the absence of the Convener. On motion of Mr. W.J.S. McClure, duly seconded, it was received and considered.

It was noted that line 9 on page 382 should refer to the Secretary of the Administrative Council in lieu of the Principal Clerk.

Recommendation 1 was adopted, as was the report as a whole on the motion of Mr. W.J.S. McClure, duly seconded.

CHURCH DOCTRINE

Consideration of the report of the Committee on Church Doctrine was resumed, Mr. Stephen Hayes reporting in the absence of the Chairman.

RECOMMENDATION 3

With concurrence of the Court, Recommendation 3 (page 227) was adopted in the following terms: "That the statement concerning the rights of ministers on the Appendix to the Roll to sit and correspond be approved as an interim act, and that the following changes be sent down under the Barrier Act: (a) That the paragraph beginning 'All other ministers. . .' following Book of Forms section 176 (2) be designated 176 (3); and (b) that a second sentence be added to 176 (3) as follows: 'Ministers on the Appendix to the Roll have the right to sit and correspond at the meetings of Presbytery.'"

RECOMMENDATION 4

Recommendation 4 was adopted. It was agreed that paragraph 3 in the body of the report required insertion of the word "at" before "a minister's request".

RECOMMENDATION 5

Recommendation 5 was adopted, in terms of Recommendation 11 of the Report of the Clerks of Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION 6

Mr. B.C. Molloy moved, duly seconded, that Recommendation 6 be referred back with parallel reference to section 14 of the Statement on The Ministry of Word and Sacraments, referred back as part of Recommendation 2.

The motion to refer back was carried.

RECOMMENDATION 7

Recommendation 7 was adopted, with deletion of the word "Infant" at the concurrence of the Court.

The report as a whole with its recommendations, as amended, was adopted.

CLERKS OF ASSEMBLY

On motion of Mr. S. O. McEntyre, duly seconded, the report as a whole of the Clerks of Assembly with its recommendations, was adopted.

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Consideration of the report of the Board of Congregational Life was resumed, Mr. R. C. Taylor reporting in the absence of the Chairman.

Recommendations 9 through 12 were adopted.

ADDITIONAL MOTION

On motion of Miss M. Whale, duly seconded, the following motion was adopted: "that the Board of Congregational Life consider the possibility of producing a Canadian Presbyterian daily devotional book, as a substitute for These Days; and report to the 105th General Assembly."

Recommendation 13 was adopted.

With concurrence of the court, the words "on a national basis" were deleted from Recommendation 14.

RECOMMENDATIONS 14, 15 AND 16

Mr. R. C. Taylor moved, a duly seconded, that Recommendations 14, 15, and 16 be considered en bloc.

Dr. J. C. MacLelland moved, duly seconded, that Recommendations 14, 15 and 16 be referred back to the Board of Congregational Life in consultation with Communication Services for report to the 105th General Assembly.

Mr. H. L. Henderson moved, in amendment, duly seconded, that Recommendations 14, 15 and 16 be referred to the Administrative Council for sympathetic consideration. With permission of the Court Mr. Henderson withdrew his amendment.

The motion to refer to the Board of Congregational Life was defeated.

Mr. H. L. Henderson moved, duly seconded, that Recommendations 14 and 15 be adopted, and that Recommendation 16 be referred to the Administrative Council for sympathetic consideration.

On motion of Mr. Robert Bernhardt, duly seconded, Young Adult Observer, Mr. Larry Bates, was given permission to speak.

Mr. Conkey moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the Assembly request the Administrative Council make available \$10,000.00 for the cost of production and distribution of the tapes for radio ministry.

The Court agreed that the Moderator appoint a committee to retire and bring in a suitable recommendation.

The Moderator named the following committee: Mr. H. L. Henderson, Mr. F. R. McPhee, Mrs. K. D. Taylor and Mr. J. Barbour.

COMMITMENT AND PRAYER

Mr. A. Sutherland moved, duly seconded, that Synods, Presbyteries, and Sessions be directed to call all Presbyterians to greater commitment and prayer to our Heavenly Father on behalf of the present financial position of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Adopted.

THE STATE OF THE CHURCH

Consideration of the Special Report on the State of the Church (pages 382-391) was resumed.

Recommendations 2 and 3 were adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 4

Recommendation 4 was referred to the Board of Ministry, on motion of Mr. L.F.D. Purnell, duly seconded.

Recommendation 5 was adopted.

On motion of Mr. R. C. Taylor, duly seconded, the report as a whole with its recommendations as amended, was adopted.

BOARD OF CONGREGATIONAL LIFE RECOMMENDATIONS 14-16 (continued)

The ad hoc committee re the Board of Congregational Life reported as follows: "Your committee recommends that Recommendations 14 and 15 be approved and that Recommendation 16 be approved as follows: the Administrative Council be requested to provide up to \$10,000 for this ministry and the money be added to the budget of the Board of Congregational Life." On motion of Mr. H. L. Henderson, duly seconded, the recommendation was adopted.

The report of the Board of Congregational Life as a whole as amended was adopted, on motion of Mr. R. C. Taylor, duly seconded.

BOARD OF WORLD MISSION

Consideration of the Report of the Board of World Mission was resumed, Mrs. W. E. McCutcheon, Chairman, reporting.

Mr. R. Davidson moved in amendment to Recommendation 9, duly seconded, that the effective date be January 1st, 1983. The amendment was defeated.

Recommendation 9 was adopted.

RECOMMENDATIONS 10-13

Recommendations 10,11,12 and 13 were adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 14

Mr. S. O. McEntyre moved in amendment, duly seconded, that Recommendation 14 be deleted. The amendment was defeated. Recommendation 14 was adopted.

DISSENT

Mr. S. O. McEntyre asked that his dissent to the adoption of Recommendation 14 be recorded.

RECOMMENDATION 15

Mr. P. Brown moved, duly seconded, that Recommendation 15 be referred back to the Board of World Mission and the Committee on Church Doctrine for study and report to the 105th General Assembly. Mr. W.G.S. MacDonald moved, duly seconded, that an immediate vote be taken, and the motion carried.

The motion to refer Recommendation 15 was adopted.

RECOMMENDATIONS 16-20

Recommendations 16 and 17 were adopted.

On motion of Dr. W. F. MacKenzie, duly seconded, recommendation 18 was referred back to the Board of World Mission in consultation with the Administrative Council with power to issue.

Recommendations 19 and 20 were adopted.

RECOMMENDATIONS 21 - 31

Mr. W. Donovan moved in amendment, duly seconded, that Recommendation 21 be amended by deleting everything after "terms of appointment" and adding "and that an ordinand may receive a Call but may not leave the place of appointment earlier than the completion of the two-year term".

The amendment was adopted, and the recommendation as amended was adopted.

Recommendation 28 was adopted.

Recommendations 22 - 27 were adopted.

Recommendations 29 - 31 were adopted.

MRS. W. E. McCUTCHEON

Mr. George Malcolm spoke in tribute to Mrs. W. E. McCutcheon's years of service to the Board of World Mission, and of her three years as the first lay Chairman. The Assembly, on motion of Mr. J. Bell, duly seconded, recorded its appreciation.

On motion of Mr. J. Bell, duly seconded, the report as a whole of the Board of World Mission, with its recommendations as amended, was adopted.

APPOINTMENT FREEZE

Mrs. Ellen Forfar moved, duly seconded, in terms of her notice of motion (page 46) re a period of restraint and a one year freeze on appointments to Executive Staff at Church Offices.

The motion was carried, it being understood that the freeze does not apply to appointments currently in process.

KEITH E. WILCOX

Dr. B. Miles moved, duly seconded, in terms of his notice of motion (page 77) that the Court reconsider Overture 37. Carried.

On his further motion, duly seconded, it was agreed to grant the prayer of Overture 37 of the Presbytery of Paris, and the Presbytery of Paris was granted permission to add the name of Mr. K. E. Wilcox to the Constituent Roll.

CHRISTIANITY AND COMMUNISM

Mr. B. Molloy moved, duly seconded, in terms of his notice of motion (page 46) re a study of Christianity and Communism. The motion was adopted.

REGIONAL COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Mr. Gordon Timbers moved, duly seconded, in terms of his notice of motion (page 55) re regional rotation of committee assignments. Carried.

MISSION SUPERINTENDENTS

Mr. S. O. McEntyre moved, duly seconded, in terms of his notice of motion (page 55) re the role of Mission Superintendents.

On motion of Mr. C. H. Carter, duly seconded, Mr. George Malcolm was given permission to speak.

The motion was defeated.

COMMISSIONERS' MEALS

Mr. S. O. McEntyre moved, duly seconded, in terms of his notice of motion (page 76) to reconsider the matter of commissioners paying for their meals at Assembly. The motion to reconsider was defeated.

COMMITTEE NAMED

The Moderator named the following committee re Board of World Mission Recommendation 16: Dr. Douglas Stewart, Convener, Dr. A. Lorne Mackay, Dr. Everett H. Bean, Mr. D. R. Sinclair, Mr. Douglas Anderson, Mr. Ralph Kane, Mrs. W. H. Henry, Mrs. John Johnston and Dr. Margaret Webster.

SUBSTANCE OF OVERTURES PRINTED

Dr. J. Robson moved, duly seconded, in connection with Dr. J. C. McLelland's notice of motion (page 36) re printing the substance of overtures from previous year, that it be referred to the Clerks of Assembly for study and report. Carried.

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ASSEMBLY ORIENTATION

Dr. J. Robson moved, duly seconded, in connection with Dr. J. C. McLelland's notice of motion (page 36) re Assembly orientation, that it be referred to the Business Committee for favourable consideration. Agreed.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE RE DISPOSITION OF THE "PEOPLE TO PEOPLE PETITION" FOR CANADIAN UNITY

On motion of Mrs. Amy Chwojka, duly seconded, this committee's report was received and considered.

RECOMMENDATION 1

That in view of the sensitivity of the issues involved in the "People to People Petition for Canadian Unity" which was circulated at this Assembly, its sponsors distribute the document by private mailing for submission on an individual basis.

RECOMMENDATION 2

That any parties or persons considering this petition should do so in the light of this Church's definitive statement on National Unity adopted at and by its 104th General Assembly.

Recommendations 1 and 2 were adopted, as was the report as a whole, on motion of Mrs. Amy Chwojka, duly seconded.

TERMS OF REFERENCE

COMMISSION RE MR. R. CUNNINGHAM

The following terms of reference re the above commission were approved: (1) to meet as soon as possible; (2) to cite representatives of the Presbytery of Vancouver Island and Mr. Roy Cunningham to appear before the commission when it meets; (3) to give judgement on the matter re the alleged discrimination against Mr. Cunningham, but not to annul the action taken by the Presbytery of Vancouver Island re the severing of the pastoral tie, but rather to deal primarily with the need of Mr. Cunningham for counsel and pastoral care.

TERMS OF REFERENCE

COMMISSION RE MR. T. O. McALLISTER

The following terms of reference re the above commission were approved: (1) to meet as soon as possible; (2) to cite representatives of the Presbytery of Brampton, and Mr. T. O. McAllister, to appear before the commission when it meets; (3) to take such action as may be conducive to the peace and welfare of the congregation of Caven, Bolton, and to ensure that Mr. McAllister receive just treatment if perchance the commission discovers that any injustice may have occurred.

MINUTES

The minutes of the sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth Sederunts were presented in printed form and sustained, and the minutes of the Tenth and Eleventh Sederunts were taken as read and sustained.

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COMMITTEE TO ADVISE WITH THE MODERATOR

Consideration of the Report of the Committee to Advise with the Moderator was resumed, Dr. J. K. Lattimore reporting.

On motion of Dr. Lattimore, duly seconded, Recommendations 2 and 3 were adopted.

On motion of Dr. Lattimore, duly seconded, the report as a whole with recommendations was adopted.

COMMITTEE ON COURTESIES

The Assembly called for the report of the above committee which was presented by Dr. J. K. Lattimore, the Convener, on whose motion, duly seconded, the report was received, considered, and adopted as follows:

That the 104th General Assembly express its heartfelt appreciation to the many people who gave so willingly and generously of their time and varied talents to make this Assembly run efficiently and to provide a long-to-be-remembered week of fellowship.

That the Assembly extend special thanks to the following:

The Reverend Dr. J. E. Bigelow for the capable and gracious manner in which he conducted the business of the 104th General Assembly.

The Reverend Dr. John A. Johnston and the Kirk-Session and Congregation of MacNab Street Church for their preparations and warm welcome and the very efficient manner in which they and the Committee on Arrangements co-ordinated the organizational details of this Assembly.

Mrs. Dorothy Falladown and her Committee for their diligence in arranging billets, and for the comfort of the McMaster University Residences.

The Reverend Dr. DeCourcy H. Rayner, the Reverend Dr. J. A. Johnston, the Reverend Jalal Daniel, the Reverend Wilfred McLeod and Mr. Frank Milne, the Kirk-Session, the Organist and Senior Choir of MacNab Street Church who led in worship and in celebrating the Service of Holy Communion on Sunday evening.

Mr. John Repchuk, the Organist and Choir Director of MacNab Street Church for his valuable musical assistance and Mr. Paul Daniels, organist at St. Paul's, Hamilton, for also presiding at the organ console.

Miss Marguerite Repchuk who took her vacation to organize and co-ordinate all meals in MacNab Street Church, the ladies of MacNab Street and other congregations of the Presbytery of Hamilton for providing morning and afternoon coffee, lunches and dinners for the nourishment and enjoyment of the commissioners.

Mr. George Calder for installing all sound systems and audio-visuals.

The A.B. Dick Company for reproduction equipment.

The Dofasco Pipers and the Saltire Singers for their enjoyable music.

Mr. Roy Stinson, Jack and Dorothy Allen and Mr. Bob Lyle for buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Holohan, Church Officers at MacNab Street Church, for their patient and careful attention to the needs of Commissioners.

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The many men and women who arranged and executed welcoming, transportation and office responsibilities, spouses' programs, etc.

Mr. Richard Tsai, carillonneur, for his fine music.

Mrs. Marion Gow and Mr. Andrew Johnston and the Hamilton Wentworth Region for the printing of signs; Bell Telephone, International Harvester and Mr. M. Johnston for the presentation of pens, badges and souvenir pins.

The City of Hamilton for the enjoyable reception given at the City Hall on Wednesday afternoon.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church and James Street Baptist Church for making their buildings available for study and discussion groups.

His Worship Mayor Jack MacDonald, Mayor of the City of Hamilton and Mrs. Anne Jones, Chairperson of Hamilton and Wentworth Region for their sincere welcome, and the many representatives of other Churches and fraternal organizations for their greetings.

The Right Reverend Dr. Peter Brodie, Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, for his timely and inspiring messages at Morning Worship on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and to the Reverend Malcolm Ransom, Mr. Brian Ruttan and Mr. Remmelt Hummelen for leadership in worship on the same mornings.

The Reverend Dr. Walter Allum of Dundas and the Reverend James Weir of Burlington and their congregations for being hosts to the General Assembly at the evening sederunts on Tuesday and Thursday respectively.

The Young Adult Observers for their interest and participation in debate, their faithful attendance, and their music at lunch on the final day of the Assembly, as well as their much appreciated presentation to the Moderator.

Mrs. Frances Challen for making her apartment available to Dr. and Mrs. Brodie during their stay in Hamilton.

The Clerks of Assembly and their staff, and the Chairman of the Business Committee, the Reverend D. J. Herbison for their work in preparation for and during the Assembly.

Presbyterian Publications, the Leprosy Mission and the Canadian Bible Society for their effective displays.

THANKS TO MODERATOR

Dr. R. D. MacDonald conveyed on behalf of the Court particular appreciation to the Moderator for his patience and able moderating of the Assembly. The Moderator in turn thanked the Court for the privilege of serving.

RE: MATTERS LEFT

On motion of Mr. C. H. Carter, duly seconded, it was agreed that in the event there be small matters uncared for, these be left in the hands of the Moderator and the three Clerks to issue.

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OVERTURE RE CONSTITUENT ROLL

Through inadvertence, an overture from The Presbytery of Stratford-Huron was not brought before the Assembly. Its prayer was that permission be granted to add the name of Dr. H. F. Davidson to the constituent roll of the Presbytery of Stratford-Huron. Under authority of matters left, the Moderator and Clerks have granted this permission.

CLOSING OF ASSEMBLY

The business being finished, the Assembly joined in the singing of the one hundred and twenty-second Psalm.

The Moderator led the Assembly in prayer. He then said: "In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, the only King and Head of the Church, and by the authority of this Assembly, I now dissolve this Assembly and appoint another General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada to meet in Fraser Auditorium, Laurentian University, in the City of Sudbury and within the Province of Ontario on the first Sunday in June in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-nine, at eight o'clock in the evening, local time."

The Moderator closed the sessions of the Assembly with the Apostolic Benediction.

ADDENDUM RE COMMISSION TO DEAL WITH MATTERS UNCARED FOR

Representation of Presbyterian College Senate on Administrative Council

When Dr. William Klempa, Principal, was named Chairman of the Presbyterian College Senate, the College lost the possibility of having its Principal act on the Administrative Council as a corresponding member, and the Chairman of the Senate act as member with voice and vote. Therefore the Commission has agreed that the Senate be authorized to name the Vice-Chairman of the Senate, or his alternate, a member of the Administrative Council with voice and vote, and Dr. Klempa have voice only, and that the 1979 General Assembly review this decision.

APPENDICES

REPORTS OF BOARDS, STANDING COMMITTEES
ETC.

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NOTICE

The reports following are arranged in alphabetical order to enable an easier selection by those using this section.

After each recommendation we have inserted A D C. In the final printing only one letter will be used, and will indicate one of the following:

- A Recommendation Adopted
- D Recommendation Defeated
- C Recommendation Changed

THE ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

PREAMBLE

The 1977 Financial Statement shows that our wide range of programs required us to spend more money than was received in that year.

This situation is a challenge to the whole Church – for the Council to exercise planning and co-ordination; for all Boards and Committees to concentrate on essential programs; and for all of us as members to give in 1978 at a generous, even sacrificial, level.

There are many opportunities for Christian service in Canada and across the world.

Many of our ministers report a resurgence in the life of their congregations; the enrolment of our colleges is at the highest level for fifty years. These are encouraging signs:

“NOT BY MIGHT NOR BY POWER BUT BY MY SPIRIT SAYS THE LORD OF HOSTS”

The Administrative Council submits the following report of its work during 1977 with recommendations which require decisions regarding work in 1978.

MATTERS REFERRED TO COUNCIL BY PREVIOUS ASSEMBLIES

TERM APPOINTMENTS

The 103rd General Assembly agreed that “the practice of term appointments of executive personnel be discontinued”. Directions were given to the Council to ascertain if the staff would continue to serve without term, and to supervise the provision of job descriptions for each executive position, with periodic reviews being undertaken of the function and performance of executive personnel (1977 A&P, Page 202).

The Council reports that all executive staff have agreed to continue to serve without term, and we are making excellent progress in gathering and compiling job descriptions. All Boards are co-operating, and the Council is acting only in a supervisory capacity.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 1 A

That the above report be received as information.

RELATIONSHIP OF WORK RESPONSIBILITY TO STIPEND AND ALLOWANCES

The 103rd General Assembly adopted a recommendation of the Board of World Mission “that the Administrative Council study and report on the relationship of work responsibility to stipend and allowances of Church Workers (e.g. between Deaconesses, Woman Missionaries, Ordained Ministers, etc)”.

The Council found this reference to be a very difficult assignment. It covers many more Church Workers than the Board of World Mission made reference to in

its e.g. To obtain information on the qualifications and work responsibility of all Church Workers would be a gigantic task. One consideration would be the advisability of having some form of parity of stipend without reference to the work load. The Council is aware an overture along this tenor is coming before this Assembly from a Presbytery of our Church. The Board of Ministry has considered this Overture and do not believe they have, or could easily obtain, information to make a responsible judgement on the prayer of this Overture. We note that the table published on Page 212, A&P, 1977, expresses in financial terms an understanding of relationships between Church Workers which was agreed upon last year, and which we believe is broadly satisfactory.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 2 A

That because of the problems outlined above, no further action be taken on the request to establish a relationship of work responsibility to stipend and allowances of Church Workers.

RECLASSIFICATION OF ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN RECORD

Recommendation Number 3 of The Presbyterian Record Committee to the 103rd General Assembly requested a reclassification of Miss Valerie M. Dunn, from Assistant Editor to an Assistant Secretary for salary purposes. The Council was authorized to consult the Executive of the Record Committee, and issue in the matter. Before the consultation was completed Miss Dunn left the employment of the Record office, and no further action was necessary.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 3 A

That the above be received as information.

OVERTURE NO. 26, 1977 A&P, Page 428

In the above mentioned Overture the Presbytery of East Toronto is seeking "re: The Disposition of the Assets of Amalgamating Congregations" basically what had gone down to Presbyteries under the Barrier Act. The remit received sufficient support from Presbyteries to be liable for adoption by the 103rd General Assembly, and was so adopted. The Council considers the concerns of the Presbytery of East Toronto can be met by the amended regulations, which were adopted last year, and do not consider the issue should be raised so soon by the Church.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 4 A

That the prayer of Overture No. 26, Presbytery of East Toronto, 1977 be denied.

RECOMMENDATIONS NOS. 1 AND 2, COMMITTEE ON HISTORY, 1977

Recommendation No. 1 of the Committee on History to the 103rd General Assembly requested "that the sum of \$3,000.00 be made available from the funds of the Church for the publication of Volume II of 'Called to Witness', and that such work be carried out under the supervision of the Committee on History, proceeds from sales to be returned to the funds of the Church."

Recommendation No. 2 of the same Committee requested "that up to \$3,500.00 be made available from the funds of the Church to the Committee on History to initiate a microfilming programme of the Acts and Proceedings and Church Periodicals in our Archives".

The Assembly referred both recommendations to the Council with power to issue.

The first volume of "Called to Witness" has only sold one-half of the 2,000 copies printed. Presbyterian Publications underwrote the production cost of Volume I, but is not prepared to do the same for Volume II. Therefore the Council has decided not to make the grant requested by the Committee on History.

The Council agreed to approve the request in Recommendation No. 2.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 5 A

That the above be received as information.

BOOK OF COMMON ORDER

The 103rd General Assembly authorized the Committee on Church Worship to print "an 'abridged edition' of the Book of Common Order", subject to the approval of costs by the Administrative Council. At its September meeting the Executive of the Administrative Council received a copy of a letter from Presbyterian Publications to the Convener of Church Worship Committee re the selling price of the unabridged edition of the "Book of Common Order". At its November meeting the Council agreed that if an abridged edition of the Book of Common Order is printed, and a complete revision is made available at a later date, thereby leaving Presbyterian Publications with a quantity of the abridged editions, which would then be unsaleable, the Council would reimburse Presbyterian Publications up to an amount of \$1,000.00. This guarantee was given by the Council. The Church Worship Committee reports to this Assembly that the abridged edition will be available soon, and the Administrative Council reports it has done all in its power to bring this to pass.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 6 A

That the above be received as information.

FRENCH TRANSLATIONS OF PARTS OF THE BOOK OF COMMON ORDER

This item was referred to the Administrative Council by the 103rd General Assembly with power to issue. The Council has been negotiating with the Church Worship Committee to discover which sections, if any, need to be translated and then a study would be made of the cost. We have been informed that there are now available most of, if not all, the sections that a minister might need, and obtainable from Publishers in France of Reformed Faith material written in French. We are awaiting a definitive report from the Committee on Church Worship before proceeding on this matter.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 7 A

That the above be received as information.

PARITY OF SALARY SCALE FOR PROFESSORS AT EWART COLLEGE.

The salary scale for professors at Ewart College has been before the Assembly continuously since 1971 (c.f. 1971 A&P, Page 404).

When the 101st General Assembly agreed to depart from the long standing policy of an equal salary structure for executive staff and college professors, it granted larger salaries to professors at Knox and Presbyterian Colleges than were granted to professors at Ewart and to executive staff. The Board of Ewart College requested parity of salary for its professors with the professors of the other two Colleges.

The Administrative Council has consistently argued that it considers Ewart College to be in a different academic status from Knox and Presbyterian Colleges (c.f. 1977 A&P, Page 203), and the Assembly has supported recommendations from the Council that parity of salary scale for professors at Knox and Presbyterian Colleges be not granted. Last year Ewart College Board brought to the Assembly a "salary grid" that separated professors at Ewart College into

- I Full Professor
- II Associate Professor; and
- III Principal;

In addition the three sections are sub-divided into additional salary differentiations. The Assembly last year agreed with the recommendation of the Administrative Council that a parity scale be not granted, but referred the proposed "salary grid" to the Council for study and report. Because the "salary grid" proposal would in essence be very close to approving the parity of salary scale of the professors at Ewart College with those of Knox and Presbyterian Colleges, which recommendation was denied by the 103rd General Assembly; and because the proposed "salary grid" is too complicated for a staff of four persons, the Administrative Council renews its recommendation of 1977.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 8 A

That Recommendation No. 3 of Ewart College Board to the 103rd General Assembly (Page 240, A&P) be not granted.

EMOLUMENT OF OFFICE FOR PRINCIPAL OF KNOX COLLEGE

The 103rd General Assembly referred to the Administrative Council the request of Knox College Board that an emolument of office equal to 15% of his professorial salary be paid the incumbent of the office of the Principal. The Council has made a study of this practice. It finds that the practice goes back to the time when College Principals were expected to do considerable entertaining in their homes, or even in the homes provided Principals within the College building. The Council also noted that other staff than Principals are expected to perform this time honored responsibility, but without any emolument whatsoever. The Council is prepared to continue its study, and engage in more consultation, but considers in this time of financial difficulty in our Church this item should not have priority when we are reducing budgets.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 9 A

That the request of Knox College Board contained in Recommendation No. 3 of their report to the 103rd General Assembly be not granted at this time, but the Council continue its study and report to the 105th General Assembly.

PROGRAM CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE AND BUDGET PLANNING

The 103rd General Assembly agreed the Program Co-ordinating Committee should include Budget Planning as one of its functions. A large part of the committee's activities during the past few months has been devoted to this task. The need to reduce budgets was given serious consideration. In a history making meeting of Chairpersons and Secretaries of spending Boards and Committees held on March 2, 1978 representatives of Boards and Committees voluntarily agreed to a total reduction in expenditure of \$209,920.00. This expression of mutual understanding and sharing prepared the way for the Finance Committee to present a proposed budget to the Council with a total deficit of \$171,061.00 for 1979. In order to provide increases in salary for personnel in 1979, the Council increased the proposed deficit, and then undertook to reduce the total expenditure by 5%, thus producing the budget as recommended later in this report.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 10 A

That the above be received as information.

JUST EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

The 103rd General Assembly, through recommendation 19D of the Board of World Mission requested "the Administrative Council to instruct the Committee on Social Responsibility and Investments to recommend actions towards just employment practices by such companies as have direct activity and/or influence in countries which have declared, or apparent, discriminatory policies." (1977 A&P, Pages 372 and 82).

The Council requested the Committee on Social Responsibility and Investments to take this recommendation under advisement, and the Committee reported to the Council that "it had neither the capacity nor the resources to deal with the referral from the General Assembly." The Committee operates with voluntary membership, and no budget. It relies on the Task Force for Corporate Responsibility to supply it with information that is gathered and adjudged by executive staff of other denominations.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 11 A

That the above be taken as a response to the referral from the last Assembly.

FUTURE ASSEMBLIES

The 103rd General Assembly passed a temporary change in regulations re setting

the location of future Assemblies for the ensuing five years, and set Sudbury as the site of the 105th General Assembly. The preamble to this recommendation suggested that in a ten year period the Assembly meet once in the East, once in the West, and eight times in the 3 central Synods. The Council appointed a Committee to study invitations and set locations for the next five years, conditional on the passing of the relevant legislation by this Assembly under the Barrier Act. The Committee of Council suggested the following arrangements -

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| 1979 | Sudbury |
| 1980 | Windsor |
| 1981 | Ottawa |
| 1982 | Toronto |
| 1983 | Stratford. |

After further review of the above proposal the Council agreed for reasons of economy that it would recommend to the 104th General Assembly as follows, conditional on Section 281 being changed as sent down under the Barrier Act.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 12 C

That the General Assembly meet in Sudbury in 1979, and for the next four years the meetings be located in Toronto.

APPOINTMENT OF A COMPTROLLER

The Council informed the 103rd General Assembly of the retirement of Mr. J. B. Barbour, Comptroller of the Church, and plans are under way for the appointment of a successor. We hope to be able to announce the appointment to this Assembly. Mr. Barbour wishes to retire as early as convenient, and the Council is anxious to have a period of overlap between his departure, and the appointment of his successor.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 13 A

That the 104th General Assembly extend best wishes and gratitude to Mr. J. B. Barbour for his dedicated and efficient leadership as assistant to the Comptroller from 1966 to 1971, and as Comptroller since 1971, and that a committee be appointed to prepare a suitable tribute for the Minutes.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 6 BOARD OF WORLD MISSION, 1977

This recommendation was directed to the Trustee Board and the Pension Board re using funds for investing in mortgages on properties and manses owned by the Board of World Mission.

The Trustee Board has made its study and has reported to the Council that it is not in favour of implementing the recommendation. As noted in the Pension Board report the Pension Board has not had opportunity to confer with the Council on this matter. In order that the Pension Board may be involved in the study of this recommendation the Council recommends -

RECOMMENDATION NO. 14 A

That the Council arrange a consultation with representatives of the Pension Board and provide a definitive report on Recommendation No. 6, Board of World Mission, 1977 to the 105th General Assembly.

SPECIAL GRANTS TO BOARD OF WORLD MISSION

The 103rd General Assembly gave the Administrative Council power to issue in granting the request of the Board of World Mission for a grant of \$100,000.00 for Canada and \$50,000.00 for Overseas capital needs to be made from bequest monies at the end of 1977 and 1978. At the end of 1977 all bequest funds were used to reduce the deficit for the year, and no grant was made. These two grants have been removed from the Budget for 1978 and 1979.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 15 A

That the above be received as information.

TRAVEL GRANTS FOR SUPERINTENDENTS OF MISSIONS

The 103rd General Assembly gave permission for the Council to consider the above matter along with travel grants to all Church Workers. The Council is very mindful that the travel grants are far below what they should be. It is estimated that a general increase of one cent per kilometre would cost an additional \$3,000.00 from the Budget. The Council has decided to make increases in salary rather than increases in travel grants, and so the rate has not been changed. If budget givings increase, the Council will be giving increases in travel grants as a top priority.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 16 A

That the above response be accepted for the interim re increase of travel grants to Superintendents of Missions.

DENOMINATIONAL SYSTEM OF INSURANCE

The 103rd General Assembly requested that steps be taken "to set up a denominational system of insurance on church properties, church buildings, halls and manses."

The motion was approved by the General Assembly (Acts and Proceedings 1977, page 86), and referred to the Administrative Council.

General

Rising insurance premiums are a matter of major concern to all congregations. The replacement values of buildings are increasing at a substantial rate and in view of the cost of claims, insurance companies have increased their premium rates and have changed from 3 year to 1 year policies.

At various times during the past 10 years there have been discussions with insurance brokers regarding a group policy for The Presbyterian Church and proposals were submitted by a number of brokers. There was little enthusiasm for such a group policy in the Church as it was felt that loyalties to local insurance agents and the problem of collecting premiums from across the Church would present considerable difficulties. A modified version of a group policy was arranged with the Ecclesiastical Insurance Company whereby in return for the general support of the National Church, the company agreed to allow a discount on all policies insured with the company. This was reported to the General Assembly in 1976, reference Acts and Proceedings Page 463.

The Ecclesiastical Insurance Company now report that they have over 100 congregations insured with their company. In general, they are satisfied with the rate of participation as they realize that congregations would not negotiate a new policy until the first renewal date. Also, under our structure there is no element of compulsion to participate in their plan. The company is now offering a discount of 10% on all renewal premiums.

There are approximately 800 congregations in The Presbyterian Church, many of which own a manse. There are no statistics regarding premiums but from a review of a number of church financial statements, it would seem that an average size congregation is paying a premium of somewhere between \$500 and a \$1,000 per year with some of the larger congregations paying up to \$5,000 or \$6,000. Total insurance premiums, therefore, are probably approaching \$1,000,000 a year.

A congregation should carry the following types of insurance coverage:

1. Fire Insurance
2. Boiler and Pressure Vessel Insurance
3. Legal Liability Insurance
4. Non-owned Automobile Insurance
5. Legal Liability as Employers
6. Crime Coverage (covering loss arising from burglary, robbery & theft, including damage to property.)
7. Fidelity Insurance (to cover all those handling congregational funds).
8. Also, a Fine Arts Policy (covering stained glass windows, communion sets, and other objects of artistic or historical value.)

The attraction of up to \$1,000,000 coming into a fund operated by the Church is very compelling but the complexities of administering insurance coverage across the entire country would be a matter of significant concern. The following matters should be considered:—

- A. Premium rates of insurance companies are based on a wide range of statistics and information which has been gathered over a number of years. These resources would not be available to the Church.
- B. Insurance companies are required by law to maintain a reserve with the Department of Insurance to safeguard their policy holders. If the Church is to be a responsible administrator, it would be necessary that a large reserve should be held by the church.
- C. No insurance company would carry the total liability on any large building. It is normal practise for the company to transfer part of the liability to a number of other companies. The Church would not be able to arrange this participation.
- D. An accounting organization within the Church would be necessary to issue premium notices to congregations and to collect these premiums.
- E. The funds to be held by the Church would require investment in accordance with the Government Regulations for insurance companies.
- F. The negotiations regarding the settlement of claims would require the appointment of claim adjustors at convenient locations across the country. These adjustors would not only have to deal with major fire loss claims but with all smaller claims that will arise from the other types of insurance coverage.

The Administrative Council considers that it is not practical for the Church to hire the necessary staff nor to arrange an efficient and self supporting plan of insurance for the properties and liabilities of congregations in every province of Canada.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 17 A

That no action be taken at this time to carry out the recommendation referred to above.

CHURCH COUNCIL FOR JUSTICE AND CORRECTIONS

The 103rd General Assembly agreed to continue financial support and involvement in the above Council. The matter was referred by the Council to the Board of Ministry to study in consultation with the Board of Congregational Life. There is a general consensus that the Council is performing an important function in Society, and should be supported. The problem lies in where to find the money for this support. The Board of Congregational Life has \$200.00 in its budget for this Council and with cut backs in every area of budgeting the Council is not able to recommend a larger grant than what is now in the budget of the Board of Congregational Life.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 18 A

That the Church Council for Justice and Corrections receive a grant of \$200.00 in 1978 through the Board of Congregational Life.

OVERTURES REFERRED TO THE COUNCIL

OVERTURE NO. 8 — PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON

This Overture prays that "the General Assembly establish a Budget Allocations 'Sharing' Formula which will enable the Presbyteries to establish their own funds for

- (a) the honoring of Congregational Deficit Grant Requests;
- (b) the development of new/experimental forms of ministry, within their bounds;
- (c) the creation of the necessary working capital with which they can exer-

cise their pastoral care over the congregations within their bounds."

The Council considered there were many ramifications to the implementation of the prayer of this Overture, and that it should not make a definite recommendation at this time. The prayer involves implications for the Board of World Mission, and the Council considers that Board should study this Overture before Assembly makes a final decision.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 19 A

That the Overture be referred simpliciter to the Board of World Mission for study, and report to the 105th General Assembly.

OVERTURE NO. 10 – PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON

Simply expressed this Overture prays "that the General Assembly set up a special 'Disaster Umbrella Fund' to replace or repair churches, manses or church halls destroyed or damaged by fire or other natural disaster".

The Council wishes to restate in answer to this Overture the arguments presented above in Recommendation No. 17. We do not consider our Church is big enough or has enough expert staff, to manage the type of operation suggested in this Overture. Two or three unusual disasters early in our experience might well jeopardize the whole financial structure of our Church.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 20 A

That the prayer of Overture No. 10 be not granted.

OVERTURE NO. 13 – PRESBYTERY OF VANCOUVER ISLAND

The Overture prays that "until such time as the membership of The Presbyterian Church in Canada is established in an upward trend the General Assembly enact a policy requiring the Boards and Spending Committees to adopt the practice of zero base budgeting on alternate years, that is, to present a budget in which each item is justified concerning its continued value to the life and work of the Church, as opposed to the present practice of maintaining present work and requesting funds for new ventures."

This presents an interesting concept for Church financing budgeting. The Assembly last year placed considerable responsibility for budget building on the Program Co-Ordinating Committee. (See Recommendation No. 10 above).

The Council believes it should not proceed on adopting the prayer of the Overture without giving the Program Co-Ordinating Committee an opportunity to study this Overture.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 21 A

That Overture No. 13 be referred back to the Administrative Council so it may consult its Program Co-Ordinating Committee, and report to the 105th General Assembly.

OVERTURE NO. 21 – PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

This Overture originated in the Session of Erskine Church, Ottawa, and was transmitted simpliciter by the Presbytery of Ottawa to the 104th General Assembly.

The prayer of the Overture is "that the Administrative Council re-instate its study into the feasibility of establishing a Presbyterian Insurance Plan for Church properties."

It will be seen that the prayer of this Overture is much akin to that of Overture No. 10 above, and to the referral from the last Assembly dealt with in Recommendation No. 16.

The Council is aware of the dissatisfaction many congregations are experiencing with the Ecclesiastical Insurance Company. The increasing cost of insurance is one of the current problems facing everyone who owns property that is liable to be destroyed by fire or other calamity. The Council is prepared to investigate the feasibility of obtaining a Master Policy with a major insurance company.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 22 A

That the Administrative Council continue to investigate, and if possible, to obtain a Master Policy.

OVERTURE NO. 22 – PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

The prayer of this Overture is that "the General Assembly take such action as would –

1. Clarify our Church's relationship to the task force mentioned above (Task Force of the Church on Corporate Responsibility).
2. Encourage a more balanced approach to the whole question of corporate responsibility, and
3. Clarify for our people in a definitive statement the propriety of the Church being involved in a direct way in such matters."

This raises a very difficult issue which faces a Church the size of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. We are not financially able to have resource persons to do our research work for us, and must rely largely on those studies done by sister Churches. We also benefit by joint studies with the World Council of Churches, the World Alliance of Reformed Churches, the Canadian Council of Churches etc.

The 99th General Assembly (1973) directed the Administrative Council to establish a committee to oversee social responsibility in the Church's investment policy and actively cooperate with other churches and groups seeking to promote corporate social responsibility. Among the criteria for corporate policies and practices approved as a basis for the committee's work were the pursuit of justice in world development and equality of opportunity for minority and oppressed groups.

Since January 1975, ecumenical action on corporate social responsibility in Canada has been co-ordinated through the Task Force on the Churches and Corporate Responsibility. Canadian Churches have focussed over the past three years on Southern Africa and Latin America. Through regular meetings with corporate management and shareholder participation in annual general meetings, the Churches have expressed their positions on economic, social, and political conditions to management and shareholders. Similar meetings are held with various government departments and agencies.

On South Africa, the Committee notes the position against apartheid adopted by the 98th (1972 A&P 269-70) and the 103rd (1977 A&P 371-73) General Assemblies. The Anglican, the United, and the Roman Catholic Churches of Canada, and the Lutheran Church in America, Canada Section, have expressed their opposition to apartheid in South Africa by requesting that Canadian banks adopt a public policy of no further loans to the South African Government and its state-owned corporations. Continuing discussions with Alcan, Falconbridge and the Canadian Government focus on the improvement of human rights and democratic institutions within South Africa and Namibia.

On Latin America, attention has focussed on Chile. The Committee notes the commitment to social justice and human rights adopted by the 99th (1973 A&P 279-81) and 100th (1974 A&P 252-57) General Assemblies. The present junta in Chile has been condemned for its violations of human rights and its suspension of democratic institutions by the Catholic Bishops' Conference of Chile, Canadian and American Churches, Amnesty International, and the United Nations, with the support of the Canadian Government. Canadian churches have requested a deferral of all further investment in Chile until human rights and democratic institutions have been secured.

The Committee acknowledges that the instances of injustice that have been discussed in this report are by no means the only instances that demand the Church's prayerful attention. It welcomes the receipt of documented cases of apparent injustice that are related to investment policy in order that they may be considered. South Africa and Chile, however, command our attention at this particular time because of our direct involvement as shareholders and corporations involved in these countries.

The Committee acknowledges too that the issues raised by this report are complex and controversial, evoking a varied response throughout the Church constituency, as indeed it has within the Committee. A minority report from within the Committee will accompany this report for presentation to Council.

The minority report from within the Committee expressed the fear that many people in Canada understood the Task Force on the Churches and Corporate Responsibility is speaking on behalf of our Church. The report looked upon the Task Force as chiefly a devisive force within our Church. It stated "this is not the time for a renewal of the Church and State conflict."

The Council defeated a recommendation from its Sub-Committee on Social Responsibility and Investments that "the General Assembly be asked to express its conviction that there should be no further loans to the South African Government and its state-owned corporations until the Government policy of apartheid is ended," and also defeated a recommendation that the General Assembly express its convictions that Canadian companies, banks and government agencies should defer all investment in Chile until basic human rights are established. The Council deferred action on making a grant of \$1,000.00 for the education and administrative work of the Committee, and approved the request of the Committee that Recommendations as below be forwarded to the General Assembly.

The sub-Committee on Social Responsibility and Investments is by definition concerned with corporate investment policy. We understand the phrase "a more balanced approach" to include comments and actions on issues of social, political, etc. situations not strictly relative to investment. This is beyond the mandate of the Committee.

It is our conviction that our Church must address itself to social responsibility in investment policy. We do this in two ways:

- (a) Through an ecumenical voice which not always speaks in total accord with the view of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.
- (b) Through statements and decisions of the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 23 C

That the mandate of the Committee on Social Responsibility and Investments to work cooperatively with other Canadian Churches and groups through the Task Force on the Churches and Corporate Responsibility be re-affirmed.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 24 A

That the action on the above recommendation be our answer to Overture 22.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 25 A

That the name of the Council's Committee be changed to "Committee on Social Responsibility in Investment Policy".

CHANGES IN STAFF

The Administrative Council, through the control given to it and its Executive-Personnel Committee by the 100th General Assembly (A&P, 1974, Page 382), has been seeking to restrict the number of executive personnel employed by the Church.

Shortly after the Assembly dissolved, the sudden passing of Principal A. Farris called for emergency action, and permission was given to Knox College Board to call for nominations for a replacement. The replacement of the Professor of Church History was also necessitated by the death of Dr. Farris, and permission was granted to call for nominations for this Chair.

The Board of Ministry requested another executive person to work with Mr. Cooper to provide for carrying on the flow of work when Mr. Cooper was on field trips. It was suggested this person might be someone already in a full-time position. No action seems to be indicated on this request at this time.

Early in the Fall the Reverend Harry Crawford resigned as Communication Consultant, effective September 15th, 1977 and the Reverend M. Ransom resigned as secretary for Mission Education in the Board of World Mission, effective June 30th, 1978. A study took place of the possibility of combining these two offices

in some way but authority was granted to call for nominations for the two positions, and steps are being taken to make appointments.

The Reverend Donald Powell resigned as Associate Secretary of the Board of Congregational Life effective December 31st, 1977, and no replacement is anticipated at this time.

The Reverend Wayne Smith also resigned as an Associate Secretary, and permission was given to the Board of Congregational Life to call for nominations for a replacement, and that appointment has now been made, and will soon become effective.

The Reverend H. Davidson retired as Associate Secretary, and no replacement was made. The Reverend A. Deans resigned as Associate Secretary effective December 31, 1978 and permission was given for the Board to call for nominations for a replacement.

Since the last Assembly the Reverend J. Dickey has replaced Dr. D. Rayner as Editor of The Presbyterian Record, and the Reverend R. Talbot has replaced Dr. E. H. Johnson, with some variations in the job description.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 26 A

That the above be received as information.

OTHER MATTERS

AUDITORS

RECOMMENDATION NO. 27 A

That the firm of Thorne, Riddell and Company, Chartered Accountants, be continued as Auditors of the Church accounts, and that the Administrative Council be authorized to set their fees.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements have been reviewed by an audit committee on behalf of the Council, and appear elsewhere in this book.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 28 A

That the financial statements be received as information.

BASIC STIPEND AND TRAVEL

The Council is aware the rate allowed for travel by car is too low, but has been torn between increasing the rate or increasing the salary. In this year of restricted budget considerable study was given to having no increase for either, or to defer any possible increase until later in 1979 to discover how budget givings were coming in. It was believed that it would be unfair to our staff, and an improper pressure on our people, to withhold salary increases in these inflationary times unless, or until, our people made more generous contributions to the budget.

In the past few years almost all congregations have made commendable increases in basic stipend, and the Council is confident our people will be generous in providing the salary scale set out below.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 29 A

That the salary and travel scale on the following page be adopted, effective January 1st, 1979.

EXECUTIVE PERSONNEL SALARIES

The Council had the same problem in dealing with executive personnel salaries as in dealing with ministers on basic stipend, and their travel rate. Again the Council has not considered the matter of increments for years of service, but sought to attempt to keep pace with inflation.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 30 A

That a 6% increase be granted to the Executive Staff of the Church, and to College Professors, with a corresponding increase in regard to rental allowances where applicable, and that this increase be effective January 1st, 1979.

| Category | Proportional Increase | Amount of Increase | Stipend Jan. 1/78 | Stipend Jan. 1/79 | Manse or H/A |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| O.M. Basic Stipend* | 100% | \$900 | \$ 9,000 | \$ 9,900 | yes |
| Superintendents of Missions | 110% | 990 | 12,070 | 13,060 | yes |
| Deaconesses* | 97% | 864 | 8,577 | 9,441 | no |
| Catechists and Lay Missionaries | 80% | 720 | 7,530 | 8,250 | yes |
| Women Missionaries | 80% | 720 | 7,280 | 8,000 | no |
| Lay Directors of Institutions | 90% | 810 | 9,090 | 9,900 | yes |
| Married Students | 70% | 630 | 6,145 | 6,775 | yes |
| Summer Students | | \$7 per week | \$86 per week | \$93 per week | \$39 per week |

In addition to the above scale those marked* receive increments in salary for years of service.

All full-time workers above receive a \$1,200.00 travel grant per annum.

TRUSTEES

As mentioned in the report of the Trustee Board Dr. George Sinclair has completed his seven year term, and the Council records its appreciation for his faithful service. At the time of writing this report the Trustee Board has not met to suggest a replacement so the following recommendation is submitted:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 31 A

That the Council, or its Executive, be authorized to name a replacement for Dr. George Sinclair on the Trustee Board.

CONGRESS '79

The Committee planning for the 1979 Congress has been active for the past eighteen months. The Congress will be held at the University of Guelph from 29 June to 2 July, 1979 (Friday to Monday).

The Theme is "The Power and The Glory". The Theme Speaker is the Reverend Dr. R. Sheldon MacKenzie of Memorial University, St. John's, Newfoundland. Other speakers and study leaders already secured are Mrs. Heather Johnston, Dr. Wm. Klempa, and Dr. Stanley Walters.

Arrangements are being made for upwards of 1,000 delegates, and the cost will be shared among all those who attend. The basic cost per delegate will be \$185. (including \$30. registration, \$65. accommodation, and \$90. share in the travel pool). It is hoped that on the average one delegate will attend for every 150 members on communion rolls.

The committee hopes that Congregations and Presbyteries will underwrite part, or all, of the cost for the delegates from their area. There will be some extra cost for the delegates, as the travel pool is based on approximately 80% of their actual travel costs.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 32 A

That the Congress '79 be commended to the members of our Church, and the congregations be invited and encouraged to send an appropriate number of delegates.

SECOND CENTURY ADVANCE FOR CHRIST

The National Committee met twice since the last General Assembly. Mr. Frank

Whilsmith, chairman, and Dr. Matthew Dymond, co-ordinator, have reported to the Administrative Council. The reports from Synods and Presbyteries indicate slow but steady growth of interest. Forty-five thousand (45,000) of the first Bible Study Booklets "Into the Second Century" by Rev. Z. Dunn have been distributed. A second Bible Study booklet is under preparation. Over thirty thousand (30,000) "Pray for a Mission a Day" booklets have been sent out on request. A second Prayer guide is in preparation.

The Publicity Committee, Mr. J. E. Smith, Chairman, has been active in sending out information pamphlets. Monthly Bulletin inserts are sampled and orders are distributed. A children and youth study programme will be available in September concerning Second Century Advance for Christ.

Some congregations have sent their first financial contributions on the basis of One Day's Pay or Income Per Household to the Church Treasurer.

The two filmstrips "Into the Second Century" and "New Beginnings" were sent to each congregation outlining the purposes and goals of the Second Century Advance for Christ in order "that the Gospel of Jesus Christ be advanced in Canada and Overseas" and that Presbyterians be led to make an additional tangible expression of commitment by contributing to the Second Century Advance for Christ in 1978 and 1979.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 33 A

That this be received as information.

MACLEAN ESTATE

The Maclean Estate (Crieff Hills Community) Committee operates under the control of the Administrative Council.

Facilities are being improved, and more use is being made of the property, especially on week-ends. It is the aim of the Maclean Estate Committee to develop on the property a Leadership Training and Conference Centre with day camping and picnic facilities. The Committee further aims to make the facility self-supporting or possibly revenue producing. It is hoped that soon there will be first class accommodation for at least thirty persons. As the facilities become better known, other groups beyond our church are making bookings, and congregations are reminded to make their bookings early in order to avoid disappointment.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 34 A

That congregations in the area of Crieff Hills Community be invited to use the facilities for small group overnight meetings, and larger one day gatherings.

CHANGES IN NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON BOARDS AND COMMITTEES OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY

A Report of the Administrative Council to the 1972 General Assembly brought about a reduction in the membership on Boards and Committees. However, General Assemblies agree to additional members being added to various Boards and Committees almost without debate. There are now over five hundred persons serving on our Boards and Committees, not counting those who serve on sub-committees, Task Forces, etc. The need for regional representation is recognized by our Church, but recent increases in air fares have placed a great strain on the Budget of our Church. It should be pointed out that some of our Boards and Committees meet for no longer than two to three hours. Also it should be made known that the Board of World Mission, and the Board of Congregational Life not only have a representative from each Synod (Convener or another) on each Board, but the Board of World Mission has its Synodical Missionaries, and the Board of Congregational Life its Area Educational Resource Staff present as non-voting members of each Board. These attend the full meetings of each Board.

The Council acknowledges Boards and Committees have not had much opportunity to study and react to the following proposed changes but Boards and Committees of the Council have had an opportunity to present their views when the Recommendations were considered in April. The Council considers the proposed changes should be made at this Assembly, but the Council plans to report again next year.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 35 C

That the following changes in the membership of the Boards and Committees of General Assembly be made, effective with this General Assembly; (unless otherwise stated, numbers refer to General Assembly appointments.)

- A. Administrative Council – Reduce from 24 to 18
- B. Congregational Life – Reduce from 18 to 12, 9 of whom will be from Central Synods.
- C. World Mission – Reduce from 33 to 24, and that the Board be directed to make a proportionate reduction in its executive.
- D. Ministry – Membership of Board to remain the same as at present, even if the Committee on Canadian Forces Chaplaincy Service be amalgamated with the Board, and that instead of one representative from each College plus the Principal of each College, it become the Principal of each College, or his/her representative.
- E. Knox College (1) Reduce from 18 to 15.
(2) That the Board and Senate of Knox College study the advisability of amalgamating the two bodies, and report to the next Assembly.
- F. Knox College Senate – No change.
- G. Presbyterian College Senate – Reduce from 24 to 18.
- H. Ewart College – Reduce from 18 to 15.
- I. St. Andrew's Hall – No change.
- J. Presbyterian Record – No change.
- K. Pension Board – Reduce from 18 to 12.
- L. Communication Services – That the Committee consider reconstitution of Committee to have 9 appointed by Assembly, with one each from Board of World Mission, Board of Congregational Life, Women's Missionary Society (W.D.), Presbyterian Record, National Religious Advisory Council, with one corresponding member from Woman's Missionary Society (E.D.), and report to the 105th General Assembly.
- M. Board of Education – Reduce from 9 to 6, and change Principals from three Colleges plus one representative from each College, to the Principals from the three Colleges or their representatives.
- N. Church Worship – No change.
- O. History – Reduce from 9 to 6, and Professors of Church History of Knox and Presbyterian Colleges be by correspondence only.
- P. Canadian Forces Chaplaincy Service – No change.
- Q. Church Architecture – Reduce from 12 to 9, and add Director of Church Extension for Synods of Hamilton and London, and Toronto and Kingston.
- R. Nominate – No change.
- S. Business – No change.
- T. Inter-Church Aid – Ex-officio membership become one each of Board of World Mission, Women's Missionary Society (W.D.), Board of Congregational Life, Editor of The Presbyterian Record, and Editor of Glad Tidings.
- U. Inter-Church Relations – Reduce from 7 to 6.
- V. Alliance (Number of members set by Alliance, and expenses paid by Alliance)
- W. Canadian Council of Churches – No change
- X. Presbyterian Church Building Corporation – No change.
- Y. Presbyterian Residence, Saskatoon – No change.
- AA. Church Doctrine – Reduce from 18 to 15.
- BB. International Affairs – 6 members named by General Assembly
3 members named by Board of World Mission

2 members named by Board of Congregational Life
1 member named by W.M.S. (W.D.)

CHANGE IN RATIO OF COMMISSIONERS TO MINISTERS, ON CONSTITUENT ROLL OF PRESBYTERY.

One of the ways in which to reduce the cost of General Assembly each year would be to reduce the membership of the Assembly. The Council considered and agreed to a recommendation as contained in the following—

RECOMMENDATION NO. 36 A

That section NO. 278(1) of the Book of Forms be changed so the 8 replaces 6, and that this be a remit to Presbyteries under the Barrier Act.

ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT

Although the problem of historical properties being taken over by provincial governments may apply especially within the Province of Ontario, the Council considers it is a problem that should be brought to the attention of all congregations, because this Act may become more national as time goes by. The Council points out two problems—

- (1) If a church building is designated as an historical site, the congregation may be requested to carry out certain constructions at its own cost; and
- (2) The building would likely be subject to a preservation order, and this would affect its market value if the congregation should dissolve.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 37 A

That the attention of Presbyteries and Congregations be drawn to the above problem.

INFORMATION RE BEQUEST

All charitable organizations receive a considerable part of their funding from bequests of concerned friends. The Council believes we should make more contact with friends of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and we plan to place advertisements in The Presbyterian Record as was done in former years. The Council and the Board of Congregational Life would be delighted to place in the offices of lawyers of The Presbyterian Church, material that should prove helpful in promoting this desired end. If Presbyteries and Sessions would provide the Council with names and addresses of such lawyers as they know to be willing to co-operate, the material will be forwarded.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 38 A

That the co-operation of Presbyteries and Sessions be sought in this matter.

BUDGETS FOR 1978 and 1979

After many meetings by the Program Co-ordinating Committee, the Finance Committee and the Council and its Executive, the Council now submits the following budgets, recognizing that it has agreed that items of expenditures for 1979 in the budget of various Boards and Committees are to be reduced to give a total reduction of 5%.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
ESTIMATE OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

| | 1978 ESTIMATE | 1979 ESTIMATE |
|----------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| INCOME | | |
| From Congregations | \$3,250,000 | \$3,500,000 |
| Investment – General | 160,500 | 154,500 |
| Investments – N.D.F. | 115,000 | 110,000 |

| | | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| Income from Estates | 101,000 | 101,000 |
| Bequests | 125,000 | 125,000 |
| Gifts | 25,000 | 25,000 |
| Rents | 23,000 | 23,000 |
| W.M.S. (WD) | 385,000 | 385,000 |
| W.M.S. (ED) | 30,500 | 30,500 |
| Miscellaneous Income | 49,000 | 49,000 |
| | <u>\$4,264,000</u> | <u>\$4,503,000</u> |
| | 1978 | 1979 |
| EXPENDITURE | Recommended | Recommended |
| Board of World Mission | \$2,877,324 | \$2,889,922 |
| Colleges | | |
| Knox | 188,262 | 202,710 |
| Presbyterian | 77,960 | 80,280 |
| Ewart | 147,757 | 151,984 |
| St. Andrew's Hall | 16,385 | 16,385 |
| Saskatoon Residence | 7,000 | 6,500 |
| | <u>\$ 437,364</u> | <u>\$ 457,859</u> |
| Education | | |
| Communication Services | \$ 48,218 | \$ 59,118 |
| Presbyterian Record | 74,105 | 75,205 |
| Board of Congregation Life | 387,928 | 417,954 |
| | <u>\$ 510,251</u> | <u>\$ 552,277</u> |
| Distribution and Printing | \$ 23,302 | \$ 24,102 |
| Board of Ministry | \$ 78,330 | \$ 82,197 |
| Pension & Other Benefits | | |
| Canada Pension & U.I.C. | \$ 22,400 | \$ 22,400 |
| Workmen's Compensation | 1,600 | 1,600 |
| Pension: Church Share | 230,000 | 305,000 |
| Group Insurance - Ministers | 35,000 | 35,000 |
| Employees' Retirement | 25,000 | 25,000 |
| Employees' Benefits | 4,000 | 4,000 |
| Retiring Allowance | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| | <u>\$ 319,500</u> | <u>\$ 394,500</u> |
| General | | |
| General Assembly | \$ 110,000 | \$ 110,000 |
| Administrative Council | 12,000 | 12,000 |
| G. A. Committees | 27,750 | 23,350 |
| Advertising Allowance | 2,500 | 3,000 |
| General Administration | 150,800 | 150,800 |
| Church Offices | 22,650 | 23,529 |
| Ecumenical Grants | 28,480 | 28,525 |
| Legal & Audit | 16,000 | 16,000 |
| Furniture & Fixtures | 6,000 | 6,000 |
| | <u>\$ 376,180</u> | <u>373,204</u> |
| Proposed | | |
| Increase in Basic Stipend 1979 | - | 160,000 |
| Increase in Salaries of Professors, Executives and Office Salaries 1979 | - | 65,000 |
| | <u>\$4,622,251</u> | <u>\$4,999,061</u> |

SUMMARY

| | 1978 | 1979 |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| Estimated Expenditure | \$4,622,251 | \$4,999,061 |
| Less Savings of 5% in 1979 to be approved by the Administrative Council during 1978 | - | 249,953 |
| Final Estimated Expenditure | \$4,622,251 | \$4,749,108 |
| Estimated Income | 4,264,000 | 4,503,000 |
| DEFICIT | \$ 358,251 | \$ 246,108 |
| Less | | |
| Board of World Mission - Canada Mission Fields anticipated under-expenditure | \$ 100,000 | \$ 100,000 |
| | <u>\$ 258,251</u> | <u>\$ 146,108</u> |

RECOMMENDATION NO. 39 C

That the budget estimates of income and expenditure for the years 1978 and 1979 as set forth in the above table, and with the proviso mentioned in the preamble, be approved, and the Administrative Council make subsequent adjustments as may be required.

Respectfully submitted,

LYMAN F. D. PURNELL, Q.C.
Chairman.

DONALD C. MACDONALD,
Secretary.

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THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO ADVISE WITH THE MODERATOR

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Reverend DeCourcy H. Rayner, editor of the Presbyterian Record, was elected Moderator of the 103rd General Assembly meeting in St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, Ontario.

Dr. Rayner has had a very busy year. With the exception of one or two, every invitation was accepted.

In October Dr. Rayner, accompanied by his wife, represented our denomination at the celebrations held in Ottawa of the Silver Jubilee of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth. Dr. Rayner took part in the outdoor service of worship on Parliament Hill. He and his wife were guests at the State dinner, and were present also at the opening of Parliament.

In November, the Moderator was a fraternal delegate to the Caribbean Conference of Churches held in Georgetown, Guyana. While there Dr. Rayner returned for a Sunday to the Essequibo Coast where he began his ministry in May, 1937.

In February and March of this year Dr. and Mrs. Rayner spent four weeks in the South Pacific Area where they visited the Presbyterian Church of the New Hebrides and the Presbyterian Church of Australia. It was the first time in sixty-five years that the church in the New Hebrides, which was founded by Canadian Presbyterians, had received an official representative from our church.

In Australia Dr. Rayner met with many of the leaders of the Presbyterian Church, particularly in the State of New South Wales. While in Melbourne he preached in Scots Church, where the Moderator of our ninety-eighth General Assembly, Dr. Max V. Putnam, is the minister.

In May Dr. Rayner will represent us at the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, and while in the United Kingdom he hopes to visit the offices in Belfast of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland.

Last August the Moderator conveyed the greetings of our Church to the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Canada, and to the General Council of the United Church of Canada, both of which met in Calgary, Alberta.

During the year Dr. Rayner visited seven of the eight Synods of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, fulfilling preaching or speaking engagements; only British Columbia was not visited.

Our Committee is grateful that Dr. Rayner was granted the health and strength necessary to follow such a rigorous and extensive itinerary. We are pleased that Mrs. Rayner was able to accompany him on the major overseas trip.

The ballots for the nomination of the Moderator for the 104th General Assembly were counted on April the 3rd and Recommendation No. 1 below indicates the result of the tally.

RECOMMENDATION No. 1. A

That the Reverend Jesse E. Bigelow, B.A., B.D., S.T.M., D.D., minister of Westmount Church, Edmonton, Alberta, be officially nominated as Moderator of the 104th General Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION No. 2. A

That the thanks of the Assembly be tendered to the courts of the Church, the congregations, and the many persons who received the Moderator with kindness and respect.

RECOMMENDATION No. 3. A

That special thanks be extended to the Reverend P. Gordon MacInnes, B.A., Chairman of this Committee, who assumed the duties of the Secretary of the Committee during the year in order to relieve Dr. MacDonald of this responsibility, and acted with both graciousness and efficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

P. G. MACINNES,
Chairman,

DONALD C. MACDONALD,
Secretary

The Committee to Advise with the Moderator.

**THE ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL
THE COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCES**

The Mrs. Mary Morgan Benevolent Fund
The Jardine Memorial Benevolent Fund
The Dr. Ephraim Scott Benevolent Fund
The Joseph B. Robert and Dame Sarah Robert Benevolent Fund
The Clarence MacLeod Pitts General Benevolent Fund

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

Every month the Secretary of this Committee receives a large number of letters from persons who have received assistance from one or the other of the above Funds. These recipients are ministers who have retired without benefits of Canada/Quebec Pension and have a very small Church Pension; or ministers who have suffered some emergency that has overtaxed their finances; or often widows of ministers whose husbands never joined the Pension Fund because the immediate need for cash appeared to be more urgent than providing for a future that somehow would take care of itself. Because of the generosity and thoughtfulness of those who gave to the Church to set up the above five funds some faithful servants of the Church are able to enjoy a few extra benefits, and some others even receive enough to provide them with life's necessities.

The financial statement of these funds is printed in the Auditors' Report elsewhere in this book. The report shows the Pitts Fund has been overspent. The Pitts and Scott Funds are the only two which permit payments to the widows of ministers. Unfortunately it seems to be widows are more often in need of help than

others, so we have overspent the fund that gives us the broadest scope in making grants. Last year we requested in our report that congregations consider making contributions to the Pitts Fund so that we would not need to cut back on these grants which are so desperately needed. About three inquiries were made of how help might be provided, but to date the only financial response has come from a widow who sends in each quarter her total Church Pension to assist in Benevolence Fund and Bursary Funds. It is hoped that as we repeat the recommendation this year it will provoke a more worthy response from our Christian Community.

During the year one of the Benevolence Funds received a legacy from one of our ministers who had received support from that fund for some years, and at the time of his death he gave the proceeds for the sale of a farm which he had owned. Thus he showed in a practical way his appreciation of the generosity of another who had helped him in his necessities.

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

That Sessions be reminded of the need of contributions to the Clarence MacLeod Pitts General Benevolent Fund in order that we may continue adequate support to worthy servants of the Church.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. MABEL McCUTCHEON,
Chairman.

DONALD C. MacDONALD,
Secretary.

**THE ANNIE THOMPSON BINGHAM MEMORIAL FUND
YEAR 1977**

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

This fund makes grants on a dollar for dollar basis to aid-receiving charges in the Presbytery of Saint John. Congregations make application through the Presbytery to the Board of World Mission. The financial statement for 1977 is as follows:

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| Balance at beginning of year | 18,373 |
| Add: Estate Income 1977 | 11,732 |
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| Balance as at December 31, 1977 | \$30,105 |

MRS. W. E. McCUTCHEON
Chairman

GEORGE A. MALCOLM,
General Secretary.

REPORT OF THE CANADIAN FORCES CHAPLAINCY COMMITTEE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

Seven ministers of our Church serve in the Canadian Forces. They are as follows: Major W. J. Graham, C.D.; Major S. D. Self, C.D.; Major P. L. Sams, C.D.; Major L. T. Barclay, C.D.; Major R.A.B. MacLean, C.D.; Captain W. C. MacLellan; Captain R. E. Baker.

Major Grapham retires this year and no appointment in his place will be made because the Presbyterian population in the Forces has been reduced.

The following ministers serve in the Reserve Forces:

Major D. J. Crawford, Captain C. A. Dunn, Captain R. J. Foulis, Captain I. C. Glass, Captain W. D. Jarvis, Major G. G. Hastings, Major R. S. Johnston, Major W. W. MacNeill, Captain R. W. Maddock, Major B. J. Molloy, Captain W. G. French, Captain W. R. Russell, Captain Ian Wishart, Captain J. A. Sitler.

The annual observance of Canadian Armed Forces Day will be on Saturday, June 24th. We suggest that this be published for every congregation in the Church.

Ministers desirous of serving are asked to notify the convener of the committee.

Full-time service is open to men under 35 years of age – preferably under 30 years – who have served at least 3 years in a pastorate.

In 1977 our share of chapel offerings in the Bases was \$3,418.00. This is given to the General Assembly's budget. The Presbyterian Record is available at all Bases.

This committee concurs in the recommendation of the Board of Ministry that the committee be a part of the Board.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ROSS K. CAMERON,
Convener.

W. DOUGLAS JARVIS,
Secretary.

THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH ARCHITECTURE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Committee on Church Architecture was established by the General Assembly to advise Presbyteries and Congregations regarding the suitability of plans and cost estimates for proposed church buildings. The Committee meets as business warrants to consider and comment on plans for proposed buildings throughout the country. The submission of preliminary sketch plans enables the Committee to comment at the critical early stages of the planning process, occasionally preventing costly adjustments at a later date. The procedures are outlined in Guidelines for Planning a Church which is available from the Secretary at the National Offices.

The Committee members are architects, construction cost consultants, engineers, church extension officials, and church extension ministers.

The Committee wishes to remind congregations that as the cost of buildings continues to escalate, continuous maintenance against deterioration of the fabric of buildings, and particularly of the electrical, heating and water systems, is increasingly advisable. Furthermore, adequate insurance valuation against disaster such as fire is essential, and should be reviewed annually. A Guidebook on Maintenance of Church Buildings is now being produced and will be available later in the year.

RECOMMENDATION 1. C

That Committee membership remains at twelve to allow for the diversity of talents required on this Committee.

M. R. ROSS
Chairman

ALEX. F. MACSWEEN
Secretary

THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH DOCTRINE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Committee on Church Doctrine respectfully submits the following report of its works.

I. THE DIACONATE

INTRODUCTION

Since 1970 The Presbyterian Church in Canada has been studying the feasibility of an Ordained Diaconate as one of the means of meeting the challenge of the varieties of ministry needed in the church today.

In 1974 a full proposal was submitted to the 100th General Assembly (A. & P. 1974, pp. 399-405). In 1975 this was submitted again along with the changes in legislation in the Book of Forms, (A. & P. 1975, pp. 384-385). The legislation was sent down to Presbyteries under the Barrier Act.

A very close vote by the Presbyteries complicated by a number of late returns in favour of the proposal led the Assembly to adopt the following motion in con-

nection with the Diaconate.

“... it was agreed that in the light of the considerable support for the proposed Diaconate Legislation, expressed by the disposition of the voting, the Committee on Church Doctrine be instructed to study this matter further with a view to remitting an Amended Version under the Barrier Act at a subsequent Assembly.

The Recommendation was adopted.” (A. & P. 1976, p. 55)

The Committee presented a study paper to the Assembly in 1977 and after receiving and considering reports from Presbyteries and Congregations, is now prepared to present legislation in a different form. A number of changes have been made from the 1974 proposal (A. & P. 1974, pp. 399-405) in the light of the replies from Presbyteries and Congregations. Presbyteries may find it helpful to refer back to the 1974 proposal but are asked to make their decision solely on the basis of the 1978 legislation.

PREAMBLE

The Preamble to our new Ordination Vows acknowledges that “all ministries of the Church proceed from and are sustained by the ministry of the Lord Jesus Christ.” As our Prophet, Priest and King, Christ is the true Minister of the covenant of grace. Through the operation of his Word and Spirit he calls, equips and sends out his Church to participate in his ministry to the world. All Christians are summoned to this task: namely, to share the gospel with the world and to offer to the Father the worship and service which are due to him from his creation. Yet within the total ministry of all believers there are basic special ministries. The first and primary one is the ministry of Word and Sacrament. The second is the office of the Ruling Elder.

It is proposed that a third office or order of ministry be revived, namely, the diaconate. The establishment of this order of ministry within The Presbyterian Church in Canada would be an acknowledgment that God calls some men and women through the preaching of the Word to full-time service within the Church which is neither that of the ministry of Word and Sacrament nor that of the ruling eldership but rather to the ministry of diaconal service in the Church and to the world.

The New Testament witnesses to this order of ministry which was instituted for the distribution of alms and other material duties (Acts 6:1-6). In the early Church, the diaconate was viewed as an integral part of the three-fold understanding of ministry (bishop, presbyter and deacon). The diaconate was an office with its own form and dignity and it was held in great respect. At the time of the Reformation, John Calvin acknowledged the office of deacon and stated that deacons should be ordained to their office of ministry in the Church (Institutes IV, 3, 16). However, the matter was not fully taken up by the majority of Presbyterian and Reformed Churches. During the nineteenth century an attempt was made to restore the office of deacon. This was in response to the great social, educational and economic needs which were created by the industrial revolution. It arose also in response to the genuine vocation of many women who were willing and able to dedicate themselves to the service of the Church and the world in the name of Christ but who were prevented from entering the ministry of Word and Sacrament and the ruling eldership. An Order of Deaconesses was established in both the Church of Scotland and The Presbyterian Church in Canada, but this office had no integral relationship to the courts of the Church. It was distinguished from and did not seek to replace the office of congregational deacon and the deacons' court (Book of Forms, 135-138). (It should be carefully noted that in this new legislation these are still recognized and remain unaffected).

The proposal is therefore to re-establish the Order of the Diaconate which will be open to both men and women. Although The Presbyterian Church in Canada now ordains women to the ministry of Word and Sacrament and to the ruling eldership, there are women and men who receive a call and seek to serve Christ and his Church in a ministry of diaconal service.

It is intended that the diaconate be an order sufficiently flexible to meet certain educational and social needs of the Church in our day. Continuity with the office of deacon in the New Testament and the early Church is not entirely one of structure

but one of intent. The parallel lies in the fact that the early Church instituted an order to meet the needs of the community, needs which were not being met by other forms of ministry. The revival of the diaconate is an attempt to meet the challenge and complexity of this modern age in obedience to the biblical faith.

THE LEGISLATION

AMENDMENTS UNDER THE BARRIER ACT FOR CHANGES IN THE BOOK OF FORMS:

This is a remit under the Barrier Act, and the vote of the Presbytery must be "approve" or "disapprove" (Section 257 (b), Book of Forms).

SECTIONS 174 and 175 Delete and replace by:

174: The Order of Deaconesses in The Presbyterian Church in Canada instituted in 1908 shall continue as long as any present members live or until such time as all presently designated deaconesses shall resign or apply for ordination to the new diaconate. No new members will be designated to the Order after the 105th General Assembly.

175: The regulations pertaining to the Diaconate will be found in the supplement to Chapter 4.

SECTION 176 Amend by inserting the following 2) after the present 1) (f) and making the present 2) number 3).

- 2) Ordained deacons within the bounds:
 - a) who are serving in one congregation or are employed jointly by two or more congregations.
 - b) who are appointed by the Board of World Mission to an overseas mission field and are within the bounds because of furlough or or special assignment.
 - c) who serve on our college faculties or are employed as deacons by the courts, boards or committees of the church, or by the W.M.S. (W.D. or E.D.)
 - d) who are serving in some institution or area of new outreach approved by the courts of the Church.

SUPPLEMENT TO CHAPTER 4 THE DIACONATE

1. THE DEACON functions within the ministry of the church in the areas of: Christian Education, Mission and Worship.
2. THE WORK OF A DEACON is exercised
 - a) In a congregation or in several congregations jointly; or
 - b) Under appointment within the jurisdiction of the Church; or
 - c) Under some other institution or area of new outreach approved by a court of the church.
3.
 - a) An applicant for certification as a candidate for the office of deacon must be a communicant member of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and must make application through a Session to a Presbytery.
 - b) Certification procedure is guided by Section 203 above.
 - c) An applicant then applies to Ewart College (or comparable educational institution) for acceptance in the currently prescribed courses of study, as approved by General Assembly.
 - d) Upon completion of the educational requirements and an examination by Presbytery, (Presbyteries may be guided by Section 205 above for the conduct at such examination), the candidate may seek a call from a congregation or one of the courts, boards, or committees or the W.M.S. (W.D. or E.D.) which process is guided by the present manner of call and appointment in the church. (Sections 213-242 above)
 - e) A deacon is to be ordained by the Presbytery with prayer and the laying on of hands according to the guidelines of Section 235 above.*
 - f) A deacon who desires to demit office, may on application, receive a letter of demission of office.

4.
 - a) A deacon is a member of a Presbytery and is under its care and discipline.
 - b) When the work of a deacon overlaps the bounds of Presbyteries, membership is determined in consultation with the Presbyteries involved.
 - c) Deacons in church courts do not require equalizing ministers or equalizing elders.
 - d) Deacons are commissioners to General Assembly in the same ratio as ministers, but are selected by the Clerks of Assembly on rotation from a list of deacons maintained on a chronological basis by the Clerks. The Clerks are to inform the Presbyteries of their right to commission the deacons named.
5.
 - a) Every deacon serving in a congregation is a member of the Session of that congregation but may not serve as representative elder.
 - b) A deacon who is not serving in a congregation shall be eligible for election as an elder in the congregation he or she attends, without further ordination.
 - c) Members of the Order of Deaconesses instituted in 1908 currently employed full-time by the Church may apply for ordination to the diaconate without further training.
 - d) Non-active members of the Order of Deaconesses instituted in 1908, upon returning to a full-time position in the Church, may apply for ordination to the diaconate, subject to possible further training.

The Committee on Church Doctrine is convinced that our study of questions relating to the possibility of re-establishing the Order of the Diaconate has reached a critical and decisive stage. We would therefore strongly urge the 104th General Assembly to give these proposals its most serious consideration.

RECOMMENDATION 1. C

That the amended legislation prepared for the institution of the Order of the Diaconate be sent down to Presbyteries under the Barrier Act for approval or disapproval.

*The actual wording of the service as prepared by the Committee on Church Worship.

II. MINISTRY OF WORD AND SACRAMENTS

Over the past several years, your committee has produced papers for Presbyteries to study and has presented other statements dealing with the Church's ministry in general and with the Ministry of Word and Sacraments in particular. Some of these both examined the biblical basis of Ministry and offered some creative thinking on the subject. Your committee has thus shown its awareness of the need to meet the challenges of our modern day society with a viable concept of the Ministry of Word and Sacraments and perhaps with additional forms of ministry as well (cf. the proposed Diaconate). We have become equally aware, however, that our Reformed understanding of the Ministry, as restrictive as in places it may be and must be if it is to remain true to its biblical basis, nevertheless affords us a great deal of flexibility including the freedom both to establish special ministries and to appoint ministers of the Word and Sacraments to work in non-congregational settings.

We submit herewith *A Statement on the Ministry of Word and Sacraments* which, we believe, accurately states our doctrinal position as it is reflected in our Subordinate Standards and in rulings and statements of General Assemblies. This Statement will suggest wherein we would remain firm in our doctrine of the Ministry and wherein we are free to be flexible and innovative. Being a comprehensive statement it also answers several other questions with which we were asked to deal, e.g. the biblical basis of the Ministry; the relationship of a minister to the Presbytery and the congregation; the Church's understanding of the Call, ordination and induction; the validity of part-time ministries, cognate work, etc.

A STATEMENT ON THE MINISTRY OF WORD AND SACRAMENTS

Jesus Christ
is the only

1. Jesus Christ has been given all power in heaven and on earth by the Father. He is the only King, Head and Saviour of His

King and Head of the Church

Body, the Church, which is one, holy, catholic and apostolic. Christ, by His Spirit, works in the Church in many ways. He particularly uses the preaching of His Word, the administration of the Sacraments and the gifts of pastoral care for the fulfilling of His will.

He Rules His Church through an Apostolic Ministry

2. Christ has, through the unique ministry of His Apostles, chosen to establish His Church on a doctrinal and structural foundation. Their apostolic ministry of Word and Sacraments is continued in successive generations as through the Holy Spirit Christ continues to give pastors and teachers to His Church.

The Ministry is a Perpetual and Distinct Office

3. To this order in the Church, Christ has given the responsibility of preaching His Word and celebrating His Sacraments and of safeguarding their purity; therefore, the Ministry is not to be equated with, dissolved in or subsumed under any other office in the Church. The Ministry is indispensable to the well-being of the Church for through it Christ exercises His authority, mediates His love and equips the saints for their mission in the world.

There is but One Ministry

4. Since there is but one Church of Christ, a person ordained to the Ministry of Word and Sacraments is ordained to the one Ministry of the holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

The Office of Minister Normally Includes the Function of Bishop

5. In the New Testament, "presbyter" and "bishop" denote the same office. Calvin, in his *Institutes*, adopted this position as did the Westminster Divines. Thus Reformed theologians asserted the parity of the Ministry over against the three-tier hierarchy of bishop, priest and deacon.

The office of minister normally includes the function of bishop – being overseer of a congregation. In this the minister is assisted by ruling elders. Ministers to congregations are bishops who preach the Word and celebrate the Sacraments. Through these means Christ takes command of the hearts and minds of His people. This is central to what we mean by church government and Christ's authority in the Church. Since the minister is bishop he also moderates meetings of the Kirk Session.

Ministers are Responsible to Christ and Accountable to the Corporate Ministry

6. In the discharge of their office, ministers are responsible to Christ and accountable to the corporate Ministry, in our case through the higher church courts, primarily through the Presbytery. A Presbytery consists of its ministers who in their task of governing the Church are joined by elders. The Presbytery provides for Christlike direction, discipline and support of its members and oversight of the pastoral charges and of the total ministry and mission of the Church within its bounds.

Ministers are Called to their Office

7. The Church through its ministers and courts bears the responsibility of discerning the gifts and calling of Christ among its people, especially the calling to the Ministry of Word and Sacraments.

We recognize, however, that the Holy Spirit may call and direct a person to a ministry or missionary work other than that of the congregational ministry. So also have professors and principals, and ordained ministers serving on the Church's national staff been called to particular tasks in special ministries. The Church may confirm, establish and support such services under Christ, which are distinguished from, though not unrelated to, the Ministry of Word and Sacraments. The

latter remains the basic form of ministry in the Church of Christ.

In accepting a call to the Ministry a person is placed under the academic discipline of the Church.

Only Ministers may ordain others to this Ministry

8. The authority to function as a minister can be transmitted to an individual only by the corporate Ministry which is charged with the stewardship of the Word and Sacraments. Ministers alone, therefore, in due association, which for us means in Presbytery, have the power to ordain to this Ministry. Since the Ministry of Word and Sacraments is normally exercised in a congregational setting, the settlement of a minister is usually through a congregational call. A call from a congregation, however, neither compels a Presbytery to ordain a candidate for the Ministry nor to induct one who is already ordained. In the first instance the Presbytery must in its free responsibility satisfy itself regarding the candidate's Christian character and other qualifications, and in both instances that the person called will make a suitable pastor for that particular congregation.

A call may come to a person not only through a congregation but from the Church through one of its boards or agencies.

Ordination is to a Full-time Ministry

9. The wont and usage of the Church is to ordain to a full-time ministry of Word and Sacraments. For that purpose ministers receive a stipend which frees them from having to earn their livelihood elsewhere and to serve the Church, their congregation's and often their community's pastoral needs. It benefits the Church when its ministers are free to be full-time pastors reflecting the One Who is the true Shepherd of the flock, caring for and leading His people at all times. Not only are part-time pastors not always conveniently available to the people of God but if they are also otherwise employed they are further hampered with a divided responsibility.

While part-time ministries are not entirely without precedent in both scripture and history, they are nonetheless occasional rather than normal. In small isolated communities or among a small ethnic minority, for example, a Presbytery may judge that a full-time pastorate is unreasonable.

Ordination is for Life

10. Our doctrine is that ordination to the Ministry is for life and one's ministry may not be relinquished without sufficient cause. The cause must be stated to the Presbytery which is the judge, subject to appeal, of its adequacy. A minister who is permitted to demit the office ceases to have the power to exercise any ministerial function anywhere. Ministers who, on appropriate grounds, are permitted to resign a charge or to retire before the legislated retiring age must, if and when they are capable of performing their function again, return to their ministry.

Should a minister be unable to secure an appropriate call, a Presbytery may in extreme cases be faced with the duty of pointing out that that person must exercise a ministry within the possibilities offered or apply for permission to demit the office.

Ministerial Appointments are Normally *ad vitam aut culpam*.

11. Calls, inductions and appointments of any kind are not ordinarily open to limitations being imposed on length of tenure. There is, however, a legitimate place for certain inherently time-limited ministries. Such may be considered apart from the normal process of call and induction but regulated by the protection and oversight of the Presbytery

Inactive Ministers Should Request Their Name be Listed on the Appendix to the Roll

- or higher Court of jurisdiction.
- Ministers who resign a charge or cease to be in the active service of the Church ought to request the Presbytery in which they reside to list their name on the Appendix to its Roll. The Presbytery may grant the request if the minister remains without the bounds, associates with a Presbyterian congregation and maintains integrity of life and character. Only ministers whose names are listed on a Presbytery's Constituent Roll or its Appendix are certifiable as ministers in good standing and over them the Presbytery maintains full right and duty of discipline.

Ministers in Cognate Work

- A minister who is neither a pastor, a secretary of an official board or committee of the Church, a professor in one of the Church's theological colleges, or a Mission Board appointee, but who in the opinion of the Presbytery is fulfilling a genuine Gospel ministry may be considered as being engaged in cognate work. Such a person may request to be listed on the Appendix or in some instances to be added to the Constituent Roll of the Presbytery within which he or she resides.

Deposition is from the Ministry of the Church Catholic

- When a Court deposes a minister from office, it is the act of the Church Catholic deposing that person from the Ministry of the Church Catholic. Deposition declares a person to be no minister of Christ. This act of discipline is taken only in extreme cases as when, for example, a minister rejects the corporate discipline of his or her peers. He thereby disqualifies himself as a minister and the appropriate Court cannot evade its responsibility of declaring his ministry void. Christian denominations should take with extreme seriousness one another's discipline for the sake of the good estate of the whole Church.

RECOMMENDATION 2. C

That the Statement on the Ministry of Word and Sacrament be adopted as a declaratory interpretation.

III. QUESTION: HAVE MINISTERS ON THE APPENDIX OF A PRESBYTERY THE RIGHT TO SIT AND CORRESPOND?

At the moment, a minister on the appendix has the *privilege* on motion of the court of speaking on any subject before the court and he should be careful not to abuse this privilege. He cannot, however, vote on any question nor may he be a party to any motion. Moreover, he is usually expected to pay his own expenses to the meetings of Presbytery since he is not settled over a congregation which contributes to the Presbytery Fund.

Before answering the question before us, we would make the following observations: —

- Some retired ministers at present on the appendix might qualify to be transferred to the constituent roll of Presbytery under Book of Forms, Section 176 (1) (c) and footnote, and thereby be given the right to sit, correspond and vote.
- There are undoubtedly some ministers on the appendix who being engaged in purely secular work might be considered as having forsaken their ministry and therefore ought not to be accorded even the privilege of sitting and corresponding.
- Ministers on the appendix are often enlisted by their Presbytery to deliver sermons and charges, to act as interim moderators, stated supply, and to sit on committees, etc.
- Constituent members of the Court have their expenses paid by Presbytery

whether or not they are settled over a congregation which contributes to the Presbytery Fund.

- Upon moving from Presbytery to Presbytery, retired ministers on the constituent roll of one Presbytery may find their name routinely transferred to the appendix of another thereby robbing them of their former rights.
- Ministers on the appendix are ministers of the Church in good standing, are under the care and discipline of the Court, and their wisdom, experience and skills are often used beneficially by the Presbytery.

For these and additional reasons, we feel that ministers on the appendix should at least enjoy the right to sit and correspond. In order to preserve the integrity of the system, however, we would also urge Presbyteries to examine their appendix to the roll to ensure that ministers listed thereon have not, in fact, forsaken their ministry.

RECOMMENDATION 3. C

That the statement concerning the right of ministers on the Appendix to the Roll to sit and correspond be approved for submission to Presbyteries under The Barrier Act.

IV. QUESTION: HOW ARE WE TO DEFINE THE POSITION OF A MINISTER WORSHIPPING REGULARLY IN A CONGREGATION OF WHICH HE IS NOT THE MINISTER?

It is assumed that such a minister is either on the constituent roll or on the appendix to the roll of presbytery. Any minister who was ordained by our Church and who is not on either should be urged to rectify this inordinate situation or demit his or her office in which case the individual ceases to be a minister and the question before us becomes irrelevant.

Ministers, be they on the Constituent Roll or on the Appendix to the Roll of a Presbytery, should be associated with a congregation but are primarily under the care and discipline of the Presbytery. However, it is to be expected that a Kirk Session would show the same pastoral concern for a minister worshipping within its bounds as it would show to any other member of its congregation.

Your committee suggests that at a minister's request, the Clerk of the Presbytery should commend such a minister to the care of the Session, indicating that he or she is still "a minister in good standing within the Church" and recommending the individual as a resource person for both the congregation and its pastor. Such a person should be considered as a minister-in-association with the congregation, have his or her name so noted on its congregational roll, and be eligible for all the rights and privileges accorded to regular communicants including election as a ruling elder of the congregation. (See Book of Forms 106b).

RECOMMENDATION 4. A

That the statement defining the relationship of ministers not in charges to the congregation in which they worship be approved as a declaratory interpretation.

V. QUESTIONS: MAY STATED SUPPLY BE PART-TIME? MAY RETIRED MINISTERS BE STATED SUPPLY... PART-TIME OR FULL-TIME?

Little is recorded by rulings in the Acts and Proceedings and until recently the sole reference in the Book of Forms was section 213: "When it is deemed inexpedient to proceed to call, Presbytery may appoint a minister of the church as stated supply for a fixed period, not exceeding one year."

Your committee must admit, however, that nowhere can it find a clear definition of the office of stated supply. According to one understanding, the function of stated supply is limited to providing Sunday by Sunday supply which is, by its very nature, a part-time ministry. Alternatively, stated supply has been interpreted as a full-time ministry, in all respects like that of an inducted minister, except that "it is deemed inexpedient to proceed to call" for any of a variety of reasons related to the needs and recent history of the charge.

With the 1976 change in section 176(1) of the Book of Forms, stated supply has become a basis for membership on the constituent roll of Presbytery. There is thus a need to resolve the ambiguity of stated supply. From a practical viewpoint there is wisdom in Presbyteries retaining the freedom to make interim appointments, part-time or full-time, as needs require. Where Presbytery judges that a full-time appointment is unreasonable, a schedule of responsibilities would be worked out. On the other hand, where an interim full-time appointment is made, the appointee would be expected to act in all respects as minister of the charge except that the appointment would be terminable and without induction.

We suggest, therefore, that two categories of interim ministry be recognized: "stated supply" which would be an interim full-time appointment of up to twelve months and renewable; and (for lack of a better label) "interim part-time appointments." The Clerks of Assembly in their report on stated supply have suggested guidelines for these two kinds of appointment and we note with approval their suggestion that retired ministers be eligible for both.

RECOMMENDATION 5. A

That the statement dealing with Stated Supply and Part-Time Ministries be adopted as a declaratory interpretation.

VI. OVERTURE NO. 22 – PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON RE: STATEMENT ON DEPOSITION (A & P 1977; pp. 426, 29, 46)

The Presbytery of Kingston overtured the 103rd General Assembly to declare the Statement on Deposition, prepared by our committee and adopted by the previous Assembly, unwise counsel (A & P 1975; pp. 386-7; 1976; pp. 395-6, 62). The Presbytery's main argument is that the Statement

- (1) unwisely recommends that The Presbyterian Church in Canada should receive without question or investigation the action of other church courts;
- (2) implicitly denies differences within the Church Catholic because of which "the reason for deposition from one communion of the Holy Catholic Church may not necessarily constitute reason for deposition from a sister communion;"
- (3) unjustly precludes the right of a deposed minister to appeal his or her case before another denomination with a view to being restored to the Ministry.

In reply, we respectfully submit that the Statement on Deposition does not enjoin us to accept unquestioningly the decisions and actions of other church courts nor does it, as alleged, stand in opposition to Chapter XXXI, IV, W.C.F. which states: "All Synods or Councils since the Apostles' time, whether general or particular, may err, and many have erred; therefore they are not to be made the rule of faith or practice but used as an help to both." The Statement simply but clearly holds that sister churches should respect or take with extreme seriousness one another's discipline. This neither suggests a blind submission to, nor does it permit an uncritical dismissal of one another's discipline and is, we believe, in complete harmony with the immediately preceding paragraph in the Westminster Confession of Faith which states that "the decrees and determinations (of synods and councils), if consonant to the Word of God are to be honoured not only for their agreement with the Word, but also for the power whereby they are made, as being an ordinance of God, appointed thereunto in his Word.

We would also point out that far from implicitly denying that there are differences within the Church Catholic concerning what constitutes a valid cause for deposition, the Statement explicitly acknowledges that there are doctrinal differences among churches concerning the whole nature of the Ministry: "The churches do not all acknowledge one another's ministries." Nonetheless, the Statement continues, "Christ's claim upon us demands that we ultimately recover a ministry that will be universally recognized throughout the Church Catholic, as it was in the earliest days. Meantime we must adhere to our practice and doctrine of ordination into the one ministry of Christ." The corollary of the last sentence is that deposition is also deposition from the one ministry of Christ.

Perhaps we might also observe at this point that notwithstanding the disunity

of the Church, we baptize, confirm or admit to the Lord's Table, celebrate Holy Communion, solemnize marriages and discipline our own members believing that we perform these acts not as a religious sect nor merely as a denomination but in the name of the whole Church.

Finally, regarding a deposed minister's right to appeal his or her case before another denomination, we not only hold that there is no such right but that there is no such thing as an appeal from one denomination to another. Even though disagreeing with it one branch of the Church cannot reverse a decision duly made by another. Should a deposed minister transfer his membership to a different branch of the Church and subsequently seek admission to its ministry, this does not constitute an appeal but a church member's request to have his fitness for ministry assessed by his denomination in the light of its own standards and requirements.

RECOMMENDATION 6. C

That the statement on Deposition re. Overture No. 22, Presbytery of Kingston, (Acts and Proceedings, 1977, pp. 426, 29, 46), be approved and that the prayer of the Overture be not granted.

VII. THE COVENANT OF GRACE

Ref. Acts and Proceedings, 1977, pp. 223-226, and p. 229, Recommendation 4.

Thirty four responses to the Committee on Church Doctrine's request that ministers and sessions should examine the Committee's report on the Covenant of Grace and report on their experience and practice concerning the question of the admission of young children to communion have been received and carefully studied. While all those who replied faithfully adhere to the current practice of our church, there is evidence of three fairly distinct tendencies with respect to the specific question of earlier admission to Communion. These may be expressed with the help of the following quotations:

- i) "The following motion was passed: 'that the *status quo* be observed with regard to the admission of children to communion'."
- ii) "The Session wishes to advise the Committee that we are receptive to the proposal, with certain reservations. (These concern) such considerations as to what preparation will be given (if any) before children come to the table, and at what age they may be allowed to do so."
- iii) "We are of the opinion, that at baptism, the child 'now received by Christ's appointment into His Church' is a full member of the Church of Jesus Christ, and that there is no partial membership or a graduated scale of membership".
 - a) Approximately two thirds of those who responded are neither wholly convinced or at least reasonably satisfied that our current practice should remain unchanged.

The remaining third expressed either a distinct openness to change or a willingness to pursue the matter further in connection with closely related issues:
 - b) In some instances, specific questions were raised with the intention that discussion of the matter should continue. Questions arose concerning, for example, what is meant by "age of discretion" or "maturity"; whether suitable materials for instruction are available; whether or not our doctrine of Infant Baptism would have to be more carefully studied in relation to this issue.
 - c) In certain other instances, those most open to an adjustment of our current practice feel that a policy of admission to Communion at an earlier age can only be properly worked out in conjunction with a more detailed theological analysis of the sacrament itself. It should further be noted that according to information so far received, *no-one* would be prepared to admit children to Communion without adequate prior instruction.

The Committee is of the opinion that the responses received demonstrate the need for further reflection, and that there is a considerable number of related theological issues with regard to this question which call for further study particularly with regard to the Sacrament of Infant Baptism and the practice of Con-

firmation. It is also felt that questions of this nature should be addressed before any definitive statement can be made with respect to the communication of children.

RECOMMENDATION 7. C

That the work of the Sub-Committee on the COVENANT OF GRACE: THE COMMUNICATION OF CHILDREN be continued and that further study of the matter be carried out with particular reference to the Sacrament of Infant Baptism and the practice of Confirmation.

VIII. THE WORK OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

It is hoped that the booklet on Neo-Pentecostalism which the 102nd General Assembly authorized the Committee on Church Doctrine to prepare will become available for distribution toward the end of 1978.

IX. TRANSCENDENTAL MEDITATION

Study of this matter is continuing under a sub-committee in Vancouver headed by the Rev. F. W. Metzger. The Committee looks forward to presenting a report to the 105th General Assembly in 1979.

X. THE VALUE OF HUMAN LIFE

The Committee is pleased to inform the Assembly that in conjunction with a Committee of the Board of Congregational Life study of this and related matters authorized by the 103rd General Assembly is in progress. In an attempt to formulate theological and ethical criteria with regard to the value of human life the committee dealing with this question has chosen to focus its attention upon the problems surrounding biomedical research in a technological society.

IAIN G. NICOL
Chairman.

DONALD C. SMITH
Secretary.

THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH WORSHIP

To the Venerable, the 104th General Assembly:

From all parts of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, the concern for worship is growing. Individuals are exploring anew their "roots" in Reformed liturgy. Congregations are experiencing renewal as they strive to make worship the "heartbeat" of their life together, as they are addressed and challenged by the Word of God in new and exciting ways. Presbyteries and Synods are encouraging worship through workshops and retreats. In all these areas God through His Holy Spirit is working renewal of our worship life.

The Committee on Church Worship has had many concerns before it during the past year. We have been encouraged by the response to *Worship Workbench* and the sharing of worship resources that many of you have helped with. Above all, the Committee has struggled with the overall concern of the task of such a committee as ours — the encouraging and developing of the worship life of our denomination. After much deliberation, a recommendation is being made that the Worship Committee become part of the Board of Congregational Life. We feel that worship naturally is the central aspect of congregational life. For background to this recommendation, the following references are cited: *Acts and Proceedings*, 1976, p. 40. *Acts and Proceedings*, 1977, pp. 230-231.

Book of Common Order:

Following the decision of Assembly of last year, an "abridged edition" of the

Book of Common Order is being printed and should be ready shortly. (Reference: *Acts and Proceedings*, 1977, pp. 230-231, also, p. 42).

French Translations:

The matter of French Translations of parts of the *Book of Common Order* at the time of the submitting of this report is still under study and will be reported more fully at the time of Assembly. (Reference: *Acts and Proceedings*, 1977, pp. 37 and 42).

RECOMMENDATION 1: A

That the Church Worship Committee become an Advisory Committee within the Board of Congregational Life.

RECOMMENDATION 2: A

That the present budget of the Church Worship Committee be assigned to the Board of Congregational Life.

Respectfully submitted,

TED CREEN,
Convener.

THE CLERKS OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY

A considerable number of items have been referred to the Clerks of Assembly from the 103rd General Assembly, and from Overtures to the 104th General Assembly. The Clerks beg to report as follows:

**OVERTURE NO. 9, 1976 PRESBYTERY OF LANARK AND RENFREW.
RE: REPRESENTATION IN PRESBYTERY OF PRESBYTERIANS IN
INDEPENDENT OR COMMUNITY CONGREGATIONS.**

The Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew is concerned about the Presbyterians in the Community Church in Deep River. These Presbyterians have no representation in the Presbytery in whose bounds this church is located. The desire of the Presbytery is that some way may be found for the Presbyterians of this and similar congregations to have "lay representation" in Presbytery.

Because there are such variances in the doctrine and practice of the denominations involved in the Community Church at Deep River, the Clerks of Assembly find it difficult to suggest a method that would appear to accomplish the desire of the Presbyterians involved in the Community Church without destroying the sense of identity that a Community Church would consider to be desirable to its function. It is the opinion of the Clerks that the best procedure the Assembly can suggest is one that can be accomplished without changing the present law and practice of our Church. We recommend that the Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew invite the Presbyterians who can be identified as such, and who belong to the Community Church at Deep River, to appoint one of their numbers to be their representative at Presbytery meetings. We recommend that such appointment be made annually, at the time of the commissioning of elders to Presbytery, and that the person appointed be given full liberty to speak on all matters brought before the Presbytery. This person should receive notice of all Presbytery meetings, and the minutes of all meetings. He/she should have the right to raise any issue of concern to the congregation which he/she represents. This person would have the full rights of regular Presbytery members, except to make motions and to vote.

RECOMMENDATION No. 1. A

That the above be adopted as the answer to the prayer of Overture No. 9, 1976 Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew.

OVERTURE NO. 10, 1976 PRESBYTERY OF WATERLOO AND WELLINGTON. RE: RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SESSION.

Pursuant to directions of the 103rd General Assembly, the Clerks have consulted the Board of Congregational Life and find that the Board is in general agreement with the prayer of the overture. The Clerks therefore recommend the following changes in the Book of Forms:

1. That Section 109 (c) be replaced with the following:

"The Session is responsible for all aspects of stewardship, spiritual and material. With regard to the latter, the session has responsibility for determining what presentation is made to the congregation in seeking to elicit financial support for the programs of the Church at all levels. It may also appoint collections for special religious or charitable objects in addition to those appointed by the General Assembly or other competent authority. It regulates the time and mode of receiving offerings at public worship."

2. That in Section 111 (b) "not only for the maintenance of its own ministry but also" be added between "to its ability" and "to the mission. . . ."

3. That in Section 162, after (1) which was added in 1975, we change what became Section 162 (2) by rewording the first part as follows:

"The duties of the Board of Managers have special regard to the temporal and financial affairs of the congregation. It is their duty to co-operate closely with the session (which is responsible for all aspects of stewardship) in encouraging the liberality of the people in support of the congregation's total ministry, and to disburse. . . ." (The above wording is not exactly that requested in the prayer of the Overture)

RECOMMENDATION NO. 2. A

That the above changes in the Book of Forms go down to Presbyteries for approval under the Barrier Act.

OVERTURE NO. 16, 1977 PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY AND PETERBOROUGH. RE: INAPPROPRIATE INTERFERENCE IN ANOTHER MINISTER'S PASTORAL CHARGE

According to the Presbytery of Lindsay and Peterborough there are ministers in our Church who have the "habit" of entering the Charge of another minister to perform "weddings, conduct funerals, and other duties among his colleague's congregation, without invitation or consent of the minister of that parish". The Presbytery then proceeds to ask the Assembly "to rule decisively on this matter".

The Clerks of Assembly believe the rule of the Church is clear, and it is the duty and responsibility of the Presbytery to enforce the regulations.

Section 109 (a) makes it very clear that no services of worship may be conducted without the approval of the Session. When a minister comes within a congregation and conducts such services without the consent of the Session, the Presbytery has the right to take action by way of reminding him/her that what he/she is doing is wrong, or to proceed with a rebuke if necessary. Should a minister belong to another Presbytery, that Presbytery should be informed of the actions of said minister and they be asked to see that this does not happen again.

Section 109 (b) is very clear regarding the sacraments. Again the Session "appoints and provides" for the administration of such worship services where the sacraments are administered.

Section 130 lays down a principle from which we may infer guidance in such matters.

Section 199 (c) would also authorize a Presbytery to meet officially with a minister of the bounds on such matters as mentioned in the Overture as these would come under "unsuitable" actions.

Section 200 (d) indicates that a Presbytery is to confer with a Session if there is to be given any consideration of holding worship services within the bounds of a particular congregation. How much more then is an individual minister to be certain he/she has the consent and approval of the Session and the other ministers concerned

before he/she conducts services of any sort within the bounds of a congregation and especially affecting the members of that particular congregation.

While the Clerks are not aware of a specific prohibition directed against a minister intruding into the congregation of another the above mentioned Sections and sub-sections of the Book of Forms certainly lay down the principle that this is not to be condoned.

According to Cox, late Principal Clerk of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, that body adopted the following specific statement (Sixth Edition p. 53) "A minister shall not be at liberty to overstep his own bounds and enter those of another to perform ministerial functions without the previous consent of the minister within the bounds of whose parish he proposes to enter. . . ."

The Clerks are of the opinion that when a minister oversteps the bounds of Christian ministerial ethics by entering into the bounds of another congregation in the manner complained of in the Overture, the Presbytery where this takes place could and should take steps to see that this does not continue.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 3 A

That this report be received as the answer to the Prayer of Overture 16, 1977.

OVERTURE NO. 4, 1977 SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTH WESTERN ONTARIO. RE: REVISION OF CONGREGATIONAL ROLL

The Synod of Manitoba and North Western Ontario has overtured that General Assembly change section 125(d) of the Book of Forms. In its current form, section 125(d) stipulates annual revision, correction and attestation of the communicant roll, and requires further that "the session shall also make a special revision of the roll before application is made for moderation in a call to a minister." The Synod has petitioned that to this last sentence be added: "or for the appointment of an ordained missionary." In support, the Synod has cited consistency of practice and difficulties experienced in cases where a revision has not been carried out.

The argument of consistency bears considerable weight in this instance. The 88th General Assembly (A&P 1962, pages 414-415, 16) adopted the following statement: "The principle underlying the making of an appointment is the principle underlying the call from a pastoral charge, and should be dealt with 'mutatis mutandis' by a presbytery." A report adopted by the 75th General Assembly (A&P 1949, appendix pages 98-99) bears also on the validity of an appointment as a gospel call, thus supporting consistency of treatment.

Revision of the roll prior to a call is a logical and helpful element of the total process leading to a new pastoral relationship. A special revision at this time serves also to offset any lack of diligence (may Presbytery forbid!) in annual revisions by session. A word of caution, however: the strictures of section 125(e) cannot be set aside in a special revision. A session may not remove names unless the person has been absent two consecutive years from communion without a sufficient reason known to session, and session has sent a letter of concern and a further full year has elapsed without a response or attendance at communion.

Existing legislation *permits* a special revision prior to appointment of an ordained missionary. But the same logic that makes revision mandatory prior to a call suggests that it be made mandatory prior to an appointment. Presbyteries can exercise oversight by asking confirmation by the interim moderator of a revision of the roll before Presbytery approves a request for a new appointment.

The Clerks of Assembly recommend as follows:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 4 A

That the Prayer of Overture No. 4, 1977 be granted in that addition of the phrase, "or for the appointment of an ordained missionary", to the last sentence of section 125(d) of the Book of Forms be sent down to Presbyteries for approval under the Barrier Act.

**OVERTURE NO. 23, 1977 PRESBYTERY OF CALGARY AND MACLEOD.
RE: APPENDIX TO THE ROLL**

The Presbytery of Calgary and Macleod overtures "the General Assembly to amend the Book of Forms to allow Sessions to establish an Appendix to the Roll of constituent members of congregations "who are away from their usual abode for extended periods of time."

The desire to change Section 125 of the Book of Forms has come before Assembly on many occasions. One paragraph of the section is dealt with in a report of the Clerks above. As recently as 1974 the Clerks reported in detail on Section 125 (e). In the 1961 Acts and Proceedings, Page 408, the Clerks dealt with (1) What are the theological implications of striking names off the membership roll? and (2) What steps can be taken to maintain a more realistic membership roll in the fact of today's more mobile population?

In the 1966 Acts and Proceedings, Page 395, the Clerks dealt with a request "to establish the use of an appendix to the roll under specific conditions."

There is nothing in the regulations of the Church to prevent a session keeping an Appendix to the Roll of Church Members, but sessions must not remove names from said Roll without following the procedures laid down in Section 125. Membership in a congregation has legal as well as ecclesiastical rights which involve control of property. That right can be denied only after a proper procedure has taken place, and the Clerks of Assembly consider that Overture 23, 1977 advances no new, or valid reasons for making a change that would forsake our century old procedures.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 5 A

That the prayer of Overture No. 23, 1977 Presbytery of Calgary and Macleod be not granted.

**OVERTURE NO. 12, 1978 PRESBYTERY OF BRAMPTON.
RE: HANDWRITTEN SESSION MINUTES.**

The Presbytery of Brampton overtures the General Assembly "to test the mind of the Church whether the time has arrived to modify Section 27(c) of the Book of Forms to permit the recording of Session Minutes by typewriter or other recognized imaging method, with such strictures as will assure continued confidentiality."

The Clerks would remind the Assembly that this issue, with slight modifications in its requests, has been before Assemblies off and on for many years. The most recent approach brings in a new dimension in its preception that the art of hand-writing has deteriorated noticeably in recent years, but in 1965 the Clerks of Assembly, in a reply to an Overture on this issue, were concerned that "the tendency would be to find an elder who has a typewriter available and is able to use it."

To indicate clearly how often this matter has been before the Assembly the Clerks recall the following:

- 1955, Overture 19 - Presbytery of Edmonton,
- 1959, Overture 15 - Presbytery of St. John,
- 1960, Overture 19 - Presbytery of Red Deer,
- 1964, Overture 15 - Presbytery of Montreal,
- 1967, Overture 1 - Presbytery of Brandon,
- 1969, Overture 13 - Presbytery of Calgary and Macleod.

As a result of Overture 13, mentioned above, the Assembly appointed a special committee to study the whole issue. The Committee reported to the 1971 General Assembly, Acts and Proceedings, 1971, pgs. 472-473, and a remit was drafted under the Barrier Act which went down to the Presbyteries seeking permission to change the law to permit Sessions to record their proceedings by minutes other than hand-written. The remit failed to obtain the required number of affirmative votes, and as a consequence the Assembly agreed it had failed.

The Presbytery of Brampton in its Overture indicates it is in favor of confidentiality of session minutes being retained, but introduces no new methods how such confidentiality can be maintained if minutes are to be typed, assuming the Session

Clerk would be the typist, and not someone employed for that purpose.

The Clerks of Assembly are prepared to seek information on how other reformed Churches deal with the problem of confidentiality in the keeping of the minutes of their Kirk-Sessions. The Clerks are also prepared to continue their study how methods may be devised to solve the problem raised in this Overture.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 6 A

That the Clerks of Assembly continue to study the prayer of Overture #12, 1978, and report to the 105th General Assembly.

RE: PUBLICATION OF A NEW EDITION OF THE BOOK OF FORMS.

With permission of the 103rd General Assembly (See Pg. 211, Recommendation 30, 1977, A&P) the Clerks of Assembly have co-operated with Presbyterian Publications in the printing of a new edition of the Book of Forms containing the revisions made by General Assemblies since 1970. The format is somewhat different from the former edition. In order to provide the book at a reasonable price the pages of the former book were retyped where revisions occurred, and by the process of photocopying it was possible to produce a very economical book. Additional blank pages are provided for future revisions and it is hoped this edition will suffice for at least the next ten years. The type is slightly smaller, enabling the book, with a heavy paper cover, to be carried in one's pocket for easy availability.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 7 A

That the above be received as information.

**OVERTURE NO. 7 1977, SYNOD OF ALBERTA
RE: CHANGING THE NAME OF THE SYNOD OF ALBERTA**

The Synod of Alberta overtured the 103rd General Assembly "to re-name the Synod of Alberta, that it be henceforth known as *The Synod of Alberta and the North West*, having boundaries as set forth in the Overture. The Overture was referred to the Clerks of Assembly for study and report. The Clerks reported that unless Commissioners from the Synods of British Columbia and Saskatchewan have objections, Assembly agree to change the name of the Synod of Alberta to 'The Synod of Alberta and the North West' with the boundaries as outlined in the Overture."

The 103rd General Assembly agreed to refer the matter to the Synods of British Columbia and Saskatchewan for study and report to the Clerks of Assembly.

At the writing of this report the Clerks of Assembly have not received a report from the Synod of Saskatchewan. The Synod of British Columbia wrote the Clerks of Assembly and enclosed an Overture which was produced as a result of their study of Overture No. 7, 1977 General Assembly. They requested that their Overture be referred to the Board of World Mission, and that BWM be directed by the 104th General Assembly "to form a committee...to forward a joint recommendation to the 1978 meeting of the respective Synods concerning our Church's ministry to the North and any boundary changes necessary to accomplish that mission..."

The Clerks of Assembly believe that no further action should be taken on this matter until the 104th General Assembly has taken action on the above mentioned Overture from the Synod of British Columbia.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 8 A

That, if the 104th General Assembly grant the prayer of Overture No. 3, 1978 Synod of British Columbia, then Overture No. 7, 1977, be referred to the Committee named by the Board of World Mission as part of their assignment.

REPORT RE: TERM INDUCTIONS FOR ASSISTANT MINISTERS

In 1973 the Committee on Church Doctrine noted a practice of appointments

by sessions of "assistants to the minister" (A&P 1973, page 346). Further study led to a declaratory statement being appended to the Book of Forms, section 201 in 1975, whereby full-time ministries, with stated exceptions, could be initiated only through the process of call and induction.

The Committee on Church Doctrine was concurrently engaged in a study of term appointments. As work progressed it became apparent that "our present law, reaffirmed by a Declaratory Act, insists that all ministerial appointments be made only by presbytery through the process of call and induction, which rules out term appointment of assistants." (A&P 1976, page 374). In 1977, after studies by presbyteries, the Committee noted "there is a legitimate place within the structure of our Church for certain inherently time-limited ministries. Under certain circumstances, an office of assistant minister might well fall within this category." (A&P 1977, pages 219-220).

The 103rd General Assembly ruled "that a regulation be enacted under the Barrier Act providing for term induction of assistant ministers, and that the Clerks be requested to prepare appropriate legislation in consultation with the Committee on Church Doctrine to be sent down under the Barrier Act." (A&P 1977, pages 229, 44). We regret to report that neither study materials nor wording of specific legislative changes were sent to presbyteries. A few presbyteries did respond; we are not sure to what they were expressing their agreement or disagreement. To clarify the matter, we are recommending that the 104th General Assembly send down two proposed changes to the Book of Forms under the Barrier Act. These changes to sections 235 and 241 specify the limits attached to presbytery's appointment, and delete reference to retirement.

Attention is drawn to the significance of what is NOT changed. In conformity with existing practice, the call process may be used re an assistant minister, but optionally a request from session to presbytery may suffice. We believe presbyteries should retain the freedom to tailor the requirement to the local situation. Secondly, induction does imply the reading of an edict to the congregation. This practice should continue in the case of term inductions, as it serves to protect the rights of congregation members. A third point: full-time assistant ministers may have their names placed on the constituent roll of presbytery (Book of Forms, section 176 (1) (a).) However, to avoid abuse, we should note the existing practice of according this status only in cases where the appointment is for at least one year.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 9 A

That reference be made by footnote in the Book of Forms, sections 235 and 241, to the above report on term induction.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 10 A

That the following changes to the Book of Forms be sent down under the Barrier Act:

- (i) Present paragraph in section 235 becomes 235 (a)
- (ii) Add to section 235 paragraph (b) When the person being ordained and inducted is to be an Assistant Minister having been called to a specific term of years, paragraph (a) may be used except that after naming the Presbytery, the presiding minister shall say, "I invite you to take part of this ministry with us, induct you to the pastoral charge of this congregation as Assistant Minister for the term of . . . years, and admit you to all the rights and privileges thereto pertaining."
- (iii) Present paragraph in section 241 becomes 241 (a).
- (iv) Add to section 241 paragraph (b) When the person being inducted is to be an Assistant Minister having been called for a specific term of years, paragraph (a) may be used except that after naming the Presbytery, the presiding minister shall say, "I induct you to the pastoral charge of this congregation as Assistant Minister for the term of . . . years, and admit you to all the rights and privileges thereto pertaining."

REPORT RE: MEMORIAL #1, 1977 - STATED SUPPLY

The Presbytery of Brampton in Memorial #1, 1977 asked clarification of the

role of stated supply. The Clerks have studied this matter in cooperation with the Committee on Church Doctrine. We concur with the recommendation that there be two distinct categories of interim ministries. Presbyteries are asked to study and to comment on the material that follows. If there is reasonable consensus on the two categories, we would hope to propose to the 1979 Assembly a declaratory statement to be appended to section 213, Book of Forms.

We suggest that the term STATED SUPPLY be used only for full-time appointments of up to twelve months duration and renewable if it continues to be "deemed inexpedient to proceed to a call" (Book of Forms, section 213). Stated supply would be open only to ministers of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Since periodic review and mutual consent of all parties for renewal are inherent in such appointments, we believe that presbyteries should be free to appoint retired ministers as stated supply where appropriate. In cases where the appointment is for a full twelve months, the stated supply appointee is eligible to have his/her name placed on the constituent roll of presbytery for the duration of the appointment, and by motion of presbytery. The appointee may also be designated interim moderator.

INTERIM PART-TIME MINISTRIES carry less responsibility and, we would suggest, less privilege. Part-time appointments should not warrant inclusion on the constituent roll. We suggest appointments of up to a year, renewable at presbytery's discretion. There may be exceptional circumstances that warrant designation of the interim part-time appointee as interim moderator; however, normally a third party should be interim moderator. This last proposal stems from the fact that such part-time ministries inherently warrant closer oversight by presbytery. Retired ministers should be eligible for part-time interim ministries. Eligibility could be extended under this heading to candidates for ministry in The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Candidates would include both ordained persons seeking reception through General Assembly and also student ministers. The level of workload in interim part-time ministries would be variable subject to need and to presbytery's discretion. Responsibility might range from a minimum of fairly regular Sunday supply up to something approaching full-time involvement.

If the above guidelines prove acceptable, it would be necessary to send down one change under the Barrier Act in 1979. That would be to delete the phrase "full or part-time" in section 176 (1) (a), Book of Forms. Part-time interim appointments would no longer come under section 176 (1) at all.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 11 A

That the report on stated supply and interim part-time ministries be sent down to presbyteries for study and comment by January 31, 1979 to the Clerks of Assembly, with a view to a declaratory statement and amended legislation being presented to the 105th General Assembly.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

DONALD C. MacDONALD, EVERETT H. BEAN, DOUGLAS B. LOWRY,
Clerks of Assembly.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EWART COLLEGE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

SECTION I: CONCERNS OF THE COLLEGE BOARD

A. Academic Programmes

- 1 *Expansion of Academic Programmes* The Board of Ewart College is pleased to report that the College is now offering four types of programmes and that during the 1977-78 academic session students were enrolled in all four programmes. Two of these are for undergraduates: the Three Year Diploma programme and the Four Year Degree-Diploma programme; and two are for University graduates: a Two Year Diploma programme and a Two Year Graduate Degree-

Diploma programme. One fifth of the student enrolment is now made up of graduates.

For the first time students have been enrolled in a co-operative programme with the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education working toward the Diploma of Ewart College and the Master of Education Degree from the University of Toronto.

The Board is also pleased with the increased enrolment in College programmes. The First year class commencing in 1977 consisted of 16 students – 11 women and 5 men. Applications already received for 1978 would indicate that the next first year class will also be a fairly large one. In the light of the increasing need and demand within the Church for persons educated in the field of Christian Education, it is satisfying to know that increasing numbers of young men and women are responding and undertaking professional education to equip them for this work.

2. *Curriculum Study* It has been a policy of the Board of the College to conduct a major curriculum study approximately every ten years. The last such study was carried out over the years 1964-67. Findings from that study have influenced the development of curriculum during the past decade.

A new curriculum study was commenced in the Autumn of 1977. To date all former students have been requested to submit evaluations of College programmes and suggestions for curriculum changes. Questionnaires have been completed by a good percentage of graduates since 1967. Present students have contributed suggestions from their current experience. Already some positive suggestions for curriculum revision are being considered. It is planned to hold consultations with representatives of employing groups in the Autumn and to continue discussions with former and present students. Such discussions will help to shape the College curriculum for the coming years. The Board would welcome suggestions and comments from the Church.

3. *Continuing and Lay Education Programmes* The College has continued to offer its well established winter and June programmes and to undertake experimental lay education programmes. This year the five or six week lay education programmes have provided a choice of two courses: Christian Education or Doctrine in the Autumn and Christian Education or Bible Study in the mid-winter series. We now hope in such courses always to provide something in the area of Christian Education. We were also pleased to have one of the students do her field education in the programme, assisting Dr. Webster in the area of Christian Education. Although we no longer receive money from the National Development Fund of the Church, we were most fortunate to receive a grant of \$2,000.00 from The Paulin Memorial Trust Fund which enabled us once again to offer the winter continuing education opportunity for professional church workers as well as to provide a panel discussion on the Development of Faith which was opened to the general public. We remind our Church members that bursaries are available from a number of sources to enable even more people to take advantage of the opportunities to continue their education through the programmes at Ewart.

B. *Financial Concerns*

1. *Bursaries and Scholarships* During the year a number of new bursary and scholarship funds have been received including
 - The Hertha and Melville Moncrieff Bursary
 - The John Stenhouse Memorial Scholarship
 - The Reverend E. L. Garvin Scholarship
 - The A. Campbell Burgess Scholarship

The Board expresses its sincere thanks to donors of these and other ongoing scholarships and bursaries, and for the special gift from the Birthday Gift Fund. One of the great needs of the College is for additional funds of this nature to support young people who are preparing for service in the Church.

2. *Resource Fund* The Ewart College Resource Fund established by the 100th General Assembly has now reached \$29,000.00. The Board rejoices that so many concerned individuals and groups, particularly women's groups, have

responded with support for the Fund. We acknowledge with gratitude a special grant of \$2,500.00 from the Nelson Arthur Hyland Foundation. The Fund is to be used for "strengthening and expanding the work of the College". Since the regulations of the Fund stipulate that \$50,000.00 must be on hand before interest or additional capital may be used, we covet the contributions of individuals, congregations and organizations across our Church. Donations large and small help us reach our goal.

3. *Faculty Salaries* In 1977 the Board of Ewart College recommended to the General Assembly that a salary grid for the faculty of Ewart College related to the basic salary paid the faculty of our other two Colleges be instituted. This matter was referred to the Administrative Council which is to report to the 104th General Assembly. The Board has reiterated its concern again and wishes to emphasize the importance of eliminating the present discrimination as soon as possible.
4. *Budget Difficulties* Ewart College would repeat to the Church its growing concern over the financing of Church colleges in general and Ewart in particular. In the case of Ewart College, the growing number of students enrolled in our programmes means a decreased number of university students living in the College residence, which in turn results in lower income. This, plus increased food and utility costs over which we have no control, create great difficulty for us to live within budgets frozen by the Church at the 1977 level. It is necessary for the whole Church to recognize the importance of providing education for its professional workers and the need to supply such training.

C. *Recruitment and Employment*

In 1977 and 1978 members of the faculty have visited in various parts of the Church, explaining the work of the College and meeting with prospective students. This has proved to be a valuable recruitment venture and one which our Board hopes it can continue.

There is a lack of understanding within the Church of the contribution which can be made by the graduate of Ewart College. In many cases, employing congregations or agencies fail to take notice of the special competence of the men and women who graduate from Ewart, and assign them to inappropriate tasks. With an increasing number of male students in our courses, the whole issue of suitable employment and remuneration of all graduates is brought to the fore.

The attention of congregations, clusters of congregations and other employing agencies is drawn to the special competencies of Ewart College graduates who can provide leadership and support in all aspects of Church education for children, youth and adults.

D. *Overture 12, 1977 – The Presbytery of East Toronto re Bursary Structure*

This Overture, referred to the three Colleges, was discussed by the Board and referred to the meeting of the faculties of the three Colleges. The Ewart Board agreed that its reply would be in terms of the reply included in the report of the Board of Knox College.

SECTION II: ACADEMIC SESSION 1977-78

1. *Academic Session 1977-78*

During the 1977-78 academic session 30 full-time students and 1 occasional student were enrolled in study programmes. Programmes undertaken by the students were as follows: Three Year Diploma Programme – 8; Four Year Degree-Diploma Programme – 13; Two Year Graduate Diploma Programme – 4; Two Year Graduate Degree-Diploma Programme – 2; Diploma Graduate students – 3; Occasional student – 1. The faculty consisting of Dr. Margaret Webster, Principal, the Reverend Irene Dickson, Professor of Biblical Studies, the Reverend Robert C. Mathewson, Associate Professor of Religious Studies and Miss Ina Adamson, Dean and Director of Field Education was assisted by the following Sessional Lecturers who offered courses as indicated – Mrs. Carol Kessler, B.F.A., Director of Ewart College choir, Dr. Hortense Waste-

neys, D.S.W., Introduction to Social Work and Counselling. In addition a number of Deaconesses and Ministers assisted in the development of students by supervising Field Education and Internship Placements.

2. Continuing and Lay Education

The three programmes of continuing education at Ewart College have continued to develop. Our faculty has served as leadership in some programmes this year; this was done without decreasing the regular teaching load and indicates their concern for this important work of the church.

We are most grateful to the Paulin Memorial Trust Fund for providing a grant to our mid-winter Continuing Education programme which enabled it to continue when we did not receive any financial support from the National Development Fund. This year's programme was successful in terms of both content and numbers; we had 30 registrants, 29 students and 4 faculty members involved, a total of 63 participants. In addition over 175 people were present for the public panel discussion on "The Development of Faith". The panel, consisting of the programme leaders and 3 faculty members from the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education, the University of Toronto and Ewart College, conversed about the theme and responded to questions from the audience which was composed of lay people from the Toronto churches, clergy, faculty and students from the academic community. Comments afterwards were most positive and encouraging.

Following is a brief summary of our programmes:

1. Continuing and Lay Education - June 10-15, 1977

Theme: "Choosing Educational Resources for Your Congregation"

Leadership: Reverend E. M. MacNaughton, Dr. Iain Nicol, Miss Helen Tetley.

2. Lay Education

Fall Term - 6 Wednesday Evenings, October 19-November 23, 1977

Courses and Leaders:

- Christian Education - "The Learning Centre Approach in Christian Education" - Dr. Margaret Webster
Miss Ina Adamson, Mrs. Joyce Hodgson
- Christian Doctrine - "Finding Our Faith: The Development of Belief in the Early Church" - Reverend R. C. Mathewson

Mid-Winter Term - 5 Wednesday Evenings, January 11-February 8, 1978

Courses and Leaders:

- Christian Education - "Learning Through Participation" - Dr. Webster, Miss Adamson, Joyce Hodgson
- Biblical Studies - "You Can Increase Your Biblical Understanding" - Reverend Irene Dickson

3. Continuing Education Programme - February 20-24, 1978

Theme: "The Development of Faith"

Leadership: Dr. Wm. Klempa, Dr. James W. Fowler, Reverend R. Robinson
A Public Panel Discussion - January 23 - for churches, colleges, etc. in the Toronto area on "The Development of Faith".
Leadership: Dr. Margaret Webster, Dr. Wm. Klempa, Dr. James Fowler and in addition, Dr. E. Sullivan, O.I.S.E. and Father Henry Simmons, St. Michael's College, University of Toronto.

(This programme was supported by a \$2,000.00 grant from the Paulin Memorial Trust Fund.)

4. Continuing and Lay Education - June 9-14, 1978

Theme: "New Opportunities for the Adults in Our Churches"

Leadership: Dr. J. C. Wynn, Colgate Rochester Divinity School
Workshops in various areas of Adult Christian Education.

5. Continuing Education - January, 1979

Theme: To be chosen

Leadership: Dr. Paul L. Lehmann
Others to be chosen

3. Graduation

The graduation service for the year 1977-78 will be held at Ewart College on May 16, 1978. Miss Margaret Kennedy will speak.

The following report provides information about the 1977 graduation which was held at the College on May 17, 1977 with The Reverend Professor J. Stanley Glen as speaker.

Graduation Diploma in Christian Education

Bailey, Susan

Bisset, Mary Jane

Oostenbrink, Anja

Seinen, Fenny

Scholarships granted:

Three Year Degree-Diploma Programme

First Year 1. (The Emily and Francis Dickson Memorial)
Ruth Mackenzie

2. (The St. Andrew's Fort Erie Women's Association
Scholarship) - Marion Barclay

Second Year 1. (The Ailsa Craig Presbyterian Scholarship)
Frances Pentelow

2. (The Florence Gray Scholarship) - Joan Smith

Third Year 1. (The Leonie Pirch Award) - Susan Bailey

2. (The William R. and Ada Major Scholarship) -
Fenny Seinen

Three Year Diploma Programme

First Year - Amy Campbell

Two Year Diploma Programme

First Year - Joyce Hodgson

Second Year - Anne-Louise Hall

Special Scholarship - Joyce Hodgson

Alumnae Scholarship - Ruth Mackenzie

The Mrs. D. A. McLaren Scholarship - Joyce Hodgson, Ruth Mackenzie

The John Stenhouse Memorial Scholarship - Joan Smith

The Muriel Jennings Gray Scholarship - Fenny Seinen

The Evelyn B. and Donald B. Cram Scholarship - Frances Pentelow

The Isabel Ross Memorial Scholarship - Marion Barclay

The Jennie and Bell Hossack Memorial Scholarship - Marion Barclay,
Amy Campbell,
Anne-Louise Hall,
Ruth Mackenzie,
Marty Molengraaf,
Anne Vandermeij

The Elizabeth Scott McKay Scholarship - Fenny Seinen

SECTION III: GIFTS AND LEGACIES RECEIVED

The Board acknowledges with gratitude the following gifts and legacies received during the year.

BURSARY FUND

Capital Fund - Hertha and Melville Moncrieff Bursary

\$2,200.00

Mrs. Merle Dafoe, Peterborough, Ontario; Rev. W. M. Moncrieff, Pembroke; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bullock, Peterborough; Mrs. Isobel Harris, Niagara Falls; George E. Simmons, Peterborough; First Presbyterian Women's League, Pembroke; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Moncrieff, Peterborough; Lakevale Ladies Aid, Fowlers Corners; Lakevale Presbyterian Church, Fowlers Corners; Mrs. Eunice A. Davis, Scarborough, Ontario.

Other

\$ 7,294.00

Rev. Dr. A. E. Bailey, Vancouver, B.C.; Birthday Gift Bursary Fund; Arthur J. Lothead, Forest, Ontario; Dr. Donald M. MacLean, Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. Susan and Eileen McVittie, Toronto, Ontario;

Joan Neilson, Toronto, Ontario; St. Andrew-Chalmers Presbyterian Church, Uxbridge, Ont.; St. David's Presbyterian Women, Scarborough, Ont.; Margaret Waterman, Toronto, Ontario.

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Capital fund - The Rev. E. L. Garvin scholarship 500.00
Rev. Robert C. Garvin, Pt. Alberni, B.C.; Rev. Murray L. Garvin, Weston, Ont.

Other

A. Campbell Burgess, Toronto, Ont.; Mrs. Margaret Williams, St. Catharines, Ont. (The John Stenhouse Memorial Scholarship) 330.00

LIBRARY FUND

Giollo Kelly, Toronto, Ont.; Marion Rath, Calgary, Alta.; The Leonard Charities Foundation, Toronto, Ont. 850.00

BOOK History of the Woman's Missionary Society - W.M.S. (E.D.)

SPECIAL FUNDS

Chapel Furnishings - Residue of Estate of Elizabeth Ewart Henderson; 4,057.13

Continuing Education Programme - St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Paulin Fund, Windsor, Ont.; Rev. Dr. James D. Smart, Islington, Ont.; Dr. Margaret Webster, Toronto, Ont.; W.M.S. (E.D.) - to purchase colour TV for male section and sports equipment.

Other

The Graduating class of 1967 to the Graduating Class of 1977 30.00

RESOURCE FUND

Because of the large number of gifts these are not listed individually. \$12,889.35

SECTION IV: RECOMMENDATIONS

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

That Presbyteries, Sessions and Congregations be asked to take note of the existence of the Ewart College Resource Fund and be encouraged to provide support for it among the people.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

That Presbyteries and Kirk-Sessions encourage their Ministers, Directors of Christian Education, teachers and leaders to consider participation in continuing education courses offered by Ewart College and make it possible for them to attend such offerings.

RECOMMENDATION 3. A

That Presbyteries, clusters of congregations and/or individual congregations contemplating the employment of workers in Church education take note of the special competencies of Ewart College graduates in this area and the willingness of the College to provide assistance in facilitating such employment.

J. KARL ENGLISH,
Chairman

MARGARET WEBSTER,
Principal.

EWART COLLEGE THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977 AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Management of
Ewart College, The Presbyterian Church in Canada

We have examined the balance sheet of Ewart College, The Presbyterian Church in Canada as at December 31, 1977 and the statements of revenue and expenditure, deficit, scholarship and bursary funds, fund for special purposes, reserve funds and the Webster memorial fund for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the College as at December 31, 1977 and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with accounting practices described in note 1 to the financial statements applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Toronto, Canada
March 1, 1978

THORNE, RIDDELL and CO.
Chartered Accountants

EWART COLLEGE THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| ASSETS | | |
| Cash | \$ 10,466 | \$ 20,327 |
| Receivable from The Presbyterian Church in Canada .. | 5,306 | 5,924 |
| Interest in Consolidated Investment portfolio of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, at market value | 103,550 | 85,205 |
| Other investments, at cost | 1,500 | 1,600 |
| | <u>\$120,822</u> | <u>\$113,056</u> |
| LIABILITIES | | |
| Unearned revenue | \$ 250 | \$ 255 |
| FUND BALANCES | | |
| Scholarship and bursary funds | | |
| Capital | 84,350 | 75,805 |
| Income | 10,643 | 12,025 |
| | <u>94,993</u> | <u>87,830</u> |
| Fund for special purposes | 11,048 | 11,064 |
| Reserve funds | 23,693 | 13,979 |
| Webster memorial fund | 4,293 | 3,101 |
| Deficit | (13,455) | (3,173) |
| | <u>120,572</u> | <u>112,801</u> |
| | <u>\$120,822</u> | <u>\$113,056</u> |

EWART COLLEGE
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|--------------------|----------------|
| Revenue | | |
| The Presbyterian Church in Canada | \$137,190 | \$128,281 |
| Income from students | 92,686 | 90,642 |
| Conferences and meetings | 10,355 | 9,781 |
| Miscellaneous | 819 | 428 |
| | <u>241,050</u> | <u>229,132</u> |
| Expenditure | | |
| Academic expenses | | |
| Salaries and fringe benefits | 81,025 | 66,285 |
| Lecturers and special courses | 3,365 | 4,782 |
| Library and school | 586 | 677 |
| Travel and conferences | 2,610 | 1,275 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,376 | 1,521 |
| | <u>88,962</u> | <u>74,540</u> |
| Administrative expenses | | |
| Salaries and fringe benefits | 27,679 | 25,006 |
| Board and committee | 1,737 | 5,872 |
| Office | 1,757 | 2,169 |
| Telephone | 2,930 | 2,601 |
| Continuing education | 1,042 | 711 |
| Equipment cost and maintenance | 1,695 | 1,001 |
| Miscellaneous | 3,059 | 4,447 |
| | <u>39,899</u> | <u>41,807</u> |
| Building expenses | | |
| Building maintenance | 3,901 | 3,527 |
| Equipment cost and maintenance | 5,588 | 6,373 |
| Services | 18,247 | 14,590 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,154 | 698 |
| | <u>28,890</u> | <u>25,188</u> |
| Household expenses | | |
| Salaries and fringe benefits | 51,954 | 46,869 |
| Provisions | 29,631 | 27,434 |
| Supplies | 4,396 | 6,119 |
| Furnishings | 1,393 | 1,538 |
| Laundry | 4,060 | 3,498 |
| Equipment cost and maintenance | 1,578 | 1,085 |
| Miscellaneous | 569 | 667 |
| | <u>93,581</u> | <u>87,210</u> |
| Total expenditure | <u>251,332</u> | <u>228,745</u> |
| EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURE (EXPENDITURE OVER REVENUE) | <u>\$ (10,282)</u> | <u>\$ 387</u> |

EWART COLLEGE
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
STATEMENT OF DEFICIT
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|---|-----------------|----------------|
| DEFICIT AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$ 3,173 | \$3,560 |
| Excess of revenue over expenditure (expenditure over revenue) | (10,282) | 387 |
| DEFICIT AT END OF YEAR | <u>\$13,455</u> | <u>\$3,173</u> |

EWART COLLEGE
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
STATEMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP AND BURSARY FUNDS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | Capital | | | | |
|---|---------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------|
| | Bursary Funds | Scholarship Funds | Effie May Ross Fund | E.M. Wheeler Fund | Total |
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$31,662 | \$14,580 | \$18,425 | \$11,138 | \$75,805 |
| Add | | | | | |
| Adjustment of interest in Consolidated Investment portfolio to market value | (49) | (18) | (24) | (14) | (105) |
| Gifts received | 2,150 | 500 | | | 2,650 |
| Transfer from income fund | 5,000 | | 1,000 | | 6,000 |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | \$38,763 | \$15,062 | \$19,401 | \$11,124 | \$84,350 |
| | | | Income | | |
| | | | | | |
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$ 4,378 | \$ 2,780 | \$ 717 | \$ 1,149 | \$12,025 |
| Add | | | | | |
| Gift received from Birthday Gift Fund | 6,000 | | | | 6,000 |
| Gifts received—other | 385 | | | | 385 |
| Income from investments | 3,370 | 1,108 | 1,376 | 832 | 8,412 |
| | 14,133 | 3,888 | 2,093 | 1,981 | 26,822 |
| Deduct | | | | | |
| Bursaries and scholarships | 990 | 510 | 601 | 148 | 4,179 |
| Bursaries from Birthday Gift Fund | 6,000 | | | | 6,000 |
| Transfer to capital fund | 5,000 | | 1,000 | | 6,000 |
| | 11,990 | 510 | 1,601 | 148 | 16,179 |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | \$ 2,143 | \$ 3,378 | \$ 492 | \$ 1,833 | \$10,643 |

EWART COLLEGE
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
STATEMENT OF FUND FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$11,064 | \$10,535 |
| Gifts received | 1,925 | 1,315 |
| Investment income | 638 | 720 |
| | 13,627 | 12,570 |
| Expenditures | 2,579 | 1,506 |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | \$11,048 | \$11,064 |

STATEMENT OF RESERVE FUNDS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|--|----------|----------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$13,979 | \$10,300 |
| Gifts received | 9,137 | 7,799 |
| Investment income | 577 | 880 |
| | 23,693 | 18,979 |
| Expenditures re additional faculty | 5,000 | 5,000 |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | \$23,693 | \$13,979 |
| Designated for | | |
| Resource fund | \$23,693 | \$13,979 |

STATEMENT OF WEBSTER MEMORIAL FUND
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$ 3,101 | \$ 2,412 |
| Gifts received | 1,000 | 500 |
| Investment income | 192 | 189 |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | \$ 4,293 | \$ 3,101 |

EWART COLLEGE
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
NOTE TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

The following is a summary of accounting practices followed by the College.

(a) Investments and investment income

The Consolidated Investment portfolio, in which Ewart College has an interest, is held by The Presbyterian Church in Canada and is adjusted to market value each year. Any increase or decrease in market value is allocated to the capital portion of the various scholarship and bursary funds. With the exception of recording consolidated investments at market value, these financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted for non-profit organizations. Other investments are recorded at cost.

Income from investments is recorded on an accrual basis.

Realized gains or losses from investment transactions are recorded on the transaction date.

(b) Fixed assets

Land and building are capitalized in the books of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and are not included in these accounts. Furnishings and office equipment are expensed in the year acquired.

(c) Funds

The fund balances are segregated in relation to restrictions placed upon their use by the donor.

The College Board determines the usage of any bequest received for which no specific use is stated by the donor.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF KNOX COLLEGE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Board of Knox College begs to submit its 134th Annual Report.

Again we respectfully emphasize the important role and responsibility of the College in the life of our Church. It is imperative that it be understood that to maintain and improve the Church's position it is essential that the College provide the training and leadership development and the Church must give support.

The Board expresses the deep regret of the College on the sudden and tragic demise of Principal Allan L. Farris. It is a severe loss to the College and the Church. The Board appointed Professor J. Charles Hay as Acting Principal, and wishes to express its thanks and appreciation to Professor Hay for accepting the appointment and carrying out the duties and responsibilities of that office in a conscientious and efficient manner.

The residence has been fully occupied during the academic year. We have provided quality accommodation and enjoy an excellent reputation on the University Campus.

The Board commends the excellent work done by the Faculty under difficult circumstances. Adjustments were required because of the vacancies and particularly because of the sudden loss of Principal Farris. There was also an increased enrolment this year to 128.

The Board commends the work of the various officers and committees of the Board during the year. We have had three Search Committees in connection with the vacancies on the Faculty, and the Executive Committee has had a very active year. The Board has embarked on a detailed study of the requirements for a renovation and restoration program which will enable greater and better use of the College

premises. The preliminary Study and Report was prepared by Environmental Consulting Services and dealt with the following:

1. Teaching Areas
2. Library and Related Areas
3. Recreational Facilities
4. Residences
5. Energy Conservation
6. Fire Safety
7. Physical Upgrading
8. Incremental Master Plan

The Study and Report revealed several matters of great urgency requiring immediate action. These involved fire safety and constructional defects of a serious nature and will involve an expenditure in addition to the operating budget of the College.

The relationship of Knox College and the University of Toronto regarding the matter of granting degrees is a matter of great importance; and negotiations and consultations have been pursued for some time, and it is hoped that the compromise proposal will prove acceptable and improve our situation for government grants.

The Board expresses its appreciation of the loyal and efficient service rendered by the staff employees of the College.

The Board has endeavoured to keep the expenses of the operation of the College as economical as possible. However inflationary pressures continue to escalate the costs of the residence, and regretfully it will be necessary to increase the rates of room and board. Each year the College incurs a deficit, and each year is requested to reduce its budgetary requirements. The financial statements of the College will show that the main operational expenditures are not subject to control in this manner, e.g. heating, hydro, maintenance repairs, and food. Thus it can be readily appreciated that more financial assistance is required to enable the College to fulfill its role properly and maintain its status as a leading theological educational institution.

The Board expresses its grateful appreciation to the donors of gifts received during 1977 to be used for scholarships and bursaries. This is a most important function and we would encourage the giving of such gifts and bequests. The donations received are listed below under items (a), (b), (c), (d), and (e):

a) **NON-COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIPS (BURSARIES)**

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Rev. Dr. Alexander Raeburn-Gibson and Mrs. Laura Maude | |
| Raeburn-Gibson Memorial Bursary | \$ 500.00 |
| Knox Presbyterian Church, Guelph | 100.00 |
| Rosedale Presbyterian Church, Toronto | 400.00 |
| R. Boak Burns, Q.C. | 100.00 |
| Women's Federation, Central Presbyterian Church, Brantford..... | 300.00 |
| The Trustees, Ailsa Craig Presbyterian Church | |
| Nelson Hodgson Bursary | 1,000.00 |
| St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Ottawa | 150.00 |
| Dixie Presbyterian Church, Mississauga | 100.00 |
| Knox Presbyterian Church, Binbrook | 250.00 |
| St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Women, Toronto | 1,000.00 |
| Mr. Gary Pike | 150.00 |
| Knox Presbyterian Church, Burlington | 300.00 |
| St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling | 100.00 |
| Mr. Jan Van der Meulen, Burlington | 1,000.00 |
| Dr. Donald M. McLean, Vancouver | 600.00 |
| Thornhill Presbyterian Church Women | 200.00 |
| Deep River Community Church | 850.00 |
| Leaside Presbyterian Church Women's Guild | 100.00 |
| Mr. Donald B. Archer | 50.00 |
| Knox Presbyterian Church, Dundas | 600.00 |
| Harcourt Lodge, A.F. & A.M. | 100.00 |
| Mr. F. Arnold Beale | 175.00 |

| | |
|--|--------|
| b) COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIPS | |
| W. C. McBride Prize in Homiletics in Memory of Allan L. Farris | 100.00 |
| A. Campbell Burgess, Burgess Scholarship | 700.00 |
| James Dunn - Rev. Dr. Alexander Dunn Prize in History | 100.00 |
| James Dunn - The Charles Edward Robinson Prize | 50.00 |
| James Dunn - The Reverend Alexander Dunn Prize | 50.00 |
| Rosedale Presbyterian Church - Rev. James D. Smart Scholarship .. | 175.00 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| c) DISTRIBUTIONS | |
| *Billes Estate | 7,350.00 |
| *Margaret L. Simpson Estate | 5,442.26 |

*(These are distributions of income on bequests, the capital of which is held by the Executors.)

d) The following donations have been received and in accordance with the wishes of the persons concerned the money has been invested to provide income from which bursaries or scholarships may be awarded each year:

Dr. Allan L. Farris Memorial Student Bursary Fund

23,059.00

The Rev. W. Ross Adams Memorial Bursary Fund

2,000.00

Given by the Session, Board of Managers and congregation
of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Welland.

The Rev. Stanley W. Vance Memorial Scholarship and
Bursary Fund

5,473.00

Members of the congregation, St. Paul's Presbyterian Church,
Hamilton, and friends.

Class of 1950 Award

305.00

Prize for special analysis and report in a field appoint-
ment through the Board of World Mission.
Provided by Graduating Class of 1950.

Estate of Jessie Delores McClenaghan

5,000.00

A prize in the field of Old Testament Studies, in memory
of The Reverend Thomas Henry B. Somers.

e) GIFTS TO THE COLLEGE

Professor D. K. Andrews Collection to Caven Library from
Mrs. Dorothy Andrews.

Old Testament Collection to Caven Library from Prof.
R.B.Y. Scott

From the Estate of Allan Leonard Farris to Caven Library

500.00

Books from the library of Allan L. Farris, donated to Caven
Library by Mrs. Muriel Farris.

Norman Murray Gift to Caven Library

250.00

Audio-Visual Equipment from the Class of 1976, '77, and
'78; and St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, Don Mills.

RE: RECOMMENDATIONS

Since the Board's Report is required to be submitted prior to the final meeting of the Board, recommendations cannot be submitted until after the Board meeting. A Supplementary Report containing the recommendations will be presented to the General Assembly. The Board gives notice that included in the recommendations will be the nominations to fill the Office of Principal, the Chair of Preaching and Worship, and the Chair of Church History.

Respectfully Submitted.

G. B. MALLION, Q.C.
Chairman

JAMES R. WEIR
Secretary

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KNOX COLLEGE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977 AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Management of Knox College

We have examined the balance sheet of Knox College as at December 31, 1977 and the statements of revenue and expenditure for the general fund, the house account and the Caven Library fund for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the College as at December 31, 1977 and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted for non-profit organizations applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Toronto, Canada
March 27, 1978

THORNE RIDDELL & CO.
Chartered Accountants

KNOX COLLEGE
(Incorporated without share capital under the laws of Canada)
BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

| ASSETS | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| CURRENT ASSETS | | |
| Cash..... | | \$ 2,721 |
| Accounts receivable..... | \$ 8,120 | 2,696 |
| Accrued interest..... | 21,446 | 22,101 |
| Prepaid expenses..... | 21,095 | 6,884 |
| | <u>50,661</u> | <u>34,402</u> |
| INVESTMENTS | | |
| Bonds and debentures, at cost or amortized value (market value 1977, \$967,819; 1976, \$1,003,708)..... | 947,077 | 978,598 |
| Stocks, at cost (market value 1977, \$337,725; 1976, \$304,550)..... | 287,165 | 272,931 |
| Mortgages, 8%, due 1981..... | 164,473 | 120,251 |
| | <u>1,398,715</u> | <u>1,371,780</u> |
| | <u>\$1,449,376</u> | <u>\$1,406,182</u> |
| LIABILITIES | | |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES | | |
| Bank indebtedness..... | \$ 17,648 | |
| Accounts payable..... | 44,747 | \$ 15,896 |
| Deferred revenue..... | 8,173 | 13,690 |
| Residents' security and other deposits..... | 3,271 | 3,448 |
| | <u>73,839</u> | <u>33,034</u> |
| PROVISION FOR RENOVATIONS | | <u>15,753</u> |
| GENERAL AND SPECIFIC FUNDS | | |
| General fund (note 2) | | |
| Specified chairs and funds..... | 372,757 | 372,757 |
| Accumulated deficit..... | (169,239) | (137,452) |
| Scholarship funds (note 3)..... | 203,518 | 235,305 |
| Caven Library fund (note 4)..... | 443,805 | 394,538 |
| Miscellaneous funds (note 5)..... | 93,511 | 93,511 |
| | 634,703 | 634,041 |
| | <u>1,375,537</u> | <u>1,357,395</u> |
| | <u>\$1,449,376</u> | <u>\$1,406,182</u> |

Approved by the Board

Chairman

Treasurer

KNOX COLLEGE
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE
GENERAL FUND
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Revenue | | |
| The Presbyterian Church in Canada..... | \$188,190 | \$161,430 |
| Government grant..... | 69,119 | 58,596 |
| Income from investments..... | 22,020 | 24,283 |
| Rentals..... | 18,034 | 18,034 |
| Graduate and tutorial fees..... | 9,539 | 5,588 |
| Transfer of unexpended income at December 31 from A. Pitman Estate in miscellaneous funds..... | 50,200 | 32,675 |
| | <u>357,102</u> | <u>300,606</u> |
| Expenditure | | |
| Faculty and lecturers' salaries and allowances..... | 173,615 | 140,725 |
| Other salaries and wages..... | 46,355 | 44,154 |
| Employee benefits..... | 5,280 | 4,433 |
| Utilities..... | 13,261 | 10,386 |
| Repairs and maintenance..... | 12,033 | 11,866 |
| Insurance..... | 4,534 | 4,377 |
| Toronto School of Theology assessment..... | 16,116 | 14,490 |
| Board and Senate travelling expense..... | 7,707 | 7,671 |
| Convocation..... | 2,499 | 2,224 |
| Legal and audit..... | 6,000 | 4,250 |
| Investment counsel fees..... | 3,947 | 3,972 |
| Faculty moving expenses..... | | 16,136 |
| Miscellaneous expense..... | 27,829 | 23,253 |
| | <u>319,176</u> | <u>287,937</u> |
| Excess of revenue over expenditure before undernoted items..... | <u>37,926</u> | <u>12,669</u> |
| Deduct | | |
| House account excess of expenditure over revenue..... | 23,924 | 15,560 |
| Transfer to Caven Library fund for library expenses (note 4)..... | 48,722 | 51,155 |
| | <u>72,646</u> | <u>66,715</u> |
| EXCESS OF EXPENDITURE OVER REVENUE | <u>\$ 34,720</u> | <u>\$ 54,046</u> |

KNOX COLLEGE
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE
HOUSE ACCOUNT
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Revenue | | |
| Room and board | \$179,062 | \$156,412 |
| Non-resident dining room income..... | 2,562 | 3,051 |
| | <u>181,624</u> | <u>159,463</u> |
| Expenditure | | |
| Salaries and wages | 86,359 | 77,219 |
| Employee benefits..... | 4,542 | 4,063 |
| Food..... | 55,306 | 53,537 |
| Utilities | 26,523 | 20,773 |
| Repairs and maintenance..... | 38,800 | 10,722 |
| Laundry | 5,802 | 4,977 |
| Supplies..... | 3,255 | 3,293 |
| Other expenses | 714 | 439 |
| | <u>221,301</u> | <u>175,023</u> |
| Excess of expenditure over revenue before undernoted item | 39,677 | 15,560 |
| Transfer from Provision For Renovation..... | 15,753 | |
| EXCESS OF EXPENDITURE OVER REVENUE TRANSFERRED TO GENERAL FUND | <u>\$ 23,924</u> | <u>\$ 15,560</u> |

KNOX COLLEGE
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE
CAVEN LIBRARY FUND
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|
| Revenue | | |
| Income from investments..... | \$ 7,043 | \$ 5,419 |
| Fees, fines and donations | 3,563 | 1,134 |
| | <u>10,606</u> | <u>6,553</u> |
| Expenditure | | |
| Salaries and wages | 37,291 | 39,725 |
| Employee benefits..... | 1,289 | 1,341 |
| Books and Toronto School of Theology assessment | 15,620 | 11,563 |
| Repairs and maintenance | 219 | 321 |
| Supplies and sundry | 5,847 | 4,379 |
| | <u>60,266</u> | <u>57,329</u> |
| Excess of expenditure over revenue before undernoted item..... | 49,660 | 50,776 |
| Transfer from General Fund for library expenses | 48,722 | 51,155 |
| EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURE (EXPENDITURE OVER REVENUE) (note 4) | <u>\$ (938)</u> | <u>\$ 379</u> |

KNOX COLLEGE
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

1. ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

The following is a summary of significant accounting practices followed by the College.

(a) Investments and investment income

Investments purchased by the College are valued at cost. Investments received by bequest are recorded on the basis of fair market value at the time of receipt.

Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis and dividends are recorded when received. Realized gains or losses from investment transactions are recorded on the transaction date.

(b) Fixed assets

The original land and buildings are recorded in the books of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and are not included in these accounts. Other fixed assets purchased by the College are expensed in the year of acquisition.

(c) Funds

The fund balances are segregated in relation to restrictions placed upon their use by the donor. The College Board determines the usage of any bequests received for which no specific use is stated by the donor.

2. GENERAL FUND

The general fund represents endowments received for professors' chairs and receipts for other purposes.

The continuity of the general fund is as follows:

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$235,305 | \$286,780 |
| Add | | |
| Bequests and donations | | 6,719 |
| Profit on sale of investments | 2,933 | |
| | <u>238,238</u> | <u>293,499</u> |
| Deduct | | |
| Excess of expenditure over revenue | 34,720 | 54,046 |
| Loss on sale of investments | | 4,148 |
| | <u>34,720</u> | <u>58,194</u> |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | <u>\$203,518</u> | <u>\$235,305</u> |
| Comprised of the following: | | |
| W. C. McLeod chair | \$ 4,000 | \$ 4,000 |
| James McLaren chair | 50,000 | 50,000 |
| The Brown chair | 47,090 | 47,090 |
| John Gordon chair | 40,000 | 40,000 |
| Lady H. G. Clarke chair | 81,279 | 81,279 |
| Peace Thankoffering chair | 93,669 | 93,669 |
| John and Annie Gordon fund | 50,000 | 50,000 |
| E. Edgar Memorial fund | 2,527 | 2,527 |
| O. Henderson Memorial fund | 4,192 | 4,192 |
| | <u>372,757</u> | <u>372,757</u> |
| Accumulated defecit - representing unallocated accumulated excess of expenditure over revenue | <u>(169,239)</u> | <u>(137,452)</u> |
| | <u>\$203,518</u> | <u>\$235,305</u> |

KNOX COLLEGE
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

3. SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

These are endowments and other contributions for scholarships, bursaries and prizes and unexpended income therefrom.

The continuity of the scholarship funds is as follows:

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$394,538 | \$403,817 |
| Add | | |
| Income from investments | 23,812 | 34,635 |
| Bequests and donations | 57,541 | 13,773 |
| Profit on sale of investments | 3,150 | |
| | <u>479,041</u> | <u>452,225</u> |
| Deduct | | |
| Scholarships, bursaries and prizes | 35,236 | 53,223 |
| Loss on sale of investments | | 4,464 |
| | <u>35,236</u> | <u>57,687</u> |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | <u>\$443,805</u> | <u>\$394,538</u> |
| Comprised of the following: | | |
| Scholarship Reserve | \$ 8,997 | \$ 8,343 |
| Competitive Scholarship fund | 116,106 | 111,283 |
| Non-competitive Scholarship fund | 156,584 | 143,655 |
| Norman C. Wallace Bursary | 4,456 | 4,374 |
| Billes Estate | 18,491 | 27,666 |
| M. L. Simpson Estate | 28,884 | 28,317 |
| H. M. Coulter Bursary | 6,771 | 6,321 |
| Hughena and John D. Detwiler Scholarship | 27,245 | 25,559 |
| A. C. Burgess Scholarship | 2,400 | 3,100 |
| Agnes and Lindsay Torrance Endowment | 6,036 | 5,793 |
| Glenview Scholarship | 1,275 | 1,208 |
| Douglas Cram-Douglas Hamilton Scholarship | 3,477 | 3,362 |
| Walter W. Bryden Scholarship | 6,096 | 5,846 |
| Sherman Orr Graham Estate | 13,447 | 12,548 |
| John R. Waldie Memorial Scholarship fund | 1,101 | 1,101 |
| G. Laird Memorial fund | 5,450 | 5,000 |
| H. McAvoy Memorial Scholarship fund | 1,152 | 1,062 |
| Stanley Vance Memorial Scholarship and Bursary fund | 5,473 | |
| W. Ross Adams Memorial Bursary fund | 2,000 | |
| Class of 1950 Award | 305 | |
| Dr. Allan L. Farris Student Memorial Bursary Fund | 23,059 | |
| J. D. McClenaghan Estate | 5,000 | |
| | <u>\$443,805</u> | <u>\$394,538</u> |

KNOX COLLEGE
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

4. CAVEN LIBRARY FUND

The library fund represents endowments for the Caven Library.

The continuity of the library fund is as follows:

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR..... | \$93,511 | \$93,511 |
| Add | | |
| Excess of revenue over expenditure | | 379 |
| Profit on sale of investments | 938 | |
| | <u>94,449</u> | <u>\$93,890</u> |
| Deduct | | |
| Excess of expenditure over revenue | 938 | |
| Loss on sale of investments | | 379 |
| | <u>938</u> | <u>379</u> |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR..... | <u>\$93,511</u> | <u>\$93,511</u> |
| Comprised of the following: | | |
| Caven Library fund | \$26,182 | \$26,182 |
| M. L. Chambers Estate | 5,000 | 5,000 |
| McLellan Estate | 19,922 | 19,922 |
| Effie May Ross fund | 42,407 | 42,407 |
| | <u>\$93,511</u> | <u>\$93,511</u> |

KNOX COLLEGE
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

5. MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS

These are endowments for lectureships and sundry other funds and unexpended income therefrom.

The continuity of the miscellaneous funds is as follows:

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$634,041 | \$630,943 |
| Add | | |
| Income from investments | 46,481 | 42,668 |
| Profit on sale of investments | 6,191 | |
| Bequests and donations | 3,835 | 3,920 |
| | <u>690,548</u> | <u>677,531</u> |
| Deduct | | |
| Loss on sale of investments | | 8,985 |
| Expenditures | 5,645 | 1,830 |
| Transfer of unexpended income at December 31 from A. Pitman Estate to general fund | 50,200 | 32,675 |
| | <u>55,845</u> | <u>43,490</u> |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | <u>\$634,703</u> | <u>\$634,041</u> |
| Comprised of the following: | | |
| Robert Laidlaw Lectureship | \$ 24,587 | \$ 24,863 |
| Charles H. McDonald Memorial Lectureship | 3,702 | 3,577 |
| T. E. Black Memorial fund | 3,662 | 3,437 |
| Organ repair fund | 3,153 | 3,228 |
| Mary McDonald Davidson Memorial fund | 2,741 | 2,573 |
| George Fortune MacDonald Estate | 6,478 | 5,983 |
| A. Pitman Estate | 590,380 | 590,380 |
| | <u>\$634,703</u> | <u>\$634,041</u> |

REPORT OF THE SENATE OF KNOX COLLEGE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The year did not begin well for Knox. Professor Allan L. Farris, appointed Principal one short year before, died suddenly at his cottage on July 7th, 1977. This loss for Knox College and the Church is impossible to estimate, and it left the Knox College community in a state of shock. And yet grateful. It was a very invigorating year, for Allan dreamed dreams for this college, and gave himself without reserve to the immediate implementation of those dreams.

This, however, has been a very difficult year. Our expectations were cut short. Our faculty was drastically reduced. The Office of Principal was left vacant. Two chairs, Church History and Homiletics, were also vacant. And at the same time we experienced the largest enrollment in the Master of Divinity and Certificate programme in our history.

Increasing enrollment now shows signs of becoming a trend. Here are the statistics for the last five years:

| | 1973/74 | 1974/75 | 1975/76 | 1976/77 | 1977/78 |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| M. Div. and Diploma | 36 | 46 | 52 | 66 | 76 |
| Assembly Students | 2 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 7 |
| Post-graduate | 27 | 27 | 26 | 32 | 32 |
| Occasional | 7 | 7 | 4 | 16 | 13 |
| | <u>72</u> | <u>83</u> | <u>86</u> | <u>120</u> | <u>128</u> |

In 1967/68 there were 30 B.D. and diploma students, 6 occasional, 28 post-B.D., for a total of 64. In ten years, our enrollment has exactly doubled. But there has been no increase in faculty since 1963. Indeed the only increase in the academic wing since 1963, in spite of the doubling of enrollment and the growing complexity of our inter-institutional relationships, has been the appointment of a secretary for the Principal on a full-time rather than a part-time basis.

Help has come from three sources. We are grateful again this year to our regular sessional lecturers who have helped to carry the teaching load. Christian Education was taught by Principal Margaret Webster, B.A., B.Ed., M.Ed., Ph.D., D.D., of Ewart College; Liturgics by Rev. James A. Thomson, B.A., B.D., Th.M.; Homiletics by Rev. Ross Gibson, B.A., B.D.; and Mr. John Derksen, M.A., B.Mus., A.R.C.T. continued as Music Director. We are especially indebted to Dr. William Klempa for his work in the area of Homiletics, and to Dr. Stanford Reid for the courses that he offered in Church History. And then, as usual, the Toronto School of Theology helped us to fill the gaps. TST is a resource for all the Departments, but especially this year for Church History, New Testament, and Preaching and Worship. And there is our own resident faculty, who have carried heavy teaching loads, experienced classes much larger than they should be, borne extra administrative duties, and still managed to conduct lay schools, participate in continuing education, and preach far and wide. Without these resources, and the commitment of the faculty, it would have been impossible for us to fulfill our teaching responsibility. But there is a price to pay, for our students, especially first year, compelled to take so many courses outside of Knox, felt a distinct loss of a sense of community. Contact between faculty and students is itself a very significant part of preparation for ministry, and that contact of necessity was minimized this year.

Two continuing concerns, in spite of the handicaps of a reduced staff, did come a step closer to realization:

Field Education

In 1977-78, 15 second and third year students were assigned to congregational field placements under experienced ministers of our Church as supervisors. Three workshops (two at TST and one at Knox) were held for such supervisors. Also, two students were assigned to specialized ecumenical placements in the Metro area. In addition, 14 second and third year students were enrolled this year in clinical

pastoral courses at hospitals and reform institutions through the Toronto Institute for Pastoral Training.

Students entering the College in 1977/78 had the field education requirement raised from one to two credits, and it is proposed to raise this requirement to three credits beginning 1978/79. In addition, all students in the graduating year were required to participate in a series of field education (theological reflection) seminars in the College in the spring term.

Internship Year

A new project for 1978/79 will be a pilot project in a one year internship developed jointly by the College and St. Andrew's Church, Kitchener. This internship will be for a student completing second year, who will return to the College for the third academic year following the termination of the internship. This placement will provide a highly intensive involvement in experience-based learning in the 'practice of ministry'.

Our Developing Relationship to the University of Toronto

The Toronto School of Theology, in conjunction with the constituent colleges, has been negotiating with the Government of Ontario for full, though not weighted, government grants. The Ontario Government has decreed that full grants would be given only to those theological colleges whose degree is granted by a parent university. We are much closer now to an agreement in which the University, in conjunction with the colleges, will grant the degrees, with University representation on the Board of Trustees and the Academic Councils of TST. Should this come to fruition, there will be a very noticeable increase in the amount of government grant.

D. K. Andrews Memorial Scholarship Fund

The Senate was pleased with the Alumni's decision to establish a D. K. Andrews Memorial Scholarship. This is a long-overdue acknowledgment of our indebtedness to this diligent and dedicated Old Testament scholar.

We remain continually indebted to the Executive of the Alumni for its growing interest and participation in the progress of the College.

Graduates

The following students are expected to receive the diploma at the forthcoming Convocation: David A. Beaton, B.A.; John D. Blue, B.A.; Raye A. Brown, B.A.; Miss Nancy L. Cocks, B.A.; Noble B. Dean, B.Sc.; William A. Elliott, B.A.; Mrs. Karen M. Fitzsimmons, B.H.Sc.; Miss Iris M. Ford, B.A.; Sandy D. Fryfogel, B.A.; Mrs. Nora A. Gorham, B.Sc.; Raymond Hodgson, B.A., M.A., Ph.D.; Frederick P. Howard-Smith, B.A.; Miss Carol E. Johnson, B.Sc.; Miss Caroline R. Lockerbie, B.A.; Reginald J. McMillan, B.Sc.; William S. Morrow, B.A.; Kenneth Oakes, R.T. (R) (N.M.); Mrs. Patricia Strung, R.N.; Hilbertus Vancook, B.A.; Frank VanderZwan, B.A.; James J. Wyllie, B.A.; George L. Zimmerman, B.Sc. In addition, the following Assembly student will receive the certificate of the College: J. Morrison Campbell.

The following students are expected to receive the degree of Master of Divinity: David A. Beaton, B.A.; John D. Blue, B.A.; Raye A. Brown, B.A.; Miss Nancy L. Cocks, B.A.; Noble B. Dean, B.Sc.; William A. Elliott, B.A.; Mrs. Karen M. Fitzsimmons, B.H.Sc.; Miss Iris M. Ford, B.A.; Sandy D. Fryfogel, B.A.; Mrs. Nora A. Gorham, B.Sc.; Raymond Hodgson, B.A., M.A., Ph.D.; Frederick P. Howard-Smith, B.A.; Miss Carol E. Johnson, B.Sc.; William S. Morrow, B.A.; Mrs. Patricia Strung, R.N.; Hilbertus Vancook, B.A.; Frank VanderZwan, B.A.; James J. Wyllie, B.A.; George L. Zimmerman, B.Sc.

The following student is expected to receive the degree of Doctor of Theology: Rev. Garth Basil Wilson, B.A., B.D.

The degree of Doctor of Divinity (honoris causa) will be conferred on the following: Rev. William James Adamson, B.A., B.D.; Rev. Robert H. Armstrong, B.A., M.A., B.D.; and Rev. R. Forbes Thomson, B.A., M.A., B.D.

Respectfully submitted,

J. CHARLES HAY,
Acting Principal.

**THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE
REPORT OF THE SENATE 1977-1978**

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Senate of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, respectfully submits its annual report of the Session 1977-1978 with thankfulness to God for His guidance throughout the past year.

The activities of the College continue to progress. Our enrolment is maintaining the high level reached in recent years. There are twenty-nine students registered in the various programmes, including nine in the Professional Year.

Our College participates in and helps to form the McGill Faculty of Religious Studies, thus providing an enlarged Faculty and a broader curriculum for our candidates in their academic studies. In their Professional or In-Ministry Year our students take practical and academic training in the Montreal Institute for Ministry, a project of the Joint Board of the three Theological Colleges on the campus. This programme offers training with a view to competence in ministry. The courses in Presbyterian Church Government and the Westminster Standards are provided by the Acting Principal.

The College continues to offer Continuing Education for Ministers. Two of the four programmes were open to Presbyterian ministers only. One of the ecumenical ones included the final year students, and the other, a Quebec Workshop, was entitled "ETRE CHRETIEN AU QUEBEC".

The L. W. Anderson Lectures were given this year by Dr. Paul S. Minear, Professor Emeritus of New Testament, Yale University, on the theme, "Paul: Liberation Theologian". The titles of the three lectures were as follows: "Philemon", "Galatians"; and "2nd Corinthians".

A course for Clerks of Presbyteries and Synods and Superintendents of Missions, designed by the General Assembly was held in November.

The One Hundred and Eleventh Annual Convocation will be held on Wednesday, the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight in the Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul. The degree of Doctor of Divinity, honoris causa, will be conferred on Miss Margaret Kennedy, the Board of World Mission, India, and the Reverend Wallace MacKinnon, B.A., St. Matthew's Church, Ingle-side, Ontario. The Convocation address will be given by Miss Kennedy.

The uncertainties resulting from the Quebec political situation and the frustrations experienced in the search for a Principal have possibly been a blessing in disguise. We believe that there has been a renewed interest in the life and work of the College, evidence concerning which may be noted in the attendance at our meetings of Senate and the generous gifts to the funds of the College.

We record our profound appreciation of the excellent contribution made to the work of the College by the Acting Principal, the Reverend Dr. Donald N. MacMillan. His dedication to the advancement of the College and his sincere interest in the welfare of the students has inspired a co-operative spirit among the members of the Faculty and the students.

A supplementary report will be made concerning the appointment to the Principalship of the College.

Following are the names and standing of students enrolled in the academic year 1977-1978.

Professional or
In-Ministry Year

Tony Boonstra B.A., B.Th.
Donald G. Carson B.Th. (Assembly)
Guy F. Choltus L.E.S., B.Th.
Carrie Doehring B.Mus., B.Th.
David S. Heath B.A. (Assembly)
Terence P. Hibbert B.A., B.Th.
Mark R. McLennan B.A., B.Th.
Ruth Syme B.A., B.Ed., M.A.
Garry van Bruchem B.A., S.T.M.

S.T.M.2
B.Th.3

Gordon C. Saville B.Th.
Linda R. Berdan B.A.
Johan A. Eenkhoorn Ph.D.
Douglas Henry (Assembly non-degree)
Shirley Herman (Assembly)
John McGurrian B.A.
Florence Palmer
Mabel V. Powers Henderson B.A. (part time)
D. Ian Victor B.A.
Anne Yee (Assembly)
Allan Young (Assembly non-degree)

B.Th.2

David A. Dewar (Assembly non-degree)
Melvin G. Fawcett B.A. (Assembly)
Ian K. Johnston (Assembly non-degree)
Henry L. Hildebrandt B.A.
Kerry J. MacIntyre B.A.
David K. Mphande

B.Th.1

Graham R. MacDermott

M.A.

Jean Ford (Assembly part time)

S.T.M.

Qualifying Year

Karen Prevost B.A. (part time)

JOHN M. CERINI Q.C.
Chairman

W. KENNETH HALL
Hon. Secretary.

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THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Senate
The Presbyterian College, Montreal

We have examined the balance sheet of The Presbyterian College, Montreal, as at December 31, 1977 and the statement of income and expenditure for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the College as at December 31, 1977 and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted for non profit organizations applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Montreal, Canada
March 7, 1978

THORNE, RIDDELL and CO.
Chartered Accountants

THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL
BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

| ASSETS | | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|---|--------------------|-------------|--------------------|
| CURRENT ASSETS | | | |
| Accounts receivable | \$ 15,025 | \$ | 19,592 |
| Accrued interest and dividends | 21,094 | | 3,250 |
| Prepaid expenses | 3,250 | | 3,250 |
| | <u>39,369</u> | | <u>22,842</u> |
| INVESTMENTS | | | |
| Marketable securities, at cost (quoted market value 1977 - \$1,020,820; 1976 - \$1,034,584) | 1,003,132 | | 1,055,420 |
| FIXED ASSETS | | | |
| Buildings - at cost | 720,098 | | 720,098 |
| Furniture and fixtures, at cost | 68,866 | | 68,866 |
| | <u>788,964</u> | | <u>788,964</u> |
| Less accumulated depreciation | 338,739 | | 320,739 |
| | <u>450,225</u> | | <u>468,225</u> |
| Land (note 2) | 236,000 | | 236,000 |
| Library books and equipment, at nominal value | 10,000 | | 10,000 |
| | <u>696,225</u> | | <u>714,225</u> |
| | <u>\$1,738,726</u> | | <u>\$1,792,487</u> |
| LIABILITIES | | | |
| | <u>1977</u> | | <u>1976</u> |
| DUE TO TRUST COMPANY | \$ 85 | \$ | 6,282 |
| ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES | 8,208 | | 13,196 |
| DEFERRED REVENUE | 3,875 | | |
| SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS FOR DISBURSEMENT | 125,601 | | 137,352 |
| ENDOWMENT FUND (note 4) | 774,191 | | 747,191 |
| BUILDING AND MAINTENANCE FUND (note 5) ... | 828,097 | | 846,097 |
| GENERAL FUND (note 6) | (1,331) | | 42,369 |
| | <u>\$1,738,726</u> | | <u>\$1,792,487</u> |

Approved by The Senate

THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| INCOME | | |
| Contributions | | |
| The Presbyterian Church in Canada | \$ 76,280 | \$ 58,470 |
| Allocation from Scholarship Funds for | | |
| Disbursement (note 3) | 30,250 | 29,750 |
| Revenue from investments (note 7) | 52,290 | 51,866 |
| Income from Sarah M. Robert and | | |
| William H. Robert Estates | 5,095 | 5,013 |
| Room and board | | |
| Room rentals | 8,494 | 26,031 |
| Board | 39,721 | 38,026 |
| Joint Board contribution to library | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| Total Income | <u>213,630</u> | <u>210,656</u> |
| EXPENDITURE | | |
| Academic | | |
| Professors' emoluments | 31,980 | 28,300 |
| McGill library contribution | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| McGill subvention and student activities fee | 6,738 | 8,428 |
| Joint Board of Theological Colleges | | |
| assessment re professional year expenses | 12,600 | 13,500 |
| Continuing Ministerial Education | | |
| (including \$6,000 of catering expenses) | 8,477 | 8,383 |
| Net cost of special programmes | 1,384 | 476 |
| | <u>63,679</u> | <u>61,587</u> |
| Administration | | |
| Salaries | 16,639 | 16,600 |
| Stationery, printing and postage | 2,598 | 2,159 |
| Travelling | 8,025 | 2,580 |
| Telephone | 2,893 | 2,843 |
| Convocation | 1,006 | 1,944 |
| Library | 2,477 | 2,669 |
| Accounting and administration services | | |
| Montreal Trust Company | 2,400 | 2,400 |
| Audit fee | 1,650 | 1,500 |
| General expenses | 3,913 | 3,182 |
| Quebec Pension Plan and medicare contributions .. | 4,251 | 4,117 |
| | <u>45,852</u> | <u>39,994</u> |

EXPENDITURE (Continued)

| | | |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| Building operations | | |
| Wages | \$ 35,955 | \$ 40,653 |
| Maintenance and supplies | 24,795 | 31,190 |
| Light, power and heating | 10,602 | 15,109 |
| Insurance | 2,991 | 2,482 |
| Municipal taxes | 2,894 | 2,897 |
| | <u>77,237</u> | <u>92,331</u> |
| Catering (net) | 43,016 | 40,724 |
| | <u>120,253</u> | <u>133,055</u> |
| Total Expenditure | <u>229,784</u> | <u>234,636</u> |
| EXCESS OF EXPENDITURE OVER INCOME | <u>\$ 16,154</u> | <u>\$ 23,980</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles appropriate for a non-profit organization. The College makes no charge for depreciation on buildings and equipment in the determination of annual operating results on the grounds that fixed assets, when replaced, will be financed from public or private donations. In order to provide for systematic write off of fixed assets, the Board of Management has adopted the policy of recording depreciation on fixed assets by a direct charge against the Building and Maintenance Fund.

Revenue from investments is treated as income of the General Fund with the exception of the portion thereof deemed to be earned by the Endowments for Scholarships which are allocated directly to Scholarship Funds Held for Disbursement.

2. LAND

Land, which was acquired for nominal consideration as part of an exchange with McGill University, is shown at the value assigned by the Board of Management in 1961.

3. SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS FOR DISBURSEMENT

This fund represents accumulated income on Endowments for Scholarships and contributions received for scholarships, bursaries and prizes not specifically donated to the Endowment Fund, less applicable disbursements to date.

The continuity of Scholarship Funds for Disbursement is as follows:

| | |
|---|----------------------|
| Balance at beginning of year | \$137,352 |
| Contributions received | \$ 8,944 |
| Allocation of Investment Income (note 7) | <u>25,870</u> |
| | 172,166 |
| Allocation to General Fund re tuition (as authorized by Board of Management) | (30,250) |
| Scholarships, bursaries and prizes disbursed | <u>(16,315)</u> |
| Balance at end of year | <u>\$125,601</u> |

In 1974 the Board of Management adopted the policy of making annual allocation to the General Fund from Scholarship Funds Held for Disbursement. As indicated above, these funds arise from income earned in prior years on Endowments for Scholarships and contributions for scholarships. This allocation is treated as a revenue of the General Fund for reporting purposes.

4. ENDOWMENT FUND

This fund represents endowments received to date for professors' chairs, scholarships, library and miscellaneous purposes.

The continuity of Endowment Fund is as follows:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| Balance at beginning of year | \$747,191 |
| Scholarship endowments received | <u>27,000</u> |
| Balance at end of year | <u>\$774,191</u> |

The items comprising this fund at end of year are as follows:

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| Endowments for Professors' Chairs | | |
| Joseph Mackay chair | 33,930 | |
| Edward Mackay chair | 33,930 | |
| John Redpath chair | 27,143 | |
| Lord Strathcona chair | 40,715 | |
| Robert Anderson chair | 16,965 | |
| Isabella G. Reekie chair | 223,902 | |
| L. W. Anderson chair | <u>77,700</u> | \$454,285 |
| Endowments for Scholarships | 259,077 | |
| Endowments for Library | 20,982 | |
| Miscellaneous endowments | | |
| Effie May Ross endowment | 32,527 | |
| Hugh Watson endowment | <u>7,320</u> | <u>39,847</u> |
| | | <u>\$774,191</u> |

Trustees for the Sarah M. Robert and William H. Robert Estates hold a fund (approximate market value \$87,210) for the purpose of endowing a professional chair to be known as "The Joseph B. Robert and Dame Sarah Robert Chair".

5. BUILDING AND MAINTENANCE FUND

The continuity of Building and Maintenance Fund is as follows:

| | | |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
| Balance at beginning of year | \$846,097 | \$864,097 |
| Provision for depreciation (current year): | | |
| Buildings | <u>(18,000)</u> | <u>(18,000)</u> |
| Balance at end of year | <u>\$828,097</u> | <u>\$846,097</u> |

6. GENERAL FUND

The continuity of General Fund is as follows:

| | |
|--|--------------------|
| Balance at beginning of year | \$ 42,369 |
| Gain (loss) on sale of investments | (28,046) |
| Net expenditure per statements | (16,154) |
| Donation received | <u>500</u> |
| Balance at end of year (deficit) | <u>\$ (1,331)</u> |

7. REVENUE FROM INVESTMENTS

Revenue from investments during the year is as follows:

| | | |
|--|---------------|------------------|
| Interest | | |
| Bonds | \$37,245 | |
| Investment certificates | <u>23,220</u> | |
| | 60,465 | |
| Dividends | <u>17,695</u> | \$ 78,160 |
| Portion allocated to Scholarship Funds for Disbursement | | |
| | | <u>(25,870)</u> |
| Portion allocated to General Fund | | <u>\$ 52,290</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

| <u>Par Value</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Interest Rate</u> | <u>Maturity Date</u> (D-M-Y) | <u>Cost</u> | <u>Approximate Market Value</u> |
|---|--|----------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| CANADA AND CANADA GUARANTEED BONDS | | | | | |
| \$ 60,000 | Canada | 5.50 | 1- 8-80 | \$ 58,800 | \$ 56,970 |
| 56,000 | Canada | 4.50 | 1- 9-83 | 47,479 | 46,900 |
| 25,000 | Canadian National Railways | 5.75 | 1- 1-85 | 25,625 | 21,625 |
| 4,000 | Canadian National Railways | 5.00 | 1-10-87 | 3,905 | 3,080 |
| <u>145,000</u> | | | | <u>135,809</u> | <u>128,575</u> |
| PROVINCIAL AND PROVINCIAL GUARANTEED BONDS | | | | | |
| 10,000 | British Columbia Hydro Electric Commission | 5.00 | 1- 2-82 | 6,800 | 8,940 |
| 10,000 | Nova Scotia | 4.50 | 15- 5-78 | 7,325 | 9,887 |
| 140,000 | Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario | 9.50 | 5-10-03 | 141,400 | 142,307 |
| 30,000 | Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario | 6.25 | 5- 1-89 | 29,775 | 24,639 |
| 2,000 | Quebec Power Corporation | 6.25 | 1- 9-82 | 2,000 | 1,830 |
| 2,000 | Shawinigan Water & Power | 5.75 | 1- 3-81 | 2,000 | 1,820 |
| <u>194,000</u> | | | | <u>189,300</u> | <u>189,423</u> |
| MUNICIPAL AND SCHOOL BONDS | | | | | |
| 14,000 | City of Lachine | 6.00 | 1-12-83 | 14,000 | 11,737 |
| 7,000 | Montreal Protestant Central School Board | 3.50 | Serially 1- 5-78 to 1-5-79 | 6,895 | 6,667 |
| <u>21,000</u> | | | | <u>20,895</u> | <u>18,404</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

| <u>Par Value</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Interest Rate</u> | <u>Maturity Date</u> (D-M-Y) | <u>Cost</u> | <u>Approximate Market Value</u> |
|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| CORPORATE BONDS AND DEBENTURES | | | | | |
| 10,000 | BMRT Ltd. | 6.25 | 1- 4-78 | 10,000 | 9,925 |
| 2,000 | Bell Telephone, 1st Mortgage Series W | 5.50 | 15- 6-84 | 1,980 | 1,706 |
| 10,000 | Bell Canada, 1st Mortgage Series BG | 10.00 | 3- 6-96 | 9,600 | 10,300 |
| 10,000 | British American Oil Series E | 7.375 | 1- 9-88 | 9,950 | 9,925 |
| 10,000 | IAC Ltd. 1975 Series Debenture (option 25-3-95) .. | 9.75 | 25- 3-83 | 9,950 | 10,325 |
| 5,500 | Northern Ontario Natural Gas | 5.75 | 1- 6-82 | 4,778 | 4,815 |
| 10,000 | Rothmans of Pall Mall Series A (S.F. ex WTS) | 8.00 | 3- 1-88 | 8,200 | 8,696 |
| 5,000 | Roymor Ltd. Debts. Series A | 7.75 | 1-11-78 | 5,000 | 4,950 |
| 90,000 | Steel Company of Canada Series D (S.F.) | 10.875 | 15- 9-94 | 88,475 | 96,300 |
| <u>152,500</u> | | | | <u>147,933</u> | <u>156,942</u> |
| <u>\$512,500</u> | Total Bonds and Debentures | | | <u>\$493,937</u> | <u>\$493,344</u> |

| No. of shares | Description | Interest Rate | Maturity Date (D-M-Y) | Cost | Approximate Market value |
|---------------|--|---------------|--------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|
| 925 | PREFERRED STOCK Canada Cement Lafarge Ltd. (P. V. \$20) | | | \$ 19,913 | \$ 15,263 |
| | COMMON STOCKS | | | | |
| 900 | Alcan Aluminium | | | \$ 23,799 | \$ 25,875 |
| 200 | BMRT Ltd. (trust purchase warrants - ex 01-04-78) | | | | 470 |
| 2,125 | Bank of Montreal | | | 30,806 | 38,250 |
| 2,170 | Bank of Nova Scotia | | | 17,141 | 42,315 |
| 500 | Bell Canada | | | 23,741 | 27,125 |
| 500 | Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce | | | 13,497 | 12,563 |
| 1,625 | Canadian Pacific | | | 24,089 | 28,234 |
| 200 | Gulf Oil Canada | | | 3,500 | 6,050 |
| 520 | Imperial Oil | | | 9,035 | 11,180 |
| 500 | Inco Ltd. (Class A convertible) | | | 20,167 | 9,438 |
| 370 | Interprovincial Pipe Line (Class A convertible) | | | 8,680 | 5,226 |
| 600 | Moore Corporation | | | 17,800 | 18,375 |
| 700 | Noranda Mines | | | 16,975 | 17,500 |
| 500 | Royal Bank of Canada | | | 18,952 | 13,812 |
| 400 | Steel Co. of Canada | | | 8,800 | 9,800 |
| 1,200 | Zellers | | | 15,300 | 9,000 |
| | | | | \$ 252,282 | \$ 275,213 |
| | GUARANTEED INVESTMENT CERTIFICATES WITH TRUST COMPANY | | | | |
| \$ 8,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 8.50 | 15- 7-78 | \$ 8,000 | \$ 8,000 |
| 32,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 9.00 | 27- 8-78 | 32,000 | 32,000 |
| 22,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 8.50 | 31- 8-78 | 22,000 | 22,000 |
| 20,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 8.75 | 2-11-78 | 20,000 | 20,000 |
| 10,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 10.00 | 18- 6-79 | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| 20,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 10.00 | 28- 6-79 | 20,000 | 20,000 |
| 85,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 10.00 | 2- 7-79 | 85,000 | 85,000 |
| 10,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 10.00 | 17- 7-79 | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| 15,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 10.50 | 21- 8-79 | 15,000 | 15,000 |
| 5,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 9.75 | 13- 8-80 | 5,000 | 5,000 |
| 10,000 | Montreal Trust Company | 10.00 | 20-10-81 | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| | | | | \$ 237,000 | \$ 237,000 |
| | Total Investments | | | \$1,003,132 | \$1,020,820 |

COMMUNICATION SERVICES COMMITTEE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

For the past several months the work of the Communication Services department has been seriously restricted due to the lack of a Communication Consultant. The staff position has been vacant since September 15, 1977, when the resignation of Rev. Harry Crawford took effect. The completion of Dr. Campbell's term as Chairman of the Communication Services Committee and the subsequent appointment of a new chairman has also caused some dislocation. However, the Committee itself has done an outstanding job of meeting various commitments, keeping the department operative, and even venturing into some new areas. These members are to be commended.

At the direction of the Executive-Personnel Committee of the Administrative Council, the Committee not only undertook a thorough evaluation of its goals and objectives, but established an up-dated strategy plan for the future. We were also participants in the work of the Special Committee established by the Administrative Council to look into the Communication Services of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and shared fully in the planning for a more unified approach to the production of audio-visual resource materials.

Media Opportunities - Dangers

The Communication Services Committee has repeatedly attempted to alert Presbyterians to the great scope of communication opportunities which are available to be utilized on the local scene. There has also been a consistent warning of the inherent dangers of some aspects of the modern communication media - specifically the alarming impact of television on children. We would again underline both of these facts which we MUST recognize and deal with.

Presbytery Workshops

It is encouraging that several presbyteries in the Synod of Hamilton and London are taking positive steps to increase the awareness of media opportunities and of using them effectively. A workshop on the use of local cable television programming was held for the Presbyteries of Niagara, Hamilton and Paris in the spring of 1978. A workshop on the application of communication techniques within congregations is being planned by the Presbytery of Chatham for the fall of 1978. Members of the Communication Services Committee have been able to assist in planning these events.

Birthday Gift Fund - THANKS

We are happy to report the final disposition of the Birthday Gift Funds which were made available to the Communication Services Committee.

Five 60-second public service Television Spots have been produced and will be distributed to television stations across Canada during the next several months. This is an entirely new undertaking for our church. Because of the cost of production, it is not something that can normally be done, but it is "an innovative new surprise", made possible by the Birthday Gift Fund. Support materials will be sent to congregations in the viewing areas and it is hoped that all will watch for these TV Spots.

In addition, a number of excellent films and filmstrips have been added to our resource library through the Birthday Gift Fund. We thank the people of the church for these tangible expressions of our centennial birthday celebrations.

Interchurch Communications

Our church has been sharing with other denominations in a survey of the use of audio-visuals in the local congregation. The results of this survey have not yet been compiled.

"Meeting Place"

The nationally televised series "Meeting Place" is arranged through the National Religious Advisory Council of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, on which

our church has two members. During the past year, Presbyterian services were televised from Kerrisdale Church, Vancouver, Knox College, Toronto and from Knox Crescent and Kensington Church, Montreal. In the coming year services will originate as follows:

November 19, 1978 from Central Church, Vancouver
February 4, 1979 from Knox Church, Ottawa
May 13, 1979 from Westwood Church, Winnipeg.

Studio

An extensive servicing job is being done on our recording studio equipment. We are grateful to Mr. Remmelt Hummelen of the Board of World Mission and Mr. Ken Smith of Berkeley Studio for doing this.

Children's TV Special - U.N. Year of the Child - 1979

Plans are underway for the production of a television Special for children which would be financed by the funds now held by Burning Bush Productions Inc.

"Amazing Grace" Radio Series

An amount of \$2,000.00 from the Communication Services budget was given to the Board of Congregational Life to enable the radio series, "Amazing Grace" with Dr. Mariano DiGangi, to continue from January to April 1978. The General Assembly will be asked to express itself concerning the continuation of this radio broadcast series.

Interchurch Television (B.C.)

Through residual funds in the Local Utilization of Media Project (L.U.M.P.) fund, which originated from a grant from the National Development Fund, we have been able to contribute to an evaluation which is underway in British Columbia to assess the effectiveness of an Interchurch Cable television series, "Pressure Point". The results of this evaluation will be made available to us and we anticipate that they will be of value in cablevision workshops and in communities where concerned Christians are becoming involved in cable programming.

Membership of Committee

During this year, the Committee has been brought to full strength. The following are the six appointed members: Mrs. Peggy Liptrott, Toronto; Mr. Larry McIntyre, Kitchener; Mr. Lorne Cook, Unionville; Dr. John McMurray, Toronto; Rev. Harry Waite, Barrie; Mrs. Margaret Taylor, Belleville.

Minute of Appreciation - Rev. Harry Crawford

The Reverend Harry Crawford has been the Communication Consultant for The Presbyterian Church in Canada for the past five years. During that time, he has not only acted as the Consultant for the Boards and Committees of the Church, but has travelled widely throughout the Church making contacts with media personnel, and conducting workshops in communication for local congregations, presbyteries, synods and interdenominational groups.

Mr. Crawford has represented the Church in international communication projects and conferences. He has assisted in the development of local Church efforts in radio, television and cable television. He has raised the consciousness of the Church to the necessity for communicating the Gospel by modern means.

His influence throughout the Church in these matters will be sorely missed. We thank Mr. Crawford for the service he has rendered.

Minute of Appreciation - Dr. Ron Campbell

The last seven years have been a time of change and experiment in the life of the Communication Services Committee. The Church has been fortunate and privileged to have as Chairman of the Committee during this period, Dr. Ron Campbell. Ron, a minister of our Church who graduated from Knox College and served at Elliott Lake, has a Doctorate in Communications from Cornell University. He has been Director of Continuing Education, Guelph University, and Superintendent of University, College and Adult Education, Ontario Educational Com-

munications Authority (Channel 19), and Dean of College Programs at Seneca College of Applied Arts and Technology during this service as Chairman of the Committee. This wide experience, coupled with his deep concern for the communication of the Gospel and his commitment to its Lord, have led him to give dedicated and inspired leadership.

It is with deep appreciation that the Committee acknowledges his service and extends best wishes for his future.

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

That the General Assembly express its appreciation for the unique contribution in the broad field of communications which was made to The Presbyterian Church in Canada by Rev. Harry Crawford and Dr. Ron Campbell.

*Overture 8 - Presbytery of East Toronto (p. 414-415 A & P 1977)
- Re: Initiating a National Weekly Television Program*

Basic Facts:

- only a high quality of television program is acceptable on most network channels today.
- to produce high quality television programming and to purchase viewing time requires a very large initial expenditure of money.
- to produce a high quality television program requires a team of highly trained specialists.
- any such program could not be expected to become self-supporting for at least three years, and this is possible only through continuous hard-sell promotion.
- The Presbyterian Church in Canada is not in a financial position at the present time to make available the thousands of dollars necessary for the initiation of such a venture.

We recognize that:

- at a time when religious television is evolving into an "entertainment style" of presentation, it might be desirable to have a "strong, main-line contemporary-Evangelical statement for television usage".
- as tax-payers we are now all sharing in three special programs being produced by the C.B.C. through the National Religious Advisory Council - "Meeting Place", "Hymn Sing", and "Man Alive". Through our two Presbyterian representatives on the N.R.A.C. we have a voice concerning these productions.
- through Interchurch Communications we have an opportunity to share with Anglicans, Baptists, Lutherans, Roman Catholics and United Church people in current and future jointly-produced programs for radio and television. We would urge that our Church participate more actively in this joint approach.
- the chief opportunities for church people to utilize the communications media lie on the local scene. We emphatically encourage all concerned Presbyterians to become involved in contributing to the content and quality of cablevision programming.

We further urge ministers and lay people to take advantage of night courses and workshops to enlarge their understanding of and develop their skill in using the various media.

We would also wish to see ALL students of our theological colleges, rather than just some, engaging in Communication courses that are available.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

That the prayer of the Overture 8, Presbytery of East Toronto, re: Initiating a National Weekly Television Program be not granted.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. K. DENTON TAYLOR
Chairman.

BOARD OF CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

During the past year the Board of Congregational Life has revised its statement of purpose and functions to provide a clearer understanding for all concerned of the kinds of service the Board offers to the church. The revised statement is as follows:—

PURPOSE — The local congregation is responsible for the planning and developing of its own program of life and mission, subject to the directions of the courts of the Church. The Board of Congregational Life has been established to provide assistance, encouragement and motivation for the local congregations. This assistance is offered through the courts of the Church in the form of leadership support and appropriate material resources.

- FUNCTIONS** — 1. *Support and Motivation*
The Board provides support and motivation for congregations, listening to and discussing their needs and problems, encouraging and assisting them in the development of their own programs.
2. *Leadership and Resources Development*
a) The Board provides assistance for congregations in the recruitment, training and development of its local leadership.
b) The Board provides information, materials and personnel for the selection and use of congregations in the development and carrying out of their programs of life and mission.
3. *Research and Planning*
It is the responsibility of the Board of Congregational Life to discern present and future directions in which the Church is being called to move by the Word and Spirit of God and, through the courts of the church, to assist congregations to discover styles of life and mission which are appropriate for them in the contemporary situation.

RECOMMENDATION 1. C

That the above statement of the purpose and functions of the Board of Congregational Life be received for information.

I STAFF VACANCIES & APPOINTMENTS

Three vacancies occurred in the Board of Congregational Life staff during 1977. Dr. Hugh Davidson retired at the end of June, Rev. Wayne Smith accepted a call to a pastoral charge in November, and Rev. Donald Powell resigned in December to undertake graduate studies at the Toronto School of Theology. After calling for nominations from the Presbyteries, the Board has appointed Rev. John Duncan of St. Andrew's Church, Perth, Ontario, to the position of Associate Secretary for Evangelism and Community Concerns.

Owing to the need to reduce expenditures during the next two years, the Board has resolved not to seek appointments to the other two vacancies. The work will have to be cut back accordingly.

Rev. Alex Deans has indicated his desire to leave the service of the Board by the end of December 1978. After more than 18 years of service to the National Church in the area of Stewardship, Mr. Deans is interested in serving within a Pastoral charge. Immediate steps are being taken to seek a replacement with the hope that someone may be found to take office well before the time of Mr. Deans' departure from the Board.

II LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Eldership Training

Assistance with eldership training events continues to receive prominent attention as Presbyteries and Sessions focus on the leadership responsibilities of the Session and its individual members. In the Presbyterian system of government, any renewal of the local congregation in relation to its mission is likely to begin with the leadership of the Session.

Teacher/Leader Development

Those who provide leadership in the congregation's educational program are able to receive support and training assistance from the national staff of the Board, and from the Area Educational Consultants employed by the Women's Missionary Society (W.D.).

A large number of congregations have now completed, and others are in the process of completing, their planning for an integrated, over-all program of education for all ages. Even those congregations which have no immediate need to find new teaching/learning resources are encouraged to make use of one of the recommended planning models as an evaluation of their present program.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

That those congregations which have not made use of one of the planning models for the development/evaluation of their educational program be urged to do so.

Stewardship Education and Budget Promotion

1977 Budget Performance

The total received from congregations for the General Assembly Budget in 1977 was \$3,003,449 which comprises the audited total received by the Treasurer's office up to January 13th, the day the 1977 books were closed and the delayed 1977 contributions up to March 21 of \$181,307. These add up to an increase of 6.51%.

This is not only a new record for congregational giving but it is another milestone by millions for the Church. The first million dollars contributed to the Budget was reached in 1955, the second in 1967 and the third in 1977.

In addition to Assembly Budget support, congregations contributed \$139,638 for Inter Church Aid, and \$914,823 for other Benevolent Purposes. The W.M.S. (E.D. & W.D.) contributed \$405,000 in 1977. The total therefore given for programs outside congregational work was \$4,462,910.

The total raised for All Purposes in 1977 including extra benevolences and Inter Church Aid was \$28,523,833, an increase of \$2,417,351.

The Per Member rate for Assembly Budget support increased by \$1.18 from \$16.64 to \$17.82. The per member rate for All Purposes increased by \$15.23 from \$154.04 to \$169.27. There was a decrease of 943 members.

25 Presbyteries, 4 Synods show a per member rate above the national average for Assembly Budget support. 27 Presbyteries and 5 Synods were above the national per member rate for All Purposes.

The Presbytery of Kamloops had the highest per member rate for Budget support in 1977.

One of the great and pressing needs among congregations continues to be the development of an enlightened program of Christian stewardship. Some congregations have recorded remarkable achievements in their per member rate of giving for all purposes, thereby indicating an effective stewardship program. The national average, however, is still only about 1.5% of income.

The Board is of the opinion that it will be more difficult for congregations to raise money *casually* in 1978-79 than it has been in recent years. Where planned and enthusiastic action is lacking, revenues may decline. In view of general economic conditions the Board strongly urges every Presbytery and every congregation to

undertake planned educational activities to inform and challenge their people to responsible Christian Stewardship.

It should be noted that there are many fine educational resources available which, if presented to the members of the congregation, would both inspire and challenge them to support the work of the Church. The Board of World Mission has produced a number of excellent filmstrips which are readily available, and at a very nominal cost. The Board of Congregational Life has produced a set of Mission Poster Kits which will help to remind congregations of the work being done by members of our Christian family in Canada and overseas.

Since the structural re-organization which resulted in many Presbyterians having congregational life committees, there has been some confusion over whose responsibility it is to promote Christian Stewardship and to encourage support for the General Assembly's Budget within the Presbytery. In order to have at least one person within each Presbytery who will be responsible for stewardship promotion, the Board of Congregational Life is anxious to work with Presbyteries to identify people who can give strong leadership, and to help them with their task of encouraging and challenging congregations.

RECOMMENDATION 3. A

That Presbyteries be urged to name at least one person who will be responsible for stewardship education and Budget promotion within the bounds, and that such a person, or persons, be related to the congregational life committees, preferably not as its chairman.

RECOMMENDATION 4. A

That Presbyteries be urged to take appropriate steps to inform and challenge congregations with respect to the principles of Christian stewardship and the needs of the General Assembly's Budget.

RECOMMENDATION 5. A

That the General Assembly Budget objective for 1979 be \$4,000,000., and that congregational Required Shares be computed from that figure and sent to all Presbyteries in time to be considered at October meetings.

RECOMMENDATION 6. A

That Presbyteries be urged to accept the total Required Share submitted to them, and that they be instructed to review and, where necessary, adjust individual congregational shares before submitting them to congregations.

RECOMMENDATION 7. A

That congregations be urged to accept an allocation which exceeds the amount given in the preceding year.

RECOMMENDATION 8. A

That Sessions be urged to arrange for the annual renewal of the personal commitment of church members in support of the programs of the Church, both those planned locally and those authorized by the General Assembly, and that use of an Every Person Visitation plan be encouraged to this end.

Youth Leadership Training Labs

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CE:SA Resources

The 101st General Assembly (1975) approved a recommendation that congregations, in planning for church education, be encouraged to explore resources from the four Shared Approaches. The teaching/learning resources in all four approaches are available now for use in the congregations' educational program in September. Supplementary Heritage Resources will be available by the spring of 1979.

RECOMMENDATION 11. A

That congregations, through the Session, make a careful examination of the CE:SA resources with a view to selecting the ones which are appropriate for their needs.

These Days

Since the 103rd General Assembly the Board of Congregational Life has been responsible for the work of the former Committee on Home Religion. Manuscripts are being read and commented on by Dr. W. H. Fuller. Plans are being developed for the promotion of "These Days". Consideration is being given also to the appropriateness of These Days as an inter-generational guide to family devotions. In this matter the Board wishes to report progress.

OVERTURE #18, (1977) – THESE DAYS

Overture #18 asked that the Board of Congregational Life be directed to institute some form of Every Home Plan for These Days.

The Board has examined this proposal and feels that it would be impractical, given the present circulation of only 9,000. In consultation with Mr. Ian McEachern of Presbyterian Publications, the Canadian distributor of These Days, an alternate proposal has been developed.

RECOMMENDATION 12. A

That the prayer of Overture #18 (1977) be granted in the following terms:

1. That the Board of Congregational Life arrange with Presbyterian Publications to offer These Days subscriptions at a reduced rate when congregations secure a minimum of fifty subscriptions, or an amount equal to fifty percent of their households, and remit a list of names and addresses direct to Presbyterian Publications, together with the money to cover the same.
2. That the Board of Congregational Life promote the use of the daily devotional guide, These Days, and encourage congregations to take advantage of the reduced rate offered in section #1 above.

IV. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL ISSUES

The Board has a number of economic and social issues under study. A major work at the present time is a study of the "Meaning of Life" which is being undertaken jointly with the Committee on Church Doctrine. Other studies are related to Family Violence, Pornography, the Needs and Care of the Elderly, and Homosexuality. A study paper on Euthanasia has been circulated to Presbyteries and Congregations for study and comment. Replies are presently being returned.

Abortion

A special task force of the Board has studied the Badgely Report on the Operation of the Abortion Law with particular reference to questions raised in recommendations of the Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod further to Overture #16, 1975, from that Presbytery. In broad terms, it has been found that there is considerable

disparity and, in their term, "inequity", in the manner in which the abortion law is interpreted and administered within hospitals and among therapeutic abortion committees across Canada. Copies of the complete report of the task force are available from the Board of Congregational Life.

International Year of the Child

The United Nations has declared 1979 as the International Year of the Child. Through this report congregations are encouraged

1. To study the United Nations Declaration of Rights of the Child, especially:
 - principle 2, realizing the responsibility of the church in providing opportunities in the spiritual life of the child;
 - principle 6, fulfilling its responsibility of being a caring community concerned for all children; and
 - principle 10, evaluating its life and practices in regards to all forms of discrimination and to its provision for nurturing the child and relating to all others as children of God.
2. To recognize and strive to implement the following rights specifically related to children in the faith community:
 - The child has the right to be a valued person in the congregation.
 - The child has the right to be nurtured in the faith and to be given freedom of religious choices.
 - The child has the right to full participation in the church regardless of sex, race, colour or nationality.
 - The child shall be provided adequate opportunities and an inviting environment for life and growth in the church.
 - The child from birth has the right to personhood in the faith community.
 - The child has the right to the love and care of the whole faith community beginning before birth.
 - The exceptional child has the right to special consideration in the church's ministry.
 - The child has the right to be a part of a family supported and cared for by the faith community.
 - The child has the right to nurture, and to be nurtured in the faith through corporate worship, fellowship, learning opportunities, service, etc.

Information and study resources will be provided for congregations by the Board of Congregational Life and the Women's Missionary Society (W.D.).

V. OVERTURE #11, (1977) SYNOD OF QUEBEC & EASTERN ONTARIO

Overture 11 on the Congregational Diaconate was referred to the Board of Congregational Life in consultation with the Clerks of Assembly. A special task force was asked to study the matter and report to the Board. The Clerks of Assembly were consulted and their advice was to avoid, if possible, sending this matter to Presbyteries for consideration while the matter of an Ordained Diaconate is before the Church. A motion to recommend that the prayer of the Overture be approved in principle was defeated by the Board of Congregational Life. It was felt that the Deacon's Court is provided for already within the Book of Forms and, where there is no such court, the responsibilities are handled by the Session. To pursue the matter at this time would create confusion with the question of an Ordained Diaconate.

RECOMMENDATION 13. A

That the prayer of Overture #11 (1977) be not granted.

VI. NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF PRESBYTERIAN MEN

The National Committee of Presbyterian Men continues to promote the work of the Church among men. In order to reach a larger percentage of the men of the Church some changes in approach are called for. For the past year or two the National Committee has been addressing itself to this need, and some progress can be reported.

National Conference 1977

The theme was "Church Alive! or Phht?" Two men spoke on this theme with great effect at four locations across Canada. Rev. Alex McCombie, Evangelist-at-Large, interpreted the theological significance of such a theme and Mr. Frank Whilsmith, well known lay speaker and Chairman of the 2nd Century Advance for Christ, spoke on the theme in regard to the responsibilities of the laity. The attendance at the four conferences was as follows:

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|------------|-------|
| Truro | - 112 |
| Kemptville | - 65 |
| Waterloo | - 92 |
| Banff | - 119 |
| TOTAL | = 388 |

The Amazing Grace Radio Broadcast Ministry

The purpose of this ministry is to present a 15 minute broadcast of Biblical teaching in the tradition of the Reformed Faith, and to make it available to local congregations for their sponsorship as part of their outreach and witness to the community.

After two years as a pilot project, it has been demonstrated that there is a market for such a broadcast ministry among congregations of the church. Four areas have become sponsors of the broadcasts - Churches of the Durham Region in Ontario, River Denys in Nova Scotia, St. Andrew's in Sherbrooke, Quebec, and the Churches of Prince Albert, Saskatchewan. Knox Church, Midland, Ontario, has made occasional use of our material in connection with its own broadcast ministry. For reasons which can be readily understood, the people of River Denys have ceased to sponsor the broadcasts within the past year. If continued production can be assured a more vigorous promotion can be undertaken. As Presbyteries and congregations respond to the action of the 103rd General Assembly it should be possible to assure them that the project will continue and that they can have a steady supply of quality tapes.

The cost of the production of one set of 52 tapes for a year's broadcasts over one station is estimated to be \$2,340. For each additional set of tapes for other radio stations the cost is estimated at \$1,260. It is believed that an objective of a total of eight or nine stations is possible within the next 12 to 18 months. Dr. Mariano DiGangi is willing to continue to record the tapes free of charge, and the National Committee of Presbyterian Men is willing to continue to promote their use. It is proposed that the Board of Congregational Life be asked to join in the promotion of a national radio ministry and that the Communication Services Committee be asked to provide the technical assistance and distribution.

Special PM Account

The balance as of December 31, 1977, was \$565.48. The account has been audited and copies sent to the Comptroller of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and to the Department of National Revenue, Taxation, Ottawa, Ontario.

Annual Meeting

Last November the National Committee of Presbyterian Men took advantage of the excellent facilities that are offered at the Crieff Hills Community Centre, for the holding of its meeting. Much of the discussion was centred on the need to recognize that some changes and contemporary approaches must be introduced if the interest of the 20-40 year old age group is to be gained. Since the annual meeting a decision was made by the Conference Planning Committee that the first attempts to bring about change should occur in the central regions. As a result, there will be no central conference this summer. Instead there will be a real effort to mount a number of mini-conferences this Fall, introducing some fresh and innovative approaches which will be appealing to men as they work within the church.

As the year drew to a close, the sub executive, which is the "working arm" of the National Committee was confronted with some unexpected problems in the area of leadership assignments. Illness and unusually heavy job responsibilities have

created time constraints for those who have accepted the responsibilities of leadership of the Committee. It is hoped that these matters can be resolved to ensure a continuation of the effective work of the National Committee of Presbyterian Men.

Committee Membership

The membership of the committee for 1978 as approved is:

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| Honorary Chairman | - Roy A. Hamilton |
| Chairman | - Clarke Moon |
| 1 Year Term | - Elmer MacDonald (Atlantic), Doug MacCready (Quebec & Eastern Ontario) Rev. Alex McCombie, Don Wilson (Toronto-Kingston) Neil Reichelt (Hamilton-London) Rev. Peter Ruddell (Manitoba & North-Western Ontario) |
| 2 Year Term | - Richard Goodhue (Quebec & Eastern Ontario) Fred Hobbs, Ralph McLean (Toronto-Kingston) Jim Laing, Eugene Gillies (Hamilton-London) Henry Romain (British Columbia) |
| 3 Year Term | - Warren Perkins (Quebec & Eastern Ontario) Winston Ling, Clarke Moon, Rev. Terry Samuel (Toronto-Kingston) George Ward (Saskatchewan) |
| Board Representatives | Rev. George Malcolm (Board of World Mission) Rev. Bert Young & Rev. W. J. Adamson (Board of Congregational Life) |
| Resource Members | - George Fernie, Rev. James McClure, Doug Stephens, Bruce Upshall. |
| Representative to the Board of Congregational Life | Eugene Gillies |

The Board of Congregational Life has agreed to present *simpliciter* the following recommendations of the National Committee of Presbyterian Men.

RECOMMENDATION 14. A

That a radio ministry be continued on a national basis, and expanded in its availability to congregations of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

RECOMMENDATION 15. A

That Communication Services be asked to provide the technical assistance for production and distribution of the radio tapes, and that the National Committee of Presbyterian Men and the Board of Congregational Life be asked to promote the program throughout the Church.

RECOMMENDATION 16. C

That up to \$10,000. be made available for the cost of production and distribution, and that as required, this amount be added to the budget of Communication Services.

Respectfully submitted,

W. J. ADAMSON,
Chairman.

W. L. Young,
General Secretary.

PRESBYTERY & SYNOD PERFORMANCE, 1977

| | Members | Budget Allocation | Accepted Allocation | 1977 Givings | Budget P.M.R. | Total All Purposes | All Purposes P.M.R. |
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| Cape Breton | 2,640* | \$ 60,101 | \$ 38,015 | \$ 41,800 | \$15.83 | \$ 445,812 | \$168.86 |
| Newfoundland | 788 | 23,995 | (4,427) | 4,427 | 5.61 | 186,127 | 236.20 |
| Pictou | 5,292* | 98,225 | 66,280 | 80,834 | 15.27 | 682,750 | 129.01 |
| Halifax-Lunenburg | 2,505 | 55,081 | 47,049 | 49,937 | 19.93 | 525,305 | 209.70 |
| Saint John | 2,317 | 62,918 | 41,140 | 42,528 | 18.35 | 435,217 | 187.73 |
| Miramachi | 1,044* | 22,685 | 13,857 | 16,535 | 15.83 | 212,848 | 203.87 |
| Prince Edward Island | 3,545* | 65,881 | 48,448 | 48,060 | 13.55 | 340,141 | 95.94 |
| SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES | 18,131* | \$ 326,805 | \$ 254,789 | \$ 284,121 | \$15.67 | \$2,828,200 | \$155.98 |
| Quebec | 684* | 25,043 | 10,670 | 9,978 | 14.58 | 177,826 | 259.97 |
| Montreal | 8,703* | 249,325 | 138,032 | 131,373 | 15.09 | 1,500,945 | 172.46 |
| Glengarry | 2,352* | 50,517 | 43,783 | 45,746 | 19.44 | 344,816 | 146.60 |
| Ottawa | 4,958* | 150,512 | 104,270 | 103,639 | 20.90 | 982,037 | 198.07 |
| Lanark-Renfrew | 3,029* | 65,885 | 51,939 | 54,801 | 18.09 | 463,355 | 152.97 |
| Brockville | 1,926 | 51,798 | 38,634 | 41,486 | 21.53 | 413,017 | 214.44 |
| SYNOD OF QUEBEC & EASTERN ONTARIO | 21,652* | \$ 593,090 | \$ 387,328 | \$ 387,023 | \$17.87 | \$3,881,996 | \$179.29 |
| Kingston | 2,868* | 69,361 | 54,351 | 53,785 | 18.75 | 503,022 | 175.39 |
| Lindsay-Peterborough | 5,107 | 101,951 | 69,350 | 76,294 | 14.93 | 911,806 | 178.54 |
| East Toronto | 13,321* | 395,402 | 331,919 | 328,198 | 24.63 | 2,968,779 | 222.86 |
| West Toronto | 7,747* | 231,051 | 135,134 | 144,499 | 18.62 | 1,635,034 | 211.05 |
| Brampton | 7,293 | 154,000 | 100,136 | 120,913 | 16.57 | 1,026,107 | 140.69 |
| Barrie | 5,655 | 124,123 | 103,439 | 108,106 | 19.11 | 1,150,149 | 203.38 |
| Temiskaming | 559* | 12,923 | 13,260 | 12,698 | 22.71 | 113,438 | 202.93 |
| Algoma-North Bay | 1,834 | 46,946 | 37,458 | 33,040 | 18.01 | 326,992 | 178.29 |
| Waterloo-Wellington | 12,642 | 224,794 | 179,590 | 179,161 | 14.17 | 1,481,916 | 117.22 |
| SYNOD OF TORONTO & KINGSTON | 57,026 | \$1,360,552 | \$1,024,637 | \$1,056,694 | \$18.53 | \$10,117,243 | \$177.41 |

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|---|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Hamilton | 9,465* | \$ 257,014 | \$171,600 | \$175,664 | \$18.55 | \$1,724,168 | \$182.16 |
| Niagara | 5,575* | 134,221 | 100,162 | 100,542 | 18.03 | 806,674 | 144.69 |
| Paris | 4,467 | 97,198 | 76,280 | 81,516 | 18.24 | 708,053 | 158.50 |
| London | 6,424* | 127,592 | (95,659) | 95,659 | 14.89 | 889,540 | 138.47 |
| Chatham | 5,403* | 115,004 | 93,636 | 91,605 | 16.95 | 731,046 | 135.30 |
| Sarnia | 3,563* | 81,831 | 60,357 | 66,922 | 18.78 | 660,430 | 185.35 |
| Stratford-Huron | 6,805 | 122,095 | (102,317) | 102,317 | 15.03 | 781,288 | 114.81 |
| Bruce-Maitland | 6,497* | 115,125 | 97,244 | 94,230 | 14.50 | 797,089 | 122.68 |
| SYNOD OF HAMILTON & LONDON | 48,199* | \$1,050,080 | \$599,279 | \$808,455 | \$16.77 | \$7,098,288 | \$147.27 |
| Superior | 1,645* | 32,681 | 30,684 | 29,488 | 17.92 | 207,579 | 126.18 |
| Lake of the Woods | 461 | 10,046 | (4,796) | 4,796 | 10.40 | 59,936 | 130.01 |
| Winnipeg | 1,981* | 49,494 | 40,672 | 44,387 | 22.40 | 385,632 | 194.66 |
| Brandon | 2,051 | 39,726 | 25,981 | 28,799 | 14.04 | 283,853 | 138.39 |
| SYNOD OF MANITOBA & NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO | 6,138* | \$ 131,947 | \$ 97,337 | \$107,470 | \$17.50 | \$ 937,000 | \$152.65 |
| Assiniboia | 1,724 | 46,466 | 33,403 | 31,464 | 18.25 | 320,135 | 185.69 |
| Northern Saskatchewan | 1,245* | 31,644 | 25,061 | 22,439 | 18.02 | 205,259 | 164.86 |
| SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN | 2,969* | \$ 78,110 | \$ 58,464 | \$ 53,903 | \$18.15 | \$ 525,394 | \$176.95 |
| Peace River | 354 | 8,654 | (6,554) | 6,554 | 18.51 | 86,189 | 243.47 |
| Edmonton | 1,817* | 54,332 | 44,400 | 45,699 | 25.15 | 411,636 | 226.54 |
| Red Deer | 1,174* | 25,450 | 16,803 | 17,823 | 15.18 | 233,484 | 198.87 |
| Calgary-Macleod | 3,838 | 95,112 | 48,938 | 55,864 | 14.55 | 807,511 | 210.39 |
| SYNOD OF ALBERTA | 7,183 | \$ 183,548 | \$110,141 | \$125,940 | \$17.53 | \$1,538,820 | \$214.23 |
| Kootenay | 496 | 15,800 | 8,802 | 9,085 | 18.31 | 123,008 | 248.00 |
| Kamloops | 1,088 | 31,139 | 24,100 | 17,922 | 16.47 | 286,244 | 263.09 |
| Westminster | 4,046 | 117,074 | 96,682 | 90,724 | 22.42 | 1,055,214 | 260.80 |
| Vancouver Island | 1,574 | 40,632 | 40,726 | 35,158 | 22.33 | 332,426 | 211.19 |
| SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA | 7,204 | \$ 204,645 | \$170,310 | \$152,889 | \$21.22 | \$1,796,892 | \$249.42 |

*Denotes decrease
() Last year's givings as estimated acceptance minimum.

THE JUDGMENT OF THE SPECIAL COMMISSION OF THE 103rd
GENERAL ASSEMBLY RE THE APPEAL OF MR. ZIGMOND KOLOZSVARY

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Commission has met with the appellant, the respondents (the Presbytery of Niagara and the Session of Welland Hungarian Presbyterian Church), heard their submissions and gave careful examination of the judicial record with cross examination.

The Commission has found errors of procedure, some of minor matters that are covered by section 64 of The Book of Forms, and others that in themselves are grave, and could possibly send this case back to an inferior court for trial.

Some of these grave errors are:

1. The failure of the Session to cite Mr. Kolozsvary in appropriate and written form before coming to the judgment which was issued in his absence.
2. The exclusion of Mr. Kolozsvary from Church property, and therefore from church worship, an action for which there is no basis in church law.

In view of the dissension in the congregation and general situation disclosed, the Commission believes that the continuance of the tension by a new trial or trials is unwarranted, and would be damaging to the life of the congregation.

Section 104, Book of Forms, provides procedure in this case, either by amendment of the judgment of Presbytery, or waiving altogether the merits of the appeal and giving a decision which is consistent with truth and justice.

The judgment of the Session and the Presbytery was that the name of Mr. Kolozsvary be removed from the roll and that he be denied access to the Church property.

The Commission sustains the judgment of the Presbytery of Niagara, and denies the appeal of Mr. Kolozsvary with the following revisions:

1. The Commission find ambiguity in both sections of the judgment. In the hearing it was clear that the severance of the membership of Mr. Kolozsvary from the local congregation was all that the phrase "remove his name from the Church roll" was intended to mean. The Commission revises this as follows: "The Commission directs the Session of the Welland Hungarian Presbyterian Church to grant Mr. Kolozsvary a clear certificate of disjunction. The form for this will be supplied by the Commission."
2. The second section, relating to forbidding the appellant access to the church property, was upheld by the respondents with great sincerity. The Commission is unwilling to alter what it believes to be the Presbyterian usage, namely, that public worship is *public* worship, and no-one may be barred. The Commission therefore revises the judgment of Presbytery as follows: "... and that Mr. Kolozsvary be urged in the strongest possible terms not to attend a worship service or function of the Welland Hungarian Presbyterian Church."

The Commission directs the Presbytery to exercise intensive oversight of the congregation in matters of finance, administration and procedure through their special committee already in existence.

The Commission became aware of great bitterness and lack of forgiveness, not confined to one party alone. In urging the congregation to seek peace and pursue it, the Commission simply asks for an exercising of Christian virtues.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD C. Corbett,
Chairman of the Commission.

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF DEGREES AND THEIR SOURCES

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AUDITORS' REPORT

*To the Venerable The General Assembly
of The Presbyterian Church in Canada*

We have examined the balance sheets of The Presbyterian Church in Canada as at December 31, 1977 and the statements of income and expenditure, unappropriated operating and property funds and changes in fund balances for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the church as at December 31, 1977 and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting principles described in note 1 applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

North York, Ontario
March 17, 1978

THORNE RIDDELL & CO.
Chartered Accountants.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Year Ended December 31, 1977

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THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
BALANCE SHEETS AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

| ASSETS | 1977 | 1976 |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| OPERATING AND PROPERTY FUNDS | | |
| Cash and short-term deposits (note 2) | \$ 284,179 | \$ 749,030 |
| Cash in transit | 488,249 | 461,630 |
| Marketable securities, at market value (note 3) | 382,863 | 550,201 |
| Accounts receivable and accrued interest | 56,931 | 103,394 |
| Fixed assets | | |
| Properties, less accumulated depreciation | 3,689,348 | 3,857,477 |
| Furniture and equipment, less accumulated depreciation | 38,414 | 34,178 |
| Loans to congregations | 226,526 | 182,772 |
| Other operating assets | 286,769 | 240,770 |
| | <u>\$5,453,279</u> | <u>\$6,179,452</u> |

| NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND | | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| Cash | | \$ 8,809 |
| Cash in transit | \$ 155 | 3,369 |
| Marketable securities, at market value | 1,454,875 | 1,470,202 |
| | <u>\$1,455,030</u> | <u>\$1,482,380</u> |

| LENDING FUNDS | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Cash and short-term deposits | \$ 174,777 | \$ 270,217 |
| Loans to congregations | 1,769,984 | 1,643,072 |
| | <u>\$1,944,761</u> | <u>\$1,913,289</u> |

| ENDOWMENT AND RESTRICTED FUNDS | | |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| Cash | \$ 42,844 | \$ 65,667 |
| Accrued interest | 93,449 | 32,276 |
| Marketable securities, at market value | | |
| Bonds for unconsolidated funds | 1,503,036 | 1,323,172 |
| Share of the consolidated portfolio | 3,095,776 | 2,675,548 |
| | <u>\$4,735,105</u> | <u>\$4,096,663</u> |

Approved by the Administrative Council
LYMAN F. D. PURNELL,
Chairman

R. R. MERIFIELD,
Treasurer

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
BALANCE SHEETS AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

| LIABILITIES | 1977 | 1976 |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| OPERATING AND PROPERTY FUNDS | | |
| Bank overdraft | \$ 3,879 | |
| Accounts payable | 127,599 | \$ 57,733 |
| Unexpended appropriations | | |
| Board of World Mission | 384,760 | 463,490 |
| Special projects | 69,204 | 193,912 |
| Amounts available for specific purposes | 742,712 | 967,181 |
| Mortgages and loans payable on manses | 771,537 | 766,128 |
| Funds committed to congregational loans | 226,526 | 182,772 |
| Revenue received but not yet earned | 47,057 | 32,218 |
| Unappropriated operating and property funds | 3,080,005 | 3,516,018 |
| | <u>\$5,453,279</u> | <u>\$6,179,452</u> |

| NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Capital funds (Category A) | \$1,203,157 | \$1,203,110 |
| Expendable funds (Category B) | 251,873 | 279,270 |
| | <u>\$1,455,030</u> | <u>\$1,482,380</u> |

| LENDING FUNDS | | |
|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Lending Fund | \$1,802,357 | \$1,770,440 |
| S. McBain Fund | 36,567 | 36,567 |
| F. R. Barker Fund | 105,837 | 106,282 |
| | <u>\$1,944,761</u> | <u>\$1,913,289</u> |

| ENDOWMENT AND RESTRICTED FUNDS | | |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| Funds held, the income of which can be used for: | | |
| Ministerial Assistance and other benevolences | \$1,796,819 | \$1,605,428 |
| Bursaries and scholarships | 278,967 | 255,812 |
| Assistance for churches | 238,561 | 185,974 |
| Employees' retirement | 513,265 | 412,764 |
| Reserve for emergencies | 663,270 | 652,471 |
| Miscellaneous purposes | 67,683 | 47,734 |
| Current purposes | 800,876 | 580,685 |
| Specific organizations | 219,213 | 211,055 |
| Unexpended income | 156,451 | 144,740 |
| | <u>\$4,735,105</u> | <u>\$4,096,663</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | INCOME | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|---|--------------------|------------------|-------------|
| Congregations | | | |
| Current budget | \$2,822,143 | \$2,695,193 | |
| Delayed budget | 124,734 | 161,755 | |
| Investments | | | |
| General | 168,014 | 178,616 | |
| National Development Fund | 124,135 | 142,787 | |
| Income from estates | 100,771 | 101,532 | |
| Rents | 22,680 | 20,418 | |
| Contributions to Board of World Mission | | | |
| Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) | 375,000 | 345,000 | |
| Woman's Missionary Society (E.D.) | 30,000 | 29,500 | |
| Bequests for current use | 201,498 | 157,384 | |
| Gifts for current use | 27,080 | 34,668 | |
| Miscellaneous income | 49,966 | 48,855 | |
| TOTAL INCOME | <u>\$4,046,021</u> | <u>3,915,708</u> | |
| | | | |
| | EXPENDITURE | | |
| Board of World Mission | | | |
| Overseas field work | \$ 740,972 | \$ 689,298 | |
| Canadian Mission fields | 1,192,811 | 1,082,729 | |
| Canadian Institutions | 142,461 | 121,709 | |
| General programme support | 50,832 | 41,468 | |
| Administration | 300,065 | 270,954 | |
| General and Board expenses | 45,811 | 45,325 | |
| Board field workers | 192,166 | 170,995 | |
| | <u>2,665,118</u> | <u>2,422,478</u> | |
| Colleges | | | |
| Knox College | 188,190 | 161,430 | |
| Presbyterian College | 76,280 | 58,470 | |
| Ewart College | 137,190 | 128,281 | |
| St. Andrew's Hall | 16,385 | 14,585 | |
| Saskatoon University Residence | 7,000 | 6,500 | |
| | <u>425,045</u> | <u>369,266</u> | |
| Educational work and information | | | |
| Communication Services Committee | 44,963 | 50,434 | |
| Presbyterian Record - net | 68,296 | 43,791 | |
| Board of Congregational Life | 428,342 | 372,287 | |
| Presbyterian Calendar - net | (663) | (4,601) | |
| | <u>540,938</u> | <u>461,911</u> | |
| Printing and distribution | 22,384 | 24,342 | |
| Board of Ministry | 67,203 | 57,295 | |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE (Cont'd)
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | EXPENDITURE (Cont'd) | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|----------------------|------------------|-------------|
| Pension and other benefits | | | |
| Canada Pension Plan and Unemployment Insurance | \$ 20,241 | \$ 18,890 | |
| Workmen's Compensation | 1,000 | 1,340 | |
| Pension, church share | 286,643 | 257,299 | |
| Group Insurance - Ministers | 33,221 | 37,480 | |
| Employees' retirement fund | 24,913 | 19,233 | |
| Employees' benefits | 4,361 | 3,499 | |
| Retiring allowance | 1,500 | 1,500 | |
| | <u>371,879</u> | <u>339,241</u> | |
| General Assembly, Board and Committee expenses | | | |
| General Assembly | 102,289 | 94,844 | |
| Administrative Council | 13,104 | 11,543 | |
| General Assembly committees and Trustee Board .. | 22,662 | 18,870 | |
| Advertising allowance | 2,500 | 2,500 | |
| General administration | 143,010 | 128,444 | |
| Church offices - unallocated building expenses | 23,470 | 19,405 | |
| Grants to ecumenical organizations | 26,372 | 21,390 | |
| Legal and audit | 16,725 | 13,983 | |
| Furniture and equipment purchased | 9,671 | 4,367 | |
| Bank interest | 3,787 | | |
| | <u>363,590</u> | <u>315,346</u> | |
| Total expenditure | <u>4,456,157</u> | <u>3,989,879</u> | |
| Excess of expenditure over revenue before undernoted items | <u>410,136</u> | <u>74,171</u> | |
| Deduct | | | |
| Transfer from unexpended appropriations | 75,000 | 75,000 | |
| Profit on Book of Praise | 50,000 | | |
| | <u>125,000</u> | <u>75,000</u> | |
| EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE (EXPENDITURE OVER INCOME) | <u>\$ (285,136)</u> | <u>\$ 829</u> | |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
STATEMENT OF UNAPPROPRIATED OPERATING AND PROPERTY FUNDS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$3,516,018 | \$3,480,743 |
| Add | | |
| Payment from reserves and current funds for properties, furniture and equipment and for reduction of mortgages | 86,581 | 190,829 |
| Excess of income over expenditure (expenditure over income) | (285,136) | 829 |
| Miscellaneous | | 226 |
| | <u>3,317,463</u> | <u>3,672,627</u> |
| Deduct | | |
| Depreciation of properties, furniture and equipment | 155,575 | 156,609 |
| Properties transferred to congregations and presbyteries | 81,883 | |
| | <u>237,458</u> | <u>156,609</u> |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | <u>\$3,080,005</u> | <u>\$3,516,018</u> |

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| CAPITAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | | |
| National Development Fund | \$1,482,380 | \$1,574,809 |
| Lending Funds | 1,913,289 | 1,876,156 |
| Endowment and Restricted Funds | 4,096,663 | 3,689,028 |
| | <u>7,492,332</u> | <u>7,139,993</u> |
| Add | | |
| Revaluation of securities to market | 75,376 | 371,713 |
| Contributions | 557,224 | 134,982 |
| Investment income | 332,041 | 292,792 |
| | <u>964,641</u> | <u>799,487</u> |
| Deduct | | |
| Distributions | 267,912 | 342,053 |
| Grant to the Presbyterian Church Building Corporation | 50,000 | 100,000 |
| Expenses | 4,165 | 5,095 |
| | <u>322,077</u> | <u>447,148</u> |
| CAPITAL AT END OF YEAR | | |
| National Development Fund | 1,455,030 | 1,482,380 |
| Lending Funds | 1,944,761 | 1,913,289 |
| Endowment and Restricted Funds | 4,735,105 | 4,096,663 |
| | <u>\$8,134,896</u> | <u>\$7,492,332</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

I. SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

The following is a summary of accounting practices followed by the Church. With the exception of the practice of valuing marketable securities at market value rather than at acquisition cost, as set out in part (b) below, the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting practices generally accepted for non-profit organizations.

(a) *Cash receipts*

Contributions held by congregations at December 31, 1977 for Budget Revenue, for the National Development Fund and for the Inter-Church Aid Committee which were remitted to the Treasurer of the Church by January 13, 1978 have been included in revenue for the year in which they were given by members of the congregation. These amounts have been segregated for balance sheet purposes and designated as cash in transit.

(b) *Investment transactions and income*

Investment transactions are accounted for on the trade date (date the order to buy or sell is executed).

Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis.

Dividend income is recorded on the date of declaration.

Realized gains and losses from investment transactions are recorded on the transaction date.

On the recommendation of The Trustee Board, the Church follows the practice of valuing marketable securities at market value rather than at acquisition cost.

(c) *Capitalization and depreciation*

Fixed assets which are donated are recorded on the basis of fair market value at the time of acquisition. Other fixed assets are recorded at cost.

Properties are depreciated at an annual rate of 3% of cost until the estimated residual value is attained.

Furniture and equipment are depreciated at an annual rate of 10% of cost.

Depreciation expense on properties, furniture and equipment has been charged against unappropriated operating and property funds.

(d) *Composition of assets and liabilities*

(i) The assets and liabilities of Knox, Presbyterian and Ewart Colleges, Saskatoon Residence, Armagh and St. Andrew's Hall are included in the balance sheet only to the extent of fixed assets.

(ii) The assets and liabilities of the Pension Fund are not included in these statements. A separate statement covering this fund has been prepared.

(e) *Composition of income and expenditure*

(i) Except for the amount allocated from the Budget, no receipts or disbursements have been included in the statement of income and expenditure for the following:

Knox, Presbyterian and Ewart Colleges, St. Andrew's Hall, Saskatoon Residence, Pension Fund and Armagh.

(ii) Income of the J. B. MacLean Bequest Fund has been included in the statement of income and expenditure only to the extent of the amount received from the Fund (\$10,000 in 1977 and \$25,000 in 1976). A separate statement covering this Fund has been prepared.

(f) *Profit on Book of Praise*

The accumulated proceeds on the sale of the Book of Praise and Praiseways is applied to reduce the inventory value. Profit is not realized until substantially all the inventory is sold. At December 31, 1977 the value of the inventory of the Book of Praise was minimal and the accumulated profit of \$50,000 was credited to current year's operations.

2. CASH AND SHORT-TERM DEPOSITS

An amount of \$284,179 (\$498,605 in 1976) is invested in short-term deposits, \$262,179 on behalf of the Chinese Church, Montreal, and \$22,000 on behalf of Tyndale House.

Income therefrom is credited to this congregation and to Tyndale House in proportion to their short-term deposits.

3. MARKETABLE SECURITIES

An amount of \$67,235 is invested in securities on behalf of Tyndale House. Income therefrom is paid to Tyndale House.

4. COLLEGES

The total cost of operating Knox, Presbyterian and Ewart Colleges, St. Andrew's Hall and Saskatoon Residence is \$1,173,893 (\$1,082,240 in 1976). Separate statements covering these institutions have been prepared.

5. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

The 1976 comparative figures have been reclassified to conform with the financial statement presentation adopted for 1977.

SCHEDULE A
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATIONS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | Balance at beginning of year | Added to reserve | Expenditures and transfers | Balance at end of year | Loans outstanding at end of year | Unexpended appropriations |
|--|------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| BOARD OF WORLD MISSION | | | | | | |
| Overseas Missions | | | | | | |
| Capital Reserve | \$ 43,752 | \$ 5,000 | \$ 46,366 | \$ 2,386 | | \$ 2,386 |
| Expenses | 14,075 | 9,320 | 7,405 | 15,990 | | 15,990 |
| Home Missions | | | | | | |
| Capital Reserve | 85,509 | | 44,390 | 41,119 | \$ 24,816 | 16,303 |
| Robert (Quebec) | 31,993 | 15,910 | 15,943 | 31,960 | 18,827 | 13,133 |
| Church Extension | | | | | | |
| Capital | 222,454 | 89,457 | 53,810 | 258,101 | 16,884 | 241,217 |
| Annie Thompson Bingham | 18,373 | 11,732 | | 30,105 | | 30,105 |
| Peace Thank Offering | | | | | | |
| Extension of missionary work in Canada | 60,189 | | | 60,189 | 4,707 | 55,482 |
| James Chisholm | 169,031 | 1,519 | | 170,550 | 161,292 | 9,258 |
| Churches in small settlements | 886 | | | 886 | | 886 |
| | <u>\$646,262</u> | <u>\$132,938</u> | <u>\$167,914</u> | <u>\$611,286</u> | <u>\$226,526</u> | <u>\$384,760</u> |
| SPECIAL PROJECTS | | | | | | |
| Special Project Fund, General | 39,388 | 5,000 | 20,737 | 23,651 | | |
| Reserve for Personnel | 75,000 | | 75,000 | | | |
| Birthday Gift Fund | 49,724 | | 15,794 | 33,930 | | |
| Capital Project Fund | 29,800 | | 18,177 | 11,623 | | |
| | <u>\$193,912</u> | <u>\$ 5,000</u> | <u>\$129,708</u> | <u>\$ 69,204</u> | | |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
INTER-CHURCH AID, REFUGEE AND WORLD SERVICE SCHEDULE B
AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>Specific</u> | <u>General</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|--|-----------------|------------------|------------------|
| Balance at the beginning of year | \$ 397 | \$ 55,992 | \$ 56,389 |
| Receipts | | | |
| Congregations | | | |
| General | | 127,362 | 127,362 |
| Guatemala | 212 | | 212 |
| Nigeria | 170 | | 170 |
| Taiwan Typhoons | 5,532 | | 5,532 |
| Indian Relief | 1,278 | | 1,278 |
| Gifts | | | |
| General | | 20,418 | 20,418 |
| Guatemala | 1 | | 1 |
| Nigeria | 2,155 | | 2,155 |
| Taiwan Typhoons | 175 | | 175 |
| | <u>\$ 9,920</u> | <u>\$203,772</u> | <u>\$213,692</u> |
| Disbursements | | | |
| Gatt-Fly: Caribbean Sugar Workers | | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| : Programme Grants | | 6,332 | 6,332 |
| Canadian Council for International Cooperation | | 25 | 25 |
| Sask. Council for International Cooperation | | 298 | 298 |
| Amnesty International | | 250 | 250 |
| ICCWDE - Ten Days | | 5,000 | 5,000 |
| PLURA | | 6,000 | 6,000 |
| ICFID | | 17,750 | 17,750 |
| W.C.C. Programme: CCDP | | 3,850 | 3,850 |
| ECLOF | | 3,300 | 3,300 |
| CICARWS regular service | | 22,000 | 22,000 |
| Programme to Combat Racism | | 5,500 | 5,500 |
| W.A.R.C. Service Programme | | 6,000 | 6,000 |
| Malawi - Christian Service Comm. | | 3,500 | 3,500 |
| Cobalt Relief Fund | | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| Taiwan Typhoons | 10,000 | | 10,000 |
| Korea - Iiri Railway Explosion | | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Via C.C.C. - Vietnam Hydraulic Water Project | | 5,000 | 5,000 |
| India Cyclone Relief | 10,000 | | 10,000 |
| Sudan Rehabilitation | | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| Lebanon Rehab. | | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| Expenses - (Salary, Office, promotional and Comm. expenses) | | 15,066 | 15,066 |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
INTER-CHURCH AID, REFUGEE AND WORLD SERVICE
AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

SCHEDULE B

| | | | |
|---|--------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Special Projects: Pacific Research Centre; Brazil Counselling; Indonesia Trans- migration; Botswana - Selbi Pikwe and UIM Extension; Malawi- Likhubula House | 2,325 | 32,675 | 35,000 |
| | <u>\$ 22,325</u> | <u>\$149,046</u> | <u>\$171,371</u> |
| Balance available at Dec. 31, 1977 | <u>(\$ 12,405)</u> | <u>\$ 54,726</u> | <u>\$ 42,321</u> |

Balance on hand 31-12-77 for ongoing BWM/ICA Projects

| | |
|--|--------------------|
| India - Medical Vehicles | \$10,244.00 |
| Sahel Rehabilitation | 670.00 |
| Nepal - Medical Training | 17,330.00 |
| India - Jobat Service Centre | 37,250.00 |
| New Hebrides - Pacific Research Centre | 2,025.00 |
| India - Barwani/Mandeleshwar Public Health | 3,680.00 |
| Malawi - Chilema Centre | (2,500.00) |
| Nepal - Gorkha Health Programme | 500.00 |
| Project Administration and Education | 9,227.00 |
| Project Development | 1,683.25 |
| | <u>\$80,109.25</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
LENDING FUND SCHEDULE D
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | Capital | | | | | Loans outstanding |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| | Balance at beginning of year | Interest added to fund | Added to Fund | Grants | Balance at end of year | |
| Lending Fund (Notes 1 & 2) | \$1,770,440 | \$25,917 | \$6,000 | - | \$1,802,357 | \$1,685,214 |
| Sadie McBain Fund | 36,567 | - | - | - | 36,567 | 28,014 |
| F. Roy Barker | 106,282 | 4,555 | - | \$5,000 | 105,837 | 56,756 |
| | <u>\$1,913,289</u> | <u>\$30,472</u> | <u>\$6,000</u> | <u>\$5,000</u> | <u>\$1,944,761</u> | <u>\$1,769,984</u> |

NOTES:

1. During the year \$309,087 was advanced as loans and \$207,582 was repaid.
2. Grants from the National Development Fund to date total \$115,000. None were made in 1977.

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ENDOWMENT AND RESTRICTED FUNDS
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SUMMARY

| | Capital | | | Income (for disbursement) | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| | Balance at beginning of year | Revaluation of Securities | Added to fund | Balance at beginning of year | Balance at end of year |
| Ministerial Assistance Fund and other | \$1,605,428 | \$12,391 | \$179,000 | \$87,832 | \$ 92,635 |
| Benevolences | 255,812 | (293) | 23,448 | 34,257 | 38,000 |
| Bursaries and Scholarships | 185,974 | (294) | 52,881 | 3,358 | 5,546 |
| Assistance for churches | 412,764 | 48,321 | 52,180 | - | - |
| Employees' retirement | 652,471 | 10,799 | - | 65,102 | 65,102 |
| Reserve for emergencies | 47,734 | (51) | 20,000 | 48,797 | 48,797 |
| Miscellaneous purposes | 580,685 | (1,096) | 221,287 | 19,293 | 20,270 |
| Current purposes | 211,055 | (292) | 8,450 | 56,267 | 56,267 |
| Specific Organizations | | | | 15,823 | 15,823 |
| | <u>\$3,951,923</u> | <u>\$69,485</u> | <u>\$557,246</u> | <u>\$388,718</u> | <u>\$156,451</u> |

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| | Capital | | | Income (for disbursement) | | | |
|--|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| | Balance at beginning of year | Revaluation of securities | Added to fund | Balance at end of year | Received | Expended | Balance at end of year |
| Benevolences (mainly to assist ministers, church workers and their dependents) | | | | | | | |
| James Jardine..... | \$ 42,654 | \$ (58) | \$ 42,596 | \$ 12,270 | \$ 3,190 | \$ 8,125 | \$ 7,335 |
| Clarence McLeod | 210,443 | (286) | 210,157 | (2,890) | 19,862 | 22,160 | (5,188) |
| Sarah and William Robert | 14,848 | (64) | \$ 32,049 | 15,188 | 14,500 | 11,060 | 18,628 |
| James Howard | 2,133 | (3) | 2,130 | 118 | 160 | - | 278 |
| L. A. Wylie | | | | 176 | - | - | 176 |
| Group Insurance Assistance Fund | 876,633 | 13,628 | 890,261 | 38,843 | 68,139 | 62,574 | 44,408 |
| Penmarvian Fund | 116,421 | (359) | 146,951 | 1,961 | 13,807 | 10,525 | 5,243 |
| Ephraim Scott Memorial | 290,334 | (396) | 289,938 | 4,410 | 21,715 | 20,390 | 5,735 |
| Mary Morgan Memorial | 51,962 | (71) | 51,891 | 17,477 | 4,353 | 5,810 | 16,020 |
| Anonymous | | | | 279 | - | 279 | |
| | <u>\$1,605,428</u> | <u>\$ 12,391</u> | <u>\$179,000</u> | <u>\$ 87,832</u> | <u>\$145,726</u> | <u>\$140,923</u> | <u>\$ 92,635</u> |

*Unconsolidated

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
ENDOWMENT AND RESTRICTED FUNDS
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SCHEDULE E
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| | Capital | | | Income (for disbursement) | | | |
|--|------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|----------|----------|------------------------|
| | Balance at beginning of year | Revaluation of securities | Added to fund | Balance at end of year | Received | Expended | Balance at end of year |
| Bursaries and scholarships | | | | | | | |
| Dr. Hugh MacMillan Memorial fund | \$ 3,355 | \$ (5) | \$ 3,350 | \$ 57 | \$ 251 | \$ 242 | \$ 66 |
| William Elder Archibald | 1,206 | (1) | 1,205 | 173 | 90 | 100 | 163 |
| Ethel and George Wood Brown | 70,757 | (97) | 70,660 | 1,902 | 5,292 | 5,728 | 1,466 |
| W. A. Cameron Memorial | 19,121 | (25) | 19,096 | 9,791 | 1,430 | 380 | 10,841 |
| Edith Florence Dunn Knox College | 23,084 | (32) | 23,052 | 1,936 | 1,726 | | 3,662 |
| Ewart College | 23,084 | (32) | 23,052 | 3,001 | 1,726 | 1,930 | 2,797 |
| Margaret Irvine | 2,055 | (3) | 2,052 | 2,018 | 154 | | 2,172 |
| Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Jones Wm. and Isabella McCullough | 17,055 | (23) | \$ 376 | 17,408 | 1,276 | 1,276 | (Note 1) |
| Rev. D. A. McKenzie | 502 | (1) | 501 | 27 | 38 | 50 | 15 |
| *W. B. Tate scholarship | 2,996 | (4) | 2,992 | 942 | 224 | 300 | 866 |
| *Elizabeth J. Thompson | 7,352 | 16 | 7,368 | 2,943 | 555 | 300 | 3,198 |
| John A. Magee | 3,201 | 39 | 3,240 | 813 | 201 | 300 | 714 |
| *Thomas R. Roth Ewart College | 200 | | 200 | 2,714 | | 200 | 2,514 |
| Andrew Fraser Memorial Eursary | | | | 100 | | 100 | |

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THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
 ENDOWMENT AND RESTRICTED FUNDS
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| | Capital | | | Income (for disbursement) | | | | |
|--|------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------------------|
| | Balance at beginning of year | Revaluation of securities | Added to fund | Balance at end of year | Balance at beginning of year | Received | Expended | Balance at end of year |
| Student Bursary Fund | \$ 1,277 | \$ (1) | | \$ 1,276 | \$ 20 | \$ 96 | | \$ 116 |
| James Graham Memorial Bursary | 1,289 | (1) | \$ 225 | 1,513 | 243 | 104 | | 347 |
| Mary P. Thompson | 2,218 | (75) | | 2,143 | 872 | 200 | | 1,072 |
| Dr. James MacGregor Memorial | 10,168 | (14) | | 10,154 | 1,085 | 760 | \$ 400 | 1,445 |
| St. Paul's Oil Springs Bursary | 1,633 | (2) | | 1,631 | 939 | 122 | | 1,061 |
| Ewart College Alumnae Bursary | 1,038 | (1) | | 1,037 | 553 | 78 | | 631 |
| Mary Ann Macaulay | 2,076 | (3) | | 2,073 | 285 | 156 | | 441 |
| Special assistance for overseas students | | | | | 41 | | | 41 |
| *Sampson J. Goodfellow and O. Nancy Goodfellow | 31,814 | | 589 | 32,403 | 201 | 2,946 | 3,147 | 188 |
| Mason Memorial Bursary | 8,235 | (11) | | 8,224 | 1,131 | 616 | | 1,747 |
| Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Riddell | 10,926 | (15) | 2,000 | 12,911 | 1,250 | 817 | | 2,067 |
| Dr. J. A. Munro | | | | | 1,100 | | 900 | 200 |
| Centennial Bursary, Welland | | | | | | | | |
| *Sampson J. Goodfellow and Annie M. Goodfellow | 10,000 | | 20,248 | 30,248 | 100 | 1,244 | 1,282 | 62 |
| Reginald D. McLean Bursary Fund | 1,170 | (2) | 10 | 1,178 | 20 | 88 | | 108 |
| | \$ 255,812 | (293) | \$ 23,448 | \$ 278,967 | \$ 34,257 | \$ 20,378 | \$ 16,635 | \$ 38,000 |

Note 1: Balance/income \$376 transfer to capital.
 *Unconsolidated

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SCHEDULE E
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| | Capital | | | Income (for disbursement) | | | | |
|---|------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------------------|
| | Balance at beginning of year | Revaluation of securities | Added to fund | Balance at end of year | Balance at beginning of year | Received | Expended | Balance at end of year |
| Assistance for churches | | | | | | | | |
| Andrew McCormick | \$ 64,201 | \$ (87) | | \$ 64,114 | \$ 3,358 | \$ 4,801 | \$ 3,200 | \$ 4,959 |
| Proceeds of congregational properties sold | 121,773 | (166) | \$ 2,881 | 124,488 | | 8,881 | 8,881 | 587 |
| Church at Magnetwan | | (41) | 50,000 | 49,959 | | 587 | | |
| | \$ 185,974 | \$ (294) | \$ 52,881 | \$ 238,561 | \$ 3,358 | \$ 14,269 | \$ 12,081 | \$ 5,546 |
| Employees Retirement Fund (New) (Note 1) | \$ 103,322 | \$ 14,188 | \$ 59,571 | \$ 177,081 | | \$ 65,102 | \$ 65,102 | |
| Employees Retirement Fund (Old) | 309,442 | 34,133 | (7,391) | 336,184 | | | | |
| | \$ 412,764 | \$ 48,321 | \$ 52,180 | \$ 513,265 | | | | |
| Reserve for Emergencies (Note 2) | \$ 652,471 | \$ 10,799 | | \$ 663,270 | | \$ 48,797 | \$ 48,797 | |
| Miscellaneous purposes | | | | | | | | |
| Lydia Lord Ramsay | \$ 869 | (1) | | \$ 868 | \$ 374 | \$ 65 | | \$ 439 |
| Mary McLean Ramsay | 842 | (1) | | 841 | 363 | 63 | | 426 |
| Selkirk Memorial | 913 | (1) | | 912 | | | | |
| Ewart College Contingency Reserve (Note 3) | 10,000 | | (10,000) | | 1,656 | | 1,656 | |
| Ewart College Bursary Fund. Overseas Medical Reserve (note 4) | 35,110 | (48) | 5,000 | 45,062 | 6,251 | 19,718 | 19,723 | 6,246 |
| Ewart College Resource Fund | | | 15,000 | 15,000 | | 1,214 | | 1,214 |
| W. B. Tate (Saskatchewan) | | | | 10,649 | | | | 10,649 |
| | \$ 47,734 | \$ (51) | \$ 20,000 | \$ 67,683 | \$ 19,293 | \$ 22,356 | \$ 21,379 | \$ 20,270 |

Note 1. \$59,571 income transferred to capital.
 Note 2. Income from Reserve for Emergencies transferred to general income of the church.
 Note 3. Ewart College Contingency Reserve allocation by college to Bursary Fund and Resource Fund.
 Note 4. \$10,000 transferred from income to capital.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
 ENDOWMENT AND RESTRICTED FUNDS SCHEDULE E
 YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977 Page 4

| | Capital | | Balance at end of year | Income |
|--|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|
| | Balance at beginning of year | Revaluation of securities | | |
| Current purposes | | | | |
| Jonathan Blair | \$ 199 | \$ (1) | \$ 198 | \$ 15 |
| Margaret Fraser | 13,216 | (18) | 13,198 | 988 |
| Elizabeth F. MacLaren | 22,755 | (32) | 22,723 | 1,702 |
| Rev. M. J. MacPherson | 12,986 | (18) | 12,968 | 971 |
| Rev. David Morrison Reid | 14,884 | (20) | 14,864 | 1,113 |
| Home Mission Endowment | 366,266 | (499) | 365,767 | 27,392 |
| Lachlan MacLean | 734 | (1) | 733 | 55 |
| Sarah Jane Fiske | 42,974 | (59) | 42,915 | 3,214 |
| Jessie F. Auld | 2,783 | (4) | 2,779 | 208 |
| Ellen A. Grant | 249 | | 249 | 19 |
| Jane L. Croil | 61,755 | (85) | 61,670 | 4,618 |
| Archibald & Jean McRae Trust (Note 1) | | (302) | 220,985 | 12,840 |
| Cowan Avenue Trust | 7,479 | (10) | 7,469 | 559 |
| Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Jones | 4,661 | (6) | 4,655 | 349 |
| Jennie Lamoureaux | 4,189 | (6) | 4,183 | 313 |
| Jessie C. Wylie | 1,958 | (3) | 1,955 | 146 |
| Francis Johnstone | 23,597 | (32) | 23,565 | 1,765 |
| | <u>\$580,685</u> | <u>\$(1,096)</u> | <u>\$800,876</u> | <u>\$56,267</u> |
| Specific organizations | | | | |
| Glen Mhor Camp | \$ 1,925 | \$ (3) | \$ 1,922 | \$ 144 |
| Jane Beatrice Gray Knox College | 2,793 | (4) | 2,789 | 209 |
| St. Andrew's Coldwater | 931 | (1) | 930 | 70 |
| Cornelia J. P. MacMillan | 85,349 | (117) | 85,232 | 6,383 |
| Clare Nelson | 20,782 | (28) | 20,754 | 1,554 |
| Victor and Naomi Scott | 4,347 | (6) | 4,341 | 325 |
| Agnes and Lindsay Torrance | 8,927 | (12) | 8,915 | 668 |
| Elizabeth Wallace | 468 | (1) | 467 | 35 |
| Women's Missionary Society, Paris | 4,738 | (7) | 4,731 | 354 |
| Ewart College - Bursaries and scholarships (Note 2) | 75,205 | (105) | 83,550 | 5,663 |
| Robert James Dewar | 5,590 | (8) | 5,582 | 418 |
| | <u>\$211,055</u> | <u>\$(292)</u> | <u>\$219,213</u> | <u>\$15,823</u> |

Note: 1. \$221,287 added to Fund.
 2. \$8,450 added to Fund.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
 BEQUESTS RECEIVED SCHEDULE F
 YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | | |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| General | | |
| Christine Robertson McVicar, Renfrew, Ontario | \$ 6,947 | |
| Robert Francis Bevers, Scarborough, Ontario | 79,229 | |
| D.G.H. Wright, Oakville, Ontario (additional) | 7 | |
| Chas Harper, Thornhill, Ontario | 5,000 | |
| Robert Smith Aitken, Teeswater, Ontario | 8,000 | |
| Maurice N. Ward, Little Current, Ontario | 16,794 | |
| E. M. McCormick, Galt, Ontario (additional) | 8,371 | |
| Elizabeth L. Hardie, Victoria, British Columbia (additional) | 2,883 | |
| Florence I. Bucke, St. Thomas, Ontario | 34,000 | |
| Rosie Mabel Poyser, Regina, Saskatchewan | 500 | |
| Hilda Marion Ada Neatby, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan | 7,144 | |
| James Henry Beaton, Sunderland, Ontario | 10,000 | |
| John Ebenezer Wolfe, Guelph, Ontario | 500 | |
| Allan Leonard Farris, Toronto, Ontario | 500 | |
| Katherine Bell, Toronto, Ontario | 55,000 | |
| Annie E. MacDougall, Dundas, Ontario | 623 | \$235,498 |
| Allocated to | | |
| General Income | \$134,269 | |
| Special Project Fund | 5,000 | |
| Reserve for Church Extension | 22,000 | |
| Use of Reserve | 67,229 | |
| Knox, Cannington (1976 bequest paid out in 1977) | 7,000 | |
| | <u>\$235,498</u> | |
| Amounts for Specific Purposes | | |
| Hugh Jr., Mary and Elizabeth Thomson, Parry Sound Ontario | \$ 50,000 | |
| David Donaghue, Dundas, Ontario | 32,049 | |
| Edith Margaret Gallop, Stratford, Ontario | 12,186 | |
| Mary Frith Astwood, Hamilton, Bermuda | 31,247 | \$125,482 |
| Endowment and Restricted Funds | | |
| Archibald D. McRae, Vankleek Hill, Ontario | \$221,287 | 221,287 |
| Pension Fund | | |
| John Charles Alexander Cameron, Belleville, Ontario | \$ 1,000 | |
| Margaret Martin Anderson, Toronto, Ontario | 31,291 | |
| Robert Francis Bevers, Scarborough, Ontario | 11,884 | |
| Katherine Bell, Toronto, Ontario | 50,000 | |
| Charles Harper, Thornhill, Ontario | 5,000 | 99,175 |
| | | <u>\$681,442</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
EXPENDITURES - BOARD OF WORLD MISSION
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

SCHEDULE G
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| | Salaries | Other expenses | Mission field expenses | Grants to agencies and churches | Grants to fellowship houses, etc. | Total general funds | Designated purposes | Total |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Overseas field work | | | | | | | | |
| Caribbean | | | | | | \$ 25,488 | \$ 1,167 | \$ 26,655 |
| Taiwan | \$ 88,713 | \$ 16,930 | \$ 19,500 | \$ 25,488 | | 152,143 | 6,647 | 158,790 |
| India | 83,823 | 5,963 | 6,520 | 27,000 | | 205,436 | 20,775 | 226,211 |
| Koreans in Japan | 77,473 | 15,500 | 13,000 | 109,130 | | 131,133 | 13,229 | 144,362 |
| Nigeria | 37,935 | 972 | 7,500 | 25,160 | | 62,782 | 18,232 | 81,014 |
| Malawi | 11,696 | 1,709 | 2,000 | 16,375 | | 19,405 | 1,843 | 21,248 |
| Overseas Volunteers | 550 | 559 | | 4,000 | | 1,109 | | 1,109 |
| Special Ministries | 23,744 | 2,458 | 3,648 | 1,000 | | 30,850 | | 30,850 |
| Furloughs | | | 44,216 | | | 44,216 | | 44,216 |
| Replacements | | | 35,236 | | | 35,236 | | 35,236 |
| Leadership training | | | 21,184 | | | 21,184 | | 21,184 |
| Cars and Furniture | | | 10,000 | | | 10,000 | | 10,000 |
| Miscellaneous | | | 1,990 | | | 1,990 | 16,043 | 18,033 |
| Total field work | \$ 323,934 | \$ 44,091 | \$ 164,794 | \$ 208,153 | | \$ 740,972 | \$ 77,936 | \$ 818,908 |
| Canadian mission field | | | | | | | | |
| Salaries | \$ 660,776 | | | | | \$ 660,776 | | \$ 660,776 |
| Travel | | | \$ 245,760 | | | 245,760 | | 245,760 |
| Rent | | | 236,129 | | | 236,129 | | 236,129 |
| Other | | | 4,117 | | | 4,117 | \$ 20,978 | 25,095 |
| Moving expenses | | | 46,029 | | | 46,029 | | 46,029 |
| Canadian institutions | | | | | | | | |
| Immigration | | | | | \$ 436 | \$ 436 | | \$ 436 |
| Armagh | | | | | 5,000 | 5,000 | | 5,000 |

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THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
EXPENDITURES - BOARD OF WORLD MISSION
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

SCHEDULE G
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| | Salaries | Other expenses | Mission field expenses | Grants to agencies and churches | Grants to fellowship houses, etc. | Total general funds | Designated purposes | Total |
|--------------------------------------|------------|----------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|
| Tyndale House | | | | | | | | |
| Kenora Fellowship Centre | | | | | | \$ 35,993 | | \$ 35,993 |
| Winnipeg Indian Centre | | | | | 29,685 | 29,685 | | 29,685 |
| Verdun Day Care Centre | | | | | 23,522 | 23,522 | | 23,522 |
| Winnipeg Fellowship House | | | | | 10,500 | 10,500 | | 10,500 |
| Winnipeg Flora House | | | | | 3,800 | 3,800 | | 3,800 |
| Prince Albert Fellowship House | | | | | 22,040 | 22,040 | | 22,040 |
| Total | | | | | 11,485 | 11,485 | | 11,485 |
| General Programme support | | | | | | | | |
| Deputation | \$ 1,332 | | | | | \$ 1,332 | | \$ 1,332 |
| Literature | 6,683 | | | | | 6,683 | | 6,683 |
| Audio Visual | 5,550 | | | | | 5,550 | | 5,550 |
| Programme and grants | 34,518 | | | | | 34,518 | | 34,518 |
| Overseas visitors | 2,749 | | | | | 2,749 | | 2,749 |
| Administration | | | | | | | | |
| Salaries | \$ 237,745 | | | | | 237,745 | | 237,745 |
| Travel | | 23,807 | | | | 23,807 | | 23,807 |
| Other | | 38,513 | | | | 38,513 | | 38,513 |

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THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
EXPENDITURES - BOARD OF WORLD MISSION
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

SCHEDULE G
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| | Salaries | Other expenses | Mission field expenses | Grants to agencies and churches | Grants to fellowship houses, etc. | Total general funds | Designated purposes | Total |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| General expenses | | \$ 26,300 | | | | \$ 26,300 | | \$ 26,300 |
| Board and conferences.. | | | | | | | | |
| Property maintenance | | | | | | | | |
| (including missionary residence) | | 13,546 | | | | 13,546 | | 13,546 |
| Chairman and convenors | | 2,282 | | | | 2,282 | | 2,282 |
| Retirement allowances.. | | 2,760 | | | | 2,760 | | 2,760 |
| Candidates expenses | | 923 | | | | 923 | | 923 |
| Board field workers | | | | | | | | |
| Stipend | \$ 105,227 | | | | | 105,227 | | 105,227 |
| Rent | | 25,234 | | | | 25,234 | | 25,234 |
| Travel | | 61,055 | | | | 61,055 | | 61,055 |
| Other | | 650 | | | | 650 | | 650 |
| | <u>\$1,327,682</u> | <u>\$289,993</u> | <u>\$696,829</u> | <u>\$208,153</u> | <u>\$142,461</u> | <u>\$2,665,118</u> | <u>\$98,914</u> | <u>\$2,764,032</u> |

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THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
CAPITAL EXPENDITURES
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

SCHEDULE H

| | Overseas Reserve 180 | Home Missions Reserve 171 | Church Extension Reserve 174 |
|---|----------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| OVERSEAS MISSIONS | | | |
| Church of North India - Pension Fund | \$ 5,000 | | |
| Church of North India - Amkhut House | 3,200 | | |
| Presbyterian Church in Taiwan | 18,000 | | |
| Presbyterian Church in Malawi | 3,500 | | |
| PURCHASE OF CHURCH SITES AND BUILDINGS | | | |
| Superintendent's manse, Atlantic Synod (Additional) | | \$ 5,827 | |
| Roxboro Park Manse, Hamilton | | 2,532 | |
| Eglise St. Mark | | 2,697 | |
| Saltfleet manse, Ontario | | | \$ 500 |
| Salmon Arm Manse | | | 415 |
| Kanata Church Site | | | 153 |
| Lakeshore campus - Waterloo | | | 500 |
| Manse Waterloo | | | 1,070 |
| Meadowvale Campus - Mississauga | | | 25,175 |
| Doon Ontario Manse | | | 10,000 |
| Malton Manse, Ontario | | | 15,795 |
| Miscellaneous | | | 202 |
| | <u>\$29,700</u> | <u>\$11,056</u> | <u>\$53,810</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

SCHEDULE OF GRANTS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

BOARD OF WORLD MISSION

SCHEDULE I

| | | | |
|---|---------|----------|-----------|
| Canadian Council of Churches Canada China Programme | | \$ 3,300 | |
| National Council of Churches, U.S.A. Africa Programme | \$ 230 | | |
| East Asia Programme | 230 | | |
| Southern Asia Programme | 230 | | 690 |
| Area Councils of Churches All Africa Conference of Churches | 500 | | |
| Caribbean Conference of Churches | 500 | | |
| Christian Conference of Asia | 500 | | 1,500 |
| World Council of Churches Commission of World Mission & Evangelism | 500 | | |
| Christian Medical Commission | 2,000 | | |
| Theological Education Fund | 3,500 | | 6,000 |
| Other Agencies Special Ministry of the Deaf - Atlantic Provinces | 250 | | |
| National Inter-Faith Immigration | 250 | | |
| Quebec Inter-Faith Welcoming Committee | 186 | | |
| Toronto Institute of Linguistics | 100 | | |
| Canadian Urban Training Project | 400 | | |
| Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship | 2,100 | | |
| Canadian Bureau for International Education | 100 | | |
| Ecumenical Forum of Canada | 1,500 | | |
| Japan-North American Commission on Co-Operation | 1,000 | | |
| World Student Christian Federation | 1,000 | | |
| International Fellowship of Evangelical Students | 1,000 | | |
| Ecumenical University Chaplains | 8,426 | | |
| Student Christian Movement of Canada | 2,100 | | |
| World Association for Christian Communication | 1,000 | | |
| United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia | 1,000 | | |
| Project North | 1,000 | | |
| Ecumenical Centre, Mississauga | 1,000 | | 22,412 |
| National Churches and Institutions Caribbean | 25,488 | | |
| Taiwan | 27,000 | | |
| India | 109,130 | | |
| Japan | 25,160 | | |
| Nigeria | 16,375 | | |
| Malawi | 4,000 | | |
| Special Ministries | 1,000 | | 208,153 |
| | | | \$242,055 |

BOARD OF CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

| | | | |
|--|--------|-------|-------|
| Ecumenical Forum of Canada | | 450 | |
| National Council of Churches Education for Christian Life Mission | | 220 | |
| Other Agencies Canadian Council on Social Development | \$ 125 | | |
| Joint Educational Development | 2,573 | | |
| Inter-Church Stewardship Committee | 500 | | |
| Canadian Urban Training | 200 | | |
| Movement for Christian Feminism | 250 | | |
| Lord's Day Alliance of Canada | 100 | | |
| | | 3,748 | 4,418 |

ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

| | | | |
|---|-----------|-------|------------------|
| Canadian Council of Churches | \$ 10,500 | | |
| World Council of Churches | 4,500 | | |
| North American and Caribbean Alliance of Reformed Churches | | 3,812 | |
| Plura | | 5,000 | |
| Task force on the Churches and Corporate Responsibility | | 2,560 | \$ 26,372 |
| | | | <u>\$272,845</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
MACLEAN ESTATE
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT
DECEMBER 31, 1977

| OPERATING EXPENDITURES | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| ADMINISTRATION | | |
| Director's Salary | \$ 18,150 | \$ 16,500 |
| Secretarial Assistance | 4,144 | 2,215 |
| Director's travel expenses | 1,949 | 1,702 |
| Director's Rent | — | 1,900 |
| Telephone, Stationery, postage | 1,520 | 1,312 |
| Bursaries, legal, audit | 1,300 | 1,460 |
| Utilities | — | 1,017 |
| Municipal Taxes | 3,526 | 3,464 |
| Canada Pension, Unemployment Insurance etc. | 1,798 | 1,314 |
| Insurances | 2,877 | 1,261 |
| Committee Expenses | 628 | 907 |
| Miscellaneous | 83 | 419 |
| | <u>\$ 35,975</u> | <u>\$ 33,471</u> |
| MAINTENANCE | | |
| Estate Manager's wages | 7,846 | 108 |
| Part time help | 3,970 | 5,912 |
| Gasoline | 278 | 179 |
| Vehicle Insurance | 333 | 324 |
| Maintenance material | 4,279 | 3,211 |
| Utilities | 2,380 | — |
| | <u>19,086</u> | <u>9,734</u> |
| PROGRAMME | | |
| Salary — Honorarium | 332 | 70 |
| Programme material | 293 | 751 |
| Food | 2,442 | 482 |
| Housekeeping labour | 2,333 | 522 |
| Utilities | 1,128 | 919 |
| Books for re-sale | 693 | 44 |
| Laundry | 288 | — |
| Recreation equipment | 655 | — |
| | <u>8,164</u> | <u>2,788</u> |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURE | <u><u>\$ 63,225</u></u> | <u><u>\$ 45,993</u></u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
PENSION FUND
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

AUDITORS' REPORT

*To the Venerable The General Assembly
of The Presbyterian Church in Canada*

We have examined the statements of capital and revenue and expenditure of The Presbyterian Church in Canada Pension Fund for the year ended December 31, 1977. These statements incorporate the assets, liabilities, revenue and expenditure of the segregated fund administered by The Canada Life Assurance Company for The Presbyterian Church in Canada for which fund a financial statement has been furnished to us by The Canada Life Insurance Company. Our examination of the Pension Fund transactions of the Church was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, these statements of capital and revenue and expenditure present fairly the financial position of the Pension Fund as at December 31, 1977 and the results of its transactions for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting practices described in note 1 to the financial statements applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Toronto, Canada
April 17, 1978

THORNE RIDDELL & CO.
Chartered Accountants

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
PENSION FUND
STATEMENT OF CAPITAL
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| CAPITAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$7,349,677 | \$6,594,167 |
| Add | | |
| Transfer of balance of income for future pensions.. | 993,281 | 336,654 |
| Profit on sale of investments | 45,973 | 22,600 |
| Net unrealized gain on revaluation of investment ... | <u>189,301</u> | <u>396,256</u> |
| CAPITAL AT END OF YEAR..... | <u>\$8,578,232</u> | <u>\$7,349,677</u> |
| Comprised of | | |
| Bonds and convertible debentures, at market value | \$4,427,609 | \$4,240,604 |
| Stocks, at market value | 2,252,875 | 1,946,163 |
| Mortgages, at market value | 1,319,388 | 821,406 |
| Short-term notes, at cost which approximates market value | 198,649 | 74,660 |
| Cash | 169,686 | 119,490 |
| Accrued revenue..... | 129,368 | 120,042 |
| Accounts receivable | <u>84,271</u> | <u>36,929</u> |
| | 8,581,846 | 7,359,294 |
| Less sundry liabilities | <u>3,614</u> | <u>9,617</u> |
| | <u>\$8,578,232</u> | <u>\$7,349,677</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
PENSION FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| Revenue | | |
| Bond interest and dividends | \$ 515,527 | \$ 478,015 |
| Mortgage interest | 35,052 | 38,443 |
| Estate income | 1,560 | 1,322 |
| Bequests | 100,063 | 1,766 |
| Gifts | 6,580 | 4,279 |
| Church budget allocation..... | 288,069 | 259,060 |
| Congregational and society rates | 369,440 | 344,674 |
| Individuals' rates | <u>256,127</u> | <u>223,898</u> |
| | <u>1,572,418</u> | <u>1,351,457</u> |
| Expenditure | | |
| Annuities purchased | 479,524 | 926,516 |
| The Canada Life Assurance Company charges | 21,943 | 19,893 |
| Supplement to retired ministers | 54,664 | 50,631 |
| Withdrawals from fund | 3,605 | 1,998 |
| Actuarial fee | 1,025 | |
| Audit fee | 700 | 650 |
| Committee expenses | 1,683 | 1,045 |
| Employees' retirement - catechists | 300 | 301 |
| Office accommodation | 445 | 364 |
| Postage | 756 | 443 |
| Salaries | 12,749 | 11,970 |
| Stationery | 1,269 | 400 |
| Sundry | 55 | 204 |
| Telephone | <u>419</u> | <u>388</u> |
| | <u>579,137</u> | <u>1,014,803</u> |
| TRANSFER OF BALANCE OF INCOME FOR FUTURE PENSIONS | <u>\$ 993,281</u> | <u>\$ 336,654</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
PENSION FUND
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

1. ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

The following is a summary of accounting practices followed by the Fund:

- (a) Basis of valuation of fund assets
The assets of the Fund are carried at current market values and unrealized gains and losses resulting from the adjustment to market are included in the statement of capital.
Market values are determined by the Fund as follows:
- (i) Listed stocks are valued at their closing sales price on the stock exchange where listed, and if no sale has taken place on the last business day, then at the average of the closing bid and ask prices.
 - (ii) Listed bonds and convertible debentures are recorded at the last published mid-market price.

- (iii) Unlisted bonds are recorded at values reflecting current market yields of similar debt obligations.
 - (iv) Mortgages are valued using current market yields based on one-half of the remaining average term of the portfolio. The yields used for valuation are 10½% for loans on commercial properties and 10¼% for loans on residential properties (10¼% and 10½% respectively in 1976).
 - (v) Short term investments are carried at cost which approximates market.
- (b) Investment transactions and income
- (i) Investment transactions are recorded on the trade date (date the order to buy or sell is executed).
 - (ii) Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date.
 - (iii) Realized gains and losses on sale of investments are recorded as the difference between the proceeds and market values at the beginning of the year or the date of purchase during the year.
- (c) Basis of establishing capital
It is not the practice of the fund to segregate from capital amounts required to meet future obligations of the fund.

2. ADDITIONAL PAYMENTS TO PENSIONERS AND WIDOWS

As approved by the 99th General Assembly, bequests, commencing in 1972, will be used to provide additional payments to pensioners and widows receiving only small amounts from the Canada Pension Plan. The income and expenditure and balance on hand, as follows, is included in these financial statements.

| | |
|--|------------------|
| Balance on hand, December 31, 1976 | \$ 52,600 |
| Received in 1977 | <u>100,063</u> |
| | 152,663 |
| Paid out in 1977 | <u>54,664</u> |
| Balance on hand, December 31, 1977 | <u>\$ 97,999</u> |

3. ACTUARIAL EVALUATION

Based on the latest actuarial evaluation at December 31, 1974, the capital at that date exceeded the estimated future obligations of the fund by approximately \$1,600,000.

Improvements to the Pension Fund recommended by the General Assembly in June, 1976 reduced this actuarial surplus to approximately \$130,000. An actuarial evaluation is currently being carried out based on December 31, 1977 balances.

**J. B. MACLEAN BEQUEST FUND
OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977**

AUDITORS' REPORT

*To the Venerable The General Assembly
of The Presbyterian Church in Canada*

We have examined the balance sheet of the J. B. MacLean Bequest Fund of The Presbyterian Church in Canada as at December 31, 1977 and the statements of capital and revenue and expense and undistributed income for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the Fund as at December 31, 1977 and the results of its transactions for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting practices described in the note to the financial statements applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

North York, Ontario
March 17, 1978

THORNE RIDDELL & CO.
Chartered Accountants

J. B. MACLEAN BEQUEST FUND
OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977

| ASSETS | 1977 | 1976 |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| Cash | \$ 16,312 | \$ 13,798 |
| Accounts receivable | 200 | 200 |
| Interest in consolidated portfolio, at market value | 809,839 | 887,951 |
| | <u>826,351</u> | <u>901,949</u> |
| Real estate and other assets | | |
| Original property | 26,835 | 26,835 |
| Improvements | 10,327 | 10,978 |
| Directors' house | 74,292 | 73,703 |
| Dormitory | 70,343 | 19,204 |
| Log cabin | 2,979 | |
| Kitchen | 29,168 | 1,735 |
| Farm equipment | 5,710 | 6,028 |
| Furniture and equipment | 4,589 | 6,439 |
| Vehicles | 7,544 | 1,926 |
| | <u>231,787</u> | <u>146,848</u> |
| | <u>\$1,058,138</u> | <u>\$1,048,797</u> |

LIABILITIES

| | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Accounts payable | \$ 3,670 | \$ 3,067 |
| Funds held for specific purposes | 1,302 | 1,081 |
| | <u>4,972</u> | <u>4,148</u> |

CAPITAL AND UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME

| | | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Capital | 929,521 | 845,423 |
| Undistributed income | 123,645 | 199,226 |
| | <u>1,053,166</u> | <u>1,044,649</u> |
| | <u>\$1,058,138</u> | <u>\$1,048,797</u> |

STATEMENT OF CAPITAL
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| CAPITAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$ 845,423 | \$ 701,031 |
| Add | | |
| Transfer from undistributed income for additions to real estate and other assets | 84,939 | 100,695 |
| Adjustment of investments to market value at December 31 | (841) | 43,697 |
| CAPITAL AT END OF YEAR | <u>\$ 929,521</u> | <u>\$ 845,423</u> |

J. B. MACLEAN BEQUEST FUND
OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSE AND UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Revenue | | |
| Income from investments | \$ 61,887 | \$ 65,788 |
| Rent | 4,965 | 3,537 |
| Income from Conference Centre | 15,621 | 5,458 |
| Miscellaneous income | 135 | |
| | <u>82,608</u> | <u>74,783</u> |
| Expense | | |
| Property expenses | | |
| Salaries | 36,774 | 24,735 |
| Employer benefits | 1,797 | 1,314 |
| Taxes | 3,527 | 3,464 |
| Maintenance | 4,557 | 6,178 |
| Insurance | 3,210 | 1,585 |
| Utilities | 3,508 | 1,017 |
| Laundry | 288 | |
| Programme supplies | 4,233 | |
| | <u>57,894</u> | <u>38,293</u> |
| Director's expenses | 1,949 | 1,702 |
| Rent | | 1,900 |
| Committee expense | 628 | 907 |
| Grant to Knox Church, Crieff | 600 | 600 |
| Bursary grant | | 300 |
| Audit and legal | 550 | 550 |
| General expenses | 1,603 | 1,741 |
| | <u>63,224</u> | <u>45,993</u> |
| EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSE | 19,384 | 28,790 |
| Less transfer to funds held for specific purposes of gift taken as income in 1975 | | 1,000 |
| | <u>19,384</u> | <u>27,790</u> |
| UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | 199,226 | 285,515 |
| Adjustment of investments to market value at December 31 | (271) | 11,616 |
| Gifts spent on equipment | 245 | |
| | <u>218,584</u> | <u>324,921</u> |
| Less | | |
| Transfer to The Presbyterian Church in Canada | 10,000 | 25,000 |
| Transfer to capital for additions to real estate and other assets | 84,939 | 100,695 |
| | <u>94,939</u> | <u>125,695</u> |
| UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME AT END OF YEAR | <u>\$ 123,645</u> | <u>\$ 199,226</u> |

J. B. MACLEAN BEQUEST FUND
OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
NOTE TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 1977

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

The following is a summary of accounting practices followed by the Fund. With the exception of the practice of valuing marketable securities at market value rather than at acquisition cost as set out in (b) below, the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting practices generally accepted for non-profit organizations.

(a) *Investment transactions and income*

Investment transactions are accounted for on the trade date (date the order to buy or sell is executed).

Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis.

Dividend income is recorded on the date of declaration.

Realized gains and losses from investment transactions are recorded on the transaction date.

(b) *Valuation*

The Fund follows the practice of valuing marketable securities at market value rather than at acquisition cost. Adjustments arising thereon are allocated between capital and undistributed income, on the basis of the ratio of capital to undistributed income at the beginning of the year.

(c) *Depreciation*

The Fund does not record depreciation on its real estate and other assets.

(d) *Real estate and other assets*

Real estate and other assets are recorded at values determined by executors with subsequent additions recorded at cost.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
THE JOSEPH B. ROBERT AND DAME SARAH ROBERT FUND
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

AUDITORS' REPORT

*To the Venerable The General Assembly
of The Presbyterian Church in Canada*

We have examined the statements of income and expenditure of The Joseph B. Robert and Dame Sarah Robert Fund of The Presbyterian Church in Canada for the year ended December 31, 1977. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying statements present fairly the transactions of the Fund for the year ended December 31, 1977, in accordance with the accounting practices described in the note to the financial statements applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

North York, Ontario
March 17, 1978

THORNE RIDDELL & CO.
Chartered Accountants

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
THE JOSEPH B. ROBERT AND DAME SARAH ROBERT FUND
STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

RELIGIOUS AND CHARITABLE SCHEMES
IN THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

| | |
|---|-----------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | \$31,993 |
| Income | |
| William H. Robert estate | \$11,766 |
| Sarah M. Robert estate | 3,121 |
| Sarah M. Robert donation | 997 |
| Interest re St. John's, Duvernay, P.Q. | 489 |
| | 16,373 |
| | 48,366 |
| Expenditure | |
| Les Imprimeurs Artisans (La Vie Chretienne) | 2,235 |
| Grants | |
| French Christian Education | 450 |
| McGill Chaplaincy and French Christian Outreach | 9,600 |
| Tyndale House | 1,000 |
| To general funds for support of work in the Province of Quebec | 3,121 |
| | 16,406 |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | \$ 31,960 |

Note

Loans from Robert Fund

| | Balance Jan. 1, 1977 | Repaid 1977 | Balance Dec. 31, 1977 |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| St. John's Duvernay, P.Q. | \$13,075 | \$2,375 | \$10,700 |
| Ile Perrot, P.Q. | 8,127 | | 8,127 |
| | \$21,202 | \$2,375 | \$18,827 |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

THE JOSEPH B. ROBERT AND DAME SARAH ROBERT FUND
STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

RELIGIOUS AND CHARITABLE SCHEMES
IN FOREIGN FIELDS

| | |
|---|----------|
| Income | |
| William H. Robert estate | \$11,766 |
| Sarah M. Robert donation | 997 |
| | \$12,763 |
| Expenditure | |
| To general funds for support of overseas work | 12,763 |
| | Nil |

ASSISTANCE TO NEEDY MINISTERS

| | | |
|--|--------|-----------------|
| BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | | \$30,036 |
| Income | | |
| William H. Robert estate | 11,766 | |
| Sarah M. Robert donation | 997 | |
| Investment income | 1,737 | |
| Gift..... | 32,049 | 46,549 |
| | | <u>76,585</u> |
| Expenditure | | |
| Benevolences | | 11,060 |
| | | <u>65,525</u> |
| Less revaluation of securities to market value at December 31, 1977 | | 64 |
| BALANCE AT END OF YEAR | | <u>\$65,461</u> |

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

THE JOSEPH B. ROBERT AND DAME SARAH ROBERT FUND

NOTE TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

The following is a summary of accounting practices followed by the Fund:

- (a) *Investment income*
Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis.
Dividend income is recorded on the date of declaration.
- (b) *Valuation of marketable securities*
The Fund follows the practice of valuing marketable securities at market value rather than at acquisition cost.

THE COMMITTEE ON HISTORY

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Committee on History respectfully submits the following Report of its activities during the year.

Archives

A major responsibility of the Committee continues to be the supervision of the Archives of the Church, located in the basement of Knox College, Toronto. Miss Sheila Moir, daughter of our Archivist, Dr. J. S. Moir, was appointed to the full time position of Assistant to the Archivist in 1977, and has since rendered much valuable service to the Church in this field. Enquiries in person, by mail, and over the telephone (1-416-595-1277), have increased 40% since she assumed her work. Apparently nothing succeeds like accessibility. The Church, the university community and the general public are steadily seeking us out for information. This has resulted in delay in the completion of several projects that were underway -

a complete examination of our photographic holdings, and the preparation of lists of such holdings for the Public Archives of Canada. No major or notable accessions of material were made in 1977, but some outstanding orders for microfilm copy of certain papers, i.e., Dr. William Gregg, and Dr. William Cochrane, were finally filled. A shelf reading by the Assistant upon assuming her duties indicated that there was a significant amount of duplicate material in the Archives. The Committee plans to formulate in the coming year a sound disposal policy in this regard. At the same time the matter of the artifacts which have made their way into the Archives will also have to be resolved. An Archives is not a museum; the Church Offices have indicated an interest in a Display Case where such artifacts might be placed on view for the public. The Archives continues to experience some water seepage, but the Committee has been assured that Knox College is aware of this problem and will soon be taking steps to rectify it.

The Committee is grateful for the zeal and devotion that Dr. Moir brings to his work as Archivist of the Church, and is particularly indebted to him for his kind gesture in refusing his honorarium after 1977 in order that this money may be used by the Committee for its work. Such a move enables the Committee to do a little more than otherwise possible, without increasing the size of its budget at the present time.

Microfilming Programme

The request for \$3500 to initiate a microfilming programme of our Acts and Proceedings and certain Church Periodicals, was approved by the 103rd General Assembly, subject to final approval by the Administrative Council. The Council saw fit to grant this request and the programme has been started. At time of writing the Acts and Proceedings from 1875-1975 have been placed on microfilm and a start has been made on the Periodicals. This programme has been made possible at less expense to the Church than was anticipated, since the Archives was able to purchase a large quantity of microfilm from the United Church Archives.

Presbyterian History

No issues of this paper were produced in 1977. It is hoped to have an issue ready for the 104th General Assembly.

Presbyterian History Prize

Two awards were given by the Committee for works produced in 1977; for "The Dissenting Church of Christ at St. John's (Newfoundland)" and "History of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 1791-1975, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario". The Rules governing the granting of such awards were reviewed in 1977, and copies of these revised Rules are being sent to all Ministers through the monthly mailing of the Board of Congregational Life. Submissions for consideration by the Committee are always welcomed, and should be sent to the Secretary.

Other Publications

At the Committee's suggestion, the Archivist has produced a small paper, "Hints for History Convenors". Copies will be made available to Commissioners at the General Assembly. Convenors of History, whether at the local, Presbytery or Synod level, seldom get direction as to what is expected of them in their office. Hopefully, this paper will help fill the gap. Work is still progressing (but slowly) on the "Handbook concerning Archival Principles and Practices". Part of the difficulty lies in the fact that no similar volume presently exists in popular form for general distribution. The Archivist is confident that it will be available for the Church by the end of 1978, and distributed through the Board of Congregational Life. The request of the Committee for money to finish Volume II of "Called to Witness" was eventually refused by the Administrative Council. However, still of the belief that the Volume deserves publication and will be of merit to the Church, the Committee renews its request for funds to have this volume printed.

The Committee on History is grateful to Knox College for its intention to publish a Memorial Volume as a tribute to the late Principal of Knox College, the

Rev. Dr. A. L. Farris, and the Committee is pleased to have had a small association with the College in this project.

RECOMMENDATION 1: D

That the sum of \$3000 be made available from the funds of the Church for the publication of Volume II of "Called to Witness", and that such work be carried out under the supervision of the Committee on History, proceeds from sales to be returned to the funds of the Church.

Records Management

At our request, the Boards of the Church at 50 Wynford Drive granted Mr. Alex Ross, a member of our Committee, the opportunity to visit them and ascertain their current procedures for assembling information and retaining it for future reference. Mr. Ross is well qualified for this matter of managing departmental records, being employed by the Ontario Archives in this capacity. It is Mr. Ross' opinion that although nothing of a critical nature exists at present, there are areas where significant improvement could be made for the orderly preservation/destruction of materials. If such a programme is undertaken at the source, then ultimately precious space will not be consumed in the Archives. The Committee therefore requests further study of this matter.

RECOMMENDATION 2: A

That the General Assembly initiate a detailed Records Management Feasibility Study of the Boards and Committees of the Church, located at 50 Wynford Drive, Don Mills.

RECOMMENDATION 3: A

That the Clerks of the Assembly be directed to examine the relevant sections of the Book of Forms which relate to the Records of Church Courts, concerning matters of ownership, accountability, and confidentiality.

Canadian Society of Presbyterian History

This Society is open to all ministers and lay persons across the Church who have an interest in Presbyterian history. In 1977 the Society met in the United Church Archives, Toronto, on June 25th; in 1978, the Society will meet in MacNab St. Presbyterian Church, on June 10. Information about the Society is available from the Archivist, Dr. J. S. Moir, 167 Main St. N., Markham, Ont.

Rev. Dr. A. L. Farris

Your Committee, along with Knox College, and the Church at large, suffered a severe blow through the untimely death of one of its valued members in 1977, the late Rev. Dr. A. L. Farris. Dr. Farris served the Committee on History for many years, giving it tremendous leadership and support. The Committee feels keenly the loss of his presence.

FRED H. RENNIE,
Convener.

T. M. BAILEY,
Secretary.

**THE COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH AID,
REFUGEE AND WORLD SERVICE**

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The work of the Inter Church Aid Committee can be divided into three separate but closely related parts: relief, development and reform.

Our relief work is the most appealing and often elicits the most generous response from the church. While the Committee's income has been rising over the

last ten years the most dramatic increases have usually been associated with some striking natural disaster, especially if the disaster has been well covered in the secular press. In 1976 our income was \$217,000 of which almost a third, \$71,850 was designated for Guatemala following the earthquake early in the year. In 1977 our income was down to \$157,000 in the absence of a comparable disaster. It is encouraging however that our undesignated income was the highest on record, \$147,710 as against the previous record of \$146,300.

Only on rare occasions do we undertake relief work ourselves and usually only in those areas where we have a traditional missionary connection. In 1977 the committee made a contribution of \$10,000 to relief work after serious typhoons in Taiwan and a further \$10,000 to the programme of the Indian churches following the disastrous storm of November. In the first case no extra work was required on our part as relief work was very competently handled by the Formosan Presbyterian Church. In India a more typical pattern developed. The World Council of Churches kept us informed of developments at the time of the disaster and ever since we have been receiving regular reports of the progress of the emergency programme.

One of the characteristics of these reports is the concern of the field staff to develop strategies to avoid similar disasters in the future. In India considerable attention has been paid to rural health and to rebuilding the villages in such a way as to reduce the heavy losses in life and property which occurred this time. We may not be able to prevent typhoons, but we can go a long way to reducing the damage they cause.

Relief work therefore shades over into development. In this field we work in two ways, on the one hand with the Board of World Mission, and on the other on our own account. In India and Nepal, for example the salaries of missionaries in medical work attract matching grants from the federal and some provincial governments, grants which enormously increase the scope of their work. In cases where we choose projects outside the areas of our missionary connections we prefer those which are closely related to the lives of ordinary people. In 1977, for example, we put \$11,900 into adult education in Botswana. Because of matching grants the final Canadian contribution to those schemes was \$38,300. We chose adult education because we realize that one of the great resources of the African continent is its people, but unless the people have the skills to make their way in the modern world they will be a liability rather than an asset to their country. Just under half the 1977 expenditures went into development projects either on our own or through other agencies. Excluding contributions to other agencies, but including the BWM projects, the Presbyterian church put about \$120,000 into the matching grants system and attracted over \$300,000.

But while we put about half our income into development projects we realize that projects alone will not eradicate the persistent poverty that afflicts so much of the developing world. It is becoming increasingly evident that the roots of poverty lie not so much in geography as in politics. World hunger for example, is probably not a result of too little land or too many people but of the way agriculture is organized, of the patterns of land tenure or international trade. We therefore contribute a significant portion of our income to projects like Ten Days for World Development and GATTFly, inter church organizations which are trying to stimulate discussion in Canada so that our government may take a constructive part in the negotiations leading to a reform of trade and development patterns around the world.

An agency as small as Inter Church Aid cannot operate on its own. We have already referred to our cooperation with the Board of World Mission. Outside our own church we work closely with inter church agencies in Canada and around the world. Within this framework the committee has carried less than its share of the work, largely because the size of our budget has limited the amount of money that could be put into staff time and travel that are inevitably involved in an international enterprise.

In July 1976, the Committee appointed its first full-time staff. The decision to make the appointment was prompted by the ever increasing workload of the Committee. Mrs. Kathleen Gibson, our first administrative secretary, left for other employment in 1977. We would like to express our thanks to her and also to those

members leaving the Committee this year.

The continuing support for Inter-Church Aid from across the Church is very encouraging. We wish to thank those who have contributed their time, effort and funds towards its work.

RECOMMENDATION 1: A

That the Inter Church Aid Committee be authorized to approach the Church with an annual appeal for relief and development.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. W. McGRAW,
Chairman.

C. R. TALBOT,
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Inter-Church Relations Committee begs to report the following:

Preamble

Under the energetic leadership of our chairperson, Mrs. Heather Johnston, the Committee has had a busy year. Although talks with the Lutherans, and the Christian Reformed Church, have broken off, at least temporarily, initial steps have been begun to establish talks with the Reformed Church of America (Canada Section) and three years of helpful talks with the United Church have been concluded, as reported upon later. Our financial contributions to ecumenical endeavours continue to cause us concern. The general financial condition of our Church at the present moment, and our proportional grants compared to other denominations, cause us some embarrassment. Nevertheless we contribute more than our proportion in manpower, and our President continues in the office of a member of the Executive of the World Council of Churches, and our Corresponding Secretary has been confirmed in the office of Treasurer of the North American and Caribbean Area Alliance of the Reformed Churches of the World, and is, because of that office, a member of the Executive of the World Alliance. Dr. E. H. Johnson is Vice-President of the Canadian Council of Churches.

Because of ill health Dr. Donald MacDonald was unable to attend the consultation which the World Alliance of Reformed Churches held at St. Andrews, Scotland, last summer, but Dr. John and Mrs. Johnston were fortunately able to attend on their return from being present at the executive of the World Council of Churches and their brief report is attached. Dr. MacDonald is actively engaged in a sub-committee of the Canadian Council of Churches meeting with representatives of the Canadian Catholic Conference of Bishops in an attempt to form a national organization that will include the Roman Catholic Church in a fellowship with a large number of other Churches in Canada. A report will be presented to a later Assembly on this endeavour in Christian Ecumenicity.

The following reports are presented for the information of the membership of our Church by individuals involved -

WORLD COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

Mrs. Heather Johnston, Convener of the Inter-Church Relations Committee, reports on the meeting of the Central Committee held in Geneva, July 28 to Aug. 6, 1977.

The Leitmotif of this year's Central Committee seemed to me to be "how can we become more faithful to the Gospel and to the insights received, both as a World Council of Churches and as member Churches". Out of this three major topics rose as the concerns:

1. The Confessing Community
2. The Consensus Document on "One Baptism, One Eucharist and a Mutually Recognized Ministry"
3. How can the churches work toward a Just, Participatory and Sustainable Society?

"These three issues all relate to the character of the Church as the missionary, serving people of God", said Dr. Potter in his General Secretary's report. It was a clear challenge to churches to recognize the *interrelatedness* of the work of the WCC.

Archbishop Scott set a tone of personal challenge when he called for greater integrity in personal and corporate relationships and warned against Christians trying to justify themselves by "pulling moral rank". The context of his Moderator's remarks was provided by the Central Committee's theme of "Confessing Community".

Each member Church has received a "Letter to the Churches" entitled "The Confessing Community", calling Christians around the world to join in prayer for a Church that truly confesses Jesus Christ in word and deed. I hope that this letter was read from each pulpit!

Dr. Lukas Vischer, Director of the Commission on Faith and Order, reported on responses received from some 100 Church bodies relative to the document on One Baptism, One Eucharist and one Mutually Recognized Ministry. "There is considerable agreement on the first two, not so much on ministry", he said. This paper incorporates the work of theologians and groups who met over many years, representing all major confessions, including the Roman Catholics.

The theme of a Just, Participatory and Sustainable Society formed the third major concern of this Central Committee. What is the Christian vision of a JUST society? Within that theme two further words have been added: Participatory - a society where all the people have the opportunity to take part in the decision-making process, and Sustainable - how can the resources of the world sustain the life of society, when it is the use of these resources which create an unjust world.

Several things are of particular interest to us as Canadians.

1. A world consultation on "The Bible in our Situation and our Work", held in Naramata, B.C., October 17-22, 1977. (Rev. R. Spencer of Crieff Hills Community was a Presbyterian representative).
2. A prayer calendar of mutual intercession is to be made available to member churches in 1979.
3. The Indian Brotherhood of the Northwest Territories in Canada is to receive a grant from the Special Fund to Combat Racism (now totalling 2.5 million dollars). All Central Committee members received a special issue of RISK entitled "No Last Frontier", dealing with the question of the Dene people.
4. A report on regional cooperation in North America and the Caribbean was received stating "we are not at present prepared to consider the creation of a new structure or the extension of older structures for the purpose of regional cooperation."
5. The report of the Geneva Consultation on a proposed action/reflection program on Transnational Corporations, (June 13-18, 1977).
6. The tremendous sense of gratitude and appreciation expressed by staff and Central Committee members alike for the pastoral, loving yet firm leadership of Archbishop Scott. Somebody called him "God's gift to the ecumenical movement".

This Central Committee meeting will be remembered for the seeds it planted, rather than the crop it harvested from the ecumenical garden. My own participation was enriched by the fact that my husband and I were guests of Dr. A. Brash, Deputy General Secretary of the WCC. I became part of the WCC "family" with all the joys and disillusionments inherent in that position.

HEATHER JOHNSTON.

WORLD ALLIANCE OF REFORMED CHURCHES CONSULTATION,
ST. ANDREWS, SCOTLAND AUG. 22-28, 1977

Dr. John A. and Mrs. Johnston of Hamilton represented The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

This consultation was neither in its shape nor its location the meeting originally anticipated. Since the Alliance was founded in Edinburgh 100 years ago, the Centennial General Assembly was to be held there also. Yet a crucial change of plan was made, in part dictated by the stringent financial situation, resulting in the substitution for a General Assembly with more than 750 representatives of a consultation of less than 250. This Consultation did not have legislative decision-making authority, a source of frustration for many. Yet it gave a sense of freedom, for we were liberated from the pressure "to produce", set free to wrestle with the theme "The Glory of God and the Future of Man" and its implications for us, as the largest Protestant Confessional body within this complex world.

Dr. James McCord, elected President of the Alliance for the next term, gave the theme address. Dr. Paul Minear led in daily Bible study. The theme was woven into both working groups and workshops. Some participants will long remember the closing Service in Greyfriars' Church, Edinburgh, site of the National Covenant of 1638. Others will recall the final meal in the palatial George Herriot's School in the shadow of Edinburgh Castle. Yet most would agree that it was not the noise of solemn assembly but rather the little stories of salvation touching the participants in Bible study and discussion, which gave enduring meaning to this centennial gathering.

JOHN AND HEATHER JOHNSTON.

ALLIANCE OF REFORMED CHURCHES

The North American and Caribbean Area Council of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches met Jan. 3-6, 1978, in Princeton, N.J. The Rev. Dr. William J. Klempa (Toronto), the Rev. Donald L. Campbell (Ottawa), Miss May Nutt (Toronto), Mr. Kenneth Hall (Toronto), and Mr. Brian Fraser (Toronto) represented The Presbyterian Church in Canada at the meetings. Several notable reports were received and the Council commended several matters to its member churches for action.

The Roman Catholic/Presbyterian-Reformed Consultation reported that common understandings about the meaning, purpose and basic doctrine of the Lord's Supper had been reached and a joint statement, "The Presence of Christ in Church and World", issued. The Consultation did not envisage an immediate possibility of inter-communion. The next round of deliberations will consider the theme "Ethics and the Search for Christian Unity".

Participants reported on the World Alliance's Centennial Consultation held at St. Andrews, Scotland, in August of 1977. The theme of the consultation was "The Glory of God and the Future of Man". The Theological Committee of the Area Council commended a volume of study papers prepared in light of the theme for use among member churches - *A Christian Declaration of Human Rights* (Grand Rapids: Wm. B. Eerdmans, 1977).

Two important recommendations came from the Civil and Religious Liberty Committee. In a message to the South African Churches, delegates expressed hope that equal rights would be acknowledged in that country and pledged concern, prayers and support for the struggle for equality. Copies of the message will be sent to the member churches along with a request for financial contributions to the South African Council of Churches and to the Federal Theological Seminary of Southern Africa. An initial contribution of \$250 was made to each body by the Council.

The Council commended President Carter and the United States delegation to Helsinki and Belgrade for their forthright stand on human rights and the leadership they were continuing to display in the field. Members of the Council passed a resolution calling on the governments of Canada and the United States to take leadership in exploring ways by which governments in the Western hemisphere can be encour-

aged to call an international conference on human rights on the model of Helsinki. The search for an effective structure and adequate financing continued. The Rev. Arthur R. McKay of New York Ave. Presbyterian Church, Washington, D.C., will head a seven person committee to study the Area Council's structure and program.

BRIAN FRASER.

REPORT FROM THE CANADIAN COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

The Canadian Council of Churches meets in General Assembly triennially, with the next assembly scheduled for 1979. The ongoing work of the C.C.C. is handled by the Executive which meets regularly during each year and reports twice a year to the General Board. This Board consists of the Executive members plus other representatives from the Churches.

One of our Presbyterian representatives to the General Board, Mrs. Joanne Walter, Hamilton, reports on the 1977 meetings: "The two General Board meetings of the C.C.C. reflected upon Canadian issues of our time both in the choice of meeting places and in the themes. As well as the regular work of the Board the meetings tried to inform and sensitize its members to the Quebec issue and to the development of Northern resources.

The April meeting was held in a suburb of Quebec City and focused on the aspirations of the people of Quebec. For many Anglophones on the Board it was a 'culture-shock' to be billeted with French speaking families and have to struggle with the language barrier. We came away with new friendships and appreciation for the people of that province. The keynote speakers were Claude Ryan, the editor of *Le Devoir*, and Cardinal Roy, Archbishop of Quebec.

M. Ryan noted the responsibility of the Church to be with its people in the struggle to preserve their heritage, as well as in their aspirations for the future. He called on the Churches to orient their members toward greater political and social involvement. Cardinal Roy spoke of the ecumenicity of the Churches and the desire of Church people to work together.

The October meeting was held in Thunder Bay and its theme was 'Perspectives on the North: Stewardship of Resources'. In an open meeting, a dialogue with native people focused on the development of the North and its effect on both human and material resources.

If the Church is truly 'to be with its people' then it must learn their languages and give encouragement, support and leadership in their struggles for survival and a better life for all."

M. ROY GELLATLY.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES IN AUSTRALIA

The Committee has studied our relationship to the "Continuing" Presbyterian Church in Australia, and the "Uniting" Church of Australia. Correspondence was carried on with the Clerks of the two Assemblies and the Rev. Jack Cooper met with our Committee after his visit to the "Continuing" Church, and also a short visit he made on the other Church. As a result of our study we make the following recommendations to the General Assembly:

RECOMMENDATION 1. C

That the Presbyterian Church in Canada recognize both The Presbyterian Church in Australia, and the Uniting Church of Australia as being within the reformed family of Churches.

RECOMMENDATION 3. C

That the General Assembly make a review of, and revise and up-date the list of Churches which the Assemblies of 1948 and 1961 established as the list of Churches from whom The Presbyterian Church in Canada can call ministers directly.

TALKS WITH THE UNITED CHURCH

Preamble

Since the fall of 1975 eleven representatives each from The Presbyterian Church in Canada and The United Church of Canada have been meeting three times a year for conversations and dialogue. The impetus for the conversations came from an open letter published simultaneously in THE UNITED CHURCH OBSERVER and THE PRESBYTERIAN RECORD at Pentecost, 1975. The letter said in part:

"We the undersigned, members of The Presbyterian Church in Canada or The United Church of Canada, address ourselves to our two churches in this year of celebration with an appeal that 1975 should be marked by an act of reconciliation between our two sister churches, and the establishment of a consultation group to discuss matters of our closer relationship.

"The past is marked by severe differences of opinion, tragic disruption of congregations and even families; but fifty years later we do not think that to perpetuate such memories is an act of faith in the God of the living and of the future.

"A better past to remember together is that common history shared until 1925, a history which both churches are celebrating with thanksgiving at this time. It is this common history which has made us fellow members of The World Alliance of Reformed Churches, a fact more significant than has been acknowledged in our divided history since 1925."

General Assembly and General Council received the letter and directed that official consultation be established between the two churches. Our mandate was to explore closer co-operation and achieve greater mutual understanding.

The discussions have been concerned with the nature of the Church and its unity, the Church's ministry, authority in the Church, as well as with actual and potential areas of co-operation, as for example in mission at home and abroad, theological education, university chaplaincies, etc.

We have concluded that neither Church remains as it was in 1925. There are differences between us, in ethos, in polity, and in the manner in which the churches are bound to their confessional standards, etc., that remain to be explored. Nevertheless we have a common history and therefore a unique relationship.

Interim recommendations arising out of our discussions were presented, and have been acted upon.

As we conclude these discussions, we rejoice in the experience of our oneness in Christ, and in order that this sense of oneness may grow and continue amongst us, we recommend as follows:

RECOMMENDATION 4. A

That our discussions in this form be concluded.

I. ONGOING CONSULTATIONS

RECOMMENDATION 5. C

We note and commend the great number of local cooperative efforts, such as shared summer ministry, presently taking place and recommend that joint efforts between congregations of the Presbyterian and United Churches be encouraged and nurtured.

RECOMMENDATION 6. C

We recommend that our presbyteries consult jointly about common mission and sharing of resources, and that the results of these consultations be shared through the churches' national networks.

RECOMMENDATION 7. C

We recommend that where appropriate there be similar consultation and co-operation at the conference-synod level in areas of regional concern.

RECOMMENDATION 8. C

We commend the wide consultation going on between our respective boards and divisions (e.g. Div. of Finance and Comptroller's Office; Div. of Communication and Communication Services), and recommend that it be extended to those areas where it is not presently taking place.

RECOMMENDATION 9. C

We recommend that there be an annual national consultation, concerned primarily with doctrine, mission and social action, with representatives of the Presbyterian and United Churches under the oversight of the Inter-Church Relations Committee of The Presbyterian Church and the Inter-Church and Inter-Faith Committee of The United Church.

RECOMMENDATION 10. C

Through the Canadian Council of Churches and local councils of churches, multi-lateral co-operation is taking place. While we are commending increased Presbyterian-United co-operation, we recommend that multi-lateral co-operation be maintained.

II. MUTUAL RECEPTION OF MINISTERS

RECOMMENDATION 11. C

In view of the unique relationship which obtains between The Presbyterian Church in Canada and The United Church of Canada, and the fact that both Churches belong to the World Alliance of Reformed Churches and also recognize each others ordination, we recommend that the two Churches seek to initiate the necessary changes in their present practice in order to bring about the mutual reception of ministers.

DONALD CORBETT.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

HEATHER JOHNSTON,
Chairperson.

DONALD MacDONALD,
Corresponding Secretary.

THE COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

Your committee spent one of its meetings on South Africa. Our guests who shared their knowledge and expertise were Dr. Cranford Pratt, Mr. J. J. Venter, Information Counsellor for South Africa and Mr. N. Best, Ambassador from South Africa.

Members of our committee participated in the Annual Church Persons' Seminar arranged by the Canadian Council of Churches and the Canadian Conference of Bishops. The Theme this year was "Human Rights: A Problem for Canadians?"

RECOMMENDATION 1: C

That the General Assembly recommend to the Canadian Government that:

- (a) *The Government establish a permanent public review procedure to examine, report and make public the political, economic, social security and disarmament, implications and consequences of all Canadian military procurement and of all transfers from Canada of commodities with a direct military application.*
- (b) *That the proposal to purchase new armaments for the Canadian Armed Forces, in particular the fighter aircraft, be deferred pending an immediate public review in accordance with the above paragraph*

RECOMMENDATION 2: A

That the General Assembly encourage the political parties in Parliament to use their research facilities and their participation in The House of Commons and the committee on Defense and External Affairs to examine the political, economic, social security and disarmament implications and consequences of all Canadian military procurement and of all transfers from Canada of commodities with a direct military application.

RECOMMENDATION 3: A

That the General Assembly encourage Sessions and Congregations to study and give consideration to the whole question of disarmament and Canada's role in the promotion of world peace.

RECOMMENDATION 4: A

That the General Assembly urge and encourage the Canadian Government to take a strong position in the Middle East peace negotiations having regard for the United Nation action #242, justice for Palestinians and security for Israel.

RECOMMENDATION 5: C

That the General Assembly reaffirm its opposition to apartheid in all its forms and ramifications and to reaffirm the 1977 Assembly action in approving the B.W.M. recommendation #19 (P.P. 371-373).

RECOMMENDATION 6: C

That the budget for the work of this committee be \$3,000 during 1979.

D. G. NEIL,
Chairman.

E. H. JOHNSON
Secretary.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA REPORT OF THE LENDING FUND COMMITTEE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

During 1977 new loans were made to twelve congregations. Nine congregations completed payments on their loans (the names are shown on Schedule A).

The following is a financial statement of the operations of the fund during 1977:

Year Ended December 31, 1977

| | 1977 |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| INCOME | |
| Interest on Loans..... | \$ 17,630 |
| Interest on deposits..... | 8,287 |
| | <u>\$ 25,917</u> |
| CAPITAL | |
| Capital as at January 1, 1977..... | \$1,770,440 |
| Plus transfer of Income..... | 25,917 |
| Plus Gifts received..... | 6,000 |
| | <u>\$1,802,357</u> |
| REPRESENTED BY | |
| Loans to congregations..... | \$1,685,214 |
| Cash and Cash in Transit..... | 22,143 |
| Bank Certificates of Deposit..... | 95,000 |
| | <u>\$1,802,357</u> |

CAPITAL GRANTS FROM FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE FROM NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND

| | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Grants made to 1976..... | \$ 115,000 |
| Grants made in 1977..... | None |
| | <u>\$ 115,000</u> |

There were 94 loans outstanding at December 31, 1977. A statement of loans outstanding as at December 31st, 1977 is available on request for the information of any commissioner to the General Assembly.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J.H. WILLIAMS
Chairman

J.B. BARBOUR
Secretary.

SCHEDULE A THE LENDING FUND COMMITTEE

LOANS MADE IN 1977

| | | |
|--|----------|-------------------|
| Hillview, Toronto, Ontario | \$ 5,687 | |
| St. Andrew's, Valcartier, Quebec | 20,000 | |
| Grace, Etobicoke, Ontario..... | 39,500 | |
| Erindale, Mississauga, Ontario..... | 40,000 | |
| Trinity, Victoria, B.C. | 25,000 | |
| Knox, Alliston, Ontario..... | 35,000 | |
| St. Andrew's, Dartmouth, N.S..... | 25,000 | |
| St. James, Dauphin, Manitoba | 17,500 | |
| Richmond, B.C..... | 18,000 | |
| Doon, Ontario | 31,500 | |
| Westmount, London, Ontario | 25,000 | |
| Hillsdale, Ontario | 26,900 | <u>\$ 309,087</u> |

LOANS ON WHICH PAYMENT COMPLETED DURING 1977

| | Original Loan | |
|---|------------------|-------------------|
| Durham, West River, N.S..... | \$ 25,000 | |
| Grace, West Hill, Ontario..... | 15,000 | |
| St. Giles, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario..... | 25,000 | |
| Southgate, Hamilton, Ontario..... | 25,770 | |
| Oliver Road, Thunder Bay, Ontario..... | 10,000 | |
| St. James, Dawson Creek, B.C. | 13,500 | |
| Knox, Vernon, B.C. | 25,000 | |
| St. Andrew's, Fort Macleod, Alberta | 8,000 | |
| First, Trail, B.C. | 24,000 | <u>\$ 171,270</u> |

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MINISTRY

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The work of the Board of Ministry continues to increase as it seeks to act on behalf of the General Assembly to support and strengthen the professional leadership of the Church. The third operational year of the Board has been completed. The work of the Board has escalated as far as its resources of staff and money will permit. It is also the time for the full-scale review of the Board's Structures and Operations called for by the 99th General Assembly. This review is underway and a full report will be made to next year's General Assembly.

I. STUDENT CANDIDATES FOR THE MINISTRY AND DIACONATE

(a) *The Role of the Board of Ministry in Recruitment.*

The Church must be continually concerned about recognizing and confronting individuals who have the potential for professional church work, and providing support to them as they proceed toward ordination or designation.

The people who can best fulfil this responsibility of the Church are those close to the potential minister or deaconess: the family, the congregation, the minister, the presbytery.

Therefore, the role of the Board of Ministry in the area of recruitment is one of support to those who have the prime responsibility in the following ways:

- by researching and forecasting the Church's need for ministers and deaconesses.
- by regularly reminding congregations of their responsibility in recruitment.
- by providing and/or collecting resources to aid congregations in their role.
- by providing assistance to presbyteries in their role of screening and counselling candidates.
- by interpreting ministry to the Church so that potential candidates will understand more clearly to what they are being called and those who recruit will be better able to fulfil their task. (The Board does not claim to be totally responsible for interpretation).

(b) *Guidance Conferences for Candidates for the Ministry of Word and Sacrament.*

At the time of writing, plans are well advanced for the third Guidance Conference which will be held late in April at the Presbyterian Residence in Saskatoon.

The original blueprint for these conferences called for a combining of the screening and the supportive counselling functions. The experience of the first two conferences has convinced the Board that the emphasis should be on supportive counselling with the screening to be the exclusive prerogative of the presbyteries. Accordingly, the Board at its annual meeting decided that there should be no recommendation from these conferences for or against certification or licensing. Only a report on each candidate with his or her authorization would be sent to the presbytery (and college) upon request. Should the candidate not authorize the release of the report, the court would be so informed.

With very few exceptions, the candidates have given very positive (and anonymous) evaluations of the conferences. The eleven different counsellors on the staff of the first two conferences without exception recommend the continuance of the conferences.

RECOMMENDATION 1: A

That the trial period for Guidance Conferences be extended for three years and that for that period it be compulsory for a candidate for the ministry of Word and Sacrament to attend a Guidance Conference before the completion of his/her first year in theology.

It is understood that this would apply to the first-year theology students in the 1978-79 academic year.

The Board decided that following a consultation with Ewart College a design for a student-deaconess Guidance Conference should be prepared for presentation to the 1979 annual meeting of the Board.

(c) *The Goodfellow Scholarship Funds* continue to meet a real need in assisting candidates for the ministry and diaconate. The Sampson J. and O. Nancy Goodfellow Scholarship Fund is capitalized at \$32,403.00 with

20% of the income being added to the capital each year. The remaining income is awarded to male candidates for academic achievement.

A second fund was established in similar terms in 1977 for female candidates. It is known as the Sampson John Goodfellow and the Annie MacFadyen Goodfellow Scholarship Fund. Its capital at the end of 1977 stood at \$30,248.00.

(d) *A comprehensive list of bursaries* available for candidates should be completed by the time of the General Assembly.

II. THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION

(a) *The Vancouver School of Theology.* The Board of Ministry studied a document from the Vancouver School of Theology containing a proposal for a basis of further negotiation in seeking a formal relationship between the college and The Presbyterian Church in Canada. The proposed basis for discussion was sent to the western presbyteries and synods for study and reply. The question put to the western courts was whether or not the Board of Ministry should proceed with negotiations with V.S.T. along the lines of the proposal. The results were:

1. Synod of British Columbia: Yes.
But Presbytery of Westminster: No.
Presbytery of Kamloops: Yes.
Presbyteries of Kootenay and Vancouver Island not heard from.
2. Presbytery of Red Deer: Yes.
3. Presbytery of Calgary: No.
4. Presbytery of Edmonton: Qualified "yes" so long as Presbyterian distinctives and ownership of St. Andrew's Hall are preserved.
Presbytery of Peace River not heard from.
5. Synod of Saskatchewan: Not in favour of affiliation at present, but recommend that the Board of Ministry explore alternative forms of affiliation.
6. Synod of Manitoba: Non-committal on the substance of the matter but urges the Board to recommend something to General Assembly about it.

In the light of this lack of unanimity, the Board recommends as follows:

RECOMMENDATION 2: C

That The Presbyterian Church in Canada as a denomination, not affiliate with the Vancouver School of Theology at the present time.

The Board further agreed that this action together with a recapitulation of the responses of the western synods and presbyteries be sent to the clerk of the Synod of British Columbia and to the Synod's Ministry Committee indicating that the Board of Ministry is sisting action in this matter and that any further action should be initiated by the Synod of British Columbia; and that all western presbyteries and synods be so informed.

(b) *OVERTURE NO. 4, 1978, SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES RE RELOCATION OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE TO HALIFAX.*

The Board noted the following factors related to this overture:

- (i) Major endowments came from Montreal and many have clauses qualifying their use should the college move from Montreal.
- (ii) The sale price of the Presbyterian College building in the present depressed real-estate market in Montreal would be less than the building is worth.
- (iii) At present the college is stronger than it has been for many years with a larger student body. It is making a positive witness for the reformed faith on the McGill campus.

- (iv) The college has historically related to reformed Francophones. John Calvin was French and knew no English. Two recent graduates are now serving in French-speaking congregations. Therefore, there are many fringe-benefits to having the college in Montreal.
- (v) The life and work of our Quebec English-speaking congregations is not easy at the present time, and to remove the college would be a severe blow to them.
- (vi) At present students come from many synods including both east and west, to Presbyterian College. Enrolment would likely decrease were the college moved from its central location.

RECOMMENDATION 3: A

That for the reasons contained in the body of the above report, the prayer of the overture be not granted.

- (c) *College representation on the Board of Ministry.*
The 1977 General Assembly, on a motion from the floor added to the membership of the Board the principals of the three colleges. This gave the colleges six representatives which is a majority of the eleven voting representatives.

RECOMMENDATION 4: A

That representatives of the colleges on the Board of Ministry be the principals or their designated appointees.

III. CONTINUING EDUCATION

- (a) *The Continuing Education Fund.*
In 1977, grants for continuing education were made to thirty-four parish ministers, one deaconess, one executive, one institutional director, one catechist, and one "other" professional church worker. The average of the grants was \$265.82. Twenty-three of the recipients live in central Canada, eleven in the west and five in the Atlantic Provinces. The grants totalled \$10,367.00 for the year.
- (b) *Long-range goals for Continuing Education.*
The Board adopted the following goals in principle:
 1. To assist individuals in self-evaluation so that their plans for continuing education and growth are best suited to their needs.
 2. To seek ways to foster self-directed study.
 3. To develop a continuing-education communications network with presbyteries and synods.
 4. To educate congregations and employers of professional church workers in the value of continuing education for their professional church workers and the church's regulations in this area.
 5. To create an atmosphere throughout the Church in which continuing education of professional church workers is accepted as the norm.
- (c) *Continuing education policy* has been developed over the years for various categories of professional church leaders in a more or less piecemeal fashion. There is need to affirm the principle for all professional church workers.

RECOMMENDATION 5: C

That the principle of sabbatical leaves or study leaves be approved for all professional church workers.

IV. PULPIT VACANCIES

- (a) *The Guidelines for Filling Pulpit Vacancies* will be revised by the addition of two sections. The first supplement will deal with the interviewing of candidates including how to interview, how to be interviewed, the length and setting of the interview, the size of the interviewing committee and related matters. The second supplement will discuss some of the less visible factors in the practice of the one-candidate leet as opposed to the three-candidate leet, in the light of current practice.

- (b) *Congregational Profiles.* A committee of two in Montreal is preparing for the consideration of the Board, a new congregational profile for use during vacancies, based on self-study by the congregation.
- (c) *Revised Personal Profile and Information Forms.* Separate profile forms for ministers and deaconesses were prepared and distributed in a general mailing at the beginning of this year. Providing information to interim moderators on potential candidates for vacancies continues to be a major task for the Board's staff.
- (d) *The Vacancy Rate* is down somewhat from a year ago. The Board of World Mission recently appointed about thirty three ministers to charges in Canada reducing the vacancy rate to under 5%. There is therefore no shortage of ministers at present. Attrition throughout the year will increase the number of vacancies but an even larger graduating class of students is anticipated next year. The vacancy rate is on a reducing trend that probably will continue for some years.

V. CHAPLAINCY COMMITTEES

- (a) *Canadian Forces Chaplaincy Committee.* Consultation with this committee has been held since the approval in principle by last year's General Assembly of the committee becoming part of the Board of Ministry. The following recommendations are now offered:

RECOMMENDATION 6: A

That the Canadian Forces Chaplaincy Committee become a committee of the Board of Ministry.

RECOMMENDATION 7: A

That the Canadian Forces Chaplaincy Committee shall continue to have the privilege of direct reporting to the General Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION 8: A

That the report of the Canadian Forces Chaplaincy Committee be included within the report of the Board of Ministry, suitably set apart from other material.

RECOMMENDATION 9: A

That this arrangement be reviewed in five years.

- (b) *Institutional Chaplaincies Committee*

The committee met three times in 1977 and twice so far in 1978. The committee became a committee of the Board of Ministry by the action of the 1977 General Assembly, having been an Assembly Committee up to that time.

During the year, the committee became an "institutional member" of the Canadian Association for Pastoral Education (C.A.P.E.).

An up-to-date list of full-time and part-time institutional chaplains and parole officers has been prepared.

The committee interviewed a prospective candidate for the chaplaincy in a correctional institution and endorsed his application for a \$5,000.00 bursary from the Ontario Government for one year of studies in Supervised Pastoral Education. Arising out of this the committee agreed to offer its services to presbyteries in the matter of interviewing applicants for chaplaincy positions with the committee's assessment to be sent to the presbytery.

The committee is also planning to further develop its role in the pastoral support of institutional chaplains.

VI. THE DIACONATE

- (a) *The Board of Ministry congratulates Miss Lillian Reay of Toronto on this the occasion of her 25th anniversary as a member of the Order of Deaconesses.*

(b) *The Task Force Concerning Deaconesses* is represented on the Committee on Church Doctrine's Sub-Committee on the Ordained Diaconate, and has studied the proposal on the subject which is before this General Assembly.

The Board of Ministry at its annual meeting in February, 1978, went on record as re-affirming its support for the principle of the Ordained Diaconate.

(c) *The Council of the Order of Deaconesses.*
The biennial meeting of the council will be held June 15-17, 1978 at Ewart College. Professor Iain Nicol will speak on the theme *Intentional Ministry*.

VII. THE MINISTRY OF WORD AND SACRAMENT

(a) *A North American Consultation on the Future of Ministry* is being planned for 1980 by a joint team of American and Canadian representatives of denominational Boards of Ministry, under the auspices of the Canadian Council of Churches and the National Council of Churches. This is the first major ecumenical consultation on ministry since January 1966.

(b) *Career Counselling* continues to be an important resource for ministers and other professional church leaders faced with career decisions or career planning. Individuals may attend church career centres in the U.S.A. or church-sponsored career-planning workshops in Canada.

(c) *OVERTURE NO. 9, 1978, PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON RE NEW MINISTERIAL REMUNERATION SYSTEM TO BRING ABOUT PARITY OF THE MINISTRY.*

This overture recommends that the Board of Ministry present a new ministerial remuneration system to the Church, incorporating a manse package, study leave and book allowance, regional cost-of-living bonus, an insurance program and the abolition of the increments policy.

The overture was received after the Board's annual meeting, hence a full response at this General Assembly is not possible. The Executive Committee of the Board read the overture, however, and reacted positively to the idea of studying the matter using the features of the overture as guidelines for the study.

D.G.M. HERRON,
Chairman.

J. C. COOPER,
General Secretary.

THE McBAIN MEMORIAL FUND

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

This fund is available to make loans to congregations for erection of churches and manses, and for renovations. Loans are made without interest and repayable in not more than 10 years. The congregation must raise an amount equal to the loan which is requested. Fifteen loans are at present outstanding.

THE McBAIN MEMORIAL FUND

as at December 31, 1977

Capital fund as of December 31, 1977 \$36,567

DISBURSEMENTS

| | Balance Owing Jan. 1, 1977 | New Loans | Repaid | Balance Dec. 31/77 |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------------------|
| Erskine, Blenheim, Ont. | \$ 2,000 | \$ | \$ 250 | \$ 1,750 |
| St. Andrew's, Bowmanville, Ont. | 450 | | 450 | — |
| Coquitlam, B.C. | 2,425 | | 350 | 2,075 |
| St. John's, Cresswell, Ont. | 700 | | 100 | 600 |
| St. James, Dawson Creek, B.C. | 750 | | 150 | 600 |
| Sharon, Dean, N.S. | 700 | | 150 | 550 |
| Killam, Alta. | 625 | | 125 | 500 |
| Strathcona Park, Kingston, Ont. | 4,247 | | 408 | 3,839 |
| Hungarian, Mt. Brydges, Ont. | 500 | | — | 500 |
| St. David's, St. John's, Nfld. | 1,000 | | 1,000 | — |
| Knox, Wanham, Alta. | 4,500 | | 1,000 | 3,500 |
| First, Nelson, B.C. | | 2,500 | | 2,500 |
| River Denys, N.S. | | 5,000 | | 5,000 |
| St. Andrew's, Newton, B.C. | | 1,600 | | 1,600 |
| Little Harbour, N.S. | | 5,000 | | 5,000 |
| | \$17,897 | \$14,100 | \$3,983 | \$28,014 |

MRS. W. E. McCUTCHEON,
Chairman.

GEORGE A. MALCOLM,
General Secretary.

THE ANDREW McCORMICK TRUST FUND

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

This trust was established by the late Andrew McCormick. By agreement the General Assembly has made these funds available for assistance of congregations within the bounds of the Presbytery of Miramichi. The congregation must raise an equal amount toward the completion of the project for which a grant is requested. The Presbytery of Miramichi submits applications from congregations to the Board of World Mission and certifies that the terms of the trust have been met. The financial statement for 1977 is as follows:

THE ANDREW McCORMICK TRUST FUND

December 31, 1977

| | Capital | Income | Total |
|-----------------------------------|----------|---------|----------|
| Balance at beginning of year | \$64,201 | \$3,358 | \$67,559 |
| Add: Investment Income | | 4,801 | 4,801 |
| Revaluation of securities | (87) | | (87) |
| | \$64,114 | \$8,159 | \$72,273 |
| Grants: | | | |
| St. Andrew's, Clairville, N.B. | 600 | | |
| St. James, Beersville, N.B. | 250 | | |
| Zion, New Jersey, N.B. | 300 | | |
| St. Paul's, Warwick, N.B. | 400 | | |
| Knox, New Carlisle, P.Q. | 300 | | |
| St. Mathew's, Oak Point, N.B. | 200 | | |
| St. Stephen's, Sunny Corner, N.B. | 200 | | |
| Zion, West Branch, N.B. | 250 | | |
| St. James, Newcastle, N.B. | 700 | | |
| | | 3,200 | 3,200 |
| | \$64,114 | \$4,959 | \$69,073 |

MRS. W. E. McCUTCHEON,
Chairman.

GEORGE A. MALCOLM,
General Secretary.

REPORT OF NOMINATIONS: THE PRINCIPAL OF PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

| | |
|---------------------------|---|
| Dr. A. E. Bailey: | Kamloops (2). |
| Dr. D.J.M. Corbett: | Vancouver Island. |
| Rev. David T. Craig: | Cape Breton, Pictou, Kamloops (2). |
| Rev. Gardiner C. Dalzell: | Halifax and Lunenburg, Chatham. Received after deadline - Brockville. |
| Dr. Goodwill MacDougall: | Stratford-Huron (2), Lake of the Woods (2), Win- nipeg, Northern Saskatchewan, Edmonton. |
| Dr. R. Sheldon MacKenzie: | West Toronto, Brampton, Barrie, Lake of the Woods (2), Assiniboia, Red Deer. |
| Rev. F. A. Miller: | Stratford-Huron (2). |

Dr. C.H.H. Scobie:
Dr. Arthur van Seters:

Bruce-Maitland.
Ottawa, Lanark and Renfrew, Lindsay-Peterbor-
ough, East Toronto, Algoma and North Bay, Ham-
ilton, Niagara, Paris, Kootenay.
Received after deadline - Montreal.

No Nomination:

Glengarry, Waterloo-Wellington, London, Superior.

REPORT OF NOMINATIONS: THE PRINCIPAL OF KNOX COLLEGE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

Rev. Donald L. Campbell:

Received after deadline - Cape Breton.

Dr. J. Charles Hay:

Halifax and Lunenburg, Saint John, Prince Edward
Island, Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston, Lindsay-Peter-
borough, East Toronto, West Toronto, Brampton,
Waterloo-Wellington, Hamilton, Paris, Chatham,
Stratford-Huron (2), Bruce-Maitland, Superior,
Northern-Saskatchewan, Edmonton, Calgary-Mac-
leod, Kootenay, Vancouver Island.

Dr. David Hay:

Algoma and North Bay.

Dr. William Klempa:

Lanark and Renfrew (3), Westminster.
Received after deadline - London.

Dr. Goodwill MacDougall:

Lanark and Renfrew (3).

Dr. R. Sheldon MacKenzie:

Pictou, Niagara.

Dr. Edward McKinlay:

Lanark and Renfrew (3).

Dr. J. C. McLelland:

Stratford-Huron (2).

Dr. Keith Markell:

Barrie.

Dr. James Martin:

Kamloops.

Dr. D. V. Wade:

Glengarry.

No Nomination:

Received after deadline - Brockville.

REPORT OF NOMINATIONS: THE CHAIR OF CHURCH HISTORY - KNOX COLLEGE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

Dr. Geoffrey D. Johnston:

Received after deadline - Paris.

Dr. John A. Johnston:

Bruce-Maitland.
Received after deadline - Brockville, Kingston,
Kamloops (2).

Dr. William Klempa:

Algoma and North Bay, Niagara, Kootenay.
Received after deadline - Hamilton.

Dr. K. H. Markell:

Received after deadline - Barrie.

Dr. J. C. MacLelland:

Received after deadline - Edmonton.

Dr. John S. Moir:

Glengarry, Stratford-Huron (2).

Dr. W. Stanford Reid:

East Toronto.
Received after deadline - Waterloo-Wellington,
Superior.

Dr. Ian S. Rennie:

Pictou, Ottawa, West Toronto, Stratford-Huron
(2).
Received after deadline - Saint John, Quebec,
Chatham, Kamloops (2). Cape Breton, Chatham,
Westminster.

- Dr. B. R. Ross: Halifax and Lunenburg, Montreal, Brampton.
- Dr. D. S. Smith: Vancouver Island.
- Dr. Dean K. Thompson: Received after deadline – Lindsay-Peterborough.
- No Nomination: Northern Saskatchewan.

**REPORT OF NOMINATIONS:
CHAIR OF PREACHING AND WORSHIP – KNOX COLLEGE**

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

- Rev. James S. S. Armour: Pictou.
- Dr. D.J.M. Corbett: West Toronto.
- Dr. Mariano DiGangi: Saint John, Kingston, Kootenay.
Received after deadline – Cape Breton.
- Rev. Zander Dunn: Algoma and North Bay.
- Rev. James W. Evans: East Toronto.
- Rev. Roy Gellatly: Brampton.
- Dr. William Klempa: Montreal, Glengarry, Lindsay-Peterborough, Barrie, Hamilton (2), Stratford-Huron (2), Edmonton, Westminster.
Received after deadline – London.
- Dr. R. Sheldon MacKenzie: Halifax and Lunenburg (2), Niagara.
- Dr. Donald R. McKillican: Ottawa (3).
- Dr. E. McKinlay: Hamilton (2), Stratford-Huron (2), Bruce-Maitland.
- Dr. Bruce Miles: Superior.
- Rev. Willard R. Pottinger: Ottawa (3).
- Dr. Ian Rennie: Ottawa (3).
- Rev. James A. Thomson: Halifax and Lunenburg (2).
- Dr. Arthur van Seters: Kamloops.
- No Nomination: Northern Saskatchewan, Vancouver Island.
Received after deadline – Brockville.

REPORT OF THE PENSION BOARD

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

There were two meetings of the Pension Board during the past year, on October 14, 1977 and on March 20, 1978.

Bequests received during 1977, designated for use by the Pension Board, were sufficient to permit the Board to continue supplemental benefits to those pensioners (including widows) who receive little or no benefit from the Canada Pension Plan or the Quebec Pension Plan. The Pension Board appreciates the thoughtfulness and generosity of those whose gifts make this action possible.

The maximum stipend considered for pension purposes was increased to \$13,000, effective January 1, 1977. While it is recognized that there have been further increases in living costs and that there is a need for improving pension benefits, it was decided that the Board should defer recommendation of a change in maximum pensionable earnings until minimum stipends have been increased by at least \$1,000. (The most recent increase in minimum stipend was only \$700.). It may be noted that the pension cost to the Budget funds of the Church resulting from each \$1,000 increase in basic stipend is some \$26,000. (There are approximately 650 members on the plan.)

A copy of the report of the Special Committee convened by Dr. D. C. Smith was received for information. If requested to do so by the Assembly, the Pension Board would be willing to offer comment when that report is being considered.

Canada Life representatives reported to the Board in March on the investment management. The Board was well satisfied with the stewardship of Canada Life. At the end of 1977 the market value of the Fund has increased to \$8.2 million. The growth in 1977 came from: increase in market values, \$214,000; investment income, \$541,000; and net contributions, \$365,000. Of funds available for investment, 12% went into bonds, 59% into mortgages and 21% was invested in equities. The book yield on bonds is 8.85%. Current mortgage investment is being made at 10½% – 10¾% in units of Canada Life Pooled Mortgage Fund. The rate of return on stocks for 1977, including dividends, was 9.0%.

It has been customary to purchase all annuities from Canada Life. Consideration is to be given to the purchase of annuities from other companies, should the Canada Life rate not be competitive at the time of a member's retirement.

Valuation data for both the Ministers' Plan and the Employees' Retirement Plan are being furnished to the Actuary for the required triennial valuation.

A report has been prepared by a committee of the Pension Board with respect to Recommendation 6 of the Board of World Mission to the 103rd General Assembly and to Item 4 of Overture #28 to that Assembly. Consideration was given to the recommended guidelines for investments. Our Board is to seek a meeting with representatives of the Trustee Board and hopefully a definitive report will be presented to the 105th General Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION 1. C

The action taken with respect to Overture #28 – 4 and Recommendation #6 of B.W.M. be approved.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

The recommendations re applicants to retire on pension listed in this report be approved.

RECOMMENDATION 3. A

Appreciation of the service rendered by Dr. MacDonald and Miss Jamieson be recorded.

G. PALMER,
Chairman

D. C. MacDONALD,
Secretary.

RATEPAYERS DECEASED

- Rev. A. Thomson April 19, 1977
- Dr. A. L. Farris July 7, 1977
- Rev. R. J. Con (Paid up Member) June 15, 1977

ANNUITANTS DECEASED

- Mrs. A. C. Stewart April 21, 1977
- Mrs. S. H. Hill April 27, 1977
- Mrs. R. J. Murray July 17, 1977
- Mr. A. Hawtin August 1, 1977
- Mrs. I. Hornsby September 5, 1977
- Rev. J. R. Graham November 6, 1977
- Mrs. E. S. Douglas November 16, 1977
- Mrs. K. M. MacInnes December 28, 1977

APPLICATIONS TO RECEIVE PENSION FUND BENEFITS

- Rev. R. W. Ross January 30, 1977
- Rev. M. C. Young September 30, 1977
- Rev. T.G.M. Bryan April 20, 1977
- Mrs. R. J. Con. June 16, 1977

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|--------------------------------|--------------------|
| Rev. J. P. Schissler | June 30, 1977 |
| Dr. R. Stewart | June 30, 1977 |
| Mrs. A. Thomson | April 20, 1977 |
| Mrs. M. C. Farris | July 8, 1977 |
| Rev. G. Taylor-Munro | October 31, 1977 |
| Rev. D. A. Campbell | August 31, 1977 |
| Rev. W. H. Heustin | August 31, 1977 |
| Rev. R. C. MacLean | August 31, 1977 |
| Rev. W. G. Lewis | August 31, 1977 |
| Rev. C. McK. Eadie | September 15, 1977 |
| Dr. H. F. Davidson | November 30, 1977 |
| Rev. S. J. Sharkey | November 1, 1977 |
| Rev. C. A. MacDonald | November 15, 1977 |
| Rev. S. Macdonnell | December 31, 1977 |
| Dr. J. S. Glen | February 28, 1978 |

PENSION GRANTED WITHOUT RETIREMENT

| | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Rev. A. N. McMillan | March 12, 1977 |
| Rev. H. L. McCall | August 13, 1977 |

THE REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH BUILDING CORPORATION

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Building Corporation continues to serve the Church by assisting congregations, Synods, Boards and Presbyteries to arrange loans at lower rates of interest and, in accordance with the instructions of the 102nd General Assembly, assists the retired servants of the Church in securing housing accommodation.

An important undertaking was completed this year when the Deed of Trust and Mortgage, securing debentures issued by the Corporation, was amended and new "Operating Guidelines" were adopted. This action will enable the Corporation to broaden its activities to meet better the needs of our Church in Canada at present and in the future.

The Corporation guaranteed loans to Alexandra Church, Brantford, Ontario, and Grace Church, Etobicoke, Ontario, this year and increased its loan to the Synod of Toronto and Kingston to \$80,000. for camping projects. A loan was also guaranteed for the Presbytery of Cape Breton for improvements to Camp MacLeod and a housing loan was made to one of our retired ministers.

We are pleased to report that the following congregations discharged their loans this year: Parkwood, Ottawa; Knox, Calgary; St. Andrew's, Islington; South Gate, Hamilton and Westmount, Edmonton.

It is a pleasure to report that the congregations which have borrowed through the Corporation are reducing their loans in a very satisfactory way and we express our congratulations to all of them. The number of congregations in arrears of their payments has been reduced and the total arrears outstanding as at Dec. 31, 1977 amounted to \$23,073 which is a decrease of \$24,398, from 1976. The mortgages, funded through debentures, were reduced by \$201,500. The Corporation guaranteed additional bank loans this year, but it is pleased to note that the seven congregations reduced their bank loans by \$31,968. during the year.

Statement of Mortgages and Loans:

| | Bal. Dec. 31, 1977 | Bal. Dec. 31, 1976 |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Mortgage Principal (Debentures) | \$ 850,000 | \$1,051,500 |
| Guaranteed Bank Loans | 212,016 | 191,784 |
| Interest Assistance Loans | 9,008 | 8,125 |
| Mortgages | 111,650 | 40,000 |
| | <u>\$1,182,674</u> | <u>\$1,291,409</u> |

Two new houses were purchased this year for retired ministers. We now have three houses and the use of one Manse.

The Directors of the Corporation record their thanks to Mrs. William Ewing of Vankleek Hill, Ontario, Mrs. Grace Bruner and the Rev. J. D. Gordon of Brantford, Ontario, and Mr. Howard Elliott of Jarvis, Ontario, for their assistance to the Corporation in helping our retired servants. Special thanks is expressed to the congregation of Vankleek Hill, Ontario for its continued concern and the accommodation which it has provided in the Manse.

The Corporation acknowledges with gratitude the sum of \$7,158.77 from the Corporation of Penmarvian of Paris. A large part of this amount was given by individuals who desired their gifts to be used for capital expenditures. If we are to provide adequately for our retired servants, gifts in the form of money or real estate are necessary and the Directors would be grateful for any assistance from individuals or congregations.

We pay tribute to one of our directors, Dr. E. A. Thomson, who retires from our Board this year. Dr. Thomson has served the interests of the Corporation with skill and diligence and has brought to the work of the Corporation that same devoted guidance which he gave to so many areas of our Church's work.

Nominations of Directors

The by-laws of the Corporation provide that "Directors shall be elected annually by the General Assembly from nominees of the Directors". We, therefore, submit the following recommendations:

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

That the Rev. W. I. McElwain, M.A., Th.M., Mr. J. S. Marshall, Q.C., Mr. D. S. McKercher, Q.C., Mr. J. B. Barbour, A.C.W.A., and Dr. H. F. Davidson be elected directors of the Corporation for the next four year term.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

That congregations and individuals be encouraged to assist The Presbyterian Church Building Corporation to help the servants of our Church secure housing accommodation at the time of retirement.

RECOMMENDATION 3. A

That congregations be urged to help their ministers plan for retirement by providing funds for investment in Registered Retirement Savings Plans and/or Registered Home Ownership Savings Plans.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R.J.H. STANBURY,
Chairman

R. G. MacMILLAN,
General Manager.

THE PRESBYTERIAN RECORD

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The smooth and efficient transfer of editorial responsibility from Dr. DeCourcy H. Rayner to James Ross Dickey began on September 1st. It is a tribute to both of them that Dr. Rayner was able to fulfil his appointments as Moderator of the 103rd General Assembly while Mr. Dickey quickly adjusted to the Editor's office.

It caused us regret that with the February issue of The Record, the Assistant Editor, Miss Valerie Dunn, ceased to be a member of the staff. The many friends Miss Dunn has within the Church wish her every success as she continues her career in free-lance journalism.

Miss Mary Visser was appointed Assistant Editor in March and we are already appreciative of the artistic talents of this gifted young lady.

We continue to be well served in the circulating, advertising and secretarial departments with our small but dedicated staff.

We express regret but also gratitude to Dr. L. H. Fowler, the Rev. L. E. Sivers, Mr. Clyde Sanger and Dr. E. A. Thomson, regular columnists whose services were no longer available by the end of the year.

The Record provides a forum for Presbyterian thought, opinion, and spiritual reflection. In a Church that allows for some latitude in matters pertaining to worship, the faith, and the living of a Christian life, no single publication will commend itself to the entire readership with each edition. What it can attempt to do is to *interest* each reader with each edition, to stimulate discussion and to involve the reader in the important questions facing our Church. It can help to keep us conscious of our identity as Presbyterians, conscious of our membership in the Church Universal.

Rising costs in mailing and printing on a reduced budget present a challenge in administration as well as the quality of our Church publication. You can greatly assist by making sure circulation increases by having the Every Home Plan in your congregation and placing copies in local libraries, hospitals, nursing homes and schools.

The Record Committee has been charged by the Administrative Council with the task of examining the possibility of self-support through subscription rates more in line with the market value of a magazine of The Record's size. If this is possible a saving to the Church will be effected. Whether it is possible will depend on the loyalty of our readers and the value they place on the service The Record provides.

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

That on presbyterial visitations all congregations be asked whether or not they subscribe through the Every Home Plan, and that the advantages of that plan, if the answer is in the negative, be pointed out.

WILLIAM FAIRLEY,
Chairman,
The Record Committee

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA THE REV. DAVID MORRISON REID MEMORIAL FUND 1977

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

This fund originated with a bequest from the late Mrs. Agnes Isobel Yuill-Reid in memory of her husband, the Rev. David Morrison Reid. The income of the fund is applied to the general work of the Home Missions section of the Board of World Mission.

The fund consists of 14,864 units of the Church's Consolidated Portfolio which represents an equity of \$14,864 at December 31, 1977.

During the year income of the fund amounted to \$1,113 which was used for Home Mission purposes.

MRS. W. E. McCUTCHEON,
Chairman

GEORGE A. MALCOLM,
General Secretary.

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE REPORT

1977 was historical in the life at Presbyterian Residence. This was the year when we converted the Dean's Residence into a girls' residence. We had seven girls for the fall term, on an experimental basis. The Board has not decided if the same plan should be followed in September of 1978. The presence of the female in Presbyterian Residence dining hall did have some casual upgrading effects on the male section, otherwise it was business as usual.

We had more applications than we could accommodate for the fall term, while the spring term found us with one or two rooms vacant. We rent only a few rooms for summer students, since we feel obligated to keep the Residence available for spring and summer conferences, eg: Leadership Training, Ministers' Spring Conference, Synod Youth Conference. The grant from the National Office makes it possible for us to follow the above plan.

We are hoping that benefactors will come to the aid of the Residence Board by helping us provide a selection of helpful reading material for the library. We do not intend to duplicate the University Library, but we would like to provide some basic reference books, plus some good current reading.

The Residence Board administers bursaries for those candidates for the ministry from the Synod of Saskatchewan and we are pleased to report that there are annual requests for assistance.

J. WELLS,
Secretary

R. A. DAVIDSON,
Chairman.

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

AUDITORS' REPORT

I have examined the balance sheet of the Presbyterian Residence as at December 31, 1977, and the statements of revenues and expenses – Residence Operations and receipts and disbursements – Board and Trust Fund, for the year then ended. My examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as I considered necessary in the circumstances.

Revenues which arise from donations by their nature are not susceptible to complete verification by audit procedures. Accordingly, my examination was confined to a comparison of recorded revenues against bank deposits.

With this exception, in my opinion, these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the Residence as at December 31, 1977, and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in accordance with generally accepting accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

April 15, 1978

J. DE BRUIJN,
Chartered Accountant

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE
BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977
ASSETS
RESIDENCE FUND

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| CURRENT ASSETS | | |
| Cash in bank | \$ 1,602 | \$ — |
| Student fees receivable | 580 | 1,350 |
| Inventory of groceries & supplies – at cost..... | 450 | 450 |
| Utility deposits | 65 | 65 |
| Investments – at cost (note 1) | 5,000 | 11,000 |
| | <u>\$ 7,697</u> | <u>\$ 12,865</u> |
| BOARD AND TRUST FUND | | |
| INVESTMENTS – at cost | | |
| Cash in bank – current | \$ 1,721 | \$ 1,469 |
| – savings | 2,228 | 2,149 |
| Accrued interest receivable | 147 | — |
| 9¼% term deposits – Royal Bank of Canada..... | 5,000 | 5,000 |
| 9½% saving certificate – Royal Bank of Canada.... | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| 8¼% certificate of deposit – Scotia Bank | 5,000 | — |
| 10¼% investment certificate – Can. Permanent Trust Co. | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Roy Mor Ltd. investment certificates (note 2) | 15,500 | 13,500 |
| 5½% Gov't. of Canada bonds | 505 | 505 |
| 5½% Ontario Hydro bonds | 8,123 | 8,123 |
| Advances to Residence Fund | 695 | 782 |
| Accounts receivable | 93 | 50 |
| | <u>\$ 42,512</u> | <u>\$ 35,078</u> |
| | <u>\$ 50,209</u> | <u>\$ 47,943</u> |

SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

R. A. DAVIDSON
JACK WELLS

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE
BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1977
LIABILITIES
RESIDENCE FUND

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| CURRENT LIABILITIES | | |
| Bank advances | \$ - | \$ 1,489 |
| Accounts payable | 1,550 | 3,406 |
| Employee deductions payable | - | 40 |
| Fees received in advance | - | 814 |
| Advance from Board and Trust Fund | 695 | 782 |
| | \$ 2,245 | \$ 6,531 |
| SURPLUS (DEFICIT) | \$ 5,452 | \$ 6,334 |
| | \$ 7,697 | \$ 12,865 |

BOARD AND TRUST FUND

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| TRUST FUND LIABILITIES (note 3) | | |
| W. C. Wells trust | \$ 5,175 | \$ 5,353 |
| Dr. Halliday trust | 16,402 | 15,502 |
| Dr. McRae trust | 5,440 | 5,040 |
| Wm. How students assistance fund | 2,717 | 2,684 |
| National Development Fund - Building fund | 1,016 | 990 |
| Building fund - Residence | 9,246 | 5,627 |
| Building fund - Manse | - | 682 |
| | \$ 39,996 | \$ 35,878 |
| SURPLUS (DEFICIT) | 2,516 | (800) |
| | \$ 42,512 | \$ 35,078 |
| | \$ 50,209 | \$ 47,943 |

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE
STATEMENT OF SURPLUS (Deficit)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|--|-----------|----------|
| RESIDENCE FUND | | |
| BALANCE - Beginning of year | \$ 6,334 | \$ (813) |
| Surplus for the year | 4,118 | 7,147 |
| | \$ 10,452 | \$ 6,334 |
| Deduct appropriation to Residence Building Fund..... | 5,000 | - |
| BALANCE - End of year (page 2) | \$ 5,452 | \$ 6,334 |

BOARD AND TRUST FUND

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| BALANCE - Beginning of year | \$ (800) | \$ 438 |
| Surplus (deficit) for the year | 3,316 | (1,238) |
| BALANCE - End of year (page 2) | \$ 2,516 | \$ (800) |

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES - RESIDENCE FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| REVENUE | | |
| Room and board fees | \$ 35,408 | \$ 34,956 |
| Plug-in receipts | 385 | 240 |
| Washer and dryer receipts | 320 | 453 |
| Ministers and Youth conferences | 1,188 | 977 |
| Interest | 712 | 127 |
| Insurance proceeds | 511 | - |
| Miscellaneous | 61 | 121 |
| | \$ 38,585 | \$ 36,874 |
| EXPENSES | | |
| Dining room supplies | \$ 13,596 | \$ 16,428 |
| Wages | 13,212 | 8,400 |
| Light and water | 1,806 | 1,489 |
| Gas | 1,471 | 1,013 |
| House supplies and office | 880 | 1,350 |
| Telephone | 177 | 283 |
| Repairs and maintenance | 793 | 372 |
| UIC and CPP | 540 | 294 |
| Bank charges | 52 | 78 |
| Dean's car allowance | 900 | - |
| Bad debts written off | 1,020 | - |
| Miscellaneous | 20 | 20 |
| | \$ 34,467 | \$ 29,727 |
| SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR (page 3) | \$ 4,118 | \$ 7,147 |

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS -
BOARD AND TRUST FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | BOARD | |
|--|------------------|-------------------|
| | 1977 | 1976 |
| RECEIPTS | | |
| Head office subsidy..... | \$ 7,000 | \$ 6,500 |
| Manse rental | 3,701 | 2,846 |
| Parking lot rental | 1,455 | 907 |
| Miscellaneous | 30 | - |
| | <u>\$ 12,186</u> | <u>\$ 10,253</u> |
| DISBURSEMENTS | | |
| Taxes - Manse | \$ 744 | \$ 711 |
| - Residence | 6,606 | 6,201 |
| Dean's salary | - | 2,100 |
| Insurance | 944 | 724 |
| Travel | 120 | 706 |
| Professional fees..... | 322 | 550 |
| Repairs and maintenance | - | 465 |
| Office supplies | 112 | 14 |
| Bank charges | 22 | 20 |
| | <u>\$ 8,870</u> | <u>\$ 11,491</u> |
| SURPLUS (DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR - BOARD (page 3) | <u>\$ 3,316</u> | <u>\$ (1,238)</u> |
| TRUST FUNDS | | |
| RECEIPTS | | |
| Appropriation from Residence Fund | \$ 5,000 | - |
| Grant - National Development Fund | - | 5,000 |
| Interest | 2,948 | 2,661 |
| Donations | 610 | 100 |
| Sale of furniture | - | 400 |
| Insurance proceeds | 75 | - |
| | <u>\$ 8,633</u> | <u>\$ 8,161</u> |
| DISBURSEMENTS | | |
| Bursaries | \$ 1,000 | \$ 1,200 |
| Ministers' Conference | 100 | - |
| Building additions - Residence | 658 | 3,668 |
| - Manse | 2,753 | 4,319 |
| Bank charges | 4 | - |
| Library shelving | - | 513 |
| Board (surplus) deficit | (3,316) | 1,238 |
| | <u>\$ 1,199</u> | <u>\$ 10,938</u> |
| NET TRUST RECEIPTS (DISBURSEMENTS) | <u>\$ 7,434</u> | <u>\$ (2,777)</u> |
| CASH AND INVESTMENTS - Beginning of year | <u>\$ 35,078</u> | <u>\$ 37,855</u> |
| CASH AND INVESTMENTS - End of year (page 2) | <u>\$ 42,512</u> | <u>\$ 35,078</u> |

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| 1. INVESTMENTS - RESIDENCE FUND | | |
| Temporary surplus of funds was invested as follows: | | |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 7½% C/D maturing October 17, 1978 | \$ 1,000 | - |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 7½% C/D maturing October 17, 1978 | 1,000 | - |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 7½% C/D maturing October 17, 1978 | 1,000 | - |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 7½% C/D maturing October 17, 1978 | 1,000 | - |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 7½% C/D maturing October 17, 1978 | 1,000 | - |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 8¼% C/D maturing January 3, 1977 | - | \$ 2,000 |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 8% C/D maturing January 11, 1977 | - | 2,000 |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 7½% C/D maturing January 28, 1977 | - | 2,000 |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 9½% C/D maturing October 15, 1977 | - | 5,000 |
| | <u>\$ 5,000</u> | <u>\$ 11,000</u> |
| 2. ROY MOR LIMITED CERTIFICATES | | |
| 7½% guaranteed saving certificate, due May 24, 1977 | - | \$ 1,000 |
| 7¼% guaranteed saving certificate, due August 15, 1977 | - | 1,000 |
| 10% investment certificate, due June 20, 1979 | 3,000 | 3,000 |
| 10% investment certificate, due Dec. 30, 1979 | 4,000 | 4,000 |
| 9½% investment certificate, due Aug. 15, 1980 | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| 10% investment certificate, due Nov. 12, 1981 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| 10% investment certificate, due Dec. 19, 1979 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| 8¼% investment certificate, due Feb. 16, 1982 | 1,000 | - |
| 9% investment certificate, due May 31, 1982 | 1,000 | - |
| 9% investment certificate, due Aug. 15, 1982 | 1,000 | - |
| 9% investment certificate, due Aug. 24, 1982 | 1,000 | - |
| | <u>\$ 15,500</u> | <u>\$ 13,500</u> |

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCE
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

3. TRUST FUND LIABILITIES

The funds which are held in trust are designated for use as follows:

| | <i>Principal</i> | <i>Interest</i> | <i>Total</i> |
|---|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Estate of W. C. Wells | \$ 5,000 | \$ 175 | \$ 5,175 |
| Interest to be used for bursaries to student ministers | | | |
| Estate of Dr. Halliday | 9,500 | 6,902 | 16,402 |
| Interest to be used for assistance to student ministers | | | |
| Estate of Dr. McRae | 4,000 | 1,440 | 5,440 |
| Interest for expense fund in connection with new residence campaign | | | |
| Wm. How Student Assistance Fund | 2,717 | - | 2,717 |
| For assistance to seminaries in Eastern Canada | | | |
| National Development Fund | 1,016 | - | 1,016 |
| Building fund for additions to residence | | | |
| Building Fund | <u>9,246</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>9,246</u> |
| For additions or repairs to residence | | | |
| | <u>\$31,479</u> | <u>\$ 8,517</u> | <u>\$39,996</u> |

REPORT OF REMIT UNDER THE BARRIER ACT
as of April 12, 1978

Remit "A" Constitution of Committee on Business.

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

APPROVE: Presbyteries of Cape Breton, Newfoundland, Pictou, Saint John, Montreal, Glengarry, Ottawa, Lindsay-Peterborough, West Toronto, Algoma and North Bay, Waterloo-Wellington, Hamilton, London, Sarnia, Stratford-Huron, Superior, Northern Saskatchewan, Kootenay, Westminster, Vancouver Island. - 20.

DISAPPROVE: Presbyteries of East Toronto, Bruce-Maitland. - 2.

D. C. MACDONALD, E. H. BEAN, D. B. LOWRY,
Clerks of Assembly.

REPORT OF REMIT UNDER THE BARRIER ACT
as of April 12, 1978

Remit "B" Dismissory Letter.

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

APPROVE: Presbyteries of Cape Breton, Newfoundland, Pictou, Halifax and Lunenburg, Saint John, Quebec, Montreal, Glengarry, Ottawa, Brockville, Kingston, Lindsay-Peterborough, East Toronto, West Toronto, Barrie, Algoma and North Bay, Waterloo-Wellington, Hamilton, Paris, Sarnia, Stratford-Huron, Bruce-Maitland, Superior, Winnipeg, Northern Saskatchewan, Kootenay, Westminster, Vancouver Island. - 28.

DISAPPROVE Nil.

D. C. MACDONALD, E. H. BEAN, D. B. LOWRY,
Clerks of Assembly.

REPORT OF REMIT UNDER THE BARRIER ACT
as of April 12, 1978

Remit "C" Assistant Minister.

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

APPROVE: Presbyteries of Montreal, Superior. - 2.

DISAPPROVE: Presbyteries of Cape Breton, Algoma and North Bay, Sarnia. - 3.

D. C. MACDONALD, E. H. BEAN, D. B. LOWRY,
Clerks of Assembly.

REPORT OF REMIT UNDER THE BARRIER ACT
as of April 12, 1978

Remit "D" Dates of future Assemblies.

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

APPROVE: Presbyteries of Cape Breton, Pictou, Saint John, Montreal, Glengarry, Ottawa, Lindsay-Peterborough, East Toronto, West Toronto, Barrie, Algoma and North Bay, Waterloo-Wellington, Hamilton, London, Sarnia, Stratford-Huron, Bruce-Maitland, Superior, Northern Saskatchewan, Kootenay, Westminster, Vancouver Island. - 22.

DISAPPROVE: Nil.

D. C. MACDONALD, E. H. BEAN, D. B. LOWRY,
Clerks of Assembly.

REPORT OF ST. ANDREW'S HALL, VANCOUVER, B.C.

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

St. Andrew's Hall is the residence The Presbyterian Church in Canada maintains on the campus of the University of British Columbia. The purpose of the Hall is to provide a residence for Presbyterian students studying on campus. It also provides them with a place for worship and fellowship, opportunities for Bible study and Christian growth, and a center for witness on the secular campus. The ministry and witness of the Hall is in fact even much wider than that. The General Assembly appoints and pays the stipend of a Dean who provides for the day to day administration of the Hall and who as well fulfills the function of a chaplain to the students. There are 43 students in the residence not all of whom are Presbyterian. The Dean is the Rev. Dr. John A. Ross and he has ably fulfilled that capacity since the inception of the Hall 20 years ago. The 20th Anniversary of the Hall was marked in May 1978 with a gala celebration of former students. With the retirement of many of the faithful longstanding members of the Board (please see the minute of appreciation for Mr. H. L. Jestley) and some new winds blowing in our Church we like to think that the Hall is about to embark on a new phase of ministry for the Lord Jesus Christ. The Board would like to thank publicly the firm of Buttar and Chiene, Chartered Accountants who have for these past 20 years audited the financial statements on a gratuitous basis. This has meant a tremendous saving to the Church.

The Board would like, and have so moved, to grant the Dean a study leave for the period September 1st, 1978 to April 30th 1979. This request has gone to the Administrative Council for consideration and recommendation. The costs of this leave would be spread over two of the Church's financial years. The last and only study leave granted the Dean in the preceding 20 years was in 1969. The Board are hopeful the Church will make this a priority.

The Board has endeavoured to be faithful in all matters charged unto it that the ministry of the Hall might not be hindered in any way.

Minute of Appreciation

The Board of St. Andrew's Hall hereby records its deep appreciation for over twenty years of service in behalf of the Hall by Mr. H. Lyle Jestley. Mr. Jestley's enthusiasm during the planning stages of the Hall project, as he pressed the fund raising campaign among his associates far and wide, counted heavily in the success of the financing. His wise foresight in the preparation of the Act of Incorporation, and his long experience of the public life of British Columbia proved to be an invaluable asset in piloting the Act through the Legislature. When the first Board appointed by the General Assembly met, it recognized Mr. Jestley's leadership by appointing him as its secretary. He continued to serve in this post diligently and generously until the spring of 1977, when it became necessary to spare his health. During all those years he also freely acted as the Board's legal counsel in many matters both internal and external. The continuing success of the whole enterprise of St. Andrew's Hall is in no small measure due to Mr. Jestley's firm hand and unfailing wisdom.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES H. W. STATHAM,
Chairman of the Board.

ST. ANDREW'S HALL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS As at 31st August 1977

REPORT by BUTTAR & CHIENE, Chartered Accountants, Vancouver, B.C.

upon the accounts of
ST. ANDREW'S HALL,
As at 31st August 1977.

We have examined the Balance Sheets of St. Andrew's Hall as at 31st August 1977 and the Statement of Operations for the year ended on that date, and have received all the information and explanations required by us. Our examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

No provision has been made in the accounts for depreciation on the Dean's Residence or on the Chapel and Dormitory.

Subject to the foregoing remark, in our opinion and according to the best of our information, and explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Hall, the accompanying Balance Sheets and Statement of Operations present fairly the financial position of the Hall as at 31st August 1977 and the results of its operations for the year ended on that date, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

VANCOUVER, B.C.
17th November 1977

BUTTAR & CHIENE
Chartered Accountants.

ST. ANDREW'S HALL

BALANCE SHEET As at 31st August 1977

| ASSETS | <u>1977</u> | <u>1976</u> |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|
| CAPITAL FUND | | |
| CURRENT | | |
| Cash in Bank | \$ 1,985.50 | \$ 4,475.37 |
| Accrued Interest Receivable | 16.25 | 82.50 |
| Prepaid Property Taxes | 621.22 | 613.59 |
| | <u>\$ 2,622.97</u> | <u>\$ 5,171.46</u> |
| INVESTMENTS - at cost - Per Schedule | \$ 5,790.75 | \$ 5,890.00 |
| REAL ESTATE - at cost: | | |
| Dean's Residence | \$ 32,000.00 | \$ 32,000.00 |
| Chapel and Dormitory | 278,910.29 | 278,910.29 |
| | <u>\$310,910.29</u> | <u>\$310,910.29</u> |
| FURNITURE AND FURNISHINGS - at cost | \$ 21,262.86 | \$ 21,262.86 |
| Less - Accumulated Depreciation | 21,261.86 | 21,261.86 |
| | <u>\$ 1.00</u> | <u>\$ 1.00</u> |
| DUE FROM OPERATING FUND | \$ 21,573.93 | \$ 19,862.97 |
| | <u>\$340,898.94</u> | <u>\$341,835.72</u> |

BUILDING FUND

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| CURRENT | | |
| Cash in Bank | \$ 4,563.50 | \$ 1,771.75 |
| Accrued Interest Receivable | - | 1,943.75 |
| | \$ 4,563.50 | \$ 3,715.50 |
| DEFERRED RECEIVABLE | | |
| Presbyterian Church in Canada | 7,735.40 | 7,735.40 |
| INVESTMENTS - at cost - Per Schedule | 52,631.85 | 49,408.35 |
| | \$ 64,930.75 | \$ 60,859.25 |

OPERATING FUND

| | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| CURRENT | | |
| Cash in Bank and on Hand | \$ 5,499.20 | \$ 1,423.27 |
| Accounts Receivable | 1,318.96 | 2,086.85 |
| Prepaid Expenses | 397.95 | 287.20 |
| | \$ 7,216.11 | \$ 3,797.32 |
| DEFICIT | | |
| Balance at beginning of year | \$ 16,602.69 | \$ 13,094.19 |
| Add (Deduct) Net Loss (Income) for year | (983.02) | 3,508.50 |
| | \$ 15,619.67 | \$ 16,602.69 |
| | \$ 22,835.78 | \$ 20,400.01 |
| | \$428,665.47 | \$423,094.98 |

LIABILITIES
CAPITAL FUND

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| CURRENT | | |
| Accounts Payable | \$ 232.66 | \$ 1,554.68 |
| CAPITAL SURPLUS | | |
| Balance at beginning of year | \$340,281.04 | \$339,863.63 |
| Add - Net Income from Investments for year .. | 385.24 | 417.41 |
| | \$340,666.28 | \$340,281.04 |
| | \$340,898.94 | \$341,835.72 |

BUILDING FUND

| | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| BUILDING FUND SURPLUS | | |
| Balance at beginning of year | \$ 60,859.25 | \$ 57,268.91 |
| Income from Investments | 3,268.25 | 3,518.34 |
| Gain on Redemption of Investments | 836.25 | 105.00 |
| | \$ 64,963.75 | \$ 60,892.25 |
| Less - Safety Deposit Box Rental | 33.00 | 33.00 |
| | \$ 64,930.75 | \$ 60,859.25 |

OPERATING FUND

| | | |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| CURRENT | | |
| Accounts Payable | \$ 511.85 | \$ 12.04 |
| Students' Caution Fees | 750.00 | 525.00 |
| | \$ 1,261.85 | \$ 537.04 |
| DUE TO CAPITAL FUND | \$ 21,573.93 | \$ 19,862.97 |
| | \$ 22,835.78 | \$ 20,400.01 |
| | \$428,665.47 | \$423,094.98 |

ST. ANDREW'S HALL

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS
For the year ended 31st August 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|---|--------------|---------------|
| INCOME | | |
| Student Fees and Sundry Income | \$ 70,005.51 | \$ 58,448.74 |
| Operating Grant from the Presbyterian Church in Canada | 14,085.00 | 10,500.00 |
| University Hill Grant | 450.00 | 800.00 |
| Manse Revenue | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 |
| Donations | 30.00 | - |
| Interest on Savings Bank Account | 8.12 | 24.54 |
| | \$ 86,578.63 | \$ 71,773.28 |
| OPERATING EXPENSES | | |
| Salaries and Wages | \$ 47,565.87 | \$ 41,498.71 |
| Dining Room Provisions | 17,430.38 | 16,135.88 |
| Heat | 1,811.79 | 2,101.39 |
| Light and Water | 2,912.68 | 3,048.20 |
| Telephone | 1,271.37 | 1,032.74 |
| Maintenance and Repairs | 6,337.26 | 4,878.46 |
| Kitchen Supplies | 552.39 | 959.75 |
| Laundry | 231.61 | 312.36 |
| Office Supplies and Expense | 467.32 | 106.09 |
| Pension Plans | 1,272.37 | 1,125.58 |
| Unemployment Insurance | 373.93 | 403.17 |
| Property Taxes | 1,856.02 | 1,763.57 |
| Insurance | 2,380.00 | 1,379.00 |
| Miscellaneous Expenses | 1,132.62 | 536.88 |
| | \$ 85,595.61 | \$ 75,281.78 |
| NET INCOME (LOSS) ON OPERATIONS FOR YEAR | \$ 983.02 | \$ (3,508.50) |

ST. ANDREW'S HALL
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
As at 31st August 1977

CAPITAL FUNDS

| BONDS | | Cost |
|--------------------|--|--------------------|
| Par Value | | |
| \$ 500.00 | T. Eaton Acceptance Corp. - 8¼% 1991 | \$ 423.25 |
| 1,500.00 | Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario - 5% 1978 | 1,492.50 |
| 3,000.00 | Royal Bank of Canada - 7½% 1979-87 | 3,000.00 |
| 1,000.00 | Corporation of the District of Summerland - 5¼% 1978..... | 875.00 |
| <u>\$ 6,000.00</u> | | <u>\$ 5,790.75</u> |

BUILDING FUND

| BONDS | | Cost |
|---------------------|---|---------------------|
| Par Value | | |
| \$ 14,000.00 | Bank of B.C. - R.I. Services Ltd. - 7% 1978 | \$ 13,120.00 |
| 500.00 | B.C. Electric Railway Company - 5% 1982 | 481.25 |
| 500.00 | T. Eaton Acceptance Corp. - 8¼% 1991 | 423.25 |
| 1,000.00 | Greater Vancouver Water District - 4½% 1983 | 740.00 |
| 3,000.00 | Gulf Oil Canada Ltd. - 8½% 1989 | 2,985.00 |
| 1,000.00 | I.A.C. Limited - 9½% 1994 | 1,050.00 |
| 3,000.00 | Imperial Oil - 8½% 1989 | 2,985.00 |
| 4,000.00 | Manitoba Hydro-Electric - 9¼% 1979 | 4,280.00 |
| 10,000.00 | Municipal Finance Authority of B.C. - 9-7/8% 1997 .. | 9,950.00 |
| 1,000.00 | Corporation of the District of North Cowichan - 5½% 1980 | 926.25 |
| 1,000.00 | City of Prince George - 5¼% 1980 | 760.00 |
| 1,000.00 | City of Prince George - 5¼% 1981 | 752.50 |
| 1,500.00 | City of Trail - 5% 1977 | 1,392.00 |
| 1,000.00 | City of Trail - 5¼% 1977 | 868.75 |
| 2,000.00 | City of Vancouver - 5¼% 1977 | 1,807.50 |
| 2,000.00 | City of Vancouver - 5% 1978 | 1,952.50 |
| 3,000.00 | City of Vancouver - 9¼% 1987 | 2,971.50 |
| <u>\$ 49,500.00</u> | | <u>\$ 47,445.50</u> |

SHARES AND UNITS

| | |
|---|---------------------|
| Canadian Pacific Limited - 150 Shares | 1,934.10 |
| Consumers Gas Company - 120 Shares | 1,560.00 |
| Canada Permanent Income Trust - 200 Units | 1,691.25 |
| Davis Petroleum Ltd. - Royalty | 1.00 |
| | <u>\$ 52,631.85</u> |

ST. ANDREW'S HALL
BURSARY, MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
As at 31st August 1977

| | 1977 | 1976 |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|
| THE REV. D. A. FOWLIE FUND | | |
| CASH IN BANK AND ON HAND | \$ 377.77 | \$ 3,144.93 |
| INVESTMENTS - at cost - Per Schedule | 39,633.30 | 34,117.05 |
| | <u>\$ 40,011.07</u> | <u>\$ 37,261.98</u> |
| CAPITAL AND SURPLUS | | |
| Balance at beginning of year | \$ 37,245.73 | \$ 35,359.91 |
| Income from Investments | 2,250.34 | 2,394.57 |
| Gain on Redemption of Securities | 498.75 | 91.25 |
| | <u>\$ 39,994.82</u> | <u>\$ 37,845.73</u> |
| Deduct - Student Grant | - | 600.00 |
| | <u>\$ 39,994.82</u> | <u>\$ 37,245.73</u> |
| ACCOUNT PAYABLE | 16.25 | 16.25 |
| | <u>\$ 40,011.07</u> | <u>\$ 37,261.98</u> |
| FIELD OF ANATHOTH FUND | | |
| CASH IN BANK AND ON HAND | \$ 397.93 | \$ 563.90 |
| INVESTMENTS - at cost - Per Schedule | 12,366.13 | 11,866.13 |
| | <u>\$ 12,764.06</u> | <u>\$ 12,430.03</u> |
| CAPITAL AND SURPLUS | | |
| Balance at beginning of year | \$ 12,430.03 | \$ 12,115.45 |
| Income from Investments | 941.65 | 922.20 |
| | <u>\$ 13,371.68</u> | <u>\$ 13,037.65</u> |
| Disbursements during year | 607.62 | 607.62 |
| | <u>\$ 12,764.06</u> | <u>\$ 12,430.03</u> |
| WILLIAM DOUGLAS WOODWARD MEMORIAL FUND | | |
| CASH IN BANK | \$ 822.59 | \$ 1,013.52 |
| INVESTMENTS - at cost - Per Schedule | 13,111.87 | 12,016.87 |
| | <u>\$ 13,934.46</u> | <u>\$ 13,030.39</u> |
| CAPITAL AND SURPLUS | | |
| Balance at beginning of year | \$ 13,030.39 | \$ 12,392.37 |
| Income from Investments | 779.07 | 931.15 |
| Gain on Redemption of Securities | 125.00 | (293.13) |
| | <u>\$ 13,934.46</u> | <u>\$ 13,030.39</u> |

ST. ANDREW'S HALL
BURSARY, MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL FUNDS
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
As at 31st August 1977

THE REV. D. A. FOWLIE FUND

BONDS

| Par Value | | Cost |
|--------------|---|---------------------|
| \$ 1,000.00 | B. C. Electric Co. Ltd. - 4¼% 1977 | \$ 866.87 |
| 2,000.00 | Chinook Shopping Centre - 6½% 1984 | 1,720.00 |
| 500.00 | Columbia Natural Gas - 6% 1982 | 508.50 |
| 9,000.00 | T. Eaton Acceptance Co. - 8¼% 1991 | 7,618.50 |
| 500.00 | Elk Creek Waterworks Co. Ltd. - 6% 1983 | 500.00 |
| 1,000.00 | Greater Vancouver Water District - 5¼% 1988 | 700.00 |
| 2,000.00 | Greater Victoria Water District - 4½% 1979 | 1,512.50 |
| 3,000.00 | Hudsons Bay Acceptance - 9¼% 1989 | 3,075.00 |
| 1,000.00 | City of Kelowna - 5½% 1985 | 953.75 |
| 1,000.00 | Town of Mission City - 5¼% 1983 | 1,000.00 |
| 3,000.00 | Northwestern Utilities - 9¼% 1994 | 3,015.00 |
| 3,000.00 | Port Coquitlam - 6½% 1982 | 2,452.50 |
| 1,000.00 | Richmond - 5½% 1985 | 966.25 |
| 2,000.00 | Royal Bank - 9% 1987 | 2,000.00 |
| 3,000.00 | Smithers - 6% 1981 | 2,493.75 |
| 2,000.00 | Surrey - 5% 1979 | 1,735.00 |
| 1,000.00 | Toronto-Dominion Bank - 7¼% 1997 | 1,000.00 |
| 2,000.00 | Vancouver - 9¼% 1989 | 1,959.00 |
| 2,000.00 | Victoria - 5½% 1979 | 1,705.00 |
| 2,000.00 | West Vancouver - 5½% 1979 | 1,767.50 |
| | | <u>\$ 37,549.12</u> |
| \$ 42,000.00 | | |

SHARES AND UNITS

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|---|---------------------|
| B. C. Telephone Company - 100 Shares | 1,238.55 |
| Canada Permanent Income Investment Trust - 100 Units | 845.63 |
| | <u>\$ 39,633.30</u> |

ST. ANDREW'S HALL

BURSARY, MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL FUNDS
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)
As at 31st August 1977

FIELD OF ANATHOTH FUND

BONDS

| Par Value | | Cost |
|-------------|---|--------------------|
| \$ 1,000.00 | B. C. Electric Railway Co. - 4¾% 1986 | \$ 1,000.00 |
| 500.00 | B. C. Telephone Company - 5¾% 1986 | 500.00 |
| 1,000.00 | B. C. Telephone Company - 6-3/8% 1991 | 1,000.00 |
| 1,000.00 | Government of Canada - 4½% 1983 | 1,000.00 |
| 1,000.00 | Canada Permanent Mortgage Corp. - 9% 1982 | 1,000.00 |
| 500.00 | Canada Permanent Trust Co. - 8¾% 1980 | 500.00 |
| 1,500.00 | Canadian National Railway - 5% 1987 | 1,500.00 |
| 500.00 | Credit Foncier - 10-1/8% 1979 | 500.00 |
| | | <u>\$ 7,000.00</u> |
| \$ 7,000.00 | | |

SHARES AND UNITS

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|---|---------------------|
| Alcan Aluminium Ltd. - 5 Shares | 142.50 |
| Aluminum Co. of Canada - 4% Pfd. - 10 Shares | 250.00 |
| Aluminum Co. of Canada - 4½% Pfd. - 15 Shares | 750.00 |
| Bell Canada Ltd. - 10 Shares | 436.25 |
| B. C. Telephone Company - 6% Pfd. - 5 Shares | 500.00 |
| B. C. Telephone Company - 6.80% Pfd. - 20 Shares | 500.00 |
| B. C. Telephone Company - 4.84% Pfd. - 20 Shares | 500.00 |
| B. C. Telephone Company - 125 Shares | 691.75 |
| Canada Permanent Income Investment Trust - 100 Units | 845.63 |
| Canadian Pacific Limited - 150 Shares | 750.00 |
| | <u>\$ 12,366.13</u> |

WILLIAM DOUGLAS WOODWARD MEMORIAL FUND

BONDS

| Par Value | | Cost |
|-------------|---|---------------------|
| \$ 6,000.00 | A.E.C. Power Ltd. - 9-5/8% 1997 | \$ 5,970.00 |
| 1,000.00 | Bank of B. C. - R. I. Services Ltd. - 7% 1978 | 935.00 |
| 2,000.00 | I.A.C. Ltd. - 9½% 1994 | 2,050.00 |
| 1,000.00 | Trans-Canada Pipeline - 10% 1990 | 1,070.00 |
| | | <u>\$ 10,025.00</u> |

SHARES

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|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Bell Canada Ltd. 35 Shares | \$ 1,526.87 |
| Consumers Gas - 120 Shares | 1,560.00 |
| | <u>3,086.87</u> |
| | <u>\$ 13,111.87</u> |

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE
OF THE 103rd GENERAL ASSEMBLY

RE: OVERTURES #13 AND #17 (NATIONAL UNITY)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The committee has held three meetings since its appointment by the Moderator and Clerks at the close of the 103rd General Assembly last June. Out of a special allocation of \$5000 provided by the Administrative Council, a total of approximately \$3300.00 has been spent to date.

In mid-October, the committee held a cross-Canada conference call meeting, during which members were introduced, and spoke briefly of their concerns and convictions relative to national unity. At the same time, plans were laid for a one-day meeting in Quebec City on November 14.

Due to the illness of the chairman, the meeting was conducted by the Reverend David Craig, vice-chairman. It quickly became clear that the committee genuinely represented the wide diversity of national as well as denominational opinion on such subjects as Quebec separation, minority language rights, the increased use of French throughout The Presbyterian Church in Canada, etc. Despite the General Assembly's instruction to the committee to "circulate its reflections and considerations amongst the Presbyteries and Sessions, inviting their response", it was felt that such communication would be premature, and that further study must be undertaken, and greater consensus sought, before the committee spoke to the Church. Several "position papers" were requested for presentation at the next meeting.

The committee met for two days (March 13 - 14) in Montreal, and eventually produced the statement and recommendations with which this report concludes. It also gathered a number of support documents, which are available, upon request to the chairman, for Presbyteries or Sessions wishing to discuss the issues at greater length and depth.

In the spirit of its mandate to "begin to develop recommendations regarding strategies for missions and witness in the Province of Quebec and in Francophone communities elsewhere in Canada", the committee has forwarded a number of suggestions directly to the Administrative Council, the General Assembly's Committee to Nominate, the Board of World Mission, the Presbyterian Record, and the Presbyterian College, among others.

At the same time, the committee felt that - amidst the plethora of general comment and controversy carried by the media on the subject of national unity - the most significant contribution The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and especially the General Assembly, could make would be a theologically-based statement calling for an atmosphere of openness and an attitude of reconciliation on the part of all Canadians as together we face "the present political developments in Canada and particularly in Quebec relative to national unity".

STATEMENT

(I) *Creation:*

God has created the peoples of the earth in great variety, but has also made them to be members of one universal family. God delights in the variety of human kind; and differences are not to be barriers between people, but to enhance true human community. The Doctrine of Creation points us to the positive aspects of the multicultural experience in Canada, and more particularly the French - English relationship. Rather than being a cause of division, our differences of language and culture are deeply enriching to our mutual experience and to the country.

Human sinfulness takes the differences of race, colour, culture, language, and creates barriers between people. Narrow "tribalism", and the suspicion of anything seemingly foreign or alien, is the sinful failure to see that God has created difference in order to broaden and enrich the experience of the human community. In our sinfulness, we Canadians, of both major linguistic groups, have failed to see the enhancing character of the dual nature of our country. All too often we have allowed our racial and linguistic allegiances to foster suspicion of the other, rather than allowing our attitudes to be informed and broadened by Christian faith.

(II) *Reconciliation:*

In Jesus Christ God has acted decisively to reconcile the members of the human family to Himself and to one another. Christ calls His Church to a ministry of reconciliation. By its preaching, teaching and living, the Church must therefore seek to break down every form of discrimination or antagonism based on race, colour, culture or language.

As a denomination, we have not always been mindful of the meaning of the Doctrine of Reconciliation for French - English relations. French Canadians are not to become English Canadians; nor are English Canadians to become French Canadians: both are called by God to recognize each other's rights to full cultural, linguistic and economic identity.

(III) *Separatism:*

The Declaration of Faith concerning Church and Nation has bearing on the present political problems of Quebec's possible separation where it asserts that:

The Church must not merge or confuse her Gospel with any political, economic, cultural or nationalistic creed. At the same time the Church may not hold aloof from the affairs of the Nation, whether the authorities be of the faith or against it, for she must fulfil the ministry laid upon her by her Lord who became one with man for man's redemption. (Section #8)

Therefore, no Christians have the right collectively to assert that any specific constitutional arrangement past, present, or future, possesses divine approval: all constitutions are basically human inventions. Nevertheless, in its divinely appointed

mission as the conscience of the state, the Church has the responsibility to speak out on behalf of the principle of *unity in difference*. This principle is implicit in the Christian understanding of human relationships and should be inevitably and dynamically involved in every consideration or discussion of Canada's political and constitutional development.

The Gospel of Reconciliation calls us to deal justly with all our fellow humans, so that people of different races, cultures, languages and religions may fulfil themselves by living together in mutual respect, care and openness. Such a relationship is ideally no more nor less than Christ's call for the same exercise of justice towards the rights of others that we as Christians ask for ourselves. The Canadian experiment of confederation, whatever its human defects or imperfections, remains fundamentally a movement towards community through its own attempt at reconciling diverse interests.

Within the context of Canadian bilingualism and multiculturalism, one English-speaking Presbyterian congregation of the Province of Quebec has indicated its own appreciation of the enrichment that comes from diversity:

We are glad that Canada has two official languages. We find in our diversity a strength. The assimilation of French Canadian culture into English Canada would be a tragedy for our country and for ourselves as individuals. We hope that adequate steps will be taken to preserve that culture within the North American context.

Clearly the Church, as a community of reconciliation through justice and caring, will continue to exist and to witness to that mission whether or not political separation of any part or parts of Canada should ever occur.

(IV) *Self-Determination:*

Concerning the principle of self-determination for Quebec or any other part of Canada, the *Declaration* does not provide any basic answer. Some suggest Section #3 bears on the issue, where it says:

Christ . . . calls and appoints men to the offices of civil government. He commissions the civil authorities with the right and duty of using force-under-law against internal disorder and external aggression.

Therefore, it is important that the conversations regarding political options become neither so "disorderly" nor so "aggressive" that "the use of force under law" should become necessary. The Gospel of Reconciliation, rather, calls the Church to be sensitive to the rights of groups and individuals - and to avoid an atmosphere of confrontation, which arises out of fear and distrust.

The Presbyterian Church in Canada neither affirms nor denies the right of self-determination for the Province of Quebec, or any other part of Canada. The Church does affirm that the division of a nation, and the resulting new political arrangements, are a political decision. Canada, and its parts, must determine through democratic processes what actions, if any, are to be taken. Any decisions must be made in a climate where debate and public discussion is marked by fairness, justice and mutual respect.

It is clear, however, that if one cohesive segment decisively, conclusively and democratically decides on an independent existence, the Christian response is to continue an active presence and witness in every jurisdiction, and to shun the use of force of arms - or any other means of coercion. The witness of the Church is to seek, by negotiation, the constitutional basis of any new realities.

(V) *Minority Rights:*

On the basis of Section #11 of the *Declaration*, and other related statements in our *Confession of Faith*, we affirm the historic role of the Church as the conscience of the Nation:

During the present age, while the Lordship of Christ is not yet openly disclosed nor perfectly acknowledged, men are beset by sin in every private and public relation. Our existence in this world is continually threatened by anxiety, covetousness, imperfect justice, and proneness to corrup-

tion. The Civil State and the Church are constantly in need of Reformation by the Word of God.

Furthermore the Christian faith, as contained in Scripture and taught in the creeds and confessions of the Church, places on majority groups in society the responsibility of honouring the linguistic, cultural and religious rights of the minorities in their midst. Indeed, the bias in the New Testament is specifically toward those who make up the disadvantaged of whatever nature. Therefore, concerning the matter of minority rights, Christians must reject any doctrine that denies the fundamental unity of the human family under God.

Believing as we do, that the State "has the duty of establishing public peace and providing protection, and guarding impartially the rights of every citizen" (Section #10), we urge all majority groups in all parts of our nation so to conduct their affairs that due recognition be given the rights of minorities within their bounds, to the end that all minority groups may exercise fully the rights and privileges of citizenship, within the inevitable limitations of their situation.

(VI) Conclusion:

In the present crisis of relationships in Canada, we commend to the Church, as to the Nation, the maxim of Richard Baxter:

In necessary things unity; in doubtful things liberty; in all things love.

Mémoire adressé à la 104^{ème} assemblée générale de la part du comité spécial concernant l'unité nationale

1. La Création

Dieu a créé les nations de la terre d'une grande diversité, mais Il les a aussi faites membres d'une famille universelle. Dieu s'intéresse à la variété de la nature humaine; et les différences ne doivent pas être des barrières entre les peuples mais elles doivent souligner la véritable communauté humaine. La Doctrine de la Création attire notre attention sur les aspects positifs de l'expérience multiculturelle du Canada, et plus particulièrement sur les rapports entre francophones et anglophones. Au lieu d'être une source de division, nos différences de langue et de culture enrichissent notre expérience mutuelle et notre pays.

La nature pécheresse de l'homme utilise les différences de race, de couleur, de culture et de langue pour créer des barrières entre les peuples. Un "tribalisme" borné, et la méfiance de tout ce qui semble être étranger, voilà où l'on faillit d'une façon coupable à voir que Dieu a créé des différences pour élargir et enrichir l'expérience de la communauté humaine. Dans notre état de péché, nous, Canadiens, appartenant aux deux principaux groupes linguistiques, n'avons pas vu le caractère enrichissant de la double nature de notre pays. Trop souvent, nous avons laissé nos allégeances raciale et linguistique nourrir des soupçons à l'égard de l'autre groupe au lieu de nous informer et d'élargir nos manières de penser par la foi chrétienne.

2. La Réconciliation

En Jésus-Christ, Dieu a agi de façon concluante pour réconcilier les membres de la famille humaine avec Lui-même et les uns avec les autres. Christ appelle son Eglise à un ministère de réconciliation. Par son enseignement et sa façon de vivre, l'Eglise doit donc chercher à briser toute forme de discrimination ou d'opposition basée sur la race, la culture ou la langue.

En tant que dénomination, nous ne nous sommes pas toujours souvenu de la signification de la doctrine de la Réconciliation dans les relations entre francophones et anglophones. Les Canadiens-Français ne doivent pas devenir des Canadiens-Anglais; pas plus que les Canadiens-Anglais ne doivent devenir des Canadiens-Français: les deux communautés sont appelées par Dieu à reconnaître leurs droits mutuels à une identité culturelle, linguistique et économique.

3. Le Séparatisme

La Déclaration de Foi concernant l'Eglise et la Nation a des implications en ce qui concerne les problèmes politiques actuels dus à une possible séparation du Québec quand elle déclare que :

"L'Eglise ne doit ni fondre ni confondre son Evangile avec une quelconque croyance politique, économique, culturelle ou nationaliste. L'Eglise ne peut, d'autre part, se tenir à l'écart des affaires de la Nation, que les autorités soient pour la Foi ou contre elle, car elle doit accomplir le ministère que lui a imposé le Seigneur qui s'est uni à l'homme pour sa Rédemption". (Section No 8)

Les chrétiens n'ont donc pas le droit d'affirmer collectivement que tout arrangement constitutionnel spécifique, passé, présent ou futur, a l'approbation divine: toutes les constitutions sont fondamentalement des inventions humaines. Néanmoins, en raison de sa mission divine en tant que conscience de l'Etat, l'Eglise a la responsabilité de parler franchement au nom du principe de l'unité dans la diversité. Ce principe est implicite dans la compréhension chrétienne des relations humaines et il devrait automatiquement être présent dans toute considération ou discussion portant sur le développement politique et constitutionnel du Canada.

L'Evangile de la Réconciliation nous invite à traiter avec justice tous nos frères de sorte que des gens de races, de cultures, de langues et de religions différentes puissent se réaliser pleinement en vivant ensemble dans le respect mutuel, la sollicitude et l'ouverture d'esprit. De tels rapports ne sont dans l'idéal ni plus ni moins que l'appel du Christ en faveur d'un exercice de la justice identique envers les droits des autres, droits que nous, chrétiens, réclamons pour nous-mêmes. L'expérience canadienne de la confédération, quelles que soient ses imperfections humaines, demeure fondamentalement un mouvement vers la communauté par sa tentative propre de réconciliation d'intérêts divers.

Dans le contexte du bilinguisme et du multiculturalisme canadiens, une paroisse presbytérienne anglophone de la Province de Québec a indiqué son appréciation personnelle de l'enrichissement provenant de la diversité :

"Nous sommes heureux que le Canada ait deux langues officielles. Nous trouvons notre force dans notre diversité. L'assimilation de la culture canadienne-française au Canada anglais serait une tragédie pour notre pays et pour nous-mêmes en tant qu'individus. Nous espérons que toutes des dispositions seront prises pour préserver cette culture dans le contexte nord-américain."

Il est clair que l'Eglise, en tant que communauté de réconciliation, de par la justice et la sollicitude, continuera à exister et à témoigner de cette mission, qu'une séparation politique d'une quelconque partie du Canada arrive un jour ou non.

4. L'auto-détermination

En ce qui concerne l'auto-détermination, que ce soit pour le Québec ou toute autre partie du Canada, La Déclaration ne fournit pas de réponse type. Certains pensent que la section No 3 porte sur la question :

"Christ... appelle et nomme des hommes aux fonctions du gouvernement civil. Il délègue aux autorités civiles le droit et le devoir d'user de la force légale contre le désordre intérieur et l'agression extérieure."

Il est donc important que les conversations portant sur les options politiques ne deviennent ni "désordonnées" ni "agressives" au point que "l'usage de la force légale" devienne nécessaire. L'Evangile de la Réconciliation invite plutôt l'Eglise à être sensible aux droits des groupes et des individus - et à éviter une atmosphère de confrontation qui naît de la peur et de la méfiance.

L'Eglise Presbytérienne du Canada n'affirme ni ne refuse à la Province de Québec, ou à toute autre province du Canada, le droit à l'autodétermination. L'Eglise affirme que la division d'une nation et les nouveaux arrangements politiques qui en résultent, constituent une décision politique. Le Canada et ses composantes doivent déterminer par des moyens démocratiques quelles actions doivent être entreprises. Toutes les décisions doivent être prises dans un climat où les débats et les discus-

sions publics sont marqués par l'honnêteté, la justice et le respect mutuel.

Il est clair cependant que si un segment cohésif décide d'une existence indépendante de façon décisive et démocratique, la réaction chrétienne est de continuer une présence active dans toutes les juridictions et d'éviter l'usage de la force armée ou de tout autre moyen de contrainte. Le témoignage de l'Eglise consiste à rechercher, par la négociation, les bases constitutionnelles de toutes les réalités nouvelles.

5. *Les droits des minorités*

Sur la base de la section No 11 de *La Déclaration* et d'autres énoncés connexes de notre *Déclaration de Foi*, nous affirmons le rôle historique de l'Eglise comme conscience de la Nation :

"A l'époque actuelle où Christ n'est ni ouvertement révélé comme Seigneur ni reconnu comme tel parfaitement, les hommes sont cernés par le péché dans leurs relations privées et publiques. Notre existence dans ce monde est constamment menacée par l'anxiété, la cupidité, la justice imparfaite et l'inclination à la corruption. L'Etat et l'Eglise ont constamment besoin d'être réformés par la Parole de Dieu."

De plus, la foi chrétienne telle qu'elle est contenue dans les Ecritures et enseignée dans les professions de foi de l'Eglise fait reposer la responsabilité d'honorer les droits linguistiques, culturels et religieux des minorités sur les groupes majoritaires de la société. Donc, au sujet de leur territoire, afin que tous les groupes minoritaires puissent exercer pleinement les droits et les privilèges de citoyens qui sont les leurs dans les limites inévitables de leur situation.

Comme nous croyons que l'Etat "a le devoir d'établir la paix publique, d'assurer la protection et de veiller à ce que soient respectés de façon impartiale, les droits de tous les citoyens" (section No 10), nous exhortons tous les groupes majoritaires dans tout le pays de faire en sorte qu'une juste reconnaissance soit accordée aux droits des minorités à l'intérieur de leur territoire, afin que tous les groupes minoritaires puissent exercer pleinement les droits et les privilèges de citoyens qui sont les leurs dans les limites inévitables de leur situation.

6. *Conclusion*

Dans l'état de crise actuel des relations au Canada, nous recommandons à l'Eglise et à la Nation, la maxime, citée par Richard Baxter :

"Pour l'essentiel, l'unité; dans le doute, la liberté; en toutes choses, l'amour".

RECOMMENDATIONS

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

that the above statement, based upon the principle of the Declaration concerning Church and Nation, be adopted.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

that the 104th General Assembly resolve that the heritage of French reformed work in the Province of Quebec be nourished and supported by a firm and growing commitment on the part of the whole Church; and that the Board of World Mission be directed to implement this resolve with appropriate strategies, personnel and funds.

RECOMMENDATION 3. A

that the Administrative Council make arrangements for French language communications capacity, through Church offices at 50 Wynford Drive, to assist Boards, Committees, Presbyteries and Congregations of The Presbyterian Church in Canada in their translation and circulation requirements when dealing with governmental agencies, news media and internal correspondence in French.

RECOMMENDATION 4. C

that the Special Committee be dismissed.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM R. RUSSELL,
Chairman.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE RE OVERTURE NO. 21, 1977.

To the Venerable The General Assembly:

The Special Committee appointed by the 103rd General Assembly in response to Overture No. 21, Presbytery of Montreal re: Sections 205-212, Book of Forms has met and considered matters pertaining to the licensing of candidates to preach the Gospel. It desires to make the following observations and present revisions and/or re-arrangements of existing canons.

The Committee regards the licensing of candidates to preach the gospel a process, involving the supervision and pastoral oversight of students by one or several Presbyteries, beginning from the time of first certification. Presbyteries are urged to exercise diligent pastoral care over their students and to co-operate with other Presbyteries, if requested, in the matter of trials by furnishing material helpful to the Presbytery conducting the trials in forming its judgement. The Guidance Conference of the Board of Ministry may be a source also of important perspectives. Kirk Sessions, too, can give valuable assistance by making available to the Presbytery the congregational background and activity and their evaluation of students for whom they request certification. It is a fact, attested in scripture, that God can use our weaknesses as well as our strengths to please Him. (11 Cor. 12:9)

Students, on their part, could assist greatly the licensing procedures by making an early decision as to the Presbytery to which they may legitimately apply in accordance with revised canon 205(a) as outlined herein below.

Finally, the Committee has sought to arrange present canons in an orderly, logical fashion, combine sections that are ancillary to one another, revise certain others to throw light on what is possibly too little clear or bring them into line with present day theological education as approved by the General Assembly. It has sought generally an arrangement of canons that outlines the procedure step by step until the applicant is licensed to preach the gospel and, eventually to be ordained.

The suggested 205 (a) outlines the Presbyteries to which the applicant may apply and how he does so. This section deals with students coming from the Colleges of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Paragraph (b) deals with applicants assigned a special course by the General Assembly, and Paragraph (c) with applicants who have studied wholly in a Theological College other than one of our Church or is currently completing his final year in such a College.

206 (a) is designed to give more time to Presbyteries for examination and to provide some direction as to the nature of the trials permitting them to be conducted through a committee without usurping the rights of individual members of the court. 206 (b) is a re-draft regarding examination, if desired, on the core curriculum in accordance with the report of the General Assembly's Committee on the Structure of Theological Education. (A & P, 1969, p. 44:352) 206 (c) ensures that the applicant has satisfactorily graduated from an approved institution of theological training.

207 seeks to deal with trials that are not sustained and to give further opportunity to the applicant to meet the requirements of the licensing Presbytery.

208 and 209 are the present 211 (abbreviated) and 212 without change, and 210 is the canon permitting ordination of a licentiate appointed by the Board of World Mission.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 1 A

The Committee recommends that the following re-draft of sections 205-212 be sent down to the Presbyteries for study and report to the Secretary of the Committee by January 31, 1979.

Re-draft - Sections 205-212 - Book of Forms

- 205 (a) Any student of theology and candidate for the ministry of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and studying in one of our Church's Theological Colleges, may, on application in writing before December 31st of his final year, be taken on trials for license by:
- 1) the Presbytery of the Bounds, or
 - 2) the Presbytery of most recent certification, if the latter has maintained oversight for two summers or two years, or
 - 3) the Presbytery of first certification.
- Such application shall be transmitted to or through the Presbytery of the bounds. If application for trials is not made elsewhere or does not become effective, the Presbytery of the bounds shall take him on trials for license. If the Presbytery to which application is made deem it expedient and with the request and consent of the applicant and for good cause shown, the application may be transferred to some other Presbytery.
- (b) An Assembly student in the final year of a modified course of studies assigned by the Board of Education, and approved by the General Assembly, may be taken on trials for license as above.
- (c) If an applicant for licensure has studied wholly in a theological college other than one of this Church's colleges, or is currently in his final year in such a college, application shall be made by the Presbytery through the Board of Education to the General Assembly for permission to take such on trials for license. The applicant will submit official transcripts of courses taken with his application and the Board of Education will satisfy itself, through reference of these to the Senate of one of our theological colleges, that the course of studies meets the theological prescription and perspective of this Church. In cases of such applicants, the Presbytery applying for permission to take on Trials for Licence is required to circularise the Presbyteries to this effect not less than two clear months previous to the Meeting of Assembly.
- 206 (a) The Presbytery may begin examination of candidates at any time after application is received. In the trials, the Presbytery shall make careful enquiry as to the applicant's personal religion, motivation and aptitude for the ministry, based on his record, academic and practical, and on interview and examination. It may, with the candidate's permission, avail itself of such evaluative statements and records as are forthcoming from other agencies and bodies of the Church. Presbyteries may conduct trials for licence, if desired, through a Committee, but members of the court may state their views at any stage before the vote to sustain the trials is taken.
- (b) The trials for licensure shall embrace the elected Biblical language and the core subjects outlined in the report of the Committee on the Structure of Theological Education (Acts and Proceedings 1969, p. 44; 352), as well as the applicant's practical skills. But the Presbytery may accept the testamur of the College, as proof of proficiency in these matters and dispense with examination in any or all of these subjects. If a Presbytery sets its own examination, it may assign primary responsibility for examining in each area to particular members of the court.
- (c) Licensure shall take place only after certification from the Senate of one of this Church's theological colleges that:
- 1) He has completed the course prescribed or assigned or approved by this Church.
 - 2) He has given satisfactory evidence of the requisite practical gifts and skills of the Ministry, and
 - 3) His character and conduct are suitable to his position as a candidate for the Ministry.
- A candidate having completed his studies in a college other than one of this Church shall present an equivalent certificate from that Theological College.

- 207 Members of the court have an opportunity of expressing their opinions and the Presbytery, if satisfied, sustains the trials. If the trials are not sustained, Presbytery may prescribe new trials and initiate them after a period of three months has elapsed, or otherwise dispose of the case as it sees fit. The applicant remains under the care of the Presbytery unless for good cause he be transferred to another Presbytery for trials.
- 208 Reproduce the text of present 211 paragraphs 1 or 2 only. (Drop all in 3 following.)
- 209 Reproduce the text of present 212.
- 210 In the event of an appointment under the Board of World Mission having been received and accepted by the applicant, he may, on being licensed, be ordained also as a minister of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, either by the licensing Presbytery or the Presbytery in which the appointment is situate.

JAMES FERGUSON,
Convener

JAMES D. C. JACK,
Secretary

**REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS
(A. & P. 1977 - p.47) TO THE 104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

This Committee was formed by the 103rd General Assembly (A. & P. 1977 pgs. 33 & 47) to deal with Overture #11 of the Presbytery of East Toronto (A. & P. 1976 - p. 441) and the reply to that Overture from the Pension Board (A. & P. 1977 p. 338). The prayer of the Overture asked that the Pension Board give consideration to revising the new Pension Plan with a view to providing each minister in the Plan with an equal pension for equal years of service rendered to the Church. In its reply, the Pension Board was opposed to such a change in the Plan.

The Committee consists of Mr. Allan McKechnie (Board of Ministry), the Rev. George Cunningham (Board of World Mission), Mr. George Palmer (Pension Board), the Rev. D. L. Crocker, and the Rev. Dr. Donald C. Smith (The Committee on Church Doctrine), Convener. The Committee met on two occasions. At the second meeting we were assisted by Dr. R. G. MacMillan. The finding of the Special Committee is as follows:

We believe that an important distinction between a stipend and a salary is that the former is not intended to reflect ability and contribution to the work of the Church. Yet a considerable disparity does exist between stipends paid in the Church. It is not the function of this Committee to deal with this disparity. However, we believe that pension benefits per year of service should not reflect this disparity. Therefore, we recommend that the prayer of Overture #11 (A. & P. 1976 - p. 441) be granted in the following terms:

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

That the Pension Board be asked to consider amending the Plan so that members be permitted to purchase benefits on the basis of maximum pensionable earnings regardless of actual stipend.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

That the Pension Board be instructed not to increase the present maximum pensionable earnings of \$13,000 until such time as the minimum stipend, including increments, reaches that level.

RECOMMENDATION 3. A

That the Committee be discharged.

DONALD C. SMITH
Convener

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE ROLE OF MODERATOR OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

TERMS OF REFERENCE

This Committee was appointed by the 102nd General Assembly, and directed to "study all matters connected with the doctrine, powers and duties of the Moderator of the General Assembly". (A&P 1976 pp. 35, 49, 50, 64)

The personnel of the Committee was as follows:

Rev. R. Bernhardt, Dr. H. F. Davidson, Dr. D. W. Hay, Dr. A. H. Johnston, Mrs. G. D. Johnston, Dr. A. L. Mackay, Miss Evelyn Murdock, Major W. S. Thomson, and Dr. R. P. Carter, chairman.

Dr. D. C. MacDonald was invited to participate in the Committee's work. During the second year of work, Dr. Rayner, the Moderator of the 103rd Assembly was invited to participate.

SCOPE OF THE COMMITTEE'S WORK

1. The Committee made a progress report to the 103rd General Assembly (A&P p. 358) and indicated the scope of its work at that time, as follows:

(Item 4, a-h, p. 358)

- (a) Biblical concepts and principles which pertain to this subject.
- (b) Historical precedents and their significance.
- (c) Usage in other Reformed Churches.
- (d) Honorifics, Titles & Symbols of Office.
- (e) The duties and authority of the Moderator between Assemblies.
- (f) The relationship of the Moderator to the Boards & Committees of the Church and to the lower Church Courts.
- (g) Term of Office and method of election.
- (h) Practical Considerations; Honorarium and expenses; Provision for maintenance and support of usual duties; Moderatorial tour and itinerary.

Appointment and function of the Committee to Advise with the Moderator.

2. During this second year of its work, the Committee has attempted to identify those matters which warrant the Assembly's attention at the present time, and has confined its report to three subjects, making recommendations on two of them.
3. The principal lines of the Committee's studies are placed on record here as follows:
 - (a) At the outset of its work, the committee had the assistance of Dr. L. H. Fowler, with his considerable experience as a former Clerk of Assembly. Dr. Fowler made written submissions, and met with the Committee in person.
 - (b) The Committee surveyed all reports and overtures brought to the Assembly on the subject of the Moderator since 1925. The work was done by Dr. W. H. Fuller. Dr. Fuller's resumé contained the following sections:

The Moderator's Status; His Titles; Ruling Elders as Moderators; Method of Electing Moderators; Powers of the Moderator; Duties of the Moderator.
 - (c) The Committee corresponded with six other churches in the family of Reformed and Presbyterian Churches in North America, the British Isles, and the Netherlands. It did not pursue this correspondence with other European Reformed Churches, or those in other parts of the world. The correspondence focussed around the following paragraph:

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The central question is: "Is the Moderator only the Moderator of the General Assembly until it rises (dissolves)?" Related questions for us

to explore arise from the fact that in The Presbyterian Church In Canada recent practice has tended to give the Moderator some fairly definite responsibilities between one Assembly and the next. We seek to evaluate this development, and if valid, would try to define the Moderator's duties and authority more precisely for General Assembly consideration.

The six churches were asked to say what decisions, statements or policies they had made that would in effect be answers to the Central question above.

- (d) The Committee also invited all living former Moderators of General Assembly of our church to write to the Committee to provide any information or ideas from their own experience which might be relevant to our task. The majority did write and many practical suggestions were made, along with some comments about the nature of the office.
 - (e) Dr. David Hay wrote a paper for Committee study entitled "The Theology of the Moderatorial Role". A further paper was brought to the committee by the chairman for study, entitled "Further Considerations On The Theology Of The Moderatorial Role". As a result of considerable discussion, the Committee was able to incorporate some consensus of its theological study into the findings and recommendations reported below.
4. The Committee has not attempted to include in this report to the Assembly very much of the content of the reports, papers and correspondence referred to above. However, it proposes to place these documents in the archives of the church, with a suitable index, so that the work done can be available in the future to any who may find it useful.

HONOURARY TITLES

From time to time, overtures to the Assembly have asked for the use of such titles as "Right Reverend" and "Very Reverend" (1935, p. 166; 1951, p. 161; 1964, p. 490). The prevailing tradition in The Presbyterian Church In Canada has been opposed to such honorary titles. In 1925 (pp. 110, 114) we find this resolution: "This Assembly affirms the Presbyterian ideal of parity in the ministry and its disapproval in the Presbyterian Church of the titles 'Very Reverend', 'Right Reverend', etc." In 1965 (p. 500) the Assembly Clerk's report reads as follows: "There is no overlord in Christ's heritage; there is only the parity of ministers. The introduction of special titles is a violation of this fundamental doctrine."

The Committee considered this matter of honorary titles, noting that they are used in some other branches of the Reformed Church. Our Moderator is often introduced or addressed as "The Right Reverend" by other churches or public bodies, and former moderators are often addressed as "The Very Reverend". The use of such titles within our own Church has continued in a limited and rather informal way, despite the official pronouncements cited above.

The Committee does not consider that the matter requires any action at this time, either to suggest the outright prohibition of use of such titles, nor on the other hand to recommend the formalizing of their use.

THE MODERATOR'S ROLE BETWEEN MEETINGS OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY

There are those who contend strongly that the Moderator of the General Assembly exercises power only when the Assembly is meeting. The word 'moderator' itself is taken to mean 'one who presides over'. When the General Assembly is dissolved, the moderator's office and authority is seen as terminating with the Assembly, except for some particular action taken by the Assembly requiring the Moderator's participation as Moderator, such as a commission of the Assembly set up to deal with a particular matter following its dissolution.

(There is no doubt that Scottish Presbyterianism has maintained a strong tradition along this line from the beginning, although more recent actions of the Church of Scotland Assembly have modified that tradition considerably. Some other branches of the Reformed Church have apparently been less restrictive in their view of the

function and office that we call Moderator of the General Assembly.)

Our prevailing tradition in this matter is generally understood as a strong affirmation of the unique 'Headship' of Jesus Christ over His Church, and a constant safeguard against human tendencies to acquire power and prestige in leadership positions, which tendencies are contrary to principles clearly laid down by Christ regarding leaders in his Church.

However, the practice of The Presbyterian Church In Canada for a good many years has not followed this strict definition and limitation of the moderatorial office at the General Assembly level. The Moderator has in fact been expected to carry on a number of duties and activities connected with the office throughout the year following the Assembly. Not only must the Moderator convene the next Assembly, but provision has been made for the Moderator to be absent from the congregation or other ministry at frequent intervals throughout the year, to visit the Church, and to represent the Church in meetings with other churches, at state occasions, etc.

It is of particular significance as well that our Book of Forms, ever since the Union in 1875, has had a provision making the Moderator, ex-officio, a member of all Assembly boards and committees.

This Committee concludes therefore, that it has been the long-held position of our Church, established by wont and usage, and incorporated in the Book of Forms, that the Moderator of the General Assembly is in fact the Moderator of the Church throughout the year following the Assembly over which he or she presides.

Although the Church has come to think of and receive the Moderator of the General Assembly as Moderator of the Church, this does not carry with it any authority of the 'ruling' kind. When the Moderator attends one of the lower courts of the Church, he/she has no special authority in that court, but is treated as an honoured guest. Such practices reflect the underlying principle that there is no senior authority or 'headship' connected with being Moderator of the Church.

Rather, it should be understood to mean that the office of moderator provides the Church with a symbol of our corporate unity, as a branch of Christ's Body, the Holy Catholic Church. When the moderator appears among us, he/she 'represents' and 'interprets' to us our corporate life as a body of believing people. Similarly, when the moderator speaks and acts as moderator in meetings with other Christian bodies, or in contacts with the community or the country, he/she 'represents' and 'interprets' our corporate life and witness as a Church.

This is a delicate and difficult task. For the moderator is not free to speak (as moderator) simply from the vantage point of personal views; nor, on the other hand, is it possible to answer many of the questions, or speak to issues, raised outside the Assembly on the basis of statements or declarations approved by the General Assembly. In many cases, no Assembly has declared itself on the matter.

Nevertheless, the task of 'representing' and 'interpreting' the Church's faith and life is a necessary one, filled with great opportunities for leadership, both in building up the faith and vision of the people of the Church, and also for extending the witness of the Church in the world.

The Committee recommends that we act now to further recognize and clarify this view of the moderator's office, in the following terms:

RECOMMENDATION 1. D

That following the dissolution of General Assembly each year, the title of the moderator of that Assembly be: 'The Moderator', The Presbyterian Church In Canada'.

THE COMMITTEE TO ADVISE WITH THE MODERATOR

A Committee to Advise with the Moderator has been appointed each year and has assisted in a limited way in decisions about the moderator's appointments and travel during the year following the meeting of the Assembly. This committee arrangement has been informal and somewhat undefined. Personnel on the Committee has consisted mainly of the Clerk of Assembly and two persons named by the Moderator.

Our Committee has received from past moderators of the Assembly many

comments and suggestions relating to the moderator's work between meetings of the Assembly. We have not thought it necessary or helpful to prepare a manual or set of guidelines, on the grounds that the fewer and simpler the rules laid down, the better. Each moderator should be free to bring his/her own particular gifts, interests and approach to the work of the moderatorial year. Similarly, each committee to advise with the moderator should be free to respond flexibly and creatively to the circumstances of that particular year.

However, we place on record here for the use of future committees to advise with the moderator a few matters that need to be seen to each year, noting that much of this is already being looked after in one way or another.

1. As soon as the official nominee for the office of moderator is known, a contact should be made with the nominee and with the nominee's congregation, board or college, for the purpose of informing them regarding the possible appointment, and advising them of the usual arrangements, financial and otherwise, which are made by the Assembly with the congregation or other employing body. Supportive counselling would be helpful to most congregations in making the most effective arrangements for leadership in the congregation during the moderatorial year following the Assembly.
2. The financial arrangements for the moderator's year of office should be looked into each year. The moderator-elect should be informed about the current practice for paying his and his congregation's expenses, and consulted about any special financial matters that need to be looked into, such as retirement of the moderator during the year of office, special trips outside Canada, etc. Financial arrangements for moderators who have retired, or who will be retiring during the moderatorial year, should ensure that they will receive stipend remuneration no less than the General Assembly minimum.
3. While many of the decisions to accept or decline invitations sent to the moderator may have to be made by him in consultation with the Clerk of Assembly without waiting for the committee to meet, the Committee to Advise with the Moderator should share in developing some overall plan for the moderatorial year, and as far as practicable, should take the responsibility for major decisions regarding the moderator's travel and appointments; and for coordinating requests, so as to reduce travel costs, and conserve the moderator's time and energy.
4. Briefing for the moderator-elect should include two kinds of preparation for the moderatorial year. The moderator needs to be as fully informed as possible on the substance of our Church's position on theological and social concerns. The moderator should also have access to assistance in developing skills needed for contacts with the public media.

The bulk of the practical suggestions received from former moderators will simply be passed along to this year's Committee to Advise with the Moderator.

The Committee believes that it would be a helpful step at this time to give this informal Committee to Advise with the Moderator a more clear-cut role, and to transfer some of the responsibility for decisions about the moderatorial year to persons named by the General Assembly. We therefore recommend as follows:

RECOMMENDATION 2. D

'That the Committee to Advise with the Moderator be a Standing Committee of the General Assembly consisting of: three members, one of whom shall be chairman, nominated by the Assembly's Committee to Nominate Standing Committees, each retiring on the three-year rotational basis; the immediate past Moderator; two members nominated by the incoming Moderator; and the Principal Clerk of the Assembly; the incoming Moderator to be a member of the Committee.'

RECOMMENDATION 3. A
The Committee requests that it be discharged.

R. J. BERNHARDT
 Secretary

Respectfully submitted,
 R. P. CARTER,
 Chairman.

SPECIAL CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE RE: A FORUM ON THE CHURCH IN THE WORLD

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

This special committee was established by the 102nd General Assembly and given two major tasks:

- (a) to provide a forum for the discussion of mutual concerns in Church-society relations between the Board of Congregational Life, the Board of World Mission, Church Doctrine, International Affairs and Inter-Church Aid.
- (b) to report to General Assembly in 1978, relative to future relationships between the Boards and Committees named above in the area of Church and society and in particular to recommend whether the proposed design (A. & P. 1974, p. 423) should be implemented in full or modified or rejected.

Our special committee endeavoured to provide the forum as requested. Several meetings were held at which the Boards and Committees were able to share with each other their mutual concerns and the efforts they were undertaking in Church-society relationships. It is our feeling that this sort of consultation should be continued.

The Committee also addressed itself to the matter of future relationships among the various Boards and Committees involved, in this area of the Church's work. After careful consideration of several options, a proposal for a combining of these efforts was drawn up and circulated to the Boards and Committees. This proposal was not looked upon with favour by the groups affected. It also evolved that our proposed method of financing such a proposal has been lost due to the financial situation of our Church. For these reasons, plus the fact that our special committee has a very definite time limit, we are recommending that no formal organization of the Boards and Committees involved take place.

In the course of our consultations, the Inter-Church Aid Committee asked the assistance of this special committee in exploring a working relationship with the Board of World Mission. Since our mandate does not provide time for the committee to do this, we are recommending that the agencies involved undertake this task themselves.

Since its inception, the Board of Congregational Life has carried responsibility for studying and preparing statements on economic and social issues. While interpreting and implementing such matters to congregations is clearly the mandate of the Board, the study and preparation of these statements does not really fall within the definition of "congregational life." Since there is a relationship in this area with work undertaken by the Committee on Church Doctrine, we are recommending that the possibility of a closer relationship between the two be explored.

For some years now, a Committee on Social Responsibility and Investments has functioned as a committee of the Administrative Council. In order to provide this Committee with a relationship to a programme Board of the Church, and to a group working in related areas, we suggest that it become a committee of the Board of Congregational Life, reporting to Assembly through the Board. Should discussion between the Board of Congregational Life and the Committee on Church Doctrine take place, it is our hope that this Committee on Social Responsibility and Investments would be involved.

RECOMMENDATION 1. A
That the proposed design for a General Assembly Committee on the Church in the World (A. & P. 1974, p. 423) be not implemented.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A
That the Board of World Mission and the Committee on Inter-Church Aid, Refugee and World Service enter into discussions in order to bring their work into a closer alliance; the Board of World Mission to initiate the discussions, and that a report be made to a future Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION 3. A
That the Board of Congregational Life and the Committee on Church Doctrine discuss together the possibility of a closer relationship between the work of the Committee and the Board's Advisory Committee on Studies and Statements on Economic and Social Issues; that the Committee on Church Doctrine initiate such discussions, and that a report be made to a future Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION 4. A
That the Administrative Council's Committee on Social Responsibility and Investment become a Committee of the Board of Congregational Life through whom it will report to General Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION 5. A
That in an effort to co-ordinate what our Church is undertaking in the area of church-society relationships, an annual consultation between two representatives of each of the Board of Congregational Life, the Board of World Mission, Church Doctrine, International Affairs, Inter-Church Aid and any other interested groups be held; the Board of Congregational Life initiating the first consultation at which time a decision shall be reached as to how they shall proceed from year to year.

RECOMMENDATION 6. A
That this special committee be discharged.

J. K. ENGLISH,
 Convener.

THE RESPONSE OF THE COLLEGES TO OVERTURE 12, ACTS AND PROCEEDINGS, 1977

The joint faculties gave consideration to this Overture, and agreed in principle to the following response:

- (a) In essence the prayer of the Overture, as it applies to Knox and Presbyterian College, is already the *modus operandi* of these colleges. Students proceeding to the ministry of our Church, certified by Presbyteries, are not required to pay tuition fees. Students that are not certified by our Presbyteries are required to pay tuition fees in full. Hence the prayer of the Overture is already a reality.
- (b) Re: A fee structure for all students. The Knox College Board gave consideration to this matter. It was felt however that it would be non-productive. It would be necessary for that fee structure to be the same between Presbyterian College and Knox College, or else unwarrantable and unhealthy competition would be involved here. But moreover it was also felt that students who had been responsible for their own fees and tuition during a three or four year Arts programme would find it impossible to pay tuition fees in theology without subsidization. This therefore would lead to a transfer of funds, with a consequent increase in administration and book-keeping. They would simply add to their request for bursary funds the money required for tuition fees.

However this question should be allowed to remain open and might be looked at again at an appropriate time.

- (c) The suggestion of the Overture that appropriate General Assembly agencies be involved in setting up a bursary structure to support students proceeding to ministry would be helpful only if the aim was to provide additional bursary funds for the support of students. Any assistance in this direction would be helpful. If however it involves the establishment of another agency for the distribution of bursary funds, then this too would be counter-productive. It is already very difficult to distribute bursary funds with equity, because congregations, Presbyteries, other institutions, the Church through the Principal Clerk, and the Colleges are already involved in the distribution of bursary funds. It becomes very difficult therefore for the Colleges to determine how their own funds should be distributed with fairness and equity. Indeed the only way this can take place would be for the monies for bursary funds to be placed at the disposal of the Colleges so that at least one agency would know how much money was actually available.

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

That the prayer of Overture 12, 1977 be granted in the above terms.

J. C. HAY

SPECIAL REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH

I. INTRODUCTION

This report is the result of a directive from the 102nd General Assembly to the Boards of World Mission and Congregational Life to "consider the serious relative and actual decline of the members of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, the possible relative decline in income and other aspects of the church's life... and to report on the state of the church with recommendations".

Several studies have been undertaken in the past regarding state or health of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Notable among these are the Life and Mission Project, the P. S. Ross Report, and the 1971 report of the Board of Evangelism and Social Action on Declining Church Membership. In addition, recent studies have been done which provide useful information for the purposes of the report. Canadian attitudes and longings have been researched by Grant Maxwell in "Project Feedback" and by Reginald W. Bibby in "Project Canada". Also, Membership Trends have been studied by both the United Methodist Church in the United States and the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. Several denominations have been actively pursuing the principles of church growth.

Since the committee was unable to do an extensive survey of our church at the present time, this report is based largely on the findings of existing reports. Some information has been gathered from interviews, and from consultations with leaders and youth in various parts of the country. These interviews and consultations have tended to persuade the committee that the problems identified and the solutions proposed in the reports quoted have relevance also for The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

In preparing its report the committee has made use of the following outline -

- i. Introduction
- ii. Trends and Developments
 - a) In Society
 - b) In the Church
- iii. Perceived strengths and weaknesses in The Presbyterian Church in Canada
- iv. Implications for the church
- v. Possible Solutions
- vi. Recommendations
- vii. Suggestions for Implementation
- viii. Appendices: Bibliography
Case Studies

II. TRENDS AND DEVELOPMENTS

Much has happened in Canadian society which has had a direct bearing on trends in church membership and the degree of interest and involvement on the part of church members. This report deals first with trends in society and then shows how these trends have affected the church.

a) In Society

i) The Quality of Everyday Life

A characteristic of Canadian society in recent decades has been its trend towards spending more and more on consumer goods. This has had a profound affect on the quality of life as people perceive and experience it. Coast to coast, Grant Maxwell has found "widespread discontent with the predominating consumer way of life concerning both its shallow quality and its inequalities. For many, an abundance of goods and services does not add up to quality of living, but rather to a poverty of endless wanting more and more things. There is too much affluence for some Canadians, while others lack the necessities of life."¹

ii) Population Shifts and Immigration

For many years the Canadian population has been moving from smaller rural communities to larger centres of population. While rural communities have been decreasing in size, cities have grown at a steady rate. Besides rural Canadians, the cities have received large numbers of immigrants from other countries. Large sections of some Canadian cities are inhabited by people of ethnic origin.

iii) Loneliness

Grant Maxwell, in his feedback experiment has discovered what he has described as "the epidemic of loneliness". "Canadians in all walks of life are calling out for help, for evidence that 'somebody cares' in an increasingly mechanized and depersonalized society. Isolation and alienation are caused, at least partially, by social systems and procedures which separate people from one another... managing their days and their lives: deciding what they shall do and whom they shall see."²

iv) Search for Better Relationships

"Many Canadians seek a better quality of relationships in home life, school life and work life: between men and women, wives and husbands, parents and children, students and teachers, employers and employees, followers and leaders in all aspects of social discourse." "The Women's Movement partially responds to the deeply-felt needs of numerous women who wish to shift the emphasis in relationships from role fulfillment to personal expression, from external rules to internal decisions."³

v) Marriage and Family Life

Families today tend to be smaller, more isolated units when compared with the larger, multi-generational families of a few decades ago. There is also an increasing number of single-parent families, couples which choose to remain childless, and those who see fit to choose an option other than marriage. None of these groupings fit easily into the traditional idea of the family.

vi) Pluralism

Canadian society is becoming increasingly pluralistic with a variety of religious and moral standards which do not easily fit together in a common consensus. "Many people become 'confused' and 'mixed up' when they are confronted by so many conflicting opinions and values. Anxious parents and other educators ask: 'How can we best help our children prepare for life?'"⁴

vii) Education

Education in recent decades has been aimed at equipping the student to be a productive member of society. It has been assumed that edu-

cation can solve all our problems and enable us to meet all our needs. Too little time has been spent on the study of values, and the improving of the quality of life. People may learn to be very "successful" in the business world, but fail to learn how to relate to other people. Furthermore, education has tended to place people in separate "classes" according to their skills. Those trained in one profession or trade are often unable to communicate with those trained in another field.

viii) Television

Television has become a significant molder of public attitudes and responses. It has contributed to a false kind of individualism and a decline in effective communication. The real world is viewed from the perspective of the playworld of violence and dishonesty, which gives rise to a cynicism which denies the better side of human nature.

b) *In the Church*

i) Growing Churches/Declining Churches

The trend among many churches of the mainline denominations has been a decline in membership and general interest. On the other hand, there are some churches which have shown phenomenal growth in recent years. While many churches seem to have been affected adversely by the trends in society, there are some which seem to have found in it their "day of opportunity". And growing congregations are to be found in all denominations. What are the differences between churches which are growing and those that are not?

One of the characteristics of growing churches is the nature of their fellowship. They may be described as "outward looking", anxious to share what they have found with others, and ready to receive them warmly into their fellowship. Their members demonstrate a high degree of commitment and seek to live out their faith "seven days a week". Churches which are declining are more inward-looking and at least give the impression that they are more concerned with self-preservation than serving their community.

There is a lower degree of personal commitment among their members and there often exists what Grant Maxwell calls the "Sunday-Monday split between creed and deed" and sees as "the main cause for disaffection with religious institutions".⁵

ii) Church Growth Related to Traditional Measures

A comparative study of 600 United Presbyterian congregations contrasted growing congregations with declining congregations and showed that growing congregations have the following characteristics:

1. **Strong Pastoral Leadership.** Members show significantly more satisfaction with the overall pastoral leadership of the church. The pastor is seen as the key to church growth and as having more responsibility than lay persons for church growth. Growing congregations are satisfied with their pastors' preaching, calling, sensitivity to members' needs, prayers, and ability to generate enthusiasm, warmth and competence.
2. **More Active Church Programming.** Growing churches are characterized by more active programs with a higher degree of participation than declining churches. In growing churches, people are somewhat more open to new ideas and approaches and are mutually supportive.
3. **More Lay Responsibility for Member Recruitment.** Growing churches have more participation by leaders and members in new member recruitment and training for membership. New members are used more in church life. There is a lower age for confirmation, and significantly more scheduled classes for confirmation.

4. **Greater Percentage of Members Attending Worship.** There is greater overall satisfaction with the worship services in growing congregations.
5. **Located in a Growing Community.** Growing congregations tend to be located in areas which are newer and growing and which have a growing school population. They also are more affluent and have more new residents who are slightly younger, with moderately fewer ethnic minority people and fewer older people. There are fewer Protestant churches nearby.
6. **More Related to Surrounding Community.** Growing churches tend to be slightly more similar to, involved with, and supportive of the community that surrounds the church building.
7. **More involved in Social Action.** Growing congregations are seen as giving more attention to the spiritual growth of their members. They have Bible study groups and prayer groups in their church program.

In summary, for church growth to occur, "it appears that far more depends on the strength, clarity, warmth and enthusiasm of the church leadership program than on its theological orientation."⁶

iii) Youth and the Church

There are fewer youth who are actively involved in the life of the church than formerly. This may be due in part to a tendency to reject all authority. They see the Church as authoritarian and insensitive to their needs, excluding youth from the process of decision making. The apparent contradiction between profession and action on the part of some church members has "turned off" many youth. They cite injustices in society and wonder why the church seems not to care, or to be able to do anything about them. Young people have not lost interest in religion. There are many indications that interest in matters of faith and commitment is growing, but the institutional church seems to hold little appeal for today's youth.

Reginald W. Bibby's research on *The Nature of Religiosity in Canada* (1976) refers to both youth and adults when it includes the finding that "as Canada moves into the last part of the twentieth century, its people know a very high level of religious interest, belief, and activity".⁷

Grant Maxwell in his report, comes to somewhat the same conclusion, but indicates that a majority of this respondents "expect organized religion to become less important to them, at least in its present forms".⁸

iv) Worship Life

In the United States, Europe, and to a slight extent in Canada, there has been a lively and revitalizing interest in the sacraments, rituals, liturgies and their meaning for the life and integration of the community of faith. This movement has not yet seriously affected The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

In some churches the worship leader(s) has established a "doer-observer" relationship. The congregation observes the celebrant performing the religious rites, and does not feel an integral part through participation. The sense of a community of God's people worshipping him is weak.

Preaching continues to hold a central place in the act of public worship, but there has been a tendency to blur the line between Christian faith and national culture. James Smart writes about "the cultural subversion of the Biblical faith".⁹

v) Education in the Church

Enrollment in the educational programs of most denominations is down, but so also is the enrollment in public education. The exception is those churches with a vigorous busing program. They gather in children and youth from a wide area rather than minister only to the families of their members and the immediate community. Studies have not been done to discover what happens to children who were introduced to the church through a busing program.

The quality of church education is often not what it should be. It gets relegated to a place of secondary importance, with little emphasis on teacher training, and the updating of resources and equipment. Likewise, often not enough care is taken with respect to the content of what is being taught. The approach to education has been that of "telling" rather than involving the participants in research and discovery. This results in an assumption being made that church education is unimportant and uninteresting.

At a time when secular education has been exploding with all kinds of opportunities for night classes and continuing education, the church has been slow to see the importance of adult education. National church policies have been emphasizing adult education for a number of years, but relatively few congregations have taken the matter seriously.

Among churches which have promoted adult education there has been a significant trend to small groups for study and discussion. Some do Bible study, while others study social issues, or the mission of the church. Surveys indicate a lack of understanding of the church's mission among people at "the grass roots". Many groups study the topic at hand as "information", but fail to follow it through to the point of action, or the implementation of decisions reached.

vi) Lay Involvement

Some churches have been successful involving a large percentage of their members in the programs of the church and in its decision-making processes. It is an axiom that when people have little opportunity to participate in decision-making they have very little ownership in the decisions made and, therefore, are not likely to do much about their implementation. One of the trends in the life of the church has been the increased participation of the laity.

vii) Fellowship

Churches with a relatively high degree of lay involvement are churches which are characterized by a warm and caring fellowship. They convey the message to members and strangers alike that they are welcome and wanted, and that quality relationships are a high priority. One of the findings of a study of membership trends in the United Methodist Church of the United States is that what attracts people to the church and holds them is a sense of being accepted, loved, and wanted. People look to the church for the fulfillment of their basic spiritual and social needs. When the church supplies what people perceive to be essential to their well-being, they will increase the level of their support and participation. When the church fails to meet those needs, people turn elsewhere.¹⁰

III. PERCEIVED STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES IN THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

Our study has revealed both strengths and weaknesses in The Presbyterian Church in Canada. They are mentioned here in the hope that the church may capitalize on its strengths and take corrective action with respect to its weaknesses.

i) Importance of Worship

Traditionally, The Presbyterian Church in Canada has held to the importance of the public worship of God and sought to encourage its

people to make worship a priority. Care has been taken to preserve "the purity of worship" from gimmicks and novelties, and distractions from its central purpose of "glorifying God".

Unfortunately, this high view of worship has prompted some to feel that worship must be conducted only by those who have been trained for it, and the participation of others would endanger its purity. The sense of the community of faith at worship together, celebrating their faith and bearing witness to its power in their lives is lost to a strict formalism.

ii) An Educated Ministry

The strong emphasis of the Presbyterian Church on an educated ministry has helped to maintain a high standard of academic training on the part of its clergy, and a firm adherence to the basic tenets of Reformed theology. Academic theology alone, however, important as it is, does not prepare a minister for the work of "ministry". It is perceived as a weakness that strategies have not been found to graduate ministers with a greater degree of proficiency in the practice of ministry. It is also a matter of regret that more ministers do not pursue continuing education.

iii) Government

The Presbyterian form of church government is perceived as one of the denomination's great strengths. Properly understood and practiced, this form of government provides a unique balance between local authority and responsibility and the obvious advantages of a graduated system of courts expressing the "doctrine of the whole church". In theory, the authority, responsibility and resources of the entire denomination are put to work as the parts seek mutually to guide, sustain and help one another. In practice this mutual ministry breaks down when courts become jealous of their prerogative and partisan in their judgments. Members of the local congregation feel remote from the courts of the church.

iv) Social Concern

As an expression of its Reformed tradition, the Presbyterian Church seeks to speak with a prophetic voice, and to minister with a compassionate heart to the needs of society. Linked closely with its proclamation of the gospel, this social ministry preserves the church from isolationism and from a "spirituality" which remains aloof from human need. Evangelism and Social Action are held together as an expression of the fullness of the gospel and its ministry to the whole person. In some instances, uncertainty as to who should speak for the church results in a slowness of response to certain social issues.

i) Survival Motive

It is perceived as a great weakness that a church which holds the importance of worship and the importance of ministry to the needs of the whole person, at the same time gets caught in a survival syndrome. An examination of the annual reports and yearly budgets of many congregations will indicate that their first concern is to maintain the institution. The plans and provision for "ministry" comes after all the local and domestic needs have been cared for.

vi) Lack of Understanding of Mission

Many people in the Presbyterian Church lack a clear understanding of the purpose and mission of the church. Mission and outreach programs are evaluated by the number of new members received, rather than by the service and witness provided to the community. People outside the church are quick to "see through" such programs and to assume that whatever the church does, its motive is self-serving. Many Presbyterians are hesitant about sharing their faith. They regard it as a "private matter" which you don't talk about. And the church has done all

too little to overcome such an attitude or to equip people to share their faith with freedom and joy.

vii) Tradition and Roots

While many Presbyterians still trace their roots to Scotland as can the whole church, it is a definite weakness that such emphasis is sometimes placed on its Scottish heritage that it appears as an "ethnic church". In most modern communities the church is called on to minister to people from many countries (now Canadians!). In both theory and practice the many Presbyterian congregations have failed to welcome and to minister to and with other ethnic communities.

viii) Congregationalism

Notwithstanding the strength of court system, one of the weaknesses of The Presbyterian Church in Canada is a tendency to congregationalism. Congregations tend to be a law unto themselves in most matters except the calling of a minister, which is done through the Presbytery. The Presbytery is much less of a "bishop" to the congregations than the system of government calls for. The pastoral care and oversight of the congregations within the bounds only gets attention when a problem arises, and then it is often too late. Congregations do not expect to receive support from the Presbytery, and Presbyteries do not require congregations to implement the decisions of the court. Frequently less than half of the congregations take part in presbytery workshops for stewardship education, teacher or eldership training. Some do not even hear about it! Channels of communication are normally through the minister. If he or she is not interested in a proposal, or chooses not to do anything about it, there is little accountability before the Presbytery.

ix) Decision-making

The Presbyterian Church has a long tradition of making decisions on the basis of a simple majority vote. Decisions are made without taking time to "hear" what the minority is saying and, without trying to reach a consensus. Such decisions are weak, lacking support and "ownership" on the part of the decision-making body. One example is the fact that some decisions made by the General Assembly (the highest court of the church) are not seen as binding in the lower courts. Synods, Presbyteries and Sessions can opt out at will, and some do!

IV. IMPLICATING FOR THE CHURCH

i) Self Image

The Presbyterian Church in Canada continues to lose approximately 2500 members per year and this is a condition which has continued for almost two decades. Because many people assume an effective church is a growing church, the failure to produce increasing membership statistics has suggested to both church members and others that the church is failing and becoming irrelevant. On the other hand, it was concern over declining statistics which, in part at least, promoted this study. If a careful analysis of the nature of the church's decline can lead to corrective measures, the negative effect of the decline can be turned into a positive one.

ii) A Ministry to the Lonely?

If, as Grant Maxwell has shown, loneliness is abroad in our society in epidemic proportions, what is the church doing about it? Is "anybody listening?" "Anybody care?" Here is one opportunity for the church to be the church and to extend to others the healing fellowship with which it has been endowed by God.

iii) Inner-city/Ethnic Ministries

The Presbyterian Church, if it would be a growing church, needs to come to terms with the areas of rapid growth and the areas of ethnic

population. If the church can send people to other lands to share the gospel with other cultures, why can't it join in the gospel ministry with people of other cultures who have come to live in this country?

iv) Mutuality in Mission

As the Christian Church becomes indigenous in other lands, and Christian immigrants from those lands come to Canada, is the Presbyterian Church prepared to welcome these Christians and to share with them in their life and work, and in their leadership roles? Is The Presbyterian Church in Canada open to becoming a church that is increasingly multi-cultural and multi-racial in its membership?

v) Commitment to Evangelism

Theologically speaking, the Presbyterian Church has a strong sense of mission, but in the practical terms of getting out and doing it, much is left to be desired. Evangelism needs to be translated from the pulpit to the life and work of the laity. It needs to become a priority in the church at all levels.

vi) Towards a Whole-of-Life Response

"One of the major challenges confronting the church is that many Christians still seemingly fail to see the connections between faith and justice, prayer and politics. There is evident need to stress more than ever the both/and nature of Christianity as a whole-of-life response: that along with Word and Sacrament it involves a life-view and a way of living that commits Christians to faith and social justice, love and responsible stewardship."¹¹

vii) Leadership

In the Grant Maxwell report, a majority of *Feedback* respondents see leaders, and religious leaders in particular, as – out of touch with everyday experiences, and indifferent to everyday problems of the people they are called to serve.

Such a comment has important implications for the Church. "Believers and disbelievers alike expect religious leaders to be present among them, not above them. This *ministry of presence* – listening and responding, and especially *listening with one's heart* – is imperative in a complex, often impersonal and even inhuman society. Of all institutions, the Church in particular is expected to care for people as human beings. And why not, given the Good News Christians profess to believe? A critical review of appointment books would be one practical way for leaders to start appraising patterns of service: How representative are the people I talk to on the average day? Do they live on both sides of the tracks?"¹²

viii) Decision-making and Implementation

Ways and means will need to be found to involve people more effectively in decision-making at all levels of the church's life. Extensive consultation between national agencies and people at the "grass roots" would help inform the agencies of the real needs of the people they serve and, at the same time, would bring about a greater degree of commitment to the decisions made. Better communication would mean more effective implementation.

ix) Stewardship of Time and Resources

The Presbyterian Church, in its corporate stewardship of time and money, should weigh carefully the proportion of its resources devoted to the maintenance of the institutions compared to that which is spent on ministry with people. Maintenance and mission goals can never be separated entirely, the one from the other, but great care needs to be taken that the church may be seen to be a faithful steward of the gospel of Jesus Christ as it affects and changes the lives of people.

V. PROPOSED SOLUTIONS

In the light of the trends in church and society noted above, and the attitudes and problems affecting the decline in church membership and involvement, several proposals are offered.

i) The Congregation

Functionally, the congregation is central to the life and mission of the church. If congregations become self-centred and satisfied to maintain the status quo, there can be no growth and no mission. The very existence of the church depends on its fulfilling of the divine mandate to "make disciples of all..." The church is for others and congregations must ever turn their attention outward beyond themselves. Even the careful nurture of fellowship within the congregation must not be "for members only".

The following suggestions are offered as a means of promoting a vigorous mission-styled congregational life. (It should be understood that these suggestions are best understood as a "package" rather than a list of "options".)

- a) Biblical preaching which is relevant to the needs of today
- b) A presentation of the gospel which calls for commitment to Jesus Christ, and obedience to his will
- c) A carefully planned program of Christian nurture for all ages
- d) Opportunities for the development of meaningful fellowship for its members (including lapsed members!) and those who are yet outside the church
- e) Increased opportunities for Bible study and a strong undergirding with prayer
- f) Programs which nurture wholesome family life and which include singles as well as single parents
- g) Congregational planning and goal-setting on a continual basis
- h) A strategy of intentional mission to the community and the world
- i) On-the-job training in the methods and techniques of congregational evangelism and church growth
- j) An on-going stewardship emphasis
- k) More participation in decision-making by laity and youth.

ii) Courts of the Church

In order to strengthen the connectional links within the church and to ensure accountability, the following are proposed—

- a) Sessions should be required to report to Presbytery within six months indicating what action was taken on any matter remitted by the Presbytery
- b) Presbyteries (and Synods) should be required to act on remits from the General Assembly and to report in writing to the Clerks of Assembly what action was taken
- c) Presbyteries should exercise their responsibilities in oversight and support of congregations collectively, and ministers individually within their bounds.

iii) General Assembly Boards

In order to ensure congregational support and ownership of the policies and programs of the General Assembly Boards, extensive consultation with Presbyteries and congregations should be undertaken. The Boards and their staff members should be prepared to explain and interpret each other's policies and programs.

iv) The Colleges

To prepare people for ministry and service in the church, ways and means should be found to include as part of the regular courses in theological education the principles of evangelism and church growth, the significance and techniques of family life ministries, and a ground-

ing in the principles and methods of church education, and skills in communication and inter-personal relations. If this additional work should require an extra year of study, the two-year O.M. appointment should be reduced to one year. In fact, the one-year appointment should rather be an internship under the guidance of a qualified supervisor. If it should prove too difficult to implement the above suggestions, at least there should be made available, and mandatory in some form or other, continuing education courses which would include the areas of ministry identified above.

RECOMMENDATION 1: C

That the General Assembly summon all members of The Presbyterian Church in Canada to a renewed commitment to the ministry and mission of the church, and that the Board of Congregational Life be directed

- a) *to develop a congregational pilot project within the bounds of each of the Synods to model the possibilities for renewal through church growth concepts and programs, and*
- b) *in consultation with other Boards (viz Ministry and World Mission) to engage specialists in the area of growth and renewal, and that additional funding be provided in 1978 and 1979 to assist in a process of planning a national strategy for growth and renewal.*

NOTE: The Board of World Mission agreed to delete part (a) above.

RECOMMENDATION 2: A

That the courts of the church be instructed to give more adequate expression to the system of responsibility and accountability provided for within the Presbyterian form of church government by the implementation of suggestions such as are proposed in this report.

RECOMMENDATION 3: A

That the Colleges of The Presbyterian Church in Canada be directed to explore ways and means of implementing the proposals contained in the report for the incorporation of courses in "ministry" within their regular curricula, and the provision of such courses in a program of continuing education, and report to the 105th General Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION 4: C

That beginning in 1980 participation in continuing education courses become mandatory for clergy and other professional church workers as proposed in this report, that guidelines be developed by the Board of Ministry for presentation to the 105th General Assembly, and that Presbyteries be responsible for the supervision of such a program.

RECOMMENDATION 5: A

That this report, together with a study guide prepared by the Board of Congregational Life, be remitted to presbyteries and congregations for ongoing study and implementation, and that initial reports be submitted to the Board of Congregational Life by January 31, 1980, for submission to the General Assembly of that year.

Respectfully submitted,

Board of Congregational Life,
Board of World Mission,

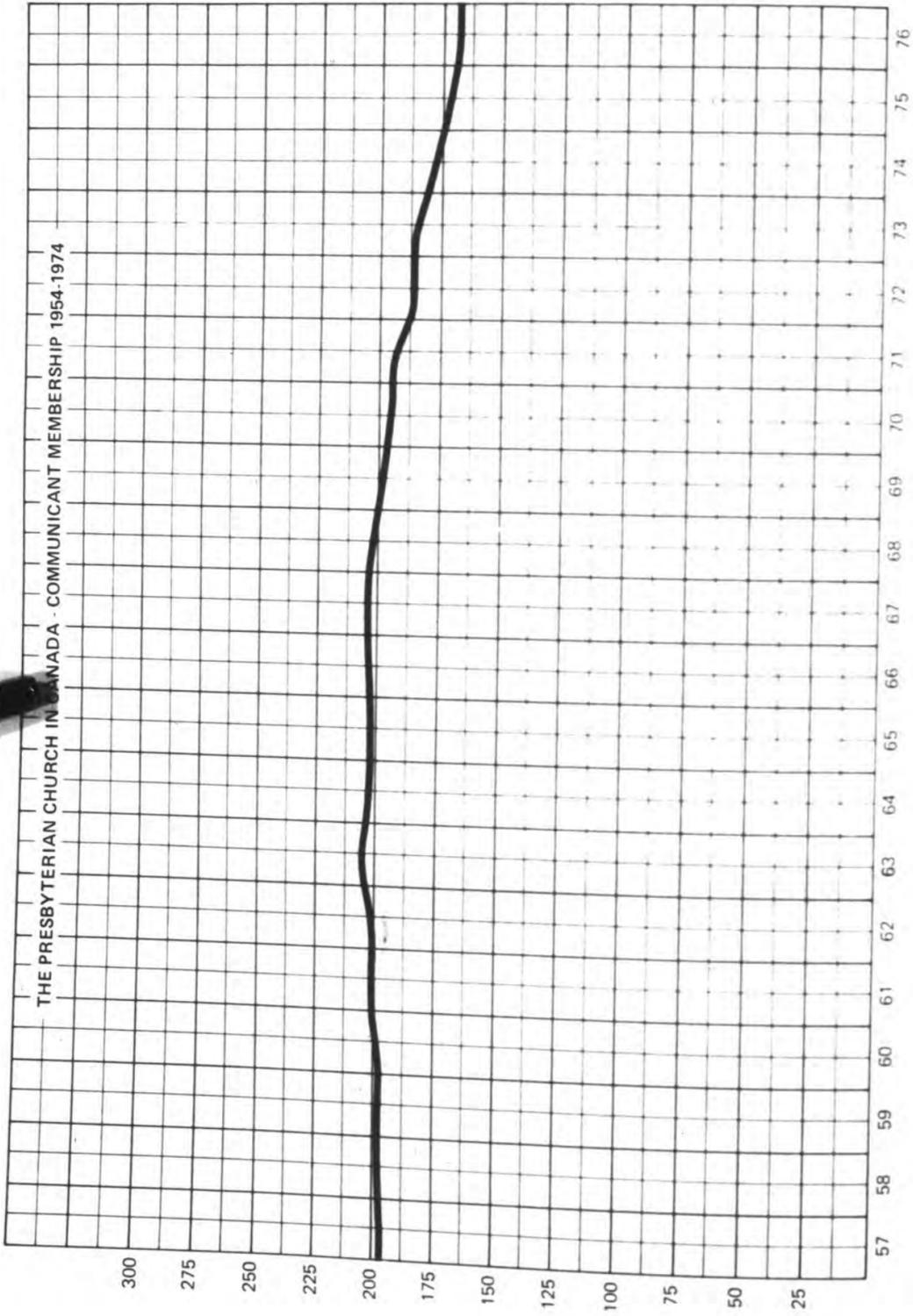
MRS. M. McCUTCHEON,
Chairman.

GEORGE A. MALCOLM,
General Secretary.

W. J. ADAMSON
Chairman

W. L. YOUNG
General Secretary

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA - COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP 1954-1974



APPENDIX B

| | Preaching Stations | Sunday School | Total Baptism | House-holds | Communicants Rec'd By prof of Faith | Communicants Rec'd By cert. of trans. | Communicants Rem'd By Trans- | Death | Total Commu. Roll | Total Money Raised | Total for General Assbly. Budg. |
|------|----------------------|-------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|---|---|
| 1966 | 1,145 | 90,092 | 7,862 | 134,774 | 5,684 | 7,203 | 4,906 | 8,742 | 202,498 | 14,001,696 | 1,961,155. |
| 1967 | 1,137 | 99,695 | 7,245 | 132,228 | 5,194 | 6,881 | 4,942 | 8,753 | 200,125 | 14,602,618 | 1,982,013. |
| 1968 | 1,123 | 94,780 | 6,804 | 130,127 | 5,075 | 6,622 | 4,772 | 9,308 | 197,872 | 15,685,010 | 2,035,501. |
| 1969 | 1,112 | 88,231 | 6,426 | 128,685 | 4,502 | 6,199 | 4,340 | 9,487 | 194,444 | 16,296,543 | 2,018,181. |
| 1970 | 1,088 | 80,080 | 6,193 | 125,905 | 4,419 | 5,661 | 4,093 | 9,226 | 190,355 | 16,581,983 | 2,033,807. |
| 1971 | 1,083 | 75,641 | 5,868 | 123,353 | 3,907 | 5,328 | 3,758 | 9,105 | 186,584 | 16,763,353 | 2,018,532. |
| 1972 | 1,069 | 67,531 | 5,891 | 120,967 | 3,738 | 4,968 | 3,375 | 9,128 | 182,559 | 17,377,708 | 2,047,715. |
| 1973 | 1,071 | 63,362 | 5,700 | 121,270 | 3,682 | 5,153 | 3,514 | 8,526 | 179,267 | 17,446,381 | 2,126,112. |
| 1974 | 1,057 | 58,589 | 5,350 | 120,041 | 3,686 | 4,881 | 3,446 | 7,647 | 176,367 | 19,752,703 | 2,207,406. |
| 1975 | 1,069 | 56,785 | 5,356 | 119,061 | 3,825 | 4,796 | 3,216 | 7,275 | 174,555 | 21,133,983 | 2,355,836. |
| 1976 | 1,073 | 54,246 | 5,309 | 117,887 | 3,821 | 4,646 | 2,802 | 8,057 | 171,791 | 26,101,115 | 2,756,245. |
| | -72 | -35,846 | -2,553 | -16,887 | 1,863 | 2,557 | 2,104 | 685 | -30,707 | +12,099,486 | +795,090 |
| | fewer preach-charges | 40% fewer in ch. school | 31% fewer being baptised by end of decade | 13% fewer house-holds by end of decade | 32% fewer Prof. of Faith | 36% fewer are being rec'd by Trans. | 43% fewer re-moved by Trans. | 8% fewer being re-moved by death or Presby. Rolls. | 16% fewer Comm. members on Roll by end of Decade | 86.4% increase in dollars decreased 57% = 6% increase | 40.5% increase in dollar decreased 57% = 18.4% decrease |

APPENDIX C

From a Summary Report of the Committee on Membership Trends of the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. the following findings are quoted here in the belief that they apply also to The Presbyterian Church in Canada:¹³

1. The United Presbyterian Church should affirm that it expects to grow.
 - a) Faithfulness demands the sharing of the good news.
 - b) The church needs both quality and quantity. The gospel demands both.
 - c) Membership growth requires a positive understanding of evangelism.
2. The United Presbyterian Church must recognize strong pastoral competence as a decisive factor for the vitality and outreach of a congregation.
3. The United Presbyterian congregations need to change their attitude toward, their motivation for, and their competence in sharing the Christian faith.
4. United Presbyterians need to clarify the Christian convictions in an age of uncertainty, individualism and relativism.
5. United Presbyterian congregations need to develop adequate training for potential members and more conscientious programs for the retention of members who become inactive or move away.
6. The United Presbyterian Church must improve its ministry to the youth and single adults within and outside the church.
7. The United Presbyterian Church must reckon with the difference that the weight of local contextual factors makes in growth potential.
8. The United Presbyterian Church should devote major energies and resources at all levels to new church development and church redevelopment.
9. The United Presbyterian Church needs to recognize and understand the diversity of situations and needs among ethnic minorities and to develop with them a dynamic partnership in mission.
10. The United Presbyterian Church needs to practice its connectionalism in such a way that it will be a positive asset to the local church.

APPENDIX D

From "Membership Trends: The United Methodist Church in the United States", the following recommendations are quoted in the belief that they will prove both interesting and informative to members of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.¹⁴

1. That a comprehensive broadly conceived evangelistic outreach program be developed and implemented which would emphasize personal commitment to Christ and his church, the development of a supportive community, and the conservation of members;
2. That a concerted program be launched to improve the quality of teaching, learning and nurture which are offered through the church school in order that more children, youth, adults and families might be enlisted and equipped for Christian discipleship and service.
3. That every pastor and all local church leaders be encouraged to develop and carry out, in cooperation with . . . (Presbyteries and Secretaries) those ministries which are designed to extend the outreach of the church to additional persons, to increase the number of professions of faith, to raise the level of participation of present members, and to provide all persons with opportunities for spiritual growth, service and nurture.

FOOTNOTES

- ¹ Grant Maxwell: Project Feedback, 1976 (Canadian Catholic Conference), 90 Parent Avenue, Ottawa, Ontario. K1N 7B1 - Vol. VII, p. 6.
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- ³ Ibid - Vol. VII, p. 10.
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- ⁹ James Smart: The Cultural Subversion of Biblical Faith, Westminster, Philadelphia, 1977.
- ¹⁰ Membership Trends: Summary Report, the United Presbyterian Church in United States.
- ¹¹ Grant Maxwell: Project Feedback, 1976 (Canadian Catholic Conference), 90 Parent Avenue, Ottawa, Ontario. K1N 7B1.
- ¹² Op. cit - Vol. VII, p. 36, 38.
- ¹³ Membership Trends: Summary Report, the United Presbyterian Church in United States.
- ¹⁴ Membership Trends: United Methodist Church in the U.S.A.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA REPORT OF THE TRUSTEE BOARD

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

In accordance with the Act of Incorporation, the Board presents lists of securities:

- (i) Which have been purchased or received during the year;
- (ii) Which have matured or have been sold during the year; and
- (iii) Held by The Trustee Board at December 31st, 1977 on behalf of the several funds of the Church.

Copies of these lists are available for the Commissioners to the General Assembly.

The Board would like to report its appreciation for the invaluable assistance given to it by the Investment Advisory Committee under the Chairmanship of Mr. J. D. McCormack.

During the year necessary discharges, postponements, leases, title deeds, releases and similar documents were executed under seal of the Board on behalf of the various departments of the Church.

The Board will ask the Administrative Council to recommend to the General Assembly that an appointment be made to replace Professor G. Sinclair whose term of office expires in June, 1978.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. D. MORDEN
Chairman.

J. B. BARBOUR
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY, (E.D.) FOR 1977.

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Executive of the Woman's Missionary Society, (E.D.) respectfully submits the following report for the year 1977.

The Executive met for regular meetings during the year. The Annual Meeting was held at St. Andrew's Moncton, N.B., and Bethel Riverview, N.B., September 20-22, 1977. We were privileged to have Miss Georgine Caldwell, on furlough from her work in the Taiwan Theological College and at present pursuing her doctoral studies at Union Seminary in New York, as guest speaker at the opening service of worship and also the following evening on Mission Night. Miss May Nutt, Executive Secretary of W.M.S. (W.D.), gave valuable assistance during Group Sessions as a special resource person.

Miss Mavis Hyndman, recently returned from Japan, visited our eight Presbyterians in late October and early November. She had a very busy schedule travelling from place to place, taking part in Fall Rallies, and Sunday services, speaking at C.G.I.T., W.M.S., and C.O.C. groups. We are indebted to the B.W.M. for loaning her.

Miss Mabel Bannerman, President, represented the E.D. at the ordination of Miss Iona MacLean, in St. David's Church, Halifax, N.S. Miss MacLean was the first woman ordained in the Atlantic Synod.

Mrs. Priscilla Anderson, Education Convener, left with her family in August for Japan. This was a great loss for the E.D. Our best wishes go with them. Miss Jessie Craise is her successor.

The Children's and Girl's Learning-Sharing Project for 1977-78 is related to Christian Education leaders in the Caribbean; to contribute to their stipend and to buy additional material. There seems to be an upsurge in interest shown in these groups, both in the children themselves and in the leaders coming forth to lead them.

For the first time in many years the W.M.S. (E.D.) is without personnel. Miss Christine Shaw, resigned in January, 1977 due to family reasons. Several recom-

mendations have been made by the Personnel and Policy Committee and we trust workers will be obtained in the very near future.

The Presbyterian Message was published in eleven issues. The Editorial Committee has endeavoured to fulfill the four-fold function of our E.D. Magazine; to provide information on the Mission of the church; resources for Mission study; meditations and worship resources; also news and reports of E.D. events. The Editor of the Message is Mrs. John Posno.

Mission Rallies and Workshops were held to introduce the new Mission study, "The Caribbean Crescent" and "The Local Church in God's Mission".

Three members of the Eastern Division Executive are representatives on the Board of World Mission, and our Mission Secretary, Miss Alice Condon, is a Member of the B.W.M. Executive and various committees. Miss Jessie Craise, Education convener is a member of the Board of Congregational Life.

MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS, 1977 Presbyterians 8

| | Groups | Members | Home Helpers |
|------------------------------|--------|---------|--------------|
| W.M.S. and affiliated Groups | 177 | 2,582 | 928 |
| Girl's | 22 | 361 | |
| Children's | 56 | 615 | |

FINANCIAL STATISTICS, 1977

| | | |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| Total Receipts | | \$68,585.38 |
| Disbursements: | | |
| Board of World Mission | \$30,000.00 | |
| Specials per B.W.M. | 7,876.00 | |
| General Expenses | 4,788.11 | |
| Stipend and Outreach Fund | 22,333.27 | |
| From Stipend and Outreach Fund: | | |
| Anniversary M. Nichol, 30 yrs. as Missionary, India | | \$1,000.00 |
| Nepal UMN School of Nursing, Kathmandu, Nepal | | 2,000.00 |
| Jobat Christian Hospital Extension | | 1,000.00 |
| Bhopal Centennial, October '77 - Satpura Area Project | | |
| Korean Christian Church in Japan, 70th. Anniversary | | 2,000.00 |
| Luther Young's Work - 50th. Anniversary | | 5,000.00 |
| Capital Funds B.W.M. (to be designated overseas) | | 2,000.00 |
| Atlantic Synod Camps | | 1,000.00 |
| Armagh | | 1,000.00 |
| Ewart College | | 1,000.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

J. MABEL BANNERMAN
President, W.M.S. (E.D.).

REPORT OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY WESTERN DIVISION

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Council Executive of the Women's Missionary Society, W.D. respectfully submits the following report of the Society's work for the year 1977.

During this year as in the past the Society has focused its attention on Church Education recognizing that the education of Christians for their life and mission is vital for the growth of the church in Canada and abroad.

Staff working in the office have participated in this emphasis by working with Age Group Committees in seeking out and preparing resources for use in study groups of all ages. Materials used by some adult and youth groups were related to the theme "The Local Church in God's Mission" while some Adult, Youth and Children's groups chose to use "The Caribbean Crescent" materials. Some groups were still working on "the Canadian Concerns: Christian Response" materials. *The Glad Tidings* provided current information on these themes as well as giving other mission information related to the church's work in the World. The Book Room distributed programme resources and made available other related and devotional materials. Area Staff have continued to promote mission study materials and assist groups in selecting and using resources as well as assisting leaders and teachers in local congregations and executives in Presbyterials/Presbyteries and Synodicals/Synods in planning their educational events.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT STAFF

| | |
|--|--|
| Executive Secretary..... | Miss May Nutt |
| Secretary for Teenage and Children's Work..... | Miss Brenda Moncrieff |
| Editor/Adult Programme Secretary.. | Mrs. Kathleen Hummelen |
| Book Room Manager..... | Mrs. Margaret MacDougall |
| Office Secretaries..... | Miss Katherine Allen, Mrs. Mildred Preston, Miss Muriel Sharp, Mrs. Helen Findlay (part time until June), Mrs. Olga Matthews (part time from September). |
| Area Educational Consultants..... | Miss Margaret Boyd, Mrs. Jean Cassidy, Miss Dorothy Keller (until August 1977), Miss Evelyn Murdoch, Miss Lois Powrie, Miss Elizabeth Steele, Mrs. Karen Timbers, Miss Barbara Woodruff. |

Miss Brenda Moncrieff was appointed to the new position of Secretary for Children's and Teenage Work beginning February 1, 1977.

The Society cooperates with the Board of World Mission and the Board of Congregational Life. In 1977 the Society contributed \$375,000 to the Board of World Mission as well as appointing 10 members to serve on the Board and its various committees. Two representatives of the Society serve on the Board of Congregational Life and National and Area staff of the Society are considered Associate Staff members of the Board. The Board of Congregational Life contributed \$6,000 towards the travelling expenses of Area Staff. Both the Board of World Mission and the Board of Congregational Life have representatives on Council Executive, Council and the Education Committee.

The Council Executive met seven times during the year to hear reports of its committees and deal with their recommendations. The Executive's representatives on various Presbyterian and Interdenominational Boards and committees reported to the executive. Home and Overseas Staff members of the Society and the Board of World Mission also made presentations.

During the year salaries were reviewed and the salaries of deaconesses raised in accordance with General Assembly's action and proportionate increases were given to other staff members. Areas of Educational Consultants were reviewed and the direction of Council to make each of the four Western Synodicals a separate area was carried out.

Deputation planned cooperatively by the Women's Missionary Society, W.D. and the Board of World Mission was carried out by Council Executive members, Staff and Missionaries on furlough.

The following is a statistical summary of groups as reported by the Synodicals:

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| 796 Adult Groups with a membership of..... | 16832 |
| 182 Teenage Groups with a membership of..... | 1787 |
| 233 Children's Groups with a membership of..... | 2661 |

Though such statistics are often inaccurate we know that these figures repre-

sent a group of dedicated members who give and grow as Christians in the life of their group.

Finances

The contribution of the groups of the Society are indicated in the Financial Summary below. Mrs. W. H. Adamson was the Treasurer of the Society until the Council meeting in May when Mrs. H. Hogg was elected Treasurer. Miss Marjorie McMullin is Assistant to the Treasurer and Bookkeeper in this department and Mrs. Mary Shepherd provides secretarial assistance and is responsible for the work related to Life Membership. The Investment Advisory Committee continued to serve the Society during the year.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

General and Supply Fund

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| Receipts..... | \$604,409. |
| Disbursements..... | \$648,855. |

Trust Funds

Legacy, Pension and Retirement, Anniversary Book and Emergency Funds

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| Receipts..... | \$111,850. |
| Disbursements..... | \$ 65,864. |

In 1977 the Society contributed \$11,300.00 in grants for Christian Literature to provide Christian literature in their own language for people in Africa, Hong Kong, India, Japan, Taiwan, the Caribbean, the Philippines, as well as for French, Hungarian, and Native Canadians.

MRS. J. A. NEWSTEAD,
President.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WORLD MISSION

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Board of World Mission reports a very active year in 1977 as can be seen in the Mission activities of the Synods, Presbyteries, congregations, institutions in this country and in our Sister Churches in the Caribbean, Taiwan, Japan, Nigeria, Malawi, India, and the international agencies with whom we are associated. The commitment of our Overseas and Canadian missionaries is appreciated.

Significant events:

- Dr. DeC. Rayner, Moderator 103rd General Assembly and Rev. E. F. Roberts, Overseas Secretary, attended the Caribbean Conference of Churches Assembly in November in Georgetown, Guyana.
- Mrs. W. E. McCutcheon, Chairman, visited the Churches in Japan, Taiwan and Hong Kong as a demonstration of the fellowship The Presbyterian Church in Canada shares in Christ as part of His worldwide Church.
- Rev. C. Rodger Talbot has been appointed Secretary for Research, Planning and Finance.
- Dr. E. H. Johnson left the service of the Board in December, 1977 after over 40 years of service.
- Rev. R. M. Ransom retires at the end of June, 1978 after 20 years of service as Assistant Secretary, Overseas Missions and as Secretary for Mission Education.
- Rev. Paul Chan retires after 41 years as Minister of the Chinese Church, Montreal.
- The Board of World Mission expenditures for operational purposes in 1977 was \$2,665,118. The percentage allocated for Mission purposes has been cut back from 60% to 58% by the General Assembly.

- The Woman's Missionary Society (E.D.) and Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) increased their financial support and the Church is deeply appreciative of their continued leadership in congregations with mission zeal and education.
- The Board of World Mission has sent out literature through Mission Education, Quick Facts on our Overseas Mission areas and Canada Special Ministries have been used in many congregations. The filmstrips and slides on Missions are well received. A number of Mission Week-ends were held in different parts of our nation.
- The 1977 Graduates of our Colleges and other Colleges are serving the Church well across Canada, some in geographically isolated places, and a few in the large cities.
- During 1977, 15 congregations became self supporting: St. Giles, North Sydney; St. Columba, Saint John; Tabusintac, N.B.; Ingleside, Ontario; Strathcona Park, Kingston; Stouffville, Ontario; St. Paul's, Bramalea; St. Giles, Sault Ste. Marie; St. Giles, Galt; St. Andrew's, Winnipeg; Fort St. John; Innisfail; Banff; Fort Macleod; Brentwood, Vancouver.

Overseas Operations

- The Secretary for Overseas Operations writes:
- "During the first six months of 1977 I was on sabbatical. Approximately half of the time was spent in a formal academic setting and the balance devoted to reading, interviews and reflection. I express my appreciation to the General Secretary and Staff of the BWM for so ably looking after my responsibilities while I was away and especially to Dr. James E. Sutherland who served the Board on a pro tem basis during my absence.
- "In November I made a field visit to the Caribbean to attend the Second Assembly of the Caribbean Conference of Churches. Nearly 350 delegates and CCC Staff from all parts of the Caribbean along with 40 Fraternal delegates from around the world gathered in Georgetown, Guyana. This gathering represented one of the very few opportunities for the people from the English speaking, French speaking, Dutch speaking and Spanish speaking Caribbean to meet together and across national and cultural barriers to share their hopes, concerns and disappointments, and share their Christian faith and commitment.
- "I was most encouraged with the Guyana Presbyterian Church. It is still passing through difficult times. Many of its key elders and members have emigrated and a number of ministers have left. But there are signs of a new and hopeful spirit. Meetings of Presbytery are taking place with dignity and order, laymen and ministers are equally sharing responsibilities, and a widening awareness is growing that the Church must be concerned with both the spiritual and social aspects of life in Guyana.
- "Generally, BWM's involvement in a development project is in terms of personnel. Nepal is the best example where for the past three years the BWM has shared with the International Development Fund of the Province of Alberta and the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA) the support of Pat Pooler and the Okhaldhunga Dispensary and Community Health Program where she works. In 1977 alone this support amounted to \$38,000.00 of which \$3,420 was for development education purposes. The funding is worked out on the basis that for every one dollar which is raised in Alberta by the PCC and spent on international development the Alberta Government will match it with another one dollar and then CIDA will match the two dollars from PCC and Alberta with another two dollars, making a total of four dollars for every Presbyterian dollar."
- We need to continue to implement the guidelines for strengthening self-reliance and to explore areas where the Holy Spirit may be leading. Throughout the Atlantic Synod there seems to be a growing awareness of our historical ties with the New Hebrides. During 1977 the small country of Lesotho, isolated in the midst of South Africa, has been drawn to my attention by three completely independent sources. Is the Holy Spirit pointing in either of these directions? A committee reviewed the replies from Presbyteries re: desirability of discontinuing areas of work and commencing new work. In the light of this study BWM agreed:

1. That our involvement in Overseas work should continue subject to the request of overseas churches.
2. That over the years the emphasis has been on training local leadership and it should be our continued intention to develop local church leadership.
3. That we seek to develop expertise in special pastoral ministries.

Canada Missions

Canada Missions covers the vast areas of Canada and also absorbs the lion's share of annual funds available from the General Assembly Budget. These funds are used entirely in support of congregations and institutions, which form the basic ingredient of the church. Some figures will illustrate:

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| Total Income: General Assembly Budget, 1977 | \$4,456,157 |
| BWM: Total expenditures in 1977 | \$2,665,118 |
| Canada Missions: | \$1,335,272 |

These funds were used to assist some 200 congregations pay basic stipends and allowances to ministers or other full-time workers.

In 1977 a significant number of aid-receiving congregations have undertaken full support, at the same time maintaining their support to the Budget, and continuing to reduce Capital indebtedness. In some cases a re-alignment of the work took place, but most reflect only growing health and strength of the congregations involved. The Financial Plan Guidelines whereby an aid receiving congregation aims at reducing its grant from BWM by ten percent and increases its membership by five percent, was begun and many congregations achieved a major part of this goal.

There have unfortunately been some instances of regression, mostly in the inner city areas of Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver. In several such cases interim grants have been approved to "buy time".

A study of available statistics indicates a decline in membership at rates varying from 0.62% to 3.02% in all Synods except Manitoba and Alberta, which show modest increases. Of the 2346 members lost in 1976, 2147 were in the Central Synods, 441 in Quebec and Eastern Ontario, 746 in Toronto-Kingston, 960 in Hamilton-London.

The Presbyterian Church in Canada continues to share in Ecumenical endeavours wherever possible. The Inter-Church Planning Associations in larger communities across the country have been almost invariably initiated and led by Presbyterians. Community groups and Ministerial Associations reveal a high level of Presbyterian participation. Congregations in many areas have joined with other denominations: Valetta, Ontario - shared ministry with Reformed Church in America; Cranberry Portage, Manitoba - shared ministry with Menonite Brethren; Calvin-Grace - shared ministry with the United Church in Hamilton, Ont.; Dublin Shore, N.S.; Elmsdale, N.S.; Leggatt's Point, Quebec; Winnipegosis, Manitoba-shared ministry with United Church of Canada, Whitehorse, Yukon - shared minister (interim) with Lutherans; Port Cartier, Quebec - leadership in ecumenical congregation; Leaf Rapids, Manitoba - support for ecumenical work led by Lutherans; Pinawa, Manitoba - participation in Pinawa Christian Fellowship (5 denominations).

There are also cases where we share the use of buildings, but with separate programs: Toronto - Iona - building shared with Anglicans and United Church. Toronto - Gateway - building shared with Roman Catholic congregation. Mississauga - Glenbrook - Church Campus with Anglican, United and Baptist. Increasing attention is being focussed on Canada's Northern Frontiers. Historically, the Anglican and Roman Catholic churches have carried out the mission to the Native People, Indians, Metis and Inuit and the non-Native People in the north. Now, due to the interest in development of resources, this latter group is rapidly increasing. We have maintained a number of missions along the southern fringe of the northland for many years, and most of these have developed into strong congregations playing a vital part in shaping the life of their communities: e.g. Wabush, Kapuskasing, Geraldton, Thompson, Flin Flon, Prince George, Kitimat, Prince Rupert and Whitehorse.

- Studies are now being made with a view to ascertaining where, when and how our Church may answer the call of our own people in Northern Communities and work with other denominations in establishing an effective Christian witness. And this is merely the beginning of a new chapter for our Church in the fascinating area of Canada Missions.

RECOMMENDATIONS

NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT

The future of the North and the Role of the Church in it.

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

that the preamble and statement be approved as the answer to the request of the 101st General Assembly that a statement on Northern Development be prepared by the Board of World Mission (A. & P. 1976, p. 414, p. 76).

Preamble:

These are days in which Canada is moving rapidly to develop its Northern Frontier. We acknowledge that this Northern Frontier is also a northern homeland for the Native People who have been there for generations, and for the Metis and non-native people who have made it or plan to make it a permanent home recognizing that three general areas of concern must be recognized simultaneously:

- That the North is the homeland of many peoples, and the Canadian government intends to honour their legitimate claims and aspirations;
- That Canada's present industrial system will require resources, particularly of gas and oil, which are available in the North;
- That Canada in its northern developments intends to protect and preserve the environment.

that our Church, deeply concerned about justice and mercy for all, refrain from negative attitudes about the North. In accordance with the principles of our faith we should speak prophetically and commend the effort of all those in our national life, who seek individually and corporately to conserve and use our resources for the maximum benefit of all and continue to press for a society without waste or want, and

that our Church strongly urge that whatever is done or is not done with the resources of the North be the result of an orderly, carefully studied and controlled process and

that further exploration and development of natural resources be carried forward only when industries involved can give reasonable assurance that needed technology is adequate and will not present serious hazards and threats to the delicate northern environment, and

that the Native Peoples be fully involved in the processes of decisions about Northern Development which vitally affect their lives, and

that such developments should be related continually to recognition of the legitimate rights and claims of the Native People. These claims should be settled as expeditiously as possible, and in terms flexible enough to permit future adjustments with a view to continuing guarantees of political and economic rights, cultural traditions, and personal dignity, and

that northern residents be encouraged to establish diversified small industries related to local renewable resources and to local needs.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

Minute of appreciation — Rev. Paul Chan be approved as follows:
The Board of World Mission pays tribute to the Rev. Paul S. Chan on the occasion of his retirement after 41 years of Christian ministry.

Mr. Chan was born in Montreal where his father, the Rev. Chan Nam Sing, our first Chinese missionary there, ministered for 24 years, serving as assistant to the Rev. Joseph Thompson, a returned missionary from Canton.

When Mr. Chan was five years of age, his family returned to China where he received his education, including three years of theological training in the Canton Theological Seminary.

Mr. Chan returned to Canada in 1937 and ministered to the Chinese people in Ottawa for a period of three years.

The remnant of Presbyterian Chinese work in Montreal after 1925 was carried on by Miss Agnes Dickson, an appointee of the W.M.S. (W.D.), who had served in Canton. The work, mostly with children and women, used rented accommodation in the Y.M.C.I.

Under the direction of the late Dr. David A. Smith, Superintendent of Chinese work, a former Jewish Synagogue was located at 1077 Chenneville St. in Montreal's Chinatown. This property became the new home of the Montreal Chinese mission and was dedicated for this purpose on January 12th, 1940, just twelve days after Paul Chan took up his appointment under the General Board of Missions to the work in Montreal, where he was ordained early in 1941. In 1942 Mr. Chan married Miss Lucy Sim, a former member of his congregation in Ottawa. Mr. and Mrs. Chan have two children, a son and a daughter.

During the 38 years in which the Rev. Paul S. Chan has given leadership in Montreal, the mission has grown from a membership of 27 with an annual income of \$548 to a self-supporting congregations of 360 and a yearly revenue of \$32,000. With the growth of the work, the facilities of 1077 Chenneville, which had been rebuilt in 1950, became inadequate for the activities serving all the age groups. A third floor was added to the property in 1972. Shortly after its completion the congregation was advised that it was the intention of the Federal Government to expropriate the property. Following a period of negotiation, the congregation purchased the MacVicar Memorial Presbyterian Church and took possession in June 1977.

Over the years Mr. Chan has given leadership not only to the Chinese Presbyterian Church. He also has been a leader in the whole Chinese community in Montreal, one to whom the Chinese people have gone for every kind of assistance and counsel. In all of his work he has had the strong support of Mrs. Chan.

We thank God for Mr. Chan's long and faithful ministry, and we pray His continued blessing on Mr. and Mrs. Chan as they enter into a new phase of their life. We trust that they will enjoy good health and much happiness in their retirement years together.

RECOMMENDATION 3. A

Minute of appreciation — Rev. R. Malcolm Ransom be approved as follows:
The name "Mac" Ransom has become synonymous with Mission Education in the minds of many who have known and worked with Rev. R. Malcolm Ransom in these last two decades. He has been constant in bringing before the Church in Canada the issue of the mission of the Church and the need to describe and discuss them. It was Mac Ransom who as a parish minister had an idea of concentrated attention to missionaries and missionary work which he as Mission Education Secretary evolved into Mission Weekends. In this program a number of congregations in Canada have met missionaries and have discussed with them and each other what was happening in Mission all over the world.

As Mission Education Secretary he has steadfastly maintained that education must be at the heart of the mission endeavour. He has had to work hard — was often frustrated at the slowness and seeming blindness of Canadian Presbyterians to waken to what could be achieved for the church through a strong mission education program.

Malcolm Ransom's life began in Westmount, Quebec. He is a graduate of McGill University. He studied theology at Presbyterian College and at Princeton Theological Seminary. He served as ordained missionary in Rosetown, Saskatchewan. It was in Saskatchewan he met the young woman who became Gerry Ransom. Together they have through the years formed a team which has carried the Gospel to China, to Knox and St. Andrew's Church, Fort Erie and to the Church at large through the office of Assistant Secretary for Overseas Missions and Mission Education Secretary.

The Ransoms were appointed to work within the Church of Christ in China in 1942. They were unable to go immediately because of World War II. Mr. Ransom

took an interim appointment as Mission Secretary of the Student Christian Movement in Canada. They finally got to China in 1946 where they worked in Yunnan Province in the South-west of China. Conditions in China caused all mission people to leave the country. The Ransoms came back to Canada in 1950, Mrs. Ransom and the children travelling the usual way, Mac came out of China via the famous Burma Road.

Back in Canada the Ransoms were in Knox and St. Andrew's, Fort Erie for seven years. While there Mac served on the General Board of Missions. He was Chairman of the Missionary Education Committee of the Board. In 1958 he was appointed as Assistant Secretary for Overseas Missions. In this job he had responsibility for mission education. He moved from that job to Acting Director of Mission Education, then became Mission Education Secretary.

Mac Ransom has always been active ecumenically. Within the Canadian Council of Churches, the Ecumenical Forum and its predecessors he has been a faithful participant and leader. He has served on the Executive of the Commission on Education for Mission of the National Council of Churches, U.S.A. His enthusiasm for Mission Education, his judgment, his understanding of the mission task have been deeply respected by mission educators in Canada and the United States.

Mac and Gerry Ransom have endeared themselves to a host of people within the Presbyterian Church and in other churches. Their warmth, their understanding, their tolerance draws people to them - people who are strengthened by their hospitality, their love, by the interest and concern they show for the welfare of all people who cross their path.

As Mac Ransom retires from the more active life as Mission Education Secretary we wish him well. We can imagine that he will continue his interest in the mission activity of the Christian Church. We pray that he and Mrs. Ransom will realize the rewards of lives spent extravagantly in the service of Jesus Christ and His Church.

MISSION THEMES 1979-80

RECOMMENDATION 4. A

that the Mission Study themes for 1979-80 be "Human Rights and the International Order" with a panorama of supplementary material including the areas where we are at work as a Church and human rights are imperilled; and also to make available material on the "Middle East Mosaic" theme, and that where appropriate, the Board of Congregational Life, the Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) and the Board of World Mission co-operate in the preparation of suitable materials for use across the church.

MISSION THEMES 1980-81

The need to read manuscripts and prepare suitable materials an additional year in advance has been apparent in the past therefore the following is recommended:

RECOMMENDATION 5. A

that the mission study material for 1980-81 be "India, Nepal and Afghanistan" dealing largely with our church's involvement in mission there, and that material be made available on "Biblical Understandings of Mission to the Individual and Society" theme, and that where appropriate, the Board of Congregational Life, the Women's Missionary Society (W.D.), and the Board of World Mission co-operate in the preparation of suitable materials for use across the Church.

BASIC STIPEND INCREASE

RECOMMENDATION 6. C

that an increase in the basic stipend by \$900 (\$9,000 - \$9,900) for Ordained Ministers and a proportionate increase for other Church workers (Deaconesses, Women Missionaries, Directors of Institutions, Retired ministers, Married Students, Summer Students, Superintendents of Missions) be made effective January 1, 1979.

ESTIMATES 1979

RECOMMENDATION 7. C

- (a) *that up to \$12,000 for automobiles and heavy furniture for overseas as may be found necessary.*
- (b) *in consultation with the Administrative Council with regards to the availability of money from the Second Century Advance for Christ, that for missions in Canada and Overseas, up to \$100,000 for Canada and \$50,000 for Overseas for Capital needs (manses, church sites, overseas capital projects etc.) to the extent that additional funds are available including bequest monies at the end of the year.*

DEFINITION OF STIPEND AND UTILITIES

The General Assembly has had the following definition of stipend:

"The General Assembly has defined the basic or minimum stipend as being the stipend including increments set by the court for Ministers, along with a free house or rented apartment, one month of holidays, and allowances not to exceed the maximum paid by the Board of World Mission. Any emoluments whatsoever received by the minister from a congregation over and beyond these are to be considered as raising his stipend above the basic or minimum paid by the Church, with the exception that a pastoral charge may make a study leave grant (and pay the supply costs involved) up to the minimum required by the General Assembly without prejudice to the deficit grant in effect.

The Board of World Mission in answer to Overtures No. 24 and 27, 1977 concerning Utilities recommends the following definition of stipend and utilities:

RECOMMENDATION 8. C

The General Assembly defines the minimum stipend for ministers as being the basic stipend plus increments set by the said court along with a free house or apartment, including utilities (heat, electricity, water and sewer services, basic monthly telephone charge), one month of holidays and allowances not to exceed the maximum paid by the Board of World Mission. Any emoluments whatsoever received by the minister from a congregation over and above these are to be considered as raising the stipend above the minimum paid by the Church, with the exception that a pastoral charge may make a study leave grant (and pay the supply costs involved) up to the minimum required by the General Assembly without prejudice to the deficit grant in effect.

The term "Basic stipend" refers to the amount set by the General Assembly as stipend excluding increments, accommodation, utilities, etc.

Utilities include heat, electricity, water and sewer services, basic monthly telephone rates, manses generally are not furnished. Congregations will pay these costs of utilities directly, rather than reimbursing the minister, and further that the BWM Overseas regulations be amended in line with this regulation.

RECOMMENDATION 9. A

That the above regulation, definition of stipend and utilities be effective January 1, 1980.

RECOMMENDATION 10. A

That this regulation be the answer to Overtures No. 24 and No. 27, 1977 "Utilities".

Note: If this recommendation is approved it will be necessary to adjust the BWM grant structure to make the amendment re utilities effective January 1, 1980.

INCREASE IN HOUSING ALLOWANCE

RECOMMENDATION 11. A

Re Overture No. 25, 1977 Increase in Housing Allowance that in view of the action recommended in Overture No. 24 and 27, 1977 re Utilities, it is not financially possible to answer the prayer of Overture No. 25, 1977 affirmatively before 1980. The BWM will keep this matter under review.

INEQUALITY OF INCREMENTS

In The Presbyterian Church in Canada, Ordained Ministers presently have an incremental scale of 10 years, and Deaconesses have an incremental scale of 5 years and Women Missionaries, Lay Missionaries and Catechists, Directors of Institutions have no incremental scale. Concern has been expressed for this inequality of increments both for Overseas and Canadian personnel.

RECOMMENDATION 12. A

That increments for years of service be made applicable for ordained ministers, deaconesses, women missionaries, catechists, lay missionaries, lay directors of institutions, overseas married missionaries and overseas single missionaries, and that basic stipends and increments for all the above named categories be set in a percentage relation to the basic stipend and increment scale approved by the Assembly for an Ordained Minister, and

that Special Categories be recognized

(a) As Superintendents of Missions are normally ministers with more than 10 years of service, their stipend should be based on a percentage of minimum stipend (basic plus increments).

(b) As full time retired ministers and married students are special cases, their stipend should be based on a percentage of basic stipend without increments, and

that the percentage relationship be established by the General Assembly and may be changed by the General Assembly on recommendation of the Administrative Council at any time for anyone or all of the categories, and

that in the initial years of implementation no individual worker be penalized by the new schedule, those presently on staff who are receiving increments should continue on their present incremental schedule until the new schedule overtakes the old.

RECOMMENDATION 13. A

That the percentage relationship be as follows

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| <i>Canada</i> | |
| <i>Ordained ministers</i> | <i>100% plus accommodation</i> |
| <i>Deaconesses</i> | <i>95% includes accommodation</i> |
| <i>Women Missionaries</i> | <i>80% includes accommodation</i> |
| <i>Lay Missionaries & Catechists</i> | <i>83% plus accommodation</i> |
| <i>Lay Directors of Institutions</i> | <i>100% plus accommodation</i> |
| <i>Overseas</i> | |
| <i>Married Missionaries</i> | <i>100% plus accommodation</i> |
| <i>Single Missionaries</i> | <i>82% plus accommodation</i> |
| <i>Special Categories without increments</i> | |
| <i>Superintendents of Missions</i> | <i>113% of minimum stipend plus accommodation</i> |
| <i>Married students</i> | <i>69% of basic stipend plus accommodation</i> |
| <i>Retired ministers (full time)</i> | <i>100% of basic stipend plus accommodation</i> |

and that the percentage relationships scheme which includes increments be made effective January 1, 1979 and be implemented over three years by the Board of World Mission.

INDIAN WORK - STEWARDSHIP RESPONSIBILITY**RECOMMENDATION 14. A**

that the following guidelines be approved:

Recognizing that a commitment of time, talent and financial resources to our Lord and His Church is a part of a person's response to the Gospel claims upon our lives, we feel that all Christians including Indian people should be encouraged to contribute through these avenues to the work of the Church.

We recognize that for the most part people living on reservations have limited resources and financial potential, and that the policies of Canadian society have

contributed significantly to a dependent mentality and attitude. These factors need to be taken into account when stewardship expectations are considered.

- 1. That our workers with native people be instructed to bring these claims to the native people, recognizing that personal discretion and patience are essential to the actual presentation of such claims, and*
- 2. That workers to native peoples be required to take available stewardship courses, and that where there is literacy in English, stewardship materials be distributed; and, that the Task Force in Research and Planning be encouraged to see that this training is carried out, and*
- 3. That BWM request the Superintendents of Missions to assist in the instruction of congregations in stewardship and accounting procedures as an initial step in fulfilment of responsibility in this area.*

HUSBAND-WIFE MINISTRY

Re appointment of married couples, each of whom is a graduating student, licentiate, or ordinand.

RECOMMENDATION 15. C

- 1. That approval be given to the principle of the appointment of a married couple, where circumstances of appointment warrant, as a team to one pastoral charge, or separately to two pastoral charges in relatively close proximity, and*
- 2. that there be thorough consultation and negotiation between the Board of World Mission, the Presbyteries and congregations, and subsequently with the appointees involved prior to such appointments, and*
- 3. that where a married couple is serving in two separate charges, the Presbytery involved shall decide (in consultation with the pastoral charges and the appointees) where they shall reside; and*
- 4. that where a married couple is appointed as a team to one pastoral charge*
 - (a) that Presbytery be granted permission to ordain either or both of the couple, as the Presbytery may decide;*
 - (b) that Presbytery assist in delineation of specific responsibilities in the team situation (e.g. moderation of Session, etc.);*
 - (c) that the stipend, allowances, etc. be paid in the name of one member of the team; and*
- 5. that such appointments shall be at one stipend for each pastoral charge; and*
- 6. that there be comprehensive counselling by the Colleges, BWM Personnel Committee, and appropriate committees of Presbytery relating to all aspects of the ordination of couples to the ministry of Word and Sacrament.*

EMPLOYMENT OF PROFESSIONAL CHURCH WORKERS**RECOMMENDATION 16. A**

That a special committee of General Assembly composed of a Convener and eight representatives named by the General Assembly and two representatives each from the Board of Ministry, Pension Board, and the Board of World Mission, and one each from the WMS (WD) and WMS (ED) and the Committee on Benevolences be appointed to determine a policy for dealing with professional church workers that experience indicates are unsuited for employment in that capacity and report to the 105th General Assembly.

MOVING EXPENSES FOR RETIRING MINISTERS

The General Assembly June 1977, Recommendation 11, p. 367, approved the following:

Missionaries (Ordained Ministers, Deaconesses, Catechists, Lay Missionaries, Women Missionaries, Superintendents, Lay Directors of Institutions), serving in Canada under appointment by the BWM, who retire from full-time service at the approved age of retirement or thereafter, or earlier for validated health reasons,

shall be entitled to receive an allowance from the BWM to assist in moving with their household and personal effects, to their intended retirement home in Canada. Plans for the move shall be made in advance, in consultation with the BWM and in accordance with BWM regulations.

RECOMMENDATION 17. A

That the regulation be amended by the addition of the following paragraph: that if the minister is still serving at General Assembly basic stipend and allowances, and has been called by that congregation where he/she was appointed by the BWM he/she shall be considered for the said moving expenses on application by his/her Presbytery,

and,

further to amend the third paragraph by adding the following words after the BWM "or is still serving in that congregation under call on minimum stipend".

The third paragraph would read "The said allowance shall be calculated on the actual moving costs outlined above, at the rate of 1.5% for each year of consecutive service under the BWM or is still serving in that congregation under call on minimum stipend, immediately prior to retirement to a maximum of 7.5% of the total costs."

STIPEND BETWEEN HUSBAND AND WIFE ON OVERSEAS FIELDS

RECOMMENDATION 18. C

that a new paragraph be added to the Overseas Regulations,

Chapter 3, Section A

(13) A married couple when appointed as overseas missionaries are appointed as a team and are paid a married missionary's stipend and allowances. Normally the stipend and allowances are paid in the name of one member of the team. However, in forwarding the payment overseas it may be sent in the name of both husband and wife.

GEOGRAPHICALLY ISOLATED FRONTIER FIELDS

The BWM has had general regulations for missionaries serving on frontier fields

RECOMMENDATION 19. A

That the regulations re Geographically Isolated Frontier Fields be as follows

1. Certain fields may be designated as "Geographically Isolated Frontier Fields" by the Board of World Mission. Factors to be included in the designation include: a major degree of geographic isolation; relative lack of facilities and amenities in the church and community.
2. Fields shall be considered for this designation by the BWM on recommendation of the Synod Mission Committee concerned, endorsed by the Superintendent of Missions for the area.
3. The designation "Geographically Isolated Frontier Fields" may be removed from any field by the Board of World Mission, after consultation with the Presbytery involved, and the Superintendent of Missions, if there is a major change in the relative factors.
4. The designation of a Geographically Isolated Frontier Field must be reviewed by the Board of World Mission each time a vacancy occurs.
5. Concerning missionaries serving on Geographically Isolated Frontier Fields:

Specialized training and refresher courses for people serving in Frontier fields may be provided by the Board at such times and places as is deemed necessary and advisable.

One additional full week's holidays per annum (including one Sunday), preferably at a separate time, for the appointee and family to a place mutually agreed upon by the appointee and the Board of World Mission, will be provided with Board of World Mission paying the travel costs.

A minister of our Church who has spent at least three years on a Frontier field may be granted up to three months at full salary with a view to preaching for a call, or where necessary the Board of World Mission will pay the travel costs for the appointee seeking a call within the last four months of the term of appointment. This shall be limited to three opportunities and financial arrangements shall be in consultation with the Board of World Mission.

ORDAINED MINISTERS ON THE ROLL OF PRESBYTERY

RECOMMENDATION 20. A

That the following changes in The Book of Forms be sent down under The Barrier Act.

that Sec. 176 (1) (b) be changed to read

Sec. 176 (1) (b) (i)

and add Sec. 176 (1) (b) (ii) as follows

"who have been appointed to mission work in Canada within the bounds for not less than one year by the Board of World Mission"

COMPLETION OF TWO YEAR APPOINTMENT

Clarification is needed concerning the completion of the two year Ordained Missionary Appointment in the following terms:

RECOMMENDATION 21. C

that at the completion of the two year term of service a certificate shall be issued by the Board of World Mission indicating that the ordinand has complied with the terms of appointment and is now eligible to be called, or appointed by the Board of World Mission, etc., as a minister with full standing.

RE-APPOINTMENT OF ORDAINED MISSIONARIES

At the June 1977 General Assembly Recommendations 18C, p 76, was approved:

"that the re-appointment of Ordained Missionaries at the completion of their first term of appointment be considered when the pastoral charge has, at a properly constituted congregational meeting, formally requested the reappointment, and this has been endorsed by the Presbytery. The request shall then be discussed with the minister involved, and if agreeable renewed appointment, without a termination date, may be made, or the present procedure of the Board of World Mission before the date be followed."

RECOMMENDATION 22. A

That Recommendation 18C, B.W.M., 1977 be amended in the following terms: that the re-appointment of Ordained Missionaries at the completion of their current term of appointment be considered when the pastoral charge has, at a properly constituted congregational meeting, formally requested the re-appointment, and this has been endorsed by the Presbytery and the minister concerned. If agreeable, a renewed appointment without termination date, may be made by the Board of World Mission.

"If no such procedure is followed, the Board of World Mission may re-appoint a missionary on a one year renewable basis upon request of the Presbytery and the missionary concerned."

CONTACT PERSON - MISSION INFORMATION

RECOMMENDATION 23. A

that the Presbytery be responsible to secure a contact person in every congregation to be responsible for Mission information.

Catechists

Each year the Board of World Mission by regulation of the General Assembly reports the Catechists serving under appointment of B.W.M.:

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| Mr. K. B. Weeks | - Stanley, New Brunswick |
| Mr. A. J. Ballard | - Hampton, New Brunswick |
| Mr. D. S. McLaren | - New Carlisle, Quebec |
| Mr. Charles Coombs | - Leggatt's Point, Quebec |
| Mr. Orville Forrester | - McDonald's Corners, Ontario |
| Mr. Edward Bunn | - Birdtail, Manitoba |
| Mr. James Mullin | - Three Hills, Alberta |
| Mr. Hamish Harvey | - Castlegar, B.C. |

RECOMMENDATION 24. A

that Presbyteries be urged to ensure that Catechists participate in the Retirement Fund for Church employees to have the benefit on retirement. Appreciation is extended to the Catechists for their faithful service.

Moving Household and Personal Effects

The Board of World Mission has had regulations on "Travel Allowances" parts of which have approval of the General Assembly. This section is submitted for the approval of the General Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION 25. A

That the regulations on Moving Household and Personal Effects be approved as follows:

- a) All appointees must consult with a B.W.M. Secretary regarding moving arrangements before entering into any commitments involving payments by the B.W.M.
- b) Shipment of books, etc.
Rail freight or equivalent charges for shipping books, etc. are generally much less than charges by a Moving Company, and payment will be made for freight or truck shipments up to 1500 lbs. Books are to be packed in suitable cartons by the appointee and delivered to a convenient shipping point. Pickup and delivery charges will not be paid by the B.W.M.
- c) Household and Personal Effects (Moving Company).
 - 1) Estimates from two or more recognized Moving Companies are required, with an indication of the owner's preference. The Board will issue a letter authorizing the approved Company to proceed with the move on the instructions of the appointee, using Pool Car and similar economy measures where possible. On the satisfactory completion of the move the bill is to be sent to the B.W.M. for payment.
 - 2) The maximum weight approved for shipment (excluding books) will normally be up to a limit of 6000 lbs. (3 tons).
 - 3) Packing and unpacking of breakable articles (crystal, china, lamps, etc.) by Company crews will be paid up to a maximum total of \$200.00.
 - 4) The B.W.M. does not pay for packing, either labour or material, except in the case of china and similar breakables. Appointees are expected to pack clothing, bedding, etc. as per brochures provided by the Moving Companies, and prepare furniture, appliances, etc. for shipment.
 - 5) Moving Companies are authorized to provide suitable packing material, wardrobes, cartons, etc. as required and these become the property of the appointees.
 - 6) Costs of disconnecting and reconnecting appliances will be paid up to a maximum of \$60.00 total when a serviceman is required and bills are submitted.
 - 7) The Moving Company will be authorized to cover the shipment with

Comprehensive Travel Insurance at rates as approved from time to time.

- 8) Storage charges are not normally covered by the B.W.M.
- d) Household and Personal Effects (Private arrangements) Private arrangements to move shipments by car, trailer and truck are usually advisable when limited quantities are involved, and must be made in consultation with the B.W.M. Secretary who may authorize payment of reasonable expenses so incurred.

Where special conditions exist, the B.W.M. Executive on advice of the Secretary, may give special consideration as circumstances are deemed to warrant.

Travel Allowance for Married Students serving on appointment.

This is a new regulation.

RECOMMENDATION 26. A

That the regulations on Travel Allowance for married students serving on appointment be approved as follows:

The B.W.M. cannot assume responsibility for moving students for the ministry from their place of residence to the Colleges to take up their studies.

a) First Appointments:

Travel Allowances in terms of established regulations will be paid to "Married Students" appointed by the B.W.M. to serve a charge during their course of studies at one of our Colleges, but only up to an amount equivalent to that required to move them from the College to the said field.

b) Transfer of Married Students:

Travel expenses of Married Students transferred to a different field during their theological course will be paid in terms of established regulations only when the transfer is approved by the B.W.M.

Overture No. 3, Synod of British Columbia, re Ministry to the North and proposed boundary charges.**RECOMMENDATION 27. A**

That the Overture be approved in the following terms:

1) That a Committee be established with the following membership:

two persons named by the Board of World Mission.
the Superintendents of Missions of British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan.

two persons named by each of the Synods or their Executives, of British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan.

The purpose of the Committee is to forward a joint recommendation to the 1978 meeting of the respective Synods, concerning Ministry of the North, and any boundary changes necessary to accomplish that Mission.

Responsibility for the meeting

- 2) That the B.W.M. undertake responsibility for calling the Committee together and representatives costs being borne by the body they represent.

Overture No. 14 Presbytery of Edmonton, re Procedure for Appointments of Ordained Ministers.

The Overture was referred to the Board of World Mission for its consideration:

RECOMMENDATION 28. A

That recommendation No. 22 from the Board of World Mission to the 1978 General Assembly be our reply to this Overture.

Overture No. 34 West Toronto re Inner City and Immigrant people.

This Overture was referred to the Board of World Mission for its consideration:

RECOMMENDATION 29. A

That the Board of World Mission continue the study of the Overture re Inner City and Immigrant People and report to the 105th General Assembly.

Overture No. 7, Prince Edward Island, re Maintenance of Ministry in Rural Charges.

This Overture was referred to the Board of World Mission and it is noted that both continuity of ministry and relief from decrease in grants are being sought by this Overture.

RECOMMENDATION 30. A

That the Board of World Mission continue the study of the Overture re Maintenance of Ministry in Rural Charges and report to the 105th General Assembly.

Overture No. 20, Presbytery of West Toronto, re Visitation to Ethnic Groups.

This Overture was referred to the Board of World Mission for its consideration.

RECOMMENDATION 31. A

That the Overture re "Visitation to Ethnic Groups", be approved in the following terms:

- 1) *The Books of Forms, Presbyteries II Duties and Powers sec. 199 "The Presbyteries . . . has power to send forth visitors to see how all things are administered within its bounds." Visitation should be to all congregations including "ethnic" congregations as required without stating one, two, or three years and without singling out the "ethnic" congregation.*
- 2) *The Superintendents of Missions and other B.W.M. Staff are available for consultation according to the B.W.M. regulations and practice.*
- 3) *The Board of World Mission be asked to prepare guidelines for visitation of "ethnic" congregations to supplement the Visitation guidelines of Board of Congregational Life and give assistance with other factors and concerns for the ethnic congregations and report to the next General Assembly.*

Respectfully submitted.

MRS. W. E. McCUTCHEON
Chairman

GEORGE A. MALCOLM
General Secretary

FIELD REPORTS*Synod of the Atlantic Provinces*

- The Synod welcomes the settlement of Rev. David Renwick at Wabush, Labrador; at Grand Falls, Newfoundland, of Rev. David Sutherland. In Cape Breton, Rev. John Vaudry began his work in September at Orangedale, River Denys and Malagawatch. Rev. Lee MacNaughton logs 20,000 miles each year serving the Middle River, Lake Ainslie and Kenloch charge. In Pictou Presbytery, Rev. Glenn MacDonald began his work last summer in the Sherbrooke-Glenelg-Goldenville-Moser's River charge which stretches 60 miles through two counties of Nova Scotia. At Dartmouth, Iona in Halifax and Lunenburg Presbytery, Rev. Lloyd Murdock carries on an active youth ministry. Rev. D. Murdo Marple was appointed to Lower Sackville.
- At Riverview in Saint John Presbytery Rev. Basil Lowery reports increased attendance. "Our Sanctuary now is almost full on an average Sunday." At Sackville and Port Elgin, Rev. Brian Ross has served for more than a year. In July he accepted a part-time appointment at Mount Allison University. Rev. Stephen Cho settled into Saint Stephen and Saint George toward the end of 1977.
- Two catechists serve within the bounds of the Presbytery of Saint John: A. J. Ballard and K. B. Weeks. A third, D. S. McLaren, continues to serve in New Carlisle, Quebec, Miramichi Presbytery.

In the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island, Rev. Edward Hales, a retired minister, has been serving as supply at Alberton-West Point. In North Tryon charge, Rev. Colin Alston reports both successes and setbacks. The Tyne Valley charge under Rev. John Fortier has reported growth in many areas. The Atlantic Synod, generally, is reasonably strong.

Synod of Quebec and Eastern Ontario

Work commenced in the Kanata-Glencairn area of Ottawa under the leadership of Rev. Ralph Kendall in April with a congregation of 35 charter members. Parkwood, Ottawa, is expected to become self-supporting before the end of 1978.

Lanark and Renfrew Presbytery received the appointment of Ian Johnston, to Petawawa and Point Alexander. Glengarry reports that St. Matthew's, Ingleside, has become self-supporting.

The Presbytery of Montreal reports that the Chinese Church, has purchased MacVicar Memorial Church building and became self-supporting as of January 1, 1978. Tyndale-St. Georges is seeking co-directors (Presbyterian and Anglican) in addition to other staff. La Vie Chrétienne changed editors from Dr. André Poulain, its founder and editor for over 25 years, to Jean-Claude Rufenacht, the new minister of Eglise St. Luc, Montreal.

In the Presbytery of Quebec Rev. David Craig continues his ministry in Eglise St. Marc and in outreach to Laval University. Bible distribution to the University community has been well received and supported. Rev. Ross Davidson is stated supply at Eglise St. Paul (formerly Eglise des Cantons de l'Est), Melbourne.

French Outreach: The Mission Committees of the Synod and of the Presbyteries in Quebec are engaged in developing policies and strategy for outreach in the French language. The approach is to appoint missionaries-at-large to work in a region, developing cell groups for Bible study, discussion, prayer and services of worship if necessary. The two areas under consideration are the Chateauguay Valley and the Lac Megantic area in south-eastern Quebec. A missionary-at-large appointed to each of these areas would have at least 100,000 persons of French origin.

Synod of Toronto-Kingston

With few exceptions, the aid-receiving charges within the Synod have been accepting increased financial responsibilities. Six charges became self-supporting in 1977 and three more, Stouffville, Bramalea and Strathcona Park, Kingston in 1978. St. Giles, Galt will also be in this category before the end of the year.

Two new congregations were established during the year, Malvern and Meadowvale West. New work is being started at two locations. In September five denominations joined in the dedication of the new Erin Mills South Common Church Campus building which will be used by four congregations including Glenbrook. Three Church Campus sites (Erin Mills, Meadowvale West and Lakeshore Village, Waterloo) were purchased in 1977 and for two more, agreements have been reached (Malvern and Milliken, both of Scarborough).

Doon Church is the oldest Presbyterian Church in the area and has been a rural church until recent development. The community is expected to have a population of 33,000 and this old church has become an extension charge. Rev. T. Ingram began his ministry in this congregation in August.

Other O.M. appointments during the year were Rev. B. Carter to St. Paul's, Sault Ste. Marie, Rev. Iris Ford to Waterloo North, Rev. B. Walker to Alderwood, Rev. I. MacLean to Colbourne, Rev. W. Baswick to Erindale, Rev. W. Lemen to University, North York and Dr. J. Sutherland to Malton.

Synod of Hamilton and London

- The work at Brant Hills in Burlington has made steady progress under the leadership of Rev. C. Shaver. Knox, Port Dover received an O.M. appointment: Rev. Judith Archer. Considerable growth is expected because of the close proximity to Nanticoke Industrial Area.

- Roxborough Park, Hamilton is facing community problems: broken families, drug and alcohol abuse, and vandalism. Mr. George Zimmerman, student minister since September 1977, has built relationships with youth and good communication with the police. Overall congregational spirit and life have picked up. The Inner City work (Hamilton) of Mrs. Helen Allum, continues to be a mission of love and compassion.
- Rev. Ernest Zugor was appointed to the Pleasant Ridge Hungarian work in Brantford in June 1977. He has begun services in English every Sunday.
- Westmount, London, is one of the fastest growing parts of the city. The church experienced another year of growth. Trinity, London, is in an area of 12,000 people and by 1985 it is expected to have 24,000. The building committee hopes to commence building later in 1978.
- Miss Lily Schneider, the London Hospital visitor is retiring this year. Chalmers, London, has paid off the mortgage and is now proceeding to purchase the manse. The summer work at Sauble Beach and Stokes Bay continues to progress.

Synod of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario

- Work in this Synod receives substantial assistance from the Board of World Mission: for 1978, \$72,552. for support of the pastoral ministry, and \$83,608 for institution-related work.
- In the Kenora area, Carol Sharpe, the Presbytery deaconess, works closely with Mrs. Mabel (Powers) Henderson. They have regular services on Sunday at the Fellowship Centre. The children come from McKenzie Portage, Rat Portage and the town. They provide pastoral care for the people of Shoal Lake Reserve. Services and Church School are conducted on Sundays. At the invitation of the Chief and Council of the Shoal Lake Reserve, religious instruction in the Day School is given on a weekly basis.
- The Women's organization of the Reformed Church of America has approved a special project of \$10,000 over two years for the work at the Anishinabe Fellowship in Winnipeg.
- In the Presbytery of Brandon, Hartney welcomed Rev. Gordon Smith its first ordained minister in 16 years. At Birdtail, Ed Bunn is looking forward to building a new church to replace the present one. Ed is in better health now following an automobile accident and is able to resume normal activities.
- Rossburn, Ekford and Waywayseecappo reserve, is a co-operative arrangement with the United Church. Ken Stright is our appointee there and his wife Jean is an ordained United Church minister. They share the work on this field which combines both Presbyterian and United Church congregations.

Synod of Saskatchewan

- In Estevan and Yorkton attendance has increased and a real attempt is being made to reach out into the community. St. Stephen's, Regina is being asked to become self-supporting.
- Fellowship House, Prince Albert continues to fulfill a needed role among Indian youth struggling to find their niche in life.
- Rev. Malcolm Muth continued his unique ministry in the northwest of the province.
- There is a general atmosphere of hope and progress in Saskatchewan, a real desire to reduce financial claims on the funds of the church, and to raise givings to the General Assembly Budget.

Synod of Alberta

- Alberta continues to attract people from all parts of Canada and elsewhere. This is reflected in the growth of cities such as Edmonton, Calgary, Medicine Hat and Lethbridge and also in smaller towns. The developing North calls for the ministry of the Church. Pipelines, mining camps and the spiritual needs of the people cannot be ignored.
- In the Peace River Presbytery there is a sense of excitement with recent discov-

eries in coal, oil and gas deposits. Another B.C. Hydro dam is being considered along the Peace River and the gas pipeline is expected to follow the Alaska Highway to the Arctic. This Presbytery is wholly aid receiving but there was a 10% increase in Church membership. The congregation of Chetwynd was officially constituted a Presbyterian-United congregation, in the spring. Fort St. John has become self-supporting Jan. 1, 1978. Whitehorse congregation is faced with replacing the present church building. At the mining town of Faro we have become involved in an ecumenical ministry.

There has been substantial progress toward self-support in several aid receiving congregations within the Edmonton Presbytery: Dayspring, Braeside, St. Albert and Chauvin-Wainwright. The highlight of the year was the erection of the congregation in the Mill Woods area in South West Edmonton. St. Andrew's, situated in a declining area shows some hopeful signs of new life. Work in Fort McMurray is in the plans of the Presbytery.

- Eckville and Innisfail in the Presbytery of Red Deer are showing signs of growth. In Calgary/Macleod Presbytery an Extension Fund, of \$20,000 has been raised to assist Centennial congregation. Riverside and St. John's, Medicine Hat, have enjoyed a Team Ministry. Studies are being made for extension work in the South East of the city.

The visits of Miss Patricia Pooler and Dr. Akanu Ibiem were much appreciated. Synod was represented at the North-west Mission Conference. The Mission Consultation in September, one of the highlights of 1977, brought together representatives from every Presbytery in the Synod to get a clearer vision of future expansion in the Synod.

Synod of British Columbia

- The Presbytery of Vancouver Island appointed the Rev. Larry Lin as stated supply for one year at Knox, Sooke on the request of the congregation. Parksville has been approved by the Presbytery as an Extension Charge. Parksville is a growing community on the Island highway 20 miles north of Nanaimo. Duncan, St. Andrew's, an aid receiving charge for many years, achieved self support January 1977 and is now launched on a major expansion program.
- In Westminster Presbytery the amalgamation of Brentwood and Robertson has been accomplished with the congregation now to be known as Brentwood. Rev. H. Appel is minister. Calvin Hungarian, Vancouver, attained self-support in January 1977 after 24 years as aid receiving; Rev. L. Szamoskozi is minister. A new Korean congregation has been established as a self-supporting congregation. The Rev. S. J. Lee is minister. Coquitlam is moving rapidly toward self-support. Chinese, Vancouver, now self-supporting is served by Rev. R.T.K. Lin a bilingual minister whose ministry is appreciated in both languages. The Langley Extension Charge was opened in September with the appointment of the Rev. John Rhoad. Murrayville congregation was realigned with the new work and thereby released a \$30,000 manse trust fund toward the purchase of a manse. There are three new areas being assessed for further extension in the near future.
- The dedication of a five million dollar Senior Citizens housing complex at Dunwood Place was the highlight of the year. The units are 99% occupied.
- The Presbytery of Kamloops looks forward to new work in Terrace to be supplemented by a TV ministry to a 250,000 square mile area. Rev. Rex Krepps reports with enthusiasm on his work in Salmon Arm as the church has responded to the needs of the community. The membership has doubled in 3 years. Vernon/Armstrong has reached self-support.
- In the Presbytery of Kootenay, Grace, Castlegar, after a very long vacancy has received the appointment of Catechist Hamish Harvey. Nelson-Slocan shows signs of renewal and growth. Rev. C. Brown is minister.

FIVE YEARS OF RESEARCH AND PLANNING

- by E. H. Johnson
- Within the general statement of the purpose of the Board of World Mission and the more specific statements of the Research and Planning Committee, it has

- assumed its task of examining the life of our Church and the particular programs and projects administered by our Board in terms of two major questions:
- (1) are we effectively communicating the Gospel of Jesus Christ or are we maintaining traditional forms and activities which exist for their own survival?
 - (2) are we making the most effective use of people, structures, and money, or are we tied to patterns no longer meaningful?
 - Early in its work it became clear that the Committee itself could not undertake all the studies given to it, and it would need to set up Task Forces. The following have been established:
 - (1) Work with Native Peoples; (2) French-English Relations; (3) China; (4) Witness in a Time of Religious Pluralism; (5) Self-reliance in Mission; (6) B.W.M. Work in Transition; (7) Special Training for all B.W.M. Workers; (8) Caribbean.
 - In addition, two Committees have done special work in defining the present relationship and goals of our work in Taiwan and Japan.
 - The Task Forces have made an important contribution in bringing to the B.W.M., and through the Board to the General Assembly, recommendations in regard to our concern as Christians for the people of China and our concern for the rights of Canada's Native Peoples. The Training Task Force has brought forward specific recommendations now adopted by the Board in regard to helping people prepare more precisely for the particular work to which they go. The B.W.M. has accepted as a guideline the recommended statements of the Task Force on Self-Reliance in Mission and also the Guidelines for our work in Taiwan, Japan and the Caribbean.
 - The biggest single project undertaken is the study of "Canada-Mission". This study was initiated in a national conference which included Synod Superintendents, Synod Conveners and B.W.M. Staff. It was felt that the study should be carried on in regions and the decision was made to have Mission Consultations, Synod by Synod. Such Synod Consultations have now been held in every Synod except that of Toronto and Kingston and the reports and recommendations are contained in the document "Advance in Mission". This makes it very clear that the single most important item in *Advance in Mission* is quality of discipleship of the individual Christian.
 - If the B.W.M. is to follow fully the aims laid out by the General Assembly in regard to Research and Planning, there are three programs which ought to come under its scrutiny:
 - (1) Research on church extension goals; (2) Rural Work; and (3) Inner City Work.
 - Studies in these areas have always led us into questions of ecumenical co-operation. It is high time that we established clear guidelines in the field of ecumenical co-operation based firmly on our understanding of the theological position taken by the General Assembly of 1971.
 - Reflecting on the operations of Research and Planning during these past five years, I would make the following observations:
 1. It is essential that the work of Research and Planning be close to the General Secretary and to all the Executive Staff. This is the place at which we evaluate and examine and suggest changes for the work of the Board as a whole, and also a place at which we examine our work in the light of the basic purposes given to the B.W.M. by the General Assembly.
 2. The line dividing the responsibility of the Policy Committee and of Research and Planning Committee needs to be clarified at some points.
 3. Another important matter to which the Board should give study is church extension. The B.W.M. should formulate a plan for development of congregations without paid professional leadership and without any early plans for property and building. The Christian Fellowship itself ought to be the centre of Christian witness and the meeting together in homes and borrowed or rented halls should be a normal part of Christian fellowship and worship.
 4. The profound central question which faces the whole church of Jesus Christ in the world today is "How can we at the same time maintain a faithful ministry of word and sacrament to the people of God, and be an

authentic witness to the Gospel in the whole of Society and the whole of the world?"

Our calling to be the people of Christ is also a calling to be deeply committed to the whole human race, and to stand courageously with the needy and oppressed over against the wealthy and the powerful who would use their position to enlarge and enrich themselves.

CHURCH AND UNIVERSITY

The Presbyterian Church in Canada participates in Ecumenical Chaplaincies in Charlottetown, Fredericton, Ottawa, Hamilton, Saskatoon, Edmonton and Calgary. Three of these chaplains are Presbyterian. There are also eight who serve our church on a part time basis. These are at McGill and University of Montreal, Montreal; Laval, Quebec City; Memorial, St. John's Newfoundland; Presbyterian Residence, Saskatoon; St. Andrew's Residence, Vancouver; Simon Fraser, Burnaby; and St. Mary's, Halifax.

At the request of the Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington, and with the assistance of several of the members, the Secretary did an intensive survey of the Community Colleges and the Universities in the area. The purpose was to determine ways in which the Presbytery can relate effectively to those institutions.

The secretary has been asked by several congregations for guidance in developing a ministry to their students. This provided a welcome opportunity to work with these congregations.

A highlight of the year was the National Chaplains' Conference in Calgary, May 15-19, 1977. Six Presbyterians were among the fifty-five persons attending. The theme, "The Rich Young Man and the University", based on Mark 10: 17-30, was appropriate, and the speakers made it most relevant to today.

More congregations in university towns are becoming concerned about outreach to the students in their midst.

We thank God for the opportunities that are given us for ministry both on campus and with individual Presbyteries and congregations. We are convinced that the potential is tremendous.

SERVICES FOR OVERSEAS STUDENTS AND LAYMEN ABROAD (OSLA)

Director Patricia Hanna

I. Overseas Students

Concern for overseas students in Canada continued to be expressed mainly through (1) consultation and co-operative work with university, community, and government on matters of concern to overseas students; (2) contact with individual students and persons enquiring on their behalf; (3) contact with congregations by deputation, correspondence, newsletter, articles in church publications and personal visits to interpret the situation of overseas students.

On visits to various university campuses the Director has tried to promote linkages between Foreign Student Advisors, University Chaplains, the Student Christian Movement, Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship, and local ministers and congregations.

Over the last few years more Chaplains have become involved with overseas students, in many cases seeking help from local congregations for particular problems.

The main issue concerning all overseas students this year was the increase in foreign student fees (2½ times the fees for Canadian students) by Ontario and Alberta. Foreign student enrolment in those provinces has dropped by 20%. Poorer students from developing countries are especially affected.

II. Laymen Abroad

Requests for information, orientational material, and overseas contacts came in from church members going overseas to work, study or travel, as well as requests about volunteer service possibilities.

BWM Insight Tours - The Director was involved in the mission education *Insight Tours* planned for: Western Canada, Fall 1977; India & Nepal, Fall 1977; Orient, Spring 1978. She looked after the publicity, correspondence with enquirers

and participants, mailings of information and pre-departure study materials to the four participants. These trips were planned by a staff committee as an additional means of educating church members about the Church's mission in today's world.

- *Inter-racial relationships and the Church* - There has been a developing concern on the part of some of our church members about inter-racial and inter-cultural relationships in Canada. The same kind of sensitivity and openness to persons of other cultures, races and religions, needed by persons going abroad are also needed by our church members and all Canadians at home in order to welcome and have sharing relationships with new Canadians, immigrants and foreign students.

OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIPS

- *Dr. Ram Singh*, former principal, Baring Union Christian College, India, completed a research program on Indian-Pakistani immigration in Canada. Dr. Singh's work was supported by the scholarship program.
- *Mr. James C. S. Chen*, of Taiwan completed two years of study at St. Mary's College, St. Andrew's University, Scotland. He obtained a Bachelor of Philosophy degree.
- *Rev. Sandi Chiphangwi* of Blantyre Synod, Church of Central Africa, Malawi, continued his studies toward a doctoral degree.
- *Rev. Chung Jen Su* from Taiwan, began studies in Britain in the summer. He is in a Diploma course in Religious Studies, Selly Oak Colleges, Birmingham, England.
- *Rev. David U. Essien* was nominated for studies in Christian Education by the Presbyterian Church in Nigeria. He is studying at Westhill College, Selly Oak Colleges, Birmingham, England.
- *Rev. David Mphande* of Livingstonia Synod, Church of Central Africa, Malawi, began B.Th. study at McGill University as a student at Presbyterian College.
- The Korean Christian Church in Japan requested assistance for three people to study in Korea. The Board of World Mission approved: *Mr. Mi Woong Park* to theological study; *Miss Kim Hae Sook* to study Christian Education and *Miss Eung Ja Lee* to study Community Organization. First Church, Regina; Coldstream, Toronto; and Presbyterian College, Montreal have provided assistance for students, and the B.W.M. is grateful.

MISSION EDUCATION

- Mission Education started the year with the Secretary in the hospital, away from work for several months, the Production Assistant on half time for study reasons and the office secretary serving part time. In spite of these difficulties it continued to produce articles and news items as well as keeping up the flow of correspondence and mission education literature displays.
- "*Quick Facts*" has been well received and new numbers are being added regularly. There were two issues of *Encounter: Church and University*, and H. C. Chang (Taiwan). A Mission Resources Catalogue was published.
- *Filmstrips* produced include "Into the Second Century" and "New Beginnings" both for the Second Century Advance for Christ; also "Caribbean Crosscurrents" the basic audio-visual resource for the 1977-78 geographical study theme "Caribbean Crescent". Basic work was completed on a new filmstrip for Inter-Church Aid.
- New *slide sets* include "The M. G. Abey Memorial Home, Amkhut, India", "The Church That Refused to Die", "Changhua Christian Hospital" and "Letters from the Archers".
- Considerable staff time was devoted to the development of the inter-denominational mission study materials on the themes for 1978-79, "Contemporary China" and "Covenant Living in times of Change".
- There were 40 missionaries engaged in deputation work - overseas personnel 17, mission in Canada 21, special overseas visitors 2. Four World Mission Week-ends were conducted and assistance was given in planning, providing materials and personnel for other events.

- Special overseas visitors were Bishop and Mrs. John Gonsalves, the Bishop of Bhopal, Church of North India, who proved thoughtful and cheerful ambassadors for Christ and good examples of "two-way mission" as they visited among churches in the three central Synods.
- The Secretary for Mission Education expresses his sincere thanks to the Board for its prayers and good wishes throughout his illness and his special appreciation to the executive and secretarial staff of the Board of World Mission for the additional responsibilities that they all undertook during his absence.

1978 Presbyterian Church Calendar

42,000 copies of the 1978 Calendar were sold for a profit of \$663. Approximately 2500 Calendars were used for promotional purposes and sent out as complimentary copies to friends around the world.

The members of the 1978 Calendar Committee were Miss M. Nutt, Mrs. J. Head, Rev. J. MacKay, Dr. A. G. MacDougall, Mr. R. Hummelen and Rev. G. A. Malcolm.

Joint Task Force on Mission Education Services 1977

The Task Force exists to co-ordinate the production and promotion of mission education resources by the BCL, WMS and BWM and so is made up of representatives from these three agencies.

Throughout the year there was much discussion of the mission study themes and their promotion throughout the church.

At the request of the W.M.S. (WD) it was agreed to recommend to the Board that it recommend the annual mission study themes to the General Assembly two years in advance.

A pamphlet on the Native Peoples of Canada was produced and circulated from Mission Education office.

A consultation was held with Second Century Advance for Christ to discuss ways of undergirding the Second Century Advance by prayer and study, especially in conjunction with the mission study: "The Local Church in God's Mission".

Missionary Residence

462 Oriole Parkway, Toronto

The Mission Residence has been well used in 1977 and has been kept in good repair through the work of Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Randall on a regular maintenance schedule. Mr. & Mrs. James Whitefield were in residence during most of the year and assisted with the maintenance.

Special Gifts were received and are appreciated from Glenview Church, Toronto - \$1000; Trinity, York Mills, Ladies Group - \$300; W.M.S. (ED) - \$500. These gifts mean that we continue to improve the Residence and the furnishings. Two new refrigerators and one new stove were purchased.

The Mission Residence is a credit to The Presbyterian Church in Canada and a comfortable home for our Overseas Missionaries.

THE GUYANA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Clerk of Presbytery - Rev. Dr. Dale A. Bisnauth.

- The story of the Guyana Presbyterian Church in 1977, is the story of a Christian community struggling to come to grips with the fact of Guyanese nationhood and with the stern and demanding challenges of that political reality. The church has not yet gained the confidence of Guyanese people enough to result in the emergence of a dynamic church. The church's stand is not rooted in that kind of spirituality that can help it to respond adequately to its challenges.
- The Guyana Presbyterian Church's position is made all the more difficult because its leadership of ten ministers and one deaconess is 100 per cent East Indian, and, its membership of about 2,500 persons is almost that same percentage. That is to say: its membership as well as its leadership is recruited from one segment of the population.
- During 1977, a number of Presbyterian families emigrated, as they did in pre-

vious years. Fortunately, during last year no minister emigrated. In fact, during 1977, one minister returned to Guyana after spending some twelve years abroad. His return, and the addition to the staff of Mr. Albert James, a graduate of UTCWI, has boosted the number of ministers to ten.

- During 1977, the GPC made little or no attempt to engage in dialogue with the other Presbyterian church in the country – the Negro Presbytery of Guyana (Church of Scotland). Both the Caribbean Association of Reformed Churches and the World Alliance of Reformed Churches of which the GPC is a member, urged the GPC to pursue dialogue with the Presbytery of Guyana. But, the GPC's desultoriness in this regard has been matched by the unwillingness of the Presbytery of Guyana to hold dialogue.
- One of the challenges that faces the GPC is that of helping the East Indian community to develop a positive attitude to Guyana. To be able to do so, the GPC must first earn the respect of that community. The church enhanced its credibility in some measure, by publicly taking a principled stand on the sugar workers' strike in late 1977.
- The Guyana Presbyterian Church is faced with the task of educating its membership in an understanding of the faith that will enable it to respond in a mature and responsible way to the realities of life in Guyana.
- The inspiration of the Second Assembly of the Caribbean Council of Churches held in Guyana in November 1977, the continuing loyalty of our membership, the ecumenical awareness engendered by our participation in the Guyana Extension Seminary, the building and renovation of manses and sanctuaries, the continuing friendship of the Canadian Presbyterian Church, the commitment of our present leadership and the resuscitation of St. Columba's House, inspire hope for the future. But, the worsening of the economic situation in Guyana, with spiralling costs for essential commodities, and growing unemployment and inadequate wages, pose enormous challenges for the Guyana Presbyterian Church, as it does for the total Christian community.

UNITED THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE OF THE WEST INDIES

Rev. Dr. William W. Watty – President.

In spite of continuing difficulties, 1977 has seen a serious attempt to come to grips with basic problems which beset the College. It has also witnessed a strong and growing determination on the part of the churches to ensure that the ground will be prepared and the way kept open for it to make an even larger contribution to the renewal of the churches in the future.

- The year has also witnessed a quickening of interest in the College among churches and church-based institutions outside of the Caribbean, which augurs well for the future. The following shows the composition of the Student Body: (1) Territories – Antigua 1; Bahamas 4; Barbados 2; Canada 1; Costa Rica 2; Grenada 2; Guyana 4; Haiti 3; Jamaica 54; St. Kitts 3; St. Vincent 2; and Trinidad 3. (2) Denominations – African Methodist Episcopal 2; Anglicans 20; Baptists 10; Disciples of Christ 3; Methodists 25; Moravians 9; Presbyterians 2; and United Church 10. Of the 81 students, 65 are male and 16 female, 10 are married and 71 unmarried, 78 are Church-sponsored, and 3 are private.
- An area of concern continues to be the dislocations caused by the annual exodus of one or more members of faculty. The College enjoys very little say in the recruitment of the teaching staff and the duration of their appointment. They enter into no contract with the College. Withdrawal of a member of staff by a denomination does not necessarily pre-suppose the naming of a successor. This in fact transpired during the past year when Rev. Dale Bisnauth of Guyana Presbyterian Church was withdrawn from faculty. Mr. Bisnauth made a distinctive contribution to the College as Deputy President, Dean of Studies and Lecturer in Church History. A successor has not yet been named.

CARIBBEAN CONFERENCE OF CHURCHES

General Secretary – Dr. Roy Neehall.

- The Second General Assembly of the Caribbean Conference of Churches was the focal point of activity of the CCC during 1977.

Some 450 persons attended the week long Assembly held at Georgetown, Guyana from November 16-23, 1977. Under the theme "WORKING TOGETHER WITH CHRIST", the Assembly addressed some of the most crucial issues in the life of the Caribbean Church and people, including liberation theology, common forms of worship, human rights and a new economic order. Some of the CCC Activities which were reported on at the Assembly:

I Christian Action for Development in the Caribbean (CADEC)

Education for Development: This is perhaps the major educational program of the CCC. It organized training seminars for community leaders, including Church workers and project carriers. One seminar was held in Dominica on the Role of Women in Developing Nations.

Caribbean Community Appeal: Established in 1972 to mobilize local resources and to decrease dependence on overseas funding, this program organized its fourth annual Christian Action Week campaign.

CADEC Project Development Program: Projects approved were mainly in Agriculture, Small Industry, Crafts, Cultural, Education and Vocational.

Land and Food for People: This is one of the new programs of the Development Commission. The goals of this project are the better utilization of Church-owned lands to ensure a more efficient use of land resources, and a more equitable distribution of the produce of the land among all those dependent on it. In Jamaica there are over 52 LAFFP projects with approximately 3,000 persons benefitting from them. In St. Vincent a housing project for over 100 families is in the planning stage. An important aspect of this program is the regular courses in Agriculture offered to Pastors and Community workers, to equip them to serve as motivators in their communities.

"Caribbean Contact": This is the CCC's monthly Newspaper. It treated matters of importance for Culture, Politics, Economics, International Affairs and Communications in addition to issues of theological and religious interest.

CADEC Communications Network: (CCN). This program sponsors annually a course for media personnel and church communications, designed to build awareness of their role in the development process now taking place in the Caribbean. CCN also produces a half-hour radio program called RADIO CONTACT broadcast over 14 stations in the region.

CADEC Audio Visual Services: (CAVIS). CAVIS moved in 1977 into a modest new building constructed in Georgetown, Guyana with aid from the World Associations for Christian Communication. It provides filmstrips, slides and other graphics.

Disaster, Emergency and Welfare Program (DERAW): From its inception CADEC was faced with the challenge of the demand for welfare services. The CCC therefore, launched DERAW with a full-time Co-ordinator and found a ready response not only from funding agencies but also from member Churches and Councils of Churches.

II Action for the Renewal of the Church (ARC)

Evangelism and Mission: This is a program which is designed to clarify for Christians the meaning of Evangelism and Mission today and to determine how they can best be done in the Caribbean at the present time. It also seeks to promote a deeper understanding among Christians of the non-Christian religious and secular ideologies.

Scholarships: Scholarships are mainly to do post graduate studies in Theology, Counselling and Christian Education. Over the past two years 14 applications were approved.

Caribbean Ecumenical Youth Action (CEYA): The Youth arm of the CCC. Its work is administered through three Youth Secretaries based in Trinidad, Antigua and Jamaica.

CEYA's major preoccupation during 1977 was with the spectre of unemployment which haunts Caribbean youth. Over 50% of the unemployed in the region fall between the ages 15 and 19. It tackled the problem with Unemployment Seminars; a Regional Unemployment Survey; and Unemployment Projects. Examples of such projects are: Grenada, Concord Youth Farmers' Co-operative.

St. Kitts, Conaree Village Project, building a community centre. Belize, a block building project.

- *Caribbean Ecumenical Program (CEP)*: The main objectives of this program are to stimulate theological reflection among Church leaders and members, and to encourage a deeper understanding of the relationship between faith, life and Christian commitment. During 1977, 18 seminars and/or conferences were held with an average of 36 participants drawn from across the Caribbean and from most of the member Churches of the CCC.
- *Caribbean Church Music*: In 1973 the first joint effort was made to deal with Caribbean Church Music on a regional scale. Results were the production of the hymn "The Right Hand of God" and a booklet "Sing a New Song".
- *Education Renewal Action (ERA)*: ERA is the Christian Education department of the CCC. One of its main aims is to foster ecumenical collaboration in the development of leaders and the creation of curricula for Christian Education. It has developed three major types of Seminars designed to meet the needs of teachers of the Christian Faith in Day Schools and Sunday Schools and of Catechists and Prayer-Group leaders. During 1977, 10 Seminars were conducted.
- *Caribbean Church Women*: The main objectives are: (a) to encourage women in the Caribbean to have a new conception of the mission of the Church and a new understanding of the meaning of justice and freedom; (b) to witness to the will and determination of Christian women in the Caribbean to be active and creative partners in the social and economic development of the Caribbean. Some of the projects of CCW during 1977 were: (1) Work with Voluntary Organizations in consumer education, child care, health and nutrition, disablement, vocational training, mental health, civic consciousness. (2) Educational and Recreational Program for Market Women in Jamaica. (3) A sewing and candy-making project for teenage girls in Curaçao. (4) Training of "barefoot counselors" in Trinidad to provide supportive and referral services for those seeking help with social and emotional problems.
- *Caribbean Identity*: This Program was conceived out of the necessity to contribute to the promotion of the West Indianness of the people of the Region.
- *Human Rights*: One of the special initiatives taken by the CCC during 1976 was in Human Rights. A CCC Bureau of Human Rights was set up initially with a one year mandate. The Bureau co-operated with other bodies holding similar goals, and was involved in the formation of a registered Company on Human Rights and Legal Aid in 1977. The work of the Company is to provide a regional panel of lawyers to assist with cases in which the violation of Human Rights is an issue.

CHURCH OF NORTH INDIA

- General Secretary - Mr. A. C. Dhamaraj.
- The CNI is now a legal entity. In its very life and actual involvement in the local, national and international dealings during the last six years, the CNI has established itself as a legal continuity and legal successor of Diocesan Councils, Church Councils, Districts and Conferences, of the former traditions.
 - Of the 22 Dioceses, 20 are taken care of by Bishops. Two are in charge of commissaries. But before the end of March 1978 election for these Dioceses will have been completed and Bishops installed.
 - The "standard of financial administration in most of the Dioceses is not satisfactory". But stewardship efforts are reported to be bearing fruits.
 - The Third Synod received an important document on "Structure and Self-Reliance" and commended it for the study of all the Dioceses. It is a provocative document giving food for thought for the CNI in restructuring itself with special attention to the relevance and supportability of its present imported structures in the fulfillment of mission in partnership with the Universal Church.
 - The Second Synod which met in 1974 gave a directive to CNI to decide its priorities and work out its plan of action. This was all done and all the dioceses have been following this action by working out their own details for local implementation.
 - The Assessment from Dioceses has increased by more than 500%. It is very

heartening to recognize that now the CNI is able to produce from local resources the income required for its administration. The policy pursued by the CNI with regard to its investment and the vigilance with which resources are husbanded indicate a bright hope for further consolidation and stability in the CNI and inevitable effectiveness of its witness as a united Church which has to "combat" against:

(1) The divisive tendencies of splinter groups which seem to multiply and weaken the proclamation of a reconciling God and people, and (2) the divisive tendencies generated by the "maternal possessiveness" of the West and "the only daughter" mentality of the East.

It is hoped the CNI Trust Association (CNITA) would hasten the transfer of properties in all the Dioceses and establish workable relations with them and their trusts and other Diocesan Property Committees.

All the Standing Committees are functioning effectively excepting the Committee in charge of Youth. It is proposed to appoint a full time Director at the Synod level to promote this work.

The CNI rejoices to continue its relationship of cordiality and co-operation with its partners overseas whose sympathy, understanding and spirit of caring and sharing have fostered CNI's solidarity with the Universal Church.

BHOPAL DIOCESE (including the Bhil Area)

Bishop J. A. Gonsalves

The year 1977 has been a year of thanksgiving. It was during this year a hundred years ago, the first Presbyterian missionary from Canada began work in Central India. It was through the Mission that education entered into those parts of Central India, which were never touched by them before. It moved into the interior among the aborigines and the illiterates. Also, medical work started in urban or semi-urban areas and penetrated into the rural areas. Who can imagine the situation, as it was in 1877, when even today the medical facilities in the rural areas is meagre? The emphasis was not only upon cure and healing of diseases but upon prevention too. Nursing education and public health, side by side, helped in this phase of the contribution of the Church.

There have been several young people who are now scattered all over the country as teachers, university lecturers and professors, doctors and nurses. There are others who are involved in secular jobs and bearing a witness for His glory.

The Diocesan Council was successfully held under the leadership of the Bishop, Rt. Rev. J. A. Gonsalves. This was his first council meeting.

The number of missionaries is decreasing and their places are being taken by nationals. Although one would like to continue working together with missionaries as partners in the life of the Church, it is a matter of joy and satisfaction to see the nationals coming up and taking the responsibilities.

DIOCESE OF LUCKNOW (including Jhansi)

Bishop Din Dayal

- The political position in India during 1977, the year of the peaceful revolution, can best be summed up in the words of the Readers' Digest: "Now that the honeymoon is over for the Janata Government there is a wide measure of agreement on two things. The first is a sense of satisfaction and relief at the change from an authoritarian to a democratic regime. The second is a growing feeling of disappointment and concern over the performance of the new administration".
- Unfortunately, just before the election in February the Moderator of the CNI and other religious leaders were portrayed in the Press having an interview with Mrs. Gandhi and declaring their support for her. This evoked a strong statement declaring that the Christian community should vote solidly against her party. This was unfortunate. The opportunity should have been taken to state Christian standards and to demand just policies from all parties.
- The CNI as a whole has continued to consolidate, particularly at the Synod level. At the Third Synod of the CNI held in October the Constitution was amended to tidy it up, and the way was opened for any Diocese to ordain women to the Ministry if it thought fit.

- The division of the Lucknow Diocese into two, Agra and Lucknow, although begun in April 1976, is not fully consummated. However, the smaller Diocese of Lucknow has certainly benefitted in that the Bishop is able to tour his Diocese twice in a year now.
- The biggest problem at the moment is that pastorates are not taking up the challenge of self-support and are falling behind in their assessments. At the same time there is a great dearth of clergy, with older men retiring and few young men coming forward.
- The real work of the Church is in the doldrums, in that there is little real concern to reach out and bring others into the Church, although organizations outside the main line Churches seem to be having more encouragement.

CHANDIGARH DIOCESE

Christian Institute of Sikh Studies

Director - Mr. Clarence McMullen

- This institute conducts seminars and dialogue between Christians and Sikhs and issues a regular Bulletin encouraging a deeper understanding between people of these two faiths.

Baring Union Christian College

Principal - Dr. D. L. Ranpal

Ludhiana Christian Medical Centre

Director - Dr. K. N. Nambudripad

- This is the Christian Hospital and Medical College for the whole of Northern India, started by Dr. Edith Brown in 1893: 600 beds, 16 departments, 300 medical students, 260 student nurses and 200 doctors on staff.

Vellore Christian Medical Centre

Director - Dr. L.B.M. Joseph

- This world-renowned medical centre at Vellore in South India was started by Dr. Ida Scudder in 1900 to bring medical care to Indian Women. It has developed into a modern medical complex with 853 students in medical/nursing Colleges, 1123 hospital beds, 390 doctors on staff and with an active chaplaincy service.
- Canadian support of both these Christian Medical Centres is sizeable.

Canadian Staff

- *Miss Pauline Brown* has been doing professional development study during 1977 and in 1978 obtained her degree of Master of Health Sciences (Health Care Practice). She will return to work in the Bhil area.
- *Miss Agnes Hislop* served as secretary of the Diocesan Women's Fellowship for Christian Service, visiting groups and giving help in program planning. She participated in the Christian Life and Lay Activities Program holding classes with rural laymen, urban laymen, lay women's study groups and young people's camp. She was also a member of the Executive Committee of the Diocese. She attended the Synod meeting (top ruling body) of the CNI as Fraternal Delegate representing The Presbyterian Church in Canada.
- *Miss Margaret Kennedy* acted as Manager of M. G. Abey Memorial Children's Home, Amkhut, was instrumental in starting a Hostel for boys in High School and College in Barwani, and a member of the Women's Fellowship Synodical Literature Committee. She completed her work as Chairperson of the Diocesan Finance Committee and Director of Stewardship for Bhopal Diocese of the CNI. At the Deanery level she has been active in evangelism and initiated a Reading Room at the Bus Depot in Jobat. She retires from Overseas Service at the end of 1978, after doing deputation work across the Church in Canada.
- *Miss Eleanor Knott* is a Home Economist, oversees the Household Science Department of the Helen MacDonald Memorial Higher Secondary School in Jhansi, Diocese of Lucknow, and serves as treasurer of the School. She also supervised English Classes in the Primary Section.

- *Miss Margaret Leask*, after her return from furlough in August, took up the work as Manager of Helen MacDonald Memorial School as well as teaching Mathematics at both Primary and Higher School levels. She was also secretary of the Diocesan (CNI) Education Board and served on the Local Operation Committee of the Christian Hospital in Jhansi.
- *Rev. J. W. and Mrs. Milne* arrived in India in March and Mr. Milne began his work teaching five courses at the North India Theological College in Bareilly. He was elected a member of the Hindi Theological Literature Committee. Mrs. (Lucie) Milne is a Registered Nurse and has her Master of Religious Education. She taught two English classes at the North India Theological College and conducted a Child Care/Child Psychology class in the Women's School. As well, she looked after the health needs of the Seminary.
- *Miss Doreen Morrison* is Director of Christian Rural Health Services (CRHS) in the Barwani/Mandeleshwar area, and served as acting nurse Superintendent at Mandeleshwar Christian Hospital (CNI).
- *Miss Diana Wadsworth* was manager of the Helen MacDonald Memorial School in Jhansi before she returned to Canada on furlough. She was co-ordinator of the English program of the School. She also did counselling in Mission Property matters. She was a member of the Lucknow Diocese Christian Education Committee and of the Managing Committee of St. Mark's English Medium School, Jhansi.
- *Miss Ida White*, nurse, was Director of Community-Health Nursing and served on a number of committees of the CNI. She returns to Canada early in 1978.

KOREAN CHRISTIAN CHURCH IN JAPAN

General Secretary - Rev. S. Choi

- As we look back over the ten years since the celebration of our 60th Anniversary and look forward to the next ten years from our 70th Anniversary we aim at mission advance, working in hope and asking God's blessing. We will aim at being a leader for the 650,000 Koreans in Japan. We are also thankful for the support and co-operation which the KCCJ has received from the Presbyterian Church.
- *Evangelism Department*: Rev. Kim Duk Sung, Chairperson, and Rev. Chun Yong Bok, General Evangelism Secretary, and other members of that department, undertook evangelism programs in each Presbytery and bent all their efforts toward opening the doors of dialogue not only for those already in the church, but for the whole Korean community.
- *Christian Education*: Pastor Hong Yong Gi, and others gave their best efforts toward the work of the Church school, Teacher's Conferences, elders and deacons' conferences, pastors and elders' conferences, and the publication of the Pastor's Preaching Book (a book of selected sermons).
- The KCCJ this year has four theological students who will be candidates for the ministry. Eighty per cent of the 650,000 Koreans in Japan are of the second and third generation, that is, born in Japan. This fact shows us that we should seriously take up the question of the leadership of the younger generation.
- *Social Action*: The general tendency of the KCCJ is hesitation to be involved bravely in human rights issues, because of a feeling of inferiority due to long oppression. The Social Action department must convey to the Japanese Churches and the world, the issues, concerns and needs of the Korean Christians in Japan. This year for the first time the KCCJ and the Kyodan had an official consultation about the Korean peoples' social issues, and agreed to co-operate in taking action. In November we will have a symposium on Human Rights and the legal status of Koreans in Japan, with both Japanese and Korean delegates.
- *Korean Christian Centre*: Elder Yu, director.
- The Centre has worked in the area of community service and community problems in practicing the gospel. During the last six years, the KCC has contributed a lot towards community consciousness, and has led the people of the area to work for themselves for community service.
- *RAIK (Research-Action Information Centre for Koreans)*: Dr. In Ha Lee, Di-

rector. Activities: Material correction, consciousness – development, concrete dialogical connection with Christian and non-Christian organizations. Publishes information in the MIN TOREN.

- RAIK also took part in the case of Kim Kyong Duk, who successfully passed the exams set by the Japanese government, but was prevented by the same body from taking his two year's internship which were essential before he could become a lawyer. He won his case against discriminatory practices. This opens a new road for Korean youth to serve in Japanese society.
- *Women's Department*: Two-thirds of the KCCJ are women. And yet the KCCJ has not recognized the important role of women in the Church. But this year, in order to break through and create a new role for women, we had a consultation between KCCJ delegates and Women's Evangelical Association (WEA) delegates.
- *Youth Department*: This department was first set up last year. The youth were very co-operative with the KCCJ because of their honest and frank character. The youth have had a long period of suffering. In the process of their struggle they reached the conclusion that only faith deeply grounded in the Bible is able to solve the kinds of problems they face.
- *Finance*: The finance department has been responsible for managing the self-support mission program, raising funds and seeking other avenues of assistance. The growth of the Church was made possible through our improved financial condition. This is the fruit of the effort of the whole membership of the KCCJ.
- *Solidarity in Mission*: Again last year we had good co-operation in mission with many groups, including The Presbyterian Church in Canada, the NCCJ, the World Council of Churches, the Christian Conference of Asia, the World Alliance of Reformed Churches. It is especially significant to have honest dialogue with the Kyodan about concrete issues in Japan, and to agree to co-operate with each other.
- This year marked the 50th anniversary of the Mission to the KCCJ by The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Mr. Frank Whilsmith, Chairman of the Second Century Advance for Christ came to the KCCJ and visited several places in Japan. Thus we re-affirmed the deep solidarity between the PCC and the KCCJ.
- Miss Mavis Hyndman returned to Canada after fourteen years work at the General Affairs Office. The KCCJ gives special thanks for her faithful and devoted service. Rev. and Mrs. Bob Anderson came to the KCCJ, especially for General Secretarial work.
- The Mission Plan of the coming ten years will be made in 1978, the Seventieth Anniversary of our Mission. Our senior pastors and workers are retiring from the frontiers, and a new generation is rapidly coming to the fore. "OUR ONLY HOPE IS CHRIST."

Canadian Staff

- *Rev. Robert and Mrs. Priscilla Anderson* returned to Japan in late August after three years in Canada. Mr. Anderson took up his duties as Associate General Secretary of the KCCJ in the Tokyo office with responsibilities for English language correspondence and publications as well as general office work. He conducts an English Bible Class in the Tokyo Church. He is working on the publication of a book "A Life of Luther Young, Pioneer Missionary to Korea and Japan". Mrs. Anderson besides her family responsibilities, has helped with the English correspondence in the G.A. office and is a representative on the International Christian Youth Exchange Committee.
- *Rev. Glen and Mrs. Joyce Davis* resumed their pastorate at Fukuoka Church as of April 1977, after Mr. Davis completed his studies at Toronto School of Theology for his M.Th. (Knox College). Mr. Davis is a member of the Fukuoka Radio Evangelism Committee. Mrs. Davis is a full-time pastor's wife and mother and a part-time teacher at Fukuoka International School.
- *Miss Mavis Hyndman* terminated her services at the end of the year after 14 years of service in Japan. She had secretarial responsibility to Rev. Sam Choi, General Secretary, KCCJ and to Dr. In Ha Lee, Director of RAIK, besides a multitude of other duties involving counselling, welcoming visitors to Japan,

teaching English Bible Classes and membership in a host of committees. Early in 1978 she returned to Canada to assume the position of Administrative Assistant, Finance in the BWM office.

- *Rev. John H. and Mrs. Clarabeth McIntosh* continued their ministry at the Osaka Christian Centre where Mr. McIntosh has responsibility for program development, staff co-ordination and office administration. He also shares pastoral duties with the minister of the Osaka Korean Church primarily in the areas of evangelism and building programs. He is active in the Ikuno Credit Union and Ikuno Community Action Council. He is a member of the 70th Anniversary Executive Committee of the KCCJ. He has been given a clean bill of health by his doctors. Mrs. McIntosh's prime responsibility is that of homemaker for her family. She also finds time to teach English in three different schools, to serve as Education Secretary for the Women's Association of Osaka Church, and to serve on the International Friendship Group Executive of the Osaka YWCA (Japanese).
- *Miss Dawn Ross* serves in the Tokyo office of the Urban Rural Mission of the Christian Conference of Asia with responsibility for English language correspondence, publications, reports and finance, hosting overseas visitors to the Tokyo office and helping to organize approximately six annual international meetings and consultations in various countries of Asia. She has been deeply involved in difficulties confronting the urban poor, rural issues of land ownership and distribution, race and minority issues and problems of women workers. The approach is to help the oppressed to realize their dignity as human beings.
- *Rev. Ronald and Mrs. Susan Wallace* have been engaged in language study while Mr. Wallace does occasional preaching, teaches English and does home visitation. In the fall of 1977 he became an observer on the Kanto (Tokyo area) Presbyterian Youth Committee. Mrs. Wallace fills her days as housewife, mother and language student.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN TAIWAN

- General Secretary – Dr. C. M. Kao.
- Two typhoons within 3 weeks of each other during the summer brought about tremendous destruction to port facilities, factories, other institutions and homes. We are very grateful for the help from overseas Boards which has so far made it possible to meet 4/7 of the damage claims of church institutions.
- *The Declaration on Human Rights*
 - The international situation was of constant concern. Vance's visit to Communist China and what seemed to be the possibility of immediate "normalization" of relationships without any proper consideration of the wishes of the 17 million people in Taiwan led to the issuing on August 16 of our "Declaration on Human Rights".
 - The publication of the Declaration led to the confiscation of the issue of the Church Weekly in which it appeared and the stopping of most of our letters sending the Declaration to local ministers and churches overseas. A great many messages of support from overseas never reached us – letters, cables and long distance phone calls did not get through. We seemed to be entirely cut off from the outside world for a long time. Eventually, however, letters reached us.
- *Short Term Training Plan*
 - The Preacher's Conference decided to sponsor a short term study tour to Japan and Korea in the summer of 1978.
- *New Relationships*
 - 1977 saw new relationships with a number of bodies. Rev. C. H. Chuang and Rev. H. K. Weng represented us at the inauguration of the new Council for World Mission in England. This marks a totally new organization, with a new secretariat in London and mutuality of member churches replacing the previous "giving and receiving" links. The Hong Kong Council of the Church of Christ in China and the Kyodan in Japan have agreed to enter into formal relationships with the Presbyterian Church in Taiwan.

Evangelism

- We see good possibilities for church growth through members who have taken part in the Lay Training Program working together to establish new congregations. Another approach which seems promising is to use music in "musical evangelism". A joint Easter service for all the Presbyterian Churches in Taipei was a very moving and successful one - over 6,500 people joined for a Communion Service at 10 a.m. on Easter Sunday. Evangelistic meetings were also held the week before Pentecost.
- During the summer the East Coast Presbytery marked the centenary of the Gospel's coming to the east coast. Special youth meetings, evangelistic meetings and laymen's meetings were held in Hualien and Taitung with about 1,000 participating in Hualien and 3,000 in Taitung. The Evangelism Committee of the General Assembly in conjunction with the International Evangelistic Association arranged evangelistic meetings in seven large towns. The speaker was a Japanese minister's wife who attempted to commit suicide by jumping in front of a train 22 years ago before she became a Christian. She spoke with genuine joy of her life as a Christian and was realistic and practical in what she said. Altogether about 40,000-50,000 people went to hear her.
- At Christmas the General Assembly Mountain Work Committee sponsored a celebration for all mountain people in Taipei and Keelung (Christian and non-Christian). It was held at Taiwan Theological College and the organization was in the hands of the mountain university students. It was extremely successful. Many of the non-Christians were very moved that the church was interested in them.

Ecumenical Activities

- There have been a number of large scale ecumenical activities with the Roman Catholic and other churches. We continue to participate in the Ecumenical Co-operative Committee which this year has been very concerned about ways of helping mountain people who move to the city.
- A Sports Meeting sponsored by the Ecumenical Co-operative Committee attended by about 1,500 people, was held in Taipei. The idea for this had originally come from the Presbyterian Church but it was eagerly taken up by other denominations. It was an attempt to bring ordinary church members together to enjoy themselves.
- A joint Christmas Celebration by Protestant and Roman Catholic churches in Tainan attracted more than 10,000 people to the city stadium. There were many others left outside when the police ordered the doors to be shut in the interest of safety. Individual congregations and church schools put on plays and provided choirs.

Church Growth

- Five preaching stations attained financial independence and became churches. Nine new preaching stations were set up. Yu Shan is now a recognized Theological College and the Presbyterian Bible School, Hsinchu, is now a college. The first two volumes of the Sunday School materials (two teacher's books and two workbooks for students) for the 9-10 age group were published during the year. The Lay Training program is going well. Altogether about twenty lay training centers are now functioning.

Personnel

- Personnel changes have taken place at Taiwan Theological College where Dr. Ingram S. Seah was installed as Principal. In April Dr. C. M. Kao returned to his job as General Secretary and Miss E. J. Brown was appointed Assistant General Secretary.

Youth Work

- One of the outstanding events which took place this year was the holding of a Youth Conference. Delegates from every Presbytery (plains and mountains) took part and there were over 100 participants. Their slogan is "New Man, New Church, New Society". A new monthly magazine, "The Messenger's Voice",

has been started as a result of the Conference. A movement has begun to provide for the establishing of the 1000th congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Taiwan - an event which will probably take place next year in connection with the 30th Anniversary of the Presbyterian Youth Fellowship.

Canadian Staff

- *Miss Georgine Caldwell* has been studying at Columbia Teachers College, New York for a Doctoral degree in Religious Education. She expects to complete her dissertation and return to Taiwan about mid-1978 to teach at Taiwan Theological College.
- *Rev. H. T. and Mrs. Marilyn Ellis* continued to serve in Tainan, Mr. Ellis as chaplain of Tainan Theological College and Mrs. Ellis taking care of the family of two small children and doing Taiwanese language study. Mr. Ellis is chairman of the College Worship Committee, and also a member of the General Assembly Executive of the Presbyterian Church in Taiwan and of the Hsinchu Bible School Board and the Tam Kang Middle School Board. His special interests include Christian Formation, adult education through small groups, personal evangelism and church growth.
- *Rev. Bernard L. M. Embree* turned over the Principalship of Taiwan Theological College to the Rev. I. S. Seah in January and then made a survey trip for the Association of Theological Colleges of South East Asia visiting 21 colleges in seven countries to discuss problems of teaching the Biblical languages in the regions involved. In September he enrolled at the Toronto School of Theology to prepare himself to tackle these problems on his return to Asia in mid-1978. During the year past he published "An Intensive Course in Biblical Hebrew".
- *Mr. J. E. Geddes (Jack)* continued to serve as full time professor at Tam Kang College while Mrs. Geddes (Betty) took care of the family and home, continued her language study and taught swimming to the handicapped. Mr. Geddes is also on the Yu Shan Theological College Board.
- *Rev. Clare and Mrs. Grace McGill* continued the work of translation into the Tayal language of 58 Psalms, selected by the United Bible Societies; finished the first LP record of Tayal Scripture verses arranged to Tayal tunes; and took part in services celebrating the 30th Anniversary of the coming of the Christian Faith to the Tayal people. Mrs. McGill also served on the Advisory Board of Mei Hwa Folkcraft Shop in Taipei.
- *Miss A. Diane Petrie* is the Assistant Secretary, Mountain Work Committee she gave health education at the Mountain Guidance Centre in Taipei and after July was project manager of the Tuberculosis Control Program for Ren Ai County. Returned to Canada on regular furlough.
- *Miss Joy Randall* left her position as Director of Nursing Service of Changhua Hospital in which her direct responsibility is to help the supervisors and head nurses to carry out supervision, direction, teaching and evaluation of the nursing care, to come home to Canada in June because of the serious illness of both her parents. Her mother died in November and she has been given a leave of absence while she cares for her father. She expects to return to her duties in Taiwan as soon as her family situation permits.

SPECIAL MINISTRIES

- *Rev. Brian and Mrs. Elizabeth Crosby* continue their services at Iona Abbey, Scotland, where Mr. Crosby is the Warden with responsibility for program and administration, morning and evening services daily, recruitment of volunteer staff and general pastoral work. Mrs. Crosby, a teacher, is involved in the Abbey Community and acting as hostess for the hundreds of guests who stay at or pass through the Abbey. She is also Librarian and is re-cataloguing the library. Has spent the past several months in hospital and in a plaster cast with a recurrence of back trouble.
- *Rev. Russell and Mrs. Alice Self* serve in Singapore, where Mr. Self is Regional Secretary of the Asia/Pacific region for the United Bible Societies.

MALAWI

Church of Central Africa Presbyterian, Synod of Blantyre

General Secretary – Very Rev. J. D. Sangaya

- From the beginning of the Church of Central Africa Presbyterian the task of the Church has been two-fold: EVANGELISM and COMMERCE. These two aspects were viewed by the early Scottish missionaries as integral parts of the Gospel of Christ for development of the total man.
- Evangelism included such things as hospitalization and good health, education, spirituality, peace and justice. Commerce was the tool used to end slave trade and slavery. It promoted agriculture development, markets, roads and free mobility and interaction of different tribes. A concrete example is the city of Blantyre which has grown around the Mission station.
- Our understanding of Evangelism and Renewal today is the Church's concern for the salvation of man in his wholeness. In 1977 Evangelism was aimed at covering some of the most remote areas. Mass Gospel meetings were held in ten centres scattered in the whole of the southern region.
- The mass Gospel campaign was held at Kapalamula village. This area has 43 different sects which is a direct result of returning migrant workers from South Africa. More than seven thousand people attended this meeting and many surrendered their lives to Christ.
- The campaign at Ntenjera was held for three days. There were about three thousand people who gathered each day. The evenings were occupied with group discussions, prayers and singing. Bamba and Ntaja West are about 125 miles north-east of Blantyre. This area is mainly Islamic. We did not know for sure if mass gatherings would work as an initial contact with many people in this area. Five hundred men, women and children attended the first meeting, while two thousand attended the second. Women took a great part in preaching the Gospel in addition to our own team. Scripture portions were handed out and Bibles were sold.
- This year more concentration will be on training group-Gospel carriers such as Youth Groups, Women Groups, Elders, Deacons and groups of lay people. There will be fewer mass meetings and emphasis on person to person contact.

Canadian Staff

The Rev. Chas. A. Scott continued his ministry, teaching at Kapeni Theological College, Associate Minister of Blantyre congregation, Chairman of the Station Committee in preparation for the Centennial Celebrations, Chairman of the Hostels Committee. Mrs. Scott as well as being a mother of three children taught a standard three class at St. Andrew's Primary School and served as a member of the Zomba Cottage Committee.

UNITED MISSION TO NEPAL

Executive Secretary – Gordon M. Ruff

- The Board of Directors, at its meeting in April 1977, approved the Five Year Plan "as a framework for future planning by the Functional Boards and Executive Committee".
- The Five Year Plan proved to be an excellent working document. Progress was made in the area of Economic Development programs as new companies, spun off from the initial work in Butwal, were formed under their own boards. The Bio-Gas and Agricultural Equipment Development Co. is well under way as it seeks to meet a desperate need for alternate sources of energy.
- Considerable discussion has been carried on with officials of HMG regarding UMN involvement in education in the Far Western Development Region. Most recently the government has been urging UMN to consider undertaking to develop a boarding school in the Jumla region. There are many factors to be considered.
- Each of the four hospitals has shown considerable increase in activity during the year, with most of them having higher numbers of patients. Seeking to

meet desperate human need has greatly taxed some of our health services facilities. Financially the hospitals are more than meeting the expectations of UMN. After years of planning, praying and discussing, the Patan Hospital is near to being a reality. The plans for the initial stage of 50 beds have been approved. It will serve as the base hospital for the Lalitpur District Community Health Program.

- A major concern is how to recruit and retain competent Nepali workers in our projects. Because of the bonding system of HMG regarding Nepalis sponsored for further training, it has been difficult to secure freshly trained and eager young people.
 - One annual feature of UMN life is the Workers' Conference. It was held in 1977 in Pokhara. The opportunities for fellowship and sharing of experiences across the Mission are highlights for all who are able to be present.
 - In Butwal, Tansen and Kathmandu the Mission has regular guesthouses. These have had a very high occupancy throughout the year.
 - Another feature of 1977 was the holding of two UMN Regional Conferences, in Europe and North America. The Conferences turned out to be exciting and rewarding experiences, well attended by member bodies in the area, as well as by a few visitors. Much was learned by way of exchange of ideas. During the year active planning was under way regarding the General Conference on Mission to be held in connection with the 25th anniversary of the formation of the UMN. This will take place in April 1979.
- Humanly speaking, the United Mission to Nepal should not work. With over 200 missionaries coming from 16 different countries, supported by 29 different missionary societies, representing many different cultural and national backgrounds, and practising a variety of Christian lifestyles, only God's grace could take this amalgam of people and make it an effective witness for the Lord Jesus Christ.

Canadian Presbyterian Staff

Miss Mary Nichol served as Superintendent of Nursing Education at the Shanta Bhawan Hospital. Miss Pat Pooler, Registered Nurse, returned for her second term of service at Okhaldhunga and immediately encountered water problems and waiting for government action to define the community health program. Mr. John Bertholet, agriculturalist, mechanic, carpenter, and Mrs. Judith Bertholet, teacher/homemaker, arrived in midyear after lengthy delays. John has been assigned to serve in the Gookha project in Amp Pipal. His first responsibility will be as Maintenance Supervisor for the Hospital.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NIGERIA

Synod Clerk – Rev. M. O. Ogarekpe

- As of now there are 12 overseas personnel working within the Presbyterian Church of Nigeria. The number includes 3 Pastors, a Lecturer at Trinity College, one teacher with the Cross River State School Board, 4 Medical Officers, 3 with NORCAP.
- Rt. Rev. Akanu A. Otu was elected Moderator of Synod. Rev. M. O. Ogarekpe was elected Synod Clerk in place of the retiring Rev. N. Eme. 1977 was declared as a year of Self Reliance. All members were asked to redeem their pledges.
- The Seventh Presbytery known as the Presbytery of the North was inaugurated in September in Kaduna.
- NORCAP: The Norwegian Agricultural Project at Echara Ikwo was handed over to the Presbyterian Church of Nigeria in November, 1977.

Canadian Staff

- Rev. Donald W. MacKay continued a worthwhile ministry at Mary Slessor Memorial Church in Port Harcourt and served part-time in the Christian Council (interdenominational) Four Seas Community Centre. Dr. David S. Irwin served as lecturer at the new University of Port Harcourt where his wife, Sheila is also lecturing. He writes: "I am presently trying to get a 1st year chemistry course

for 200 students off the ground; no textbooks, labs, unco-operative supporting staff. Also planning and encouraging planning on the part of my colleagues for the 2nd year course, and next year will start planning 3rd year courses. We have also been able to help some Bible School students." Rev. Richard Fee has been doing language study and was inducted into Ezzikwo Parish upon arrival, and appointed Moderator of the Parish. The work has been heavily administrative and organizational. Revamping of financial handling, evangelistic endeavours, church groups, class schedules as well as training elders. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Willson, early in 1978 obtained visas for work in Nigeria as agriculturist and teacher and will be assigned to Itu.

- Two short term appointments included Dr. Richard Allan who served for three months at the Presbyterian Joint Hospital in Uburu, Eastern Nigeria, and Dr. R. B. McLeod who spent three months at the Federal Orthopedic Hospital in Enugu, Anambra State doing "a lot of surgery, correcting skeletal deformities in children - post-poliomyelitis and ricket deformities, clubbed feet, knock knees and malunited fractures, also much osteomyelitis and road traffic injuries."
- Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Whitefield left Canada early in 1978 to take up an assignment with the Port Harcourt Ecumenical Project where they will both serve on the staff.

CANADA, SPECIAL MINISTRIES

The work with persons whose mother tongue is other than English continued in seven language groupings. The Chinese Church in Montreal, as a result of the expropriation of their property in Montreal's Chinatown, purchased the former MacVicar Memorial Presbyterian Church and took possession in early June. Miss Anita Lee, who served on the Montreal staff for a number of years, completed her work at the end of July.

- Hungarian ministry: Dr. Istvan Dekany, a Knox College Student, took up his appointment as a Married Student in Oshawa. Rev. E. Zugor was appointed to Pleasant Ridge congregation in Brantford. Rev. Louis Vietorisz completed his ministry in Mount Brydges congregation in October.
- Rev. J. C. Rufenacht arrived from Switzerland in September to take up his ministry at L'Eglise St. Luc, Montreal, and as Editor of La Vie Chrétienne. Rev. David Craig continues his effective ministry in the St. Marc congregation in Ste. Foy, Quebec.
- A new Korean congregation was erected in Vancouver in October with 98 charter members. There are now six Korean Presbyterian congregations, all but one of which are self-supporting. The Vancouver congregation brought Rev. S. J. Lee from Seoul to be their minister.
- All of our work with Canada's Native People was staffed during 1977. Following theological studies at Presbyterian College, Montreal, Mrs. Mabel (Powers) Henderson took up her appointment as Director of Kenora Fellowship Centre in June. Miss Carol Sharpe, a 1976 graduate of Ewart College, was appointed to work with the Native people within the Presbytery of the Lake-of-the-Woods, in August. Mr. S. T. Robinson served on a part-time basis as Territorial Missionary in the Kenora area from February to the end of the year.
- Mr. Allan Lauder was appointed catechist to the Dakota Tipi Reserve. In September Rev. Kenneth Stright, a 1977 graduate of Knox College, began his work on the Waywayseecappo Reserve. He serves in a team ministry with his wife, Jeanne, who is an ordained minister of the United Church. They minister to the United Church in Rosburn and the two small Presbyterian congregations in Ekford and Argyle. In August Mr. David McKinnell took up his duties as Director of an inner city mission which focuses its outreach on the Native Peoples living in downtown Winnipeg.
- The greatest turnover of staff was in Hospital Visitors. After six years of service in Winnipeg, Mrs. Shirley MacIver resigned May 31st. Miss Terry Martens completed her part-time duties at Riverdale Hospital in Toronto and has returned to Western Canada. Mrs. JoAnne Walter was appointed to Hamilton in August.

Mrs. Eileen Horne was appointed to the vacancy in Montreal and Mrs. Mary McLaren took up the duties formerly undertaken by Mrs. MacIver. During Miss Lillian Reay's illness Mrs. Nancy Howard carried out the visitation program to twelve Senior Citizen's Homes in Toronto.

- Mrs. Ruth Beattie, Presbytery Missions Worker in Cape Breton Presbytery resigned in April to become Mrs. R. Ketchen. Lois Whitwell, Missions Worker in Calgary Presbytery, resigned at the end of August to undertake theological studies at Knox College. Karen Hubert of the Flora House staff became Mrs. Baxter and resigned at the end of the year. Joyce MacNevin, who took up work in the Doon area of Waterloo-Wellington Presbytery, resigned to accept the position of deaconess at St. Andrew's Church, Kitchener. Margaret Stewart, deaconess serving the Flemingdon Park Community out of Gateway Church, reduced her service to half-time in September. Mrs. Linda Robinson, a 1975 graduate of Ewart College was appointed to Calgary Presbytery as Missions Worker as of January 1978. Helen Ingleby succeeded Rev. Mary P. Farmery as Director of Armagh in March.

A total of sixty-five students served under appointment of the Board during the summer months. Six of these came from outside Canada.

An agreement was signed between the Anglican, United and Presbyterian churches to share a church site in Waterloo North, Ontario. A manse was purchased and Rev. Iris Ford was appointed to this new work. Plans for new work in Milliken, North-east Agincourt, are underway, where Presbyterians share a church site with Anglicans. Services were started in the Saltfleet (Hamilton area) development as a result of requests received by the summer student who surveyed this area. Plans here are for a joint site shared by the Anglicans, Lutherans and Presbyterians. In the College Park area of Saskatoon we have received the generous offer of a site from a Presbyterian family.

With the changing complexion of Canadian society, there are many challenges confronting the Church of Jesus Christ. Our ministry to French Canada is one of these. For too long we have accepted the impression that to be French is synonymous with being Roman Catholic. We have failed to recognize that Quebec was founded by Protestants and there is still a place there for a strong Protestant ministry. Several theological students are French-speaking and have indicated an interest in carrying on their ministry in Quebec. With the great influx of immigrants from Third World countries in recent years, there is a need for ministry to East Indian and Black newcomers, who have settled where the Church of Jesus Christ must bear its witness.

RURAL MINISTRY

- The main concern of this Committee was how to relate commuters, now living in rural areas and working in nearby urban industry, to the Christian community where they live. One Presbytery expressed the wish for a conference on rural ministry. The Committee also heard a review of what the Synod Mission Consultations had to say about rural ministry in their area.
- A member of the committee, the Rev. P. J. Schissler, reported on his conversations with Professor Gardner of the College of Agricultural Technology in Kemptville. The Principal and staff of the College are prepared to co-operate in setting up a five-day course for ministers serving in rural areas. A committee was named to confer with the faculty of the College and representatives of other denominations in arranging for such a course.
- The Festival on Religion and Rural Life, which is sponsored by most of the major Christian denominations in the United States and Canada will be held in Indianapolis from July 31 to August 3, 1978.

CHURCH EXTENSION

- The continuous growth of Canadian urban communities presents numerous opportunities for expansion of the Church. The escalating costs of land and

building programs pose increasingly difficult problems in providing physical facilities for congregations. In areas adjacent to large cities it is not uncommon to find the cost of land ranging from \$175,000 to \$200,000 per acre.

- During the year new congregations were established in Waterloo, Ontario and Langley, British Columbia. O.M. appointments have been made which will enable work to start at Milliken (Toronto), College Park in Saskatoon, Terrace in Northern B.C. and Parksville on Vancouver Island. The College Park site in Saskatoon comes to the Church as a gift from the late Hon. Justice Stewart McKercher and his sons, all members of St. Andrew's, Saskatoon. Two other new congregations, Heart Lake (Brampton) and Saltfleet (Hamilton) are likely to be started within the year.
- Encouraging growth is noted in many of the Church Extension charges established earlier. The Lower Sackville congregation near Halifax is negotiating for the purchase of a recently completed Pentecostal church. Glenbrook (Erin Mills) is part of a Church Campus group which jointly opened a new building in recent months. The Meadowvale congregation has been organized with a membership of 50. Congregations at Brant Hills (Burlington), Trinity (London) and Centennial (Calgary) are actively planning a building program. The Mill Woods congregation at Edmonton has also been organized.
- The need for suitable facilities to accommodate new ethnic congregations, particularly Koreans, will further strain the already meagre capital resources of the Board. Approval of funds to provide a modest down payment on manses for the four new congregations virtually exhausts the capital funds available. No funds for church extension have been forthcoming from 1977 revenues, and the urgent importance of giving every possible encouragement to the whole Church to support the Second Century Advance Fund is thus clearly apparent.

Mill Woods, Edmonton

Minister - Rev. Robert D. Wilson

- Mill Woods Presbyterian Church celebrated its first Anniversary as a congregation in October, 1977. Our first four elders were ordained in July, creating a Session with standing committees on Mission/Outreach, Worship/Nurture, Finance/Maintenance and Building. There are 40 families with an average Sunday attendance of 60 and communicant membership of 40. The Sunday School average attendance is 31. We are committed to a Building program which will result in a Building Fund in excess of \$20,000.00 by the end of 1981.

Malvern, East Toronto Presbytery

Minister - Rev. Keith Boyer

Deaconess - Miss Arlene Randall

- The congregation was officially recognized, and elected three elders who will be ordained in 1978. Rev. Keith Boyer and Miss Arlene Randall worked as a team. They had weekly meetings with the ministers of the Anglican and United Churches and occasional meetings of the Inter-Church Council of Malvern (includes also Roman Catholic). The Church School is joint with the Anglicans and has joint curriculum development and teacher-training also with the United Church. Midweek groups include C.O.C., Explorers and Youth Group. Also a morning Bible Study that was simultaneous with a pre-school children's program. A C.O.C. group of about five regular members has now grown to two groups of ten each.
- There was again a "Summer Fun" program this past summer. This year it was sponsored by the Inter-Church Council with the main leadership provided by the Presbyterian and United Churches. The learning centre approach was quite flexible with about 35 volunteers and 140 children.

Meadowvale West - Brampton Presbytery

Minister - Rev. Derwyn Hill

Deaconess - Mrs. Margaret Read

- This past Fall saw significant growth in the Meadowvale West congregation; the

congregation was constituted in December. Since April, the Church School has grown from 15 to over 30 children in Kindergarten through Grade 6. The C.O.C. and Explorer groups being ecumenical, have 12 and 6 children respectively. Our Women's Fellowship continues to meet for study and fellowship.

The three Churches in the Church Campus were again actively involved in a successful Vacation Church School held in Shelter Bay Public School with "Summer Joy" the annual event. The theme GOOD NEWS provided possibilities for sharing, songs, drama, craft projects and "Good News Tree" - with visitors and friends.

Youth Ministry has become a priority for the Church Campus. A Senior-High group has been organized. A feltneed for ministry with Junior-Highs arose.

Doon Church - Waterloo/Wellington Presbytery

Minister - Rev. Terry Ingram

Deaconess - Miss Joyce MacNevin

The last half of 1977 was one of excitement, growth and enrichment.

Regular programs continued: the Community Home Nursery School, Adult Bible Studies, Communicant Classes, Choir, Church School, training sessions, after-Church Fellowship Coffee Hour once a month, Ladies Aid, Pot Luck Suppers, home visitations, special services and a Coventry Service at Pioneer Village, renovations in the Church basement, Vacation Bible School and the Cub program. A new elder was elected.

Rev. Terry Ingram and family arrived in August and Miss MacNevin left that month to start work at St. Andrew's, Kitchener.

CHINESE MINISTRIES

Montreal

Minister - Rev. Paul S. Chan

Deaconess - Mrs. Yew Fin Tam Hu

We were faced with the demolition of our Church, but God was with us and guided us in the purchase of MacVicar Memorial Church, Montreal, located in the centre of an area with many Chinese residents. We moved to this location in June 1977.

"Although it has been my privilege to serve the Lord and The Presbyterian Church in Canada for the past forty-one years, I have decided to resign my position here for health reasons. The years spent with the Chinese Church have proved both challenging and rewarding for me," writes Rev. Paul Chan.

The regular Worship Services, Church School, Mandarin Services, Bible Classes, Prayer and Family Meetings, Chinese and English Classes, Kindergarten, Youth Fellowship and Women's Missionary Society Meetings were continued in the new Church which gives us enough space to carry on our program.

At Family Meetings the attendance ranges from 28-45 people. This ministry has been going on since 1963.

Summer Bible School for children: 50-60 kids attended the Classes. In the kindergarten, there are 24 pupils and 54 in the Chinese school. Classes on Saturdays and Sundays from 10 a.m. to noon.

Toronto

Minister - Rev. W. Doo

Deaconess - Miss Grace Wong

- The Young People's Society has grown. Most new members are young, energetic and have different interests. Hopefully, there will be an adult's fellowship in the new year.

Visiting hospitals and senior citizens' homes, we came across many different faces, when our Lord's salvation was introduced to them. Some rejected it immediately even without listening. Some accepted Christ without hesitation. Some, like the prodigal son, who had run away, knowing that the Father still loved them, shed their tears and came back to His fold. Others who had already

accepted the faith, were very happy that we could praise the Lord with them together.

Vancouver

- Deaconess – Miss Annie I. Wilson
- Nursery School reports 80 children morning and afternoon. Staff remains at three. Sometimes we have parents to assist us with transportation.
- Home visitation ranks high in afternoon hours – nearly 100 accounted for last year, with visits to sick, suffering and sorrowing. Often there are two visiting teams out concurrently. Some of the ladies who are by nature timid and shy now happily share in this ministry. The W.M.S. group is another regular activity and another area of development.
- Miss Susan Young, was called Home last February and Ronnie Con in June. There was Vacation Bible School in August – a happy time with 54 students, six teachers – including student deaconess Miss F. Pentelow. Many members took part in all-Chinese Evangelistic Crusade in May, an interdenominational thrust. And in October about 20 of our people shared in the dedication of our new Camp Douglas facilities.
- Chinese Presbyterian Kindergarten: A total of 76 children enrolled for part or full school term for the morning class. The daily program is carried on in both Chinese and English. At the graduation program in June, 25 children were graduated into Public School.
- On visiting days (Tuesday and Thursday) the staff go out to visit the parents of former students and new-comers, and try to give any possible assistance. As a result of the visitation many have attended Church Services and activities.
- Vacation Bible School, an important part of the children Education Program, allows both children and adults to get together to learn more about the Bible, to sing and to have fellowship. Daily enrolment was 22 students.

FRENCH MINISTRY

Eglise St-Marc, Quebec

- Minister – Rev. David Craig
- Since last year a translation program has begun. One major working document which has been produced is "What is a Presbyterian?" by Addison Leach. Booklets on Divorce and Abortion have also been translated. This fall as chaplain at Laval I was permitted by the University authorities, with the assistance of I.V.F. and the Navigators to distribute 6,000 New Testaments (Bonnes Nouvelles Aujourd'hui) to interested students. We've been greatly encouraged by the genuine interest of the Presbyterian congregations in other parts of Canada in this project. Their financial aid made the effort possible. Several students have become Christians and several Bible study groups have been formed as a result. The response continues with increasing demand for more New Testaments.
- Within the congregation, five new Quebecois are now quite faithful in attendance. However the problem of a heterogeneous congregation still exists (European and French and English Quebecois). Three Bible Study groups are in operation: two for women and the third for couples. The third group was formed in response to a request from some local Roman Catholic folk. Attendance at regular church services is generally 30-35.
- David Craig writes: "I now have greater contact with Laval University and with the other chaplains; all Roman Catholics. They have shown considerable openness and a desire to work together. I've been asked to take part in several activities; marriage counselling, lunch-hour groups, a weekly bible study for students.
- "St. Marc is also responsible for a summer program for Laval students who come from many parts of Canada and the U.S.A. This provides cook-outs, singing, Bible-study. Last summer our highest attendance was 67 with an average of 40-45.
- "Ecumenical contacts have been most encouraging. During the week of prayer for unity we participated in a March for Unity to which over 1,000 came. For

the service in St. Andrew's the church was completely filled. Eighty-eight per cent were of Roman Catholic background."

University Chaplaincy, Montreal

- Chaplain – Rev. Jean Porret
- "Since 1973 I am working for the Université de Montreal as pastoral animator on a part time basis." writes Jean Porret "I work along with four Catholic priests. Our task mandate is to fill the spiritual needs of the student body on the campus. We limit ourselves to animation in answer to a spiritual quest in a milieu which has often broken ties with the ecclesiastic institution."
- In his part-time relationship with Eglise St. Luc, Jean Porret carried on the following activities:
 - Three years of animation within a group of young unchurched (30).
 - Animation and co-ordination of "Camp Rencontre", itinerant camp, two weeks of journey across Quebec with 40 youths.
 - Co-animation of seminars for recycling pastors which permit protestant pastors to meet twice a year in an intensive course.
 - Visit and training aid for a new church of Swiss immigrant farmers at Bedford United Church.

CANADA'S NATIVE PEOPLES

Kenora Fellowship Centre

- Director – Mrs. Mabel Henderson
- Deaconess – Mrs. Carol (Sharpe) Kakaway
- The following programs have been organized:
 - Sunday 11 a.m. Church Service and Church School. Adults in attendance: 18 to 20, children: 12 to 15. 3 p.m. Church Service at Shoal Lake, Band 39 – 9 children and three to four adults. 5 p.m. Church School at Shoal Lake, Band 40 – 9 to 14 children.
 - Monday Youth Group (Leader – Carol Sharpe) – 8 teens regularly.
 - Tuesday 12 noon to 1:30 p.m. Men's Group. Leaders Mabel and Peter Henderson. Eight to twelve men every week. Group therapy.
 - Wednesday 10:30 to 11:30 Christian Education at Shoal Lake, Band 39 Day School. 7-8 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 8 regulars. 8 to 9:30 p.m. Group Counselling at the Women's Residence, Mabel and Peter Henderson leading.
 - Thursday 12 noon "Teen Talk Time" – a group of teens for group sharing in the Christian context – leaders Mabel and Peter Henderson.
 - The Drop-In Centre activities carry on throughout each day, responding to the varied needs of people in this community.
 - Women's Residence has eight women, four of whom have been living there for several months. Lorraine Mainville supervises.
 - The Evening Program, under the Canada Works Project, continues through each evening of the week under the staff comprised of Nancy Morrison, Madeline Skead, and Tom Powers. Programs offered are Music Instruction, Homemakers, Jail Residents' Social Evening, Coffee House several nights a week, Adult Social Saturday night and "Teen" dances Friday night.
 - Our major requests in this report are the establishment of the new Board, and approval of a name change to "Native Christian Centre".
 - The Centre is grateful for the services of Steve Robinson for attending to the bookkeeping.
 - The Director will be taking a two-week study leave at the latter part of March, at the Association of Orthopsychiatrists, the focus being on Family Therapy, which meets in San Francisco.
 - Ada Morrison continues to be the Staff Assistant at the Centre and is a valuable member of staff.

Indian Work, Kenora Area

Mr. S. Robinson

- Steve Robinson writes: "It was not a strenuous ministry but a steady weekly visit to each Reserve with additional calls at the local Jail and Hospital.
- "I was well received on the Reserves and was able to visit many of the people who look to us for guidance and spiritual comfort. It is my opinion that this pastoral ministry is essential to the mission to the Indian people and is most acceptable to them. The house to house visitation enables the missionary to meet many people on their own terms and in their own environment. I was able to introduce Carol Sharpe to many of the people on the Reserves and also to the Teacher at the Band 39 School where there had been some preliminary discussions with regard to some class room time for religious study.
- "I feel that we should be continuously looking for someone to be a Pastor to these people. A person who is willing to stay for some period of time and become a part of them. It is still my contention that the Reserves should be our priority. The people in the immediate Kenora area have many agencies and groups to minister to them, but these Reserves are destitute of any Christian ministry."

Anishinabe Fellowship, Winnipeg

Director - Mr. David A. McKinnell

Deaconess - Miss Isabel Allison

- The directors appointment commenced in August after a very profitable month at the Missionary Orientation Conference.
- Sunday School attendance averages 35 children. Five children's clubs were commenced by late September. Assistance has been obtained from the Winnipeg Bible College and volunteers from churches in the Presbytery.
- An Alcoholics Anonymous group has been started. Preliminary steps have also been taken to start an Al-Ateen group.
- Anishinabe Fellowship Center is being used by Neighbourhood Services workers who hold regular meetings with people from the community and are forming them into a self-help, problem-solving group.
- Unemployment, alcohol abuse, broken homes, and love-starved children are very common in this area resulting in a low interest in church or spiritual matters.

Dakota Tipi Indian Reserve

Mr. C. Allan Lauder

- Sunday afternoon service for the children was held every Sunday at Dakota Tipi.
- A very successful Vacation Bible School was held in the Church, thanks to the fine teamwork of Barbara Heaman.
- A film night is held on Wednesday nights in the Church, using National Film Board films from the Portage Film Council. "I visit the homes on the Reserve twice a month. I worship with the people and counsel them," writes Mr. Lauder. "On Monday and Tuesday nights I hold services at Agassiz Centre for Youth with boys age 13 to 17, who have been in trouble with the law. At least 75 percent of them are Native. I have been a volunteer visiting Chaplain there for four years."

Elphinstone, Keeseekoowenin and Rolling River

Minister - Rev. Jas. Codling

Elphinstone

- This is a farming community. There are regular services each week with Sunday School and special evening services. As the only Protestant church we have a large percentage of adherents from Elphinstone. There were 6 confirmed members.

Keeseekoowenin (Okanais)

This reserve borders Elphinstone. Although an A.A. group has been successfully started, alcoholism is a great problem. There is a youth activity night Mondays, boys club Wednesdays, Church School Fridays and regular Sunday services. The children love to attend camp at Clear Lake. The church burned down in March; they want to rebuild with the \$18,000 insurance.

Rolling River

This reserve is twenty some miles away from Elphinstone. This reserve is much more progressive. There is a Sunday Church School and a Vacation Bible School. They have taken the old mission house and made a welding shop out of it. The young people put on the Christmas program.

Joint Pastoral Charge of Rossburn, Waywayseecappo, Argyle, and Ekford

Ministers - Rev. H. Kenneth Stright and Rev. Jeanne M. Stright

The work here is under the direction of both the United Church of Canada and The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Three Presbyterian congregations are involved: (a) *Argyle Church* which has not been functioning for the past few years; (b) *Ekford Church* continues to meet and hold worship services. A prayer group has been formed and the prayer booklet of the Second Century Advance is used for prayer concerns. The congregation is small, but has not lost its concern. It has participated in Inter-Church Aid in support of Taiwan, it donated an organ for Rolling River Indian Reserve, and it helped victims of a local fire with donations of clothing. (c) *Waywayseecappo Church* has 10 supporting families, and serves some 40 others. Sunday attendance varies, thirty would be an average number. Film Nights have been arranged for the winter months. These have been well attended. The Church School presented an excellent play for the Christmas Eve service using the theme from the Huron Christmas Carol.

Prince Albert Fellowship House

House Parents and Director - Mr. & Mrs. Jack Chiang

The purpose of the House is to provide a Christian home for native young people as they come to the city to attend school or to look for a job. The House has sleeping accommodation for twelve boys. Most of them have a good time in the house and go to school regularly. Some are doing very well in school.

The Director has good relations with the Department of Indian Affairs, and is able to help the boys when they have trouble with alcohol, stealing, fighting, sexual problems and drop-out from school. There is Bible Study every Monday evening which the boys really enjoy, and also family worship.

Mistawasis, Wahpeton and Crutwell

Missionary - Rev. Stephen How

Stephen How writes: "Twice I attended the Task Force for Native People, in Winnipeg, to shape the policy of our mission strategy. I enjoyed the Indian Workers' Conference in Gimli, Manitoba, where ecumenical co-operation and understanding took place. I was also at the Dene People's Assembly in Fort Fitzgerald, Alberta, where I was made aware of the very complex situation in which the Dene People find themselves. Thus I have come to appreciate the mosaic pattern of this society and how each of us fits into this great whole, called Canada. We are all inter-related. The poverty and suffering of the Native People may not have immediate bearing on many of us, but a society is only as healthy as the health of its parts. The story of the pauper and Dives is the parable of Canadian society."

In spite of the many Native People who cannot make a go in the cities, there are many more who are doing useful work as administrators, government employees, wage earners, and some even as welfare recipients. How to serve all these people is the urgent task of the church. More schools, recreation facilities

are being built on the reserves. Employment opportunities also increase as the Native People are given more responsibility in self-government. A variety of educational and training courses are provided and more legal aid is available. Meanwhile more inmates of native ancestry are in our correctional institutions and penitentiaries and liquor is still destroying many homes and families. In the midst of all these troubles, and suffering we can only believe that we must take the problem of sin seriously and struggle to overcome it.

Mistawasis

- The Sunday School is doing well. Two dedicated teachers from Mistawasis are in charge. Students are eager and some of them will be ready for confirmation class soon. Two children were sent to camp in the summer. The congregation and session had several meetings to discuss affairs of the church.

Wahpeton

- A new era has begun with the opening of a new school in the reserve with teachers and consultants and co-ordinators. Wahpeton has become one of the better employed communities in the province. But the tension and stress have taken their toll as this community has a very high ratio of marriage breakdowns. Family services in the homes have provided the opportunity to discuss many aspects of the problem.

Crutwell

- The church services are well attended. Two new homes were completed for the local people and more houses will be built and up-grading of the living standard will take place. Crutwell is a friendly community, with all sorts of people, among them a Japanese descendant as well as a new immigrant from Spain.

HUNGARIAN MINISTRIES

Montreal

- Minister - Rev. Peter M. Szabo
- The Hungarian Presbyterian Church has not been getting any aid from the Mission Board since January 1977. Two years ago the congregation moved into Livingstone Presbyterian Church, and a year ago entered into a contract by which the two congregations will share on a 50-50 basis the expenses of the church and the manse, the salaries of the minister and part-time bilingual secretary. This co-existence has made congregational life more lively and colourful.
- The Ecumenical Worship Service of the Hungarian Churches in Montreal was held in this church. A worship service was held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Home.
- In April, an outstanding event was the Palm Sunday joint worship service with English, Greek, and Hungarian congregations participating.
- During the summer two outdoor worship services and excursions were held. In October the outstanding event was the Reformation Day celebration. Confirmation classes also started in English. In November there was an International Worship Service with English, Armenian, Greek and Hungarian congregations participating. In December the joint Christmas Program of the two Sunday Schools was a very memorable occasion followed by a congregational dinner.
- Wednesday the Bible-Study group meets and five times a year a church newspaper is published.
- There is a great deal of uncertainty especially among the older generation that two or three times previously have been forced to pull up roots and are reluctant to move out of Quebec, but are very apprehensive of the political situation.
- The church's mission outreach is mainly directed toward the Hungarian Protestants of Transylvania. They are the largest minority group of Middle-Europe, numbering 2½ million, mainly Reformed, living under unbelievable persecution.
- A new area of service seems to be opening up among the new immigrants from

the West Indies who are settling in the Park Extension. There is a number of them in the church and the Confirmation Class is made up mainly of their children.

Calvin, Edmonton

Minister - Rev. Gabor Desze

- The Calvin Hungarian congregation has shown a great improvement in every aspect of the church life in 1977. The people have felt more responsibility towards givings, attending Sunday services, and they were contributing more time and energy.
- The Session will make an effort to visit all known Hungarian Presbyterians in the city in order to get them to the church.
- The church building became a drop-in centre for senior citizens of its area.
- A grant of \$2,900.00 from the Federal Government's Youth Creation Program was wisely used - employing 3 students who decorated the church building inside and out.
- It seems that the present financial situation is in good shape therefore the congregation is more than willing to take over the increase and the grant cut of the B.W.M.

Pleasant Ridge

Minister - Rev. Ernest J. Zugor

- Mr. Zugor has been minister here just a little over a half year, but in this short time the congregation's life shows visible changes.
- English-Hungarian combined services started during the summertime. So attendance doubled.
- In September the English speaking congregation was organized: two Services each Sunday; English at 9:45 a.m. and Hungarian at 11 a.m. The highest attendance was: 104 persons; and the lowest: 63 persons in both services.
- A Christmas Concert and Play was held with 29 participants of children of all ages.
- All Church-members and all the sick were visited regularly. Total: 149 family visits, and 112 sick visits.

Calvin, Vancouver

Minister - Rev. Laszlo Szamoskozi

- The congregation, under the leadership of its new Pastor, Rev. Laszlo Szamoskozi, showed good progress in 1977. During the Spring the church building was painted outside and inside. With the re-organization of the Sunday School, a new room was made to house another class.
- A Church Newsletter was mailed out six times during the year to 220 homes. The congregation met on three different occasions in special evening sessions for the purpose of spiritual evaluation and outreach. The minister and elders are visiting members and adherents on a regular basis.
- Average attendance is 61 per Sunday.
- A congregational meeting was held in October to purchase the manse from the Board of World Mission, as well as to become self-supporting as of January 1st, 1978.

Oshawa

Student Minister - István Dékány

- Rev. Laszlo Szamoskozi said farewell to the congregation in September 1976 after three years of service.
- Services have continued to be held by the student minister in the usual manner in the church building rented from Knox Presbyterian Church, every second and fourth Sunday. The general attendance was around 15 persons. At Christmas there were 35, at Easter 50. Rev. E. Seress administered the Lord's Supper four times.
- Rev. E. Seress and the First Hungarian Presbyterian Church in Toronto provided help in prayer, counselling, personal presence and financial support.

UKRAINIAN MINISTRY

Rev. Michael Fesenko

- During the year I prepared 52 radio programs, each 15 minutes long to be broadcast by Trans World Radio from Monaco to Ukraine, also CBC International Section asked me to prepare a survey of Ukrainian religious life in Canada. It was broadcast to Ukraine by CBC during Christmas season. As letters indicate my broadcasts reach every part of Ukraine. I am asked by Christians there to thank all those who made these broadcasts possible. All over the country there is an acute lack of Bibles and hymnbooks. Radio broadcasting to Ukraine is an important way to spread the Gospel.
- The Presbyterian Church in Canada played an important part in the past in welcoming and caring for Ukrainian immigrants to Canada. I am sharing with them spiritual message of the Church by printing a bi-monthly journal the "Evangelical Truth". The paper is printed in Ukrainian and English. It is mailed not only in Canada, but to about 20 countries as well.
- During the year Ukrainian community interested in cultural matters honoured me electing as an honorary president of the Ukrainian Cultural Museum in Ontario. Representative of Public Archives Canada (National Ethnic Section) Ottawa, has written to me a letter informing that they have completed the "Michael Fesenko Collection" and it is ready to be used by the public.

ITALIAN MINISTRY

Beckwith Memorial, Montreal

Minister - Rev. Arthur Iarrera

- Each Sunday morning as in other years, the Word of God was proclaimed from the pulpit in both English and Italian giving special attention to the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper and to the Christian Year.
- A highlight of the year was the visit of the Moderator of the Waldensian Church of Italy, Rev. Aldo Sbaffi. Rev. Sbaffi's visit was the means of bringing together for the first time seven Italian congregations (Presbyterian, United, Pentecostals and Church of Christ) for a service of worship with the Moderator speaking at La Chiesa Pentecostale Italiana.
- At the Loyalty Supper in November the congregation enjoyed an evening of fellowship with a program of music and on the following day the Annual Every Person Visitation was kicked off.
- Two joint events were held in which Beckwith participated with the St. Michel congregation.
- The eager interest and faithful attendance at the Wednesday evening Bible Study Sessions reveal the need and the desire of many to understand better the Word and the responsibility for evangelism in the community, and for winning the world for Christ by promoting world mission.

KOREAN MINISTRIES

Kitchener/Waterloo

Minister - Rev. Inwhan Rheem

- The Erection Service of the Kitchener-Waterloo Korean Presbyterian Church by the Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington took place in Knox Presbyterian Church, Waterloo, Sunday, September 11, 1977 with 42 charter members.
- Baptisms: adult 4, children 7; marriages 5; members attending Sunday service average: adult 37; children 12. Sunday School was directed by Deaconess Miss Joyce MacNevin with 2 teachers.

London

Minister - Rev. Andrew S. K. Lee

- There were 88 members, an increase of 12 communicant members last year even after 15 members moved away.
- The Sunday School has 83 students, which is about the same size as the congregation. It is seeking a deaconess to recruit new teachers and adopt better

organization and materials.

- The Congregation is seeking a church building and has raised \$10,890.00 toward this goal.

INNER CITY MINISTRIES

- "The city church must not think of its responsibility as being limited only to the membership but extending to all people in the parish area." (Walter Kloetzli, 'The City Church - Death or Renewal')
- In a number of inner city areas across Canada, Presbyterian congregations are ministering to a declining congregation most of whose members come from outside the community. As a result, they have very little impact on the people who live in the vicinity of the church building, many of whom are having difficulty in coping with the complexities of urban life, and the majority of whom are not being confronted with the Christian Gospel.
- In an attempt to have Presbyteries become more aware of the special needs of inner city situations within their bounds, a questionnaire was sent out to the Clerks and Conveners. Replies received indicate that some Presbyteries are concerned about ministering to the needs of the inner city, while others do not see this as a priority.
- A Conference of Inner City Workers is called to be held in Toronto from May 23 to 25, 1978.

Tyndale - St. George's

Director - Rev. R. W. Johnson

Program Director - Miss Helen Taylor

Deaconess - Mrs. Lois Cooke Johnson

- Tyndale-St. George's (the official partnership name) celebrated its 50th Anniversary in May 1977 with a week long program of activities. The Executive Committee has been revising its 5 year plan to meet new demands, such as the growing use of the French language that will confront the institution in its second half-century.
- *Leadership Development:* The youth group has continued to meet on a regular basis and has been encouraged to plan and implement their own activities. Activities involve crafts, cooking, sports, field-trips and a 50th Anniversary Celebration.
- *Family Life Development:* This past year special emphasis has been placed on programs to enrich family life with an "intergenerational approach" to learning and sharing. Parents and children were invited to attend special events on Shrove Tuesday, Palm Sunday, and Easter Sunday. The Easter Sunrise Service and Breakfast included families and clergy from several denominations in the community.
- Christian Education classes for children were held from February until June and a one week Vacation Bible School was carried on in July. "Families Together" was the summer theme with activities such as bus trips, picnics, films and a one week family camp in the Laurentians. Families have gathered each week to learn around such themes as "Sharing with Children of the World" and "Advent".
- The pre-school for three and four year olds continues to operate throughout the year providing a varied program of learning experiences: free play, music, conversation, games and cottage-camping programs are offered in the Laurentians during the summer.
- After-school programs for Kindergarten to grade five continue to offer a varied program aimed at developing individual skills, talents and interests.
- *Ecumenical Ministry:* Tyndale congregation shared worship with St. Anthony's Catholic Parish (English) at an Easter Sunrise Service and with St. George's Anglican Church at a Christmas Eve Service. Monthly Ecumenical Luncheons are held by the religious workers of the neighbourhood.
- The resignation of Rev. Robert Johnson and Lois Cooke Johnson, deaconess, as of the Summer of 1978 was received. The husband-wife team have served

10 and 12 years respectively on the Tyndale staff.

- Capt. R. Peddle, acting Co-Director for the past three years returned to parish work in Newfoundland. Helen Taylor who plans to be married in the Spring, also resigned, as did Marilyn Bishop, a community worker.

Queen Street East

Deaconess - Miss Charlotte M. Stuart

- In 1977, "The South Riverdale Community Health Centre" began with two doctors, a nurse practitioner and a secretary as fulltime staff. All kinds of preventative programs are now being held on the clinic premises, and there are many opportunities for Christians to act as volunteers in many areas of the Centre's varied services to the Community.
- In May, after two years of planning, and organizing Community meetings, "The Riverdale Socio-Legal Clinic" received funding from The Upper Canada Law Society, and in seven months of operation, has expanded twice to the point of having one lawyer - 2 Socio-Legal advisers, a full-time secretary and three students. Again Church members are encouraged to become involved as Volunteers.
- In November a group applied for a Canada Works grant to begin a Ward 8 newspaper and spent the month of December, planning for the employment of four people.
- The Church has a unique role to play in the community. (a) To identify the needs that exist, seeing "The Whole Man" as does Christ; (b) To work hard to bring to fulfillment what is identified by the community as the need (and never to give up in the face of opposition). The uniqueness of the Church here is its Freedom - in Christ; (c) Church members can be involved in a way that is very rewarding for them.
- Again we had two weeks at Strangewood, King City. 20 young people each week, and the young people came from 5 congregations' membership and community.
- Youth Group/Bible Class: The result of 5 or 6 years of camps and community young people in Church was that there were 12 young teens (12-15 years) every Sunday and a Monday Bible Class, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m: organized games, supper and one hour teaching.

Gateway Community Church

Deaconess - Miss Margaret Stewart

- "At the end of May I notified the Session and the Board of World Mission, of my decision to work half time, with the hope that leaders would take on more responsibility", writes Margaret Stewart.
- We now have a superintendent who assumes major responsibility for the church school. There is a revision of church school times. An average attendance of 25 young people.
- A couple of Commissions have been involved in outreach programs: community newspaper, and world development program.
- A couple of young people in the congregation made a special slide-tape presentation on Gateway for the W.M.S. Synodical in April.
- "I have appreciated the opportunity of working co-operatively with the Roman Catholics, and in a community and congregation with people from such a variety of backgrounds."

Hamilton - North End

Deaconess - Mrs. Helen Allum

- There are four after-school groups for unchurched children of all ages, including teenagers. Not only are these children working on crafts, hearing the gospel and enjoying refreshments, but they are doing out-reach work as well in bringing other children and in visiting the nursing homes and shut-ins. The enrollment is usually over 100 at the week-long Winter Break program held annually.
- A new group for mothers was started early in the new year called "Body and

Soul". The ten regular attenders enjoy weekly volleyball and exercising. They also look forward to a special monthly discussion program on rape, on child abuse and nutrition, demonstrated talks on wearing makeup, hair styling and flower arranging and to complete the program, a Bible study or inspiring meditation. Volunteers supply refreshments and baby-sitting services.

Senior citizens come on Wednesday afternoons for the Neighbourhood Fellowship Hour - a varied program such as a workshop on prayer, travel films and special mission speakers.

This year five needy Inner City children were sponsored at Kintail Camp for a week.

Flora House

Deaconess - Miss Athalie Read

"The Church every day to all People" is the aim of Flora House in downtown Winnipeg. The two morning Women's Fellowship groups, average a membership of fifteen, and are active in community life. They prepare breakfast for children at the nearest primary school and work together at the King Edward Community Group. The King Edward Child Guidance staff recommends that this Mission would be helpful to children and parents.

The "After-Four" groups have been operating to capacity for the space and leadership available with a Bible-centred program and related activities. Some children are happy with residential camping while others fit into the tenting program at Birds Hill Park.

North Side Mission, Portage la Prairie, Manitoba

Sunday School has been held in the Labour Temple Hall for 35 years. A few years ago a "sky line bridge" was built across the main lines of the CN and CP Railways, and there has been a change in the whole complexion of the North Side of the city.

At the present time a \$4,000.00 program is being implemented with financial help from the Federal and Provincial Governments. The balance is being provided by the City Administration. It is now called "The North Side Mission", supplied by the minister of First Church. There is still a real need for a Mission here and for a Missionary. The area has a population of about 3,000, mostly Central European.

Central Church, Vancouver

Deaconess - Miss Annabelle Wallace

- This is the third year of outreach programs, to present the Gospel to children and parents in the West End of Vancouver.
- Children of the Church is incorporated into the Out of School Care Program making a total registration of 28. Explorers and Teens meet weekly, reaching 10 children.
- A Vacation Church School was held during the Spring Break with 36 children. During the opening of the new church building the children were included in worship, moving and open house events. This Christmas the children presented a pageant.

INSTITUTIONS

Verdun Day Care Centre, Montreal

Deaconess - Miss Hazel Davis

- From January to June the registration was at capacity, thirty children: 12 all day; 16 part day plus lunch; 2 part day only. At the end of June the result of Bill 101 was felt. Eight families moved out of the Province. The enrolment to the end of the year was twenty-one: 8 all day; 11 part day plus lunch; 2 part day only.
- During the year many local Churches supported the work here by donations of food, knitted goods, toys and gifts of money. The women of First Church, Verdun served as volunteers in helping to prepare and serve the meals each day.

Armagh

Director – Miss Helen Ingleby

- There are two programs: Program I – unwed mothers; and Program II – girls in other stressful situations. During 1977 the occupancy rate averaged 63%, mostly with Program II girls. Program I admissions have declined due to the change in social attitudes and community supportive measures. Out of these admissions 48 girls attended school within Armagh, 17 girls attended schools in the community.
- An area Lions Club sponsored private singing lessons for one of the residents because of her potential as a singer. One of the first five girls at the opening in 1955 came in to say thank you for the change Armagh had made to her outlook on life.
- One of Armagh's aims is to keep interaction between the community and the girls. During the year Program I girls have taken on a project with the Y.W.C.A. day care program; Program II girls have been involved with a local "Community Day" project. The girls have had 7 special outings during the year as well as the usual ongoing activities with special speakers, films and crafts.

Christian Community House, Ottawa

Director – Miss S. Estabrooks

- The living rooms and halls were painted and a ceiling was replastered by a university student who frequented the house and wanted to say thanks for what he had learned during those visits.
- Hospitality is still the main ministry of the house. In 1977 we had 30 overnight guests for a few days to three weeks.
- Other responsibilities of the Director included counselling persons struggling to integrate the Good News of Jesus with their emotions and behaviour; being responsible to visit the Riverside Hospital for four months; participating in a small weekly Bible study in the neighbourhood for friends of the house; being involved in a small neighbourhood house church which provides a place for persons threatened by more formal structures to experience Christians worshipping together.

Presbyterian Fellowship House, Winnipeg

Social Worker – Mr. Gary Johnson

- In continued efforts to help the adolescent girl strive towards independence and maturity, Chestnut House has served 20 girls ranging in age from 15 to 17-3/4 during 1977. The average length of placement for the girls was approximately four and one half months. One could make the observation that once the girls get past the first two months, the chances of remaining and succeeding become much greater.
- This year there has been restlessness, anxiety and emotional immaturity among the girls. These characteristics can be related to the fact that the average age was very close to 17 years and this means they will soon be on their own. Despite the girls verbal wishes to be "an adult" and to be "free", it scares "the hell out of them" at the same time. Although the girls are 17, emotionally, they range from infancy and up, with all the needs that each stage of growth brings. More of the girls this year have nothing to look forward to beyond themselves and Chestnut and as a result the feelings of despair, helplessness and loneliness only become exaggerated and more threatening. The half-way house concept, as a bridge between adolescence and independence appears to meet a valid need for this most difficult age group.

HOSPITAL VISITATION**Halifax**

Hospital Visitor – Mrs. Eva L. MacLean

- Hospital visitation is always changing. It is not always the same people who come to a hospital, but their basic needs remain the same. On an average month there are about seventy to seventy-five Presbyterian patients.

- In every way a visit in the name of their Church is greatly appreciated. In some cases where there was no interest in the "home church" there was a renewed concern and support on their return.
- The Church is "The Fellowship of the Concerned": sharing one's presence with a Father or Mother who watch over a terminally ill child; sitting by the bedside of an eighty-eight year old lady.
- Every one who comes to the hospital is given a booklet. Four years ago one was given to a lady who recently returned but in the intervening period lost her sight. Referring to the booklet she said, "I memorized all the Bible passages and verses of hope and courage when I had my sight, now I can repeat them all from memory".

Montreal

Hospital Visitor – Mrs. Eileen Horne

"Since my appointment" writes Eileen Horne, "I took a course on Hospital Visitation under the direction of Rev. Mel McDowell Chairman of Pastoral Services, at the Royal Victoria Hospital; attended a film on "Caring for the Dying", at the Montreal General Hospital; also a conference which included a lecture on "neurologically disabled persons" by Dr. Preston Robb, and one by Mr. Stephen Herbert on Hospital Administration.

"I have visited nine large hospitals, four large nursing homes, five small homes, with seasonal visits to St. Ann's Military Hospital and Lakeshore General Hospital. My thanks go to the many chaplains and ministers who have been so kind in co-operating.

Toronto

Hospital Visitor – Miss Catherine Watson

From January to March besides visiting at the hospital, I took a course, "Introduction to Pastoral Visitation", at St. Michael's Hospital. It helped me become more aware of my functions as a Church Hospital Visitor. Often I heard from the Riverdale patients "You don't shove religion down our throats all the time. But you show it and are there to talk about it as needed." I try to have a smile, a cheery word, or a wave for all. Because of that, I would hear, "You made my day". I also try to be a good listener, to really hear what the patients are saying. I ask myself, "Is the complaining really complaining or is there something more the patient is trying to say, like loneliness, frustration, bitterness, insecurity, fear, lost faith." Often conversations led to discussions of the Bible, reading the Bible together, prayer, how to be useful in a wheelchair or in a bed.

The Presbyterian Church Services each Sunday were appreciated by the Inter-denominational gathering.

Appreciation must be expressed for the support Miss Terry Martens gave at Riverdale Hospital until her resignation on April 30th.

Toronto

Senior Citizens' Visitor

Because of the temporary absence of Miss Lillian Reay, Mrs. Nancy Howard was asked to fill in on her behalf.

In so far as possible, Mrs. Howard attempted to visit the homes in which Miss Reay had established contact. The reception in each place was warm and appreciative of visiting done in the past, and grateful for the continuing ministry from the Church.

The homes visited include the following: Fudger House, Colonial House, Townview Home, Mayfair Manor, Leisure World, Nisbet Lodge, Chester Village, Sheppard Lodge, Cummer House, Providence Villa. Duties have been fairly simple and straightforward, namely regular visiting in all homes, and a monthly church service in Fudger House. This has been well appreciated by the residents.

The three welfare homes, Colonial, Townview and Mayfair Manor were all recipients of Christmas gifts from our Church, many of which had been made and given by a number of Women's groups throughout Toronto.

Hamilton

- Hospital Visitor – Mrs. JoAnne Walter
- We are in a time when the study of death and dying, cancer management, the grieving process, is very much in the fore. It is an area that the church should be deeply involved in. The Christian has a ministry to the troubled and suffering. The appointment of hospital visitors is an indication that the church is concerned about the pastoral care of the patient and his or her family.
 - My main work has been in the five hospitals in Hamilton. Each week there are at least one hundred Presbyterian patients in these hospitals. To visit them all is extremely difficult.
 - Patients visited include: (1) church members from the area; (2) Church of Scotland members who have no contact with local congregations; (3) those who think of themselves as Presbyterian, but have no church connection; (4) a number of elderly who have lost contact with the churches where they spent most of their lives.
 - Every Wednesday morning I participate in the education program of the Pastoral Care Department at St. Joseph's. For anyone visiting regularly in hospitals, training is essential. The program at St. Joseph's has been helpful as an introduction to this training. It also has provided a good working relationship with hospital staff. I am on 24 hour a day call there. At the other hospitals there is not the same interest in hospital chaplains.
 - Without exception, people are appreciative of the church's concern for their welfare. My emphasis has been on trying to share my Christian faith in as meaningful a way as I can with people at a crucial and stressful time in their lives.

London

- Hospital Visitor – Miss Lily Schneider
- There are fourteen places including Hospitals, Senior Citizen Homes and Nursing Homes with one hundred and twenty one Presbyterians at present.
 - The nurses and staff are always pleasant and ready to assist if help is needed. Those being visited are always happy to have a visit. Letters are read for those who find it difficult to see, but most of the time is spent in Scripture reading and discussing the same.
 - The visiting has been a five day week averaging ten visits a day.

Winnipeg

- Hospital Visitor – Mrs. Mary A. McLaren
- Mrs. McLaren began as hospital visitor in December and with the help of the ministers was introduced at the different hospitals. She made 23 calls and visited 212 people. She distributed the Christmas message leaflet, found it was much appreciated. She also distributed the book "Strength for Today" supplied by the Bible Society.

Vancouver

- Hospital Visitors – Mrs. Peggy Mercer
Miss Florence Edge
- Our total program of visitation has been well established and is genuinely appreciated by patients, management and staff of all the Hospitals and Rest Homes within the area.
 - In 1977, Queen's Park Extended Care Hospital, which accommodates three hundred patients, has been opened. "I have been well received by the Director, Dr. Palmer and his staff," writes Mrs. Mercer.
 - Dunwood Place, the Presbyterian Senior Citizen's home is now fully occupied by some two hundred eight-one residents.
 - Burnaby General Hospital has completed a large new addition which affords further opportunity for the hospital visitor.
 - Out of town patients are sometimes lonely if family are not able to travel to Vancouver to be with them.
 - To be at a person's bedside just hours before death and to have the privilege

- of praying with him, committing him into God's everlasting arms, is humbling but at the same time thrilling. The nursing staff are always most gracious in encouraging such ministry.
- Through God's comfort, people are able to cope with life's circumstances victoriously.

B.W.M. PERSONNEL IN CANADA

April 1, 1978

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| Langley | OM | Rev. John C. Rhoad |
| Abbotsford | OM | Rev. Harry Bailey |
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| St. Andrew's | OM | Rev. Mark McLennan |
| Three Hills | C | Mr. James Mullin |

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| St. David's | OM | Rev. Neville W. B. Phills |
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| Whitechurch | MS | Mr. Harvey Osborne |

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| Hillsdale | MS | Mr. Ivan Dambrowitz |

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| Albion Gardens | OM | Rev. Victor Raison |
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| Presbytery Consultant | D | Miss Charlotte Stuart |
| Hospital Visitor | D | Miss Catherine Watson |
| Senior Citizens Home Visitor | D | Miss Lillian Reay |
| Church Extension (Shd.) | D | Mrs. Margaret Read |
| Church Extension (Shd.) | D | Miss Arlene Randall |

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| Centreville | OM | Rev. J. Morrison Campbell |
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| Ormsdown | OM | Rev. Miss Linda Corry |
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| McGill Chaplaincy | LM | Mrs. Jean Ford |
| Verdun Day Centre | D | Miss Hazell Davis |
| Hospital Visitor | WM | Mrs. Eileen Horne |
| Duvernay | MS | Mr. Ian Victor |
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| St. Matthew's | MS | Mr. Mel Fawcett |

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| Port Cartier | OM | Rev. Fred Howard-Smith |
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| Leggatt's Point | C | Mr. Chas. Coombs |

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| Murray Harbour | OM | Rev. Ken S. Stewart |
| Clyde River | OM | Rev. Gordon Reid |
| Tyne Valley | OM | Rev. James Wyllie |
| Alberton | OM | Rev. George Beals |
| Brookfield | OM | Rev. Mrs. Susan Triantafillou |

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| Hospital Visitor | WM | Mrs. A. O. MacLean |

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| River John | OM | Rev. John Fraser |
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| Wabush | OM | Rev. David A. Renwick |

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OVERTURES – 1978
(Referred)

No. 3 – THE SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Re: OVERTURE 7, THE 103rd GENERAL ASSEMBLY
(Referred to the Board of World Mission)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the Synod of Alberta has overtured the 103rd General Assembly (Overture 7, A. & P. p. 87, 422) requesting a change of name for the Synod and a re-definition of its boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the 103rd General Assembly referred the overture to the Synods of British Columbia and Saskatchewan for study and report to the clerks of Assembly; and

WHEREAS, the Synod of British Columbia recognizes that there should be consultations with the Synods of Alberta and Saskatchewan as to the best way to conduct mission in the North; and

WHEREAS, the 85th Synod of British Columbia (1976) appointed a committee which recommended to the 86th Synod of British Columbia (1977) that consideration be given to the establishment of a Presbytery of Northern British Columbia and the Yukon, including the present congregations of Prince George, Kitimat, Prince Rupert, Dawson Creek, Fort St. John, and Whitehorse; and

WHEREAS, the 86th Synod of British Columbia (1977) has instructed the Presbyteries within its bounds to study the matter of mission and boundary changes;

THEREFORE, the Synod of British Columbia respectfully overtures the Venerable the 104th General Assembly that the Board of World Mission be instructed to form a committee consisting of two representatives from the Synods of British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan plus the respective Superintendents of Missions to forward a joint recommendation to the 1978 meetings of the respective Synods concerning our church's ministry to the North and any boundary changes necessary to accomplish that mission; (The Board of World Mission to name the committee in consultation with the Superintendents of Missions for Alberta, British Columbia and Saskatchewan); or that they do otherwise for this object what to their wisdom may seem best.

Port Alberni, B.C.
November 8, 1977

R. C. GARVIN,
Clerk of Synod

No. 4 – SYNOD OF ATLANTIC PROVINCES

Re: Relocation of Montreal College
(Referred to Board of Ministry)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, a significant constituency of The Presbyterian Church in Canada resides in the Atlantic Provinces, and especially in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; and

WHEREAS, in the past a high percentage of its candidates for the ministry have come from this area, and

WHEREAS, this trend continues to be apparent, and

WHEREAS, since 1925, these students have had to seek their theological training in Toronto or Montreal, and

WHEREAS, such a situation tends to isolate this part of the Church from its Theological Colleges and vice-versa, and

WHEREAS, Halifax is a major educational centre, having a School of Theology, as

well as several universities and other facilities and advantages which provide an appropriate setting for an institute of higher learning.

THEREFORE, we, the Synod of the Atlantic Provinces, humbly overture the Venerable, the 104th General Assembly to initiate a study of the desirability and feasibility of relocating Presbyterian College, Montreal in Halifax, or do otherwise for this end what in its wisdom it deems best.

Sydney, Nova Scotia
November 30, 1977

E. H. BEAN,
Synod Clerk.

No. 8 – PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON

Re: BUDGET-ALLOCATIONS 'SHARING' FORMULA
(Referred to Administrative Council)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, ESCALATING COSTS AND AN ESSENTIALLY 'FROZEN' BUDGET of the Board of World Mission make the honoring of grant requests more difficult for the Board of World Mission; and

WHEREAS, a 'frozen' budget at the Board of World Mission level HINDERS the work of the presbyteries both as pastoral care over the congregations and in the development of new fields or new/experimental forms of ministry within their bounds; and

WHEREAS, some special items in the total cost of the ministry such as Sunday mileage, study leave plus supply costs, scholarships for new students, and settlement costs have become a real burden on small or multiple rural charges; and

WHEREAS, the 103rd General Assembly already approved a system of equitable sharing of costs by the presbyteries for mission workers and hospital visitors (cf. Acts and Proceedings 1977, pp. 369-370);

THEREFORE, The Presbytery of Cape Breton humbly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly to establish a BUDGET-ALLOCATIONS 'SHARING' FORMULA which will enable the presbyteries to establish their own funds for (a) the honoring of congregational deficit grant requests; (b) the development of new/experimental forms of ministry within their bounds; (c) the creation of the necessary working capital with which they can exercise their pastoral care over the congregations within their bounds; or to do otherwise as the General Assembly in its wisdom may deem best.

Baddeck, Nova Scotia
February 15, 1978

IAN G. MacLEOD,
Clerk of Presbytery.

APPENDIX TO OVERTURE RE: BUDGET-ALLOCATIONS
'SHARING' FORMULA

As an example of how the Budget-Allocations 'Sharing' Formula might be worked out and be made to work effectively in the various presbyteries we present the following on the basis of the present situation in the Presbytery of Cape Breton.

- a) The Board of Congr. Life will cost an estimated \$565,474.00 or 11.8% of the TOTAL Budget of \$4,765,252.00.

We propose that these costs should be reduced to no more than 10% of TOTAL Expenditures, and that the resultant savings be passed on to the Presbyteries.

This would mean 1.8% of \$4,765,252.00

or \$ 85,775.00
\$ 10,210.00

- b) *Deficit Grants 1978 to the Presbytery:*
 - River Denys etc. \$ 6,150.00
 - Middle River etc. 3,500.00
 - Cape North etc. 560.00

This amount comes from the B.W.M. Budget, and should be the Presbytery's FIRST SHARE of the Budget Allocations.

- c) For Fund Creation:
 - From the B.C.L. Savings of operating costs 10% of Deficit Grants \$ 1,021.00

(on the basis of equal share of these savings by the 44 Presbyteries it would be \$1,949.00 but some Presbyteries may need more than ours)

This would be the Presbytery's SECOND SHARE of the Presbytery's Allocations.

- d) Now assuming that these figures and percentages would remain FIXED for the next 5 years; and assuming that the present B.W.M. policy of 10% yearly REDUCTION in Deficit Grants can be achieved (to Congregations, but NOT to the Presbytery) - then the Presbytery of Cape Breton would have in its Capital Fund after 5 years:

- (i) From Deficit Grant Reductions
 - 5 x 10% or 50% of \$10,210.00 = \$ 5,105.00
- (ii) From B.C.L. Savings in operating expenses
 - 5 x \$1,021.00 = \$ 5,105.00

TOTAL AFTER 5 YRS. \$ 10,210.00

- e) Such Fund Creation presupposes the following:
 - that the SIZE of our DENOMINATION does NOT warrant a B.C.L. overhead of almost 12% of total operating costs, and that the savings of almost 2% or more should be passed on to the Presbyteries
 - that the local Deficit Grants can be reduced by 10% per year through an improved Stewardship Program at Congr. Level, and that these Reductions can remain within the Presbytery in which they occurred
 - that NO new Fields will be created within the next 5 years for the purpose of reducing the demands on the B.W.M. and for improving the Presbytery's superintendence over the Congregations within its bounds.

No. 9-PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON

Re: NEW MINISTERIAL REMUNERATION SYSTEM TO BRING ABOUT PARITY TO THE MINISTRY (Referred to the Board of Ministry)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, our Church's stipend plus increment policy is contradictory to the principle of parity of the ministry; and

WHEREAS, the increment policy specifically does not meet the needs of recent graduates who are for the most part young men with young families; and

WHEREAS, the same increment policy hinders the effectiveness of our call system for our older and experienced ministers due to a desire of congregations to obtain a less expensive minister for whom no deficit grant need to be obtained; and

WHEREAS, for many of our ministers in smaller or rural or aid-receiving charges, minimum stipend (including increments) equals maximum pay without fringe benefits as given to our ministers in larger congregations;

THEREFORE, The Presbytery of Cape Breton humbly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly to instruct the Board of Ministry to present to the Church a

new ministerial remuneration system based on parity of the ministry, which will incorporate the following features:

1. the abolishment of the present increments policy by incorporating the present maximum 10 year level of Increments into the present minimum stipend level;
2. a manse package (or manse housing allowance package) which will include total cost of light and heating, plus telephone service (except personal long distance calls);
3. a study leave arrangement plus an annual grant for the purchase of books necessary in the minister's work and study;
4. a cost of living bonus for the more expensive areas of our vast nation;
5. an insurance program, as per our present program - or better; OR, to do otherwise as the General Assembly in its wisdom may deem best.

Baddeck, N.S.
February 15, 1978

IAN G. MacLEOD,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 10-PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON

Re: DISASTER UMBRELLA FUND (Referred to Administrative Council)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, due to the extremely high commercial rates for insurance on Church properties, churches, manses and halls (One congregation in this Presbytery with less than three hundred members is now paying three thousand dollars a year) many congregations in our Church are unable to afford any protection whatever, and

WHEREAS, should fire or some other natural disaster occur, it would be extremely difficult for these congregations to replace their buildings; and

WHEREAS, many of the congregations which are now forced to insure at "Replacement value rates" will never replace at present levels (in case of total loss) due to decreased membership and/or escalating maintenance costs;

THEREFORE, The Presbytery of Cape Breton humbly overtures the Venerable The General Assembly to set up a special "Disaster Umbrella Fund" to replace or repair churches, manses, or church halls, destroyed or damaged by fire or other natural disasters; we offer the following as a suggestion for raising this fund (allowing for the fact that throughout the Church there may be some smaller congregations who may find it difficult to contribute a preliminary amount, we use the figure of 900 Congregations):

- A. Nine hundred Congregations each to contribute \$100 as a minimum participating contribution to the fund - larger Congregations could contribute more - making a minimum of \$ 90,000.00
 - B. Payment on a yearly basis for three years of \$5 per household - 117,000 households \$ 585,000.00
 - C. From the Second Century Advance for Christ, or other special Funds of the Church, such as the Lending Fund, or Church Building Corporation Fund \$ 200,000.00
- At the end of the first year, the Fund Capital would amount to \$ 875,000.00
- D. Second year, payment from the per household rate of \$5- \$ 585,000.00
 - Interest on investment at 8% \$ 70,000.00
- Total capital Funds at the end of the second year would amount to \$1,530,000.00
- E. Third year, payment from the per household rate of \$5- \$ 585,000.00
 - Interest \$ 122,400.00
- Total capital Funds at the end of the third year \$2,237,400.00

It is felt that congregations owning buildings should be in the fund, or remain out of it at their own risk. At the end of three years, the fund would have enough money to cover emergencies just from the accrued interest. The Administrative Council could handle the fund without too much expense, and the commercial profit would be excluded, which would be good stewardship.

OR, to do otherwise as the General Assembly in its wisdom may deem best.

Baddeck, N.S.
February 15, 1978

IAN G. MacLEOD,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 12—PRESBYTERY OF BRAMPTON

Re: HANDWRITTEN SESSION MINUTES
(Referred to Clerks of Assembly)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, clear legible hand-writing is rapidly disappearing, and minutes are a historical record of a congregation and should be clearly legible for the historian, and minutes are being kept when the writer is the only person who can read what has been recorded; and

WHEREAS, most organizations and the business world recognize the value of typed minutes, and they are used by a variety of boards and agencies of the Church; and

WHEREAS, confidentiality of session minutes can still be retained; and

WHEREAS, fear of lost pages can be eliminated if sheets are sequentially numbered, initialed, kept in binders and periodically bound; and

WHEREAS, potentially good Clerks eliminate themselves from accepting the job because of their writing ability;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Brampton humbly overtures the Venerable The General Assembly to test the mind of the Church whether the time has arrived to modify Section 27(i) of the Book of Forms to permit the recording of Session minutes by typewriter or other recognized imaging method, with such strictures as will assure continued confidentiality,

or to do otherwise as The General Assembly, in its wisdom, may deem best.

Georgetown, Ontario
February 21, 1978

PETER BARROW,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 13—PRESBYTERY OF VANCOUVER ISLAND

OVERTURE RE: NATIONAL FINANCES
(Referred to the Administrative Council)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, The Presbyterian Church in Canada is faced with constantly spiralling financial obligations; and

WHEREAS, over recent years there has been a slow decline in membership of The Presbyterian Church in Canada; and

WHEREAS, the Boards, Committees, Colleges and General Assembly are endeavouring to fulfil the diverse responsibilities of being part of the Church of Christ with resultant new forms of ministry and service; and

WHEREAS, the Administrative Council, in being charged to administer the funds of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, is annually faced with financial requests totalling considerably more than foreseeable revenue and hence is compelled to

make priority decisions regarding programmes and ministries; and
WHEREAS, a decreasing membership continues to make it increasingly difficult to finance the life and work of our church;

THEREFORE, it is humbly overtured by the Presbytery of Vancouver Island that, until such time as the membership of The Presbyterian Church in Canada is established in an upward trend, the General Assembly enact a policy requiring the Boards and Spending Committees to adopt the practice of zero budgeting on alternate years; that is, to present a budget in which each item is justified concerning its continued value to the life and work of the Church, as opposed to the present practice of maintaining present work and requesting funds for new ventures, or that it do otherwise for this object what in its wisdom the General Assembly may deem best.

Port Alberni, British Columbia
March 9, 1978

ROBERT C. GARVIN,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 14—PRESBYTERY OF EDMONTON

Re: PROCEDURE FOR RE-APPOINTMENT OF
ORDAINED MISSIONARIES IN AID-RECEIVING CONGREGATIONS
(Referred to Board of World Mission)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the present regulations of the Board of World Mission concerning the re-appointment of Ordained Missionaries in aid-receiving congregations, at the completion of their first term of appointment are procedurally unclear; and

WHEREAS, a re-appointment of this nature, unlike the initial appointment and/or call, involves a re-assessment of ministry by the appointee as well as the congregation; and

WHEREAS, the congregation is asked to consider the question of re-appointment and/or call without any prior knowledge of the appointee's wishes; and

WHEREAS, the decision of the congregation is to be forwarded to the Presbytery without prior consultation with the appointee; and

WHEREAS, the appointee is consulted 'after the fact' of the congregational decision and presbyterial action; and

WHEREAS, the reformed position of the Church gives the prerogative to the minister to consider the possibility of re-appointment and/or call;

THEREFORE, the Reverend the Presbytery of Edmonton respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly that: the present regulations of the Board of World Mission concerning the re-appointment of Ordained Missionaries and/or call to aid-receiving congregations be amended in accordance with the reformed tradition of the Church, allowing the minister to give consideration to the possibility of re-appointment and/or call before the congregational decision and Presbytery action, the present regulations disallowing this consideration, or do otherwise for this purpose as in its wisdom the General Assembly deems best.

Edmonton, Alberta
March 8, 1978

J. E. BIGELOW,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 16—PRESBYTERY OF WATERLOO-WELLINGTON

*Re: THE FUTURE OF CHURCH CAMPING
WITHIN THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
(Referred to the Board of Congregational Life)*

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington is deeply concerned over the welfare of Presbyterian Church Camping and the support thereof; and

WHEREAS, there is no continuing standard of leadership training and theological emphasis within the National Camp Program; and

WHEREAS, many Synod and Presbytery Camps are in the midst of Capital Fund Raising campaigns; and

WHEREAS, annual operation costs continue to escalate; and

WHEREAS, many of our Church families are sending their children to Non-Presbyterian Summer and Youth Camps, which are well advertised, competently managed, and feature continuity of leadership under the supervision of year-round support staff; and

WHEREAS, there is not usually a wide representation from Presbyteries on Synod and/or local Camp Boards, and most Sessions are uninvolved in any aspect of Presbyterian Camping; and

WHEREAS, there are available suitable camp study resources for the various aged campers at Presbyterian Church Camps, and

WHEREAS, the financial management and programme direction of the camps sometimes change hands from year to year;

THEREFORE the Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington humbly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly to instruct the Board of Congregational Life

a) to consult present Camp Boards, Directors and Presbyteries concerning the above matters;

b) to consider the following suggestions:

1. That a person be designated as a full-time worker under the Board of Congregational Life, with the specific task of co-ordinating church camping across the nation and of being responsible for the general co-ordination of programmes and curriculums used at Presbyterian Camps across Canada, working in close liaison with the various Camp Committees;

2. That a portion of the funds from the Second Century Advance for Christ be proportionately earmarked to the various camps across our nation for capital expenditures;

3. That church camping become of high priority in our thinking with regard to Christian Education and Mission: and that the Board of World Mission be asked to include camping in ordained missionary and summer student appointments;

4. That church camping become an integral part of our youth ministry, as a means of spreading the gospel message to the children and youth of our Church;

5. That the National Leadership Training Programme be expanded and organized on a regional basis, so that the best resource people may be used;

6. That better representation, communication and general public relations regarding Presbyterian Camping be afforded the Presbyteries and Sessions.

c) to recommend to the 105th General Assembly their findings;

OR that the General Assembly do otherwise for this purpose as in its wisdom it deems best.

Waterloo, Ontario
March 19, 1978

BARBARA M. McLEAN,
Clerk.

No. 20—PRESBYTERY OF WEST TORONTO

*Re: VISITATION TO ETHNIC CONGREGATIONS
(Referred to Board of World Mission)*

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, Presbyteries are obligated to conduct a regular congregational visitation within its bounds; and

WHEREAS, there are "ethnic" congregations in many Presbyteries; and

WHEREAS, constituent members in the average Presbytery change and often lack experience pertaining to "ethnic" congregations within the bounds; and

WHEREAS, there is lack of continuity of experience amongst members of visitation committees; and

WHEREAS, the ruling of the 96th General Assembly 1970 (page 72, Overture #34 par. 3) pertaining to "ethnic" congregations, namely: "to direct Presbyteries to consult with the Board of World Mission before issuing in matters concerning ethnic work . . ." frequently escapes the attention of Presbyteries and therefore is ignored;

THEREFORE the Presbytery of West Toronto humbly overtures the Venerable the 104th General Assembly,

1. to instruct the Presbyteries to conduct regular visitation to "ethnic" congregations at least once every two years, and
2. that the visitation committees include ex officio the Superintendent of Missions or other B.W.M. staff member as consultant to the committee, or
3. to do otherwise for this matter as the General Assembly may deem best.

Toronto, Ontario
March 22, 1978

M. E. BURCH,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 21—SESSION OF ERSKINE CHURCH, OTTAWA

*Re: INSURANCE ON CHURCH PROPERTY
(Referred to Administrative Council)*

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, for a number of years the matter of insurance on church property has been a growing concern to most congregations of The Presbyterian Church in Canada both from the standpoint of cost and the reluctance of some insurance companies to insure church premises; and

WHEREAS, a few years ago the Administrative Council of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, recognizing these problems, gave serious consideration to the possibility of establishing a Presbyterian Church Insurance Organization for the purpose of insuring the property of Presbyterian Congregations at a reasonable cost and without the difficulty some congregations have encountered in securing coverage; and

WHEREAS, the above consideration has been abandoned because of presentations made by the Ecclesiastical Insurance Company offering beneficial coverage to our congregations with a promised schedule of discounts, dependent upon the number of our congregations insuring with the said company; and

WHEREAS, this company does not seem to be honouring the discount schedule and made no mention in their presentation of setting excessive mandatory evaluations on church property;

THEREFORE, we, the Session of Erskine Presbyterian Church, humbly petition the Reverend the Presbytery of Ottawa of The Presbyterian Church in Canada to overture the 104th General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada

to instruct the Administrative Council to re-instate its study into the feasibility of establishing a Presbyterian Insurance Plan for church properties or to do otherwise as the General Assembly may in its wisdom deem best."

Ottawa, Ontario
March 28, 1978

PETER C. WOTHERSPOON,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 22—PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

Re: LOANS TO SOUTH AFRICA
(Referred to Administrative Council)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the 160th Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank of Montreal received representatives from an ecumenical task force of the Churches on corporate responsibility in making loans to South Africa; and

WHEREAS, it is not clear to constituents on the local level within The Presbyterian Church in Canada exactly whom this task force represents, or what involvement our church has in its deliberations; and

WHEREAS, it would appear to many of our members that statements made by this task force constitute a dubious standard of moral consistency and fail to appreciate the victims and the victimized in any decision to withhold monies from the South African economy; and

WHEREAS, there is no unanimity among our members as to what is a proper role for the church in such areas of concern;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Ottawa humbly overtures the General Assembly to take such action as would

1. clarify our church's relationship to the task force mentioned above,
2. encourage a more balanced approach to the whole question of corporate responsibility, and
3. clarify for our people in a definitive statement the propriety of the church being involved in a direct way in such matters.

or to do otherwise for this purpose what in its wisdom the General Assembly deems best.

Ottawa, Ontario
March 28, 1978

PETER C. WOTHERSPOON,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 34—PRESBYTERY OF WEST TORONTO

Re: INNER CITY AND IMMIGRANT PEOPLE
(Referred to Board of World Mission)

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, there is a large influx of immigrant peoples into the inner city areas of Canada, who are not Presbyterian, but who are in need of the gospel; and

WHEREAS, the term "inner city" should be taken in the widest sense possible; and

WHEREAS, the witness of the Presbyterian Church seems to be weakening in these areas; and

WHEREAS, we already have a number of declining congregations in strategic areas which could serve as centres for ministry to these peoples; and

WHEREAS, our present concept of Church extension involves outreach in the suburban areas of large cities;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of West Toronto humbly overtures the Venerable the

General Assembly to request the Board of World Mission to:

1. Alter the concept of Church extension to include inner city ministries.
2. Investigate the continued use of existing facilities for inner city work after an existing congregation has dissolved itself.
3. Appoint experienced workers for such work, which may mean engaging non-Canadian Presbyterian clergymen.
4. Widen the field of appointments for graduating students to include inner city ministries where appropriate, and assistantships in an inner city congregation or group of congregations, or to do otherwise to this end as the General Assembly in its wisdom may deem best.

Toronto, Ontario
March 22, 1978

M. E. BURCH,
Clerk of Presbytery.

OVERTURES — 1978
(Not Referred)

No. 1—PRESBYTERY OF WATERLOO-WELLINGTON

*Re: NATIONAL STAFF FUNCTIONING UNDER
THE AUTHORITY OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY*

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the national staff of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, functioning under the authority of the General Assembly, has grown greatly in influence in recent years; and,

WHEREAS, the Principal Clerk of the General Assembly inevitably carries many duties and exercises significant power, as he is at the same time:

1. Responsible for recording and publishing the Minutes of the General Assembly;
2. An accepted authority on all laws and procedures of The Presbyterian Church in Canada;
3. The Executive Officer primarily responsible for implementing the attitudes and decisions of the General Assembly;
4. The senior secretary in the national office of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, with commensurate influence over the entire national staff;
5. The Secretary of the Administrative Council, responsible for the continuous co-ordination of the policies, plans and finances of the entire church;
6. The Secretary of a considerable number of other committees of varying importance;
7. The recognized spokesman of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, (in some respects) to other churches and ecumenical organizations, as well as to the members, ministers and presbyteries of the Church itself; and,

WHEREAS, this office is consequently of real importance for the Christian witness, spiritual life and practical well-being of The Presbyterian Church in Canada; and

WHEREAS, the present method of appointment to this pivotal role, as authorized by the General Assembly of 1975, is to be taken by succession among the three Clerks of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The United Presbyterian Church in the United States of America and the Presbyterian Church in the United States appoint their principal officers for limited terms, and other Presbyterian Churches throughout the world make such appointments with due consideration;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington humbly overtures the General Assembly to appoint a small committee to consider and recommend to the 105th General Assembly as to:

1. The feasibility of appointing the Principal Clerk by some method which expresses the will and approval of the entire Church, in harmony both with the procedure for electing the Moderator and the way of filling other important positions, by nomination from presbyteries;
2. The number and complexity of responsibilities of the Principal Clerk, with a view to some re-arrangement of (or delegation of) power, both at the General Assembly and throughout the year;
3. Consequent new definitions, both of the respective roles of the Principal Clerk and his colleagues, and also of the relationships between the Secretary of the Administrative Council, (who might not be the same person), and the secretaries of other boards and committees;
4. The possibility of making an interim appointment (or appointments), completely without prejudice, in the event of a vacancy, until the many responsibilities have been defined and clarified, and a suitable person, or persons, sought, nominated, and appointed by satisfactory procedures;

or that the General Assembly do otherwise as in its wisdom it deems best.

Waterloo, Ontario
November 11, 1977

BARBARA McLEAN,
Clerk.

No. 2—PRESBYTERY OF WATERLOO-WELLINGTON

Re: KIRK SESSION MINUTES

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the Book of Forms, Chapter II, General Rules for Church Courts, Part IV Records, Section 27 provides for the keeping of Kirk-Session Minutes in a certain manner; and

WHEREAS, the standard of handwriting, generally, leaves much to be desired; and
WHEREAS, the standard of such records can be improved if typewritten loose leaf records be permitted;

THEREFORE, it is humbly overtured by the Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington that the General Assembly review the said Section 27 and amend it, so that Kirk-Session Minutes be allowed to be recorded in typewriting on loose leaf paper;

or to do otherwise for this object what in their wisdom they may deem best.

Waterloo, Ontario
November 8, 1977

BARBARA M. McLEAN,
Clerk.

No. 5—PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA AND NORTH BAY

Re: VACATIONS AND WINTER BREAK

To the Venerable, the 104th General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada:

WHEREAS, it has been noted that most ministers are presently entitled to four weeks of vacation; and

WHEREAS, this is normally taken during the summer months leaving no vacation time for a break during the dreary, dismal, long, harsh winter; and

WHEREAS, it is becoming a more common practice in commerce and industry to allow for a winter break; and

WHEREAS, other denominations have moved in this direction, instructing their

congregations to guarantee for their ministers six weeks vacation;
THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Algoma and North Bay humbly overtures the General Assembly to require that all future calls to its ministers contain provisions for at least six weeks of vacation, and that it encourage the brothers and sisters of the clergy to take a winter break — or do whatever in its wisdom it deems best.

North Bay, Ontario
December 27, 1977

ZANDER DUNN,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 6—PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY-PETERBOROUGH

Re: SECOND CENTURY ADVANCE FOR CHRIST.

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the Second Century Advance for Christ campaign has been well received from coast to coast; and

WHEREAS, the goals of the campaign — to promote the spiritual life of congregations and to strengthen stewardship in the whole church are vital to the growth of the church; and

WHEREAS, this campaign has been designed only for a limited period; and

WHEREAS, the goals are worthy to be carried forward for a much longer period;

THEREFORE, we the Presbytery of Lindsay-Peterborough humbly overture the Venerable, the General Assembly, to extend the campaign for a period of at least ten years, continuing to link the campaign to a vital Church renewal emphasis under the guidance of the Administrative Council, the Board of Congregational Life and the Board of World Mission, or in its wisdom to do otherwise as it may deem best.

Lindsay, Ontario
January 18, 1978

G. E. TIMBERS,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 7—PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Re: THE MAINTENANCE OF MINISTRY IN RURAL CHARGES

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the Board of World Mission and the Presbyteries of the bounds were instructed by the Venerable the 103rd General Assembly to review the viability of all aid receiving charges; and

WHEREAS, many of these charges are multiple point rural charges in which the rate of growth is slow; and

WHEREAS, the said charges are often staffed by Ordained Missionaries who are serving their first appointment, and are consequently not experienced in evangelism and church development; and

WHEREAS, the retired stated supply policy is most effective only as a short term measure; and

WHEREAS, the present system of appointment does not promote a regular and sustained ministry in rural charges conducive to sustained evangelism and teaching because of the dissipation, rather than the concentration of the Ordained Missionaries' energies; and

WHEREAS, the financial situation of such charges does not improve significantly owing to the lack of ongoing ministry over a longer period of time;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island humbly overtures that the General Assembly authorize the Board of World Mission to review the policy

toward rural aid receiving charges, and consider re-establishing them as long term mission posts with experienced missionaries on guaranteed stipends, these not being dependent upon increased local giving for a period of five to eight years.

Charlottetown, P.E.I.
January 25, 1978

HUGH LOWRY,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 11—PRESBYTERY OF BRUCE-MAITLAND

Re: FOLLOWING UP OF CHURCH MEMBERS

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, many members of the Presbyterian Church are moving to or are already settled in communities outside their own without having requested their Certificate of Transference to the church of their choice in their new location; and

WHEREAS, these members are drifting further away from active membership and dedication to the Lord because of non-commitment to either their home congregation or one in their new location; and

WHEREAS, it would be beneficial to any congregation as well as a corrective measure to further deterioration of the Church and its membership to know the addresses of members or former members who live under jurisdiction or the expected care of another congregation;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland humbly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly to recommend:

1. That Sessions communicate as soon as feasible with members who have moved to other communities, encouraging them to associate themselves with the church of their preference and to request that their Certificates of Transference be sent to that church as soon as possible;
2. That Sessions, as soon as feasible, send letters containing the names and addresses of members who have moved to the Session of the Presbyterian church nearest to them, requesting them to follow up these leads as an evangelistic or missionary endeavour to retain or to retrieve inactive members or former members;
3. That Sessions, at their annual review of the Communion Roll, issue a reminder (if no action has been taken) both to the member and to the Session involved, requesting that further action be taken.

Or to do otherwise for this object as the General Assembly in its wisdom may deem best.

Port Egin, Ontario
February 14, 1978

R. DOUGLAS MacDONALD,
Clerk.

No. 15—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER

*Re: THE METHOD OF ELECTING MODERATORS
OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY*

To the Venerable 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the office of Moderator of the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada is to be held in high esteem, and to be regarded as an office of honourable privilege and considerable responsibility; and

WHEREAS, Assembly Moderators are called upon to represent the Church at important public functions and in other important ways; and

WHEREAS, the present method of nominating persons for the office has led to an

ever-increasing list of nominees; and

WHEREAS, the preferential vote system seems to suggest that electors must vote for all nominees if the ballot is to be considered valid; and

WHEREAS, many electors have no desire to vote in any way for some of the listed nominees; and

WHEREAS, most of the nominees are completely unknown to the majority of the electors, both representative elders and ministers; and

WHEREAS, many of the representative elders, confused in respect to how they should vote, often consult their minister for guidance in voting, which tends to result in election of General Assembly Moderators by clergy; and

WHEREAS, little or no indication is given in the brief sketch about nominees concerning qualities of personality, character, and ability, which are of utmost consideration; and

WHEREAS, such a system of election gives little assurance that the best qualified nominees are bound to be elected, and that someone completely unqualified could conceivably become a Moderator of the General Assembly;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Westminster humbly overtures the Venerable General Assembly to appoint a special committee to consider the faults and inadequacies of the present method of electing General Assembly Moderators, and to present for consideration and approval a system which would command the respect of the Church and which would guarantee the election of highly qualified persons for this high office; or do otherwise for this concern what to their wisdom may seem best.

Richmond, B.C.
March 13, 1978

T. PLOMP,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 17—PRESBYTERY OF NORTHERN SASKATCHEWAN

Re STATUTORY RETIREMENT AGE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, compulsory retirement without regard to the mental, physical or spiritual fitness of the individual is a direct affront to the dignity of that person; and

WHEREAS, compulsory retirement is another example of cold, arbitrary, bureaucratic determinism, and in direct opposition to the Gospel of Grace and the concept of personal worth of each individual as alluded to by our Saviour; and

WHEREAS, the concept of compulsory retirement effectively terminates the active ministry of those still willing and able to serve, and whose experience, expertise and ministry are all sorely needed in the Church in this day and age; and

WHEREAS, the competence, capability and effectual calling of a minister has, historically, never been the subject of speculation as to the number of circuits around the Sun a person might reasonably take, and still retain that effectual calling;

THEREFORE, we, the Presbytery of Northern Saskatchewan, do humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly that the concept of "Compulsory retirement age" be expunged from all records, regulations and references within The Presbyterian Church in Canada, to be replaced by the more appropriate term "statutory retirement age", which would allow a minister to function in his "calling with no loss of pension or other benefits, until such time as he, his congregation or Presbytery determine that he is no longer capable of executing that calling, or to do otherwise as the General Assembly may in its wisdom deem best.

Rosetown, Saskatchewan
March 15, 1978

K. KNIGHT,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 18—PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE

Re: BOOK OF FORMS

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, new legislation at successive General Assemblies necessitates frequent changes in the "Book of Forms"; and

WHEREAS, the "Book of Forms" is at times out of print and unobtainable while revisions are made and prepared for the printers;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Barrie humbly overtures the Venerable The General Assembly

- (a) To bring out the Book of Forms in loose-leaf format, so that the book does not have to be re-printed in its entirety to incorporate changes, but needs only to have revised pages or additions inserted.
- (b) To supply a card with each copy of the book, in which the purchaser will fill in name, address, Presbytery, and Pastoral Charge, such card to be returned and kept on file, so that revised pages and additions may be sent out automatically, and to include the estimated cost of such servicing in the original cost of the book.
- (c) To supply a front page of heavy material for the owner's name and address, with spaces on the back to list revisions made and the dates thereof.

or to do otherwise as the General Assembly, in its wisdom, may deem best.

Orillia, Ontario
March 28, 1978

BASIL P. DASS,
Clerk.

No. 19—PRESBYTERY OF NEWFOUNDLAND

Re: THE CANADIAN SEAL HUNT

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, certain organizations have mounted a campaign in the media in Canada and around the world to destroy the seal-fishery of Newfoundland, and

WHEREAS, the seal-fishery is strictly regulated by government with respect to quotas and killing methods, and

WHEREAS, the present quota system ensures that the population of harp-seals will be maintained; and

WHEREAS, the killing methods are as humane as possible, and no more cruel than methods used in the slaughter of fish, live-stock or game; and

WHEREAS, the present campaign is destructive of the reputation of the Newfoundland people; and

WHEREAS, the seal-fishery is an industry important to the Newfoundland economy and vital in the support of many households;

THEREFORE the Commission of the Reverend the Presbytery of Newfoundland, on behalf of the said Presbytery, humbly overtures the General Assembly to support government action in defense of the seal-fishery and to warn our people against the present campaign, or to do otherwise as the General Assembly, in its wisdom, may deem best."

Grand Falls, Newfoundland
March 21, 1978

D.W.K. SUTHERLAND,
Clerk of Presbytery,
Secretary of the Commission.

No. 23—PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Re: SECTION 132, BOOK OF FORMS, ADMISSION OF ELDERS

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, in the admission of elders, Presbyterian churches in other lands have long regarded nomination by session (subject to election by communicants) as an ancient and honourable procedure, and

WHEREAS, this procedure, though not sanctioned in the Book of Forms, Section 132, is being employed within our church at this day in keeping with its long-standing use in our sister churches, and

WHEREAS, the employment of this procedure need not infringe upon the existing nominating prerogatives of the communicant membership, provided that any initial nominations originating within the session be seen as non-exhaustive and subject to supplementation by the three methods countenanced in Section 132.

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of P.E.I. humbly overtures the 104th General Assembly to amend the Book of Forms, Section 132, by sanctioning the procedure of nomination by session for optional use in conjunction with the three presently countenanced methods, thus providing for its lawful employment, or to do otherwise as in its wisdom it deems best.

Charlottetown, P.E.I.
March 22nd, 1978

HUGH LOWRY,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 24—PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

Re: DISTRIBUTING INFORMATION TO ELDERS RE SESSION MEETINGS

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, frequent meetings are often held by the Kirk-Session to deal adequately with the business of the church which comes before the court; and

WHEREAS, not all the elders of the Kirk-Session are able to attend the court regularly, due to other commitments in business, family life, illness etc.; and

WHEREAS, the minutes of the Kirk-Session are not available for distribution but kept hand-written in one volume by the clerk; and

WHEREAS, to miss more than two meetings of the court means that the elders so doing are not aware of what has transpired in their absence;

THEREFORE it is humbly overtured by the Presbytery of Glengarry that Section 27

- (i) the Book of Forms be so amended as to permit the Moderator and Clerk of the Kirk-Session to prepare for circulation among the Elders a digest or summary of the actions of the court after each meeting, if so desired; such digest or summary to deal with items of a general nature and selected at the discretion of the Moderator and the Clerk; or to do otherwise as the General Assembly may deem best in its wisdom.

Lancaster, Ontario
March 28, 1978

WALLACE MacKINNON,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 25—PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

Re: MEMBERS OF PRESBYTERY — SECTION 176, 2(a), (b) BOOK OF FORMS

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, a considerable number of Congregations are becoming joined with other Congregations to support one pastoral ministry, and these Congregations have a communicant membership of 75 to 150; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned Congregations are deprived of representation in the presbytery court should section 176, 2(a) Book of Forms be interpreted to mean that there be only one representative elder in the court from each pastoral charge whether comprised of one or two or more Congregations with Kirk-Sessions; and

WHEREAS, section 176 2(b) with regard to eligibility for membership in the presbytery of the bounds is not specific in its direction with respect to the matter of parity, as to whether it is only a matter of preserving parity of the ruling elders as over against the teaching elders; and

WHEREAS, when there are pastoral vacancies there is no real parity as between ruling elders and teaching elders maintained;

THEREFORE it is humbly overtured by the Presbytery of Glengarry that a special committee be appointed by the General Assembly to consider and clarify the intent of Section 176, 2, (a), (b), Book of Forms, or to do otherwise as in its wisdom the General Assembly may deem best concerning this matter.

Lancaster, Ontario
March 28, 1978

WALLACE MacKINNON,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 26—PRESBYTERY OF CHATHAM

Re: THE COMMUNION ROLL

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the Act for the keeping of the Communion Roll is predicated on a parish concept that no longer obtains in many urban congregations; and

WHEREAS, the difficulty in applying the provisions of the Act, particularly with reference to the annual revisal of the Roll, leads to a neglect of this legislation by Sessions; and

WHEREAS, under the Act as set forth in the Book of Forms section 125 (e) no provision is made for the removal from the Roll of those whose addresses are not known to the Session; and

WHEREAS, it is expedient that the provisions of the Act make it possible for Sessions to discharge their responsibilities with reference to the keeping of the Communion Roll in the culture in which the Church ministers today;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Chatham humbly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly to amend the Act regulating the keeping of the Communion Roll so that it meets the situations in which Sessions must enforce it, or do otherwise for this purpose what in its wisdom it may deem best.

Windsor, Ontario
March 31, 1978

EARL C. EDWARDS,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 27—PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Re: RENAMING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY BUDGET

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the Presbyterian Church in Canada is experiencing difficulty meeting the General Assembly's Budget; and

WHEREAS, the name General Assembly Budget, while an accurate description from an accountant's perspective, neither conveys meaningful information, nor makes an appeal to commitment to the members and adherents of the Church; and

WHEREAS, in past experience and in other denominations, increased giving has

most often accompanied renewed missionary vision among the people of God; and

WHEREAS, titles which convey significant meaning, and which also can be simplified into easy acrostics, especially if such acrostics enhance the idea of the name, can be very effective ways to present the basic ideas of the Budget; and

WHEREAS, the inclusion of the word Missions within the title of the Budget would begin to convey the fact that the Budget is the major source of finance for the Mission Work of the Church;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of P.E.I. humbly overtures the 104th General Assembly to change the name of the General Assembly Budget to "MISSIONS, ADMINISTRATION and PREPARATION" Budget, thus giving clear information as to the purpose of the Budget funds, and creating an appeal to commitment within the name itself, and providing for the simple acrostic: MAP, which again elicits thoughts of overseas travel and mission work, or to do otherwise as in its wisdom it deems best.

Charlottetown, P.E.I.
March 22nd, 1978

HUGH LOWRY,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 28—PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI

Re: OVERTURE 9, 1977

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the response of the Committee on Church Doctrine to overture 9, 1977 is inadequate in every part in that:

- 1) its citation from our standards of support for a policy of submission to judgments of church courts (WCF XXXI:3) in fact only supports submission to decisions which are in agreement with the Bible, a matter which can only be determined after consideration of the matter in our own courts; and
- 2) as there is no law in our subordinate standards, nor set out in the Book of Forms specifically dealing with deposition of ministers by other denominations, the claim that this statement is "an explanation of our present law" is in error, so that the act is *ultra vires* (beyond the powers of the court Book of Forms, p. 170) except under the Barrier Act; and
- 3) in dealing with the complaint that the statement on Deposition advocates abdication of our responsibilities, the Committee has failed to meet the issue. The issue is not whether or not other denominations honour our discipline (which is beyond our control) but whether or not we accept our responsibility to ensure that we deal justly with every person, despite what others may have said about him; and
- 4) there is an implicit contradiction between the Committee's view of the differences between denominations and its view of the unity of the church. On the one hand it sees sufficient differences between denominations that a person might be acceptable as pastor in one and not in the other, and considers this valid. On the other hand, it argues that the unity of the church means that ordination is to the ministry of the universal church. But how can a pastor be considered a validly ordained minister of the universal church, but not of our particular church? Or otherwise stated, how can we say that a person's ministry is invalid, yet send him to another church? The unity of the church requires that we maintain such standards as we consider necessary in the universal church, not just our own. Failing to keep this in view, the Committee's response to Overture 9, 1977, has contradicted the teaching on the unity of the church in the Statement on Deposition; and
- 5) use of the Westminster Confession of Faith to support a doctrine in which the deposition of a minister by one denomination is to be accepted with-

out possibility of review in another denomination involves an unscholarly interpretation of the Confession. Part of the intent of the Westminster Assembly was to correct the situation in the church in England. Among the obvious problems of that situation was that pastors were improperly barred from their ministry by application of the erroneous doctrine of the dominant church against them. Thus the committee's argument depends upon a false understanding of the Confession's view of the church; and

WHEREAS, the unqualified principle that we will respect the discipline of other denominations requires that we declare men such as John Calvin, John Knox, Martin Luther and the apostles (all of whom were under discipline of churches of their day) not to be acceptable as ministers of our denominations, nor of the Holy Catholic Church; and

WHEREAS, our subordinate standards affirm that all synods and councils since the apostles' time are subject to error (WCF XXXI:4), while unqualified application of the principle that we respect the discipline of other churches rests either on an unstated premise that in these matters the synods are not subject to error, or on a disregard for justice which shows total lack of love for the oppressed; and

WHEREAS, a major principle of our presbyterial system of government is the right of appeal against an unjust decision; which right in the sad, divided state of the church cannot be pursued to a final human judgment in a universal supreme church court, and so can be maintained consistently only by recognizing the right of appeal from one denomination to another, asking that the latter not recognize the final decision of the former; and

WHEREAS, although ordination is a divinely instituted ordinance for the exercise of the church's God-given authority to appoint officers in the church, and may be a means for the imparting of gifts for ministry, it is nevertheless only an outward and human enactment of what God does inwardly and spiritually, and is no more necessary for a person's being a minister than water baptism is to his being saved; and

WHEREAS, the declaratory statement on the meaning of deposition is divisive in the whole church of Christ, because it does not allow a true minister of Christ, improperly deposed in one denomination to take up his ministry in another, which means that unless he is called by God to other work he must fulfil his calling by forming a new denomination; and

WHEREAS, the only scriptural reference given to support the declaratory statement do not in fact confirm the statements to which they are attached;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Miramichi humbly overtures the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

- 1) to declare the aforesaid declaratory act *ultra vires*, in that it stands in conflict with our subordinate standards; it could only be enacted under the Barrier Act; and
- 2) to adopt a statement to deal with the issue, which in love and concern for justice takes into consideration not only the essential unity of the church and a truly biblical view of ordination, but also the fallibility even of those men entrusted with the government of the church of Christ, thus embodying the ideas that:
 - in view of a) the fallibility of all synods and councils, the right of appeal against a judgment is endorsed, across, as well as within denominational lines; and
 - in view of b) the unity of the church, judgment of other denominations will be recognized until and unless such appeal is made and upheld.
- 3) to this end consider the following proposal as a statement of our position on the deposition of ministers.

Statement on Deposition of Ministers

1. *The Unity of the Church*
As there is one, holy, universal church, so its various officers are appointed, not to the ministry of a particular denomination but to the ministry of Christ in the universal church (Eph. 4:1-16; I Cor. 12:1-13, 27-28).
 2. *Ordination*
God has instituted ordination by the laying on of hands of the assembled elders (the presbytery, in the broad sense of that word) as the normal means by which church officers are installed in their ministry (Acts 6:6; I Tim. 4:14). Such ordination depends on, and acknowledges the fact of God's calling a person to that ministry (John 3:27; Rom. 10:14-15; Jer. 14:14 Hebrews 5:4). However, it is the calling of God, not the laying on of hands by men, which establishes a man as God's minister (Acts 13:2). A person's private consciousness of a calling, though necessary, is not sufficient to make him a minister of God (I Tim. 5:22; 3:10). Nevertheless, when through circumstances it is not possible to have God's calling publicly acknowledged in the divinely instituted form, this does not imply that the person may not be a true minister of the holy universal church, which is God's church, and not men's (II Chron. 29:34-30:5; 30:18-20). (See Book of Forms, 2: Form of Presbyterial Government. "Concerning the doctrinal part of ordination", #11, 12). God is not limited to acting through the means which He has given.
The minister of the church of Christ is responsible to the assembled elders of the church, in whom Christ has vested authority for the oversight of the church. These elders, assembled as courts, are to exercise a loving, careful discipline to maintain the purity of Christ's church. For such they are responsible to Christ (Acts 15:1-29; 16:4-5; 20:28-31; Ezekiel 3:16-21).
 3. *Denominational Disunity*
Denominational disunity having no sanction in scripture, but being a result of man's sin, the ordination of each denomination that is visibly part of the one church of Christ must be recognized as ordination to the ministry of Christ. This does not preclude testing those ordained by other denominations, to see whether they do indeed have God's calling and gifts for His ministry. However it precludes the re-ordination of those who show that they have such a divine calling.
 4. *Deposition*
Deposition means removal from the ministry of Christ. Each presbytery has authority to declare, after suitable trial, that a man is no minister of Christ (Matt. 16:17-19; I Cor. 5:4-5). This is an act of such seriousness that it can only be done when a minister so-called, by grave misdemeanours in his life or teaching, shows that the judgment that he was a true minister called by God was mistaken. In view of our human fallibility, a man so condemned has the right of appeal to the next higher court of the church. In our divided state, where there is no final supreme court of the universal church, we endorse his right to go to another denomination when all appeals within his own denomination have been exhausted, and to ask that they review the case, overturn the judgment against him if it was unjust, and recognize his ministry as a God-given calling, to be exercised in their midst. In view of the unity of the church, we will recognize the judgments of the courts of true churches, unless, and until an appeal has been made and upheld.
- or that General Assembly do otherwise in its wisdom as it may deem best.

Bathurst, New Brunswick
April 1, 1978

EVERETT R. HAWKES,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 29—PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI

*Re: BUDGET ALLOCATION FOR CONGREGATIONS**To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:*

WHEREAS, under our system congregations receive a yearly required allocation; and
 WHEREAS, the Board of World Mission has been entrusted with the responsibility of dispensing funds according to the requests which they themselves scrutinize; and
 WHEREAS, the practise of requesting Presbyteries to support hospital visitors is initiating a principle of double allocation upon our congregations; and
 WHEREAS, our Presbyteries have no other source of revenue than a Presbytery levy;
 THEREFORE the Presbytery of Miramichi requests the Venerable the 104th General Assembly to rescind its action of 1977 or to do in its wisdom what it deems best.

Bathurst, New Brunswick
 April 1, 1978

EVERETT R. HAWKES,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 30—KIRK SESSION OF ROSEDALE CHURCH, TORONTO

*Re: DEPUTY CLERKS OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY**To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:*

WHEREAS, the 101st General Assembly appointed a First Deputy Clerk and a Second Deputy Clerk of the Assembly; and
 WHEREAS, the Committee which brought forward the nominations indicated that a number of qualified persons had been nominated, and
 WHEREAS, it is thought desirable that experience of this office be extended to a number of ordained Ministers, in order that nominees for the position of Clerk may be drawn from a broad selection of persons with experience in the office of Deputy Clerks;
 THEREFORE, the Kirk Session of Rosedale Presbyterian Church, Toronto, humbly overtures the General Assembly as follows:

- a) that the offices of First Deputy Clerk and Second Deputy Clerk be made term appointments of 3 years each,
- b) that the Deputy Clerks be eligible for reappointment but not for consecutive terms.
- c) that the present First Deputy Clerk continue to hold office until 1981,
- d) that the present Second Deputy Clerk continue to hold office until 1980,
- e) that a committee to nominate Deputy Clerks be appointed by the General Assembly to draw up a ballot of not more than six names from persons nominated by Presbyteries, and the Deputy Clerks be elected following the procedure at present employed for the election of the Moderator of the General Assembly,

OR to do otherwise as the General Assembly in its wisdom may deem best.

Scarborough, Ontario
 April 5, 1978

W. W. MacNEILL,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 31—PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

*Re: ELECTION OF ELDERS AND SECTION 132, BOOK OF FORMS**To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:*

WHEREAS, Section 132 of the Book of Forms outlines the present procedures which are to be followed for the election of Ruling Elders in a congregation; and
 WHEREAS, Section 132 provides for a choice of one of three ways in which such election may be carried out; and
 WHEREAS, in congregations of considerable size any one of these ways is hardly workable, resulting in low voter response, since it is difficult, (if not impossible), in large congregations to have the required knowledge of men and women as to their suitability for the office; and
 WHEREAS, in some instances it is known and openly acknowledged that some congregations are not adhering to the procedures as outlined in Section 132, thereby casting doubt upon the legality of such election of Ruling Elders;
 THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Glengarry humbly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly to consider the procedures for the election of Ruling Elders as presently provided for in Section 132 of the Book of Forms, with a view to providing a fourth alternative method for use in large congregations as deemed necessary, viz., pre-selection of suitable candidates by the Kirk-Session, submission of these names to the Congregation with the option of adding additional names before the final vote is taken, etc., or to do otherwise as the General Assembly in its wisdom deems best.

Ingleside, Ontario
 April 5th, 1978

WALLACE MacKINNON,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 32 PRESBYTERY OF WATERLOO-WELLINGTON

*Re: THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR ASSEMBLIES**To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:*

WHEREAS, there is a need to hold the Assembly in a good working setting that will enable the commissioners to contribute their best efforts to the business of the General Assembly;
 THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington humbly overtures the Venerable, the General Assembly to consider the following arrangements for all future Assemblies:

1. That *all* business sessions be held in suitable air-conditioned rooms where Commissioners can lay out papers and where overhead projector facilities are available, so that Commissioners can follow amendments and new motions which are presented to the Assembly. This would follow the type of arrangements made for the 1975 Assembly at McGill University.
2. That microphones be located in a number of locations; and that there be easy entry to the meeting rooms to permit committees to withdraw and return without unduly upsetting the on-going business.
3. That accommodation continue to be provided in residences or hotel facilities adjacent to the meeting area.

OR do whatever in its wisdom the General Assembly deems best.

Waterloo, Ontario
 April 5, 1978

BARBARA M. McLEAN,
Clerk.

No. 33—PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN

*Re: THE PROBLEM OF ILLITERACY IN CANADA**To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:*

WHEREAS, according to Statistics Canada 1971, there are five million people in Canada 15 years of age and over not attending school and who have no education beyond the Grade 8 level, and are therefore considered by Statistics Canada and the Canadian Association for Adult Education to be functionally illiterate; and

WHEREAS, this level of illiteracy renders them unable to cope with basic skills; and
WHEREAS, The Presbyterian Church in Canada has traditionally placed a strong emphasis on education;

THEREFORE, it is humbly overtured by the Presbytery of Saint John that the Venerable the General Assembly express our concern to the Secretary of State, and urge the Federal Government to initiate a national program to help eradicate the problem of illiteracy in Canada; or that they do otherwise for this object what to their wisdom may seem best.

Saint John, N.B.
April 5, 1978

G. L. BLACKWELL,
Clerk of Presbytery.

Nos. 35, 36, 37, 38.

NAMES TO BE PLACED ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL

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| 35. Presbytery of Hamilton..... | Rev. Thomas G. M. Bryan, B.A., B.D. |
| 36. Presbytery of Northern Saskatchewan..... | Rev. S. J. Sharkey, B.A., B.D. |
| 37. Presbytery of Paris..... | Rev. Keith E. Wilcox, B.A., B.D. |
| 38. Presbytery of London..... | Rev. Lenard E. Graham, M.Div., M.S.A.E. |
| 39. Presbytery of East Toronto..... | Rev. Edward H. Johnson, B.Sc., B.Th., LL.D., D.D. |
| 40. Presbytery of East Toronto..... | Rev. DeCourcy H. Rayner, C.D., B.A., D.D. |
| 41. Presbytery of Hamilton..... | Rev. G. Taylor-Munro, C.D., B.A. |
| 42. Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod.... | Rev. J. S. Glen, M.A., B.Ed., Ph.D., Th.D., D.D. |
| 43. Presbytery of Stratford-Huron.... | Rev. Hugh F. Davidson, M.A., D.D. |

THE ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL
(Supplementary Report)

RE: PRE-ELECTION KIT

The Administrative Council was requested by the Inter Church Consultative Committee on Development and Relief to give permission to attach the name of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, along with that of The Roman Catholic, United, Anglican and Lutheran Churches, to a Pre-Election Kit.

This kit was prepared by staff of the Churches mentioned, and it is intended to initiate discussion at political meetings during the next Federal Election. The covering documents for these statements will indicate that the sponsoring churches do not necessarily support the positions taken in these papers.

Commissioners to Assembly will appreciate the problem that officials of our denomination, as well as Boards and Committees of Assembly, face when asked by the media to respond to questions on where our Church stands on social or religious issues. Inasmuch as the Assembly was meeting three weeks after the Executive of the Council was asked permission to permit the name of our Church to be attached to this document, it was agreed to request the Assembly to make the decision for The Presbyterian Church.

RECOMMENDATION 40 A

That a Committee be appointed to study the above request, and make a recommendation to this Assembly.

ADDITION TO REPORT OF BOARD OF KNOX COLLEGE

To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

The Board of Knox College established Search Committees to obtain a suitable person for each of the following office and chairs:

- (a) Principal of Knox College
- (b) Chair of Church History
- (c) Chair of Preaching and Worship (formerly the Chair of Homiletics, Evangelism and Church Administration.)

In each case Presbyteries were invited to submit names to be considered for presentation to General Assembly in nomination for the respective positions.

The terms of reference for a Search Committee are not restrictive. All names submitted and also the supporting information and material are carefully studied and considered. The Search Committee is also to consider the names of any persons who may submit their names as applicants for the position. When the list of names has been reduced to a small number, personal interviews are arranged and conducted. The resulting selection by the Search Committee is reported to a Joint Meeting of the Board and Senate of the College. After receiving and reviewing the report of the Search Committee, the Joint Meeting then makes a recommendation to the Board of the College as to the name to be presented to General Assembly in nomination.

Following the above-mentioned procedure, the Board of Knox College will be presenting the names in nomination for appointment by General Assembly as follows:

(a) *Principal of Knox College:*

The name of The Reverend Professor James Charles Hay, M.A., B.D., Ph.D. will be presented for this office. On the tragic demise of Principal Allan Farris the Board requested Professor Hay to accept appointment by the Board to the office of Acting Principal, and he did so, and filled the position in a distinguished manner. Professor Hay also received a great preponderance of support from the Presbyteries of the Church.

- (b) *The Chair of Church History:*
This position presented great difficulty for the Search Committee. As is known this Chair had been occupied by the late Principal Allan L. Farris for many years, and he brought distinguished scholarship to the Chair. After much diligent study and consideration, including searching interviews, the Committee presented the name of Calvin Augustine Pater, A.B., B.D., Th.M., Ph.D. as its selection. The Search Committee's report was carefully reviewed by the Board and Senate of the College and was accepted. The Board will present to General Assembly the name of Calvin Augustine Pater in nomination for the Chair of Church History.
- (c) *The Chair of Preaching and Worship:*
The Search Committee conducted a thorough investigation for this position and came to the conclusion that the person most qualified for the Chair was the past incumbent thereof, namely The Reverend Professor James Charles Hay. Professor Hay agreed to assume his former position if so appointed by General Assembly, and would resign from the Chair of New Testament to which he had been recently appointed. It is pointed out that this course was pursued in the best interest of the College. The report of the Search Committee was carefully reviewed by the Board and Senate of the College and was accepted. The Board will present to General Assembly the name of James Charles Hay in nomination for the Chair of Preaching and Worship.

Again it is pointed out to General Assembly, as has been done over the years, that it is essential that Knox College be provided with sufficient funds to enable it to maintain and fulfill its extremely important role in the life of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Over the years Knox College has been forced to use capital funds to make up operating deficits. The resulting cumulative capital erosion now amounts to \$169,239. It is emphasized that the annual budgets of the College are presented on a realistic basis and contain items which are normal to the operation of the College and are fixed in nature and not subject to reduction.

Note: There are further recommendations which the Board wishes to present to General Assembly. However the Committees concerned have not yet completed their work and reported. The Board will request permission to present to General Assembly any recommendations arising out of the Reports of these Committees.

G. B. MALLION
Chairman,
BOARD OF KNOX COLLEGE.

RECOMMENDATION 1. A

That James Charles Hay, M.A., B.D., Ph.D. be appointed Principal of Knox College, effective immediately, for the term of office determined and adopted by the 102nd General Assembly (A. & P. 1976, pp. 45, 451).

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

That James Charles Hay, M.A., B.D., Ph.D. be appointed to the Chair of Preaching and Worship in Knox College, with the rank of full professor, effective July 1, 1978.

RECOMMENDATION 3. A

That Calvin Augustine Pater, A.B., B.D., Th.M., Ph.D. be appointed to the Chair of Church History in Knox College with the rank of associate professor, effective August 1, 1978. (See pages 485-486)

RECOMMENDATION 4. A

That the General Assembly approve the participation of Knox College in the Agreement between the Toronto School of Theology, the constituent members of the Toronto School of Theology, and the University of Toronto, for the granting of degrees conjointly by Knox College and the University of Toronto. (See pages 486-487)

RECOMMENDATION 5. D

Faculty Salaries:

- (i) *That the faculty salaries be increased so that they will be comparable and competitive in the academic field and the minimum salary should be at least equal to that paid to those giving theological courses for Presbyterian College, Montreal.*
 - (ii) *That the Board be given authority to pay the faculty at this rate.*
 - (iii) *That the Administrative Council be directed to provide the necessary funds to Knox College for this purpose.*
- The Board will have a further recommendation if, by action of this Assembly, the Chair of New Testament Language and Literature becomes vacant.

KNOX COLLEGE BOARD (Supplementary Report)

Nomination for the Principal of Knox College, 1978

Nomination for the Chair of Preaching and Worship in Knox College, 1978

1. *The Principalship.*

A search committee comprising members of Board and Senate, under the Chairmanship of Mr. Gordon Mallion, Q.C., gave due consideration to the names proposed by presbyteries for the Office of Principal. Their unanimous decision, reflecting also the overwhelming will of the presbyteries, was to recommend to the Board that they place in nomination the name of *Professor J. Charles Hay, M.A., B.D., Ph.D.*

Foremost in consideration was the fact that Dr. Hay had demonstrated admirably his qualifications for the office during the past year, having responded with energy and effectiveness to the Board's call to serve as Acting Principal following the untimely death of Principal Allan Farris on July 7th, 1977. In this acting tenure, Dr. Hay gave added evidence of his gifts and ability to meet what may be described as the threefold requirement of the office.

In the first place, he relates congenially to the student body and to the academic and support staff. His fifteen years of teaching experience in the College, added to earlier teaching experience, have given him a sensitivity to the perception and needs of students which have undergone a considerable transition in the period. Dr. Hay has been at the forefront of innovative steps leading to greater student participation in decision-making. In a relatively small college community it is also reassuring that Dr. Hay enjoys the esteem and full cooperation of his teaching and administrative colleagues. The past year has proved to be a happy one in terms of relationships.

A second major qualification concerns Churchmanship, which is vitally important in this church-related College. Dr. Hay is widely known throughout the constituency of our Church. The acquaintance stems from his extended pastoral experience in major parishes in Toronto and Montreal and from involvement on numerous boards and committees of the Church. He has served as Moderator of East Toronto Presbytery, and, on a variety of occasions, as interim moderator of vacant parishes, he is now known as former teacher by a large complement of the ministry of our Church. His articulateness as a lecturer or spokesman for the College is well recognized. During the past year he has represented the needs of the College and of theological education at three Synods of the Church.

Thirdly, and most importantly, Dr. Hay has broad experience as an administrator and as a leading North American consultant on standards and models for theological education. The accompanying curriculum vitae clearly details his expertise here. His important work in the foundation period of the Toronto

School of Theology and as its first Director of Advanced Degree Studies gives him unique insight into the workings of this rather complex institution and access to the persons and ecumenical structures involved. In the role of Principal of Knox College, Dr. Hay would ensure that the College would be effectively represented and its interests upheld in the continuing development of theological education in the major centre for such study in Canada.

It is understood that in keeping with the Board's policy regarding term appointments to the Principalship this appointment is for an initial period of five years, subject to review at the end of that time with a view to a further five-year term.

2. *Chair of Preaching and Worship.*

A joint search committee of Board and Senate, Chaired by Prof. Iain Nicol, considered a large number of names presented by presbyteries and by application. The Committee, which included a TST consultant, held two series of interviews and was faced with refusal by two very serious candidates from our Church. Their final decision, unanimously supported by Board and Senate, places in nomination the name of *Professor J. Charles Hay, M.A., B.D., Ph.D.*

Endorsement of this nomination by the General Assembly would have the effect of vacating the Chair of New Testament to which Dr. Hay was appointed by the 103rd Assembly. At the same time this action would assure a greater measure of continuity in the teaching of the Chairs, a more urgent issue following the intervening death of Principal Allan Farris. It will be borne in mind that the Chair of Preaching and Worship redefines essentially the same Chair as was previously occupied by Dr. Hay, and that, owing to his leave from teaching during this current year, he had not actually assumed the teaching of New Testament.

The Committee and Board have also been guided by consideration of the burdens of the Principalship, should that office also fall to Dr. Hay by action of the Assembly. Over a period of several years Dr. Hay had established a solid programme in the comparable Chair, with the aid of appropriate assistants, while devoting half of his time to TST administration. The demand for direction in advanced degree studies is also somewhat less in this field than is the case with other departments.

These considerations aside, Dr. Hay's incumbency of this field of teaching in the College since 1963 has been of a high order. His advanced specialist studies in the Biblical field have always provided the foundation for his development of the preacher's homiletic skills. Each year he offered an advanced degree course in New Testament, in which Department he was a recognized graduate professor as well as in the Pastoral Department. His method of teaching homiletics has been to require the student to take the text of Scripture with complete seriousness before attempting to relate it to the problems of contemporary living. His disdain for shoddy exegesis and shallow application made his criticism of sermons trenchant at times, but he gained the respect of students for his honest appraisals and for his ability to make them take the task of preaching biblical yet contemporary sermons with complete seriousness.

Dr. Hay's application of hermeneutical understanding to the task of preaching has been buttressed by his many years of active parish ministry in Toronto and Montreal. Both then and more recently he has had extensive experience of communicating via the media of radio and television. During an active teaching and administration career he has maintained a regular schedule of preaching. Following the death of Dr. Walter Welch in 1976 he fulfilled a year as preacher and parish counsellor to St. Andrew's Humber Heights in Toronto.

In presenting Dr. J. Charles Hay for consideration and appointment we are confident that he brings a unique combination of ripe experience and creative insight to contribute to the formation of students for ministry to the contemporary world.

CURRICULUM VITAE

PROF. JAMES CHARLES HAY, M.A., B.D., Ph.D.

Education

Bachelor of Arts, University College, University of Toronto 1942. Master of Arts in Philosophy, University of Toronto 1945. Diploma in Theology, Knox College, Toronto 1945. Bachelor of Divinity, Knox College, Toronto 1949.

The theological studies were concentrated in the New Testament field and the thesis/subject was, "The Theological Unity of the First Epistle to the Corinthians".

Ph.D., University of Edinburgh 1962, with collateral studies at the University at Göttingen, Germany. The thesis subject was in the area of New Testament apocalyptic and eschatology. While at Göttingen he took lectures from Prof. Joachim Jeremias, internationally known New Testament scholar (perhaps best known for his work on the parables).

Pastoral Experience

First minister at Leaside Presbyterian Church, Toronto, from 1945 to 1955. The present sanctuary was built during this period. Minister at MacVicar Memorial Church in Montreal, 1955-1959.

Stated supply at Aldershot Presbyterian Church, Burlington, 1962-63. Supply preacher during vacancies at many churches in and around the Toronto area: e.g. Knox Church, Milton; St. Andrew's, Streetsville; Chinese Presbyterian Church, Toronto; Rogers Memorial, Toronto; Erindale Church, Mississauga; Knox and Limehouse, Georgetown, and for fifteen months at St. Andrew's Humber Heights.

Teaching Experience

1958-1959: Part-time lecturer in New Testament Literature and Exegesis at Presbyterian College, Montreal.

1959-1962: Sessional lecturer in New Testament Literature and Exegesis at Presbyterian College, Montreal.

1963-1977: Professor in the area of Homiletics and Biblical Interpretation at Knox College. Lecturer in the area of New Testament studies at the Advanced Degree Level at Knox, in the former Toronto Graduate School of Theological Studies, and in the Toronto School of Theology Advanced Degree Department.

1977: Appointed to the Chair of New Testament Language and Literature.

Ancillary Teaching and Ecumenical Experience

Delegate: Faith and Order Commission, World Council of Churches, Bristol, 1967.

Lecturer: Ministers' Institute, St. Columba's House, Georgetown, Guyana, June 1967.

Numerous lay schools sponsored by Knox College, McMaster Divinity College, and individual congregations.

Public Addresses: "The Gospel and the Church Community", Knox Alumni Institute, Toronto.

"Communicating the Gospel in Today's World", Geneva Park, under auspices of Synods of Toronto-Kingston and Hamilton-London.

Lectures on the theme, "The Stewardship of Hearing" to the Atlantic Synod in October, 1977.

Broadcasts: Involved with CBC regular church broadcasts while at Leaside Church, Toronto, and MacVicar, Montreal.

CBC-FM broadcast "The Coming of the Messiah", 1977; CBC Telecast "Meeting Place", 1978; CBC-FM broadcast series on "Preaching", 1976.

Unpublished Writings: Articles on "The Reformed Churches Self-Understanding"; and "The Attitude of the Presbyterian Church in Canada to Confessions".

Publications: "Theological Concerns and the Preacher's Task", *Canadian Journal of Theology*, 1963.

"The Corinthian Correspondence and Christian Stewardship", three chapters in a book entitled, *Stewardship Explorations*, 1963.

Published under the auspices of the Stewardship Committee, Canadian Council of Churches.

Koinonia, a pamphlet published under the auspices of the Canadian Council of Churches.

"The D.Min. in a Canadian Cluster Setting", *Theological Education*, 1976. Vol. XII, No. 4.

Administrative Experience

Member of many Boards and Committees at Presbytery and General Assembly level, including the Board of World Mission, Board of Christian Education, Church Doctrine Committee, Advisory Committee on Evangelism, and the Administrative Council.

Chairman, Faith and Order Commission, Canadian Council of Churches, 1970-1974.

Director of Graduate Studies, Knox College, approximately 1966-1968.

Chairman, Committee of Direction, Toronto Graduate School of Theological Studies, 1968-1970.

Secretary of the Committee on Cooperation in Theological Education at the University of Toronto (COCTET) during the two years of its existence. It was this Committee that was responsible for constituting the Toronto School of Theology. During this time also a member of the Graduate Sub-Committee of COCTET.

Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Toronto School of Theology, 1970-77.

Member of the Ad Hoc Committee, charged with responsibility for initiating the development of plans for a Centre of Graduate Religious Studies at the University of Toronto.

Chairman, Task Force on Advanced Professional Education, TST. This Committee produced the curriculum proposal for a new D.Min. programme in the Toronto School of Theology which was approved by the Board of Trustees and the participating colleges, inaugurated in 1977.

Representative for Knox College at biennial meetings of the Association of Theological Schools in the U.S. and Canada, meeting at Claremont (CA), Minneapolis and St. Paul, St. Louis, Boston, Atlanta, and Toronto.

Member, Commission on Accrediting, Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada. In this capacity he has visited, as a member and occasional chairman of accreditation teams, the following theological institutions: St. Francis Seminary, Milwaukee; Lutheran Seminary, Chicago, (Chairman); Chicago Theological Seminary; North Park Theological Seminary (IL); Andrews University, Berrien Springs (Chairman); Christian Theological Seminary, Indianapolis (Chairman); San Francisco Seminary, San Anselmo; McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton (Chairman); Moravian Theological Seminary, Bethlehem (PA); Drew University Theological School, Madison (NJ); Atlantic School of Theology, Halifax. Also as a member of the Commission he has reviewed the programmes at some depth of at least eighty-five theological colleges in the United States and Canada.

Assistant Director, Advanced Degree Division, Toronto School of Theology, 1970-77. In this position he had primary responsibility for developing and reshaping the programmes in the Master of Theology and Doctor of Theology degree programmes. He had also primary responsibility for TST in developing the Joint Programme with St. Michael's for the M.A. and Ph.D. programmes.

Learned Societies

Member, Canadian Biblical Society; Member, Canadian Society for the Study of Religion; Member, Society of Biblical Literature.

Nomination for the Chair of Church History, Knox College, 1978

CALVIN AUGUSTINE PATER

The name is its own curriculum vitae, and is a clear clue to Calvin Pater's background.

He is the eldest of eight children, born in Holland in 1939. His family, he tells us, was traditionally Calvinistic. Three chapters of the Bible were read daily at table; prayers were said before and after meals, and on rising and retiring. This "neo-Calvinism" was reflected in all their social institutions: health, politics, and labour organizations.

For economic reasons the family chose to emigrate. Application was made to Canada in 1956 but rejected because of his mother's marginal health. Three months later they were accepted in the U.S.A. As a member of the Christian Reformed Church he went to Calvin College, graduating in 1962 with a major in Philosophy. This was followed up by a year of teaching English at Tamkang College, Taiwan. In Taiwan he met and married a colleague in the chemistry department, Ruth Hsieh Yu, who is now a Ph.D. in chemistry. While there, living in a non-Christian society, he felt "a strong urge to begin communicating my faith in words as well as deeds". With that in mind he enrolled at Westminster Theological Seminary in Philadelphia, but moved to Union for his second year.

While at Union Seminary, three daughters arrived and Calvin became increasingly involved in church work. For two years he worked with students for the Broadway Presbyterian Church. After his B.D. from Union he worked as a student intern at West End Presbyterian, developing a programme for teenagers from the black and Puerto Rican ghetto. Then he was accepted by both Princeton and Harvard for graduate studies, and for financial reasons ended up at Harvard. While there he became minister of Pacific Union Congregational Church in Westport, Massachusetts, where he has been minister for eleven years. He is a minister of the United Presbyterian Church, U.S.A.

The search committee at Knox College was impressed by his academic credentials. ("Mr. Pater is equal to all but one of the 30 doctoral students I got to know well at Harvard. . . . - from one referee.) They were also impressed by his commitment to ministry and his concern that scholarship should be harnessed to the service of the church in the preparation of men and women for that ministry. He has strong convictions, coupled with wisdom and understanding. ("His Christian faith is very strong; he is a loving and witty person. . . ." - from another referee.)

Thus his background, his academic achievements, his professional experience, and his own personal outlook make Calvin Pater a most appropriate candidate for the chair of Church History at Knox.

Education:

1958-62 Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan, AB gen.; 1963-64 Westminster Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, Pa.; 1964-66 Union Theological Seminary, New York City, BD; 1967-68 Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge, MA. Th.M.; 1973-74 Eberhard-Karls-Universität, Tübingen, Germany; 1969 f. (except 73-74) Harvard University; 1977 Harvard University, Ph.D. (Primary and secondary education in the Netherlands)

Special Field

Reformation History.

Ph.D. Thesis

"Andreas Bodenstein von Karlstadt as the Intellectual Founder of Anabaptism."

Professor in Charge

Professor Williams.

College and Post-Graduate Distinctions Received

Union Theological Seminary: (1964-66). Harvard Divinity School: Scholarship, 1967-68. Harvard University: Fellowship, 1970-71; Stipend, 1971-72; Tuition Fellowship, 1972-73; Scholarship, 1974-75; Grant, 1975-76.

Society for Reformation Research: Jr. Fellow Scholarship, Summer, 1971.
 Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst (German Academic Exchange Service), Travelling Fellowship, incl. support for dependents, 1973-74.

Languages Read Easily

Dutch, German, French, Latin.

Languages Spoken Readily

Dutch, German, some French.

Academic Positions Held

1962-63 Tamkang College, Taipei, Taiwan, Republic of China; Visiting Instructor of English Literature
 1971-72 Harvard Divinity School; Teaching Fellow of Roman Catholic Studies
 Fall, 1975 Harvard University; Teaching Fellow in Church History

Non-Academic Positions Held:

1957-58 Town of Munster, Indiana
 1958 Ford Motor Cy, Hegewisch, Ill; Assembly line work
 1958-62 Summer employment in steel mills, ca.
 1966-67 Pastoral Assistant (Mostly work with teens in the ghetto), West End Presbyterian Church.
 1967f. (except 1973-74), Minister, Pacific Union Congregational Church, Westport, MA.

RELATIONSHIP WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

For some years now the Toronto School of Theology, on behalf of and with the full participation of the constituent colleges, has been negotiating with the Government of the Province of Ontario in order that these theological colleges might be given full, although not weighted, government grants. For many years now these colleges, including Knox, have been receiving one-half of the grant normally given to universities at the B.A. level (for Knox in 1977 that amounted to \$69,119.)

In June 1975 the Government of Ontario decided to give a full grant (i.e. double the present rate) to those theological colleges whose degrees were given by a provincial (Ontario) university. Since then, TST and the Colleges have been negotiating with the University of Toronto to see if we could enter into an agreement which would at one and the same time allow us to retain adequate control over our own affairs and yet qualify for the full government grants. As of this Assembly, negotiations are near completion, but still in process. The extracts from the proposed Memorandum of Agreement (on page 486-487), still under consideration, provide all the significant aspects of that agreement. It is our hope that this will become operative for this coming academic year.

Unhappily, the timing is off. But delay on our part for a year could cost us \$70,000 to \$80,000. Hence with the understanding that there will be no substantial changes in the Memorandum, the Board and Senate are asking this Assembly for permission to proceed in these negotiations with power to issue.

Memorandum of Agreement between University of Toronto, T.S.T., and its Constituent Colleges

These are the essential components in this memorandum:

1. University of Toronto will appoint 3 representatives to each of (i) Board of Trustees of TST (ii) Basic Degree and Advanced Degree Councils of TST, as full voting members. In addition, 2 representatives on the TST Committee on Faculty Appointments.

2. The initial agreement is for 5 years, during which we agree not to make any *substantial* changes in our degree programmes except by mutual agreement.
3. All recommendations for the awarding of degrees will be submitted to the Academic Affairs Committee of the University of Toronto and no degrees will be awarded without the consent of the governing body of the college concerned (e.g. for Knox, the Senate).
4. All degrees will be conferred *conjointly* by University of Toronto and the member institution at the convocation of the member institution.
5. Our students will be regarded as members of the U. of T. for academic purposes, but remain wholly under the discipline of the College.
6. Registration remains in the College.
7. Teaching staff of the member institutions of TST "... shall continue to be appointed by and to hold their contracts of employment with these respective institutions, and shall continue to be subject to the disciplinary jurisdiction of these institutions and not subject to that of U. of T."
8. Each of the member institutions remains fully responsible for its own capital and operating budgets.
9. The University of Toronto will receive all government grants and will remit them to the member institutions. Any costs to U. of T. arising out of this will be paid out of these grants.
10. The initial contract is for a period of 5 years, although provision is made for opting out in that initial period.

Please note: This memorandum agreement applies only to our degree programmes, and *not* to our diploma. The church requires *only* the diploma for ordination.

PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE SENATE (Supplementary Report)

The last General Assembly authorized the Senate of The Presbyterian College, Montreal, to circularize the Presbyteries of the Church asking for nominations for the Principalship of the College. A Search Committee was appointed by the Senate to nominate a person suitable for this post. All nominations sent in by the Presbyteries were considered. Personal interviews were conducted with a number of those suggested and the Committee indicated its readiness to submit its recommendations.

The Senate met on May 18, 1978 and received the report. The Search Committee recommended that the Senate of The Presbyterian College, Montreal, nominate the Reverend William John Klempa, M.A., B.D., Ph.D. to the One Hundred and Fourth General Assembly for appointment as Principal of the College for an initial period of three years from August 1, 1978, renewable by mutual agreement and with the approval of the General Assembly. This recommendation was approved unanimously by the Senate.

Reverend Dr. Donald N. MacMillan retires from the Chair of Systematic Theology as of August 31, 1978. Dr. MacMillan has been a distinguished member of the Faculty for 19 years and during the past 5 years has been Acting Principal. Dr. MacMillan is a dedicated servant of the Church and the welfare of the College has always been of the utmost importance to him. In this respect it is interesting to note that the enrolment at the College has been increasing during his tenure of office as Acting Principal.

Also the Academic Committee of the Senate recommended the appointment of a full-time Director of Studies representing the College in the Montreal Institute for Ministry. The Senate approved this recommendation and decided to submit a request to the General Assembly for permission to appoint a full-time Director of Studies effective August 1, 1979.

The Senate of the College begs to submit the following recommendations:

RECOMMENDATION 1. C

That the Reverend William John Klempa, M.A., B.D., Ph.D. be appointed as Principal of The Presbyterian College, Montreal, said appointment to be effective August 1, 1978 for an initial period of three years, renewable by mutual agreement and with the approval of the General Assembly.

RECOMMENDATION 2. A

That the Senate of The Presbyterian College, Montreal, be permitted to extend the appointment of the Reverend Dr. D. N. MacMillan as Acting Principal to July 31, 1978.

RECOMMENDATION 3. C

That the Senate of The Presbyterian College, Montreal, be permitted to appoint a full-time Director of Studies to represent the College in the Montreal Institute for Ministry effective August 1, 1979.

JOHN M. CERINI, Q.C.
Chairman

W. KENNETH HALL
Hon. Secretary

NOMINATION FOR THE PRINCIPALSHIP OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE

Pursuant to the decision of the One Hundred and Third General Assembly to refer back to the College Senate the nomination for Principal, with Presbyteries again being requested to make nominations (*Acts and Proceedings*, 1977, p. 48), another Search Committee was formed at a meeting of the Senate held on June 29th, 1977. The Committee was enlarged and, save for the chairman, the membership was entirely new. Since, however, the Committee which functioned in 1976-77 had already covered much of the necessary ground, the new Committee, while making a number of fresh contacts, was able to concentrate primarily on what appeared to be the most promising leads. In the course of the two years during which the search was conducted approximately a dozen persons applied or were approached, but, significantly, in both 1977 and 1978 the quest was ultimately narrowed to a choice between the same two candidates.

Given the organizational structures within which theological education is offered at McGill, it was recognized from the outset that in seeking a new Principal the Presbyterian College was requesting the General Assembly to make a type of appointment which may well be without precedent in our Church. The normal procedure has been to appoint the incumbent of a professorial chair to the office of Principal, or possibly to make the two appointments concurrently. Our search, however, has not been for some one who would occupy a professorial post in the conventional sense but who would rather be linked in some manner with three separate though closely related institutions — the Presbyterian College, the McGill University Faculty of Religious Studies where our students receive at least two years of academic education, and the Montreal Institute for Ministry where final year students receive their professional or 'in-ministry' training.

In both 1977 and 1978 the Search Committees were agreed that of the persons who might be available within our Canadian Presbyterian constituency to fill this triple role the most suitable was the Reverend William J. Klempa, M.A., B.D., Ph.D. The following is a verbatim extract from the report of the Search Committee presented to the meeting of the College Senate held on May 24th, 1977: "While recognizing that all of the candidates had gifts which might commend them in one area or another, it was the unanimous judgment of the Committee that for a variety of reasons our first choice was Dr. William Klempa. His acknowledged theological competence, his pastoral experience, his involvement in continuing education and

workshops in preaching, all combined to make him an attractive prospect. This assessment was reinforced by our interview with him in which he made a distinctly favourable impression and revealed a keen sensitivity to the issues of theological education in the contemporary world. We believed that his presence here would enhance our stature on the McGill campus, that he was highly respected throughout the Church, and that his appointment to the Principalship would meet with general approbation."

Regrettably, the indeterminate state of affairs in the province of Quebec at this juncture compelled Dr. Klempa to withdraw his name. That widely publicized piece of legislation known as Bill 101 was currently being debated in the Quebec National Assembly, but it had not yet been enacted into law and doubt remained concerning the final form of those sections of the Bill pertaining to elementary and secondary education. While Dr. Klempa has stated repeatedly that he would be pleased if he and the members of his family could become proficient in the French language, yet as the responsible parent of three school-age children he did not consider that he could jeopardize their academic future by committing himself to accept an appointment to the Presbyterian College in such a climate of uncertainty, a decision in which the Search Committee reluctantly concurred.

When Dr. Klempa was approached again by the new Search Committee in the fall of 1977 he agreed to allow his name to be reconsidered on condition that the College Senate nominate him for an initial three year appointment which would be renewable by mutual consent and subject to the approval of the General Assembly. The purpose of this stipulation was to take advantage of the provision in Bill 101 which permits persons appointed to positions in Quebec for short terms, not exceeding three years, to enroll their children in the Anglophone school system. This proposal was entirely acceptable to the Search Committee, and two further interviews with Dr. Klempa served to clarify any outstanding issues and to confirm the conviction that he remained our choice for the Principalship. The Search Committee agreed unanimously to make this recommendation to the College Senate, and at a meeting of the Senate held on May 18th, 1978, it was unanimously agreed to nominate the Reverend William J. Klempa to the One Hundred and Fourth General Assembly for an initial three year appointment as Principal of the Presbyterian College, Montreal.

A reading of Dr. Klempa's *curriculum vitae* will by itself go far to explain why he has commended himself so strongly to the College authorities. His previous experience has produced that fusion of scholar and pastor for which the office of Principal calls. The peculiar combination of duties he will be expected to perform is one for which his background has admirably prepared him. In nominating him for the Principalship the College is anticipating an enrichment of its own community and at the same time inviting Dr. Klempa to embark on a new career where his talents can be of even greater benefit to the whole Church.

THE PRESBYTERIAN RECORD COMMITTEE (Supplementary Report)

As part of the effort being made by the Administrative Council to cope with the financial situation within our church, a request was made to The Presbyterian Record Committee to consider the possibility of taking steps toward having the magazine support itself on its own revenue.

Our advertising revenue is up, but realistically cannot rise much more, given the facts that one person has responsibility for both advertising and circulation, and that the magazine is already severely cramped for space. Our production costs are also rising, and though it may be possible to increase the size of the magazine under the present budget by changing the quality of some of the paper used, substantial savings cannot be made through cutting production costs without having, as a

result, a much inferior publication. The only avenue open in the quest for self-support would then be the raising of the subscription rates. Even with the increase approved last year by the 103rd General Assembly, the subscription rates for both individual and group subscriptions remain low indeed when compared with similar publications. Accordingly, if the subsidy received from the church is to be eradicated, (a subsidy of \$71,455.00 for 1978), the magazine would have to increase the yearly cost to subscribers by at least \$1.50, bringing the rates to \$5.00 for an individual subscription and \$3.50 for those on the Every Home Plan.

It should be emphasized that there is absolutely no certainty that such an increase would produce the desired effect because there is no certain way of knowing how such an increase would affect the overall total subscriptions. How many individuals and congregations would there be who would find such an increase prohibitive?

The Record Committee, to show its good faith and willingness to do its part in facing the financial situation have, by duly authorized procedure, made the following motion for consideration by the 104th General Assembly.

"That subscription rates for The Presbyterian Record be raised gradually in order not only to keep pace with rising costs, but eventually to meet the goal of becoming self-supporting." They also approved an increase in advertising rates of 15%.

This entire matter of becoming self-supporting financially came to The Record Committee too late to allow for study, proposals, and inclusion of the proposals in the stitched minutes, so we leave this matter to be tested by the 104th General Assembly by a recommendation from the floor, if it is deemed to be of sufficient import to receive this consideration.

One other question might be raised. Could money be saved by publishing fewer issues? The answer is yes, but not a significant amount. The losses in advertising revenue and in the advertisers' confidence in the magazine's market would counter-balance most of the saving effected.

One other consideration should be made. If the magazine is asked to seek self-support financially, it would only be fair that any profit accruing to the magazine be disposed of by the magazine under the guidance of The Presbyterian Record Committee who are, of course, responsible to the General Assembly.

This is not to imply that The Presbyterian Record would become independent of the church in any way, (such a move would be self-destructive), but rather that if the difficult task of self-support is successfully completed, the rewards of the effort be used to make the magazine even better so that it can hold and maintain its readership.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM FAIRLEY
Chairman

STATISTICAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT

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To the Venerable the 104th General Assembly:

In presenting the Statistical and Financial Report for the year ended December 31st, 1977, the Clerks of Assembly beg leave to draw attention to certain features of the report and cognate matters.

MEMBERSHIP

Received by profession of faith, 4064, or increase of 333 from 1976; received by certificate and otherwise, 5379 or an increase of 543 from 1976; removed by certificate, 3033, or decrease of 118 from 1976; removed by death or otherwise, 7095 or a decrease of 182 from 1976; total number of communicants as of December, 1977, 168,502, a decrease of 943 from 1976.

HOUSEHOLDS

The total number of Households reported 114,938, a decrease of 2801 as compared with 1976.

ELDERS

The total number of Elders reported is 12,450, an increase of 208 as compared with 1976.

MINISTERS

The total number of Ministers reported 945, an increase of 16 as compared with 1976.

BAPTISMS

The total number of baptisms reported is 5,218, or a decrease of 28 as compared with 1976.

PASTORAL CHARGES

Self-Supporting charges 559, an increase of 26; Aid-Receiving charges 166, a decrease of 34; number of congregations 1067, a decrease of 1.

SUMMARY OF FINANCES

| | | |
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| Amount raised by congregations for stipends..... | | \$ 7,271,145 |
| Increase over 1976..... | \$ 934,216 | |
| Amount raised for all congregational purposes... | | 24,252,300 |
| Increase over 1976..... | 2,212,817 | |
| Amount raised by W.M.S. (E.D. and W.D.)..... | | 586,143 |
| Increase over 1976..... | 509 | |
| Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes | | 914,823 |
| Decrease | 124,377 | |
| Amount raised by congregations for all purposes | | 28,523,833 |
| Increase over 1976..... | 2,417,351 | |
| Amount received by the Treasurer's office for General Assembly's Budget..... | | 2,976,495 |
| Increase over 1976..... | 182,409 | |

INDEBTEDNESS

Loan and Mortgage

| Synod | Church | Manse | Other | Total |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Atlantic Provinces | \$ 478,600.54 | \$ 90,063.73 | \$ 121,497.86 | \$ 690,162.13 |
| Quebec and Eastern Ontario | 526,527.87 | 66,571.25 | 116,183.22 | 709,282.34 |
| Toronto and Kingston | 1,775,158.79 | 666,004.26 | 293,700.13 | 2,734,863.18 |
| Hamilton and London | 632,714.88 | 164,739.81 | 90,852.50 | 888,307.19 |
| Manitoba and North Western Ontario | 125,994.34 | 47,636.19 | 9,320.22 | 182,950.75 |
| Saskatchewan | 64,212.73 | 33,653.60 | 34,264.00 | 132,130.33 |
| Alberta | 198,183.25 | 93,238.39 | 24,940.00 | 316,361.64 |
| British Columbia | 427,764.06 | 199,970.59 | 102,658.73 | 730,393.38 |
| | <u>\$4,229,156.46</u> | <u>\$1,361,877.82</u> | <u>\$ 793,416.66</u> | <u>\$6,384,450.94</u> |

All of which is respectfully submitted.

D.C. MacDONALD, E.H. BEAN, D.B. LOWRY,
Clerks of Assembly.

STATISTICAL AND

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-------------------|---|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 | Baddeck, Knox | Ian G. MacLeod, B.A., B.D. | John P. Kaiser | R.R. 2, Baddeck BOE 180. |
| 2 | St. Ann's, Ephraim Scott Mem. | Supplied from Glace Bay | D. N. Matheson | R.R. 2, Baddeck BOE 180 |
| 3 | Boularderie, St. James & Knox | Murdock J. MacRae, B.A., B.D. | Robert M. Johnson | Birch Grove BOA 1A0 |
| 4 | Cape North, First Neil's Harbour, St. Peter's | Summer Student | Dan M. Patterson | R.R. 1, Bras d'Or BOC 180 |
| 5 | Glace Bay, St. Paul's | Angus MacKinnon, M.A. | Malcolm A. MacLeod* | R.R. 1, Englishtown BOC 1H0 |
| 6 | Grand River | D. T. Stiel, B.A., B.D., D.r.s. | Malcolm A. MacLeod | R.R. 1, Englishtown BOC 1H0 |
| 7 | Framboise, St. Andrew's | Alexander MacDonald, B.A., B.D. | Duncan MacRae | 15 York St. B1A 2M2 |
| 8 | Loch Lomond, Calvin | H. L. McCall | Norman Bartholomew | Box 13, Grand River BOE 1M0 |
| 9 | Whycocomag, St. Andrew's | Lee M. MacNaughton, B.A. | Dan N. MacLeod | Framboise BOE 1K0 |
| 10 | Marion Bridge, St. Columba | H. L. McCall | Dan Alex Morrison | R.R. 1, East Bay BOA 1H0 |
| 11 | Middle River, Farquharson Mem. | Donald E. MacLeod, B.Th. | Donald F. Ross | Little Narrows BOE 1T0 |
| 12 | Lake Ainslie | Murdock J. MacRae, B.A., B.D. | Malcolm MacLean | Box 44, Whycocomag BOE 3M0 |
| 13 | Kenloch | John P. Vaudry, B.A., S.T.M. | D. H. MacCuish | Box 38, Marion Bridge BOA 1P0 |
| 14 | Mira Ferry, Union | E. H. Bean, B.A., B.Th., B.D., D.D. | Malcolm MacKenzie | R.R. 3, Baddeck BOE 180 |
| 15 | Catalone, St. James | Neil J. McLean, B.A., B.D. | Archie Campbell | R.R. 1, Whycocomag BOE 3M0 |
| 16 | Louisbourg, Zion | T. Walter Brett, B.A. | D. F. MacKinnon | R.R. 3, Inverness BOE 1N0 |
| 17 | North River, North Shore | Charles H. Foote, B.A., B.Ed. | E. G. Wiesner | R.R. 2, Marion Bridge BOA 1P0 |
| 18 | Englishtown | Charles A. MacDonald | Gerald W. Pond | R.R. 1, Louisbourg BOA 1M0 |
| 19 | North Sydney, St. Giles | A. D. MacKinnon, B.A., D.D. | D. G. Cameron | Box 35, Louisbourg BOA 1M0 |
| 20 | Orangedale | 1230 Amsterdam Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10027 | Archibald D. Carmichael | North River Bridge BOE 2J0 |
| 21 | Malagawatch, Fulton | Baddeck, N.S. BOE 180 | Carl Jardine | R.R. 2, North Sydney B2A 3L8 |
| 22 | River Denys | Glace Bay, N.S. | John D. MacCalder | Orangedale BOE 2K0 |
| 23 | Sydney, Bethel | Bras d'Or, N.S. BOC 180 | Harold D. MacIver | R.R. 2, River Denys BOE 2Y0 |
| 24 | Sydney Mines, St. Andrew's | Sydney Mines, N.S. | Donald G. MacPhail | R.R. 1, River Denys BOE 2Y0 |
| 25 | Retired | | James F. MacKinnon | 203 Cartier St. B1P 4A7 |
| 26 | Retired | | D. Wesley Stewart | 28 Atlantic Ave. B1V 1Y6 |
| 27 | Retired | | | |
| 28 | Retired | | | |
| 29 | Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 30 | Miss Georgine Caldwell | | | |
| 31 | Non-Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 32 | Mrs. A. J. Carmichael | | | |
| 33 | Mrs. Archie MacAulay | | | |
| 34 | Miss Anna MacDonald | | | |
| 35 | Mrs. Elizabeth J. MacDonald | | | |
| 36 | Mrs. Fraser Matheson | | | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | |
| Increase | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 9 | Total on Roll | 11 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 | Ministers on Appendix | 4 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 15 |

P.O. Box 184, Baddeck, N.S. BOE 180. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 902-295-2857. February 21, 1978

* Assessor Elder
** Last year's Figures

FINANCIAL RETURNS

I. PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mans (M) or Rented House (R. H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|----|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | 47 | 98 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 134 | M | 8372 | 13048 | 15071 | 17078 | 3459 | 269 | 448 | 21254 | 3459 | 1 |
| 8 | 6 | 22 | | | | | | 40 | | 4194 | 7294 | 16323 | 12309 | 1406 | 298 | 285 | 14298 | 1406 | |
| 5 | 19 | 25 | 1 | | | | | 33 | | 2100 | 3827 | 4827 | 4980 | 200 | 182 | 45 | 5407 | 200 | 2 |
| 22 | 44 | 140 | 1 | 4 | 2 | | 141 | M | 7507 | 17627 | 23297 | 17567 | 3980 | 1068 | 1190 | 23835 | 3981 | 3 | |
| 2 | | 12 | | | | | | 7 | M | 952 | 2494 | 2494 | 1484 | | | | 1464 | | 4 |
| 18 | 41 | 17 | | | | | | 8 | | 743 | 1289 | 3029 | 2504 | | | | 2504 | | 5 |
| 10 | 35 | 44 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 270 | M | 12908 | 35577 | 36402 | 37241 | 5635 | 1072 | 472 | 44420 | 5635 | 5 |
| 6 | | 33 | | | | | | 76 | M | 6364 | 8920 | 8920 | 8197 | 88 | | | 8285 | 303 | 6 |
| **8 | | 25 | | | | | | 36 | | 3200 | 6015 | 6015 | 6622 | 119 | 222 | | 6963 | 650 | |
| 10 | 29 | 67 | 5 | | 1 | | 5 | 90 | M | 6198 | 8253 | 8253 | 15444 | 1100 | 848 | | 17392 | 1100 | 7 |
| 10 | 36 | 63 | 2 | | | | 12 | 75 | | 6198 | 8473 | 13495 | 14881 | 725 | 334 | 76 | 16015 | 725 | 8 |
| 5 | 30 | 54 | 7 | | | | | 85 | M | 4884 | 8170 | 8170 | 9376 | 995 | 251 | 50 | 10672 | 995 | 8 |
| 6 | 50 | 56 | 3 | 1 | | | 1 | 89 | M | 5452 | 8264 | 10714 | 10613 | 700 | 444 | 65 | 11822 | 400 | 9 |
| 7 | 8 | 23 | 1 | | | | 2 | 30 | | 2838 | 3376 | 5287 | 4999 | 651 | 320 | | 5970 | 651 | 10 |
| 6 | 13 | 11 | 1 | 1 | | | | 35 | | 1306 | 1317 | 1317 | 1492 | 60 | | 5 | 1557 | 110 | |
| 6 | 31 | 54 | 1 | 4 | 2 | | | 66 | | 3620 | 9332 | 11859 | 12835 | 1155 | 389 | 501 | 14879 | 1150 | 11 |
| 3 | 7 | 9 | 1 | 1 | | | | 10 | | 1254 | 3433 | 2433 | 3647 | 34 | | | 3681 | 75 | |
| 3 | 15 | 25 | 1 | | | | | 24 | | 2576 | 3740 | 3740 | 4817 | 59 | 44 | 109 | 5028 | 150 | |
| 13 | 149 | 149 | 4 | 9 | 3 | | 3 | 202 | M | 11675 | 22392 | 22392 | 28685 | 2608 | 1528 | 830 | 33650 | 2043 | 11 |
| 15 | 44 | 79 | 6 | | 3 | | 11 | 120 | | 4805 | 16159 | 25013 | 19149 | 1551 | 341 | 536 | 21577 | 1551 | 12 |
| 3 | 12 | 15 | 1 | | | | 4 | 37 | M | 1484 | 2062 | 2062 | 2869 | 352 | 219 | | 3440 | 764 | 13 |
| 2 | 10 | 17 | | | | | 1 | 18 | | 500 | 2178 | 2178 | 2091 | 24 | | | 2140 | 75 | |
| 7 | 44 | 26 | 2 | | | | 1 | 46 | | 1250 | 4411 | 11559 | 11292 | 588 | 375 | 1474 | 13729 | 588 | |
| 36 | 220 | 660 | 35 | 6 | 13 | | 37 | 619 | M | 15316 | 79881 | 79881 | 84393 | 12614 | 1892 | 6979 | 105878 | 12614 | 14 |
| 16 | 65 | 179 | 5 | 10 | | | 7 | 285 | M | 12732 | 32263 | 32263 | 42064 | 4400 | 790 | 40 | 47294 | 3000 | 15 |
| 235 | 955 | 2170 | 88 | 53 | 28 | 21 | 96 | 2640 | 12 | 128603 | 309541 | 357830 | 379297 | 42503 | 10886 | 13130 | 445812 | 41800 | |
| 224 | 1072 | 2215 | 106 | 97 | 91 | 24 | 57 | 2675 | 11 | 108242 | 267207 | 305466 | 330744 | 39525 | 10930 | 11129 | 392328 | 40519 | |
| 11 | | | | | | | 39 | | 1 | 20361 | | 52364 | 48553 | 2978 | | 2001 | 53484 | 1281 | |
| | 117 | 45 | 18 | 44 | 63 | 3 | 35 | | | 42334 | | | | 44 | | | | | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 12 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 15 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 18 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 8 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 26 |

IAN G. MACLEOD, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|---|--|---------------------|--|
| 1 | Grand Falls, St. Mathew's | David W. K. Sutherland B.Comm., M.Div. | Thomas Arkie | 56 Carmelite Road, Grand Falls, Nfld. AZA 1Y8 |
| 2 | St. John's | Inactive | | |
| 3 | St. Aidan's | Inactive | | |
| 4 | St. Andrew's | Ian S. Wishart, C.D., B.A., B.D., M.Th. J.S.S. Armour, B.A., B.D., S.T.M. | Cyril W. Barnes | 19 Simms St., St. John's A1B 2A1 |
| 5 | St. David's | David A. Renwick, B.Sc., M.Div. | Harold M. Aspinall | P.O. Box 369, Wabush, Labrador A0R 1B0 |
| 5 | Wabush, Christ Church | | | |
| 1 | Others on Roll Associate Professor, Department of Religious Studies, Memorial University of Newfoundland | R. Sheldon MacKenzie, B.A., B.D., Ph.D. | | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| In S.S. Charges | 2 | Total on Roll | 5 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 | Ministers on Appendix | 0 |
| Others on Roll | 1 | Grand Total of Ministers | 5 |

17 Church Rd., Grand Falls, Nfld., AZA 1Z4. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 709-489-9529. February 23, 1978

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address |
|-----|--------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1 | Barney's River | J. Kenneth MacLeod, B.A., B.D. | A. Donald Bannerman | Barney's River Station BOK 1A0 |
| | French River | | Arthur McCulloch | R.R. 3, Merigomish BOK 1G0 |
| | Marshy Hope | | Under Barney's River Session | |
| | Merigomish, St. Paul's | | Rod Murchison | Box 13, Merigomish BOK 1G0 |
| 2 | Blue Mountain, Knox | Vacant | Archie MacIntosh | R.R. 5, New Glasgow B2H 5C8 |
| | East River St. Mary's, Zion | | Henry M. Cameron | R.R. 5, New Glasgow B2H 5C8 |
| | Garden of Eden, Blair | | John J. Wood | R.R. 5, New Glasgow B2H 5C8 |
| 3 | East River Pastoral Charge: | | | |
| | Caledonia, Bethel | Edgar F. Dewar, B.A. | Alvin Cameron | R.R. 1, Aspen B0H 1E0 |
| | Lower Caledonia, John Campbell | | Under Caledonia Session | |
| | St. Paul's | | A. D. MacDonald | R.R. 2, New Glasgow B2H 5C5 |
| | Springville | | A. D. MacDonald | R.R. 2, New Glasgow B2H 5C5 |
| | Sunnybrae, Calvin | | A. D. MacDonald | R.R. 2, New Glasgow B2H 5C5 |
| 4 | Hopewell, First | Vacant | David H. MacLean | Hopewell BOK 1C0 |
| | Eureka, Zion | | John A. McLean | R.R. 1, Eureka BOK 1B0 |
| | Gairloch, St. Andrew's | | Currie Nelson | R.R. 2, Westville BOK 2A0 |
| | Rocklin, Middle River | | Mrs. David Gordon | R.R. 2, Westville BOK 2A0 |
| 5 | Little Harbour | S. Lindsay McIntyre, B.A. | George Murray | R.R. 1, Trenton BOK 1X0 |
| | Pictou Landing, Bethel | | William G. MacPherson | R.R. 2, Trenton BOK 1X0 |
| 6 | MacLennan's Mtn., St. John's | Supply | W. Douglas Fraser | R.R. 4, New Glasgow B2H 5C7 |
| 7 | New Glasgow, First | Robert W. Crockett, B.A., B.D. | Mervyn L. MacKay | 46 Warren St., N.G. B2H 1P2 |
| 8 | New Glasgow, St. Andrew's | J. Bruce Robertson, B.A., B.Comm., B.D., S.T.M. | Roy Kellock | Box 65, N.G. B2H 5E3 |
| 9 | New Glasgow, Westminster | J. Donald Mackay, B.A. | Walter A. MacDonald | 200 Abercrombie Rd., N.G. B2H 1K8 |
| 10 | Pictou, First | Vacant | Johnson W. Sellers | Box 364, Pictou BOK 1H0 |
| 11 | Pictou, St. Andrew's | Waldon B. Moase | Earle MacQ. Cameron | Box 483, High St., Pictou BOK 1H0 |
| 12 | Pictou Island, Sutherland Mem. | Summer Student | Carl MacCallum | 26 Prince Albert St., Pictou BOK 1H0 |

2. PRESBYTERY OF NEWFOUNDLAND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments, \$. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manus (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|---|------------|----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|---|-------------------------|--|---|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 20 | 42 | 3 | | 4 | | | 80 | M | 2614 | 7280 | 9856 | 7868 | 569 | 81 | 40 | 8559 | | 1 |
| 32 | 117 | 265 | 14 | 8 | 2 | | | 401 | M | 17464 | 70876 | 75951 | 78312 | 7500 | 800 | 3691 | 90303 | | 2 |
| 20 | 154 | 217 | 15 | | 13 | 7 | 4 | 283 | M | 14833 | 40433 | 63388 | 69932 | 4427 | 793 | 1744 | 76896 | 4427 | 4 |
| 5 | 53 | 35 | 3 | | | | | 24 | RA | 1500 | 4809 | 4809 | 9779 | 496 | | 94 | 10369 | | 5 |
| 62 | 344 | 559 | 35 | 8 | 19 | 7 | 5 | 788 | M | 36411 | 123398 | 154004 | 165891 | 12992 | 1674 | 5589 | 186127 | 4427 | 1 |
| 58 | 325 | 606 | 33 | 21 | 28 | 15 | 11 | 773 | M | 33835 | 91334 | 132727 | 135844 | 12038 | 1637 | 5660 | 155180 | 11322 | 2 |
| 4 | 19 | | 2 | | | | | 15 | | 2576 | 32064 | 21277 | 30047 | 954 | 37 | 91 | 30947 | 6895 | 4 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 2 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 4 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Number of Congregations in them | 2 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 2 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 4 |

DAVID W. K. SUTHERLAND, Clerk of Presbytery

3. PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU

| No. | Pastoral Charge | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
|-----|-----------------|----------|-------|--------------|-----|----|----|-----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|-------|------|----|
| 7 | | | | | 73 | | 4 | | 148 | M | 3617 | 8698 | 10576 | 8697 | 1800 | 1272 | 125 | 11894 | 1800 | 1 |
| 3 | | | | | 23 | 4 | 1 | 28 | | | 700 | 1486 | 1931 | 3274 | 257 | | 33 | 3564 | 257 | |
| 9 | | | | | 56 | 8 | 2 | 131 | | | 3616 | 8963 | 10298 | 13697 | 2385 | 297 | | 16379 | 2385 | |
| 5 | | | | | 38 | 3 | 5 | 67 | M | 4258 | 6578 | 6578 | 7523 | 1173 | 318 | | 257 | 9271 | 1173 | 2 |
| 4 | | | | | 33 | 6 | 1 | 61 | | | 3513 | 8021 | 8021 | 8958 | 1084 | 913 | 575 | 11530 | 1585 | |
| 4 | | | | | 26 | 6 | | 35 | | | 2441 | 3932 | 3932 | 6052 | 458 | 244 | | 6755 | 458 | |
| 4 | | | | | 26 | 2 | | 35 | M | 1803 | 2345 | 2345 | 2616 | 300 | | 25 | 2941 | 300 | 3 | |
| 3 | | | | | 25 | | | 31 | | | 3005 | 4004 | 4004 | 4574 | 411 | 275 | 21 | 5281 | 403 | |
| 5 | | | | | 63 | 6 | | 60 | | | 4807 | 6806 | 10101 | 7610 | 905 | 218 | 70 | 8803 | 902 | |
| 3 | | | | | 44 | 3 | | 30 | | | 2404 | 3403 | 3403 | 3817 | 557 | 266 | 48 | 4688 | 557 | |
| 7 | | | | | 24 | 8 | | 133 | M | 6186 | 11282 | 12378 | 15263 | 1913 | 434 | | | 17610 | 1913 | 4 |
| 5 | | | | | 1 | 1 | | 58 | | | 2690 | 4834 | 4834 | 5474 | 663 | 396 | | 6533 | 1058 | |
| 4 | | | | | 20 | 1 | | 40 | | | 1890 | 2875 | 2875 | 2845 | 400 | 326 | 50 | 3421 | 400 | |
| 3 | | | | | 38 | 8 | | 80 | | | 2875 | 4429 | 4429 | 7777 | 695 | 505 | | 8977 | 693 | |
| 8 | | | | | 38 | 2 | 11 | 131 | RH | | 6289 | 22881 | 18679 | 1500 | 521 | | | 20700 | 1500 | 5 |
| 3 | | | | | 64 | 64 | 2 | 1 | | | 6643 | 8426 | 10724 | 1800 | 305 | | | 12829 | 2361 | |
| 7 | | | | | 22 | 1 | 2 | 51 | | | 3448 | 6898 | 6898 | 7872 | 668 | 202 | 70 | 8812 | 668 | |
| 28 | | | | | 97 | 11 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 436 | 11290 | 38683 | 38683 | 40683 | 6806 | 1190 | 1097 | 49776 | 6806 | 7 |
| 33 | | | | | 182 | 12 | 12 | 8 | 4 | 58 | 13000 | 41387 | 49111 | 52202 | 9119 | 2534 | 1726 | 65581 | 9119 | 8 |
| 15 | | | | | 64 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 195 | 11290 | 37131 | 62716 | 37261 | 2265 | 430 | 150 | 48106 | 2265 | 9 |
| 11 | | | | | 62 | 10 | 3 | 8 | 4 | 22 | 11290 | 26821 | 33621 | 24430 | 2949 | | | 27379 | 2949 | 10 |
| 14 | | | | | 90 | 16 | 14 | 9 | 2 | 18 | 11000 | 24763 | 26639 | 29219 | 4543 | 275 | 360 | 34397 | 4543 | 11 |
| 1 | | | | | 12 | 1 | | 12 | | | 280 | 280 | 280 | 500 | | | | 500 | | 12 |

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----------------------------|---|---|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 13 | River John, St. George's Brule Middleton | John A. Fraser, B.A., B.Th. | Henry Forward | River John BOK 1N0 |
| 14 | Scotsburn, Bethel | Paul A. Brown, A.B., M.Div. | James W. Fraser | R.R. 4, River John BOK 1N0 |
| 15 | Sherbrooke, St. James Glenelg Goldenville | Glenn S. MacDonald, B.A., B.Th. | Mrs. Gladys MacDonald | Box 355, Scotsburn BOK 1R0 |
| 16 | Springhill, St. David's Oxford, St. James Riverview, St. Andrew's | Alex R. Joshua, B.A., M.Div. | John R. Kerr | Box 19, R.R. 5, Tatamagouche BOK 1V0 |
| 17 | Stellarton, First | D. Neil McCombie, B.A. | Gordon Hillier | R.R. 1, Scotsburn BOK 1R0 |
| 18 | Tatamagouche, Sedgewick Mem. Pugwash, St. John's The Falls, St. Andrew's Wallace, St. Matthew's | Vacant | Kenneth Matheson | Box 28, Sherbrooke BOK 3C0 |
| 19 | Thorburn, Union | John A. Finlayson, B.A., B.Th. | John H. Swallow | R.R. 5, New Glasgow B2H 5C8 |
| 20 | West River Pastoral Charge: Durham, West River Green Hill, Salem Salt Springs, St. Luke's | John L. Ashibald, B.A., M.Div. | Gilbert A. Fraser | R.R. 2, Moser's River BOK 2K0 |
| 21 | West River Station, Bethel | Summer Student | J. Stanley Graham† | Sprout St., Springhill BOK 1X0 |
| 22 | Westville, St. Andrew's | William D. Penny, B.A., M.Div. | Charles H. MacDonald | Box 382, Oxford BOK 1P0 |
| 1 Retired | Others on Roll | Frederick Pauley, B.Th., M.Th., D.D. | Daniel C. Thompson | Box 382, Oxford BOK 1P0 |
| 1 Appendix to Roll | | | | MacKay St., Stellarton BOK 1S0 |
| 2 | | Fraser Dunbar, B.A. | | Box 39, Tatamagouche BOK 1V0 |
| 3 Retired | | Howard Grace | | R.R. 4, Pugwash, N.S. BOK 1L0 |
| 4 Missionary | | Donald B. Mackay, C.D., B.A., Th.B., D.D. | | R.R. 5, Tatamagouche BOK 1V0 |
| Social Work | | Donald W. MacKay, B.A., B.D., M.S.Th. | | Box 216, Wallace BOK 1Y0 |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | George R. Tannahill, B.A., B.D. | | R.R. 4, New Glasgow B2H 5C7 |
| 1 Mrs. James Cunningham | | | | R.R. 1, Thorburn BOK 1W0 |
| 2 Miss Catherine MacFarlane | | | | R.R. 3, Scotsburn BOK 1R0 |
| 3 Miss Estelle MacKenzie | | | | R.R. 3, Scotsburn BOK 1R0 |
| | | | | R.R. 1, Salt Springs BOK 1P0 |
| | | | | West River Station BOK 1Z0 |
| | | | | Queen St., Westville BOK 2A0 |
| | | | | R.R. 5, New Glasgow, N.S. B2H 5C8 |
| | | | | Moser's River, N.S. BOK 2K0 |
| | | | | Box 172, Pictou, N.S. BOK 1H0 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 14 | Total on Roll | 16 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 | Ministers on Appendix | 5 |
| Others on Roll | 1 | Grand Total of Ministers | 21 |

139 Almont Ave., New Glasgow, N.S. B2H 3G8. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 902-752-1755. February 25, 1978

*Last Year's Figures
**1975 Figures
† Not Session Clerk

3. PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | Nr. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 11 | 52 | 123 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 126 | M | 5895 | 12630 | 14290 | 15891 | 926 | 256 | 30 | 17293 | 926 | 13 |
| 4 | 53 | 52 | 7 | 7 | | | | 67 | | 4031 | 5380 | 6300 | 9566 | 861 | 194 | 177 | 10798 | 861 | 14 |
| 8 | 100 | 160 | 7 | | | | | 308 | M | 12202 | 21975 | 21975 | 30565 | 6569 | 1142 | 100 | 38376 | 6537 | 300 |
| 2 | 10 | 22 | | | 1 | | | 34 | | 1344 | 2552 | 2552 | 3469 | 300 | 75 | | 3844 | 300 | 15 |
| 2 | 22 | 32 | 1 | | | | | 27 | | 800 | 1888 | 1888 | 1908 | 184 | 300 | | 2392 | 155 | 15 |
| 10 | 29 | 35 | 1 | 2 | 3 | | | 45 | M | 6272 | 8886 | 11476 | 6328 | 785 | 19 | | 7132 | 550 | 15 |
| 5 | 21 | 26 | 2 | 7 | | | | 63 | | 1615 | 3580 | 4812 | 8330 | 866 | 238 | | 9434 | 866 | 16 |
| 6 | | 18 | | | | | | 33 | | 1344 | 2247 | 2892 | 3276 | 590 | | 45 | 3911 | 590 | 16 |
| 4 | 14 | 112 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 44 | M | 5786 | 10584 | 13563 | 13724 | 1949 | | 95 | 14829 | 1949 | 16 |
| 4 | 26 | 38 | 1 | 1 | | | | 43 | | 5715 | 7727 | 7727 | 9429 | 301 | 90 | | 9620 | 301 | 17 |
| | 11 | 7 | | | | | | 8 | | 752 | 1680 | 1680 | 1083 | 75 | 241 | 27 | 1425 | 75 | 17 |
| 26 | 97 | 320 | 17 | 11 | 6 | 12 | 14 | 509 | M | 12253 | 33019 | 33019 | 31940 | 8864 | | 422 | 41166 | 8864 | 18 |
| 15 | 153 | 140 | 14 | 5 | | | | 31 | M | 9321 | 18112 | 19183 | 22226 | 1331 | 185 | | 23742 | 1331 | 18 |
| 6 | 1 | 22 | 1 | | | | | 22 | | 2274 | 4844 | 4844 | 4385 | 300 | 150 | | 4815 | 300 | 18 |
| 6 | | 30 | 1 | | | | | 49 | | 1380 | 3513 | 3874 | 4125 | 387 | 240 | | 4672 | 387 | 19 |
| 5 | 53 | 45 | 2 | 1 | 10 | | | 80 | | 3885 | 6664 | 6664 | 8653 | 689 | 135 | 23 | 10580 | 689 | 19 |
| 19 | | 263 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 290 | M | 10814 | 21483 | 21483 | 21872 | 4524 | | | 26396 | 4524 | 19 |
| **4 | 21 | 58 | 5 | | | | | 75 | | 2651 | 5447 | 5447 | 5543 | 1351 | 134 | | **929 | 1351 | 20 |
| 6 | 89 | 74 | 5 | 4 | 2 | | | 154 | M | 6120 | 11790 | 32656 | 17026 | 2406 | 343 | 353 | 28128 | 2406 | 20 |
| 1 | 11 | 27 | | | | | | 49 | | 2184 | 4734 | 4734 | 4708 | 766 | | 20 | 5484 | 766 | 21 |
| **4 | 13 | 40 | 9 | | | | | 45 | | 1613 | 3918 | 4316 | 5651 | 365 | | | **6016 | 365 | 21 |
| | 16 | 15 | | | | | | 9 | | | 799 | 799 | 881 | 486 | | | 1297 | 486 | 22 |
| **27 | 175 | 286 | 26 | | | | | 395 | M | 9084 | 21921 | 30637 | 30421 | 2741 | 445 | 1094 | **34705 | 2741 | 22 |
| 362 | 1755 | 3758 | 222 | 94 | 87 | 48 | 248 | 5292 | 19 | 208388 | 473834 | 591801 | 581637 | 79148 | 15108 | 6953 | 682750 | 79148 | 1 |
| 367 | 1968 | 3899 | 210 | 121 | 86 | 65 | 184 | 5405 | 21 | 162710 | 385777 | 471451 | 512766 | 69078 | 15131 | 8736 | 611158 | 69078 | 2 |
| | | | 12 | | 1 | | 62 | | | 45678 | 88057 | 120350 | 68871 | 10070 | 23 | 1783 | 71582 | 10070 | 3 |
| 5 | 213 | 141 | | 27 | | 17 | | 113 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 19 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 22 |

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|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 45 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 6 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 51 |

J. BRUCE ROBERTSON, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|--|--|---|------------------------------|--|
| <i>R. Cruikshank</i> | | | | |
| 1 | Dartmouth, Iona | L. A. Murdoch, B.A., B.D. | J. E. Mason, Sr. | 6 Codroy Ave., Dartmouth, N.S. M2W 3R2 |
| 2 | Dartmouth, St. Andrew's Musquodoboit Harbour | P. A. McDonald, B.A., B.D. | Mrs. S. H. Marshall | 14 Benview Ave., Dartmouth B2Y 1W7 |
| 3 | Dean, Sharon | R. M. Shaw, B.A., B.D. | T. K. Faulkner | Musquodoboit Harbour B0J 2L0 |
| 4 | Elmsdale, St. Matthew's | R. Zinck, B.Th. | Mrs. Doris M. Carroll | R.R. 1, Upper Musquodoboit, N.S. B0N 2M0 |
| Hardwood Lands (3 & 4 shared ministry with U.C.C.) | | | | |
| 5 | Halifax, Calvin | A. O. MacLean, C.D., B.A., D.D. | Ira P. Keyes | Elmsdale, Hants Co., N.S. B0N 1M0 |
| 6 | Halifax, Knox | R. D. MacLean, B.A., B.D. | Bryon G. Colburn | R.R. 1, Elmsdale, Hants Co., N.S. B0N 1M0 |
| 7 | Halifax, Church of St. David's | John Pace, B.A., B.D. | Murray Alary | 9 Stonehaven Rd., Halifax, N.S. B3N 1G5 |
| 8 | Lunenburg, St. Andrew's | D. L. Mawhinney, B.A., B.D. | Clarence Croft | 113 Cavendish St., Cowie Hill, Halifax B3P 2J6 |
| Rose Bay, St. Andrew's | | | | |
| 9 | Lunenburg Co., Dublin Shore | J. H. Hicks, M.A., M.Div. | Ralph W. Kane | 1548 Walnut St., Halifax, N.S. B3H 3S2 |
| Conquerall Mills, St. Matthews | | | | |
| Dublin Shore, Knox (Shared ministry with U.C.C.) | | | | |
| 10 | Sackville, First Sackville | D. Murdo Marple, B.Sc., B.D. | Miss Helen Morash | Box 272, Lunenburg, N.S. B0J 2C0 |
| 11 | Truro, St. James | G. C. MacLeod, M.A. | James Eisenhauer | R.R. 1, Riverport, N.S. B0J 2W0 |
| 12 | Windsor, St. John's | D. Channon, B.A., B.D., M.Sc. | Miss Lillian R. Romkey | West Dublin, N.S. B0R 1C0 |
| Noel Rd., St. James | | | | |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Superintendent of Missions | W.J.O. Isaac | Miss Lillian R. Romkey | West Dublin, N.S. B0R 1C0 |
| 2 | C. F. Chaplain | R.A.B. MacLean, C.D., B.A., B.D., M.R.E. | Miss Lillian R. Romkey | West Dublin, N.S. B0R 1C0 |
| 3 | Retired | A. E. Morrison, D.D. | Miss Lillian R. Romkey | West Dublin, N.S. B0R 1C0 |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Missionary in Japan | R. K. Anderson, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | Barry MacDonald | 59 Sappan Dr., Lower Sackville, N.S. B4C 2E1 |
| 2 | Retired | D. C. MacPherson, B.A., Th.B. | Struan G. Hale | 43 Spruce Dr., Truro, N.S. B2N 4X5 |
| 3 | Teaching | R. G. Russell, M.A., B.Ed. | Albert Cock (Assessor Elder) | 16 Hayward Crt., Truro, N.S. B2N 3C2 |
| 4 | Self-employed | J. C. Silvester, B.A., B.D. | W. H. Graham | Box 436, Windsor, N.S. B0N 2T0 |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| | Mrs. Mary Haynes | 13 Beechwood Terrace | Halifax, N.S. | |
| | Mrs. C. Mason | #602, 3000 Olivet St. | Halifax, N.S. | B3O 2Z7 |
| | Miss June Pratt | 142 Queen St. | Truro, N.S. | B2N 2B5 |
| | David Watt | Box 316, Middleton | N.S. | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | |
| Increase | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 6 | Total on Roll | 12 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 | Ministers on Appendix | 4 |
| Others on Roll | 3 | Grand Total of Ministers | 16 |

4 Pinehill Rd., Dartmouth, N.S. B3A 2E6. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 902-469-4480. February 24, 1978

4. PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX AND LUNENBURG

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|----|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | 97 | 106 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 168 | M | 4400 | 14546 | 21464 | 19616 | 2640 | 94 | 465 | 22815 | 2640 | 1 |
| 14 | 71 | 184 | 13 | 7 | 4 | 9 | 3 | 311 | M | 13340 | 23204 | 97115 | 99686 | 5588 | 434 | 1449 | 107157 | 5588 | 2 |
| 4 | 3 | 25 | 0 | | | | | 30 | | 1600 | 2649 | 6094 | 5227 | 414 | | | 5641 | 414 | 3 |
| 6 | 44 | 81 | 4 | 3 | | 1 | 2 | 83 | | 3164 | 4253 | 4503 | 5749 | 762 | | 75 | 6451 | 700 | 4 |
| 4 | 28 | 1 | 1 | | | 2 | 1 | 47 | M | 2382 | 3398 | 3398 | 3716 | | | | 3561 | 358 | 5 |
| 3 | 21 | 19 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42 | | 1511 | 2090 | 2090 | 2064 | 413 | 175 | | 2652 | 4587 | 6 |
| 16 | 67 | 129 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 177 | M | 15261 | 27974 | 68860 | 73857 | 4537 | | 117 | 78511 | 2500 | 7 |
| 8 | 15 | 66 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 113 | M | 11200 | 17517 | 19517 | 23534 | 2471 | 706 | 378 | 27549 | 13500 | 8 |
| 35 | 61 | 306 | 11 | 1 | 11 | 11 | 8 | 527 | MA | 13000 | 62809 | 71339 | 81930 | 12106 | 1384 | 368 | 95788 | 3731 | 9 |
| 24 | 100 | 275 | 7 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 309 | M | 12330 | 28708 | 42634 | 41773 | 3731 | 375 | | 14853 | 700 | 10 | |
| 8 | 55 | 73 | 3 | | | 5 | 4 | 60 | | 4688 | 9330 | 11262 | 13621 | 700 | 532 | | | | 11 |
| 1 | | 23 | 4 | 1 | | | 1 | 28 | | 635 | 897 | 897 | 1039 | 125 | | | 1164 | 125 | 12 |
| 5 | 33 | 29 | 3 | | | | 1 | 27 | | 2700 | 2965 | 2965 | 3846 | 300 | | 24 | 4170 | 520 | 13 |
| 3 | 10 | 18 | 3 | | | | 1 | 23 | | 1680 | 2785 | 2785 | 4280 | 300 | | 106 | 4686 | 400 | 14 |
| 5 | 50 | 55 | 4 | 5 | 13 | 4 | 60 | MA | 642 | 2529 | 5716 | 10604 | 1237 | 45 | 103 | 11889 | 1237 | 10 | |
| 22 | 90 | 43 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 14 | 295 | MA | 17982 | 33235 | 35808 | 39403 | 10671 | 832 | 70 | 50976 | 9657 | 11 |
| 11 | 30 | 70 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 76 | MA | 2972 | 4488 | 5390 | 5950 | 555 | | 546 | 6505 | 555 | 12 |
| 8 | 24 | 34 | 4 | | | | 46 | | | 12520 | 22174 | 22174 | 26968 | 2022 | 17 | 16 | 30470 | 2022 | 13 |
| | | | | | | | | | | 2000 | 3012 | 3012 | 3516 | 150 | | | 3686 | 150 | 14 |
| | | | | | | | | | | 12500 | | | | | | | | | 15 |
| 189 | 834 | 1564 | 76 | 48 | 57 | 44 | 56 | 2505 | 10 | 124027 | 268572 | 427023 | 466779 | 48223 | 5588 | 3717 | 525305 | 49837 | 16 |
| 185 | 941 | 1801 | 83 | 47 | 83 | 34 | 72 | 2500 | 10 | 86747 | 219926 | 295819 | 352051 | 43075 | 4902 | 4519 | 404187 | 42541 | 17 |
| 4 | | | | 1 | | 10 | | 5 | | 37280 | 48646 | 131104 | 114728 | 6148 | 686 | 800 | 121118 | 7396 | 18 |
| | | 107 | 237 | 7 | | 26 | 16 | | | | | | | | | | | | 19 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 9 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 12 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 16 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 3 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 19 |

P. A. McDONALD, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
|-------------------------------|--|--|--|---|
| Self Supporting | | | | |
| 1 | Frederickton, St. Andrew's | G. C. Brett, B.A., B.D. | A. McF. Limerick, Q.C. | 734 George St., Frederickton E3B 1K5 |
| 2 | Harvey Station, Knox | S. R. Jackson, B.A., M.A. | Ezra Messer | Harvey Station E0H 1H0 |
| 3 | Moncton, St. Andrew's | L. E. Blaikie, B.Th. | George Watling | 39 Dulton St., Moncton E1A 4M5 |
| Saint John City | | | | |
| 4 | St. Columba | G. L. Blackwell, B.A. | L.F.D. Purnell, Q.C. | 98 Main St. W., Saint John E2M 3N3 |
| 5 | St. John and St. Stephen | P. J. Lee, B.Sc., S.T.B. | George McCaughey | Fairvale, King's County E0G 1S0 |
| 6 | St. Matthew's | J. R. Humphreys, B.A. | D. G. O'Brien | 23 Buena Vista Ave., Saint John E2M 2S7 |
| 7 | Woodstock, St. Paul's Kirkland, St. David's | M. A. Caldwell, B.A., M.Div. | Dr. W. M. Mutrie M. A. Caldwell | Box 790, Woodstock E0J 2B0 Box 878, Woodstock E0J 2B0 |
| Aid-Receiving | | | | |
| 1 | Hampton, St. Paul's Barnesville | A. J. Ballard (Catechist) | Charles Wanamaker A. E. Morrison | R.R. 2, Hampton E0G 1Z0 R.R. 3, Hampton E0G 1Z0 |
| 2 | Hanwell, St. James Prince William, Riverside | | F. W. Shaw George Lockhard | R.R. 6, Frederickton E3B 4X7 Prince William E0H 1S0 |
| 3 | Riverview, Bethel | B. C. Lowery, B.A., B.D. | W. S. Sennis | 109 Montgomery Ave., Riverview E1B 1Z1 |
| 4 | Sackville, St. Andrew's Port Elgin, St. James | B. R. Ross, B.D., M.Th., Th.D. | Ralph E. Dykeman Mrs. Earl D. Goodwin | R.R. 1, Sackville E0A 3C0 Box 24, Port Elgin E0A 2K0 |
| 5 | Greenock, St. Andrew's Pennfield, The Kirk | | J. R. Ross F. Hawkins | St. Andrews, N.B. E0C 2X0 Pennfield Ridge, N.B. E0G 2R0 |
| 6 | St. Stephen, St. Stephen's St. George, The Kirk | S.C.H. Cho, B.A., M.Div., M.Th. | Robert Lowery Paul Craig | R.R. 3, St. Stephen E3L 2Y1 R.R. 1, St. Andrew's E0G 2X0 |
| 7 | Stanley, St. Peter's Williamsburg, St. Paul's | K. B. Weeks (Catechist) | Laughlin Plume Neil J. Fullarton | Stanley E0H 1T0 Cross Creek E0H 1E0 |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Assistant Minister | G. E. Sarcen, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 2 | Professor | C.H.H. Scobie, M.A., B.D., S.T.M., Ph.D. | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Professor | H. J. Flemming, M.Div. | | |
| 2 | Retired | J. Y. Garrett, Th.D. | | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| | Mrs. T. J. Watson | 181 Wentworth Dr. | Riverview, N.B. 1E8 1Z1 | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 7 | Total on Roll | 12 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 | Ministers on Appendix | 2 |
| Others on Roll | 2 | Grand Total of Ministers | 14 |

1022 Mollins Dr., Saint John E2M 4L8. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 506-672-1287. February 20, 1978

*Last Year's Figures
**1975 Figures

S. PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments U.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Males (M) or Retired House (R H) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|---|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24 | 126 | 273 | 9 | 6 | 12 | | 10 | 317 | MA | 12400 | 43710 | 58806 | 95546 | 7588 | 171 | 371 | 64676 | 7588 | 1 | |
| 19 | 151 | 263 | 16 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 184 | W | 11380 | 22957 | 22957 | 21482 | 2456 | 631 | 1081 | 24579 | 2456 | 3 | |
| 15 | 155 | 297 | 15 | 11 | 5 | 4 | 80 | 378 | W | 16261 | 46591 | 55862 | 52647 | 10603 | 1505 | 1081 | 65786 | 10603 | 3 | |
| 7 | 36 | 69 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 2 | | 137 | W | 8010 | 21967 | 26266 | 25257 | 4058 | 543 | 367 | 30288 | 4058 | 4 | |
| 22 | 74 | 189 | 6 | 6 | 5 | | 25 | 298 | MA | 8380 | 64071 | 70363 | 58526 | 3768 | 570 | 521 | 63786 | 3768 | 6 | |
| 6 | 20 | 86 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 52 | 180 | RH | 11280 | 15480 | 24312 | 20894 | 1331 | 443 | 290 | 23018 | 1331 | 6 | |
| 6 | 73 | 125 | 4 | 10 | 11 | 3 | 7 | 153 | W | 9873 | 19868 | 24779 | 30895 | 2778 | 346 | 4227 | 37446 | 2778 | 7 | |
| 3 | | 10 | | | | | | 20 | | 500 | 666 | 666 | 1201 | 125 | | | 1326 | | 125 | |
| 3 | 29 | 41 | 2 | | 2 | | | 38 | W | 2509 | 2976 | 11263 | 11629 | 794 | 548 | 183 | 13164 | 794 | 1 | |
| 3 | | 14 | | | | | | 28 | | 1175 | 1547 | 1847 | 4714 | 185 | 50 | 33 | 4862 | 185 | 2 | |
| 2 | 40 | 15 | 3 | 1 | 1 | | | 23 | | 350 | 580 | 1129 | 1227 | 430 | 132 | | 1788 | 430 | 2 | |
| 1 | | 10 | | | | | | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | 138 | 94 | 4 | | 2 | | | 138 | W | 6688 | 16210 | 18857 | 21581 | 2842 | 155 | 574 | 25152 | 2842 | 3 | |
| 4 | 25 | 41 | 1 | | 2 | 1 | | 71 | W | 3346 | 10286 | 10820 | 10585 | 1517 | 612 | 257 | 12971 | 1517 | 4 | |
| 3 | 26 | 74 | | | 23 | 1 | 2 | 81 | W | 3570 | 8343 | 8343 | 10070 | 1410 | 241 | 112 | 11833 | 1410 | 5 | |
| **9 | 6 | 66 | | | | | | 96 | W | 4080 | 11946 | 54279 | 17208 | | 410 | | 1469 | | 6 | |
| **7 | 6 | 18 | | | | | | 17 | W | 500 | 843 | 1343 | 1489 | | | | 1489 | | 6 | |
| 5 | 18 | 23 | 1 | | | | | 19 | W | 4088 | 12510 | 16754 | 14053 | 512 | | | 14895 | 512 | 7 | |
| 6 | 35 | 38 | 2 | | | | | 62 | W | 2853 | 1827 | 4680 | 5295 | 295 | | | 5500 | 295 | 7 | |
| 5 | 24 | 21 | 2 | | | | | 46 | W | 3507 | 5484 | 5484 | 6758 | 1182 | 327 | 321 | 8589 | 1182 | 7 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 1754 | 3022 | 3422 | 4089 | 354 | | | 4602 | 354 | 1 | |
| 164 | 994 | 1669 | 80 | 46 | 78 | 15 | 158 | 2317 | 13 | 114106 | 309942 | 422932 | 376267 | 42288 | 6684 | 6889 | 435217 | 42288 | 1 | |
| 156 | 1017 | 1609 | 75 | 64 | 49 | 36 | 90 | 2272 | 13 | 96784 | 268876 | 452959 | 344850 | 37301 | 5711 | 9517 | 396999 | 37301 | 2 | |
| 8 | | 60 | 5 | | 29 | | 69 | 45 | | 17322 | 41066 | | 31417 | 4987 | 873 | | 38218 | 4987 | 1 | |
| | | | | | 18 | | 21 | | | | | 30027 | | | | 628 | | | | 1 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self Supporting Charges | 7 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 7 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 14 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 8 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 14 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 22 |

GORDON L. BLACKWELL, Clerk of Presbytery

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|----------------------------------|---|-------------------|--|
| 1 | Bass River, St. Mark's | Archie Murray (Catechist) | Harry Barnes | R.R. 1, Bass River, N.B. E0A 1C0 |
| | Beersville, St. James | | James Cail | R.R. 1, Harcourt, N.B. E0A 1T0 |
| | Clairville, St. Andrew's | | Alfred Fillmore | R.R. 2, Harcourt, N.B. E0A 1T0 |
| | Rexton, St. Ninian's | | Assessor, elder | |
| | West Branch, Zion | | Fred Wilson | R.R. 2, Rexton, N.B. E0A 2L0 |
| 2 | Bathurst, St. Luke's | Everett R. Hawkes, B.A., B.Th. | Eric MacMinn | R.R. 2, Box 493, Bathurst, N.B. |
| 3 | Campbellton, Knox | Murray M. Graham, B.A., B.Th., B.D. | Elroy A. Sare | 17 Central St., Campbellton, N.B. E3N 2A1 |
| 4 | Chatham, Calvin | John Posno | Howard MacKinley | 47 Queen St., Chatham, E1N 2M8 |
| | Black River Bridge, St. Paul's | | Cameron Russell | R.R. 3, Chatham, N.B. E1N 3A3 |
| | Kouchibouguac, Knox | | Alden Little | Kouchibouguac, N.B. E02 2A0 |
| 5 | Dalhousie, St. John's | Murray M. Graham, B.A., B.Th., B.D. | Arthur McNair | Box 1274, Dalhousie, N.B. E0K 1B0 |
| | New Mills, St. Andrew's | | Russell Pettigrew | R.R. 1, Charlo, N.B. E0B 1M0 |
| 6 | New Carlisle, (Que.) Knox | David S. MacLaren (Catechist) | P. S. Smollett | Box 82, R.R. 1, New Carlisle, P.Q. G0C 1Z0 |
| 7 | Newcastle, St. James | Evan A. Bottomley, B.Ed., M.Div. | James Lockerbie | 579 Old King George Hwy., Newcastle |
| | Derby, Ferguson | | John Parks | 265 Sweeney Lane |
| | Millerton, Grace | | Arnold Taylor | R.R. 1, Millerton, N.B. E0C 1R0 |
| 8 | Sunny Corner, St. Stephen's | Vacant | Harry Ford | R.R. 1, Newcastle, N.B. Box 276, E1V 3L8 |
| | Sillikers, Knox | Vacant | Harry Ford | R.R. 1, Newcastle, N.B. Box 276, E1V 3L8 |
| | Warwick, St. Paul's | Vacant | Harry Ford | R.R. 1, Newcastle, N.B. Box 276, E1V 3L8 |
| 9 | Tabusintac, St. John's | Raye Brown | Keith Stymiest | Box 54, Tabusintac, N.B. E0C 2A0 |
| | New Jersey, Zion | Raye Brown | Keith Stymiest | Box 54, Tabusintac, N.B. E0C 2A0 |
| | Oak Point, St. Matthew's | Raye Brown | Keith Stymiest | Box 54, Tabusintac, N.B. E0C 2A0 |
| | Appendix to Roll | | | |
| 1 | Retired | E. F. Molnar, B.A., Th.B., Ph.D., M.Th. | | |
| | | | | Grand Total 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| In S.S. Charges | 5 | Total on Roll | 5 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | - | Ministers on Appendix | 1 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 6 |

550 Princess Drive, Bathurst, N.B. E2A 2R3. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 506-546-9323. March 8, 1978

6. PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Males (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | 10 | 20 | 1 | 5 | | | 2 | 26 | M | 1464 | 1928 | 1928 | 2253 | 107 | | 23 | 2383 | 107 | 1 |
| 4 | 26 | 25 | 3 | 2 | | | 1 | 56 | | 2544 | 4734 | 4734 | 4226 | 450 | | | 4676 | 450 | 2 |
| 2 | | 16 | 1 | 2 | | | | 20 | | 1464 | 2566 | 4446 | 3542 | 220 | | | 3762 | 220 | 3 |
| 2 | | | | | | | | 10 | | 500 | 500 | | 500 | | | | 500 | | 4 |
| 5 | 23 | 40 | 1 | 5 | 2 | | | 63 | M | 2748 | 3775 | 4333 | 5069 | 790 | 270 | 132 | 6261 | 770 | 5 |
| 4 | 30 | 27 | | | | | | 33 | M | 6558 | 12177 | 15122 | 10824 | 195 | 178 | 137 | 11334 | | 6 |
| 3 | 54 | 91 | 3 | 1 | | | | 110 | M | 7198 | 15033 | 18674 | 22974 | 3374 | 560 | 1065 | 27873 | | 7 |
| 6 | 25 | 50 | | 4 | 4 | | | 86 | M | 6418 | 11243 | 11243 | 18150 | 1629 | 575 | 313 | 20666 | | 8 |
| 6 | 6 | 20 | | | | | | 31 | | 3109 | 3760 | 3760 | 4000 | 438 | 152 | 96 | 4687 | | 9 |
| 6 | 6 | 20 | | | | | | 31 | | 3109 | 3686 | 3686 | 6707 | 1136 | 480 | 273 | 8596 | | 10 |
| 4 | 25 | 18 | | | | | | 101 | | 4320 | 11981 | 11981 | 25231 | 2060 | 669 | 14231 | 16960 | | 11 |
| 4 | 25 | 18 | | | | | | 101 | | 4320 | 11981 | 11981 | 25231 | 2060 | 669 | 14231 | 16960 | | 12 |
| 1 | 16 | | | | | | | 20 | M | 2160 | 4686 | 4686 | 6023 | 400 | 331 | 245 | 6999 | | 13 |
| 2 | 25 | 26 | 1 | 1 | | | | 40 | M | 2160 | 4686 | 4686 | 6023 | 400 | 331 | 245 | 6999 | | 14 |
| 7 | 67 | 48 | 6 | 1 | 1 | | | 72 | M | 5140 | 9961 | 16552 | 18450 | 1104 | 196 | 1000 | 20751 | | 15 |
| 2 | 16 | 28 | | | | | | 33 | | 2795 | 4019 | 4884 | 6513 | 370 | | 400 | 7283 | | 16 |
| 5 | 24 | 24 | 2 | | | | | 26 | | 2570 | 3965 | 4338 | 4739 | 134 | | | 4739 | | 17 |
| 6 | 69 | 67 | 2 | 3 | 1 | | | 105 | M | 5174 | 16190 | 16190 | 24989 | 2048 | 968 | 2394 | 30398 | | 18 |
| 3 | 25 | | | | 2 | | | 19 | | 1280 | 2680 | 2680 | 3494 | 341 | 319 | 404 | 4559 | | 19 |
| 3 | 23 | 20 | 3 | 2 | 2 | | | 19 | | 495 | 1304 | 1304 | 3142 | 50 | 40 | 118 | 3349 | | 20 |
| 2 | 10 | 36 | 2 | 2 | | | | 58 | M | 5311 | 9467 | 9467 | 11195 | 1238 | 243 | 847 | 13523 | | 21 |
| 2 | 11 | 19 | | | | | | 30 | | 2160 | 4309 | 4309 | 5309 | 279 | 205 | | 5783 | | 22 |
| 2 | 18 | 17 | | | | | | 29 | | 1754 | 2794 | 3737 | 3826 | 342 | | 131 | 4299 | | 23 |
| 81 | 462 | 633 | 25 | 28 | 13 | 13 | 26 | 1044 | 10 | 70371 | 136210 | 153506 | 194141 | 16952 | 5186 | 21934 | 212848 | 16535 | 1 |
| 90 | 435 | 707 | 21 | 11 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 1053 | 9 | 62744 | 120438 | 141862 | 161331 | 16079 | 4577 | 8242 | 190209 | 16283 | 2 |
| | 27 | | 4 | 17 | 6 | 11 | 8 | | 1 | 7627 | 15772 | 11844 | 32810 | 873 | 609 | 13692 | 22639 | 252 | 3 |
| 9 | | 74 | | | | | | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 8 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 9 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 21 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 1 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 22 |

E. R. HAWKES, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

7. PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978 STATISTICS AND FINANCES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | Alberton | E. S. Hales (Retired Supply) | Ralph Haywood | R.R. 1, Alberton COB 1B0 |
| 2 | Belfast, St. John's Wood Islands | E. S. Hales (Retired Supply) | Ernest MacPherson | R.R. 2, O'Leary COB 1B0 |
| 3 | Brookfield | R. L. Gillis, B.A., B.Sc. | Sinclair MacTavish | R.R. 3, Belfast COA 1A0 |
| 4 | Glasgow Rd. Hartsville Hunter's River | R. L. Gillis, B.A., B.Sc. | Francis Panting | R.R. 4, Murray River, COA 1W0 |
| 5 | Charlottetown: St. James | D. Burton Isaac (Retired Supply) | J. Philip Matheson | R.R. 2, Winsloe COA 2H0 |
| 6 | Zion | | J. Philip Matheson | R.R. 2, Winsloe COA 2H0 |
| 7 | St. Mark's | | J. Philip Matheson | R.R. 2, Winsloe COA 2H0 |
| 8 | Clyde River | John R. Cameron, B.A., B.D. | Dr. R. G. Lea | 1 Green Street, Charlottetown C1A 2E5 |
| 9 | Canoe Cove | Gordon Matheson, B.Th., B.R.E. | Reg MacNutt | 41 York Lane, Charlottetown C1A 2A5 |
| 10 | Churchill | Hugh Lowry (Lay Assistant) | | |
| 11 | Nine Mile Creek | Cameron Bigelow, B.A., B.D., Th.M. | Martin Myers | 30 Lilac Ave., Charlottetown C1A 6L4 |
| 12 | Kensington | | Talmage Foster | R.R. 3, Charlottetown C1A 7S7 |
| 13 | Malpeque | | Arnold Beer | R.R. 2, Cornwall COA 1H0 |
| 14 | New London St. John's | | Arnold Beer | R.R. 2, Cornwall COA 1H0 |
| 15 | Montague, St. Andrew's | | Arnold Beer | R.R. 2, Cornwall COA 1H0 |
| 16 | Cardigan, St. Andrew's | | Arnold Beer | R.R. 2, Cornwall COA 1H0 |
| 17 | Murray Hb. North | | Isaac Walker | Box 189, Kensington COB 1M0 |
| 18 | Caledonia | | Sydney MacGougan | R.R. 1, Kensington COB 1M0 |
| 19 | Murray Hb. South | | Errol Campbell | R.R. 6, Kensington COB 1M0 |
| 20 | Peters Road | | Allister Currie | R.R. 6, Cardigan COA 1G0 |
| 21 | Summerside | | Mrs. Margaret Weavers | R.R. 4, Cardigan C1A 1G0 |
| 22 | Freetown | | Harry Millar | R.R. 4, Montague COA 1R0 |
| 23 | Tyne Valley | | | |
| 24 | Freeland | | | |
| 25 | Lot 14 | | | |
| 26 | Victoria West | | | |
| 27 | North Tryon | | | |
| 28 | South Granville | | | |
| 29 | Breadalbane | | | |
| 30 | Harrington | | | |
| 31 | Appendix to Roll | | | |
| 32 | Retired | | | |
| 33 | Retired | | | |
| 34 | Retired | | | |
| 35 | U.P.E.I. Chaplain | | | |
| 36 | Non-Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 37 | Miss Mary A. MacKenzie | | | |
| 38 | Mrs. John R. Cameron | | | |
| 39 | Mrs. Angus Brown | | | |
| 40 | Mrs. J. Cameron Bigelow | | | |
| 41 | Miss Dolly Matthews | | | |
| 42 | Mrs. Andrew Jardine | | | |
| 43 | Miss Christine Shaw | | | |
| 44 | Grand Total, 1977 | | | |
| 45 | Grand Total, 1976 | | | |
| 46 | Increase | | | |
| 47 | Decrease | | | |

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | Communicants Received | Communicants Renewed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Relied by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 6 | 15 | 30 | | | | 1 | 1 | 45 | | 7606 | 7606 | 9491 | 9821 | 1081 | 307 | | 11210 | 1081 | 1 |
| 3 | | | 3 | | | | | 30 | | 1588 | 4425 | 4425 | | 551 | | | 4980 | 400 | 2 |
| 16 | 124 | 140 | 9 | 3 | | | | 124 | | 8500 | 18353 | | 19471 | 3459 | 577 | | 23509 | 3460 | 2 |
| 4 | 39 | 63 | 6 | 2 | | | | 64 | | 2050 | 5681 | 5681 | 6744 | 545 | 358 | | 7765 | 545 | 3 |
| 4 | 30 | 25 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | 37 | MA | 1546 | 2606 | 2606 | 4946 | 325 | 187 | 41 | 5399 | 325 | 3 |
| 4 | 30 | 24 | 2 | 5 | | | | 40 | MA | 2012 | 3049 | 2357 | 4459 | 401 | 297 | | 5157 | 400 | 3 |
| 4 | 27 | 25 | 2 | 6 | 4 | | | 40 | MA | | 2357 | | 4079 | 119 | 223 | | 4421 | 119 | 3 |
| 20 | 95 | 260 | 13 | 15 | 17 | 2 | 13 | 425 | M | 14680 | 47850 | 65977 | 66520 | 7500 | 1978 | 4300 | | 7500 | 4 |
| 44 | 312 | 696 | 36 | 34 | 2 | 8 | 14 | 806 | M | 14825 | 70218 | 73979 | 91698 | 12551 | 1895 | 3127 | | 12350 | 5 |
| 6 | 87 | 66 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 3 | | 119 | M | 7990 | 15657 | 18547 | 18873 | 820 | 120 | 519 | 20332 | 820 | 6 |
| 3 | 14 | 32 | | | 1 | 3 | 2 | 37 | | 2700 | 5637 | 5637 | 5737 | 634 | 217 | 201 | 6789 | 634 | 7 |
| 4 | 31 | 65 | | | | | 3 | 110 | M | 3992 | 7275 | 8445 | 7754 | 1723 | 452 | 7754 | 9831 | 1719 | 7 |
| 5 | | 70 | | | | | | 70 | | 3992 | 6359 | 6359 | 6491 | 673 | 394 | | 7559 | 735 | 7 |
| 2 | | 32 | | | | | | 32 | | 1996 | 3062 | 7854 | 8352 | 300 | 295 | | 8947 | 347 | 8 |
| 2 | | 35 | | | | | | 35 | | 1996 | 4357 | 5157 | 4325 | 150 | 89 | 4325 | 4550 | 175 | 8 |
| 9 | 59 | 109 | 9 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 258 | M | 6072 | 13943 | 13943 | 16434 | 3261 | 745 | 619 | 21059 | 3261 | 8 |
| 5 | 25 | 36 | 2 | | | | | 74 | | 1996 | 3669 | 3669 | 346 | 164 | 161 | | 5593 | | 9 |
| 9 | 61 | 72 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 141 | | 5535 | 11464 | 16060 | 15919 | 1800 | 1047 | 604 | 19370 | 1800 | 9 |
| 16 | 122 | 161 | 8 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 243 | M | 10200 | 24361 | 25588 | 25634 | 1950 | 316 | | 27900 | 1950 | 9 |
| 6 | 42 | 78 | 4 | 1 | | | | 108 | | 5368 | 13203 | 13203 | 1588 | 425 | 250 | | 2263 | 425 | 10 |
| 4 | 26 | 55 | | | | | 1 | 69 | M | 2850 | 3100 | 4756 | 9187 | 958 | | | 10145 | 958 | 10 |
| 2 | 30 | 27 | 1 | | 2 | | | 17 | | 1486 | 1486 | 4040 | 4594 | 313 | 220 | | 4594 | 431 | 11 |
| 3 | 15 | 45 | 1 | | | | | 52 | | 1480 | 3086 | 3086 | 3821 | 210 | 317 | | 4348 | 285 | 11 |
| 22 | 103 | 260 | 10 | 14 | 25 | 1 | 5 | 297 | M | 2579 | 3514 | 3659 | 5519 | 160 | 90 | | 5769 | 160 | 11 |
| 2 | | 19 | | | | | | 40 | | 1088 | 1923 | 1923 | 2166 | 427 | 296 | | 2889 | 427 | 12 |
| 3 | 87 | 34 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 39 | M | 4185 | 4826 | 5485 | 5268 | 465 | 225 | 112 | 6070 | | 12 |
| 6 | 43 | 38 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 1 | | 48 | | 4185 | 4981 | 4981 | 5881 | 465 | 156 | 35 | 6537 | | 13 |
| 5 | 9 | 23 | 8 | 9 | 9 | | | 32 | | 1014 | 1080 | 2436 | 1725 | 112 | 69 | | 1907 | 1374 | 13 |
| 3 | 87 | 34 | 7 | 14 | | | 3 | 4 | | 3297 | 3792 | 3792 | 3544 | 332 | | 5 | 3881 | | 13 |
| 2 | 33 | 40 | 2 | 4 | 1 | | | 64 | M | 3881 | 6301 | 7816 | 12762 | 1110 | 288 | 91 | 14241 | 1110 | 13 |
| 1 | | 9 | | | | | | 11 | | 1722 | 2109 | 2607 | 2247 | 160 | 234 | | 2642 | 160 | 14 |
| 1 | | 12 | | | | | | 15 | | 1384 | 1648 | 1648 | 1185 | 150 | | 9 | 1344 | 150 | 14 |
| 2 | | 27 | | | | | | 34 | | 550 | 1020 | 1020 | 1581 | 212 | | | 1793 | 212 | 15 |
| 232 | 1546 | 2676 | 140 | 144 | 94 | 35 | 69 | 3545 | 12 | 148714 | 354422 | 408414 | 445732 | 47688 | 12825 | 22981 | 340141 | 48060 | 16 |
| 302 | 1436 | 2526 | 228 | 53 | 47 | 26 | 108 | 3626 | 12 | 127291 | 336212 | 292146 | 413256 | 43094 | 14602 | 16090 | 397713 | 44410 | 17 |
| | 110 | 150 | | 91 | 47 | 9 | | | | 21423 | 18210 | 116268 | 32476 | 4594 | | 6891 | | 3650 | |
| 70 | | | 88 | | | | 39 | 81 | | | | | | | 1777 | | 57572 | | 18 |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 8 | Total on Roll | 12 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 4 | Ministers on Appendix | 4 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 16 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 10 |
| " Aid-Receiving Charges | 4 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 14 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 23 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 12 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 35 |

Box 142, Charlottetown, P.E.I. C1A 7K2. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 902-894-3067.

HUGH LOWRY, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|------------------|----------------------------------|---|-------------------|--|
| 1 | Asbestos, St. Andrew's | Supply | D. Livingstone | R.R. 2, Danville, P.Q. J0A 1A0 |
| | Danville, St. Andrew's | Supply | D. Livingstone | R.R. 2, Danville, P.Q. J0A 1A0 |
| 2 | Inverness, St. Andrew's | Student Supply | R. Dempsey | R.R. 1, Inverness, P.Q. G0S 1K0 |
| 3 | Leggatt's Point (Co-op) | Chas. F. Coombs (supply) | S. Campbell | R.R. 1, Price, P.Q. G0J 1Z0 |
| 4 | Melbourne, St-Paul | Supply | L. Blouin | R.R. 4, Danville, P.Q. J0A 1A0 |
| 5 | Melbourne, St-Andrew's | James C. MacIain Jack, M.A. | A. Stalker | R.R. 1, Kingsbury, P.Q. J0B 1X0 |
| 6 | Pt. Cartier, Good Shepherd | Supply | Rev. J. D. Wilkie | 61 Audubon Blvd., Pt. Cartier, P.Q. G5B 1M7 |
| 7 | Quebec, St. Andrew's | Vacant | K. Bunting | 1104 Raymond-Casgrain, Quebec, P.Q. G1S 2E5 |
| 8 | Ste. Foy, St-Marc | David T. Craig, B.A., B.D. | D. Craig | 2828 Chemin des 4-Bourgeois, Ste-Foy, P.Q. G1V 1X9 |
| 9 | Scotstown, St. Paul's | Student Supply | K. MacKenzie | Box 55, Scotstown, P.Q. J0B 3B0 |
| | Milan, Bethany | Student Supply | K. MacKenzie | Box 55, Scotstown, P.Q. J0B 3B0 |
| | Lac Megantic, St. Andrew's | Student Supply | K. MacKenzie | Box 55, Scotstown, P.Q. J0B 3B0 |
| 10 | Sherbrooke, St. Andrew's | Kalman D. Toth, D.Th. | G. Jobel | Hatley, P.Q. |
| 11 | Valcartier, St. Andrew's | Supply | A. Goodwin | 1070, Valcartier Blvd., Neufchâtel, P.Q. G0H 4S0 |
| | Charny, Presbyterian | Supply | A. Goodwin | 1070, Valcartier Blvd., Neufchâtel, P.Q. G0H 4S0 |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | Armand Jossinet, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 2 | Radio | Sadi Mezaour, M.A., M.Th. | | |
| 3 | | J. Ross H. Davidson, B.A., B.D. | | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| In S.S. Charges | 2 | Total on Roll | 4 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 | Ministers on Appendix | 2 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 6 |

Eglise Presbytérienne, St-Paul, C.P. 100, Melbourne, P.Q. J0B 2B0. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 1-819-826-3414 March 3, 1978

* Last Year's Figures
** 1975 Figures

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| 1 | Baie d'Urfe, St. Giles | James A. Armour, B.A. | Roy C. Bowes | 298 Victoria Dr., Baie d'Urfe H9X 2Y6 |
| 2 | Beaconsfield, Briarwood | Student Supply | J. S. Williams | 122 Avondale Place, Beaconsfield H9W 5L5 |
| 3 | Beauharnois, St. Edward's | Vacant | W. M. Berry | 751 Lake St. Louis Rd., Ville de Lery J6N 2L4 |
| | Valleyfield | | Duncan Ross* | 16 Gault St., Valleyfield J6S 3R3 |
| 4 | Beechridge | James D. Skinner, B.A., M.Div. | Harry Taylor* | 285 Hanley, Chateauguay J6J 3P1 |
| 5 | Chateauguay, Maplewood | Student Supply | Mrs. L. Withnall* | 971 Pichette St., St. Vincent de Paul H7C 2G2 |
| 6 | Duvernay, St. John's | R. L. Inglis, B.A., Dip. Ed. | P. Black | 646 - 69th Ave., Chomedey H7V 2P2 |
| 7 | Fabreville | Lay Supply | Rusael Paul | P.O. Box 100, Hemmingford J0L 1H0 |
| 8 | Hemmingford, St. Andrew's | Larry Paul, M.A., B.D., S.T.M. | Wilburn Anderson | Howick J0S 1G0 |
| 9 | Howick, Georgetown | Riverfield | Kenneth M. Roy* | Howick J0S 1G0 |
| 10 | Huntingdon, St. Andrew's | Student Supply | Gordon Tannahill* | 184 Chateauguay St., Huntingdon J0S 1H0 |
| | Athelstan | | Raymond Macfarlane* | R.R. 2, Athelstan J0S 1A0 |
| | Elgin | | D. Leslie Macfarlane* | Box 1105, Huntingdon J0S 1H0 |
| 11 | Lachine, St. Andrew's | John A. Bodkin, B.A., B.D. | Keith Field | 640 Meadowbrook Ave., Lachine H8T 2W1 |
| 12 | Lachine, Margaret Rodger Memorial | C. Ritchie Bell, B.A., B.D., D.D. | James A. Hayman | R.R. 7, Lachine J8H 3W9 |
| 13 | Lost River | D.C.L. | | |

8. PRESBYTERY OF QUEBEC

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mans (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|---|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 11 | 10 | | | | 1 | 7 | | 1886 | 3380 | 3972 | 4218 | 465 | 218 | | 4901 | 400 | 1 | |
| 5 | 20 | | | | | | 28 | | 875 | 2107 | 2107 | 1977 | | | | 1977 | | 2 | |
| 3 | 19 | 13 | 1 | | | | 16 | M | 1812 | 2945 | 2945 | 2942 | 290 | 79 | | 3311 | 290 | 2 | |
| 3 | 20 | | | | | | 25 | M | 1439 | 3762 | 3762 | 4425 | 301 | | 120 | 4946 | 350 | 3 | |
| 3 | 20 | | | | | | 29 | RH | 1750 | 5382 | 5382 | 4832 | | | | 5290 | | 4 | |
| 2 | 20 | 30 | 2 | | | | 38 | M | 11200 | 17946 | 17946 | 19732 | 423 | 445 | 160 | 20760 | 406 | 5 | |
| 6 | 24 | 41 | 3 | | 1 | | 32 | M | **3200 | 11135 | 12110 | 12157 | | | | 12157 | | 6 | |
| *4 | 23 | 50 | | | | | 32 | M | 5072 | 20081 | 32472 | 53720 | 2412 | 250 | | 56382 | 2400 | 7 | |
| 9 | 13 | 114 | | | 5 | 9 | 128 | M | | | | | | | | | | 8 | |
| *1 | 14 | 29 | | | 2 | | 31 | M | 1800 | 4570 | 4570 | 4469 | 300 | | 40 | 4809 | 350 | 8 | |
| 8 | 15 | 31 | 1 | 8 | 4 | | 96 | M | 8181 | 13014 | 13014 | 9989 | 950 | 857 | 316 | 12113 | 950 | 9 | |
| | | 12 | | | | | | | 1900 | 2940 | 3340 | 2173 | 51 | | | 2224 | | 10 | |
| | | 6 | | | | | | | 1240 | 1316 | 1816 | 2946 | 198 | | | 3144 | 104 | 11 | |
| 20 | 29 | *175 | 3 | 4 | 3 | | *190 | M | *9700 | *35000 | *41607 | *32800 | *3965 | *1120 | *200 | *38085 | 4528 | 10 | |
| 5 | 35 | 30 | | | | | 64 | | 2029 | 7376 | 8014 | 5589 | | | | 5589 | 200 | 11 | |
| | | 5 | | | | | | | 600 | 1209 | 1209 | 2158 | 100 | | | 2258 | | 1 | |
| 68 | 204 | 411 | 11 | 12 | 15 | 10 | 694 | 9 | 52694 | 132063 | 154266 | 164207 | 9455 | 3327 | 863 | 177826 | 9978 | 1 | |
| 60 | 230 | 591 | 17 | 6 | 6 | 35 | 695 | 9 | 59687 | 130709 | 150333 | 166405 | 9436 | 2983 | 1042 | 179653 | 9635 | 2 | |
| 8 | | | | | | | | | | 1354 | 3933 | | 19 | 334 | | 179 | 1827 | 343 | 3 |
| | 25 | 180 | 6 | | | 16 | 11 | | 6993 | | | 2198 | | | | | | | |

Number of Self-Supporting Charges 6
 Number of Congregations in them 9
 Aid-Receiving Charges 5
 Number of Congregations in them 6
 Total Number of Pastoral Charges 11
 Total Number of Congregations 15

J. ROSS H. DAVIDSON, Clerk of Presbytery

9. PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL

| No. | Number of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mans (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|------|------------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|----|
| 32 | 98 | 177 | 8 | 16 | 5 | 22 | 6 | 383 | M | 15300 | 39077 | 39077 | 40761 | 9451 | 480 | 200 | 50892 | 6881 | 1 |
| 12 | 40 | 79 | 4 | | | 15 | 4 | 198 | MA | 4928 | 20540 | 27584 | 27826 | 1353 | | 135 | 29314 | 1353 | 2 |
| 4 | | 43 | | | | | 10 | 61 | | 1291 | 4770 | 5954 | 5668 | 358 | | | 6026 | 681 | 3 |
| *6 | *12 | *35 | *1 | | | | *11 | *49 | | *969 | *3694 | *5705 | *5068 | *422 | | | *5489 | 408 | 4 |
| **18 | **90 | **204 | **8 | **16 | **17 | **14 | **12 | **354 | M | **6888 | **19452 | **19452 | **32538 | **3782 | **499 | **2081 | **38925 | 4190 | 5 |
| *6 | *36 | *39 | | | | | | *63 | M | *1445 | *7711 | *9211 | *9639 | | | | *9639 | 381 | 6 |
| 4 | 10 | 22 | | 4 | | 2 | | 33 | | 1290 | 2986 | 3586 | 4087 | 381 | | | 10086 | 548 | 7 |
| 7 | 23 | 50 | 1 | 1 | | | 9 | 69 | | 2142 | 6967 | 9542 | 9538 | 548 | | | 10086 | 548 | 8 |
| 11 | 70 | 105 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 162 | M | 7448 | 14668 | 15685 | 14611 | 2941 | 1971 | 323 | 19666 | 2941 | 9 |
| *9 | *28 | *85 | *4 | *3 | *2 | | *2 | *104 | MA | *5282 | *10253 | *36320 | *28741 | *1299 | *2210 | *412 | *32662 | 1500 | 10 |
| *18 | *68 | *201 | *9 | *8 | *3 | *4 | *4 | *294 | M | *7062 | *17812 | *20649 | *27227 | *2863 | *385 | | *30475 | 3905 | 11 |
| *6 | *21 | *56 | | *7 | | | *2 | *89 | | *2200 | *4477 | *5114 | *6920 | *771 | *430 | | *8120 | 880 | 12 |
| 4 | | 22 | | | *1 | | *1 | *41 | | *1711 | *2254 | *2254 | *3661 | *463 | *125 | | *4249 | 491 | 13 |
| 32 | 35 | *181 | 6 | 1 | | 15 | 4 | 322 | M | 13000 | 13660 | 18985 | 36220 | 3446 | 928 | 320 | 40894 | 3446 | 11 |
| 25 | 65 | 180 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 37 | 254 | M | 14975 | 30992 | 35092 | 34243 | 6557 | 2421 | 906 | 44127 | 6800 | 12 |

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978 STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|------------------------|--|---|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. C. Ritchie Bell | 648 Main St. | Lachute, Que. J8H 1Z1 | |
| 2 | Mrs. F.D.C. Jones (Emily Drysdale) | 2491 Quesnel St. | Montreal, Que. H3J 1G6 | |
| 3 | Mrs. K. D. Kristensen (Dorothy Joan Rochemont) | 169 Ashton St. | St. Laurent, Que. H4N 1B5 | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 22 | Total on Roll | 34 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 5 | Ministers on Appendix | 12 |
| Others on Roll | 7 | Grand Total of Ministers | 46 |

Presbytery Office: 3495 University St., Montreal, Que. H3A 2A8. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 514-845-2566. February 22, 1978
 Residence: 4062 Grey Ave., Montreal, Que. H4A 3P1. 514-481-1248.

*1976 Figures
 **1975 Figures
 †1974 Figures
 ††1973 Figures

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

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|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|--|
| 1 Avonmore, St. Andrew's | John H. Wiseman, B.A. | Allen McIntyre | Avonmore, Ont. K0C 1C0 |
| Gravel Hill, St. James | | Lyman Crawford | Monkland, Ont. K0B 1V0 |
| Monkland, St. Andrew's | | Lyman Crawford | Monkland, Ont. K0B 1V0 |
| 2 Cornwall, St. John's | Fred H. Rennie, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | George E. Edgerton | 326 3rd St. E., Cornwall, Ont. K6H 2E4 |
| 3 Dunvegan, Kenyon | Vacant | Dan N. MacLeod | Box 44, Dunvegan, Ont. K0C 1J0 |
| 4 Finch, St. Luke's | Jacob van der Wal | R. Keith MacMillan | Box 3, Finch, Ont. K0C 1K0 |
| Crysler, Knox | | S. A. Begg | Box 69, Cryzier, Ont. K0A 1R0 |
| 5 Ingleside, St. Matthew's | Wallace MacKinnon, B.A. | Reginald Donnelly | Ingleside, Ont. K0C 1M0 |
| 6 Kirk Hill, St. Columba | John Forbes, M.A. | Neil A. MacLeod | R.R. 1, Dalkeith, Ont. K0B 1E0 |
| 7 Lancaster, St. Andrew's | D. Ross MacDonald, B.A. | John R. Fournery | Box 121, Lancaster, Ont. K0C 1N0 |
| Martintown, St. Andrew's | | John Stringer | Box 88, Martintown, Ont. K0C 1S0 |
| 8 Maxville, St. Andrew's | Iver D. MacIver, D.D. | John W. McEwen | Box 88, Maxville, Ont. K0C 1T0 |
| St. Elmo, Gordon | | Neil MacLean | Maxville, R.R. 1, Ont. K0C 1T0 |
| 9 Moose Creek, Knox | Student Minister | John K. MacLean | Box 66, Moose Creek, Ont. K0C 1W0 |
| 10 Vankleek Hill, Knox | Robert Martin, M.A. | John Fraser, M.Sc. | Box 21, Vankleek Hill, Ont. K0B 1R0 |
| Hawkesbury, St. Paul's | | James R. Donaldson | 593 McGill St., Hawkesbury, Ont. K0A 1R1 |
| Appendix on Roll | | | |
| 1 | Kenneth H. McDonald | | |
| 2 | W. S. Sutherland | | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 1 Mrs. Alpin MacGregor | Willamstown, Ontario | | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | |
| Increase | | | |
| Decrease | | | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 8 | Ministers on Appendix | 2 |
| Total on Roll | 8 | Grand Total of Ministers | 10 |

Box 213, Ingleside, Ontario K0C 1M0. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 613-537-2156. February 7, 1978

9. PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Renewed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|---|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 666 | 1893 | 5542 | 236 | 174 | 173 | 259 | 417 | 8703 | 29 | 351048 | 1062674 | 1317579 | 298821 | 128864 | 31911 | 50319 | 1500945 | 131373 | 1 |
| 681 | 2124 | 6517 | 228 | 197 | 151 | 223 | 484 | 9193 | 35 | 322313 | 1029136 | 1307342 | 277459 | 135911 | 30165 | 71003 | 1473846 | 137298 | 2 |
| 15 | 231 | 975 | 8 | 23 | 22 | 36 | 67 | 490 | 6 | 28736 | 33538 | 10237 | 21362 | 7047 | 1746 | 29684 | 27099 | 5835 | 3 |

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|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 34 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 8 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 42 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 39 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 8 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 47 |

SCARTH MACDONNELL, Clerk of Presbytery

10. PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|--------|-------|----|
| 8 | 45 | 93 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 169 | M | 8882 | 15925 | 21925 | 18429 | 3756 | 960 | 247 | 23392 | 3638 | 1 |
| 3 | 11 | 11 | | | | | | 12 | | 1269 | 1732 | 4846 | 3046 | 269 | | 21 | 3336 | 269 | |
| 5 | 27 | 15 | | | | | | 20 | | 1269 | 1672 | 1672 | 2634 | 156 | 305 | 8 | 3103 | 156 | |
| 38 | 157 | 497 | 14 | 11 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 802 | M | 17154 | 61353 | 73928 | 83454 | 19320 | 2629 | 4283 | 109686 | 19320 | 2 |
| 8 | 34 | 80 | 4 | | | | | 165 | M | 1612 | 11690 | 11690 | 17367 | 3145 | 1626 | 4119 | 26257 | 3145 | 3 |
| 6 | 37 | 84 | 4 | | 1 | 2 | 29 | 98 | M | 4320 | 12003 | 15433 | 15217 | 1413 | 715 | | 17334 | 1400 | 4 |
| 6 | | 14 | 1 | | | | | 32 | | 1572 | 3684 | 9532 | 4704 | 350 | | | 5054 | 350 | |
| 12 | 44 | 85 | 3 | 5 | 1 | | 3 | 153 | M | 9800 | 20986 | 20986 | 20007 | 1368 | 567 | 83 | 22095 | 1368 | 5 |
| 7 | 30 | 74 | | | 2 | | 2 | 162 | M | 11918 | 16606 | 16606 | 17889 | 2607 | 535 | 394 | 21425 | 2608 | 6 |
| 8 | 54 | 66 | 2 | | | 3 | 3 | 136 | | 9386 | 16957 | 16957 | 14334 | 2134 | 601 | 98 | 17167 | 3043 | 7 |
| 15 | 21 | 50 | 11 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 80 | M | 5674 | 9204 | 10729 | 14096 | 1410 | 769 | 345 | 16620 | 1410 | |
| 5 | 18 | 76 | 4 | | | 6 | 3 | 125 | M | 11147 | 14785 | 14785 | 17681 | 2573 | 1295 | 249 | 21798 | 2573 | 8 |
| 3 | | 17 | | | | | | 29 | | 2100 | 2859 | 2859 | 2765 | 688 | 453 | 95 | 4001 | 688 | |
| 8 | 28 | 39 | 1 | | | | | 83 | M | 6855 | 8479 | 8479 | 7893 | 378 | | | 8273 | 378 | 9 |
| 10 | 32 | 125 | 1 | | 1 | 3 | 12 | 192 | M | 4810 | 22087 | 22087 | 18190 | 4200 | 797 | | 24187 | 4200 | 10 |
| 10 | 30 | 67 | 1 | 2 | | 2 | 1 | 94 | | 2033 | 12118 | 17114 | 20047 | 1357 | 158 | 425 | 21088 | 1200 | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Increase | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 9 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 10 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 15 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 1 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 16 |

WALLACE MacKINNON, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|------------------------|---|
| 1 | Aylmer (Que.) St. Andrews | Willis E. Sayers, M.A. | Walter A. Schultz | 165 Bourgeau St., Aylmer E., Que. J9H 2M9 |
| 2 | Hull (Que.) Cushman Memorial | Vacant | Sturgis Cushman | 406 Hamilton Ave., Ottawa K1T 1G1 |
| 3 | Manotick, Knox | Robert D. Sandford | A. W. Clark | 2831 Highway 31, Ottawa K1T 1N2 |
| 4 | Kars, St. Andrew's | Vacant | Mrs. R. Buchanan | Box 128, Manotick K0A 2N0 |
| 5 | Richmond, St. Andrew's | Vacant | Hugh Lindsay | R.R. 1, Kars K0A 2E0 |
| 6 | Stittville, St. Andrew's | Vacant | M. C. Storey | Box 33, Richmond K0A 2Z0 |
| 7 | Vernon, Osgoode | Vacant | Vernon Wilson | 78 Park St., Stittville K0A 3G0 |
| 8 | | | Ian S. Crerar | P.O. Box 34, Vernon K0A 3J0 |
| Ottawa: | | | | |
| 6 | Calvin Hungarian | Louis Vietorisz, B.A. | Kalman Fejes | 1149D Meadowlands Dr. E. K2E 6J5 |
| 7 | Erskine | C. Sheldon Hastings, B.A., B.D. | Douglas Fulford | 2578 Needham Cr. K1V 6K2 |
| 8 | Knox | Malcolm A. McCuaig, B.A., B.D., D.Min. | John A. Usher | 371 Crestview Rd. K1H 5G7 |
| 9 | Parkwood | W. K. Palmer, M.A., M.Div. | Robert W. Bull | 51 Birchview Drive K2G 3G3 |
| 10 | St. Andrew's | A. W. Currie, M.A., M.Th., D.D. | Frank T. Collins | 492 Driveway K1S 3N4 |
| 11 | St. David & St. Martin | P. C. Wotherspoon, B.A., M.P.S., Ph.D. | J. B. Macdonnell | 20 Bedford Cr. K1K 0E4 |
| 12 | St. Giles | H. M. Kennedy, M.A., B.D. | Samuel MacCallum | 548 Courtenay Ave. K2A 3B3 |
| 13 | St. Paul's | Donald L. Campbell, B.A., B.D. | H. Wilson | 26 Roche Place K2H 5P9 |
| 14 | St. Stephen's | R. J. Graham Kennedy, B.A., B.D. | D. B. Buchanan | 76 Harmer Ave. N. K1Y 0T8 |
| 15 | St. Timothy's | G. E. Dobie, B.A., B.D., M.Th., D.D. | Russell G. Saunders | 1262 Brookline Ave. K1V 6S5 |
| 16 | Trinity | F. Ralph Kendall, B.A., B.D. | The Rev. R. M. Shields | 34 Banting Cr. K2K 1P4 |
| 17 | Westminster | W. I. McElwain M.A., Th.M. | James H. Book | 500 Evered Ave. K1Z 5K8 |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | E.G.B. Foote, O.B.E., B.A., D.C.L., D.D. | | |
| 2 | Chaplain, Carleton University | G. Tattrie, B.A., B.D., Th.M., Ph.D. | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Teaching | R. H. Balsdon, B.M.E., M.A.E., B.D. | | |
| 2 | Retired | A. B. Casselman, B.A. | | |
| 3 | Director, I.V.C.F. | Spencer Estabrooks, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 4 | Retired | Robert Good, D.D. | | |
| 5 | | T. A. Hay, B.A., B.D., S.T.M., Ph.D. | | |
| 6 | Retired | F. C. Knox, B.A. | | |
| 7 | Retired | Lorne Lemoine, M.A., B.D. | | |
| 8 | Psychologist | R.D.P. Montgomery, B.A., M.A., Ph.D. | | |
| 9 | Librarian | W. J. Nesbitt, B.A. | | |
| 10 | Teaching | A. M. Pattison, B.Sc. | | |
| 11 | Teaching | W. K. Pottinger, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 12 | Teaching | R. M. Shields | | |
| 13 | Teaching | Lloyd R. Smith, B.A., M.Div. | | |
| 14 | Retired | G. R. Taylor, B.A., M.A. | | |
| 15 | Teaching | J. M. Thompson, B.A., M.A. | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Margaret Boyd | 174 First Ave. | Ottawa K1S 2G4 | |
| 2 | Elizabeth Steele | 2900 Carling Ave. (Apt 401) | Ottawa K2B 7J6 | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Dorothy Nekrassof | 608-1218 Meadowlands Dr. E. | Ottawa K2E 6KL | |
| * died Nov. 26, 1978 | | | | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 11 | Total on Roll | 16 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 | Ministers on Appendix | 15 |
| Others on Roll | 2 | Grand Total of Ministers | 31 |

444 St. Laurent Blvd., Ottawa, Ont. K1K 2Z6. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 613-745-1756 (office) 613-749-1552 (home). February 17, 1978

11. PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | | Communicants removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mense (M) or Rented House (R. H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 22 | 62 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 111 | MA | 6480 | 9018 | 15418 | 18672 | 1884 | 126 | 20682 | 808 | 1 | | | |
| 14 | 26 | 49 | 3 | 5 | 16 | 81 | MA | 5250 | 14260 | 14260 | 14113 | 660 | 110 | 14883 | 660 | 2 | | | |
| 8 | 32 | 104 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 1 | MA | 6818 | 19001 | 19001 | 20289 | 2400 | 316 | 23005 | 2400 | 2 | | | |
| 15 | 71 | 104 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 4 | M | 9675 | 17428 | 20107 | 25448 | 1800 | 1083 | 28331 | 1800 | 3 | | | |
| 5 | 32 | 35 | 6 | 2 | 69 | | | 3627 | 6600 | 8683 | 7285 | 1115 | 705 | 9105 | 1115 | | | | |
| 4 | 24 | 47 | 5 | 2 | 73 | | M | 4887 | 8528 | 8528 | 14277 | 1583 | 260 | 864 | 15894 | 1130 | 4 | | |
| 12 | 31 | 70 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 1 | MA | 4466 | 11484 | 11484 | 13811 | 1611 | 511 | 15986 | 1650 | | | | |
| 6 | 30 | 53 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 19 | MA | 5200 | 10444 | 13203 | 16284 | 1320 | 431 | 18035 | 1225 | 5 | | | |
| 9 | | 47 | | | 14 | 42 | MA | 1450 | 5072 | 5072 | 4168 | | | 4168 | 1650 | 6 | | | |
| 33 | 19 | 254 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 23 | MA | 11971 | 45887 | 45887 | 45269 | 6294 | 2575 | 607 | 54745 | 6275 | 7 | | |
| 53 | 84 | 409 | 8 | 18 | 33 | 21 | MA | 16600 | 89343 | 89343 | 114216 | 15000 | | 336 | 129552 | 15000 | 8 | | |
| 21 | 97 | 141 | 3 | 9 | 20 | 5 | M | 11200 | 28830 | 30880 | 27180 | 1264 | | 1907 | 30352 | 1650 | 9 | | |
| 49 | 152 | 450 | 33 | 30 | 29 | 22 | MA | 14525 | 111130 | 120132 | 143385 | 25000 | | 22984 | 191379 | 25000 | 10 | | |
| 17 | 116 | 206 | 8 | 9 | 16 | 9 | MA | 15900 | 32740 | 48428 | 47712 | 5000 | 65 | 1171 | 53948 | 5000 | 11 | | |
| 32 | 29 | 305 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 12 | MA | 13950 | 54476 | 54476 | 53787 | 10384 | 1797 | 317 | 66285 | 8696 | 12 | | |
| 35 | 210 | 396 | 13 | 24 | 20 | 4 | MA | 16716 | 77964 | 86044 | 87923 | 12131 | 450 | 10439 | 110944 | 12131 | 13 | | |
| 31 | 42 | 197 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 5 | MA | 11200 | 39613 | 50001 | 41685 | 8450 | 722 | 536 | 51393 | 8450 | 14 | | |
| 30 | 110 | 300 | 15 | 5 | 2 | 16 | MA | 13252 | 46296 | 60526 | 65577 | 3195 | 419 | 69191 | 3195 | 15 | | | |
| 4 | 28 | 39 | 3 | 5 | 35 | 40 | MA | 1166 | 1166 | 2479 | 288 | | | | 2767 | 288 | 16 | | |
| 32 | 36 | 224 | 9 | 10 | 6 | 25 | MA | 13220 | 45102 | 58394 | 61113 | 5516 | 840 | 3823 | 71292 | 5516 | 17 | | |
| 416 | 1191 | 3482 | 133 | 149 | 184 | 138 | | 186397 | 674382 | 762033 | 824673 | 104905 | 9755 | 43702 | 982037 | 103639 | | | |
| 406 | 1284 | 3502 | 103 | 99 | 227 | 123 | | 154801 | 625583 | 698283 | 749674 | 97453 | 10066 | 41265 | 908383 | 97002 | | | |
| 10 | | | 30 | 50 | 15 | 11 | | 2 | 31586 | 48798 | 63750 | 74989 | 7452 | 2437 | 73654 | 6637 | | | |
| | | 93 | 10 | | 43 | | | 40 | | | | | 311 | | | | | | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 14 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 17 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 17 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 3 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 20 |

PETER C. WOTHERSPOON, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|---------------------------------------|---|------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | Almonte, St. John's | E. G. Smith, B.A., M.Div., M.Th. | G. R. Kilburn | Box 652, Almonte K0A 1A0 |
| 2 | Arnprior, St. Andrew's | L. E. Hughes, B.A. | Clarence Ross | Box 62, Pakenham, Ont. K0A 2X0 |
| 3 | Carleton Place, St. Andrew's | Robert Hill | O. J. Blackburn | 103 John St. S., Arnprior K7S 2R1 |
| 4 | Cobden, St. Andrew's | Linda Bell, B.A., M.Div. | J. M. MacMillan | R.R. 1, Braeside K0A 1G0 |
| 5 | Fort Coulonge, St. Andrew's | T. A. Pollock | William Gordon | 92 Lake Ave. W. K0A 1J0 |
| 6 | Lochwinnoch | R. K. Earls, B.A. (Supply) | Donald Hamilton | R.R. 4, Cobden K0V 1K0 |
| 7 | MacDonald's Corners Knox | J. O. Forrester (Catechist) | Merrill Schaver | Forrester's Falls, Ont. K9J 1V0 |
| 8 | Pembroke, First | W. M. Moncrieff, B.A., B.D. | Lloyd Neville | Box 73, Fort Coulonge, Que. J0X 1V0 |
| 9 | Perth, St. Andrew's | John D. Duncan, B.Sc., B.D. | Ronald Russell | Bristol, Que. J0X 1G0 |
| 10 | Renfrew | F. R. McPhee, B.A., B.D. | R. J. McGregor | R.R. 1, Braeside, Ont. K0A 1G0 |
| 11 | Smiths Falls, Westminster | D. S. Moore, B.Ed., B.D., M.Th. | | |
| 12 | Torbolton | W.E.P. Rumball (Supply) | | |
| 13 | Gratton | | George Johnston | R.R. 2, Douglas, Ont. K0J 1S0 |
| 14 | Lake Doré | | Donald Shaw | 377 Chamberlain St., Pembroke K8A 2N1 |
| 15 | Petawawa | | Mrs. Eva Ennis | 77 Doran St., Petawawa K8H 1R3 |
| | Point Alexander | | | |
| | Others on Roll | | | |
| 1 | Minister Community Church, Deep River | L. E. Siverns, B.A., B.D., Th.M. | | |
| 2 | Chaplain C.F.B., Petawawa | R. E. Baker (Capt.), B.A., M.Div. | | |
| | Non-Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. George Barron | 322 Supple St. Box 629 | Pembroke, Ont. K8A 3H5 | |
| 2 | Mrs. W.E.P. Rumball | | Almonte, Ont. K0A 1A0 | |
| | | <i>Paula x A.H. McKenzie</i> | | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 11 | Total on Roll | 13 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | - | Ministers on Appendix | - |
| Others on Roll | 2 | Grand Total of Ministers | 13 |

82 Daniel St. N., Arnprior, Ontario K7S 2K8. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 1-613-623-4965. February 24, 1978

*Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|--|
| 1 | Brockville, First | A. M. Duncan, B.A., B.D. | John T. Carswell | 48 Vanier Dr., Brockville, Ont. K6V 3J5 |
| 2 | Caintown, St. Paul's | R. D. Currie | Howard Cross | Lansdowne, Ont. K0E 1L0 |
| 3 | Cardinal, St. Andrew's & St. James' | A. J. Morrison, B.A., B.D. | A. J. Morrison | Box 399, Cardinal, Ont. K0E 1E0 |
| 4 | Chesterville, St. Andrew's | Fred J. Reed | Wallace Carruthers | Box 333, 42 Main St., Chesterville, Ont. K0C 1H0 |
| 5 | Morewood | C. H. Maclean, C.D., B.A., D.D. | Douglas Hunter | Box 15, Morewood, Ont. K0A 2R0 |
| | Iroquois, Knox | | Wayne Murphy | Briston, Ont. K0E 1C0 |
| | S. Mountain, St. Andrew's | | W. E. Robinson | South Mountain, Ont. K0E 1W0 |

12. PRESBYTERY OF LANARK & RENFREW

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 20 | 47 | 118 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 140 | M | 10403 | 20909 | 20909 | 22103 | 5324 | 746 | 263 | 28435 | 5324 | 1 |
| 4 | 12 | 31 | | | | | 1 | 57 | | 3454 | 5807 | 8407 | 6822 | 748 | 290 | 212 | 8173 | 748 | |
| 21 | 86 | 193 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 304 | M | 14630 | 29232 | 36193 | 41159 | 5414 | 1163 | 725 | 48461 | 5414 | 2 |
| 2 | | 12 | | | | | | 29 | | 648 | 790 | 790 | 848 | 142 | 100 | 142 | 1090 | 141 | |
| 16 | 129 | 207 | 7 | 7 | 11 | 4 | 11 | 368 | M | 13496 | 34764 | 34764 | 34822 | 5280 | 844 | 103 | 41049 | 5440 | 3 |
| 8 | 67 | 113 | 5 | 8 | 2 | | 9 | 134 | M | 9890 | 23576 | 23576 | 26626 | 2752 | 718 | 260 | 30356 | 2000 | 4 |
| 6 | 17 | 53 | 3 | | | | 1 | 66 | | 3430 | 4755 | 4755 | 6038 | 780 | 632 | | 7450 | 400 | |
| 6 | 17 | 23 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 5 | | 43 | M | 13480 | 31868 | 42495 | 59964 | 5025 | | 10928 | 60294 | 5025 | 5 |
| 8 | 18 | 26 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 55 | | 1200 | 6523 | 6476 | 6476 | 618 | 375 | 215 | 7484 | 618 | |
| 5 | 23 | 30 | 9 | 6 | 1 | | | 85 | M | 3100 | 6305 | 6305 | 6608 | 649 | 404 | | 7661 | 649 | 6 |
| | | 7 | 1 | | | | | 5 | | 630 | 1032 | 1032 | 958 | 100 | | | 1058 | 100 | |
| | | *18 | | | | | | *21 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 25 | 44 | 6 | 9 | | 2 | 3 | 108 | M | 3848 | 8009 | 8778 | 11683 | 2364 | 335 | 699 | 15081 | 2364 | 7 |
| 5 | 22 | 36 | 3 | | | | 2 | 78 | | 2983 | 5230 | 5230 | 4604 | 1207 | 295 | 178 | 6285 | 1175 | |
| 3 | | 20 | 1 | | | 1 | | 38 | | 1710 | 2912 | 3036 | 3506 | 613 | | 257 | 4377 | 583 | |
| 21 | 64 | 172 | 1 | 16 | 22 | 8 | 13 | 267 | MA | 13504 | 24861 | 27376 | 32913 | 5683 | 830 | 417 | 39853 | 5685 | 8 |
| 13 | 70 | 192 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 253 | M | 12065 | 28942 | 42828 | 34859 | 4500 | 846 | 10 | 40225 | 4500 | 9 |
| 26 | 56 | | 8 | 19 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 336 | M | 9555 | 35199 | 35199 | 33743 | 7207 | 940 | 199 | 42089 | 6071 | 10 |
| 39 | 90 | 320 | 14 | 11 | 5 | 2 | 11 | 492 | MA | 12400 | 46930 | 47501 | 47041 | 7373 | 1149 | 10 | 55573 | 7373 | 11 |
| 1 | | 13 | 1 | 2 | | | | 24 | | 1750 | 2274 | 2274 | 2136 | 150 | | 40 | 2326 | 150 | 12 |
| 2 | | 7 | | | | | | 20 | | 600 | 1559 | 3339 | 3325 | 150 | | 168 | 3653 | 150 | 13 |
| 3 | | 10 | 3 | | 6 | | 2 | 15 | | 583 | 800 | 800 | 1443 | 58 | | | 1501 | 58 | 14 |
| 3 | 20 | 38 | 12 | 1 | 21 | 5 | 13 | 63 | M | 1265 | 7259 | 7435 | 6348 | 423 | | | 6771 | 423 | 15 |
| 3 | | 24 | 2 | 1 | 2 | | | 27 | | 842 | 2248 | 3089 | 3709 | 400 | | | 4109 | 400 | |
| 224 | 763 | 1707 | 99 | 107 | 90 | 41 | 87 | 3029 | 12 | 135286 | 331884 | 372545 | 397845 | 56970 | 9667 | 14684 | 463355 | 54801 | |
| 212 | 713 | 2034 | 67 | 40 | 68 | 29 | 133 | 3118 | 12 | 104893 | 238842 | 301374 | 388329 | 48108 | 9492 | 25373 | 482931 | 43537 | |
| 12 | 50 | | 32 | 67 | 22 | 12 | | 46 | | 30393 | 93042 | 71171 | 9516 | 8862 | 175 | 10689 | 19576 | 11264 | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 13 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 15 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 22 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 2 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 24 |

LEO E. HUGHES, Clerk of Presbytery

13. PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE

| No. | Number of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|-----|------------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 43 | 107 | 682 | 13 | 18 | 204 | 22 | 45 | 757 | M | 3840 | 58973 | 79202 | 120924 | 16394 | 2104 | 1321 | 130753 | 17105 | 1 | |
| 2 | | 33 | 1 | | | | 1 | 34 | | | | 7732 | | 920 | 489 | 151 | 9382 | 921 | | |
| 3 | 30 | 25 | | | 3 | | 2 | 32 | M | 6981 | 11226 | 16737 | 18806 | 2069 | 67 | 93 | 21035 | 2069 | 2 | |
| 8 | 23 | 79 | 3 | 2 | 2 | | 4 | 104 | M | 11200 | 17718 | 19039 | 24365 | 1781 | 617 | 253 | 27016 | 1781 | 3 | |
| 4 | 27 | 68 | 2 | 14 | 3 | | 1 | 76 | M | 6239 | 9392 | 9392 | 9472 | 450 | 419 | | 10341 | 450 | 4 | |
| 9 | 21 | 39 | 7 | 4 | | | | 72 | | 6123 | 10546 | 10546 | 8577 | 979 | 512 | 121 | 10191 | 800 | | |
| 8 | 29 | 66 | 2 | | 4 | | 8 | 12 | M | *8156 | *13587 | *13587 | *18063 | *2575 | *260 | *257 | *21155 | 1688 | | |
| 2 | 5 | 11 | | 1 | | | 2 | 2 | | 2442 | 2609 | 3010 | 4875 | 271 | 412 | 120 | 5677 | 271 | 5 | |

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978 STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|---|
| 6 | Kemptville, St. Paul's | S. J. Kennedy, M.A. | Gideon J. J. Purcell | Box 9, Oxford Station, Ont. K0G 1J0 |
| 7 | Oxford Mills, St. Andrew's | W. L. MacLellan, B.A., B.D., D.D. | Earl Baker | 56 St. Lawrence St., Morrisburg K0C 1X0 |
| 8 | Morrisburg, Knox | Nicholas Vandermeij, B.A., B.D., Th.M. | Arthur Thom | R.R. 1, Williamsburg, Ont. K0C 2H0 |
| 9 | Dunbar | L. J. Cowper, B.Th. | Mervyn Dickey | Box 134, Prescott, Ont. K0E 1T0 |
| 10 | Prescott, St. Andrew's | H. D. Smith, B.A., B.Th. | James Purcell | Box 81, Spencerville K0E 1X0 |
| 11 | Spencerville, St. Andrew's | | Lorne Cummings | R.R. 3, Spencerville, Ont. K0E 1X0 |
| 12 | Ventnor, Knox | | James Wing | Box 95, Westport, Ont. K0G 1X0 |
| 13 | Westport, Knox | | Sheldon Cameron | 522 Henderson Cres., Winchester, Ont. K0C 2K0 |
| 14 | Winchester, St. Paul's | | Harold Graham | South Mountain, Ont. K0E 1W0 |
| Mountain, Knox | | | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | W. C. Inglis, M.A. | | |
| 2 | Retired | E. E. Eaton, B.A., B.D., B.Th., B.T.A. | | |
| 3 | Retired | A. Newton Reid, M.A. | | |
| 4 | Retired | D. W. Mawhinney, B.Th. | | |
| 5 | Retired | J. P. Schissler | | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Douglas Hunter | | Morewood, Ont. K0A 2R0 | |
| 2 | Miss Evelyn Walker | | Winchester Springs, Ont. K0C 2L0 | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | |
| Increase | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 10 | Total on Roll | 10 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | - | Ministers on Appendix | 5 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 15 |

Box 38, Spencerville, Ontario K0E 1X0. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 613-658-3069. March 7, 1978

* Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

| No. | Pastoral Charge | Minister | Clerk | P O Address |
|-----|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 | Amherstview, Trinity | John W. Bell, B.A. | E. Mooney | 7 Lennox Pl. K7H 1E2 |
| 2 | Belleville, St. Andrew's | A. L. Sutherland, B.A. | D. C. Stirling | 250 George St. K8N 2H6 |
| 3 | Belleville, St. Columba | G. Murphy, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | J. J. Burke | 501 Bridge St. E. K8N 1P9 |
| 4 | Gananoque, St. Andrew's | K. J. Rowland | F. Lindsay | |
| 5 | Kingston, St. Andrew's | W. F. Duffy, B.A., B.D. | N. B. Breen | Box 241, Kingston K7L 4V8 |
| 6 | Kingston, Strathcona Park | Vacant | J.M.A. Turner | 39 College St. K7L 4L5 |
| 7 | Madoc, St. Peter's | Vacant | Carl Gaebel | Madoc, Ont. |
| 8 | Tweed, St. Andrew's | | Interim-Mod. Rev. R. Ross | |
| 9 | Pictou, St. Andrew's | R. C. Jones, B.A., M.Div. | Barton Reid | 6 Union St. K0K 2T0 |
| 10 | Deseronto, Church of the Redeemer | | Henry Klaver | R.R. 2, Erinsville K0K 2A0 |
| 11 | Pittsburgh Twp., St. John's | J. A. McGowan, B.A. | Wilbert Gates | R.R. 1, Kingston K7L 4V1 |
| 12 | Pittsburgh Twp., Sandhill | | Cecil Whyte | R.R. 1, Joyceville K0H 1Y0 |
| 13 | Stirling, St. Andrew's | Vacant | Eugene Burrell | Box 171, Stirling K0K 3E0 |
| 14 | West Huntingdon, St. Andrew's | | Harold Thompson | R.R. 2, Stirling K0K 3E0 |
| 15 | Trenton, St. Andrew's | R. Ross, B.A., B.D. | G. R. Williamson | 14 Hillside Cres. K8V 3H7 |
| 16 | Amherst Island, St. Paul's | Vacant | A. B. Caughey | R.R. 1, Stella K0K 2S0 |
| 17 | Roslin, St. Andrew's | Vacant | N. H. White | R.R. 1, Roslin K0K 2Y0 |
| 18 | Ormsby | Supplied from Madoc | | |
| 19 | Sunbury, St. Andrew's | Occasional | | |
| 20 | Camden East, St. Andrew's | Discontinued | | |

X John Archibald

13. PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mense (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|-------|---|
| 12 | 32 | 145 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 130 | M | 6839 | 25610 | 26295 | 29636 | 4673 | 644 | 191 | 31151 | 4675 | 6 |
| 13 | 59 | 82 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 143 | M | 10036 | 15896 | 17696 | 18959 | 2700 | 938 | 149 | 22748 | 2700 | 7 | |
| 11 | 32 | 130 | 7 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 131 | M | 11400 | 21443 | 27432 | 30183 | 1815 | 595 | 87 | 32861 | 1815 | 8 | |
| 8 | 26 | 44 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 61 | M | 7760 | 12031 | 50960 | 17459 | 1403 | 426 | 71 | 19359 | 1403 | 9 | |
| 3 | 21 | 18 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 26 | M | 3170 | 4355 | 4355 | 6703 | 643 | 141 | 62 | 7487 | 643 | 10 | |
| 5 | 30 | 52 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 21 | 68 | M | 7500 | 14532 | 17032 | 18094 | 1344 | 556 | 57 | 20051 | 1344 | 10 | |
| 8 | 42 | 112 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 136 | M | 9019 | 20337 | 20337 | 24958 | 2300 | 949 | 411 | 28618 | 2300 | 11 | |
| 3 | 9 | 33 | | 1 | 1 | 37 | | | 2545 | 4299 | 4299 | 4785 | 619 | 1079 | 896 | 7379 | 619 | 11 | |
| 146 | 508 | 1648 | 50 | 57 | 237 | 44 | 104 | 1926 | 11 | 107480 | 248607 | 325972 | 370760 | 41558 | 10218 | 4255 | 413017 | 41486 | 1 |
| 155 | 592 | 1517 | 48 | 30 | 60 | 19 | 62 | 1819 | 11 | 116670 | 241883 | 379797 | 295596 | 39695 | 9489 | 5022 | 348543 | 39622 | 2 |
| 9 | 84 | 131 | 2 | 27 | 177 | 25 | 42 | 107 | | 9190 | 6724 | 53825 | 75164 | 1863 | 729 | 767 | 64474 | 1864 | 2 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self Supporting Charges | 11 |
| Aid Receiving Charges | - |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 11 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 18 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 18 |

L. J. COWPER, Clerk of Presbytery

14. PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON

| No. | Number of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mense (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|-----|------------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 11 | 90 | 82 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 77 | M | 4950 | 10803 | 14443 | 14613 | 1410 | 314 | | 16336 | 1037 | 1 | |
| 35 | 77 | 310 | 7 | 10 | 8 | 2 | 17 | 498 | 17150 | 55565 | 61837 | 60872 | 7891 | 1805 | 589 | 71157 | 7991 | 2 |
| 26 | 43 | 181 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 252 | 14888 | 26591 | 33191 | 37520 | 4809 | 627 | 1568 | 44524 | 4809 | 3 |
| 15 | 47 | 151 | 8 | 1 | 6 | 189 | M | 7448 | 16783 | 19693 | 26277 | 5221 | 225 | 260 | 31983 | 5000 | 4 | |
| 52 | 105 | 474 | 10 | 19 | 11 | 13 | 728 | M | 15115 | 66245 | 72199 | 99191 | 15600 | 2688 | 5336 | 122815 | 16900 | 4 |
| 8 | 30 | 79 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 96 | M | 3467 | 12805 | 14788 | 19846 | 1777 | 200 | 435 | 22258 | 2716 | 6 | |
| 6 | 41 | 112 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 143 | 4898 | 16798 | 16798 | 19942 | 1550 | 667 | 22210 | 1250 | 7 | |
| 6 | 5 | 22 | | | | 1 | 48 | M | 3812 | 6682 | 6682 | 6187 | 600 | 150 | | 6937 | 600 | 5 |
| 19 | 68 | 172 | 10 | | | 4 | 146 | M | 11200 | 34940 | 38132 | 30747 | 3186 | 701 | | 31448 | 3122 | 8 |
| 4 | 23 | 28 | 5 | 2 | | 23 | | | 1620 | 4530 | 6330 | 7897 | 431 | 43 | | 8372 | 431 | 8 |
| 7 | 40 | 49 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 83 | M | 5750 | 7688 | 7688 | 10965 | 1034 | 568 | 431 | 12998 | 1035 | 9 | |
| 5 | 16 | 30 | 1 | | | 64 | | | 5750 | 7670 | 7670 | 11491 | 900 | 226 | 274 | 11891 | 900 | 9 |
| 11 | 17 | 86 | | 1 | 3 | 122 | M | 4055 | 8387 | 15710 | 12632 | 828 | 625 | | 14085 | 1400 | 10 | |
| 5 | 16 | 384 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 61 | M | 3314 | 8092 | 8092 | 6173 | 368 | 370 | | 6910 | 368 | 10 | |
| 12 | 107 | 195 | 16 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 212 | M | 11392 | 29834 | 49506 | 5837 | 1674 | 3828 | 60844 | 5681 | 11 |
| 5 | 36 | 4 | | 4 | 1 | 67 | M | 2525 | 7242 | 8410 | 7461 | 962 | 365 | 371 | 9159 | 843 | 12 | |
| 4 | 9 | 19 | 3 | | | 1 | 40 | | 2829 | 4314 | 5064 | 5893 | 455 | 100 | | 6448 | 455 | 13 |
| | | 8 | | | | 5 | | | 1225 | 1941 | 1941 | 1839 | 64 | | | 1903 | 145 | 14 |
| | | 5 | | | | 4 | 4 | | 130 | 456 | 506 | 744 | | | | 744 | 145 | 15 |

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------------|--------------|
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 Retired | | A. E. Toombs | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 Retired | | J. M. Ritchie, M.A. | | |
| 2 Retired | | D. Gowdy, C.D., B.A., B.D., Th.D. | | |
| 3 Chaplain, Albert College | | Frank J. Parsons, M.Th., B.Ed. | | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 Miss Frieda Matthews | | 209 John St. | Belleville K8N 3E9 | |
| 2 Mrs. J. M. Ritchie | | Apt. 169, 1721 Bath Rd. | Kingston K7M 4Y1 | |
| 3 Mrs. Judith Grant | | 75 Notch Hill Rd. | Kingston K7M 2W9 | |
| 4 Miss Irene Stringer | | 106 Pine St. #107 | Kingston K7K 1W7 | |
| 5 Miss Martha Hamilton | | 169 Earl St. | Kingston K7L 2H3 | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | |
| Increase | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 7 | Total on Roll | 11 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 | Ministers on Appendix | 3 |
| Others on Roll | 3 | Grand Total of Ministers | 14 |

57 Meadowvale Ave., Belleville, Ontario K8N 2L5. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 613-962-8230 (Res.) February 24, 1978 *Last Year's Figures 613-968-8998 (Study)

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

| No. | Pastoral Charge | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|-----------------------------|--|------------------|--|
| 1 | Beaverton | Donald B. Hanley | M. Vyse | R.R. 2, Beaverton L0K 1A0 |
| 4 | Gamebridge | | H. Furniss | R.R. 1, Brechin L0K 1B0 |
| 7 | Bobcaygeon, Knox Rosedale | C. C. MacInnes | F. Jones | 35 Red St., Bobcaygeon K0M 1A0 |
| 3 | Bowmanville, St. Andrew's | J. S. Gilchrist, B.A., B.Ch., B.M., B.S. | F. Kramp | 37 King St. E., Bowmanville L1C 1N1 |
| 4 | Campbellford, St. Andrew's | G. Dennis Freeman, B.A., M.Div. | E. A. McCook | R.R. 4, Campbellford K0L 1L0 |
| 5 | Burnbrae, St. Andrew's | | C. Carter | R.R. 5, Stirling K0K 3E0 |
| 6 | Cobourg, St. Andrew's | S. A. Hayes, B.A., B.D., S.T.M. | P. Greathead | 972 Curtis Crs., Cobourg K9A 2W3 |
| 6 | Colborne, Old St. Andrew's | E. M. Iona MacLean, B.A., M.Div. | R. A. Miller | Box 286 Colborne K0K 1S0 |
| 3 | Brighton, St. Andrew's | | W. Armit | Box 94, Brighton K0K 1H0 |
| 2 | Lakeport, St. Paul's | | N. K. Fiddick | Box 24, R.R. 3, Colborne K0K 1S0 |
| 7 | Fenelon Falls, St. Andrew's | Wm. Fairley | W. Cunningham | 24 Francis Street, Fenelon Falls K0M 1N0 |
| 5 | Glenora, Knox | | G. Jamieson | R.R. 3, Woodville K0M 2T0 |
| 8 | Kirkfield, St. Andrew's | | W. C. Osborne | Kirkfield K0M 2B0 |
| 4 | Bolsover, St. Andrew's | | W. N. Ross | R.R. 6, Woodville K0M 2T0 |
| 4 | Eldon Station, St. Andrew's | | E. MacInnes | R.R. 6, Woodville K0M 2T0 |
| 9 | Lakefield, St. Andrew's | | J. Brown | Lakefield K0L 2H0 |
| 10 | Lakehurst, Knox | | H. Palmer | R.R. 1, Peterborough K9J 6X2 |
| 10 | Leaskdale, St. Paul's | W. Newman, B.A., B.D., B.Th. | R. Haynes | R.R. 2, Uxbridge L0C 1K0 |
| 11 | Lindsay, St. Andrew's | D. G. Leake, B.A., B.Ed. | W. Watson | R.R. 5, Lindsay K9V 4R5 |
| 12 | Millbrook, Grace | | M. Larmer | R.R. 1, Fraserville K0L 1V0 |
| 13 | Norwood, St. Andrew's | J. A. Neilson, C.D. | K. Ross | R.R. 1, Norwood K0L 2V0 |
| 12 | Havelock, Knox | | A. W. Allan | R.R. 1, Havelock K0L 1Z0 |
| 3 | Westwood, Francis Andrew | | D. Wilson | R.R. 3, Hastings K0L 1Y0 |
| 14 | Peterborough, St. Giles | J. A. Grubb, M.A., B.Ed. | R. Jubly | 587 Sherbrooke St., Peterborough K9J 2P4 |
| 7 | Keene, Knox | | B. Renwick | 680 Cameron St., Peterborough K9J 3Z8 |
| 15 | Peterborough, St. Paul's | A. J. Calder, B.A., B.D. | G. Dundas | 1290 Victory Dr., Peterborough K9J 4T7 |
| 16 | Peterborough, St. Stephen's | J. W. Hutchison, B.A., B.D. | B. Cossar | 492 Homewood Ave., Peterborough K9H 2N3 |

Leaskdale Low S. Mackay

14. PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Money (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 231 | 734 | 2077 | 84 | 26 | 55 | 35 | 56 | 2868 | 12 | 121518 | 327366 | 369008 | 429746 | 52923 | 11348 | 13092 | 503022 | 53785 | 1 |
| 211 | 798 | 2006 | 96 | 51 | 57 | 43 | 101 | 2920 | 11 | 113409 | 286849 | 369332 | 401418 | 49041 | 11716 | 14312 | 476414 | 49463 | 1 |
| 20 | | 71 | | | | | | | | 8109 | 40517 | 324 | 28328 | 3882 | 368 | 1220 | 26608 | 4322 | 3 |
| | 64 | | 12 | 25 | 2 | 8 | 45 | 48 | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 10 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 11 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 18 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 1 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 19 |

A. L. SUTHERLAND, Clerk of Presbytery

15. PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY-PETERBOROUGH

| No. | Pastoral Charge | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address | No. of Elders | No. of Pupils | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed | Communicants on Roll | Money (M) or R.H. | Stipend Paid | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised | Amount Raised for Budget | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other | Total amount raised | Received by Treasurer | Number | |
|-----|-----------------------------|--|------------------|--|---------------|---------------|------------|----------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|--------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------|----|
| 8 | Beaverton | Donald B. Hanley | M. Vyse | R.R. 2, Beaverton L0K 1A0 | 32 | 120 | | 12 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 134 | M | 7812 | 16600 | 16600 | 16309 | 1825 | 766 | 479 | 19380 | 1826 | 1 |
| 4 | Gamebridge | | H. Furniss | R.R. 1, Brechin L0K 1B0 | 27 | 28 | | 4 | | | 1 | 40 | | 2988 | 3038 | 3038 | 12291 | 495 | 160 | 12946 | 504 | | |
| 7 | Bobcaygeon, Knox Rosedale | C. C. MacInnes | F. Jones | 35 Red St., Bobcaygeon K0M 1A0 | 50 | 84 | 5 | | 2 | 1 | 24 | 84 | M | 12000 | 26895 | 26895 | 24956 | 2015 | 532 | 413 | 27915 | 2010 | 2 |
| 3 | Bowmanville, St. Andrew's | J. S. Gilchrist, B.A., B.Ch., B.M., B.S. | F. Kramp | 37 King St. E., Bowmanville L1C 1N1 | 40 | 85 | 2 | 2 | | 4 | 1 | 14 | M | 1400 | 1729 | 1729 | 1642 | 213 | 62 | 246 | 2163 | 213 | |
| 4 | Campbellford, St. Andrew's | G. Dennis Freeman, B.A., M.Div. | E. A. McCook | R.R. 4, Campbellford K0L 1L0 | 43 | 74 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 109 | M | 4565 | 11051 | 14973 | 17791 | 1150 | 674 | 172 | 19787 | 3115 | 4 |
| 5 | Burnbrae, St. Andrew's | | C. Carter | R.R. 5, Stirling K0K 3E0 | 100 | 286 | 9 | 13 | 10 | 23 | 5 | 438 | M | 15300 | 39069 | 51072 | 63312 | 9324 | 1397 | 112 | 74145 | 9324 | 5 |
| 6 | Cobourg, St. Andrew's | S. A. Hayes, B.A., B.D., S.T.M. | P. Greathead | 972 Curtis Crs., Cobourg K9A 2W3 | 12 | 68 | | | 1 | 1 | 2 | 87 | RH | 2369 | 9067 | 9067 | 10415 | 598 | 291 | 11304 | 598 | 6 | |
| 3 | Brighton, St. Andrew's | | W. Armit | Box 286 Colborne K0K 1S0 | 27 | 1 | | | | 2 | 27 | | | 1811 | 1997 | 1997 | 2202 | 39 | | 2241 | 322 | | |
| 2 | Lakeport, St. Paul's | | N. K. Fiddick | Box 94, Brighton K0K 1H0 | 15 | | | | | | 15 | | | 613 | 1275 | 1275 | 2382 | | | 2382 | 80 | | |
| 7 | Fenelon Falls, St. Andrew's | Wm. Fairley | W. Cunningham | 24 Francis Street, Fenelon Falls K0M 1N0 | 12 | 70 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 104 | M | 5854 | 10740 | 15506 | 12936 | 1450 | 595 | 213 | 15194 | 1450 | 7 |
| 5 | Glenora, Knox | | G. Jamieson | R.R. 3, Woodville K0M 2T0 | 9 | 45 | | | | 2 | 2 | 56 | | 5780 | 8586 | 8586 | 9320 | 900 | 779 | 259 | 11258 | 900 | |
| 8 | Kirkfield, St. Andrew's | | W. C. Osborne | Kirkfield K0M 2B0 | 24 | 51 | 2 | 1 | 6 | | 6 | 63 | M | 3877 | 9048 | 9048 | 13556 | 1071 | 713 | 50 | 15390 | 1071 | 8 |
| 4 | Bolsover, St. Andrew's | | W. N. Ross | R.R. 6, Woodville K0M 2T0 | 32 | 47 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 68 | | | 3776 | 6487 | 6487 | 145203 | 412 | 754 | | 146203 | 388 | |
| 4 | Eldon Station, St. Andrew's | | E. MacInnes | R.R. 6, Woodville K0M 2T0 | 22 | 54 | 4 | 5 | | | 1 | 14 | M | 3405 | 5075 | 2615 | 100 | | | 2715 | 100 | | |
| 9 | Lakefield, St. Andrew's | | J. Brown | Lakefield K0L 2H0 | 5 | 17 | 4 | | | | 3 | 3 | | 3160 | 6527 | 6527 | 6459 | 756 | 198 | | 7413 | 893 | 9 |
| 10 | Lakehurst, Knox | | H. Palmer | R.R. 1, Peterborough K9J 6X2 | 5 | 17 | 4 | | | | 1 | 38 | M | 3047 | 3047 | 3047 | 4640 | | 127 | | 4767 | 330 | |
| 10 | Leaskdale, St. Paul's | W. Newman, B.A., B.D., B.Th. | R. Haynes | R.R. 2, Uxbridge L0C 1K0 | 70 | 68 | | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 113 | M | 11663 | 16651 | 16651 | 13900 | 2316 | 568 | 773 | 17557 | 2316 | 10 |
| 11 | Lindsay, St. Andrew's | D. G. Leake, B.A., B.Ed. | W. Watson | R.R. 5, Lindsay K9V 4R5 | 214 | 276 | 35 | 11 | 17 | 7 | 16 | 455 | M | 15053 | 39806 | 39806 | 35220 | 6500 | 776 | 1778 | 44274 | 6500 | 11 |
| 12 | Millbrook, Grace | | M. Larmer | R.R. 1, Fraserville K0L 1V0 | 45 | 1 | | | | | 1 | 64 | | 2700 | 2760 | 2760 | 852 | 400 | 308 | 25 | 1561 | 400 | 12 |
| 13 | Norwood, St. Andrew's | J. A. Neilson, C.D. | K. Ross | R.R. 1, Norwood K0L 2V0 | 73 | 93 | 8 | 3 | 12 | | 4 | 82 | M | 15595 | 20455 | 16219 | 944 | | | | 17163 | 944 | 13 |
| 12 | Havelock, Knox | | A. W. Allan | R.R. 1, Havelock K0L 1Z0 | 47 | 44 | 7 | | 6 | 2 | 11 | 85 | | 5352 | 9430 | 11908 | 14335 | 1370 | 525 | 167 | 16398 | 1371 | |
| 3 | Westwood, Francis Andrew | | D. Wilson | R.R. 3, Hastings K0L 1Y0 | 11 | | | | | | | 16 | | 1777 | 2593 | 2593 | 2869 | 129 | 151 | 250 | 3399 | 129 | |
| 14 | Peterborough, St. Giles | J. A. Grubb, M.A., B.Ed. | R. Jubly | 587 Sherbrooke St., Peterborough K9J 2P4 | 36 | 155 | 9 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 17 | 248 | M | 11810 | 30023 | 42839 | 40026 | 3332 | | | 43358 | 3332 | 14 |
| 7 | Keene, Knox | | B. Renwick | 680 Cameron St., Peterborough K9J 3Z8 | 12 | 24 | | | | | 2 | 57 | | 1332 | 2624 | 2624 | 3370 | 326 | | | 3696 | 326 | |
| 15 | Peterborough, St. Paul's | A. J. Calder, B.A., B.D. | G. Dundas | 1290 Victory Dr., Peterborough K9J 4T7 | 115 | 400 | 21 | 14 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 812 | | 13900 | 16900 | 16900 | 59905 | 12500 | 899 | | 73294 | 12500 | 15 |
| 16 | Peterborough, St. Stephen's | J. W. Hutchison, B.A., B.D. | B. Cossar | 492 Homewood Ave., Peterborough K9H 2N3 | 60 | 124 | 3 | 4 | 4 | | 2 | 200 | M | 4308 | 14745 | 24435 | 26504 | 1380 | 311 | 1156 | 29351 | 1495 | 16 |

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|------------------------|--|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 17 | Port Hope, St. Paul's | T. J. McKinney, B.A. | Mrs. A. O'Neill | 31 Ralston St., Port Hope L1A 2C2 |
| 18 | Port Perry, St. John's Ashburn, Burns | S. O. McEntyre, B.A., B.D. | D. Sinclair | Port Perry L0B 1N0 |
| 19 | South Monaghan, Centreville Fowler's Corners, Lakevale | | H. Ashton | R.R. 1, Ashburn L0B 1A0 |
| 20 | Sutton West, St. Andrew's | Gordon E. Timbers, B.A., M.Div. | E. Brackenridge | R.R. 2, Millbrook L0A 1G0 |
| 21 | Uxbridge, St. Andrew's-Chalmers | G. H. Moore, B.A., B.Th., D.Min. | R. Moncreiff | R.R. 2, Peterborough K3J 6X3 |
| 22 | Warkworth, St. Andrew's Hastings, St. Andrew's | S. G. Dunkin, B.Comm., M.Div. | L. Jewell | Box 71, Sutton West L0E 1R0 |
| 23 | Wick Cresswell, St. John's | Frank DeVries, B.A., B.D. | L. S. Ball | Uxbridge L0C 1K0 |
| 24 | Woodville, Knox Cannington, Knox South Eldon, St. Andrew's | | B. White | Box 39, Warkworth K0K 3K0 |
| 25 | Nestleton, Cadmus Sonya, St. Andrew's | | S. Beamish | R.R. 1, Hastings K0L 1Y0 |
| 26 | Warsaw, St. Andrew's | | R. Robertson | R.R. 4, Sunderland L0C 1H0 |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Psychologist | J.D.L. Howson, C.D., M.A., L.Th. | B. Currie | R.R. 1, Manilla K0M 2J0 |
| 2 | Retired | W. Fitzsimons | D. Gilchrist | Box 61, Woodville K0M 2T0 |
| 3 | Retired | J. W. Foote, V.C., B.A., LL.D., D.D. | J. Ross | R.R. 2, Cannington L0E 1E0 |
| 4 | Missionary | B.L.M. Embree, M.A., B.D., Th.M. | R. Torrey | R.R. 5, Woodville K0M 2T0 |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | | N. Caswell, B.A. | | |
| 2 | | L. H. Fowler, M.A., B.D., D.D. | | |
| 3 | | H. Heustin, B.A. | | |
| 4 | | C. J. McKay, B.A., D.D. | | |
| 5 | | M. C. Young, B.A. | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Karen Timbers | Box 312 | | Sutton West, Ont. L0E 1R0 |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. C. Steinmetz | R.R. 1 | | Campbellford, Ont. K0L 1L0 |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | |
| Increase | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 16 | Total on Roll | 23 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 | Ministers on Appendix | 5 |
| Others on Roll | 4 | Grand Total of Ministers | 28 |

Box 312, Sutton West, Ont. L0E 1R0. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 416-722-8972. February 24, 1978

*Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

| No. | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | Aurora, St. Andrew's | A. S. MacDonald, B.A., B.D., S.T.M. | K. McCutcheon |
| 2 | Markham, St. Andrew's | C. A. Cribar, M.A. | T. A. Leishman |
| 3 | Newmarket, St. Andrew's | A. J. Gowland, M.A., D.D. | W. H. Jackman |
| 4 | Oshawa, Knox | J. A. McKay, B.A. | M. Taylor |
| 5 | Oshawa, St. Luke's | J. M. Anderson, B.A., B.D. | M. Johnson |
| 6 | Oshawa, St. Paul's | F. Conkey, M.A. | J. R. Cornish |
| 7 | Pickering, St. Andrew's | W. A. Wallace, B.A., S.T.B., S.T.M. | J. H. McClement |
| 8 | Richmond Hill | J. B. Burns, M.A., B.D., Ph.D. | W. G. Hazell |
| 9 | Thornhill | W.J.S. McClure, B.A. | T. E. Thompson |
| 10 | Whitby, St. Andrew's | | J. R. Frost |

W.D. Spinton
51 Cobblestone Ave., Oshawa Ont.
416 688

15. PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY-PETERBOROUGH

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | M (M) or R (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|-------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 29 | 92 | 201 | 7 | | 3 | 2 | 5 | 237 | M | 12500 | 32927 | 32927 | 41908 | 4262 | 1520 | 290 | 47960 | 4262 | 17 |
| *8 | 26 | 61 | 2 | | 1 | | 1 | 102 | M | 3252 | 11667 | 17849 | 113036 | 1501 | 591 | 180 | 15308 | 1487 | 18 |
| 11 | 49 | 68 | 2 | | | | | 90 | M | 6149 | 10848 | 10848 | 12576 | 2633 | 704 | 754 | 16667 | 2908 | |
| 9 | 49 | 75 | 1 | | 45 | 6 | | 127 | M | 7216 | 13154 | 16388 | 15106 | 1806 | 619 | 863 | 18394 | 1806 | 19 |
| 5 | | 13 | | | | | | 24 | | | | | | | | | | 220 | |
| 6 | 25 | 63 | 3 | 3 | 8 | | | 91 | M | 6400 | 13818 | 17808 | 18021 | 855 | | 35 | 18911 | 855 | 20 |
| 12 | 45 | 139 | 1 | 4 | | | 3 | 136 | M | 11700 | 29886 | 32493 | 30097 | 2950 | 1174 | 1029 | 35250 | 3050 | 21 |
| 8 | 30 | 53 | 3 | 5 | 1 | | | 120 | M | 5885 | 14238 | 17038 | 18823 | 1501 | 350 | 1054 | 21728 | 1501 | 22 |
| 7 | 37 | 56 | | | | | 1 | 98 | M | 3937 | 8152 | 8152 | 9808 | 852 | 252 | 200 | 11112 | 852 | |
| 3 | 24 | 18 | | | | | | 39 | M | 4160 | 7740 | 7740 | 6699 | 419 | 350 | 194 | 7662 | 419 | 23 |
| 4 | 35 | 32 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | 46 | M | 4504 | 6958 | 7058 | 6469 | 408 | 397 | 45 | 7319 | 458 | |
| 6 | 18 | 40 | 2 | 8 | 5 | | | 65 | M | 7865 | 3146 | 8900 | 9122 | 2240 | 514 | 155 | 13005 | 2032 | 24 |
| 7 | | 35 | | | | | 3 | 57 | | 1360 | 1551 | 1551 | 4299 | 340 | 367 | | 5006 | 340 | |
| 2 | 7 | 27 | | 2 | | | | 26 | | 1025 | 2684 | 3257 | 4508 | 250 | | | 4758 | | |
| *4 | 20 | 21 | | | | | | 27 | M | 850 | 2350 | 2350 | 2330 | | | | 2330 | 447 | 25 |
| *4 | 25 | 13 | 1 | | | | | 21 | | | | | | | | | 1002 | | |
| *5 | | 18 | 6 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 115 | 26 |
| 441 | 1594 | 3448 | 157 | 120 | 184 | 71 | 166 | 5171 | 27 | 244636 | 519141 | 589516 | 817956 | 74919 | 20795 | 10984 | 926372 | 76294 | |
| 419 | 1552 | 3292 | 143 | 101 | 116 | 48 | 145 | 5010 | 24 | 188391 | 416773 | 512795 | 626135 | 67100 | 20771 | 7511 | 722509 | 70369 | |
| 19 | 42 | 156 | 14 | 19 | 68 | 23 | 21 | 161 | 3 | 55245 | 102368 | 86721 | 191821 | 7819 | 24 | 3473 | 203863 | 5925 | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self Supporting Charges | 17 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 9 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 26 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 30 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 15 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 45 |

GORDON TIMBERS, Clerk of Presbytery

16. PRESBYTERY OF EAST TORONTO

| No. | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address |
|-----|----------|-------|--------------|
| 15 | | | |
| 16 | | | |
| 16 | | | |
| 26 | | | |
| 9 | | | |
| 16 | | | |
| 15 | | | |
| 20 | | | |
| 41 | | | |
| 20 | | | |

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-------------------------------|--|---|---------------------|--------------|
| 23 | Contractor | H. F. MacNeill | | |
| 24 | Retired | A. McLean, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 25 | Teacher | D. W. Miles, B.A. | | |
| 26 | Retired, Minister Emeritus | J. M. Milroy, B.A., M.A., B.D. | | |
| 27 | Hospital Administrator | R. Mulchey, B.A., M.Div. | | |
| 28 | Retired | A. Reoch, B.A., D.D. | | |
| 29 | Regional Secretary, U.B.S. Asia-Pacific Region | R. Self, M.A., B.D., M.Th. | | |
| 30 | Retired | S. E. Smith, B.A. | | |
| 31 | Retired, Minister Emeritus | J.C.P. Stirling, M.A., B.D., D.D. | | |
| 32 | Teacher | R. F. Swann, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 33 | Missionary | J. W. Voekel, M.A., M.Div. | | |
| 34 | Overseas Missionary | R. Wallace, M.A., M.Div. | | |
| 35 | Teacher | D. M. Warne, B.A., Ph.D. | | |
| 36 | Professor, University of Toronto | J. Wevers, B.A., B.D., Ph.D., Th.D., D.D. | | |
| 37 | Teacher | B. V. Will, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 38 | Teacher | J. W. Williams, B.A. | | |
| 39 | Teacher | D. C. Wotherspoon, M.A., B.D. | | |
| 40 | Supt. Scott Mission | A. Zeidman, B.A., B.D., M.Th., D.D. | | |
| 41 | Retired | B.D.H. Zi, B.A., B.D., Ph.D. | | |
| 42 | Minister without Charge | S. Y. Chen, B.Th., M.Div. | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Miss Ina Adamson, B.Sc.(H.Ec.), B.Ed. | 156 St. George St. | Toronto M5S 2G1 | |
| 2 | Miss Mabel Booth | 3 Nealon Ave. | Toronto M4K 1Y8 | |
| 3 | Miss Pauline Esler | 630 Spadina Ave. | Toronto M5S 2B4 | |
| 4 | Miss Lynda Hoffos | 75 Simcoe St. | Toronto M5J 1W9 | |
| 5 | Miss Brenda Moncrieff | W.M.S. 50 Wynford Dr. | Don Mills M3C 1J7 | |
| 6 | Miss Eileen McVittie | 470 Balliol St. | Toronto M4S 1E2 | |
| 7 | Miss May Nutt | 216-5 Shady Golfway | Don Mills M3C 3A5 | |
| 8 | Miss Lois Powrie | 32 Milverton Blvd. | Toronto K4J 1T6 | |
| 9 | Miss Arlene Randall | 20 Tuxedo Court, #409 | Scarborough M1G 3S5 | |
| 10 | Miss Margaret Stewart | 906-24 Forest Manor Rd. | Willowdale M2J 1N3 | |
| 11 | Miss Charlotte Stuart | 947 Queen St. E. | Toronto M4M 1J9 | |
| 12 | Miss Catherine Watson | 411-8 Mile Post Place | Toronto M4H 1E1 | |
| 13 | Miss Lillian Reay | 78 Roxborough St. E. | Toronto M4W 1V8 | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Norman Ballard | 54 Captain Rolph Blvd. | Markham L3P 2P8 | |
| 2 | Mrs. W. G. Baulch | 736 Balliol St. | Toronto M4S 1E7 | |
| 3 | Mrs. Frank Conkey | 46 Windsor Dr. N. | Pickering L1V 2H1 | |
| 4 | Mrs. Jean Cook | 44 Summerfeldt Cres. | Unionville L3R 2B2 | |
| 5 | Miss Christine Currie | 744 Hortop St. | Oshawa L1G 4N9 | |
| 6 | Miss Shirley Dredge, B.A. | 307-60 Clipper Rd. | Willowdale M2J 4E2 | |
| 7 | Miss Florence Geortzen | 33-136 Kingston Rd. | Toronto M4L 1S8 | |
| 8 | Miss Agnes Gollan | 1333 Queen St. E. | Toronto M4L 1C6 | |
| 9 | Mrs. R. D. Holohan | 26 Hughson Dr. R.R. 1 | Unionville L3R 2L6 | |
| 10 | Miss Jessie Horne, B.A., M.Ed. | 5 Stuart Ave. | Willowdale M2N 1A9 | |
| 11 | Mrs. J. Hopkins | 4 Liszt Gate, Unit 11 | Willowdale M2H 1G7 | |
| 12 | Miss Isabella Hunter | 809-10 Hogarth Ave. | Toronto M4K 1J9 | |
| 13 | Mrs. A. D. MacLellan | 11 Bellechasse St. | Scarborough M1H 2G2 | |
| 14 | Miss M. McGowan | 2710-95 Thorncliffe Park Dr. | Toronto M4H 1L7 | |
| 15 | Miss Margaret Near, B.A. | 47 Toledo Rd. | Etobicoke M9C 2H4 | |
| 16 | Mrs. Earle Roberts | 66 Cottonwood Dr. | Don Mills M3C 2B4 | |
| 17 | Miss I. Scott | 158 Crescent Rd., #407 | Toronto M4W 1V2 | |
| 18 | Mrs. M. Spaulding | 78 Durant Ave. | Toronto M5J 4W2 | |
| 19 | Mrs. Millicent Waldie | 85 Gamble Ave., #602 | Toronto M4K 2H6 | |
| 20 | Miss Flora Whiteford | 95 Thorncliffe Pk. Dr. | Toronto M4H 1L7 | |
| 21 | Miss Lois Whitewell | 35 Walmer Rd., #812 | Toronto M5R 2X3 | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | |
| Increase | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | |

16. PRESBYTERY OF EAST TORONTO

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|---------|--------|
| 999 | 4094 | 9586 | 452 | 350 | 538 | 333 | 690 | 13321 | 50 | 636885 | 1918208 | 2283059 | 2290015 | 316921 | 65361 | 258601 | 2968779 | 328198 |
| 983 | 4129 | 9884 | 520 | 278 | 498 | 419 | 709 | 13465 | 50 | 573426 | 1725135 | 2047560 | 2294479 | 320077 | 68152 | 187890 | 2802539 | 303609 |
| 16 | 35 | 298 | 68 | 72 | 40 | 86 | 19 | 144 | | 63459 | 193073 | 235499 | 4464 | 3156 | 2791 | 70711 | 166240 | 24589 |

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
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No.

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|-----|
| In S.S. Charges | 42 | Total on Roll | 82 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 5 | Ministers on Appendix | 42 |
| Others on Roll | 35 | Grand Total of Ministers | 124 |

115 St. Andrew's Rd., Scarborough, Ontario M1P 4N2. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 416-438-4370. February 25, 1978 *Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

| No. | Minister | Clerk | P O Address |
|---------------------------------|--|------------------------|---|
| 1 Bermuda | L. G. Smith | H. Browne | *Box 174, Paget, Bermuda |
| 2 King City | A. R. Dallison, B.D. | D. McCallum | 6 Navan Cr., Aurora, Ont. L4G 2V5 |
| 3 Maple | W. G. French, B.Sc., M.Div. | W. B. Cross | Box 33, Nobleton, Ont. L0G 1N0 |
| 4 Vaughan, St. Paul's | | A. E. Snider | Box 71, Maple, Ont. L0J 1E0 |
| 5 Woodbridge | J. V. Mills, B.D., LL.D. | A. Cameron | 9490 Weston Rd., Woodbridge, Ont. L4L 1A6 |
| 6 Metropolitan Toronto | | C. J. Agnew | 7100 Jane St., Concord, Ont. L4K 1A6 |
| 7 Albion Gardens | V. W. Raison, B.A. | H. T. Row | 242 Thistledown Blvd., Rexdale M9V 1K7 |
| 8 Alderwood | B. W. Walker, M.A., B.D. | G. Comrie (Assessor) | 8 Bridgetown Dr., Etobicoke M9C 2P4 |
| 9 Bonar-Parkdale | H. Russell, B.Th. | W. R. Menagh | 20 Wyndham St., Toronto M6K 1R7 |
| 10 Chalmers | J. P. Arbuthnot | W. J. Cooke | 34 Afton Ave., Toronto M6J 1R8 |
| 11 Dovercourt-St. Paul's | | M. Mair | 601 Brock Ave., Toronto M6H 3N9 |
| 12 Coldstream | R. B. Herrod, B.A., B.D. | M. F. Oster | 38 Frontenac Ave., Toronto M5N 1Z7 |
| 13 Dufferin Street | | S. Jardine | 9 Russett Ave., Toronto M6H 3M4 |
| 14 Fairbank | K. J. Matthews | Miss C. D. Shaw | 2040 Eglinton Ave. W., Apt. 206, Toronto, Ont. M6E 2K5 |
| 15 Grace, Etobicoke | T. G. Samuel Mus. Bac., M.Div. | Mrs. H. Jamieson, B.A. | 6 Baskerville Cr., Etobicoke M9C 1T7 |
| 16 Hillview | P.G.D. Kerr, B.A., B.D. | A. Sutherland | 39 Glen Agar Cr., Etobicoke M9B 5L8 |
| 17 First Hungarian | E. Seress | Z. Soos | 320 Dixon Rd., Apt. 1201, Weston M9R 1S8 |
| 18 Hungarian, Oshawa | | Mrs. K. Urban | 1188 Ritson Rd., Oshawa L1H 5M4 |
| 19 Logan Gergie | J. Honeyman, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | C. E. Sandford | 21 Ambleside Ave., Toronto, Ont. M8Z 2H5 |
| 20 Mimico | M. E. Burch, B.A., B.D. D.D. | L. T. Giggs | 1422 Myron Dr., Mississauga L5E 2N4 |
| 21 Morningside-High Park | J. K. Lattimore, B.A., D.D. | D. S. Toye | 94 Jopling Ave. N., Islington M9B 4G4 |
| 22 North Park | | C. T. Baker | 56 North Park Dr., Toronto, Ont. M6K 1K2 |
| 23 Oakwood | | | |
| 24 Dissolved Dec. 4, 1977 | | | |
| 25 Park Lawn | E. F. Smith | G. Isaac | 68 Sunnylea Ave. E., Toronto M8Y 2K6 |
| 26 Patterson | Mrs. N. M. Davidson, B.A. | J. Raffan | 18 Thurodale Ave., Toronto M6M 3B3 |
| 27 Pine Ridge | D. N. Young, B.A., M.Div. | V. Lythe | 43 Larchmere Ave., Weston M9L 2N4 |
| 28 Rexdale | E. O'Neill | G. Bartley | 15 Hardisty Dr., Rexdale M9W 2M9 |
| 29 Runnymede | J. McMurray, M.A., M.Div., D.Min. | J. F. McVeigh | 34 Laurewood Cr., Weston M9P 1L5 |
| 30 Saehahn Korean | D. K. Kim, B.Th., M.Div., Th.M. | C. K. Lee | 530 Lolita Gardens, #1803, Mississauga, Ont. L5A 3T2 |
| 31 St. Andrew's, Humber Heights | A.H.W. McWilliams, B.A., M.Div. | R. Bethune | 3620 Ponytrail Dr., Mississauga, Ont. L4X 1W4 |
| 32 St. Andrew's, Islington | A. M. McCombie, B.A., B.D. | D. Comrie | 3980 Bloor St. W., Islington, Ont. M9B 1M3 |
| 33 St. Giles Kingway | W. J. Adamson, B.A., B.D. | Dr. R. G. Bremner | 27 Anglesy Blvd., Islington, Ont. M9A 3B4 |
| 34 St. James, Long Branch | H. L. Shantz, M.A. | T. O. Shields | 53-16th St., Toronto M8V 3J7 |
| 35 St. Stephen's, Weston | V. H. Turner | F. Johnson | 69 Habitant Dr., Weston M9M 2N7 |
| 36 Toronto Korean | H. M. Park, Th.M. | K. S. Oh | 1015 Pharmacy Ave., Agincourt M1R 2G8 |
| 37 University | W. Lemen, M.A., B.D., Th.M. | Ms. M. Benner | 2825 Islington Ave. N., Apt. 912, Weston, Ont. M9L 2K1 |
| 38 Victoria-Royce | D.J.M. Corbett, B.A., B.D., LL.B., Ph.D. | E. A. Grant | 356 Beresford Ave., Toronto, Ont. M6S 3B5 |
| 39 Weston | M. L. Garvin, B.A., M.Div. | R. E. Hamilton | Highway Terraces, 2314 Islington Ave., Apt. 510, Rexdale M9W 5W9 |
| 40 Wychwood-Davenport | G. B. Wilson, B.A., B.D. | J. M. Burnett | 30 Henderson Ave., Thornhill L3T 2K3 |
| 41 York Memorial | | T. F. Wilson | 28 Kylemore Cr., Weston, Ont. M9P 1C9 |

16. PRESBYTERY OF EAST TORONTO

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants | | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self Supporting Charges | 44 |
| And Receiving Charges | 8 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 52 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 49 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 8 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 57 |

W. W. MacNEILL, Clerk of Presbytery

17. PRESBYTERY OF WEST TORONTO

| No. | Minister | Clerk | P O Address | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | | |
|-----|----------|-------|-------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|--------|-------|----|
| 19 | 42 | 116 | 2 | 11 | 6 | 3 | 20 | 144 | M | 12040 | 41486 | 51188 | 48845 | 2000 | 1307 | 52152 | 2000 | 1 | |
| 6 | 17 | 42 | 3 | | 4 | 6 | 2 | 75 | M | 3000 | 6863 | 8887 | 14615 | 1770 | 896 | 342 | 17622 | 1770 | 2 |
| 6 | 49 | 39 | 2 | | 5 | 3 | 5 | 60 | | 3638 | 14198 | 17135 | 17945 | 1974 | 1560 | 21479 | 1974 | | |
| 12 | 21 | 57 | 1 | | | | | 102 | M | 7790 | 11055 | 14033 | 23210 | 2282 | 657 | 740 | 26889 | 2282 | 3 |
| 6 | | 36 | 3 | | | | | 50 | | 6390 | 11618 | 11618 | 9737 | 700 | 420 | 10858 | 700 | | |
| 17 | 19 | 102 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 147 | M | 13078 | 24098 | 30118 | 27243 | 4031 | 870 | 32144 | 4031 | 4 | |
| 15 | 70 | 123 | 3 | 8 | 11 | | 44 | 181 | M | 9568 | 17504 | 25780 | 23926 | 914 | 364 | 25204 | 914 | 5 | |
| 20 | 20 | 137 | 4 | | 14 | 2 | 2 | 225 | MA | 6698 | 19270 | 23479 | 17349 | 397 | | 17746 | | 6 | |
| 12 | 30 | 190 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 11 | 222 | MA | 15216 | 56571 | 56571 | 57028 | 3388 | 829 | 800 | 62046 | 3388 | 7 |
| 3 | | 48 | | | | | | 60 | MA | 4920 | 13547 | 13547 | 14535 | 695 | 426 | 15856 | 695 | 8 | |
| 9 | 12 | 75 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 100 | | 7380 | 26656 | 29656 | 25890 | 2588 | 1375 | 190 | 30013 | 2588 | |
| 18 | 24 | 108 | 5 | 3 | 11 | 8 | | 202 | M | 13531 | 23001 | 27086 | 29117 | 6213 | 491 | 1321 | 37142 | 6213 | 9 |
| 11 | 10 | 52 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 90 | | 5545 | 14521 | 20554 | 14670 | 799 | 918 | 110 | 16497 | 799 | 10 |
| 9 | 9 | 89 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 124 | | 12042 | 20343 | 20343 | 18992 | 1097 | 130 | 20219 | 1097 | 11 | |
| 22 | 94 | 162 | 10 | 5 | 20 | 5 | 15 | 256 | M | 12871 | 32124 | 41251 | 41492 | 2898 | 257 | 124 | 44703 | 2898 | 12 |
| 12 | 35 | 105 | 2 | | 12 | 12 | 22 | 178 | MA | 13180 | 25636 | 33050 | 36186 | 369 | | | 36555 | 369 | 13 |
| 18 | 100 | 311 | 13 | 6 | 16 | 1 | 17 | 326 | RH | 13700 | 33964 | 40504 | 43050 | 2000 | | 1656 | 46906 | 2000 | 14 |
| 3 | | 26 | | | | | | 23 | | 500 | 1044 | 1044 | 1532 | 75 | | | 1607 | 75 | |
| 8 | 16 | 102 | 1 | 1 | | 2 | 2 | 149 | M | 5755 | 10409 | 12041 | 22347 | 1123 | | 50 | 23470 | 1123 | 15 |
| 13 | 75 | 142 | 14 | 6 | 3 | 12 | 13 | 234 | M | 13018 | 28661 | 35287 | 36462 | 5000 | | | 41462 | 5000 | 16 |
| 30 | 72 | 258 | 14 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 21 | 321 | M | 12696 | 41072 | 41283 | 39885 | 6462 | 1246 | 486 | 48079 | 6462 | 17 |
| 5 | 10 | 63 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 13 | 2 | 113 | | 6757 | 12560 | 14960 | 18673 | 889 | | | 19562 | 889 | 18 |
| *6 | | 31 | | | | | | 66 | | 4420 | 5223 | 9643 | 10537 | 966 | | | 11503 | 966 | 19 |
| 16 | 46 | 106 | 3 | 8 | 7 | 3 | 17 | 156 | MA | 11800 | 26742 | 26742 | 30010 | 3469 | | 250 | 33729 | 3469 | 20 |
| 9 | 10 | 71 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 105 | MA | 8800 | 17705 | 17705 | 25210 | 3140 | 368 | 317 | 29035 | 3140 | 21 |
| 4 | 35 | 37 | | | | | | 53 | M | 9500 | 17605 | 17605 | 12945 | 1325 | 1840 | | 16110 | 1325 | 22 |
| 7 | 46 | 72 | 6 | 18 | 8 | | 10 | 76 | MA | 14870 | 21401 | 21401 | 18461 | 448 | 25 | 164 | 19098 | 448 | 23 |
| 31 | 19 | 218 | 2 | 4 | | 9 | 16 | 318 | MA | 12607 | 43606 | 44520 | 46314 | 8030 | 600 | 263 | 55207 | 8030 | 24 |
| 4 | 97 | 86 | 26 | 9 | 4 | 42 | 9 | 127 | MA | 12384 | 43141 | 43141 | 41866 | | | | 41866 | | 25 |
| 50 | 175 | 377 | 4 | 18 | 12 | 30 | 27 | 593 | MA | 5398 | 56822 | 77062 | 88160 | 17715 | 1020 | 665 | 107560 | 17715 | 26 |
| 26 | 125 | 245 | 5 | 9 | 11 | 19 | 29 | 389 | M | 18204 | 59167 | 81669 | 83057 | 10150 | 2869 | 10858 | 106934 | 10150 | 27 |
| 37 | 51 | 234 | 2 | 3 | 15 | 9 | 11 | 473 | M | 15028 | 50836 | 79696 | 81785 | 9028 | 1176 | 932 | 92921 | 9028 | 28 |
| 18 | 21 | 121 | 1 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 163 | M | 13299 | 22634 | 27434 | 35508 | 3830 | 903 | | 40240 | 3830 | 29 |
| 13 | 110 | 153 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 114 | M | 12046 | 24951 | 40401 | 47976 | 3455 | | | 51431 | 3455 | 30 |
| 7 | 234 | 278 | 39 | 36 | 68 | | 9 | 359 | MA | 14200 | 71385 | 77391 | 96741 | 2400 | | 13502 | 112642 | 2400 | 31 |
| 18 | 34 | 203 | 23 | 22 | 7 | 21 | 2 | 211 | M | 11200 | 20094 | 21469 | 22883 | 2500 | | | 25393 | 2500 | 32 |
| 22 | 22 | 255 | 10 | 3 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 359 | M | 16580 | 47928 | 60228 | 58865 | 9040 | 3382 | | 71288 | 9040 | 33 |
| 25 | 67 | 210 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 7 | 11 | 327 | M | 13083 | 49385 | 55466 | 56272 | 9177 | 1565 | 963 | 67977 | 9177 | 34 |
| 23 | 23 | 155 | 4 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 189 | MA | 12396 | 33764 | 33764 | 36438 | 5796 | 1869 | 870 | 44973 | 5796 | 35 |
| 31 | 35 | 190 | 13 | 9 | 5 | 5 | 21 | 287 | | 10916 | 55160 | 55160 | 50791 | 7323 | 627 | 376 | 59116 | 7323 | 36 |

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------|
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 Retired | | F.R.M. Anderson, M.A., B.D., B.Th. | | |
| 2 Retired | | R. K. Cameron, C.D., M.A., D.D. | | |
| 3 Secretary, Board of Ministry | | J. C. Cooper, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 4 Associate Secretary, B.C.L. | | A. M. Deans, M.C., B.R.E. | | |
| 5 Special Ministry | | M. Fesenko, B.Th. | | |
| 6 Church Renewal Foundation | | W. Fitch, M.A., B.D., Ph.D. | | |
| 7 Retired | | D. McCullough, D.D. | | |
| 8 Retired | | W. B. Mitchell, B.A. | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 Retired | | B. F. Andrew | | |
| 2 Retired | | R. J. Boggs, B.A. | | |
| 3 Retired | | C. G. Boyd, B.A. | | |
| 4 Professor | | G. I. Hopton, B.A., Ph.D. | | |
| 5 Retired | | D. M. Kerr | | |
| 6 | | G. D. Little | | |
| 7 Retired | | A. A. Lowther, M.A., B.D., D.D. | | |
| 8 Retired | | C. A. McCarroll | | |
| 9 Missionary Professor | | J. W. Milne, M.Div., Th.M. | | |
| 10 Retired | | C. L. Mitchell, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 11 | | W. J. Moorhead, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 12 Retired | | J. Muchan, B.A., B.Th. | | |
| 13 Retired | | E. Orsborn | | |
| 14 | | F. A. Pickering, M.A. | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 Miss F. Matheson | | 1695 Keele St. | Toronto, Ont. M6M 3W7 | |
| 2 Mrs. J. Munshaw | | 2314 Islington Ave. | Rexdale M9W 5W9 | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| Mrs. D.J.M. Corbett | | 190 Medland St. | Toronto M6P 2N7 | |
| 2 Mrs. T. Samuel | | 63 Hardwick Court | Etobicoke M9C 4G5 | |
| | | <i>* transferred to Presbytery 2/6</i> | | |
| | | Grand Total, 1977 | | |
| | | Grand Total, 1976 | | |
| | | Increase | | |
| | | Decrease | | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S. S. Charges | 28 | Total on Roll | 41 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 5 | Ministers on Appendix | 14 |
| Others on Roll | 8 | Grand Total of Ministers | 55 |

38 Eastbourne Cr., Toronto, Ont. M8V 1W8. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 416-251-1460. February 27, 1978

* Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|---|
| 1 Bolton, Caven | | D. B. Lowry, (Stated Supply) B.A., B.D., Ph.D. | Glenn Davis | Box 340, Nobleton, Ont. L0G 1N0 |
| Nashville | | | Mrs. Florence H. Cain | R.R. 1, Kleinburg, Ont. L0J 1C0 |
| 2 Bramalea, St. Paul's | | C. M. Costerus, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | John Morley | 4 Dudley Place, Bramalea L6T 3C3 |
| 3 Brampton, St. Andrew's | | J. W. McBride, M.Div. | Ronald Tallon | 103 Elgin Drive, Brampton L6Y 2E6 |
| 4 Caledon East, Knox | | B. W. Hay, M.A., B.D. (Stated Supply) <i>H. MacDonald</i> | G. D. Gilmour | 24 Airport Rd. S., Caledon East, Ont. L0N 1E0 |
| Claude | | | D. W. Hay | Box 64, 20 Marion St., Caledon East, Ont. L0N 1E0 |
| 5 Campbellville, St. David's | | M. F. Farmery, Reg.N., M.Div. | A. T. Moore, B.A. | Box 62, Campbellville, Ont. L0P 1B0 |
| Nassagaweya | | | Stan Robinson | R.R. 1, Campbellville, Ont. L0P 1B0 |
| 6 Erin Burns | | | Fred McLaren | 214 Main St., Erin, Ont. N0B 1T0 |
| Osprige, Knox | | | G. Akiten | R.R. 3, Acton, Ont. L7J 2L9 |

17. PRESBYTERY OF WEST TORONTO

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 720 | 1825 | 5425 | 249 | 231 | 302 | 249 | 413 | 7747 | 31 | 416044 | 1153750 | 1358912 | 1426558 | 145456 | 26683 | 36256 | 1635034 | 144499 | 1 |
| 584 | 2106 | 5613 | 257 | 179 | 305 | 214 | 385 | 7897 | 32 | 359461 | 1060153 | 1270396 | 1334121 | 142102 | 24689 | 28097 | 1528986 | 135641 | 2 |
| 136 | | | | 52 | | 35 | 28 | | | 56583 | 93597 | 89516 | 92437 | 3354 | 1994 | 8159 | 106048 | 8858 | 1 |
| | | 281 | 188 | 8 | | 3 | | 150 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 2 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self Supporting Charges | 29 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 7 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 36 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 32 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 7 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 39 |

M. E. BURCH, Clerk of Presbytery

18. PRESBYTERY OF BRAMPTON

| No. | Number of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|-----|------------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 13 | 43 | 88 | | 12 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 143 | M | 4493 | 14174 | 14174 | 17564 | 3800 | 807 | 340 | 22511 | 3800 | 1 | |
| 6 | 12 | 29 | | 4 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 44 | | 1616 | 5377 | 5377 | 7292 | 1828 | 1257 | 2287 | 12665 | 1829 | | |
| 18 | 90 | 153 | | 32 | 14 | 23 | 6 | 16 | 249 | M | 11396 | 25282 | 35454 | 30602 | 2514 | | 33116 | 2514 | 2 | |
| 65 | 200 | 542 | | 37 | 27 | 28 | 17 | 9 | 833 | M | 17801 | 58864 | 65280 | 66493 | 14986 | 588 | 1049 | 83117 | 15056 | 3 |
| 7 | 32 | 64 | | 4 | 2 | | 1 | 16 | 83 | M | 4800 | 11545 | 16420 | 11835 | 1442 | | | 13278 | 1516 | 4 |
| 6 | 25 | 43 | | 1 | 4 | | | 2 | 56 | | 4800 | 10219 | 10219 | 15530 | 549 | | | 16079 | 549 | |
| 10 | 43 | 95 | | 2 | 2 | 2 | | 2 | 154 | M | 7361 | 16203 | 17339 | 15449 | 2877 | 2146 | | 20474 | 2800 | 5 |
| 6 | | 27 | | 7 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 41 | | 3032 | 7326 | 7326 | 4548 | 307 | | | 4856 | 600 | |
| 8 | 43 | 57 | | 4 | | | 5 | 34 | 87 | M | 6229 | 16925 | 19431 | 18421 | 1249 | 162 | 549 | 20382 | 1472 | 6 |
| 5 | 30 | 22 | | | 1 | | | 14 | 30 | M | 1577 | 2873 | 4735 | 4524 | 714 | | | 5238 | 714 | |

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
|------------------------|--|---|---------------------------|--|
| | Schomberg | David H. Bloomer | | R R 1, Schomberg, Ont. L0G 1T0 |
| 22 | Uppergrove, Knox East Oro, Essen Jarrett, Willis | L. M. Clifton, B.A., M.Div. | | R R 2, Orillia, Ont. L3V 6H2 R R 1, Hawestone, Ont. L0L 1T0 R R 4, Coldwater, Ont. L0K 1E0 |
| 23 | Victoria Harbour, St. Paul's Coldwater, St. Andrew's Moonstone, Knox | C. H. Carter, B.A., M.Div. | | Victoria Harbour, Ont. L0K 2A0 Port Severn, Ont. L0K 1S0 Moonstone, Ont. L0K 1N0 |
| 24 | Vankoughnet, St. David's | Robert T. Elliott | | R R 3, Bracebridge, Ont. P0B 1C0 |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Social Worker | M. D. Summers, B.A., M.S.W. | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | G. S. Baugh, B.A. | | |
| 2 | Extension Director Synod | J. C. Elder, B.A. | | |
| 3 | Probation Officer | W. S. Bell, M.A. | | |
| 4 | | R. E. MacKenzie, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 5 | Registrar, Georgian College | D. R. McKillican, C.D., B.A., B.D., M.Th. | | |
| 6 | Teacher | J.K.L. McGowan, B.A. | | |
| 7 | Retired | D. K. Perrie, B.A., D.D. | | |
| 8 | | Kenneth A. Hegan, B.A., B.D. | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Karen Timbers (Area Resource Person) | Box 312, | Sutton West, Ont. L0E 1R0 | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. S. Dowber | 633 Manly St., | Midland, Ont. L4R 3G6 | |
| 2 | Mrs. S. Sawyers | 459-5th St., | Midland, Ont. L9Y 4B1 | |
| 3 | Mrs. M. D. Summers | 118 Steele St., | Barrie, Ont. I4M 2G3 | |
| 4 | Mrs. M. Whitson | 97 Walkem Dr., | Tottenham, Ont. L0G 1W0 | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 19 | Total on Roll | 21 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 | Ministers on Appendix | 8 |
| Others on Roll | 1 | Grand Total of Ministers | 29 |

P.O. Box 142, Tottenham, Ont. L0G 1W0. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 416-936-4677. February 25, 1978

*Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|--|
| 1 | Cochrane, Knox | Vacant | D. Stewart | Box 1492, Cochrane, Ont. |
| 2 | Englehart, St. Paul's Tomstown | J. J. Urquhart, B.A., B.D. | J. Litster | Box 903, Englehart, Ont. P0J 1H0 |
| 3 | Kapuskasing, St. John's | D. E. Sherbino, B.A., B.Th., M.P.S., S.T.M. | L. Pever | R.R. 1, Englehart, Ont. P0J 1H0 |
| 4 | Kirkland Lake, St. Andrew's | D. B. Glass, B.A., M.Div. | J. Stevenson | 64 Riverside Dr., Kapuskasing, Ont. |
| 5 | New Liskeard, St. Andrew's | C. M. Mitchell, B.A., M.Div. | A. Simpson | 62A First St., Kirkland Lake, Ont. P2N 1N3 |
| 6 | Timmins, MacKay | Donald A. Codling | R. Sullivan | Box 1450, New Liskeard, Ont. P0J 1P0 |
| Inactive Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Miss Rose Chambers | 362-8th Ave., Kirkland Lake X K. B. Rowland | W. J. Messenger | 146 Tamarack, Timmins, Ont. P4N 6P8 |
| | | | | Timmins, Ont. P4N 5S5 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

19. PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 5 | 10 | 15 | 1 | | | 20 | | \$ 3312 | \$ 4620 | \$ 4621 | \$ 6096 | \$ 382 | | | \$ 6473 | | |
| 7 | 16 | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42 | M | 3547 | 7948 | 7949 | 6579 | 1102 | | 935 | 8615 | 1200 | 22 |
| 5 | 23 | 31 | 1 | 2 | | 56 | | 4022 | 5679 | 5679 | 6211 | 982 | 594 | 192 | 7980 | 950 | |
| 4 | 16 | 30 | 1 | 1 | | 47 | | 3940 | 6380 | 6381 | 5564 | 973 | 606 | 49 | 7192 | 973 | |
| 14 | 35 | 87 | 10 | 5 | 9 | 122 | M | 4864 | 10023 | 10023 | 11711 | 1312 | 354 | 320 | 13697 | 767 | 23 |
| 16 | 40 | 82 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 105 | | 4864 | 8874 | 8874 | 9339 | 2061 | 256 | 564 | 12220 | 2061 | |
| 6 | 31 | | | | | 40 | | 2230 | 2952 | 2952 | 2946 | 238 | | 35 | 3219 | 238 | |
| 4 | 17 | 15 | | | | 32 | RH | 4029 | 5808 | 8096 | 8046 | | | | | 500 | 24 |
| | | | | | | | | \$ 12500 | | | | | | | | | |
| 440 | 1998 | 3895 | 153 | 156 | 138 | 83 | 240 | 280072 | 622621 | 1023699 | 1015505 | 107783 | 22751 | 16478 | 184645 | 108106 | |
| 428 | 2061 | 3743 | 129 | 111 | 192 | 136 | 265 | 243934 | 556114 | 619881 | 670464 | 100063 | 23358 | 11438 | 814863 | 97835 | |
| 12 | | 152 | 24 | 45 | | 2 | 1 | 36134 | 66507 | 403818 | 345041 | 7720 | 607 | 5040 | 369782 | 10271 | |
| | 63 | | | | 54 | 53 | 25 | | | | | | | | | | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self Supporting Charges | 23 |
| Aid Receiving Charges | 1 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 24 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 50 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 2 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 52 |

BASIL P. DASS, Clerk of Presbytery

20. PRESBYTERY OF TEMISKAMING

| No. | Number of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|-------------------|------------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|---|
| 4 | 10 | 15 | 1 | | | 3 | 34 | RH | 2773 | 7129 | 2129 | 10256 | 630 | 105 | NIL | 10398 | 662 | 1 | |
| 6 | 25 | 78 | 4 | 3 | | 2 | 61 | M | 6800 | 10903 | 10903 | 11281 | 1468 | 306 | 143 | 13199 | 1475 | 2 | |
| 3 | 20 | 21 | 1 | 1 | | 2 | 26 | | 1300 | 1734 | 1734 | 1742 | 202 | 145 | NIL | 1742 | 202 | | |
| 6 | 35 | 47 | 3 | | | 3 | 48 | M | 2757 | 6930 | 1330 | 8835 | 920 | | 908 | 12664 | 880 | 3 | |
| 10 | 15 | 102 | | | | 6 | 3 | 153 | M | 12812 | 6396 | 6901 | 17174 | 2562 | 398 | 164 | 20297 | 2538 | 4 |
| 12 | 22 | 132 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 140 | M | 11500 | 25742 | 29742 | 29195 | 4541 | 445 | 509 | 34690 | 4541 | 5 | |
| 10 | 12 | 70 | 2 | | 3 | 5 | 97 | M | 7820 | 12214 | 15306 | 17691 | 2400 | 315 | 42 | 20448 | 2400 | 6 | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Increase | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978 STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|--|---|---------------------|-----------------|
|--|---|---------------------|-----------------|

No.

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| In S.S. Charges | 3 | Total on Roll | 5 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 | Ministers on Appendix | - |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 5 |

45 Wellington St., New Liskeard, Ontario P0J 1P0, Box 908. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number (705) 647-6242. February 20, 1978

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

| No. | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|--|
| 1 North Bay, Calvin | Zander Dunn, B.A., M.A., B.D., M.Th. | Earl Craig | 1486 Cassells St., North Bay P1B 4C1 |
| 2 Parry Sound, St. Andrew's | | Don M. Ritchie | 100 Beaconview Dr., Parry Sound |
| 3 Sault Ste. Marie, St. Giles | Alan A. Ross, B.A. | R. G. Summers | 22 Carol Ct., Sault Ste. Marie P6A 4S2 |
| Bar River, Knox | | Roger Fremlin | R.R. 4, Echo Bay P6S 1C0 |
| 4 Sault Ste. Marie, St. Paul's | L. Blake Carter, B.A., M.Div. | Don Wilson | 535 Bush St., Sault Ste. Marie P6C 3H8 |
| Sault Ste. Marie, Victoria | | Mrs. G. Clark | 1409 Base Line, Sault Ste. Marie P6A 5K6 |
| 5 Sault Ste. Marie, Westminster | Peter B. Reid, B.A. | Mrs. C. Fletcher | 56 Oakwood Dr., Sault Ste. Marie P6B 1K2 |
| 6 Sudbury, Calvin | W. Arn Fraser, B.A. | Mrs. G. Adams | 135 Kipling Cr., Sudbury P3A 1E2 |
| Sudbury, Hillside | | Mrs. R. Maier | 2217 Mildred St., Sudbury P3B 1L5 |
| 7 Sudbury, Knox | Roy Taylor, C.D., B.Th. | Ainsley A. Roseborough | 65 St. Brendan St., Sudbury P3E 1K4 |
| 8 Burk's Falls, St. Andrew's | Tijs Theijsmeijer, B.A., M.Div. | Norman Sedore | Box 157, Burk's Falls P0A 1C0 |
| Magnetewan, Knox | | Joe Bernas | Magnetewan P0A 1P0 |
| Sundridge, Knox | | Reg Miller | Box 41, Sundridge P0A 1Z0 |
| 9 Massey, First | | Jessie Burnside | Box 21, Massey P0P 1P0 |
| Others on Roll | | | |
| 1 Superintendent of Missions | Malcolm A. Mark, B.A. | | |
| 2 Canadian Forces Chaplain | S. D. Self, C.D., B.A., B.D. | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | |
| 1 Librarian, Canadore College | Garth Poff, B.A., B.D., B.L.S. | | |
| 2 Counsellor, Cambrian College | George Hunter, L.Th. | | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | |
| Mrs. A. Roseborough | 65 Brendan St. | Sudbury P3E 1K4 | |
| | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | Increase |
| | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 6 | Total on Roll | 9 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 | Ministers on Appendix | 2 |
| Others on Roll | 2 | Grand Total of Ministers | 11 |

2053 McKeown Ave., North Bay, Ont. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 705-472-4182. February 28, 1978

*Last year's Figures

20. PRESBYTERY OF TEMISKAMING

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 3 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 6 |

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|---------------------------------|---|
| Number of Congregations in them | 3 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 4 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 7 |

C. M. MITCHELL, Clerk of Presbytery

21. PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA AND NORTH BAY

| No. | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address | Stipend | Normal Expenditures | Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised | Budget Funds | W.M.S. | Other Purposes | Total | Treasurer | Number | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----|----------|-------|--------------|---------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------|----------------|--------|-----------|--------|-------|------|-------|--------|-------|---|--|--|---|--|--|--|-----|---|---|
| 19 | 95 | 231 | 9 | 11 | 12 | 6 | 5 | 253 | MA | 15479 | 38340 | 45024 | 42345 | 6737 | 519 | 788 | 50389 | 6737 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 | 119 | 148 | 3 | 6 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 235 | MA | 8500 | 39465 | 47615 | 46322 | 3451 | 82 | 7500 | 57356 | 3452 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 14 | 40 | 95 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 162 | M | 10212 | 19432 | 24415 | 23294 | 2470 | 15 | 241 | 26020 | 2470 | 3 | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 25 | 20 | 5 | | | | | 30 | | 2000 | 2000 | 2500 | 4000 | | | | 4500 | 282 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | 59 | 168 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 27 | 193 | RH | 6014 | 6014 | 6014 | 13154 | 2329 | 468 | 104 | 16055 | 2329 | 4 | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 48 | 33 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 55 | | 1875 | 4078 | 4396 | 6485 | 725 | 425 | 582 | 8217 | 725 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30 | 105 | 243 | 17 | 8 | 7 | 4 | 46 | 300 | MA | 10700 | 31500 | 31500 | 40190 | 5900 | 960 | 500 | 47550 | 3955 | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| 11 | 73 | 130 | 15 | 2 | 10 | | 1 | 127 | M | 8250 | 23083 | 31170 | 28154 | 3560 | | 1166 | 32880 | 3208 | 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 14 | 31 | 1 | 5 | 2 | | 6 | 44 | | 2700 | 6776 | 7225 | 7632 | 804 | 161 | 271 | 8134 | 1006 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | 40 | 204 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 3 | 282 | MA | 11984 | 31686 | 36686 | 43045 | 7238 | 912 | 781 | 51976 | 7000 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 15 | 44 | 2 | | | 2 | 42 | 42 | M | 4556 | 6702 | 6702 | 7315 | 236 | | | 7969 | 412 | 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 8 | 21 | | | | | 33 | 33 | | 1853 | 3233 | 4334 | 3566 | *227 | | | 3566 | 250 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 27 | | | | 2 | 9 | 49 | 49 | | 3453 | 6652 | 7716 | 6810 | *750 | | | 6810 | 600 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | 25 | 3 | | | | | 29 | 29 | | 3484 | 4234 | 5102 | 4793 | 614 | 163 | | 5570 | 614 | 9 | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12500 | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| 146 | 641 | 1420 | 74 | 58 | 64 | 33 | 104 | 1834 | 8 | 91060 | 223195 | 269399 | 277105 | 35041 | 3705 | 11933 | 326992 | 33040 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 133 | 563 | 1322 | 55 | 35 | 63 | 33 | 145 | 1671 | 9 | 71274 | 194827 | 211180 | 245638 | 30192 | 3762 | 9676 | 288355 | 33752 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 13 | 78 | 98 | 19 | 23 | 1 | | 41 | 163 | 1 | 19786 | 28268 | 49219 | 31567 | 4849 | 57 | 2257 | 38637 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 712 | | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 7 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 9 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 10 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 4 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 14 |

ZANDER DUNN, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. J. C. Henderson | c/o St. Andrew's Church, 54 Queen St. N. | Kitchener | |
| 2 | Miss Marjorie MacKay | 16 Ann St. | Guelph, Ontario | |
| 3 | Mrs. T. C. Taylor | 32 Brant St. S. | Cambridge N1S 2W5 | |
| 4 | Mrs. K. J. Wilson | 9 Shirley Ave. | Guelph N1E 4L7 | |
| 5 | Mrs. Y. Barar | 77 Dunhope St. | Cambridge N1R 4T6 | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 18 | Total on Roll | 28 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 | Ministers on Appendix | 11 |
| Others on Roll | 8 | Grand Total of Ministers | 39 |

122 Avondale Avenue South, Waterloo, Ontario N2L 2C3. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 519 578 5932 February 25, 1978 + Assessor Elder * 1976 Figures ** 1975 Figures

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

| No. | Pastoral Charge | Minister | Clerk | P O Address |
|-------------------|---------------------------|---|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Ancaster | | | | |
| 1 | St. Andrew's | B. A. Nevin, B.A. | W. J. Allan | 97 McGregor Cres. Ancaster L9G 1B3 |
| | Alberton | | Mrs. H. J. Morwick | R.R. 1, Jerseyville, Ont. L0R 1R0 |
| 2 | St. Paul's, Carluke | D. R. Sinclair, B.A. | Miss G. Calder | R.R. 2, Ancaster L9G 3L1 |
| | Knox, Binbrook | | D. Woodwork | Binbrook L0R 1C0 |
| Burlington | | | | |
| 3 | Aldershot | D. R. Nicholson, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | Penman Smith | 1552 Kerns Rd., Unit 2 L7P 3A7 |
| 4 | Brant Hills | Chas. Shaver, B.A., B.D., S.T.M. | D. Colvin | 1318 Fisher Ave. L7P 2L6 |
| 5 | Knox | James R. Weir, B.A., M.Div. | R. G. Hall | 2079 Edinburgh Rd. L7R 2C8 |
| 6 | Pineland | J. R. Goldsmith B.A., B.D. | J. Clarke | 5201 Tamarac Dr. L7L 3N3 |
| 7 | Strathcona | D. G. Morton, B.A. | A. R. Douglas | 3312 Lakeshore Rd. L7N 1A8 |
| 8 | Caledonia | | C. Hyslop | Caledonia, Box 54 N0A 1A0 |
| 9 | Dundas, Knox | W. Allum, B.A., M.Div., D.D. | G. Stutt | 5 Glenmorris Ave. L9H 1S5 |
| 10 | Grimsby, St. John's | J. R. Duke, B.A. | W. D. Ross | 23 Nelles Rd. S. L3M 2Z3 |
| 11 | Hagersville, St. Andrew's | H. Gray, B.A. | S. Woolley | 96 Main St. N0A 1H0 |
| Hamilton | | | | |
| 12 | Calvin | | Mrs. J. Harmer | 681 York Rd., Dundas L9H 5W9 |
| 13 | Central | A. Lorne Mackay, B.A., B.D., D.D., L.L.D. | G. B. Hamilton | 27 Ravenscliffe Ave. L8P 3M3 |
| 14 | Chalmers | R. J. Bernhardt, B.A., M.Div. | H. Roehm | 196 Mt. Park Ave., #13 L8V 1A2 |
| 15 | Chedoke | L. R. Renault, B.A. | Mrs. Jean Martin | 120 West 28th St. L9C 5B2 |
| 16 | Eastmount | P. J. Walter, B.A., B.D. | D. Cairnie | 355 East 42nd St. L8T 3A6 |
| 17 | Erskine | D. J. Herbison | C. R. Harris | 132 Longwood Rd. N. L8S 3V9 |
| 18 | John Calvin Hungarian | C. Baksa, B.A., B.D., M.Div. | S. Gerus | 23 Spring St., Apt. 43 L8N 2P1 |
| 19 | MacNab St. | J. A. Johnston, M.A., Th.M., Ph.D. | F. E. Milne | 69 Gilbert Ave., Ancaster L9G 1R5 |
| 20 | New Westminster | H. Macdonald, C.D., M.A., Ph.D. | J. Newton | 16 Dunbarton Ave. L8K 5B2 |
| 21 | Roxborough Park | | R. Richardet | 1206 Dunsmore Rd. L8H 1L4 |
| 22 | St. Andrew's | E. H. Jones, B.A., L.Th. | J. G. Laing | 35 Edgemont Ave. S. L8K 2H3 |
| 23 | St. Columba | T. J. Caldwell, B.D. | R. E. Wilmot | 30 Cameron Ave. S. L8K 2W9 |
| 24 | St. Cuthbert's | P. A. McCarroll, B.A., B.D. | Mrs. E. M. Gibb | 202-1001 Main St. W. L8S 1A9 |
| 25 | St. Enoch | D. W. Marshall, M.A., B.D. | Wm. Robb | 115 Wexford Ave. S. L8K 2N9 |
| 26 | St. John | G. L. Fish | G. MacKenzie | 360 King St. E., Apt. 1902, L8N 3Y2 |
| | St. David's | | J. Houston | 931 Main St. E., #5, L8M 1M7 |
| 27 | St. Paul's | D. F. Collier, M.A., B.D. | J. S. Thomson | 970 Concession St. L8T 1A1 |
| 28 | South Gate | T. M. Bailey | R. A. Fox | 105 Terrace Dr. L9A 2Y7 |

22. PRESBYTERY OF WATERLOO-WELLINGTON

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mans (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|---|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 798 | 3251 | 7334 | 357 | 292 | 378 | 166 | 410 | 2642 | 20 | 276258 | 881476 | 1108664 | 228289 | 185731 | 19612 | 48045 | 1481916 | 184444 | 1 |
| 765 | 3538 | 7392 | 299 | 275 | 380 | 178 | 266 | 2633 | 21 | 258368 | 839691 | 1054633 | 209181 | 181827 | 18727 | 45589 | 1455113 | 170761 | 2 |
| 33 | | | 58 | 17 | | | 144 | | | 16890 | 41785 | 54031 | 19108 | 3904 | 885 | 2446 | 26803 | 13683 | 3 |
| | | | | | 2 | 12 | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self Supporting Charges | 23 |
| Aid Receiving Charges | 2 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 25 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 30 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 2 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 32 |

(MRS. W. F.) BARBARA M. McLEAN, Clerk of Presbytery

23. PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|------|-------|--------|-------|------|----|
| 19 | 42 | 122 | 7 | 3 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 198 | | 7859 | 21406 | 21406 | 21470 | 3000 | 798 | 2295 | 27563 | 3000 | 1 | |
| 7 | 15 | 52 | | | 3 | 3 | 4 | 85 | | 3531 | 8249 | 8249 | 9270 | 2073 | 790 | 607 | 12840 | 2073 | | |
| 8 | 30 | 60 | 2 | | 5 | 4 | 1 | 105 | M | 2330 | 10133 | 15629 | 16269 | 2075 | 434 | 285 | 18423 | 2076 | 2 | |
| 6 | 25 | 42 | | | | 1 | 1 | 57 | | 1747 | 5147 | 6447 | 7815 | 1277 | 281 | 2075 | 11428 | 1277 | | |
| 16 | 72 | 150 | 5 | 14 | 19 | 8 | 7 | 253 | | 16500 | 33518 | 36078 | 41951 | 3244 | 256 | 1258 | 46709 | 3243 | 3 | |
| 7 | 57 | 56 | 7 | 2 | 24 | 2 | | 69 | M | 1000 | 4531 | 4531 | 7802 | 450 | | 157 | 8409 | | 4 | |
| 48 | 150 | 410 | 12 | 8 | 23 | 14 | 34 | 600 | M | 18154 | 60830 | 60830 | 59884 | 8600 | 1439 | 2785 | 72708 | 8600 | 5 | |
| 15 | 105 | 149 | 14 | 15 | 18 | 12 | 3 | 258 | M | 6554 | 24077 | 29526 | 29769 | 3900 | 177 | | 33846 | 3900 | 6 | |
| 18 | 138 | 153 | 12 | 6 | 16 | 7 | 5 | 224 | | 15400 | 31949 | 33449 | 36112 | 4400 | 150 | | 40662 | 4400 | 7 | |
| 15 | 57 | 208 | 8 | 21 | 8 | 1 | 18 | 380 | M | 10442 | 22335 | 91761 | 38791 | 3473 | 2396 | 135 | 44795 | 3473 | 8 | |
| 36 | 131 | 316 | 18 | 14 | 21 | 5 | 46 | 589 | M | 17589 | 70736 | 81725 | 81376 | 14815 | 2405 | 3646 | 102342 | 14815 | 9 | |
| 20 | 124 | 165 | 2 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 11 | 248 | M | 12790 | 26809 | 28809 | 29142 | 5588 | 450 | 1275 | 36465 | 5588 | 10 | |
| 6 | 78 | 94 | 2 | 8 | | 2 | 6 | 143 | M | 7538 | 9951 | 16648 | 23889 | 1035 | 521 | 25 | 25470 | 1035 | 11 | |
| *7 | 17 | 34 | | | | | | 46 | | 3642 | 8010 | 11652 | 11321 | 1002 | | 370 | 12693 | 945 | 12 | |
| 30 | 51 | 268 | 17 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 18 | 547 | M | 20200 | 105388 | 105388 | 121518 | 14826 | 3000 | 1488 | 140832 | 14826 | 13 | |
| 31 | 70 | 214 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 8 | 276 | M | 11900 | 27958 | 39600 | 39232 | 4409 | 707 | 600 | 44948 | 4409 | 14 | |
| 23 | 138 | 255 | 17 | 15 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 430 | | 13600 | 43793 | 60487 | 62587 | 8423 | 293 | 456 | 71758 | 8423 | 15 | |
| 24 | 95 | 308 | 19 | 11 | 14 | | | 2 | 468 | M | 11784 | 30121 | 46890 | 51955 | 2378 | 91 | 54423 | 2378 | 16 | |
| 22 | 40 | 166 | 1 | | 5 | | | 16 | 225 | M | 12634 | 37342 | 40292 | 41202 | 5473 | 1452 | 1561 | 49688 | 5439 | 17 |
| *35 | 54 | 255 | 8 | 12 | 3 | 14 | 15 | 326 | | 9324 | 14700 | 23900 | 27529 | 2300 | | 200 | 30029 | 2400 | 18 | |
| 31 | 66 | 339 | 13 | 7 | 29 | 5 | 26 | 386 | M | 15164 | 51046 | 59417 | 57775 | 8984 | 1437 | 6934 | 75130 | 9000 | 19 | |
| 28 | 45 | 219 | 5 | | 4 | 20 | 302 | | | 12100 | 39352 | 39352 | 44290 | 7500 | 2403 | 144 | 54337 | 7500 | 20 | |
| 7 | 7 | 40 | 3 | 11 | | 7 | 34 | 68 | M | 6181 | 10735 | 11047 | 5684 | | | 255 | 5939 | 255 | 21 | |
| 20 | 7 | 225 | 7 | 13 | 2 | 8 | 24 | 296 | | 11200 | 43414 | 43414 | 43334 | 5873 | 663 | | 49870 | 5873 | 22 | |
| 28 | 143 | 275 | 15 | 9 | 3 | 6 | 8 | 378 | | 11376 | 24377 | 28988 | 28835 | 6245 | 1082 | 1535 | 37697 | 6245 | 23 | |
| 11 | 69 | 90 | 3 | 2 | | | | 1 | 88 | M | 16340 | 29905 | 32405 | 2500 | 485 | 15557 | 51947 | 2500 | 24 | |
| 25 | 47 | 260 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 90 | 357 | M | 15800 | 52395 | 63585 | 61675 | 16260 | 1310 | | 79245 | 12000 | 25 | |
| 19 | | 138 | 1 | | 4 | 6 | 1 | 163 | | 7625 | 15040 | 230866 | 61332 | 2329 | 2588 | 390 | 66639 | 2329 | 26 | |
| 9 | 54 | 94 | 1 | 4 | | | | 5 | 91 | | 3575 | 14203 | 14203 | 17897 | 1736 | 539 | 290 | 20462 | 1306 | |
| 35 | 45 | 271 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 21 | 70 | 394 | | 6567 | 63242 | 71802 | 77520 | 10086 | 2050 | 1754 | 91410 | 9686 | 27 | |
| 21 | 41 | 156 | 6 | 10 | 4 | 23 | 26 | 196 | | 11500 | 28474 | 38999 | 40695 | 2660 | 475 | 1130 | 44960 | 2645 | 28 | |

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 29 | Jarvis, Knox | | C. Ionson | Box 164, Jarvis N0A 1J0 |
| | Walpole, Chalmers | | D. Lint | R R 1, Jarvis N0A 1J0 |
| 30 | Kirkwall | Wm. Reid, B.A. | W. E. Dunn | R.R. 1, Cambridge (Galt) N1R 5S2 |
| | Sheffield, Knox | | O. Main | Sheffield L0R 1Z0 |
| 31 | Port Dover, Knox | Judith Archer, B.Math, M.Div. | S. Morris | Port Dover N0A 1N0 |
| 32 | Stoney Creek, Cheyne | J. M. Allison, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | T. C. Ptolemy | 2 Avalon Ave L8G 1X1 |
| 33 | Waterdown, Knox | A. D. MacCalman, M.A. | J. N. Crean | Box 198, Waterdown L0R 2A0 |
| | Nelson | | E. Marshall | 1335 Guelph Line, Burlington L7P 2T2 |
| 34 | West Flamboro | W.W.H. Chen, B.Sc., B.D. | R. A. Fox (assessor*) | 105 Terrace Dr., Hamilton L9A 2Y7 |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | H. G. Lowry, M.A., D.D. | | |
| 2 | Retired | N. D. MacDonald, M.A., B.D., Ph.D., D.D. | | |
| 3 | Professor, McMaster University | L. J. Shein, M.A., Ph.D., D.D. | | |
| 4 | Chaplain, McMaster University | W. V. Tait, B.A., B.Th., M.Div. | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | R. H. Beattie, M.A., B.S.W. | | |
| 2 | Retired | T. G. M. Bryan, B.D. | | |
| 3 | Minister without charge | E. Finocchiaro | | |
| 4 | Post Graduate Studies | D. L. McInnis, M.A., M.Div. | | |
| 5 | Director, Wayside House | W. H. McLennan, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 6 | | W. A. McLeod | | |
| 7 | Retired | A. N. McMillan, C.D. | | |
| 8 | Marriage Counsellor | R. C. Murcar, B.A., B.D., S.T.M. | | |
| 9 | Retired | J. M. Murray | | |
| 10 | Retired | Harold Reid, M.A., D.D. | | |
| 11 | Retired | Wm. Sutherland, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 12 | | S. Reid Thompson, B.A. | | |
| 13 | Retired | G. Taylor Munro, C.D., B.A. | | |
| 14 | | David Walker | | |
| 15 | Retired | W.H.V. Walker | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Helen Allum | 11 Melville St. | Dundas L9H 1Z7 | |
| 2 | Miss Dorothy Bulmer | 1830 Main St. W., Apt. 501 | Hamilton L8S 1H5 | |
| 3 | Miss Beth Ann Clifton | 165 Charlton Ave. W. | Hamilton L8R 2C8 | |
| 4 | Miss Evelyn Murdoch | 983 Stone Church Rd. E., Apt. 1 | Hamilton L8W 1D2 | |
| 5 | Miss Margaret MacLeod | 1868 Main St. W., Apt. 107 | Hamilton L8S 1J1 | |
| 6 | Mrs. Joanne Walter | 107 Brentwood Dr. | Hamilton L8T 3W5 | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Kenneth Gartrell | 9 Maple Dr. | Stoney Creek L8G 3C1 | |
| 2 | Mrs. J. A. Goldsmith | 5318 Spruce Ave. | Burlington L7L 1N5 | |
| 3 | Mrs. R. Haggan | 158 Stone Church Rd. W. | Hamilton L9B 1A3 | |
| 4 | Mrs. Hugh Jack | 314 Concession St. | Hamilton L9A 1B4 | |
| 5 | Miss Dorothy McCombie | Box 1052 | Port Dover N0A 1N0 | |
| 6 | Mrs. R. C. Murcar | 872 Hedge Dr. | Mississauga L4Y 1E8 | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | |
| Increase | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 27 | Total on Roll | 34 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 | Ministers on Appendix | 15 |
| Others on Roll | 4 | Grand Total of Ministers | 49 |

Erskine Presbyterian Church, 19 Pearl St. N., Hamilton L8R 2Y6. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 419-529-2255. February 27, 1978

*Last Year's Figures

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mansie (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | 23 | 106 | 13 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 126 | M | 9100 | 9580 | 9580 | 21506 | 1366 | 1169 | 770 | 23811 | 1366 | 29 |
| 8 | 44 | 53 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 91 | | *3069 | *6452 | *6452 | 8192 | *628 | *292 | *72 | *6319 | 670 | 30 |
| 9 | 67 | 85 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 145 | M | 8750 | 14889 | 16192 | 21266 | 3109 | 1266 | 966 | 26607 | 3109 | 30 |
| 3 | 16 | 26 | 2 | | | 3 | 36 | | 3750 | 5700 | 5256 | 1280 | 368 | | | 6904 | 1280 | 31 |
| 9 | 62 | 82 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 115 | | 5282 | 10832 | 10832 | 12812 | 767 | 100 | | 13679 | 767 | 31 |
| 29 | 188 | 269 | 16 | 17 | 21 | 7 | 359 | | 17438 | 62205 | 88453 | 94849 | 10886 | 632 | 12664 | 119031 | 10886 | 32 |
| 10 | 40 | 105 | 2 | 13 | 9 | 7 | 166 | M | 8490 | 19757 | 19757 | 25415 | 2827 | 879 | 26 | 29147 | 2825 | 33 |
| 5 | 14 | 25 | 2 | 2 | | | 25 | | 4370 | 7614 | 7614 | 8279 | 386 | 290 | 129 | 9045 | 386 | 34 |
| 5 | 62 | 120 | 5 | | 4 | 2 | 65 | M | 12195 | 22130 | 22130 | 22521 | 2213 | 1127 | 96 | 25857 | 2204 | 34 |
| 717 | 2529 | 6465 | 268 | 254 | 286 | 199 | 9465 | 20 | 394400 | 123820 | 1578659 | 1449782 | 180486 | 34765 | 61521 | 1724168 | 175664 | |
| 715 | 2765 | 6696 | 216 | 178 | 234 | 186 | 8762 | 21 | 354626 | 1015663 | 1248829 | 1338343 | 171959 | 37701 | 51892 | 1603993 | 169020 | |
| 2 | | | 52 | 76 | 52 | 13 | 1713 | | 39774 | 108157 | 328730 | 111439 | 8527 | 2936 | 10029 | 120175 | 6644 | |
| | 236 | 231 | | | | | 297 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |

Number of Self-Supporting Charges 29
Aid-Receiving Charges 5
Total Number of Pastoral Charges 34

Number of Congregations in them 36
Number of Congregations in them 5
Total Number of Congregations 41

D. J. HERBISON, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|------------------------|--|---|-----------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1 | Beamsville, St. Andrew's Smithville | Alex K. Campbell, B.A. | Harland M. Stewart | Box 373, 387 Central Ave. L0R 1B0 |
| 2 | Dunville, Knox | William Skelly, M.A. | A. Angle Dalrymple | 192 Margaret St. L0R 2A0 |
| 3 | Fort Erie, St. Andrew's-Knox | C. J. Kirk, M.A., B.D. | Dr. Richard Hester | 334 Broad St. W. N1A 1T1 |
| 4 | Niagara Falls, Chippawa | J. Karl English, B.A., B.D. | D. A. Wilson | 4 Tait Ave. L2A 3N9 |
| 5 | Niagara Falls, Drummond Hill | Gordon G. Hastings, C.D., B.A. | Mrs. W. C. Clark | 8456 Broadner Cres. L2G 6N5 |
| 6 | Niagara Falls, Stamford | P. J. Darch, B.A., M.Div. | G. Alex Fraser | 5779 Prince Edward Ave. L2G 5J4 |
| 7 | Niagara-on-the-Lake, St. Andrew's | W. Frank Gillespie, M.A. | D. V. Palmer | 3101 St. Paul Ave. L2J 2L8 |
| 8 | North Pelham, First Rockway | R. A. Sinclair, B.A. | G. R. Woolf | Box 478, 69 Prudeaux LOS 1J0 |
| 9 | Port Colborne, First | J. R. Esler, B.A. | Edgar Smith | Fenwick LOS 1C0 |
| 10 | St. Catharines, Knox | John E. Kurtz, M.A., B.D. | Henry Wegman | R R 3, Fenwick LOS 1C0 |
| 11 | St. Catharines, St. Andrew's | Patricia A. Rose, B.N.Sc., M.Div. | G. Herb Smith | 205 Lakeshore Rd. L3K 2S2 |
| 12 | St. Catharines, Scotties | Charles D. Henderson, B.A. | Edward B. James | 13 Fairington Cr. L2N 5W2 |
| 13 | St. Catharines, St. Giles | Vacant | Mrs. Thomas Cairns | 35 Keswick St. L2P 1M1 |
| 14 | St. David's, First | Robert Lennox, M.A., Th.B., Ph.D. D.D. | Miss Dorothy Sharpe | #510-20 Tremont Dr. L2T 3B1 |
| 15 | Thorold, St. Andrew's | D. A. Whitehead, B.A. | C. R. Magee | 182 Parnell Rd. L2M 1V6 |
| 16 | Welland, Crowland | Supplied by A. B. Fuleki | Lloyd Gilmour | 40 Frederick St. L2S 2S4 |
| 17 | Welland, Hungarian | A. B. Fuleki, B.A., M.Sc., M.Div. | Harry G. Agur | R R 1, Niagara-on-the-Lake LOS 1J0 |
| 18 | Welland, Knox | N. W. Hutchison, M.A., B.D. | W. L. Fenton | 24 Ormond St. S. L2V 1Y4 |
| 19 | Welland, St. Andrew's | Marshall S. Jess, B.A., M.Div. | Charles Sinclair | R R 4, Welland L3B 5N7 |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | W. J. McKeown, B.A. | | |
| 2 | Retired | F. W. Sass, B.A., B.D., S.T.M., Ph.D. | | |
| 3 | Retired | H. J. Scott | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | E. H. Hunter, M.A. | | |
| 2 | Social Worker | Alvin McIntosh, B.A. | | |
| 3 | Retired | Ross C. MacLean, B.A. | | |
| 4 | Minister without charge | Robert J. Wray, M.A. | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Charlotte Brown | 8280 Willoughby Dr. | Niagara Falls L2G 6X2 | |
| 2 | Jean Clarke | 4402 Pettit Ave. | Niagara Falls L2E 6L1 | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. J. K. English | 8269 Willoughby Dr. | Niagara Falls L2G 6X4 | |
| 2 | Mrs. J. S. Wilson | 5856 Summer St. | Niagara Falls L2G 1M2 | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 16 | Total on Roll | 20 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 | Ministers on Appendix | 4 |
| Others on Roll | 3 | Grand Total of Ministers | 24 |

606 Metler Rd. R.R. 3, Fenwick, Ontario LOS 1C0. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 416-892-2129. February 20, 1978

24. PRESBYTERY OF NIAGARA

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|--|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | 27 | 55 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 100 | MA | 4277 | 10610 | 11220 | 13376 | 1832 | 590 | 354 | 16152 | 1834 | 1 | |
| 4 | 35 | 40 | 1 | | | | 37 | | 1833 | 4289 | 4702 | 7430 | 601 | 583 | 122 | 8736 | 601 | | |
| 12 | 40 | 226 | 4 | | 11 | 5 | 255 | M | 13350 | 27441 | 27441 | 29986 | 4693 | 1586 | 216 | 36491 | 4693 | 2 | |
| 31 | 189 | 283 | 6 | 4 | | 11 | 355 | M | 13385 | 36921 | 43673 | 41026 | 8623 | 1008 | 300 | 50957 | 8623 | 3 | |
| 19 | 96 | 253 | 4 | | 5 | 6 | 324 | M | 12350 | 38578 | 44878 | 36041 | 8196 | 2077 | | 46314 | 8196 | 4 | |
| 32 | 87 | 336 | 7 | 14 | 6 | 4 | 580 | M | 13950 | 67749 | 68747 | 71220 | 9000 | 1057 | 407 | 81683 | 9001 | 5 | |
| 18 | 100 | 208 | 9 | 13 | | 26 | 296 | M | 12889 | 26868 | 29532 | 32038 | 4499 | 386 | 2457 | 39380 | 4499 | 6 | |
| 15 | 68 | 170 | 12 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 256 | M | 13220 | 30431 | 37485 | 36646 | 3875 | 485 | | 41006 | 3850 | 7 | |
| 8 | 53 | 90 | 3 | | 2 | 2 | 135 | M | 6831 | 13645 | 18638 | 17000 | 3517 | 591 | 532 | 21640 | 3580 | 8 | |
| 6 | 34 | 47 | 2 | | | | 80 | | 4076 | 7539 | 7539 | 12136 | 1633 | 193 | 619 | 14581 | 1633 | | |
| 29 | 129 | 258 | 24 | 10 | 13 | 2 | 444 | M | 11500 | 39380 | 39380 | 35302 | 7500 | 1621 | | 44423 | 9458 | 9 | |
| 42 | 98 | 463 | 7 | 14 | 24 | 23 | 791 | MA | 14043 | 67855 | 67855 | 83833 | 16057 | 1865 | 1913 | 103668 | 14044 | 10 | |
| 10 | 30 | 82 | 5 | | | 6 | 134 | MA | 7705 | 20522 | 20522 | 26079 | 3055 | | 250 | 29384 | 3341 | 11 | |
| 4 | 36 | 64 | 4 | 8 | 15 | | 84 | | 3586 | 10333 | 15312 | 12061 | 899 | | 248 | 13208 | 700 | | |
| 18 | 157 | 246 | 39 | 9 | 13 | 7 | 334 | M | 12330 | 24049 | 24049 | 33374 | 3406 | 742 | 92 | 37614 | 3405 | 12 | |
| 7 | 51 | 82 | 2 | 6 | | 1 | 139 | M | 6986 | 14299 | 14299 | 16514 | 1336 | 618 | 18 | 18486 | 1334 | 13 | |
| 10 | | 43 | 1 | | | 1 | 49 | M | 3100 | 7964 | 7964 | 8912 | 926 | 395 | | 10233 | 926 | 14 | |
| 19 | 100 | 160 | | | | | 365 | M | 6540 | 24796 | 26274 | 28078 | 5500 | 732 | 105 | 34415 | 5542 | 15 | |
| 7 | 26 | 38 | 1 | | 3 | | 38 | | 2000 | 2000 | 2000 | 5345 | | | | 5345 | 403 | 16 | |
| 14 | 33 | 190 | 1 | | | | 180 | M | 11750 | 23003 | 30350 | 44539 | | | | 44539 | 1301 | 17 | |
| 10 | 70 | 127 | 6 | 3 | 3 | | 137 | M | 5716 | 12875 | 18055 | 23288 | 2987 | 190 | 103 | 26568 | 2989 | 18 | |
| 7 | 35 | 47 | 1 | 3 | 4 | | 87 | | 1936 | 12235 | 17907 | 18689 | 1017 | | | 19706 | 1100 | | |
| 34 | 86 | 244 | 12 | 7 | 3 | 11 | 385 | M | 16381 | 46107 | 58737 | 50627 | 9489 | 1700 | 329 | 62145 | 9489 | 19 | |
| 364 | 1590 | 3753 | 153 | 110 | 113 | 74 | 271 | | 199834 | 569489 | 636559 | 683540 | 98641 | 16411 | 8065 | 806674 | 100542 | | |
| 382 | 1721 | 3785 | 165 | 171 | 130 | 50 | 202 | | 171826 | 538761 | 628057 | 713496 | 91348 | 13973 | 9118 | 827935 | 89519 | | |
| | | | | | | 24 | 69 | | 28008 | 30728 | 8502 | 29956 | 7293 | 2438 | | 1053 | 21261 | 11023 | |
| 18 | 131 | 32 | 12 | 61 | 17 | | 122 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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|-----------------------------------|----|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 18 | Number of Congregations in them | 21 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 | Number of Congregations in them | 2 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 19 | Total Number of Congregations | 23 |

R. A. SINCLAIR, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|--|
| Brantford | | | | |
| 1 | Alexandra | Robert R. Robinson, B.A., M.Div. | Douglas Hayman | 22 Coronation Dr., Brantford N3R 1L1 |
| 2 | Central | J. Douglas Gordon, B.A. | G. Innes Caine | 45 Dorothy St., Brantford N3S 1G8 |
| 3 | Greenbrier | N.E.T. Thompson, B.A., B.Th. | John A. Powell | 39 Somerset Rd., Brantford N3R 5A3 |
| 4 | Knox | Vacant | Robert N. Brown | 87 Strathcona Ave., Brantford N3S 1T7 |
| | Mt. Pleasant | | Andrew Smeaton | R.R. 1, Mt. Pleasant, Ont. N0E 1X0 |
| 5 | Pleasant Ridge | Ernest J. Zugor, B.Th. | Barnabas Simon | 160 Toll Gate Rd., Brantford N3R 5A1 |
| 6 | Delhi, Calvin | L.S. Pandey, LL.B., Ph.D., D.J. | Janos Papp | R.R. 1, Walsingham, Ont. N0E 1X0 |
| 7 | Embro, Knox | A.C.G. Muir, B.A., B.D. | A.G. McCorquodale | R.R. 3, Embro, Ont. N0J 1J0 |
| | Harrington, Knox | | Robert J. Dunseith | R.R. 1, St. Paul's Station, Ont. N0K 1V0 |
| 8 | Ingersoll, St. Paul's | D.G. Cassidy, B.A., B.D. | A.G. Murray | 231 Albert St., Ingersoll, Ont. N5C 2Y5 |
| 9 | Innerkip | J. Daniel McInnis, B.A., M.Div. | Thomas Currah | Innerkip, Ont. N0J 1M0 |
| | Ratho | | Alan Hewitt | R.R. 4, Bright, Ont. N0J 1B0 |
| 10 | Norwich, Knox | Frederick H. Cromey, B.A. | Wm. Butler | R.R. 3, Norwich, Ont. N0J 1P0 |
| | Bookton | | Donald Ryder | R.R. 1, Otterville, Ont. N0J 1R0 |
| 11 | Paris | A.B. Embree, B.A. | Harold Harrison | 2 Bayly Drive, Paris, Ont. N3L 2P9 |
| 12 | Simcoe, St. Paul's | Vacant | G.W. McNern | 11 Tisdale St., Simcoe, Ont. N3Y 2J8 |
| 13 | Tillsonburg, St. Andrews | W.D. Jarvis, B.A., M.Div. | John Morrison | 27 Tillson Ave., Tillsonburg N4G 2Z7 |
| | Windham Centre, St. Andrews | | Donald Mercal | 340 Delcrest Ave., Delhi N4B 2W7 |
| 14 | Woodstock, Knox | Wm. A. Henderson, B.A. Warren K. McKinnon, B.A., B.D. Assistant Minister | Robert Sutherland | 76 Finkle St., Woodstock, Ont. N4S 3C8 |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | G. Deane Johnston, M.B.E., C.D., M.A., D.D. | | |
| 2 | Chaplain, Burtch Correctional Centre | James W. Files, B.A. | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | | F. J. Barr, M.A. | | |
| 2 | | L. Dienes | | |
| 3 | | R. D. Duncanson, B.A. | | |
| 4 | | G. Rienks, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | | |
| 5 | | K. E. Wilcox, B.A., B.D. | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Jean Cassidy | 294 Wellington Ave. | Ingersoll N5C 1T2 | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. John Hiscocks | R.R. 3 | Embro, Ontario N0J 1J0 | |
| 2 | Miss Margaret Ramsay | 14 Bedford St. | Brantford, Ont. N3T 3Z9 | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 12 | Total on Roll | 15 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 | Ministers on Appendix | 5 |
| Others on Roll | 2 | Grand Total of Ministers | 20 |

"Lynnelde", R.R. 3, Brantford, Ont. N3T 5L6. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 519-759-6543. January 15, 1978

*Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

| No. | Minister | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
|-----|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Ailsa Craig | Gordon C. Stewart | R.R. 1, Ailsa Craig NOM 1A0 |
| 2 | Appin | Donald Johnson | R.R. 3, Appin N0L 1A0 |
| | Melbourne, Guthrie | Ed Heal | R.R. 1, Melbourne N0L 1T0 |
| | Mosa, Burns | Mungo Leitch | R.R. 2, Glencoe N0L 1M0 |

25. PRESBYTERY OF PARIS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mane (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Relied by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|-------|----|
| 23 | 66 | *217 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 29 | 341 | MA | 12713 | 50945 | 106266 | 62892 | 4000 | 666 | 363 | 67921 | 4000 | 1 | |
| 45 | 158 | 385 | 20 | 14 | 12 | 8 | 13 | 638 | MA | 14500 | 62918 | 63843 | 66927 | 11483 | 2100 | 400 | 80910 | 11883 | 2 |
| 15 | 98 | 138 | 10 | 4 | 15 | 1 | 3 | 249 | M | 9771 | 21249 | 26841 | 28559 | 3694 | 215 | 359 | 32612 | 3694 | 3 |
| 10 | 58 | 91 | | | 2 | 6 | 4 | 136 | MA | 2911 | 7846 | 10757 | 14848 | 2614 | 594 | | 17678 | 1600 | 4 |
| 7 | 24 | 66 | 2 | | | 1 | 1 | 128 | | 1540 | 7540 | 7540 | 12311 | 1867 | | | 14478 | 1867 | 5 |
| 10 | 25 | 98 | 3 | | 11 | 3 | 98 | M | 2006 | 12211 | 12211 | 13168 | 380 | | | | 14148 | 380 | 6 |
| 14 | 45 | 126 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 151 | M | 10100 | 17775 | 29738 | 29974 | 1170 | | | 31144 | 1500 | 7 |
| 8 | 72 | 69 | 5 | | | 2 | 149 | M | 2612 | 10272 | 36805 | 12700 | 2247 | 690 | 68 | 15705 | 2487 | 8 | |
| 5 | 21 | 36 | | | | 2 | 1 | 82 | | 2075 | 4133 | 7539 | 1664 | 416 | 150 | 9769 | 1000 | 9 | |
| 30 | 99 | 364 | 6 | 6 | 15 | 1 | 7 | 426 | M | 13892 | 34501 | 34501 | 38081 | 8845 | 1194 | 142058 | 8845 | 10 | |
| 9 | 119 | 83 | 9 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 9 | 154 | M | 8486 | 21058 | 23250 | 21604 | 2312 | 342 | 24700 | 1700 | 11 | |
| 4 | 19 | 22 | 1 | | | | 40 | | | 2124 | 3546 | 3546 | 5621 | 830 | | 6451 | 830 | 12 | |
| 5 | 37 | 50 | 1 | | 5 | 1 | | 82 | M | 6002 | 12119 | 13087 | 17277 | 1677 | 459 | 19543 | 1677 | 13 | |
| 4 | 21 | 21 | 1 | | | | 49 | | | 3210 | 4376 | 4376 | 5175 | 429 | | 5604 | 429 | 14 | |
| 32 | 108 | 300 | 4 | 8 | 18 | 1 | 13 | 497 | MA | 15262 | 46999 | 46999 | 51701 | 12859 | 2870 | 3511 | 70941 | 12859 | 15 |
| 18 | 70 | 166 | 13 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 298 | MA | 9333 | 24436 | 33835 | 34104 | 7199 | 1200 | 795 | 43298 | 7199 | 16 |
| 11 | 40 | 110 | 6 | | 3 | | | 166 | M | 6595 | 23123 | 23123 | 23654 | 4645 | 109 | 28408 | 4391 | 17 | |
| 4 | 25 | 45 | 1 | | 2 | 1 | | 90 | M | 2000 | 8276 | 8276 | 4595 | 1106 | | 7460 | 1106 | 18 | |
| 48 | 203 | 425 | 22 | 28 | 9 | 7 | 21 | 693 | M | 16200 | 72305 | 72305 | 58750 | 14062 | 2345 | 69 | 75225 | 14062 | 19 |
| 302 | 1308 | 2812 | 116 | 74 | 111 | 40 | 115 | 4467 | 15 | 141332 | 445628 | 561432 | 509480 | 83083 | 13200 | 6286 | 708053 | 81516 | 20 |
| 301 | 1351 | 2720 | 119 | 70 | 95 | 79 | 210 | 4462 | 15 | 142484 | 372375 | 441011 | 471256 | 79066 | 13279 | 11050 | 572518 | 79540 | 21 |
| 1 | | 92 | 4 | 16 | | | 5 | | | 73253 | 120421 | 38224 | 4017 | 79 | 4764 | 135535 | 1976 | 22 | |
| | 43 | | 3 | | 39 | 95 | | 1152 | | | | | | | | | | | 23 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 13 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 14 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 18 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 1 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 19 |

DONALD M. BROWN, Clerk of Presbytery

26. PRESBYTERY OF LONDON

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mane (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Relied by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|---|
| 6 | 12 | 66 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 96 | M | 7519 | 12503 | 12503 | 18078 | 2145 | 1410 | 178 | 21811 | 1247 | 1 |
| 8 | 42 | 58 | 2 | | 1 | 6 | 88 | | 4860 | 7192 | 8878 | 8199 | 1247 | 648 | 780 | 10874 | 1247 | 2 |
| 6 | 38 | 36 | | | | 3 | 36 | | 1822 | 3799 | 4567 | 4359 | 357 | 225 | 229 | 5240 | 357 | 3 |
| 8 | 51 | 81 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | 153 | M | 5468 | 11096 | 13113 | 16487 | 2828 | 1592 | 918 | 21826 | 2828 | 4 |

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|--|---|---------------------|-----------------|
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No.

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges..... | 14 | Total on Roll..... | 22 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges..... | 4 | Ministers on Appendix..... | 6 |
| Others on Roll..... | 4 | Grand Total of Ministers..... | 28 |

1384 Rideau Gate, London N5X 1X1. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 519-433-7857, March 7, 1978

* Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

| No. | Pastoral Charge | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address |
|-----|--|---|--------------------|--|
| 1 | Amherstburg, St. Andrew's | John W. Burkhardt, B.A. | Murray McGill | 1040 Front St. N. NSV 2V9 |
| 2 | Chatham, First | G. C. Dalzell, B.A., B.D., S.T.M. | Gordon L. Sharpe | 141 Lydican Ave. East N7L 3E9 |
| 3 | Chatham, St. James | Rob't. O'Rahn, B.A., M.Div. | Wm. MacIntosh | 10 Devonshire Rd. N7L 2R9 |
| 4 | Dresden, St. Andrew's | Lawrence Welch | Murray Hind | R.R. 8, Chatham, Ont. N7M 5J8 |
| 5 | Duart | James F. Biggs | Alex MacTavish | Box 159, Dresden, Ont. N0P 1M0 |
| 6 | Leamington, Knox | James M. Grant, B.A., B.D. | Richard Burrell | Croton, R.R. 1, Ont. N0P 1K0 |
| 7 | Puce, St. Andrew's | Chas. Congram, B.A., M.Div., B.R.E. | Francis Morden | Murkirk, Ont. N0L 1X0 |
| 8 | Ridgetown, Mt. Zion | John St. Clair Neil, B.A., M.Div. | Peter Heyboer, Jr. | R.R. 2, Highgate, Ont. N0P 1T0 |
| 9 | Thamesville, St. James | Samuel M. Priestley, Jr., B.A., M.Div., Th.M. | N. A. Paterson | Box 54, Leamington, Ont. N8H 3W1 |
| 10 | Valetta | Robert Fisher | Grant Patillo | R.R. 1, Site 1, Belle River, Ont., Box 17, NOR 1A0 |
| 11 | Wallaceburg, Knox | Joseph Diddell, B.A., B.D. <i>District Mission</i> | James T. Saunders | R.R. 3, Ridgetown, Ont. N0P 2C0 |
| 12 | Windsor: Hungarian | Thomas Nyaradi, M.S.L.S. | Kent Hetherington | R.R. 3, Thamesville, Ont. N0P 2K0 |
| 13 | Knox | Gerald Doran, B.Sc., B.A., B.D. | Robert Fisher | R.R. 1, Chatham, Ont. N7M 5J1 |
| 14 | Paulin Memorial | C. C. Pettigrew, M.A., B.D. | John W. Shivas | R.R. 1, Merlin, Ont. N0P 1W0 |
| 15 | Riverside | <i>F. McQuinn, B.A., M.Div.</i> F. McQuinn, B.A., M.Div. | Malcolm C. O'Brien | R.R. 4, Blenheim, Ont. N0P 1A0 |
| 16 | St. Andrew's | Wm. Lawson, D.D. | W. A. Webber | 2048 Dufferin Ave. N8A 4M4 |
| 17 | Chinese Preaching Place c/o St. Andrew's, Windsor | David Chan, B.D., S.T.M., Ph.D. | Alex Biro | 1752 Elsmere Ave. N8X 4H4 |
| 18 | Windsor, Forest Glade | Brian G. Headley, B.A., M.Div. | John D. Stephen | 3188 California Ave. N9E 3K6 |
| 1 | Appendix to Roll | Stephen Y. W. Lee, B.A., B.Th. | Earl C. Edwards | 3370 Bruce Ave. N9E 1W7 |
| 2 | Teaching | C. F. Boyd, B.A., B.D. | C. M. Van Buskirk | 2326 Marlow, Warren, Michigan, U.S.A. 48092 |
| 3 | Teaching | John R. Carson, B.A., B.Paed. | J. M. Haggans | 879 Janisse Drive N8S 2V5 |
| 4 | Teaching | Robert Wilson, B.Sc. | | |
| 1 | Non-Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 2 | Mrs. M. R. Clarke (Barbara Elizabeth Campbell) | 73 Marion Ave., | | Chatham, Ont. N7M 5N7 |
| 3 | Mrs. Allan Greig | 2340 Todd Lane, | | Windsor, Ont. N9H 1K3 |
| 4 | Mrs. J. E. Riddell | 520 Elgin St., | | Wallaceburg, Ont. N8A 3C2 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977..... |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976..... |
| | | | | Increase..... |
| | | | | Decrease..... |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges..... | 15 | Total on Roll..... | 17 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges..... | 2 | Ministers on Appendix..... | 4 |
| Others on Roll..... | - | Grand Total of Ministers..... | 21 |

3370 Bruce Ave., Windsor, Ont., N9E 1W7. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 519-969-3065, February 24, 1978

* Last Year's Figures

26. PRESBYTERY OF LONDON

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|----|--------------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Support Charges..... | 18 | Number of Congregations in them..... | 34 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges..... | 6 | Number of Congregations in them..... | 6 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges..... | 24 | Total Number of Congregations..... | 40 |

C. D. FARRIS, Clerk of Presbytery

27. PRESBYTERY OF CHATHAM

| No. | Elders | Pupils | Households | Baptisms | Comm. Recd. | Comm. Rem. | Comm. on Roll | Manse/R.H. | Stipend | Normal Expend. | Managers' Expend. | Total Raised | Budget | W.M.S. | Other | Total | Treasurer | Number | |
|-----|--------|--------|------------|----------|-------------|------------|---------------|------------|---------|----------------|-------------------|--------------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-----------|--------|----|
| *10 | 34 | 105 | 2 | 1 | | | 2 | 183 | M | 11675 | 26660 | 26660 | 24259 | 3000 | 33 | 27291 | 3300 | 1 | |
| 54 | 132 | 467 | 13 | 11 | 6 | 18 | 18 | 765 | M | 16600 | 63921 | 70192 | 87076 | 15000 | 1718 | 1040 | 104834 | 15000 | 2 |
| 17 | 121 | 118 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 3 | 2 | 203 | M | 7857 | 19734 | 22146 | 24622 | 2819 | 240 | | 27682 | 2819 | 3 |
| *8 | 17 | 64 | 3 | 5 | | | 3 | 129 | | 2806 | 9122 | 10301 | 3790 | 902 | 253 | | 16382 | 701 | 4 |
| 9 | 57 | 95 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 161 | M | 2098 | 17527 | 17527 | 15029 | 2374 | 482 | | 17885 | 2374 | 5 |
| 2 | 11 | 18 | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | 22 | | 658 | 1359 | 1359 | 3300 | 350 | | 100 | 2559 | 350 | 6 |
| 9 | 38 | 59 | | | | | 3 | 163 | M | 7753 | 17011 | 20420 | 16340 | 2595 | 726 | 255 | 19916 | 2700 | 7 |
| 4 | 6 | 12 | 5 | | | | 1 | 18 | | 1346 | 1727 | 1844 | 2287 | 296 | 326 | 39 | 2948 | 296 | 8 |
| 21 | 68 | 171 | 8 | 3 | 2 | | 8 | 303 | M | 13097 | 26287 | 27813 | 13097 | 5616 | 2667 | 561 | 51116 | 5758 | 9 |
| 12 | 79 | 140 | 4 | 5 | | | 21 | 114 | M | 12900 | 37785 | 41785 | 44553 | 3000 | 150 | | 47703 | 3000 | 10 |
| 17 | | 166 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 13 | 6 | 246 | M | 11300 | 25790 | 25790 | 33350 | 2629 | | | 28418 | 2629 | 11 |
| 12 | 48 | 117 | 7 | 6 | 5 | | 3 | 135 | M | 9771 | 22777 | 22777 | 25712 | 2089 | 315 | 123 | 28248 | 2089 | 12 |
| 6 | 7 | 22 | | | | | | 17 | | 1629 | 2387 | 2387 | 3317 | 225 | | 95 | 3637 | 225 | 13 |
| 10 | 86 | 65 | 9 | 8 | | | 1 | 140 | | 7200 | 12424 | 12424 | 15175 | 4286 | 903 | 771 | 21135 | 4286 | 14 |
| 5 | 15 | 50 | | | | | 4 | 51 | M.A. | 3700 | 5415 | 6342 | 6074 | 454 | | 79 | 6153 | 454 | 15 |
| 25 | 57 | 230 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 345 | M | 14400 | 32100 | 43100 | 37450 | 7300 | | | 44750 | 7300 | 16 |
| 8 | | 79 | | | | | 7 | 92 | M | 4800 | 10679 | 10679 | 12535 | 500 | | | 11879 | 500 | 17 |
| 19 | 59 | 167 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 9 | 14 | 194 | M | 8178 | 24462 | 26510 | 30404 | 4220 | 1240 | 1069 | 36933 | 4218 | 18 |
| 37 | 106 | 300 | 12 | 15 | 15 | 9 | 4 | 608 | M | 12436 | 43463 | 58094 | 60239 | 5000 | 350 | 625 | 65239 | 5000 | 19 |
| *16 | 106 | 190 | 1 | | 6 | 9 | 2 | 269 | M | 10855 | 23616 | 29875 | 30159 | 5500 | | 198 | 35857 | 3400 | 20 |
| 71 | 130 | 666 | 15 | 10 | 5 | 10 | 47 | 1182 | M | 19300 | 82104 | 82104 | 86508 | 24500 | 3621 | 63 | 114692 | 24500 | 21 |
| | 20 | 78 | | | | | 1 | 78 | M.A. | 5450 | 6774 | 6774 | 6875 | 500 | | | 7274 | 500 | 22 |
| 1 | 80 | 54 | 2 | 15 | 8 | 13 | 4 | 45 | M | 2505 | 10633 | 10633 | 8405 | | | | 8405 | 200 | 23 |
| 373 | 1171 | 3433 | 103 | 99 | 88 | 118 | 192 | 5403 | 18 | 188314 | 523757 | 578136 | 590556 | 93165 | 13024 | 5018 | 731046 | 91605 | 24 |
| 367 | 1173 | 3428 | 127 | 83 | 100 | 83 | 205 | 5488 | 18 | 173346 | 483191 | 550498 | 575220 | 93261 | 13598 | 7540 | 697787 | 88163 | 25 |
| 6 | | 5 | | 16 | | 35 | | | | 14968 | 40566 | 27638 | 15336 | | | | 33259 | 3442 | 26 |
| | 2 | | 24 | | 12 | | 13 | 85 | | | | | | 96 | 574 | 2522 | | | 27 |

| | | | |
|--|----|--------------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges..... | 16 | Number of Congregations in them..... | 21 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges..... | 2 | Number of Congregations in them..... | 2 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges..... | 18 | Total Number of Congregations..... | 23 |

EARL C. EDWARDS, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|---------------------------|---|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | Alvinston, Guthrie Euphemia, Cameron Napier, St. Andrew's | R.D.A. Currie, B.A. | H. S. Parker | 507 River St., Alvinston, N0N 1A0 |
| 2 | Beechwood, St. Andrew's Kerwood, West Adelaide Centre Rd., Knox | C. A. Falconer | A. MacAlpine | R.R. 1, Bothwell N0P 1C0 |
| 3 | Corunna, St. Andrew's Moore, Knox Mooretown, St. Andrew's | J. W. Cruickshank, B.Sc., B.D. | C. Winter | R.R. 3, Strathroy N7G 3H5 |
| 4 | Forest, St. James | R. M. Bisset | A. McGregor | R.R. 6, Strathroy N7G 3H7 |
| 5 | Petrolia, St. Andrew's Dawn, Knox | Cecil Cunningham | R. McPhail | R.R. 3, Kerwood N0M 2B0 |
| 6 | Point Edward Pres. Church Brigden Pres. Church | G. A. Cooper, B.A., M.Div. | C. Wiseman | R.R. 6, Strathroy N7G 3H7 |
| Sarnia: | | | | |
| 7 | Laurel Lea-St. Matthew's | F. H. Austen | W. Thomson | 486 Lyndock St., Corunna N0W 1G0 |
| 8 | Paterson Memorial | G. H. Young, M.A. | K. Smith | R.R. 1, Mooretown N0N 1G0 |
| 9 | St. Andrew's | D. W. Clarke, B.A., B.D. | C. Nisbet | R.R. 1, Courtright N0N 1H0 |
| 10 | St. Giles | D. A. Donaghey, B.A., M.Div. | Dr. W. H. Cooper | Box 119, Forest N0N 1J0 |
| 11 | Strathroy, St. Andrew's | Archibald Brown, B.D., Ph.D. | Ms. B. Hillis | Petrolia N0N 1R0 |
| 12 | Thedford, Knox Warwick, Knox Watford, St. Andrew's | Miss Venus Bibawi, B.Th., M.Div. | C. B. McGregor | R.R. 1, Wilkesport N0P 2R0 |
| 13 | Wyoming, St. Andrew's Camlachie, Knox Bear Creek | Vacant | E. W. Leaver | 20 Arthur St., Pt. Edward N9V 1T5 |
| | | | S. Sheffer | Brigden N0N 1B0 |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | High School Teacher | Robert Beattie, M.A. | | |
| 2 | High School Teacher | Robert T. A. Marshall, M.A. | | |
| 3 | Inactive | L. A. Polyak | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Miss M. J. Bisset | 337 1/2 S. Mitton | | Sarnia, Ont. N7T 3E4 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 12 | Total on Roll | 12 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | - | Ministers on Appendix | 3 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 15 |

866 Montrose, Sarnia, Ont. N7T 5B7. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 519-344-0412. February 21, 1978
EARL L. EDWARDS, Clerk of Presbytery

28. PRESBYTERY OF SARNIA

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments & S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | | Communicants Returned from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Males (M) or Females (F) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 47 | 104 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 156 | M | 10097 | 18184 | 18184 | 22932 | 2329 | 785 | 168 | 26214 | 2975 | 1 | |
| 4 | 42 | 12 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 23 | M | 1507 | 1884 | 1884 | 1726 | 502 | 210 | 223 | 2661 | 482 | 2 | |
| 6 | 13 | 28 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 44 | M | 2684 | 3558 | 4522 | 4689 | 664 | 418 | 94 | 5354 | 665 | 2 | |
| 3 | 31 | 52 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 89 | MA | 4217 | 7545 | 11887 | 14218 | 918 | 1045 | 437 | 15649 | 319 | 2 | |
| 4 | 37 | 39 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 91 | MA | 4216 | 9001 | 9001 | 11557 | 3854 | 719 | 191 | 9897 | 3854 | 3 | |
| 15 | 105 | 128 | 18 | 6 | 21 | 6 | 13 | 218 | 10297 | 29327 | 24883 | 57677 | 3091 | 882 | 10 | 10115 | 1083 | 3 | |
| 4 | 17 | 38 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 60 | MA | 4136 | 6855 | 6855 | 9020 | 1095 | 300 | 600 | 11550 | 600 | 4 | |
| 3 | 3 | 31 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 48 | MA | 4136 | 7125 | 7125 | 10649 | 680 | 1070 | 509 | 37273 | 4770 | 5 | |
| 15 | 84 | 140 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 269 | M | 12452 | 26270 | 26270 | 30852 | 4842 | 837 | 663 | 34686 | 3619 | 5 | |
| 17 | 54 | 176 | 13 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 134 | M | 13231 | 25823 | 32474 | 29517 | 3669 | 10 | 297 | 6953 | 700 | 6 | |
| 8 | 31 | 42 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 55 | M | 3075 | 5900 | 5900 | 5986 | 790 | 1107 | 21115 | 3025 | 6 | | |
| 15 | 47 | 83 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 100 | M | 7406 | 14518 | 14518 | 16979 | 3028 | 364 | 242 | 9074 | 815 | 6 | |
| 3 | 31 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 20 | M | 3716 | 5594 | 7347 | 7653 | 815 | 714 | 1264 | 90062 | 6713 | 7 | |
| 29 | 112 | 222 | 19 | 5 | 11 | 5 | 10 | 260 | M | 13759 | 27544 | 76103 | 81372 | 6713 | 714 | 1264 | 90062 | 6713 | 7 |
| 37 | 85 | 334 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 45 | 490 | M | 14285 | 40299 | 53669 | 58253 | 7500 | 4962 | 735 | 71451 | 7500 | 8 |
| 36 | 71 | 297 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 6 | 381 | M | 15750 | 45870 | 57470 | 63480 | 10392 | 1732 | 50 | 75654 | 9000 | 9 |
| 25 | 83 | 258 | 10 | 9 | 2 | 22 | 77 | 437 | MA | 8893 | 38742 | 38742 | 40333 | 6110 | 1770 | 48213 | 6166 | 10 | |
| 18 | 72 | 195 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 220 | M | 13000 | 23189 | 43785 | 47445 | 3780 | 1269 | 622 | 53116 | 3786 | 11 | |
| 10 | 29 | 57 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 73 | M | 292 | 4595 | 4595 | 7023 | 484 | 270 | 40 | 7817 | 484 | 12 | |
| 5 | 16 | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 45 | M | 286 | 3214 | 3214 | 4825 | 344 | 565 | 5834 | 344 | 13 | | |
| 6 | 39 | 39 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 131 | M | 286 | 4175 | 4175 | 6056 | 846 | 334 | 7236 | 846 | 13 | | |
| 13 | 44 | 92 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 131 | M | 9469 | 10893 | 15287 | 2744 | 1035 | 524 | 19580 | 2744 | 13 | | |
| 7 | 64 | 55 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 68 | M | 3350 | 3350 | 7187 | 777 | 264 | 8228 | 777 | 415 | 1 | | |
| 4 | 17 | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31 | M | 1805 | 1805 | 3045 | 415 | 409 | 3908 | 415 | 39 | 3908 | 415 | 1 | |
| 300 | 1118 | 2532 | 94 | 61 | 67 | 51 | 178 | 3563 | 25 | 152298 | 361914 | 475829 | 565400 | 67760 | 18194 | 9083 | 660430 | 68922 | 1 |
| 314 | 988 | 2502 | 99 | 60 | 81 | 64 | 384 | 3584 | 25 | 141148 | 344147 | 447502 | 483825 | 62148 | 16209 | 12108 | 574289 | 61428 | 2 |
| 14 | 130 | 30 | 5 | 1 | 14 | 13 | 206 | 21 | | 11150 | 17767 | 28327 | 81575 | 5612 | 3025 | 3025 | 86141 | 5494 | 3 |

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|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 13 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | - |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 13 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 25 |
| Number of Congregations in them | - |
| Total Number of Congregations | 25 |

(MRS.) ELAINE HEATH, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

29. PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD-HURON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|----------------------------------|--|--------------------|--|
| 1 | Atwood | M. L. Landell, B.A., B.D. | Douglas Little | R.R. 1, Atwood NOG 180 |
| 2 | Avonton | E. G. Nelson | W. T. Smith | R.R. 3, Stratford NSA 6S4 |
| | Motherwell-Avonbank | | Aiister McIntosh | R.R. 7, St. Marys NOM 2V0 |
| 3 | Bayfield, Knox | Summer Student | W. D. Armstrong | R.R. 3, Bayfield NOM 1G0 |
| 4 | Brussels, Melville | K. A. Innes, B.A. | Wilfred Shortreed | R.R. 1, Walton NOK 1Z0 |
| | Belgrave, Knox | | Garner Nicholson | R.R. 5, Brussels NOG 1H0 |
| 5 | Clinton, St. Andrew's | Supplied from Seaforth | Charles W. Fee | Box 796, Clinton NOM 1L0 |
| 6 | Ethel, Knox | Supplied from Atwood | Ross L. Stephenson | R.R. 1, Ethel NOG 1T0 |
| 7 | Exeter, Caven | Vacant | Clifford Ersmann | Box 209, Exeter NOM 1S0 |
| | Cromarty | | Caldar McKaig | R.R. 2, Staffa NOK 1Y0 |
| | Hensall, Carmell | | Bart Thomson | R.R. 2, Kippin NOM 2E0 |
| 8 | Goderich, Knox | G. L. Royal, B.A., M.Div. | Gordon J. McManus | 16 Wellington St. S., Goderich N7A 3S2 |
| 9 | Listowel, Knox | J.J.H. Morris, B.A., B.D., B.Ed., Th.M. | H. G. Nickel | 340 Royal St. E., Listowel N4W 2S3 |
| 10 | Milverton, Burns | R. B. Cochrane, B.A., M.Div. | E. C. Smith | Box 455, Milverton NOK 1M0 |
| | North Mornington | | Harold Robinson | R.R. 4, Listowel NOG 3A0 |
| 11 | Mitchell, Knox | W. J. Murray | Clarence McDougall | R.R. 3, Mitchell NOK 1N0 |
| 12 | Molesworth, St. Andrew's | Vacant | R. A. Campbell | R.R. 2, Listowel N4W 3G7 |
| | Gorrie, Knox | | Blake McMillan | Gorrie NOG 1X0 |
| 13 | Monkton, Knox | J.K.R. Thomson, B.A., D.D. | Reuben Pehlke | Monkton NOK 1P0 |
| | Cranbrook, Knox | | John Knight | R.R. 2, Brussels NOG 1H0 |
| 14 | St. Marys | V. W. Tozer, B.A., B.D. | Donald Webb | Box 51, St. Marys NOM 2V0 |
| 15 | Seaforth, First | Vacant | Clare Reith | Seaforth NOK 1W0 |
| 16 | Shakespeare | G. J. Perrie, B.A. | Mrs. Reta Bell | Shakespeare NOB 2P0 |
| | North Easthope, Knox | | Alex Fryfogel | R.R. 1, Stratford NSA 6S2 |
| 17 | Stratford, Knox | F. Neill, M.A. | George T. Waldie | 507 Gore St. W., Stratford NSA 1L3 |
| 18 | Stratford, St. Andrew's | J. Ferguson, B.A., B.D., D.D. | Mrs. Lois Kipfer | R.R. 2, Tavistock NOB 2R0 |
| | Others on Roll | | | |
| 1 | Retired | A. C. Young, B.A. | | |
| 2 | Retired | H. F. Davidson, M.A., B.D., D.D. | | |
| | Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 1 | Miss Gale Kay, B.A. | Box 322, Atwood NOG 180 | Listowel N4W 1B9 | |
| 2 | Mrs. Marnie Runhardt | | | |
| | Non-Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 1 | Miss M. E. Duffin | Lwr. 315 Erie, 78 Arthur St. | Stratford NSA 2N1 | |
| 2 | Miss Lily McArthur (retired) | | Goderich N7A 2L8 | |
| | | <i>* filed by Kenneth Knight transferred from Presbytery #36</i> | | |
| | | | Grand Total, 1977 | |
| | | | Grand Total, 1976 | |
| | | | Increase | |
| | | | Decrease | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 12 | Total on Roll | 12 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | - | Ministers on Appendix | 2 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 14 |

Box 103, Shakespeare, Ontario NOB 2P0. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 519-625-8154. February 23, 1978

* Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|----------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 | Ashfield | H. L. Nugent, B.A., B.D. | Wm. G. Ross | Box 248, Lucknow, Ont. NOG 2H0 |
| | Ripley, Knox | | A. C. MacAuley | R.R. 4, Ripley, Ont. NOG 2R0 |
| 2 | Belmore, Knox | | Thos. L. Inglis | R.R. 1, Wroxeter, Ont. NOG 2X0 |
| | Bluevale, Knox | | Ross Gray | R.R. 1, Bluevale, Ont. NOG 1G0 |
| 3 | Chatsworth, St. Andrew's | | J. F. Gamble | R.R. 4, Owen Sound, Ont. N4K 5N6 |
| | Dornoch, Latona | | C. F. Riddell | R.R. 2, Durham, Ont. NOG 1R0 |

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Munis (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|---|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 22 | 64 | 185 | 12 | 2 | 33 | 7 | 8 | 324 | M | 11500 | 17458 | 18458 | 35500 | 5838 | 2200 | 43538 | 5478 | 1 | |
| 8 | 86 | 144 | | | 2 | 15 | 5 | 250 | M | 4713 | 19773 | 19773 | 24854 | 4136 | 1038 | 646 | 30774 | 4031 | 2 |
| 7 | 17 | 33 | 1 | | | | 5 | 98 | | 3422 | 2867 | 2868 | 8229 | 2682 | 150 | 12096 | 2682 | 3 | |
| 1 | 16 | 1 | | | | | | 11 | RH | 3333 | 4415 | 4715 | 2004 | | | 2004 | 4502 | 4 | |
| 12 | 56 | 120 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 8 | 19 | 205 | M | 8226 | 18014 | 20801 | 24148 | 4507 | 588 | 29482 | 620 | 5 | |
| 4 | 17 | 1 | | | | | | 50 | | 4115 | 5076 | 5620 | 4784 | 623 | 375 | 5782 | 550 | 6 | |
| 11 | 36 | 39 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 67 | | 3982 | 9346 | 10351 | 9246 | 550 | | 9796 | 450 | 7 | |
| 3 | 18 | | | | | | | 37 | | 2900 | 3850 | 4325 | 3002 | 450 | | 3452 | 1200 | 8 | |
| 10 | 50 | 89 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 191 | M | 4007 | 9602 | 10294 | 12979 | 1200 | 857 | 1200 | 942 | 9 | |
| 7 | 44 | 63 | 4 | | | 1 | | 147 | | 1210 | 6831 | 6831 | 8095 | 1042 | 1064 | 595 | 10797 | 662 | |
| 7 | 30 | 79 | 4 | 5 | 2 | | 25 | 147 | | 4983 | 7637 | 8587 | 8965 | 662 | 515 | 10142 | 17349 | 8 | |
| 38 | 209 | 857 | 20 | 13 | 21 | 8 | 33 | 989 | M | 18350 | 53350 | 65350 | 74807 | 17349 | 4004 | 867 | 97027 | 15285 | |
| 42 | 205 | 512 | 21 | 50 | 31 | 12 | 15 | 806 | M | 17462 | 67010 | 89996 | 72653 | 15285 | 3338 | 1274 | 92551 | 15285 | |
| 40 | 86 | 125 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 267 | | 8619 | 19578 | 20928 | 21231 | 4643 | 744 | 224 | 26841 | 4668 | |
| 5 | 23 | 37 | | | | | | 103 | | 1900 | 6237 | 8737 | 11557 | 1835 | 489 | 75 | 13813 | 1835 | |
| 16 | 125 | 138 | 10 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 253 | M | 12800 | 26210 | 56730 | 36218 | 7208 | 743 | 1087 | 45256 | 7208 | |
| 7 | 66 | 68 | 2 | | | | | 240 | | 5049 | 15008 | 19389 | 18513 | 1856 | 741 | 570 | 21679 | 1857 | |
| 6 | 9 | 21 | | | | | | 50 | | 2758 | 4868 | 4868 | 4871 | 364 | 317 | 5552 | 364 | 12 | |
| 10 | 49 | 91 | 4 | 14 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 221 | M | 9250 | 15932 | 19395 | 22657 | 2164 | 478 | 133 | 25431 | 2142 | |
| 6 | 48 | 47 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 82 | | 2950 | 6849 | 8614 | 6849 | 635 | 432 | 59 | 7965 | 625 | |
| 18 | 131 | 212 | 24 | 18 | 49 | | 25 | 347 | M | 14500 | 30545 | 66545 | 51052 | 4617 | 685 | 56354 | 4618 | 14 | |
| 19 | 57 | 154 | 10 | 11 | 6 | 8 | 56 | 249 | M | 11260 | 24113 | 28806 | 24136 | 4041 | 1319 | 220 | 29716 | 4041 | |
| 10 | 113 | 95 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 196 | M | 8880 | 15822 | 18512 | 19865 | 2937 | 1143 | 501 | 24446 | 2937 | |
| 4 | 23 | 26 | 2 | 1 | | | 2 | 73 | | 3617 | 6430 | 6430 | 5914 | 2651 | 871 | 90 | 9526 | 2651 | |
| 48 | 111 | 355 | 13 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 17 | 580 | M | 14292 | 52696 | 67429 | 60897 | 7215 | 2410 | 1370 | 71892 | 7200 | |
| 48 | 250 | 377 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 6 | 16 | 822 | M | 13500 | 52648 | 52648 | 67000 | 10069 | 1308 | 664 | 79041 | 8420 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 16977 | | | | | | | | 1 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | |
| 379 | 1888 | 3718 | 176 | 170 | 193 | 106 | 258 | 6805 | 14 | 196678 | 502165 | 646620 | 640126 | 104559 | 26694 | 9964 | 781288 | 102317 | |
| 383 | 1978 | 3744 | 179 | 167 | 168 | 83 | 201 | 6758 | 14 | 166177 | 456186 | 563547 | 603440 | 93027 | 25725 | 11606 | 733281 | 93034 | |
| | | | | 3 | 25 | 23 | 57 | 47 | | 30501 | 45979 | 83073 | 36686 | 11532 | 969 | 1642 | 48007 | 9283 | |
| 4 | 90 | 26 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self Supporting Charges | 17 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 18 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 25 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 1 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 26 |

JAMES PERRIE, Clerk of Presbytery

30. PRESBYTERY OF BRUCE-MAITLAND

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | Communicants Received | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Munis (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 7 | 32 | 50 | 4 | | 2 | 1 | | 93 | | 6044 | 9316 | 9316 | 9280 | 1028 | 787 | 133 | 11228 | 1028 | 1 |
| 5 | 18 | 68 | 1 | | | 2 | | 79 | M | 6043 | 10049 | 10049 | 13526 | 1903 | 1625 | 787 | 17842 | 1903 | |
| 5 | 33 | 32 | 2 | 4 | | | | 117 | | 4674 | 7871 | 7871 | 7570 | 2526 | 391 | 341 | 8827 | 2526 | 2 |
| 6 | 48 | 56 | 1 | 4 | | | | 126 | M | 3977 | 4502 | 6021 | 6894 | 200 | 290 | | 7384 | 200 | |
| 8 | 24 | 56 | | | | | | 64 | M | 3980 | 7853 | 7853 | 7942 | 1827 | 424 | | 10193 | 1618 | |
| 7 | 22 | 36 | 1 | | | | | 56 | | 4065 | 6888 | 8551 | 11383 | 1384 | 284 | 141 | 13192 | 1378 | |

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 4 | Chesley, Geneva | Vacant | Gilbert Mair | Box 215, Chesley, Ont. NOG 1L0 |
| 5 | Dromore, Amos Holstein | | Lorne Eccles | R.R. 2, Holstein, Ont. NOG 2A0 |
| | | | Jas. M. Nicholson | Holstein, Ont. NOG 2A0 |
| 6 | Dundalk, Erskine | J. C. Brush, B.A. | Orville Lee | R.R. 3, Durham, Ont. NOG 1R0 |
| | Swinton Park, St. Andrew's | | Alex McMillan | Dundalk, Ont. NOC 1B0 |
| 7 | Durham | Mervyn E. Tubb | Chas. Haw | R.R. 1, Proton Station, Ont. NOC 1L0 |
| | Pricoville, St. Andrew's | | R. Fotheringham | R.R. 3, Durham, Ont. NOG 1R0 |
| 8 | Hanover, St. Andrew's | W. J. Morrison, M.A. | Robt. Smith | Box 231, Flesherton, Ont. NOC 1E0 |
| | Ayton, Knox | | Earl Roberts | R.R. 3, Hanover, Ont. N4H 3B9 |
| 9 | Kincardine, Knox | G. A. Turner, M.A., B.D. Th.M. | H. de Graef | R.R. 2, Ayton, Ont. NOG 1C0 |
| 10 | Lucknow | Vacant | Robt. Kearns | Box 381, Kincardine, Ont. NOG 2G0 |
| | South Kinloss | | J. R. Henderson, B.A. | Box 231, Lucknow, Ont. NOG 2H0 |
| 11 | Markdale, Cooke's | | Donald C. McIntyre | R.R. 5, Lucknow, Ont. NOG 2H0 |
| | Feversham, Burns' | | W. W. Alcox | Box 257, Markdale, Ont. NOC 1M0 |
| 12 | Meaford, Knox | T. H. Boyd, B.Sc., M.Div. | Herb Eby | Feversham, Ont. NOC 1C0 |
| | Thornbury, St. Paul's | | Frank H. Smith | Box 712, Meaford, Ont. NOH 1Y0 |
| 13 | Owen Sound, St. Andrew's | F. A. Miller, B.A., B.D. | Murray Hammond | Box 70, Clarksburg, Ont. NOH 1J0 |
| 14 | Paisley, Westminster | P. D. Molloy, B.A., M.Div. | A. C. Keiler | R.R. 2, Owen Sound, Ont. N4K 5N4 |
| | Glamis, St. Paul's | | Harold Birrell | Pinkerton, Ont. NOG 1J0 |
| 15 | Port Elgin, Tolmie Memorial | R. D. MacDonald, C.D., B.A., D.D. | James Gilchrist | R.R. 1, Tiverton, Ont. NOG 2T0 |
| | Burgoyne, Knox | | R. W. Mac | Box 204, Port Elgin, Ont. NOH 2C0 |
| 16 | Rocky Saugen, Burns' | | K. E. Gowanlock | R.R. 2, Port Elgin, Ont. NOH 2C0 |
| 17 | Southampton, St. Andrew's | S. W. Gentle, B.A., M.Div. | Gordon Krauter | R.R. 2, Durham, Ont. NOG 1R0 |
| 18 | Tara, Knox | D. St. C. Campbell, B.A., B.D. | John MacDonald | Box 203, Southampton, Ont. NOH 2L0 |
| | Allenford, St. Andrew's | | John Sim | R.R. 2, Tara, Ont. NOH 2N0 |
| 19 | Teeswater, Knox | G. E. Thompson, B.A., B.Ed., M.Div. | John E. Wain | Box 33, Allenford, Ont. NOH 1A0 |
| | Kinlough | | A. Chateau | R.R. 3, Walkerton, Ont. NOG 2V0 |
| 20 | Tiverton, Knox | | F. H. Maulden | R.R. 2, Holyrood, Ont. NOG 2B0 |
| 21 | Walkerton, Knox | D. Black | Wm. Van Dam Sr. | R.R. 2, Tiverton, Ont. NOG 2T0 |
| 22 | Whitchurch, Chalmers | D. G. Kemble, B.A. | Wm. M. Shaw | Box 554, Walkerton, Ont. NOG 2V0 |
| | Langside | | Walter Elliott | R.R. 1, Locknow, Ont. NOG 2H0 |
| 23 | Wiarion, St. Paul's | D.J.C. Cooper, B.A., B.D. | David Moffat | R.R. 3, Holyrood, Ont. NOG 2B0 |
| | Lake Charles | | Robert Craig | R.R. 2, Wiarion, Ont. NOH 2T0 |
| 24 | Wingham, St. Andrew's | R. H. Armstrong, M.A., B.D. | Under session of St. Paul's | Wiarion, Ont. |
| 25 | Stokes Bay, Knox | | John Donaldson | Box 383, Wingham, Ont. NOG 2W0 |
| 26 | Sauble Beach, Huron Feathers | | Bruce Smith | Stokes Bay, Ont. NOH 2M0 |
| | Others on Roll | | Mrs. B. Scott | Box 364, Port Elgin, Ont. NOH 2C0 |
| 1 | Retired | P. A. Ferguson, B.A. | | |
| | Appendix to Roll | | | |
| 1 | Retired | Donald G. Archibald, B.A. | | |
| 2 | Retired | Harold T. Colvin, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 3 | Retired | Charles M. Eadie, M.A. | | |
| 4 | Retired | Harold C. Marr, B.A. | | |
| | Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 1 | Miss Judy Young | 518-10th St. | Owen Sound, Ont. N4K 3R6 | |
| | Non-Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. John Sim | R.R. 2 | Tara, Ont. NOH 2N0 | |
| 2 | Mrs. H. L. Nugent | Box 208 | Ripley, Ont. NOG 2R0 | |
| | Grand Total, 1977 | | | |
| | Grand Total, 1976 | | | |
| | Increase | | | |
| | Decrease | | | |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 16 | Total on Roll | 17 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 4 | Ministers on Appendix | 4 |
| Others on Roll | 1 | Grand Total of Ministers | 21 |

Box 1239, Port Elgin, Ont. NOH 2C0. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 519-832-2344. February 27, 1978

*Last Year's Figures

30. PRESBYTERY OF BRUCE-MAITLAND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mans (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|----|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 14 | 15 | 185 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 12 | 384 | M | 7091 | 18836 | 18836 | 22674 | 4173 | 1539 | 483 | 22869 | 4173 | 4 |
| 6 | 51 | 35 | 3 | | | | 2 | 68 | M | 3529 | 6675 | 7960 | 8216 | 500 | 384 | | 8844 | 500 | 5 |
| 5 | 42 | 53 | 1 | | | | 1 | 79 | M | 3660 | 7349 | 7349 | 7518 | 1215 | 667 | | 9400 | 1215 | 6 |
| 3 | 18 | 26 | 2 | | | | 2 | 48 | M | 2061 | 4191 | 4191 | 4094 | 904 | 427 | | 4094 | 904 | 6 |
| 10 | 30 | 103 | 5 | 8 | 6 | | 4 | 195 | M | 9568 | 14736 | 14736 | 15205 | 2645 | 470 | | 33956 | 2645 | 7 |
| 4 | 40 | 20 | 2 | | | | 1 | 30 | M | 3108 | 4472 | 4472 | 6496 | 624 | 292 | | 7302 | 624 | 7 |
| 16 | 64 | 250 | 1 | 4 | 15 | 17 | 24 | 338 | M | 10580 | 23447 | 33447 | 39865 | 4908 | 899 | 315 | 45988 | 4908 | 8 |
| 4 | 14 | 48 | 3 | | | | 1 | 84 | M | 3471 | 6050 | 6050 | 7538 | 1115 | 355 | 30 | 9038 | 1115 | 9 |
| 19 | 65 | 168 | 7 | | | | 3 | 302 | M | 10237 | 18683 | 18683 | 24682 | 3771 | 1002 | | 29455 | 3771 | 10 |
| 4 | | 20 | | | | | 2 | 47 | M | 1800 | 1825 | 1825 | 3181 | 383 | | 125 | 3689 | 383 | 11 |
| 24 | 71 | 300 | 22 | | | | 7 | 267 | M | 14126 | 31438 | 32818 | 41411 | 4463 | 1274 | 1817 | 48985 | 4463 | 12 |
| 13 | 58 | 152 | 5 | 9 | 1 | | 4 | 252 | M | 5998 | 15515 | 16715 | 17433 | 2999 | 1598 | 24 | 22952 | 2999 | 13 |
| 7 | 44 | 46 | 11 | 1 | | | 1 | 91 | RA | 2033 | 2033 | 3310 | 6574 | 1083 | 955 | 54 | 8666 | 1083 | 14 |
| 3 | 8 | 41 | 2 | | | | 1 | 50 | RA | 3468 | 13457 | 13457 | 6198 | 711 | | | 6909 | 711 | 15 |
| 3 | | 17 | | | | | 1 | 17 | | 2182 | 2753 | 2753 | 2306 | 40 | 751 | | 3097 | 40 | 16 |
| 10 | 32 | 89 | | 4 | | | 5 | 140 | M | 5790 | 11179 | 11179 | 10698 | 1650 | 868 | 130 | 13346 | 1650 | 17 |
| 10 | 43 | 94 | 3 | | | | 4 | 151 | M | 5771 | 15305 | 15305 | 13740 | 3050 | 641 | 270 | 17701 | 3050 | 18 |
| 29 | 183 | 500 | 23 | 15 | 23 | 6 | 5 | 758 | MA | 15300 | 66805 | 67605 | 76125 | 12183 | 1641 | 1807 | 91756 | 12183 | 19 |
| 10 | 44 | 68 | 1 | 6 | | | 2 | 99 | M | 6186 | 12635 | 12635 | 13320 | 2485 | 650 | | 15769 | 2485 | 20 |
| 5 | 18 | 36 | | | | | 15 | 26 | M | 3628 | 5960 | 5960 | 8875 | 1067 | 2880 | | 12822 | 1067 | 21 |
| 13 | 51 | 142 | 6 | 6 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 218 | M | 5150 | 12828 | 12828 | 17012 | 3675 | 12244 | 847 | 33778 | 3675 | 22 |
| 4 | 63 | 61 | 3 | 13 | | | 3 | 148 | M | 4850 | 8035 | 8035 | 8383 | 1567 | 361 | 349 | 10660 | 1567 | 23 |
| 2 | | 13 | | | | | 1 | 1 | | 120 | 220 | 220 | 163 | | | | 163 | | 24 |
| 8 | 75 | 126 | 11 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 11 | 177 | M | 15890 | 3641 | 46004 | 32171 | 5875 | 759 | 674 | 39579 | 5875 | 25 |
| 11 | 65 | 92 | 3 | 4 | 4 | | 3 | 197 | M | 6270 | 9965 | 13962 | 11954 | 1868 | 491 | 23 | 14336 | 1868 | 26 |
| 9 | 27 | 52 | 3 | 4 | 1 | | 2 | 110 | M | 5130 | 7985 | 7985 | 11722 | 1005 | 311 | | 13038 | 1005 | 27 |
| 19 | 94 | 130 | 10 | 10 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 270 | M | 9000 | 18641 | 23406 | 29094 | 3818 | 972 | 414 | 34298 | 3818 | 28 |
| 9 | 15 | 33 | | 6 | | | 9 | 247 | M | 3000 | 4165 | 4165 | 3446 | 654 | 356 | | 4456 | 654 | 29 |
| 15 | 80 | 173 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 1 | 9 | 305 | M | 12800 | 22849 | 25587 | 26583 | 2863 | 1530 | 600 | 31586 | 2863 | 30 |
| 18 | 65 | 150 | 9 | 13 | 6 | 13 | 10 | 305 | M | 12800 | 26284 | 26284 | 26876 | 4086 | 875 | 582 | 32419 | 4086 | 31 |
| 7 | 26 | 43 | 4 | 6 | 9 | 7 | 2 | 109 | M | 4672 | 7555 | 8457 | 9824 | 804 | 325 | | 10953 | 804 | 32 |
| *3 | 4 | 11 | | | | | | 38 | | 3103 | 4304 | 4304 | 4365 | 665 | | 22 | 5052 | 665 | 33 |
| 10 | 64 | 129 | 3 | | | | 2 | 194 | M | 4333 | 17610 | 17610 | 17515 | 2048 | 400 | 106 | 20071 | 2048 | 34 |
| 30 | 109 | 323 | 17 | 15 | 20 | 6 | 46 | 420 | M | 13114 | 35523 | 52524 | 48358 | 7578 | 2271 | 532 | 58379 | 7578 | 35 |
| 6 | 18 | 36 | 2 | | | | | 33 | | 1932 | 2215 | 2215 | 2650 | | | | 2650 | | 36 |
| 401 | 1773 | 4071 | 180 | 154 | 150 | 104 | 239 | 6497 | | 249834 | 511443 | 602533 | 643870 | 95444 | 41899 | 10606 | 797089 | 94230 | |
| 384 | 1729 | 3960 | 153 | 118 | 135 | 86 | 237 | 6532 | | 216064 | 473981 | 577513 | 598706 | 63591 | 33039 | 7883 | 532011 | 88847 | |
| 17 | 44 | 111 | 27 | 36 | 15 | 18 | 2 | | | 33770 | 25020 | 45164 | 31853 | 8260 | 2723 | | 274078 | 5383 | |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self Supporting Charges | 21 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 4 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 25 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 37 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 6 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 43 |

R. DOUGLAS MacDONALD, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | Geraldton, St. Andrew's | Kathy Brownlee, B.A., M.Div. | Lorne Sinclair | Box 137, Geraldton P0T 1M0 |
| Thunder Bay: | | | | |
| 2 | Calvin | | Earnest Henley | 372 Surrey St., Thunder Bay P7A 1K1 |
| 3 | First | H. Ruiter, B.A., M.Div. | John Currie | 749 S. Norah St., Thunder Bay P7E 1P6 |
| 4 | Lakeview | J. Clarke Hood, B.A., M.Div. | W. Campbell Hunter | 173 Summit Ave., Thunder Bay P7B 3P3 |
| 5 | Oliver Road | | | |
| 6 | St. Andrew's | Agnew H. Johnston, M.A., D.D. | Rod W. MacLennan | 715 Kelly St., Thunder Bay P7E 2A2 |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | | John A. Deyarmond, B.A., M.Div. | | |
| 2 | | Roger L. Fornwalt, B.A., M.Div. | | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Margaret McCutcheon | 36 Ray Blvd. | | Thunder Bay, Ont. P7B 4C1 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| In S.S. Charges | 4 | Total on Roll | 4 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | - | Ministers on Appendix | 2 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 6 |

15 Royston Court, Thunder Bay, Ont. P7A 4Y7. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number (807) 345-6055. February 15, 1978

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 | Fort Frances, St. Andrew's | R. Glass | C. F. Schubring | 125 Church St. P9A 1C5 |
| 2 | Kenora, First | D. C. Robertson | S. T. Robinson | Box 412, Kenora P9N 3X4 |
| 3 | Atikokan, St. Andrew's | I. L. Jackson, B.A. | T. McMillan | Box 1242, Atikokan P0T 1C0 |
| 4 | Shoal Lake | | | |
| Appendix on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | | J. Robert Wyber, B.A., B.D. | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Miss Carol Sharpe | 208 Water St. | | Kenora, Ont. P9N 1S4 |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Marilyn Whitehead | Pawalik Post Office | | Sioux Narrows P0X 1N0 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| In S.S. Charges | 1 | Total on Roll | 2 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 | Ministers on Appendix | 1 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 3 |

Box 412, Kenora, Ont. P9N 3X4. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 807-547-2986. February 23, 1978

31. PRESBYTERY OF SUPERIOR

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mans (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | 48 | 85 | 7 | 10 | | 1 | 1 | 82 | M | 10292 | 15166 | 17448 | 18227 | 851 | | | 19078 | 851 | 1 |
| 4 | | 32 | | | | 2 | 2 | 57 | | 2169 | 4962 | 4962 | 6063 | 237 | | 39 | 6339 | 237 | 2 |
| 11 | 45 | 135 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 187 | M | 11502 | 21093 | 30065 | 28299 | 4490 | 191 | 680 | 33570 | 4400 | 3 |
| 25 | 95 | 235 | 12 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 415 | M | 14056 | 27062 | 37032 | 37273 | 7300 | 1010 | 3113 | 48696 | 7300 | 4 |
| 4 | | 37 | | | | 4 | | 57 | | 2529 | 6638 | 8256 | 7835 | 767 | | 5638 | 8602 | 17100 | 5 |
| 43 | 248 | 550 | 34 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 33 | 847 | M | 20208 | 61232 | 61232 | 65378 | 17100 | 3177 | 5638 | 91294 | 17100 | 6 |
| 96 | 436 | 1074 | 58 | 31 | 13 | 12 | 43 | 1645 | 4 | 60756 | 136153 | 158995 | 163076 | 30655 | 4378 | 9470 | 207579 | 29488 | 1 |
| 99 | 398 | 1059 | 49 | 15 | 33 | 21 | 74 | 1652 | 5 | 51653 | 113405 | 145000 | 150654 | 29496 | 5082 | 6892 | 192224 | 30624 | 2 |
| | 38 | 15 | 9 | 16 | | 9 | 31 | 7 | 1 | 9103 | 22748 | 13895 | 12422 | 1159 | 704 | 2478 | 15355 | 536 | 3 |

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 4 |
| Number of Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 5 |

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|---------------------------------|---|
| Number of Congregations in them | 4 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 1 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 5 |

J. CLARKE HOOD, Clerk of Presbytery

32. PRESBYTERY OF LAKE OF THE WOODS

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mans (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | 42 | 170 | 4 | 5 | 2 | | 3 | 221 | M | 9200 | 20692 | 20692 | 21493 | 1661 | 40 | 140 | 23280 | 1661 | 1 |
| 8 | 54 | 104 | 9 | 7 | 5 | | 3 | 142 | M | 9500 | 17157 | 18407 | 21739 | 2575 | 1386 | 331 | 26031 | 2700 | 2 |
| 4 | 31 | 55 | 4 | 4 | 2 | | | 98 | M | 3250 | 8194 | 8569 | 10025 | 435 | | 165 | 10625 | 435 | 3 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| 24 | 127 | 329 | 17 | 16 | 9 | 3 | 5 | 461 | 3 | 21950 | 46043 | 47668 | 53257 | 4671 | 1426 | 636 | 58936 | 4796 | 1 |
| 24 | 122 | 383 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 456 | 3 | 23592 | 42746 | 45486 | 44446 | 4214 | 1202 | 1724 | 51586 | 4326 | 2 |
| | 5 | | 3 | 13 | 7 | | | 5 | | | 3297 | 2202 | 8811 | 457 | 224 | 1088 | 8350 | 470 | 3 |
| | | 54 | | | | | 4 | 2 | | 1642 | | | | | | | | | 3 |

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 2 |
| Number of Aid-Receiving Charges | 1 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 3 |

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| Number of Congregations in them | 2 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 1 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 3 |

S. ROBINSON, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P O Address |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| Winnipeg: | | | | |
| 1 | Calvin | J. Colin MacIver, B.A., B.Ed., B.D. | C. R. Davidson | 1090 Bannerman Ave., Winnipeg, Man. R2X 1K8 |
| | Stonewall, Knox | J. Colin MacIver, B.A., B.Ed., B.D. | D. H. Appleyard | Box 340, Stonewall R0C 2Z0 |
| 2 | First | Bruce A. Miles, B.A., D.D. | N. B. Tuinhof | 31 Hammond Rd., Winnipeg, Man. R3R 1L9 |
| 3 | St. Andrew's | Vacant | G. Hoogmoed | 78 Celtic Bay, Winnipeg, Man. R3T 2W9 |
| 4 | St. David's | Neville W. B. Phillips, B.A., M.Div. | James R. Donaldson | 72 Amarynth Cres., Winnipeg, Man. R2Y 0C3 |
| 5 | St. James' | R. J. Gillanders, B.A. | E. Workman | 601.1080 Henderson Hwy., Winnipeg, Man. R2G 1H3 |
| 6 | St. John's Kildonan | J. D. Marnoch, B.A. | E. Kirkpatrick Mrs. Grace M. Smith | 1028 Warsaw Ave., Winnipeg, Man. R3M 1E5 181 Rupertsland Ave., Winnipeg, Man. R2V 0G1 |
| 7 | Westwood | George C. Vais, B.A., B.D. | Edward Bell | 316 Shelly St., Winnipeg, Man. R3K 1G2 |
| 8 | Selkirk Knox Mackenzie Kirkness | Ivan R. Carroll, B.A. | James Laye | 197 Sophia St., Selkirk, Man. R1A 1Y2 |
| 9 | Pinawa, Pinawa Christian Fellowship | Harvie Barker, B.A., B.D. | John E. Guthrie | P.O. Box 41, Pinawa, Man. R0E 1L0 |
| 10 | Thompson, St. Andrew's | Vacant | Robert W. Kerr | 171 Riverside, Thompson, Man. R8N 0X3 |
| | Others on Roll | | | |
| 1 | Superintendent of Missions | M. S. McLean, C.D., B.A. | | |
| | Appendix to Roll | | | |
| 1 | Retired | W. G. MacLean, D.D. | | |
| 2 | Man. Government | A. Webster, B.A., B.D., B.Th. | | |
| | Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 1 | Miss Isabel Allison | 7-39 Balmoral St., | Winnipeg, Man. R3C 1X3 | |
| 2 | Miss Athalie Read | 768 Flora Ave., | Winnipeg, Man. R2W 2S9 | |
| 3 | Miss Barbara Woodruff | 95 Keewatin St., | Winnipeg, Man. R3E 3C7 | |
| | Non-Active Deaconesses | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. Karen Baxter | 732 Spruce St., | Winnipeg, Man. | |
| 2 | Mrs. J. C. MacIver | 1618 Pacific Ave., | Winnipeg, Man. R3E 1H5 | |
| 3 | Miss Martine Van Beek | 34-36 Woodrow Place, | Winnipeg, Man. R3G 1J3 | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 6 | Total on Roll | 9 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 | Ministers on Appendix | 2 |
| Others on Roll | 1 | Grand Total of Ministers | 11 |

1911 Portage Ave., Winnipeg, Man. R3J 0J3. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number: Church 888-6291, Res. 888-1417. February 26, 1978

*Last Year's Figures

33. PRESBYTERY OF WINNIPEG

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mense (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|----|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 39 | 47 | 9 | | | 1 | 6 | 66 | MA | 4807 | 9321 | 9321 | 9321 | 1009 | | | 10330 | 1010 | 1 |
| *3 | 19 | 33 | 3 | 2 | 3 | | 1 | 32 | | 2553 | 3548 | 3548 | 4304 | 400 | | | 4304 | 440 | 2 |
| 26 | 91 | 360 | 7 | 14 | 21 | 20 | 39 | 414 | MA | 19265 | 67418 | 70468 | 71589 | 14716 | 898 | 4943 | 92046 | 14716 | 2 |
| 8 | 57 | 148 | 12 | 4 | 16 | 4 | 6 | 179 | M | 9148 | 23180 | 23180 | 27073 | 2587 | | 191 | 29861 | 2587 | 3 |
| 15 | 88 | 149 | 14 | 15 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 158 | MA | 7500 | 18747 | 23435 | 23722 | 2100 | 249 | 225 | 26294 | 2100 | 4 |
| 16 | 42 | 120 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 173 | MA | 12868 | 25490 | 26118 | 5111 | 2459 | 347 | 34035 | 5100 | 5 | |
| 10 | 40 | 137 | 9 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 197 | M | 11000 | 22744 | 24004 | 25779 | 3428 | 1084 | 2220 | 34511 | 3500 | 7 |
| 7 | | 40 | | | 1 | | 3 | 70 | | 3125 | 8566 | 8566 | 11188 | 1475 | 994 | 730 | 14387 | 1475 | 8 |
| 24 | 143 | 187 | 9 | 13 | 27 | 18 | 1 | 222 | MA | 18500 | 33855 | 44440 | 46996 | 7018 | 540 | 3395 | 57949 | 7549 | 7 |
| 18 | 83 | 150 | 9 | 10 | | 2 | 2 | 238 | M | 12279 | 24624 | 29144 | 30905 | 4339 | 406 | 460 | 36111 | 4339 | 8 |
| 1 | 26 | 9 | 1 | | | | | 17 | | 780 | 1635 | 1918 | 5282 | | | 785 | 5282 | 300 | 9 |
| 3 | | 16 | | | | | | 28 | | 680 | 2407 | 2704 | 2180 | | | | 2180 | | 10 |
| 5 | 115 | 130 | 2 | | | | | 26 | M | 13439 | 18319 | 19718 | 12778 | 320 | | 4476 | 24192 | 160 | 1 |
| 8 | 42 | 46 | 5 | | 3 | 3 | 5 | 60 | M | 1245 | 12183 | 15063 | | 1043 | | 349 | 14170 | 1100 | 2 |
| | | | | | | | | | | 12500 | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 161 | 785 | 1572 | 85 | 70 | 80 | 61 | 76 | 1981 | 10 | 117189 | 272237 | 300899 | 297215 | 43556 | 6630 | 18021 | 385632 | 44387 | 1 |
| 176 | 870 | 1440 | 106 | 77 | 100 | 63 | 35 | 2114 | 12 | 99742 | 223274 | 294111 | 310474 | 37753 | 6229 | 10280 | 364644 | 41681 | 2 |
| | | 132 | | | | | 41 | | | 17427 | 48963 | 6888 | | 5803 | 401 | 7741 | 20888 | 2706 | 3 |
| 15 | 85 | | 21 | 7 | 20 | 2 | | 133 | 2 | | | | 13259 | | | | | | 1 |

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|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 7 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 10 |

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|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 10 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 4 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 14 |

R. J. GILLANDERS, Clerk

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|----------------------------------|---|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | Brandon, First | Peter D. Ruddell, M.A., B.D. | D. S. Thomson | Apt. 404 1930 Rosser Ave. R7B 0C5 |
| 2 | Brandon, St. Andrew's | W. M. Barber | L. H. Fraser | 339 Victoria Ave., East R7A 124 |
| 3 | Carberry, Knox | G. E. Duncan, B.Com., B.D. | W. M. Barber | 1405 Van Horne Ave. R7A 1E4 |
| 4 | Cranberry Portage, Knox | | N. L. Johnson | Box 165, Carberry ROM 0H0 |
| 5 | Dauphin, St. James' | A. Sutherland, B.A., M.Div. | G. W. Wells | Carberry ROK 0H0 |
| 6 | Elphinstone | J. Codling, B.Ed., M.Div. | James Morton | Strathclair RQJ 2C0 |
| 7 | Flin Flon, St. Andrew's | R. E. Sand, B.A., M.Div. | D. A. Hay | 81 Tweedsmuir St. R8A 0R5 |
| 8 | Hartney, St. Paul's | A. G. Smith, B.A., M.Div. | J. G. McBurney | Box 265, Hartney ROM 0X0 |
| 9 | Killarney, Erskine | C. W. Quinn, B.A. | John W. McRae | Box 133, Melita ROM 1L0 |
| 10 | Neepawa, Knox | Wm. McNeil, B.A. | Mrs. E. Taggart | Box 14, Killarney ROK 1G0 |
| 11 | Oak Lake Reserve | E. Bunn (Catechist) | Mrs. E. Taggart | Box 14, Killarney ROK 1G0 |
| 12 | Portage La Prairie | C. A. Lauder (Catechist) | W. E. Armstrong | Boissevain ROK 0E0 |
| 13 | Portage La Prairie, First | H. L. Henderson, M.A. | Hilliard Jones | Box 1047, Killarney ROK 1G0 |
| 14 | Portage La Prairie | | Fred Powell | Box 387, Neepawa RQJ 1H0 |
| 15 | Rosburn, Ekford | H. K. Stright, B.A., M.Div. | Edmund Collingridge | Solgarth RQJ 2B0 |
| 16 | Virden, St. Andrew's | J. Reaves, B.S., M.Div. | H. Armstrong | Vista RQJ 2E0 |
| 17 | Non-Active Deaconesses | 20 Clark Drive, | Lawrence Anderson | Box 203, Virden ROM 2C0 |
| 18 | Mrs. Diane Tait-Katerberg | 663 Park St., | James Reaves | Box 1089, Virden ROM 2C0 |
| 19 | Mrs. W. J. Leishman | | | Brandon R7B 0T9 |
| 20 | | | | Brandon R7A 5N1 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 6 | Total on Roll | 12 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 6 | Ministers on Appendix | - |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 12 |

Box 428, Carberry, Manitoba R0K 0H0. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 204-934-2503. March 14, 1978
339-12th St. Brandon, Manitoba R7A 4M3

*Last Year's Figures
**1975 Figures

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30 | 75 | 312 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 565 | M | 16731 | 43250 | 46374 | 58389 | 12959 | 1312 | 1677 | 74338 | 12959 | 1 |
| 12 | 29 | 144 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 157 | M | 7910 | 15434 | 15434 | 17247 | 1500 | 715 | 60 | 19522 | 1500 | 2 |
| 7 | 11 | 44 | | | | | 58 | M | 3478 | 5088 | 5088 | 5647 | 893 | 5 | 9 | 6554 | 893 | 3 |
| 10 | 45 | 125 | 11 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 157 | M | 7134 | 13814 | 17729 | 20594 | 1318 | 725 | | 22637 | 1740 | 3 |
| 8 | 17 | 60 | 4 | 5 | | | 73 | M | 4536 | 6394 | 6484 | 7298 | 1198 | | | 8496 | 1304 | 4 |
| ** | 35 | 31 | 2 | | | | 10 | M | 1140 | 1140 | 2213 | 3872 | | | 426 | 4509 | 300 | 4 |
| *4 | 16 | 27 | | 2 | 1 | 8 | 24 | RH | 1020 | 2676 | 2676 | 4730 | 496 | 70 | 68 | 8038 | 393 | 5 |
| * | 16 | 29 | 1 | | | | 33 | | 3191 | 5455 | 5455 | 5268 | 275 | | 20 | 5248 | 385 | 6 |
| 4 | 18 | 50 | 1 | 6 | | | 51 | M | 25 | 25 | 25 | 30 | 30 | | | 5730 | 275 | 6 |
| 1 | 16 | 24 | 6 | | 13 | | 16 | | 48 | 48 | 48 | 34 | 30 | | | 55 | 60 | 7 |
| 1 | 15 | 20 | | | 11 | | 11 | | 48 | 48 | 48 | 34 | 30 | | | 34 | | 7 |
| 6 | 54 | 80 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 68 | M | 4700 | 11224 | 12986 | 11425 | 2086 | 392 | 252 | 14186 | 2086 | 7 |
| 6 | 3 | 43 | 1 | | | 3 | 5 | M | 8129 | 12579 | 12579 | 9405 | 861 | | | 13440 | 875 | 8 |
| 6 | 13 | 35 | 1 | 1 | | 3 | 51 | | 4775 | 6955 | 6955 | 8061 | 625 | 485 | | 9171 | 625 | 9 |
| 5 | 6 | 44 | | | | | 44 | M | 2760 | 4340 | 4340 | 5260 | 350 | | | 5610 | 350 | 9 |
| *1 | | *10 | | | | | 10 | | 199 | 479 | 479 | 722 | 27 | | | 625 | 57 | 10 |
| 3 | | 15 | | | | | 18 | | 923 | 2035 | 2035 | 2714 | 135 | | | 2849 | 135 | 11 |
| 1 | | 14 | | | | | 14 | | 2106 | 5181 | 5181 | 4867 | 329 | | 980 | 6177 | 329 | 12 |
| 12 | 14 | 100 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 129 | M | 10500 | 19369 | 19369 | 21654 | 1552 | | | 23206 | 2050 | 13 |
| **1 | | 21 | | | | | 1 | RH | | | | 300 | | | | 300 | | 14 |
| | 14 | | 2 | | | | 21 | | | | | 16 | | | | 16 | | 15 |
| | 28 | 20 | | | | | 20 | | | 8 | 8 | | | | | 8 | | 16 |
| 2 | 17 | 26 | 2 | 4 | | 1 | 8 | | 345 | 1281 | 1281 | 1564 | | | | 1564 | | 17 |
| 22 | 79 | 370 | 24 | 6 | | 1 | 245 | M | 9500 | 22772 | 22772 | 22458 | 897 | 462 | | 23817 | 854 | 18 |
| 2 | | 57 | | | | | 25 | | | | | 1486 | | | | | | 19 |
| | 47 | 65 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 14 |
| 1 | | 8 | 1 | | | 1 | 8 | | 150 | 150 | 250 | 172 | | | 15 | 287 | | 15 |
| 2 | | 6 | | | | | 7 | | 464 | 464 | 464 | 293 | 150 | | | 443 | | 15 |
| | 17 | 26 | | | | | 10 | | 75 | 75 | 100 | 152 | 20 | | | 152 | | 20 |
| 8 | 67 | 72 | | | | 2 | 68 | M | 7772 | 14207 | 14207 | 17702 | 1262 | | 2271 | 21235 | 1262 | 16 |
| 6 | 14 | 62 | 5 | | | 2 | 100 | | 5148 | 7585 | 7585 | 5511 | 117 | | | 5628 | 117 | 16 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 160 | 650 | 1940 | 76 | 42 | 36 | 28 | 38 | 2051 | 102759 | 203900 | 214999 | 244426 | 28798 | 4166 | 5778 | 283853 | 28798 | 1 |
| 164 | 634 | 2418 | 70 | 47 | 64 | 33 | 75 | 2041 | 86788 | 180621 | 200371 | 225336 | 13821 | 5037 | 5833 | 254599 | 23145 | 2 |
| | 16 | | 6 | | | | 10 | | 15971 | 23279 | 14628 | 19090 | 14967 | | | 29254 | 5654 | |
| 4 | | 478 | | 5 | 28 | 5 | 37 | | | | | | | 871 | 55 | | | |

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|-----------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 6 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 10 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 16 |

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Congregations in them | 12 |
| Number of Congregations in them | 23 |
| Total Number of Congregations | 35 |

GRAEME C. DUNCAN, Clerk of Presbytery
P. Ruddell

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978 STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|----------------------------------|---|------------------|--------------|
|-----|----------------------------------|---|------------------|--------------|

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| In S.S. Charges | - | Total on Roll | 5 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 5 | Ministers on Appendix | - |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 5 |

10015 88th Ave., Grande Prairie, Alberta T8V 0C5. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 403-532-7544. February 15, 1978 *Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-------------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------|--|
| 1 | Chauvin, Westminster Wainwright, St. Andrew's | J. C. Ferrier, B.A., M.Div. | E. A. Pitman Glen Neff | Box 55, Chauvin, Alta. T0B 0V0 Box 608, Wainwright, Alta. T0B 4P0 |
| Edmonton: | | | | |
| 2 | Dayspring | J. J. Hibbs, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | D. Springstein (Mrs. W. M.) | 10609-60A Ave., Edmonton T6H 1K5 |
| 3 | Eastminster | R. L. Taylor, B.A., D.D. | L. W. Sheppard | 8115-93A Ave., Edmonton T6C 1V4 |
| 4 | First | P. D. McKague, B.A., B.D. | M. Templeman (Miss) | 11303-101 St., Edmonton T5G 2A6 |
| 5 | Calvin, Hungarian | G. Deuze, B.Ed. | I. Balog | 40 Beaverbrook Cres., St. Albert T8N 2K8 |
| 6 | Milwoods | R. D. Wilson, B.Comm., M.Div. | R. S. Dawson | 8507-56 St., Edmonton T6B 1H8 |
| 7 | St. Andrew's | L. L. de Groot, B.A., M.A., B.D. | L. L. de Groot | #11 11832-88 St., Edmonton T5B 3R8 |
| 8 | Strathcona | I. P. MacSween, B.A. | R. Dimwoodie | 7107-80 St., Edmonton T6C 2S5 |
| 9 | Westmount | J. E. Bigelow, B.A., B.D., S.T.M., D.D. | R. F. Stevenson | 11864 St. Albert Tr., Edmonton T5L 4G4 |
| 10 | Killam Presbyterian Galahad, St. Paul's | Summer Student | E. F. Fee | Box 129, Killam, Alta. T0B 2L0 |
| 11 | Lloydminster, Knox | | G. C. Stewart | Box 114, Galahad, Alta. T0B 1R0 |
| 12 | St. Albert, Braeside | N. C. Gordon, B.A., B.D. | J. F. Bottomley | 5207-32 St., Lloydminster, Alta. T9V 1G2 |
| 13 | Tolland, Ganton | | B. Bissonette | 30 Geneva Cres., St. Albert, Alta. T8N 0Z4 |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Executive Director, Pastoral Institute, Edmonton | John C. Carr, B.A., B.D., Th.M. | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | Robertson Millar, D.D. | | |
| 2 | | W. Winiowsky | | |
| 3 | Leadership Development Officer, Govt. of Alta. | H. G. Marsh, B.A. | | |
| 4 | | I. Anne McGrath, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 5 | Professor | R. C. Smith, M.A., B.D., Ph.D. | | |
| 6 | Retired | G. A. Hajiantoniou, M.A., L.L.B., Ph.D. | | |
| 7 | | P. W. Sharren | | |
| 8 | Superintendent of Missions | G. A. Johnston, B.A., M.Div. | | |
| 9 | Overseas Missions Staff | R. W. Fee, B.A., M.Div. | | |
| 10 | Retired | I. R. McKee | | |
| 11 | Retired | E. J. White, B.A., D.D. | | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Mrs. G. A. Johnston | 3504-112 St. | Edmonton, Alta. T6J 1H9 | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 4 | Total on Roll | 11 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 6 | Ministers on Appendix | 11 |
| Others on Roll | 1 | Grand Total of Ministers | 22 |

13820-109 A Ave., Edmonton, Alta. T5M 2K1. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number (Home) 403-455-3692 (Church) 403-455-6431. February 25, 1978

37. PRESBYTERY OF PEACE RIVER

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments & S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Men (M) or Women (W) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Ministry Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|

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|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|
| Number of Self-Supporting Churches | 0 | Number of Congregations in them | 0 |
| Aid-Receiving Churches | 6 | Number of Congregations in them | 9 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 6 | Total Number of Congregations | 9 |

(MRS.) MARION LADE, Clerk of Presbytery

38. PRESBYTERY OF EDMONTON

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address | Number of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments & S. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Men (M) or Women (W) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Ministry Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|------------------|--------------|------------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 6 | 40 | 44 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | 58 | M | 8243 | 11982 | 11982 | 11967 | 1482 | | | 13059 | 1482 | 1 |
| 3 | 7 | 24 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | 21 | W | 2912 | 2912 | 2912 | 5177 | 539 | | | 5717 | 540 | |
| 13 | 75 | 111 | 6 | 13 | 18 | 8 | 8 | 123 | RH | 4368 | 15648 | 20953 | 31182 | 2276 | 50 | 1534 | 35832 | 2277 | 2 | | | 4484 | 3 | |
| 10 | 61 | 111 | 7 | 11 | 11 | 3 | 5 | 135 | W | 10780 | 29166 | 29740 | 32958 | 4587 | | 9845 | 48481 | 12088 | 6 | | | 12088 | 6 | |
| 48 | 41 | 332 | 2 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 481 | MA | 16870 | 73139 | 73139 | 70881 | 10317 | 1053 | 1852 | 84743 | 700 | 5 | | | 700 | 5 | |
| 8 | | 80 | 2 | | 5 | | 4 | 38 | MA | 6150 | 10174 | 10799 | 700 | | | | 6198 | 600 | 6 | | | 600 | 6 | |
| 4 | 20 | 40 | 5 | | 4 | | | 40 | W | | 3171 | 3558 | 6119 | *250 | | | 6198 | 1688 | 7 | | | 1688 | 7 | |
| 12 | 9 | 75 | 2 | | 1 | 3 | 2 | 113 | MA | 6880 | 24816 | 25316 | 21814 | 1888 | | 388 | 22988 | 5000 | 8 | | | 5000 | 8 | |
| 15 | 40 | 149 | 9 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 6 | 217 | MA | 14880 | 32854 | 36625 | 39477 | 5880 | 1188 | 1127 | 46784 | 6000 | 9 | | | 6000 | 9 | |
| 14 | 58 | 161 | 5 | 5 | 3 | | 4 | 236 | W | 15845 | 34788 | 38828 | 40885 | 6880 | 488 | 1785 | 48278 | 6880 | 10 | | | 6880 | 10 | |
| 4 | | 32 | 3 | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 41 | W | 4081 | 6186 | 6811 | 8172 | 862 | | 281 | 9115 | 862 | 11 | | | 862 | 11 | |
| 4 | 15 | 26 | | | 1 | 4 | 29 | | W | 2480 | 2480 | 2480 | 4887 | 385 | 145 | | 5417 | 450 | | | | 450 | | |
| 7 | 38 | 288 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 178 | W | 7649 | 37683 | 38722 | 38120 | 7580 | | 960 | 38580 | 7580 | 11 | | | 7580 | 11 | |
| 7 | 78 | 85 | 3 | 6 | 6 | 11 | 3 | 107 | W | 6190 | 15816 | 26837 | 32515 | 2485 | | 981 | 35822 | 2485 | 12 | | | 2485 | 12 | |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand Total, 1976 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Increase | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Decrease | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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|------------------------------------|----|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Churches | 5 | Number of Congregations in them | 5 |
| Aid-Receiving Churches | 7 | Number of Congregations in them | 10 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 12 | Total Number of Congregations | 15 |

JESSE E. BIGELOW, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|------------------|--|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | Eckville, St. Paul's | L. George Macdonald, B.A., B.Th. | Terrance J. Curran | Eckville, Alta. T0M 0X0 |
| 2 | Innisfail, St. Andrew's Penhold, Chalmers | Sidney Chang, B.A., B.D., S.T.M. | James Brown | Box 1325, Innisfail T0M 1A0 |
| 3 | Olds, St. Andrew's Carstairs, Knox | R. J. Ritchie, B.A. | Mrs. Pearl Cross | Box 4, Penhold T0M 1R0 |
| 4 | Red Deer, Knox | Douglas O. Fry | John Ross | Box 57, Olds T0M 1P0 |
| 5 | Red Deer, St. Andrew's Willowdale, Zion | J. Alex Morrison, Catechist | Hamilton Robinson | Box 94, Carstairs T0M 0N0 |
| 6 | Rocky Mt. House, Memorial | Gordon A. Cunningham, B.A. | David Bell | 15-5425-47A Ave. Red Deer T4N 3R7 |
| 7 | Sylvan Lake Memorial Benalto | John D. Yoos, B.A. | B. E. Cook | 5525-36th St. Red Deer T4N 0T4 |
| 8 | Three Hills, St. Andrew's Orkney, St. Andrew's Lousana, St. Andrew's | James Mullin (Catechist) | W. M. Reay | R.R. 3, Red Deer T4N 5E3 |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | R. J. Burton, M.B.E., B.A. | M. Reay | R.R. 2, Red Deer T4N 5E2 |
| 2 | Dept. Health & Social Development | W. H. Mabb | Stewart Stephanson | Box 356, Rocky Mt. House T0M 1T0 |
| 3 | Non-Active Deaconesses | James D. Harrison | Stewart Craven | R.R. 1, Sylvan Lake T0M 1Z0 |
| 1 | Mrs. R. Malsbury | R.R. 1, <i>J. MacDonald</i> | Geo. R. Sterling | Box 35, Benalto T0M 0H0 |
| | | | Mrs. Christine Gustafson | Box 174, Three Hills T0M 2A0 |
| | | | A. Stanger | Box 369, Drumheller T0M 0Y0 |
| | | | Maurice Lewis | Box 12, Lousana, Alta. T0M 1K0 |
| | | | | Penhold, Alberta T0M 1R0 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| In S.S. Charges | 3 | Total on Roll | 6 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 | Ministers on Appendix | 2 |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 8 |

Box 1733, Olds, Alberta T0M 1P0. February 27, 1978

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-----|---|--|------------------|--|
| 1 | Banff, St. Paul's | Denis H. Mahood, B.A., B.D. | A. B. Ligat | Box 28, Banff T0L 0C0 |
| 2 | Bassano, Knox Gem | Hector W. Rose, B.Ed. | Wayne Arrison | Bassano T0J 0B0 |
| 3 | Calgary, Calvin | Gerald E. Graham, B.A., B.D. | *Curtis Roger | Gem T0J 1M0 |
| 4 | Calgary, Centennial | John W. Mills, B.A. | Steve Kovacs | 927-38 Ave. S.W., Calgary T3C 1T4 |
| 5 | Calgary, Chalmers | Samuel J. Stewart, B.A., M.A., M.Div. | George Kallay | 1538 Marilyn Way N.E., Calgary T2A 3K5 |
| 6 | Calgary, Grace | A. J. Aicken, B.A., B.D. | W. F. Clelland | 4904 Nelson Rd. N.W., Calgary T2K 2L9 |
| 7 | Calgary, Knox Valleyview | Leslie R. Files, B.A., B.D., Th.M., Ph.D. | N. J. Reid | 4555 Stanley Dr., S.W., Calgary T2S 2R6 |
| 8 | Calgary, St. Andrew's | David J. Crawford, C.D., B.A., B.D., M.Th., D.D. | R. P. Galbraith | 6724 Laird Court, S.W., Calgary T3E 6G1 |
| 9 | Calgary, St. Giles | C. W. Simpson, B.A. | M. D. Moorhouse | 3315 Utah Drive, N.W., Calgary T2N 4A3 |
| 10 | Calgary, Varsity Acres | George Telcs, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | R. H. McGuire | 4912 Verulum Place, N.W. T3A 0K1 |
| 11 | Fort Macleod, St. Andrew's Jumbo Valley | L. D. Hankinson, B.A. | Arnold Butler | Box 366, Fort Macleod, Alberta T0L 0Z0 |
| 12 | Lethbridge, Bethlen | Jas. K. West, B.A., B.D. | John Mackintosh | Box 59, Granum, Alberta T0L 1A0 |
| 13 | Lethbridge, St. Andrew's | David W. Paterson, B.A. | J. Chabay | Box 588, Coaldale T0K 0L0 |
| 14 | Medicine Hat, Riverside | | F. M. Clelland | 1716 Lakemount Blvd. T1K 3K7 |
| 15 | Medicine Hat, St. John's | | H. G. Besch | 36 Ireland Cres., N.W., Medicine Hat T1A 7H8 |
| | | | Edwin McKenzie | 303-12th St., N.W., Medicine Hat T1A 4T7 |

X Nova Scotia
703 Heritage Dr. SW / Calgary T2V 2L2

39. PRESBYTERY OF RED DEER

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Males (M) or Females (F) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 74 | 90 | 15 | 17 | 11 | | | 82 | M | 5046 | 7076 | 7076 | 9802 | 57 | | | 9859 | 1100 | 1 |
| 6 | 18 | 62 | 4 | | 11 | | 1 | 60 | M | 8113 | 11466 | 11914 | 12585 | 2347 | | | 15642 | 1767 | 2 |
| 3 | 24 | 20 | | 1 | 4 | | | 15 | | 2534 | 3621 | 9156 | 11276 | 125 | 116 | 54 | 11570 | 125 | |
| 4 | 9 | 35 | 1 | | | | | 36 | M | 4410 | 9517 | 11089 | 13485 | 650 | 100 | 25 | 14180 | 650 | 3 |
| 2 | | 24 | | | | | | 21 | | 2940 | 4109 | 6889 | 7048 | 470 | | 85 | 7603 | 470 | |
| 18 | 84 | 255 | 8 | | 10 | | 9 | 357 | M | 12636 | 28788 | 35664 | 55087 | 5500 | 1386 | 5126 | 67019 | 5500 | 4 |
| 4 | 14 | 46 | 2 | 1 | 2 | | 28 | 57 | M | 2242 | 7279 | 9379 | 10619 | 800 | | | 11419 | 800 | 5 |
| 3 | 23 | 29 | 8 | 3 | | | | 94 | | 2529 | 3901 | 3901 | 3457 | 534 | 550 | | 4541 | 564 | |
| 3 | 39 | 21 | 6 | 2 | | | 2 | 26 | | 2323 | 3108 | 6189 | 7513 | 290 | 326 | 50 | 8179 | 290 | |
| 11 | 130 | 215 | 10 | 2 | 2 | | 1 | 192 | M | 11200 | 23838 | 28780 | 28780 | 3570 | 746 | 2199 | 35294 | 3690 | 6 |
| 14 | 65 | 126 | 17 | 13 | 4 | | 3 | 141 | RH | 9420 | 29020 | 26520 | 30638 | 2200 | 156 | 135 | 33329 | 2200 | 7 |
| 2 | 12 | 24 | | | | | | 16 | | 2471 | 3016 | 3016 | 3611 | 200 | | | 3638 | 200 | |
| 2 | | 19 | 2 | | | | 2 | 6 | M | 2772 | 4252 | 4252 | 2650 | | | | 2650 | | 8 |
| 2 | 25 | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 56 | | 2993 | 4063 | 4063 | 4135 | 567 | | 90 | 4782 | 567 | |
| 5 | | 28 | | | | | | 45 | | 434 | 434 | 434 | 590 | | | | 590 | | |
| 85 | 517 | 1014 | 74 | 40 | 45 | 12 | 53 | 1174 | 8 | 72063 | 134588 | 168202 | 201605 | 17300 | 3380 | 7764 | 233484 | 17823 | 1 |
| 89 | 537 | 1025 | 43 | 35 | 33 | 15 | 56 | 1105 | 8 | 65903 | 104187 | 104126 | 201681 | 14913 | 2523 | 5086 | 222141 | 15489 | 2 |
| | | | 31 | 5 | 12 | | 68 | | | 6180 | 30401 | 4076 | | 2387 | 857 | 2668 | 11343 | 2384 | 3 |
| 4 | 20 | 11 | | | | | | | | | | | 76 | | | | | | 1 |

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|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 3 | Number of Congregations in them | 4 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 5 | Number of Congregations in them | 11 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 8 | Total Number of Congregations | 15 |

R. J. RITCHIE, Clerk of Presbytery

40. PRESBYTERY OF CALGARY-MACLEOD

| No. | Households | Total Baptisms | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | By Certificate | By Death or Otherwise | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Males (M) or Females (F) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|-----|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|---|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|----|
| 6 | 31 | 95 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 60 | M | 9900 | 17066 | 20214 | 18429 | 1286 | | 491 | 20206 | 1082 | 1 | |
| 11 | 110 | 140 | 6 | 12 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 176 | M | 12504 | 8853 | 22455 | 17055 | 2000 | 138 | 1291 | 20483 | 2000 | 2 |
| 3 | 15 | 19 | 6 | | | | 16 | 32 | | 480 | 1796 | 1796 | 3836 | 53 | | 110 | 4000 | 59 | |
| 15 | 18 | 112 | 6 | | | | 5 | 108 | M | 10311 | 29190 | 33570 | 30904 | | 200 | 850 | 31954 | 1800 | 3 |
| 5 | 108 | 76 | 15 | 4 | 10 | 3 | | 84 | M | | 3566 | 3566 | 17470 | 983 | 146 | 351 | 18950 | 920 | 4 |
| 16 | 92 | 186 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 3 | 44 | 163 | MA | 13788 | 35050 | 36880 | 44664 | 5497 | 1739 | 3275 | 55175 | 5497 | 5 |
| 52 | 158 | 495 | 12 | 12 | 156 | 6 | 34 | 835 | M | 12750 | 99306 | 99306 | 152955 | 12000 | 4035 | 6983 | 176973 | 12000 | 6 |
| 21 | 45 | 80 | | | | | 8 | 176 | M | 4433 | 25768 | 89457 | 108381 | 2575 | 530 | 1110 | 113606 | 2575 | 7 |
| 28 | 190 | 305 | 13 | 5 | 24 | 8 | 16 | 408 | M | 14750 | 37703 | 67630 | 89023 | 6200 | 210 | 1998 | 77431 | 6001 | 8 |
| 43 | 127 | 414 | 29 | | 45 | 6 | 29 | 616 | MA | 15300 | 55870 | 59155 | 63382 | 4166 | 1305 | 2728 | 71581 | 4166 | 9 |
| 18 | 89 | 128 | 2 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 173 | M | 4931 | 18195 | 26989 | 25659 | 3788 | 330 | 2349 | 36126 | 3788 | 10 |
| 7 | 25 | 70 | 1 | | | | 2 | 66 | M | 3392 | 7158 | 10158 | 14099 | 1000 | 355 | | 15454 | 1000 | 11 |
| 1 | 12 | 13 | 1 | | | | | | | 2100 | 2479 | 2733 | 3007 | | | | 3007 | 200 | |
| 6 | 29 | 50 | 2 | | 4 | | 4 | 74 | M | 2463 | 5806 | 5806 | 7059 | 400 | | 122 | 7581 | 400 | 12 |
| 26 | 66 | 322 | 19 | 6 | 17 | 4 | 4 | 433 | M | 17310 | 77286 | 77286 | *61866 | *9500 | 1023 | | 78168 | 4600 | 13 |
| 9 | 34 | 80 | 13 | 3 | | 2 | 1 | 93 | M | 5230 | 11261 | 12606 | 10415 | 775 | | 358 | 11548 | 775 | 14 |
| 26 | 70 | 248 | 9 | 8 | 11 | 2 | 5 | 341 | M | 6910 | 42144 | 50800 | 49879 | 9450 | 1975 | 1298 | 62603 | 9450 | 15 |

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978 STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------------|-------------------|
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Hospital Chaplain | J. B. Milne, B.A. | | |
| 2 | CFB Chaplain | Wm. C. MacLellan, B.Sc. (Agr.), B.D. | | |
| 3 | Missionary | C. A. Scott, B.A., B.D., M.Th. | | |
| 4 | Director, Inter-Faith Housing | G. Firth, B.A. | | |
| Appendix to Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Social Worker | D. R. MacDonald, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 2 | Indian Affairs | G. E. Williams, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 3 | Retired | B. D. Nagy | | |
| 4 | Retired | L. Becske, M.A., B.D., M.Th. | | |
| Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Miss Ruby Walker | 29, 330-19th Ave. S.W. | Calgary T2S 0C9 | |
| 2 | Miss Cathie Bailie | 1818-5th Ave. S. | Lethbridge T1J 0W6 | |
| Non-Active Deaconesses | | | | |
| 1 | Miss Luella Moore | 605-28th Ave. N.W. | Calgary T2M 212 | |
| 2 | Mrs. Paul Paulson | 333, 22 Glenway Place | Calgary T3E 4T6 | |
| 3 | Miss Shirley Smart | 236 Rundlemere Rd. N.E. | Calgary T1Y 3K8 | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 9 | Total on Roll | 18 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 5 | Ministers on Appendix | 5 |
| Others on Roll | 4 | Grand Total of Ministers | 23 |

22-23rd Avenue, N.W., Calgary T2M 1T7. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 1-403-269-6802 (res. 1-403-269-1400). February 21, 1978
 4612 Varsity Dr., W.W., Calgary, Alta., T3A 1V7 *Last Year's Figures

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

| No. | Pastoral Charge | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|--|
| 1 | Castlegar, Grace | H. M. Harvey (Lay Supply) | K. Campbell | 927 9th Ave. S., Castlegar, B.C. V1N 2Y7 |
| 2 | Cranbrook, Knox | J. B. Forsyth, B.A., B.Ed., B.D. | David Frame | 2100 3rd St. S., Cranbrook, B.C. V1C 2M3 |
| 3 | Creston, St. Stephen's | Edward Bragg, D.D. | Earl Ward | Box 117, Erickson, B.C. V0B 1G0 |
| 4 | Kimberley, St. Andrew's | C. B. Brown, B.A., M.Div. | E. W. Jones | 626 8th Ave., Kimberley, B.C. V1A 2V7 |
| 5 | Nelson, First | W. Campbell Smyth, B.Th. | M. McKillop | 808 Fourth Ave., Nelson, B.C. V1L 2T2 |
| | Slocan, St. Andrew's | | David Barclay | Box 136, Slocan, B.C. V0G 2C0 |
| 6 | Trail, First | | Jas. Gray | 114 Ritchie Ave., Trail, B.C. V1R 1G9 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
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| In S.S. Charges | 2 | Total on Roll | 4 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 2 | Ministers on Appendix | - |
| Others on Roll | - | Grand Total of Ministers | 4 |

1556 Pine Ave., Trail, B.C. V1R 4G2. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number 604-368-8363. February 20, 1978

40. PRESBYTERY OF CALGARY-MACLEOD

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Mense (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number | |
|---------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|---|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificates and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 293 | 1219 | 2833 | 142 | 66 | 284 | 39 | 187 | 3838 | 14 | 137492 | 478876 | 631686 | 701896 | 60023 | 11986 | 23828 | 807511 | 55864 | 1 |
| 287 | 1308 | 2700 | 149 | 98 | 166 | 94 | 262 | 3713 | 15 | 124780 | 333864 | 443090 | 516030 | 50697 | 11980 | 17643 | 595943 | 52230 | 2 |
| | 6 | 133 | | | 118 | | 125 | | | 12712 | 145012 | 188576 | 185866 | 9326 | 6 | 6185 | 211568 | 3634 | 3 |
| | 89 | | 7 | 32 | | 55 | 75 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 4 |

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|-----------------------------------|----|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 10 | Number of Congregations in them | 13 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 5 | Number of Congregations in them | 5 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 15 | Total Number of Congregations | 18 |

DAVID J. GRAYFORD, Clerk of Presbytery
 C. Simpson

41. PRESBYTERY OF KOOTENAY

| No. | Elders | Pupils | Households | Baptisms | Comm. Recd. | Comm. Rem. | Comm. on Roll | Mense/R.H. | Stipend | Normal Expend. | Mgmt. Expend. | Total Raised | Budget Funds | W.M.S. | Other Purposes | Total Raised | Treasurer | Number | |
|-----|--------|--------|------------|----------|-------------|------------|---------------|------------|---------|----------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------|----------------|--------------|-----------|--------|----------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | On Prof. |
| 1 | 14 | 16 | 2 | | 10 | | 1 | 22 | RH | 500 | 2677 | 4205 | 4021 | 89 | | 4110 | 85 | 1 | |
| 9 | 154 | 121 | 12 | 11 | 7 | | 15 | 138 | M | 10945 | 25881 | 36632 | 33453 | 2800 | 721 | 513 | 37486 | 2400 | 2 |
| 4 | 7 | 52 | | | 2 | | 11 | 69 | M | 5219 | 14435 | 15435 | 12267 | 646 | 356 | 13269 | 648 | 3 | |
| 4 | 63 | 69 | 1 | | 4 | | 2 | 69 | M | 2966 | 4413 | 4413 | 19088 | 1800 | | 226 | 21114 | 1800 | 4 |
| 3 | 20 | 65 | 3 | 5 | | | 3 | 50 | RH | 5369 | 10791 | 11463 | 11782 | 200 | | 479 | 12461 | 200 | 5 |
| 2 | 26 | 21 | 2 | | 4 | | 2 | 20 | | 1290 | 3106 | 4231 | 3583 | 150 | | 300 | 4043 | 150 | 5 |
| 8 | 48 | 143 | 2 | 1 | | | 1 | 138 | M | 11660 | 17716 | 24643 | 24116 | 3802 | 800 | 1807 | 30525 | 3802 | 6 |
| 31 | 333 | 487 | 22 | 17 | 19 | 12 | 32 | 496 | 6 | 37859 | 79119 | 101022 | 106320 | 9487 | 1877 | 3325 | 123008 | 9085 | |
| 33 | 312 | 426 | 26 | 15 | 43 | 21 | 34 | 496 | 5 | 42133 | 86239 | 100942 | 98860 | 8103 | 2565 | 877 | 109984 | 7469 | |
| | 21 | 61 | | 2 | | | | | 1 | | | 80 | 9460 | 1384 | | 2448 | 13024 | 1616 | |
| | | | 4 | | 24 | 9 | 2 | | | 4274 | 7120 | | | | 688 | | | | |

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|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|
| Number of Self-Supporting Charges | 3 | Number of Congregations in them | 3 |
| Aid-Receiving Charges | 3 | Number of Congregations in them | 4 |
| Total Number of Pastoral Charges | 6 | Total Number of Congregations | 7 |

RUTH McILVENNA, Clerk of Presbytery

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

PRESBYTERY ROLL OF MINISTERS, March 31st, 1978

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

| No. | Pastoral Charge or Mission Field | Minister (Addresses listed at back of Book) | Clerk of Session | P.O. Address |
|------------------|----------------------------------|---|---------------------|---|
| 1 | Armstrong, St. Andrew's | Daniel J. Firth, B.A. | J. B. McKechnie | R.R. 3, Armstrong, B.C. V0L 1B0 |
| | Vernon, Knox | | Mrs. Ellen Holmwood | 3908-29 Ave., Vernon, B.C. V1T 1Z3 |
| 2 | Kamloops, St. Andrew's | George N. Peters | V.D.O. Newman | 1073 Pleasant St., Kamloops, B.C. V2C 3B7 |
| 3 | Kelowna, St. David's | David W. Stewart, C.D., B.A., B.D. | M. Barwick | 244 Riverside Ave., Kelowna, B.C. V1Y 1A6 |
| 4 | Kitimat | J. Beverley Kay | A. M. Boyd | 46 Stikine St., Kitimat, B.C. V8C 1W5 |
| 5 | Penticton, St. Andrew's | A. Gordon Faraday, C.D., B.A., M.A., D.D. | F. M. Chapman | 1457 Carmi Dr., Penticton V2A 4R9 |
| 6 | Prince George, St. Giles' | J. H. Hans Kouwenberg, B.A., M.Div., M.A. | D. Struthers | 5961 Oxford Pl., Prince George V2N 2E7 |
| 7 | Prince Rupert, First | Maurice D. McNepp, B.A. | M. E. Martin | 620-7th Ave. E., Prince Rupert V8J 2J6 |
| 8 | Salmon Arm, St. Andrew's | Rex G. Krepps | H. Van der Hoek | R.R. 2, Salmon Arm V0E 2T0 |
| Others on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Principal, New Caledonia College | Fred J. Speckeen, B.A., B.D., Ph.D. | | |
| 2 | Chaplain, Canadian Forces | Captain L. T. Barclay, B.A. | | |
| Appendix on Roll | | | | |
| 1 | Retired | George Anderson | | |
| 2 | Retired | William H. T. Fulton, B.A. | | |
| 3 | Teaching | Allan Glen, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 4 | Missionary | H. Ted Ellis, B.A., B.D. | | |
| 5 | Social Worker | Ivan S. Gamble, B.A., B.D., R.S.W. | | |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1977 |
| | | | | Grand Total, 1976 |
| | | | | Increase |
| | | | | Decrease |

NUMBER OF MINISTERS ON ROLL

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|----|
| In S.S. Charges | 4 | Total on Roll | 10 |
| In Aid-Receiving Charges | 4 | Ministers on Appendix | 5 |
| Others on Roll | 2 | Grand Total of Ministers | 15 |

P.O. Box 532, Kamloops, B.C. V2C 5L2. Clerk's Area Code and Telephone Number (604) 372-3540 & 374-6706. February 27, 1978

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

| No. | Self-Supporting | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address |
|-----|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Abbotsford, Calvin | Vacant | D. Walker | 2317 Otter St., Clearbrook, B.C. V2T 3B3 |
| 2 | Burnaby, Gordon | G. M. Philips | Douglas Philips | 12895-98A Ave., Surrey, B.C. V3T 1B1 |
| 3 | Burnaby, Vancouver Heights | R. McKay Esler, B.A., B.D. | Mrs. S. F. Cornes | Box 527, Fort Langley, B.C. V0X 1J0 |
| 4 | Chilliwack, Cooke's | Douglas Anderson, B.A. | Murray MacFarlane | 46289 Strathcona Rd., Chilliwack V2P 3T1 |
| 5 | Haney | Douglas W. Maxwell, B.A., M.Div. | J. Muir | 12151-228th St., Maple Ridge, B.C. V2X 6M2 |
| 6 | New Westminster, First | K.M.L. Wheaton, B.A., M.Div. | Dr. W. Sinclair | 1863 Windermere Ave., Port Coquitlam, B.C. V3B 2K5 |
| 7 | New Westminster, Knox | W. R. Bell, M.A., B.D., D.D. | F. R. McKnight | 140 Harvey St., New Westminster, B.C. V3L 4G2 |
| 8 | New Westminster, St. Aidan's | C. E. Jackson, B.A., B.D. | David Lewis | 1106-700 Hamilton St., New Westminster, B.C. V3M 2M6 |
| 9 | North Vancouver, St. Andrew's and St. Stephen's | Robert L. Allison, B.A., B.D. | Gordon Dooley | 1615 Lynn Valley Rd., North Vancouver V7T 2B5 |
| 10 | Richmond | T. Plomp, B.A., B.D. | R. Gauvreau | 5520 Wallace Rd., Richmond, B.C. V7E 2C5 |
| 11 | Surrey, Whalley | B. J. Ogdon, B.A., B.D. | R. Martin Gove | 7145-115th St., North Delta, B.C. V4E 1X8 |
| 12 | Vancouver, Central | J. P. Ian Morrison, B.A., B.D. | Mrs. Margaret Chivas | 1155 Thurlow St., Vancouver, B.C. V6E 1X2 |
| 13 | Vancouver, Chinese | Rinson T. K. Lin, B.Sc., L.Th. | Gordon Yuen | 1256 W. 27th Ave., Vancouver, B.C. V6H 2B9 |
| 14 | Vancouver, Fairview | Vacant | Wm. M. Walker | 5830 Hudson St., Vancouver, B.C. V6M 2Z3 |
| 15 | Vancouver, Kerrisdale | Vacant | Dr. D. M. McLean | 2832 W. 43rd Ave., Vancouver, B.C. V6N 3J1 |
| 16 | Vancouver, Korean | Vacant | Rev. K. C. Doxe-Interim Moderator | 14751 Vine Avenue, White Rock, B.C. V4B 2T2 |

* Filled by her, my Jue

42. PRESBYTERY OF KAMLOOPS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1977.

| No. of Elders | Number of pupils in all Departments S.S. | Households | Total Baptisms | Communicants Received | | Communicants Removed from Roll | No. of Communicants on Roll, December 31, 1977 | Manus (M) or Rented House (R.H.) | Stipend Paid by Congregation | Total Normal Expenditures | Total Managers' Expenditures | Total Raised for all Congregational Purposes | Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church | Amount Raised by W.M.S. | Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes | Total amount raised for all purposes | Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ended December 31, 1977 | Number |
|-------------------|--|------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------|
| | | | | On Profession of Faith | By Certificate and Otherwise | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | 29 | | 2 | | | 39 | MA | 5585 | 7205 | 7205 | 8697 | 1034 | 430 | 2875 | 13036 | 1034 | 1 |
| 5 | 11 | 64 | 1 | 1 | | | 60 | MA | 5585 | 10206 | 13374 | 14589 | 2510 | 709 | 1960 | 19778 | 2510 | 2 |
| 17 | 58 | 121 | 3 | | 7 | | 151 | MA | 13150 | 37001 | 37001 | 37779 | 4155 | 530 | 1202 | 43666 | 3191 | 2 |
| 11 | | 189 | 7 | 3 | 7 | | 189 | MA | 12150 | 29702 | 46441 | 47401 | 3299 | | 1200 | 51900 | 3300 | 3 |
| 6 | 42 | 42 | 2 | | 5 | | 46 | M | 4324 | 14340 | 15340 | 11249 | 1538 | | 130 | 12917 | 1539 | 4 |
| 20 | 57 | 228 | 13 | 20 | 3 | 2 | 289 | MA | 12400 | 27639 | 44599 | 43619 | 567 | 634 | | 45021 | 567 | 5 |
| 10 | 112 | 107 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 120 | M | 13500 | 46411 | 54820 | 51018 | 2550 | 1157 | 1255 | 55980 | 3000 | 6 |
| 4 | 50 | 77 | 4 | 2 | 2 | | 89 | M | 6500 | 12034 | 12823 | 14311 | 1584 | 384 | 123 | 16412 | 1581 | 7 |
| 8 | 71 | 148 | 8 | 16 | 8 | | 105 | M | 783 | 11866 | 29277 | 25751 | 1300 | | 483 | 27534 | 1300 | 8 |
| Grand Total, 1977 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 86 | 405 | 1005 | 44 | 49 | 37 | 23 | 57 | 1088 | 9 | 73977 | 196404 | 260880 | 254424 | 18547 | 4044 | 9228 | 286244 | 17922 |
| 84 | 537 | 1188 | 57 | 44 | 54 | 38 | 47 | 1080 | 9 | 58156 | 144731 | 243422 | 214095 | 17966 | 2509 | 3707 | 264611 | 19053 |
| 2 | | | | 5 | | | 10 | | | 15821 | 51673 | 17458 | 40329 | 581 | 1535 | 5521 | 21633 | |
| | 132 | 184 | 13 | | 17 | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1131 |

Number of Self Supporting Charges 4
 - Aid-Receiving Charges 4
 Total Number of Pastoral Charges 8

Number of Congregations in them 4
 Number of Congregations in them 5
 Total Number of Congregations 9

G. N. PETERS, Clerk of Presbytery

43. PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER

| No. | Self-Supporting | Minister | Clerk | P.O. Address | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----|-----------------|----------|-------|--------------|-----|----|-----|-----|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|------|----|
| 7 | 36 | 95 | | 5 | 2 | | 1 | 111 | M | 8414 | 14731 | 21691 | 22383 | 2264 | 300 | 314 | 25261 | 2364 | 1 |
| 13 | 75 | 210 | 8 | 3 | | | 6 | 195 | MA | 12400 | 19200 | 25794 | 44163 | 5733 | 1266 | 1788 | 52949 | 5733 | 2 |
| 8 | | 66 | 1 | 2 | | | 1 | 64 | MA | 11200 | 15292 | 16892 | 18086 | 1000 | | | 19086 | 1000 | 3 |
| 24 | 45 | 196 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 5 | 22 | 240 | MA | 13000 | 28441 | 43893 | 42189 | 6003 | 480 | 2946 | 51618 | 6003 | 4 |
| 8 | 37 | 62 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 72 | M | 9000 | 18688 | 72790 | 20990 | 1407 | 319 | 95 | 22811 | 1407 | 5 |
| 20 | 60 | 290 | 12 | 17 | 26 | 7 | 16 | 357 | M | 15388 | 54764 | 64688 | 57723 | 9300 | 800 | 5153 | 72976 | 9300 | 6 |
| 11 | 56 | 115 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 7 | 148 | M | 11589 | 17778 | 20690 | 28522 | 4220 | | 1497 | 34239 | 4220 | 7 |
| 11 | 75 | 114 | 8 | 4 | 2 | | 2 | 146 | M | 11200 | 26597 | 26597 | 22800 | 4048 | 1249 | 60 | 28157 | 3815 | 8 |
| 25 | 96 | 184 | 3 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 270 | MA | 13200 | 34133 | 46107 | 45304 | 8952 | 70 | 2423 | 54794 | 8952 | 9 |
| 11 | 80 | 170 | 7 | 6 | 19 | 3 | 12 | 184 | M | 13943 | 29452 | 32904 | 48364 | 4843 | 425 | 1831 | 55463 | 4825 | 10 |
| 7 | 57 | 91 | 6 | 4 | | | | 111 | MA | 12600 | 26250 | 30509 | 31413 | 2400 | 217 | 180 | 34211 | 2427 | 11 |
| 11 | 12 | 137 | 1 | 5 | 19 | 5 | 4 | 121 | MA | 11200 | 36087 | 36087 | 31527 | 3717 | 280 | 256 | 35780 | 3717 | 12 |
| 11 | 117 | 145 | 11 | 11 | 4 | | 3 | 149 | MA | 10300 | 19954 | 20186 | 47384 | 2852 | 935 | 616 | 51787 | 2852 | 13 |
| 8 | 5 | 196 | | 1 | 1 | 12 | 28 | 188 | M | 10392 | 28907 | 57506 | 51485 | 5507 | 880 | 11524 | 69497 | 5507 | 14 |
| 21 | 83 | 291 | 6 | 9 | 7 | 12 | 18 | 374 | M | 17166 | 61455 | 51949 | 11150 | 3583 | 619 | 67311 | 7343 | 15 | |
| | | 105 | 25 | | 110 | | 110 | | MA | 7836 | 11236 | 12036 | 26138 | | | | 26138 | | 16 |

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Presbytery of East Toronto – Samuel J. Livingstone, B.A., B.D. from the Presbytery of Utica of the United Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, June 29, 1977

ORDINATIONS

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

Presbytery of Cape Breton – Glen S. MacDonald, B.A., B.Th., May 17, 1977
David W. K. Sutherland, B.Comm., M.Div., June 21, 1977

Presbytery of Newfoundland – David A. Renwick, B.Sc., M.Div., Wabush, September 8, 1977

Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg – E. M. Iona MacLean, B.A., M.Div., Church of St. David, Halifax, N.S. May 31, 1977

Presbytery of Saint John – Brian R. Ross, B.A., B.D., M.Th., Th.D., February 17, 1977

Presbytery of Prince Edward Island – Kenneth Stright, B.A., M.Div., Summerside, P.E.I., May 20, 1977
Charles Gordon Drummond Reid, B.Sc., M.Div., B.Ed., August 2, 1977

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

Presbytery of Quebec – John P. Vaudry, B.A., S.T.M., St. Andrew's, Sherbrooke, Que. May 12, 1977

Presbytery of Montreal – D. Linda Corry, B.A., B.Th., October 3, 1976
Terrence Ingram, B.A., B.Th., May 19, 1977
Sheina B. Smith, B.Th., June 26, 1977
Robert A. Syme, B.Th., September 25, 1977
(Mrs.) Alison Stewart-Patterson, B.Th., September 29, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Presbytery of East Toronto – James F. Biggs, B.A., M.Div., May 15, 1977

Presbytery of West Toronto – Judith Archer, B.A., M.Div., May 18, 1977
A. M. Deans, M.C., B.R.E., June 19, 1977

Presbytery of Barrie – A. Gordon Smith, B.A., M.Div., May 15, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Presbytery of Hamilton – Wayne J. Baswick, B.A., M.Div., May 15, 1977
D'Arcy W. Lade, B.A., M.Div., August 15, 1977

Presbytery of Chatham – Lawrence A. Welch, B.Th., September 8, 1977

Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland – James Beverly Kay, June 19, 1977

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

Presbytery of Assiniboia – Michael Tai, Westminster, Estevan, July 14, 1977

Presbytery of Northern Saskatchewan – A. R. Neil Mathers, Caragana, August 4, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Presbytery of Westminster – Robert Calder, B.A., M.Div., July 28, 1977 to Mission City, B.C.

INDUCTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

Presbytery of Cape Breton – Donald E. MacLeod, B.Th., North River, North Shore, Englishtown, October 26, 1976
John P. Vaudry, B.A., S.T.M., Orangedale, Malagawatch, River Denys, August 31, 1977

Presbytery of Newfoundland – David W. K. Sutherland, B.Comm., M.Div., St. Matthew's, Grand Falls, July 15, 1977
David A. Renwick, B.Sc., M.Div., Christ Church, Wabush, August 1, 1977

Presbytery of Pictou – William D. Penny, B.A., M.Div., St. Andrew's, Westville, N.S., March 3, 1977
J. Kenneth MacLeod, B.A., B.D., Barney's River – Merigomish Charge, N.S., June 2, 1977
Glenn S. MacDonald, B.A., B.Th., to the Sherbrooke Charge, June 23, 1977

Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg – R. K. Anderson, B.A., B.D., M.Th., First Sackville Church, Lower Sackville, N.S., April 1, 1977
L. A. Murdock, B.A., M.Div., Iona, Dartmouth, N.S., April 1, 1977

Presbytery of Saint John – G. L. Blackwell, B.A., St. Columba, Saint John, April 1, 1977
B. C. Lowery, B.A., B.D., Bethel, Riverview, April 1, 1977
B. R. Ross, B.A., B.D., M.Th., Th.D., Sackville and Port Elgin, February 1, 1977

Presbytery of Miramichi – Everett R. Hawkes, B.Th., St. Luke's, Bathurst, N.B., September 20, 1977
Murray M. Graham, B.A., B.Th., B.D., Campbellton-Dalhousie, etc., January 1, 1977

Presbytery of Prince Edward Island – Robert P. Fourny, B.A., M.Div., Summerside – Freetown, December 21, 1976
C. Gordon D. Reid, B.Sc., M.Div., B.Ed., Clyde River, etc., August 2, 1977
D. J. Fortier, B.A., Tyne Valley, etc., April 1, 1977
Kenneth Stewart, B.A., M.Div., Murray Harbour North, etc., April 1, 1977
D. B. Isaac, Brookfield, etc., September 1, 1977

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

Presbytery of Montreal – James D. Skinner, B.A., M.Div., Maplewood, Chateauguay, Que., September 8, 1977
Joseph W. Reed, Westminster, Pierrefonds, Que., September 19, 1977

Presbytery of Ottawa – W. I. McElwain, M.A., Th.M., Westminster, Ottawa, Ont., January 5, 1977
F. Ralph Kendall, B.A., B.D., Kanata-Glencairn, July 1, 1977

Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew – Linda Bell, St. Andrew's, Cobden, Ont., July 31, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Presbytery of Kingston – K. J. Rowland, St. Andrew's, Gananoque
W. F. Duffy, B.A.Sc., B.D., St. Andrew's, Kingston
Robin Ross, B.A., B.D., St. Andrew's, Trenton

Presbytery of Lindsay-Peterborough – C. C. MacInnes, Knox, Bobcaygeon and Rosedale, October 29, 1976

Presbytery of East Toronto – Gordon A. Beaton, B.A., B.D., Guildwood Community Church, Scarborough, January 16, 1977
Harry J. Klassen, B.A., B.D., Fallingbrook, Scarborough, March 30, 1977

Ronald C. Archer, B.A., M.Div., St. Stephen's, Scarborough, May 18, 1977
 Samuel J. Livingstone, B.A., B.D., Rogers Memorial and Westview, June 29, 1977

J. D. Congram, B.A., B.D., St. Mark's, Don Mills, September 21, 1977

Presbytery of West Toronto - G. B. Wilson B.A., B.D., Wychwood-Davenport, January 16, 1977

V. Turner, St. Stephen's, Weston, January 30, 1977

T. G. Samuel, Mus. Bac., M.Div., Grace, Etobicoke, March 31, 1977

A. R. Dallison, B.D., King City and Nobleton, July 27, 1977

A.W.H. McWilliams, B.A., M.Div., St. Andrew's Humber Heights, September 8, 1977

Presbytery of Brampton - Mary P. Farmery, Reg. N., M.Div., Campbellville, Nassagawaya, February 24, 1977

Helen L. Goggin, M.A., B.D., Associate Minister, Knox, Oakville, April 28, 1977

F. Howick, B.A., B.D., D.Th., St. Andrew's, Streetsville, September 15, 1977

Presbytery of Barrie - Lloyd M. Clifton, M.A., M.Div., Uptergrove, Knox, East Oro, Jarratt, Willis, June 28, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Presbytery of Hamilton - L. R. Renault, B.A., Chedoke, Hamilton, February 3, 1977

D. R. Sinclair, B.A., St. Paul's, Carlisle & Knox, Binbrook, September 6, 1977

D. F. Collier, M.A., B.D., St. Paul's Hamilton, September 1, 1977

D. W. Marshall, M.A., B.D., St. Enoch, Hamilton, September 15, 1977

Presbytery of Niagara - Patricia A. Rose, B.N.Sc., M.Div., St. Andrew's, Merrit St. and Scottlea, St. Catharines, December 5, 1977

Alex K. Campbell, B.A., St. Andrew's, Beamsville & Smithville, June 1, 1977

Presbytery of Paris - Norman E. Ted Thompson, B.A., B.Th., Greenbriar, Brantford, October 7, 1976

Wilfred D. Jarvis, B.A., M.Div., Tillsonburg and Windham Centre, May 5, 1977

Frederick H. Cromey, B.A., Norwich & Bookton, June 15, 1977

A.C.G. Muir, B.A., B.D., Embro and Harrington, September 7, 1977

Ernest J. Zugor, Pleasant Ridge, Brantford, August 1, 1977

Presbytery of Chatham - Gerald E. Doran, B.Sc., B.A., B.D., Knox, Windsor, September 13, 1977

Presbytery of Sarnia - C. A. Cunningham, St. Andrew's, Petrolia & Knox, Dawn, December 1, 1976

R. M. Bisset, St. James, Forest, April 5, 1977

Presbytery of Stratford-Huron - Mary Leslie Landell, B.A., B.D., Atwood, January 6, 1977

J. K. Ross Thomson, B.A., D.D., Monkton - Cranbrook, March 1, 1977

Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland - David J. C. Cooper, B.A., B.D., St. Paul's, Warton, September 25, 1977

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

Presbytery of Brandon - H. K. Stright, B.A., M.Div., Ekford, Rossburn, September 1, 1977

A. Gordon Smith, B.A., M.Div., St. Paul's, Hartney, September 1, 1977

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

Presbytery of Assiniboia - James W. Evans, B.A., B.Ed., First, Regina, March 4, 1977

Glenn Noble, B.A., B.D., St. Andrew's, Swift Current, April 6, 1977

Michael Tai, Westminster, Estevan, July 14, 1977

Sheina Smith, B. Th., St. Andrew's, Moosomin, Knox, Whitewood, September 27, 1977

Presbytery of Northern Saskatchewan - A. R. Neal Mathers, Carragana, Knox, Sylvania, August 4, 1977

A. N. Douglas Waugh, St. Andrew's Biggar, September 12, 1977

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod - S. J. Stewart, M.A., M.Div., Grace, Calgary, June 16, 1977

D. W. Paterson, B.A., St. John's, Medicine Hat, August 3, 1977

Presbytery of Edmonton - R. L. Taylor, B.A., D.D., Eastminster, Edmonton, August 17, 1977

Presbytery of Peace River - N. J. Allison, First, Whitehorse, February 3, 1977

D. Lade, M. Div., Forbes, Grande Prairie, September 11, 1977

Presbytery of Red Deer - J. Mullin, (Catechist), Three Hills, etc., September 26, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Presbytery of Kootenay - H. M. Harvey, (Catechist), Castlegar, B.C.

RECOGNITIONS

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

Presbytery of Montreal - D. Linda Corry, Ormstown and Rockburn, October 17, 1976

Robert A. Syme, Ephraim Scott Memorial, Montreal, September 25, 1977

(Mrs.) Alison Stewart-Patterson, St. Andrew & St. Paul, Montreal, September 29, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Presbytery of Lindsay-Peterborough - J. W. Hutchison, B.D., St. Stephen's Peterborough, January 5, 1977

F. DeVries, M.Div., Wick and Cresswell, February 1, 1977

E. M. Iona MacLean, B.A., M.Div., Colborne, St. Andrew's; Brighton, St. Andrew's; Lakeport, St. Paul's, August 20, 1977

Presbytery of East Toronto - Hamish Livingston, Associate Secretary of the Board of Congregational Life of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, December 2, 1976

K. E. Boyer, B.A., B.D., Ordained Missionary, Malvern, Scarborough, April 3, 1977

Presbytery of West Toronto - Blake Walker, M.A., B.D., Alderwood, September 29, 1977

Presbytery of Brampton - D. C. Smith, B.A., B.D., Ph.D., Registrar and Director of Field Education, Knox College, November 8, 1976

W. J. Baswick, B.A., M.Div., Erindale, Mississauga, June 2, 1977

J. E. Sutherland, B.A., D.D., St. Mark's, Malton, October 2, 1977

Presbytery of Barrie - Joseph Williams, Creemore, Dunedin, Hornings Mills, Maple Valley, December 6, 1976

Presbytery of Algoma and North Bay - Blake Carter, B.A., M.Div., St. Paul's-Victoria, Sault Ste. Marie, May 17, 1977

Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington - Terrence Ingram, B.A., B.Th., Doon, September 6, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Presbytery of Hamilton – Judith L. Archer, B.Math., M.Div., Knox, Port Dover, September 8, 1977

Presbytery of Chatham – James Biggs, B.A., M.Div., Duart & Turin, August 9, 1977
Lawrence A. Welch, B.Th., Dresden & Rutherford, September 9, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Presbytery of Kootenay – Edward Bragg, D.D., to St. Stephen's, Creston, B.C., April 15, 1977

Presbytery of Kamloops – J. Beverley Kay, Kitimat, B.C., August 31, 1977

Presbytery of Westminster – J. C. Rhoad, B.A., B.D., to Langley Extension Charge, B.C., October 26, 1977

DESIGNATION OF OVERSEAS MISSIONARIES

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Presbytery of East Toronto – Richard Fee, B.A., M.Div., January 5, 1977 to Nigeria

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Presbytery of Sarnia – Dr. R. Allan, as Medical Missionary to Nigeria, Laurel Lea – St. Matthew's, Sarnia, September 16, 1977

PLACED ON CONSTITUENT ROLL

THE SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

Presbytery of Montreal – R. L. Inglis, B.A., November 9, 1976
Larry Paul, M.A., B.D., S.T.M., November 9, 1976

Presbytery of Ottawa – F. Ralph Kendall, B.A., B.D., June 21, 1977

Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew – R. K. Earls, B.A., June 21, 1977
W.E.P. Rumball, B.A., June 21, 1977

R. E. Baker, M. Div., July 5, 1977

Linda Bell, B.A., M.Div., July 31, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Presbytery of Lindsay-Peterborough – C. C. MacInnes, from Presbytery of Kootenay, October 29, 1976

J. W. Hutchison, B.A., B.D., from Presbytery of Brampton, January 5, 1977

E. M. Iona MacLean, B.A., M.Div., from Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg, August 20, 1977

C. J. MacKay, B.A., D.D., from Presbytery of Montreal, February 1, 1977

Presbytery of East Toronto – P. F. Gilbert, M.A., B.D., Ph.M., June 14, 1977

Presbytery of West Toronto – J. Honeyman, B.A., B.D., on appointment as Stated Supply, December 14, 1976

C. McCarroll, on appointment as Stated Supply, April 4, 1977

A. M. Deans, M.C., B.R.E., on appointment as Associate Secretary to the Board of Congregational Life, June 19, 1977

Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington – J. Sutherland, B.A., B.D., October 12, 1977
Terrence Ingram, B.A., B.Th., September 6, 1977

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

Presbytery of Brandon – H. K. Stright, B.A., M.Div., September 1, 1977
A. Gordon Smith, B.A., M.Div., September 1, 1977

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

Presbytery of Peace River – N. J. Allison, February 3, 1977

D'Arcy Lade, M.Div., B.A., M.Div., Sept. 11, 1977

Presbytery of Edmonton – R. L. Taylor, B.A., D.D., August 17, 1977

Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod – J. K. West, B.D., January 11, 1977

S. J. Stewart, M.A., M.Div., June 16, 1977

D. W. Paterson, B.A., August 3, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Presbytery of Kamloops – J. Beverley Kay, August 31, 1977

Presbytery of Westminster – Robert J. Calder, B.A., M.Div., July 28, 1977

John C. Rhoad, B.A., B.D., October 26, 1977

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

Presbytery of Pictou – Paul A. Brown, A.B., M.Div., Scotsburn Charge, from December 25, 1976 to May 7, 1977

PLACED ON CONSTITUENT ROLL BY LEAVE OF ASSEMBLY

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg – W.J.O. Isaac, September 14, 1976 (Correction for 1976 Minutes)

A. E. Morrison, D.D., June 14, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Presbytery of Lindsay-Peterborough – F. DeVries, B.A., B.D., authorized by 102nd General Assembly, November 9, 1976

Presbytery of East Toronto – P. F. Gilbert, M.A., B.D., Ph.M., June 14, 1977

Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington – William Campbell, by order of General Assembly, June 10, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Presbytery of Hamilton – David Marshall, M.A., B.D., from Congregational Church, England, by permission of the 103rd General Assembly, June 14, 1977

Presbytery of Niagara – Róbert Lennox, M.A., Th.B., D.D., Ph.D., March 9, 1977

Presbytery of London – Richard Stewart, D.D., July 1, 1977

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod – C. A. Scott, B.A., B.D., M.Th., June 1976
G. Firth, B.A., June 21, 1977

TRANSLATIONS

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

Presbytery of Pictou – James D. Skinner, B.A., M.Div., from Springhill Charge to Presbytery of Montreal, August 31, 1977

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

Presbytery of Quebec – Edward Bragg, D.D., to Presbytery of Kootenay, March 21, 1977

John P. Vaudry, B.A., S.T.M., to Presbytery of Cape Breton, September 1, 1977

Presbytery of Glengarry – J. Kenneth MacLeod, from Vankleek Hill – Hawkesbury to Presbytery of Pictou, April 30, 1977

Presbytery of Ottawa – W. F. Duffy, B.A.Sc., B.D., from St. Paul's, Ottawa, to Presbytery of Kingston, April 30, 1977

G. E. Doran, B.Sc., B.A., B.D., from Richmond and Stittsville, to Presbytery of Chatham, August 31, 1977

Presbytery of Brockville – L. R. Renault, B.A., B.D., First, Brockville, to Presbytery of Hamilton, January 23, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Presbytery of Kingston – A.H.W. McWilliams, B.A., M.Div., to Presbytery of West Toronto, August 31, 1977

W. G. Munshaw, B.A., M.Div., to Presbytery of Brampton, September 8, 1977

Everett Hawkes, B.A., B.Th., to Presbytery of Miramichi, August 31, 1977

Norman J. Allison, to Presbytery of Peace River, September 9, 1977

Presbytery of East Toronto – W. I. McElwain, M.A., Th.M., to Presbytery of Ottawa, January 4, 1977

J. W. Evans, B.A., B.Ed., to Presbytery of Assiniboia, February 20, 1977

K. J. Rowland, to Presbytery of Kingston, February 28, 1977

T. G. Samuel, Mus. Bac., M.Div., from Appendix, to Presbytery of West Toronto, March 1, 1977

R. C. Archer, B.A., M.Div., from Appendix to Constituent Roll, March 1, 1977

J. F. Biggs, B.A., M.Div., from Appendix to Presbytery of Chatham, May 30, 1977

F. H. Cromey, B.A., to Presbytery of Paris, June 6, 1977

H. F. Davidson, M.A., D.D., to Presbytery of Stratford-Huron, September 13, 1977

R. M. Shields, from Appendix to Presbytery of Ottawa, September 13, 1977

B. W. Walker, M.A., B.D., to Presbytery of West Toronto, September 13, 1977

Presbytery of West Toronto – E. G. Smith, B.A., B.D., M.Th., to Presbytery of Lanark, and Renfrew, November 1, 1976

G. B. Wilson, B.A., B.D., from Appendix to Constituent Roll January 16, 1977

F. A. Pickering, M.A., from Appendix to Constituent Roll, March 8, 1977

T. G. Samuel, Mus. Bac., M.Div., from Appendix to Constituent Roll, March 31, 1977

Judith Archer, B.Math., M.Div., to Presbytery of Hamilton, May 19, 1977

A. F. Howick, B.A., B.D., D.Th., to Presbytery of Brampton, September 5, 1977

J. Honeyman, B.A., B.D., Th.M., from Appendix to Constituent Roll, December 14, 1976

C. McCarroll, from Appendix to Constituent Roll, April 4, 1977

Presbytery of Barrie – Samuel J. Stewart, M.A., M.Div., to Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod, June 4, 1977

W. H. Heustin, B.A., to Presbytery of Peterborough-Lindsay, August 31, 1977
Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington – D. F. Collier, M.A., B.D., Appendix, to Presbytery of Hamilton, July 9, 1977

D. R. Sinclair, B.A., Constituent Roll to Presbytery of Hamilton, September 4, 1977

J. Sutherland, B.A., D.D., Constituent Roll to Presbytery of Brampton, July 17, 1977

J. C. Rhoad, B.A., B.D., Constituent Roll to Presbytery of Westminster, September 15, 1977

D. Gowdy, C. D., B.A., B.D., Th.D., Appendix, to Presbytery of Kingston, October 3, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Presbytery of Hamilton – J. K. West, B.A., B.D., to Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod, November 12, 1976

Stephan J. Lookman, to Presbytery of Paris, December 16, 1976

W. J. Baswick, B.A., M.Div., to Presbytery of Brampton, May 16, 1977

D'Arcy W. Lade, B.A., M.Div., to Presbytery of Peace River, August 15, 1977

Presbytery of Niagara – J.K.R. Thomson, B.A., D.D., to Presbytery of Stratford-Huron, February 8, 1977

A. K. Campbell, B.A., to Beamsville and Smithville, June 1, 1977

Presbytery of Paris – William Skelly, M.A., to Presbytery of Hamilton, September 26, 1977

Cecil A. Cunningham, to Presbytery of Sarnia, November 30, 1976

Presbytery of Chatham – T.G.M. Bryan, B.A., B.D., to Presbytery of Hamilton, April 20, 1977

John Elder, to Presbytery of Brampton, March 7, 1977

Presbytery of Sarnia – H. L. Nugent, B.A., B.D., to Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland, December 1, 1976

R. E. Baker, B.A., M.Div., to Presbytery of Kingston, (R.C. Chaplain Corps, Trenton) December 31, 1976

R. P. Fourney, B.A., M.Div., to Presbytery of Prince Edward Island, December 13, 1976

J. D. Congram, B.A., B.D., to Presbytery of East Toronto, September 1, 1976

Presbytery of Stratford-Huron – R. M. Bisset, to Presbytery of Sarnia, March 31, 1977

W. D. Jarvis, B.A., M.Div., to Presbytery of Paris, April 30, 1977

Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland – Glen A. Noble, B.A., B.D., to Presbytery of Assiniboia, April 1, 1977

James Beverley Kay, to Presbytery of Kamloops, August 31, 1977

Wilfred McLeod, B.A., to Presbytery of Hamilton, June 10, 1977

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

Presbytery of Lake of the Woods – David J. C. Cooper, B.A., B.D., to Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland, September 25, 1977

Presbytery of Winnipeg – James Ross Dickey, B.A., B.D., to Presbytery of East Toronto, October 12, 1977

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

Presbytery of Assiniboia – Robin Ross, B.A., B.D., to Presbytery of Kingston, March 31, 1977

Presbytery of Northern Saskatchewan – M. Leslie Landell, B.A., B.D., to the Presbytery of Stratford-Huron, December 31, 1976

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

- Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod* – J. K. West, B.D., from Presbytery of Hamilton, January 11, 1977
 S. J. Stewart, M.A., M.Div., from Presbytery of Barrie, June 16, 1977
 D. W. Paterson, B.A., from Presbytery of Edmonton, August 3, 1977
Presbytery of Edmonton – D. W. Paterson, B.A., to Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod, August 3, 1977
 R. L. Taylor, B.A., D.D., from Presbytery of Westminster, August 17, 1977
Presbytery of Peace River – Wm. Penny, B.A., M.Div., to Presbytery of Pictou, January 30, 1977
 D'Arcy Lade, M.Div., from Presbytery of Hamilton, September 1977
Presbytery of Red Deer – A. Joshua, B.A., B.D., to Presbytery of Pictou

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Kootenay* – Edwin White, B.A., D.D., to Presbytery of Edmonton, June 17, 1977
Presbytery of Westminster – R. L. Taylor, B.A., D.D., to Presbytery of Edmonton, August 21, 1977

RESIGNATIONS

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

- Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg* – R. K. Anderson, B.A., B.D., M.Th., First Sackville Church, Lower Sackville, N.S., June 30, 1977
Presbytery of Saint John – R. W. Ross, from St. Paul's Woodstock, N.B., June 30, 1977
 Daniel Shute, B.A., M.Div., from St. Stephen's, St. Stephen, N.B., August 31, 1977
Presbytery of Miramichi – Douglas O. Codling, B.A., M.Div., Sunny Corner Charge, August 31, 1977
 Howard M. McPhee, B.A., B.D., Tabusintac Charge, September 19, 1977
Presbytery of Prince Edward Island – D. A. Campbell, B.A., D.D., from Zion, Charlottetown, July 31, 1977

THE SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Montreal* – Jacob van der Wal, from St. Matthew's, Montreal, March 31, 1977
 John Simms, B.A., B.D., D.D. from Montreal West, Montreal, September 25, 1977 (effective October 15, 1977)
Presbytery of Brockville – J. P. Schissler, from Kemptville, June 30, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

- Presbytery of Brampton* – F. Slavik, from St. Mark's, Malton, July 31, 1977
Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington – William Campbell, from St. Andrew's Galt, April 12, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

- Presbytery of Hamilton* – David L. McInnis, M.A., M.Div., from Calvin, Hamilton, April 30, 1977
Presbytery of Paris – G. Rienks, B.A., B.D., M.Th., from Knox, Mount Pleasant, Brantford, January 12, 1977

- Ferguson J. Barr, M.A., from St. Paul's, Simcoe, July 31, 1977
Presbytery of London – Andrew Duncan, M.A., B.D., from Knox, Dutton, etc., March 30, 1977

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

- Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod* – G. Firth, B.A., from Knox, Calgary, March 8, 1977
 L. Becske, B.A., M.A., M.Th., Calvin Hungarian, Calgary, June 21, 1977
Presbytery of Red Deer – A. Joshua, B.A., B.D., from Three Hills, Lousana & Orkney, April 30, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Westminster* – Keith Wilcox, B.A., B.D., July 31, 1977
 A. E. Bailey, M.A., Th.D., December 5, 1977
Presbytery of Vancouver Island – R. F. Cunningham, B.Th., June 30, 1977

RETIREMENTS

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

- Presbytery of East Toronto* – H. F. Davidson, M.A., D.D., November 30, 1977
 J. Stanley Glen, M.A., B.Ed., Ph.D., B.D., Th.D., D.D., February 28, 1977
Presbytery of Brampton – W. G. Lewis, B.A., B.D., from Erin and Ospringe, August 31, 1977
Presbytery of Barrie – W. H. Heustin, B.A., from Bradford, August 31, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

- Presbytery of Hamilton* – A. N. McMillan, C.D., from Caledonia, October 31, 1977
 G. Taylor Munro, C.D., B.A., from Knox, Jarvis, etc., October 31, 1977
Presbytery of Niagara – Ross G. MacLean, B.A., from West St. Andrew's, St. Catharines, August 31, 1977
Presbytery of London – Richard Stewart, D.D. from New St. James, London, June 30, 1977
Presbytery of Chatham – T.G.M. Bryan, B.A., B.D., from Knox, Windsor, April 20, 1977
Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland – Charles M. Eadie, M.A., from Geneva, Chesley, September 15, 1977

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

- Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod* – L. Becske, B.A., M.A., M.Th., Calvin, Calgary, September 30, 1977

ADDED TO APPENDIX

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

- Presbytery of Cape Breton* – Glenn S. MacDonald, B.A., B.Th., May 17, 1977
 David W. K. Sutherland, B.Comm., M.Div., June 21, 1977
Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg – E. M. Iona MacLean, B.A., M.Div., May 31, 1977
 R. K. Anderson, B.A., B.D., M.Th., June 30, 1977
Presbytery of Saint John – R. W. Ross, July 1, 1977
 Daniel Shute, B.A., M.Div., September 14, 1977

- Presbytery of Miramichi* – Douglas O. Codling, B.A., M.Div., August 31, 1977
Howard M. McPhee, B.A., B.D., September 19, 1977
- Presbytery of Prince Edward Island* – Kenneth Stright, B.A., M.Div., May 20, 1977
D. B. Isaac, June 30, 1977
Ian G. Glass, B.A., B.D., June 22, 1976

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Quebec* – John P. Vaudry, B.A., S.T.M., May 12, 1977
- Presbytery of Montreal* – C. J. MacKay, B.A., D.D., November 9, 1976
Terrence Ingram, B.A., B.Th., May 19, 1977
Joseph W. Reed, M.A., M.Div., June 14, 1977
Sheina B. Smith, B.Th., June 26, 1977
John A. Simms, B.A., B.D., D.D., September 25, 1977, effective October 15, 1977
- Presbytery of Glengarry* – Jacob van der Wal, May 17, 1977
- Presbytery of Ottawa* – R. M. Shields, September 20, 1977
- Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew* – Linda Bell, June 21, 1977
- Presbytery of Brockville* – J. P. Schissler, June 30, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

- Presbytery of Lindsay-Peterborough* – C. J. MacKay, B.A., D.D., February 1, 1977
- Presbytery of East Toronto* J. N. Baldson, B.A., September 13, 1977
H. A. Crawford, M.A., B.D., October 4, 1977
- Presbytery of West Toronto* – J. W. Milne, M.Div., M.Th., February 8, 1977
F. A. Pickering, M.A., March 8, 1977
T. G. Samuel, Mus.Bac., M.Div., March 8, 1977
Judith Archer, B.Math., M.Div., May 18, 1977
- Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington* – William Campbell, April 17, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

- Presbytery of Hamilton* – David L. McInnis, M.A., M.Div., April 30, 1977
Wayne J. Baswick, B.A., May 15, 1977
David M. Marshall, M.A., June 14, 1977
T.G.M. Bryan, B.A., B.D., June 14, 1977
W. A. McLeod, B.A., June 14, 1977
D'Arcy W. Lade, B.A., M.Div., August 15, 1977
A. N. McMillan, C.D., October 31, 1977
G. Taylor-Munro, C.D., B.A., October 31, 1977
- Presbytery of Niagara* – E. Haslett Hunter, M.A., January 12, 1977
Ross C. MacLean, B.A., October 12, 1977
- Presbytery of Paris* – G. Rienks, B.A., B.D., M.Th., January 12, 1977
Ferguson J. Barr, M.A., July 31, 1977
Keith E. Wilcox, B.A., B.D., September 24, 1977
- Presbytery of London* – Andrew Duncan, M.A., March 30, 1977
- Presbytery of Chatham* – T.G.M. Bryan, B.A., B.D., April 20, 1977
- Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland* – James Beverley Kay, August 31, 1977
Charles M. Eadie, M.A., September 15, 1977

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Superior* – John Deyarmond, September 17, 1977

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

- Presbytery of Edmonton* – I. R. McKee, B.A., February 22, 1977
E. J. White, B.A., D.D., June 18, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Westminster* – R. M. Pollock, B.A., April 5, 1977
Keith Wilcox, B.A., B.D., July 31, 1977
N. G. Robertson, July 31, 1977
J. D. Howard, B.A., December 6, 1977
A. E. Bailey, M.A., Th.D., December 6, 1977
Paul Walker, B.A., M.Div., February 1, 1978
- Presbytery of Vancouver Island* – R. F. Cunningham, B.Th., June 30, 1977

REMOVED FROM APPENDIX

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

- Presbytery of Cape Breton* – Glenn S. MacDonald, B.A., B.Th., June 22, 1977
David W. K. Sutherland, B.Comm., M.Div., August 5, 1977
- Presbytery of Newfoundland* – F. C. Knox, B.A., December 15, 1976
- Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg* – A. E. Morrison, D.D., June 14, 1977
E. M. Iona MacLean, B.A., M.Div., August 10, 1977
- Presbytery of Miramichi* – Douglas O. Codling, B.A., M.Div., August 31, 1977
Howard M. McPhee, B.A., B.D., September 19, 1977
- Presbytery of Prince Edward Island* – M. Carl Currie, B.A., November 9, 1976
D. B. Isaac, September 1, 1977
Kenneth Stright, B.A., M.Div., May 20, 1977

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Montreal* – R. L. Inglis, B.A., November 9, 1976
Larry Paul, M.A., B.D., November 9, 1976
Joseph W. Reed, M.A., M.Div., September 19, 1977
- Presbytery of Ottawa* – F. Ralph Kendall, B.A., B.D., June 21, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

- Presbytery of Hamilton* – Wayne J. Baswick, B.A., M.Div., May 16, 1977
D'Arcy W. Lade, B.A., M.Div., August 15, 1977
D. W. Marshall, M.A., B.D., September 15, 1977
- Presbytery of Niagara* – Robert Lennox, M.A., Th.B., D.D., Ph.D. March 9, 1977
- Presbytery of Bruce-Maitland* – James Beverley Kay, August 31, 1977
Wilfred McLeod, B.A., June 10, 1977

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Superior* – John Deyarmond, B.A., M.Div., September 17, 1977

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

- Presbytery of Calgary-Macleod* – C. A. Scott, B.A., B.D., M.Th., October 12, 1976

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Westminster* – Keith Wilcox, B.A., B.D., September 13, 1977

CERTIFICATES GRANTED

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

- Presbytery of Cape Breton* – Glenn S. MacDonald, B.A., B.Th., to Pictou Presbytery, June 22, 1977
David W. K. Sutherland, B.Comm, M.Div., to Newfoundland Presbytery, August 5, 1977
- Presbytery of Newfoundland* – F. C. Knox, B.A., Presbytery of Ottawa, December 15, 1976
- Presbytery of Halifax-Lunenburg* – E. M. Iona MacLean, B.A., M.Div., to Lindsay-Peterborough Presbytery, August 10, 1977
- Presbytery of Miramichi* – Douglas O. Codling, B.A., M.Div., August 31, 1977
Howard M. McPhee, B.A., B.D., September 19, 1977
Kenneth Stright, B.A., M.Div., to Brandon Presbytery, May 20, 1977

THE SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Montreal* – C. J. MacKay, B.A., D.D., to Lindsay-Peterborough Presbytery, December 14, 1976
Victor M. Ford, January 11, 1977
J. W. Milne, M.Div. to West Toronto Presbytery, March 8, 1977
Jacob van der Wal, March 31, 1977
Terrence Ingram, B.A., B.Th. to Waterloo-Wellington Presbytery, May 19, 1977
Sheina B. Smith, B.Th., to Assiniboia Presbytery, June 26, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Westminster* – Keith Wilcox, B.A., B.D., September 13, 1977

DISSOLUTION OF PASTORAL TIE

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

- Presbytery of West Toronto* – F. A. Pickering, M.A., Alderwood, March 8, 1977
- Presbytery of Algoma and North Bay* – Robert Crooks of St. Andrew's Parry Sound, to accept a Call to Bloomfield Presbyterian Church in the Presbytery of East Belfast, July 13, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Westminster* – Paul Walker, B.A., M.Div., January 31, 1977

LETTER OF STANDING GRANTED

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Westminster* – Paul Walker, B.A., M.Div., December 6, 1977

DEATHS IN THE MINISTRY

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Glengarry* – Delbert R. Chatreau, B.C., January 10, 1977
- Presbytery of Ottawa* – John W. Logan-Vencta, March 9, 1977
T. Owen Hughes, B.A., July 14, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

- Presbytery of East Toronto* – Allan Leonard Farris, M.A., B.D., M.Th., D.D., Principal of Knox College, Toronto, July 7, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

- Presbytery of Hamilton* – Stanley W. Vance, B.A., D.D., October 26, 1976
Eugene Russa, January 4, 1977
E. C. McCullagh, B.A., February 22, 1977
Adam Thomson, M.B.E., April 19, 1977
- Presbytery of Niagara* – W. Ross Adams, B.A., February 28, 1977
- Presbytery of Paris* – Stephan John Lookman, May 23, 1977
- Presbytery of Chatham* – John MacKechnie, M.A., B.D., LL.B., B.L., January 6, 1977
Donald MacInnes, B.Th., January 7, 1977
- Presbytery of Sarnia* – T. Owen Hughes, B.A., July 14, 1977

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Winnipeg* – R. J. Con, B.A., Ed.D., June 15, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Westminster* – E. L. Garvin, January 10, 1977

CONSTITUTION OF NEW CONGREGATIONS

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Ottawa* – Kanata-Glencairn, Ottawa, First service, April 3, 1977

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

- Presbytery of East Toronto* – Malvern, Scarborough, April 3, 1977
- Presbytery of Waterloo* – Kitchener-Waterloo Korean Church, September 11, 1977

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

- Presbytery of Edmonton* – Millwoods Congregation, Erected October 24, 1976

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Westminster* – Vancouver Korean Church, October 30, 1977
Langley Extension Charge, November 6, 1977

CHANGE OF NAME OF CONGREGATIONS

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

- Presbytery of Quebec* – Melbourne, Eglise des Cantons de l'Est, changed to Eglise presbytérienne St. Paul

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

- Presbytery of Peace River* – Zion Presbyterian Church, Chetwynd, B.C., changed to Zion Presbyterian-United Church

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Presbytery of Vancouver Island* – From St. Columba "By-the-Sea", French Creek, to St. Columba, Parksville, B.C., September 25, 1977

CHANGE IN STATUS OF CONGREGATIONS

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Presbytery of East Toronto – Rogers Memorial and Westview Churches became a two point Self-Supporting charge, February 1, 1977

Presbytery of West Toronto – St. Stephen's, Weston, from Aid-Receiving to Self-Supporting, January 1, 1977
Alderwood, changed from Self-Supporting to Aid-Receiving, May 10, 1977

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Presbytery of Niagara – St. Andrew's, Merrit St. and Scottlea, St. Catharines, Self-Supporting charge as of January 1, 1977

Presbytery of London – Bethel detached from Ailsa Craig and made separate charge, May 1, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Presbytery of Kamloops – Knox, Vernon, from Aid-Receiving to Self-Supporting, January 1, 1978

St. Andrew's Armstrong from Aid-Receiving to Self-Supporting, January 1, 1978

Presbytery of Westminster – Calvin, Abbotsford from two-point charge with Murrayville to one point Self-Supporting charge, July 1, 1977

St. Columba, Vancouver, from Aid-Receiving to Self-Supporting, July 1, 1977

Chinese Church, Vancouver, from Aid-Receiving to Self-Supporting, July 1, 1977

DEDICATION OF CHURCH BUILDING

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

Presbytery of Edmonton – Strathcona addition October 17, 1977

Presbytery of Red Deer – Rededication of renovated building, Chalmers, Penhold, May 1, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Presbytery of Westminster – Central Church, Vancouver, May 29, 1977

DISSOLUTION OF CONGREGATIONS

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

Presbytery of Pictou – Stillwater Church Building (in Sherbrooke Charge) leased to H.W. Angus Funeral Home, February 16, 1977

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

Assiniboia – St. Andrew's, Stoughton, November 24, 1976

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Presbytery of Westminster – St. Paul's Church, Vancouver, July 31, 1977

AMALGAMATION OF CONGREGATIONS

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

Presbytery of Montreal – Knox Crescent & Kensington, Montreal and Melville, Westmount.

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

Presbytery of Northern Saskatchewan – St. James, Melfort and St. Andrew's, Tisdale, to become a two-point charge, March 7, 1977

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Presbytery of Westminster – Robertson and Brentwood, Vancouver, now known as: "Brentwood Presbyterian Church", effective September 25, 1977

CHANGE IN BOUNDS OR CHARGES

SYNOD OF THE ATLANTIC PROVINCES

Presbytery of Pictou – Stillwater Church Building (in Sherbrooke Charge) leased to H. W. Angus Funeral Home, February 16, 1977

Memorial Records

SYNOD OF ATLANTIC PROVINCES

REVEREND T. J. WATSON

On December 18, 1974, the death occurred in Moncton, N.B., of Dr. T. J. Watson, 73, a retired Presbyterian minister. A native of Scotland, he came to Canada after four years as a lay missionary on the Gold Coast, Africa. At McGill University he graduated in Arts, then Theology from the Presbyterian College, Montreal, where he received a B.D. in 1936. The honorary degree of D.D. was conferred on him by his alma mater in 1950.

Thomas J. Watson was ordained in May, 1933 and called to Georgetown, Quebec. After five years he moved to Rogers Memorial Church, Toronto, and from there to New St. James Church, London, Ontario. There followed pastorates at Baddeck, N.S.; St. Andrew's, Pictou, N.S.; and St. Andrew's, Fredericton, N.B.; where he served from 1952 until his retirement due to ill health in 1966.

While in New Brunswick he was chaplain to the New Brunswick Legislature and a member of the Board of Broadcast Governors of the C.B.C.

Surviving are his wife, the former Mary Murray, a son Dr. J. Ian Watson of Calgary and two daughters, Mrs. Ronald Smith (Jean) and Mrs. John White (Sheila), both of Moncton, N.B.

The funeral service was held in St. Andrew's Church, Fredericton, and was conducted by the minister, the Reverend G. C. Brett, assisted by the Reverend S. R. Jackson of Knox Church, Harvey Station.

SYNOD OF QUEBEC AND EASTERN ONTARIO

REVEREND DELBERT RAYMOND CHATREAU

The Reverend Delbert Raymond Chatreau, minister of Kenyon Presbyterian Church, Dunvegan, Ontario, passed away suddenly as a result of a heart attack, on Monday, January 10th, 1977.

Mr. Chatreau was born in the City of Toronto on May 19th, 1916, and received his early education in that City where he attended Parkdale Collegiate, and later The Eastern School of Commerce. He then studied at Annesly College, Ottawa, and following graduation from that institution he was engaged for a few years in evangelistic work with the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

In 1940 he moved to the United States where for seven years he was the pastor of a Reformed Episcopal Church in Ohio. In 1948 he enrolled as a student at Hartwick College, Oneonta, New York, following which he supplied a Methodist Church at Kirclin, Ohio, for three years. He then studied at Canterbury College, Danville, Indiana, from which he graduated with a B.A. degree, and in 1951 he was ordained to the priesthood of the Episcopalian Church and appointed to Christ Church, Madison, Indiana.

In 1957 he was transferred from the Diocese of Indianapolis to the Diocese of Ontario, and appointed to the parish of Cardinal. Three years later, he was transferred to the Parish of St. Peter's, Brockville, where he served for seven years, and in 1967 he was received into the ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. He studied for a year at The Presbyterian College, Montreal, from which he received a B.D. degree. During that year he ministered to the congregation of St. Edward's, Beauharnois, Quebec, and in 1968 he became minister of St. James Church, Truro, Nova Scotia, where he served until November, 1975, when he was inducted as minister of Kenyon Church, Dunvegan.

Mr. Chatreau was a man of genuine Christian character and unswerving devotion to his God and his Church. His marked intellectual ability and the wisdom of his

counsel in the courts of the Church will not be soon forgotten. Delbert Raymond Chatreau has run his race, finished his course, and fulfilled the mission on which he was sent by his Lord. He is no more of this world for he has embarked on the shining, tideless sea of eternity, and we thank God for his outstanding ministry and for his valued contribution to the work of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

The funeral service was conducted in Kenyon Church on Thursday, January 13th, by the Rev. Dr. Iver D. MacIver, of Maxville.

Surviving are his wife, the former Vera Hounslow, and three daughters, Beth (Mrs. Don) Boss, Indianapolis, U.S.A.; Lois, (Mrs. Philip) Schuyler, Bristol, Rhode Island, U.S.A.; and Deborah of Wolfville, Nova Scotia.

REVEREND THOMAS OWEN HUGHES

The Rev. Thomas Owen Hughes died after a brief illness in Ottawa on July 14, 1977, at the age of ninety years. A native of Wales, he was a graduate in Arts from the University of Wales and later from Bala Theological College. After ordination he served in charges in Hollywell, Wales, and Hanley, Staffordshire, England.

In 1923 he and his wife emigrated to the U.S., and for seven years he ministered in Slatington, Pennsylvania. In 1930-31 he supplied the Watford Charge in the Presbytery of Sarnia. He served a further year in Spokane, Washington, but recognized the greater need in the Canadian Church as a result of the disruption of 1925. Settling in Canada, he served with distinction up to his retirement in 1960, in St. John's, Winnipeg, in Montague, P.E.I., and in Tara, Ridgetown, Forest, and Brigden, Ontario.

Some of these charges were small and fragile when he was called to them. In several there was difficult travelling between preaching stations, but he was not one to avoid difficult situations. He pursued his work with intensity and a sense of urgency about the Master's business. Yet he had personal warmth and graciousness among his people and towards visitors in his church and manse. He took an interest in each community where he resided through service-club and inter-church involvements.

He always played an active role in the courts of the Church, seeing this as part of his responsibility and also a privilege. He was elected Moderator of several Presbyteries and in 1949 as Moderator of the Synod of Hamilton and London. For six years he served as Clerk of the Presbytery of Sarnia.

The funeral was held on Saturday, July 16, 1977, in St. Timothy's Church, Ottawa, where he had been a member for several years. The service was conducted by the Rev. W. I. McElwain of Westminster Church, assisted by the Rev. H. M. Kennedy, Moderator of the Presbytery of Ottawa. Interment was in the United Cemetery, Carleton Place. He is survived by his wife, Evelyn Mary Evans; two sons, Elwyn of Ottawa and Clifford in diplomatic service in China, and four grandchildren.

REV. ARCHIE BOYD CASSELMAN

The Rev. Archie Casselman died in the Ottawa Civic Hospital on June 3, 1978. Mr. Casselman was born in Finch, Ontario, on April 23rd, 1901, the son of George S. Casselman and Barbara Hanna. He received his primary and secondary education there and later graduated from McGill University with a B.A. in 1936. He graduated from Presbyterian College in 1939, was ordained, and appointed to the congregation in Valleyfield, Quebec. In 1941 he was called to the congregations of Cushman Memorial, Hull, and St. Andrew's, Aylmer, in Quebec, where he served until 1949 and during that period he also served as Clerk of the Presbytery of Ottawa. From 1949 until 1960 Archie was Field Secretary with the Eastern Division of the Lord's Day Alliance. His final pastorate was at Gloucester Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, where he served from 1960 until his retirement in 1972.

In 1939 Mr. Casselman married Emma Crawford in Valcartier, Quebec. He is survived by his wife, sons, Winston and Robert, daughter, Jean, daughters-in-law, Jeannie and Diane, and son-in-law, the Rev. Kris Jensen, and six grandchildren.

Jeffrey, Tracey, Jason, Todd, Lison and Heather, to all of whom the Presbytery of Ottawa extends deepest sympathy.

In all his career, Archie was a most diligent worker in all Presbytery affairs and was always especially helpful in matters affecting the Presbytery in Quebec. He served his church with honour and distinction, and was a beloved pastor to all his people.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

REVEREND ALLAN L. FARRIS

The Presbytery of East Toronto records its deep gratitude to God for the life and ministry of the Reverend Principal Allan L. Farris which came to a close with his sudden death on July 7th 1977 at the age of 57. From his ordination to the ministry in 1945 his service to the Church combined in a distinctive fashion the dedicated gifts of both churchman and scholar. His death marked the end of a full quarter century as Professor of Church History in Knox College, culminating in the last year with his appointment as the eighth Principal of the College.

A native of Coleville, Saskatchewan, Dr. Farris held the Bachelor of Arts degree of the University of Saskatchewan, followed by the degrees of Bachelor of Divinity and Master of Theology of Knox College. He pursued graduate studies in theology at the Universities of Edinburgh, Geneva, and Chicago. In 1973 Presbytery College conferred on him the degree of Doctor of Divinity in recognition of his services to theological education and to the whole life of the Church.

Prior to his call to Knox College in 1952, Dr. Farris held pastorates in Trail, B.C., and Bolton and Nashville, Ontario. Throughout his career as a teacher he never lost the heart of the pastor, and was the trusted confidant and counsellor in succeeding generations of students on matters both personal and vocational. He responded frequently to preaching and lecturing engagements in all parts of the Church; and on two extended occasions he served as interim pastor in Orillia and St. Andrew's Humber Heights, Toronto. His wider service to the Church included a term as Moderator of this Presbytery and membership on numerous Boards and Committees of General Assembly. He was theme speaker at the Centennial Congress of 1975, and had convened the earlier preparations for the Centennial observance.

Dr. Farris' theological contributions extended beyond the denomination. He served for a term as Chairman of the one-time Christian Social Council of Canada, and was on numerous occasions a delegate or lecturer at meetings of the North America Area of the Alliance of Reformed Churches. Since the formation of the Toronto School of Theology students of other traditions, especially the Roman Catholic, frequented his classes and sought his direction for research into the history of Reformed thought and institution. He was co-author of *A Short History of the Presbyterian Church in Canada* and published scholarly articles and reviews in such journals as the *Canadian Journal of Theology*, *Reformed World*, *Sixteenth Century Journal*, and *Dictionary of Canadian Biography*.

Members of this Presbytery, along with a wide circle of his friends throughout the Church, will remember Allan Farris as a gracious personality, generous in friendship and unreservedly committed to the Gospel of our Lord. His enthusiastic and strenuous labours in Church and College may have foreshortened his life among us, but the witness he made will be a continuing inspiration, especially in plans which he forwarded for the strengthening of the College and its ministerial training.

The Presbytery extends its sympathy and greeting to the immediate family of Dr. Farris: to his wife, the former Muriel Neale, daughter Marion, and sons Stephen and Michael, both of whom are students for the Ministry.

REVEREND JAMES RICHARD GRAHAM

The Rev. J. R. Graham died on November 6, 1977 the oldest in years of service since ordination of our ministers in the Canadian Presbyterian Church. He was born

April 19, 1887, in Donegal, Ireland, and graduated from Trinity College, Dublin. His theological courses were completed in Princeton Seminary, Princeton, N.J., and in New College, Edinburgh. Emigrating to Canada, he was ordained in 1916 as a minister of the Presbyterian Church at Whitechurch, Ontario. Enlisting with the Canadian Army, he served as chaplain in England, France and Belgium. Following the war, he was director of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment in Saskatchewan. He then became minister of Francis Presbyterian Church, Assiniboia, and then of Prince Albert. He vigorously championed the Presbyterian cause during the controversy of 1924 and 1925. In 1930 he was called to be minister of Sherbrooke, Quebec, where he served until 1940 at which time he enlisted again in the Canadian Army. He was appointed Senior Chaplain for New Brunswick and attained the rank of Major. After the war, he was called to Chalmers Church, Toronto, and then, at the age of 74, was appointed to a new extension charge in the northwest suburbs of Toronto. During his service there a fine new church building was erected. He retired from the active ministry at the age of 79. Mr. Graham was active until the very last, taking daily walks, looking after his garden, and keeping himself interested in current affairs. His wife predeceased him in 1976. He is survived by two daughters, June, Press Relations Officer for the CBC, and Rosemary, a High School Teacher of English and author of children's books.

REVEREND DAVID McMASTER KERR

The Presbytery of West Toronto records with sadness the death of the Reverend David McMaster Kerr in Toronto on Wednesday, April 19, 1978.

The Rev. David Kerr was born in Ballyclare in the North of Ireland in 1900, and came to Canada with his wife Helen in 1924. Answering the Call of God, David entered the ministry of Word and Sacrament. Attending McGill University for Arts, and Presbyterian College for Theology, his student days were spent in Lochwinnoch, Dewar's and Stewartville in the Ottawa Valley, areas which to him became 'home'. His love for the Church of the Lord Jesus Christ was nurtured while ministering, during the difficult depression years, to these fine, gentle, and noble people.

Graduating from Presbyterian College in 1936, the Rev. David Kerr ministered to congregations in Shakespeare, Waterloo and Royce Toronto. He remained at Royce from 1942-1955. Mr. Kerr was a member of the Toronto Board of Education from 1948 through 1951. He was appointed to the Parole Board in 1960 and remained a member of that body for ten years. David Kerr represented the constituency of Dovercourt as a Conservative member of the Provincial Parliament for the years 1951-1959.

During his retirement years Mr. Kerr attended Hillview Church and along with Mrs. Kerr became well-respected, well-loved members of that congregation.

The Rev. David Kerr was an extremely active member of society. In the midst of all his multi-varied endeavours, his love for God and for the Church of the Lord Jesus Christ was always at the forefront. His witness was such that men took note "that he had been with Jesus", and was deserving of the Master's commendation "Well done thou good and faithful servant. . . enter into the joy of thy Lord".

The funeral service was held in Hillview Church on Saturday, April 22, 1978. Mr. Kerr is survived by his wife Helen and a family of five children: George, Toronto; Scott, Toronto; Thelma (Middleton), Orillia; Muriel (Hackett), Kitchener; Sylvia (Parker), Toronto; and twelve grandchildren.

By this Memorial the Presbytery of West Toronto extends its deepest sympathy to the family and relatives.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

REVEREND DONALD MacINNES

The Reverend Donald MacInnes passed away in Ridgetown, Ontario, on Friday the seventh day of January 1977, at the age of eighty-six.

He was born in Berwick, Stormont County, Ontario, and was a theology graduate from Queen's University, Kingston, in 1925. He served with Presbyterian Churches in Port Dover, Forest, Hamilton and Ridgetown until his retirement in 1964. He also served as Clerk of the Presbytery of Chatham for 21 years until April of 1973. During his retirement years he acted as interim-minister at St. James Church, Chatham, and also at New St. Andrew's Church in Dover Township.

He was survived by his wife the former Keitha M. Lloyd, now deceased, a son, Donald of Toronto, a brother, John of Waterloo, and two grandchildren.

REVEREND JOHN MacKECHNIE

The Reverend John MacKechnie died in St. Joseph's Hospital, Chatham, Ontario, on Thursday, the sixth day of January, 1977, at the age of seventy-nine years.

He was born in Glasgow, Scotland, son of the late Donald MacKechnie and Katherine O'Neil. He was educated in Scotland where he graduated with his M.A., B.D., B.L. and LL.B. degrees. He was a professor at the University of Aberdeen and was ordained into the ministry in 1928. He came to Canada in 1967 and served in charges in Colborne and Dunvegan, retiring to Chatham in 1974.

He was the author of several books and had written on the *Celtie of Life*.

Mr. MacKechnie was a member of First Presbyterian Church, Chatham, Ontario, and a member of the Royal Archmasons in Glasgow, Scotland. He is survived by his wife, the former Ailie Lucas; son Donald of Scotland; daughters Mrs. Ian (Elizabeth) MacPherson; a brother Donald of Scotland; sisters Margaret and Charlotte of Scotland; also nine grandchildren. A brother and sister predeceased him.

SYNOD OF MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO

REVEREND RONALD JONATHAN CON

Ronald Jonathan Con was born on July 1, 1932 and at the age of forty-four died on June 15th, 1977 after a two-year battle with cancer. Ron struggled valiantly and his courage and faith will never be forgotten.

Born in Vancouver, Ron was the second youngest in a family of five children. Graduating from the University of British Columbia, he then proceeded to Knox College, from which he graduated in 1958. Ron was the first Canadian born Chinese to be ordained to the ministry of Word and Sacrament. He was appointed to work in Sudbury, Ontario. He pursued Chinese studies at the University of Hong Kong from 1960 to 1962. Returning to Canada, Ron became minister of the Chinese Presbyterian Church in Toronto and served from 1963 to 1965. It was in this period that the seeds were sown for the establishment of the Mon Sheong Foundation which hopefully one day would provide a centre and residence for the Chinese community. The dream has now become a reality and in October, 1977, the garden was lovingly dedicated to Ron's memory and in gratitude for his vision and dedication.

Ron's career in the civil service of Canada commenced in 1965. Into this he carried a deep concern for all minority groups. Their cause was championed untiringly and unceasingly by Ron. They were his people, and for them, he zealously gave his all and beyond.

After service in Toronto and Edmonton, Ron attended Boston University for three years and in 1974 graduated with his doctorate in Adult Education.

From 1974 to 1977 Ron was with the Secretary of State Department in Winnipeg.

Married in 1958 Ron is survived by his wife Pauline, daughter Margaret, and sons Andrew and Michael.

Ron was always uniquely his own person. This was never more evident than when he battled daily with his illness. Even when deeply in discomfort, Ron was more than willing to help others who were also dying, to be able to live positively and actively with their illness. He taught many of us the meaning of courage, trust and caring. Truly Ron fought a good fight. Truly he kept the faith.

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| Waywayseecappo (Lizard Point Reserve) (See Rossburn, Ekford) | 34 | 676 |
| Welland, Crowland | 24 | 658 |
| Welland (Hungarian) | 24 | 658 |
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| West Branch, Zion (See Bass River) | 6 | 614 |
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| West Flamboro | 23 | 656 |
| West Gwillimbury 2nd (See Bradford) | 19 | 646 |
| West Hill, Grace | 16 | 634 |
| West Hill, Melville | 16 | 634 |
| West Huntingdon, St. Andrew's (See Stirling) | 14 | 628 |
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| Green Hill, Salem | | |
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| Westwood, Francis Andrew's (See Norwood) | 15 | 630 |
| Wexford | 16 | 634 |
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| Whalley, Surrey | 43 | 688 |
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| Whitechurch, Chalmers | 30 | 670 |
| Langside | | |
| Whitehorse, Y. T., First | 37 | 680 |
| White Rock, St. John's | 43 | 690 |
| Whitewood Knox (See Moonomin) | 35 | 678 |
| Whycocomagh, St. Andrew's (See Little Narrows) | 1 | 604 |
| Warton, St. Paul's | 30 | 670 |
| Lake Charles | | |
| Wick | 15 | 632 |
| Cresswell | | |
| Wilkie, St. Andrew's (See N.W. Saskatchewan) | 36 | 678 |
| Williamsburg, St. Paul's (See Stanley) | 5 | 612 |
| Willis Jarratt (See Uptergrove) | 19 | 646 |
| Willowdale, Zion (See Red Deer, St. Andrew's) | 39 | 684 |
| Willowdale, Iona (See Metropolitan Toronto Area) | 16 | 634 |
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| Windsor | | |
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| Paulin Memorial | 27 | 664 |
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| Winterbourne, Chalmers | 22 | 652 |
| Woodbridge | 17 | 640 |
| Wood Islands (See Belfast) | 7 | 612 |
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| Woodstock, St. Paul's, N.B. | 5 | 612 |
| Kirkland, St. David's | | |
| Woodville, Knox | 15 | 632 |
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| South Eldon, St. Andrew's | | |
| Wyebridge, St. Andrew's (See Penetanguishene) | 19 | 646 |
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| Brampton | 18 | 642 | Niagara | 24 | 658 |
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| Brockville | 13 | 626 | Ottawa | 11 | 624 |
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| Calgary-Macleod | 40 | 684 | Peace River | 37 | 680 |
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| Edmonton | 38 | 682 | Red Deer | 39 | 684 |
| Glengarry | 10 | 622 | Saint John | 5 | 612 |
| Halifax-Lunenburg | 4 | 610 | Sarnia | 28 | 666 |
| Hamilton | 23 | 654 | Stratford-Huron | 29 | 668 |
| Kamloops | 42 | 688 | Superior | 31 | 672 |
| Kingston | 14 | 628 | Temiskaming | 20 | 648 |
| Kootenay | 41 | 686 | Vancouver Island | 44 | 692 |
| Lake of the Woods | 32 | 672 | Waterloo-Wellington | 22 | 652 |
| Lanark & Renfrew | 12 | 626 | Westminster | 43 | 688 |
| Lindsay-Peterborough | 15 | 630 | West Toronto | 17 | 640 |
| London | 26 | 660 | Winnipeg | 33 | 674 |

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| Adams, H. G. | 92 Quebec St., Oshawa, Ont. L1H 2K5 | 16 | 634 |
| Adamson, Wm. J., D.D. | 15 Lambeth Rd., Islington, Ont. M9A 2Y6 | 17 | 640 |
| * Agar, G. K., B.A. | 20 Edgecliffe Golfway #617, Don Mills, Ont. M3C 3A4 | 16 | 634 |
| ** Agnarian, Hovannes | 8491 Champagneur St., Montreal, Que. H3N 2K8 | 9 | 620 |
| ** Ahn, Sang-Yub, S.T.M. | 165 Cherokee Blvd., Unit 130, Willowdale, Ont. M2J 4T7 | 16 | 636 |
| Aicken, A. J., B.D. | Knox Presbyterian Church, 3704 - 37th St. S.W. Calgary, Alta. T3E 3C3 | 40 | 684 |
| Aikens, E. Powell, D.D. | 39 Beverley Ave., Montreal, Que. H3P 1K3 | 9 | 620 |
| ** Allan, J. N., B.A. | 941 - W. 20th Ave., Vancouver, B.C. V5Z 1Y4 | 43 | 690 |
| Allan, John F., B.D. | 2737 Bayview Ave., Willowdale, Ont. M2L 1C5 | 16 | 634 |
| Allison, John M., M.Th. | 7 King St. W., Stoney Creek, Ont. L8G 1G7 | 23 | 656 |
| ** Allison, Norman J. | Stella, Ont. K0H 2S0 | 37 | 680 |
| Allison, R. L., B.D. | 1179 Cloverly St., North Vancouver, B.C. V7L 1N7 | 43 | 688 |
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| Anderson, Douglas, B.A. | 46073 Clare Ave., Chilliwack, B.C. V2P 6M9 | 43 | 688 |
| ***Anderson, F.R.M., B.Th. | 111 Westmount Ave., Toronto, Ont. M6H 3K3 | 17 | 642 |
| ***Anderson, George | 1665 Ellis St., Kelowna, B.C. V1Y 1Y6 | 42 | 688 |
| ***Anderson, J. M., B.A. | 212 Front St., Oakville, Ont. L6J 1A2 | 18 | 644 |
| Anderson, John M., B.D. | 445 Beverly St., Oshawa, Ont. L1G 1P9 | 16 | 632 |
| Anderson, R. K., M.Th. | Korean Christian Church in Japan, #52 Japan Christian Centre, 2-3-18 Nishi-Waseda, Shinjuku, Tokyo 160, Japan | 4 | 610 |
| ***Andrew, B. F. | R.R. #2, Woodbridge, Ont. L4L 1A6 | 17 | 642 |
| ***Andrews, J. C. Eldon, M.Th. | 19 Lyme Regis Cres., Scarborough, Ont. M1M 1E3 | 16 | 636 |
| Andrews, Stanley, M.A. | R.R. 1, Dutton, Ont. N0L 1J0 | 26 | 662 |
| Appel, Hugh, L.Th. | 4192 Hazelwood Cr., Burnaby, B.C. V5G 2R1 | 43 | 690 |
| Arbuthnott, J. P. | 8 Elmcrest Rd., Islington, Ont. M9C 3R8 | 17 | 640 |
| Archer, Judith L. M.Div. | Box 917, Port Dover, Ont. N0A 1N0 | 23 | 656 |
| Archer, Ronald C., M.Div. | 16 Ivy Green Cres., Scarborough, Ont. M1G 2Z3 | 16 | 634 |
| ***Archibald, D. G., B.A. | R.R. 2, Dobbinton, Ont. N0H 1L0 | 30 | 670 |
| Archibald, John L., M.Div. | R.R. #2, Picton, N.S. B0K 1H0 | 17 | 608 |
| Armour, James A., B.A. | 677 Victoria Dr., Baie d'Urfe, Que. H9X 2K1 | 9 | 618 |
| Armour, J.S.S., S.T.M. | 3 Bideford Place, St. John's, Nfld. A1B 2W5 | 2 | 606 |
| Armstrong, R. H., D.D. | Box 115, Wingham, Ont. N0G 2W0 | 30 | 670 |
| Austen, F. H. | 720 Hall St., Sarnia, Ont. N7V 2C2 | 28 | 666 |
| B | | | |
| Bailey, A. E., Th.D. | 5681 Trafalgar St., Vancouver, B.C. V6N 1C2 | 43 | 690 |
| Bailey, H. F., M.Div. | 33241 Plaxton Cres., Abbotsford, B.C. V2S 1V8 | 43 | 688 |
| Bailey, T. Melville | 81 Cloverhill Rd., Hamilton, Ont. L9C 3L8 | 23 | 654 |
| Baksa, Csaba A., M.Div. | 121 Birch Ave., Hamilton, Ont. L8L 6H8 | 23 | 654 |
| *Baker, R. E., M.Div. | 32 Doran St., Petawawa, Ontario K8H 1P9 | 12 | 626 |
| **Balmer, Derek, B.Th. | 285 River St., St. Lambert, Que. J4P 1E5 | 9 | 620 |
| **Balsdon, J. N., B.D. | 356 Dennie Ave., Newmarket, Ont. L2Y 4M7 | 16 | 636 |
| **Balsdon, R. H., B.D. | P.O. Box 44600, Nairobi, Kenya | 11 | 624 |
| Ballard, A. J. (Catechist) | R.R. 2, Hampton, N.B. E0G 1Z0 | 5 | 612 |
| Barber, W. M. | 1405 Van Horne Ave., Brandon, Man. R7A 1E4 | 34 | 676 |
| *Barclay, L. T., B.A. | Chaplain (P), Masset, B.C. V0T 1M0 | 42 | 688 |
| Barker, G. Harvie, B.D. | Box 582, Pinawa, Man. R0E 2L0 | 33 | 674 |
| Barr, F. J., M.A. | 300 Elora St., Fergus, Ont. N1M 1Y8 | 25 | 660 |
| Barron, S. Murray, B.D. | 367 Terry Drive, Newmarket, Ont. L3Y 5E6 | 16 | 636 |
| Barrow, P., B.D. | 38 Edith St., Georgetown, Halton Hills, Ont. L7G 3B1 | 18 | 644 |
| Bastedo, G. E., B.A. | #318 - 1235 W. 15th Ave., Vancouver, B.C. V6H 1S1 | 43 | 690 |
| Baswick, Wayne J., M.Div. | 1388 Monaghan Circle, Mississauga, Ont. L5C 1R8 | 18 | 644 |
| ***Baulch, G. S., B.A. | 107 Clapperton St., Barrie, Ont. L4M 3G3 | 19 | 648 |
| Bean, E. H., D.D. | 12 Lorway Ave., Sydney, N.S. B1P 4Z2 | 1 | 604 |
| Beals, G. | Alberton, P.E.I. C0B 1N0 | 7 | 616 |
| Beaton, A. M., B.A. | 132 Argyle St. N., Cambridge, Ont. N3H 1P6 | 22 | 652 |
| Beaton, D. A., M.Div. | Blenheim, Ont., N0P 1A0 | 27 | 664 |
| Beaton, Gordon A., B.D. | 235 Sylvan Ave., Scarborough, Ont. M1E 1A5 | 16 | 634 |
| **Beattie, Robert, M.A. | 1091 Senate Court, Sarnia, Ont. N7S 2C9 | 28 | 666 |
| ***Beattie, Robert H., B.S.W. | 8 Hillcrest Ave., Hamilton, Ont. L8P 2W8 | 23 | 656 |
| ***Becke, Louis, B.D. | 2463 - 23 St. N.W., Calgary, Alta. T2M 3Y3 | 40 | 686 |
| Beggs, Eric, A., B.D. | Box 246, 114 Gerald Ave., Orillia, Ont. L3V 6J6 | 19 | 646 |
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| Bernhardt, R. J., B.D. | 200 Mountain Park Ave., Hamilton, Ont. L8V 1A2 | 23 | 654 |
| *Bethune, A. A., B.D. | 120 Baldwin Court, Milton, Ont. L9T 2Y7 | 18 | 644 |
| Bibawi, Venus | Thedford, Ont. NOM 2N0 | 28 | 666 |
| Bigelow, J. C., M.Th. | 19 Tamarac Ave., Charlottetown, P.E.I. C1A 6T2 | 7 | 616 |
| Bigelow, J. E., D.D. | 13820 - 109A Ave., Edmonton, Alta. T5M 2K1 | 38 | 682 |
| ***Bishop, J. H., B.D. | 103 St. Peters Road, Charlottetown, P.E.I. C1A 4W3 | 9 | 620 |
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| Bisset, R. M. | Forrest, Ont. N0N 1J0 | 28 | 666 |
| Black, Douglas | P.O. Box 35, Tiverton, Ont. N0G 2T0 | 30 | 670 |
| Blackwell, G. L., B.A. | 1022 Mollins Dr., Saint John, N.B. E2M 4L8 | 5 | 612 |
| Blaikie, L. E., B.Th. | 155 Highfield St., Moncton, N.B. E1C 5P1 | 5 | 612 |
| Blue, John, M.Div. | Cochrane, Ont. P0L 1C0 | 20 | 648 |
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| Boonstra, Tony, B.Th. | Presbyterian Manse, Parksville, B.C. V0R 2S0 | 44 | 692 |
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| **Boyd, C. F., B.D. | c/o Pickering College, Newmarket, Ont. | 27 | 664 |
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| Bragg, Edward, D.D. | Box 255, Creston, B.C. V0B 1G0 | 41 | 686 |
| Brett, G. C., B.D. | 512 Charlotte St., Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1M2 | 5 | 612 |
| Brett, G.W.C., M.Div. | Grand Valley, Ont. L0N 1G0 | 18 | 644 |
| **Brett, T. W., B.A. | R.R. #1, Bras d'Or, N.S. B0C 1B0 | 1 | 604 |
| Briard, E. J., B.A. | 48 Kirkdene Dr., West Hill, Ont. M1C 3A7 | 16 | 634 |
| Brown, Archibald, Ph.D. | 66 Oxford St., Strathroy, Ont. N7G 3A4 | 28 | 666 |
| Brown, Calvin B., M.Div. | 620 Kootenay St., Nelson, B.C. V1L 1L2 | 41 | 686 |
| Brown, P. A., M.Div. | R.R. 2, Scotsburn, N.S. B0K 1R0 | 3 | 608 |
| Brown, Raye, A., M.Div. | Box 27, Tabusintac, N.B., E0C 2A0 | 6 | 614 |
| **Brown, W. H., M.A. | New Glasgow, P.E.I. | 7 | 616 |
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| Brush, John C., B.A. | Dundalk, Ont. N0C 1B0 | 30 | 670 |
| ***Bryan, T.G.M., B.D. | 3338 Bristol Drive, Burlington, Ont. L7M 1W4 | 23 | 656 |
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| Caldwell, T. J., B.D. | 117 Barons Ave. S., Hamilton, Ont. L8K 2Y8 | 23 654 |
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| Campbell, D. L., B.D. | 971 Woodroffe Ave., Ottawa, Ont. K2A 3G9 | 11 624 |
| Campbell, D. St. Clair, B.D. | Tara, Ontario. N0H 2N0 | 30 670 |
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| **Campbell, R.F.G., Ph.D. | 8 Heathview Ave., Willowdale, Ont. M2K 2C1 | 16 636 |
| *Campbell, William | 650 Grand Ridge Dr., Cambridge, Ont. N1S 4J8 | 22 652 |
| Carpenter, Evelyn (Miss), Th.M. | 58 Presteign Ave., Toronto, Ont. M4B 3B2 | 16 634 |
| *Carr, John C., Th.M. | 9668 - 77th St., Edmonton, Alta. T6C 2M7 | 38 682 |
| Carroll, I. R., B.A. | 185 Eveline St., Selkirk, Man. R1A 1L1 | 33 674 |
| Carson, Donald G., B.Th. | Presbyterian Manse, Killam, Alta., T0B 2L0 | 38 682 |
| **Carson, J. R., B.Paed. | Angle Inlet, Minn. U.S.A. | 27 664 |
| Carter, C. H., B.D. | Box 118, Victoria Harbour, Ont. L0K 2A0 | 19 648 |
| Carter, L. Blake, M.Div. | 35 St. Timothy Place, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. P6B 5V5 | 21 650 |
| Carter, R. P., D.D. | 4156 Sheppard Ave. E., Agincourt, Ont. M1S 1T3 | 16 634 |
| Cassidy, D. G., B.D. | 56 Thames St. S., Ingersoll, Ont. N5C 2S9 | 25 660 |
| **Caswell, Norman, B.A. | General Delivery, Markdale, Ont. N0C 1H0 | 15 632 |
| Chan, David, Ph.D. | 1827 Pelletier St., Windsor, Ont. N9B 1S7 | 27 664 |
| ***Chan, Paul S., L.Th. | 435 Fraser St., St. Laurent, Que. H4M 1Y9 | 9 620 |
| Chang, Sidney, S.T.M. | Innisfail, Alta. T0M 1A0 | 39 684 |
| Channon, Owen, B.D. | Box 1041, 919 Haliburton Ave., Windsor, N.S. B0N 2T0 | 4 610 |
| **Chen, Wm. W. H., B.D. | R.R. 1, Dundas, Ont. L9H 5E1 | 23 656 |
| Chen, Stephen, M.Div. | 39 Pentworth Cres., Agincourt, Ont. M1S 3M6 | 16 638 |
| Cho, Steven, C. H., M.Th. | 35 Main St., St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 1Z3 | 5 612 |
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| Cochrane, Robert B., M.Div. | Box 231, Milverton, Ont. N0K 1M0 | 29 668 |
| Cocks, Nancy L., M.Div. | Presbyterian Manse, Kirkfield, Ont., K0M 2B0 | 15 630 |
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| Coombs, Charles F. (Catechist) | R.R. 1, Metis Beach, Que. G0J 1W0 | 8 618 |
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CHANGES FOR THE BOOK OF FORMS

The Book of Forms, as issued by authority of the 103rd General Assembly (1977), brought all previous revisions to and including 1977 up to date.

Blank pages were included in this production to enable changes to be included each year as the Assembly may adopt same.

Owners of the 1977 book, or the 1969 book, may clip the following, and paste these sections into their book in order to update same.

Section 296 - "Six ministers and three elders" be replaced with "six members, distributed into three (3) groups of two (2) members each". Delete "two of the aforementioned ministers and one elder shall retire each year".

Section 251 - Replace "a dismissory letter" with "a letter of standing" in three places where this phrase occurs, and add "or her" after "his" in three places where the word occurs.

Change appendices, Part One, No. 36 to read:

36. (A) *Letter of Demission for a Minister or Licentiate*

This certifies that Dr. (Mr., Mrs. or Miss)
was ordained as a Minister (or licensed to preach the Gospel) by the Presbytery of
in The Presbyterian Church in Canada on the
day of 19.... and he (or she) has of this date, at his (or her) own
request, been granted demission from office in the Christian Church (i.e., in The
Holy Catholic Church).

Given this day of in the year 19...., by order of
Presbytery.

(Place)

Presbytery Clerk

(B) *Letter of Standing for a Minister or a Licentiate*

This certifies that Dr. (or Mr., Mrs. or Miss)
was ordained as a minister (or licensed to preach the Gospel) by the Presbytery of
..... in The Presbyterian Church in Canada on the
day of 19.... and that he (or she) is at this date in good and regu-
lar standing as a minister (or licentiate) of the Church.

Given this day of in the year 19...., by order of
the Presbytery, and attention is called to Section 251 of the Book of Forms of The
Presbyterian Church in Canada whereby he (or she) while being certified of this
date as being in good and regular standing, ceases to be a minister of The Presby-
terian Church in Canada.

(Place)

Presbytery Clerk

Section 281 - After "dissolves" change period to comma and add "notwithstand-
ing, any Assembly may determine the location of future Assemblies for the ensuing
five years."

Sections 235 and 241 - Add footnote to each section as follows: (See A. and P.,
1978, pp. 235-236 re Term of Inductions for Assistant Ministers.)

That Section IV of the Report of the Church Doctrine Committee, 1978, A. and P.,
page 227, be noted after *Section 106 (b)* in Book of Forms.

THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONS OR CORRECTIONS SHOULD HAVE
BEEN INCLUDED IN THE 1977 BOOK.

In Section 191 change "pre" to "pro".

In Index change "Intrium Act of Assembly" to "Interum Act of Assembly".

Section 176 (1) (e)

(A Footnote to *Section 176 (1) (e)*)

When there has been a significant change in the status or abilities of the mini-
ster whose name has been ordered placed on the Constituent Roll, the name, as the
Presbytery may judge, shall be placed on the Appendix to the Roll by proper mo-
tion of the Court. Should the new status, in the judgment of the Presbytery, merit-
ing a placing of the name on the Constituent Roll, the Presbytery may overture the
General Assembly in conformity to 176 (1) (e).

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IN APPENDICES, PART TWO

1. APPOINTMENTS TO OFFICE POSITIONS

Add the following after (4) The General Assembly of 1974 agreed (A. & P., 1974, pp. 71 and 382).

That the following procedure for control of Executive Staff be approved:

1 The Council appoint a Committee to review Executive Personnel appointments, and this committee be called the Committee on Executive Personnel of the Administrative Council.

2 This Committee will review regularly with each employing Board or Committee the staffing needs of that body in relation to over-staffing needs and available resources. The Committee will make a full report to the Council every three years.

3 (a) A Board or Committee wishing to fill a vacancy will meet with the Council's Committee on Executive Personnel.

(b) This Council Committee will study the need and definition of responsibilities for the requested appointment.

(c) This Committee will evaluate the request in relation to overall staffing needs, and the present authorized staff of all agencies which are supported by the General Assembly Funds.

(d) The Committee will recommend to Council, the Council will consider the Committee's recommendations and discuss the matter, with the Board/Committee representatives being present.

(e) The Council will then either concur with the Board's request, or recommend otherwise to the Board, and if necessary to the General Assembly.

Revise Section 125 (f) to "at least once every two years" for "once each year".