

Secretary's Book of the
Lutheran Young People's
Society of the Danish
Lutheran Church of Oregon,
Wis.

- Constitution -
Constitution of the Lutheran Young
People's Society of the Danish
Lutheran Church of Oregon, Wis.

Art. I. Name -

The name of this society shall
be "The Lutheran Young People's Soc-
iety of the Danish Lutheran Church
of Oregon, Wisconsin."

Art. II. Aim:

The aim of this society shall be:

Sec. 1 - To maintain and strengthen
in the young people of said
church in the Christian princi-
ples according to the doctrines
of the Lutheran Church.

Sec. 2 - To encourage and admon-
ish to a high moral and
spiritual life.

Sec. 3 - To assist in leading a
sociable life as befitting
Christian young men and
women.

Sec. 4 - To work for the spreading
of the Kingdom of God in
conjunction with:

A. The Congregation of Oregon.

B. The Young People's League
of the Wisconsin District
of the Danish Evangelical
Lutheran Church in America.

Art. III - Membership:-

Sec. 1 - Only such as are bap-
tized and hold the faith
of the Lutheran Church will
be accepted as members.

Sec. 2 - No one is eligible to mem-
bership who is a member
of any other local con-
gregation.

Sec. 3 - No one shall retain mem-
bership in this society who
shall become a member
of any other congregation,
or whosoever shall neglect,
after notification, their
payment of dues.

Sec. 4- ~~Membership shall be annulled upon marriage.~~

Art. IV- Officers:-

Sec. 1- The officers of this society shall be: President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer.

Sec. 2- The duties of these officers shall be to attend to the general interests of the society.

A) The President, as a matter of course, shall be the minister of the Congregation, and shall preside at the meeting of the Society.

B) The Vice President shall preside in the absence of the President.

C) The Secretary shall keep all records and carry on all correspondence of the Society.

D) The Treasurer shall collect the dues of the members, have charge of the funds, and shall expend the same only as directed at the business meetings of the Society.

Art. V- Election:

Sec. 1- The term of office shall be one year.

Sec. 2- The election of officers shall be held at the general business meeting in July.

A) In case of a vacancy, a new officer shall be elected at the following business meeting to fill the vacancy until the next general election.

Sec. 3- The election of officers shall be by ballot.

A) To be elected the candidate must receive a majority of the votes cast.

Art. II - Meetings:-

Sec. 1- The meetings of this society shall be held twice a month.

Sec. 2- The meetings shall be alternately social and business.

A) Social meetings shall be given to appropriate entertainment.

B) Business meetings shall consist of: roll call, reading of minutes of Secretary, collection of dues by the Treasurer, and the transaction of such business as may come before the society.

C) Questions before the House shall be decided by a majority of the votes cast. Any member may, in matters of importance, make a motion to the effect that

the matter in question shall be passed by a two-thirds majority vote.

(D) English shall be considered the official language.

(E) Any member shall have the right to voice his opinion in matters before the House and shall have the privilege of introducing questions for the consideration of the House.

Sec. 3- All points on business meeting procedure not covered in this Constitution, shall be decided according to "Robert's Rules of Order."

Art. III - Committees:-

Sec. 1- Committees may be appointed or elected at any meeting of the Society.

Art. VIII - Amendments:-

Sec. 1- This Constitution cannot be changed or amended until the proposition has been

before the Society for at least one-half year, and must then be passed by a two-thirds majority vote of the entire membership.

- By-laws -

These by-laws may be changed or amended at any business meeting by a two-thirds majority vote.

I. The membership fee is 15¢ per month, 5¢ of which is paid to the District League.

II. Sociable meetings, which shall be open to everyone, are to be held, preferably, in private homes, upon invitation. A collection is to be made.

III. Business meetings shall be held in the church basement.

IV. No one can hold office who has not been a member at least ½ year.

V. Applicants for membership must be accepted by a unanimous vote of members present at the business meeting after they have heard and vouched to abide by the Constitution.

VI. The Treasurer must be prepared to give a report at any business meeting if so requested by the chairman.

VII. The Society elects by ballot and sends a delegate to the annual meeting of the District League.

VIII. The Society shall give flowers to funerals of members and near relatives, not to exceed \$5 for members and \$3 for relatives.

IX. The society shall endeavor to remember sick members.

X. A period of ½ year must precede, after notification, annulment of membership for failure to pay

dues.

Rev. P. C. Paulsen, Pres.
 Roy Nansen Knudsen, Vice Pres. (Married)
 Matiel Knudson, Sec. (Married)
 Edwin G. Nelson, Treas. (Married)
 Elma Jensen (Died)
~~Luella Staphan~~ (Died)
 Lealie Christensen (Married)
 Emily Knudson (Out)
~~Carl J. Larsen~~ (Married)
 Lena Larsen (Married)
 x Mareno Larsen (Out)
 Mary Hansen (Married)
 Peter Larsen (Out)
 Wesley Christensen (Out)
 Emma Hansen. (Married)
 x Elma Knudsen (Out)
 Vera Christensen (Married)
 x Lawrence Larsen (Out)
 Hans Jorgenson (Went to Denmark)
 Harold Larsen (Out)
~~Alb Jorgenson~~ (Out)
 x Stanley Jensen (Out)
 Martin Jansen (Married)

~~Arthur Jensen~~ (moved to Madison)
 George Hansen (Married)
 Karie Christensen (Married)
 Verdie Christensen (Out)
~~Thora Jensen~~ (moved to Madison)
 Peter B. Gundersen (Married)
 Hans. Anderson (Married) (moved away)
 Charline Anderson. (moved away)
~~Loak Knudsen~~ (Out)
 x Elva Karmgard
 x Earl Jensen (Out)
~~Osceola Passmusen~~ (Out)
 x Leslie Knudson (Out)
 Edna Passmusen (Out)
 x Gladys Thompson. (Married)
 x Vernon Mortensen
 x Thelma Nelson
 x John Anthonen (Married)
 x Alvin Christensen (Out)
 Minnie Hansen Peterson (Married)
 x Jimmie Hansen (Out) (and married)
 Arthur Larsen (Out)

x	Nora Nygaard	(Out)
	Norman Nygaard	(Out)
x	Leslie Jensen	(Out)
x	Edwin Christensen	
	Mildred H. Loftus	married (Out)
	Razel E. Loftus	married (Out)
	Charlotte Amussen	(Out)
x	Salma Nelson	
x	Adolph Nelson	
x	Anker Hansen	(married)
x	Martin Hansen	"
x	Agnes Jensen	(out)
x	Curtis Jensen	(out)
x	Inyque Nelson	
	Hilka Kuppe	

Minutes of Meeting Held at Peter
Anderson's on Aug 2, 1919.

The meeting was called to order by
Pres. Paulsen, after which we heard
a report by Verdie Christensen of
the Wis. District Young Peoples
Convention held at Racine, to which
she was sent as our delegate. She
told us that our Society, from
now on, was to be recognized as
belonging to the District League
of Wisconsin, and in accordance
therewith each member would pay
5¢ per month as dues thereto.

Next, Vera Christensen, one of
the accountants we elected to
examine the Secretary's and
Treasurer's books of last year,
reported on them, saying that
they balanced at the end of the
year.

Following this report, by mot-
ion made and carried, it was

decided to elect a committee of 5
members to frame a Constitution
and By-laws for the government
and guidance of our society, which
was then done. The following
persons were elected by acclam-
ation: Edwin Nelson, Chairman;
Verdie Christensen, Vera Christen-
sen, Roy Knudson, and Mahel
Knudson. It was decided that the
committee should meet at Verdie's
home on Thursday evening,
Aug. 14th.

After that, we decided, by
motion made and carried, that
we let our old business from
last time, and other matters, re-
main over until our next business
meeting to be held in the church
basement, Aug. 15, 1919.

Furthermore, it was suggest-
ed, discussed, moved and carried
that we remember Agnes Rasmussen
in her sickness by giving

her some fruit sometime during the next two weeks, and Pres. Paulsen appointed Verdie Christensen to deliver it.

Then, concerning a proposal regarding the pictures of some of the Brooklyn boys being put on the Honor Roll, we agreed that Edwin Nelson continue to carry on his work along that line until our business meeting, when we would come to a further decision.

Following this, we accepted Halds and Marvin Hansen as new members of our Society.

A motion was then made and carried that we adjourn, which we did.

The collection taken was \$8.95, with 18 members present.

Social Meeting held at Fred Hansen's home on July 17. Collection - \$4.53.

Minutes of Business Meeting held in Church Basement on Aug. 15, 1919.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Paulsen, which was followed by a song, prayer, and another song. Next, the Constitution as framed at the Committee Meeting, was read by the Secretary, after which, by motion made and carried, the outline of the Const. was adopted. This was followed by a motion made and carried that we adopt the Const. section by section, which was then done.

The By. laws were adopted in the same way. A motion was next made and carried that the Secretary buy a new book.

This was followed by a discussion of some bills for the cost of our new altar, they amounting to \$225 for the altar, \$35 for the statue, and \$4.97 for the freight.

totalling \$264.97.

Then followed a collection of \$3.40, with 22 members present. Next, by motion made and carried, we empowered our Treasurer to borrow the money we lack in paying for our altar.

A motion was then made and carried that we accept Verdie's donation of her railroad fare to Racine toward the payment for the altar. We discussed the buying of the U. S. flag for the church, after which, by motion made and carried, we decided that our society request the congregation to employ the money collected for the purpose of buying the flag, in doing so.

The motion was next made and carried that we leave the arrangement of the names and pictures on the Honor Roll to the Committee.

We discussed the buying of a

new altar spread, and decided to consult the ladies of the congregation about a choice.

The minutes were then read by the secretary, after which we adjourned.

Social meeting held at Hans Knudsen's home. Collection - \$8.54 - Sept. 7.

Sept. 17 - Meeting held in church basement - Intake - \$2.60

Oct. 12 - " held at Peter Christensen's home - \$7.59

Oct. 28 - " " in basement - \$1.05

Nov. 2 - " " at home of Mrs. Carl Larsen - \$6.55

Nov. 14 - Meeting held in church basement - \$1.05

Basket Social held in church basement on Dec. 5.

Net proceeds - \$76.33

Minutes of Meeting Held on Sun.,
Dec. 7, 1919, at Andrew Christensen's

The meeting was called to order, after which we discussed the date for our Xmas tree and program. A motion was made that it be held the Sunday after Xmas, but that, not being seconded, was dropped, after which it was moved and carried that we have it the Sunday ^{evening} preceding Xmas, or Dec. 21.

After this, we elected, by ballot, a committee consisting of Edwin Nelson, Roy Knudsen, and Mabel Knudsen, to make preparations for the Christmas exercises.

It was then moved and carried that we give Agnes Rasmussen \$5 as an Xmas present, but by motion made and carried, the amount was raised to \$10.

Then, after drawing names for the exchange of Xmas presents, by motion

made and carried, we limited the amount to be given for the above presents to 50¢. A motion was made to raise that amount to \$1.00, but, not being seconded, was dropped.

This was followed by motion made and carried to adjourn, which we then did.

The collection was \$6.12

The Y. P. S. Xmas tree and program was held on Dec. 21, at the church.

Minutes of Business Meeting Held after Program.

First, the treasurer gave a report and this was followed by a motion made and carried that the Christmas tree Committee be thanked for their work. Then it was moved and carried that we empower our treasurer to borrow some more money after which, by motion made and carried, we accepted Thyra Jensen as a member of our Society.

A motion was then made and carried that we adjourn.

A social meeting was held in the church basement on Jan. 4, at which Soren Thompson & Peter Christensen entertained Intake \$4.60.

A meeting was held in the church basement, Miss Christine Hansen entertaining. Intake \$2.35
Feb. 1.

A meeting was held in the church basement on Apr. 4, & Honor Roll was dedicated.

Bus. Meeting held.

Secretary's report -

Treasurer's " on cost of
Honor Roll -
Collection - \$18.33

Minutes of Meeting held at Emery Nelson's on Sun. eve. May 2, 1928.

Secretary's report read and approved.

Discussion as to whether Y. P. S. undertake to have either church or parsonage painted. Motion made and carried to postpone decision indefinitely.

Motion made and carried to hold Foot Social in basement on Fri. evening, May 14th.

Moved and carried to appoint committee of four to make preparations for Social. T. Lyra Jensen, Minnie Hansen, Peter Gundersen, and Arthur Jensen appointed by President.

Motion made and carried that Y. P. S. have copies of Danish and American songs printed for distribution at Schleswig celebration.

Moved & carried to have Campaign

Manager appointed to secure renewal subscriptions to Lutheran Youth. Ray Knudsen appointed.

Motion made and carried to adjourn.

Collection. \$11.45.

Foot Social held in basement on May 14th.

Receipts	\$ 69. ⁰⁰
Expenses	\$ 10. ³⁰
Net proceeds	\$ 58. ⁷⁰

Proceeds from Schleswig Celebration June 20-70
Social meeting held at Carl Nelson's
June 6. Collection - \$8.78

Social meeting held at Fred Hansen's on July 18- Coll. - \$6.56

Minutes of Business meeting held in the Church
Basement on July 30th, 1920. 16 members present

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Paulson,
which was followed by a song, prayer, and another
song.

The Secretary's report was then read and approved.

This was followed by the Treasurer's report
which was also read and approved.

George Hansen read the delegate's report
from ^{the} Waipapa District convention and the motion
was made and carried to accept as read.

This in turn was followed by the reading of
the letter to the Young People's Society from the
Secretary of the District League explaining and
urging the election of a corresponding secretary
from the Society. Pres. Paulsen then gave the
explanation of the purpose of a correspondent.

We then had a discussion as to a change
in the plan of holding our Young People's meetings.
The motion was made and carried that
the Young People's Society continue to hold their
meetings on the same plan as before, accepting
all invitations ^{as} given, and that families, who

so desire, may cooperate in serving, but that the Young People's Society shall limit the food that may be served; also that above all, our aim shall be to keep up our large attendance.

Moved and carried to limit foods served to one drink, two sandwiches, one piece of cake, or one doughnut, cookie, etc.

A discussion was then held as to the the painting of the church or the parsonage.

The motion was made and carried that the Young People's Society paint the church, but leave it until next year.

By ballot we then elected the following officers for the coming year:—

Officer President - Peter Gundersen

Secretary - Vera Christensen

Treasurer - Edwin Nelson

Corresponding Secretary - Mabel Knudson

By acclamation, we elected the following as accountants; Thyra Jensen and Olga Knudson.

The motion was made and carried that we adjourn.

Social meeting held at Martin Jarmgaard's home on July 31st Collection — \$14.44

Social meeting held at Mrs. Carl Larson's home on August 15th Collection — \$7.36

Social meeting held at Hans Knudson's home on August 29th Collection — \$3.93

Social meeting held at the home of Peter Christensen on Sept 3rd. Collection — \$10.36

Social meeting held in church basement Nov. 7th Collection — \$6.25

Social meeting held in church basement January 16th Collection — \$5.95 At a short business meeting the Y.P.S. decided to paint the church.

A social meeting was held in the basement of the church January 30th Collection — \$9.19

The 18th of February a fair was held in the basement of the church. The net proceeds was \$76.05

A social meeting was held in the church basement March 6th Collection \$4.

A social meeting was held Apr. 3rd in the basement of the church. Collection \$7.61

The 8th of May our social meeting was held in the church basement. Collection \$4.52

The next social meeting was held at the home of Carl Nelson. We also had a short business

meeting and Vera Christensen was elected delegate from this society to the annual convention to be held in July at Racine. The collection from this meeting was \$7.36.

The meeting for July was held the 10th at the home of Fred Hansen. This was both a social and business meeting. The Y. P. S. held a discussion as to the wiring of the parsonage by the society. It was decided to wire the parsonage and to buy appropriate pictures for the sitting room and dining room. A committee consisting of Pete Gunderson, Edwin Nelson, and Verdie Christensen, was elected to see to this and confer with officials of the Church concerning this matter.

Vera Christensen tendered her resignation as delegate to Racine and Verdie Christensen was elected to fill her place.

Collection -

Minutes of Annual Business Meeting held at the home of Emery Nelsons July 1921.

The meeting was called to order by the Pres. which was followed by a song and prayer.

The treasurer's report was first read and approved. This was followed by the secretary's report which was also read and approved. The motion was then made and carried to pay all expenses for Verdie Christensen our delegate to the convention at Racine.

A report of the wiring of the parsonage was then given by Pete Gunderson a member of the committee.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

Peter Gunderson - Vice Pres.

Lestie Christensen - Sec.

Stanley Jensen - Treas.

Rev. Paulson made the suggestion that we elect Mabel Gunderson corresponding Sec. with a standing vote.

Edwin Nelson then made the motion we elect Mabel which we did by a

standing vote.

Verdie Christensen was elected Campaign manager for the Lutheran Youth.

The motion was made and carried that the President appoint 2 auditors to look over the Treas. & Sec's books.

Rev. Paulson, the Pres. then appointed Verdie Christensen & Clara Knudson auditors.

The motion was made and carried that we adjourn.

Balance on hand \$103.45 Aug. 1, 1921

Social Meeting held at the church basement. Sept. 25th

Collection \$4.53

Social Meeting held at Mrs Carl Larsen. Aug. 14.

Collection \$10.95

Social Meeting held at the church basement Oct 30th coll. \$3.40

Business meeting held in the church Nov 4. Collection \$5.85

Nov 15 Receipts from Otto Jorgensen ^{hus} 24

Business Meeting held in the church basement and it was decided to have a neck tie social Nov. 26. and as committed consisting of Minnie Hansen Verde Christensen and Hans Anderson was elected to look after it.

Neck tie social held in the church basement Nov. 26.

Receipt \$30.00

Expenses 1.86

Net Profit \$28.14

Paid for a Christmas present for Rev. Nelson
\$ 6.00

Social Meeting held in the church basement
Dec. 4 coll. \$ 2.80

Social meeting held in the church basement
Jan. 8 collection \$ 5.00

Social Meeting held in the church basement
Feb. 12 collection \$ 2.85

Meeting held in the church basement
Jan. 20 coll. \$ 7.54

Business meeting held in the parsonage
Dues from members Feb. \$ 3.65

Social meeting held in the church
basement March. coll. \$ 3.10

Business meeting held May 5. dues
from members \$ 4.75

Social meeting held May 7. coll. \$ 3.70

Business meeting held May 19. \$ 4.50

from members, a program com. was
elected to transplant each other. Mabel Kunderon
Lestie Christensen and Mary Hansen

Minutes of business meeting held
Friday May 5, 1922.

The meeting was called to order
by the president and it was moved

recorded that we have a flower com-
mittee to send flowers or fruit to any of
the young people that are sick. a com-
mittee was elected of Peter Gunderson
Mabel Kunderon and Minnie Hansen
Harold Anderson. became a member
of the Young People society. it was
voted that we have a reception for
the confirmation class to get them
as members. a program com. was elected
consisting of Peter Gunderson, Lawrence
Larsen and Charline Anderson and
a receiving committee of Edwin Nelson
Minnie Hansen and Vordie Christensen
Rev. Nelson got a letter from the
committee of the Young People Society
if we were in favor of having the
young people convention with the
Church convention in Racine and the
members were able in favor of it so
the meeting adjourned.

A reception was held for the confirmation
class May 26. and it was decided to
hold the Y.P. annual convention here.

Expenses at the reception held for the confirmation class. \$6.59

Business meeting held June 16. Elmer Karming and Frank Knudson join the Y. P. S. coll. \$1.80

Social meeting held June 18. coll. \$3.40

Business Meeting held in the church basement June 30 and ~~Stanley~~ Jensen and Mary Hansen were elected as delegate for the annual convention to be held in Oregon.

collection 90¢

Social Meeting held at Fred Hansen home July 2, 1902. coll. \$3.75

Fruit for Alina Knudson 65¢

Paid to J E Duer Electric Shop ^{Aug 15} \$33.10

Pd. to Miss Verdie Christensen as delegate to the Y P S conventions at Rainier \$10.00

Paid to Pease Bros Oct 15 for wiring the Parsonage \$90.00

Paid to Christen Hansen May 7. for coffee 35¢

Paid for fruit for Alina Knudson, 60¢

Pd to the Y. P. S. of Wis. \$4.05

" " " " 365

" " " " 365

" " " " 397

Income \$204.45
Expenses 165.29

Balances on hand July 11, \$36.16 (1922)

Balance on hand July 19, 1922, \$37.91

Minutes of Annual Business Meeting held in the church. July 14, 1922

The meeting was called to order by the President. Rev. Nelson.

The Secretary report was first read and approved which was followed by the Treasurer report which was also approved by ballot. Officers were elected for the ensuing year.

Lawrence Larson, Vice President

Lessie Christensen, Secretary

George Hansen, Treasurer

It was moved and carried that we have an Audit Treasurer

Hans Anderson was elected as Audit Treas.

Mabel Knudson was elected by a standing vote as corresponding Sec. Mary Hansen as Campaign Manager for the Lutheran youth.

A motion made and carried that we have a flower committee Minnie Hansen (clerk) Stanley Jensen and Peter Gundersen where clerk Elnd. Karmgard and Iwah Knudson where appointed by Rev. Neilson ^{as auditor} to look over the Sec. and Treas. books.

It was moved and carried that we erased Sec. 4 of Art. 3 of the by laws from the books. It was moved and carried that we adjourn.

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Business Meeting held in the church Aug. 4
A motion made and carried that the Young People Society buy their own coffee and sugar and that each family brings some thing with them to eat.

A motion made and carried that we leave the money in the bank until the congregation meets them.

Social meeting held in the church Aug. 6. coll. 2.90
" " " " " at Emery Nelson home

Sept 3. coll. 2.44

Business meeting held in the church Sept. 22.

A motion made and carried that that Y. P. S. pay one half of the oil stove or stove for the church basement. and a coffee pot.

A motion made and carried that we give Twenty Five dollar to the congregation as a gift from the Y. P. S.

Social meeting held at Mrs Carl Larson
Oct. 1. coll. 2.87

Business meeting held in the church Oct. 6
motion made and seconded that we give Seventy Five dollar to the congregation

Social Meeting held at the Church
basement Dec. 3 coll. \$2.46

Social Meeting held at the church
basement Jan. 7 coll. \$2.03

Social Meeting held in the church
basement Feb. 11 \$2.05

Social Meeting held in the basement
March 4 coll. \$1.93

Social Meeting held in the church
basement May 13.

Social Meeting held at Fred Hansen
home. collection \$2.70 July 8.

Business meeting held June 28. in the
church basement. Lestli Christensen and
Elna Kamngard were elected as delegates
to attend the Annual convention
of the Young People League of Wis.
Mabel Knudson George Hansen and
Stanley Jensen were appointed to help
look over the constitution it was decided
to vote yes in favor of it. It was decided
to help to furnish a room in ^{the girl dormitory} our new school
in Blair Nebraska we decided to vote
against having it to semi annual convention

in the fall. The meeting was close by say-
ing the lords prayer.

Balance on hand July 19. (1922)		\$ 37.91
Total convention receipt		172.16
Membership dues		16.30
Intake at social meeting	Aug. 6	2.90
" " " " " "	Sept 3	2.44
" " " " " "	Oct. 1	2.82
" " " " " "	Dec. 3.	2.95
Baskets Social held Jan. 20 net proceeds		43.30
Intake at social meeting	Jan 7	2.03
" " " " " "	Feb. 11	2.06
" " " " " "	March 4.	1.93
" " " " " "	May 13.	
Social Meeting held at Mrs Carl Larson June 1st.		2.00
Received of Peter Nelson		2.00
Social Meeting held at Fred Hansen		2.30
Membership dues		11.40
Income for the year is		<u>17</u> 266.99
From July 1922. to July 1923		
Expenses for the year is		<u>17</u> 233.47
		<u>17</u> 33.42
Total on hand		\$ 71.33
League Dues		3.80
Total		<u>67.53</u>

Expenses from July 19, (1922) until July 19, (1923)	
Expense for the convention	4 75 33
Dues for league membership.	3 90
Giving to the congregation	25 00
" " " " " "	75 00
Paid for flowers for Verdie Christensen	2 50
" " fruit " " " " " " Aug. 6.	75
Sent to Rev Inadomi. (Japan)	10 00
Paid for the oil stove in the basement ^{Oct. 9}	9 00
Paid for fruit for Almer Anderson. Sept.	75
Electric light for the Christmas tree	5 30
Extras for lights Dec. 22	2 10
Expense for the Christmas tree	
Giving to Rev Nelson \$10. as a gift	
from the Y. P. S. for a Christmas present \$10.00	\$10.00
Coffee pot	1 65 2 15
Paid for fruit for Jimmy Hanson	50
Paid for turning for the Christmas tree	2 00
Montgomery Ward. Co for Christmas box	2 14
For fruit.	1 00
Christmas tree	2 25
Dues for league membership	3 80
Expenses from July 1922 to ^{July} 1923 are	\$233 47

Annual Y. P. S. meeting held in
basement August. Leslie Christen-
sen gave a report on the Y.
P. S. Convention held at ^{Fort Lippa} ~~Wagapaca~~

Election of officers took place,
Peter Gunderson being elected
Vice Pres.; Edwin Nelson, treasurer;
Stanley Jensen, assistant treasurer;
Mabel Knudsen, secretary, and Elna
Karmgard, corresponding secretary.

Mary Hansen and Elna Karmgard were
appointed by the president to audit
the books.

It was decided, by motion made
and carried, to hold a reception for
the Confirmation Class the latter part
of September. ^{the 21st} The following Committ-
ees were appointed: Program:

Minnie Hansen, Elna Karmgard,

Refreshment: Peter Gunderson,
Stanley Jensen, and Mabel Knudsen;

Decorating and Reception: Wesley
Christensen, Ivah Knudsen, and Mary
Hansen. Meeting adjourned. Coll.

Aug. 12. Social meeting held at
Peter Christensen's. Coll.

Sept. 9. Social meeting held at
P.O. Hansen's. Coll.

Bus. meeting held Sept. New members
accepted into Society, and signed
Constitution. Motion made and
carried to have postponed Reception
on Friday, Oct. 5.

Y. P. S. reception held Oct. 5, in
basement.

Business meeting held in basement
Oct. 12. No business. Practiced sing-
ing.

Social meeting held at Emery
Nelson's Sunday, Nov. 11. It was moved
and carried by Y. P. S. to pay \$10 to
Blair, Neb. toward running expenses
of Seminary.

Business meeting held Oct. 26. No new business.

Meeting held Nov. 16 at Farmgard's. It was in the nature of a birthday party for Elna, Y. P. S. being invited there. We practiced some Xmas songs.

Bus. meeting held in basement Nov. 20. Practiced Xmas songs. No new business.

Social meeting held in basement Sun. Dec. 9th. It was decided to hold next business meeting Thurs., Dec. 13, instead of Friday. Collection taken was

Minutes of meeting held in basement Thursday, Dec. 13.

Meeting opened with Scripture reading. Fourteen members present.

The revised League Constitutions were distributed among the members.

Motion made and carried that Y. P. S. do work necessary for Xmas tree and program, Ladies Aid Society having voted \$15⁰⁰ to be used for that purpose.

It was decided to have two Committees appointed, a Buying Committee, and a Decorating Committee, the former to consist of three members, and the latter, five members.

The following were elected on the buying committee: Edwin Nelson; Elna Farmgard, and Alvin Christensen; and on Decorating Committee, Leslie Christensen, Loak Knudsen, Gladys Thompson, Stanley Jensen,

and Mabel Knudsen.

It was moved and carried to have
Xmas tree the Sunday evening
before Xmas, Dec. 23.

Moved and carried to have Decor-
ating Committee purchase one dozen
electric light bulbs, if necessary,
and that Y. P. S. finance the pur-
chase.

Motion made and carried that
secretary correspond with League
Secretary as to the amount of the
Anadomi fund; also how much do-
nated by League, and number of
societies in League.

Motion made and carried to adjourn.

No meetings were held during
January & February, due to
bad weather and roads.

Social meeting held at Church
basement on Sunday evening,
March 2nd.

No business meetings held during
 Lent. Social meeting held at church basement
 Sunday evening, April 6th.

A business meeting was called
for April 25th, but only four
members arrived, so meeting was
not held.

Social meeting held at church
basement Sun. evening, May 4th.

Bus. meeting held at Basement
May 9th, at which eleven members
were present. A letter from the League
Secretary by our Secretary, giving
date of the Annual Convention,
July 17th to 20th. Meeting adjourned.

Business meeting held at church
basement May 23, at which 16 mem-
bers were present. A letter was
read from the League Secretary,
urging that a member, or members,
from each local society, take
part in the Convention program.
The matter of raising funds
for the purchase of a new pulpit

for our church, was discussed, and it was suggested that our Y. P. S. receive permission from the Woodmen to sell ice cream, pop, etc., at the band stand during a night, or nights, of the coming Band Concert. George Hansen and Lealie Christensen were appointed to find out about the plan. Meeting adjourned.

Social meeting held at home of Mr & Mrs. Fred Hansen on Sun. evening, June 1.

Special meeting ^{was} held on Mon. evening, June 9th, after lecture by Japanese Missionary, at which the report by Geo. Hansen was heard to the effect that the Y. P. S. could occupy the stand at the park on the evening of the first band concert, June 20th, if we so desired, but we could not

be permitted to have it every evening of concerts, unless no other society should wish to. He decided to take over the stand on that evening, and meeting was adjourned until Thursday evening.

Special business meeting was held at church on Thurs. evening, June 12. Called to order by President. It was decided, by motion made and carried, to sell ice cream, cakes, pop, cigars, crackers, jacks, etc., at stand on evening of next band concert, June 20. Motion made and carried to charge 10¢ for ice cream and cake, the cake being donated by the ladies of the Congregation. A committee consisting of Maurice Hansen, Stanley Jensen, Mabel Knudsen, Laurence Larsen, and Vernon Mortensen was chosen to make arrangements for the evening. It was decided to advertise

in the Observer. Meeting adjourned.

Band Concert held June 20th.
Y. P. S. conducted stand, and cleared
\$8.90.

Bus. meeting called for Friday
evening, June 27th, but due to Band
Concert, only 2 members appeared, so
no meeting called.

Social meeting held at home
of Mr. & Mrs. Peter Larsen on
Sunday evening, July 6th. A short
business meeting was held, at
which, by motion made and
carried, it was decided to serve
ice cream, etc. at band stand
during Band Concert on Friday
evening, July 11. A committee con-
sisting of Edwin Nelson, Elna
Farngard, Maren Larsen, Gladys
Thompson, and Leslie Christensen was
chosen to make arrangements. Meeting adjourned.

Bus. Meeting held at Basement
on Wed. night, July 9th.

A vote was taken on delegates,
and Jimmie Hansen and Leah
Knudsen were elected.

Motion made, seconded, and
carried that Elna Farngard
give a reading at the Convention
to represent Oregon Y. P. S.

Motion made, seconded, and
carried that the delegates find
out why we are paying ^{\$10.00}
to the Inadomi Fund, which
is $\frac{1}{15}$ of the total sum
instead of $\frac{1}{16}$, - at the Convention.

Motion made, seconded, and
carried that Y. P. S. sell ice cream,
etc. at the Sunday School
picnic. George Hansen was
nominated to act on that
committee for the day, and
Wesley Christensen was nomin-
ated to act as second member
on committee.

The evening for business meetings was changed from Friday night to Thursday, during the summer months, because of Band Concerts being held on Friday nights.

Annual Meeting held Thursday evening, July 24.

Meeting called to order by President, and opened with song and prayer. It was then moved, seconded, and carried that Constitution be read for benefit of new members. It was read by Secretary.

Secretary's report read by Secretary. Moved and seconded to accept it as read. Treasurer's report read and accepted.

This was followed by a vote of thanks being given to Treasurer and Secretary.

Next, we voted by ballot for Vice president, Peter Gundersen being elected by 6 votes, out of 11. We also voted for Secretary, Ovak Gundersen being elected, and for Treasurer, Leslie Christensen being elected. Oscar Rasmussen

became Assistant Treasurer,
and Elna Tarngaard, Local Sub-
scription Manager for "Lutheran
Youth."

Vernon Mortensen and Gladys
Thompson were appointed
auditors of the Secretary's and
Treasurer's books.

It was decided to keep
the same flower committee.

Report of delegate from
Convention was given by
delegate present, Josh Trud-
sen.

Business Meeting held Thursday
evening, ~~July~~ ^{August} 7th at which eleven
members ^{were} present. The meeting was called
to order by the president. It was
decided that the Y. P. S. should purchase
a pulpit for the church and \$50.00
was to be borrowed to complete the
payment. It was decided to have a
committee accompany Rev. Nelson

to Milwaukee to select a pulpit.
Peter Gunderson was elected to
represent the Y. P. S. ~~to~~ It was
decided that the price of the pulpit
should not exceed \$200. A motion was
made, seconded and carried that the
Y. P. S. should sell Ice Cream, Pop etc.
during the next band concert. A committee
consisting of Emma Hansou, Jimmie
Hansou, Carl Jensen, Oscar Rasmussen,
and Josh Trudsen was chosen to
proceed. A motion was made, seconded
and carried that the meeting be adjourned

A social meeting was held ^{Sunday evening} ~~July~~ ^{July} 10,
~~at~~ the home of Mr. & Mrs. Charley Martensen.
A vote was taken as to whether or not
the congregation were willing to accept
the pulpit if presented to them by
the young peoples Society. The vote
was in the affirmative. Collection
at this meeting was ~~\$1.40~~ \$4.40

September 7: A social meeting was held at the home of Chris. Ginsen.

Call: \$9.90

Business meeting was held at the Church Friday evening, Sept. 12, with ten members present. No important business was transacted at this meeting.

Business meeting held at Church Friday evening, Sept. 26, with twelve members present. It was decided that the society should operate a booth at the ladies' bazaar, each member furnishing some small article.

Business meeting was held at the Church, Thursday evening Oct. sixth, with sixteen members present. Elna Karmgard and Sadys Tompson were elected to take charge of the arrangement of the Y. P. S. booth at the ladies' bazaar. A report was

read by the treasurer on the pulpit money. Ways and means of raising money to pay the balance on our debt for the pulpit, were discussed.

A social meeting was held at the home of Martin Karmgard, Sunday evening, October 12. Call 3.65

A business meeting was held at the Church basement, Thursday evening Oct. 23 with eleven members present.

A business meeting was held at the Church basement, Thursday evening, November 6, with ten members present. No important business was transacted at this meeting.

Social meeting Sunday evening, November 9, at the home of Mrs. Olson.

Call: \$3.85

Business meeting at Church basement, Thursday evening, November 20.

Social meeting at the home of
Halter Passmusenik, Sunday evening
December 7.

1.25

call

Business meeting at the church basement
Thursday evening, December 11, with 16
members present. A buying committee
consisting of Minnie Fossen,
Pete Gunderson, and John
Antonson, were appointed to
take charge of purchasing the
necessary articles for our Christmas
tree. A decorating committee
consisting of Gladys Tompon,
Ina Knudsen, Habel Knudsen,
Marens Larsen, and George
Hansen was also elected to
take charge of the decorations.
Stanley Jensen was appointed
to read names of presents
at the Christmas program. It
was decided that the young
people should draw names and
the price of the presents given

was not to exceed \$.25.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Business meeting held at the
church basement, Thursday
evening, December 25 with 11
members present.

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January 4: Social meeting
held at church basement.
call: # 1.60

Jan. 8: Business meeting at
church basement with 10 members
present.

Jan. 22: Business meeting held
at church basement with 9
members present.

Social meeting at church basement
Sunday evening February 1st
call: # 2.55

Business meeting at church
basement Thursday evening
February 5. At which 15 members
were present. A suggestion was
made to the effect that the
Young Peoples' Society serve a
supper or have a basket social
for the purpose of raising money
to pay our debt. This was
discussed but no decision was
reached so it was left over till
our next meeting.

Business meeting at basement
Thursday evening, Feb. 19. with 18
members present. A vote was
taken on whether the society should
serve a supper or have a basket
social. The decision was in
favor of a supper. A committee of
three, consisting of Pete Sunderson,
Mabel Knudsen, and E. L. Bergend
was elected to take full charge.

Social meeting at basement,
Sunday evening March 1st —
call \$2.30

Business meeting at basement
Thursday evening March 5 —
14 members were present. No
important business was transacted.

Business meeting at basement
Thursday evening March 19, at
which 16 members were present.

Business meeting at basement,
Thursday evening April 9, with
13 members present.

Social meeting held at church
basement Sunday evening, April
5th — collection \$3.81

Business meeting at basement
Thursday evening April 16 with
17 members present. It was
decided at this meeting that the

time of the meetings should
be changed from 7:30 to 8:00.
It was also decided that instead
of a supper served by the young
people's society as before decided,
a basket social would be held.
The date was set as Friday
evening, April 24th.

Business meeting held at the
church basement Thursday evening
April 30, at which 14 members
were present.

Social meeting at church
basement Sunday evening May 3.
call #1.80

May 7: Business meeting at
basement with 18 members present.

Business meeting at church
basement with 11 members
present. At this meeting a letter

was read from the league
secretary stating the date and
place at which the Annual young
people's convention was to be held
for the year 1935.

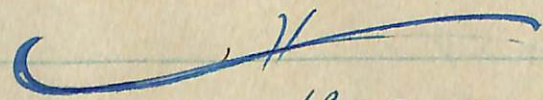
Social meeting held at the home
of Peter Christensen, Sunday
evening June 7 —
call #4.31

Business meeting at basement
Thursday evening June 11, with
17 members present.

Business meeting at church
Thursday evening June 25 —
At this meeting Gladys Tompson
and Stanley Jensen were elected
delegates to represent our
society at the Annual League
convention at Itapacca.
a letter was read by the
president in which our society

was asked to contribute some
numbers to the program to be
held at the annual convention

social meeting at home of
Jens Jensen, Sunday evening,
July 5 -
Cash - 4.74



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Annual business meeting held
Thursday evening, July 9 - with 17 present.
The secretary's report was read
by Secretary. Moved and seconded
to accept it as read. The Treasurer's
report was also read and
accepted. The election of officers
then took place by ballot.

Peter Gunderson was elected Vice
president, Jack Knudsen Secretary,
Vernon Martensen Treasurer,
and Stanley Jensen subscription
manager for our Lutheran Youth.

Two auditors, Lodie Knudsen
and Edna Rasmussen, were appointed
by the president to audit the books.

It was voted to leave the
Flower committee the same as
the year previous, consisting of
Stanley Jensen, Minnie Hagens,
and Peter Gunderson.

Oscar Rasmussen was elected
Asst. Treasurer by ballot.

A suggestion was made by
Rev. Nelson to the effect that
we have programs at our Thur.
evening meetings but no definite
decision was reached.

Meeting held Thursday evening
July 30 with 14 members present.
Report of annual convention
was given by the delegate; Gladys
Toops and Stanley Jensen.

Social meeting at home of
Fred Hansen, Sunday evening
July August 2-

Meeting Thursday evening, August
12 with 11 members present.
The suggestion of having programs
at our Sunday evening meetings
was discussed, and it was
decided to have them when the meetings
were held in the church parlors. A
committee consisting of Mabel
Knudson, Leilie ^{Elna Harngard} Christensen, and
Mrs. Nelson was elected to prepare
a program for the November
meeting. A new committee was
to be elected for each meeting.

Meeting Thursday evening, August
27 with 7 members present.

Social meeting at the home of
Mr & Mrs Ray Knudson Sunday
evening, August 30. -

Business meeting was held in the church
September 10 with eleven members present.
Ivab Knudsen's resignation as secretary was
handed in as she would not be able to attend
the meetings. Her resignation was accepted.
It was voted to elect a new secretary by
acclamation. Elna Harngard was elected.

Business meeting held in the church September
24 with 13 members present. No business.

Social meeting held at the home of Martin
Hansen, Sunday evening, October 4. Collection \$2.40

Business meeting was held in the church
Parlors, Thursday evening, October 15. There were
fourteen members present and two visitors.
A letter from our League secretary was read
in regard to having an Inadomi evening.

We decided that our first social meeting, which
would be the first ^{Sunday} evening of November should
be our Inadomi evening. A committee consisting
of - Oscar Rasmussen, Mabel Knudson, Elna
Harngard, Leilie Christensen, and Lawrence
Larson was elected to make all arrangements.

Business meeting was held in the church parlors
Thursday evening, October 29. As there were only four

members present, we had only a short devotional service and no business.

November 1st we held our regular social meeting. According to arrangements we called it Inadomi Evening in honor of Rev. Inadomi, our Japanese missionary, which the Wisconsin League is supporting. The church parlors were beautifully decorated in Japanese decorations and a short missionary program was rendered, after which dainty refreshments were served.

At our regular business meeting Thursday evening, November 19th, there were thirteen members present. It was decided that Rev. Nielsen should order an Antependium for the pulpit and the Society should pay for it. It was also decided that the Y. P. Society should try to sell fifty copies of the "Christmas Chimes", each member acting as a Salesman.

Regular Business Meeting was held in the Church Parlors December 3. Since the Ladies Aid had decided to pay the expenses of a Christmas Tree, the Y. P. Society

offered to do the work, such as trimming the tree, filling the boxes and so forth.

The following members were elected to act on the Decorating Committee. — Gladys Thompson, Thelma Nelson, Vernon Mortensen, Jimmie Hansen, and Leslie Christensen.

Stanley Jensen, Leslie Knudsen, and Elva Harningard, were elected to act on the buying committee.

The members were urged to sell "Christmas Chimes".

Thursday evening, December 17, business meeting was held in the Church Parlors with nine members present. Had a short devotional service consisting of song, scripture reading, and the study of the First Chapter of the Book of Judges. We decided that our next regular meeting should be a Watch Night Service, it being New Years Eve. As there was no further business we practised singing. The meeting closed by repeating the Lord's Prayer.

December 31 a Watch Night Service was held in the Church Parlors to which all were invited. A short Program was rendered

Devotional service was held and refreshments were served. As the old year went out and the new year came in, a hymn "Abide With me" was sung by all present after which all went home feeling it had been a worthwhile effort.

Thursday evening, January 14, meeting was held in the Church Parlors with eight members present. A letter from the League Secretary was read, pertaining to the "League Paper." A suggestion was made to the effect that a few of the reports in the Paper should be read at each meeting. After the reading of three reports our time was devoted to the study of the ^{second} ~~third~~ chapter of the Book of Judges and singing.

Regular Business meeting was held in the Church Parlors Thursday evening, February 11, with eleven members present. As there was no business the meeting was adjourned after the devotional service.

There were eight members present at the business meeting held in the Church

Parlors Thursday evening March 8. No business.

Social meeting was held in the Church Parlors

Sunday evening, March 7. Collection \$ 1.55.

Social meeting held in the Church Parlors

^{Easter} Sunday evening, ~~March~~ ^{April} 4. Collection \$ 2-1/2

Business meeting held Thursday evening April 8th. There were only four members present. No business.

Next business meeting held April 29th with nine members present. Motion made and carried that we have a reception for the confirmation class Tuesday evening May 25th.

A ^{committee} ~~committee~~ of 5 members was nominated to act on the general committee. The following were elected - Elva Karmingard, chairman, Selma Christensen, Gladys Thompson, Helma Nelson, and Peter Gunderson. Meeting adjourned.

Social meeting held in the Church Parlors Sunday May 2. Collection \$ 1.50.

Business meeting held in the Church May 20th with ten members present. A letter from the League Secretary was read regarding the Annual Y. P. Convention. Decided to elect delegates at the next meeting. The Reception for the confirmation class was discussed - Rev. Nelson read a story and the meeting closed with Prayer.

A reception was held in the Church Parlors Tuesday evening, May 25 for the Confirmation class, parents and friends. The Parlors were beautifully decorated in green and white and light refreshments were served. A collection was taken to defray the expenses.

Twelve members were present at the business meeting held in the Church Thurs. eve. June 3. Seven new members were welcomed into the Society. The Constitution was read by the Secretary Vernon Mortensen and Thelma Nelson were elected as delegates to represent our Society at the annual convention at Nenah during the days July 8 to 11. Our pastor read a story and the meeting closed with Prayer.

Social meeting held in Church Parlors Sunday evening, June 13. - Collection \$1.45

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The annual business meeting was held on the 24th of June. There were twenty-three members and four visitors present. Meeting opened with Hymns, Scripture reading and Prayer. The Secretary's report was read and approved. The treasurer's report was also read and approved. Election of officers then took place.

James Hansen was elected Vice President. Elna Farnsgard reelected Secretary, and Vernon Mortensen reelected Treasurer.

The President appointed Edwin Christensen and Norman Nygaard as auditors.

The following were elected as members of the Flower Committee. - Lielie Jensen, Thelma Nelson, and Mabel Knudsen. Alvin Christensen was elected Assistant Treasurer.

motion made and carried to elect a substitute delegate to the convention at Nuenah. Emma Hansen was elected.

The July Social meeting was postponed because the regular date for it would be the 4th of July.

Elna Karsgaard was given authority to make plans for a reception given in honor of Peter Gunderson and Mabel Knudsen who were to be married July 3rd. Meeting closed with prayer.

Reception for Mr. and Mrs. Gunderson was held in the church parlors Tuesday evening, July 13. Committees had been appointed to make arrangements. Everyone was invited. A program was rendered and ice cream, cake, and wafers were served. The parlors were beautifully decorated with pink, white, and green streamers, and many pretty flowers. A picture was presented to the bridal couple from the Y.P. Society and friends who were present.

Regular business meeting held Thurs. evening, July 15th. About 12 members were present. Thelma Nelson gave a very interesting report from the Y.P. Convention. The treasurer's report from the Conv. was also read. As that was the last business meeting Rev. Nielsen was to be with us as our pastor he made a few parting remarks encouraging us to work together for the good of the Society.

Sunday evening July 25th The social meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson. A large crowd gathered there as it was the last social meeting that Rev. Nielsen would be with us as our pastor.

A collection of \$6.62 was received.

Thursday evening, July 29 Mr. Edwin Petrusen and Mr. Elmer Christensen of Dana College, Blair Nebraska took charge of the business meeting. Mr. Petrusen gave an interesting talk about Dana College. He also sang a number of solos and duets with Mr. Christensen. There were a

number of the older people present at the meeting which was enjoyed by all.

Many people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Loftus to the social meeting Sunday evening Aug. 8th. A very short program was rendered. Collection \$4.

Business meeting held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. P. Christensen Thurs. eve. Aug. 12. There were about seventeen members present and three visitors. James Hansen took charge of the meeting. Elna Karningard was elected chairman of a committee to make out programs for the meetings. Motion made and carried that the chairman choose the other members of the committee.

Motion made and carried that the next social meeting be held Sunday evening Aug. 29. Meeting closed with prayer.

Social meeting held Sunday evening, August 29 at the home of Mrs. Hannah Rasmussen. Mr. Elmer Christensen ^{of Dana College} was present

and conducted the meeting. There was a very large attendance.

Business meeting held Thursday evening, Sept. 2 at the church with nine members present. Hymns were sung, scripture read, prayer rendered, and a short story was read by Earl Jensen. Meeting closed with prayer.

Business meeting held at the home of Gladys Thompson, Thurs. evening September 30th. Ten members and one visitor were present. Norman Nygaard read a short story from "Our Lutheran Youth". It has been decided that the Young People's Society hold a booth at the Bazaar - Ice cream and candy.

A letter from the League Secretary was read regarding ^{the} League Emblems. Thelma Nelson and Elna Karningard had received those ordered by them at the convention. Orders were taken for others. After the meeting closed - games were played and refreshments served by the hostess.

Social meeting held in the Church Parlors, Sunday evening, October 10.
Collection-

Business meeting held at the home of Elna Karmgard Thursday evening, October 14. There were 17 members and 4 visitors present.

Meeting opened with hymns, scripture reading and prayer. Leslie Knudsen read an article from "Our Lutheran Youth." Decided to make our

November Social meeting - Inadomi evening. The following committees were elected - Program -

Thelma Nelson, chairman, Stanley Jensen, Lawrence Larsen, Vernon Knortensen and Gladys Thompson.

Decorating - Elna Karmgard, chair.

Mable Gundersen, and Earl Jensen.

Refreshment - Leslie Knudsen, chair.

Charlotte Rasmussen, John Anthonsen.

The meeting closed, refreshments were served and a social time had by all present.

November Social meeting was held in the Church Parlors Sunday evening Nov. 7. As had been previously decided this was the Inadomi evening so the parlors were fittingly decorated. Mr. Emil Hansen, a former missionary among the Indians, was present and gave a very interesting talk. A few musical numbers were rendered and refreshments served.

Business meeting held in the church October 28 but there were only 4 members present so no business was transacted.

Business meeting held November 18. Fourteen members were present. No business.

Social meeting held in the Church Parlors Sunday evening December 5. Rev. Erlander was present and took full charge of the meeting. His presence at the meeting was enjoyed by the Y.P.S. members as well as friends who were gathered.

Upon invitation of the Knudsen family the regular business meeting was held there Thurs. eve. Dec. 9. Many members were present. Devotionals were by Leslie Christensen. Elna Karmgard read a story from "Christmas"

chimes. The Society decided to do the work at the Christmas tree, trimming tree filling boxes, etc., since the Brotherhood had decided to pay other expenses.

Gladys Thompson was elected to take orders for "Christmas Chimes."

The buying committee elected were Stanley Jensen, Peter Gundersen

All members were to act on general committee. The meeting closed and a bounteous lunch was served by Mrs. Knudsen.

December 29th members met at the Church Parlors to make all preparations for Christmas tree. The tree was trimmed, and the boxes were filled.

Business meeting was held in the Church Parlors Thursday evening January 6. Thirteen members were present. A short devotional service was held. Then a reception for Mr. & Mrs. Elmer Peterson was discussed. A committee was appointed to act with a committee from

the Ladies Aid to make plans for the Reception.

It was decided that the next Social meeting be held Sunday evening January 23, when Rev. Erlander could again be present. It was also decided that the Society should pay for the extra lights used on the Christmas tree. The meeting closed. - a social hour followed and light refreshments were served by Elna Karningard.

Social meeting held Sunday evening January 23. Rev. Erlander was present and took charge of the meeting. After the lunch and social hour the young people assisted by one or two members from the Ladies Aid S. trimmed the Church Parlors for the Reception for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peterson to be held on Monday evening January 24.

Many relatives and friends were present to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Peterson Monday evening. A program was rendered, Rev. Erlander gave a short talk and lunch was served. A relish dish was presented to the bridal couple

Regular business meeting was held in the Church Parlors Thursday evening February 3rd. Twelve members and two visitors were present. The Society decided to buy 15 small concordias and one Concordia with the notes for use in the church and Parlors. Decided to have the next Social meeting on Sunday eve. February 27th instead of on March 6 because Rev. Erlander would be with us on that day. A committee consisting of Norman Nygaard, Leslie Knudsen, Leslie Jensen, ^{Norma} Norman Nygaard, Mable Gunderson and Gladys Thompson was appointed to make plans for the Basket Social.

The committee met at the home of Mrs. Gunderson Monday evening Feb. 7th. Friday evening, Feb. 18th was the evening set for the Social. A program was planned. - Arrangements made etc.

Basket Social was held in the Church Parlors on Friday evening February 18. A large crowd of interested friends were present to help make

the Social a success, both socially and financially. A program consisting of Hymns + scripture, solos, duets, readings etc. was rendered after which the baskets were sold at auction. Mr. Emory Nelson was the auctioneer. When the baskets were all sold, lunch was served to those who did not bring or buy baskets for 25¢ a plate. Coffee was served to all present. Total income from Basket Lunches etc. - 47.50 Total expenses for coffee, sugar, lunches, prizes etc. - 2.99 Profit from Social 44.51

Rev. Erlander conducted the Social meeting on Sunday evening Feb. 27. by leading in Scripture and Prayers, giving a short talk and reading.

Business meeting held Thursday evening March 3 with nine members present. Reports from B.S. were given by the Treasurer. Motion made and carried that the Y.P.S. give \$50 (fifty) to the

congregation to help defray the expenses of improving the parsonage. Because a new English Lutheran Hymn Book is being published the concordias will not be used as much as in the past so it was decided to buy only a few (5 or 6) small concordias and one note book.

A short devotional service was held and the meeting closed.

Meeting called Thurs. eve. March 24. Only six members were present so only a short meeting was held.

Harold Larsen, Wesley Christensen, Vernon Mortensen, Alma Knudsen, and Mabel Gundersen were appointed to act on the Program Com. for the Reception for Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelsons Silver Wedding, April 5.

It was decided to hold a Reception for Emma Hansen who was married to Carl Anderson Mar. 22.

but no date was set for it.

The program committee should

consist of Edwin Christensen, Earl Jensen, Lawrence Larsen, Gladys Thompson and Edna Rasmussen. The Refreshment Com. - Peter Gundersen, Thelma Nelson and Alvin Christensen.

Social meeting was held in the Church Parlors, Sunday evening, May 1.

Business meeting held in the church April 28. Eight members were present. A letter was read by the Secretary in regards to the Annual Y.P. Convention. No other business.

Business meeting held in church parlors Thurs. eve, May 12 with eleven members and one visitor present. After the devotional service a short business meeting was held. Decided to have Y.P. meeting the 4th night of May 19 as Rev. Erlaudis would not be for home on the regular meeting evening. The Y.P. were urged to be at the meeting on time that is 8 P.M. The meeting closed by all present repeating the Lords Prayer together.

Reception for Mr and Mrs. Carl Anderson was held in the Church Parlors Sunday evening May 8. About 50 friends and relatives were present. A short program was given, a gift presented to the honored couple, refreshments served and a social hour followed.

meeting held in the church May 19. Six members were present. Rev. Erlander expressed his desire to have the annual Y.P. convention at Oregon next year but no decision was made. Devotional service was held and the meeting closed with prayer.

Business meeting held in the church Thursday evening June 23rd - nine members present. A letter was read from the League secretary in regard to convention at Sherringtonton. It was announced that the next meeting would be the annual meeting. also a delegate was to be elected for the convention. meeting closed with prayer.

Social meeting held Sunday evening July 3rd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Christensen.
O. K. Thelma Nelson

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Annual meeting.

The annual business meeting was held in the Church Parlors Thursday evening, July 7 with eleven members and four visitors from Poy Sippi present. Devotionals were held, then the business meeting followed.

The Secretary's report was read and approved. The treasurer's report was also read and approved.

Glady Thompson and Thelma Nelson were appointed by the president as auditors.

Tellers appointed were Leslie Kurdeon and Alvin Christensen.

Election of officers then took place. Stanley ~~Christensen~~^{Jensen} was elected vice president, Elna Harmingard reelected secretary, Vernon Mortensen reelected treas. Alvin Christensen reelected Asst. Treas. + the flower committee was also reelected. Nora Nygaard was elected as delegate.

to the Convention at Shennington.
A vote was taken as to whether or not
Oregon should invite the young
People of the Wisconsin League
to hold their next annual meeting
at Oregon. Four voted for and several
voted blank.

Meeting adjourned.

Meetings - Business and Social

Business meeting held in the
Church Parlors July 21. Devotional
service was held. No special business
so meeting adjourned.

Business meeting held in the Church
Parlors Thursday evening August 4.
After the devotional service our
delegate to the convention at Shennington
read her very interesting report of
the annual meeting of the Y.P. League
of Wisconsin. Her report showed the
enthusiastic acceptance by the
delegates of the invitation to hold

the next annual convention at
Oregon.

A rising vote of thanks was
given Noka for her report.

Rev. Erlander reported that the
Ladies Aid would buy the new
Hymn Books so it was unnecessary
for the society to do so. Meeting adjourned.

The August social meeting was
held Sunday evening August 7
at the home of Mrs. Carl Larsen.
A large number were in attendance
so a good social evening was
enjoyed by all.

Business meeting held in the Church Thurs.
evening August 18. After a short devotional
service the meeting closed with the Lord's
Prayer.

Because of the annual ~~social~~ District
meeting held in Racine from Sept. 1 to 5th our
regular social meeting was held on August
28th instead of Sept. 4. The regular business
meeting was also postponed one week because
of the district meeting so it was held Sept. 8.

There was no special business so a devotional service was held and the meeting closed with prayer.

The society met at a regular meeting on September 22. After a devotional service Rev. Erlander made a suggestion that we have a membership and attendance contest. The suggestion was heartily received and motion made and carried that we have such a contest which should strive to create more interest in the society and gain new members. Captains were appointed, Elna Karmyad for the Brooklyn side and Gladys Thompson for the Oregon side. These captains chose members for their side. Points counted as follows. The attendance of each member 1 point, a visitor should count 2 points for the side which invited them and new members count 5 points for the side which got them to join. The contest should continue till the last meeting in November. On the evening of the meeting of the first one in December the side having the

least points should give an oyster supper to the winning side. Thelma Nelson was elected secretary for the contest. No other business. Meeting closed with prayer.

October social meeting was held Sunday evening Oct. 2. A special musical program was rendered in the church after which refreshments were served in the Parlors.

meeting held Thurs. eve. Oct. 6. After the devotional service the roll was called. Motion was made and seconded that the society should have a candy booth at the Ladies Bazaar. The President was empowered to appoint a committee to take charge of the booth. Gladys Thompson, Nora Nygaard, and Alvin Christensen were appointed to act on that committee. The Sec. read a letter of Resolutions written by the Immanuel Y. P. S. of Racine in regards to raising a fund for needy students. Left till next meet. Inadornic meeting was discussed. Meeting closed. Meeting held Thurs. eve. Oct. 20. After Rev. Erlander had read a story the business meeting was held. The letter of Resolutions was left till further decision. Motion was made & carried that we have

Inadomi evening^{the} first meeting in November as usual. The decoration committee elected was Elna Karmgard, chairman, Thelma Nelson, and Vernon Mortensen. The suggestion was made that the program should be upstairs in the church. The collection should also be taken there. The refreshments would be served in the parlors. We were all encouraged to invite visitors to the meetings. Roll call. - Visitors welcomed. Refreshment committee elected was Palma Nelson, Elma Knudson, & Stanley Jensen. - Meeting adjourned.

Regular business meeting held Thurs eve Nov. 3. It being the fourth meeting during the contest there was a large attendance, especially visitors. When the meeting closed a social hour was enjoyed by those present.

Inadomi evening was Thurs eve Nov. 6. The program was rendered in the church. Special musical numbers were rendered and Miss Verdis Christensen gave a very interesting talk on her trip

to the West. Collection was taken, after which those present went into the Church Parlors which had been very appropriately decorated and a light refreshments were served.

Because Rev. Erlander could not be present on our regular meeting night the meeting was held Tuesday evening Nov. 15. There were nearly one hundred young people present. at this meeting, it being the last night of the contest. The usual devotional service was held. The question was brought up as to whether we should buy any Christmas Chimes. Motion made and seconded that 24 copies be ordered. Rev. Erlander took charge of the sale of said copies. Five new members were accepted into the society. Roll call followed, and points figured showing Oregon side had a majority of points. The Captain of the Brooklyn side then made a few remarks thanking those who assisted in giving her side points and invited all the visitors to come to other meetings, also invited all the members of the society to the oyster supper Thurs eve Dec. 1. Meeting closed.

The supper was served on Thurs. eve. Dec. 1. Rev. and Mrs. Erlander and twenty-five members were present. During the supper and following remarks were made by the following - Leslie Christensen, Leslie Knudson, Leslie Jensen, Gladys Thompson, Agnes Jensen, and Rev. Erlander. Business meeting followed. Suggestion was made that we have Roll call at each meeting, also that we pay our dues monthly rather than yearly. Motion made by Gladys Thompson that we have Roll call at business meetings. Carried. Motion made and seconded that we have Roll call in first meeting of month. Motion made that the Society take charge of the Christmas tree as usual. Carried. Motion made and seconded that the President appoint committees. Carried. Decorating com. - Leslie Christensen, Nora Nygaard and Mable Gunderson. Buying com. - Gladys Thompson, Stanley Jensen, + Leslie Knudson. Motion made and seconded six hymn books with notes be purchased by the Society. Adjourned. We were again encouraged to invite visitors.

Social meeting was held Sunday eve. Dec. 4. A short program was rendered and refreshments served.

Business meeting Thurs. eve. Dec. 15. The regular devotional service was held and meeting adjourned. Meeting held in the Church Parlors Thurs. eve. Dec. 27 with about 16 members and 2 visitors present. After the devotional service, announcement was made that we would have a regular business meeting at our next meeting Jan. 12. When the meeting closed Rev. Erlander invited all those present to the parsonage to spend the evening. The young people heartily accepted the invitation. A very pleasant social hour was enjoyed and delightful refreshments served. It was a late hour when we departed for our homes having had a very nice time.