

At a meeting of the Highway Ushers' Association, held at the home of Bro. John Benckert, October 10th, 1938, the following were present;

Bro. Wesley Steelburg

John Benckert

George Jarratt

Fred Hepworth

F. J. Simokat

Howard Fern

Geo. McKinley

Wesley Steelburg

Bro. Green

Bro. Hallahan

Allan Hummel

Ernest Kalapathy

Norman Bullock

Robert Anderson

Wm. Anderson

The Minutes of the previous meeting, held June 13th, 1938, were approved as read.

Brother Allan Hummel was officially taken into the association with a rising vote of acceptance.

The question of badges again was brought up. Bro. Benckert requested that if any of the ushers had any of these badges at their homes to kindly return them. A motion was made to provide for six additional badges, duly seconded and carried. Geo. McKinley and F. J. Simokat were appointed a committee to take care of the purchase of these badges.

The question of flowers for the Fall Convention was brought up. Bro. Howard Fern made a motion, seconded by Wesley Steelburg that the sum of \$10 be designated toward the purchase of these flowers. Motion duly carried. Howard Fern and Wesley Steelburg were appointed to look after the purchase of these flowers.

After the general order of business was dispensed with the meeting was thrown open for any helpful suggestions or constructive criticisms.

The Pastor stressed the need of maintaining a real spirit of friendliness especially with strangers who enter our church, so that they will be made to feel that they are welcome and want to return again. A suggestion was offered that an usher be stationed at each door with a word of greeting to those who are leaving the church.

It was again drawn to the attention of the ushers of the disturbance caused by too many ushers congregating in the rear of the church and talking, and it was requested that ushers who were not appointed to serve at a service, should not stand at the rear of the church.

Also mention was made of the disturbance caused by children changing classes during childrens' service, and it was suggested that an usher be stationed with the children while they are making this change.

As there was nothing further to discuss, the meeting adjourned with a closing word of prayer.

Respectfully submitted

F. J. Simokat
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