

June 19, 1946.

The Fifteenth Annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Evangelical Lutheran Seminary of Canada and Waterloo College was held at St. John's Parish Hall, Waterloo, with 153 members present.

The meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. Gillespie.

Opening devotions were conducted by Mrs. H. Mosig.

Greetings were extended to all members and visitors by Mrs. Gillespie.

Greetings from Mrs. J. Flegler, of Altoona, Pa., Mrs. Cargela of Sault Ste. Marie, and Mrs. Peters of Montreal were extended to the women.

The Secretary read the minutes of the last annual meeting and ^{THEY} were approved as read.

Letters of appreciation from Dr. Klinck and Rev. Raymond were read.

The Treasurer reported a balance in the bank of \$2258.89

Mr. Roy Grasz of the seminary gave a report on the activities of the Lutheran Student Association. He told of the development of Church leadership, religious study, ~~and~~ and recreation.

Greetings from the Co-eds and their appreciation of the Auxiliary's work were expressed by Miss Margaret Fackoury. She also said a residence would be heaven to the co-eds. They are very proud of Waterloo and will also be very proud to say "this is my Alma Mater." She also described the work of the Athenaeum Society as the "Social Medium" of the College.

The Students Legislative Executive functions were outlined by Miss Janet Lang, executive-treasurer. She termed it "A medium between the faculty and the Student Body."

The speakers were thanked by Mrs. Gillespie.

Mrs. Walter Klinck gave an interesting account of a two-day convention of the Women's League of Gettysburg Lutheran Seminary and College.

Dr. Lehmann, President of the Seminary and College referred to the important roll the College could play especially in Lutheran circles. He stressed the need for having a definite and worthwhile objective. He related his talk to God's statement to Moses - "The place whereon thou standest is holy ground." He said - "We are at a particular place at a particular time, led here by God's grace, and we can continue to render a service to God and His servants". He pointed out that the fine buildings and equipment alone were not enough. I am convinced we must have a teaching staff committed to the christian way, he said. He was thanked by Mrs. Carl Klinck.

Mrs. Lloyd Moser appealed for furniture for use in the Lutheran Camp at Edgewood Park.

It was moved that the Auxiliary have letter heads printed.

The revised Constitution was approved.

The Auxiliary has undertaken to furnish the seven rooms which were renovated during the past summer. These rooms are for returned men only. It was also decided that if any organization or any individual wishing to furnish a room may do so.

The members agreed to purchase up to \$300.00 worth of furniture for the boys recreation room.

It was moved that we put forth every effort to raise \$25,000.00 towards a girls' dormitory. of which we will strive to raise \$5000. annually for the next 5 years. One thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) was voted towards this fund.

A fund of One thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) has been set aside for the furnishings of a girls' dormitory.

An Afghan from the ~~St. Peter's~~ Independent Dorcas Society and a Quilt from the Linwood Ladies was greatly appreciated.

The Nominating Committee for the coming year are as follows -
Mrs. Bitzer, Mrs. Qeehl, Mrs. Thaler, Mrs. Luft.

Mrs. George Orth and Mrs. Veale were appointed as auditors.

Mrs. Cater of the Nominating Committee for 1946 brought in following
Slate of Officers-

Honorary President	Dr. J. Schmieder
Honorary Vice Pres.	Dr. H. Lehmann
Honorary Pres. for Life	Mrs. J. Conrad
President	Mrs. Wm. Gillespie
1st. Vice Pres.	Mrs. L. Doerr
2nd. Vice Pres.	Miss E. Schorten
Secretary	Mrs. C. H. Musselman
Ass't Sec.	Mrs. Carl Klinck
Treasurer	Miss D. Zimmerman
Ass't to Treasurer	Mrs. M. Schatz

Conference Delegates -

Stratford	Miss Clara Wilker
Kitchener,	Mrs. K. Bornhold
Hanover	Mrs. A. Huehn
Hamilton	Mrs. E. G. Melkie
Eastern	Mrs. Wm. Hamm
Northern	Mrs. G. Schultz
Nova Scotia	Mrs. C. E. Dauphinee

The meeting was closed with Mrs. Mosig leading us in the Lord's Prayer and the Missionary Benediction. after which all adjourned to the basement.

A Fellowship Dinner" attended by about 200 persons was held immediately following the meeting.

Invocation was given by Rev. Roberts and Mrs. Roberts served as Chairman. Rev. Walter Goos of Linwood gave an entertaining and informative address on his work as Chaplain in the Canadian Navy. He was introduced by Dr. Lehmann and thanked by Rev. Roberts.

Mr. Douglas Franks gave two piano selections. Two Cello numbers were played by Mrs. H. T. Lehmann, accompanied by Mr. Franks. Three vocal selections were sung by Mrs. Dorothy Goldman accompanied by Mr. Franks.

Dr. J. H. Reble, President of the Canada Synod, introduced the guest speaker, Dr. Charles Foelsch, of Maywood, Ill.

"We have been playing at Christian education", challenged Dr. Foelsch. "We have to go about it in a way that only our sacrifices can provide." The College and Seminary has a right to expect much from you and from the church. I am thinking in terms of prayers and gifts!" he said. "On the other hand you have a right to expect much from the college and seminary. You have a right to expect it shall not be another state or secular unit, merely concerned with physical standards and academic excellence with kind of a Christian appendix attached." In conclusion he said, "I salute you on your high goals; go forward bravely to achieve." He was thanked by Dr. Schmieder. The gathering adjourned after a few closing remarks by Mrs. Gillespie.

Respectfully submitted,

Olive Musselman

Secretary

Ruth Gillespie

June 5, 1947.

A reception for the Seminary graduates was held in St. John's Parish Hall. About 175 relatives and friends of the graduates were present.

Dr. Little was presented with a gift on his retirement ~~from~~ from the faculty of the Seminary after serving for 30 years as teacher of Systematic Theology.

The Women's Auxiliary sponsored the reception.

June 7, 1947.

A reception was held for the College graduates in St. John's Parish Hall with about 175 relatives and friends in attendance.

At this time Dr. Schorten was presented with a gift on his retirement from the faculty of the College after serving 24 years as teacher of German.

The Women's Auxiliary again sponsored the reception with a few of the co-eds helping.

Respectfully submitted,

Olive Musselman

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