

Minutes Book of the
Morehead Christian Church Board

Feb. 26, 1945

Minutes of the Official Board
for the meeting of Feb. 26, 1945

Members Present: Hartley Battison, Chairman,
Chas. E. Dietze, Minister, J. B. Calnest,
O. B. Elam, Treas.; M. E. Kennard,
W. C. Lappin; Dr. O. M. Lyon; C. D. Lagne,
Leo Oppenheimer; C. O. Peratt, and
J. H. Powers.

In the absence of Secretary
Milfred Wally, Chairman H. Battison
asked C. O. Peratt to act as secretary.

The Committee on the improvement
of the Church toilet facilities
(composed of M. E. Kennard, Ch., C. O.
Peratt and A. C. Ruffett) reported
that the work had been completed
and that E. H. Maggard had donated
the plumbing and O. F. Cass the
linen. For these gifts the Board
voted to extend its thanks to
the donors.

The matter of the election
of new officers of the Board
was urged by Mr. Battison, who
protested that he had served as
Chairman of the Board for many
years without relief and desired
to be relieved at once. The Officers
of the Board to this time had
consisted of a Chairman, a secretary,
and a treasurer.

At this point it was moved
by W. C. Lappin and seconded by
Arthur Blair that Board members
be elected annually at the regular

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^{meeting} in November and that the newly elected officers begin serving on the date of their election. Mr. Battson insisted that an election of officers be held at once and appointed a committee composed of W. E. Kennard, J. H. Powers, and J. B. Calvert to make nominations of officers to serve till the ^{regular} meeting of the Board in November, 1945. This committee placed in nomination Harold Battson for chairman; W. C. Loppin for vice chairman; O. B. Elam for treasurer; Milfred Woltz for secretary; and C. B. Layne for assistant secretary. All of these nominees were elected to serve till the election of officers at the regular meeting in November.

It was voted to continue W. C. Loppin as trustee and to make W. E. Kennard and C. B. Layne trustees ~~trusts~~ till the regular meeting in November, 1945.

At this point the Board adjourned.

C. O. Beratt, Sec. Pro. Tem.

TRANSYLVANIA COLLEGE - LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY

Office of the
President

February 26, 1945

Mr. Chas. Dietze
Morehead, Ky.

Dear Mr. Dietze:

The undersigned Committee made a recommendation to the ministers of Kentucky, meeting in the Mid-Winter Conference, that the churches of the State be asked to raise \$16,000 for Transylvania College by June 30, 1945. These ministers accepted this recommendation.

At the same time they raised a number of questions about the situation on the campus and the relation between the college and the churches. These questions were formulated into resolutions which were presented to the Board of Curators of Transylvania College on Tuesday, January 30, 1945. Enclosed is a copy of these resolutions and the Board's action on them.

We feel that the Board's answers to the resolutions are cause for confidence and support on the part of the churches. Therefore, we are coming back to you with our original plan for underwriting this \$16,000. This plan calls for your church to accept as its goal the amount of \$30.00. This goal has been determined on the basis of the giving of your church to Brotherhood causes last year. We believe you will join with the other churches of the State in giving Transylvania this needed aid.

The amount asked for here is not in any way to interfere with your giving through Unified Promotion or any other Brotherhood cause. It is to be a gift "over and above" your contributions to Unified Promotion and should be so designated on your check. Remittance should be sent directly to Transylvania College.

Sincerely yours,

Rhodes Thompson, Chmn.
Howard S. Stephenson
Hayes Frarish
Jack Erwin

P. S. - An additional amount of \$4,000 is to be secured in the states of Tennessee, Alabama and Mississippi, which have recently been designated as Transylvania territory.

minutes of the regular meeting
of the Methodist Christian Church

March 26, 1945

Present: H. B. Patton, Ch.; Paul Charles E. Dietze,
minister; J. B. Calvert; O. B. Elam, Treas;
W. E. Kennard; W. C. Lappin; Leo Oppenheimer;
A. C. Peffett; J. H. Sawers; C. O. Peratt

Mr. Elam reported that he had
in the treasury

W. C. Lappin reported on the
status of the ~~proposed~~ planned
improvement of the church building
in connection with the installation
of a ~~pipe~~ Hammond organ.

W. C. Lappin proposed that
Mr. Nicks be consulted on the
construction changes to be made
in the balcony and other places
in the ~~auditorium~~
auditorium.

~~On motion of O. B. Elam seconded~~
by On motion of L. E. Blair
seconded by O. B. Elam it was voted
to instruct the Committee to get
side on changes to be made in
connection with the installation of the
organ and the improvements of
acoustics.

Mr. Patton read a letter from
The Transylvania College asking for
\$3000 from the Methodist Church as
its contribution to a fund of 16,000
to be raised for the college in Kentucky.

On motion of W. C. Lappin seconded
by H. L. Lewis it was voted to send to
Transylvania College the sum requested.
The Treasurer was instructed to send

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to Pennsylvania College the \$30.00
Mr. Batson read a ~~from~~ letter from
President Corey of the College of the Bible
in Lexington, asking the Church at
Warehead to resume the payment of
the tuition of one student for a year
in the College of the Bible - \$50.00, \$50.00
of which is to be paid at the beginning
of each quarter. ~~On motion of O. B.~~
~~Elam, seconded by Leo Oppenheimer,~~

~~On motion of O. B. Elam seconded by
Leo Oppenheimer it was voted to
increase the minister's salary
from \$1877.00 to \$2000.00~~

On motion of O. B. Elam seconded
by Leo Oppenheimer it was voted to
increase the minister's salary from
from \$1877.00 to \$2000.00, beginning
April 1, 1945.

Walter Batson Ch.

PASTOR'S REPORT
MOREHEAD CHRISTIAN CHURCH
MOREHEAD, KENTUCKY
CHARLES E. DIETZE, MINISTER

REPORT TO THE OFFICIAL BOARD FOR JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, 1945

Sermons: 25

Mid-Week Discussions: 12

Addresses: 1: A. A. U. W. (Morehead State Teachers' College)

Meetings attended: 21 (Includes Minister's Mid-Winter Conference)

Mimeographed: 19 stencils - 50 to 1200 copies each.

Visits:

Sick calls: 14

Other: 89

Total: 103

Funerals: 3 :

Mrs. Marion Pigman
Harve McMillan
Cyrus Bland

Conferences:

In study: 6

Other: 9

Total: 15

Additions: 3

Confession - 2

Statement - 1

Total - 3

Other activities:

Arranged for and held Open House for students

Helped plan and supervised World Fellowship Meet at Maysville.

Planned and presented Brotherhood Dinner Program

Helped plan Sunrise Service

Replaced broken glass in bulletin board

Tied and mailed boxes to Hazel Green Academy

Spent two days working with Waste Paper collection

Judged speech contest at Breckinridge Training School

Respectfully submitted,

Charles E. Dietze
Minister.

Minutes of Meeting of Church
Board April 23, 1945

Members Present:
Arthur Davis
Monty Patton
A. B. Evans
J. B. Lambert
Dr. A. H. Johnson
A. F. DeLoach
A. M. Lyons
Rev. Chas. Kelly

Meeting was opened with prayer by Mr. Kelly.

Rev. Kelly presented his report for January, February and March 1945 which was approved by board and entered filed with bank minutes.

Presented A. B. Evans, reported a balance of \$453.23 in the treasury

Offer on occasion of addition done at time was also reported and approved by members present

No other business coming before the board, motion was and recorded for adjournment

Monty Patton

Board Meeting, May 28, 1945

Members Present:

Hartley Battson, C. O. Peratt, Arthur Blair,
J. B. Calvert, A. L. Reffett, O. B. Elam, Leo
Oppenheimer, N. E. Kennard, H. C. Lippin.

Meeting opened with Prayer by Peratt

Mr. Elam reported balance in bank
of 670.⁴⁰

Moved by Arthur Blair and seconded
by N. E. Kennard, that a committee be
appointed to see Mrs. H. L. Nelson and
see if she would like to have the
name of her late husband, Dr. H. L.
Nelson added to that of his mother
on the memorial window in the
church auditorium - the church to
bear the expense of the change if
made. Motion carried. The committee
appointed by the chairman is composed
of Arthur Blair and H. C. Lippin.

Moved by Leo Oppenheimer and seconded
by O. B. Elam that Mr. Deetze be paid
\$100.00 in addition to his regular salary
for services rendered during the
period of remodeling and decorating.
Motion carried.

Moved by Leo Oppenheimer and
seconded by Arthur Blair that the
amount paid to Mr. Reffett for pastor-
al services be increased to \$25.00
per month provided that he take
care of preparations for communion
over

services. Motion carried

There being no further business
the Board adjourned.

Warren C Luppis Sec. Pro. 1.

Meeting Official Board
Mosehold Christian Church

June 25, 1945

Members Present:

W. L. Reffett, Luster Blair, A. B. Elam,
W. C. Lappin, N. E. Kennard, Leo Oppenheimer,
C. B. Lane, Rev. Dietze, J. B. Colbert

Mr. Elam reported balance of \$433.⁷⁸
with all bills paid except N. E. Kennard Hdw. Co.

Mr. Elam reported cost of remodeling
and decorating auditorium of \$716.¹⁰. Cost
above original estimate due to work
done on floors of 4 rooms and outside
painting.

A. B. Babbson moved, seconded by Arthur
Blair, that committee on remodeling
and decorating be given a unanimous
vote of thanks for their services.
Motion carried.

Motion made by Arthur Blair and
seconded by Leo Oppenheimer that Rev.
Dietze announce to congregation
that permission for any individual
to use the organ must be secured
from the trustees. Motion carried.

No further business coming before
the Board, Board adjourned.

C. B. Lane Secretary

MOREHEAD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

MOREHEAD, KENTUCKY

PASTOR'S REPORT TO THE OFFICIAL BOARD FOR APRIL, MAY, JUNE, 1945

SERMONS - 22

ADDRESSES - 3

Haldemann High School Chapel
Millersburg Youth Rally
Morehead Men's Club

BACCALAUREATE ADDRESSES - 2

Morehead High School
Booneville, Kentucky (Owsley County High School)

MINIODEGRAPHED - 25 stencils, 100 to 1500 copies each.

LETTERS ON CHURCH BUSINESS - 18

PASTORAL CALLS -

Sick calls -	23
Other -	49
Total	<u>72</u>

FUNERALS - 3

ADDITIONS TO THE CHURCH - 8

By Baptism - 5
Statement - 3

CONFERENCES - 7

In Study - 5
Other - 2

MEETINGS ATTENDED - 10

TRIPS IN CONNECTION WITH CHURCH ACTIVITIES - 5

Intermediate Camp, London, Kentucky
College of the Bible Reception for new President, Lexington, Ky.
Baccalaureate Service, Booneville, Kentucky
Installation of New President of the College of the Bible, Lexington
Youth Meet, Millersburg, Kentucky

OTHER ACTIVITIES -

Served as Chairman of Program Committee, V-E Day Service
Served as Chairman of National Clothing Collection for Morehead
Chairman of Russian Bible Society Program presenting Pastor Malof

Worked five afternoons and evenings helping with papering parsonage.
Spent two days putting base and wall outlets in parsonage.

Directed Children's Day Program.

Taught at Intermediate Camp, London, Ky., June 11-15.

(Arranged for intermediates to give report of the camp).

Painted minister's study walls and floor.

Helped in the redecorating of the Sanctuary.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles E. Dietze
Charles E. Dietze
Pastor

Official Board Meeting
Morehead Christian Church

Sept. 24, 1945

Meeting opened with prayer

Rev. Dietze filed his report for July, August and September - copy filed herewith.

O. B. Elam reported balance of \$445.¹⁵ on hand.

Motion made by W. E. Kennard and seconded by C. O. Peratt that treasurer draw up a new form for statement to be sent to members for church dues - motion carried

Motion made by Arthur Blais and seconded by Leo Oppenheimer that this church give 10% annually to International Convention. Motion carried

Motion by Leo Oppenheimer and seconded by C. B. Lane to pass over to next meeting question of donation to National City Church - motion carried

Members present:

Nettie Patton, Arthur Blais, W. E. Kennard, O. B. Elam, J. B. Calvert, Hulfa Heltz, W. C. Lippincott, Leo Oppenheimer, Rev. Dietze, C. B. Lane, C. O. Peratt and A. L. Peffelt.

Motion made, seconded and carried for adjournment.

C. B. Lane, Secretary

MOREHEAD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

MOREHEAD, KENTUCKY

PASTOR'S REPORT TO THE OFFICIAL BOARD FOR JULY, AUGUST, SEPTEMBER, 1945

SERMONS - 19

ADDRESSES - 3

1. Olive Hill Christian Church
2. County Teachers' Meeting
3. Morehead College Vesper Service

MIMEOGRAPHED - 20 stencils - 125 to 1500 copies each.

LETTERS ON CHURCH BUSINESS - 10

CARDS ON CHURCH BUSINESS - 40

PASTORAL CALLS:

Sick calls - 21

Other - 52

Total 73

WEDDINGS - 1 - Colby Hatfield and Betty Garrett

ADDITIONS TO THE CHURCH - 3

By baptism : Mrs. William Hudgins

By letters: Mrs. D. H. Tabor, Miss Barbara Tabor

CONFERENCES -

In study - 4

Other - 5

Total 9

MEETING ATTENDED - 9

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

- Taught at Eastern Kentucky Young People's Conference
- Served as Chairman and presided at V - J Day Service
- Took delegation to Missionary Education Institute in Lexington
- Attended State Youth Council Meeting in Lexington
- Made trip to Farmers to see about Church sending in Year-Book Report.
- Built Worship center for Primary Class
- Compiled and sent in Year-Book Report.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles E. Dietze
Charles E. Dietze
Pastor

Official Board Meeting
 Wrehead Christian Church
 October 22, 1945

Present: - Rev. Dietze, H. Battson, J. B. Calvert, O. B. Eslam, C. B. Lane, & L. Peffett
 Harlan Powers.

Meeting opened with prayer

O. B. Eslam submitted Treasurer's report for the year which is as follows:

Balance in bank Oct. 31, 1944.	496 98	
Weeked pledges paid 10/23/45	3157 93	
Loose offerings	694 11	
War Time Service Fund	250 00	
Miscellaneous expenses		171 46
Minister's Salary		1841 62
Janitor		192 50
Fuel, water, gas & lights		181 05
Repairs & equipment		894 76
Insurance		104 04
Postage & office supplies		96 00
Misc		50 93
Convention expenses		12 50
Missions		240 00
Telephone		60 04
War Time Service Fund		250 00
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Balance in Peoples Bank		504 12
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Official Board Meeting
October 31, 1945

Present: W. E. Kennard, Harlan Powers, Leo Oppenheimer, J. B. Culbert, H. W. Wath, H. Batten, C. E. Dietz.

The meeting opened with prayer by Rev. Dietz.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer made the following report:

Balance \$424.66

Pledges \$3565.30

Pastor's report was read and approved. (Included herewith)

A letter was read concerning China for the organ and a discussion of same followed. No action was taken.

A motion was made by Leo Oppenheimer, seconded by W. E. Kennard that the minister's salary be raised to \$2160.00 annually. Motion carried.

A discussion concerning the evening service was left open until the next meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles E. Dietz
Secretary pro-tem.

Proposed Budget for Morehead
Christian Church - Year 1945-46.

Anticipated Receipts	4125 00
Disbursements	
Ministers Salary	2000 00
Convention Expenses	200 00
Janitor	225 00
Heat, light, water, telephone	200 00
Repairs & Improvements	600 00
Insurance	165 00
Stationery, postage, etc	150 00
Misc	50 00
Missions:	
U. C. M. S.	200 00
Transylvania	300 00
College Bible	150 00
International Convocation	100 00
Nash City Christian Church	250 00
Federal Council of Churches	100 00
Miscellaneous Expenses	110 00
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Motion made by C. B. Lane seconded by
Harlan Powers that a nominating
committee be appointed for selection
of officers for Church Board for coming
year - motion carried.

members of nominating committee:
Harlan Powers - Chairman
N. E. Remond
J. B. Colvert

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motion by G. L. Peffett, seconded by
J. B. Calvert that proposed budget
be approved for coming year.
This motion unanimously carried

No further business coming before
the Board adjournment voted.

A. P. Force Secretary

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Special Board Meeting
Marchhead Christian Church
November 26, 1945

Present: H. Battson, A. Blair, O.B. Elam, Leo Oppenheimer, W. E. Kennard, H. Powers, A.C. Peffett, C.O. Peratt, C. E. Diehl.

The meeting was opened with prayer by H. Battson.

The Treasurer, O. B. Elam, reported a bank balance of \$555.14 with all debts paid.

The minister, C. E. Diehl, read a card from the National City Christian Church acknowledging receipt of \$25.00 for their debt reduction campaign. He also read a letter addressed to him by the pastor of the church, J. Warren Hastings, expressing appreciation for the gift.

The possibility of establishing a Senior Scout unit in the church was discussed. A motion was made by Arthur Blair, seconded by O. B. Elam and carried - that we sponsor the unit.

A report on pledges for the new budget was passed until the next meeting.

A motion was made by Arthur Blair and seconded by O. B. Elam that Virgil Rulley be recommended to the congregation for service as a deacon. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Leo Oppenheimer, seconded by Arthur Blair

That Harold Powers be recommended
to the Congregation for Elder. A
motion carried.

After a lengthy discussion of
Congregational Representation on the
Official Board, it was decided
to ask the President of the Men's
Society and the Co-Presidents of
Women's Council to serve on a
Board. It was also ordered the
Congregation be requested to elect
three deacons to serve on a
Board.

The following nominations were
made for officers of the Boards
1945-1946.

H. Patton, Chairman.
W. C. Lappin, Vice Chairman.
C. B. Edm., Treasurer.
R. W. Jennings, Secretary.

A motion was made by [Name]
Blair, seconded by Harold Powers
that these officers be elected.
Motion carried.

There being no further business
the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted
Harold Powers,
Secretary Pro-tem

Recorded by
C. S. [Name]

MOREHEAD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

MOREHEAD, KENTUCKY

PASTOR'S REPORT TO THE OFFICIAL BOARD FOR OCTOBER, NOVEMBER, DECEMBER, 1945

SERMONS DELIVERED - 22

ADDRESSES DELIVERED - 2

- 1 - Rowan County Sunday School Convention
- 2 - Christian Missionary Society

MIMEOGRAPHED 38 stencils - from 20 to 500 copies each.

CORRESPONDENCE -

Personal letters on Church matters - 39
Mimeographed letters and church papers - 260
Mimeographed cards - 301

PASTORAL CALLS -

Sick calls - 26
Other - 88
Total 114

CONFERENCES -

In Study - 7
Other - 11
Total 18

WEDDINGS - 1 - Woody Hinton and Mrs. Myrtle Caudill

FUNERALS - 3 -

- 1 - Mr. Sam Bradley
- 2 - Mr. Roy Alfrey
- 3 - Mrs. Leonard Alfrey

TRIPS TO SPECIAL MEETINGS -

Lexington - 5
West Liberty - 1.

OTHER ACTIVITIES -

Arranged for State Youth Day Meeting at West Liberty, Ky.; Adult Advisor.
Arranged for World Fellowship Meet in Morehead; Adult Advisor for Area.
Planned Community Thanksgiving Service
Delivered Thanksgiving baskets and helped deliver Christmas baskets
Put gutters on parsonage
Installed gas heater in parsonage.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles E. Dietze
Charles E. Dietze
Pastor