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The meeting was opened by prayer given by Jack Cliff.

The minutes of the May meeting were approved as previously distributed.

In the absence of Bill Self, treasurer, Dr. Fred Clark, Finance Chairman, gave the treasurer's report, a copy being attached to these minutes.

Mr. Hubbard, pastor, and Dr. Hammond, lay representative to the Annual Conference, were attending Conference at Fayetteville.

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Susan Thistlethwaite introduced the new Duke Divinity School Intern, Sher Sweet. She also announced that a brochure was in the mail to members outlining the year's activities in Religious Education. Discussion was had concerning the decrease in Church School attendance in all churches, and concern for our own problem in this area. Susan had, for her own information, worked up a table showing the trends and figures in Church School attendance for the past twenty years. Copies of this are to be shown to the Board next meeting and figures of the monthly Church School attendance given at Board meetings.

Laney Funderburk announced that Bob Cox was re-elected President of the Methodist Men for the coming year. Also, announced no new developments concerning the property to the rear of our church.

Bob Weynand, Policies and Procedures Commission, said each Commission or Committee chairman had been asked to write a brief summary of the duties or aims of their committee for inclusion in the handbook. He urged these to be gotten in to him promptly.

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