

Monday March 13, 1967

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees was held on Monday March 13, 1967 with all members present. The meeting was opened with scripture reading by Bro. Fred Heintz who read the 33rd Psalm.

Pastor Roberson then lead us in prayer for God's Blessing on the meeting and for those who are sick and in need of prayer.

Chas. MacPherson our Secretary then read the minutes from the previous meeting and after a slight correction were accepted as read.

The report of the treasure was given by Bro. Dron as to the finances of the church, and after a few questions by Pastor Roberson they were accepted as read.

The report of the House Committee was given by Don Mariano. He gave us a report that Bro. Ambrose and himself had gone over the church room by room and had taken inventory of just what we have, and also an itemized list of each item, as to the over all cost of everything. The cost of household items came to a total of \$33,611.00 dollars. The Board of Trustees by common consent thanked our brethern for the fine job they had done, and authorized them to get in touch with Preferred Risk Insurance Co. and to proceed with getting a policy for the church.

Bro. Mariano spoke to the Board of getting six electric deoderizers for the men and womens rest rooms at a cost of \$52.20 dollars for six, plus \$9.00 dollars for the refills. A motion was made by Bro. Dron and seconed by Thomas Griffith that we purchase them. Motion passed.

Bro. Mariano brought to the Boards attention about getting artifical palms for the platform, at a cost of \$39.95 dollars each. Also they are to be six feet tall. Bro. Mariano is to look further into the matter and report back to the Board.

A motion was made by Don Mariano and seconed by George Ambrose that we purchase an electric I B M typeriter at a cost of \$150.00 dollars subject to the approval of the Board if not satisfied it can be taken back.

A motion was made by Bro. Dron and seconed by Don Mariano that we purchase an adressograph machine. Cost to be \$185.00 dollars, plus 12¢ cents a plate, to get around 400 plates to take care of the membership of the church. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Bro. Dron seconed by Don Mariano that we look into the matter of getting a new service mens plaque. House committee to report back at next meeting as to what the cost will be and the type to get.

A motion was made by Bro. Dron seconed by Pastor Roberson that the House Committee look into the matter of getting a new roof put on parsonage, also just what kind to get and what the cost will be.

Pastor to contact the roofer who stopped by the Parsonage.
House Committee and Pastor to report back to Board of Trustees.

Bro. Don Mariano made a motion seconded by Dick Ambrose that we increase the Pastor's allowance from \$80.00 dollars a month to \$100.00 dollars a month. Finance Committee to look further into just what should be done as to given allowances. Motion passed.

The Board of Trustees by common consent agreed to give Bro. Crosby \$125.00 dollars for his services to the Sunday School during the week of March 13, 1967. also to pay his hotel bill and meals.

Pastor Roberson asked the Board of Trustees to authorize a special offering for a church in East Greenville Penna. That had a bad fire in its church. Most other churches in area are given an offering and Pastor Roberson thought our people would like to help.

Pastor Roberson pledged \$10.00 dollars to the North Eastern Convention for Highway Tabernacle, as Convention ran into financial difficulty, due to bad weather and snow. All other churches are helping out. Pastor Roberson to be reimbursed.

Board of Trustees by common consent agreed to take a half page ad in the year book of N.B.I. for 1967 at cost of \$45.00 dollars.

A motion to adjourn was made and the meeting was closed with prayer by Bro. John Gerhart.

Charles MacPherson

Secretary