The twenty-second Annual Meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to The Evangelical Lutheran Seminary of Canada and Waterloo College was held on the above date in Trinity Lutheran Church, Tavistock, Ontario, with an attendance of 218.

The meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. C. H. Doerr.

Opening devotions were conducted by Sister Edna Monk of St. Peter's

Lutheran Church, Kitchener. She took as her theme "A Virtuous Woman".

Pastor O. C. Stockman of the host congregation, together with

Mr. Vincent Epp of the Church Board welcomed the visitors at this

time.

The minutes of the last Annual Meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was read and accepted as presented.

Greetings from the President of Synod were conveyed through Mrs. Doerr.

The roll call was taken with 21 churches being represented.

The report of the Nominating Committee was given by Mrs. Herb.

Hollinger as follows:

Hon. Pres.

Hon. Vice-Pres.

Dr. Reble

Dr. Lehmann

Pres. for Life

Mrs. J. Conrad

Past President

Mrs. Wm. Gillespie

President

Mrs. C. H. Doerr

1st Vice-Pres.

Mrs. C. H. Musselman

2nd Vice-Pres. Mrs. Norman Schmidt
Secretary Mrs. David Schulte

Asst. Secretary Mrs. Paul Eydt
Treasurer Mrs. Mel Schatz
Asst. Treasurer Mrs. Gerald Hagey

Mrs. Gillespie presided for the election of officers.

The auditors will be Mrs. Norman Dreger and Mrs. Otto Dannecker. The nominating committee for 1953-54 will be as follows:

Mrs. Fred Stiefelmey . St. Stephen's

Mrs. Gordon Miller - St. Luke's

Mrs. Clarence Ludwig - St. Mark's

Mrs. Ruby Black - St. John's

It was suggested that the President prepare a me port of the Auxiliary's activities and send it to the Secretary of Synod to be included in the Church Bulletin.

A letter from Pastor Cronmiller, President of Board of Govenors, regarding the furnishings required for the new school building was read and on motion of Mrs. Machesney seconded by Mrs. Hollinger, the Executive was given power to act as they see fit regarding any purchases to be made.

On motion of Mrs. Bartman, seconded by Mrs. Mielke, an invitation from the Patrons of Zion Lutheran Church, Stratford, was accepted for the 1954 annual meeting.

Mrs. Gillespie introduced the Guest Speaker, Miss Ida Kohlman.

Miss Kohlman is music supervisor of Public Schools in North Easthope

Township. She spoke on her work and introduced one of the school

choirs, members of which had won awards during the Stratford Music

Festival. She was thanked by Mrs. Norman Schmidt.

The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer and the Doxology.

A profussion of spring flowers formed the setting for the Fellowship dinner which was held in the church Sunday School room.

Rev. Stockman asked the Blessing. Mrs. Wilton Wilker acted as Mistress of Ceremonies. Musical selections consisted of

Piano Solo Mr. Karl Wittig

Accordian Mrs. August Schaufhausen

Reading Mrs. Henry Neeb

Vocal Mrs. Carl Vogel

The speaker, Miss Betty Nairn, a Graduate of Waterloo College was introduced by Mrs. Ed. Heimpel. The speaker took us on a peep "Behind the Scenes of a T. V. Proegramme".

Mrs. J. Conrad thanked the speaker.

Mrs. Doerr expressed the appreciation of those present to the ladies of Trinity, Tavistock for the sumptuous dinner and cordial welcome extended.

The Fellowship hour was brought to a close by the singing of "God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again."

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Respectfully submitted

Secretary