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MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Federation of Woman's Boards of Foreign Missions was opened in the Assembly Room of the National Board of the Young Women's Christian Association, at 600 Lexington Avenue, New York City, Saturday afternoon, January 13th, at two o'clock. The President, Mrs. Boyd, asked Miss Clementina Butler to open the meeting with prayer, after which Mrs. Boyd spoke of the loss which the woman's missionary movement had suffered in the death of Miss Belle Bennett, who was President of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Southern Methodist Church and one of the women representatives on the International Missionary Council.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The President gave the report of the Executive Committee, emphasizing the new fields of work to be entered. She expressed both regret and relief on laying down the office of President. Miss Sarah H. Polhemus, the new Executive Secretary of the Federation, was introduced, who voiced her conviction that the Federation needed such a Secretary and spoke of the work which she had already done.

REPORT OF THE BUSINESS COMMITTEE

The President named the following women to act as a Business Committee:

Mrs. H. R. Steele, Chairman
Miss Ella D. Maclaurin
Mrs. Curtis Lee Laws

The following were appointed to recommend those who should serve on special committees of the Federation:

Mrs. De Witt Knox
Mrs. Frank Gaylord Cook
Mrs. William F. McDowell
REPORT OF THE TREASURER

The Treasurer, Mrs. Frank Gaylord Cook, presented her report, emphasizing several items of interest. She laid special emphasis on the contributions that came from the Day of Prayer services because they were significant of the different types of women in all parts of the country who were uniting in prayer on this particular day. The report of the Auditing Committee was read by the Secretary and this was accepted by the Federation.

The Treasurer read the proposed budget for 1923. The estimated expenditures are $4,325, as against receipts estimated to the amount of $4,406, giving a small estimated balance of $81.00. The Treasurer referred to the fact that the Federation had started the year 1922 with a balance of over $800, and suggested that some plan be devised whereby a balance might be carried over into next year. It was voted that the budget be referred to the Business Committee and that it be asked to bring in recommendations.

INTERDENOMINATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ON THE FOREIGN FIELD

Miss Prescott, Chairman of the committee, read excerpts from her report and gave some additional information received recently, referring especially to the seven colleges included in the campaign for the Women’s Union Christian Colleges. It is interesting to note that at Yenching College the students gave a play, contributing the proceeds of $1,200 to the Union College Fund. It was voted that the report be accepted.

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Miss Kyle, Chairman of the committee, read the report, emphasizing special gifts made this year which will not be repeated. A letter was read from Mrs. MacGillivray of China, stating that the circulation of Happy Childhood is now 10,500 copies and 1,500,000 pages have been printed in a year. In India there are already over 1,000 paid subscriptions to the
children's magazine, *The Treasure Chest*. Miss Kyle introduced Miss Jean Paxton of the Foreign Division of the National Board of the Y. W. C. A. Miss Paxton spoke of the significance of the desire for learning in China with the growth of opportunities for the education of women. Last year there were only 303 girls in China who were taking college work and these held in their hands the key to the knowledge of the world. Unfortunately, however, this knowledge is largely locked away in other languages. This places a great responsibility upon Christian agencies to supply translations of the best kind of literature. Last year a questionnaire was sent to Japanese women students; the replies indicate that most of these students are particularly interested in social subjects and politics with a lesser interest in arts and aesthetics. Among the most popular books are two by a Japanese novelist which are religious in tone, being a combination of Christian and Buddhist thought. This is an interesting contrast to conditions ten years ago when the most popular literature was naturalistic and materialistic to a large degree. After referring in passing to conditions in some other mission fields, Miss Paxton drew the conclusions that there now exists not only a need but a demand for literature of all sorts and that this demand is being supplied by other agencies and that the future of the life of Christians in other countries will depend on the type of literature which we provide for them at this time. The kinds of literature most needed now are Bible study and devotional books which will supply that lack of a Christian heritage which we possess: books of general knowledge; and poetry, essays and novels which at present are being taken care of in the wrong way.

It was voted that the report of this committee be accepted.

**SUMMER SCHOOLS AND CONFERENCES**

In the absence of the Chairman, *Mrs. Borton*, the Secretary read a summary of the report which was then referred to the Business Committee.
DAY OF PRAYER

Mrs. Knox gave a brief report of the work of the Day of Prayer Committee which meets only once a year and is characterized by much interest and perfect harmony.

PUBLICATIONS AND LITERATURE

Mrs. Peabody, Chairman of the Central Committee on the United Study of Foreign Missions, which acts as the Publications Committee of the Federation, read her report. It was voted that this report be referred to the Business Committee which was asked to bring in recommendations, especially in regard to the circulation of Everyland.

WOMAN'S UNION CHRISTIAN COLLEGES OF THE ORIENT

The Chairman asked Mrs. Peabody to give to the Federation some of the results of the campaign for the Union Colleges. Mrs. Peabody said that if she were speaking from a text, it would be, "Write the things which thou hast seen and the things which are and the things which shall be hereafter." She spoke of her experience in various parts of the country with particular reference to ninety-seven luncheons at which she had been present, each of which included from five hundred to a thousand women. There was an interesting luncheon in Seattle which included groups from India, Japan and China, at which a Chinese Consul made a generous contribution to the Fund through his two-year-old daughter. The American Association of University Women has co-operated most cordially; the Executive Secretary of this organization said, "How I wish American colleges could have been responsible for this work for college women of the Orient!" Mrs. Peabody and others have been asked to speak at luncheons of the American Legion and at Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs. At one of these, a woman, having been asked to speak on Freudian psychoanalysis, held up a clipping from a medical paper, saying, "This is all I know about psychoanalysis. You will find it on page — , of such and such a magazine. I will now tell you of
the Women's Union Christian Colleges of the Orient." The or-
organization of The King's Daughters of America, whose Presi-
dent was a former pupil of Isabella Thoburn, has taken the re-
sponsibility for an entire building at Isabella Thoburn College 
in Lucknow. Waitresses at various luncheons have become much 
interested in the campaign and have contributed toward the 
building of "cook houses" in connection with the various col-
leges; and in one town where a newsboy saw in a store window 
a representation of a hospital closed for lack of Indian women 
doctors, he immediately set off to sell more papers in order to 
contribute to the Fund.* As a contrast, Mrs. Peabody referred 
to a $50,000 gift from one woman "for this glorious interna-
tional adventure." Of unusual interest is the large number 
of small gifts. The knowledge that sixteen Mission Boards 
were co-operating in this effort was the chief factor in winning 
the interest of outside groups. There is great significance in 
the exchange of gifts which this Fund will bring about. "Our 
gold becomes more precious as it flows through the lives of 
Oriental women and comes back to bless us. The influence of 
this international interest upon girls in American colleges is 
hardly to be estimated."

This report was received by the Federation with much en-
thusiasm. It was voted that a resolution of appreciation and 
thanks be made to Mrs. Peabody for her efforts in connec-
tion with the Campaign, to which Mrs. Peabody replied 
gracefully, asking that word be taken back through the printed 
report to the women of state and city committees who had 
worked so unremittingly to carry out the plans suggested. 
Mrs. McKerroll of Canada asked to voice the appreciation of 
the Canadian women for Mrs. Peabody's work. The following 
resolution was presented by Mrs. Knox:

"Inasmuch as the Campaign for the two million dol-
lar Fund for the Women's Union Christian Colleges 
in the Orient was the inspiration of Mrs. Henry W. 
Peabody, The Federation of Woman's Boards of For-
eign Missions of North America desires to express, 
however inadequately, the debt of gratitude the con-
stituent Boards owe to her faith, untiring devotion and skillful planning. Every great and commanding movement in the annals of the world is the triumph of enthusiasm and this most successful campaign is the triumph of Mrs. Peabody’s enthusiasm. She had made this her supreme business, ‘May God turn it into her blessedness.’”

This resolution was adopted by a rising vote.

After a hymn and a prayer, the afternoon meeting adjourned, to meet on Sunday afternoon.

**Sunday, January 14, 3 P.M.**

The opening devotional service was led by Mrs. Boyd. She referred to the purpose of God for the world evident in both the Old Testament and the New Testament, and emphasized the great problems in connection with the future of the missionary enterprise. The first speaker of the afternoon was Miss Harriet Taylor, whose subject was, “The Significance of the China Christian Conference.”

Miss Taylor spoke of her regret at being delayed so that she did not reach Shanghai until after the conference had started. She and other late arrivals had been informed of the difficulties under which the conference was moving forward, but they went into the session Monday morning to find that many of these difficulties were resolving themselves. The various groups in the conference were able to get together on a reaffirmation of their faith in the great fundamentals on which all could unite. “Monday gave vent to the joy and satisfaction of hopes realized. The difficulties of finding a way whereby the conference could renew its confession of faith on fundamentals without encroaching upon the prerogatives of the church courts at home and so making the proposed National Christian Council, not only an advisory body, but also a super-church council wholly doctrinal and ecclesiastical, had for a time appeared insurmountable. How could the sense of relief give vent but by singing the Doxology?” (Dr. Broomhall in *The Chinese Recorder*, June, 1922.)
Miss Taylor stressed three features of the conference, the personnel, the program and the product. At a conference which she attended in China in 1907 there were 1,200 missionaries from all parts of China. Although emphasis was laid upon the necessity for Chinese leadership, only one Chinese appeared, and then only to bring greetings to the missionaries assembled. The 1922 conference, on the contrary, was composed of 565 Chinese, 488 foreign residents and 138 foreign guests, making a total of 1191. The conference represented very truly a whole cross section of Chinese Christian life.

The second feature of the conference was its program. Although the five Commissions had brought in facts of tremendous significance, the greatest factor in the program was Dr. Cheng Ching-Yi, the presiding officer who was remarkable especially for his thoroughness in getting members of the conference clear on the various issues. Out of the conference came one hundred and thirty-five recommendations, the most inspiring of which perhaps were those regarding the opium trade and the facing of human conditions in industry. As a result of the last recommendation, the Chambers of Commerce in Peking and Chefoo have already adopted the standards suggested at the conference. Two products of the conference are seen in the Survey, "The Christian Occupation of China," and in the National Christian Council. A second emphasis of great importance is that regarding the necessity for woman's leadership in the Chinese Church. Twenty-five per cent. of the Chinese delegates were women. Miss Taylor emphasized the significance of this new situation and the necessity of letting the National Church think through its problems by itself without imposing western technique.

The Chairman introduced Dr. C. Leighton Stuart, President of Peking University, who spoke on "Changing Missionary Conditions." Dr. Stuart gave a most interesting picture of the conditions which his father met when he went to China in 1868 as a pioneer missionary. Upon his return to China eighteen years ago Dr. Stuart still felt much disappointment
at the poor results of years of hard work and sacrifice. In contrast with his early impressions, he spoke of the large Christian University in which he now works with Chinese colleagues who are the peers of missionary leaders in scholarship, consecration and ability. Another interesting fact is the number of Christians among government officials. He spoke of the outstanding developments in China at the present time: the student movement, the intellectual renaissance, and the anti-Christian movement. Difficult problems are being created by the flood of Bolshevist propaganda and the spread of communism, atheism and irreligion. Novels, moving pictures and low-rate theatres and the growing use of morphine are likewise bad influences. There are, however, encouraging contrasts. First of all there is the growing unity of Christians throughout the world, of which this Federation is typical, and second, the position of women is coming to be of increasing importance in China with the hearty interest and co-operation of Chinese men. The connection of Yenching with the University is becoming closer and women are already coming into the University School of Theology. The closing emphasis of the afternoon was one of rejoicing in the new possibilities ahead. The totality of Christianity can only be produced by the gifts of all nations, and this totality will eventually make itself felt on those who have not been able to accept the partial presentations of Christ.

Monday Morning, January 15, 10 A. M.

The devotional service was led by Miss Lindley, Vice-President of the Federation. The President called for the remaining Standing Committee reports.

Committee on By-Laws

Mrs. McDowell presented the amendments to the By-Laws suggested by the committee, i.e., By-Law 3, Article 3; By-Law 5, Article 1, By-Law 5, Article 7. It was voted that the report of the By-Laws Committee be adopted as a whole.
NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Mrs. Steele, Chairman of the Committee, read the following nominations:

President, Mrs. Henry W. Peabody.
Vice-President, Mrs. Frank Gaylord Cook.
Vice-President, Mrs. William F. McDowell.
Treasurer, Mrs. De Witt Knox.
Recording Secretary, Miss Grace Lindley.

CHAIRMEN OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Student Work, Miss Florence Tyler.
Methods of Work, Mrs. E. H. Silverthorn.
Interdenominational Institutions on the Foreign Field, Mrs. W. A. Montgomery.
Summer Schools and Conferences, Mrs. J. Harvey Borton.
Christian Literature for Women and Children, Miss Alice M. Kyle.
Publications and Literature, Mrs. Henry W. Peabody.
Foreign Students in America, Mrs. William Boyd.
By-Laws, Miss Margaret E. Hodge.

It was voted that the report of the Nominating Committee be accepted and that the Secretary be instructed to cast a ballot for the election of these officers. The Chairman asked the delegates for a rising vote to indicate their support.

It was voted that the Secretary be asked to send a wire to Mrs. Peabody, embodying the cordial greetings and hearty welcome of the Federation and pledging co-operation.

METHODS OF WORK

Mrs. Silverthorn, Chairman of the Committee stressed the importance of methods in the Federation. From the questionnaire sent out by the committee she found much indifference and complacency over methods of work and uninteresting programs, but also, on the contrary, a pathetic eagerness on the part of many to improve their methods. In the main there
is not sufficient material prepared by the Boards for local societies. Better helps and more help are needed along the following lines: 1. Improved and more efficient local organizations; 2. Wisely selected and trained leadership; 3. Better program building and execution; 4. Better and more general promotion of missionary education; 5. More scientific budget-making and raising, and a systematic study and practice of stewardship; 6. Improved methods to secure and develop a larger membership; 7. A renewed realization of the place, method and power of prayer and the better development of the devotional element in our missionary programs.

Reference was made to the exhibit of literature by various Boards on display at the Annual Meeting. The Committee on Methods of Work is divided into different departments and individuals representing these departments were asked to present their findings and recommendations.

Women's Societies. Miss Carrie Kerschner spoke first of the problems of the Boards which are also the problems of local auxiliaries: How to interest the average woman, how to interest the super-woman, how to increase membership and how to promote the study book of each year. Recommendations for Women's Work are included in the work of the Committee on page 42.

Young Women's Work. Miss Noble emphasized the necessity for the closest affiliation between the Woman's Boards and the young woman's department and suggested increasing development of the "Mother and Daughter" idea. Recommendations coming from this department are as follows:

1. Meet the girl of the present day with a large enough program to satisfy her but with missions so definitely a part of it that she will unconsciously be trained to assume her place in her denominational program.

2. A more decided emphasis on missionary educational features as the foundation of abiding interest and service, especially through intensive mission study classes, programs based on
study books of the current year, and reading and essay contests of a missionary character.

Other recommendations are included in the report of the Committee on page 41.

Children's Work. Miss Seabury reported an exchange of children's literature sent in by thirty-five Boards. Leaders in missionary education have been criticized for not taking up with the newest methods in education, as leaders in general religious education have done. She spoke of the recommendation coming from the Missionary Education Movement that material, especially that included in plays and pageants, be submitted before printing to the national leaders from various mission fields. If the Church of to-morrow is to make international friendships, it will depend largely upon the way in which the children of to-day are educated regarding people in other countries. Recommendations from this department are included in the report of the Committee on page 43.

Missionary Education. Miss Tillotson reported that answers to the questionnaires are in general most encouraging; for the most part very definite progress is reported. The Church School of Missions receives the highest commendation where it has been tried. The Federation can help in the following ways: supply leaders of normal study classes at Woman's Schools of Missions; furnish information as to when and where interdenominational training classes are to be held.

Mrs. Borton, Chairman of the Committee on Summer Schools and Conferences, spoke for a few minutes on the relation of her committee to the Committee on Methods of Work. She emphasized the necessity for stimulating prayer in the summer conferences and referred to several conferences where prayer rooms had been used with significant effect on the whole conference.

Mrs. Silverthorn closed the report by urging the need for more people who are ready to "major in missions." She felt that summer schools and conferences were the best possible agencies for this training and said that too many conference
programs were made for the "rocking-chair delegates." After reading the recommendations of the committee regarding summer schools, she asked that the report be not buried in the report of the Annual Meeting but that the recommendations be really carried back to each constituent Board. A remark of Dr. Fleming’s applies to those who are giving themselves to the development of missionary interest. "In these days, workers must be alive and flexible in their methods—as eagerly alert as love itself."

**Monday Afternoon Session**

The meeting opened with a processional hymn led by the Vested Choir of the Y. W. C. A. After prayer by Mrs. McDowell, the choir sang Kipling’s "Recessional." The Chairman called for the names suggested for the special committees of the Federation that need to function at different times during the year. Mrs. Knox submitted the following recommendations which were accepted by the Federation:

**Committees**

Day of Prayer—Mrs. Robert Mackenzie, Riverdale, New York; Mrs. D. T. L. McKerroll, Mrs. F. E. Baker, Mrs. De Witt Knox.

Nominating—Mrs. Hume R. Steele, 810 Broadway, Nashville, Tenn.; Miss Carrie Kerschner, Mrs. E. A. Evans.

Program for Annual Meeting—Mrs. E. H. Silverthorn, 17 North State Street, Chicago, Illinois; Mrs. Thomas Nicholson, Miss Ella D. MacLaurin, Mrs. Henry W. Peabody, Miss S. H. Polhemus, ex-officio.

Publication of Annual Report—Mrs. Grace Lindley, 281 Fourth Avenue, New York; Mrs. William Boyd, Miss O. H. Lawrence, Miss H. B. Crane, Miss S. H. Polhemus, ex-officio.

The report was accepted.
STUDENT WORK

Mrs. Fleming read the report of the Committee (see page 58), after which Miss Willa R. Young, a student secretary of the Y. W. C. A., spoke on the subject of team visitations. Miss Young said that it was an unusual opportunity for a bird of passage to do some church work such as she had done in chaperoning seven Board secretaries in visiting some of the colleges. Her impression is that students want to know the whole task of the whole church and that the unity of spirit shown in these visitations is what made the greatest impression on each campus. Miss Agnes Hall said that in going into a college as part of a team, she found that she could do all that she would have done alone with students of her own denomination, and much more in addition. Miss Florence Tyler spoke of the value of the Federated Student Committee in helping the individual secretaries to lay their plans. Mrs. Fleming suggested that the Boards make use of the Student Bulletins and asked that the members of the Federation be in very definite constant prayer for students in the intellectual difficulties and general restlessness of today. The report of the Student Committee was referred to the Business Committee.

REPORT OF THE BUSINESS COMMITTEE

This report which will be found in full on page 22 was accepted as a whole by a rising vote of the Federation. The Chairman, Mrs. Steele, urged that the delegates take back their resolutions to their respective Boards who should act upon them and make them operative.

At this point the Chairman invited Miss Clementina Butler to speak of a newspaper article regarding a new development in Mexico. Miss Butler read from a newspaper article headed, "Obregon Expels Papal Delegate." She explained that the law of Mexico prohibited open-air religious processionals and that this Papal Delegate had encouraged the Mexican priests to disobey the law of the land. It was for this reason that he was expelled and not because of any religious intolerance on
the part of Obregon. The delegates were urged to make this explanation in case the question of religious intolerance in Mexico should come up.

Mrs. Steele, the Chairman, read her report, which may be found in full on page 73. It was voted that this report be accepted. It was also voted that the minutes of the Annual Meeting be referred to the Executive Committee for correction and adoption. The delegates further voted that the thanks of the Federation be extended to the National Board of the Y. W. C. A. for the use of the Assembly Room.

MISS SUI WANG'S ADDRESS

Mrs. Boyd spoke of the great fortune of the Federation in securing as the last speaker of the Annual Meeting Miss Sui Wang, who has been Principal of Middle School at Chienkiang, with two missionary assistants. She is now in Columbia writing her dissertation for a doctor's degree which consists of a textbook on science for junior college students in China. (She is preparing this in English for the convenience of the Columbia professors.)

Miss Wang's topic was "Christian Schools in the China of Tomorrow." She spoke of the present dark and unstable political conditions in China and the fact that political corruption complicated and embarrassed international relationships. It is damaging, not only to China, but also to the whole family of nations. In contrast to these conditions, prospects for education in China were never so bright as at present. There is a large group of high-minded Chinese who are determined to build up a new system of education. Some of these are Christians, others are not. Educational ideals are growing by leaps and bounds, and several Chinese philanthropists have given large sums for the establishment of schools and colleges. The country is united educationally.

Under these conditions the Christian school must base its claims on quality alone, as the competition as to numbers of schools has been won already by the Chinese. Although China
greatly appreciates the help of missionaries in raising the educational, moral and economic standards of the country, the Christian schools, if they still intend to be the models, must adopt more progressive policies. In developing this thought, the following points were brought out:

1. Mission schools must become thoroughly Chinese, divesting themselves of their foreign character. They must keep students in sympathy with Chinese thought, realizing that there are many admirable qualities of the Chinese which western civilization threatens to destroy, such as their peace-loving character, their cheerfulness, filial devotion, respect for older people and good taste in art and architecture. It is true that certain elements of the Chinese national life need to be changed, but not all western importations are equally valuable. The difficulty is to know what to change.

2. Chinese leaders must be given more responsibility. All missionaries must be doing their work now in expectation of a time when it will be possible for foreigners to withdraw. The Educational Commission to China points out the regretably small number of Chinese in mission schools who are qualified to be real colleagues. Grace, tact and patience are needed on the part of the missionaries. Let the efficient person be the head whether he happens to be a foreigner or a Chinese.

3. The Chinese language must be used for instruction in colleges and universities as soon as possible. An American educator has stated that, generally speaking, the curriculum and books used in colleges and universities have been transplanted from America to China with no regard to the environment and experience of Chinese students. The lack of proper textbooks and competent Chinese teachers is a great handicap. For the present foreigners must teach science, politics, psychology and other subjects; it is extremely difficult for them to do this in a language foreign to them, but the majority of the students cannot appreciate the subject matter if it is given entirely in English. There is great need for gifted writers to write Chinese textbooks and co-operate with the Government in unifying the Chinese language.

4. There is a great need for
professionally trained men and women. The Educational Commission referred to above, when they visited a missionary station with 150 schools, found only one missionary with special work being put in charge of day schools. There are other instances of men and women who are not prepared for their definite tasks. It is a great pity to see money and plans entrusted to people who are unfit for their task. This is particularly evident when one contrasts some of them with returned students who have had the highest technical training in education and know how to apply new methods to China.

The Christian schools are now in the crucible. They must be directed by those who are equal in ability and training to those who are in charge of the Government schools. Now is the hour of opportunity to strengthen the Christian schools from which shall come men and women who will make China a strong Christian nation. 5. A subject of great importance is the education that is given to the 2,000 Chinese students now in the United States. Are they being educated to be materialistic and antagonistic or to be men and women of keen intellect and strong character? The responsibility is resting upon the United States.

China needs keen intellectual, broad-minded, unprejudiced and Christ-like men and women who will go to China with nothing to put over except their knowledge of Christ and His love for humanity, whose work will be done for this troubled world for which Christ has died and of which the United States and China are small integral parts. They will help China to build up a nation of men and women of fine intelligence and strong character and there will be no Far East questions such as now vex us and there will be no need of conferences to discuss the Shantung question. For, after all, the true factor which will break down race prejudice and bring about true internationalism is Christian brotherhood. When people and nations look upon each other with helpful desire in the relation of Christian brotherhood then all the world will be akin.
After thanking Miss Wang for her stimulating address, Mrs. Boyd expressed her thanks to the officers and different members with whom she had worked and asked for Mrs. Peabody the same spirit from all the Boards represented.

Several of the Canadian representatives gave voice to their appreciation of the Annual Meeting and their sense of cooperative unity with the Boards in the United States.

It was voted that a resolution expressing interest and cooperation be sent to the Council of Women for Home Missions meeting at Atlantic City.

A request was made that the gist of Miss Wang's address be embodied in the Annual Report. This was referred to the Executive Committee for favorable consideration. It was also voted that the Secretary express the thanks of the Federation to the Sunday speakers and to the vested choir of the Y. W. C. A.

After the expression on the part of several delegates of deep appreciation for Mrs. Boyd's services as President, the meeting closed with the singing of the Doxology.

Respectfully submitted,

(MRS. WILLIAM) CORABEL TARR BOYD, President.

HELEN BOND CRANE, Secretary.

REPORT OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE

Your committee has read the report of the President and the report of the standing committees and notes with gratification the splendid work which has been done during the past year, a work which is the promise of a larger usefulness on the part of the Federation for the Foreign Mission Boards of North America.

We believe that a work is possible through the Federation which is not possible to single Boards and that it should have the full, cordial support of all the Boards in order to function for all union enterprises.
On behalf of the Federation we wish to record our very deep appreciation of the splendid leadership for the past three years of our retiring President. By her earnest thought and prayer she has built upon the foundations which were so surely laid in the past and prepared the way for a larger service in the future to the Foreign Mission Boards of North America.

We have noted the suggestions and recommendations in the reports of the President and of the different committees and make the following recommendations:

I. **Interdenominational Institutions on the Foreign Field.**

   We recommend that a request be sent to the Joint Committee on Union Colleges that that committee become the Committee on Interdenominational Institutions on the Foreign Field of the Federation.

II. **Local Missionary Unions.**

   We recommend:
   
   1. That the organization of local missionary unions shall be encouraged and that such unions shall be properly related to Church Federations in cities where such Federations exist, in order that the missionary emphasis may be prominent in the program of the general Church Federation.
   
   2. That existing local missionary unions shall be fostered by the Federation and that an effort shall be made to keep on file in the central office a list of missionary unions affiliated with the Federation and that special attention be called to the financial basis of such affiliation.

III. **Campaign for Union Colleges.**

   We recommend that a special committee of three be appointed to plan ways and means for the conservation of the enthusiasm which has been created by the Campaign for Union Colleges.
IV. Missiory Literature.

We recommend:

1. That each Board be requested to provide an attractive set of leaflets setting forth the work of the Board in its various departments to be used as supplementary literature with the mission study books of the coming year.

2. We wish to express our appreciation of the effort that has been made by the Central Committee of United Study on behalf of Everyland and to record our cordial approval of this excellent magazine for children.

We recommend that the Federation adopt as a goal for the coming year 40,000 subscriptions; also that each Board be requested to assume responsibility for its quota of subscriptions. We urge that due publicity be given this magazine that it may be brought to the attention of parents and teachers who are eager to cultivate missionary motive in children.

We recommend that the fixing of the quota of Everyland subscriptions for each Board be referred to the Executive Committee.

V. Summer Schools and Conferences.

We recommend that the ideal for the standardization for Summer Schools and Conferences as adopted by the Federation in annual session in 1922 and which is set forth in the report of the committee on Summer Schools and Conferences shall be brought to the attention of the executives of such conferences and of the Board officers responsible for promoting this line of work, in order that such schools and conferences may be standardized as rapidly as possible.

VI. Day of Prayer.

We are grateful for the increased interest in the United Day of Prayer and the growing demand for the program, and we urge on all organizations the observance of this day of fasting and prayer.
It was further recommended in view of the fact that the Foreign Mission Conference is considering recommending a day of prayer we call to their attention the date which the Federation has adopted and to the wide observance of it.

We recommend that the Boards make a special effort to report to the Federation through the Chairman of this committee the number of Unions observing this day and using the literature.

VII. Finance.

We recommend:

1. That the tentative budget for 1923 be adopted and that the co-operating Boards be urged to make a contribution over and above the membership fee.

2. That an effort be made to secure a membership fee and a contribution from each local missionary union.

3. That an effort be made to secure gifts for the work of Christian Literature in mission lands from interested individuals and from the Boards.

Your committee wishes to register a conviction that the next great union campaign shall be for one million dollars for Christian Literature for women and children in non-Christian lands.

VIII. Leadership Training.

We commend to all who are interested in the Federation the report of the Committee on Methods of Work.

We commend to Board leaders the exchange literature and manuscript plan which has been successfully worked out by this committee and which is now being used by twenty-four Boards and three interdenominational agencies.

We note with growing satisfaction the movement sponsored by the Missionary Education Movement to make their conferences post-graduate schools with a three-year cumulative course looking toward a diploma, for the preparation of leaders for conference work.
We recommend that the plan presented in the report of this committee be adopted. (See page 37.)

We believe that if these recommendations are adopted we will have at an early date, not only a trained leadership, but an intelligent constituency that will recognize with gladness their stewardship of life and money and prayer.

We recommend that the Committee on Methods of Work continue to feature the literature exhibit at the Annual Meeting of the Federation and that all the Boards be requested to co-operate.

We recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

That wherever possible the Boards submit their prospective materials for children to the nationals of the country involved, before publication, that we may put in print nothing which shall give wrong impressions to our children, and that we may lay a better foundation for world friendship for the future; that this be done particularly in the case of plays and pageants since in these often in the past offense has been given to our friends overseas.

Your committee has considered the following resolution in reference to the transfer of work to the national churches, namely:

Since one of the most important matters on the mission field—the transfer of the work to the national churches—involves woman's work and woman's ecclesiastical relationship and the carrying on by women of work for women, and since we have been requested by Dr. Warnshuis, the Secretary of the International Missionary Council, to study this matter and to have information for the Council at its next meeting, July, 1923,

We therefore recommend that this matter be referred to the Executive Committee with the request that a special committee be appointed to collect data and suggestions about the situation and to send them to Dr. Warnshuis and also to the American women members of the International Missionary Council.
1X. *Student Work*.

We urge upon all student secretaries a careful detailed study of the report of the Committee on Student Work.

We commend to student secretaries who are not now co-operating, the plan of team visitation in the larger colleges for women and in State universities, which has been so successfully used during the past year.

1. We recommend that the Executive Secretary of the Federation endeavor to obtain an accurate list of colleges that contributed to the Union Colleges on the foreign field and through correspondence to enlarge this list from year to year.

2. We recommend the adoption of the recommendations embodied in the report of the Committee on Student Work. (See page 58.)

*Mrs. H. R. (Mariana J.) Steele.*

**REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

The Federation year, just completed, has been one of growth along all lines of work and one of much constructive thought and discussion by the Executive Committee as to the future of the Federation and its legitimate service to the Mission Boards.

In studying the records of the year the reports of the last five years were carefully re-read. The trend of thought in the meetings of the Executive Committee during 1922 re-emphasized the ideas of each group of officers who have endeavored to carry the Federation work.

It will be seen from the reports of the several Committees that they have regarded their functions to be those of serious effort to accomplish large and lasting results. The Committee on Methods has discussed the question as to whether "Methods of Work" applies to Boards or local auxiliaries or both. The Student Committee has made the Union College Campaign its immediate objective, its definite work of education will bear
a rich fruitage of lasting, intelligent interest in the Oriental Colleges.

The Summer Schools and Conference Committee is working on the organization of new Conferences. All know the definite tasks performed so successfully each year by the Committees of Publications, Literature and Christian Literature for Women and Children.

The new Committee on Foreign Students in America is organizing local Committees in the large student centres to deal with this great problem and so far as possible to bring the foreign women students into familiar contact with the ideals of the Christian home, and into understanding and fellowship with the work of the Church, emphasizing spiritual, rather than social or economic values.

The members of the Committee on Interdenominational Institutions on the Foreign Field have been chosen from the Boards of control of the union institutions but the real work, union in character and under Board control, functions outside the Federation. The Federation is the creation of the Boards, is made and controlled by them; should it not therefore be the one strong thoroughly organized body through which the Boards function for all union enterprises?

Other questions of importance have challenged the thought and discussions of the Executive Committee such as: How can the great body of Protestant women be awakened to feel a responsible interest in the work of Foreign Missions? Has the time arrived when there should be a systematic plan of education to capture the whole church membership, pulpit and pew, with enthusiasm for this great cause? Would another nation-wide movement on similar lines as the Jubilee serve as a revival of interest and consecration among women, and if so should there not be adequate and thorough preparation for such a movement?

How can the results of special endeavor such as the Campaign for the Union Colleges be best preserved and made permanent? What other union enterprises are likely to be
needed and shall these receive studied thought as to the need and best plan of development?

What is the solution of the local federation questions? Are the general Church Federations sufficient or is there still a special work to be done to unite the women of the various cities and towns in a broad, sustained, educational and inspirational missionary effort? How can such organizations become affiliated with each other and with the Federation?

What relationship should exist between the Federation and other federated bodies such as the Foreign Missions Conference, the Federal Council of Churches with their sub-committees and many departments of endeavor?

All these questions and others need discussion and decision by the official representatives of the Boards, and they are embodied in this report because they are continually demanding action whereas no definite policy has been decided upon by the Federation.

Four meetings of the Committee have been held during the past year.

Apart from officers' and Committee reports with discussions pertaining thereto, and regular questions such as the Day of Prayer and Annual Meeting, the year has marked several steps in advance.

A request was sent to the Committee of Reference and Counsel asking for such change in their By-Laws as would admit the Federation to membership on the same basis as other interdenominational bodies.

The Bulletin in the Missionary Review is now in charge of a special Committee.

In the matter of local federations the Executive Committee recommended to the Joint Committee of the Federation and The Council of Women for Home Missions a change in the Suggested Constitution for Local Church and Missionary Federations, regarding membership fees of local federations. This change has already been incorporated in the new Suggested Constitution.
It was decided to urge all Federation Representatives and Standing Committee members to attend the meetings of the Executive Committee regularly.

At the September meeting held, by invitation, in the Committee room of the Presbyterian Woman's Board we were all rejoiced to welcome Miss Sarah H. Polhemus, as the first Executive Secretary of the Federation.

This meeting concerned itself very largely with the closing efforts of the Campaign for the Union Colleges and with definite plans both executive and personal, to carry forward these interests as far as possible. Plans for the Day of Prayer, this Annual Meeting and proposed changes in the By-Laws to be presented at this time were fully considered.

The usual miscellaneous interests have come to the Committee for consideration such as The Woman's Emergency Fund for the Near East, The Anti-Cigarette League of America, The Daily Vacation Bible Schools in the Orient, and we have maintained representative relations on the sub-committees of the Committee of Reference and Counsel and of the Federal Council of Churches.

This brief survey of the year brings us back to the serious questions with which this report opens.

What is the defined relationship of the Federation to the Union enterprises of the Boards?

Has the Federation a vital, progressive work to accomplish for the Boards and if so may it not need more of serious consideration on the part of the Board representatives and possibly some changes to rightly distribute responsibility.

In the hope of an earnest and prayerful discussion of all these important questions and with a desire for permanent growth—along all lines of union enterprises, by an unselfish devotion to the progress of the Kingdom of our Lord in the earth, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

(MRS. WILLIAM) CORABEL TARR BOYD, President.
REPORT OF THE TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand, January 6, 1922 .................................................. $1,354.83

Contributions from Boards—
Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Society, Advent Christian Church .................. $10.00
Woman's American Baptist Foreign Mission Society ............................................... 500.00
Woman's Board of Foreign Missions of the Christian Church ................................. 10.00
Congregational:
Woman's Board of Missions ........................................................................ 100.00
Woman's Board of Missions of the Interior for 1921 and 1922 .............................. 90.00
Woman's Board of Missions for the Pacific .......................................................... 10.00
Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions (Episcopal) ........................................ 100.00
Womans' Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the United Evangelical Church for 1922 and 1923 ................................................. 50.00
Woman's Missionary Union of Friends in America .............................................. 25.00
Women's Missionary Society of the United Lutheran Church in America ................. 50.00
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 1923 .......... 200.00
Woman's Missionary Council, Board of Missions, Methodist Episcopal Church, South .......................................................... 100.00
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Free Methodist Church ....................... 50.00
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Protestant Church ............... 25.00
Woman's Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A......... 125.00
Woman's Auxiliary, Presbyterian Church, U. S. ................................................ 75.00
Woman's General Missionary Society, United Presbyterian Church of North America .... 50.00
Woman's Board of Foreign Missions, Reformed Church in America ......................... 75.00
Woman's Missionary Society of the General Synod of the Reformed Church in the U. S. . 50.00
Women's Missionary Association, United Brethren in Christ .................................. 100.00
Women's National Missionary Association of the Universalist Church ....................... 5.00
Woman's Union Missionary Society of America .................................................. 10.00
National Board Young Women's Christian Association ............................................. 250.00
Student Volunteer Movement .............................................................................. 25.00
Woman's Baptist Foreign Missionary Society of Eastern Ontario and Quebec for 1922 and 1923 12.80
Canada Congregational Woman's Board of Missions ........................................ $5.00
Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church of Canada .................. 50.00
Women's Missionary Society, Western Division, Presbyterian Church, Canada .... 50.00

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Dues from Local Federations—

Allegeny County, Pa .................................. $1.00
Baltimore, Md., and vicinity ........................................................................ 1.00
Bloomington and Normal, Ill. .................................................................... 1.00
Evansville, Ind. ......................................................................................... 1.00
Fort Madison, Ia. ...................................................................................... 1.00
Kingfisher, Okla. ...................................................................................... 1.00
Santa Cruz, Calif. ...................................................................................... 2.00
Trenton and vicinity ................................................................................... 1.00

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Central Committee on the United Study of Foreign Missions for Federation Bulletin in Missionary Review of the World ........................................ 500.00

Offerings at Day of Prayer Services:

Asbury Park and Ocean Grove, N. J. .................................................. $2.61
Braddock, Pa. ......................................................................................... 5.00
St, Petersburg, Fla. .................................................................................. 9.20
Akron, Ohio .......................................................................................... 18.98
Bucyrus, Ohio ......................................................................................... 6.15
Greenville, Ohio ..................................................................................... 8.00
Wooster, Ohio ......................................................................................... 8.50
Huntington, Ind. ..................................................................................... 27.22
Versailles, Ind. ......................................................................................... 5.00
Bloomington and Normal, Ill. ............................................................... 7.50
Freeport, Ill. ........................................................................................... 8.21
Nevada, Mo. ........................................................................................... 2.50
Atchison, Kansas ................................................................................. 6.00
Jasper, Ala. ............................................................................................. 3.30
Dillon, Mont. .......................................................................................... 4.75
Carlsbad, N. M. .................................................................................... 1.25
Pilot Point, Tex. ...................................................................................... 7.75
Dewey, Okla. .......................................................................................... 2.50
Eugene, Ore. ........................................................................................... 3.11
La Jolla, Calif. ......................................................................................... 5.28

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Sale of Day of Prayer Material ................................................................. 395.55
Royalties on Conscripts of Conscience ...................................................... 12.10
Interest on Deposits .................................................................................. 22.50

$4,039.70
EXPENDITURES

Expenses of Annual Meeting ........................................................ $24.75
Expenses of Executive Committee Meetings ............................ 445.63
Expenses of Officers and Standing Committees ...................... 176.99
Salary of Executive Secretary (4 months) and office expenses including supplies and stationery.............. 827.56

Printing—
   Annual Report ................................................................. $497.50
   Material for Local Federations ......................... 96.83
   Student Bulletin ................................................. 47.85

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Bulletin in Missionary Review of the World ($250 balance due for 1921; $500 for 1922) .................. 750.00

Expenses of Representative to Young Woman’s Christian Association Biennial Conference .................. 65.00

Day of Prayer Material for two years ................................. 528.02

Distribution of Day of Prayer Offerings—
   Women’s Union Christian Colleges .................. $87.40
   Christian Literature for Women and Children in Mission Fields .................. 53.86
   Council of Women for Home Missions .............. 1.65

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Exchange on Canadian Checks ............................................. .20

----------- 1,036.46

$3,639.70

To the Federation of Woman’s Boards,

   c/o Foreign Missions of North America.

The Auditing Committee chose Mr. Edward E. Stevens of Boston as auditor, and he has submitted to us the following statement, the same being attached to the annual report of the Treasurer.

“I have examined the accounts of the Treasurer, verified the disbursements with vouchers, and certify that the foregoing statement is correct and that the balance of $1,036.46 is on deposit with the State Street Trust Company.

(signed) Edw. E. Stevens, Auditor.”

Boston, Mass., January 4, 1922.

(Mrs. Nathan R.) Isabel Warwick Wood, Chairman
Emma L. Bush,
Sophronia B. Rich.

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BUDGET FOR 1923

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON METHODS OF WORK

The work of this Committee has been largely carried this year, as last, through six departmental sub-committees, each of these headed by a specialist from one of the cooperating Boards.

Miss Carrie Kerschner (Ref., U. S.) the Department for Women's Work.
Miss Alma Noble (Bapt.) the Department for Young Women's Work.
Miss Ruth Seabury (Cong.) the Department for Children's Work.
Miss Emily Tillotson (Epis.) the Department for Missionary Education.
Mrs. E. T. Johnson (Disc.) the Department for Missionary Magazines.
Mrs. C. I. Fry (U. Luth.) the Department for General Missionary Literature, organization, promotion and finance.
Mrs. W. A. Montgomery has been a valuable advisory member of the committee. Miss Kerschner, Miss Noble, Miss Seabury and Mrs. Fry have each been developing the exchange literature plan with the respective Secretaries of the various Boards representing these four departments of work. Miss Kerschner reports that twenty-three Boards signified their intention of cooperating in the literature exchange, ten actually sent exchange packets. Miss Noble reports ten Boards cooperating through their Young Women's Secretaries. Mrs. Fry had worked out a very good system of exchange packets with twenty-four Boards and three interdenominational agencies. Unfortunately Mrs. Fry has been obliged to resign from the committee.

Despite the fact that this is the second year for this exchange of literature, we feel it is still in the experimental stage, for after all only a small number of Boards are cooperating, the method needs some adjusting and the results should be more definite and to some degree tabulated.

How much improvement of literature, as to subject matter and set up, how much exchange of editorial material and leaflets for the sales departments of the cooperating Boards has resulted we have no way of knowing.

Mrs. Johnson, we regret to report, was also obliged to resign in the early fall, so there is no report to make as to correspondence or cooperative effect between editors of the various missionary magazines.

Miss Tillotson has sent out a questionnaire to the Educational Departments of thirty-two cooperating Boards and has received twenty-one replies. The questionnaire follows:

1. (a) Has your Board any plans for securing at summer conferences the attendance of women who will fit themselves to be leaders of mission study classes?
   (b) In particular do you make definite effort to "promote" membership in the two hour normal classes offered at some of the conferences?

2. Does your Board plan training institutes for leaders of mission study classes in centers throughout your field?
3. Do you consider that missionary educational work has made progress during the past year?
   If so, please note in what respect.
   If not, what in your opinion is the cause?

4. Has the Church School of Missions been tried in your denomination?
   With what result?

5. What do you consider the most encouraging feature of your work during the past year?

6. Is there anything which the Federation can do to help your Board in carrying out its missionary educational plans?

As a result of the returns from the questionnaire sent out in 1921 and printed in the annual report for 1922, it was decided by the Executive Committee upon our recommendation to ask the cooperating Boards to assist in a limited literature exhibit at this annual meeting of the Federation, such an exhibit to include the study and promotional material for the study course on India, and also organization material for women's, young women's, young people's, and children's Missionary Societies, Guilds, Bands, etc., these exhibits to become the property of the Federation for loan purposes. Many of the cooperating Boards have cordially responded and have set up the posters in accordance with our instructions. The exhibit will be on display in connection with the annual meeting and we hope that careful study may be given this literature display, especially by Departmental Secretaries and Secretaries of Literature. We earnestly hope that as a result the display may prove suggestive for future exchanges, improvements, etc.

As a further return from the questionnaire there is unmistakable evidence that methods of work, in Women's Missionary Societies especially, are rather a hit-and-miss (largely miss) affair, and depend not so much on the promotional departments of the various Boards which seem to have few standards but on the varying ingenuity and efficiency, or inefficiency, of volunteer officers, state, district, and local.
Some effort was made last summer at summer schools and conferences to organize the material for the presentation of methods along the lines suggested in the questionnaire. Experienced leaders for better and more systematic method presentation are much needed for summer and winter conferences.

A movement is being sponsored by the Missionary Education Movement to make of their conferences post-graduate schools with a three-year cumulative course looking toward a diploma for the preparation of leaders for conference work.

As the time seems ripe for the standardization of Summer Schools of Missions, we would recommend:

I. That the Federation of Woman's Boards of Foreign Missions and the Council of Women for Home Missions consider a plan to set up a school or conference for the preparation of leaders for conference work lasting ten days to three weeks and held annually, or to see that such courses are included in some of the denominational or Union Bible or Training Schools, or to utilize the existing agencies as far as possible.

   Since there is great need for better presentation of methods of work and better training for lay leadership in all departments of missionary organizations, we further recommend:

II. That the standards of summer and winter schools of Missionary Education Movement Conferences—using missions and conferences be raised, the definite objective being the training of lay leadership. Two grades of schools are recommended, A and B, the A schools to be recognized as standardized for leader training.

The following are the standards suggested:

A-Grade Schools

1. To be affiliated with the Federation of Woman's Boards of Foreign Missions.

2. The managing Board or committee of these schools and conferences to be composed of representatives from different evangelical denominations appointed or approved by their respective Boards.
3. Curriculum: Offering a major and a minor subject, majors required, minors elective.
   a. Majors to include:
      (1) Bible study
      (2) Mission study
      (3) Methods of work for leaders of women, young women (Senior and Teen age) and children.
   
   b. Minors to include:
      (1) Lectures
          On the study books,
          Popular presentation of mission fields, etc.
      (2) Dramatics—Technique and practice.
      (3) Story telling—Technique and practice.
      (4) Any other features.
   
   a. Majors analyzed.
      (1) Bible Study—at least four courses such that they will be helpful in developing the devotional periods in the monthly or fortnightly missionary meetings of women, young women, teen age girls, and children.
      (2) Missionary Education.
          (a) Principles and methods of missionary education.
          (b) Graded missionary instruction.
          (c) Two-hour normal classes, group method of teaching for those who are to prepare to teach or promote study classes, and a sufficient number of classes so that not more than thirty are registered in each class.
              There should be classes of this type for the leaders who expect to teach
              (2) The Young Women's book.
              (3) The Teen Age book.
(d) One-hour classes may be offered in the study books, stressing subject matter, for those who do not expect to teach.

(3) Methods courses for leaders of women's missionary work.
   (a) Women's work.
   (b) Young Women's work.
   (c) Teen Age Girls' work.
   (d) Children's work.

This should be real training for officers, secretaries, promoters, and patronesses, by experts. Such courses are suggested as normal classes in Program Building, Stewardship Campaigns, Finance Methods, etc., etc.

b. Minors—Electives. See outline above.

4. Time.
   a. Length of conference.
      Seven to ten days if Sunday is included. One day for preliminaries, registration, opening sessions of classes, etc., followed by six full class sessions for each major.
   b. Length of recitation periods.
      Not less than fifty minutes.

5. Faculty.
   a. Teachers trained and accredited (by Boards or by diploma from some accredited training school or conference).
      Normal mission study teachers, experienced Bible teachers and method workers.
   b. A Dean who shall assist delegates in the selection of courses and who is kept in touch with class registration to see that all attend classes best adapted to their needs.
   c. A Registrar to supervise the records of registration by classes.
B-Grade Schools

1 and 2 same as A-grade.

3. Curriculum offered.
   a. Bible.
      At least one strong lecture course.
   b. Mission Study.
      (1) At least one two-hour normal class.
      (2) One-hour class in Foreign study book.
      (3) One-hour class in Home study book.
   c. Methods.
      (1) At least one course for women.
      (2) One for young women.
      (3) One for children's workers.
   d. Lectures.
      (1 and 2) One on each study book.
      (3) Popular presentation of missions.
   e. Dramatics.
   f. Story telling.
   g. Any other courses.

4. Time.
   a. Length of session.
      Six to six and one-half days.
   b. Length of class periods.
      Not less than forty-five minutes.

5. Faculty.
   a. Trained teachers.
   b. Accredited lecturers.
   c. Dean and Registrar if desired.

In addition to the above recommendations, Miss Tillotson offers the following recommendation which is, in a way, a corollary of the foregoing:

Since there is an advance in mission study in general, and in particular is there a growth reported in the study class conducted according to the discussion method, this fact makes more than ever important the problem of the training of
leaders. We already recognize the existence of this problem but perhaps have not been as yet sufficiently definite in our plans for meeting it. Therefore the following resolution is presented:

That all Women's Missionary Societies endeavor to promote attendance at summer conferences of those women who will be willing to fit themselves to be leaders of study classes and that in order to carry out this purpose more effectively, we suggest to such Societies the appointment of committees whose duty it shall be to promote attendance at summer conferences and at winter institutes of those who, in the judgment of the committee members, are best adapted for the duty of leadership—and that in particular an earnest effort be made by the committee to discover and to send to conferences, either through the creation of scholarships or other means, persons who seem peculiarly fitted for the training offered in the two-hour normal classes which are a feature of the Missionary Education Movement and other conferences.

Mrs. Montgomery offers these recommendations:

I. Similar standards for summer schools and winter schools of missions.

II. An exchange list of speakers.

III. Time of schools and conferences so arranged in sequence that speakers could go from one school to another.

Miss Noble presents these pertinent recommendations for the improvement of young women's work:

Believing that the future efficiency of the Women's Societies can best be guaranteed by training the young women for leadership, the following recommendations are suggested as a means to that end:

I. A more decided emphasis on missionary educational features such as study classes, reading and theme contests, debates, story telling and declamations.

II. A corps of volunteer, unsalaried secretaries in every county, state and district, in order to develop leaders and conserve expense.
III. Industrial work to form contacts with missionaries on the field, and as an expression of personal service.

IV. A concerted effort to encourage stewardship of time and ability, as well as tithers of income.

V. Recreational features, such as summer schools, weekend state rallies, house parties and hikes.

VI. Greater dependence upon prayer and less upon machinery.

Miss Kerschner suggests these recommendations:

I. That all Boards respond as early in the study year as possible with the exchange, so that duplication in printed matter may be avoided.

II. That the exchange of the Department of Finance be developed to a greater degree.

III. That denominational schools of missions and institutes for the training of leaders be more widely established.

IV. That the Boards endeavor to increase the circulation of the Missionary Review of the World.

V. That the Boards encourage their constituency to send for publication in the Missionary Review of the World any new and successful methods used in local societies.

We report further work done along these lines:

1. Lectures on methods of work, class periods and demonstrations have been included in practically all the summer school programs. Members of this committee have given many weeks to summer schools and have assisted program committees in building programs and in securing teachers and leaders.

2. City and community institutes have grown in number and popularity over those of last year, which was a banner year for this type of work.

3. Increasing demand for normal study classes at Summer Schools of Missions, in districts, city institutes and churches, and an encouraging growth in Church Schools of Missions.
Recommendations Regarding Children's Work

1. That the various committees on Summer Conferences and Schools be asked to lay greater emphasis than at present on methods, in missionary education for children (especially the psychology of teaching children), rather than so great an emphasis on the text-book for children in any given year.

2. That we urge upon the Boards the great importance of the Summer Conference as a means of solving the problem of leader training; and that we suggest to them the desirability of sending to the Schools (and urging the churches to send) some experienced leaders of children, rather than exclusively representatives of women's societies and very young people.

3. That we call to the attention of the Boards the high standard of excellence of those interdenominational schools which specialize in the graded program and urge upon them the value of making greater use of such schools for our children's work,—notably the fine school of the Missionary Education Movement at Silver Bay.

4. Believing that there is at present too great and confusing a variety in the terminology for leaders, we recommend the adoption of the standard terms for grading now generally in use both in city schools and in religious education, such as the following: Cradle Roll, Beginners, Primary, Juniors, Intermediate, Senior, Young People and Adult; and that these terms apply to the same groups of ages as those to which they apply in the standard Church Schools or Sunday Schools.

5. We find a wide difference in the quality of Cradle Roll material now in use in the various denominations and we would therefore recommend that the Boards be advised to place greater emphasis on the place of the mother of the cradle roll baby in Missionary Education than on the place of the baby.

6. Inasmuch as the Week-Day Session of the Sunday School Department has thoroughly demonstrated its value in the religious and missionary training of the child, we recommend that the Federation go on record as favoring, and call to the attention of its constituent Boards, the Week-Day Session Plan as the best possible method of incorporating missionary education in the all-round development of our boys and girls.
7. Since a study of the literature provided by our denom­
national organizations brings to light a lack of simple dramatic
productions for children, which could be used to arouse inter­
est in the people of other nations, we recommend that the
Boards make more use of the dramatic instinct in the mission­
ary education of children and that if feasible some materials
be published co-operatively, for this purpose.

8. In view of the fact that a large body of excellent and
most attractive and for the most part highly educational mate­
rial for children has been produced for us by the Missionary
Education Movement and the Central Committee, there seems
no longer a need for the often uneducational and less suitable
materials for study which in the past we have often been
obliged to offer independently to our denominations. We would
therefore recommend that the Boards be urged to make more
definite use of and give greater publicity to the materials issued
each year interdenominationally, and depend largely upon their
own independent productions for the bulk of educational pro­
gram material offered to children's societies, clubs and classes.

9. In view of the success of the Exchange of Literature
conducted this past year, we would recommend its continuance
with this additional provision: that we urge the Children's
Secretaries of the Boards whenever feasible to pass on the
manuscripts of prospective leaflets, etc., before they are printed
in order that joint or imprint editions might be obtained by
other Boards. This would mean the following detailed ar­
rangements:

1. The representative of Children's Work on the Meth­
ods Committee would need to act as agent of distribution.

2. Manuscripts would have to be circulated with the
greatest promptness and a time limit set after which no
orders could be received.

3. The cost of manifolding and distribution should be
added to the cost of producing the leaflets.

4. Only materials which were of no decided denom­
national flavor or value should be distributed.

Respectfully submitted,

(MRS. E. H.) KATHERINE V. SILVERTHORN, Chairman.
REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INTERDENOMINATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ON THE FOREIGN FIELD

The report of this Committee is one which represents no direct contact with our interdenominational institutions in the Orient, for it has nothing to do with the conduct or control of any of these schools, except as its members serve on other committees as representatives of their respective Boards.

It will be apparent to the various Boards, as it has been for several years to the Executive Committee of the Federation and to this sub-committee in particular, that if possible some closer affiliation should exist between the Federation and the Committees charged with the conduct of these Union Oriental Institutions, which are also composed of members appointed by the Boards to represent them.

This Committee would put itself on record as more firmly convinced than ever before that, for the Orient today, the solution not only of many of the problems of Eastern womanhood but also of the nations as a whole, is inextricably bound up with this effort to establish the best possible institutions for the higher education of women.

With the women of India marching the streets in the interest of their rights, with Japan struggling for universal suffrage and sending its women representatives around the world to study the suffrage of other lands and with the women of China taking a prominent share in all the Student Movements, the importance and the urgency of our Union work is self evident.

To wait may mean to lose our opportunity; to lose may mean a lack of Christian women leaders in the national movements of this new day; the lack may mean more of an international muddle than exists at the present time.

This year has been a notable one because of the continued Campaign for funds for buildings and equipment for the seven Women's Union Christian Colleges in the Orient. The final results of this Campaign are to be given by Mrs. Henry W. Peabody, the Chairman of the Campaign Committee, who has devoted all her strength and time in the effort to secure the
full amount desired of $3,000,000. Mention should also be made of the untiring efforts of Dr. Ida Scudder, of the Woman’s Medical School at Vellore, who has been in this country for a period of so-called rest and recuperation.

Whether or not the treasurer’s books show the receipts in full as desired on January 31, 1923, this fact remains that these seven Union Colleges have been heralded throughout the year in city and town, village and hamlet alike, until their needs have sung themselves into the hearts of women from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast. It is a far cry from the well appointed hotel luncheon of fashionable, wealthy city women to the group of farmers’ wives, in the tiny village, around the old coal stove where they toast their toes and quietly vote to have their share in the upbuilding of these colleges; or, from the comfortable limousine, smooth pavements and warm, carpeted church parlor to the old Ford runabout, country ruts and snow and bare floors of the half-heated vestry—the interest is there and many have been the simple prayers of those who had little to give, matching the gifts of those whom God has richly blessed.

Yenching College, Peking, China
Founded 1905. Four Boards Co-operating
Sister College in America, Wellesley

With the welcomed return of Mrs. Frame, in February, the college has all of the nine foreign members of its faculty. It has, also, had a staff of five Chinese teachers in addition to the services of a number of instructors in special subjects. Prof. Kendall of Wellesley is expected to return to Yenching and Prof. Kendrick, head of the department of Biblical History at Wellesley, will give courses during the second semester of this year.

The enrollment for the year ending June, 1922, was 106. Through a generous scholarship fund of $4,000, from Mrs. Crane, the wife of our former American Minister, at least
fifteen young women have been given an opportunity to secure the needed training to become teachers and community workers. The College Y. W. C. A. has had a larger number in its voluntary Bible classes, and the students made a liberal contribution to the Home Mission work in the province of Yunnan.

In September began the first co-operation with the Peking Union Medical College when their new classes for pre-nursing were received.

Yenching has been happy this year to welcome as its guests Mrs. Avann, Chairman of the College Committee, and Miss Margaret Hodge of the Northern Presbyterian Board and a member of the Joint Committee, has also been a guest of the college.

Ginling has also had a happy year in anticipation of a removal in the near future, from the present cramped quarters, to the attractive, new site facing Purple Mt. where six buildings are now in process of erection. Ginling continues to struggle with the problem of securing adequate and permanent Chinese members of the faculty—a problem which doubtless will be solved as the numbers of college and university trained Chinese increase.

Founders’ Day was celebrated as usual in November, a stately college capped and gowned processional, the scholarly addresses and the student banquet, with Miss Margaret Hodge as one of the speakers. The Christian activities of the college have been maintained throughout the year and a strong, evangelistic spirit has marked the work of the students both within and without the college. In May, the students gave a fine Health Welfare exhibit. The record daily attendance was 3,000 and it was estimated that 10,000 people heard the lectures and demonstrations given by the faculty and students.
The outstanding event of the year has been the gift of $3,500 (Mexican), for an outdoor gymnasium from General Lu Hsiang, Military Governor of the Province of Chekiang. He is the first Chinese official in Hangchow to give as large an amount as this to missionary work in China. General Lu did not make the gift with any thought that it would be a memorial to himself, but has reluctantly consented to the request of the Alumnae Association of the school that it be named the Lu Yang Hsiang Gymnasium.

This High School has an enrollment of over three hundred and although a new dormitory is being erected, is sorely pressed for room for the accommodation of its students.

MEDICAL EDUCATION FOR WOMEN IN CHINA

In September Yenching entered upon its first co-operation with the Peking Union Medical College, which accepted their new classes for pre-nursing courses, one a short course, the other to lead to the degree of B.S. in Nursing. Some of Yenching's students will also begin the pre-medical course for the P. U. M. C. and the promised co-operation of the China Medical Board should enable our Woman's College to give better preparation than in the past.

As for the North China Medical School, whose future has for so long hung in the balance, the Methodist and Presbyterian Boards have just voted approval of the plan to move the school from Peking to Tsinan Fu and to co-operate with the Shantung Christian University. The interdenominational committee has only recently been organized, so that there is very little further to report at this time.

The question of the establishment of a Medical College for Women in Shanghai is still pending. The Margaret William-
son Hospital, however, and the Training School for Nurses has had a successful year. One cause for great rejoicing has been the gift of $25,000 (gold) for the much needed Nurses’ Home and the promise of a large building from the Woman’s Missionary Council of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, in memory of Miss Belle H. Bennett, for so many years their beloved leader.

**Woman's Union College, Tokyo, Japan**

Founded 1918. Six Boards Co-operating

Sister College in America, Vassar

We have the great news of the first graduating class of sixty-six girls in Tokyo Union College. This means much to Japan. Last year one hundred twenty girls were refused admittance for lack of room, and this year two-thirds of all applicants were turned away. The college has received a large gift from Baron Mitsui, Baron Shibusawa, Mr. Asano, head of the steamship line, and other prominent men who believe that this Woman’s Christian College is to be one of the great forces in the new Japan.

Among the interesting events of the year is the publication of the college paper, “The Shuttle,” which made its first appearance in November, and the beginning of the permanent buildings on the new site. The alumnae have pledged yen 5,000 to furnish the students’ rooms. The college library is growing and now contains 2,028 English volumes and 2,091 Japanese volumes. The college has two major problems, in addition to its need for buildings and equipment. One is how to hold first class Christian teachers in view of the high salaries paid elsewhere, and how to found a real college on the standards at present existing in the schools of secondary education.
ISABELLA THOBURN COLLEGE, LUCKNOW, INDIA

Affiliated with the University of Allahabad, 1886

The college is now the Woman's Department of the University of Lucknow and is the only Woman's College in the Province. The Teacher Training department fills a great need. Eighty-five students are in attendance this year with the prospect of a larger increase as soon as the new buildings are ready. The first unit of buildings is well under way on the new compound and through the College Campaign a hospital has been pledged to the college. Miss Elizabeth Moore of India, who took her Master's degree in America last year, has returned and is now its Vice-Principal. Another Indian young woman, Miss Thillyampalam, is studying in Columbia and will return to a teacher's place in the college.

WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN COLLEGE, MADRAS, INDIA

Founded 1913. Twelve Boards Co-operating

Sister College, Mt. Holyoke

Miss Edith Coon, Vice-President of the Madras Christian College, is now in this country. She speaks of the desperate need of the new science building. The chapel for the college has been provided by one woman.

The outstanding news from Madras is the action of the Government in asking the college to take over the Teacher's Training College which they are glad to do. It will begin in a small way in Hanson's Garden, the land formerly known as Naboth's vineyard, $15,000 is urgently needed for this beginning to pay off the mortgage and give the equipment. The college still maintains its high record and has carried off many of the honors given by Madras University in competition with the men's colleges. A body of one hundred and thirty-three students might easily be increased if we could provide the new dormitory.
Class Day at Vellore, 1922! Fourteen young Indian women going up for their final examinations after four years of strenuous medical study makes a news item.

The Surgeon General of Madras gave the prizes and in an interesting address, reported in the Madras Mail of March 30, said he would speak as an administrator: “The Vellore School is already a success.” In the first place all the students are residents; second, he noted the large proportion of teachers to those taught; and third, it is a success because it was founded and guided by Dr. Ida Scudder. He felt that medicine offers a prospect of much success for women, in fact, he argued that the whole profession of medicine ought to be turned over to women, just as the nursing profession had been given to them.

Fourteen new medical workers, prepared at small cost, ready for work among their own people indicates the vast possibilities of this medical school, if we can complete its equipment, and admit hundreds of students who are now being turned away for lack of room. The bungalows, temporarily rented in which the students have been living, had to be vacated by a certain date. To finish one group of the new buildings in time for the emergency, shifts of workmen were organized, night work made possible by powerful lights—no easy task in a town with no electric light plant. The building, however, was complete the very last night.

Nellie G. Prescott.
REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUMMER SCHOOLS AND CONFERENCES

These schools and conferences are real factors in the religious and missionary education of the Church. Hundreds who attend these conferences return to their home churches with new vision and renewed faith and confidence.

In some of these conferences a room was set aside as a prayer room, and many problems were solved through united prayer.

NOTES FROM A FEW SCHOOLS

Northfield

The Nineteenth session of the Northfield Summer School of Foreign Missions was held July 12-19, 1922, with a large attendance of 1,164; of whom 719 were in camps. The courses offered included four Bible classes, four Methods classes, five Mission Study classes, and a Story Hour for children.

The Mission Study theme for the conference was India, and sixteen missionaries from that country were present.

An "illustrated" address on Union Colleges was given by Mrs. Henry W. Peabody, who surprised and delighted her audience with an unexpected presentation; "moving pictures" they might properly be called, as they were Oriental students from Christian Colleges, studying in the United States, who made short addresses.

Miss Edith Coon, Vice-President of the Madras Christian College for Women, and Dr. Ida S. Scudder, head of Vellore Medical School, India, spoke of their work. As a token of appreciation of the work done by Dr. Scudder in establishing the School, the Northfield Conference started a fund to build a chapel, contributing $1,678.77.
The Missionary Rally was an inspiring meeting, with 33 missionaries present, representing Africa, Arabia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Palestine, South America and Turkey, aggregating 431 years of service.

The Camp girls presented "The Flaming Torch," portraying "Those Eager to Serve" receiving a vision of opportunity and pledging themselves to "follow the gleam."

An Overseas Sewing Exhibit and a Poster Exhibit were features of the Conference. Two $25 prizes were awarded to the best posters on the study books, "Building with India," and "Lighted to Lighten."

Eight stars were added to the Northfield Service Flag. The missionaries whom they represented go to five countries and represent five denominations.

MINNESOTA

From Northfield have sprung many conferences. Winona is one of these. In the heart of a woman of God who could not attend the Winona conference was born the thought, "Why could not we have such a school here at Lake Minnetonka?"

"The first session was held in 1907 in a tent at Lake Minnetonka, with a faculty of local, volunteer women, an attendance of less than one hundred and an admission fee of ten cents a day.

"After three years it was thought that the school would be of greater value to more women if it were moved to the twin cities, and since that time it has occupied a church midway between St. Paul and Minneapolis. It then became legally incorporated, and its name was changed to 'Minnesota Summer School of Missions.'

"There are at present eight denominations united in this enterprise. At the session this year the attendance was nearly one thousand."
CHAMBERSBURG

“Master, we are ready
May we hear Thy call,
To the task Thou sendest
Be it great or small,—
Be it near or distant,—
Saviour, we will be,
Underneath Thy flaming cross,
Dedicate to Thee.”

This was sung first by the camp girls at the Wilson College Conference and it proved to be the prize song. Its rhythm and challenging thought soon caught and gripped them and then gripped them with its meaning.

Among the high lights of the conference was the moment when Mrs. Peabody led forward her “Lady of the Lamp,” for so she had seen her a decade ago coming out of the darkness of a South Indian night, to welcome a small group of round-the-world travelers. It was an ever to be remembered privilege to have the woman who is the President of the Medical College at Vellore, Dr. Ida Scudder, a conference guest.

There was also the Little School of Missions where the Chambersburg children gathered each morning under skilled leadership.

CHAUTAUQUA

Chautauqua stands first in numbers, 1,460 being enrolled. The President of the Chautauqua Institute arranged the chapters of the text book as so many lecture subjects, which were presented at the popular lecture hour in the great amphitheater. Reports of these lectures were given a great deal of space in the Assembly Herald, which shows that the lectures upon this topic of India were taken as news of the day.
Winona Lake

The Winona Lake Summer School has a very interesting Girls' Department. In all there were 320 girls and women registered. There were real results in consecration and determination to more faithful service.

Lake Geneva

At Lake Geneva School there were ninety-three girls present this summer, and forty-nine women. The girls take charge of the Vesper services. A number at the School responded for Christian service.

Lebanon

The Illinois-Missouri School, held at Lebanon, Ill., reports a helpful Conference. The instructors were an inspiration. A prayer group which met each morning accomplished great things.

Boulder

In response to a wide demand the School of Missions met at Boulder after a lapse of three years. There were 475 registrations and 15 denominations represented. One new and helpful feature was the Conference Hour. The camp of 50 girls is decidedly the strong feature of the Conference.

Mount Hermon

Mt. Hermon had a registration of 183. A beautiful pageant, "The Peace of India," written by Mrs. George Thomas to illustrate "Building with India," was given one evening.

Mountain Lake Park

Mountain Lake Park reports 104 registrations, with 10 denominations represented. In this report is emphasized the need for the cultivation of the missionary spirit throughout the Western Maryland and West Virginia section.
New Orleans

New Orleans reports a most successful Conference, with 203 registrations. The program was closed by the pageant, "The Bible in Many Tongues," making a strong appeal.

Oklahoma

Oklahoma reports an enrollment of 262, representing 12 denominations. One important feature of the program was an excellent talk given by a colored woman.

The basis of standardization as an ideal for affiliated schools is as follows:

I. A School of Missions or a Missionary Conference shall be affiliated with the Federation of Woman's Boards of Foreign Missions when, upon recommendation of the Committee on Summer Schools and Conferences, it is accepted and endorsed by the Executive Committee of the Federation.

II. The ideal for the standardization of Schools of Missions and Missionary Conferences shall be as follows:

1. Affiliation with the Federation of Woman's Boards of Foreign Missions.

2. The Managing Board or Committee of these Schools and Conferences be composed of representatives from different evangelical denominations appointed by their respective Boards.

3. Study—Bible.

4. Study—
   A. Popular presentation on text book.
   B. Normal class on text book.

5. Study—Methods.
The list of affiliated Schools as published in last year's report was incomplete. The following is the list brought up to date.

1. Northfield School of Missions—East Northfield, Mass.
2. Winona School of Missions—Winona Lake, Ind.
4. Chautauqua School of Missions—Chautauqua, N. Y.
5. Chambersburg School of Missions—Chambersburg, Pa.
6. Dallas School of Missions—Dallas, Tex.
7. Dixon School of Missions—Dixon, Ill.
8. Lebanon School of Missions—Lebanon, Ill.
10. Minnesota School of Missions—St. Paul-Minneapolis, Minn.
11. Los Angeles School of Missions—Los Angeles, Calif.
12. Mt. Hermon School of Missions—Mt. Hermon, Calif.
13. Oklahoma School of Missions—Oklahoma City, Okla.
14. St. Petersburg School of Missions—St. Petersburg, Fla.
15. Mountain Lake Park School of Missions—Mountain Lake Park, Md.
17. New Orleans School of Missions—New Orleans, La.
18. Lakeside School of Missions—Lakeside, O.
19. Houston School of Missions—Houston, Tex.
20. Kerrville School of Missions—Kerrville, Tex.

Of this list, the last mentioned was affiliated this past year. It is under the direction of the “Woman’s Interdenominational Missionary Union of Baltimore and Vicinity.” In addition to these Schools, whose managing Boards are composed of representatives from different denominations, there is a large number of denominational missionary conferences.

Our Executive Committee voted that at our Conferences special emphasis should be placed on the deepening of the spiritual life, leading up to a decision meeting for young people, and that special reference be made to the spiritual qualifications of missionary candidates.

(MRS. J. HARVEY) ALICE M. BORTON.

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON STUDENT WORK

One year ago the Federation's Committee on Student Work merged itself into a new organization called The Federated Student Committee, which included besides the old Committee those other agencies of the various churches doing work among women students, together with certain departments of the Y. W. C. A. and the Student Volunteer Movement.

This new Committee served to unify the whole approach to women students and to impart to all of us the strength of fellowship.

We have adopted regular times for meeting—the second Friday in February, May, September and December. Miss Helen Bond Crane has been our efficient secretary securing in the office of the Student Volunteer Movement the stenographic help necessary for mimeographing and mailing our minutes to a large list of Board women interested in Student work.

It is our purpose to make these minutes full enough to be of value to distant Boards. We have reported echoes from the North American Student Conference held in January, the Foreign Missions Conference at Atlantic City, the Home Missions Council, the initial conference of the Student Fellowship for Christian Life Service, the Y. W. C. A. Convention at Hot Springs, the Presbyterian Young Women's Conference in Chicago and each of the nine Student Summer Conferences where our Boards were represented.

The Federation was represented by the Chairman of the Student Committee at the National Convention of the Y. W. C. A. in Hot Springs, April 20-27th. At that assembly the students voted unanimously that the presentation of the Union Colleges of the Orient should receive their co-operation and funds.

In order to bring a closer tie between student workers in the North and South it has been suggested that we might work together through this Committee and Team visitations.
Four major topics have concerned us at each quarterly meeting.

I. **Student Summer Conferences**

We have been privileged this year in having the Conference Department of the Y. W. C. A. represented at each meeting so that we were kept in touch with program and plans for these Conferences as they were being formed. The Conference Department has been increasingly eager to provide for adequate time to be given to the presentation of the Church.

The omission of both Bible and Mission Study from these Conferences has concerned us most vitally, for in the colleges also there is seemingly a corresponding decrease in study classes. The Student Volunteer Movement has made a special study of these facts. There are fewer study groups than in former years, but students are promoting other phases of missionary education which did not exist in the old days—such as poster campaigns, stereopticon lectures, missionary pageants, definite promotion of missionary literature and the printing of missionary news and articles in the columns of college papers.

At one of our meetings we clearly saw that "To meet the need of students today it is necessary for the Church and Boards and Association to work more closely together and to work out a united program for students."

To this end it was recommended:

1. That there be a larger emphasis on the Church in the whole Association program in order to prepare students for service in the Church after college.
2. That Board representatives be used in a larger way, not only in the conduct and preparation of Conferences but that they also be represented on committees preparing for conferences.
3. That there be emphasis in summer conferences on some form of Bible study and a World Fellowship program which, however broad in its approach, shall definitely lead to a missionary educational program in college.
II. Team Visitations

Team visitations this year have become a very real factor in our work. Requests have come from the Women's Colleges and State Universities, practically every section of the country asking that Church secretaries come at the same time thus making a real impact on the college. Thus the series of visits initiated during this year indicate a new movement in co-operation and a new object lesson in Church unity.

Visits were made in the spring to the University of Chicago, Wellesley, New Hampshire State College and Smith. Arrangements were made for extensive team visitations from October to December 10th. On the Pacific Coast headed by Miss Agnes Hall and Miss Florence Tyler, a team composed of several denominational representatives visited six State Colleges and Universities.

In the middle west a team visited the University of West Virginia, University of Chicago, Beloit, Knox and Indiana University. In every case the Y. W. C. A. made the local arrangements through its Field and Local Secretaries. In the East the visits to Cornell, Smith, Holyoke, Wellesley and Syracuse reached high water mark owing to thorough preparations. In some cases there have been as many as six denominational secretaries in the team.

In each visit the days were full and the programs included mass meetings, conferences with church pastors, talks with Life Work and Student Volunteer groups, vocational forums, luncheons, dinners with Advisory Boards and at sorority houses and dormitories, and in addition to the work on the campus, talks to Christian Endeavorers and Young Peoples societies. In every instance where Presidents and Deans were interviewed they joined with the faculty, students, ministers and Association secretaries in a unanimous opinion that for State Colleges and Universities team visitation was the thing.
III. Union Colleges of the Orient

The campaign in the colleges for the three million dollar Endowment Fund has been pushed by this committee just as far as it had power or opportunity. It has presented its appeal through every agency which is in touch with college life. A ten cent per student plan has been urged both in spring and fall letters. We have emphasized the urgent need and the special Laura Spellman Rockefeller offer, also seeking to lay permanent foundations of interest and giving which will, we trust, bear fruit for many student generations. We have issued two bulletins of 10,000 each and circulated them in the colleges and conferences. A beginning has been made to include the Canadian colleges in our program.

Now that we have an Executive Secretary in the Federation, we hope to obtain a more accurate list of colleges contributing regularly, and by persistent correspondence to enlarge this list until every college shall have a true knowledge of Eastern conditions and respond to its international responsibility.

The annual appeal at Smith College for its $3,000 for Ginling was carried out with the same careful preparation, originality and enthusiasm as characterized last year’s drive. Smith has a unique plan of inviting its missionary alumnae to participate in “missionary week” by being guests of the college at this time. This year Dr. Lora G. Dyer of China, Miss Adelaide Dwight of Turkey, Miss Clara Loomis of Japan and Miss Frederica Mead of Ginling were with them in this capacity. They lived in campus houses, were entertained by different groups for luncheons and dinners, were given a tea and had opportunity on Sunday evening to talk about their work while the girls asked questions.
IV. Work Among Farm and Cannery Migrant Groups

This interesting object has been chosen by the Council of Women for Home Missions and endorsed by our committee as fitting project for student service and gifts.

In passing on the chairmanship of this committee after two years of strenuous but happy service I wish to express my deep gratitude to God and to the Federation for the inspiration it has been to us.

(Mrs. D. J.) Elizabeth Cole Fleming, Chairman.

Report of Committee on Christian Literature for Women and Children in Mission Fields

The year has brought great encouragement to your Committee. The Woman's Boards, while not able in every case to make the advance in gifts for which the Committee asked at the beginning of the year, have shown an understanding and a sympathy which have been most heartening. Individual friends have cheered us on the way with generous donations and words of appreciation. Unusual opportunity has come to us to make known the needs of the work and the wonderful openings abroad. For each and all of these blessings we are thankful.

The story of the two sisters who decided not to give Christmas presents to each other this year and who sent instead a check for $2,000 to the treasurer of this Committee "in order that their sisters in the Orient might have more joy," is well known to most of you through the bulletin of the Federation in the January number of the Missionary Review of the World. The Woman's American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society, in addition to its regular grant of $300 has made an offering from its Jubilee Fund of $1,000. We have also been gladened by a very generous gift of $1,000 from the Central Committee to be expended for our work in India.
Because of these large and extra amounts we are able to report, if we include the balance from 1921, $6,455.42 for our pledged work. Of this sum $1,000 is being held for the much needed magazine for Latin American women, an enterprise Miss Clementina Butler is eager to launch the coming year, provided she can secure the needed $4,000 additional. She has already enlisted the editorial assistance of Miss Helen Grace Murray of Mexico for this project.

The treasurer's statement will be found in detail at the close of this report.

Through the kindness of the Committee in charge of the Northfield Foreign Missionary Conference, we were given in July, an entire evening session in which to set forth the work of the Committee. We were fortunate in having as the chief speaker Miss Laura White of Shanghai. Miss Thillyampalam, a student from the Isabella Thoburn College, added much to the occasion. A beautiful new poster by Harold Copping, published by the English Christian Literature Society, was shown at this session. These may be obtained at one dollar each through Mr. Franklin Cogswell of the Missionary Education Movement, 150 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

As we turn to the story of the year on the field we are abashed at the knowledge which confronts us of the marvelous multiplying power of God's grace, as He receives our poor efforts and small gifts and through these releases power which makes light and true knowledge in many a dark place. Mrs. MacGillivray, with a very small and inadequately paid staff in Shanghai, has accomplished marvels. *Happy Childhood* is now printed in a monthly edition of 10,500, and is going all over China. We were able to send her an extra grant of $300 for free copies and she writes that these are being sent to the very borderland of Thibet and even into Thibet itself. We have also been sending out each month with *Happy Childhood*, a small phonetic paper called *Happy People's Paper*, a name which as Mrs. MacGillivray remarks "is more a prophecy than
a fact." A new calendar has been printed with a beautiful picture of the Good Shepherd. Five thousand of these have already been sold. In addition to this we have aided in the preparation of six small books, among them a life of Helen Keller. We quote from a letter received from Mrs. MacGillivray in November:

"You will rejoice when I tell you that we have sold more Christian books this year than for many years. 'Happy Childhood' alone has sent out over one and one-half millions of pages. Cannot you see the Seed going by post, steamship, by houseboat, by barge, by wheelbarrow,—north, south, east and west? The Seed of the Kingdom of God?"

We try to visualize what it would mean to have no books, or only one a year, no magazines, or only one and that of the crudest kind. We cannot do it. Our lives so overflow that the poverty and limitations of these other lives, physically and mentally, do not reach us.

All this has been accomplished in China through the investment on the part of your Committee of the pitifully small sum of $800. It is, however, now necessary to give Mrs. MacGillivray the help of an assistant at an additional cost of $600 in 1923, or run the risk of losing her invaluable services, so freely and generously given as Editor-in-Chief of the Happy Childhood staff.

In India our dream of a magazine for school girls, and boys, too, modeled on the general lines of Everyland, is beginning to come true. The Treasure Chest, under the skilful editorial care of Miss Ruth E. Robinson of Bangalore, came into being in July and her first six months have shown what a beautiful and much needed thing has been accomplished. The price for this attractive Indian magazine is two rupees, about sixty-six cents. Already there are over 1,000 paid subscribers and from all parts of India Miss Robinson is receiving congratulations. We quote a few: "An Indian Christian mother writes: 'Just a few lines to congratulate you most heartily on the splendid get-up of The Treasure Chest. I am sure it is going to be the
The best magazine in India. We look for it eagerly, and my husband and I enjoy it as much as the children. We read every bit of it, and find every page interesting.' A Hindu teacher writes: ‘‘The Enchanted World’’ (the nature study section) is considered a precious jewel in The Treasure Chest. A more lovable, instructive and charming section could not have been imagined.’

The head of a school for Hindu boys writes: ‘I have long been looking for just such a magazine for the boys and girls of India. You have come forward to meet a long-felt want, and I must congratulate you on the great success you have already achieved.’

*The Treasure Chest* is now published in English but it is hoped and expected that at least two editions in the vernaculars will be started in 1923, at a cost of $300 for each edition. Marathi, Urdu, Hindi and Bengali are the language areas most needing this "Treasure." For this piece of work only $1,000 has been given, but Miss Robinson writes: ‘To make this magazine as useful as it can be, at least $1,500 will be needed in 1923, and it will be an enormous relief to me to know I could depend on your Committee for that sum.’ Of this $1,500 because of the Jubilee Fund of the Baptist Board we have been able to forward already $500 of the amount asked. We shall now be able to make the extra grant because of the gift of the Central Committee.

The $1,000 pledged to the Japan Christian Literature Society for the completion of the Memorial volume of Dr. Hurlbut’s "Story of the Bible" for Japanese mothers has been sent forward, also the money for our other work in Japan, *Aino Hikari*.

Thus, while your Committee has not attained its budget of $10,000 adopted for 1922, it is able to report the best year financially which it has ever had. But as we read the reports and letters from those who are giving themselves so unreservedly to the carrying on of the work of the Committee abroad, the uppermost feeling is one of deep humiliation that so little has been done.
Will you not take a message from this report to those who do not know of the deep and bitter hunger of the minds of these Christian women on the Mission Field? For “if the women at home know they will care and if they care they will pray, and if they both care and pray then they will give.”

ALICE M. KYLE, Chairman.

Note: Literature giving the pledged work of the Committee and the latest bulletin from the fields, also a program for Christian Literature meetings, will be sent to all desiring it, for the cost of mailing, on application to Miss M. H. Leavis, West Medford, Mass., or to the Chairman, 14 Beacon St., Boston. It is in the plan of the Committee to hold a series of meetings in various central cities in the spring, this having been deferred in 1922 because of the Campaign for the Union College Fund.

ALICE M. KYLE, Treasurer

account with

THE COMMITTEE ON CHRISTIAN LITERATURE FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN MISSION FIELDS

For the Year Ending January 3, 1922

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand, January 5, 1922 ........................................ $1,731.52

Contributions from Boards

Woman's American Baptist F. M. S. ...................... $1,300.00
Woman's Bd. of F. M., Christian Church........ 50.00
Woman's Board of Missions, Congregational........ 294.00
Woman's Miss. Council, M. E. Church, South........ 150.00
Woman's Bd. of F. M., Pres. Church in U. S. A. ...... 500.00
Woman's Bd. of F. M., Ref. Church in America ...... 75.00
Woman's Mission Union, Reformed Church in America, Classes of Westchester .................... 25.00
Woman's M. U., Ref. Church in the U. S.............. 25.00

From Other Organizations

Central Committee on the United Study of Foreign Missions ............................................. 1,000.00
National Board of the Y. W. C. A .................... 250.00
Fed. of Women's Miss. Soc., Concord, N. H ... 25.00
Jubilee Continuation Committee, Methods Com­mittee .................................................... 80.00 3,774.00

Individual Gifts

Two Friends, a Christmas offering ....................... 2,000.00
Congregational Friend ................................... 100.00
Other individual gifts, and gifts from local societies .................. 242.95
Receipts from the United Day of Prayer ..................... 53.86
Proceeds from Sale of Christian Literature Program ....... 15.60
Interest on Deposits .................................... 37.49

$7,955.42

Note: In justice to the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, North, it should be stated that the entire support of Miss Ruth E. Robinson, editor of The Treasure Chest, and of Miss Laura M. White of Shanghai, who gives all her time to the production of Christian Literature, is given by this Board.
EXPENDITURES

CHINA, balance of 1922 grant for "Happy Childhood" ........................................ $500.00
Salary of Chinese Assistant ........................................ 300.00
Individual Gift for free copies of "Happy Childhood" ........................................ 10.00
Extra Grant for "Happy Childhood" ...................... 300.00 $1,110.00

JAPAN, grant for 1922 for "Aino Hikari".............. $300.00
To complete translation in Japanese of Dr. Hurlbut's "Story of the Bible" .............. 1,000.00 1,300.00

INDIA, one-half grant for "The Treasure Chest". $500.00
Grant for 1923 for "The Treasure Chest"........ 1,000.00 1,500.00
Paid to General Committee on Christian Literature for work in India ........................................ 1,000.00
Printing, postage and expense of travel ....................... 262.30

Balance on hand January 3, 1922 ...................... 2,783.12

$5,172.30
$7,955.42

AUDITOR'S STATEMENT

I have examined the accounts of the Committee on Christian Literature for Women and Children in Mission Fields, verified the disbursements with vouchers and found them all correct, and that the balance in the Old Colony Trust Company, Boston, is $2,783.12.

Alice B. Cook, Auditor.

Boston, January 3, 1923.
Report of the
CENTRAL COMMITTEE ON THE UNITED STUDY
OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

The Central Committee is glad to report a successful year, its twenty-third in the publication of books.

The subject was India, and at the request of the Missionary Education Movement the Committee united in issuing "Building with India," the more advanced study book by Rev. D. J. Fleming, D.D., who brought to his task personal experience as a missionary in India and rare ability as a teacher. The book has sold, through the efforts of the Central Committee, 86,377 copies.

It was found necessary to provide a somewhat simpler and more concrete book for women's and young women's societies seeking program material. Miss Alice B. Van Doren consented to write "Lighted to Lighten," which has proved admirable for its purpose. 32,289 copies have been sold. The chapters on the three colleges in India, Isabella Thoburn, Madras and the Medical School in Vellore, have been a help in the campaign for the Woman's Union Christian Colleges in the Orient.

The Committee, in its joint plans with the Missionary Education Movement, agreed that the Junior study book for the twelve year age groups should be prepared and published by the Missionary Education Movement, while the Central Committee would assume responsibility for the book for very little ones. Miss Amelia Josephine Burr was asked to write the "Child Garden in India," a charming collection of verses illustrated in color. It will stand as a classic for little children. Several requests have come from song writers and from denominational periodicals to use some of the verses. As it was an expensive publication it was protected by copyright. We hope our Boards will help to get it into the hands of mothers and teachers.

The Central Committee, at the request of many of its constituency, will resume the publication of the Junior Study book.
FOR 1923-24

We have agreed with the Missionary Education Movement to study Japan. The Junior book is now in press. It is *The Honorable Japanese Fan*, by Margaret Applegarth. It will meet the needs of the twelve-year-old Junior, while for the very little ones we have imported a small edition of the English book, "Taro," with its lovely colored illustrations.

**THE BOOK FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS**

Miss Charlotte DeForest, President of Kobe College, has written *The Woman and the Leaven in Japan*. Miss DeForest's knowledge of Japan and her love for her adopted country do not prevent her seeing conditions to be corrected.

The "How to Use" for Miss DeForest's book will be prepared by Miss Gertrude Schultz, and the "Suggestions to Junior Leaders," by Miss Applegarth.

**THE SENIOR OR ADVANCED STUDY BOOK**

*Creative Forces in Japan*, by Galen Fisher, gives an admirable background for the woman's book.

**THE STUDY FOR 1924-25**

The subject will be China. Mrs. Gamewell is writing this book which will treat of the beginnings and growth of a composite Mission Station. It will be an intensive study of mission work in China, by an experienced missionary.

**SUPPLEMENTARY LITERATURE**

The brief space of a study book does not allow for full emphasis on the actual missionary work carried on by the various Boards in any country. We urge that each Board secure a full and attractive set of leaflets which will emphasize their own church work in its various departments.
# STATEMENT OF LITERATURE DEPARTMENT FOR
## 1922 ANNUAL REPORT

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Balance on hand... ................................................ **15,125.23**

**Alic e B. Cook, Treasurer.**

## FINANCIAL REPORT

Miss M. H. Leavis, who has carried the work of our little office in West Medford, gives to all its details devoted and faithful attention. We have been fortunate to secure as treasurer, Mrs. Frank Gaylord Cook, who was willing to serve if Miss Leavis could give attention to the details of office.

The accounts have been examined and audited by Miss Sarah Louise Day, and the certificates are held by the Central Committee which has approved this report.
It was voted that in view of the balance due to the increased price for our books, 50 cents in paper and 75 cents in cloth, which makes all study books uniform in price, the Committee protect itself for the future against conditions which prevailed during and after the war and that it invest $10,000 in Liberty Bonds, as a capital fund, the interest to be used as needed and such part of the principal as might be required in a time of stringency, the principal to be returned and the capital fund to be held at $10,000.

The Committee also took pleasure in voting, as the result of economical management, the following sums: $1,000 to International Missionary Council; $1,000 for Christian Literature through the chairman, Miss Alice M. Kyle; $500 to the Federation for the salary of Secretary; $500 for Missionary Review of the World.

Report of “Everyland”

This magazine which was discontinued with the cessation of Interchurch activities knocked at the door of the various committees, but no one would undertake to mother it until the Central Committee decided that this little child should not die. It was a case of suspended circulation only. The Interchurch authorities had paid to Mrs. Cook the amount it considered due the magazine, secured in part from $100 gifts from women paid to the Interchurch. Mrs. Cook, treasurer of the Federation, was to hold this fund until arrangements could be made to publish the magazine and at least make good the subscriptions paid for by thousands of children. Miss Leavis consented to serve as business manager at a nominal salary, $400, and the Chairman of the Central Committee, with great hesitation, accepted the position of editor-in-chief, on condition that certain associates could be secured.
Statement of "Everyland"

Receipts
Balance on hand, January 1, 1922 ........................................ $105.97
Received—Mrs. Cook, Treasurer ........................................ 8,211.24
Subscriptions ................................................................. 8,388.97
Interest on deposit ......................................................... 1.99

Total Receipts ...................................................................... $16,708.17

Expenditures
Department editors, copy and expenses .......................... $1,760.90
Authors, including serials ............................................... 753.00
Rent: West Medford, $180; Boston, $352.05 ................ 532.05
Salaries: Leavis, $400; Burnham, $260 ......................... 660.00
Clerks, subscription stenographer ..................................... 956.10
Printing, photographs, designs and magazines ............. 8,195.97
Other printing, including advertising ............................ 1,334.43
Photographs .................................................................... 141.50
Engraving ....................................................................... 642.58
Cards for card catalogue ............................................... 11.25
Wrappers ........................................................................ 200.10
Addressing wrappers (outside office) ......................... 107.50
Office supplies ................................................................. 12.13
Miscellaneous: typewriter repairs, copyright. .......... 35.65
P. O. envelopes, postals, etc. (correspondence and advertising) .......... 260.24
General postage and express .......................................... 256.77
Mailing magazines:
Vermont—Printing and postage .................................... $197.16
West Medford—Postage .................................................. 152.22
Labor—Wrapping ............................................................ 61.38
Paste ............................................................................ 14.00

Total Expenditures ......................................................... $16,284.93

Balance on hand, January 1, 1923 .................................. $423.24

The Central Committee holds the certificates of its auditor. Miss Sarah Louise Day. It was voted that the Committee be responsible for such bills as may require payment and for deficit on the magazine this year.

The list, with the 8,700 names cancelled, stands at approximately 7,000. Unless the Boards are willing to co-operate in pledging circulation we are hardly justified in continuing the magazine after this year. There is no other magazine of this type, though there are some papers and one or two magazines for a primary grade. We would suggest that each Board assume the task of securing a definite number of subscriptions. The magazine is making a reputation with magazine agencies and public libraries. We would like some definite action
taken by the Federation and by the Home Missions Council. Our Boards could, with very little effort, secure 40,000 subscriptions this year. Put it on all your literature lists; and have sample copies and posters at meetings and conventions; keep a standing advertisement in your magazine.

Shall we let die the one effort to give the children in our homes bright, attractive literature in the interests of Christian internationalism which is missions?

(MRS. HENRY W.) LUCY W. PEABODY.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN STUDENTS

At the last annual meeting of the Federation, a new standing committee was authorized—a committee on Foreign Students. It shall be the duty of this committee to aid the Church in meeting the religious needs of the students from other lands while studying in America, and to plan to increase contacts between them and Christian people in their home life.

No work fostered by the Federation is more important and far-reaching than the work which shall be promoted by this committee.

The work shall be done through committees in cities and student centers where there are groups of foreign students, and will be co-ordinated with that which is being done by other agencies and thus avoid duplication and overlapping of effort.

It is desirable to build upon the splendid work which is being done by the Friendly Relations Committee of the Y. W. C. A. in different centers, so that through the Church and its inter-denominational agencies students may see Christianity at work in individual and community life. We wish to magnify the Church, and lead them to regard it as a home in America, and to find in Church women the friendship that students need during college life.

The Committee of the Federation shall seek, through cooperation with the missionaries on the fields, to see that students coming to America are amply provided for and properly equipped. The Committee shall encourage the formation
of committees on the fields, that discrimination may be used in the selection of students who shall come to America for advanced training, and that the proper guidance may be given them upon their return to their own countries.

The Church must minister to the religious needs of students from other lands. A spiritual dynamic must be given to individual life. If the Church will meet the needs of the foreign student in America, the work of the Mission Boards in foreign lands will be greatly strengthened.

Respectfully submitted,
(MRS. H. R.) MARIANNA J. STEELE.

REPORT OF BY-LAW COMMITTEE

By-Law III. Add Article 3 as follows:

The Executive Committee may employ an Executive Secretary or other helpers necessary to carry on the work of the Federation, provided no financial obligation be incurred beyond that for which provision is made.

By-Law V. Article 1, Sections 1, 2, 3, 4.

Insert words "not less than" before the amounts stated, making the sections read:

"Each Board, etc., representing a denominational body whose annual income for foreign missions is ............ or more, shall pay not less than ..............."

By-Law V. Article 7.

Add the words "This budget having been approved by the Executive Committee," making it read "An itemized budget shall be presented annually by the Treasurer to the Federation. This budget having been approved by the Executive Committee."

(MRS. WILLIAM F.) CLOTILDA MCDOWELL.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE DAY OF PRAYER

January 1, 1923

The annual report of the Committee on the Day of Prayer is necessarily brief. The theme of the program and of the Call to prayer, "The Light of the World," has been very well received.

The first edition of fifty thousand of the program and seventy thousand of the Call has been exhausted, and another edition will be issued.

I have had no answer to my appeal for reports of meetings held.

MRS. DEWITT KNOX, Chairman.
## DELEGATES IN ATTENDANCE

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**Total delegates:** 105  
**Total visitors:** 45  
**Total missionaries:** 10  

**Total:** 160
CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF
WOMAN'S BOARDS OF FOREIGN MISSIONS
OF NORTH AMERICA

CONSTITUTION

I. Name

This organization shall be called the Federation of Woman's Boards of Foreign Missions of North America.

II. Object

The object of this organization shall be to promote greater efficiency in the work of the Woman's Boards of Foreign Missions, to stimulate united prayer and study, to secure a fuller development of resources and a truer conception of the scope and purpose of woman's work for missions.

III. Meetings

The Federation shall hold annual meetings for conference and the transaction of business, preferably in January, in or near New York City. The meeting may be held elsewhere once in three or four years, if so ordered.

IV. Membership

1. Any Woman's Foreign Mission Board of an evangelical Church agreeing to co-operate in the purpose and work of the organization and paying an annual fee based upon its annual income may belong to the Federation.

2. The Woman's Foreign Mission Boards of each denomination shall be related to the Federation as one body.

   (1) Each Board, or group of Boards, representing a denominational body, whose annual income for foreign missions is $250,000 or more, may send to the meetings of the Federation four officers and ten accredited delegates.

   (2) Each Board, or group of Boards, representing a denominational body, whose annual income for foreign missions is $100,000 or more, but less than $250,000, may send four officers and five accredited delegates.

   (3) Each Board whose annual income for foreign missions is $25,000 or more, but less than $100,000, may send three officers and two delegates.

   (4) Each Board whose annual income for foreign missions is less than $25,000, may send two delegates.

3. The Woman's Union Missionary Society and the Foreign Department of the Y. W. C. A. National Board shall bear the same relation to the Federation as do the denominational Boards.

   The Student Volunteer Movement shall be entitled to two delegates.

4. Each Board belonging to the Federation shall appoint one woman, preferably an officer, who shall be the means of communication between the Executive Committee and her Board. She shall be known as the "Federation Representative."
V. Officers

The officers of the Federation shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. (The Secretary may also be the Treasurer, if desired.)

*These officers and the chairmen of standing committees shall be elected at the annual meeting. The President shall not be eligible to office for more than three consecutive years. The Secretary and Treasurer shall not be eligible to office for more than two consecutive years.

VI. Committees

There shall be an Executive Committee, such standing committees on Home Base and on Foreign Field, and such special committees as may be deemed necessary.

VII. Amendments

This constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote at any annual meeting. No change which was not submitted to the previous annual meeting shall be voted on.

BY-LAWS

I. There shall be the following committees:

1. On Home Base.
   (1) Methods of Work Among Women, Young People, and Children.
   (2) Student Work.
   (3) Summer Schools and Conferences.
   (4) Publications and Literature.
   (5) Foreign Students in America.
   (6) Constitution and By-Laws.

2. On Foreign Field.
   (1) Interdenominational Committee on Christian Literature for Women and Children in Mission Fields.
   (2) Interdenominational Institutions on the Foreign Field.

3. Such other standing committees as the Federation shall from time to time approve on the recommendation of the Executive Committee.

II. There shall be the following special committees:

1. A committee on Nominations to consist of three members, one of whom shall be new each year, to be appointed at the annual meeting by the President of the Federation.

2. A Committee on Arrangements and Programs for the next meeting, to be appointed by the Executive Committee.

*This section printed as amended by the Federation of Woman's Boards, January 15, 1921.
III. Membership and Duties of the Committees of the Federation.

1. The Executive Committee.

(1) The officers of the Federation and chairmen of standing Committees shall constitute the Executive Committee. A denomination not thus represented shall have the privilege of sending, at its own expense, its Federation representative as a voting member of this committee. Five members representing four constituent Boards shall constitute a quorum.

(2) The duty of the Executive Committee shall be to have oversight of the work of the Federation, to suggest plans for the extension of interdenominational work, to arrange for the day of prayer and prepare a program for the same, to appoint special committees not already provided for as may be deemed necessary ad interim, and to arrange for auditing the books of the Treasurer. It shall have full authority to take whatever action may be necessary in emergencies, provided no financial obligation shall be incurred beyond that for which provision is made, and to fill all vacancies occurring during the year, with the exception of committees otherwise provided for.

(3) The Executive Committee may employ an Executive Secretary or other helpers necessary to carry on the work of the Federation, provided no financial obligation be incurred beyond that for which provision is made.

2. Standing Committees.—The standing committees shall be appointed by the Executive Committee and shall each be composed of not less than three nor more than nine members.

Any standing committee of the Federation may co-opt members to a number not to exceed one-third of the regular membership of the committee.

(1) On Home Base.

a. Methods of Work Among Women, Young People and Children.

It shall be the duty of this committee to secure information concerning improved methods of work among women, young people, and children, to develop plans for increasing their interest in foreign missions and methods by which information may be imparted through lecture courses, institutes, conferences, normal study classes, etc.

b. Student Work.

It shall be the duty of this committee to ascertain the present status of missionary work in the various schools and colleges and to secure through the student departments of the Boards, as far as practicable, the regular presentation of foreign missions and systematic mission study.
c. Summer Schools and Conferences.

It shall be the duty of this committee to make a study of existing summer schools and to indicate locations which seem to be strategic points for other schools or conferences.

d. Publications and Literature.

The Central Committee on the United Study of Foreign Missions, as at present composed of seven members, elected by seven denominational Boards, shall constitute the Committee on Publications and Literature. The Secretary of the Federation shall also be a member of the Committee on Publications and Literature. This committee shall plan as far as possible, two years in advance for the foreign mission text books and other literature for women's societies and affiliated organizations. These plans shall be presented for approval at the annual meeting of the Federation. This committee shall arrange for editing and printing all publications authorized by the Federation. It shall give a report of the monies received and disbursed by the committee and shall make recommendations concerning the use of any possible surplus. The books of this committee shall be audited annually by an auditor nominated by the committee and approved by the Federation. This committee shall represent the Federation on the Committee of Twenty-eight. It shall have power to act in emergencies without concurrence of the Federation.

e. Foreign Students in America.

It shall be the duty of this Committee to nurture the religious life of foreign students in America, and to aid the Church in ministering to their needs. The work shall be done through committees in student centers and cities where there are large numbers of foreign students.

(2) On Foreign Field.


It shall be the duty of this committee to supervise work of providing such Christian literature for women and children in mission fields as is of interdenominational interest, to secure funds for the same, to make recommendations for publications, translations, editors, etc.
b. Interdenominational Institutions on the Foreign Field.

It shall be the duty of this Committee to supervise the work of the Interdenominational Institutions for women on the Foreign Field, and to promote their interests.

To recommend candidates to the Boards of control of these institutions and to secure gifts from sources not reached by denominational Boards.

To present information concerning the institutions to the Federation.

To keep in close touch with the participating denominational Boards.

The Committee may co-opt such members as may be desirable.

IV. Meetings.

1. The Executive Committee shall meet at least once a year in connection with the annual meeting of the Federation. Meetings may be called in the interim by the President and Secretary or on request of three members of the Federation representing at least two denominations. The Recording Secretary shall notify the Federation representatives of all actions taken.

2. When it is impossible for a standing or a special committee to transact business by correspondence and a meeting is necessary, such a meeting may be called by the chairman or upon the request of two members of the committee, with the approval of the President of the Federation.

V. Expenses.

1. Each Board, or group of Boards, representing a denominational body belonging to the Federation shall contribute to the expense of the Federation by the annual payment of a sum based on its annual income.

   (1) Each Board, or group of Boards, representing a denominational body, whose annual income for foreign missions is $250,000 or more shall pay not less than $100.

   (2) Each Board, or group of Boards, representing a denominational body, whose annual income for foreign missions is $100,000 or more, but less than $250,000, shall pay not less than $50.

   (3) Each Board whose annual income for foreign missions is $25,000 or more, but less than $100,000, shall pay not less than $25.

   (4) Each Board whose annual income for foreign missions is less than $25,000, shall pay not less than $5.
2. Expenses of delegates attending meetings of the Federation shall be borne by the respective Boards or by the delegates themselves.

3. Expenses of members of the Executive Committee attending ad interim meetings of the committee shall be borne by the Federation.

4. Expenses of members attending called meetings of standing or special committees shall be borne by the Federation.

5. An office expense not to exceed $50 annually shall be allowed each officer and chairman of standing committees.

6. Expense accounts shall be countersigned by the President of the Federation.

7. An itemized budget shall be presented annually by the Treasurer to the Federation. This budget having been approved by the Executive Committee.

VI. Reports.

All standing committees are required to present written annual reports to the Federation, these reports having first been submitted to the Executive Committee.

VII. Amendments.

The by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote at any annual session. No change which was not submitted to the Committee on By-Laws thirty days before the season shall be voted on at that session.
DIRECTORY OF BOARDS AND AGENCIES
With Names of Officers and Accredited Representatives
(Co-operating Boards marked with star)

UNITED STATES

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Treasurer, Mrs. Maude M. Chadsey.
Federation Representative, Mrs. Maude M. Chadsey.

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Treasurer, Miss Alice M. Hudson, 276 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.
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Cor. Secretary, Mrs. J. H. Babcock, Milton, Wis.
Treasurer, Mrs. A. E. Whitford, Milton, Wis.
Federation Representative, Mrs. Edwin Shaw, Plainfield, N. J.

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Treasurer, The Farmer's Loan & Trust Co., Columbia City, Ind.

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METHODIST—*Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church
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