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of

THE MONMOUTHSHIRE ENGLISH BAPTIST

ASSOCIATION

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- Resolutions, reports, printed pamphlets and c1944 1966 11 other papers regarding suggested alterations of the Constitution of the Association and of the Baptist Union, a proposed union with other Baptist Associations and the ecumenical movement in general. (15 items)
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 - 18 Correspondence with local authorities, the Ministry of Works and solicitors, planning applications, bills, receipts and other papers regarding the use of an ex-prisoner-of-war camp on Rock Farm, Penhow as a Youth Conference Centre (23 items)
 - 19 Letters from local authorities, solicitors 1948 1952 and the Baptist Insurance Co. Ltd., planning application, draft agreement and insurance policies regarding the Youth Conference Centre attached to Bethany Baptist Church, Llanvaches (25 items)
 - 20 Correspondence with the Baptist Union, 1960 planning applications and other papers regarding the change of use of the Baptist Manse, Penyvan to a Youth Conference Centre (19 items)

- 1940 1942 Papers regarding the dispute in Commercial D. 2270.1.21 St. Baptist Church, Newport consisting of draft letters from the Church Secretary to the offending members informing them of their proposed exclusion from the Church Fellowship, draft agenda for a special Church meeting to discuss the same and copy case for the advice of legal counsel on the legality of the Church's attempt to appoint the Baptist Union as sole trustee of the Church in place of the existing local trustees, two of whom are involved in the dispute with the Church body (7 items found with D. 2270.2.1)
 - Resolutions of the Association Assembly, 1944 1966 agenda, letters from the Secretary of the Free Church Federal Council and the Archbishop of Wales, reduced copy of the Baptist Times dated 21 Apr. 1966, delegates tickets to the Triennial Assemblies of English Baptist Associations of Monmouthshire, West Wales and East Glamorganshire of 1950 and 1960 and newspaper cuttings of stories on Baptist Ministers (14 items found with D. 2270.1.1)
 - 23 Miscellaneous letters, newspaper obituary 1958 1966 on the late Mr. Caleb Griffiths of Greyhill, accounts of the Association for 1962 and rough notes (8 items found with D. 2270.1.2)
 - 24 Photograph of unidentified group of 1933
 Ministers and laymen (Association Executive Council?)
 - 25 Our Baptist Heritage and Commission, Lessons n.d. for Seniors, issued by the Baptist Union Young People's Department
 - 26 W. J. Rowland, Roman Catholics and their Schools, Can their Claims be Justified?

 (Free Church Federal Council Education Committee)
 - 27 The Ministry of Healing, Notes for Discussion n.d. (c.1960)
 - The Betting and Gaming Act 1960 (brief guide produced by the Churches' Council on (c.1960) Gambling)

MONMOUTHSHIRE BAPTIST LAY PREACHERS UNION (PONTYPOOL DISTRICT)

D. 2270.2.1	Monmouthshire Baptist Lay Preachers' Union (Pontypool District), minutes (vol.)	1934	- 1942
2	Draft Preachers' Plans for the Pontypool District of the Monmouthshire Baptist Lay Preachers' Union (10 items found with D. 2270.2.1)	1935	- 1939
3	Miscellaneous copy letters from the Secretary of the Union, circular letter advertising the Annual Meeting of the Monmouthshire English Baptist Association of 1941 and list of "Books Recommended by Revd. E. W. Price. Evans M. A." (4 items found with D. 2270.2.1)		1941
4	Constitution and Rules of the Monmouthshire Baptist Lay Preachers' Union (printed pamphlet found with D. 2270.2.1)	-10	1931
5	Rules of the Lay Preachers' Federation of the Monmouthshire English Baptist Association (typescript fol. found with D. 2270.2.1)	(c	n.d. :-1958)