

Preston July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1919.

The monthly meeting of the  
Woman's Missionary Society  
was held this evening at the

home of Miss Schultz with an attendance of forty-two. Rev. Volker opened the meeting with prayer and Miss Martin read portions of scripture.

The minutes were then read and adopted.

Miss Volkman one of the delegates to convention gave the following interesting report: <sup>June 24/19.</sup>  
The 11th annual convention of the Lutheran Women's missionary societies of Central Canada met in Waterloo St. John's Lutheran church today, a large attendance of delegates were present from all parts of Ontario 24 in all and 21 responded.

The sessions opened at 9.30 a.m. The hymn "My faith looks up to thee" being sung which was followed in prayer by Rev. Beckman while it had been hoped the session would be concluded it was found impossible to complete all the work so it was continued next morning at the

seminary. Mrs. Mueller, Presi-  
dent of St. John's W. M. Society  
read an address of welcome  
to the visiting delegates after  
which a short reception was  
held.

Rev. Voelker extended the greetings  
of the Canada Synod while  
Rev. Maurer of Pitscher  
extended the greetings of the  
Central Canada Synod.

Most encouraging reports  
were received from the treas-  
urer Mrs. Baker and others.  
At noon a luncheon was  
partaken of in the base-  
ment which was fully enjoy-  
ed by all present.

The afternoon sessions  
were fine interesting talks  
intermingled with musi-  
cal numbers making up a  
most helpful and profit-  
able afternoon.

The "North West Hour" was  
indeed full of interest papers  
being read by Mrs. Sorenson  
Mrs. M. Hagley (Hamilton) and

Mr. M. J. Bieber, Winnipeg.  
It was moved and sec.  
that we accept a Junior  
Society if Miss Watson  
is prepared to conduct or  
support another mission-  
ary society.

The expenses for delegatio  
"equalization" amount to  
to \$6<sup>00</sup>.

We are requested to pay promptly  
Address Mrs. Willison or

Mrs. H. German, Waterloo.  
Then from July 1<sup>st</sup> fees will  
be 20<sup>c</sup> per month instead of  
10<sup>c</sup>. 10<sup>c</sup> is for budget for  
United Lutheran Church  
you will find particulars  
in constitution. it is expected  
that we pay quarterly 20<sup>th</sup>  
October being 1<sup>st</sup> payment.  
(agnodical<sup>10<sup>c</sup></sup>)

Rev. Beckman announced  
that we are \$19<sup>00</sup> short  
for Canada Lutheran.  
Some have neglected to pay up  
or do their parts. Fifty  
Dollars is wanted in all.

The delegates were entertained in the evening to a missionary playette entitled "A straight five o'clock tea" given by the W. M. Society of St. John's church, the visitors were delighted with the production. The Society were assisted by Mrs. Thiel who gave dramatic readings in most pleasing style. Mrs. Hagen of Hamilton also delighted the delegates with a vocal solo while Miss Florence Mueller rendered a piano solo in true artistic style. During the numerous short addresses were delivered by Rev. Hothead, Rev. Hunt and Mrs. Kaufman all from Chicago.

Night gait lace and doilies were for sale all during the session made by our Christian women in Sedalia. The neat sum of \$70<sup>00</sup> was realized.

The numbers were all duly

interested with the report  
and thanked Miss Volkman  
for same.

Moved by Miss Volkman sec.  
by Mrs. Thindorst that we  
have our next meeting in  
July in shape of a picnic  
and that we pay this  
evening for June and July.

Moved and seconded  
that Mrs. Schneider be a  
member of our society.

The delegate donated the  
40<sup>¢</sup> carfare to society.

Miss Schultz was tendered  
a vote of thanks for the  
use of her home.

The meeting then closed  
with Lord's Prayer.

Dues amounted to \$4<sup>70</sup>