

Churches of Christ ———

Soldiers' Help Society ———

Minute Book

"The church that serves today will have  
the respect & support of the men when  
they return" Welf.

Nov. 1914 - 1940.

Minutes of Meeting held in Ann St Church  
2.30pm on Nov. 19th 1920.

The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs Wendorf. Most suburban churches were represented.

The Conf. President (Mrs Allen Brooke) was in the chair and outlined the reason for calling this special meeting:-

SCHEME. We the Women's Auxiliary Conference had received a letter from General Executive asking us to organise & carry out a scheme that would help the soldiers thro our chaplains. After satisfactory discussion Mrs Sterling moved & Mrs Burden Sec. that we form an organization to cover this need. Unanimously carried.

OFFICERS  
&  
COMMITTEE

Officers elected were :- President, Mrs Wendorf; Treasurer, Mrs Lade, Secy. Mrs Brooke. Together with 2 representatives from each church & including three brethren from General Executive :- Bro Wendorf (President)



Bro Burden (S. Service) & Bro Melhuus  
(Chaplain)

ECHO.

Mrs Brooke read a proposed letter for insertion in next "Echo"  
This was approved. It was also agreed to seek space in the "Echo" for reports and publicity.

NAME.

It was agreed to call ourselves "Churches of Christ Soldiers Help Society" and as a slogan we use S. O. S. (Serve our Soldiers)

GOODS.

It was decided to write all churches in Queensland soliciting donations in money or suitable goods such as:- Razor blades, soap, nuts, sweets, chew gum, housewives, Tan boot polish, Cake (fruit) dried fruits & woollen comforts, handkerchiefs, face washers, toilet requisites. To be addressed to Secy. An sheet to be the depo and Mrs Burden offered a large case in which to store the goods. All country churches to appoint 1 or 2 representatives

Next Mtg. Dec 12th 1 Pm at L. W. ~~W.~~  
Mrs Brooke closed in prayer. 1944 *Residing*



## Minutes of Meeting held Dec. 12th 1940.

Meeting opened by President who led in prayer for the work overseas.

MINUTES.

Minutes of previous meeting read & received.

DEPOT

It was decided to alter the receiving depot to Mrs Brooke's home, 72 Elizabeth St Rainworth because of frequent nonattendance at the Church.

LETTERS

~~Some church representatives present~~ Secretary reported having sent out 33 letters to church secretaries. no replies had been received.

Some church representatives present reported on the matter

REPORTS

Mrs Greenwood said Annesley were willing to begin next year & requested the sec. to visit & explain.

Mrs More & Mrs Tesmer were representing Moorooka and were eager to help.

Mrs Greenwood reported that Sunnybank were whole heartedly



behind the scheme & Mrs Harlen would represent them

REPORTS.

Mrs Kolmar represented Kedron <sup>who</sup> and hoped to do what they could.

Mrs Judman & Mrs Harg are representing Albion. Secy paid them a visit & explained scheme.

Ann St is represented by those in office and reports that their Guild is now working thro this the Soldiers Help Society.

Other churches gathered information and will report later.

REASONS

Treasurer reported in hand - 10¢ had been paid towards Secy's expenses.

It was decided to buy wool from fund and distribute to any willing to knit.

Wool.

It was also decided to send the goods now in hand together with razor blades

GOODS



and other small articles. £1 was allotted for this.

Mrs Herman donated £1 to the funds.

Collections.

It was agreed that representatives bring any donations from their churches to these meetings. £2-15-0 was received by the Treasurer.

Meeting closed with prayer by the President.

PRESIDENT.

A L Windsor

DATE.

Apr 13<sup>th</sup> 1941

Received 6 scarves from Kedron Girls Club and 3 prs Sox from Albion. 6 prs Sox from Ann St.



Minutes of Meeting held Feby. 13th 1941 @ 1.20 pm

Meeting opened with prayer by President  
Minutes were read and confirmed.

Correspondence: Letter from Publicity Office  
of 'Echo' advising that they would grant us  
1/2 column @ 3/- per issue. It was decided  
to use the space when necessary. A  
report to go in before conference. Letter  
from Toowomba sisters promising help  
in the New Year.

Secretary reported having sent 2 parcels  
abroad. That 5 replies had been received  
from 33 churches. Instructions available  
for soldier's stockings necessary in future.  
Wool on hand for distribution. That  
Bro Clyde Handy offered a picture evening  
in aid of the funds. We agreed to  
accept his offer and fixed the date for  
March 8th at 8pm. Mrs Janger offered  
to print 200 tickets to be sold at 4/- each.  
The Treasurer's report showed a  
balance of 18/-.

Mrs Payne reported that 10 folk at  
Kedron had promised 4/- per month.

and 10¢. was handed to the treasurer  
Mrs Sterling presented 3 dog tubes tooth  
paste from an effort at Albion.

It was agreed to purchase more  
wool for those willing to knit.

A very optimistic meeting  
closed at 1:55 p.

President - A. L. Wendorf.

Date. March 18<sup>th</sup> 1941



Minutes Meeting held March 13th 1941

MINUTES Meeting opened with prayer by President.  
Minutes previous meeting read and received.

CORRESPONDENCE. Letters received from Nanango, Gympie, Bundaberg, Wynnun, all reporting representatives. St. received from the Woowoomba sisters thro Mrs Gray.

Echo. Secretary reported having sent in a short report to the "Echo".

That we anticipated a profitable Picture evening on 15th.

Ann St had given 15 pairs sock, 1 mit, 1 Knepads, 1 Balaklava + 2 pullovers + 30p. cash.

That wool had been purchased & distributed for soc.

No parcels had been sent because of Padre's movements.

A.C.F. That A.C.F. reported - tinned goods, sweets, shirts, athletic singlets, handkerchiefs & long stockings were suitable gifts for troops in Middle East.



CHURCH  
 REPORTS.  
 ALBION Albion presented 32 tins specially prepared chocolate as from the Girls' Club and 4 boxes (24 dogfish) Chewing Gum. and 1 pr soc.

ANN. ST.  
 KEDRON  
 SBANK Previously reported (see report)  
 Mrs Payne paid 14/- from Sisters.  
 Decided not to help the S.H.S. as they were all in the A.C.F.  
 No other reports of work done.  
 Mrs Castin of Kedron knitted a nice scarf.

Meeting closed 1.55p.

A L Winstanley President  
 8/5/41 Date.



Minutes of Special Mtg. held April 17th.

This business was discussed at a special executive meeting in order to act speedily with Canteen orders and Projector.

1. It was resolved to donate £6 from the funds towards the Projector. Mrs Lade offered to loan the balance in order to get the projector away immediately.
2. It was also agreed to give £2 for Canteen orders to be sent at once. (Mrs Saunders made this amount up to £3).

A L Windsor President  
15/4/41. Dali.



Minutes of Meeting held May 8th 1941.

MINUTES.

CORRESPONDENCE

TREASURER.

SECRETARY.

Meeting opened with pray by President.  
Previous minutes read & confirmed.

Two letters received, 1 from Mackay, and one from Bundaberg.

Treasurer's statement revealed a balance on hand £12.10.0. The treasurer said that the projector fund had been over-subscribed by 6/-: Moved to send £6/1/- to Mrs. B.

The Secretary reported that:-

1. Four parcels sent to Mr Brooke on March 21st - postage 6/9.
2. Wool had been purchased.
3. £3 worth Canteen orders sent by air.
4. Picture evening brought £4. into funds.
5. Projector had been forwarded through A.C.F. It cost £20/13/6. £11 of this was privately donated.
6. Bio Methuen in Papua. In touch with him re comforts.
7. Some knitted goods received with no identification. Some size too small.
8. Two pairs stockings, 2 Balabavas, 1 scarf had been received.

Minutes of Meeting May 8th 1941. Bond.

SECRETARY  
CONTD.

9. Cable from Mr Brooke advises parcels received. 26th April.
10. Sec. willing visit churches in interests S.H.S.
11. Gundaberg sent £4/4/-.

MOTION. RE  
EXECUTIVE.

It was moved that the President, Secty, & Treas. be given power to act in an emergency between meetings.

GOODS & CASH  
RECEIVED.

From Albion: Donations 12/-  
2 prs socks, 1 mittens, 1 scarf, 2 Balaklavas made & donated from Grls' Club. Albion  
4/- ticket money from Boondall.  
Kedron per Mrs Payne 16/-  
Ann St 1 pr Socks, 1 pr Stockings  
Wynnam 10/- face washers.  
Ann St £4/13/6. Mrs Newman 3 pr  
Soc. 1 Gaiters, 1 Knee pads.

A L Wendall President  
Date



## Minutes of Meeting held June 12th 1961

The Meeting was opened with Prayer by Mrs Wendorf.

MINUTES

Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

CORRESPOND.

Letter received from S. A. Sister's Auxiliary enclosing £2/2/. This was gratefully received.

TREASURER.

The treasurer's statement revealed a balance of £7.4.1.

SEC. REPORT

The secretary reported: 1 Having sent parcels containing woollens, abroad. 2 Advice received from Padre Methuen that parcels are too expensive to land. Best to send cash. 3 All parcels <sup>sent</sup> sent to Padre Brooke have been received and gratefully acknowledged. 4 Having written to Federal Sec. re the Fed. Executive helping in the S.H.S. work, urging them to put it on a Commonwealth basis. 5 Having put a special appeal in next "Echo".

PADRE METHUEN

It was agreed to send £2 to Padre Methuen.

It was urged upon the committee

to organise efforts to further help raise our funds. Sec. offered visit churches with souvenirs. Wynnum and Moorooka to take advantage of this.

It was suggested churches do as Kedron is doing, i.e. collecting 1/- month from interested members. Kedron handed 18/- to be treasurer and Spurch 2/-, the result of an afternoon effort - we thank Mrs Machin & her helpers. Received 2 pairs socks, 1 pair stockings from Ann St.

Meeting closed with prayer.

President A L Wendorf  
date July 10<sup>th</sup> 1941



Minutes of Meeting held July 10th 1951.

Meeting opened with prayer by the President.

Correspondence

Resignation from Mrs Lade as Treasurer was received with regret. Agreed that a letter of thanks be sent Mrs Lade for her services as Treasurer to the S.H.S.

Minutes.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and received.

Report.

Secretary was unavoidably absent. The report read as follows: Padre Brooke advises parcels received and comforts distributed especially to needy men from Crete. No report from Bro Methuen. £5 having been sent to Bro Brooke for needy comforts. Sec. visited Moorooka during month & secured several 1/2 month promises.

Books.

It was desired that books & magazines be collected for the bhermside camp

TREASURY.

We have £4.7.4 in hand: Received from Albion £2: Kedron 18/-: Moorooka 7/-: Albion 4 prs socks: Kedron 1 pr: Moorooka 1 pr: Stones Corner, 1 pr.

It was agreed to ask the Secretary to  
act as Treasurer until such time  
as such could be appointed.

Meeting closed with prayer.

A. L. Winstanley President

Date. Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> 1941



## Minutes of Meeting held Aug 7th 1961.

Meeting opened by prayer

MINUTES

Minutes of previous meeting were read & confirmed.

TREASURER

It was moved and seconded that the Secretary accept the position of Treasurer, thus combining the two offices.

REPORT.

Secretary reported having sent wool to Ipswich and Rosewood. Having received 5/- from Towsonham and 2 Scarps from Mrs Hener, Rosewood. Having purchased wool (£1).

and visited Annery on 24th July of present, but since then Miss Puce has been appointed Collector and she reports encouragement.

We have £6.11.0 in hand.

It was decided to wait Padre Brooke's return before deciding where to send goods.

PADRE Miles.

Bro E. J. Miles of Cottisloe. W. A has been appointed Chaplain on a Hospital Ship and we agreed to send him

a gift of £3 for comforts work. This motion was moved by Mrs Saunders & Sec. by Mrs Arnold.

DARWIN.

Considerable discussion was aroused by a letter read from a doctor in Victoria concerning welfare work among troops in Darwin. So many are making efforts to protect the lads from drink and suggestions were made concerning games & fruit for their welfare. Some of our women thought we should help, but we are bound by a minute to help overseas troops & until this is rescinded nothing could be done from the S.H.S. Mrs Wendorf suggested we send several cases of fruit to the address given. It ~~was~~ would be a splendid idea if the Victorian Auxiliaries took up this matter as they are doing nothing as a body for Overseas troops. Also Sec. of the S.H.S. I have sought the help of all States to join us in our work



but they prefer to work alone for their  
Home Service chaplains.

Cash received - Loowoomba 5/-, Mrs Roberts  
Ann St 2/-, Miss Price, Annerley 1/-, Mrs  
Payne, Keston 10/-, Mrs More, Moorooka 4/-,  
Mrs Lujan, Albion 2/6, Mr Steckelbruch  
Ann St 2/. Sale of coat hangers 5/6 -  
Total £2.17.0.

A L Wendorf President

Date Sept 15<sup>th</sup> 1941

Minutes of Meeting held Sept. 18th 1941

The meeting opened with prayer by the President.

Representatives from Ann St, Albion, Annerley, Wynnum, & Ipswich, were present.

MINUTES

The minutes of previous meeting were read & confirmed

TREASURER

Treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of £12.13.2.

REPORT.

Secretary reported receiving goods from Wynnum, Annerley, Ann St, Albion, Ipswich and £1.6.4 from Rosewood.

Six cases of fruit were sent to Darwin & Mrs Hermann paid freight etc amounting to £1.3.9. This was a donation.

PADRE BROOKE  
on C/tee.

It was agreed that now Padre Brooke was home from overseas, he become a member of the Committee replacing Padre Methven who has been away for some time in New Guinea.

It was also agreed that the Secretary secure a Rubber Stamp for correspondence in connection with the S.H.S.



FUTURE Policy.

Padre Brooke was welcomed to the meeting and brought before us a suggested policy for future work of the Society as under :-

1. To help Queensland Churches of Christ boys & Padres in the fighting services overseas and at Darwin, especially those of the A.I. & overseas.
2. To help Ald. b. of b. boys by sending occasional canteen orders (Christmas & Birthday presents were suggested for a beginning).
3. To help Ald. b of b. Padres in their Welfare work by sending <sup>(a)</sup> cash remittances and <sup>(b)</sup> Canteen orders of small denominations for distribution to C. of C. boys.
4. To help both boys & Padres by sending parcels of goods donated to the Society.

This policy was unanimously endorsed.

FUTURE  
Policy.

It was resolved:-

1. That names, addresses or birth days of all Old. C of C boys overseas be requested immediately from the churches.
2. That the offer of Padre Brooks to correspond with these boys and forward Canteen orders be accepted.
3. That help rendered through the Padres be for welfare work only, and not for equipment.
4. That whilst gladly accepting woollens for despatch the Society no longer supply wool.
5. That in view of our policy, combined with the fact that the Hospital ship on which Padre Miles of W. Aust is serving, is well supplied with comforts, we rescind the previous motion authorising a gift of £3 and instead that we make £5 available to the C. of C. Padre shortly to proceed overseas from Old.

at L. Winstanley President Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 1941



Minutes of Meeting held Oct. 9th. 1941.

The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs Wendorf. Representatives were present from all of the churches. Apologies from Mrs Payne & Mrs Saunders.

Minutes.

The minutes of previous meeting were read & confirmed.

Correspondence from Gynpie and Rosevale stating they were unable to co-operate because of present help being given in their churches to A.I.F.

Report.

Secretary reported having secured copies of the Policy. - 2 purchasing a rubber stamp, 3 written 11 letters  
4. no Old. padre had yet been appointed to go abroad. 5 that we had £11.19.11 in hand, urging further names, addresses & birthdays of lads so as to send off Canteen orders for Xmas.

Monies received. Alban 30/-, Moorooka 16/-

Mrs Finch 2/-; Miss Laub 5/-;

Meeting closed in prayer.

A L Wendorf President - Date. Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1941

Minutes of meeting held Nov. 13th 1941

The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs Wendorf.

Apologies were received from Mrs Berlin & Mrs Smith.

MINUTES.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.

REPORT.

The Secretary reported that Padre J. O. Methuen had gone overseas to replace Padre A. Brooks. That 5/- Canteen orders had been sent to 28 men abroad in A. I. 2 & R.A.F. & 4 postal notes for 5/- to men in navy. A letter to a prisoner of war in Germany.

Introductory letters had been duplicated & will serve for 6 months to new men going out. It was urged that names of these men be sent in as soon as possible upon the embarkation.

Treas.

The Treasurers statement revealed a balance of £ 3/18/9. £5 had been given to Padre Methuen as previously arranged. Cash received :- Mrs Lade 5/-; Annerley 8/-; Rockhempton 13/6; Bindaberg 7/1/-; Rosewood 10/6; Tara, Mrs Sharp & Mr Barrett £1; Albion £1; Moorooka 1/-



Kedron \$1/14/-; Mrs Bolman 2/-; Annerly 9/-;  
 Mrs Machin 5/-; Mrs Henrichsen 5/-; total  
 \$7/14/- :

Mrs Burden suggested we do what we  
 can in entertaining soldiers & airmen  
 in camps who come from Country  
 churches or from other states. The  
 meeting approved of this and Secretary  
 is willing to arrange this if names  
 are forthcoming.

Meeting closed with prayer.

President:

Jean. Mc Westwood.

12/12/41

Minutes of meeting held Dec. 11th 1941

In the absence of the President thro sickness Mrs Westwood took the chair and opened the meeting with Prayer.

The minutes were read and Confirmed Secretary read extracts from 16 overseas letters received from our boys in the various forces. All expressed gratitude at receiving cheery letters & St. Carben order being remembered by their Church in this way.

Secretary reported that 21 homes had been sent in & all <sup>now</sup> had been written to. It was moved that in reply to these letters we attach a St. Carben Order as a further gesture of interest in our church men abroad.

The monies received were:- Am St. 4/- (Mrs. Baker)  
Kedron 14/-; Albion £2/16; Ipswich £4/10/-  
Balance in hand is now £9-12-11.

Meeting closed with prayer.

A. J. Munday President

12th Dec 1941



Minutes of meeting held Feb'y 12th 1942

The president, Mrs Wendorf opened the meeting at 1:45 pm.

Minutes of previous meeting were read & confirmed.

It was decided that owing to a special Intercessory service being held in Ann St each Thurs. from 1:15p - 2:45p our meeting would follow on from that time and any special business could be brought forward in the Auxiliary meeting.

It was decided that owing to so few birthday dates being submitted we send letters & canten orders to all our boys when funds permit.

Sec. reported this was being done this week as an Easter gift.

Many letters of appreciation have been received from overseas and everyone is grateful for church remembrance.

Several new names were handed

in and cash received as follows:-  
Kearon 38/-; Urynum 5/-; Albion 26/-;  
Annerley 18/-; Moorooka 2/-;  
Ann St 20/-; Mrs Tomer 5/-; Mrs Ham 1/-  
Mrs Westwood 2/- Total £5.17.0.  
The balance in hand amounts to £14.18.10.

President A L Wendarf  
May 7<sup>th</sup> 1942 Date



Minutes of Meeting held May 7th 1942.

The President, Mrs Windoff opened with prayer after which minutes were read & confirmed. Treasurer's statement showed a balance of £21.5.6.

Sec. reported having sent 55 Banteen Orders & letters prior to Easter. Many had received these. There were 64 names ~~to~~ on the list, some militia at various battle stations. It was resolved

to include these lads in Banteen Orders for 5p. with A.I.F. abroad and in Australia. It was also moved & seconded that we include U.S.A. church men in our list of C/orders.

The Sec. appealed for small jars suitable for ointments etc for 112th A.G.H., also old linen.

Meeting closed 2pm.

A L. Windoff President  
July 30<sup>th</sup> Date 1942.

# Minutes of Special Meeting held on Ann <sup>d</sup> 30/7/42

- PURPOSE** The meeting opened with prayer by the President who was in the chair. The meeting was called to receive reports & to discuss the work in general.
- MINUTES.** Minutes were read dated May 7th, and confirmed.
- FINANCES** The financial statement revealed that £56:11:9 had been received from 10 churches since January. Much of this had been expended on Canteen orders in March & May & the balance to date £23:11:0. This statement was unanimously accepted.
- SEC. REPORT.** The secretary reported a musical afternoon held by the Annesley Sisters brought in £2/2/-, and a picture evening by Mr. G. Handy ~~at~~ Albion-Kedron in the Albion Hall £2:7:6. Systematic subscriptions are received from 8 churches. Mr. Harry Payne handed £1:0:6 being money he found & could not trace the owner.
- JARS. BOTTLES & LINEN. There had been a good response for



empty jars, & old linen, <sup>or medicine bottles</sup> for the 112th A. G. H.  
 Above are always needed.

Inquiries were made concerning letters  
 to Prisoners in Japanese hands. These  
 can only be sent by next of kin at  
 present.

It was moved & seconded that a letter  
 of appreciation be sent to Mr. C. Handy  
 for his effort at Albion-Kedron.

After much thought and some ex-  
 planation the meeting unanimously  
 voted to the effect that the amount  
 of £5.10.6 given towards the Projector in  
 1941 be a gift and that the Projector  
 now becomes Padre Brooke's personal  
 property. (Personal friends from various  
 States provided  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the <sup>full</sup> amount, £20.10.0 & the  
 S.H.S. contributed £5.10.6). The Sec.  
 offered to use the Projector at any church  
 needing a program for S.H.S. funds.

It was resolved to send £2 each  
 to Padre Methven & Brooke for small  
 expenses entailed in helping needy  
 soldiers.



ECHO.

It was moved & seconded that the Secretary send a report of the Society to the Echo for August issue.

U.S.A.

A motion in the previous minutes regarding Corders to U.S.A. soldiers was discussed <sup>at present</sup> & all felt we could not help them financially because of an ever increasing number of our own men, but that we do all we can to offer hospitality when the opportunity offers.

CARD  
ROLL.

The Committee made a perusal of the roll and each man's card received attention. Some had 3 C.orders & had not replied and we decided to wait a little longer for their reply. Many men had been prompt in recognizing the gift, & letters.

Those present were: Mesdame, Wendorf, Judjian, Hag, Berlin, Toward, Boston, Machin, Miss Price; Miss Lobegerger & Mrs Brooke Secy.

The meeting closed with prayer.

£6/8/0 was received.

Date Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 1942 A. L. Kendrick President



Minutes of Meeting held in Ann St 5 Nov 1942

The President Mrs Wendorf opened the meeting with prayer.

The Treasurer's Statement revealed a Credit Balance of £ 9. 13. 7½.

Monies handed in since Sept 30th £ 14. 11. 6. & is as follows. Annerley 8/- Ann St 13. 0.

Spawick £ 1. 11. 0 Rosewood £ 1. 16. 0. Kedron £ 2. 11. 0

Stones Crn 10/- Albion £ 3. 0. 6. Mrs Hack 10/-

Spawick £ 1. 10. 0 Rosevale £ 1. Wynnum 5/- Mrs

Wendorf 5/- Mrs Stekelbruck 12/- Total in hand £ 24. 5. 1½.

As Mrs Brooke was leaving for Melbourne it was necessary that a new financial secretary be elected. Mrs Brooke moved & Mrs Coward see that Mrs Machin be nominated to the position. (Carried unan.)

The President then spoke on the wonderful work that the secretary had done since the inception of the P. H. S. On behalf of the P. H. S. members Mrs Wendorf presented Mrs Brooke with a book. The meeting closed with prayer.

Date Dec 1st 1942  
E. Wendorf President



Minutes of Meeting held in Ann St Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 1942.

The President Mrs Wendorf opened the meeting with a prayer.

Minutes of previous meeting were read Mrs Baig moved & Mrs Judgian seconded they be accepted.

The Treasurers statement revealed a credit balance £24.10.6.

It was agreed that boys serving in Australia & New Guinea receive a 5/-<sup>3/4</sup> Banteen Order for Xmas, when funds were available boys overseas would be sent their issue of Banteen Orders.

Mrs Judgian kindly forwarded £2 from Albion being for Jan, this was a big help towards Banteen Orders for boys.

It was agreed that Padre McEhuen, Tesige & Boettcher, each receive £1.10.0 if funds would allow towards Xmas cheer in their welfare work.

Monies received in cash, Mrs Judgian £6.6

Mrs Judgian £2. Stones Corner 1/3. Hedra £10.0

Ann St £1.3.0. Ipswich £1.19.0. Rosvale £1

Monies received £9.8.7.



Total Amount now in hand £33.19.10 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

The meeting was then closed

At 4<sup>00</sup> 1943 Pate A. L. Wender President.

1943.

Minutes of Meeting held in Aunpt Feb 4<sup>th</sup>.

The President Mrs Wendorf opened the meeting with a prayer.

Minutes of previous meeting were read & were confirmed by

Treasurer's statement showed a balance £33.19.10<sup>2</sup>. for December. Since then 109 Women had received canteen Orders & the Navy men postal notes all to the value of 5/- each. A letter had been enclosed with each man's C. Order written by Chaplain Leslie. Many boys had received their letter & C/O had written in appreciation of what the S. H. S. had done for them.

Altogether (£33.19.4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>) £33.19.4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> had been spent. in canteen Orders etc included in this amount was £1 each for Chaplain Leslie, Boettcher & Mother.

Moved by Mrs Berlin sec by Mrs Burnham that the S. H. S. meeting be held every month in with the Auxiliary meeting, so as to try &



create an interest amongst all the sisters.

Moved by Mrs Ludgiam & see Mrs Jackson that boys of the Civil Constructional Corps, be included with the boys of the fighting forces & to receive Cherry letters & a Canteen Order at Xmas so as to keep in contact with these boys.

The meeting closed with prayer.

Monies received at this meeting

Kedron £1.9.0 Armerley 16/- Colburn 10/-  
Wynnum 5/- Stone Corner 13/- Since then  
Rosewood had sent in 6/- amount £1.6.0.

East Ipswich £2.15.0. Total. £8.

The Balance in hand now amounts to £5.15.9.

Date. March 4<sup>th</sup> President A. J. W. W. W.