

HIGHWAY MISSION TABERNACLE

OFFICIAL BOARD

Meeting of the Official Board, called by the Pastor after the morning service on Sunday, October 8, 1944, at the Church.

The Pastor presided and the meeting was opened with prayer.

Present: Bros. W. Hepworth	F. Simokat
I. Day,	A. Hummel
C. Krause	
F. Heintz,	
W. Hollahan	Sisters:
Alexander	I. McEwen
T. Griffith	M. Nethery
R. Lafferty	C. Clark
W. McAnney	C. Payne

Brother Bragg read draft of Missionary Program, approved by the Board of Trustees, stating that it was subject to revision, especially as to amounts.

After some discussion it was suggested that it would be well to insert that the support of the Shirers as missionaries could be taken up and considered when they decided to return to Africa.

Brother Hollahan made a motion that the Official Board go on record as recommending the form of missionary policy endorsed by the Trustee Board., a copy of which is hereto attached.

The meeting adjourned with prayer.

Respectfully submitted

Clara M. Payne

Church Clerk

WHEREAS, the Lord Jesus Christ, shortly before His ascension to the Father, commanded the church to carry the Gospel to every creature in all the world; and

WHEREAS, His return to earth is imminent, and the task committed to the church is largely unfulfilled:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,

That we, the members of Highway Mission Tabernacle of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, pledge ourselves immediately to a united and consecrated continuity of effort to reach the unsaved of other lands by the following efforts in:

1. PRAYER. Recognizing the commandment of our Saviour in Luke 18:1, that men ought always to pray, we will pray for our missionaries on the foreign fields that their efforts may be greatly blest and honored of God, and that their strength may be sustained.

2. GIVING OURSELVES. Realizing that it is the policy of the Lord to choose from among His people those whom He will send forth as missionaries, we will encourage and invite such choice from our midst.

3. GIVING OF OUR MEANS. Since by the gracious assistance of our Lord we have successfully disposed of the property mortgage, and feeling that it will be well pleasing in his sight to make the following contributions, we will increase our quarterly offerings from \$1,350.00 to \$2,000.00, to be disbursed as follows:

INDIA:

The Wagoners, George	\$300.00
The McClays	300.00

AFRICA:

The Chastagners of Ivory Coast	300.00
The Westons of Gold Coast	300.00

(Nellie Meloon, Belgian Congo)	150.00
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(The Shirers: Their support may be taken up and considered when they decide to return to the field.)

PALESTINE:

Mr. and Mrs. Saul Benjamin	300.00
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SOUTH AMERICA:

Mr. and Mrs. Alva I. Walker of Peru	300.00
Mr. and Mrs. Yngve Olson of Venezuela	300.00