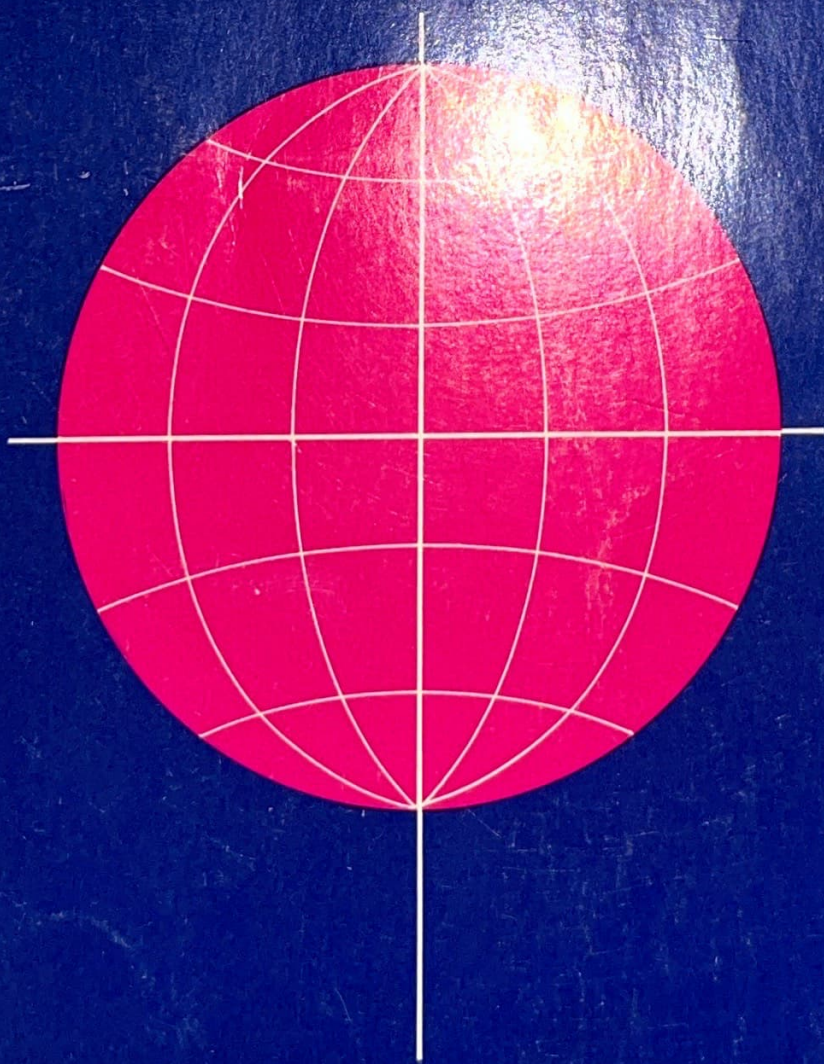


**Churches of Christ in NSW**  
**87th Annual Conference**  
**25th to 30th April 1972**

**“Who Says Impossible!”**



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EIGHTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

PROGRAMME OF REPORTS AND MEETINGS

Tuesday 25th April — Sunday 30th April, 1972



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## CONFERENCE OFFICERS

Past President: D. W. Mansell  
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 Treasurer: L. E. Thomas



Conference President:  
 R. F. Bartholomew

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Looking back in retrospect over the past twelve months one must feel that it is a very real privilege and the experience of a lifetime to serve the Brotherhood as Conference President. There has been a continuing consciousness of the unmerited blessing of God and the joy of fellowship.

The year of service has been made easier by the expressions of friendship and understanding all over New South Wales.

I am indebted to the Ministers' Fraternal of our Churches — the President Elect and Conference Secretary for their support and assistance. I would also like to express my appreciation to those in office in other communions for their outstanding courtesy and assistance, particularly in the area of State and official functions.

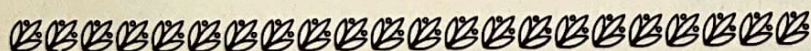
There is, of course, a very real sense of regret at the inability to achieve all that was intended. It was not possible to visit all of our Churches or attend all committee meetings. However an indication is gathered of the tremendous work that is being done for the cause of Christ throughout the Brotherhood.

Naturally there are some areas of concern, and situations that disappoint. Let us recognise always that it is Christ whom we serve and there must be no other motive. Indeed, 'unless the Lord build the house, they labour in vain who build it'.

By virtue of the tremendous issues which involve us in a changing world, it is my conviction that as individuals and as a Brotherhood we need more than ever to be mature — developed — "grown up" members of the Body of Christ. It is one thing to make a claim or state a position but an entirely different thing to live up to that claim.

It is the "living" part that is so essential and critical today.

R. F. BARTHOLOMEW



## PROGRAMME

TUESDAY: 25th April

10.00 a.m. YOUTH WORKSHOP — Stanwell Tops

WEDNESDAY: 26th April

10.00 a.m. CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP 7th Conference — Stanwell Tops

THURSDAY: 27th April

2.00 p.m. COUNTRY MINISTERS' SESSION — Enmore

FRIDAY: 28th April

10.00 a.m. MINISTERS' SESSION — Auburn Church of Christ  
 MINISTERS AND WIVES — Speaker: G. K. Moyes, B.A.

5.45 p.m. DEPARTMENT OF MEN'S WORK TEA — Enmore — Speaker: T. W. Bagley

7.15 p.m. CONFERENCE BUSINESS SESSION

7.15 p.m. Devotions  
 7.23 p.m. Inwards & Outwards Greetings  
 7.26 p.m. Welcome to New Ministers  
 7.30 p.m. Conference Executive Report (including F.A.C., Christian Messenger)  
 8.25 p.m. Stanwell Tops Report  
 8.40 p.m. Christian Unity Committee Report  
 9.00 p.m. Men's Work Committee Report  
 9.20 p.m. Preachers' Provident Fund Report  
 9.30 p.m. Benediction

SATURDAY: 29th April

10.00 a.m. CONFERENCE BUSINESS SESSION

10.00 a.m. Devotions  
 10.08 a.m. Announcements  
 10.10 a.m. Advisory Board Report  
 10.20 a.m. Building Advisory Committee Report  
 10.30 a.m. Chapel Extension Committee Report  
 10.45 a.m. Property Trust Report  
 11.00 a.m. Aborigines Mission Committee Report  
 11.25 a.m. Boys' Home Committee Report  
 12.00 a.m. Christian Education Committee Report  
 12.35 p.m. Close and "Grace"

12.40 p.m. LUNCH

1.30 p.m. CLOSE OF BALLOT

1.35 p.m. CONFERENCE BUSINESS SESSION

1.35 p.m. Devotions  
 1.40 p.m. Bible College Report  
 2.15 p.m. Social Service Committee Report  
 2.50 p.m. Overseas Mission Committee Report  
 3.25 p.m. Afternoon Tea Break  
 3.40 p.m. Home Missions Committee Report  
 4.05 p.m. Notices of Motion  
 5.05 p.m. Unfinished Business

6.00 p.m. TEA

7.15 p.m. INDUCTION & INSPIRATIONAL RALLY — Speaker: G. K. Moyes, B.A.

SUNDAY: 30th April (Town Hall)

2.45 p.m. SERVICE OF WITNESS — Speaker: G. K. Moyes, B.A.

## PRESIDENTS ELECT

### CLIFFORD G. TAYLOR



Cliff Taylor (home church, Fremantle, W.A.) followed two years' H.M. service at Brookton, W.A., with the Federal College of the Bible course (1936-38) and History Honours B.A., Melbourne University (1939-41). He ministered to various Melbourne churches for 28 years, serving also as College of the Bible lecturer in Homiletics (1945-51), Editor, "Australian Christian" (1951-63) and Vic-Tas. Conference President (1962-63). He has addressed two World Conventions (Melbourne, 1952; Toronto, 1955) and Conferences in all Australian States, as well as churches in U.S.A. and Canada (1955). Two of his hymns are in the Australian Churches of Christ Hymn Book, one of these being the 1952 World Convention Theme Hymn.

His wife, a Melbourne "Sun" Aria winner, was well known as a singer throughout our Australian churches, before ill health forced her to give up that ministry. They have two daughters - Wendy (Mrs. G. Verco) and Heather.

Since Dec. 1963, Mr. Taylor has ministered at Chatswood, given one lecture weekly at Woolwich College, and served as State Overseas Missions' chairman for the past 7 years.

His Conference Theme is a challenging one - "Who Says Impossible!"

### RUTH WAKELY

Ruth Wakely is a dedicated Christian, willing in Service. A trained nursing sister and a member of the Church of Christ, Fremantle W.A., she married Colin Wakely in 1943. In 1946 they came to Sydney. Both Ruth and Colin have shown deep commitment to Christ in their Christian Service.

After a period of membership at City Temple, they transferred to Seven Hills. Despite the task of raising three boys, Ruth was a consistent worker in the C.W.F.

Since the Wakelys moved to Belmore in 1960 they have continued in Service. Colin is an elder and Church Secretary; their three sons teach in the Bible school; Ruth continues to teach, has led in club work and works in the C.W.F. having held various offices, including Presidency.

This year of State Presidency, a further step in Service, will be challenging to the N.S.W. C.W.F.'s to "render reasonable Service unto the Lord".



## GUIDE TO DELEGATES

On behalf of the Churches of Christ in New South Wales, may we congratulate you on having been chosen as delegate to our 87th Annual Conference. We are very glad you are able to serve in this way and look forward to fellowship with you at Conference.

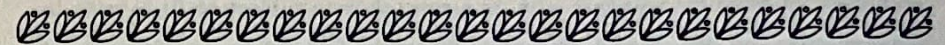
To ensure that Conference is all that it should be, would you please note the following suggestions:-

- (a) Please give prayerful consideration to the reports and notices of motion prior to coming to Conference.
- (b) Join us in prayer each day asking for God's guidance and blessing upon each session of Conference.
- (c) Please be sure you register with the Conference Returning Officer on arrival at each business session.
- (d) Please observe good meeting manners.

In a large meeting, certain formalities are recognised as important to the meeting. Remember, every member must hear and understand what is being done. The following steps will help to keep the meeting informal and in order:

1. Rise and address the chair and wait to be recognised before speaking. Always speak through the public address system and give your name and the church you represent.
2. Write out all but the most simple motions.
3. Observe the time limit (3 minutes). Others may also want to speak.
4. Remember that each speaker, except the mover, can only speak once to a motion without the permission of the meeting.
5. Vote on all questions. Not to do so influences the result as much as voting does.
6. The correct way to bring any matter before Conference is to move a motion. When seconded the matter is open for discussion.
7. Remember that in discussion we are trying to discover the will of God. Don't let prejudice blind you to the leading of God's Spirit, which may come through another speaker. Always keep an open mind.

Wishing you God's blessing on your participation in Conference.



## 78TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

### CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday - 26th April 1972 - 10.00 a.m.

### STANWELL TOPS CHRISTIAN CONVENTION CENTRE

President: Mrs. U. Lewis

Speaker: Mrs. S. Mansell

Soloiste: Miss B. Harcus

Morning Session 10.00 a.m.

Luncheon (Cups of Tea provided)

Afternoon Session

1.00 p.m. - Devotions - Incoming President Mrs. Ruth Wakely

Note: It is expected Conference will conclude at approximately 2.30 p.m.



## CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP REPORT

Unto Thee, O God, we give our thanks and lift our hearts in prayer. It is good to say "Thank You" to the Lord as, indeed, we do for His love and guidance during this past year as we have endeavoured to serve Him. Let us remember always that Service, is Love in action.

Mrs. Una Lewis has capably and lovingly this year been our Leader and we have enjoyed her year as President and her Theme "Now is the Time" has been a challenge to all Fellowships. Mrs. Lewis has visited most country Fellowships, City Fellowships, Conferences of other churches, Community functions and, in fact, all invitations that she has received, she has accepted and attended when able to do so.

THE EXECUTIVE. Those who have served on the Executive are Mrs. U. Lewis (President), Mrs. M. McLean (Past President), Mrs. R. Wakely (President Elect), Mrs. G. Bent (Vice President), Mrs. L. Beckingham (Secretary), Mrs. M. Elsmore (Treasurer), Mrs. L. Webb (Assistant Secretary), Mrs. J. Torode (Publicity Secretary), Mrs. I. Holloway (Newcastle Representative), Mrs. I. Porter (Wollongong Representative). Mrs. L. Main resigned as Camp Superintendent during the year and Mrs. B. Wylie has been co-opted to the Executive as Camp Superintendent. The Executive meets each month to discuss the work both on State and Federal level and to prepare for the regular meetings of the Fellowship which are held each month when all Fellowships are encouraged to attend. Short Business Sessions were

conducted followed by Speakers who, as a rule, chose a subject to fit in with the President's Theme. Mrs. Wylie forwards special news items to the Australian Representative of the World Christian Women's Fellowship for inclusion in W.C.W.F. "Newsletter". Our monthly meetings at City Temple were not being attended as well as had been and this could have been for numerous reasons — such as increased fares and non availability of parking space. A recommendation was presented to the Fellowships and adopted that we should meet at the Burwood Church for monthly meetings. We will be meeting at Burwood commencing February 1972 and will continue to do so until Conference, when the position will be reviewed. We are hopeful that numbers in attendance will be increased. The Christmas Meeting was held at Stanwell Tops when approximately 270 ladies were present. Devotions were prepared by Mrs. L. Main and presented by Wollongong C.W.F. Devotions at most monthly meetings have been prepared by Country Fellowships and presented by a City Fellowship, thus enabling as many Fellowships as possible to share in this way and create a closer bond.

**EVENING RALLY.** These are encouraged to enable our Evening Fellowships to meet with us. A most successful Rally was held at Burwood in the way of "A Night in India". Many came in colourful Saris. The Hall was decorated to suit the evening (and we must thank Mr. L. Wylie for his assistance). An Indian Supper was served AND the walls of Burwood Church Hall were really stretched. One had to sit wherever one could find a space — there were as many on the floor as on chairs! Mr. & Mrs. Thomas brought a car load from Bowral and they rendered choral items in Marathi. Our Sister, Dorothy Holstein was the Guest Speaker. At the time of writing this report, we are preparing for an International Night which we are holding at Greenacre and looking forward to it with much enthusiasm. These evening rallies are popular and very helpful. We trust that this coming year we will be able to have several at different locations.

**CONVENTION DAY** is also another very popular event. We endeavour to move around for this, and this year, we held same at our Penrith Church and enjoyed the hospitality of the Penrith C.W.F. Approximately 200 were in attendance. We were fortunate to be able to have the World Christian Women's Fellowship Project Book, which was used at World Convention, to display. Convention Day is to promote C.W.F., challenge C.W.F., and encourage. A Woman to Woman Panel was held and Conference Committees well featured.

**HOUSE PARTIES.** These continue to be popular also and beneficial to our work. Last year, we had our last Camp at "Gilbulla" with Mrs. Main as Superintendent and Mrs. Chambers leading the Studies. As we now have our own Brotherhood Camp, we have planned to hold this year's Camp at Stanwell Tops Christian Convention Centre.

**BUDGET.** We were indeed happy to exceed the budget figure and so were able to give a little more to our Conference Committees when making the distribution. Thank you, indeed, to all Fellowships who made this possible. As the Executive have moved around to Fellowships (which they will readily do, if invited to do so), the Budget is one item discussed and we are pleased that most Fellowships realize the importance of giving through same and thus the Executive can distribute as they know where the need is.

**SPECIAL EFFORT** this year was for the Bible College for the purpose of purchasing a Freezer/Frig. \$1150.00 was the amount received. The Special Effort is a separate gift from the Budget giving and we endeavour to give through our Special Effort to Conference Committees yearly, in rotation.

**COLLEGE C.W.F.** Mrs. D. Elliott, Mrs. H. Chapman and Mrs. M. Elsmore continue to encourage C.W.F. meetings at the College. This, we consider, gives the young women at College, and associated with the College, an insight into the work which, in turn, would assist them when they become involved in their own church.

**REPRESENTATIVES.** We thank those who have represented the Fellowship in various ways such as on the Women's Inter Church Council. We have eight representatives on the Council. Mrs. R. Stanhope is to be our representative at the National Committee Meeting (which is associated with Australian Church Women) and Mrs. S. Bloore will be representing on behalf of the Federal Executive. Mrs. Stanhope represents on Women's World Day of Prayer, Mrs. Wrigley on Women's Christian Temperance Union and Mrs. Palmer on Christian Television Association. These ladies are available to speak on the work they represent and Fellowships are encouraged to extend to them an invitation to do so.

**COMMITTEES.** *Ashwood House.* This Committee is elected at Conference and attends to the administration of Ashwood House (C.W.F. Home for Aged Ladies) in conjunction with the Executive of C.W.F. The C.W.F. President and Secretary attend meetings of this Committee. This Committee Report, in full, is presented in the Churches of Christ Conference Handbook.

**Aboriginal Missions.** The Superintendent is a member of General Conference Committee, as their Constitution allows for one nomination from C.W.F. Mrs. Taylor has had a very busy year having travelled to many City Fellowships and also to Country Fellowships. She reports that 42 children were clothed and many gifts of linen, towels, toys etc. were received. *College.* Seven ladies represented on this Committee with Mrs. M. Single as Superintendent. *Hospital.* Mrs. F. Fishburn, the Superintendent, and her helpers have again given of their time and faithful service visiting Hospitals and Brotherhood Aged Persons' Homes. *Prayer.* Mrs. R. Wakely, as Superintendent, reports that District Prayer Meetings have been held at Caringbah, Marrickville, Fairfield and Narrabeena, and also, that Mrs. D. Elliott arranged a meeting at Telopea. Meetings were well represented and of fine christian calibre. She says that much spiritual depth is revealed in women through these meetings. Mrs. Wakely is disappointed with the attendance at the pre-monthly prayer meetings. *Boys' Home & Hostel Committee.* This Committee was pleased to welcome Mrs. D. Frost as their President and they have continued to work for the Home and Hostel as needed. Mrs. Frost is available to speak at C.W.F. meetings.

*Catering* is under the leadership of Mrs. K. Armstrong who, with this willing Committee, continue to render valuable service to C.W.F. and General Conference. *Overseas Missions.* Mrs. G. Bent is Superintendent and reports that a culminating highlight of the year's activities is the packing and despatching of Christmas gifts to New Guinea and the New Hebrides. 22 packing cases were sent to our missionaries and will bring much joy and happiness. Mrs. Saxby and Mrs. Stanhope have visited City Fellowships and Mrs. Bent has visited many country Fellowships to tell of the work of this Committee. *Social Service Committee.* Mrs. G. Gamlin is President, and together with Mrs. N. Styche, attends General Committee meetings. Mrs. B. Mitchell, Secretary, reports that "it is a privilege to humbly serve in this way". Eight ladies have willingly helped the Department in many ways with "fund raising" without which, this Department could not continue in its ever increasing welfare work. Assistance has been given at the Homes, packing toys and hampers, sorting clothes, manning stalls, and in many other ways as asked by the Department. Mrs. Mitchell considers "their rewards are great" as they work for the Master. *Newcastle District C.W.F.* report that they have met as a Conference bi-monthly in the different churches. Mrs. L. Beavan has been the President and Mrs. W. Howard, Secretary. A Convention Day was held when Wyoming Fellowship joined with them and three Speakers from our State C.W.F. Particular interest is shown in the Brotherhood Aged People's Home "Victoria House" and help is given. Also, some serve on the House Committee. Mrs. D. Holloway has represented Newcastle District on State Executive. Both Mrs. Holloway and Mrs. Howard will be missed as they move from the District.

Mrs. E. Schofield has been *Obituary Superintendent* and reports that she has written 60 letters from May to December 1971. She counts it a privilege to serve in this way and would appreciate hearing from country Fellowships who have had bereavements amongst their membership. Her address is 10 Sharp Street, Belmore 2192. Mrs. C. S. Mackellar has served faithfully as *Isolated Sisters' Superintendent* since June 1945 and has maintained many christian contacts during these years. If anybody knows of a sister who is in an area where she cannot meet and have fellowship, please contact Mrs. Mackellar. Her address is 49 Blaxland Road, Rhodes. 2138. Mrs. B. Nutt as Superintendent of *Department of Christian Education Committee* reports that she has attended all Committee meetings of General Conference open to her and has passed on her knowledge of the work of the Department to many Fellowships. We commend Mrs. Nutt to you as a Speaker for your Fellowship. Our Superintendent on the *Home Missions Committee* is Mrs. A. Wilson.

The C.W.F. is happy to support, on a Federal basis, Miss Edna Lincoln as their *Aborigine Living Link* and Miss Margaret Horne as *Overseas Living Link*. Edna serves at Carnarvon, and Margaret on the New Guinea field. We are keenly looking forward to *Federal Conference* in Perth this year and are kept up to date with business and arrangements through the Federal C.W.F. Executive.

The Executive thank all Officers, Superintendents, Representatives, Committee members and Fellowships for their interest in C.W.F. work and for their assistance in serving the Brotherhood through C.W.F. Let us remember that *Service is Love* in action. Our Incoming President's Theme is "Render Reasonable Service Unto The Lord". For those who are called to serve this year, do it with all the strength and energy that God supplies, so that God will be glorified through Jesus Christ.

U. LEWIS, President  
L. BECKINGHAM, Secretary

## CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE REPORT

With a sense of deep gratitude to God for His goodness and guidance, we present this report to our Churches in New South Wales. We express our appreciation to all who, by faithful service and generous giving, have under God, enriched the fellowship of the Churches and made their witness effective.

(A) **LOYALTY TO THE THRONE:** Once again, we express our loyalty and devotion to Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II earnestly praying that God may continue to guide her in her personal Christian faith and use her life for the furtherance of abiding peace and security for all people.

(B) **PERSONNEL:** During the past Conference Year the following have served on the Executive: R. F. Bartholomew, President; Mrs. U. Lewis, C.W.F. President; C. G. Taylor, President Elect; R. C. Hewitt, Secretary; J. V. Ellerby, Asst. Secretary; L. E. Thomas, Treasurer; C. Cole, Social Service; C. Bowser, Christian Messenger; A. G. Elliott, Bible College; F. R. Gee, Building Advisory; J. Hunter, D.C.E.; A. G. Leane, Christian Unity; P. H. Morton, Chapel Extension; C. Nutt, Home Mission and Mens' Department; E. E. Oswald, Aborigines; D. Parry, Boys' Home and Young Men's Hostel; F. J. Stephenson and I. Torode attended by invitation.

The full Executive has met each alternate month with the Secretariat meeting in the month between.

These meetings, plus other special meetings, have been held at Burwood Church and appreciation is recorded for the use of their property.

(C) **SYMPATHY:** On behalf of our Churches in New South Wales, we extend our Christian sympathy to all who have lost loved ones during the year. We look back with gratitude and thanksgiving on their contribution in Christian life and witness and commend their loved ones to the comfort and care of the Holy Spirit.

(D) **CONFERENCE PRESIDENT:** Bro. R. F. Bartholomew fulfilled a very heavy schedule of appointments throughout the Brotherhood as well as representing the Churches of Christ at many State and special occasions.

(E) **STATISTICAL:** The reported total membership for 1971 stands at 7,031 registering a net loss of 41. The active membership is 5,214, supplementary 1,289 and isolated 528 and we are thankful to God for the reported 307 additions by faith and baptism.

(F) **CHRISTIAN MESSENGER:** Once again we are grateful to Mr. C. Bowser, Editor and those who have assisted him in the production of the "Messenger".

The rise in publication costs makes it necessary for the price of this magazine to rise in 1972.

(G) **AFFILIATION:** The Conference is represented on the Council of Churches in New South Wales by Breth. C. Cole and G. Warne and on the British and Foreign Bible Society by Mr. W. H. B. Palmer.

The Council of Churches in New South Wales continues to be very active and provides a channel for expression of Christian principles in community life.

(H) **MATTERS ARISING FROM 1971 CONFERENCE:** (i) *Enmore:* One of the highlights of this year was the acceptance of the challenge to Minister to migrants at Enmore and the Brotherhood as a whole acknowledges the sacrifice of Bro. and Sis. R. Dixon. At the time of this report approximately \$100 per week has been pledged as support for this work. (ii) *Trading Finances of Department of Christian Education:* The Committee comprising Breth. F. J. Stephenson, N. H. Morris, R. Baker and R. C. Hewitt is at present investigating the long term financial structure of the Bookroom. (iii) *Revised System of Departmental Administration:* A special meeting of the members of the Conference Executive as well as additional members of all Conference Committees was held and some of the results of this meeting and subsequent discussions are listed under Notices of Motion. It is felt that other matters discussed will need further investigation. (iv) *New Life in Christ:* Breth. M. Pieper, G. Warne, D. Norling and R. Hewitt were appointed to this Committee and are in the process of investigation into innovations, one of which will be a correspondence course into this programme. (v) *Stewardship of Brotherhood Properties:* A Committee comprising Breth. C. Cole, C. Hensby, M. McArthur and the Building Advisory Committee were charged with the responsibility for this project. (vi) *Conference Secretary:* Since June 1971 R. C. Hewitt has been carrying out, on a full time basis, the duties of Conference Secretary.

(I) **FINANCE: 1971:** The Budget accepted by Conference sought an amount of \$48,000 from the Churches. However, the total of Specified and Unspecified giving amounted to \$40,237, giving a short fall of \$7,763 which was \$4,663 below the 1970 figure. 1972: The Budget for 1972 calls for an amount of \$47,000 which will involve an additional giving over last year of approximately \$7,000.

(J) **APPRECIATION:** A special word of thanks to the voluntary workers who have assisted both the Executive and the Brotherhood Committees throughout the year.

R. F. BARTHOLOMEW, President  
R. C. HEWITT, Secretary  
L. E. THOMAS, Treasurer

## FEDERAL CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE REPORT

The Federal Executive and the 34th Federal Conference Committee in Perth are happily working on schedule for 10 to 15 October, 1972. Perth's Christian Centre, opened for the 1960 Federal Conference, is a splendid Brotherhood acquisition that will make smooth the conduct of Conference. Registration costs now include admission to the President's Reception dinner that opens Conference. A. D. Pyne, Conference Secretary for Western Australia and a Past Federal President, is Secretary of the Arrangements Committee. Federal President A. H. Walkington has chosen the theme, "A New Order", and set up an outline from 2 Corinthians 5: 14-21 (NEB) for public rallies.

Guest preacher, World President of Churches of Christ, Dr. J. Daniel Joyce, will take up the theme for its development in public evening rallies.

Business sessions are enhanced by the opportunities arranged and taken at Federal Conference time for departmental and even inter-departmental consultations. The THIRD NATIONAL MINISTERS' SEMINAR from 16-17 October at "Lakeside", White Lake, East Rockingham will have Dr. J. Daniel Joyce as Lecturer. Dr. Joyce is Dean of the Graduate Seminary, Phillips University, Enid, Oklahoma, U.S.A.

The Federal Executive meets bi-monthly in Melbourne with proxies for Federal Vice Presidents in each State. The Victorian Federal Vice President, L. J. Butler, is usually in the chair. Along with the various matters of coordination of the States and of Federal bodies, world Brotherhood, ecumenical and civic interests it administers.

**FEDERAL HOME EVANGELISM:** Funds are raised by letters to all the churches asking for giving to the extent of 20 cents per active member, as determined by Federal Conference. Churches supported are as decided by Conference in session. Currently they are the Australian Capital Territory, Albany, Townsville and Broken Hill. Full-time ministers are in each of the churches and some are moving closer to self-support.

E. W. ROFFEY, Federal Conference Secretary

## CHRISTIAN UNITY COMMITTEE REPORT

**PERSONNEL:** G. Chapman, A. G. Elliott (Chairman), A. Leane (Vice-Chairman), J. McLennan, D. Nutt and C. Bowser (Secretary/Treasurer).

The past year has been one of planning and reassessment rather than far ranging activity. Contact has again been made with the non-instrumental Churches of Christ and worthwhile discussion has taken place. It is anticipated that further contact will take place this year.

Again all churches were contacted and asked to arrange some contact with a local Baptist Church. Quite a number of churches contacted us informing us of a variety of joint activities with their neighbouring Baptist congregations. This seems a worthwhile annual venture in fostering better relationships.

During the year much discussion has taken place on future plans and some courses of action initiated.

1. *Audio-visual material* has been under discussion for some time. After investigating existing materials it was felt it would be helpful to have some distinctively Australian material. As a result one of the committee has been requested to oversee its preparation.

2. *Restoration Movement Development* is the subject for a publication we have under production at the present time. It is hoped to have this available shortly.

3. *Further Teach-ins* have been considered following the one held last year. It has been decided to conduct these on a district basis. The first, as a trial for the scheme, will be held shortly.

4. *A Federal Consultation* will be held in Perth this year and the committee hopes to be represented to share in Federal policy making.

A. G. ELLIOTT, Chairman  
C. BOWSER, Secretary/Treasurer

## STANWELL TOPS CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE CENTRE FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

It is with real praise to God for His guidance and provision during our first year that we present this report.

**PERSONNEL:** Following the acquisition of the site on 2nd December 1970, the following were appointed by the Department of Christian Education and Conference Executive to the Management Committee: K. Baker (Chairman), R. Bartholomew, K. Crawford (Secretary/Treasurer), F. Elsmore, P. Jackson, S. Goodwin, R. Hewitt, R. Hutchens, J. Morris, P. Morton, B. Perkins, D. Rodger, I. Torode.

**OBJECTIVES:** The Management Committee see their objectives as follows:-

1. To accept responsibility for the site at Stanwell Tops and maintain this at a high standard making it available for the furtherance of the Kingdom of God.
2. To provide for training in Christian nurture, evangelism and service.
3. To work towards the establishing of a Church in the area.
4. To provide a special ministry to youth to be used at Stanwell Tops and throughout the Brotherhood in winning and training young people for Christ. This will follow the repayment of the Mortgage to Christian Enterprise.

**THE YEAR 1971:**

(a) *Promotional Programme:* This was launched early in 1971 to promote the use of the site and we would like to express our appreciation to C.A.P. for their assistance in this. The response was very encouraging and we are happy to report that we are now running very near to capacity bookings.

(b) *Hirings:* Hiring Statistics for the year were as follows:-

Church of Christ camps .....	22
Church of Christ camper-days .....	2,280
Camps held by other groups .....	52
Total camps held .....	74
Total camper days .....	9,810

(c) *Property Improvement:* During the year several improvements were carried out, the main items being as follows:-

Conversion of Administration Block to Manager's Residence, Office and Motel Unit .. .. .	\$10,000
Painting, Prayer Chapel, Dormitories, One and Two Bedroom Houses ..	1,600
Installation of Water Tower .. .. .	1,800
Installation of Public Address and Paging System (Donated by Epping) ..	850
Tar sealing of road .. .. .	974
Replacement of equipment .. .. .	400

(d) *Staff:* We would like to express our appreciation to Stan Goodwin, Reg Locke and Mrs. Hazel Allison for their assistance during the year. In September, Stan Goodwin indicated he would like to retire early in December and Mr. & Mrs. C. Tandy from our Belmore Church were appointed Camp Managers. They took up their appointment on the 23rd December 1971.

(e) *Finance:* 1. We ended the year with a total surplus of \$18,452 made up as follows:-

Camping .....	\$942
Rental .....	\$6,893
Offerings & Donations .....	\$10,617

2. During 1971 the Department of Christian Education and Department of Home Missions and Evangelism donated the time of their staff to Stanwell Tops. It has been agreed to pay for this from the beginning of December. This will cost \$2,288 per annum.

3. On the 2nd December we repaid to Christian Enterprise \$14,000 against their mortgage of \$35,000.

(f) *Appreciation:* These results have only been possible because of the help received from many members of our Brotherhood.

Those who assisted in the working bees during October saved us \$2,000.

**THE YEAR 1972:** During 1972 it is contemplated that the following will be given consideration:-

1. Provision of a swimming area on the site.
2. Development of mid-week camping to spread the cost of camping over a greater number of camping days.
3. Provision of training camps by the Department of Christian Education and Department of Home Missions and Evangelism.
4. Commence a Church in the area.

K. BAKER, Chairman  
K. CRAWFORD, Secretary

## DEPARTMENT OF MEN'S WORK REPORT

"That first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions and giving of thanks, be made for all men . . . for God our Saviour . . . will have all men to be saved and to come unto the knowledge of the TRUTH." 1 Timothy 2:1-3.

**PERSONNEL:** C. Nutt (Chairman), J. Camlin (Vice Chairman), F. Bignill (Treasurer), H. Borham (Publicity), D. Logan (Bowls Secretary), S. McAneny, L.C. Yelds (Secretary), and J.H. Regouby co-opted as Chaplain.

**Awakening Signs:** The Department sees encouraging signs to present Christ to our fellow man by Word and action, and highlights include enquiries from country and metropolitan churches with this in view.

37 Churches replied to our questionnaire, whilst others responded to make Father's Day and the week following, something worthwhile for men.

Indications show a desire for some form of established men's work in the Churches with the aim of bringing men to the Saviour. This can be accomplished if the men of the church give their full support.

**ANNUAL DINNER:** A Father and Son's Dinner proved to be most successful. 110 attended on a Saturday in November, when a high spiritual tone prevailed. Eddie Gabbert from U.S.A. "Revival Fires", was guest speaker, and John Morris, soloist. The Conference President, Ron Bartholomew, brought greetings as did a special guest Dave Watt, President of the Victorian C.M.S.

Mr. Keith Marshall, Baptist Men's Society, responded to welcome of representatives of kindred organisations, namely Church of England Men's Society, Congregational Men's Association, Methodist Men's Brotherhood, Presbyterian Men's League and the Salvation Army Men's Department.

**BOWLS COMPETITIONS:** One concluded early in the year with Asquith defeating Caringbah for the coveted Shield, and a short one closed in December when the bowlers from the North side of the Harbour met those from the South, a total of 40 men competing. Beverly Hills defeated Lane Cove to win this.

This fellowship is valuable to our Brotherhood as it is one of the few ways by which our men become personally acquainted with each other.

**FINANCES:** Donations and affiliation fees from Churches and Societies have given us the best year so far, despite the fact that we receive no allocation whatever from the F.A.C.

**PROJECTS AND FUTURE:** Include ushering at Stanwell Tops' dedication, the cleaning of the City Temple yard, visits to Cardiff and Charlestown. \$52.00 has been sent to the Enmore Faith Mission and a further \$30.00 has been set apart for a men's project to raise \$400.00 to provide a duplicator for the same Mission to migrants.

An overseas venture is being investigated for the New Hebrides in which the men of this State should be particularly interested.

Visits to men's groups to encourage, set up societies or fellowships, to establish training classes, and also to issue helpful material for the Lord's work are planned.

C. NUTT, Chairman  
L. YELDS, Secretary  
F. BIGNILL, Treasurer

## PREACHERS' PROVIDENT FUND REPORT

The personnel of the Board has continued as was appointed at the 1970 Federal Conference in Adelaide and the following brethren have rendered valuable and sacrificial service: R. Souness (Chairman), N. H. Morris (Treasurer), A. T. Laney (Secretary), W. K. Hunter, H. E. Bell, P. H. Morton, M. Titterton and D. Smallbone.

**FUND MEMBERSHIP:** The total membership in the Fund stands at 389 of whom 48 are married students in Bible Colleges; 27 are above the insurable age, 330 are covered against premature death for a total of \$1,221,500. During the year 30 new members were registered; 13 members resigned from the Fund for various reasons, 1 retired because of age and 1 died in tragic circumstances.

Short term loans have been made available to several members of the Fund against the security of their Superannuation accounts. Financial assistance has been provided for widows of preachers and in a case of chronic illness.

**DEATH DUTIES:** After consultation with a leading taxation consultant, a procedure was established for paying to the widow or dependents under 21 years of age, the credits in a deceased minister's superannuation account without attracting Death Duties which may have been payable to the N.S.W. Stamp Duties Office in cases where the minister died while domiciled in a state other than N.S.W.

Credits standing in Long Service Leave and Bonus accounts together with the Death Cover do not attract duty and may be paid as a lump sum but Superannuation credits must be paid as an annuity. Each case must be considered separately depending on the circumstances.

**PAYMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS:** Endeavours have been made to send to all members and to all churches or committees engaging ministers, reminder notices of contributions being due as at 1st March. Similarly statements of member's accounts were sent to all members but not as early as some thought they should. The Board apologises for any inconvenience and promises to try to do better next time. However, the work of the treasurer and secretary would be facilitated and made more effective if ministers and church secretaries or treasurers would keep us advised of changes of address, use the remitting notices which we send out and send with each cheque a written note stating from whom it is sent and the purpose to which it is to be applied.

**FINANCIAL:** The investment management arrangement with the Bank of N.S.W. has not yet been operating for a sufficient length of time to give a report on its success.

The position as at 31/12/71 was as follows:-

Balances held to credit of ministers .....	\$322,000
Monies received during 12 months ended 31/12/71	
(a) Superannuation contributions from ministers .....	\$ 17,979
(b) Church Subsidy contributions .....	\$ 19,347
(c) General Fund contributions .....	\$ 2,141
Monies paid to member ministers and their dependents .....	\$ 15,312

As usual the full financial review and balance sheet will be submitted to Federal Conference in October and will be published in the Federal Conference Handbook. For and on behalf of the Board of the Preachers' Provident Fund.

R. SOUNESS, Chairman  
A. T. LANEY, Hon. Secretary



## ADVISORY BOARD REPORT - 1971

**PERSONNEL.** K. Crawford, H. Davies, A. G. Elliott, A. G. Leane, C. J. Mackenzie (Chairman), M. McArthur, J. Manners, N. Morris, W. H. Palmer and A. K. Wilson.

During the year the Advisory Board met on nine occasions to discuss applications from churches of our Brotherhood for assistance in locating a suitable minister and to deal with applications from those seeking a suitable ministry. At the first meeting following last year's conference, the Board decided to co-opt the services of Brother A.G. Leane who served on the Board last year and Brother J. Manners to act in the capacity as Secretary to replace Brother Morris.

One of the major challenges which the Board accepted this year was the placement of exit students from the Bible College and we endeavoured to advise and recommend intelligently wherever possible. We are pleased to note that all such students have since been placed.

In this term of service, we have received a number of letters from interstate, both from ministers and churches requesting assistance and also two requests from our Brethren in New Zealand. Whilst we are happy to give assistance on your behalf where possible, we do stress that our chief concern lies with the serving ministers and churches of New South Wales; we feel that we have a prior obligation in this direction.

The Board continues to operate in a confidential manner and this prevents us from revealing details of our business whether it be successful or disappointing; however, we feel that we continue to enjoy the confidence of the Brotherhood in this State and in other places.

Whilst the Board has received letters of appreciation from those we have been able to counsel during the year, we ourselves offer our thanks as a Board to those people and churches who have co-operated so readily with us in our task. May the Lord continue to guide us as a Brotherhood so that His will may be done in this vital area of responsibility.

C. J. MACKENZIE, Chairman  
J. MANNERS, Secretary

## CHAPEL EXTENSION REPORT

**PERSONNEL:** Messrs. P. H. Morton (Chairman, N. D. Morris (Deputy Chairman), S. C. Woolley (Registrar), R. Bartholomew (Assistant Secretary), B. Perkins (Securities Officer), W. K. Hunter, N. H. Matthews, L. Wilson, C. Cole (Secretary), W. McFadyen (Treasurer), D. Ferguson (Solicitor, non-member), Mrs. D. Beckingham (Minute Secretary, non-member). It is with regret that due to illness, we report that the Chairman was unable to attend several meetings during the year.

The number of meetings held were ten with an average attendance of seven trustees.

**LOANS:** Outstanding loans to Churches at the end of the year totalled \$17,097.49

**FUNCTIONS:** The Chapel Extension Fund is no longer responsible for making loans available as this is now the function of the Deposits Fund, but it still demands our interest and support because:

1. Its assets provide a guarantee fund for monies lent to the Deposits Fund.
2. It undertakes to provide bridging finance between the money which a Church may obtain on loan from a lending organisation, and the cost of the project. This may only be a matter of a few hundred dollars, but can be all important.
3. It is still the only fund which is able to subsidise Churches, and particularly new Churches promoted by our Department of Home Missions and Evangelism, insofar as the payment of interest charges are concerned, especially in the early years of their development.
4. It is the only fund to which an individual or Church may make a direct gift for the capital development of Churches or Committees, whereas monies through the Deposits Fund are usually on loan.

For these reasons we must commend the Chapel Extension Fund to the consideration of the Churches.

**INSURANCE:** Commissions received from the Queensland Insurance Co. amount of \$380.44.

**INVESTMENT:** Surplus monies invested with the Deposits Fund totalled \$40,159.97. These are on call so that the specific functions of the Chapel Extension Committee may continue.

**APPRECIATION:** We express our appreciation to our Heavenly Father and to our Churches and all who have assisted by their interest, prayers and gifts to make the work of the Chapel Extension Fund possible.

P. H. MORTON, Chairman  
CHARLES COLE, Secretary

## PROPERTY TRUST REPORT

**PERSONNEL:** Messrs. P. H. Morton (Chairman), N. D. Morris (Deputy Chairman), S. C. Woolley (Registrar), R. Bartholomew (Assistant Secretary), B. Perkins (Securities Officer), W. K. Hunter, N. H. Matthews, L. Wilson, C. Cole (Secretary), W. McFadyen (Treasurer), D. Ferguson (Solicitor, non-member), Mrs. D. Beckingham (Minute Secretary, non-member). It is with regret that, due to illness, we report that the Chairman was unable to attend several meetings during the year.

The number of meetings held were ten with an average attendance of seven trustees.

**TRUSTEESHIP:** The Trust is Trustee for 67 Churches in New South Wales but two are affiliated with other State Conferences, and 5 Committees and Conference Executive. The Trust is trustee for two Federal Committees for properties within the State of New South Wales. The Wingham Church passed a resolution appointing the Trust as Trustees, whilst the Greenacre Church has temporarily appointed individual trustees in place of the Trust. Five Churches only registered under the Act have not appointed the Trust as Trustees.

It is generally recognised that the appointment of the Trust as Trustee of Church properties has decided advantages over individual Trustees insofar as it provides a continuity of Trusteeship which is readily available, and responsible. There is a tendency to fail to replace individual Trustees at death and to lose knowledge of their whereabouts on removal, consequently creating great difficulties at a time when matters require their services.

In addition, careful attention to matters such as purchase, transfer and disposal of properties, arrangement of mortgages, loans and leases, attention to necessary legal documents and details and advice on many situations by men who have

specific abilities in these matters, has meant the smooth and speedy facilitation of transactions and a safeguarding of the Church's interest. All of this is done at an annual cost to the Churches of \$4.00.

Whilst all Churches have received some service during the year, 27 Churches and 7 Committees have received particular assistance of short or prolonged duration.

**MATTERS RECEIVING PARTICULAR ATTENTION:** Details affecting several Estates have been considered and in some instances completed. These are:

The Estate of the Late Joseph Stimson, benefitting our Department of Home Missions and Evangelism and the Overseas Mission Board.

The Estate of the Late L. M. Dickson in which by the disposal of our interest in the Estate, the Departments of Home Mission and Evangelism, Social Service, Aborigines, Overseas, have benefitted.

The Estate of the Late Ivy Rosser with the Aborigines Committee as the beneficiary under her Will.

The Estate of the Late Grace Mackie from which our Belrose Church will ultimately benefit.

Matters affecting the disposal of the Lake Illawarra Camp Site are almost completed as we close the year.

A satisfactory agreement with the Lake Macquarie Shire Council with regard to the resumption of portion of the Swansea Camp site was concluded and we now await settlement in this matter.

Negotiations with the State Planning Authority with reference to the widening of Hoxton Park Road and the resultant resumption of most of our West Liverpool property are continuing with the ultimate end in view of replacement of present equipment on an acceptable location at the appropriate time.

The property at Balladoran has been sold and the proceeds made available to the Aborigines' Committee.

Preachers' Provident Fund is now using the Trust as custodian Trustee on all matters not held by their appointed Trust Company.

The Boys' Home Committee has requested the transfer of the four acres of land at Pendle Hill to the Social Service Committee for administration purposes and for the purpose of making it available for Commonwealth subsidy.

Insurance Schedule was circulated to all Churches giving amended premium rates in order that Churches might bring their cover in line with present day costs of replacement. Attention was drawn also to the fact that Ministers over 70 and voluntary workers over 65 are not eligible for insurance protection.

Churches which applied for affiliation with Conference 1971, have been registered, namely Goonelabah, Nowra and the Yugoslavic Church, but these Churches as yet do not hold property.

These and other routine matters have made the year a busy one as far as business handled by the Trust is concerned.

**DEPOSITS FUND 1971:** Monies invested with the fund now total \$74,344.24, made up as follows:

\$11,670.63 on call  
\$17,192.96 on Term Investment  
\$40,159.97 from Chapel Extension Fund  
\$ 5,320.68 from General Fund

Monies on loan totalled \$52,818.94, of which \$10,262.50 are on call and \$42,556.44 on terms. Two Churches have received assistance, together with Conference Executive, totalling \$19,000.00.

At times during the year we were unable to assist some Churches who requested loans, and others received a portion of their requirements. It has been a policy of the Fund to make its monies available for the extension of Church work in new areas and to assist established Churches and Committees of Conference.

There is always a need for investment in the Fund of surplus money held by Churches or individuals at rates ranging from 4½% to 5½%. This type of investment provides a safe and guaranteed return whilst at the same time makes possible the development of our Brotherhood work.

**INSURANCE COMMISSION:** The amount of commission received from the Queensland Insurance Co. on insurances effected on Church properties totalled \$1,687.92 of which \$380.44 was passed on to the Chapel Extension Committee.

May we request our Churches again to effect insurance with this Company because in a very real way the commission received makes more money available for the work of the Trust.

**THANKS:** We express our appreciation to our Heavenly Father for the ability and time to give to this work and also to our Solicitor, Treasurer, Minute Secretary and Auditor and all who in any way have enabled the work to proceed.

P. H. MORTON, Chairman  
CHARLES COLE, Secretary

## ABORIGINES COMMITTEE REPORT

Brethren, as we present this report to you, we can truly say that the Lord's Hand has been upon the work amongst our Aborigines. We therefore lift our hearts and voices in praise to our Heavenly Father for His many wonderful blessings. The Aerial Mission in the North and North-West of Australia in which our Aboriginal pastors played a major part under the guidance of the Holy Spirit was responsible for bringing 600 souls to Jesus Christ. These faithful brethren, (Peter Jamieson and Allan Bonney) together with our other faithful pastors, Bren, Sonny Graham, Bob Williams, Jack Anderson and Lance Fisher with visiting evangelists as well as a magnificent and spiritually minded staff have enabled a large number to be won for the Lord at our Mission Homes, Christian Centres and on the Reserves. We were privileged to have a splendid deputation from the west in the person of Peter and Vina Jamieson, Allan Bonney and Don Butler, (the latter our Federal Secretary), to visit this State during September and October, 1971. Their outstanding presentation of the needs of our work and their challenging messages have created amongst us the awareness that we must be prepared to give of our best in this work as followers of the Lord Jesus Christ. During the year a property at 26 Marradong St., Mt. Lawley, W.A. came under the Federal Board's notice and at the same time a bequest made by our late dear sister, Mrs. L. M. Dickson of Marrickville to the Brotherhood materialised, with the result the Board were able to purchase it. (The Lord makes no mistake in His timing.) The property comprises a well built brick cottage with tiled roof, 5 rooms, etc., with granny flat attached where missionaries and others may stay when necessary, a double length garage and also many other conveniences. The garage has been altered to use as the office and a double length car port added. This will save the Board a considerable sum in renting premises.

### THE FIELDS:

Carnarvon, W.A. has seen a number of changes in staff over the year. Mr. & Mrs. Lance Fisher relinquished the office of Superintendents, their successors being Mr. & Mrs. K. Dover, who have been untiring in their efforts in making a success of the work. The remainder of the staff now consists of: Mr. & Mrs. R. Barlow, Mr. & Mrs. A. Bonney, Mr. & Mrs. D. Fatchen, Mr. & Mrs. I. Foot, Miss N. Fraser, Miss O. Laird and Miss E. Lincoln. Mr. & Mrs. V. Hoskin, Mr. & Mrs. J. Harrison. Mr. & Mrs. Anastakis are due to commence service early in 1972. We appreciate the help given by many voluntary helpers.

Onslow, W.A. Mr. & Mrs. L. Fisher for some time have heard the call to the Outreach work, North-West of Carnarvon. Providing their own caravan and equipment, they set out, with the Board's permission to minister to the Aborigines in the Onslow district, and by prayer and constant fellowship many of these folk have now accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as their Saviour and are now witnessing for Him. A cafe was for sale in the town and by the time you read this, it is expected that this will become the Christian Centre in the town, filling a great need. This was made possible by the generosity of the Beverly Hills Church and our other Churches in the St. George District. It is expected that Onslow will be the starting point for even a greater work to be done in the area farther North, where much sin and degradation exists especially amongst the Aborigine population. The Winter Trust have also made a donation to this work.

**Outreach Work:** Despite ill-health, Bro. Bob Williams has travelled thousands of miles to take the Bread of Life to very many of his people. This wonderful christian continues on in the strength of the Lord bringing many of his folk to the Lord Jesus Christ for Salvation.

Norseman, W.A. Mr. Graham Butler took up the superintendency of this Mission Station when his brother was appointed as Federal Secretary. Difficulties in staff shortages and an ever increasing number of children have not proved to be obstacles to prevent our brother, aided by his good wife, in carrying out the work in a wonderful manner. His present staff consists of Mr. & Mrs. L. Beach, Mr. & Mrs. Sonny Graham, Mr. & Mrs. Polmear, Miss M. Higgins, Miss M. Holt, Miss N. Hoskin. Mr. & Mrs. A. Thom are expected to arrive towards the end of January '72. Very valuable help has been given by Mrs. C. Smith, (now laid aside through sickness) and Mr. N. Holney. Mr. & Mrs. Schmitt had to take leave of absence owing to Mrs. Schmitt's continued illness. Mr. & Mrs. J. Dorsman took over their place at the Christian Centre as well as giving oversight to the Hostel which houses six young lads. Sonny Graham gives spiritual oversight to the Norseman Church, Peter Jamieson helping with his forthright gospel messages as well as continuing to give guidance in the Outreach Work. Fire destroyed the tool and engine shed and the plant and equipment, but the Western Mining Company gave very valuable assistance and by a Government grant, the insurance and gifts from the Brotherhood, new sheds have been built and a new engine installed providing

electric power to the Mission. The building and installation meant very much hard work for the staff. A new section has been added to the Mission with a Grant-in Aid from the Native Welfare Board, this housing over forty extra children.

Esperance, W.A. Early in the year, Mr. & Mrs. R. Rogan took over the work at "Fairhaven", Esperance, and together with their faithful staff, (Mrs. Lynch and Miss Gail Thornton), have not spared themselves in catering for their teenage girls and making this a real home for them. After training, these girls are much sought for in hospital, drycleaning, motel and domestic work, the demand often for outstripping the supply. Some have eventually married and settled in Esperance and many have accepted Jesus Christ as their Saviour presenting a faithful witness wherever they go. The grounds of the home have been improved, a driveway and carports added and the gardens do credit to the staff.

Victoria: Mr. Clydesdale still continues his faithful work amongst the Aborigines at Mooroonpa. Pastor Doug. Nicholls has found it necessary to relinquish the work at Northcote but still retains an interest and Mr. Barry Brown continues to pay regular visits to the natives at Cummeragunga.

Queensland: Eidsvold is the centre of our work in this state and despite many removals the work is in good heart under the leadership of Mr. & Mrs. L. Morris. A Bible School of 80 with another 45 on the Cradle Roll, an active Christian Endeavour group together with continual visitation augers well for the future of this work.

New South Wales. Last year saw the closing of the work at Balladoran. The property has been sold and by consent of the Board, the proceeds of the sale will be held by this Committee for further work in New South Wales. All previous families have been housed by the Government and many attend the Gilgandra Church and Bible School.

**THE FUTURE:** The work that lies ahead is so vast, our imagination cannot visualise what is in God's plan for the future, for doors are opening on every side and one wonders if we as a brotherhood are ready to enter in. Our Federal Board is held in very high esteem by all Government Authorities for the work it has been able to accomplish by the grace of God. The result is a new Hostel for 12-14 year old girls (High School) is expected to be occupied in February '72 at Yokine, a suburb of Perth, W.A. under the guidance of Mr. & Mrs. Abbott. The Native Welfare Department expects to have ready a Hostel for our Board to occupy towards the end of this year 1972 at Kalgoorlie. In July/August it is planned to build four homes at the Carnarvon Mission for aged Aborigines where they will be able to receive assistance when required. A band of voluntary workers organised by our Federal Christian Education Department will carry out the work and finance to assist will be made available by the Commonwealth Government. At present a survey is being made in connection with a work at Port Lincoln, S.A. where the need is great and the people seeking help. The local church is already involved but the work is beyond their resources. They have proved their willingness by providing gymnasium classes, basketball teams and endeavouring to interest the young Aborigines in the Gospel Message. Hall are available but we need the right man to lead in the work. We are being asked to supply staff for more Hostels but we have not sufficient workers to do this. We need FOUR married couples for our Mission Homes and more will be needed this year for Hostel work as well as Welfare workers to work in new centres. Onslow, Roebourne, Port Hedland and many other places are crying out for help. Dare we shut our ears to their cries? We must not turn back for our Saviour said, "He that putteth his hand to the plough and turneth back is not fit for the Kingdom of God." Communism and Black Power realise that the Aboriginal people have a mind of their own and are making their teachings felt among them gaining much ground but "the Gospel is the Power of God unto Salvation" and can overthrow these works of the devil. Your Committee believe we should place a greater emphasis upon PRAYER for "more things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of." We will help by providing the PUBLICITY but brethren we need your PARTNERSHIP for "we are all called to be workers together with our Lord Jesus Christ." Can the Lord count on YOU?

**GENERAL:** Your Committee for the past year consisted of Mr. & Mrs. L. Bills, Mr. G. E. Knight, Mrs. J. Maxwell, Mr. E. E. Oswald, Mr. E. Park, Mr. & Mrs. H. Roose, Miss E. Stow, Mrs. M. Taylor (C.W.F. rep.), Mr. H. Wakerley and Mr. C. T. Garrett. We thank you for your generous support of the work during the past year and prayerfully ask for a continuance of same during 1972. After many years of faithful service, Mrs. E. Park has had to relinquish the position of Publicity Officer owing to ill health. She has served the Brotherhood extremely well being one of our pioneer missionaries at Norseman. We know that her interest will always be with the Aborigines work and we trust the Lord will bless her as she endeavours to take things more quietly. Mrs. J. Maxwell succeeds her in this important office. The

"1,000,000 cents appeal" for the North West is due to close at Conference 1972. We hope that you have filled and refilled that milk bottle as we do need those spare cents. A glance at our Financial Statement will show that our receipts appear somewhat buoyant. This is due to the fact that \$9,526.35 is bequest money left to the Federal Board but having come from New South Wales had to pass through our books. Clothing is still needed on our Mission Stations so we would welcome at all times all that good second-hand clothing that you can spare. We thank those who have helped us in this way in the past and have a special thanks for the ladies of the C.W.F. Groups who continue to clothe the boys and girls in our Mission Homes.

*Personnel in italics are from N.S.W.*

H. ROOSE, Chairman.  
G. E. KNIGHT, Treasurer,  
C. T. GARRETT, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

**PERSONNEL:** Elected at 1971 Conference were H. Argall, B. Davies, R. Ferguson, R. Hibbard, J. Hunter, J. F. Morris, D. Rodger, J. Rodger, J. Saxby, G. Steele, G. Towle, J. Wainwright.

C.W.F. representative was Mrs. C. Nutt; Accountant, N. Cowdery; Bookroom Treasurer, B. Hetherington.

**STAFF:** Mrs. J. Hughes has given valuable service as office secretary in Department of Christian Education, and until November Mrs. B. Davies served in Bookroom, with Mrs. Roose taking over from that time. Mr. D. Schofield held a part time position with Bookroom from September following his full time work earlier.

**GENERAL:** South Swansea Youth Centre has taken some considerable time in 1971, but following successful representations to Lake Macquarie Shire Council we believe that the move by Conference has been well received and plans are proceeding. D.C.E. has no further interest in the developmental work on the site, this being handled by a Committee of Newcastle churches with Conference Secretary.

**Australian Standard Lesson Material:** This continues to be well received throughout Australia and New Zealand. Each quarter an increasing number of schools and churches are using the material. June 1971 saw the completion of the first three year cycle. It will be necessary to reprint some material which is almost completely used up. This is particularly so with the grades on a two year cycle.

**Camp Greenhalgh:** This is now just a memory to most of us. Following the selling of that site and the purchase of Stanwell Tops, Dapto Church offered to dismantle and dispose of the buildings. This was agreed to, and the proceeds of their work in sales of materials enabled the church at Dapto to enlarge their manse and also help in the financing of their very successful mission. By these means the gifts and work at Camp Greenhalgh have lived on in the area.

**Focus Magazine** is growing all the time in circulation around the world. Designed for Youth it is meeting a need in their lives.

**Christian Education Council:** D. Schofield, Chairman. Activities during 1971 have included:-

1. Teaching seminar at Stanwell Tops.
  2. Bible School Scripture Examination which included an Adult section. Again several interstate schools participated.
  3. Lectures in Christian Education at Woolwich Bible College. Some students have gained Scripture Teaching Diplomas and others, Leadership Certificates.
  4. Several schools have been visited in relation to Teacher Training.
  5. Planning of a Scholar Drive to take place early 1972 has taken an important place in deliberations.
  6. Consultation with schools re Vacation Bible Schools.
- Youth Ministry Council:** J.F. Morris, Chairman.
1. National Youth Convention to be held Canberra 1973.
  2. Representation of Associated Youth Organisations.
  3. Youth Information Service; ideas for programmes etc.
  4. Sporting activities have been fostered.
  5. Camping is planned by this Council, and a more varied type of camping is seen as an answer to the needs of youth.
  6. Leadership training commences on April 25, and continues through May and June.

7. Sydney Set Up seeks to draw the executive officers of each of the area groups together once each quarter for co-ordination of the overall work amongst the teens in the churches. Peter Holt is current chairman of Sydney Set Up.
8. Youthquake has tried other halls, but Greenacre seems to be the best, and we realise that we owe a debt of gratitude to that church for the use of their facilities. Good programmes are presented and numbers have been fairly steady at 300 to 500 each second month. "The Way", our own Youthquake Pop Group has grown out of the rallies.

**Bookrooms:** Burwood and City Temple Bookrooms are still supplying the book needs of the brotherhood. We are grateful to those who staff the Burwood Bookroom on a voluntary basis. Mr. Pieper continues to give oversight to this work. Mrs. E. Schofield has given valuable service in City Temple. Mrs. Davies had to leave us after some considerable time, and we welcomed Mrs. Roose to the full time position of assistant at City Temple. Mrs. Hughes also helps when the need arises.

**Finance:** Although we were able to live within our budget for 1971, this will be a hard task for 1972. We believe that the work is necessary and we dare not curtail any part of it, but unless something happens within the brotherhood this may be our only alternative. We have budgeted for an expenditure of \$10,000 in 1972.

**Future:** First and foremost is the coming of Ron Kallmier as full time Director/Secretary, commencing January 24th. The work can only grow and prosper under his leadership.

Greater emphasis is to be placed on the position of Youth groups as they are organised and promoted in areas of Sydney. We urge the churches concerned to give their support to these vital groups.

A greater variety in camping is planned. Bushwalking is successful, together with Mini Midgets and bus tours.

Teacher Training will occupy a deal of time. Already requests have come in for several classes in the metropolitan area and near country centres.

Ruling over all these plans, we can feel the Spirit of God, and know that His Hand is upon us in all we do for Him. To Him be the praise.

JOHN W. HUNTER, Chairman.

## FEDERAL BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

1. **Field Work:** 1971 was a year in which the Board's emphasis was on field work. The Director spent two and a half weeks in New Zealand conducting training sessions in adult Christian Education, a week in South Australia conducting training events, and several days each in Perth and Brisbane holding meetings. He consulted with members of the Department of Christian Education in N.S.W., and with the churches in Canberra.

The Director attended the assembly of the World Council of Christian Education in Mexico City and Lima, Peru, and then embarked on a study tour of U.S.A., Europe and Asia. As a result of this experience, a number of proposals are being considered by the Board, some of which follow.

2. **Teacher/leader training:** The crucial issue for both Christian Education and youth work over the next few years will be that of teacher/leader training. Where breakdowns occur in Sunday schools and youth clubs it often points to weaknesses in leadership. Both our Board and the Joint Board of Christian Education feel this very strongly, and much of the Board's energies over the next few years will be expended in developing teacher/leader training programmes and in lifting standards.

3. **Youth Ministry:** The Director's tour revealed that the youth ministry situation overseas is as varied and open to new leads as is our own. At one end of the spectrum the "Jesus movement" is making its presence felt in some of our cities, leading to a new unashamed avowal of the faith by young people. Significant things are happening where young people are prepared to openly share their faith and to plunge deeply into service for others.

On another level, it is becoming increasingly evident that young people should have a significant voice in the decision-making of the church, especially where youth work is concerned, but including the whole life of the church. They have something to contribute. Participation can also strengthen their feeling that they, as well as adults, are important parts of the church. The Board has therefore co-opted a 17-year old youth who will make a vital contribution to its work.

4. **Christian Life Curriculum:** The Board continues to share in the production of the Christian Life Curriculum. It is significant that of eight new adult studies produced for 1972, four are written by Churches of Christ authors, and all have a Churches of Christ editorial contribution.

An innovation for 1972 is the Home Study Programme. From Kindergarten to

Intermediate, help is available for children in remote areas who cannot attend a Sunday school. In Junior and Intermediate grades this material doubles as self-study projects as an alternative method of teaching within the schools.

Church membership training materials will be available in 1972. Four different approaches will be encompassed in one kit, ranging from an intensively Biblically-oriented approach to an intensively experiential approach. Users can choose between the four.

During 1972-73 an extensive field evaluation of the curriculum will take place in order that improvements can be introduced.

A few churches have ceased to use the curriculum at the end of the first cycle, although not without some controversy in their own ranks. Criticisms are predominantly either that the material is too demanding, that it is supposedly not sufficiently Biblical or that it is too Biblical and too conservative. The Board, however, believes that the commitment to teach the faith warrants careful preparation, and makes no apology for demanding this. It also believes that the C.L.C. is thoroughly Biblical and that its method of teaching the faith is progressive and educationally sound.

5. **National Youth Convention:** Preparation is already well advanced for the 6th National Youth Convention, to be held in Canberra from January 5-11, 1973. This will continue to be an important event in the lives of hundreds of young people from all over the nation.

6. **National Work Party:** A team of fifteen young people has been selected to go to Carnarvon, W.A., in July and August to build up to four flats for elderly aboriginals. The young people will work without salary, and pay some of their own travel expenses. Youth groups are raising money towards the team's expenses and for the project itself. Our young people are concerned to help others!

7. **Resources:** By the time this report is printed, the adult discipleship kit, "Guide to Church Membership", by G.K. Moyes, should be available. It follows the wide popularity of E.C. Keating's "Jesus, Your Lord and Friend" for 10-12 year olds.

"GO!", the quarterly planning journal for church leaders, has been overwhelmingly successful, and obviously serves a need in our churches.

8. **Finances:** Churches have contributed magnificently to the Board's work during this year, as have the Campbell Edwards Trust, and curriculum sales. It is hoped that this support by the churches will be a continuing one in view of the importance of the task that lies ahead.

Ronald H. Hillier, Chairman.  
Richard W. Lawton, Direct./Ed.

## THE AUSTRALIAN CHRISTIAN REPORT

In company with all church journals, "The Australian Christian" is facing the great obstacles of increasing costs and a decreasing church membership. Special hardships suffered by some of our members are reflected in the cancellations of subscriptions by rural members and pensioners. However, a promotion programme did improve our circulation figures in 1971 and we acknowledge our gratitude to the church representatives who co-operated so well. Our greatest concern at the moment is the fact that some States give far less support than others. If all States gave equal support for the journal we would face the future with greater confidence. (Membership subscription percentages are: W.A. 10%, S.A. 14%, Vic. 17%, Tas. 17%, N.S.W. 7%, A.C.T. 12%, Qld. 10%.)

We appreciate the generous assistance given by the Austral Printing & Publishing Co. in keeping production costs to a minimum, but we are vulnerable to economic changes. There was a 50% increase in postal charges announced in the 1971 Federal Budget, and the price of printing paper recently went up by 15%. These two items alone would require an additional 300 subscribers to meet the higher costs for 1972. There has not been an increase in subscription rates since 1963, but it seems inevitable that an increase will have to be made for 1973.

Our financial position was assisted by a "Friends of the Christian" appeal in 1971 which resulted in \$4,000 being added to the capital fund established by the 8th World Convention in Adelaide. An additional gift of \$854 (US\$1,000) was also received from the World Convention Committee in 1971. Only the interest on monies in the capital fund will be used for current expenses.

The Board of Management, the Editor, the Associate Editors and the Advisory Committee are dedicated to serve members, local churches, and State and Federal Conferences of Churches of Christ. We report and comment on matters that

concern the Christian church at home and abroad. Articles on evangelism and church life, Christian service and education, missions and ministry, are published regularly. Although the journal is often praised we are constantly seeking to make it more effective. Financial restrictions prevent us from using more illustrations and additional features.

We ask for continued and greater support.

A. D. PYNE, Chairman  
E. F. MORRIS, Secretary

## BOYS' HOME AND YOUNG MEN'S HOSTEL REPORT

**PERSONNEL:** T. J. Smith (Chairman), T. W. Dunne (Treasurer), D. Oldfield, F. Perry, D. Parry, A. E. Morton, D. Bunt, J. Monk, I. Walker, Mrs. D. Frost and R. F. Bartholomew (Secretary).

It is with sincere regret that we record the resignation of Bro. A. E. Morton who, with his family, have moved to Port Macquarie. The committee will miss his influence and assistance particularly with regard to the building and maintenance problems.

**DUNMORE HOUSE:** Average 15 boys. Manager, A. Dalton.

The committee has endeavoured to drop all reference to "Boys Home" or the "Home" and use the name "Dunmore House" with a desire to avoid any feeling of an institution and to instil a pride in Dunmore and build up a worthwhile tradition.

Through the past year Tol Smith has assumed a greater degree of control and responsibility and as this report goes to print he will be arranging to take over completely from Arthur Dalton from April 1972.

Words could never express our gratitude and indebtedness to Arthur Dalton who, at retirement, will have completed 20 years dedicated and committed service as Manager.

No man has made a greater contribution to the good name of our brotherhood or given more in understanding and sympathy than he. The story of changed lives, of hope where despair existed may never be told, but the evidence is in the lives and families of so many who have passed through Dunmore.

It is our desire and our prayer that he and his wife will have the happiest of retirements, but though he may retire, his name and his contribution will never be forgotten.

We are very happy to report that after several years of staff difficulties, we will be commencing the new year with two new House Mothers — we have discontinued the term Matron. Mrs. McMillan comes to us from the Wingham Church and Miss Cannon from the Belrose Church. We are also deeply grateful to all who have assisted during the difficult periods of our operations.

**HOSTEL:** Average 9 young men. Supervisor, Miss Cox.

Miss Cox has completed her first year at Marrickville and we are most appreciative of her untiring and devoted service. It is no small task to look after a house full of energetic young men, particularly when their meal times vary due to shift work and study, etc.

We recognise the toll this consistent work takes of our supervisor. Mrs. Frost has also been of tremendous assistance by giving at least one day each week to enable Miss Cox to have time off.

**TRANSFER OF HOSTEL TO PENDLE HILL:** The committee has continued to debate this matter and have had discussions with the architect, Mr. K. Sawdy. Suggested plans have been drawn but at this stage no clear decisions have been reached.

It would appear that the committee must consider an expenditure of something in excess of \$60,000 and this can be achieved by the sale of Marrickville plus a bank loan for which tentative approval has been given. A preliminary survey has indicated that the Hostel can be self supporting.

Accommodation of the Motel type — recommended by our country churches — is favoured although this is the more costly design. Certain ancillary services will be discussed in conjunction with the Social Service Department and Ashwood House.

**FETE:** The Fete again proved to be a wonderful success and provided \$2,500 towards our finance. We realise the tremendous amount of work the fete creates and we are again indebted to our churches for their wholehearted effort and support. Without this assistance our finances would be critical.

**GENERAL:** At the Christmas staff dinner held in the home of Mr. & Mrs. Morton, we were privileged to welcome Mr. Jones the manager of G. J. Coles Ltd., Parramatta and Mrs. Jones, and this gave us the opportunity of thanking "Coles"

for their invaluable assistance to "Dunmore".

We again express our appreciation for the co-operation and assistance so willingly given by the Doctors, Chemists and Trades people of Pendle Hill.

It is perhaps interesting and challenging to note that all the invitations to place the boys for the school holidays came from outside the brotherhood. The Bandmaster of the N.S.W. Police Band and his wife have consistently taken boys for their holidays.

We again commit ourselves to God and seek His guidance in all that we endeavour to do in His Name.

J. T. SMITH, Chairman  
R. F. BARTHOLOMEW, Secretary

## SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE REPORT

During the year our Department has been emphasizing involvement of the local Church in community environment to help meet, not only the personal and group needs of Church members, but also those of her neighbourhood. We further emphasized that to meet these needs there must be a total ministry — the "Good News", in the words of Jesus, is that people "may have and enjoy life and have it in abundance — to the full, until it overflows". In other words, a proper interpretation and application of the Gospel of Jesus Christ attends not only to the salvation of the soul, but to the mental, emotional, personal, inter-personal and environmental needs of people.

In these days of stressful and fragmented living the Church must become an integral part of community life, and the Department sees part of her role in helping to provide some of the aids to assist the local Church.

At this point in the report it is fitting that we should remember members of the Committee who have worked diligently and devotedly and who have passed on to higher service.

John William Boswell very early in 1971 passed away suddenly. At the time of his death he was Chairman of the Committee. Reference was made to him in the report for 1970, and we include only this brief mention.

John Rigg died suddenly during the latter half of the year and at that time was Treasurer of our General Accounts. John approached a big and complicated task with his inimitable enthusiasm and good grace and kept accounts in an orderly and satisfactory manner. He believed, that in this capacity, he was rendering a service to the Committee, to the Brotherhood, and to his Lord. So far the Committee has been unable to find anyone with a similar sense of dedication to succeed him. We extend to Mrs. Rigg and family our christian sympathy.

Consequent to the opening paragraph, the following facilities are readily available to and useable by Churches as groups and individuals. These comprise:-

**COMMUNITY CONTACT:** A visitation method by the Church or as individuals, so that the community may become aware of the Church and her services, and also for the purpose of collecting used clothing for our Welfare work. It provides the opportunity of creating friendships, thus through confidences gained, help meet personal and family problems. Literature and necessary equipment is readily available and our Department will undertake organization of the programme. Several Churches, with good results, are using this at least once or twice yearly.

**FELLOWSHIP OF RIGHT-HANDERS:** With Church members and others there is a need to express concern and to confirm friendships and fellowship. The Fellowship of Right-Handers is designed for this purpose and does so in a practical manner, and by showing a genuine interest in the problems, frustrations, anxieties, etc. of people. This is done by the use of available suitable literature in a manner which is not embarrassing.

**SUPPORTIVE SERVICES AT ALL LEVELS:** within the Church and through the Church to the community, should be an expression of the Church's concern.

(a) *The Level of Material Aid:* Assistance with clothing, food, Christmas Cheer, financial help through C.F.A., accommodation, meals, preparation of household budgets, and similar services, constitute areas of need. It is through the local Church that these may be discovered, and with the assistance of your Department, constructively met.

(b) *The Level of Mental and Emotional Stress:* Again, the local Church member, becoming aware of such conditions, may have ready access to services available such as Chaplaincy, Counselling, Social and Personal Casework, rehabilitation, and so on.

(c) *The Level of Inter-Personal Relationships*: between families, friends, married couples, society. The purpose of the Department is to provide assistance to the local Church to help sort out these disturbed relationships through such media as Marriage Guidance, Family Counselling, Group Work, etc.

**NEIGHBOUR-AID AND PASTORAL CARE**: is a programme in course of development. It is designed to provide training of sufficient depth and breadth for Ministers, and, through them, selected Action Groups within the Church, to effectively use the above services in the Church and community. It is, in fact, a form of friendship evangelism.

**OTHER SITUATIONS OF INVOLVEMENT** with people both in the Church and in the community can often be met only through the centrally oriented activities of the Department. Some of these are:-

(a) *Advisory Services* with regard to Property, Housing, Leases, Pensions, Benefits, Hire Purchase.

(b) *Adoptions* are arranged in conjunction with the Sydney Rescue Work Society, together with the voluntary assistance of a qualified Social Worker, and, if an unmarried mother is involved, her care is undertaken. Families prepared to accept these girls are constantly wanted.

(c) *Employment* of men and women, and employers seeking such, refer to us. A Register of Employers who are prepared to accept some of those seeking work who may lack satisfactory references because of imprisonment or other reasons, is required.

(d) *Accommodation* is sought by young people from the country coming to the city for work or study, in hostels, but more often in private homes, and with Christian families.

(e) *Chaplaincy*: Voluntary Chaplains in Hospitals, Institutions, Prisons, Industry, and so on, have always been available by arrangement with the Department. The time has come for the Brotherhood to express the conviction that something more than the Church member in industry is necessary to represent the Church there. Consequently we have planned for the service of a part-time Chaplain to begin early in 1972. This will be in conjunction with the Pendle Hill Church, on a 50/50 basis. Industrial Chaplaincy will be undertaken in an attempt to make relevant the Church's message to this great mass of people. Assessments will be made of areas such as Penal, Institutional, Hospital and Migrants, and a selection made. The man chosen to do this work is Mr. Robert Aldred, a Graduate of Woolwich Bible College, and one who has had years of experience in industrial situations. Part of the bequest from the late L. M. Dickson Estate will be used for this purpose.

(f) *Social Questions*: A Functional Committee has been established to keep an alert watch on crucial issues affecting the community and to join with appropriate and interested organizations to take necessary actions. Are we aware of the prevalence and increase of the T.A.B. Betting Agencies, of the manner in which permission may be obtained for the placing of hotels and licensed premises in locations despite the wish of local communities, local government, and other bodies? Issues such as Unemployment, Responsible Government, Poverty, Abortion, Censorship, Mass Media, Alcoholism, Euthanasia, Drugs, Youth Morals, the state of the Nation, and so on, are recognized as matters to which the Church must give an intelligent consideration in an endeavour to find answers or at least to give some Christian information and guidance.

(g) *Beneficial Co-operative Building Society No. 1* as a terminating Society has provided finance for the development of Homes for many Church members. We are constantly seeking further finance for additional assistance.

(h) *Welfare Traders Ltd.*, a registered trading organization which ought to receive the support of Church members more than it does, as all profits are diverted to Brotherhood work, and most of the work involved is undertaken voluntarily. It provides means for economical purchases for our Homes, and by special purchasing arrangements, can usually compete with Discount Houses.

(i) *Property Trust*: The secretarial responsibility of the Property Trust is undertaken by the Director of the Department as a means of obtaining necessary finance for our work.

(j) *Affiliations*: We are represented on N.S.W. Council of Social Services, Council for the Ageing, Voluntary Geriatric Agencies, Temperance Alliance, Mental Health Association, Good Neighbour Council, I.T.I.M., Council for Clinical and Pastoral Education, and other similar bodies.

(k) *Church Representation*: Constant visitation of Churches and Church groups is made by the director and members of the Committee in order to keep our Brotherhood informed of what is being done in this most important aspect of the Church's life and work.

**GERIATRIC CARE**: 1972 should see the completion of the full cycle of Geriatric Care when the Nursing Home begins to operate. The present situation and future plans for our Aged Persons Homes are as follows:-

*Pendle Hill Retirement Settlement*: Development Plans for a forty-bed Nursing Home, Staff Quarters, Therapy Block and 80 self-contained units grouped around courtyards, have been approved by the Holroyd Council. Building construction of the Nursing Home and some of the units, according to demand, should commence about April, 1972. When completed the Settlement should have a value in excess of \$1m. Brochures and Application forms are available and applications for accommodation are now being received.

*"Bingley Hall"*, Hornsby plans to extend accommodation to 19 guests, with reconstructed kitchen and dining room areas, and a flat for Mr. & Mrs. Edwards on their retirement, have been approved by Hornsby Council. Approval for subsidy from the Commonwealth Government has been received also. The contractor, Mr. Len Bills, has made an initial start on the project which should be completed by June, 1972.

*Croydon Guest Home* has reached its capacity of intake in the Guest Home and self-contained Units. Matron Wythe took up duties in the early part of the year and the Home is functioning well. A buzzer system to all rooms was installed.

*Tasman Retirement Settlement, Thirroul*: The Samuel & Ann McCauley Guest Home has proved to be a very popular Home, being supervised by efficient and sympathetic Matron Atkinson. As soon as consolidation of Titles is effected, four Units will be constructed on adjoining land, and this is planned to commence during the first quarter of 1972. Our architect has been asked to prepare overall Developmental Plan for Units, additions to the Guest Home, and a Nursing Annexe on additional adjoining land.

*"Victoria House"*, Mayfield: Early difficulties during its first year of operation have been overcome and the Home is now operating at full capacity. Matron Richardson is in charge. An efficient House Committee, under the chairmanship of W. Howard of Hamilton, in conjunction with this Department, maintain the oversight of the Home.

*"Highfield Court"*, Mayfield: of ten self-contained Units on adjoining land is planned for construction during the first half of 1972.

*Epping*: After overcoming many difficulties associated with the Plans and Council requirements, it is now anticipated that six self-contained Units on land immediately opposite the Church will be under construction early in 1972.

*Forestville*: A tentative Developmental Plan has been prepared by our Architect comprising a Guest Home of 25 beds and 35 self-contained Units, on this delightful site in Cook Street. Non-availability of funds will not permit us to set a date for construction, but promotional work is being carried out. An initial \$25,000 is required for the first stage of development.

**THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE OUTREACH OF THE CHURCH**, through the Social Service Department rests upon the following:-

(a) *The General Committee*, comprising Messrs. R. T. Garrett (Chairman), F. Love (Vice-Chairman), J. Ellerby, G. S. Laney, D. Craig, L. Douglas, J. Kent, E. W. Butler, N. H. Matthews (C.F.A. Representative), C. Cole (Secretary), together with our Women's Committee Representatives, Mesdames Beckingham (Minute Secretary), N. Styche (Temperance Alliance), G. Camlin, (C.W.F. Representative). Mr. B. A. Nichols continues to act as treasurer of the Homes Accounts.

Since the death of Mr. John Rigg the position of treasurer for the General Accounts has remained unfilled.

*Functional Committees* proposed last year are beginning to operate. These are "Finance", "Publicity and Promotional", "Homes", and "Social Issues". Under a convener they will critically examine the respective aspects of the Department's work and bring forward recommendations.

(b) *The Women's Committee* appointed by the C.W.F., comprises Mesdames G. Camlin (President), Mitchell (Secretary), Styche, Marley, Luxton, Leek, Banner, Peronchick. This Committee, as always, has accepted responsibility for arranging volunteers for Stalls, Shops, Sorting Depot, Catering for various functions, and Homes' Christmas parties. In addition, they inspect our Homes and report on their condition, supplies, etc.

(c) *Voluntary Workers* are an important group of people who assist in the Clothing Depot, supervised by Mrs. Cairncross, Welfare Shops, Street Stalls, Collection of Clothing, Newspapers, etc., assistance at our Aged Persons' Homes, and similar functions.

(d) *Church Groups* such as W.C.F. and C.Y.F., Bible Schools, Clubs, Officers, individuals, etc. have assisted in the provision of toys, Christmas cheer,

entertainments, and outings for our aged people, etc.

(e) Office Staff which has comprised two full-time officers, namely the director and a receptionist/typist, together with the voluntary services of Mesdames Beckingham and Cole, have been responsible for the efficient running of the office. There is only so much that a person can do, and the urgent necessity of a full-time Office Secretary is an obligation that may have to be imposed upon the Brotherhood if the Department is to function. Withdrawal of voluntary services would leave us in a chaotic state.

(f) Specialists: We are fortunate to have men and women qualified as specialists in their fields as Social Workers, Psychiatrists, Doctors, Solicitors, Accountants, who are available for reference purposes.

(g) Church Members to volunteer to train for Counselling; to assist with our Welfare Appeal, Rose Day Appeal, and in our Homes; to collect Used Clothing, Newspapers, Used Furniture and such items for needy families and for sale; to support with their gifts, interest, time and prayers in the overall work of the Department and particularly in the Supportive Services in which the local Church may engage.

**HOW IS THE NECESSARY FINANCE SUPPLIED FOR THIS OUTREACH?**  
The availability of money can determine just what the Department can do. An examination of our audited Statement will reveal the sources from which funds have been received.

The Welfare Appeal demands particular mention, for not only has it contributed a net amount of approximately \$2,700 after all expenses, but it has supplied and paid for the services essential to the ordinary Welfare work of the Department such as the Pick-up of Clothing, Furniture, Food, etc. This has meant that the Department, and consequently the Brotherhood, has profited by an amount of almost \$6,000 from this Appeal.

During the year Mr. David Hunt relinquished the position of Welfare Appeal Supervisor. We express our appreciation to him. He has been succeeded by Mr. Walter Volkman, a member of our Pendle Hill Church, who for the latter part of the year has been able to give us two days per week. From the beginning of February, 1972, he will come with the Department in a full-time capacity as Welfare Appeal and Maintenance Supervisor.

**THE ROLE OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR THE FUTURE:** As we view the present relationship of the Department to the involvements of the local Church, we believe that the following must receive due and appropriate emphasis.

(1) A continuation of an emphasis on the involvement of the local Church in communicating the "Good News" in all its fullness and thus, in helping to meet the spiritual, as well as the mental, social, emotional and physical needs of people, we may make relevant the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

(2) To promote assistance with methods of approach and counselling adapted firstly to the level of Ministerial leadership and then for Action Cells within the local church.

(3) To represent the Church increasingly through Chaplaincy Services in the various areas referred in the Report, and consequently amongst people largely not contacted by the institutional Church.

(4) To encourage interest in and to provide enlightened information, together with acceptable means for the consideration of current Social Issues.

(5) To enlarge and continually improve existing services available through the Department, and to initiate new services to meet specific situations as they arise, e.g., re-introduction of Pre-Marital Education facilities for meeting the needs of lonely and dependent people, introduction of Retirement and Leisure-time Occupations, to persist with the employment of a Social Worker at least part-time.

(6) To raise finance to maintain and carry out the ever-increasing functions of the Department, for, it appears that the availability of Brotherhood finance alone is entirely inadequate. Consequently we are planning the enlargement of our Welfare Appeal and expect support from the Churches. There will be the introduction of a Property Maintenance Service under the supervision of a qualified tradesman.

(7) A continuing development of Geriatric Care as a service both to our Church members and the community. This will involve careful assessment of development according to need and the ability to provide and service it.

**THANKS:** We cannot close this report without sincerely expressing our appreciation once more to our Heavenly Father for having enlarged the vision of our Brotherhood to enter into this service, for giving to the Committee ability to attend diligently to detail, and to all who have helped in any way with prayers and service and encouragement for the future.

R. GARRETT, Chairman  
C. COLE, Director

## CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE ACCOUNTS

RECEIPTS		GENERAL FUND		PAYMENTS	
Conference Fees	1,116.20			Conference Expenses	408.60
Report Books	597.82			Report Books	742.21
Conference Offering	419.35	2,133.37		ADMINISTRATION	1,150.81
F.A.C. Distribution	2,534.87			Salaries	3,069.44
Budget & Duplex	222.16			Travelling Expenses	476.00
Contributions for Phone	551.09			Preachers Prov. Fund	53.00
Herald Advertisements	251.05			Printing & Stationery	154.69
Refund Insurance Premium	78.56	3,637.73		Postage	146.93
Contributions/Sec. Salary		4,143.21		Telephone	802.65
				Herald Advertisements	290.85
				Messenger	82.50
				Insurance	47.23
				Property Trust Fee	6.00
				CONTRIBUTIONS	1,530.85
				Council of Churches	174.00
				Federal Conference Fees	60.00
				Clinical Pastoral Educat.	25.00
				Burwood Church	10.00
				Sundries	269.00
				Dr. Balance B/Fwd. 1.1.71	43.50
				Cr. Balance C/Fwd. 31.12.71	197.54
					3,124.17
					<u>9,914.31</u>

## STATEMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE FUNDS

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Offerings received from 55 Churches:		Remitted to:	
Unspecified	32,668.37	Conference Executive	3,047.11
Specified	7,208.08	Aborigines Committee	5,750.86
Special	3,813.57	Bible College	4,957.96
	43,690.02	Boys' Home	1,850.63
		Chapel Extension Com.	322.02
		Home Missions Com.	7,600.10
Personal — Specified	600.00	Dept. Christian Educ.	3,863.25
		Overseas Mission Com.	10,654.15
Bank Interest	247.39	Preachers' Prov. Fund	1,006.19
		Social Service Com.	4,607.55
		Federal Home Missions	53.28
		Property Trust	300.00
		Stanwell Tops Centre	43.15
		Brit. & Foreign Bible Soc.	43.40
		Scripture Union	2.00
			441.83
			44,101.65
		Dr. Balance B/Fwd 1.12.70	429.15
		Cr. Balance C/Fwd 30.11.71	6.61
			<u>44,537.41</u>

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

	Bals. B/F. 1/1/71		Receipts		Payment	Bals. C/F. 31/12/71	
	DR.	CR.	CONT.(a)	OTHER		DR.	CR.
General Fund	197.54		6,900.24	3,014.07	6,592.60		3,124.17
Petty Cash Adv.	20.00			20.00	40.00	40.00	
Radio & T.V.		1,059.43	233.83		447.00		846.26
City Temple a/c		2,203.89		1,573.10	876.28		2,900.71
Enmore a/c	1,805.42			364.26(b)	785.43(b)	2,226.59	
Broth'd Centre		5,891.65		3,096.77(c)	2,897.56(c)		6,090.86(e)
Reserve, Leg. Exps.		460.00					460.00
P.E. Thomas Fund		2,253.87		2,272.02(d)	4,525.89(d)		
On a/c Bookroom				35.60	35.60		
On a/c Stanwell T.				50.00	50.00		
	2,022.96	11,868.84	7,134.07	10,425.82	16,250.36	2,266.59	13,422.00
		2,022.96		7,134.07			2,266.59
		<u>9,845.88</u>		<u>17,559.89</u>	<u>16,250.36</u>		<u>11,155.41</u>

# Conference Executive Statement of Accounts Continued: FUNDS

Bank of N.S.W. Current A/c	9,125.30
Loan to Stanwell Tops Christian Conference Centre	<u>2,902.44</u>
	12,027.74
Balance of Loan from Chapel Extension for Enmore	<u>872.33</u>
	11,155.41

- NOTES: (a) Contributions include amounts from F.A.C. & gifts from Churches — members  
(b) Includes contra entries of \$202.26 covering instalments of Chapel Extension repayment  
(c) Includes contra entries of \$2,897.56 covering repayment of part of Loan to Stanwell Tops Centre  
(d) Includes contra entries of \$2,178.32 covering closure of account at Permanent Building Society  
(e) An additional amount of \$37,462.99 is held by Property Trust for Brotherhood Centre.

## STANWELL TOPS CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE CENTRE

### INCOME AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT

<b>CAMPING</b>	
Camping Fees (Camping Days 9810)	24,614
Less EXPENDITURE — Food & Cooking & Supplies (Camping Days 7327)	<u>8,425</u>
	16,189
<b>GENERAL INCOME</b>	
Gross Camping Income	16,189
Rent	13,981
Canteen Profit	148
Drink Machine Profit	341
Interest Received	<u>727</u>
	31,386
<b>Less EXPENDITURE</b>	
Wages	5,305
Electricity & Gas	3,641
Interest	5,033
Repairs & Maintenance	2,244
Provision for Future Maintenance	2,756
Depreciation	1,858
Insurance	774
Rates	889
Telephone	223
Stamps & Stationery	186
Publicity	418
General	96
Legal	46
Loss on Books	32
Provision for Long Service Leave	<u>50</u>
	23,551
<b>SURPLUS FROM CAMPING (\$942) &amp; RENTALS (\$6,893)</b>	<u>7,835</u>
<b>ADD Thanksgiving Offering &amp; Donations</b>	11,298
Less — Expenses	<u>681</u>
	10,617
<b>TOTAL SURPLUS</b>	<u>18,452</u>

### BALANCE SHEET

<b>ACCUMULATED FUNDS</b>	
Sale of Lake Illawarra Site	103,173
Net Income for year	<u>18,452</u>
	121,625
<b>This is represented by: CURRENT ASSETS</b>	
National Bank of Australasia Ltd.	7,457
United-Parramatta Permanent Building Society Ltd.	14,429
Kogarah-Permanent Building Society Ltd.	<u>2,097</u>
Sundry Debtors & Prepayments	700
LESS — Provision for Bad Debts	<u>130</u>
	570
Stock — Food	433
Canteen	<u>323</u>
	756
Deposits	230
Cash	<u>53</u>
	25,592

# Stanwell Tops Balance Sheet Continued:

## Less CURRENT LIABILITIES

Sundry Creditors	6,412
Provision for Maintenance	2,756
Deposits on Camp Bookings	655
Bonds on Houses	575
Loan	500
Provision for Long Service Leave	50
Provision for Holiday Pay	<u>300</u>
	11,248

## WORKING CAPITAL

<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>	
Land & Buildings — at Cost	168,666
Plant, Equipment & Site Improvement — At Cost	20,845
LESS — Provision for Depreciation	<u>1,858</u>
	18,987
<b>Less LONG TERM LOANS</b>	
Christian Enterprises Ltd. — Secured	35,000
Churches of Christ Conference Executive	<u>40,372</u>
Churches of Christ Deposit Fund	5,000
	80,372
	<u>121,625</u>

K. Crawford, F.A.S.A., A.S.T.C. Treasurer  
Audited and found correct — F. Wilton, A.A.S.A.

## CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP FINANCIAL STATEMENT

INCOME	EXPENDITURE
Balance B/Fwd 31.12.70	3720.71
Budget	2130.59
Cleaning	42.60
Special Effort — College	1150.00
Catering	430.88
W.C.W.F.	57.00
Camp	1186.30
Flowers	24.00
General	324.82
Handbooks	183.64
Specified giving	
Aborigine Mission	453.20
Overseas Mission	576.60
Ashwood House	116.45
Temperance	2.35
1970 Special Effort H.M.	228.77
W.C.T.U.	2.00
S. Service	23.20
	228.77
	148.28
	101.31
	33.01
	421.19
	44.00
	166.74
	75.00
	1186.85
	25.00
	210.00
	116.45
	453.20
	576.60
	1150.00
	2.00
	23.20
	228.77
	352.59
	116.00
	368.40
	628.40
	100.00
	118.40
	143.40
	288.40
	15.00
	3560.92
	<u>10653.11</u>

## SUMMARY OF BALANCE

Cleaning	42.80
Catering	623.24
W.C.W.F.	15.90
Camp	94.82
Flowers	1.30
General	21.64
Hand Books	32.75 (Dr.)
Temperance	134.97
Brotherhood Fund —	
Ashwood Bequest	2200.00
Reserve for Office Equipment	<u>459.00</u>
	3560.92

Audited and found correct D.J. Pres.

# ASHWOOD HOUSE CASH STATEMENT

RECEIPTS		1971 PAYMENTS	
1970		Salaries	28511.98
To Balance carried down	31,12.70	House Maintenance	4071.75
Comm. Sav. Bank	135.80	Furniture and Equipment	1043.29
Comm. Trading Bank	7069.78	Repairs and Maintenance	884.82
Cash in Hand	58.94	Electricity and Fuel	1562.96
1971 - Dec. 31		Petty Cash	740.00
Savings Account		Hobby Money	70.00
Interest 1968	7.92	Queensland Ins.	667.89
Interest 1969	5.29	Conf. Exec. Rep. Book	13.12
Interest 1970	5.58	Patients Fees	34.20
Interest 1971	5.78	Fares	83.00
Trust Monies CSB		Car Allow. and Exp.	386.00
Guest Payments	20451.04	Advertising	8.29
Medical Benefits	22464.50	Deposit Book	20
Church Donations	144.45	Wages Book	2.25
General Donations	53.90	Printing and Stationery	42.60
Interest	380.71	Pay Envelopes	1.50
Phone	37.14	Large Print Song Books	18.60
Cash Sale	53.25	Dept. of Public Health licence	50
Patients Fees	18.20	Gifts	106.00
Salaries (Rebanked)	34.64	Churches of Christ Int. bearing dep.	4000.00
Q/land Ins. (Broken glass)	16.50	Private Hosp. Ass.	52.50
Fares (Rebanked)	2.50	Annual Fee Property Trust	6.00
Comm. Bank Fixed Dep.	4000.00	Phone P.M.G.	177.46
Refund Deposit	25.00	Comb. Rec. Lic. P.M.G.	26.50
Sale of Work	202.50	M.W.S. and D.Bd.	59.43
		Powells Pest (Rep and Maint)	4.50
		Balance Carried forward	
		Comm. Sav. Bank	460.37
		Comm. Trading Bank	12369.75
		Cash on hand	67.96
			12898.08
			55473.42
			55473.42

Audited and found correct Y. M. Middleton

## BOOKROOM SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT

### BALANCE SHEET

Capital Account - Dept. of Christ. Educ.	Office Equipment & Fixt's	484	
Balance 31.12.70	Less Provision for Deprec.	397	87
Add Net Profit for year	Trade Debtors	6,465	
	Less Provision Doubt. Dbts	320	6,145
Trade Creditors and Accruals	Stock on Hand at Lower of		
Payable 1972	Cost or Market Repl. Value		53,315
Payable 1973	Deposit		4
Payable 1974	Cash at Bank		1,868
	Cash in Hand		144
	Prepayments		175
			61,738
			61,738

### TRADING ACCOUNT

COST OF SALES:	SALES	Standard	15,563
Opening Stock		General	15,276
Add Purchases			
	54,581		
	23,596		
	78,177		
Less Government Bounty	2,342		
	75,835		
Less Closing Stock	53,315		
Total Cost of Sales	22,520		
Gross Profit trans. to Trading A/c	8,319		
	30,839		30,839

The foregoing Balance sheet and Trading Account have been audited and found to be correct - as also the following Profit and Loss Account A. R. Baker A.A.S.A. (Sen)

## Bookroom Accounts continued: - PROFIT & LOSS ACCOUNT

Bank Charges	84	Gross transferred from Profit & Loss Account	8,319
Depreciation	69		
General Expenses	67		
Insurance	161		
Office Supplies	219		
Outward Freight and Postages	725		
Provision for Doubtful Debts	100		
Rent	1,267		
Salaries	4,059		
Telephone	270		
Net Profit from Trading	1,298		
	8,319		8,319

## DEPARTMENT OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

### INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

INCOME		
Donations received	729	
Finance committee subsidy	3,863	
Rent received (net of expenses)	1,025	
Youth to Youth Appeal	256	
Surplus from camping activities	85	
Sundry Income	161	6,119
EXPENDITURE		
Annual Scripture Examination expenses (net)	103	
Depreciation	134	
Insurance	82	
Interest	318	
Postages	84	
Printing & Stationery	140	
Promotion & Publicity	188	
Rates & Taxes	897	
Rent	140	
Repairs & Maintenance	95	
Removal Costs - Director	106	
Salaries	2,332	
Telephone	169	
Travelling	137	
General Expenses:		
Lake Illawarra Campsite	297	
Office expenses	46	
Presentations	10	
Sundries	36	5,314

EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE Trans. to Accum. Funds

805

### BALANCE SHEET

ACCUMULATED FUNDS		
Balance at 1st January 1971	123,992	
ADD: Surplus on sale of cottage at Lake Illawarra	11,102	
Amount of liability due on tractor taken over by Stanwell Tops	235	
Surplus for the year	805	136,134

### REPRESENTED BY

FIXED ASSETS		
Freehold land and buildings - at cost		
Earlwood	9,392	
Toukley	449	
Lake Macquarie	9,942	19,783
Furniture & Equipment at cost	1,339	
Less provision for depreciation	263	1,076
INVESTMENTS - at cost		20,859
Stanwell Tops Christian Conf. Centre	103,698	
Bookroom Supplies Department	18,295	121,993
CURRENT ASSETS		
Sundry Debtors	204	
Prepaid Expenditure	156	360
		143,212
Less: CURRENT LIABILITIES (Continued on next page)		

# D.C.E. Balance Sheet Continued:

<b>Less CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Bank overdraft	7,792	1,283	
Less: Cash at bank	<u>6,509</u>	5,582	
Sundry Creditors		<u>213</u>	7,078
Camp Deposits received in advance (net)	9,829		
<b>TRUST FUNDS</b>	<u>9,829</u>		
Less: CASH AT BANK			<u>136,134</u>

**NOTE:** The results of operations of the Bookroom Supplies Department has not been included in the above figures. N. H. Moore A.A.S.A.

## DEPARTMENT OF HOME MISSIONS AND EVANGELISM INCOME AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT

<b>INCOME</b>			
Offerings	7,633		
Donations & Legacies	1,265		
Interest & Dividends	3,065		
Life Assurance Commission	<u>258</u>	12,221	
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>			
Subsidies	5,638		
Salaries & Manse Allowance	3,823		
Car, Travelling & Accommodation	1,022		
Printing, Publicity and Stationery	435		
Postage & Telephone	169		
Sundry	469		
Manse Fund — Transfer	<u>258</u>	11,814	
<b>EXCESS of Income over Expenditure</b>			<u>407</u>

## BALANCE SHEET

<b>ASSETS</b>			
Land & Buildings — Cost less Gifts	61,987		
Loans	15,807		
United-Parramatta Building Society	5,230		
Kogarah-Permanent Building Society	3,061		
Investments — Endowment Fund — at cost	21,418		
National Bank of Australasia Ltd. — Current Account	5,658		
— Mount Druitt Account	9,923		
Office Furniture	111		
Sundry Debtors	63		
Petty Cash	<u>53</u>		
		123,311	
<b>Less LIABILITIES</b>			
Loans — Members	21,380		
— Deposit Fund	7,365		
Trust Fund — Paddington	2,246		
— Mount Druitt	<u>12,682</u>	14,928	
Contra		524	
Sundry Creditors		<u>356</u>	44,553
			78,758
			<u>76,548</u>
<b>Less SPECIAL FUNDS</b>			<u>2,210</u>

## GENERAL FUND

Audited and found correct — F. Wilton A.A.S.A.

## CHRISTIAN MESSENGER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

### REVENUE ACCOUNT

<b>EXPENDITURE</b>		<b>INCOME</b>	
Printing	2948.00	Churches	1011.05
Postage	216.00	Personal	195.25
Blocks	83.35	Committees	1175.84
Stamps	18.00	Advertisements	352.00
Hire of Cartoon Blocks	29.40	Blocks	21.85
Wrappers	<u>34.00</u>	Donations	<u>90.47</u>
Bad Debts Written off	3328.75	Bank Interest	2846.46
	9.45		<u>4.74</u>
			2851.20
		<b>Balance, DEFICIT trans. to Bal. Sheet</b>	<u>487.00</u>
	<u>3338.20</u>		<u>3338.20</u>

# Christian Messenger Accounts Continued: — BALANCE SHEET

<b>LIABILITIES</b>		<b>ASSETS</b>	
Churches	22.00	DEBTORS	Churches 133.25
Personal	<u>28.50</u>		Personal 65.33
CREDITOR Printing	1090.50		Committees 78.00
	1141.00		Advertisers <u>11.00</u>
			287.58
DEFICIT from Revenue A/c	487.00	Cash in Bank	128.00
Accum. Losses brt. fwd.	<u>227.62</u>	Cash in Hand	<u>10.80</u>
			<u>426.38</u>
	<u>426.38</u>		

Audited and found correct W. K. Hunter

## PROPERTY TRUST — GENERAL FUND

### INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

<b>EXPENDITURE</b>		<b>INCOME</b>	
Salaries	750.00	Bank Interest	254.53
Petty Cash & Postages	62.00	Interest Deposit Fund	90.11
Legal	25.20	Insurance Commission	1,307.48
Stationery	84.86	Annual Fees	292.00
Sundries	67.87		
Gazettal	7.05		
Gain for year	<u>947.14</u>		
	<u>1,944.12</u>		<u>1,944.12</u>

## BALANCE SHEET

<b>LIABILITIES</b>		<b>ASSETS</b>	
Accumulated Funds	4,801.95	Bank as at 31/12/71	354.41
Gain for year	947.14	Deposits Fund	5,320.68
		Debtors	<u>74.00</u>
	<u>5,749.09</u>		<u>5,749.09</u>

## TRUST ACCOUNT

### STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

<b>RECEIPTS</b>		<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>	
Balance B/F 1.1.71		Rockdale	26,384.33
Lawson	146.97	Belrose — refund Paddington Interest	45.00
Paddington	<u>95.89</u>	Aborigines Committee	11,124.37
Receipts for year:		Overseas Missions	6,292.45
Bible College	750.00	S. S. Committee	6,292.45
Pendle Hill	<u>300.00</u>	H. M. Committee	6,292.45
Sale Rockdale property	23,249.05	Taree — Penrith Loan	990.00
Penrith — Taree Loan	990.00	Ashwood Lectureship	761.25
Public Trustee	3,305.86	Ashwood Scholarship	288.75
Lawson	684.62	D.C.E.	11,126.41
Paddington — Belrose	6,000.00	Ferguson & Sowden — Legal	580.15
Bank Interest	211.26	General Fund — Aborigines	71.96
Estate L. M. Dickson	25,551.60	General Fund — Bank Interest	126.80
D.C.E. Sale of Cottage	11,126.41	Contras	100.50
C. G. Green Legacy	3,135.28	Bank —	
Sale Balledoran	1,796.37	Interest Bearing Dep.	6,000.00
Contras	<u>100.50</u>	Current A/c	<u>966.94</u>
	<u>77,443.81</u>		<u>77,443.81</u>

## BALANCE SHEET

<b>LIABILITIES</b>		<b>ASSETS</b>	
Ashwood Trust — Capital A/C	20,000.00	Ashwood Trust — P. Hill	10,000.00
Taree Church Loan	9,000.00	Ashwood Trust — College	<u>10,000.00</u>
Blackheath & Mudgee	4,410.93	Deposits F. — Black'th	3,629.59
Credit a/c — Lawson	831.59	— Mudgee	526.12
— Paddington	<u>6,135.35</u>	— Int. Accum.	<u>255.22</u>
	6,966.94	Taree — Penrith	3,000.00
		— N. Turramurra	<u>6,000.00</u>
		Bank as at 31/12/71	
		Interest bearing Deposit	6,000.00
		Current Account	<u>966.94</u>
	<u>40,377.87</u>		<u>6,966.94</u>
			<u>40,377.87</u>

Audited and found correct R. H. Menteth

# DEPOSITS FUND

## PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT

OUTGO		INCOME	
Interest on Deposits	2649.59	Interest on loans	2109.48
Interest written off	1.53	Interest on Building Sc. Dpts	958.74
Operating surplus	674.75	Bank Interest	257.65
	<u>3325.87</u>		<u>3325.87</u>

## STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Bank as at 31/12/70	10026.67	Interest on Deposits	342.20
Deposits received	14140.00	Deposits Repaid	626.87
Principal and Int. Payments	10526.66	New Loans	19000.00
Bank and Bldg Scty. Interest	1216.39	New Deposits	15000.00
	<u>35909.72</u>	Bank as at 31/12/71	<u>940.65</u>
			<u>35909.72</u>

## BALANCE SHEET

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
Deposits	74344.24	Loans for	
Accumulated Funds & balance at 31/12/71	1740.60	Churches & Committees	52818.94
Plus operating surplus for the year	674.75	Building Society Deposits	23000.00
	<u>2415.35</u>	Bank as at 31/12/71	<u>940.65</u>
	<u>76759.59</u>		<u>76759.59</u>

## CHAPEL EXTENSION COMMITTEE

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Balance B/F 1/1/71	3610.33	General Fund — Contra	45.67
Duplex	149.04	Interest subsidies	164.89
F.A.C.	372.69	Salaries	350.00
Insurance Commissions	380.44	Telephone	25.54
Loan repayments	3103.21	Stationery	26.70
Bank Interest — Contra	45.67	Deposits to Deposits Fund	6500.00
Bank Interest	88.58	Loans	157.80
Gift	30.00	Handbook 1970	10.50
	<u>7779.96</u>	Bank 31/12/71	<u>498.86</u>
			<u>7779.96</u>

## BALANCE SHEET

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
Loan (Chapel a year)	610.07	Loans — to churches	17097.49
Bequest — City Temple	400.00	to Deposits Fund	40159.97
Accum Funds to 31/12/70	54732.94	Bank as at 31/12/71	498.86
+ working surplus for year	2013.31		<u>57756.32</u>
	<u>57756.32</u>		

## PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT

OUTGO		INCOME	
Salaries	350.00	Interest on loans	1570.19
Stationery	26.70	F.A.C.	372.69
Telephone	25.54	Duplex	149.04
Interest subsidies	164.89	Insurance Commissions	380.44
Conference Handbook 1970	10.50	Bank Interest	88.58
Operating surplus	2013.31	Gift	30.00
	<u>2590.94</u>		<u>2590.94</u>

## ABORIGINES COMMITTEE

## STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Deposit on Balladuran Property	932.77	Industrial Acceptance Corp.	1000.00
Instalments on " "	400.00	Credit A.N.Z. Bank	402.62
Interest on Debenture Stock	4.60		
Interest on Property	65.25		
	<u>1402.62</u>		<u>1402.62</u>

## Aborigines Committee Accounts Continued:

## STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
General Fund	1183.31	Insurance	33.42
Annual Offering	839.32	Freight & Cartage	35.61
Duplex Offering	403.93	Balladuran	32.21
Budget	21.86	Special Gifts	1408.05
Child Support	540.32	Christian Messenger	203.39
Bible Schools	69.03	Federal Board	7700.00
Special Gifts	1289.24	Postage & Phone	144.71
F.A.C. Unspecified	4594.00	Printing	284.43
F.A.C. Specified	1014.56	Conference Executive	52.25
Legacies	9526.35	Legacies Trans. to Fed. Board	9526.35
North-West Outreach	248.93	Sundries	135.12
Bank Interest	33.42	Travelling Expenses	140.20
	<u>19764.27</u>		<u>19695.74</u>
Balance Brt. Fwd.	231.91	Credit A.N.Z. Bank	300.44
	<u>19996.18</u>		<u>19996.18</u>

## BOYS' HOME & YOUNG MEN'S HOSTEL COMMITTEE

## BALANCE SHEET

ACCUMULATED FUNDS	1971	1970	FIXED ASSETS	1971	1970
Balance 1/7/71	106,456		Land & Buildings Boys H. (at VG value 7/3/69)	95,000	95,000
Add Excess Income over Expenditure for 1971	15,102		Land & Buildings Hostel (at VG value 11/7/69)	18,500	18,500
Balance 31/12/71	121,558	106,456	Furniture, Plant/Linen (at value + additions)	7,620	
LONG TERM LIABILITIES			Less Prov. for Depr. 4,090	3,530	4,172
Bank of N.S.W. Loan	15,327	16,875	CURRENT ASSETS		
Deposits Fund	—	3,213	Deposits	12	12
	<u>136,885</u>	<u>126,544</u>	Cash at Bank & on dep.	19,843	8,860
				<u>136,885</u>	<u>126,544</u>

## INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

EXPENDITURE	1971	1970	BOYS' HOME	INCOME	1971	1970
Provisions	2,746	1,922	Donations		447	286
Wages	5,470	5,262	F.C.C. Offerings		2,740	3,099
Repairs and Replacements	2,529	819	Children's Maintenance		3,114	2,341
Electricity & Fuel	655	490	Govt. Endowment		1,750	2,469
Printing, Stationery, Phone, Travelling, Insur. etc.	1,374	978	Fete		2,342	2,301
Sundry Expenses	231	589	Balance — Excess Exp. over Income		10,393	10,496
Interest on Loans	1,282	1,274			4,472	1,416
Depreciation	578	578			<u>14,865</u>	<u>11,912</u>
	<u>14,865</u>	<u>11,912</u>				

## YOUNG MEN'S HOSTEL

	1971	1970		1971	1970
Provisions	2,196	2,465	Donations	—	12
Wages	1,251	1,658	Board Fees	5,602	5,282
Electricity, Printing, Phone Rates, etc.	894	960	Balance — Excess of Exp. over Income for 1970		581
Interest on Mortgage	—	500			
Depreciation	341	292			
	<u>4,682</u>				
Balance — Excess Income over Exp. for 1971	920	5,875			
	<u>5,602</u>	<u>5,875</u>			
Excess of Exp. over Income brought down B. Home	4,472	1,416	Interest Received	686	1,505
Balance trans to Accum F.	15,102	(492)	Special Donation	1,625	—
			Legacies	16,343	—
			Excess Income over Exp. Brt./Dwn. Y.M. Hostel	920	(581)
	<u>19,574</u>	<u>924</u>		<u>19,574</u>	<u>924</u>

**BIBLE COLLEGE  
BALANCE SHEET  
COLLEGE FUNDS**

1970		1971
75,088	Accumulated Funds 31/12/70	87,839
7,685 (+)	Deficit from College Administration	274
82,773		87,565
1,551 (-)	Less Deficit from Building Maintenance	510
81,222		87,055
6,617 (+)	Add Transfers from Loan Accounts	—
87,839		87,055
4,466	Endowment Fund	4,806
92,305	Accumulated Funds 31/12/71	91,861
<b>EMPLOYMENT OF FUNDS</b>		
<b>ASSETS</b>		
74,325	Land and Buildings (at cost)	74,325
4,661	Furniture, Fittings, Equipment (cost less Depreciation)	5,603
3,000	Motor Vehicles (cost less Depreciation)	3,000
1,819	Library (cost less Depreciation)	1,899
1,103	Sundry Debtors	342
2,746	National Bank of Australasia Ltd. — General Account	1,414
7,487	National Bank of Australasia Ltd. — Trust Funds	6,918
246	Bank N.S.W. Hunter's Hill	260
4,000	Ashwood Settlement University Scholarship Investment Account	4,138
4,000	Building Maintenance Investment Account	4,000
2,990	Endowment Fund Investment Account	3,330
4,000	Deposit N.S.W. Permanent Building Society (Building Maintenance)	5,400
4,901	Deposit N.S.W. Permanent Building Society (Loan Deposits)	4,901
4,124	Deposit N.S.W. Permanent Building Society (General Account)	4,476
—	Special Bonds — P. E. Thomas Investment Account	2,350
—	Prepayments	—
119,402		122,356
<b>Less LIABILITIES</b>		
14,000	Loan Accounts — General	14,000
4,901	Deposit Account	4,901
4,196	Trust Funds	7,426
4,000	Ashwood Settlement University Scholarship Fund	4,000
—	Accrued expenses	168
27,097		30,495
92,305		91,861
<b>ASHWOOD SETTLEMENT — SCHOLARSHIP (GRADUATES)</b>		
	Balance 31st December, 1970	315
	Add Interest earned	334
		649
	Less Grants	517
	Balance 31st December, 1971	132
<b>ASHWOOD SETTLEMENT — LECTURESHIP (SECULAR STUDIES)</b>		
	Balance 31st December, 1970	1,510
	Add Interest earned	1,040
		2,550
	Less Grants	120
	Balance 31st December, 1971	2,430
<b>ASHWOOD SETTLEMENT — UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP</b>		
	Balance 31st December, 1970	371
	Add Interest earned	245
		616
	Less Grants	104
	Balance 31st December, 1971	512
<b>ASHWOOD SETTLEMENT — LECTURESHIP</b>		
	Balance 31st December, 1971	2,000
<b>BIBLE COLLEGE — HOUSE MAINTENANCE</b>		
<b>INCOME</b>		
8,473	Board from students	7,421
280	Students Amenities Levy	297
8,753		7,718
<b>Less EXPENDITURE</b>		
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**Bible College Accounts Continued — House Maintenance**

1970	Less EXPENDITURE	House Maintenance	1971
2,718	Food		3,113
2,092	Salaries — Domestic Staff		1,963
1,389	Light, Gas, Fuel		1,500
401	Replacements and Repairs		527
518	Depreciation		623
7,118			7,726
1,635 (+)	Deficit to College Administration		8
<b>COLLEGE ADMINISTRATION</b>			
<b>INCOME</b>			
4,969	Offerings from Churches (through F.A.C.)		4,531
958	Offerings from Churches (other)		1,080
290	Gifts from Christian Women's Fellowship		338
1,000	Campbell Edwards Estate		—
306	Other Gifts		679
4,685	Bequest (less transfer to Endowment Fund)		3,067
11,721	Payments from Churches re Students		13,149
2,147	Accommodation Fees		1,927
—			24,771
1,635 (+)	House Maintenance Deficit		8
27,711			24,763
<b>Less EXPENDITURE</b>			
16,549	Salaries — Faculty and Students		21,245
594	General Expenses		699
601	Insurance		740
277	Interest paid		188
708	Printing, Stationery, Postages, Publicity		830
242	Rates and Taxes		343
528	Telephone		286
307	Travelling Expenses		391
220	Depreciation		315
20,026			25,037
7,685 (+)	Deficit Transferred to Accumulated Funds		274
<b>INCOME</b>			
3,317	Donations — A. W. Stephenson Building Appeal		147
2	Donations — Other		—
284	Interest		840
—	Donation — Winter Trust		1,000
3,603			1,987
<b>Less EXPENDITURE</b>			
5,154	Repairs and Renovations		2,497
1,551 (-)	Deficit to Accumulated Funds		510
<b>Donations</b>			
	Employed by — Investment Commonwealth Special Bonds		2,350
	— National Bank of Australasia Ltd.		2
	Balance 31st December, 1971		2,352

<b>OVERSEAS MISSION COMMITTEE</b>			
<b>RECEIPTS</b>		<b>PAYMENTS</b>	
Missionary News Subscriptions	462.10	Cash forwarded to Fed. Brd.	23926.54
Weekly/Annual offerings	1554.31	Cash paid on behalf of Fed. Brd.	325.53
Gifts	5623.94	Secretary's Expenses	208.08
Conf. Exec. (F.A.C.)	6277.50	Telephone & Postage	111.84
Special Projects	2374.18	Stationery	60.74
Bank Interest	9.24	General: Entertain Miss'ries	5.00
New Hebrides	3436.83	Purchase Cabinet	30.00
India (Incl. Pakistan Relief \$582.25)	1935.50	Chr. Messenger	154.95
New Guinea	3151.42	Presentations etc.	19.60
Sales	30.30	Publicity/Conf. Ann. off'ngs	16.23
Refunds	43.45	Visiting Missionaries on furlough	40.26
	24898.77		24898.77
Est. L.M. Dickson Sept/Oct/Nov		Est. L.M. Dickson Fwd. to Fed. Brd	756.45
1971 Instalments	756.45		
	25655.22		25655.22

# SOCIAL SERVICES ACCOUNTS

## STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

### RECEIPTS

Income from Brotherhood Sources:—	4,182.95	
F.A.C. (Specified and Unspecified)	917.85	
Church offerings	266.70	5,367.50
Donations		204.35
Christmas Cheer Donations		
Proceeds from Shop, Stalls and Catering and Waste Appeal	11,614.21	
Less: Purchases and Expenses	8,932.89	2,681.32
Recouped Administration Costs:—		
Christian Fellowship Association	530.00	
Chapel Extension Committee	350.00	
Conference Executive	340.90	
Homes Department	2,120.00	
Property Trust	750.00	4,290.90
Bank Interest		189.83
Government Grant		1,750.00
United Charities Rose Day Appeal Proceeds		290.88
		14,774.78

### PAYMENTS

Audit Fees	200.00	
Depreciation	209.22	
General	16.64	
Insurance	198.06	
Motor Vehicle and Deputation Expenses	260.15	
Postage, Publicity and Advertising	470.32	
Printing and Stationery	179.41	
Preachers' Provident Fund	127.00	
Rent	2,849.45	
Subscriptions	177.26	
Telephone	270.49	
Welfare and Relief	1,004.64	
Salaries Allowances and Office Assistance	8,377.00	14,339.64
Surplus transferred to Accumulated Funds		

### BALANCE SHEET

MEMBERS' FUNDS		
Accumulated Funds (as per schedule)	8,270.63	
Bush Fire, Flood and Disaster Trust	1,938.91	
	10,209.54	
Represented by CURRENT ASSETS		
Commonwealth Savings Bank of Australia —		
Social Worker A/c (S941)	199.95	
General Account	5,473.97	
Bush Fire, Flood and Disaster A/c	1,938.91	
Petty Cash	150.00	
Rural Bank of N.S.W.	563.75	8,326.58
FIXED ASSETS		
Duplicator	81.82	
Furniture and Fittings	1,456.20	
Addis 35mm Projector	35.93	
Typewriter	309.01	1,882.96
		10,209.54

### SCHEDULE OF BALANCE SHEET ITEMS

1. ACCUMULATED FUNDS					
Balance at 1st January, 1971	7,452.92				
Add: Surplus for year	435.14				
Add: Bush Fire and Flood Relief Fund	382.57				
	8,260.63				
2. FIXED ASSETS					
	W.D.V.	Disposals	Additions	Total	Depreciation
	1/1/71				31/12/71
Duplicator	90.91			90.91	9.09
Furniture/fittings	1,618.00			1,618.00	161.80
Projector—35mm	39.92			39.92	3.99
Typewriter	343.35			343.35	34.34
	2,092.18			2,092.18	209.22
					1,882.96

### Social Services Schedule of Balance Sheet Items continued:

Bush Fire, Flood and Disaster Trust	
Balance at 1st January, 1971	1,872.81
Add: Interest	66.10
Balance at 31st December, 1971	1,938.91

### SOCIAL SERVICE AND C.F.A. HOMES DEPARTMENT

### BALANCE SHEET

#### DEPARTMENT FUNDS

Accumulated Funds — 1st January, 1971:—		
Homes Department	466,892.18	
Nursing Hospital		33,432.39
Add: Surplus from Income/Exp. A/cs.	45,614.26	2,535.52
	512,506.44	35,966.91
Provision for Property Maintenance		548,473.35
		12,279.99
		560,753.34

#### Represented by:—

#### CURRENT ASSETS

Sundry Debtors		133.26
Cash on Hand		720.00
Commonwealth Trading Bank of Australia		9,740.75
Commonwealth Savings Bank — Carlingford		33,785.50
Nursing Hospital Funds —		
National Bank of Australasia Ltd. Nursing Hosp.	2,251.04	
N.S.W. Permanent Building Society	18,715.87	20,966.91
		65,346.42

#### FIXED ASSETS

Land and Buildings (as per schedule)	463,444.47
Furniture and Fittings (as per schedule)	32,085.55
Motor Vehicles (as per schedule)	4,122.29
	499,652.31
	564,998.73

#### Less: LIABILITIES

Loans — Private	4,024.13
Sundry Creditors	221.26
	4,245.39
	560,753.34

### SCHEDULE OF MOVEMENTS IN FIXED ASSETS

	Balance at 1/1/71	Additions During Year	Balance at 31/12/71
LAND & BUILDINGS (AT COST)			
Pendle Hill — Buildings erected on land owned by Churches of Christ Property Trust			
Cottage 1	11,157.00		11,157.00
Cottage 2	11,164.00		11,164.00
Cottage 3	10,825.91		10,825.91
Cottage 4	10,457.42		10,457.42
Cottage 5	21,045.17		21,045.17
"Willi Roffey" Community Centre	46,089.48	90.00	46,179.48
Sewerage Work	2,280.30		2,280.30
Roadworks	1,775.37		1,775.37
Dwelling — Wentworth Avenue	14,627.43		14,627.43
Hornsby — Bingley Hall	28,083.95	3,035.00	31,118.95
Austral land	4,687.00		4,687.00
Croydon — 1 Dickinson Avenue	122,504.65		122,504.65
Thirroul	112,259.73		112,259.73
Newcastle	52,924.81	10,437.25	63,362.06
	449,882.22	13,562.25	463,444.47

#### FURNITURE & FITTINGS ETC.

	W.D.V. 1/1/71	Purchases	Sold	Total	Deprec' on Provisions	W.D.V. 31/12/71
Bingley Hall	3,877.41			3,877.41	290.81	3,586.60
"Willi Roffey"						
Community Cent.	3,605.95	957.00		4,562.95	342.22	4,220.73
Croydon	8,605.95	981.64		9,257.46	694.31	8,563.15
Office	52.33			52.33	3.92	48.41
Thirroul	11,276.55	168.76		11,276.31	845.72	10,430.59
Newcastle	4,656.77	977.18	130.00	5,503.95	412.80	5,091.15
Austral	156.67			156.67	11.75	144.92
	31,732.50	3,084.58	130.00	34,687.08	2,601.53	32,085.55

# Schedule of Movements in Fixed Assets continued:

	W.D.V.	Purchases	Sold	Total	Deprec. Provisions	W.D.V. 31/12/71
MOTOR VEH.	1/1/71			2,243.80	336.57	1,907.23
Holden Stat. Sedan	2,243.80			1,530.00	229.50	1,300.50
Datsun	1,530.00			1,075.95	161.39	914.56
Falcon Utility	1,075.95			4,849.75	727.46	4,122.29
	4,849.75					

## STATEMENT OF SOURCES AND APPLICATION OF FUNDS

### FUNDS WERE PROVIDED BY:

Net surplus for year	45,614.26
Net addition to Provision for Property Maintenance	2,322.70
Provision for Depreciation	3,328.99
Decrease in Sundry Debtors	1,793.18
	<u>53,059.13</u>

### FUNDS WERE APPLIED TO:

Additions to Lands & Buildings	13,562.25
Additions to Furniture & Fittings (Nett)	2,954.58
Increase in Other Assets — Cash at Bank	7,335.15
Cash on hand	50.00
Savings Bank	25,041.44
Loans	3,026.03
Sundry Creditors	1,089.68
	<u>4,115.71</u>
	<u>53,059.13</u>

## INCOME AND EXPENDITURE — NURSING HOME PROJECT

INCOME	
Donations	1,480.20
Bank Interest	339.45
Interest on Deposited Funds	715.87
SURPLUS for year — transferred to Accumulated Funds	<u>2,535.52</u>

## GENERAL INCOME & EXPENDITURE STATEMENT

INCOME	
Donations — Capital	28,502.45
General	2,532.53
Sundries — Personal Care Subsidy	8,460.00
Bank Interest	274.43
	<u>8,734.43</u>
	39,769.41
Add: Net Surplus from Sectional Income and Expenditure Accounts:	
Surpluses Bingley Hall	1,319.97
Pendle Hill	1,611.89
Other Properties	34.65
Croydon	4,129.68
Newcastle	777.49
	<u>7,873.68</u>
LESS:	
Deficit — Thirroul	1,881.04
	<u>5,992.64</u>
	45,762.05

### EXPENDITURE

Interest	299.22
Donations	2,605.00
Depreciation	731.38
Motor Expenses	396.52
Insurance	773.21
Printing, Stationery & Advertising	239.71
General Expenses	
Sundries	90.25
Audit Fee	330.00
Subscriptions	70.50
	<u>490.75</u>
	5,535.79
Departmental Surplus for year	40,226.26
ADD:	
Grants received from Commonwealth Government	5,388.00
	<u>45,614.26</u>

TOTAL SURPLUS for the year, transferred to Accumulated funds

## SECTIONAL INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNTS

### PENDLE HILL — Cottages and Community Centre

INCOME — Donations from guests	5,804.12
EXPENDITURE	
Electricity & Gas	1,486.21
Repairs	1,295.09
Rates and Insurance	91.30
Administration Charges — Social Services Department	530.00
Casual Wages	285.88
Depreciation	342.22
Sundry Expenses	86.00
Telephone	75.53
Net Surplus for year, transferred to General Income & Exp. A/c	<u>4,192.23</u>

### BINGLEY HALL — Men's Home

INCOME — Donations from guests	7,483.58
EXPENDITURE	
Sundries	18.66
Wages	2,641.00
Provisions	1,929.01
Administration Charges — Social Services Department	530.00
Electricity & Gas	366.00
Depreciation	290.81
Repairs	311.19
Rates & Insurance	13.16
Telephone	63.68
Net Surplus for year, transferred to General Income & Exp. A/c	<u>6,163.61</u>

### NEWCASTLE — Guest Home

INCOME — Donations from guests	7,589.95
Rents Received	688.00
	<u>8,277.95</u>

### EXPENDITURE

Provisions	2,206.88
Wages	3,000.69
Depreciation	412.80
Repairs	633.62
Electricity	521.95
Rates & Insurance	550.47
Sundries	81.79
Telephone	92.26
Net Surplus for year, transferred to General Income & Exp. A/c	<u>7,500.46</u>

### THIRROUL — Guest Home

INCOME — Donations from guests	14,238.50
EXPENDITURE	
Provisions	5,378.65
Wages	5,607.61
Depreciation	845.72
Repairs	1,122.60
Electricity	1,229.16
Administration Charges — Social Services Department	530.00
Rates and Insurance	1,244.27
Telephone	98.50
Net Deficiency for year, transferred to General Inc. & Exp. A/c	<u>16,119.54</u>

### CROYDON — Guest Home & Units

INCOME — Donations from guests	17,756.46
EXPENDITURE	
Provisions	3,749.71
Wages	5,743.14
Electricity and Gas	1,314.46
Repairs	1,225.05
Administration Charges — Social Services Department	530.00
Depreciation	694.31
Sundry Expenses	140.60
Rates and Insurance	101.59
Telephone	127.92
	<u>13,626.78</u>

Net Surplus for year transferred to General Income & Exp. A/c 4,129.68

# Sectional Income & Exp A/cs continued: OTHER PROPERTIES — Various

INCOME		105.00
Rents Received	38.45	
EXPENDITURE	20.15	
Rates and Insurance	11.75	70.35
Sundry Expenses		
Depreciation		
Net Surplus for year transferred to General		34.65
Income and Expenditure Accounts		

## CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP ASSOCIATION BALANCE SHEET

ACCUMULATED FUNDS	11,256.00
Balance as at 1st December, 1970	625.00
Add: Surplus for year	11,881.00

### REPRESENTED BY:—

CURRENT ASSETS	10,701.00
Cash at Commonwealth Trading Bank of Australia	
Less:	
Owing to Social Service and Christian Fellowship	
Association Homes Department of Churches of	956.00
Christ in New South Wales	9,745.00
FIXED ASSETS	55.00
Office Equipment (Cost less Depreciation)	
DEFERRED ASSETS	3,445.00
Loans to Members	1,364.00
Less: Provision for doubtful debts	2,081.00
	11,881.00

## INCOME & EXPENDITURE STATEMENT

INCOME	2,312.00
Members' contributions	351.00
Sale of Diaries	
Bank Interest	382.00
Donations	51.00
Outstanding Debts Recovered	130.00
	3,226.00
EXPENDITURE	50.00
Audit Fee	2.00
Annual Dinner Costs (Net)	11.00
Depreciation	1,565.00
Gifts	113.00
Postage, Stationery and Petty Cash	280.00
Diary Costs	580.00
Salaries	2,601.00
	625.00

### SURPLUS FOR YEAR

LOANS TO MEMBERS	2,466.57
Balance as at December 1st, 1970	2,464.13
Loans granted during year	4,930.70
	1,486.00
Less Repayments during year	3,444.70
BALANCE outstanding, December 31st, 1971	
FIXED ASSETS	W.D.V.
Office Equipment	1/12/70
	66.00
Depreciation	W.D.V.
	31/12/71
	11.00
	55.00

All of the Accounts in this handbook have been audited and found correct.

## ASHWOOD HOUSE REPORT

For His guidance over this past year we would give thanks to our Heavenly Father and would present this report of our work.

PERSONNEL: President, Mrs. B. Millar; Vice President, Mrs. G. MacKenzie; Treasurer, Mrs. R. Tait; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. J. Morton; Mrs. M. Elsmore; Mrs. B. Verco and Mrs. J. Bartholomew, Secretary.

Because they are moving from Sydney during this year neither Mrs. MacKenzie or Mrs. Morton will be seeking re-election to the committee, and we would take this opportunity of expressing our grateful thanks for their valued contribution to the committee. We pray God's blessing on them as they find new avenues of service.

During the year we have been pleased to have Mrs. Lewis, Conference President and Mrs. Beckingham, Conference Secretary, meet with us and we thank them for their valuable time and interest.

OBITUARY: Since our last report the following guests received their Home call: Mrs. Caskie, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Worthy and Mrs. Mabbott.

Matron Quinn and staff have continued to maintain the home with kindness and efficiency and we are grateful to them for this service. There are others who contribute to the happiness and welfare of our guests and we would thank especially Mesdames Doolan, Henderson, Ivan, Kemple, Masters and Moore who are most regular in their efforts to assist the ladies with handcraft work. As a result of this the ladies organised and held a sale of work during November and despite the weather were able to raise the sum of \$202.00. They also exhibited their work in the Sydney Town Hall during Senior Citizens' week.

To all who have visited the Home during the year, Women's Fellowships, Young People's groups and others, we do say thank you for your interest and gifts. These visits are bright spots in the life of Ashwood House and bring visitors to some who may not have anyone else. To assist visitors in entertaining the ladies we have purchased community song books with large print and these are available on request.

Our appreciation is also expressed to those who have assisted financially: Belmore C.W.F. \$33.25; Burwood C.W.F. \$25.00; Chatswood C.W.F. \$50.00; Marrickville C.W.F. \$5.00; Newcastle Districts \$31.20; Mrs. Garrett \$1.50; Mrs. Mabbott \$17.40; Mr. Robinson \$10.00; Sister Thompson \$5.00; Mrs. Winter Little \$20.00.

During the year we have purchased four settings of bedroom furniture; new curtains for all bedrooms, blankets and numerous other items.

Pendle Hill Church continue in providing a Communion Service each Sunday morning and Mr. Gary Walker has acted as Chaplain. This spiritual help is very much appreciated by the ladies and the committee.

Our gratitude is also expressed to Mr. Middleton for auditing our books.

Please continue to uphold the staff and committee as this work moves forward to another year.

### PERSONNEL:

B. MILLAR, President  
J. BARTHOLOMEW, Secretary



## BUILDING ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT

The membership of the Committee increased to 6 this year: F. Elsmore, F. Gee, C. Nutt, W. A. Oldfield, E. Phillips, and F. Stimson.

Once again we have not met regularly at City Temple, but in an attempt to save the time of the members, have met at the church or building on which advice has been sought.

Advice has been requested, and reports prepared, on City Temple office accommodation, Belmore Church, Ashwood House, the new Fairfield building, and the Enmore Tabernacle kitchen wiring, toilets and general modifications to suit the Church for all Nations.

Reports on Bexley North and Earlwood have been requested but had not been completed at year's end.

We trust that the reports prepared were satisfactory to those concerned, and we look forward to a further year of service in the Brotherhood.

F. R. GEE, Secretary

## OVERSEAS MISSION REPORT

Jesus said, "You shall receive power after that the Holy Spirit is come upon you and you shall be witnesses unto Me both in Jerusalem and in all Judea and in Samaria and unto the uttermost parts of the earth." Acts 1: 8.

In presenting this report, we praise God for the privilege of witnessing for Him in India, New Guinea and the New Hebrides.

**N.S.W. COMMITTEE PERSONNEL:** C. G. Taylor (Chairman), Dr. R. B. Millar (Vice Chairman), C. A. Saxby (Secretary), G. J. Pieremont (Treasurer, co-opted), R. C. Dixon, G. D. Saxby, F. J. Stephenson, F. F. Stimson, Mrs. R. K. Bent, Miss H. V. Rofe (co-opted), Mrs. C. Saxby, Mrs. R. W. Stanhope.

**FEDERAL BOARD:**  
*Adelaide Members:* Sir Philip Messent (Chairman), C. L. Fitzgerald (Vice-Chairman), R. S. A. McLean (Secretary), B. V. Coventry (Assistant Secretary), R. K. Johnson (Treasurer), W. A. Roberts, C. A. Butler, F. K. Glover, R. Chamberlain, Mrs. J. C. Cunningham, Dr. A. J. T. Thomas, W. Philp.  
*Interstate Members:* R. Ellis, Queensland; C. A. Saxby, N.S.W.; R. F. Geyer, Victoria; D. A. Lewis, South Australia; T. Banks, Western Australia.

**MISSIONARY PERSONNEL AS AT DECEMBER, 1971.**  
*India:* Mr. & Mrs. H. Waghmode, Mr. & Mrs. R. Veal, Mr. & Mrs. R. Powell, Mr. & Mrs. J. Main, Misses E. Vawser, H. Skuce, D. Geyer, D. Holstein.  
*New Hebrides:* Dr. & Mrs. D. Coulter, Mr. & Mrs. K. Ludgater, Mr. & Mrs. H. Finger, Mr. & Mrs. C. McCosker, Mr. & Mrs. G. Elliott, Mr. & Mrs. R. Wilson, Mr. & Mrs. R. Warry, Misses J. Delaney, K. Williams, K. Bullock, E. Cane, Mr. A. McKay.  
*New Guinea:* Mr. & Mrs. F. Beale, Mr. & Mrs. J. Friebe, Mr. & Mrs. E. V. Gray, Mr. & Mrs. G. Harrison, Mr. & Mrs. J. Bolton, Mr. & Mrs. A. Ben, Mr. & Mrs. B. Buli, Misses J. Hunting, A. Draney, R. Rofe, J. Simpson, D. Catts, D. Howden, R. Williams, M. Horne, A. Hardie, R. McAllister, Messrs. C. Campbell, G. Williams.

**VOLUNTARY WORKERS:** The following have served as voluntary workers for various periods during 1971:

*New Hebrides:* Sister E. Cane, Messrs. W. Bagley and A. Sheridan. At the end of her period of voluntary service, Sister Cane offered to extend her time, serving on the same basis as permanent workers, until a replacement could be found.

*New Guinea:* Miss A. Hardie, Mr. K. Cousins, Mr. C. Lewis; the following members of the W.A. Work Party, Messrs. I. Foot, R. G. Williams, I. Halsall, M. Tassicker, R. Fisher. Mr. Gordon Williams has remained in New Guinea, and is serving as a voluntary worker. Miss Aileen Hardie, after completing twelve months as a voluntary worker, offered to remain in New Guinea for a further two years, serving on the same basis as the permanent staff.

Sincere appreciation is expressed to all who have served as voluntary workers.

### RESIGNATIONS:

The following resignations were received: Sisters V. Crowte, L. Joyce, Miss B. Clapp, Mr. & Mrs. G. Sonsie. We express sincere appreciation to these brethren for their dedicated service and pray for God's blessing upon them as they serve Him in homeland.

**ASSOCIATE MISSIONARIES:** The following have been accepted as Associate Missionaries: Mr. & Mrs. B. Richards, Nepal; Mr. H. Gross, Thailand; Miss A. Dallimore, Indonesia.

Associate missionaries are members of Churches of Christ serving with churches and missions that invite us to second workers to them. While not supported financially by the Brotherhood, they are recognized as members of our missionary team serving overseas. Being listed as Associate Missionaries enables the link between such workers and the home churches to be strengthened and maintained.

### PROGRESS ON THE FIELDS:

#### NEW HEBRIDES:

**Education:** Significant changes have taken place in our educational work during the last twelve months. At the request of the British Government the Primary school at Ranwadi on Pentecost will be phased out, and a secondary school established. The British Government will accept financial responsibility for the erection of additional school buildings and will subsidise the salary of an expatriate headmaster to the extent of \$1,644 p.a. and a class teacher to the extent of \$1,260 p.a. The Government will pay 100% of the approved Government salary to any New Hebridean staff member. Equipment and building maintenance grants will also be provided. The establishment of a Secondary school at Ranwadi will be an advantage to our work, as it will provide Secondary education for many of our young people, with Christian teachers on the staff, and with the minimum expense to the mission.

Mr. & Mrs. Ray Wilson have been transferred from Nasawa on Maewo to Ranwadi, as Mr. Wilson has been appointed headmaster of the Secondary school.

The children at the Ranwadi school who are not ready for Secondary education teachers will be absorbed into district schools, supervised by well qualified New Hebridean teachers.

The New Hebridean teachers are now accepting full responsibility in our Primary schools. Most teachers are graduates of the Kawenu Teachers' Training College in Vila, the capital of the New Hebrides. Two teachers have completed special studies in teaching methods at the Cambridge Institute of Education in the U.K., and another special course at the Wattle Park Teachers' College in Adelaide. At present one teacher is studying at Cambridge, and another at the University of Edinburgh.

The Nasawa Technical School will cater mainly for students wishing to apply themselves to technical subjects rather than academic. It is expected that the income from this work should help the school to become self-supporting.

**Medical:** In addition to the Medical work being conducted at the three hospitals, Duindui, Nasawa and Ranmawat, and the various dispensaries, our Medical missionaries are involved in training nurses and dressers. Nurses have been sent to New Zealand for further training and Mr. Edward Tambisari (from Pentecost) has completed the first year of the Medical course at the University of Papua and New Guinea in Port Moresby.

**Translating the Scriptures:** Progress continues to be made in translating portions of the Scriptures into several languages in the New Hebrides. Two of the languages have about half of the New Testament completed, and are being checked. The Bible Society in New Zealand has provided financial assistance for this work, and attractive publications of Scripture portions have been printed.

**Church Work:** Pastors who trained at the Banmatmat Bible College are doing a good work amongst the churches and are providing good leadership. A pastor usually has several churches in his care, and they walk great distances in order to conduct services in the various centres.

They are supported by the local churches, but their income in many cases barely meets their needs. It is an inspiration to see these pastors at work giving little attention to material needs.

Villages, particularly on Aoba, have built neat attractive church buildings using steel frames, concrete bricks, galvanised iron roof and louvred windows. Our island brethren should be commended for their willingness to finance and build these fine church buildings which assist the church in its witness. There are, however, villages in some areas that need financial assistance to erect church buildings. The Board has agreed to provide interest free loans to assist in these situations.

The New Hebridean churches have wonderful opportunities for outreach. Heathen villages on Santo, Malekula and Tanna have invited our island brethren to send workers to them.

The New Hebridean churches support August and Maeline Ben in New Guinea, and in addition to financial help, C.W.F. groups send clothes to them for distribution.

The construction of a road on Pentecost Island has assisted in church visitation. Our North villages can be reached from Ranmawat using a landrover in an hour, whereas previously it took four hours to reach them — two hours' sea travel, and two hours' walking.

The care of the churches is gradually being taken out of the missionaries' hands as more pastors become available.

Church membership is approximately 2,800, and we see evidence of church growth as the churches reach out to new areas and new churches are established. We have become accustomed to talking about the work on Aoba, Maewo and Pentecost, but we should now include Santo, Malo, Mavea, Tutuba and Malekula, and Vila and Noumea, as in all of these centres, churches are being established.

**Witness in Noumea:** In recent years an increasing number of New Hebrideans have gone to New Caledonia for employment. New Caledonia is predominately Roman Catholic, although the French Protestant Church is active.

Services however are not conducted in English or Pidgin, and therefore our island brethren have commenced their own fellowship. They meet in quarters supplied by their employers. Prayer and Bible study meetings are held during the week, and the usual services on the Lord's Day. New Hebridean pastors, while working in industry, give leadership to this fellowship.

When the church in Noumea is constituted it will be part of the Conference of Churches of Christ in the New Hebrides. This could be the beginning of Churches of Christ in another land, and it is encouraging to observe that this work has been initiated entirely by New Hebrideans.

### *Witness in New Hebridean Towns:*

Vila: Pastor Samuel Vusi is serving in Vila, the capital of the New Hebrides, particularly amongst students at the Kawenu Teachers' College and the British Secondary School. He visits these centres regularly to lead the students in Bible Study and Christian fellowship. This is a vital ministry amongst these young people.

The Presbyterian Church in Vila has kindly made available the use of its building for Pastor Vusi to conduct services on Sunday afternoons. This meeting is attended by students and other Churches of Christ People who work in Vila. Churches are given free time on Radio Vila for Christian broadcasting, and Pastor Vusi conducts these programmes for Churches of Christ.

Several years ago land was purchased because of Government plans to establish a Vila, but this project has been delayed because of Government plans to establish a housing settlement for New Hebrideans.

It is proposed that we sell the land we now own in favour of securing land in the new housing area. During the Federal Secretary's visit to the New Hebrides, he was assured by Government officials that when plans for the new housing settlement are finalised, land will be made available for churches.

Luganville is the main town and port on Santo Island, and an increasing number of our people are going to Luganville for permanent or temporary employment. Our island brethren have been using an ex-American Army Quonset hut for the last 18 years as a chapel, but they have now practically paid for a plot of land on which they will build a new church.

The Campbell Edwards Foundation in N.S.W. has kindly donated \$2,000 towards the erection of the church building. There is a vital need to maintain a vigorous Christian witness in Luganville.

*Future Plans:* On receiving a report from the Federal Secretary on his recent visit to the New Hebrides, the Board has agreed that the following action be taken:

(1) We encourage the development of the work in towns of Vila, and Luganville (Santo) — (a) by sharing with our New Hebridean churches the establishment of a Christian Centre in Vila under the care of a New Hebridean pastor, (b) by locating a Missionary couple in Luganville to serve as co-workers with New Hebridean brethren in evangelism on Santo and adjacent islands, including Malekula. (On Malekula a leader of the Big Namba people has invited our New Hebridean brethren to send pastors to them. These people live in the interior of Malekula, and are reputed to be unfriendly and dangerous. They are amongst the few remaining tribes in the New Hebrides that have not yet accepted the gospel). The Missionary on Santo will also assist with Mission business.

(2) We encourage the Conference of Churches of Christ in the New Hebrides to develop the work in Noumea, not only in pastoral care of New Hebrideans employed in Noumea, but in evangelistic outreach amongst the indigenous people of New Caledonia.

(3) We advise our New Hebridean Brethren that we are prepared to assist financially the support of pastors to enable them to enter new areas with the gospel, if the support is not available in the New Hebrides.

**NEW GUINEA:** The following extracts from the Federal Secretary's report following his visit to New Guinea tell of the developments taking place:-

*Schrader Ranges Area:* "At Gokto in the Schrader Ranges, Bill and Janet Buli are pioneering on what is at present our most remote and isolated mission station. The people have given a large area of land to the mission and they are literally carving the mission out of the jungle. Their small home, made of bush materials, seemed to be sitting in the middle of a great sea of logs as dozens of huge trees had been cut down to establish the mission station. During my stay at Gokto I was full of admiration for the work Bill and Janet are doing. It takes courage and resourcefulness to pioneer in a place such as Gokto, but Bill and Janet have applied themselves well to the task. The cheerful way they go about their difficult work is an inspiration and encouragement to all.

"Janet is a trained nurse and is rendering a valuable ministry to the sick. Bill, despite the amount of work to be done to build the station, spends much of his time on evangelistic patrol work covering an extensive area in the Schrader Ranges. He is often away for a week or more, leaving Janet and their small child alone on the station.

"Bill Buli is reaching out into new areas for Christ. He is going to people who are waiting for the gospel, and who plead for it to be brought, and this challenge of the Schrader Ranges must be accepted by our mission.

"At Gokto I met representatives from numerous villages, some more than a day's walk away, who came with the earnest plea that missionaries be sent to them. Wherever I went in New Guinea, people came from far distant places with this same plea.

"We talk about the front-line of missionary endeavour, and this is certainly the case as far as Gokto is concerned."

*Keram River Area:* "We have two main centres in the Keram River area, Mui and Bunam. At Mui, August and Maeline Ben from the New Hebrides continue to render a most valuable ministry. They are loved by the people, and while as yet there have been no baptisms, I believe, because of the responsiveness of the people and the effective work being done by August and Maeline, we are going to see a large church established in this area.

"The airfield is being constructed on a magnificent site of level land at about two minutes walk from where August is building his new house. The site is about 2,400 feet long, about 100 feet wide, and has no trees at all on it, the only growth being Kunai grass. When this airfield is opened at Mui the isolation of this area will be removed.

"August covers an extensive area with evangelistic work, working along the tributaries of the Keram, and right across to Tamor on the Clay River. Maeline is kept busy with medical work, and this ministry is deeply appreciated by the people.

"From Bunam, evangelistic work extends along the Keram River villages and out into the grass country between the Keram and the Sepik. John and Joyce Bolton were the pioneers of this work, and were later joined by Jan Hunting and Rosalie Rofe. The Boltons are mainly responsible for the evangelistic outreach work. Jan Hunting is Medical Superintendent and is kept busy at the Bethesda Hospital and on extensive medical patrols.

"The Bethesda Hospital, built by the W.A. Work Party, is a very fine building, and we are indeed grateful to the Bethesda Hospital Board for providing the finance, and the W.A. Work Party for erecting the building. There are a number of leprosy patients in this area, and working amongst these people is an important aspect of medical work. The Leprosy Mission has provided \$2,000 for a Leper Ward.

"At Bunam, Miss Rosalie Rofe has commenced classes for pidgin English teachers. Coupled with this training, the men attend short courses in pastor training, given by Mr. Beale at Tumba. They are being trained to go back to their villages to work particularly amongst adults, as pastor-teachers. Training adults in Christian Leadership is essential, particularly in the Melanesian situation."

### *Ramu River Area:*

*Bunapas:* The main development at Bunapas in recent years has been the establishment of the Primary school. The schools at Tung, Pir and Asau have all closed down, and the children attend the one school at Bunapas. Most of the children board at the school. The school is well organized, and a high standard is being maintained by the teaching staff, Aileen Draney, Judy Simpson and Christopher Campbell.

There is an urgent need to have a missionary involved in full-time evangelistic work amongst the lower Ramu River churches, and the field is looking forward to the return of Robert and Rhonda Whan early 1972. They will locate at Asau and will be fully involved in evangelism.

*Tumba:* At Tumba, Mr. Beale has commenced short courses for pastors which are coupled, as stated, with the training given by Miss Rofe in Pidgin English teaching. Miss McAllister teaches a class of older boys, and village outreach work is conducted from Tumba to Ramu River villages and across to the nearer Keram River villages.

There is a strong church at Tumba, and these people are anxious to reach out with the gospel to other areas. Mr. Beale, as Chairman of the Field Council, is giving good leadership to the work.

*Chungribu:* Mr. Friebe and Misses Catts and Howden are involved in education work, and a school similar to the Bunapas School is conducted here. We have no single nursing sister at Chungribu at present, but indigenes (with the assistance of Mrs. Friebe when required) appear to be managing quite well.

It was encouraging at Chungribu to attend a Discipleship Class conducted by a man named Gombel. Previously Discipleship classes were conducted only by missionaries, but now some are being conducted by New Guineans. Gombel had received some pastor training with Mr. Beale.

*Future Plans:* Over the last three years there has been remarkable development of the work in New Guinea, with an entirely new area opening up along the Keram River, Schrader Ranges and the Grass Country.

In this area we are reaching people with the gospel of Jesus Christ for the first time. Villages are open to our missionaries. If we do not go to them, there is no other mission or witnessing churches in the area at the present time to reach them with the gospel.

On receiving the Federal Secretary's report, the Board agreed that the following action be taken:

(1) We advise the New Guinea Field Council that we are sympathetic concerning the need to establish a work at the town of Angoram on the Sepik River. At Angoram there is an urgent need for pastoral care for people from the Keram villages who claim to be members of Churches of Christ. There is also a need for evangelistic outreach in the town.

We request the New Guinea Field Council to advise what priority should be given to plans for the work in Angoram.

(2) We advise the New Guinea Field Council that we are prepared to establish a school in the Keram River area similar to schools at Chungribu and Bunapas. This school will not only meet a need of the people, but is essential for preparation of future church leaders — there are scores of children in this area, with no one to teach them. The Administration will provide financial assistance for staff salaries.

(3) We encourage the training of pastors and pidgin English teachers, who will serve amongst their own people.

(4) We consolidate the work commenced in the Keram and Schrader Ranges, and we use mainly New Guinean pastors and New Hebridean missionaries to reach out into the new areas where villages are imploring us to send workers to them. We indicate our willingness to provide financial support for New Guinea pastors.

(5) As there is a large group of people speaking the one language from Tumba on the Ramu across to the Keram River area, we approach the Wycliffe Bible Translators concerning the need for translation work in the Keram River area as well as Schrader Ranges. We note that many Churches of Christ young people are interested in serving with Wycliffe. As those serving with Wycliffe serve in areas of particular challenge to them, we advise any of our own young people, offering to serve with Wycliffe, of this particular need.

#### INDIA:

**Emergencies:** India has faced four major crises during 1971. There have been devastating floods in three of the Northern States, over 9 million refugees fled from East Pakistan into India, there has been famine in Southern and Central States, and finally war with Pakistan.

In our own mission area famine conditions have again prevailed. Various relief Agencies have enabled our missionary personnel to give practical help. A report from India advises that Relief Agencies such as OXFAM and Lutheran World Service are prepared to sink several hundred wells, 50 ft. deep by 20 ft. diameter in the Baramati area. This project will benefit thousands of people in the Baramati area.

**Medical Work:** The Dhond Hospital has continued to be self-supporting in spite of the famine conditions. The increase in patients, especially those able to pay for treatments, has made the continuation of self-support possible. At the same time the Hospital has maintained its care for those unable to pay. Another very pleasing aspect of the medical development has been the fact that the village medical trips are also now self-supporting. These are operated twice per week, on the same side of the Bhima River as the Hospital.

Miss Holstein is to take up village medical work in the Shrigonda area, and there is a possibility that OXFAM will provide her with a jeep. This work will be run in conjunction with the local Government doctor, and should prove a very real asset to the villages where many of our own Christians live.

**Education:** A further step in the handing over of some of our Education work, was taken during 1971. The large Baramati Primary school with all its staff was handed over to the Government body responsible for Education, in September. Negotiations are still in progress for a Government grant for the Middle School. Once this takes effect, subsidy for running expenses will be only for the Shrigonda Primary school. When the Government grant is finally received it will mean that there has been a reduction of over \$5,000 annual expenditure on education.

**Children's Homes:** The Children's Homes at Baramati, Shrigonda and Dhorja, continue to provide loving care for over 300 boys and girls. As a result of this work, many children are saved from premature death resulting from malnutrition. The children are provided with a good education and many, as a result of Christian witness, come to know Christ as their personal Saviour.

**Literature, Radio, Bible Correspondence:** These three aspects of widespread outreach of the Christian message continue to encourage and challenge. With the increasing availability of radio sets, more and more people are hearing the message of Salvation through Christ Jesus. These radio programmes lead on to an interest in both Christian Literature and Bible Correspondence, and during the year several have written to say that, after completing their Correspondence Course, they have accepted Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour.

**Future Plans:** While missionary staff has been reduced due to the restriction on the entry of missionaries, we are still committed to the task of evangelism in this needy land. Indian brethren are being trained to take over responsibilities from missionaries. The work our missionaries are now doing in India could be the most challenging in the history of the mission.

Mr. Waghmode recently wrote, "We are doing the spade work (concerning training for leadership in various departments) and we are trying to follow it up. While we are doing this and are trying to implement the change, we need your constant prayerful support."

Encouraging reports have come to hand from various areas in India of movements towards Christ by large groups of Hindus — this is the result of years of Christian witness. We pray that such a movement will take place in our own Conference area. The reduction of missionary personnel does not mean a reduction in our responsibility to the task of evangelism in India, and we as a Brotherhood must continue to accept this responsibility when Indian hands are at the helm. We should encourage our Indian brethren to go forward with renewed zeal in the task of evangelism.

**INDONESIA:** At the December meeting of the Overseas Mission Board, a statement was prepared outlining a way that the Board felt Churches of Christ could witness in Indonesia.

The statement was formulated following investigations which have taken place during the last three years concerning the possibility of our Brotherhood serving in Indonesia.

The Board felt that it could not consider possibilities of commencing work in Indonesia without taking into account our present commitments and opportunities on the fields where we are at present working.

The future plans for the New Hebrides, New Guinea and India recorded in this report are included in the statement.

The following is an extract from the statement prepared by the Overseas Mission Board concerning Indonesia:-

(a) It is a vast mission field where the people are warm-hearted and responsive to the gospel.

(b) Revival has taken place in various areas in Indonesia with amazing results. There was a general turning to religion following the abortive coup of 1965, when persons who could not claim to have a particular religion were in danger of being branded as communists. In turning to religion, thousands chose Christianity. There is a great need for Indonesians to be trained as Christian workers to serve amongst these people.

(c) It is not possible for us as Churches of Christ to establish a separate work in Indonesia. The Government policy is that a foreign missionary may only come into the country if invited by the Indonesian Church, and if he works under that church's direction. This means he must come into the existing church and work with it. The establishment of Churches of Christ Missions and Churches as in New Guinea is not permitted.

(d) The Christian church in Indonesia is basically Presbyterian (Dutch Reformed) with some splinter groups, together with a good proportion of Pentecostals, with a large number of splinter groups. As we must have sponsorship from existing Indonesian churches if we are to enter the land, then it can be generally stated that sponsorship must come from Pentecostal or Presbyterian Churches, or from Indonesian interdenominational corporations recognised by the Government and approved to sponsor missionaries, or directly through the Indonesian Council of Churches. The Leprosy Mission is also able to sponsor missionaries, but as with all sponsorship, they can only sponsor missionaries that will be serving with them, and under their direction.

(e) The Board recognises that we are faced with a complex situation as far as working directly with churches in Indonesia.

However we also note that there are churches in Indonesia who in their own search in theology are interested in what we believe as Churches of Christ and have indicated their willingness to explore possibilities of establishing a working relationship with our Brotherhood.

(f) We therefore feel, having — (i) Given careful consideration to present and future commitments on our existing fields; (ii) Considered the giving potential of the Brotherhood; (iii) Examined replies from State Executives to our proposal that we make a survey in depth in Indonesia; (At the Annual Meeting of the Overseas Mission Board held in March 1971, a proposal was made concerning making a survey in depth in Indonesia which may last from one to three years. The proposal as it stood was not accepted by the majority of State Executives, but suggestions and expressions of opinion concerning a future survey were submitted. The Board, after considering replies from State Executives, decided against proceeding with the

proposal made at the Annual Meeting in favour of action outlined in this report.) (iv) Studied the material resulting from our investigations concerning missionary opportunities in Indonesia with special regard to how Churches of Christ could serve in Indonesia; that we take the following action which will be reviewed after a period of twelve months:-

1. We serve the extension of Christ's Kingdom in Indonesia by supporting National Churches in their own evangelistic outreach. We feel that in our day when "missions" are becoming "churches", when missionaries with a sense of new urgency are trying to work themselves out of jobs and hand over responsibility to Nationals, our role must be more and more that of supporting Nationals to reach their own people with the gospel.

Western churches should realise that we are not the only custodians of the gospel. The cry of the so called "receiving churches" is, "We, too, are called to propagate the gospel."

We feel we should help particularly by providing scholarships to enable Indonesians to train for Christian leadership, either at our Bible Colleges, or Colleges in their own country.

2. We implement this project of assisting the churches in Indonesia to evangelise their own people by sending someone, preferably from our present mission staff or who has had previous missionary experience, to Indonesia. The time and length of the stay in Indonesia is yet to be determined. During the time this person is in Indonesia, a visit will be made either by the Board Secretary or Assistant Secretary, either going to or coming from the normal visit to India, to enable consultation to take place in Indonesia.

We urge the Brotherhood to give support to the above decisions related to our existing fields and Indonesia. It is not possible at this stage to say exactly how we will be able to assist Indonesian churches to reach their own people with the gospel. For this reason it is important that someone goes to Indonesia to assist us in determining whether we should assist one particular church, or general evangelistic programmes such as conducted by student team ministries, radio programmes, Bible correspondence, etc.

Federal Conference 1970 gave the Overseas Mission Board permission to serve in South East Asia by supporting Nationals to reach their own people with the gospel, and to follow up contacts that have been made with churches in Indonesia with a view to establishing a working relationship with them.

We believe that the proposed action by the Board concerning Indonesia is in complete agreement with the decisions made at Federal Conference. Finance specifically given for the work in Indonesia will be used to put into operation the above proposals.

It is difficult to assess the total cost involved in sending someone to Indonesia to advise us how we can implement this project. The cost structure will depend on such factors as whether a married couple is sent, length of stay and extent of the survey. However, the amount of approximately \$2,000 already in hand for Indonesia will be most helpful, and additional costs should not be a heavy drain on mission finances.

The Board feels the particular contribution we can make is to assist Indonesian churches in their own outreach programme of evangelism, particularly in training Indonesians for Christian leadership.

The Protestant Evangelical Church of Timor has a membership of 650,000 with less than 150 pastors. Similar situations are to be found in other areas in Indonesia, and this in itself speaks for the great need to train Indonesian pastors. We believe the Indonesians should evangelise Indonesians, but the Indonesian churches need assistance in their training programmes.

We believe that to assist the Indonesian churches in this way is contemporary missionary strategy. It is a wise use of stewardship, and it provides for the possibility of working within a fixed budget allocation.

This is how the Board feels we can best serve the work of God in Indonesia. We do not have all the answers concerning how we can put this into action. We believe it is essential that we send someone to Indonesia who will be able to make the necessary contacts and see how we can best implement this line of action.

It should be noted that our intentions do not go beyond this at this stage, and the proposal in no way commits the Brotherhood to a permanent work in Indonesia. When full details are known concerning on-going expenditure, and National Churches whom we feel we could assist, the matter will again be referred to State Conference Executives.

**MISSIONARY ORIENTATION CAMP:** The 1971 Missionary Orientation Camp was held at Longwood, South Australia. Missionary candidates and young people contemplating missionary service, spent a profitable week learning about our mission fields and conditions of missionary service.

**STATE ACTIVITIES:** The Committee, on behalf of the Brotherhood, thanks most sincerely those churches, individual members, local missionary committees, etc. who have supported special projects, made special gifts, held missionary demonstrations and rallies, received deputations by visiting missionaries, held regular prayer, or in any other way have furthered the Brotherhood's Overseas work. Mr. F. J. Stephenson has represented the Federal Board at meetings of the Division of Mission, Australian Council of Churches. During the year, special purpose gifts were made by a number of churches and individuals. The N.S.W. Brotherhood was requested by the Federal Board to accept \$28,000 as a target for the year, and the sum of \$34,227 was given for this part of the N.S.W. Churches' Christian work in this Conference year, and sent to Adelaide. The response of the N.S.W. Brotherhood to the Mission appeal is good reason to give thanks and these thanks, on behalf of the missionaries, are here expressed. They need our intelligent, informed prayers, also, to enable them to carry out their work properly.

To all who have helped the work of the Committee, thanks are expressed.

C. G. TAYLOR, Chairman  
C. A. SAXBY, Secretary

## DEPARTMENT OF HOME MISSIONS AND EVANGELISM REPORT

"But life is worth nothing unless I use it for doing the work assigned me by the Lord Jesus — the work of telling others the Good News about God's mighty kindness and love." Acts 20:24 L.L.

For the many involved in Home Missions this has been a very worthwhile year doing the work assigned us by the Lord Jesus.

**PERSONNEL:** The Committee consists of A.K. Wilson (Chairman), M.C. McArthur (Assoc. Secretary), R. Bartholomew, A. Bourne, C. Crago, C. Field, J. Hiron, R. Jones, C. Nutt, J. Ricketts, R. Smith, G. Steele, C. Tandy. The Committee has been assisted by the following: Mrs. A.K. Wilson, representative from Christian Women's Fellowship; K. Baker, Honorary Architect; R. Hewitt, Conference Secretary and K. Crawford, Director.

### THE FIELDS:

**Asquith:** (M. Condry). During the year it was agreed to subsidise Asquith. M. Condry accepted the ministry and will commence in February 1972. Subsidy — \$520.

**Belrose/Nth. Balgowlah:** (D. Norling). D. Norling commenced ministry in February 1971. There have been 2 additions by Faith and Baptism. Subsidy — \$1,381.

**Campbelltown:** (I. Bosham, J. Hiron). J. Hiron continues supporting ministry with student. The aim is to develop a church for full-time ministry at the end of 1972.

**Cardiff:** (R. Smith). Mr. & Mrs. R. Smith have accepted ministry at Cardiff beginning in February 1972. Mrs. Smith will work for three days each week to help support ministry. Subsidy — \$520.

**Carramar:** (W. Harrison). Mr. & Mrs. W. Harrison will begin ministry in February 1972. Mr. Harrison will work at factory two days per week to maintain support, this is to be reduced by one day each year. Subsidy — \$520.

**Dapto:** (J. Bacik). Membership at Dapto increased to 75 and Sunday School to 110. Mission with D. Nelson climaxed the year with 40 responses. Wollongong and Warrawong continue to subsidise the ministry of J. Bacik which concluded early in 1972. Mr. & Mrs. E. Holt will then commence ministry. Subsidy — \$208.

**Engadine:** (G. Warne). Membership increased to 49 with 3 additions by Faith and Baptism. Subsidy being underwritten by Caringbah, Bexley North, Belmore and Hurstville was reduced by a further one fifth during the year.

**Enmore:** (R. Dixon). In February Mr. & Mrs. R. Dixon will commence their ministry at Enmore. Objective will be to spread the Gospel to all national groups living in Sydney. This will require the installation of equipment for simultaneous translation.

**Liverpool West:** (O. Clarke). Mr. & Mrs. O. Clarke commenced their ministry in February 1971. There have been 7 additions by Faith and Baptism. Sunday School attendances average 90, and new Youth Club, 85. Subsidy — \$520.

**Loftus Park/Guildford:** (C. Crago). During the year there were 7 additions by Faith and Baptism. Mission is planned with J. Bond in February 1972. Subsidy — \$806.

**Mount Druitt:** (R. Smith). This church continues to grow despite lack of facilities. Membership increased from 35 to 70. Sunday School attendances rose to an average of 126. Development application has been approved and building should be completed during winter. Ministry is supported by Chatswood, Epping, Lane Cove, North Turramurra, Greenacre and Taree. H.M. Subsidy — \$520.

**Nelson Bay:** Meetings continue at Halifax Caravan Park.  
**North Haven/Port Macquarie:** (R. Greenhalgh). R. Greenhalgh continues to conduct meetings at North Haven, giving guidance in development of Port Macquarie and visiting members on mid-north coast.

**Nourua:** (R. Bennett). Membership has grown from 14 to 33. Bible School has attendance of 45. American churches and Wollongong are supporting ministry.

**Orange:** (R. Hawkins). Growth has been adversely affected by transfers out of Orange. During the year it was agreed to purchase Dutch Reform Church and Manse. It will be necessary to sell our existing manse to do this. Subsidy — \$520.

**Paddington:** (J. Timms). To assist in the re-development of the church at Paddington the past and present members were asked to underwrite full-time ministry. Mr. & Mrs. J. Tims commenced ministry in February 1972. It is planned to erect manse beside the church.

**Penrith:** (G. Towle). Church continues to develop slowly. The Mission with J. Bond is planned for April 1972. J. Gordon continues to assist as Deaconess. Subsidy — \$377.

**Seven Hills:** (B. Reid). There have been seven additions by Faith and Baptism. Increased support has enabled B. Reid to reduce days work to two per week. Subsidy — \$520.

**Tweed Heads:** (R. Acland, D. Paddon). Building was opened on 27th February 1971. Membership has grown from 22 to 46. R. Acland relinquished work on Doctor's advice and D. Paddon has accepted ministry and will work in outside employment for support. Subsidy — \$461.

#### EVANGELISM:

**J. Bond Missions:** These are planned for early 1972 and will be held at Guildford, Caringbah and Penrith.

**Des. Nelson Mission:** This was held at Dapto in November and resulted in forty responses.

**Eddy Gabbert:** During the year Eddy Gabbert and family arrived in Australia sponsored by "Revival Fires" and "Antioch Christian Church, Oklahoma City." He is available for Evangelistic Crusades, Soul-winning Workshop, Elders' and Deacons' Workshops. B. Armstrong is co-ordinating bookings.

**Training:** Training has been provided for local churches in Personal and Visitation Evangelism.

**Church Growth Conference:** This was held at Stanwell Tops in September. Approximately 250 ministers, elders, deacons and auxiliary leaders gathered to give consideration on how we could more effectively reach our communities for Christ.

**Other Activities:** During the year the Director also attended Home Mission Directors' Conference, L.I.F.E. Staff Training Conference, Newcastle District Convention, N.S.W. Ministers' Fraternal and represented our churches on the United Evangelistic Council of N.S.W.

#### FUTURE PLANS:

**New Churches:** The whole area of New South Wales is constantly under review with a view to establishing new Churches as required in strategic areas. To a large extent these are established where there will be a large influx of population or where we have several isolated families that can become the nucleus of a new Church.

**Evangelism:** We will continue to concentrate attention on the area of personal witness as we believe the greatest impact on the Brotherhood and the State of New South Wales can be made by training our total membership in the "how to" of sharing the claims of Christ and helping others to do the same.

#### FINANCE:

1. The year ended with an excess of income over expenditure of \$407 compared with \$38 for 1970.

2. Offerings received from Churches amounted to \$7,633 as compared with \$7,812 in 1970.

3. Subsidies for 1972 have been increased to \$6,331 to assist the Churches at Asquith, Cardiff and Carramar.

4. Sponsorship: The following amounts were contributed by sponsoring Churches direct to the Churches involved. *Engadine* — Caringbah \$796, Bexley North \$576, Hurstville \$560, Belmore \$468, Rockdale \$256. *Dapto* — Wollongong \$728, Warrawong \$510. *Mount Druitt* — Chatswood \$976, Epping \$1,020, Lane Cove \$250, North Turramurra \$468, Campbell Edwards \$500, Taree \$600, Green-

acre \$560. *Orange* — Wagga \$104, Tamworth \$760.

5. C.W.F.: We would like to express our appreciation to the ladies for their contribution of \$368.

6. Estate of L.M. Dickson: During the year \$6,292 was received from this Estate. We will ultimately receive over \$20,000. The capital will be lent to churches and any interest earned will be used to subsidise ministries.

#### GENERAL:

**League of 1000:** This year's call to members raised \$902 for Paddington. **Sponsorship:** Sponsors still continue to play a major part in the establishing of new Churches. In fact without sponsors no new Churches can be established. Each Church should help in the establishing of a new Church in line with the New Testament plan of outreach.

**Isolated Members:** C. Lawrence has continued to act as Superintendent for Isolated Members and maintains a comprehensive list from information supplied by Churches. The Messenger is forwarded to those Isolated Members interested in receiving news of the Brotherhood. C. Crago is revising lists.

**Management Training:** In November we provided two days Training for H.M. Ministers in the area of Management covering Planning, Organisation, Leading, Controlling. R. Hewitt and E. Peipman (L.I.F.E.) assisted by taking sessions.

**Stanwell Tops:** To assist in establishing this property we released the Director to act as Secretary to the Management Committee. In 1972 this time will be paid for and this has enabled us to subsidise two additional Churches.

**Associate Secretary:** M. McArthur has been a member of Home Missions for 22 years. For health reasons he retired from the Electricity Commission in October and offered to assist the committee on an honorary basis. He has been appointed Associate Secretary and will assume some of the duties at present being carried out by the Director.

**Appreciation:** We would like to express our appreciation to all who have helped during the year with prayer and by the giving of their time and finance. We are greatly encouraged by the number of Churches we are now able to help. As God enables we look forward to seeing many more won, built and sent for Christ in 1972.

A. WILSON, Chairman  
K. CRAWFORD, Director

## BIBLE COLLEGE REPORT

**BOARD OF MANAGEMENT:** M. H. A. Pieper (Chairman), A. G. Elliott (Principal), J. F. Morris (Secretary), D. Oliver (Treasurer), C. Bowser, G. Chapman, K. Farmer, H. Hayward, D. Mansell, N. H. Morris, P. H. Morton, G. Warne.

**FACULTY:** Principal A. G. Elliott, M.A., Ph.D., B.Sc., Dip.Ed., C. Bowser, B.A., Dip.Ed., R. Dixon, J. F. Morris, B.A., Dip.Ed., D. Nutt, B.A., D. Schofield, B.E., L.Th., Dip.R.E., Dip.Ed., C. G. Taylor, B.A.(Hons.).

#### STUDENTS:

**Fourth Year:** R. Aldred, M. Conry, D. Gurney, D. Hovey, P. Letherby, D. Mills, G. Small, R. Smith.

**Third Year:** R. Aitken, K. Bond, I. Borham, R. Drown, T. Kallmier, R. Ritchie, L. Wallace.

**Second Year:** Misses C. Burtenshaw, C. Denniss, Mrs. B. Drown, Messrs. W. Gibney, J. Horne, S. Kitto, N. Merrick, K. Rankin, L. Thom.

**First Year:** Misses D. Barlow, D. Frame, A. Whale, Messrs D. Bailey, R. Combridge, G. Cue, R. Ferguson, L. Haskey, D. Herbert, H. Heyligers, J. Morrow, B. Nichols, S. Rendell, L. Smith, S. Warwick.

**FACULTY AND STAFF:** We record our gratitude for another year of dedicated and scholarly service from Dr. Elliott and Mr. Chapman as the two full time faculty members. Dr. Elliott's illness, which disabled him for much of Third Term, placed an additional burden on Mr. Chapman in this his first year of service. We seek the Brotherhood's prayers as Dr. Elliott continues his recovery into 1972. In addition, the visiting lecturers have successfully contributed to the range and scope of subjects available to the students and this scheme will be continued in 1972. The Board received with regret the resignation of Mrs. Holt from the staff, effective in May 1972. Mrs. Holt has served faithfully and well at the College for a number of years.

**STUDENTS:** All the exit students of 1971 were placed in full time work. The allocation of student ministries presented a number of difficulties and the situation is not expected to improve in the near future because of the larger number of

students in the College and the financial strains on churches involved in their support. Because of the increased costs of College administration, the Board has had no alternative to raising the board paid by the students and thus the cost to the churches of student ministries. The Board's policy of "carrying" students unable to be placed or placed in churches unable to meet the full amounts due by paying to the student the full allowance, is seen as being the fairest to the students, but it represents a considerable drain on College finances. All of this is additional to the rising personal costs of living that affect the students as they affect us all.

The Board attempted at the end of 1971 to secure information from the churches that would enable the student placements for 1972 to be announced before the long vacation. This was not really successful as many churches have not finalised their plans so far ahead, and various other situations arise during this long period of vacation to make such announcements tentative at best. The Board will continue to examine this problem this year. The matter of the assessment of students' work in the churches is also receiving the Board's attention and ways of measuring this are being devised.

Meetings of the Student Executive with the Board during the year has improved the lines of communication between the students and the Board members and a number of issues have been discussed.

1972 will be the first year for the award of the P. E. Thomas Scholarship. This will be awarded to a worthy student entering second, third or fourth year.

In addition to their College subjects, a number of students are doing external University and Melbourne College of Divinity studies, and attending Scripture Teaching and Counselling courses.

Mrs. Elliott has continued this year to conduct the College C.W.F. attended by women students of the College and the wives of the married students.

**PROPERTY AND ADMINISTRATION:** As was indicated at last Conference, the Board has had architects' proposals drawn up for the long term development of the site in a series of stages. The plans for the long sought-for married accommodation of Stage I to be erected at Corlett Hall were submitted to Council. At the time of writing no official reply had been received but unofficially the architect was given to understand that the proposal had been rejected; whether in principle or just on a technicality is not yet known. Meanwhile the accommodation problem at the College is as great as ever.

There has been a steady stream of smaller additions and improvements to the College premises and facilities: renovations to toilet facilities, repairs to fencing, additional accommodation in what was the kitchen at Corlett Hall (courtesy Department of Mens' Work), a student common room, a duplicator, a new lawnmower, chapel heating (gift from the students), and a new refrigerator/freezer (gift from the C.W.F.). A steady programme of maintenance and repair work is also being carried out.

**FINANCE:** College finances have reached a significant point at the conclusion of this year with accumulated funds recording a net decrease of \$784.00.

The deficit in House Maintenance is attributed to a decrease in the number of students paying board coupled with an increase in domestic salaries and general running costs.

Receipts from churches for student ministries have reached an all time high. This initial advantage has, however, been more than offset by the additional responsibility for faculty and student salaries. In fact, a sizeable deficit has been avoided only by the bequest of \$3,406.00 from the Estate of G. L. Adlington.

A critical examination of the accounts for the past 3-4 years shows that bequests totalling approximately \$20,000.00 have averted the need for a heavy drain on capital reserves. In effect, the college has been able to maintain its present financial position solely because of these bequests.

I say that the position is now significant in that this is the first year a deficit has been recorded in all accounts, for a number of years. This comes at a time when plans are in hand for the construction of married student quarters and the added costs of repaying interest and principal will place a further strain on the finances.

A donation towards the married quarters of \$1,000, has been received from the Winter Trust, and we look forward to continued support for this much needed project.

The Board expresses its thanks to all that have generously supported the College during 1971.

**APPRECIATION AND GENERAL:** The generosity and helpfulness of those mentioned above is gratefully acknowledged. In addition the C.W.F. College Committee's work for Open Day and Graduation continues to be much appreciated. Much appreciated, too, are the many gestures of help and encouragement coming from ministers, church office boards and church members

for the students serving their churches during the year.

The College work this year gives every indication of being difficult. The Board sees these anticipated difficulties as a challenge to trust God and search out His Will for this work. To meet such a challenge, the Board seeks the prayer support and co-operation of the Brotherhood that this vital work might always be done to our Lord's glory and the enlargement of His Kingdom.

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		Year commenced	Faith/baptism	Transfers	Baptised Bel.	Restorations	Deaths	Transfers	Revision/roll	Increase	Decrease	Active membership	Suppl.	Isolated	Morning service	Communi-cants	Ev. Service	Prayer Meet.	Total Income	Brotherhood Income	
Albury/Lav./Wod.	1927	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	85	45	28	75	63	25	20	6808	92	
Asquith	1927	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	112	15	13	63	54	55	9	n/a	n/a	
Auburn District	1908	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	76	27	3	53	55	44	12	9354	720	
Austral	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	28	2	3	25	20	20	6	7284	192	
Bangalow	1906	14	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	147	40	17	140	125	90	25	12581	4456	
Belmore	1943	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	30	10	5	35	35	18	6	3732	537	
Belrose/Nth. Balg.	1918	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	99	78	1	71	60	61	30	16000	1834	
Beverly Hills	1931	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	101	7	4	69	80	78	30	10572	1765	
Bexley North	1945	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	50	18	1	52	41	33	12	5874	889	
Bowral	1921	14	16	4	4	5	15	10	1	1	1	126	61	10	110	99	86	25	17190	6926	
Burwood	1962	11	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	50	17	2	50	48	30	8	2750	147	
Campbelltown	1902	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	25	4	2	28	21	32	10	5246	579	
Canley Heights	1954	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	124	28	14	110	91	78	26	14313	n/a	
Cardiff	1947	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	49	39	6	40	38	23	6	3512	2690	
Carlingbah	1937	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	57	6	2	63	58	37	12	6212	949	
Carramar	1963	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	162	80	40	120	120	55	10	18997	7052	
Charlestown	1914	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	62	13	3	35	50	50	25	8124	n/a	
Chatswood	1968	19	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	127	7	3	96	70	73	20	7635	1315	
Dapto	1938	11	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	38	6	1	4	40	28	6	4367	1110	
Doonside	1938	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	44	1	4	41	35	46	11	5879	291	
Earlwood	1964	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	20	1	10	6	4	—	n/a	n/a	
Engadine	1852	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Enmore	1923	3	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	191	21	1	174	140	103	33	25020	7127	
Epping	1934	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	55	6	1	44	40	44	8	5904	300	
Fairfield	1940	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	70	5	1	70	65	35	8	7172	2192	
Georgetown	1914	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	10	1	33	33	12	4490	432		
Gilgandra	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	39	1	1	45	30	40	10	n/a	n/a	
Goonellabah *	1923	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	22	8	1	18	18	15	10	2560	242	
Granville *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Granville Sth.	1968	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	106	1	1	74	77	78	25	8515	1109	
Greenacre	1923	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	78	5	11	75	68	34	10	9685	471	
Hamilton	1954	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	28	4	1	26	26	25	4	1904	339	
Holroyd	1906	11	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	87	15	22	73	74	78	na	6933	826	
Hornsby	1907	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	120	51	4	90	81	52	20	9500	2200	
Hurstville	1905	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	83	28	15	67	65	50	20	5970	448	
Inverell	1907	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	62	10	16	71	66	36	8	8690	2260	
Kingsford	1927	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	23	2	1	15	15	6	6	n/a	234	
Kurri Kurri	1922	1	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	100	13	12	85	55	25	80	8238	1753	
Lane Cove	1883	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	25	22	4	21	11	7	2485	508	
Lidcombe	1884	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	53	12	4	46	60	70	40	15	n/a	n/a
Lismore	1963	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	51	26	7	50	45	66	15	4525	n/a	
Liverpool West	1917	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	3	47	59	37	12	7200	558	
Loftus Pk/Guildford	1932	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	14	1	1	14	14	10	4	3044	113	
Manly	1893	8	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	108	9	5	97	91	84	21	10155	2226	
Marrickville	1937	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	82	30	13	72	66	60	12	7633	1139	
Mayfield	1908	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	40	34	16	33	32	28	6	4900	440	
Mosman	1969	14	10	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	55	5	60	47	53	17	2233	—		
Mt. Druitt	1957	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	45	12	3	55	43	30	10	5060	384	
Murwillumbah	1957	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	42	6	9	45	33	34	9	4009	696	
Narrabeena	1932	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	38	12	5	27	27	25	12	7000	1800	
North Parramatta	1905	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	48	5	39	42	65	18	6595	331		
North Sydney	1965	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	103	5	8	84	67	44	—	13200	1201	
North Turramurra	1970	6	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	24	2	9	38	28	23	32	2293	n/a	
Nowra	1969	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	2	1	13	10	10	5	500	150	
Nelson Bay	1968	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	20	1	38	25	23	5	1325	n/a	
Orange	1893	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	16	11	9	14	14	16	6	1525	376	
Paddington	1953	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	83	11	8	101	76	75	20	14500	1000	
Padstow	1938	4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	59	25	1	60	45	39	8	n/a	n/a	
Pendle Hill	1948	2	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	77	6	2	55	44	45	8	n/a	n/a	
Penrith	1931	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	46	12	3	43	40	37	8	4988	242	
Penshurst	1887	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	91	16	14	82	78	51	12	8615	2270	
Rockdale	1890	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	49	5	33	32	29	8	4873	737		
Seven Hills	1851	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	11	10	10	10	11	—	621	111	
Sydney (City Temp)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	11	11	—	—	218	70	
Sydney (Chinese)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sydney (Slavic) *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Tamworth	1954	20	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	92	41	20	74	66	68	15	5398	1010	
Taree	1863	1	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	135	48	43	75	90	60	15	9500	2130	
Telopea	1961	6	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	88	19	3	88	70	67	70	7852	1195	
Tempe	1928	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	29	4	5	25	25	30	10	2398	219	
Tweed Hds./C'gatta	1968	1	23	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	33	13	9	52	41	22	6	2121	85	
Wagga/Koorlingal	—	7	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	91	18	9	95	80	66	23	9640	3012	
Warrawong	1950	—	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	43	6	1	43	40	37	8	4763	808	
Wentworth Falls	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	1	1	18	18	—	—	n/a	n/a	
Wingham	1888	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	10	19	19	6	—	—	1400	75	
Wollongong	1941	17	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	331	70	16	152	202	156	52	23900	4750	
Wyoming	1951	2	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	62	28	21	56	48	45	6	6492	1345	
Yugoslav (Belmore)	1971	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	14	14	800	500	
Yugoslav	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

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At the 37th Annual General Conference of United Hospital Auxiliaries of New South Wales the following resolution was passed:

THAT all appropriate authorities be approached and requested to with-hold all news of every serious accident until the next of kin have been notified and the names can be released.

A great deal of discussion took place about this Resolution, and also about the means of most effectively implementing it.

Instances were given of distress being experienced by relatives, next of kin and others following first news of accidents by Radio in the Press and on Television. Several times each day in radio news bulletins and "News Flashes" fatal or serious accidents are described and all too frequently end with 'names will not be released until next of kin are contacted.' And in the meantime, every one listening who has a relative likely to be on that road at that time is anxious. To estimate the number of truck drivers, commercial representatives, transport workers, and holiday makers who could be within reasonable distance of a publicised accident at any given time would be difficult, but the measure of distress caused to relatives and friends is great.

'Next of kin' is the spouse in the case of married people and the parent in the case of single people. How many parents of a married son or daughter hear first of such an accident by radio.. or how many fiances?

Two serious instances come to mind....

Recently a Country Broadcasting station (part of a network) described rather vividly a fatal accident in the area. The victim was mentioned thus 'It is thought the driver, fatally injured, comes from..... and his surname is believed to be.....'

Later when the name was released it was quite different and the victim came from another State.

A second case...and this one is seen rather too often.....is the publishing of a photograph of a badly smashed vehicle, with details of the accident and injuries and the usual line about next of kin AND the number plate of the car completely exposed and readable!

It is realised that the Media does not regard items as newsworthy unless they are immediate.....'Hot News'....but surely some compassion and humanity must enter this.

Elderly people, probably the most anxiety prone, listen to radio a great deal are caused distress by this frequent and sensationally presented reporting.

Whilst it is admitted that we cannot be protected from all anxiety and distress, and there are times when reports of accidents must be given for public safety - a report of an accident to a fuel carrier which may endanger residents or travellers, serious hold-ups on various roads, or other accidents which could cause further injury, it was strongly felt by Delegates at Conference that some action should be taken to modify these announcements.