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HELD IN HANGCHOW

May 28th, 29th, and 30th, 1933

SHANGHAI:
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OFFICERS, MISSION COMMITTEES AND REPRESENTATIVES

Chairman: Rev. J. E. Shoemaker.
Vice-Chairman: Miss Grace Darling.
Permanent Secretary: Rev. O. C. Crawford.

STATION TREASURERS

Shanghai: Rev. Paul Lindholm.
Soochow: Rev. I. M. Dungan.

STATION SECRETARIES

Shanghai: Rev. J. M. Espey.
Hangchow: Miss J. Ricketts.
Soochow: Miss M. Ramsay.

MISSION COMMITTEES

Executive Committee: Rev. O. C. Crawford, Chairman; Mrs. W. D. Boone,
   Miss Esther Gauss; Rev. Kepler Van Evera, term expiring 1934; Mr.
   R. M. White; Rev. R. S. Lautenschlager; Rev. E. M. Smith; term
   expiring 1935;
   Alternates: Miss Bessie Hille, Rev. J. M. Espey.
Committee on Guidance on the Field: Mission Secretary Chairman; Miss
   Bessie Hille, Rev. E. L. Mattox, Mrs. H. K. Wright, Mrs. R. M. White.
Medical Committee: Mrs. G. E. Partch, M.D., Mrs. R. M. White, Mrs.
   J. E. Shoemaker, Mr. A. W. March.
Editing and Printing Mission Reports: Mission Secretary.
Commissioner to General Assembly: Rev. G. E. Partch.
Finance Committee: The Executive Committee and the station treasurers.

Property Committee:
   Rev. E. M. Smith, Chairman, term expiring ... ... 1935
   Miss Bessie Hille, term expiring ... ... ... 1934
   Rev. I. M. Dungan, term expiring ... ... ... 1934
   Rev. J. H. Arthur, term expiring ... ... ... 1935

Hangchow College: Term Expires.
   Rev. J. M. Espey ... ... ... ... ... 1934
   Rev. Kepler Van Evera ... ... ... ... ... 1935
   Rev. R. F. Fitch ... ... ... ... ... 1936
   Alternate: Miss Lois Lyon

Hangchow Union Girls' School:
   Mrs. Kepler Van Evera ... ... ... ... 1934
   Alternate: Mrs. J. H. Arthur
Ningpo Middle School:
Rev. J. M. Espey ... ... ... ... 1934
Alternate: Miss E. M. Gauss

Riverside Academy:
Mrs. E. M. Smith ... ... ... ... 1936
Alternate: Miss M. B. Duncan

Mary Farnham School:
Mrs. W. D. Boone ... ... ... ... 1934
Mr. R. M. White ... ... ... ... 1935
Alternate: Miss Bessie Hille

Lowrie Institute:
Rev. J. H. Arthur ... ... ... ... 1934
Mr. A. W. March ... ... ... ... 1935
Rev. W. D. Boone ... ... ... ... 1936
Alternate: Rev. O. C. Crawford

Union Theological Seminary:
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Alternate: Miss B. M. Hille

Bible Teachers Training School:
Miss Emma Silver ... ... ... ... 1935
Alternate: Mrs. J. H. Arthur

Language Study Committee:

Dr. J. E. Shoemaker.
Alternate: Miss E. M. Gauss.

Shanghai: Rev. G. E. Partch.
Miss Grace Darling.

Hangchow: Juniata Ricketts.
Alternate: Rev. E. L. Mattox.

Soochow: Rev. O. C. Crawford.
Mr. R. M. White.
Alternate: Mrs. O. C. Crawford.

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CENTRAL CHINA MISSION.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

June 13, 1932

The Committee met in Shanghai, June 13, 1932, during the Mission Meeting.

Members present: Rev. O. C. Crawford, Chairman, Miss E. M. Gauss, Rev. E. M. Smith, Mrs. W. D. Boone, Rev. Kepler Van Evera, Mr. R. M. White, Rev. I. M. Dungan. Mr. R. M. White was elected Minute Secretary.

3301. Nominations. Acting as the Nominating Committee of the Mission, nominations were made for the officers, committees, and representatives of the Mission. The report was amended and adopted and is printed in the front of the Annual Mission Minutes of 1931.

June 14th, 1932.

The Committee met again in Shanghai during the Mission Meeting. All the members were present.


In reply to a request from the Board of Directors of the Lowrie Institute, Voted, that the question of the changes in the Constitution of the Lowrie Institute be referred back to the Board of Directors with the request for fuller information as to the reason for such changes, and that Rev. J. M. Espey be asked to represent the Executive Committee in presenting this request.

3302A. Ningpo Middle School. Solicitation of Funds for New Plant. In reply to a letter from the Secretary of the Board of Education of the East China Synod regarding solicitation of funds in America for the relocation and rebuilding of the plant of the Ningpo Middle School, Voted, that we approve in general of the projected scheme proposed by the Board of Directors of the school but that in view of existing conditions in the United States we feel it is unwise to endorse the request that special solicitations for funds be made in the home churches at the present time.
Mr. R. M. White resigned and Rev. I. M. Dungan was elected in his place as Minute Secretary.

Circular letter actions. Minutes 3303-3311 inclusive were approved by circular letter.

3303. Religious Education Fund. Grant requested. Voted, to approve the request of the Soochow Station asking for a grant up to $100.00 from the Religious Education Fund (Cent. 3258, 3272) to be used for the expenses of a Training Conference in Religious Education for the Soochow field, Sept. 18-25, 1932. (6/26/30).

3304. Vincent Miller Academy and the Board’s Christmas Offering. Board letter 176, paragraph 41, reported that the Chapel and Assembly Hall of the Vincent Miller Academy, Soochow, was included in the objects which the Board will present to the Sunday Schools for their Christmas offering of 1932.

Secretary George T. Scott now reports that the Executive Council of the Board has removed this item from the list which was approved some weeks before the meeting of the Executive Council. This action was taken because the Home Base Council did not like appeals to be made in a year like this.

The Soochow Station recognizes the wisdom of this decision, but in view of the fact that Mr. Crawford secured pledges amounting to $1,200.00 G. or about one-fifth of the total of $6,600.00 as stated in the Board’s Approved Property List, toward this object while at home, and the pledges so made are not good for any other object and are only valid until December 31, 1932, we request the Executive Council, through the Board, to restore this item to the Christmas Offering List and allow the members of the Soochow Station to appeal to a number of Sunday Schools in America with which they are in close touch. We believe this appeal can be made without prejudice to other gifts to the Board.

Note: The pledges reported in this motion were not reported officially to the Board because of the smallness of the amount and because they were made for this one object.

An additional gift of $200.00 G. toward the above object has already been received on the field and formally appropriated by the Board.

Cent. 32239 (6/26/30), C.C. 3231.
3305. Rev. C. B. Day, Leave of Absence from the Station. Upon recommendation of two physicians approval was given for Rev. C. B. Day to remain away from the Station for approximately three months.

3306. Shanghai. Grant from Land and Title Fund Requested. Voted to request the China Council to grant from the Land and Title Fund the sum of Mex. $6,900.00 to cover expenses connected with the exchange and registry of deeds at the South Gate. (7/10-11).

3307. Shanghai. Kau Jao, Erection of Chapel on Mission Land. Inasmuch as the Fitch Memorial Church in Shanghai has for some years past assumed responsibility for the work at Kau Jao, and

Whereas one of the Elders in the Church has signified his desire to erect in Kau Jao a chapel in memory of his parents desires that the chapel be erected on land the deed for which is held by the Mission,

Voted, to request the Board in New York to turn the deeds for the land in Kau Jao, now held by the Mission in the name of the Kyi Toh Kyau Tsang Lau We, over to the Presbytery without further remuneration or responsibility as to upkeep or taxes on the said property. (7/10-11).

3308. Hangchow. Renting of College Residence. Voted, to approve renting the residence at Hangchow Christian College, formerly occupied by Dr. E. L. Mattox, for one year beginning with Sept. 1, 1932, to Rev. R. J. McMullen of the Southern Presbyterian Mission, at a nominal rental or grant toward the upkeep of the house, the amount to be decided after consultation by the two Missions concerned. (7/25-8/19).

3309. Burgess and Edward Boone. Travel to America. Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Boone desire to send their sons Burgess and Edward to America to enter college this summer. The Estimates for their travel were entered for 1933-1934 but do not appear on the Estimate Sheets for 1932-1933. Voted, to request the Board to enter the Estimates on the 1932-1933 Estimate Sheets.

Day remaining on Kuling for one year beginning with Sept. 1, 1932, Mrs. Day and the children remaining with him.

Voted, to approve of Mr. and Mrs. Day carrying on such work in the Kuling school as may be arranged, subject to the approval of his physician, and from the salaries received an amount not to exceed $250.00 Mex. per month shall be paid to the Hangchow Christian College for securing an English teacher or teachers in the place of Mr. Day. (8/6-10).

3311. Mrs. A. W. March. Temporary Residence in Shanghai. Voted, to approve the request of the Hangchow Station that Mrs. A. W. March be permitted to reside in Shanghai until the Christmas holidays of 1932.

Mrs. March desires to take a housekeeping apartment and live with her four children who are going to the Shanghai American School.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

September 13, 1932

The Committee met in Shanghai, September 13, 1932, in the China Council offices.


3312. Miss Mary Millican—Return to Field. Voted to approve of return to field of Miss Mary Millican and that we accede to the request of Hangchow inviting her to return there for evangelistic work, definite assignment to be made after her return to the field and that the Mission Secretary be instructed to write to the Board in regard to Miss Millican's health.

3313. Miss Mary E. Cogdal—Minute of Appreciation. Voted to approve the following minute of appreciation of Miss Mary E. Cogdal.
In the death of Miss Mary E. Cogdal on July 26, 1932, the Central China Mission lost one of the pioneer missionaries. Miss Cogdal came to Shanghai in 1890 and except for two years in Hangchow she has been identified with the work of the Shanghai Station.

For many years she gave herself with untiring zeal to the building up of the Mary Farnham School for girls. The fine Christian womanhood of our Chinese churches in Shanghai are living tributes to her unselfish, devoted life of service. We cannot estimate the influence of her life in the lives of her pupils—for she worked always for individuals. As long as she was the principal almost every girl who was graduated was already a church member. She never wanted a large school as she realized that quality was often sacrificed in a large institution, and personal influence was lessened. That her pupils looked upon her as their best friend was evident from the way they kept up their devotion and came to her for advice all through the years—even till their children and grandchildren became her pupils.

In our own midst there is an empty place that no one else can ever fill—for her forceful personality, the abandon with which she gave herself to any task, her forgetfulness of self, and her great humility united to a fearless courage, made her a really unique character with whom it has been a privilege to live and work. Truly a great soul has gone from among us and our hearts are desolate—but to her it is all gain and she is at rest with the Lord whom she has so faithfully served.

Mrs. J. M. Espey.

3314. Soochow Language School—Request for Cooperation.
Voted, that the Mission Secretary be instructed to write a letter to the representatives of the Soochow Language School, replying that the Central China Mission finds itself unable to cooperate as a participating member in the control of the Language School.

3315. Christian Intelligencer—Appointment of Director. In reply to the China Council (C.C. 3160), Voted, to approve of the China Council making the appointment for the Board of Directors of the Christian Intelligencer.
3316. Mary Farnham School, Shanghai—Erection of Dining Hall. Voted, to approve the action of the Shanghai Station which approves the plan of the Board of Directors of the Mary Farnham School for the erection of a dining hall in connection with the school and requests permission for the erection of the building on land at the South Gate owned by the Board of Foreign Missions in New York and also requests permission to use a balance in the school's budget amounting to approximately eight thousand dollars Mexican ($8,000.00 Mex.) toward the project.

3317. Robert F. Fitch—Personal Report on Work. Voted, that record be made of the personal report, including financial statement, of Robert F. Fitch and that copies be sent to China Council and the Board.

3318. Agreement Renewal—Ningpo, Djong Sing Boys' Primary School. Voted, to renew the agreement for Djong Sing Boys' Primary School between Ningshao Presbytery and the Central China Mission for a period of three years beginning August 1, 1932 and ending July 31, 1935.

3319. Agreement Renewal—Ningpo, Djong Teh Girl's Primary School. Voted, to renew the agreement for Djong Teh Girls' Primary School between Ningshao Presbytery and the Central China Mission for a period of three years beginning August 1, 1932 and ending July 31, 1935.

3320. Agreement Renewal—Ningpo, Riverside Academy. Voted, to renew the agreement for Riverside Academy between the East China Synod and the Central China Mission for a period of three years beginning August 1, 1932 and ending July 31, 1935.

3321. Agreement Renewal—Ningpo Middle School. Voted to renew the agreement for Ningpo Middle School between the East China Synod and the Central China Mission for a period of three years beginning August 1, 1932 and ending July 31, 1935, with the change that the amount of appropriation for the current budget be reduced from two thousand five hundred dollars Mexican ($2,500.00 Mex.) per year to two thousand four hundred and sixty dollars Mexican ($2,460.00 Mex.) per year.
3322. **Riverside Academy and Ningpo Middle School—Preparation of Lists of Equipment.** Voted, to ask Mr. E. M. Smith, in cooperation with an appointee of the Baptist Mission, to check up, and sign for the Central China Mission, the Lists of Equipment of Riverside Academy and Ningpo Middle School, such Lists to be attached to the Leases of Grounds, Buildings, and Equipment of the above schools.

3323. **Burgess and Edward Boone—Travel to America.** Voted that the Mission Secretary be instructed to take up with China Council and the Board of Foreign Missions the action of the Board's Executive Council on August 3, 1932 concerning interest to be charged on advanced travel funds for the two sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Boone for travel from Shanghai to the U.S.A.

(Cent. 3309)

3324. **Hangchow Christian College—Repairs on Residences.** In reply to Board Letter No. 178 Sec. 24 requesting the Mission and Council to readjust their 1933-34 Estimates from the Board Grant to the College so as to provide adequate upkeep for five missionary residences at Hangchow College within the Board's approved inclusive Appropriations in Classes V—X for the College, Voted, that in view of the question of the reservation of these residences for use of missionaries having been lately approved by the College Field Board of Control, and in order to obviate any misunderstanding regarding the matter, the Mission does not think it wise to take up the question of a reduction in the appropriation for the College for this purpose, and reiterates its action (Cent. 3261) which has the approval of the China Council (32200) requesting a separate grant in the Estimates for the upkeep of these residences.

3325. **Board Equities and Institutional Balances.** Voted, to request the China Council to consider and formulate a general policy regarding Board equity in property in cases which involve the use of current balances of institutions under control of Boards of Directors.

Note: Agreements under which institutions have been turned over state, "The Board of Directors shall be responsible for all surpluses and deficits on the current account."
What should be the policy, and what are the equities, when the surpluses are used for (a) land in connection with an institution, (b) buildings on such land, or (c) buildings on Board-owned land, (d) permanent equipment? Is there any inconsistency between the above statement given in quotation as from the agreements and the Board Manual Sec. 52 and 57 and Board General Letter ¶ 37 paragraph 18 March 11, 1930?

3326. Children’s Allowances—Application of Cut. In view of the fact that missionaries salaries and children’s allowances under Class II are exempt from the cut (see Board Letter No. 174—Statement on Finances Sec. 5), Voted, to request the Board of Foreign Missions to exempt the allowances of children studying in the U. S. from the cut, in order to put them on the same basis as allowances under Class II.

3327. Lowrie Institute—Shanghai—Request for Funds for Religious Work Center. Voted to approve the request of Shanghai Station asking the China Council to renew the grant of three hundred dollars ($300.00) (CC 3225) from the Evangelistic Fund for equipment of the Religious Work Center of Lowrie Institute.

O. C. Crawford, Chairman.
I. M. Dungan, Minute Secretary.
CENTRAL CHINA MISSION

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

January 18-19, 1933

The Committee met in Shanghai, January 18th and 19th in the China Council Room.


Minutes 3328 to 3337 inclusive were approved by circular letter.

3328. Voted to approve the action of the Ningpo Station requesting the China Council, through the Executive Committee, to grant the sum of $176.00 from the Emergency Fund to pay for the rebuilding of a part of a classroom building at the Boys' Primary School damaged by a storm during the early summer.

3329. Hangchow. Sale of T’ah R Yang Houses. Moved, that since the T’ah R Yang residences are about to be vacated with no renters in sight and since there are possible purchasers for the property, we recommend that a price be named, giving first preference of purchase to the S Dzen (Tsang Memorial) church and that the China Council ask the Board to approve the sale and give Power of Attorney. C.C. 31166.

3330. Hangchow. Sale of School Property—T’ah R Yang. Moved, that since the Hangchow College has withdrawn its request for the use of the T’ah R Yang property (on the north side of the street) and has requested rather that the property be sold and the proceeds be made available for the erection of a Middle School plant on the college campus, we recommend that steps be taken to sell the property and that the request for the
proceeds be referred to the Board to whom the money naturally reverts.

Cent. 3128, 3157, 31147, C.C. 31167, 31452, Cent. 3235.

3331. Rev. and Mrs. Andrew McGaffin—Language Study Report Approved. Voted, to approve the report of the Ningpo Language Study Committee: The Ningpo Station Language Study Committee reports that Rev. and Mrs. Andrew McGaffin have completed the first year's work and have passed a creditable examination on the same.

We recommend that the examination be sustained and that they be given the right to vote on Station matters.

Signed: E. M. Gauss; Rev. J. E. Shoemaker.

3332. Mr. Stanley A. McGeary—Language Study. Voted, to approve a request from the Soochow Station for the sum of $96.00 from the Emergency Fund for the language study expenses of Mr. Stanley A. McGeary for one year beginning Oct. 1st, 1932.

3333. Mr. Willard A. Hanna—Language Study. Voted, to approve the request of the Shanghai Station for the sum of $96.00 from the Emergency Fund for the language study expenses of Mr. Willard A. Hanna for one year beginning with October 1, 1932.

3334. Hangchow — Request Funds for Project Plan. Voted, to request the China Council, through the Executive Committee, to approve making the Women's work in the Up River Field a special project for three years, and to make the project possible, to make a grant of $1,268.00 either from the Substitute Workers or the Evangelistic Fund.

The proposed budget follows:

Salaries for 6 Bible Women:

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Total: $1,620.00
Rent three places @ $40 per year ............................................... 120.00
Women's classes spring and fall ........................................................ 200.00
Literature ........................................................................................... 60.00
Itinerating ........................................................................................... 600.00

Total yearly budget .............................................$2,600.00
Less amount on Station budget ....................... 1,132.00

Amount asked from China Council ... ... $1,268.00

3335. **Shanghai—Land for Manse, etc.** Inasmuch that a longer
time than was first anticipated has been needed for the
removal of the graves from the land at the South Gate, and as the
plot designated for the manse should be registered in the name of
the church in the near future, Voted, to request the Board of
Foreign Missions, to transfer at any time the title of approximately
one mow of land to the South Gate Church, with the understanding
that the church will proceed as rapidly as possible with the removal
of all the graves with the hope that removal will be completed by
the autumn of 1933.

Cent. 3309. C.C. 31461. B.L. 168 No. 13

3336. **Mr. Herbert Fisher—Language Study.** Voted, to approve
the request of the Hangchow Station for a sum not to exceed $96.00 from the Emergency Fund for the language study
expenses of Mr. Herbert Fisher, a short term worker in Hangchow
College, for one year beginning with October 1, 1931.

3337. **Hangchow—Renting of T'ah R Yang Residence.** Voted,
to ask the Executive Committee for permission to rent one
of the T'ah R Yang houses to the Seven Day Adventist Mission at
$75.00 per month on condition that they are ready to vacate at one
month's notice.

3338. **Mid-China Mission Executive Committee—Joint Session
With.** The Executive Committee of the Mid-China Mission
of the Southern Presbyterian Church in the U.S., with which
our Mission cooperates in the work of the Soochow and Hangchow
Presbyteries, was invited to meet in Joint Session with the Executive
Committee of our Mission for the purpose of informal discussion of
the application of the “Project” principle (C.C. 32444, 5, 6, 7) to funds turned over to Presbyteries of the Chinese Church).

After discussion it was decided not to take any definite action at this time but to meet at some future time for the purpose of further joint discussion and action.

3339. Hangchow Christian College — Repairs on Residences.

C.C. 32405 expresses the hope that funds for repairs on five residences reserved for use of missionary staff members at Hangchow Christian College—$500.00 for fiscal year 1933-34—be secured from rents or funds on the field.

Voted. To request the China Council and Board to approve the use of $500.00 Mex. from the rent balances on residences No. 32 D. 11 (Fitch) and residence No. 32 F. 19 (Day) to cover repairs for the year 1933-34:

The Mission iterates its opinion that to charge the repair expenses on these residences against the college budget during the term of the Agreement with the College, is inadvisable and will undoubtedly constitute a source of misunderstanding. We therefore request the Board to make a permanent increase of $500.00 Mex. in Class V, Col. C.—Repairs for Hangchow Station, beginning April 1, 1934:

The Mission feels it highly preferable that this increase be made without disturbing the current annual grant of $5,000.00 gold which the Board undertook to make to the College under the Agreement—but if this is impossible, we then request that the Board decrease the above grant by an amount sufficient to cover the permanent annual appropriation of $500.00 Mex. for residence repairs—and to notify the College of its action.

3340. Short Term Furloughs—Reply to Board Letter No. 182.

In reply to Board Letter 182. No. 2. Voted: That we approve of the Board’s recommendations regarding short term furloughs with the hope that the Board would grant such furloughs “on grounds which affect family conditions, the efficiency of the missionary, as to meet exigencies of field service.”

of the General Workers' Group related to the Central China Mission, be appointed to represent the Mission at the 1933 meeting of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.

3343. **Hangchow Christian College—Report for Fall Term.**

Voted: That we receive the report of President Baen E. Lee of Hangchow Christian College for the fall term and to ask the Mission Secretary to send a copy of it to the Board of Foreign Missions in New York.

3343. **Ningpo—Grant Requested from Substitute Workers' Fund.**

Voted: That we approve the request of Ningpo Station requesting China Council to grant from the Substitute Workers Fund the sum of $250.00 per month for ten months beginning Sept. 1, 1933, to make possible inviting Mrs. A. B. Marshall to teach in the Riverside Academy during the furlough of Miss Esther Gauss.

3344. **Hangchow—Appointment of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Turner Requested.**

In reply to the request of Hangchow Station asking for the appointment of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Turner as regular missionaries of the Board. Voted: pending reply from Mr. and Mrs. Turner, to refer the matter back to the Station for fuller information regarding their work assignment, housing, and possible relation to the Substitute Workers' Fund.

3345. **Annual Mission Meeting—Time of.**

Voted: That May 28th, 29th and 30th, 1933, be set as the time for the Annual Meeting of the Mission.

3346. **Lautenschlager, Mr. and Mrs.—Advance Authorization for Medical Treatment for Children.**

Voted, to approve the action of Hangchow Station requesting advance authorization for necessary medical attention for the two children of Mr. and Mrs. Lautenschlager.

3347. **Ningpo—Sale of Ling-Saen Chapel Property.**

Voted, to ask China Council and the Board to approve the request of Ningpo Station to sell the Chapel property in Ling-Saen and allow the Station to use the money in providing a place in a more suitable locality within the limits of the parish for evangelistic purposes, it
being understood that the Board's equity in said property will not be affected by the transfer.

3348. Ningpo—Request Grant from the Evangelistic Fund. Voted, to approve the request of Ningshao Presbytery, as approved by the Ningpo Station, asking the China Council to continue the grant of $500.00 to the East Gate Evangelistic Center for the fiscal year beginning April 1st, 1933.

3349. Soochow—Request Religious Education Center's Equipment. Voted: To approve request of Soochow Station for a grant not to exceed $400.00 from the Evangelistic Fund to be used for providing equipment for the old Kindergarten building adjacent to the main church and now available for use as a religious education center and also for a room in the former Hayes residence, reserved by the Station for student religious activities.

The meeting adjourned after a season of prayer.

O. C. Crawford, Chairman.

I. M. Dungan, Minute Secretary.
CENTRAL CHINA MISSION

MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

April 25, 1933

The Committee met in Soochow, April 25, 1933 at 10.30 a.m. and continued in session for two days.

Present: Dr. O. C. Crawford, Chairman, Miss E. M. Gauss, Rev. E. M. Smith, Rev. Kepler Van Evera, Mrs. W. D. Boone, Mr. R. M. White, Rev. I. M. Dungan.

Minutes 3350 to 3359 inclusive were approved by circular letter.

3350. Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Luccock. Extension of Loan of Services to the Community Church. Upon the request of the Community Church, Shanghai, and with the concurrence of Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Luccock, it was voted to request the Board to approve an extension by one year of the loan of their services to the Community Church, Shanghai, upon the terms agreed upon in C.C. 28276, 29132 and Cent. 2855 and 3074.

3351. Hangchow. Up River Residences. Voted, to ask the China Council to note that we are on the Mission's Property List for $6,000.00 for Rest Houses in the Up River Field and that if and when the T'ah R Yang residences are sold we request the Board to grant this $6,000.00 from the proceeds.


3352. Station Reports. Printing of. The Mission Executive Committee having asked the Stations for an expression of opinion regarding the printing of separate Station reports as compared with the printing of the Annual Mission Report which is now sent to the Board, Voted, that the interests of the work in
each of the Stations will be better represented to the home churches by brief, interestingly written and attractively printed Station Reports.

3353. Church General Funds. Use of Annual Reduction 1932-1933. In view of the fact that three of the Stations (Ningpo, Shanghai and Soochow) have asked for permission to use the funds deducted from Class VII, Church General Funds, paid to the Presbyteries, and in view of the 10% cut imposed on all Station funds by the Board, Voted, to waive for the fiscal year 1932-1933 the minute (Cent. 3228) that "the amounts deducted annually from Class VII, Church General Funds, be paid over by the Station Treasurers to the Mission Secretary and be used to form an Evangelistic Fund, for reallocation by the Executive Committee" and permit all the Stations to use the money so deducted to help make up the deficit in the regular appropriations caused by the cut. 

Cent. 3238.

3354. Dr. R. F. Fitch. Salary of Literary Assistant Requested. Voted, to approve the request of the Union Hymnal Committee of the Church of Christ in China for an extension of the grant of $30.00 per month for one year from March 31, 1933, from the Substitute Workers Fund for the salary of Mr. Ernest Yang, Literary Assistant of Dr. R. F. Fitch, who is working on the Union Hymnal Committee. It is understood that this work will be carried on in cooperation with Miss Louise Hammond and Dr. A. J. Fisher of the Hymn Book Committee.

Cent. 3265. C.C. 32202.

3355. Rural and Literacy Institute. Appointment of Delegates. Voted, to approve of each Station appointing one delegate to the Rural and Literacy Institute to be held in Tinghsien, Hopei, and to request the China Council to provide funds for their expenses.

3356. Miss M. D. Morton. Residence in Shanghai after Retirement. Approved the action of Shanghai Station requesting permission for Miss Morton, upon retirement on September 5, 1933, to reside in Shanghai, in accordance with the Board's Manual.

3357. Miss Rosabel Stewart, Resignation. Voted, with regret, to request the Board to accept the resignation of Miss Rosabel
Stewart of Ningpo as a member of the Mission, to take effect six months after her arrival in the U.S.A., thus allowing her the benefit of a full six months home allowance, which in view of her service of nearly thirteen years would seem to be an equitable period of time as defined in Board Manual 29, paragraph 3.

3358. Annual Mission Meeting (1933). Place of. Voted, to accept the invitation of the members of the Kyu Kya Gyao Compound (Upper City), Hangchow, and hold the Annual Mission Meeting there at the time already agreed upon by the Executive Committee, Cent. 3345, namely, May 28-30 inclusive.

3359. Application of the Board Cut. Voted, that the Mission apply the 20% cut on the appropriations for the fiscal year of 1933-1934 as a straight cut on all classes of work, the basis of the cut, in all cases, being the appropriations for the fiscal year of 1931-1932, and that the Presbyteries and Boards of Directors which are affected be notified of this action immediately.

3360. Estimates 1934-1935. The Estimates for 1934-1935, both in the Gold and Mexican classes, were approved.

3361. Property List.

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*Fund from sale or rent of Hangchow, Dah Tah R Yang Property. Cent. 3168.
3362. **Force List.**

1. Soochow—Man educator to take Dr. Hayes' place.
2. Ningpo—Man educator.
3. Shanghai—Woman educator to take Miss Lowrie's place.
4. Shanghai—Man educator to take Dr. Silsby's place.
5. Shanghai—Woman evangelist for country field.
8. Shanghai—Woman educator—Mary Farnham School—Miss Morton's place.
10. Soochow—Man evangelist.

3363. **Furlough List.**

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*The Mission Secretary was asked to write a covering letter.

3364. **Ningpo—Proposed Union Christian Middle School Work.**

In answer to the action of Ningpo Station regarding the proposed union of all Christian middle school work for boys in Ningpo, Voted: that this matter be referred back to Ningpo Station for fuller and more definite information regarding the probable location and organization of the proposed union school.
3365. Ningpo—Conference Regarding Proposed Union of Middle School Work. Voted: that we approve the calling of a conference of representatives of the East China Synod of the Church of Christ in China, the Chekiang-Shanghai Baptist Convention, the East China Mission of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society, and the Central China Mission, for the purpose of discussing the proposed union of middle school work in Ningpo.

Dr. O. C. Crawford and Rev. E. M. Smith were elected as representatives to the suggested conference.

3366. Hangchow College Board of Directors—Request for Use of Bi Z Property and Da T’ah R Yang Residences. Voted: that we defer action on this request pending fuller information from Hangchow Station.

3367. China Council Regulations—Request for Printing. Voted: that the China Council be asked to print a pamphlet containing the general rules and regulations now obtaining in regard to property, medical care, language study, travel, vacations, Agreements, etc., pertinent to the China Missions for their information and guidance.

3368. Soochow—Request for Grant from Mission Religious Education Fund. Voted: that we approve the request of Soochow Station for a grant of $200.00 from the Mission General Religious Education Fund for special projects in Religious Education.

3369. Hangchow Christian College—Literary Department Scholarships—Request for Funds. Voted: that we approve of the action of Hangchow Christian College requesting the China Council to grant a scholarship fund of $2,000.00 per year for the training of Christian Literary Workers, but we suggest that the Mission Secretary take up with Synod’s Board of Education the question of their willingness to administer this fund, if such request is granted by the China Council.

3370. Audit of Mission Secretary's Account. The Committee on auditing the accounts of the Mission Secretary reported that the books were audited and found correct. K. Van Evera.

E. M. Smith.
3371. *The Project Plan and Presbyteries.* In view of actions of our General Assembly and the Board in America and of China Council, in regard to the use of funds on a Project basis, Voted: that we instruct the Mission Secretary to take up this matter with the Presbyteries concerned.

3372. *Mid-China Mission Executive Committee — Joint Session With.* Voted: that the Mission Secretary be authorized to arrange for a conference with the Executive Committee of the Mid-China Mission of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S. for the purpose of further discussion and joint action regarding the Project Plan.

Cent. 3338.

3373. *Monthly Statement of Personal Expenditures.* The monthly statement of expenditures of the members of the Mission requested by the Board of Foreign Missions for the year ending November, 1932, were sent to the Mission Secretary. A statement showing the monthly averages of expenditures and the total for the year was prepared and sent to the Board. The statements were from

1. Seven married families having 16 children,
2. Three married families without children,
3. Seven single ladies.

In the first group the report of a family which was only on the field for a part of the year was also included but the totals do not appear in the report of the seven missionaries. After the report had been mailed, two other summaries were received and forwarded to the Board.

Copies of the monthly averages and the totals for the year are on file with the Mission Secretary.

O. C. Crawford.

3374. *Property Committee-Report.* During the year the Property Committee passed upon the following questions submitted to it:

1. Mary Farnham School. Approved the plans and location for the Dining Hall with teachers' rooms and dormitory for the Mary Farnham School, Shanghai.

2. Approved plans for the Gate House and Bell Tower for the Vincent
3375. Newberry Bible School—Report. Despite the supposition that a school for women who had missed an education in childhood would only supply a temporary need, in view of the fact that so many private and government schools for children are being established in all parts of this land, yet the demand for such a school as our Bible school at South Gate seems to be growing as the attendance this year has been the largest in its history.

As the people learn to value an education they are less grudging about letting the daughters of the family leave home for school after they have reached the age when their help in the home may mean added income, although if they go the family exchequer is drawn upon for the fees in cold cash.

That our school is by no means a local institution may be seen from an analysis of the districts from which our students come to us, 14 from our Shanghai country field, 13 from the Ningpo field, 3 from Soochow and 3 from Hangchow, while of course the larger number are from widely scattered parts of the city of Shanghai.

One needs only to pass through the exceedingly small yard of the school to become aware of the happiness in the faces of the young women busily conning their lessons or laughing and chatting in groups.

A closer contact reveals a marvelous spirit of Christian living throughout the student body as well as the faculty. This is spontaneous for aside from the regularly established chapel services the students themselves voluntarily gather together for morning quiet before breakfast and prayer before supper. The three classes in Junior High are expected to engage in outside Christian activities, as Sunday schools and helping in evangelistic meetings in church and near by chapel, teaching enquirers in their homes and assisting in playground activities for the neighborhood children. Some
of the students who do not have appointments have taken it upon themselves to help new students in personal Bible study.

Altogether half the school are taking part in outside Christian services. The majority of those who enter the school are not Christians but the spirit in the school soon wins and at present of the 66 in attendance 49 are church members, 9 have applied for baptism, leaving 8 of the recently enrolled who are all interested and responsive.

This year 9 young women are to be graduated, some have had experience in church work before coming here, all are eager earnest young women.

More and more pressing grows the need for a building with adequate facilities. Our bathing arrangement consist of two cubicles with most primitive bath tubs. One wing of our building, half of our kitchen, our back yard, and almost the whole of our front yard is condemned to make way for the new boulevard, we sit in the street by sufferance.

We are not pleading for a building to accommodate a larger school although we are refusing applicants every term, but for one that will afford sanitary living conditions for a school under a hundred, and give to them the necessary ground for some outdoor life which they so much need and thoroughly enjoy.

The station have allotted the plot of ground known as "the old cemetery" for this purpose and the committee from the South Gate Church are removing the graves to a new site to clear the way for the erection of the building which they so earnestly desire and to obtain which they are most heartily cooperating. Even in such times as these God has his wonders to perform.

Emma Silver.

3376. Bible Teachers Training School, Nanking.—Report.

The Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers of the Bible Teachers Training School for Women was held at Nanking on April 19 and 20. A service of prayer and thanksgiving on the previous evening set the note of encouragement and enthusiasm which prevailed throughout the entire meeting.
Three years ago the school reopened after all the difficulties and changes brought about by the troubles after 1927.

We practically began at rock bottom, with no student body, an entire new faculty and our largest and best buildings occupied, by the offices of the Government Board of Health. But there still remained the nucleus of devoted women who had laid the early foundations and whose continuing interest through the years served at this time to rally the forces for a new start and today we see what God has wrought through such devotion and faith as Mrs. Price and Miss Shaw have given.

The first year the enrollment was with difficulty raised to 18, but the following year it rose to 41, and this, the third year it is 60. These students come from 19 churches and missions, the largest number from one church being 15 from the Methodist Episcopal, North. The Church of Christ in China comprising its various branches of the Presbyterian Church numbers most of any, 23.

The students come from the provinces as far north as Manchuria, to Kwangtung in the south, from Chekiang to Szechuen, the largest from any one province being 3 from Kwangtung.

The course consists of two departments with two years each required for diploma, but a third year post graduate work is also offered.

An encouraging thing to note is that of the 60 students 26 are in the higher course. There are seventeen students in the graduating class this year, and that from this school during its twenty years of existence 255 young women have been graduated and sent out into the work for Christ in this land of China.

Another interesting feature to note is that the young women at present in the school have already given 316 years of service to the church. Of these 31 are being assisted to further study, while 29 are paying their own way.

Two days each week the students engage in a varied line of activities in the different churches in Nanking, from whom we hear most appreciative commendation for this assistance.
Of last year’s graduating class 4 are teaching Bible in Christian Schools, 7 are in direct evangelistic work, while two are taking further training in Theological Seminaries.

During these years of laying again the foundations of Faculty and student bodies, we have been greatly assisted in a financial way by the rent money which the Board of Health paid for the use of our main buildings, but as their new building is nearing completion they will release our buildings this summer and thus this source of revenue will cease.

**EMMA SILVER.**

3377. *Ningpo—Interchange of Property—Song-O and Mo Cu Chapels.* Voted: that we approve, subject to Board approval, of the interchange of property deeds as between the chapels at Song-O and Mo Cu in Ningshao Presbytery, at present held by our Mission and the English Methodist respectively. The Mission Secretary is asked to write a covering letter.

Voted: to recommend to the Board that this transfer, as it relates to our Mission be made in favor of the proper holding body in the Church of Christ in China.

3378. *Robert F. Fitch—Budget for Literary Work.* Voted to approve the budget for literary work of Rev. Robert F. Fitch for the eight months August 1, 1933 to March 31, 1934, and to ask China Council to make a special grant for this amount:

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3379. *Miss Mary Frances Espey—Salary Requested.* Voted: to renew the request to China Council to grant a single worker’s salary of $250.00 per month from the Substitute Workers Fund for one year, beginning September 1933, toward the salary of Miss Mary Frances Espey as a teacher in the Mary Farnham School, Shanghai.

Cent. 3256.

C. C. 32198.
3380. Language Study—Mrs. W. D. Boone. Voted: to ask the Board to approve the use of $96.00 Mex. for language study during the year 1933-1934 from probable balances in the hands of the General Treasurer for Mrs. W. D. Boone.

Cent. 3254.

C. C. 32153.


Cent. 3297.

3382. Nantao Institute—Request Salary from Substitute Workers Fund. Voted: to approve the request of Shanghai Station for the renewal of the grant of $2,000.00 from the Substitute Workers Fund for the year beginning April 1, 1933 and ending March 31, 1934 for the salary of Rev. Woodrow Ging, Executive Secretary of Nantao Christian Institute, Shanghai.

Cent. 3281.

C. C. 32246.

3383. Requisition of Station Funds by Station Treasurers. Voted: that we approve of all Station funds passing through the hands of the Station Treasurers rather than being drawn by individual members of the Stations as at present.

3384. Meeting of Executive Committee. Voted: that the Executive Committee next meet in Hangchow at four o'clock, Thursday afternoon, May 25, 1933.

O. C. Crawford, Chairman.

I. M. Dungan, Minute Secretary.
MINUTES
OF THE
SIXTY-FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING
OF
THE CENTRAL CHINA MISSION

The sixty-fourth annual meeting of the Central China Mission opened with a service held in the Ku Le Church, Hangchow, Sunday, May 28, 1933, at 4 p.m. Miss Bessie Hille, Retiring Chairman, presided and made the opening address. Dr. E. L. Mattox administered the communion.

Sunday evening, a song and prayer service led by Rev. Paul R. Lindholm was held in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Arthur.

Monday, May 29, 9 a.m.


Roll call showed forty-one present.

Except as excused below the following members of the Mission were present at all or part of the sessions of the meeting:


Shanghai: Miss Emma Silver, Miss M. D. Morton, Rev. J. M. Espey, Mrs. J. M. Espey, Rev. George E. Partch, Mrs. George E. Partch, M.D., Rev. W. D. Boone, Mrs. W. D. Boone, Miss Bessie M. Hille, Miss Grace Darling, Rev. Paul Lindholm.

Soochow: Rev. O. C. Crawford, Mrs. O. C. Crawford, Mr. R. M. White, Mrs. R. M. White, Rev. I. M. Dungan, Mrs. I. M. Dungan, Miss Muriel Ramsay.

Excuses: The following persons were excused from part or all of the sessions of the meetings: Dr. C. B. Day, Mrs. C. B. Day, Mrs. Paul Lindholm, Mrs. R. S. Lautenschlager, and Mrs. E. M. Smith.

Corresponding members. Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Wells of the China Council, and Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Droz, parents of Mrs. J. H. Arthur, were present at different sessions and on motion were invited to sit as corresponding members and given the privileges of the floor.

Dr. Wells gave two of the principal addresses connected with the discussion of Rethinking Missions and made helpful and interesting remarks when other subjects were being discussed.

Election of Officers. Officers were elected:

Chairman Rev. J. E. Shoemaker, D.D.
Vice Chairman Miss Grace Darling.
Rev. Andrew McGaffin.

Revision of Mission Rules—Report. Rev. E. M. Smith reported for the committee on the Revision of the Mission Rules. Section XI, Standing Committee, 1. Executive Committee, (a) to (g) was read and explained.

Project Method—Meaning and Application—an Address. Dr. R. C. Wells, Chairman of the China Council, spoke on the Project Method, Meaning and Application. His address was followed by a discussion.

Monday, May 29, 2 p.m.

Christianity and its Message for the East, a paper growing out of the chapter on the same subject in Rethinking Missions, was read by Mr. A. W. March. The paper was followed by discussion.
3388. Mr. R. S. Lautenschlager—Completion of second years' language work. The following report of the Hangchow Language Study Committee was approved:

Mr. R. S. Lautenschlager having satisfactorily completed the second years' language work as outlined by the Language School we recommend that he be given a regular vote in the Mission.

Juniata Ricketts.
J. H. Arthur.

3389. Revision of Mission Rules—Executive Committee. That part of the report of the Committee on Revision of the Mission Rules Section XI, Standing Committees, 1. Executive Committee, (a) to (g) having been read at a previous session (3385) was taken as read.

Section V. of the General Rules was presented by the committee of revision of the rules and was approved.

3390. Election of the Executive Committee. In view of the rule (See 33104) with regard to the term of office of the members of the Executive Committee, Section XI, (a), it was voted that three members of the Committee be elected to serve for one year and three to serve for two years and two alternates to serve for one year. The following persons were elected:

Miss E. M. Gauss .................................One year
Mrs. W. D. Boone .................................One year
Rev. Kepler Van Evera ........................One year
Rev. E. M. Smith .................................Two years
Mr. R. M. White .................................Two years
Mr. R. S. Lautenschlager ........................Two years

Alternates:
Miss Bessie Hille .................................One year
Rev. J. M. Espey .................................One year

3391. Revision of Mission Rules, Committee Continued. It was voted to continue the Committee on the Revision of the Mission Rules. Committee:

Rev. E. M. Smith, Mrs. W. D. Boone, Mr. R. M. White.
3392. **Reorganization at the Home Base**, an address, growing out of the chapter in Rethinking Missions, was given by Mr. R. C. Wells, Chairman of the China Council. Discussion followed.

**Monday, 29, 8 p.m.**

*A Musical Program* was presented by the members of the Mission. Rev. E. M. Smith presided.

The program of the evening was closed with a prayer service led by Miss Grace Darling.

**Tuesday, 30, 9 a.m.**


3394. **Education.** Mr. R. M. White presented the topic *Education* growing out of Rethinking Missions and led the discussion which followed.

3395. **The Mission and the Church.** A paper dealing with the Mission and the Church as set forth in Rethinking Missions was read by Rev. O. C. Crawford. It was followed by a discussion.

**Tuesday, 30, 2 p.m.**

*A Memorial Day* address was given by Rev. A. C. Droz.

3396. **Lay Leadership.** In the absence of Rev. J. C. Hawk, who was to have given an address on Lay Leadership, Rev. O. C. Crawford read some notes on the subject sent by Dr. Hawk. General discussion followed.

3397. **Revision of Mission Rules.** Sections I, II and III, A, 1-5 of the General Rules were reported by the Committee on Revision of the Rules and approved.

3398. **Executive Committee — Report.** Sections 3399 to 33126 of the Executive Committee, having been mimeographed and in the hands of the members of the Mission for twenty-four hours, no protest having been received, in accordance with the Mission rule, were taken as read.
3399. *Miss Lois Lyon—Appointment Requested.* Voted, to approve the request of Hangchow Station that Miss Lois Lyon be re-appointed a regular member of the Mission on condition of presentation of regular application papers and a satisfactory medical certificate; and that we request the Board to make proper adjustments for retirement and pension allowance.

33100. *Summer Vacations — Mission Actions 3283, 3284 Rescinded.* Voted to reconsider and rescind Mission actions 3283, 3284 and request that the Mission Secretary call to the attention of the Mission members through an annual form letter, China Council action 31637, Rules 1, 3, regarding the length of summer vacations and absences from the Station.

33101. *Miss Muriel Ramsay—Mandarin Study.* Voted to request the China Council to approve and provide tuition expenses for Miss Muriel Ramsay to study Mandarin in the North China Union Language School for the summer term of 1933, in accordance with the policy stated in C.C. 31640 and C.C. 3220.

33102. *Hangchow Union Girls' School—Request from Substitute Workers' Fund.* Voted to approve the request from the Hangchow Union Girls' School for the salary of a Kindergarten-Normal Teacher at $50.00 per month, or $600.00 for the year, beginning September 1, 1933, on the basis of the regular application blanks to be submitted to the China Council. Cent. 3289.

C.C. 32305.

33103. *Hangchow Christian College—Sunday Athletics.* Voted that the Mission ask the Board of Directors of Hangchow Christian College to make a ruling against the participation of students, officially or otherwise, in athletics on Sunday.

33104. *Mission Rules, Revision of — Pertaining to the Executive Committee.* Voted to present to the Mission meeting that portion of the report of the Committee on Revision of Mission Rules which has to do with the Executive Committee, and if approved in principle, that this Committee to be elected this year according to the method specified in the revised rules for the purpose of giving the plan a year's trial before final adoption and printing.
Hangchow Union Girls' School Reports. During the past year The Hangchow Union Girls' School has followed the general organization and committee system already in use. The three departments under the Dean of Studies, Dean of Students and Business Manager have all carried on their regular work in an acceptable manner and made and carried out new plans for the improvement of the school. Special preparation has been given the Junior and Senior Middle School graduates who are required to take government examinations this year, covering three years' work. Various improvements have also been made in the Primary School where both teachers and students, in addition to their daily schedule, have also taken part in various inter-school and community affairs. For the fall term 134 were enrolled in Bible classes and this spring 119. The students of these classes have made picture books, Chinese paper dolls etc. descriptive of Chinese life and sent them to America in answer to the Friendship Project received from some American school children. The work of the Kindergarten Department has gone along well. Special emphasis has been put upon visiting in the homes of the children and securing closer connection with the parents. Interest in the School on the part of our 300 alumnae is increasing. Many of them attended the 20th. Anniversary Celebration of the Union of the School last May and the group as a whole presented the School with a nice radio at that time.

Because of necessary reductions in the appropriations from the Original Founders, the Northern and Southern Presbyterian and Northern Baptist Missions, our work has been somewhat handicapped this year, but under the present unavoidable circumstances our attitude is one of sympathy and cooperation and of appreciation of the support, both in finance and in missionary personnel, which the Original Founders have always given us. We are following a strictly economical program in the school but trust that in addition to this, the Original Founders and the Board, with the assistance of the School, will soon be able to raise an endowment fund ($1,100. Mex now on hand) and that until this is done they will continue their support, not reducing appropriations if possible.
The statistics for the year are as follows:

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The growth of the religious work in any school really depends on the Christian teachers. We have 27 on our faculty, both missionaries and a number of earnest Chinese Christian teachers taking part in various religious meetings and activities and doing personal work. In this some of the Christian students are also sharing and are themselves being helped thereby. Both Pastor Tang and Miss Carolyn Ho have led evangelistic meetings in the school this year. After the meetings led by Miss Ho, 24 students and one teacher made decisions for Christ and now they, and a number of other students are having voluntary weekly group meetings for Bible study and several are ready to join the church. Very soon an evangelist, Miss C. W. Yang, is coming to be with us for several weeks of personal work among the students.

All the Christian teachers in the school are members of the religious committee and problems and plans for this work are discussed in the weekly faculty prayer meetings. In the Middle School 4/5 of the students are taking religious courses, 1/4 attend chapel, 2/3 of the boarders attend Sunday church services, and 1/2 of the boarders are present at the students’ daily prayer-meetings. We try to cooperate in various ways with the churches and Christian organizations of the city and encourage teachers and students to take part in church activities and many are doing so in the church work, Y.W.C.A., etc. The school Y.W.C.A. has had a very good year. Several teachers have worked with the different committee members and the results have been very gratifying. Just before Christmas the Y.W.C.A. with the cooperation of the School, raised funds and provided two entertainments for our poor neighbors and for the children of the Blind School across the city. At both meetings simple gifts and refreshments followed the explanation of the real meaning of Christmas and both at
Christmas and at Easter appropriate services were held in the school.

Whatever may have been done this year has been accomplished with the blessing of God, the help of the Founders and the Board, and the energetic work and cooperation of the faculty and students and the solution of future problems must depend upon these same conditions. My hope for the School is that this splendid support and cooperation may continue and that this institution may soon become an even better school than it has yet been, spreading the light of Jesus Christ for the good of humanity in general and women in particular.

SARAH CHOW, Principal.

33106. Mr. W. A. Hanna — Language Study Grant Renewal.
Voted: To request a renewal for one year of the language study grant of $96.00 for Mr. W. A. Hanna of Shanghai, beginning October 1, 1933.

33107. Miss Emma Silver — Summer Vacation Extended. Voted:
To approve the absence of Miss Emma Silver from the Station for the hot summer months July and August, in accordance with a health certificate signed by two physicians.

33108. Rev. J. M. Espey — Mandarin Study. Voted to request the China Council to approve and provide tuition expenses for Rev. J. M. Espey to study Mandarin in the North China Union Language School for the summer term of 1933, in accordance with the policy stated in C.C. 31640 and C.C. 3220.

33109. Shanghai — Transfer of Land in Country Field, Tsheu So. Voted to approve the request of Shanghai Station asking the China Council to reaffirm its action C.C. 33101, transferring both land and building at Tsheu So, of the Shanghai Station, to the Soochow Presbytery of the Church of Christ in China, amended to read as follows:—

This involves:

(a) The transfer to the Presbytery of the deed to the land at Tsheu So, now held by the Fitch Memorial Church in the name of the “Kyi Tok Kyau Tsang Lau We” (Church of Christ Presbyterian) covering .955 mow valued at approximately $1,000.00 Mex.
(b) The transfer by the Board of Foreign Missions of the buildings and equipment worth $1,025.00 Gold.

It is proposed to erect a building for religious work known as the "Cornelia Drake Stowell Memorial".

33110. Shanghai — Request Grant from Mission Religious Education Fund. Voted to approve the request of Shanghai Station for a grant of $50.00 from the Mission Religious Education Fund for literature of the Popular Education Movement and $100.00 for the Religious Education Department of Lowrie Institute.

33111. Shanghai — Request Grant from the China Council Evangelistic Fund. Voted to approve the request of Shanghai Station asking the China Council to grant $200.00 from the Evangelistic Fund, to be used in the purchase of a stereoptican and slides for use in the Phootong field.

33112. Shanghai — Lowrie Institute, Request for Increased Appropriation. In reply to the request of the Board of Directors of Lowrie Institute for an increase of $4,000.00 in the annual appropriation from the Mission, Voted: That, without making a detailed study of the merits of the case at this time, we feel it inadvisable in view of the present financial stringency to request the Board of Foreign Missions to grant such an increase.

33113. Ningpo — North Bank Kindergarten, Renewal of Rental Agreement. Voted: To approve the renewal, on the same terms as before, of the Rental Agreement with the Board of Directors of North Bank Kindergarten, Ningpo, which expires July 31, 1933. (Cent. 30126.)

33114. Mission Agreements. Voted: That the Mission Secretary be asked to have placed at the beginning of the printed Annual Minutes, a list of all Agreements between the Missions and other organizations and institutions, giving their dates of inception and expiration.

33115. Hangchow Union Girls' School — Renewal of Agreement. Voted that in view of the objection of governmental authorities to reopening the Primary Normal Department in Hangchow Union Girls' School, we agree to the renewal of the agreement
as from August 1, 1932 without the Primary Normal Department being in operation, it being understood that the Kindergarten Normal will continue to operate, and it also being understood that the School will bend its efforts to the opening of the Primary Normal Department if and when the present objections from governmental sources be removed.  
Cent. 3287  
C.C. 32303

Hangchow Station Evangelistic Committee, Consultation of Executive Committee with — Friday evening, May 26, 1933, the Executive Committee met in informal conference with the Evangelistic Committee of Hangchow Station for the purpose of discussion of work in the Ku-le Center.

33116. Hangchow Christian College — Request for Use of Bi-Z Property and Da T'ah R Yang Residences. In answer to the request of the Board of Directors of Hangchow Christian College, as of March 24, 1933, for the use of the Bi-Z property and the Da T'ah R Yang residences, Voted: that since the residences are to be sold and in view of the fact that other obligations have been undertaken concerning the use of the Bi-Z property, the Mission is not able to reply favorably to the request.

33117. Hangchow — Use of the Bi-Z Property by the Tsang Memorial Church. In response to the action of Hangchow Station in this matter, Voted: that the Mission is not unfavorable to the use of the old Bi-Z church buildings by the Tsang Memorial Church, but that we do not see our way clear to agree to such use of the property until we have further details in regard to its use and some definite form of agreement on a project basis; that we ask the Station to prepare such an agreement form and present it with further details to the Mission for approval.

33118. Lowrie Institute Report.

I. Enrollment—There were only a little over 400 students during the spring term of 1932. Since then the number of students has gradually increased and now we have about 600. Of this number over four hundred are in Junior and Senior and nearly two hundred are in the Higher Primary Schools. During the second term two hundred and ninety-seven were boarders and two hundred and ninety-one were day students.
II. Teaching Staff—There are 47 teachers in the school, of which, 33 are full time teachers and 14 part time teachers. There are five women teachers and three missionary teachers. There are two returned students, 14 who received college degrees from colleges in China and 5 who received certificates from special or vocational schools in China.

III. Discipline—
   1. The whole school is under strict discipline. There is a Committee on Discipline, with the principal as the chairman of the Committee.
   2. Everybody wears uniform—teachers and servants included.
   3. Obedience, promptness and orderliness are emphasized.
   4. Practices in fire drill, emergency assembly, first aid, camping, etc.

IV. Religious Work—
   1. Sunday School Classes—Senior Middle School 2 classes 31 Students. Junior Middle School 5 classes 153 students. Two or three excursions and socials during each term.
   2. Bible Classes and Discussion Groups.
      3 Bible classes and 2 discussion groups.
      Average attendance 180 students.
      a. Church Service. Average attendance 100 students.
      b. Children's Service. The whole primary school, about 120 students.
      Every morning except Monday. Time 8.25 a.m.
      Led by teachers and Christian leaders. Average attendance 30 students.
   5. Pleasant Sunday Evening.
      Religious talks, music, cinema, singing, etc.
      Average attendance 70 students.
      a. Sunday School for neighboring children.
      b. Glee Club.
      c. Night School—about 200 pupils.
      d. Special group meetings.
   7. Christian Teachers' Activities.
      a. Prayer meeting once a week, every Sunday morning.
      b. Socials.
   8. Religious Background.
      a. Number of Christian students in the School 62
      b. Number of students coming from Christian families 65
      c. Number of inquirers 36
      d. Number of students showing interest in Christianity 150

V. New Curriculum—New curriculum was adopted for this term. These are some of the important changes:
1. No electives.
2. Civics, hygiene, added in the curriculum for the middle school.
3. Drawing, singing, world geography and history in Chinese, added in the curriculum for the Senior Middle School.
4. Less number of periods per week in Chinese and in English.
5. More number of periods per week in Science and physical training.
6. Maximum number of teaching periods per week increased from 20 to 24.
7. Recitation periods increased from 7 to 8 every day.
8. All study periods are supervised.

VI. School Hygiene—
1. School clinic.
2. Medical examination.
3. Health education:—
   a. Talks on personal hygiene.
   b. Health exhibit.
   c. Moving pictures on health and hygiene.
   d. Oratorical contest on the subject of health.
   e. Daily and weekly inspection of class rooms and dormitory by the Committee on Health Education.
   f. Sanitary equipment and supplies.

VII. Physical Education or Training—
1. Morning drill. 15 minutes of exercise every day.
   All boarding students required to be present.
2. Two periods a week for each class in physical training—arranged in the schedule. Students learn.
   a. Ball games.
   b. Field and track events. Minimum standard set for each event.
   c. Gymnastic exercises.
3. Interclass competition in
   a. Basket ball and volley ball for the fall term.
   b. Track and field meet for the spring term.
4. Individual competition in tennis, swimming, 10,000 meter race, for the spring term.
5. Joint meet with other schools.

VIII. Students' Deportment—
1. Aims of discipline.
   a. First term—Service and cleanliness.
   b. Second term—Obedience, promptness and orderliness.
2. Regulations regarding merits and demerits printed and distributed among the students.
3. Teachers to supervise and help to develop student activities after recitation periods.
4. Statistics on department:
a. H.P. II and J.M. I students are highest in percentage in violating school rules.

b. Among many kinds of misconduct, cases of violating classroom regulations and those of tardiness and negligence in studies have the highest percentage.

IX. Repairs and Equipment—
1. Equipment:
   a. About 800 iron stools bought for the dining hall and the dormitory.
   b. 8 sets of desks and chairs for the new teachers' room.
   c. About $200 worth of rifles for military training.
   d. About $150 worth of supplies for boys scouts.

2. Repairs:
   a. Dining room repaired after a fire on Nov. 1st, 1932. Such repairs cost about $1,200, $700 of which were paid by the insurance company.
   b. The Bau Memorial Hall repaired, painted and white-washed. All old electric wires changed and additional electric lamps installed.

X. Student Activities—
1. The school engages one full time teacher whose duty is to supervise and help to develop student activities.
2. Many groups or clubs are organized, such as, Chinese music club, club for Chinese plays, oratorical society, classes in Chinese poetry, drawing and penmanship, etc.
3. Excursions and visits to factories, etc.
4. The Students' Self Government Association. All middle school students are members. Its officers cooperate with school authorities in maintaining order and discipline, and in many other ways.

Z. L. Chang, Principal.

33119. Report of Mary Farnham School.

Crowded with usual and unusual activities, the School Year-1932-1933—has slipped by too quickly for us at the Mary Farnham School. It has been a busy and happy year with no incidents, local or otherwise, to mar the smooth running of the School.

At the end of October last, we were happy when we found that we were able to start erecting the much needed Dining Hall. This Hall was completed in time for use for the second semester. Most of this building fund came out of the school budget though the Class of 1933 put up an entertainment which netted $3,100.00 toward the Building Fund. The Annual Field Day held on May 6, attracting a crowd of some three thousand people, was great success and now we are looking forward to June 3 when we shall have an Exhibition of our works and inspection of our School Buildings and Grounds.
The usual activities that run the whole year round are Speech Contests and Debates in Chinese and English, Music Recitals and special programs for special occasions.

During recent years it has been difficult on the part of the school to refuse so many girls who wish to be admitted. With the present class room and dormitory accommodations, the school is not willing to increase its enrollment more than it has at present, though as it is, we seem to lack open space for children to play on. In other words, we shall have no play ground for the Primary Children in the near future if the present plan to cut a road across our school grounds back of the Gymnasium materializes.

The teachers are all cooperative and hard-working and shoulder their full share in promoting the welfare of the school. The eleven Committees—Religious, Scholarship, Social, Music, Athletics, Entrance, Library, Health, Uniform, Curriculum and Extra-Curriculum—function efficiently and prove a great help.

With the new Curriculum and its requirements, the pupils find themselves loaded with work and yet aside from their regular studies, they find time to engage in outside activities. The school requires each Middle School pupil to earn six Extra-Curriculum points each semester. The two chief Student Organizations are the Y.W.C.A. and the Student Self-Government Association and each has its own program of Service and Fellowship.

One of the hardest problems facing the School is in the securing of a Religious Director—one who is a College graduate and who has really an earnest and sincere desire to do personal work among the girls and lead them to Christ. However, as it is, it is encouraging to see all the girls form the habit of coming to Chapel every day for six days a week, though Chapel is not compulsory. Once a week, the Students lead Chapel themselves. Other Religious Activities are Sunday School for all, Church or Ethical Lecture on Sunday. The children in the Lower Primary have their own Sunday Service.

The immediate needs of the School seem to be more books for the Library and more apparatus for the Biology, Physics and Chemistry Laboratories.

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BEULAH CHANG, Principal.
Nanking Theological Seminary — Report. Report was real and its recommendations (1) and (2) were approved.

The enrollment, for the year, of fifty-four for the first semester and fifty-nine for the second, is slightly larger than of the previous years. The faculty report "a year of peace in the midst of distracting circumstances and of prevaingly good health and hard work". The union character of the school is shown by the fact that the student body represents eleven church denominations. The students came from twelve provinces, the largest number, eighteen, coming from Kiangsu. Eight students will be graduated from the regular courses in June. Eight pastors have taken one year's work and will return to their charges when they leave the Seminary.

It is gratifying to note the changes which are being made in the matter of more practical training for the students. They have been organized into field work groups, each group under an adviser, engaging for one term in certain forms of Christian services. Work was done in the Union Tabernacle, in the prisons, in the homes near the Seminary, in hospitals, in Min Deh Neighborhood Sunday School and Experiments in the organization of boys clubs and in the cultivation of friendship with the government schools. On Sunday the students help in Sunday Schools or other activities of the city churches.

The Seminary is trying to meet the problem of special training for rural workers in its own rural training center at Shen Hwa Chen. The students are taken to this center for several days of intensive study. Enlargements of the center have been made both in land and buildings. A graduate of the University of Nanking Short Course for Rural Leaders has been engaged as the Farm manager at the country center. Beginning with the fall term the Seminary wishes to experiment in a major course for rural ministers. Two years of basic theological work will be taken at the Seminary, the third year at the University of Nanking Short Course with courses on agriculture and rural life, the fourth year again at the Seminary with courses on the rural church, rural religious education, and other theological course—all counting toward the degree.

A city laboratory where the problems of the city churches may be intensively studied and where students may receive carefully supervised training is also being discussed by the faculty. While nothing definite on this proposal can be reported now, the Board of Managers has approved of the faculty proceeding with proposal of setting up such a department in one of the buildings belonging to the Methodist Church.

Eight-four students were enrolled in the correspondence course during the year. The carrying of this department during the year and the issuing of a new edition of the annotated New Testament, which includes a special translation by the former head of this department, Dr. Sydenstricker, was made possible through the generosity of his daughter, Mrs. Pearl S. Buck. It is hoped to issue the new edition very soon.
The Religious Education Department has continued its work on new religious teaching materials especially for the rural church. Dr. Sailer made a special contribution for this purpose. The new materials are being tested out at the rural center at Shen Hwa Chen and are being circulated for experimental use among co-workers in various parts of China.

Owing to cuts from the various Boards cooperating in the Seminary it has had a difficult task in making ends meet during the last year. Had it not been that the Seminary had recourse to rents from some of its buildings and interest on indemnity money paid by the government, it would have been well nigh impossible for it to have carried on during the year. In order to carry on next year it will have to take advantage of the same sources of income. It is now more than probable that the Seminary will soon have some profit from the large estate which was left it a few years ago. The courts have allowed the Seminary a part of the estate which has been the subject of litigation. So far the interest accruing from it has only been sufficient to pay for the cost of the settlement of the estate but the Seminary will profit from it before long.

Growing out of the Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors only two recommendations seem to call for consideration by the Mission. I recommend their approval:

(1) To request the China Council to renew its grant of $1,560.00 from the Substitute Workers Fund toward the salary of a Chinese teacher, with the understanding that should funds from the Wendel Estate become available in sufficient amounts, the grant will be refunded.

(2) If Rev. Djang Fang resigns from the principalship of the University of Nanking Middle School, we approve of inviting him to return to his position as a full time professor in the Seminary and to ask the Northern Presbyterian Board to provide his salary for the present as its second representative on the Faculty.

O. C. Crawford.

33121. Church Work—Assignments.

Ningpo:

Mrs. H. K. Wright, Evangelistic Work, Woman’s Bible School, Oversight of Bible Women in Ningpo.

Rev. J. E. Shoemaker, (residence Yu Yao) Evangelistic Work in the Yu Yao Field, Men’s Bible Study Class, Station Chairman.


Miss M. B. Duncan, (residence Yu Yao) Evangelistic Work in Country, Women’s Bible Study Classes, Short Term School for Girls.

Rev. E. M. Smith, Evangelistic Work in City and Ningpo field, East Gate Center, Station Treasurer and Secretary.
Mrs. E. M. Smith, Evangelistic Work in City and Country, Kindergarten, Adviser and Teacher in Dzong Teh Girls’ Primary School.
Miss Rosabel Stewart, (residence Yu Yao) Evangelistic Work in City, Woman’s Center.
Mrs. Andrew McGaffin, Jr., Language Study, Women’s Work.

Shanghai:
Miss Emma Silver, Evangelistic Work.
Miss M. D. Morton, Home Visitation.
Mrs. G. E. Partch, M. D., Country Evangelism, Medical Work.
Rev. W. D. Boone, Nantao Christian Institute, Station Chairman.
Mrs. W. D. Boone, Nantao Christian Institute.
Miss B. M. Hille, Nantao Christian Institute.
Rev. & Mrs. E. W. Luccock, Nantao Christian Institute (Temporarily loaned to the Community Church, Shanghai).
Rev. P. R. Lindholm, Country Evangelism, Language Study, Station Treasurer.
Mrs. R. R. Lindholm, Country Evangelism, Language Study.

Hangchow:
Rev. & Mrs. R. F. Fitch, Literary Work and Evangelism.
Up River Field.
Miss Juniata Ricketts, City Evangelism, Ku Le Center, Station Secretary.
Rev. Kepler Van Evera, Evangelism, City and Up River Field, Alternate Member of China Council and Mission Secretary, Station Treasurer.
Mrs. Kepler Van Evera, City Evangelism, Teaching in Hangchow American School.
Rev. J. H. Arthur, Evangelism, City and Lower Road Field.
Mrs. J. H. Arthur, Evangelism, City and Lover Road Field.
Miss Ada C. Russell, Evangelism, City and Up River Field.

Soochow:
Rev. O. C. Crawford, City and Country Evangelism, Institutional Center, Member of the China Council, Mission Secretary.
Miss Loretta Crawford, City Evangelism.
Rev. I. M. Dungan, City Evangelism, Station Treasurer.
Mrs. I. M. Dungan, City Evangelism, Language Study.
Miss M. Muriel Ramsay, Country Evangelism, Station Secretary.

33122. School Work—Assignments.

Ningpo:
Miss E. M. Gauss, Adviser and Teacher in Riverside Girls’ Academy.
Mr. I. B. Cody, Teacher in Ningpo Middle School for Boys (Short Term).
Shanghai:

Rev. J. M. Espey, Lowrie Institute for Religious Education Work, Station Secretary.
Mrs. J. M. Espey, Lowrie Institute.
Miss Grace Darling, Mary Farnham School.
Mr. W. A. Hanna, Lowrie Institute (Short Term).

Hangchow:

Rev. & Mrs. E. L. Mattox, Hangchow Christian College.
Mr. & Mrs. A. W. March, Hangchow Christian College.
Rev. & Mrs. C. B. Day, Kuling.
Mr. R. S. Lautenschlager, Hangchow Christian College, Station Chairman.
Mrs. R. S. Lautenschlager, Hangchow Christian College.
Miss Lois Lyon, Hangchow Union Girls' School (Short Term).
Mr. H. M. Fisher, Hangchow Christian College (Short Term).

Soochow:

Mrs. O. C. Crawford, Supervisor of Girls' Primary School and Kindergarten.
Mr. R. M. White, Vincent Miller Memorial Academy, Station Chairman.
Mrs. R. M. White, Vincent Miller Memorial Academy, Supervisor of Tooker Memorial Hospital.
Mr. S. A. McGeary, Vincent Miller Memorial Academy (Short Term).


In the Fall Term we had the highest registration in the history of the school—175. As is always the case the spring enrollment is somewhat smaller, but still large as compared with previous spring terms.

The spirit of the students is good. Those in the two graduating classes are under somewhat of a strain due to the government examinations, which are for the first time being required.

An average of 60% of the students are in regular Bible classes, these being elective but within the regular curriculum hours for the Senior Middle School, and outside the regular curriculum hours for the Junior Middle School. During the Fall Term we rejoiced in the return of Miss Grace Chiang to her old post of Bible Teacher, but the Spring Term had hardly opened when a death in her family made it necessary for her to leave us in order to be with a large family of small children suddenly bereft of their mother. There was no hope of securing a religious director on such short notice, so Miss Sing (The Principal), Miss Zimmerman, and Miss Gauss each took a class in Bible in addition to other work previously planned. We are very grateful to Bishop Sing (retired Bishop in the Sing Kong We) for several hours of Bible teaching each week.

During the year Riverside participated in two series of evangelistic meetings. In all 36 students signed cards indicating their decision to follow Christ. On Easter Sunday two students were baptized.
The regular Sunday Church Services are attended by at least 40% of the students.

The Students conduct each Sabbath 5 Sunday Schools for children off the streets; a meeting for school servants and neighbors; and two meetings, one for children and one for women, at Chiang Kai-shek's native village, to which there is bus connection. The latter work has been very much bettered by securing, through the kindness of Madame Chiang, the use of a new building in a very desirable location. The great need for that village is now an earnest consecrated evangelistic worker to give full time to the village folk and the teachers in the large model school that General Chiang has built up there. Among these teachers there is a fair uncle of Christians, who come with some degree of regularity to the meeting conducted by our students. Pray with us that the Lord of the harvest will send forth his chosen laborer to this ripe harvest.

We wish to thank the Presbyterian Sunday Schools in the U.S.A. for our share of their generous Christmas offering. The dormitory on the second floor of the gymnasium building has already been divided into separate rooms, thus using a part of the gift. Work is about to begin on the chairs for the gymnasium—auditorium. We are very grateful for both of these additions to our equipment.

Roused by the bravery of soldiers fighting in the North, our students gave an entertainment shortly after the present term opened and raised about $400.00 Mex. While we were hesitating as to the best way to use the money, the National Y. M. C. A. made a plea for undergarments for soldiers in the North, and the money is being used to buy material for that purpose. Every student is responsible for the making of at least one suit, and many are being made by the students themselves.

The appropriation cuts from the two supporting Missions made it necessary to plan with great economy the budget for the coming year. But we are thankful to have had a small surplus this present year which made it possible to balance the budget without too great difficulty.

The new curriculum for Senior Middle Schools allows for no electives. This may present a problem in regard to music, educational subjects, and Bible. The decision of the Riverside Board of Directors was to print these electives as usual in the school catalogue, not anticipating any unfavorable reaction from the government.

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Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER Y. SING, Principal.
33124. Ningpo Middle School — Report.

There are twelve full time teachers and five part time teachers in this school. The number of Christian teachers is ten, of which seven are full time and three are part time. Among the part time teachers two are missionaries and one is a church worker. The two new missionaries on the faculty this year are Baptists who are here to take up part of the work of Mr. H. R. S. Benjaman, a Baptist missionary teacher who returned to America on furlough last June.

The enrollment of last year was 200; this is the maximum number of students we can accommodate in the present buildings. The enrollment this term decreased to 169. About \( \frac{3}{4} \) of our boys come from Christian families.

The number of boys who elected morning chapel was 149 last term, and is 145 this term. The number of boys electing Bible was 110 last term and is 80 this term. The reason is that the two graduating classes have been so busy in preparing for the general government examinations, which are going to take place this summer, that they thought it wise to give up the course that gave no credits. All but a few students attended the evangelistic meetings led by Dr. Jones last November and by Mr. S. K. Dzao last February. The total number of boys that signed as inquirers is forty.

The graduating class of the Junior department is a splendid one. One of the boys in that class got fifth place in the essay contest which was held by the provincial executive committee of Kuo-ming-tang and participated in by every junior middle school student in the province. We trust they will do good work in the general government examinations.

As a result of the inspiration given by a man sent down by the National Executive Committee of Y.M.C.A.'s of China, the school Y.M.C.A. has started a campaign to raise one thousand suits of clothes for the soldiers who are fighting in the North.

C. Y. Hsu, Principal.


The year's work, as a whole, has been satisfactory. In the religious department, especially, signs of encouraging growth have been shown. On account of the Sino-Japanese War in Shanghai, the Manchurian situation and consequent political and economic conditions, the enrollment has not been as large as in former years. We have spent part of our reserve funds in helping to meet the resulting financial deficit. For the spring term, there are 180 students in the Middle School and 304 in the primary, making a total of 484.

1. Improvements.
   1. A new basketball court.
   2. A memorial bell-tower for Dr. Hayes.
   4. Equipment costing $800 for science department.
   5. Forty new classroom chairs.
   6. A small zoo to fascinate the lower primary boys.
II. Religious Activities.

There was an openness of mind and a willingness to elect and study the Bible—a result that has been most encouraging to all of us. For this term we feel still more satisfied with the students' fair attitude towards Christianity, as shown by the fact that in Senior I, 25 out of 54 (46%), in Senior II, 25 out of 37 (67%) and in Senior III, 14 out of 17 (82%) have elected Bible study.

Besides these regular religious courses, we have the following activities for the teachers and students:

1. Monday noon prayer meeting for teachers, with 85% attendance.
2. Voluntary Bible Study (every Tuesday) with 30% of Junior Middle school boys attending.
3. Assembly four days a week with required attendance, including a religious service every Wednesday.
4. Sunday School—Average attendance, 40% in Middle school and 85% in primary.
5. Church attendance—Middle school, 23%, primary school, required for fifth and sixth year classes.
6. Junior C. E. for primary boys meets every Wednesday. Nine boys from this group joined the church at the last communion service.
7. Sixty middle school students signed decision cards as a result of Dr. Stanley Jones' meetings and special evangelistic services in the school. Twenty from the school—teachers, students and servants—have joined the church since last September.

III. Military Training.

With respect to this course, we are fortunate to have Mr. Tong, who is not only an experienced teacher but also a Christian with high moral integrity.

IV. Finance.

The problem of finance, doubtless, is the most acute and hardest of all. With the help of a part of our reserve funds, we have succeeded in conducting our school safely through this critical time.

V. Social Activities.

The success of the school depends in no small measure upon the understanding, the free exchange of ideas, and the willingness to cooperate between the student-body, the teachers and the staff of the school. With this in view, we have promoted various kinds of socials, too numerous to be mentioned here, with the result that advance in constructive opinions and unity of school life have been largely achieved.

VI. Alumni.

The alumni of the school have played a decisive part in the make-up of the life and success of the school. We have not only established our head office of the Alumni Association in Soochow but also branches in Shanghai,
Nanking, and Hangchow, where meetings can be conveniently conducted and ideas exchanged, to the end that the whole life of the school may be vitalicized and its soul intelligently manifested.

V. D. Tsang, Principal.


The school year of 1932 opened with the largest enrollment Hangchow College has ever registered—356 students in the College and 241 in the Middle School department. Of this number 58 were girl students. At the opening of the spring semester we registered 319 students in the College and 189 in the Middle School. Forty-nine girls. The reduction in College enrollment was due to the elimination of undesirable students, both poor in conduct and/or poor in standard. The great falling off in the M.S. enrollment was due partly to ordinary elimination and partly to the strict government examinations conducted by the Bureau of Education.

The two new buildings, Science Hall and Library, have given us ample class room and laboratory space. Financial stringency has prevented us from increasing our scientific equipment to any large extent, though we have quite a good working library of books for most of the departments. This is due to the fact that during the past three years we have appropriated about $30,000 for the purchase of books.

On account of the large number of students the dormitories are very full, but the greatest difficulty lies in the accommodation of our staff, which during the fall term numbered 63, while for this term we have 65 on our list. Plans are being considered for putting up additional faculty residences.

We have had a peaceful year in spite of the difficulties in the North. Students have shown a better spirit in their work as well as toward the college. They have evidenced more interest than usual in religious instruction. During the first term 142 students voluntarily elected religious courses, and during the spring term 120. Under the pastorship of Dr. McMullen the College Church has shown increased life and attendance, with a membership of 126. Ninety-four students joined the church during the first term and we expect approximately 20 to join this term.

At the beginning of the spring term Mr. Snowpine Liu, of the Univ. of Southern California, was added to our faculty as head of the Physical Education Dept. He brought with him many new ideas for the building up of the department and has already created an increased interest in athletics among both the girl and boy students.

Owing to heavy Mission cuts and the added burden of paying off the debt on the two new buildings, the College has had a hard struggle financially this year. In spite of increased tuition fees, the benefit of a high exchange and careful management of funds, we are now facing a deficit of about $7,000 on the current year's budget. A hard struggle of two or three more
This year we have about 34 students who will graduate from the College. This will be the first college graduation class since the re-establishment of the College. The graduates are of the following departments: Chinese, 6; Political Science, 6; Economics, 6; Education, 4 or 5; Biology, 1; Chemistry, 4 or 5; Civil Engineering, 6. I wish to draw your particular attention to the fact that the 6 graduates of the Chinese Dept. are all above the average, and are fully qualified for middle school teaching or editorial work. They have practically all been engaged for service.

We regret that Dr. and Mrs. Davis will have to be transferred to Kashing next school year, and also we learn with regret that Dr. Day could not pass the medical examination to return to the College thisfall.

As the College has reached a stage where she can render service to society, we are planning to start an extension department, both in the city and around the College, to render service to the urban as well as the rural community with which we come in contact. For the rural work we have already two mass education schools run by our students. We hope to extend this service by taking up other activities to improve and help the rural community. In the city we have the hope of offering occasional lectures on various subjects and giving practical vocational courses for those young people who do not have the opportunity for such study. The Board has petitioned the Central China Mission to allow the College the privilege of using the Bi-Z property for this purpose.

Baen E. Lee, President.

33127. Nominating Committee Report. The secretary read the report of the Nominating Committee. After amendment it was approved. (See front of Annual Mission Minutes for report.)

33128. Mission Meeting 1934. Time and Place of. Voted, to refer the time and place of the next annual Mission Meeting to the Executive Committee.

33129. Nominations for Secretary of the China Council. Voted, by ballot, that the three following persons, in order of preference, be the nominees of the Mission for Secretary of the China Council:

Miss Margaret Frame
Miss Hattie R. MacCurdy
Miss M. M. Moninger
Station Reports. Brief reports of the work of the Stations were presented by the writers of the Station Reports:

Shanghai ... ... ... ... Rev. W. D. Boone
Ningpo ... ... ... ... Mrs. J. E. Shoemaker
Hangchow ... ... ... ... Miss Juniata Ricketts
Soochow ... ... ... ... Mrs. R. M. White

Vote of Thanks. A rising vote of thanks was given to the members of the Hangchow Station for the cordial welcome and generous hospitality shown to the members of the Mission during the Mission Meeting.

Note:—Actions 33132-33138 were approved by the incoming Executive Committee at a meeting held in the VanEvera home, Tuesday, May 30, at 8.00 p.m. just before the adjournment of the Mission Meeting, were read before the Mission Meeting and on motion were approved for incorporation with this year's Mission Minutes.

Medical Report.

The Medical Committee met May 27, 1933, and submits the following report:

Soochow and Yu Yao. Attention is again called this year to the good reports from the McCartee Hospital at Yu Yao and the Tooker Memorial Hospital in Soochow. We are glad to note the prospect of help on the staff in Soochow which will make itinerating clinics possible.

Hangchow. Since Dr. Lasell left, no physician has been connected with the Station. Medical care has been given by the staff of the C.M.S. Hospital—except cases requiring special attention or hospital care. These have gone to Shanghai.

Union Girls' School Physical Examinations are given new students before admission and yearly thereafter, with the checking up and care necessary. Annual vaccinations are required.

A School Nurse in residence acts as assistant matron, teaches hygiene in the fifth and sixth grades and a course in practical home nursing in the Middle School. She inspects bedrooms, kitchen, etc. to see if sanitary conditions are satisfactory and instructions carried out. Daily, she inspects the Kindergarten and Primary children. This year she gave each girl a printed list of contagious diseases, with their symptoms, to take home in order to early detect such diseases. The nurse holds a weekly religious service for the servants of the compound.

Clinics are held daily by the nurse for trachoma and minor cases. Once a week the physician visits the school—oftener when needed.
Hangchow Christian College. Clinics are held daily by a visiting physician. The resident nurse is the librarian's wife and helps in the clinics, consulting often with Mr. March. She is "on call" at any time.

Physical examinations are given all new students and only those physically fit are admitted. In the spring all students are examined and encouraged to take an interest in health. Three cases of tuberculosis are reported. Two of them are improving but one—an earnest Christian student—died. The disease had progressed too far for treatment before it was recognized.

An itinerant nurse from the C.M.S. Hospital is a new experiment. Miss Ricketts secured her this spring, to accompany her to Tong Yang and I—U fields where she holds clinics, visits homes and helps in any way possible.

Shanghai—Nantao Christian Institute clinics continue to be popular and helpful. The facilities for baths for women are ideal and babies are not neglected. Many fine contacts with families are made in this way.

Lowrie Institute had two clinics weekly by a visiting physician and a resident nurse—a graduate of St. Luke's Hospital. The nurse looks after minor ills, calls the physician when necessary and does some teaching besides.

Mary Farnham School has a resident nurse and bi-weekly clinics by a visiting physician. During this last school year (until April 1st) 2400 treatments were given to 340 cases.

Dr. Partch has continued her medical work in Shanghai and Phootung, along the usual lines of individual patients, clinics, consultations, etc. advising as to dental, hospital and other care. Emergency cases have not been omitted. Recently a neighbor called her at 2 o'clock a.m. to dress wounds inflicted by robbers.

Physical examinations may be irksome but yearly are proving their value as accumulated medical data makes medical history. There has been a better response this year than usual, nearly all the reports reaching the file "on time."

Julia W. Partch.


In the labor of love in the Nantao Christian Institute, we have many causes to thank the Lord for. In the first place the present managing Board, which we call the Board of Directors has on it as its members most loyal and responsible supporters. In the three years following the re-organization in 1929, there was no time, when a quorum has not been present, whenever a Board meeting was called. Discussion is free and intelligent and constructive. The spirit is winsome and inspiring. In the hard up-hill movements of the annual finance campaigns every Board member does his or her best. So the result has been most satisfactory, especially because they have been conducted on a quiet and un-assuming basis. One feels most thankful when he compares the present Board with the Board just before it.
In the second place, we are most thankful to the Lord, for He has given us a fine efficient staff. We do not mean that the present Institute staff is perfect, but we do mean that the kind of staff that we have is all that we can expect—a better one can hardly be expected under the conditions we have. The staff members are willing to make experiments, and they are not discouraged by failures. And best of all, most of them have visions, and are full of zeal for Christian service—they are by no means "job-holders".

In the third place, God is to be thanked for He has bestowed upon us a commodious building wherein to work. Such a program varied as it is, which the Institute has developed, can not be executed without difficulty, except with such a building. The ideal for the uses of the building is almost attained to, that every room is to be used for many purposes, and from early morning up till late in the evening. Every visitor is invariably impressed by the ever so many uses that the building has been put to.

In the fourth place, we are thanking the Lord, for the gradual realization of our purpose—to enlist and thereby to develop the Christians for neighborhood service. The Nantao Institute membership ideal is slowly but surely being established, that since the Institute is for unselfish out-reaching service to the Nantao Community, every member of the Institute is not to be served—to get what is generally known as membership privileges—but to serve other people—other than oneself. And the South Gate Church members have come to see that the Institute is their own institution, where they can and ought to express their Christianity.

In the fifth and last place, we do praise the Lord, for He has inspired us to make the Institute outstandingly Christian or Christo-centric. It is so easy for such an institution as Nantao is to walk on the wide, popular road of doing service for man's sake only. All the educational, physical and social activities could just end with activities. But He has taught us that the ultimate goal of any effort ought to be the knowledge of and fellowship with God. For this very reason, we are getting real joy out of the job.

In conclusion, let us say that our gracious Lord has been more good to us than we could imagine or hope for. His grace is indeed enough for us. And we are quite sure that in our new attempts to enlarge our sphere of service, to reach out for the poorest of the poor, and to perfect on our experiment to build up a CHURCH FOR NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICE as against a CHURCH FOR INQUIRERS or a CHURCH FOR CHURCH MEMBERS. He will continue to sustain and bless us if we seek only to do His will.

Average daily attendance upon activities at building 500
Average clinic treatments 40 per day, 1200 per month.
Students enrolled in daily educational classes 400 (part day)
ACTIVITIES

Religious
Sunday Evangelistic Meetings
Sunday School
Sunday Student Hour
Student Bible Classes
Evening School, Free School
   Half-Day School Bible Classes
Kindergarten and Children's
   Hour Religious Instruction
Boys' Club Bible Class
Inquirers Class
Clinic evangelism
Women's mid-week meeting.
Home Visitation
Christian Literature, tracts.
Extension: — Cooperation, Gospel
   Teams, Church S.S. and Normal
   Class School chapels, classes.

Physical
Clinic: Daily
Baths: Womens, Children's, Infants,
   Men's, Boys.
Gymnasium: Own schools and clerks,
   Match games other schools
Playground: children; boys.
Health Campaign (annual)
Health education (lectures)

Educational
Free School (Daily, 2 Hours, Older
   girls)
1/2 Day School (Daily, 2 Hours,
   Older Girls)
Kindergarten (Daily, 2 Hours,
   Evening English School (Clerks)
Non-School Children's Hour
   Reading room and Book loans
D.V.B.S. (Promotion and extension)

Social Work
Adult Welfare Lectures (working
   men)
Saturday evening Meetings.
   (Special large groups
Boys' Clubs (2)
Evening School Activities program
Student socials
Membership socials
Musicals
Staff and volunteer meetings
Summer Evening (roof-garden) pro-
   gram
Extension lectures (schools etc.)
Relief work for poor, (occasional)
Men's Dramatic Club
Men's Photographic Club.
   Rev. Woodrow Ying, Ph. D.

   advice, it was voted to ask China Council to continue the
   residence of Rev. C. B. Day and family on Kuling for another year.

   White and Lautenschlager to collect and make available
   for the Mission statistics and information on the results of the
   government examinations now being held.

33136. Hangchow — Ku Le Center — Advisory Committee.
   Voted: To continue Rev. O. C. Crawford, Mrs. W. D.
   Boone, and Rev. E. M. Smith (appointed May 23, 1933 by the
   Executive Committee as a special committee to consult regarding
the Ku Le Center) as an advisory Committee for the work of the
Ku Le Center for the coming year.

33137. Hangchow—Ku Le Center—Statement of Policy. Voted:
To ask the Hangchow Station to draw up and submit to the
Executive Committee for consideration:

1. A formal statement for presentation to the Hangchow Presbytery
regarding the use of the Ku Le Church.

2. A formal statement for presentation to the session of the Ku Le
Church regarding the use of the new parish house.

33138. Hangchow—Ku Lou Center—Loan of Miss Bessie Hille.
Voted: to approve the request of Hangchow Station, dated
May 30, 1933, for temporary loan of Miss Bessie Hille of Shanghai
for work in the Ku Le Parish House, it being understood that the
question of the loan will first be taken up with the Nantao Institute
and the Shanghai station.

The Mission closed with a brief prayer service conducted by
the Chairman, Rev. J. E. Shoemaker, D.D.

PAUL R. LINDHOLM.
ANDREW McGAFFIN.
Minute Secretaries.

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The endowment interest totals above include the following:

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  - Mary B. Anderson Memorial Fund, $1,000.00 U.S. @ 4%—$40 @.25 160.00
  - Vincent Miller Academy Scholarship Fund, $3,004.86 @ 4%—$120.19 @ .25 480.78
  - Tooker Memorial Fund for Soochow and Siangtan Hospitals $51,764.19 @ 4%—$2,070.56 @.25 to Soochow—$1,242.34 @.25 4,969.36

**Total** 4,969.36

Martin Moor Scholarship for Hangchow College, University of Nanking and Girls' School at Tripoli—$2,500.00 U.S. @ 4% $100.00 U.S. to Hangchow College—33.35 (included within the grant of $4,000.00 to Hangchow College.)
CENTRAL CHINA MISSION

Annual Mission Meeting, 1933
Hangchow, May 28-30, 1933

Sunday Afternoon, 28

4.00 Address Retiring Chairman Miss B. M. Hille
Administration of the Communion Dr. E. L. Mattox

Sunday Evening, 28

8.00 Prayer and Praise Service Rev. Paul R. Lindholm

Monday Morning, 29

9.00-10.00 Devotional Service Dr. J. W. Decker
10.10.30 Election of officers
10.30-11.15 Project Method, Meaning and Application Dr. R. C. Wells
11.15-12.15 Discussion.

Monday Afternoon, 29

2.00-2.15 Devotional Mr. A. W. March
Roll Call
2.15-2.35 Rethinking Missions—with special reference to our own Mission and its Problems
2.35-3.15 Discussion
3.15-3.35 Revision of Mission Rules Rev. E. M. Smith
3.35-4.15 Discussion
4.15-4.35 Reorganization at the Home Base Dr. R. C. Wells
4.35-5.15 Discussion

Monday Evening, 29

8.00-8.45 Musical Program Rev. E. M. Smith
8.45-9.15 Prayer service Miss Grace Darling

Tuesday Morning, 30

9.00-10.00 Devotional Service Dr. J. W. Decker
10.00-10.15 Roll call
10.15-10.35 Rethinking Missions-Education Mr. R. M. White
10.35-11.15 Discussion
11.15-11.35 The Mission and the Church Rev. O. C. Crawford
11.35-12.15 Discussion.
Tuesday Afternoon, 30

2.00-2.15 Memorial Address Rev. R. C. Droz
       Roll call
2.15-3.00 Lay Leadership Dr. J. C. Hawk
3.00-3.45 Discussion
3.45-4.00 Tea
4.00-5.00 Report of the Executive Committee
       Report of the Nominating Committee
       Time and Place of Next Annual Mission Meeting
       Nominations (3) for Women's Secretary, China Council

Tuesday Evening, 30

8.00-9.00 Report from the Stations
       Shanghai- Rev. W. D. Boonc
       Ningpo Mrs. J. E. Shoemaker
       Hangchow Miss Juniata Ricketts
       Soochow Mrs. R. M. White
9.00-9:20 Closing Prayer Service Mission Chairman.

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