MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSION ON FINANCE AND STEWARDSHIP EDUCATION

October 23,1957

A regular meeting of the Commission on Finance and Stewardship Education was held in the Dining Room of the Church at 6:30 P.M. on Wednesday, October 23,1957, and was conducted by Dr. John Glasson, Chairman.

Member present were:

Mrs A. H. Borland
E. C. Brooks, Jr
Chas H. Chewning
J. H. Coman
W.T. Coman
E. W. Dunham
Dr. John Glasson
Thomas Goad

C. J. Jones
C. E. Jordan
Mrs W. A. Kale
Rev. V. E. Queen
R. B. Reade
E. C. Shoaf
Marshall Spears, Sr.
R. C. White

REPORT OF SUB-COMMITTEE (On Contributions)

Reporting on behalf of the Committee to Increase Church Collections, Mr C. J. Jones stated that his sub-committee had gone through all committment cards recently handed by official board members. After a careful screening of those cards, a list had been tabulated showing actual payments made last year, total pledges made this year, and a suggested increase from those who were considered financially able to make such an increase. He further stated that it would require a considerable length of time to go through the entire church roster and tabulate a similar list from the membership at large. After full discussion as to the best method of increasing income to offset budgeted expenses, Mr. Brooks, through motion, proposed that Judge Spears go before the Official Board on its next regular meeting, and be prepared to state, in his diplomatic manner, the gravity of the situation. In addition, Mr. Brooks suggested that a serious attempt be made to stimulate an increase in committments not only from the membership at large, but from Official Board members as well. This motion, duly seconded by Mrs Borland, was unanimously adopted by those present.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, it was, upon motion, adjourned.

Chairman

Secretary