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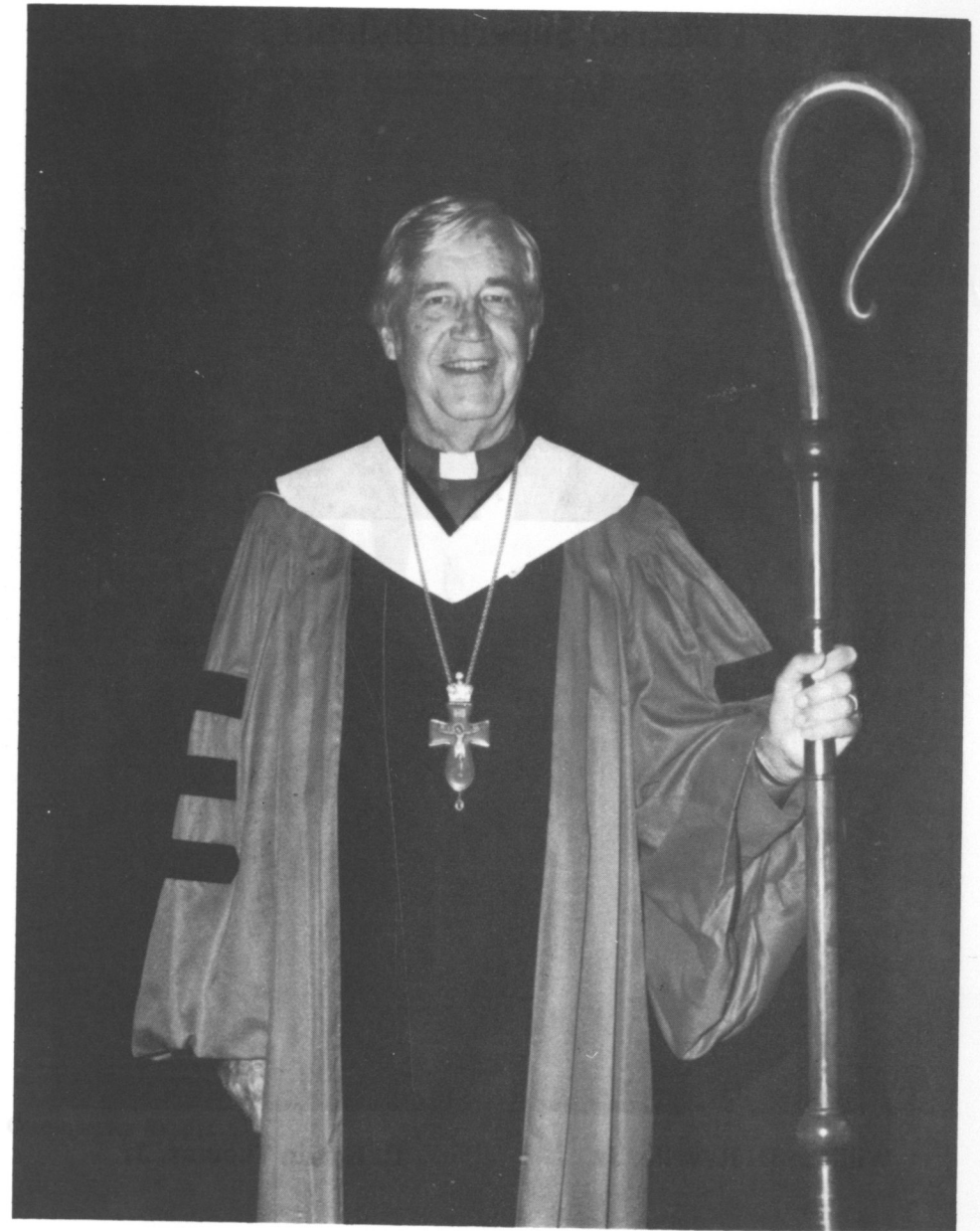
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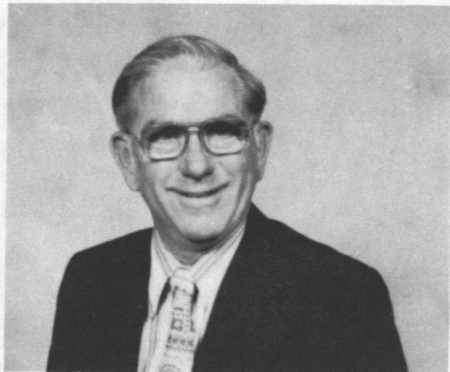
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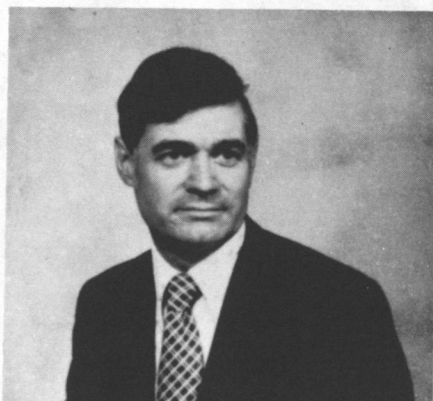
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III. Boards, Divisions, Commissions & Committees

Dates indicate when elected.

Rules and Guidelines for the Conference Nominating Committee to be found at the close of this section followed by the Directory of Laymen serving. (Those listed in the left-hand column are women, those in the center column are men, and those in the right-hand column are clergy.)

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 Secretary: Gladys Giddons

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Mrs. Joseph Small (73)	J. Ronald Owens (75)

Term Expires 1978

Edgar Pyle (76)	Roy B. Phillips (76)
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Term Expires 1979

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	John W. Ringgold (76)

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 Salisbury: Oris Horsey (76)
 Wilmington: J. Robert Ashton (76)

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 Easton: Mary Leager (76)
 Salisbury: Robin Hardin (76), Anthony Rolley (76)
 Wilmington: Krystal Leigh Thomas (76), Howard E. Anderson, III (76)

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 Easton: Elva Townsend (76), James Simmons (76)
 Salisbury: Mary Waller (76), Gene Cray (76)
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Vice-President:

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Kendall K. McCabe (72)

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Albert J. Dredde (68)
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Elected to serve until 1978

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Calvin C. Byrd (72)
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Richard D. Bailey
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Elected to serve until 1979

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 Secretary: Rev. William Fitzhugh
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Mrs. Meredith Warren (76)	Joseph W. Soltow (72)	James W. Riley (74)

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XVII. Committee On Disability

Board of Ministry (2)
 Board of Pensions (2)
 Cabinet Representatives

XVIII. Committee On Ministerial Benefits

2 Members - Council on Finance & Administration
 2 Members - Board of Pensions
 1 District Superintendent - Edwin C. Thomas

XIX. Conference Committees

A. Annual Conference Arrangements

Ex-Officio: The Resident Bishop
 Host District Superintendent: David W. Baker
 Secretary of the Conference: Clifford A. Armour, Jr.
 Conference Lay Leader: James C. Hardcastle
 President Wesley College: Dr. William W. Hassler
 Host District Lay Leader: Oris Horsey
 Chairman: Commission on Worship: Rev. Glenn P. Catley, Jr.
 Host District United Methodist Women President: Mrs. Marian Ward

Conference Council Director: R. Jervis Cooke
 Conference United Methodist Women President: Mrs. R. Jervis Cooke

B. Episcopal Residence

Thomas C. Roe (72)	G. Wayne Cuff (72)
W. Leon Taylor (72)	John A. Irwin (72)

C. Equitable Salary

President: Joseph Bostick
 Vice President: Carrol Scott
 Secretary: Mrs. Cora N. Selby
 Cabinet Representative: David W. Baker

Ms. Hazel Hearn (76)	Albert Briggs (72)	Joseph C. Bostick (72)
Mrs. Cora N. Selby (72)	J. Thomas Ober (72)	Claude Brown (76)
Mrs. Gloria Taylor (76)	C. Harland Pyle (72)	James Doughten (76)
		Earl Magill (76)
		Carrol Scott (76)
		Charles E. Strickler (72)

D. Investigation

Appointed Annually by the Bishop

Member

Edward B. Blevins (72)
 Ewart C. Hackshaw (73)
 Perry O. Hill (72)
 William H. Owens (72)
 Ira D. Steckman (73)

Reserve Member

G. Wayne Cuff (76)
 Robert L. Harris (76)
 Clarence H. Hayes (73)
 Thomas Hurley (76)
 Daniel Rich (76)

E. Nominations

Ex-Officio: The Cabinet
 Conference Lay Leader: James C. Hardcastle

District Laity

Dover: L. Orme Meade (76), Katherine Prettyman (76)
 Easton: Elva Townsend (76), James Simmons (76)
 Salisbury: Mary Waller (76), Gene Cray (76)
 Wilmington District: Jeanean Thomas (76),
 George Baxter (76)

District Ministers

George C. Godfrey
 Howard Ketterman
 William T. Archer
 Edward Gladden

Representative Selected by UMW Exec. Committee - Mrs. R. Jervis Cooke

District Presidents of the United Methodist Women

District Youth -

Dover: Cathy Tingle (76), Tim Larrimore (76)
 Easton: Mary Leager (76)
 Salisbury: Robin Hardin (76), Anthony Rolley (76)
 Wilmington: Krystal Leigh Thomas (76), Howard E. Anderson III (76)

Conference Council Director - R. Jervis Cooke

Chairperson: Cabinet Chairperson
Secretary: Conference Lay Leader

XX. Council On Finance And Administration

President: Rev. Otho G. Brewer
Vice President: Mrs. Lida Wells
Secretary: Walter H. Beckwith

Mrs. Nancy Harris (75)	Jack Elliott (72)	Walter H. Beckwith (72)
Mrs. Josephine Merrill (76)	Robert Powrie (76)	Otho G. Brewer, Jr. (76)
Mrs. Lida Wells (72)	James E. Thomas (74)	C. E. Lasbury (76)
		Paul E. McCoy (76)

Ex-Officio: (without vote) 4 District Superintendents
Conference Treasurer: Edward J. Steiner
Council on Ministries Director: R. Jervis Cooke

PROPERTY COMMITTEE

Thomas S. Lodge Otho G. Brewer

DOVER DISTRICT

Rev. Wm. H. Revelle, Jr.
Mrs. Nancy Harris
James Baxter
Mrs. Katherine Prettyman

EASTON DISTRICT

Rev. Felton E. May
James E. Thomas
Mrs. Delia Spencer

SALISBURY DISTRICT

Rev. David W. Baker
Jack Elliott
Maurice Hancock
Mrs. Marianna Holloway

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Rev. Edwin C. Thomas, Jr.
Dr. Milton H. Wahl
Mr. Robert Powrie
Mrs. Wm. A. Wallerton (Dorothy)

STAFF PARSONAGES

DOVER DISTRICT

Rev. R. Jervis Cooke
Rev. Nathaniel L. Miller
Rev. J. Gordon Stapleton

The parsonage resident is a member of the district parsonage committee only as it relates to his or her parsonage.

EASTON DISTRICT

Rev. John W. Simpser, Jr.
Rev. Walter H. Stone

Theodore W. Briggs

Ex-Officio Members
President: Conference Board of Trustees
Conference Business Manager

XXI. Council On Ministries

President: Robert P. Whitlock
Vice President: Gilbert S. Scarborough, Jr.
Secretary: Virginia Clendaniel

At Large Members

Thelma Alford (72)	Kermit Cottman (72)	George C. Godfrey (76)
Mrs. Marian Ellis (76)	Gil Scarborough (72)	Thomas C. Short (72)
Mrs. Betty Powell (76)	Jack Sparks (76)	William M. Staten (72)
		Robert O. Wallace (76)

Ex-Officio - with vote

Resident Bishop: James K. Mathews

District Superintendents:

David W. Baker
Felton E. May
William H. Revelle, Jr.
Edwin C. Thomas, Jr.

Conference Secretary: Clifford A. Armour, Jr.

Board of Church & Society

Doris Phillips Benjamin Waters F. David Weber

Board of Discipleship

Virginia Clendaniel W. Leon Taylor Gary L. Moore

Board of Global Ministries

Dorothy Townsend Orme Meade Donzel Clayton Wildey

Board of Higher Education & Ministry

Carol Wilkins Norwood Purnell John T. Randolph

Comm. on Religion & Race

Lowan Pitts

Comm. on Status & Role of Women

Comm. on Archives & History

Rev. Gerald A. Foster

Conference Lay Leader: James Hardcastle

Assoc. Conf. Lay Life & Work: Francis Waegel

Conf. Pres. Methodist Men: Ralph O'Day

District Lay Leader-Dover: Richard Lort

District Lay Leader-Easton: Francis Turpin
 District Lay Leader-Salisbury: Oris W. Horsey
 District Lay Leader-Wilm.: Robert Ashton

Conf. Pres. United Meth. Women:
 Mary Frances Cooke

Dist. Pres. United Meth. Women
 Dover: Clara Boss
 Easton: Lillian Liener
 Salisbury: Marian Ward
 Wilmington: Alice Powrie

	Lay Men	
Board of Ministry		
Board of Pensions	Calvin Webster	
Board of Trustees		
Comm. on Equitable Salaries		
Pen. Homes and Hospitals		
Wesley College Trustees		
Youth Council		
Youth Council		
College - Wesley Foundation	Timothy Duffield	
General Council on Ministries		
Coordinator for Children -		
Coordinator for Youth		
Coordinator for Adult -		
Coordinator for Family		

Clergy
 John Irwin

 Terry Armstrong
 Joseph Bostick
 William Hemphill
 Robert P. Whitlock

*R. Jervis Cooke

K. Richard Varell

John W. Ringgold

Otho G. Brewer, Jr.

David Riffe

Donald E. Leiter

James Young

R. Jervis Cooke
 J. Gordon Stapleton
 Nathaniel L. Miller
 Richard D. Bailey
 Walter H. Stone
 John W. Siphers, Jr.

Bruce E. Cooke

Chairperson Hunger Task Force

*Vote relinquished while in staff position.

Chairperson - Camps & Retreat Centers
 Chairperson - Communication
 Chairperson - Research and Planning

Harold M. Davis
 Glenn P. Catley, Jr.
 Gilbert S. Scarborough, Jr.

XXII. Delmarva Ecumenical Agency

Mrs. Cleo Henry (72)
 President of United Methodist Women -
 Mrs. Mary Frances Cooke

Cabinet Representative -
 Chairperson of Ecumenical
 & Interreligious
 Concerns -
 Howell O. Wilkins
 Council on Ministries
 Director - R. Jervis Cooke

XXIII. Commission On Status And Role Of Women

Mary Cuff (76) Thomas Welch (76)
 Pam Harris (76)
 Susan Kester (76)
 Anne Hill (76)
 Nancy Osgood (76)
 Lucille Scott (76)
 Olivia Wimbrow (76)

Donald Hurst (76)
 Hester R. Opher (76)
 Fred C. Seyfert (76)

Representative U.M. Women

XXIV. District Committees

DOVER

(1) Board of Church Location and Building

Lay Members

Charles M. Gee (1975)
 Walton H. Simpson (1970)
 Guy Winebrenner (1974)

Ministers

William H. Hudson (1973)
 John A. Irwin (1972)
 David G. Paul (1973)

(2) Committee on the Ministry

John E. French (1970)
 Charles M. Moyer (1970)
 John T. Randolph (1974)
 Ira D. Steckman (1974)
 Robert P. Whitlock (1970)

(3) Board of the Laity

Lay Leader: Richard Lort (1975)
 Associate Lay Leaders: James Marvel, Leroy Connors, Lester F. Johnson, Robert David,
 William Slatcher, Fred G. Cephas, Emerson Holloway

Director of Lay Life & Work: James Evans
 Director of Methodist Men: Charles Lurwick
 Director of Lay Speaking: Thomas McDougall
 Ministerial Members: George C. Godfrey, Edward H. Jackson

(4) Council on Ministries

Work Area Chairmen:

Ecum. & Interreligious Concerns: Kendall K. McCabe
 Education: Michael L. Price (1974)
 Evangelism: Gerald A. Foster
 Health and Welfare: John W. Van Tine (1975)
 Missions: William M. Fitzhugh, Jr. (1975)
 Church and Society: Ivon P. Downing (1975)
 Stewardship: Robert L. Harris (1974)
 Worship: Earl L. Magill
 Career Planning & Counseling: K. Wayne Grier (1975)

Age Level Coordinators:

Children:

Youth: Michael L. Price
 Adult:
 Family: William M. Staten

District United Methodist Women President: Mrs. Clara Boss

District Director of Public Relations: Glenn P. Catley, Jr.

EASTON

(1) Board of Church Location and Building

Lay Members

Carl Plummer (1971)
 Leon Taylor (1971)
 Calvin Webster (1972)

(2) Committee on the Ministry

Ministers

Phillip A. Henry (1976)
 William H. Owens (1972)
 Charles Donophan

Donald Hamilton (1976)
 Charles Huffman (1975)
 Everett C. Isaacs (1972)
 Dan E. Walker (1974)
 Edward R. Wilkins (1976)

(3) Board of the Laity

Lay Leader: J. Francis Turpin (1974)

Associate Lay Leaders:

James B. Clements (1972)
 Richard E. Cook (1972)
 George H. Cooper, Jr. (1972)
 Webster Dorsey (1976)
 Simms Jacquette (1972)
 Clarence Johnson (1973)
 Leon Lewis (1972)
 Warren Linton (76)

William J. Marshall (72)
 Richard D. McNonee (74)
 Irvin E. Murray (72)
 Harold Richardson (71)
 Joseph Soltow (71)
 W. Leon Taylor (72)
 James E. Thomas (74)
 Clinton E. W. White (72)

District Director of Lay Life and Work: Richard D. McNonee
 District Director of Methodist Men: James M. Simmons (1976)
 District Director of Lay Speaking: C. C. Chilcutt (1976)
 Conference Director of Lay Speaking: Joseph Soltow (76)

(4) Council on Ministries

Work Area Chairmen:

Ecumenical and Interreligious Affairs: William Owens (1976)
 Education: Charles Huffman (1976)
 Evangelism: Roland Dennis (1976)
 Missions: Edward E. Kester (1974)
 Church and Society: Donald Hamilton (1975)
 Stewardship: Howard Ketterman, Sr. (1972)
 Worship: Terry Armstrong (1972)
 Career Planning & Counseling: Roy D. Phillips
 Health & Welfare: Haig Medgarentz (1976)

Age Group Coordinators:

Children: Mrs. G. Ray Breeding (1971)
 Youth: Gary Tulak (1975)
 Adult: William Pittman
 Family: Dan E. Walker (1975)

District United Methodist Women President: Mrs. Lillian Liener (Josef)

District Director of Public Relations: Norman Poultney

President of Ministerial Association -
 Ministers: Howard Ketterman
 Spouses: Mrs. Lawrence (Olivia) Wimbrow

SALISBURY

(1) Church Building and Location

Lay Members

Woodrow Smallwood (73)
 Robert Taylor (73)
 Otho Waters (75)

Ministers

Joseph Bostick (75)
 Thomas Wall (73)
 Haswell Young (75)

(2) Committee on Ministry

William T. Archer, Jr. (76)
 Bruce E. Cooke (76)
 Howard L. Gordy, Jr. (75)
 W. Hayward Greene (75)
 Howell O. Wilkins

(3) Board of Laity

District Lay Leader: Oris Horsey (76)

Associate Lay Leaders:

Somerset County

Eugene Burkett (76)

Elmer Lane, Jr. (76)

Wicomico County

Iva Mae Gravenor (76)
Lillian Anderson (76)Gene Cray (76)
Vincent Waller (76)

Worcester County

Sarah Jarmon (76)

Virginia Harmon (76)

Director of Lay Life & Work: Robert Taylor (76)
 Director of Lay Speaking: James Fox (76)
 Director of Methodist Men: John Layton (76)
 Director of Stewardship & Finance: John Howie (76)
 President of United Methodist Women: Marian Ward (75)
 Ministerial Member: J. Ronald Owens (76)

(4) Council on Ministries

Work Area Chairperson

Church and Society: Curtis Smith (76)
 Ecumenical & Interreligious Concerns: Howell O. Wilkins (76)
 Education: Vaughn Johnson (76)
 Evangelism: Brooks E. Reynolds (76)
 Health and Welfare: Edward C. Goodley (73)
 Stewardship:
 Worship: Gary L. Moore (76)
 Religion and Race: W. Hayward Greene (76)
 Career Planning & Counseling: Norman Telghman (76)
 Missions: J. Ronald Owens

Age Level Coordinators

Children: Jeanette Armour (74)
 Youth: D. Gail Cooke (76)
 Adult:
 Family: William & Caroline Kniceley

Others

Board of Diaconal Ministry: June Bostick (76)
 Board of Ordained Ministry: Howard L. Gordy, Jr. (76)
 Board of Ministry-District: William T. Archer, Jr. (76)

Presidents of Ministerial Associations
 Ministers: William T. Archer, Jr. (76)
 Ministers Mates: Dorothy Wilkins (75)

Public Relations: Gary L. Moore (75)

WILMINGTON

(1) Board of Church Location and Building
Lay MembersDana J. Pyle (1972)
Joseph Redding (1972)

Ministers

C. Edwin Lasbury (1973)
Arley Golden (1974)
James Young (1976)

(2) Committee on the Ministry

Jonathan Baker (1976)
Charles Barton (1976)
G. Wayne Cuff (1976)
Harold Owens (1973)
Frank Tulak (1974)

(3) Board of the Laity

District Lay Leader: J. Robert Ashton (1976)
 Associate Lay Leaders: Richard Comly, James McFall, William Ball, Fletcher
 Condit, Arlington O. Miller, Arthur Gamsby, Norman Collins
 Director of Lay Life and Work: Francis Waegel
 Director of Lay Speaking: Donald E. Alford
 Ministerial Member: Edward Gladden

(4) Council on Ministries

Work Area Chairperson

Church and Society: F. David Weber (1973)
 Ecumenical Affairs: Ronald Bergman (1976)
 Education: Robert Thomas (1976)
 Evangelism: Donald Hurst (1976)
 Health and Welfare: Willard Robinson (1976)
 Stewardship:
 Worship: Kenneth G. Fansler (1975)

Age Level Coordinators

Children: Jeannetta Benedict (1976)
 Youth: Jonathan E. Baker (1976)
 Adult:
 Family: Tom P. Donnachie, III

District United Methodist Women President: Mrs. Alice Powrie (Robert)

XXV. General And Jurisdictional Board Members

General Council on Ministries: R. Jervis Cooke
 General Board of Discipleship: Mrs. Cora Selby
 General Board of Global Ministries: J. Wallace Watson
 General Board of Publications: John R. Shockley
 Northeastern Jurisdictional Committee on Program and Arrangements: J. Gordon
 Stapleton
 Northeastern Jurisdictional Committee on Boundaries: Ralph O'Day
 National Council of Churches: Mrs. Cleo Henry

**RULES AND GUIDELINES FOR
THE CONFERENCE NOMINATING COMMITTEE**

A.

1. That the Peninsula Conference again record its faith in the Principle of Rotation and adherence to the provisions of the Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church.

2. That the Nominating Committee be composed of the Cabinet, the Conference Lay Leader, the Lay Leader of each District, a representative selected by the United Methodist Women Executive Committee, the District Presidents of the United Methodist Women, a youth selected by the Conference Youth Council, one minister under appointment from each District to be elected for a quadrennium by the respective District Ministerium, and the Conference Council Director.

3. That, since the quadrennial system is an established part of Methodist economy, all members of boards, commissions, and committees shall be elected for a quadrennium unless restricted by discipline, charter, or other legal requirements. In the event of such legal restrictions, the Principle of Rotation is still to be observed.

4. That no member of any board, committee, or commission shall serve more than two consecutive quadrennia on said board, committee or commission and shall be ineligible to be re-elected until after one quadrennium has elapsed, except members of boards, committees, or commissions elected for three year terms may serve three consecutive terms and shall be ineligible to be re-elected until after one term has lapsed and except that, when a member is elected to fill an unexpired quadrennium or term, and serve not more than one additional consecutive quadrennium or term.

5. That no member of the conference, lay or ministerial, shall serve on more than two boards, commissions, or committees concurrently. Ex-officio membership on conference boards or agencies shall not count toward the total of two unless such membership exceeds two. In cases where a member is an ex-officio member on more than two boards or agencies, all excess of two shall count toward the total of two. The following shall not be under the conference rotation system nor counted in the above total; district committees or secretaries, Wesley College Trustees, Board of Directors of the Wesley Foundations, Board of Trustees of the Peninsula Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc., the Episcopal Residence Committee and the Committee on Investigation. In the case of the Board of the Ministry, the Nominating Committee is to request the courtesy of the bishop to inform them as to those persons who will be named to the Board of Ministry, in order to assist the Nominating Committee in equal distribution of responsibility on the part of the conference ministry members. The Nominating Committee will consider membership on the Board of Ministry as one of two memberships permitted to each minister.

6. That ministerial membership on Annual Conference boards and agencies shall be limited to active full-time conference members and associate members of the Peninsula Annual Conference. In order to be eligible to serve on the conference boards and agencies, lay members shall be members of a local church within the Annual Conference. The Conference Nominating Committee may select other persons as affiliate members.

7. That an age limit of 72 shall be established for both ministers and laymen. If a ministerial member shall retire before the age of 72, he shall then relinquish his privilege to serve on conference boards and agencies.

8. That a conscientious effort shall be made to distribute membership geographically. No fixed number shall be assigned, however, to any one district, since this could become artificial and impractical.

9. That the Cabinet select only one representative from the Cabinet to serve on a conference board and all the divisions of that board, and one cabinet representative each on all other support agencies except where the Discipline states otherwise.

10. That failure to attend the particular board or agency to which one is assigned for at least one called meeting during the year, without written explanation or statement of intended activity to the chairperson of that board or agency, one will be subject to automatic removal in the next nominating committee's report. A report of the board or agency chairperson to the secretary of the Conference Nominating Committee by March 1st will include the attendance record of his board, committee or agency.

11. That the Conference Nominating Committee designate persons to serve as a Nominating Committee for the Boards, Commissions and Committees. The District Superintendent assigned to the agency is the convener of this committee. The nominating committee shall be prepared at the organizational meeting to nominate officers for the quadrennium.

12. That the date of election to any board, commission or committee be clearly indicated in the Journal.

13. That in every case a nominee to any board, commission, or committee shall be notified before his name is placed before the Conference.

14. That quadrennial boards shall have two even classes; triennial boards shall have three evenly divided classes.

15. That, recognizing again the belief in the principle of rotation in order to involve greater leadership, all district committees and officers shall be elected to two year terms with a maximum of four years, and persons shall be ineligible for re-election until after a two-year term has elapsed.

B.

Concerning the Nominating Committee, its report and the securing of talent:

1. That the report of the Nominating Committee at the Annual Conference session will reflect a complete adherence to all the guidelines established by the Annual Conference.

2. That new nominations shall be circulated prior to the Annual Conference session with the pre-conference reports.

3. That forms shall be circulated for both ministers and laymen in local churches to indicate areas of interest, thus creating a Talent Bank. In addition, the same form shall be sent to members of the Cabinet, Board of Laity, Conference United Methodist Women, Executive Committee, and Conference Youth Council in order to obtain names that might otherwise be overlooked. These forms shall be returned to the secretary of the Conference Nominating Committee.

4. That a complete file of all ministers in the Conference should be kept indicating where each man is serving in terms of conference boards and agencies. Laymen should likewise be listed on a similar file. A third file would be divided between ministers and laymen as part of the Conference Talent Bank.

5. That a minimum of four meetings per year should be held by the Nominating Committee (it may be advisable that the committee meet more often, since its influence is so broad; whenever the committee approaches a new quadrennium, this latter need for additional meetings may be more evident).
6. That the above adopted guidelines for the Nominating Committee of the Annual Conference shall become a printed part of its report at each Annual Conference session.
7. That at the beginning of a new quadrennium a complete and open look at membership on all boards and agencies shall be initiated by the Conference Nominating Committee and all personnel shall be eligible for re-alignment in accordance with A-5.

Miscellaneous

1. That the council director, associate council directors, the home administrators, not be elected to boards and agencies under the conference rotation system but serve only as ex-officio where assigned by the council director.
2. That two (2) high school youth (preferably 10th and 11th grades) shall be ex-officio members of the following boards: Commission on Ecumenical and Interreligious Affairs, Board of Education, Board of Evangelism, Board of Health and Welfare Ministries, Board of Missions, Board of Church and Society, Commission on Enlistment for Church Occupations, Commission on Worship, Conference Council on Ministries, Board of the Laity, Conference Nominating Committee, and Committee on Conference Arrangements. These shall be selected by the Conference Youth Council each year.
3. That a Rules Committee and a Committee on Journal shall be appointed by the Council on Ministries.

LAYMEN SERVING THE PENINSULA CONFERENCE ON BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES AND DIVISIONS

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IV. Appointments

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Full Member	Leslie Jones
Associate Member	LESLIE JONES
Probationary Member	*Leslie Jones
Lay Pastor	(LESLIE JONES)
Student or Retired Supply	(Leslie Jones)

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Howard M. Amoss (E: Cambridge-Zion)
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 Howard A. Bailey (W: Middletown)
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 Henry T. Caldwell (E: Galena)
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 JACOB C. CAULK (D: Wesley)
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 Hartwell F. Chandler (D: Wesley)
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 Ewell E. Crockett (D: Seaford-Bethel)
 S. Winston C. Crosse (E: Still Pond-Coleman)
 E. W. Cursey (E: St. Michaels-St. Luke's)
 Louis R. Dennis (W: Hillcrest-Bellefonte)
 John R. Diehl (S: Grace)
 Waldo L. Dise (S: Nanticoke-Bivalve)
 Seldon G. Dix (D: Bridgeville)
 Walter A. Donoway (S: Bethesda)
 Lee Elliott (D: Laurel)
 Harvey B. Flater (S: Quantico-Rockawalkin)
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 John P. George (D: Harbeson)
 C. D. Gerald (S: Marion Station)
 HAROLD N. GRATTAN (S: Snow Hill-Whatcoat)
 James O. Griffin (W: Hopewell-Ebenezer)
 THADDEUS HACKETT (S: Zion Charge)
 Carlton M. Harris (E: Royal Oak)
 Robert W. Hastings (D: Blades)
 Edward J. Hemphill (W: Newcastle-Mt. Salem)
 JAMES J. HILBERT (W: Elkton)
 Ralph W. Hopkins (D: Bridgeville-Union)

Richard C. Hubbard (E: Grace)
 Chester C. Husted (S: Bethesda)
 Harry C. Jeffers (E: Sudlersville)
 John Edward Jones (D: Harrington-Houston)
 J. Melvin Kay (S: Allen)
 Charles E. Kincade (W: Delaware City)
 Ray W. Kirwan (D: Milford-Avenue)
 H. Kirby Krams (W: Grace)
 Guy E. Leister (D: Millsboro)
 John N. Link (W: Peninsula-McCabe)
 D'Arcy Littleton (E: Sudlersville)
 Wm. L. D. Lyght (W: Ezion-Mt. Carmel)
 J. Robert Mackey (W: Aldersgate)
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 Henry M. Parks (W: Hillcrest-Bellefonte)
 Daniel T. Pritchard (S: Whaleysville)
 C. L. Reiter (S: Trinity)
 Paul E. Reynolds (D: Camden-Woodside)
 Daniel L. Ridout (E: Chestertown-Christ)
 Gilbert S. Ross (W: Aldersgate)
 Henry H. Schauer (W: Marshallton-Cedars)
 Elmer R. Shield (W: Christ)
 VINTON D. SHUFELT (S: Christ)
 Albert M. B. Snapp (D: Wyoming)
 Oliver H. Spence (D: Whatcoat)
 Preston W. Spence (W: St. Mark's)
 Charles P. Spencer (E: St. Michaels)
 A. W. Strickland (W: Grace)
 William M. Tasco (E: Federalsburg-Denton)
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 Essell P. Thomas (E: St. Mark's)
 Paul Thomas (W: Aldersgate)
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 Charles Trader (E: Centreville)
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 Thomas J. Turkington (E: Denton-St. Luke's)
 Robert E. Van Cleaf (D: Bethel)
 Joseph B. Vaughn (W: Christ)
 Frank M. Volk (S: Fruitland)
 James J. Von Hagel (W: Grace)
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2. Blades 19973	Blades Charge Asbury (R 28 near Hardscabble) Blades	(GLENN H. LYBURN) 300 So. Market St. Blades, DE 19973 R. 629-9513	2
3. Bridgeville 19933	Bridgeville Charge Bethel (Hpr's Rd near Fdlsbg) Mt. Calvary (28 Church St.) Trinity (Dublin Hill)	CALVIN C. BYRD 28 Church Street Bridgeville, DE 19933 R. 337-7720 C. 337-7090	7
4. Bridgeville 19933	Bridgeville: Union (Laws & Market Sts.)	Gerald A. Foster 101 Laws Street Bridgeville, DE 19933 R. 337-8427 C. 337-7409	2
5. Camden 19934	Camden-Woodside Whatcoat (16 N. Main St.) Woodside (19980)	Charles M. Moyer 38 So. Main St. Camden, DE 19934 R. 697-6611 C. 697-7539	6
6. Cannon 19935	Cannon Charge Cannon Cokesbury (Brgvle-Grgtwn Rd) Trinity (Dbln Hill near Bgvle)	P. O. Box 18 Cannon, DE 19935 R. 629-4109	1
7. Cheswold 19936	Cheswold Charge Cheswold Down's Chapel (Clayton) Immanuel Union	John W. Van Tine Cheswold, DE 19936 R. 734-5118	4
8. Clarksville 19937	Clarksville Charge Union Wesley Zoar (Selbyville)	EDWARD H. JACKSON Clarksville, DE 19937 R. 539-4674	3
9. Clarksville 19937	Clarksville: St. George's (Main Rd., Rte 26)	IVON P. DOWNING Clarksville, DE 19937 R. 539-7040 C. 539-7491	3
10. Clayton 19938	Clayton Charge Ewell-St. Paul's (W. St. & Clayton Ave.) Kenton (Main St., Kenton)	Robert L. Harris P. O. Box 266 Clayton, DE 19938 R. 653-8893 C. 653-7280	3
11. Dagsboro 19939	Dagsboro: Bethel (Clayton Street)	Glenn P. Catley, Jr. Box 147 Dagsboro, DE 19939 R. 732-6805 C. 732-6918	3
12. Dover 19901	Dover: Wesley (209 S. State St.)	Robert P. Whitlock 140 Hazel Road Dover, DE 19901 R. 736-1968 C. 678-9626	7

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14. Ellendale 19941	Ellendale Charge Chaplain's Chapel (nr Rdn Rd) Ellendale St. Johnstown	Box 193 Ellendale, DE 19941 R. 422-9160	1
15. Felton 19943	Felton Charge Felton (Main Street) Manship (Rte 12W) Viola	David G. Paul Box 247 Felton, DE 19943 R. 284-4186	4
16. Frankford 19945	Frankford Charge Frankford (Clayton & Main) Hickory Hill (3 m W of Dagsboro off Rte 26)	WILLIAM A. TURNER Box 37 Frankford, DE 19945 R. 732-6857	1
17. Frederica 19946	Frederica Charge Bower's Beach (Bower's Rd) Sardis (S Bwrs Rd, Tmpsnvle) Trinity (Front Street)	R. Gordon Given Frederica, DE 19946 R. 335-5388	5
18. Georgetown 19947	Georgetown Charge Bethesda (Stockley) Providence (Shortley) St. John's (Hrbsn-Mlsbro Rd)	(AUSTIN BRITTINGHAM) Rte 1, Box 208 Georgetown, DE 19947 R. & C. 945-9049	2
19. Georgetown 19947	Georgetown: Grace McColley's Chapel	William M. Fitzhugh, Jr. 300 East Market Street Georgetown, DE 19947 R. 856-6119 C. 856-6245	3
20. Georgetown 19947	Georgetown: Indian Mission (nr Millsboro) Wesley (102 E. Laurel)	H. Sterling Green 102 East Laurel Street Georgetown, DE 19947 R. 856-2624 C. 856-2414	2
21. Greenwood 19950	Greenwood Charge Epworth (nr Bdgvlle, n R 404) Greenwood (W Mkt & Church) Todd's Chapel	JAMES B. DOUGHTEN P. O. Box 31 Greenwood, DE 19950 R. 349-4324 C. 349-4047	3
22. Gumboro	Gumboro-Whitesville Bethany Bethel (near Gumboro) Gumboro Line	(JAMES CARMEAN, SR.) R. D. 1, Box 243 Millsboro, DE 19966 R. 238-7274	4
23. Harrington 19952	Harrington-Houston Charge Asbury (200 Weiner Ave.) Houston (Houston)	Alvin J. Willink 203 Weiner Ave. Harrington, DE 19952 R. 398-3444 C. 398-3390	2
24. Harrington 19952	West Harrington Charge Bethel (Andrewville) Prospect (Vernon) Salem (Farmington) Trinity (Cmrce & Mispillian)	K. Wayne Grier 63 Commerce Street Harrington, DE 19952 R. 398-8367 C. 398-3843	2
25. Hartly 19953	Hartly	(William J. Garrett) Delshire R.D. 4, Box 705 Dover, DE 19901 R. 736-1308	2

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26. Laurel 19956	Laurel: Centenary (Market & Poplar Sts.)	Otho G. Brewer, Jr. 133 Oak Lane Drive Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-3643 C. 875-3983 (VERNON HURLEY)	2
27. Laurel 19956	Laurel Charge St. Paul's (2 m SE) Shiloh (3 m E) Trinity (6 m E)	146 Delaware Ave. Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-2537	2
28. Laurel	Laurel: Christ Woodland	Romie H. Payne, Jr. 601 S. Central Avenue Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-7827	1
29. Laurel 19956	Laurel-Delmar New Zion (430 W. 6th St.) Union (Pine & Va., Delmar)	Albert J. Dredde 409 W. 6th Street Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-2110	9
30. Laurel 19956	Laurel-Mt. Pleasant King's (nr Hearn's Crsrrds) Mt. Pleasant (Rte 24) St. George's	Robert G. Kelly 814 S. Central Ave. Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-3417	4
31. Lewes 19958	Bethel-Groome Bethel (4th & Market Sts.) Groome (Savannah Rd & Dewey Ave.)	William B. Bundick 130 West 4th St. Lewes, DE 19958 R. 645-9237 C. 645-9426	8
32. Lewes 19958	Lewes Charge Israel (W of Belltown) John Wesley (Belltown) Mt. Pleasant (nr Rhboth Ave.) St. Paul's (4th & Park Aves.)	Gary L. Meekins Rte 1, Box 112 Lewes, DE 19958 R. 645-2990	3
33. Lincoln 19960	Lincoln Charge Cedar Neck (R35, Cdr Bch Rd) Lincoln (2nd & Butler Sts.)	Frank O. Baynard Lincoln, DE 19960 R. 422-7204 C. 422-7269	3
34. Lincoln 19960	Lincoln-Milford-Harrington Metropolitan (105 West St.) St. Paul's (3rd & N Sts, Mlfd) Wesley Chapel (Slghtr Neck Rd)	WILLIAM M. STATEN Rte 1, Box 162 Lincoln, DE 19960 R. 684-4135	1
35. Magnolia 19962	Magnolia Charge Leipsic (Leipsic) Little Creek (Little Creek) Magnolia	*Pamela G. Ledbetter P. O. Box 256 Magnolia, DE 19962 R. 335-3304 C. 335-5518	1
36. Milford 19963	Milford: Avenue (Church Street)	Frank Lucia 424 Kings Highway Milford, DE 19963 R. 422-7393 C. 422-9854; 422-8111	2
		*Michael L. Price 412 Bridgeham Ave. Milford, DE 19963 C. 422-9854; 422-8111	1
37. Milford 19963	Milford: Calvary (S.E. Front & Franklin)	Kyle N. Smith 206 S. E. Front St. Milford, DE 19963 R. 422-4426 C. 422-8884 (Jacob C. Caulk)	3
38. Millsboro 19963	Millsboro Charge Friendship Harmony	Rte 1 Millsboro, DE 19966 R. 934-7271 C. 945-2447	4

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39. Millsboro 19963	Millsboro-Grace Carey's (near Millsboro) Grace (Church & Morris)	William H. Hudson Church Street Millsboro, DE 19966 R. 934-7038	4
40. Millsboro 19966	Millsboro: Zoar (Harbeson-Millsboro Rd.)	Hubert F. Jicha, Jr. Box 233, 244 River Rd. Millsboro, DE 19966 R. 934-7722 C. 934-6112	4
41. Milton 19968	Milton: Goshen (Federal St.) Harbeson	Howard E. Evans 103 Mulberry Ave. Milton, DE 19968 R. 684-8045 C. 684-3328	2
42. Milton 19968	Milton-Nassau Conley's Chapel (off M-R Rd) White's Chapel (Rte 14) Zion (Milton-Broadhill Rd)	Nellie L. Williams R. F. D., Box 245 Milton, DE 19968 R. 645-9148	2
43. Ocean View 19970	Ocean View Charge Mariner's Bethel (Central & Atlantic Aves.) Millville (Main St., Mlvle)	Earl L. Magill Central Atlantic Avenue Ocean View, DE 19970 R. 539-9256 C. 539-9510	7
44. Rehoboth Beach 19971	Rehoboth Beach: Epworth (20 Baltimore Avenue)	John E. French 19 Baltimore Avenue Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971 R. 227-2275 C. 227-7743	2
45. Roxanna	Roxanna Charge Sound (4 m E Selbyville, Fenwick Island Rd) Zion	Donald O. Clendaniel, II R. F. D. 2 Frankford, DE 19945 R. 436-8409	6
46. Seaford 19973	Bethel-Concord-Wesley Bethel (Oak Grove) Concord (Concord) Wesley (Atlanta Road)	*James M. Caldwell Pine Street Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-8864	1
47. Seaford 19973	Seaford: Mount Olivet (315 High Street)	Kendall K. McCabe 758 Nylon Blvd. Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-9579 C. 629-4458	2
48. Seaford 19973	Seaford: St. John's (Pine & Poplar Sts.)	George C. Godfrey 239 W. Conwell St. Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-9276 C. 629-9466	8
		K. Richard Varell, Jr. 310 Phillips Street Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-7544 C. 629-9466	3
49. Seaford 19973	Seaford Charge Cokesbury (Rhodesdale, MD) John Wesley Mount Hope	*George H. Radway 35 Church Street Bridgeville, DE 19933 R. 337-8854	6
50. Seaford 19973	Seaford-Reliance: Gethsemane	Charles W. Walz Route 1 Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-2862	3
51. Selbyville 19975	Selbyville: Salem (Church St. & Church Ave.)	John A. Irwin P. O. Box 618 Selbyville, DE 19975 R. 436-5684 C. 436-8412	11

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52. Smyrna 19977	Smyrna: Asbury (20 Mt. Vernon St.) Centennial (48 Mt. Vernon St.)	Ira D. Steckman, Jr. 306 Hamilton Way Smyrna, DE 19977 R. 653-9989 C. 653-8415 (DAISY M. THOMPSON)	7
53. Wyoming 19934	Wyoming	R. 442 Fulton Street Dover, DE 19901 R. 678-2851 C. 653-8415 John T. Randolph Wyoming, DE 19934 R. 697-6116 C. 697-6663	2 4

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District Superintendent	Felton E. May 215 South Hanson Street Easton, MD 21601 301-822-3573	2
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Post Offices

Charges

1. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge-Aireys Christ (Aireys) Waters (Fork Neck)	Robert Brown Trappe, Md. 21673	1
2. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge-Choptank Antioch (Town Point) Beckwith (Cornersville) Spedden (Hudson)	Norman L. Poultney R. D. 3, Box 164A Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-0996	2
3. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge: Grace (Race & Muir Sts.)	Everett C. Isaacs 308 Oakley Street Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-1486 C. 228-4353	1
4. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge: St. Paul (205 Maryland Avenue)	Harold P. Spedden 604 Eldon Park Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-4757 C. 228-1424	10
5. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge-Vienna St. Luke (908 Pine St.) Wesley (Vienna) Zoar (Reid's Grove)	JOHN W. RINGGOLD Box 1509 Salisbury, Md. 21801 C. 301-376-3535	1
6. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge: Waugh (429 High Street)	George O. Commodore 402 Pine Street Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-3170 C. 228-5189	8
7. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge: Zion (612 Locust Street)	William H. Owens 610 Locust Street Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-5118 C. 228-4910	5
8. Centreville 21617	Centreville (Rte 213 & Hope Rd.)	Clarence H. Hays 220 Broadway Centreville, MD 21617 R. 758-0156 C. 758-0868	3
9. Centreville 21617	Centreville-Newtown Charles Wesley (423 S Lbty)	GEORGE L. STANLEY Box 175	7

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

10. Chester 21619	Earle's Chapel (Corsica Nck) New Zion (Newtown) Richard Asbury (Starr) Kent Island (Rte 301 & Cox Neck Rd.)	Hurlock, MD 21643 R. 754-8870	16
11. Chester 21619	Chester-Stevensville Ezion (Batt's Neck) Union Wesley	Roy B. Phillips Harbor View Chester, MD 21619 R. 643-5647 C. 643-5361 LEWIS R. JONES R. D. 1, Box 16 Chester, MD 21619 R. 643-6992	4
12. Chestertown 21620	Chestertown: Christ (401 W. High Street)	A. Jason Blundon Campus Avenue Chestertown, MD 21620 R. 778-2848 C. 778-0911	10
13. Chestertown 21620	Chestertown: First (High & Mill Sts.)	Lawrence E. Wimbrow, Jr. P. O. Box 227 Chestertown, MD 21620 R. 778-2722 C. 778-2977 (JOSEPH W. WILLIAMS)	2
14. Chestertown 21620	Chestertown-Pomono Emmanuel (Quaker Neck Rd., Pomono) Janes (Cross & Cannon Sts.)	P. O. Box 613 Chestertown, MD 21620 R. 778-4129	3
15. Church Creek 21622	Church Creek Charge Madison (Rte 16, Madison) Milton (Rte 16, Woolford) Taylor's Island (Rte 16) White Haven (Rte 16)	*Robert P. Hall Box 46 Church Creek, MD 21622 R. 228-4194	2
16. Church Creek 21622	Church Creek: John Wesley (Liners Rd.)	(Joseph I. Williams) Box 429 St. Michaels, MD 21663 R. 745-9389 (ROBERT SEALS) R. D. 1, Box 63 Church Hill, MD 21623 R. 556-6303	3
17. Church Hill 21623	Church Hill-Burrsville Mt. Olive (Hope) Mt. Vernon (Salem) Mt. Zion (Burrsville) St. Daniels (Barclay)	HAIG S. MEDZARENTZ Box 6 Church Hill, MD 21623 R. 556-6457 (ROBERT L. RIDDLEBERGER)	2
18. Church Hill 21623	Church Hill-Price Bethany (Price) Church Hill	Crapo, MD 21626 R. 847-8242	1
19. Crapo 21626	Crapo Charge Bounds (Andrews) Ebenezer St. John's (Golden Hill) Wesley (Andrews)	Edward R. Wilkins Box 66 Denton, MD 21629 R. 479-2446 C. 479-2171	1
20. Denton 21629	Denton: Ames (Hobbs) St. Luke's (S. 5th Ave.)	Frank G. Buckley Sharptown, Md. 21861	1
21. East New Mkt 21631	East New Market Charge Brookview (Rte 14) Eldorado (Rte 313) Trinity (Main Street)		1

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22. East New Mkt 21631	East New Market-Linkwood Mt. Pleasant (Salem) Mt. Zion St. James (Hicksburg Rd.) St. Paul (Hawkeye Rd.) Thompson (Thompsontown)	NELSON C. STANLEY East New Market, MD 21631 R. 943-4383	20
23. Easton 21601	Easton-Bellevue Asbury (18 S. Higgins) St. Luke (Front St., Blvue)	(FRANK W. ROBINSON) Rte 5, Box 62 Easton, MD 21601 R. 822-6259	5
24. Easton 21601	Easton-Miles River Deshields (Copperville) John Wesley (Chapel Rd.) McGee (Longwoods) Staten Chapel (Denton Rd.)	HESTER R. OPPER R. D. 1, Box 153 Easton, MD 21601 R. 822-1576	18
25. Easton 21601	Easton: Saint Mark's (Oxford Road)	Harold M. Davis 522 Trippe Avenue Easton, MD 21601 R. 822-1939 C. 822-0001	11
		Gary S. Tulak 708 Lomax Street Easton, MD 21601 R. 822-4324 C. 822-0001	2
26. Federalsburg 21632	Federalsburg-Bloomery Bloomery (nr Smithville) Chestnut Grove (Cpmn Lane) Christ (S. Main & Maple)	Conrad M. Cohen 109 Park Lane Federalsburg, MD 21632 R. 754-5649	11
27. Federalsburg 21632	Federalsburg: Concord (Dion Rd.) Union (Greenridge & Main St.)	Charles C. Huffman 206 W. Central Ave. Federalsburg, MD 21632 R. 754-8840 C. 754-9210	2
28. Federalsburg 21632	Federalsburg-Denton John Wesley (Chipman Lane) Metropolitan (Denton) St. Paul's (Harrisville) Zion (206 Denton Road)	Wayne McCoy 206 Denton Road Federalsburg, MD 21632 R. 754-5521	2
29. Fishing Creek 21634	Hoopers Island Hoopers Memorial (Hpersville) Hosier Memorial	*Edward T. Moore Fishing Creek, MD 21634 R. 397-3395	1
30. Galena 21635	Galena Kennedyville (Kennedyville) Olivet (Galena)	Edward E. Kester Box 107 Galena, MD 21635 R. & C. 648-5212	3
31. Goldsboro 21636	Goldsboro Charge Calvary (Marydel) Henderson (Henderson) Trinity (Goldsboro)	Irvin M. Behm, Jr. Goldsboro, MD 21636 R. 482-6006	2
32. Golts 21637	Golts-Sassafras Johnson's Chapel (Warwick) John Wesley (Sassafras) Olivet Hill	Samuel L. Wilkins 550 S. duPont Parkway Bldg. 14, Apt. 2 Beaverbrook Apts. New Castle, DE 19720 R. 322-1663	6
33. Greensboro 21639	Greensboro-Burrsville St. Paul's	Kenneth M. Dickey P. O. Box 57	2

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	(Sunset & Academy Sts.) Union (Burrsville)	Greensboro, MD 21639 R. 482-6519 C. 482-8170	
34. Hurlock 21643	Hurlock: Unity-Washington (Main & Oak Sts.) Wesley (Rte 313, Finchville)	Buford E. Painter Box 298 Hurlock, MD 21643 R. 943-3222	7
35. Millington 21651	Millington-Crumpton Asbury (Cypress St.) Crumpton (Third St.) Double Creek (nr McGnns Cor)	Terry W. Armstrong Box I Cypress St. Millington, MD 21651 R. 928-3452	6
36. Millington 21651	Millington-Pondtown Asbury (Chesterville) John Wesley (Millington) Joshua Chapel (Morgnec) Mt. Pleasant (Pondtown)	PHILLIP A. HENRY Box 282 Odessa, DE 19730 R. 302-378-8770	7
37. Neavitt 21652	Neavitt-Bozman Bozman (Bozman) Neavitt (Neavitt)	J. Arthur Mott Maple Ave. Trappe, MD 21673 R. 476-3605	1
38. Oxford 21654	Oxford (Morris St.)	Melvin E. Tingle P. O. Box 116 Oxford, MD 21654 R. 226-5280	3
39. Oxford 21654	Oxford-Williamsburg John Wesley (Oxford Rd.) Scott's (150 Main St., Trppe) Water (Banks & Market Sts.) Williamsburg (Williamsburg)	ROLAND W. DENNIS 715 Bradley Avenue Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-2031	7
40. Preston 21655	Preston-Harmony Bethesda (No. Main St.) Grove (Preston-Harmony Rd.) Harmony (Harmony)	William R. Pittman N. Main St., Box 655 Preston, MD 21655 R. 673-7538	5
41. Preston 21655	Preston-Hurlock Mt. Calvary (Preston) Union Grove (Osborne Rd.) Washington (N of Hurlock) Zorah (Hurlock off Rte 331)	Carrol Scott R. D. 1, Box 277 Preston, MD 21655 R. 673-7553	2
42. Queen Anne 21657	Queen Anne Charge Hillsboro (Hillsboro) Wye Mills (Wye Mills)	*Charles A. Donophan Box 267 Queen Anne, MD 21657 R. 822-7823	3
43. Queenstown 21658	Queenstown-Carmichael Bryan's (Grasonville) John Wesley (Carmichael) Metropolitan (off Rte 18)	JEREMIAH R. LEE R. D. 1, Box 205 Queenstown, MD 21658 R. 827-8651	2
44. Queenstown 21658	Queenstown-Grasonville Calvary (Queenstown) Immanuel (Grasonville) Wye of Carmichael	Thomas W. Hurley Box 7 Queenstown, MD 21658 R. 827-7113	5
45. Ridgely 21660	Ridgely Charge Bridgetown (Bridgetown) Ridgely (109 Central Ave.) Thawley's (near Denton)	(ARTHUR R. HOMER) Box 595 Ridgely, MD 21660 R. 634-2527	1
46. Ridgely 21660	Ridgely-Marydel Lockerman (Lockerman)	*Melvin T. Newsome Rte 1, Box 365	1

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	Mt. Pleasant (Greensboro) Mt. Zion (Mt. Zion Road) Replanted Zion (Ridgely) Union (Goldsboro)	Ridgely, MD 21660 R. 634-2660	
47. Rock Hall 21661	Rock Hall Raum Chapel Rock Hall Wesley Chapel	Dan E. Walker, Sr. Rte 2, Box 127 Rock Hall, MD 21661 R. 639-7113	7
48. Rock Hall 21661	Rock Hall-Fairlee Aaron Chapel (Piney Neck Rd.) Asbury (Georgetown) Mt. Pisgah (Melitota) Mt. Pleasant (Fairlee)	(RONALD J. NORRIS) Rte 1, Box 230 Rock Hall, MD 21661 R. 778-3297	4
49. Royal Oak 21662	Royal Oak	D'Arcy Littleton N. Church St. Sudlersville, MD 21668	1
50. St. Michaels 21663	St. Michaels-Royal Oak St. Paul (Royal Oak) Union (Fremont & Railway Ave)	Donald E. Hamilton 210 Talbot Street St. Michaels, MD 21663 R. 745-2784	2
51. St. Michaels 21663	St. Michaels: St. Luke's (Talbot Street)	Lawrence E. Staton Box 207 St. Michaels, MD 21663 R. 745-2539	1
52. Secretary 21664	Dorchester Charge Bucktown (Bucktown) Friendship (Aireys) Salem (Salem) Secretary: First (Mn & Acdm)	*Thomas Chester Short Box 98 Secretary, MD 21664 R. 943-3781	2
53. Still Pond 21667	Still Pond-Betterton Betterton (Betterton) Lynch (Lynch) Still Pond	(LEWIS A. MARTIN) Box 36, Still Pond, MD 21667 R. 348-5909	1
54. Still Pond 21667	Still Pond-Coleman Fountain (Big Wood) Mt. Zion St. Georges (Worton Pt.) Union (Coleman's Corner Rd.)	JAMES H. ROBERTS Rte 1, Box 111 Worton, MD 21678 R. 348-5832	7
55. Sudlersville 21668	Sudlersville Calvary-Asbury (Sudlersville) Marvin Memorial (Barclay) St. Paul's (Ingleside)	Howard P. Ketterman, Sr. P. O. Box 202 Sudlersville, MD 21668 R. 438-3268	4
56. Taylor's Is. 21669	Taylor's Island Christ Rock (Christ Rock) Jefferson (Smithville) Lane (Church Road) Malone (Wh Mrsh Rd, Madison) St. Paul's (Harrisville)	WALLACE L. GREENE, SR. Rte 1, Box 14 Preston, MD 21655 R. 673-7537	14
57. Tilghman 21671	Tilghman Claiborne (Claiborne) St. John's (Rte 33) Sherwood (Sherwood) Tilghman (Main Street) Asbury (Wittman)	Alexander L. Boda Tilghman, MD 21671 R. 886-2197	11

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58. Trappe 21673	Trappe-Bruceville Faith (Bruceville) Trappe (E. Maple St.)	Ray F. Graham Box 46 Trappe, MD 21673 R. 476-3384	1
59. Vienna 21869	Vienna-Elliotts Elliotts-(Elliotts Island) Reid's Grove (Reid's Grove) Vienna (Church Street)	Douglas M. Ridley Box 278 Vienna, MD 21869 R. 376-3178	5
60. Williamsburg 21674	Williamsburg (Short Street)	(J. ROGER WHEEDLETON) Rte 3, Box 216 Seaford, DE 19973 R. 754-9132	7
61. Wingate 21675	Wingate-St. Thomas Bethany (Crocherson) St. Thomas (Bishops Head) Wingate (Wingate) Zion (Toddville)	E. J. Clawson Wingate, MD 21675 R. 847-8478	1
62. Wittman 21676	Wittman-McDaniel John Wesley (McDaniel) St. James (Sherwood) St. John's (Wittman)	(NOAH L. BECKETT) Wittman, MD 21676 R. 745-9325	4
63. Worton 21678	Worton-St. James Saint James (Worton) Salem (Fairlee) Worton (Worton)	Ellsworth P. Woodruff R. D. 2, Box 245 Chestertown, MD 21620 R. 778-3498	4

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1. Allen 21810	Allen Asbury (Allen) Asbury (Mt. Vernon) John Wesley (Mt. Vernon) Siloam (near Allen) Washington (Shad Point)	Curtis W. Smith Allen, MD 21810 R. 742-6093	1
2. Berlin 21811	Berlin Charge New Bethel (South Berlin) St. John's (Sinepuxant Rd.) St. Paul's (Flower St.)	Ewart C. Hackshaw P. O. Box 46 Berlin, MD 21811 R. 641-1756	10
3. Berlin 21811	Berlin-Stevenson Friendship Stevenson (No. Main St.)	Donald O. Hornung 18 South Main Street Berlin, MD 21811 R. 641-2077 C. 641-9812	4
4. Bishopville 21813	Bishopville Charge Showell Wilson Zion	JOHN E. TAYLOR P. O. Box 375 Bishopville, MD 21813 R. 352-5728	3

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5. Crisfield 21817
Crisfield: Asbury
(Main St. & Asbury Ave.)
Nelson B. Benjamin
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Crisfield, MD 21817
R. & C. 968-0540
6. Crisfield 21817
Crisfield: Immanuel
Dallas W. Butler
206 W. Main Street
Crisfield, MD 21817
R. 968-1680 C. 968-2189
(RALPH B. MCINTYRE, SR.)
7. Crisfield 21817
Crisfield: Mt. Pleasant
(1st & Main Sts.)
Crisfield, MD 21817
R. 968-0198 C. 968-1778
EDGAR N. DENNIS
8. Crisfield 21817
Crisfield-Shiloh
Shiloh (N. 4th St., Shiloh)
Union Asbury
Waters (Kingston)
Rte 1, Box 336
Eden, MD 21822
R. 742-2342
9. Deal Island 21821
Deal Island Charge
John Wesley (Rte 353)
Macedonia (Rte 353, Dms Qtr)
St. Charles (Rte 353, Chance)
R. 742-2342
HOWARD F. BARCLAY
Box 57
Nanticoke, MD 21840
R. 873-2753
(R. DEWEY CROCKETT)
10. Deal Island 21821
Deal Island Charge
Rock Creek (Chance)
St. John's
Deal Island, MD 21821
R. 784-2269
11. Delmar, DE 19940
Delmar: St. Stephen's
(101 E. State St.)
Charles H. Poukish
102 State Street
Delmar, DE 19940
R. 896-9138 C. 302-846-9501
(JOHN D. BURBAGE)
12. Ewell 21824
Smith Island
Calvary (Rhodes Point)
Ewell
Union (Tylerton)
R. 425-3081
13. Fruitland 21826
Fruitland-Mt. Calvary
Friendship (U Fry R, Allen)
Mt. Calvary
(S Div St., Ext.)
(WILLIAM T. WALLACE, SR.)
14. Fruitland 21826
Fruitland: St. John's
(Main Street)
Union
Anderson Street
Fruitland, MD 21826
R. 742-9042
Joseph C. Bostick
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Fruitland, MD 21826
R. 742-2771 C. 742-5592
D. T. LEWIS
P. O. Box 72
Girdletree, MD 21829
R. 632-1892
(WILLIAM T. BALL)
15. Girdletree 21829
Girdletree Charge
Coolspring
Mt. Wesley
St. Matthew (Box Iron)
Girdletree, MD 21829
R. 632-1892
(WILLIAM T. BALL)
16. Girdletree 21829
Girdletree-Stockton
Girdletree
Porterville (2 m E of Stcktn)
Remson (5 m S of Stockton)
Wesley (Stockton)
Girdletree, MD 21829
R. 632-0887
17. Hebron 21830
Hebron
Charity (Jsy & Nylr MI Rds.)
Nelson Memorial (Mn. & Chch)
St. Paul's (Walnut & Howard)
HERBERT H. GLADDEN
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Hebron, MD 21830
R. 742-3947
18. Mardela Springs 21837
Mardela Springs
Emmanuel (Main Street)
Mt. Pleasant (Athel Rd.)
Snethen
Edward C. Goodley
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Mardela Springs, MD 21837
R. 749-4037

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19. Marion Sta. 21838
Marion Station Charge
Phoenix (2 m W)
Quindocqua (2 m W)
A. A. Turkington
Willards, MD 21874
R. 835-8893
20. Marion Sta. 21838
Marion Station-Handys
Handys Memorial (Rte 357)
Liberia (Liberia)
Mt. Peer (Rte 357)
Walter J. Mills
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R. 742-9042
(George W. Bishop)
21. Marion Sta. 21838
Marion Station-Mariners
Mariners (Mariners & Old St.
Rds., Crisfield)
Trinity
106 Jacksonville Road
Crisfield, MD 21817
R. 968-0302
22. Nanticoke 21840
Nanticoke-Bivalve
Bivalve (Main St., Bivalve)
Nanticoke (Main St., Bivalve)
*John F. Mitchell
123 Main Street
Nanticoke, MD 21840
R. 873-2224
23. Nanticoke 21840
Nanticoke Charge
Asbury
Elzey (Jesterville)
Grace
Samuel P. Sanders
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Salisbury, MD 21801
R. 749-4093
24. Newark 21841
Newark
Bethany (Sinepunxent)
Bowen (Main St.)
Calvary (Ironshire)
Trinity (Main Street)
*Lloyd R. Foard
P. O. Box 36
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R. 632-1134
25. Ocean City 21842
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Atlantic (Baltimore Ave. &
4th St.)
Taylorsville
Clifford A. Armour, Jr.
P. O. Box 88
Ocean City, MD 21842
R. 289-7430
26. Oriole 21848
Oriole
Dames Quarter
St. Peter's
St. Stephen's (Monie)
*William T. Sterling
Oriole, MD 21848
R. 651-2612
27. Parsonsburg 21849
Parsonsburg
Bethel (Walston's Switch)
Jerusalem
Zion (Zion & Zion Ch. Rds.)
Harley H. Krause
Box 88
Parsonsburg, MD 21849
R. 742-2400
28. Pittsville 21850
Pittsville-Willards
Ayers (Delaware Road)
Eden
Grace
G. FRANCIS WILSON
Main Street
Pittsville, MD 21850
R. 835-8314
29. Pocomoke Cty 21851
Pocomoke City: Bethany
(2nd & Market Sts.)
Salem
Thomas J. Wall
200 Walnut Street
Pocomoke City, MD 21851
R. 957-0990 C. 957-0991
30. Pocomoke Cty 21851
Pocomoke City Charge
Mt. Zion (407 Oxford St.)
St. James (7 m S)
Trinity (Clocke St. Rd.)
Haswell G. Young
407 Oxford Street
Pocomoke City, MD 21851
R. 957-0258
31. Powellville 21852
Powellville Charge
Friendship (Friendship Rd.)
Mt. Olive (nr Snow Hill)
Mt. Pleasant (Willards)
Mt. Zion (Whiton)
Powellville
(WILLIAM S. DOWNING)
Powellville, MD 21852
R. 835-8542

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32. Princess Anne 21853 Mt. Vernon-Grace
Grace (Venton)
Mt. Zion (Polks Road)
St. Paul (Mt. Vernon)
33. Princess Anne 21853 Princess Anne-Antioch
Antioch (200 Antioch Ave.)
Cokesbury
Friendship
34. Princess Anne 21853 Princess Anne-Metropolitan
Ebenezer
Metropolitan
(3 East Broad St.)
35. Quantico 21856 Quantico-Rockawalkin
Ebenezer (Rockawalkin)
First
36. Salisbury 21801 Salisbury: Asbury
(1401 Camden Ave.)
37. Salisbury 21801 Salisbury: Bethesda
(406 N. Division St.)
38. Salisbury 21801 Salisbury: Christ
(R. D. 3, Box 6)
Mt. Hermon
39. Salisbury 21801 Salisbury: Grace
(East Church St.)
40. Salisbury 21801 Salisbury: Quantico
Friendship
Mt. Zion (Quantico)
St. Luke (Hebron)
41. Salisbury 21801 Salisbury: Riverside
St. Martin's
42. Salisbury 21801 Salisbury: St. Andrews
(400 E. Vine St.)
Melson
43. Salisbury 21801 Salisbury: Trinity
(N. Division St.)
- *Gonzalee Matthews
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R. 651-1229
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- Vaughn A. Johnson
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R. 651-0957
- Gary L. Moore
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R. 749-9536
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R. 749-4906 C. 749-2131
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R. 742-1482 C. 742-8855
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R. 742-0906 C. 749-8607
- Howard L. Gordy, Jr.
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R. 749-3543 C. 749-5562

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44. Salisbury 21801 Salisbury: Wesley Temple
(West Road)
45. Sharptown 21861 Asbury Charge
Asbury
Cokesbury (nr Reliance, DE)
Riverton (Riverton)
46. Sharptown 21861 Mt. Vernon Charge
Galestown (Galestown)
Mt. Hermon (Columbia, DE)
Mt. Vernon
Wheatley's (nr Galestown)
47. Sharptown 21861 Zion Charge
John Wesley
Mt. Nebo
Zion (Sandomingo)
48. Snow Hill 21863 Snow Hill: Bates Memorial
(Market & Washington Sts.)
49. Snow Hill 21863 Snow Hill: Ebenezer
(105 S. Collins St.)
Friendship
Hutt's Memorial
50. Snow Hill 21863 Snow Hill: Whatcoat
(Federal & Washington Sts.)
51. Stockton 21864 Stockton-Shiloh
St. Paul's
Shiloh (nr Pocomoke)
52. Tyaskin 21865 Oakville-Cottage Grove
Flower Hill (Eden)
John Wesley (Cottage Grove)
St. James (Westover)
St. Mark (nr Princess Anne)
53. Upper Fairmount 21867 Upper Fairmount
Christ
Mt. Olive (Revel Neck Rd.)
Rehoboth (Rehoboth)
54. Upper Hill 21868 Upper Hill
Centennial
John Wesley
St. Andrews
Samuel Wesley
55. Whaleysville 21872 Whaleysville
New Hope (New Hope Road)
Whaleysville
56. Whaleysville 21872 Whaleysville Charge
Bishop's Memorial (Prnsnbsrg)
Curtis (Bishopville)
Pullet's
- W. Hayward Greene
Rte 2, Box 182
Salisbury, MD 21801
R. 742-1680 C. 749-1054
- CLAUDE C. BROWN
601 Main Street
Sharptown, MD 21861
R. 883-3189
- *Alfred E. Taylor
Box 203
Sharptown, MD 21861
R. 883-3448
- (EBENEZER MUDEDE)
R.D. 2; Box 136
Mardela Springs, MD 21837
R. 883-3318
- Bruce E. Cooke
P. O. Box 12
Snow Hill, MD 21863
R. 632-1319
(George W. Taylor)
107 S. Collins St.
Snow Hill, MD 21863
R. 632-1617
- William Dore
102 West Federal St.
Snow Hill, MD 21863
R. 632-1229
(CLARENCE RUSSELL
BURKE)
R. D. 5
Salisbury, MD 21801
R. 749-7006
- CLARENCE E. HANDY
Box 97
Tyaskin, MD 21865
R. 873-2244
- *Richard E. Green
Box 165
Upper Fairmount, MD 21867
R. 651-2097
(RICKY SPAIN)
Box 151
Upper Hill, MD 21868
R. 651-2566
- (KEVIN A. COOK)
Box 6
Whaleysville, MD 21872
R. 641-3565
(HERBERT E. SYE, JR.)
Whaleysville, MD 21872
R. 641-2568

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WILMINGTON DISTRICT

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District Superintendent 1626 No. Union Street Wilmington, DE 19806 302-571-1471	Edwin C. Thomas, Jr. 202 Alapocas Drive Wilmington, DE 19803 302-571-9070	2
Delaware Post Offices	Charges	
1. Bear 19701	Red Lion Irvin R. Pusey R. F. D. Red Lion Bear, DE 19701 R. 834-1778 C. 834-1599	21
2. Christiana 19702	Christiana-Kirkwood Mt. Pleasant St. Paul's (Kirkwood) (WILLIAM H. BLACK) Apt. 10, 1 Anstel Drive New Castle, DE 19720 R. 322-6818	14
3. Christiana 19702	Christiana-Salem Christiana (21 W. Main St.) Salem (Salem Church Rd.) Donald J. Hurst 23 W. Main Street Christiana, DE 19702 R. 737-1361 C. 738-7544	1
4. Claymont 19703	Claymont: Atonement (3519 Philadelphia Pike) Donald O. Clendaniel, Sr. 44 Seminole Avenue Claymont, DE 19703 R. 798-2329 C. 798-8472	5
5. Glasgow	Glasgow Ecumenical Parish JAMES C. BLACKBURN Rte 1, Box 177 Middletown, DE 19709 R. 834-8869 C. 378-8744	3
6. Hockessin 19707	Hockessin (Lancaster Pike) C. Edwin Lasbury Box 185 Hockessin, DE 19707 R. 239-7171 C. 239-5929	8
7. Kirkwood 19708	Kirkwood (ROBERT E. SIMPSON, SR.) P. O. Box 217 Delaware City, DE 19706 R. 834-4378	5
8. Lewisville, PA 19351	St. John's-Moore's Moore's Chapel (Blake) St. John's *Greg W. Hill Lewisville, PA 19351 R. 215-255-4380	4
9. Newark 19711	Ebenezer (Polly Drummon Hill Road) Robert W. Helms R. D. 3 Newark, DE 19711 R. 737-7611 C. 731-9495	11
10. Newark 19711	Kingswood Edward B. Blevins 300 Marrows Road Newark, DE 19713 R. 738-4459 C. 738-4478	7
11. Newark 19711	Newark (69 E. Main St.) Charles B. Hart 102 Bent Lane Newark, DE 19711 R. 731-4786 C. 368-8774	6
	Harold E. Walton 69 E. Main St.	6

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12. New Castle 19720	Asbury-Minquadale Asbury (300 E. Basin Rd.) Minquadale (Minq. Blvd., Newark)	Newark, DE 19711 R. 737-6547 C. 368-8774 Thomas Crawford Short 9 Fols Crescent New Castle, DE 19720 R. 328-2288 C. 328-5649 George W. Goodley 134 Colesbery Drive New Castle, DE 19720 R. 328-9234 C. 328-5649	3
13. New Castle 19720	New Castle-Mt. Salem Mt. Salem (115 E. 4th St.) New Castle (510 Delaware Ave)	C. Jackson Robinson 101 West 6th Street New Castle, DE 19720 R. 328-2342 C. 328-2207 (Eleanor A. Kendall)	2
14. St. Georges 19733	St. Georges-Delaware City Ebenezer (Clinton St., Del C) St. Daniels (Port Penn) St. Georges (Broad & Church) St. Peters (Delaware City)	St. Georges, DE 19733 R. 834-4749 C. 834-9054	1
South New Castle County Parish: Widmon Butler, Jr., Director			
15. Middletown 19709	Middletown-Summit Bethesda (116 E. Main St.) Dale's Memorial Summit (Summit Bridge)	Widmon Butler, Jr. 701 S. Cox St. Middletown, DE 19709 R. 378-9029 C. 378-2313	2
16. Odessa 19730	Odessa Lee's Chapel (Townsend) St. Paul's Scott (Blackbird)	Tom P. Donnachie, III Main Street Odessa, DE 19730 R. 378-2420 Robert L. Thomas P. O. Box 60 Townsend, DE 19734 R. 378-2431 C. 378-8203	3
17. Townsend 19734	Townsend Ebenezer Friendship (Flmngs Lndng Rd) Haven Immanuel (Main St.)		2
18. Wilmington 19803	Aldersgate (Concord Pike at Fairfax)	Olin J. Shockley, Jr. 410 Country Club Drive Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 654-7136 C. 478-2575 Perry O. Hill 2410 Carr Avenue Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 478-2367 C. 478-2575 KENNETH G. FANSLER 1014 Faun Road South Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 478-6037 C. 478-2575	3
19. Wilmington 19802	Brandywine-Trinity (22nd & Market Sts.)	F. David Weber 22nd & Market Sts. Wilmington, DE 19802 R. 764-7466 C. 656-2660	1
20. Wilmington 19802	Calvary-Eastlake Calvary (36th & Washington) Eastlake (30th & Tatnall)	EDWARD M. GLADDEN 2921 Tatnall Street Wilmington, DE 19802 R. 764-9253	1

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21. Wilmington 19803 Chester-Bethel (2615 Foulk Road) Walter H. Beckwith 2615 Foulk Road Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 475-3313 C. 475-3549 2
22. Wilmington 19803 Christ (6 N. Clifton Avenue) Arley B. Golden 6 Whitekirk Drive Wilmington, DE 19808 R. 994-3257 C. 998-4584 3
23. Wilmington 19801 Coleman (465½ Anderson Drive) PAUL R. HILTON 425 Bethune Drive Wilmington, DE 19801 R. 652-5554 C. 656-3565 4
24. Wilmington 19801 Ezion-Mt. Carmel (800 Walnut Street) John R. Shockley 4303 Whittier Drive Wilmington, DE 19802 R. 762-6404 C. 654-3103 2
25. Wilmington 19801 Grace (903 West Street) Kenneth R. Rose 1704 Bancroft Parkway Wilmington, DE 19806 R. 652-7071 C. 655-8847 3
- P. Thomas McKelvey 1500 Bedford Road Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 656-2302 C. 655-8847 5
- W. Daniel Rich 12 Vining Lane Wilmington, DE 19807 R. 571-1279 C. 655-8847 1
26. Wilmington 19805 Harrison Street (7th & Harrison Sts.) HARVEY G. CHASE 623 N. Harrison St. Wilmington, DE 19805 R. & C. 654-5541 1
27. Wilmington 19803 Hillcrest-Bellefonte (Hillcrest & Marsh Road) G. Wayne Cuff 8 White Oak Road Wilmington, DE 19809 R. 764-3011 C. 764-3145 2
- Frank E. Tulak 31 Glenrock Drive Claymont, DE 19703 R. 798-2715 C. 764-3145 3
28. Wilmington 19809 Holly Oak (1511 Philadelphia Pike) Frederick C. Seyfert, Jr. 1511 Philadelphia Pike Wilmington, DE 19809 R. 798-4287 C. 798-4476 3
29. Wilmington 19808 Marshallton-Cedars Cedars (Harrison & Maple) Joseph V. Holliday 2716 Barnsley Road Wilmington, DE 19808 R. 737-0942 C. 994-7466 2
30. Wilmington 19801 Mt. Joy-Buttonwood Buttonwood (1105 Stanton Rd.) Jesse H. Walker 625 So. Heald St. Wilmington, DE 19801 R. 654-0127 C. 655-7751 6
31. Wilmington 19806 Mt. Lebanon-Mt. Salem Mt. Lebanon Mt. Salem (19th & Mt. Salem Lane) *Dorothy E. White 1701 Mt. Salem Lane Wilmington, DE 19806 R. 654-0830 C. 658-1807 1

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32. Wilmington 19804 Peniel (115 E. Market Street) Gerald M. Henderson 117 E. Market St. Wilmington, DE 19804 R. 998-8165 C. 994-9519 4
33. Wilmington 19802 Peninsula-McCabe (22nd & Baynard Blvd.) Donzel C. Wildey 1306 Copley Drive Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 764-6503 C. 654-2346 7
- Willard L. Robinson, Jr. 2308 Paulwynn Drive Wilmington, DE 19810 R. 475-3717 C. 652-2346 6
34. Wilmington 19804 Richardson Park (Matthes & Maryland Ave.) Ralph A. Ellis 11 North Maryland Ave. Wilmington, DE 19804 R. 652-6168 C. 654-0961 7
35. Wilmington 19804 St. Mark's (1700 Limestone Rd.) Paul E. McCoy 1210 Flint Hill Road Wilmington, DE 19808 R. 994-0695 C. 994-0400; 999-0800 3
36. Wilmington 19803 St. Paul's (1314 Foulk Road) William Hemphill, Jr. 4 Malvern Court Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 478-1033 C. 478-3135 7
- Charles R. Greene, III 2119B Prior Rd. Wilmington, DE 19809 R. 798-9627 C. 478-3135 2
37. Wilmington 19805 Silverbrook-Haven Haven (1709 W. 3rd St.) Silverbrook (2203 Lancaster Ave.) William B. Hitchens 2203 Lancaster Avenue Wilmington, DE 19805 R. 654-0518 C. 655-8383 2
- HOWARD A. BAILEY 111 Elder Ave. Yeadon, PA 19050 (WILLIAM E. RUSSELL) 8
38. Wilmington 19804 Simpson (811 Newport Gap Pike) 44 Covered Bridge Lane Newark, DE 19711 R. 731-5908 8
39. Wilmington 19808 Skyline Ronald W. Bergman 5401 Crestline Road Wilmington, DE 19808 R. 737-9069 11
40. Wilmington 19801 Union (507 Washington Street) Charles E. Covington McKennan's Church Rd. Wilmington, DE 19808 R. 995-6446 C. 655-4464 2
- Maryland Post Offices** (Area Code 301)
41. Cecilton 21913 Cecilton St. Paul's (Earleville) Zion Jonathan E. Baker P. O. Box 326 Cecilton, MD 21913 R. 275-3511 2

42. Charlestown 21914 Charlestown: St. John's (SAMUEL M. SMITH) 5
1815 Windemere Avenue
Wilmington, DE 19804
R. 998-4087
43. Chesapeake Cty 21915 Chesapeake City: Trinity (Gary W. Trail) 5
(3rd St. & Bohemia Ave.)
Box 196
Chesapeake City, MD 21915
R. 885-5547 C. 885-5641
44. Elkton 21921 East Cecil Charge (Chas. O. Smith) 1
Leeds (Rte 545)
Union (Union Church Rd.)
Rte 3, Box 75
Elkton, MD 21921
R. 398-1897
45. Elkton 21921 Elkton-Providence (Charles E. Barton) 4
Elkton (219 E. Main St.)
Providence (E. High St.)
229 E. Main Street
Elkton, MD 21921
R. 398-4440 C. 398-0933
46. Elkton 21921 Cherry Hill (Harvey Manchester, Jr.) 2
Baldwin (Elk Mills)
Cherry Hill (Elk Mills Rd.)
R.D. 4, Box 125
Elkton, MD 21921
R. 301-398-1544
47. North East 21901 North East-Bayview (Van T. Crawford) 3
Bayview (Bayview)
Bethel (Bethel Church Rd.)
R. F. D. 1, Box 100
North East, MD 21901
R. 287-5720
48. North East 21901 North East-Hart's (Robert O. Wallace) 1
Hart's
North East (308 S. Main St.)
308 S. Main Street
North East, MD 21901
R. 287-6520 C. 287-2220
49. Perryville 21903 Perryville-Principio (Charles G. Hurlock) 4
Perryville (Brd & Ssqhanna)
Principio (Principio Frnce)
Box 266
Perryville, MD 21903
R. 642-6328
50. Port Deposit 21904 Tome-Asbury (CEVERT A. LEWIS) 4
Asbury (Craigtown Rd.)
Cokesbury (nr Port Dep.)
Tome Memorial
Port Deposit, MD 21904
R. 378-4140 C. 378-3930
51. Warwick 21912 Warwick (James L. Hartman) 1
Olivet
Town Point (Town Point)
P. O. Box 7
Warwick, MD 21912
R. 755-6635
- West Cecil Parish: Harold E. Owens, Director
52. Colora 21917 Colora-Hopewell (J. Chapman O'Dell) 4
Hopewell
Mt. Pleasant
R. D. 1, Box 153
Colora, MD 21917
R. 658-6903
53. North East 21901 West Cecil Charge (Wm. J. E. Apsley) 1
Ebenezer (Ebenezer Ch. Rd.)
Rosebank (Rte 273, Calvert)
Zion
North East, MD 21901
R. 658-6074
54. Rising Sun 21911 Rising Sun: Janes (Harold E. Owens) 4
Box 242
Rising Sun, MD 21911
R. 658-5210

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

1. With Annuity Claim upon the Peninsula Conference

- Richard D. Bailey, Associate Council Director (6), (D:Camden-Woodside)
R. Jervis Cooke, Conference Council Director (6), (D:Wesley)
William O. Hackett, Administrator, Methodist Country House (7), (W:Hillcrest-Bellefonte)
Milton H. Keene, Administrator, Seaford Manor House (11), (D:Seaford-Mt. Olivet)
Nathaniel L. Miller, Associate Council Director (2), (D:Lincoln-Milford-Harrington)
David Riffe, Minister to Wesley Foundation, University of Delaware (9), (W:Newark)
Dale L. Ruth, Field Representative for Development and Promotion, Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc. (3), (D:Centenary)
John W. Simperts, Jr., Associate Council Director (2), (W:Grace)
J. Gordon Stapleton, Associate Council Director (7), (D:Avenue)
Robert W. Starrett, Chaplain, Wesley College (1), (D:Wesley)
Richard C. Stazesky, Executive Director of Church Home Foundation, Inc. (2), (W:Brandywine-Trinity)
Walter H. Stone, Associate Council Director (7), (D:Seaford-Mt. Olivet)
James M. Young, Executive Director, Methodist Action Program (4), (W:Peninsula-McCabe)

2. Without Annuity Claim upon the Peninsula Conference

- Frederick M. Bruner, Family Therapist (2), (S:Trinity)
Charles D. Burge, Chaplain, U. S. Army (11), (W:Townsend)
W. Thomas Carter, Chaplain, U. S. Army (12), (W:Newark)
John W. Coleman, Executive Secretary, Office of Community Developers, National Division, Board of Global Ministries (7), (W:Ezion-Mt. Carmel)
C. Richard Cox, Crime Prevention Association of Philadelphia (9), (W:Silverbrook-Haven)
Garland S. Gammon, Division of Adult Correction, Department of Health and Social Services, State of Delaware (8), (W:Calvary-Eastlake)
William D. Geoghegan, Professor of Religion, Bowdoin College (23), (W:Christiana-Kirkwood)
Walter A. Glass, Assistant Professor of Mathematics and Physics, Cedar Crest College (18), (W:Christiana-Salem)
Richard L. Hamilton, Director of Md.'s Drug Abuse Administration, (W:Aldersgate)
C. Chapman Herrman, Jr., Assistant Professor of Sociology, Western Md. College, Westminster, Md. (3), (W:North East-Bayview)
John F. Holden, Executive Director, West End Neighborhood House (2), (W:Harrison Street)
Edwin J. Horney, Chaplain, Delaware Home and Hospital for the Chronically Ill (9), (D:Smyrna)
Robert D. Howell, Chaplain, Veterans' Administration Hospital, Albany, New York (2), (W:St. Paul's)
Donald W. Kauber, Director of Information & Ed. Dept. of Planned Parenthood of Vermont (7), (W:Brandywine-Trinity)
*Kenneth W. Livingston, Exec. Director of Wesley Social Center, Los Angeles, Calif. (6), (W:Ezion-Mt. Carmel)
Thomas R. Merrill, Chaplain, U. S. Army (14), (E:Vienna-Elliotts)
Alton S. Miller, Field Representative, Finance and Field Service, National Division, Board of Global Ministries (8), (E:Zion-Cambridge)
Gary O. Parker, Oriental Missionary Society, Greenwood, IN (6), (E:Dorchester)
Harrell W. Pitsenbarger, Field Representative, Finance and Field Service, National Division, Board of Global Ministries (2), (E:Federalsburg-Concord)
Dale R. Pruett, Area Extension Agent — Community Resource Development, Delaware State College (5), (D:Wyoming)

- D. Bruce Roberts, Assistant Professor of Christian Education, Scarritt College for Christian Workers (3), (W:Brandywine-Trinity)
 VINTON D. SHUFELT, Chaplain, Deer's Head Center and Holly Center, Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, State of Maryland (3), (S:Christ)
 Ronald W. Starnes, Associate Professor in Philosophy and Religion, Wesley College (10), (W:Odessa)
 Laurence H. Stookey, Associate Professor of Preaching and Worship, Wesley Theological Seminary (4), (W:Perryville)
 Simon N. Stubbs, Director of Community Services, Psychiatric Institute (3), (C:Jones Memorial)
 Omro M. Todd, Vice President for Academic Affairs & Academic Dean, Thiel College (7), (S:Princess Anne-Antioch)
 Joseph J. Tubbs, Wesley College Staff (3), (E:Chestertown)

TO ATTEND SCHOOL

- *Joseph G. Burris, Methodist Theological School in Ohio (1), (W:Cecilton)
 *Samuel M. Crossan, III, Vanderbilt University (4), (W:Grace)
 *Hervey W. Greer, Gammon Theological Seminary (2), (W:Ezion-Mt. Carmel)
 *Raymond T. Hopkins, III, Wesley Theological Seminary (1), (W:Asbury)
 *Colleen M. O'Sullivan, Duke University Divinity School (1), (W:Newark)
 *Paul H. Parsons, Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary (2), (S:Bates Memorial)
 *Harry A. Patterson, 3rd, Wesley Theological Seminary (1), (S:Delmar-St. Stephen's)
 *Floyd A. Twilley, Jr., Boston University School of Theology (2), (S:Bethesda)
 *Kenneth S. Valentine, Drew Theological Seminary (2), (E:St. Mark's)
 *Marlene L. Walters, Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary (1), (W:Aldersgate)
 James P. Walz, Drew University (1), (W:Mt. Lebanon)
 *Fred D. Wood, III, Wesley Theological Seminary (2), (D:Seaford-Mt. Olivet)
 *Keith E. Yorkdale, Wesley Theological Seminary (1), (W:Elkton)

DISABILITY LEAVE

- Charles H. Squires (5), (W:Colora-Hopewell)
 Floyd E. Waters (5), (W:Port Deposit)

SABBATICAL LEAVE

- Jerrold W. Knotts (S:Asbury)
 John A. Massimilla (D:Magnolia)
 Charles E. Strickler (S:Snow Hill-Bates)

SUPERNUMERARY

- Ronald P. Arms (1), (W:Brandywine-Trinity)
 George P. Kirk (7), (W:Colora-Hopewell)
 Robert L. Warner (1), (W:Warwick)

V. Roll Of Conference Members

A. Chronological Roll

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|------|----------------------|------|------------------------|
| 1914 | John N. Link | 1932 | Howard A. Amoss |
| 1914 | Essell P. Thomas | 1932 | Lee Elliott |
| | | 1932 | James M. Kay |
| 1916 | John P. George | 1932 | Henry N. Nicklas |
| | | 1932 | Walter H. Stone |
| 1918 | Gilbert S. Ross | 1932 | James J. Von Haged |
| 1918 | Oliver H. Spence | | |
| | | 1933 | Howard A. Bailey |
| 1919 | James O. Griffin | 1933 | S. Winston C. Crosse |
| 1919 | Guy E. Leister | 1933 | Ray W. Kirwan |
| | | 1933 | D'Arcy A. Littleton |
| 1920 | Charles E. Kincade | | |
| 1920 | Frank M. Volk | 1934 | John E. French |
| | | 1934 | Daniel T. Pritchard |
| 1922 | Seldon G. Dix | 1934 | Henry H. Schauer |
| 1922 | Thomas J. Turkington | 1934 | Charles P. Spencer |
| | | | |
| 1923 | F. B. Bailey | 1935 | Elmer L. Bennett |
| | | 1935 | Frank G. Buckley |
| 1924 | Harry N. Bailey | 1935 | Ewell E. Crockett |
| 1924 | Daniel L. Ridout | 1935 | Waldo L. Dise |
| | | 1935 | Harvey B. Flater |
| 1925 | John E. McBride | 1935 | Walter A. Glass |
| 1925 | Henry M. Parks | 1935 | Carlton M. Harris |
| | | 1935 | Richard C. Hubbard |
| 1926 | E. E. Coleman | 1935 | John E. Jones |
| 1926 | W. Irvin Collins | 1935 | Robert E. Van Cleaf |
| 1926 | W. A. Donoway | | |
| 1926 | Preston W. Spence | 1936 | Walter L. Beckwith |
| | | 1936 | Charles B. Hart |
| 1927 | John R. Diehl | 1936 | Elmer R. Shield |
| 1927 | Paul E. Reynolds | 1936 | Paul Thomas |
| | | 1936 | Frederick H. Truitt |
| 1928 | Charles D. Gerald | | |
| 1928 | James O'Neil | 1937 | John R. Shockley |
| 1928 | Albert M. B. Snapp | | |
| 1928 | Roy L. Tawes | 1938 | Kenneth M. Dickey |
| | | 1938 | Robert W. Hastings |
| 1929 | Charles I. Carpenter | 1938 | Donald O. Hornung |
| 1929 | H. F. Chandler, Jr. | 1938 | Milton H. Keene |
| 1929 | Grayson H. Wheatley | 1938 | Harry K. Krams |
| | | 1938 | J. Robert Mackey |
| 1930 | Henry T. Caldwell | 1938 | Paul E. McCoy |
| 1930 | William L. D. Lyght | 1938 | Brooks E. Reynolds |
| 1930 | Frank D. Milbury | 1938 | Charles H. Squires |
| 1930 | William C. Thomas | | |
| | | 1939 | David W. Baker |
| 1931 | Joseph B. Vaughn | 1939 | George W. Goodley, Jr. |

- 1940 Frank O. Baynard
 1940 William H. Hudson
 1940 Edgar V. Wimberly
- 1941 R. Jervis Cooke
 1941 Harold M. Davis
 1941 Edward J. Hemphill, Jr.
 1941 Ralph W. Hopkins
 1941 Alton S. Miller
- 1942 William O. Hackett
- 1943 Curtis W. Smith
 1943 Donzel C. Wildey
- 1944 Augustus Chancy
 1944 Perry O. Hill
- 1945 Ellwood W. Cursey
 1945 William D. Geoghegan
 1945 William H. Revelle, Jr.
 1945 William M. Tasco
 1945 Howell O. Wilkins
 1945 Joseph I. Williams
- 1947 Rudolph G. Given
 1947 Kenneth R. Rose
 1947 Dale L. Ruth
 1947 Samuel P. Sanders
 1947 Charles L. Willis
- 1948 Gerald A. Foster
 1948 Edwin J. Horney
- 1949 Otho Gracen Brewer, Jr.
 1949 William Hemphill, Jr.
 1949 J. Chapman O'Dell
 1949 Richard C. Stazesky
 1949 Edwin Charles Thomas, Jr.
- 1950 William B. Bundick
 1950 Albert J. Dredde
 1950 Howard Ernest Evans
 1950 William B. Hitchens
 1950 Harry C. Jeffers
 1950 Charles Trader
 1950 Samuel L. Wilkins
- 1951 Alfred Jason Blundon
 1951 Donald O. Clendaniel
 1951 Arley B. Golden
 1951 Willard L. Robinson, Jr.
- 1952 George O. Commodore
 1952 Joseph V. Holliday
- 1952 Chester E. Wilcox
- 1953 Charles E. Covington
 1953 George W. Cuff
 1953 John A. Irwin
 1953 Melvin E. Tingle
 1953 Harold E. Walton
- 1954 Edgar James Clawson, Sr.
 1954 Edward R. Wilkins
- 1955 Charles Edwin Lasbury
 1955 Roy Benjamin Phillips
- 1956 Dallas W. Butler
 1956 Charles Richard Cox
 1956 Walter H. Beckwith
 1956 William Dore
 1956 Howard Lee Gordy, Jr.
 1956 Clarence H. Hayes
 1956 Hubert F. Jicha, Jr.
 1956 Frank Lucia
 1956 William Henry Owens
 1956 W. Daniel Rich
 1956 David Riffe
 1956 John William Simperts
 1956 Kyle N. Smith
 1956 Joseph Gordon Stapleton
 1956 Ronald W. Starnes
 1956 Omro Milton Todd
- 1957 Charles Edward Barton, Jr.
 1957 Richard Douglas Bailey
 1957 Edward Browning Blevins
 1957 George C. Godfrey
 1957 Robert Wilkins Helms
 1957 Gerald M. Henderson
 1957 Charles H. Poukish
 1957 C. L. Reiter
 1957 Frederick C. Seyfert, Jr.
 1957 Olin J. Shockley, Jr.
 1957 Robert Preston Whitlock
- 1958 Ralph Andrew Ellis, Jr.
 1958 Garland S. Gammon
 1958 W. Hayward Greene
 1958 Nathaniel L. Miller
 1958 Romie H. Payne, Jr.
 1958 William D. Rich
 1958 Cledus Jackson Robinson
 1958 Lawrence Elmer Staton
- 1959 Ewart G. Hackshaw
 1959 Richard Lee Hamilton
 1959 Clayton E. Hammond

- 1959 Charles C. Huffman
 1959 Donald James Hurst
 1959 Chester C. Husted
 1959 Thomas Ray Merrill
 1959 David George Paul
- 1960 Charles Douglas Burge
 1960 Carrol Scott
 1960 Thomas Crawford Short
 1960 Ira D. Steckman
 1960 Laurence Hull Stookey
- 1961 Ronald Warren Bergman
 1961 John W. Coleman
 1961 Charles Chapman Herrman, Jr.
 1961 Richard R. Hicks
 1961 Everett C. Isaacs
 1961 Donald W. Kauber
 1961 Harrel Warren Pitsenbarger
 1961 Irvin Raymond Pusey
 1961 John Thomas Randolph
 1961 Charles Edward Strickler
 1961 Thomas Joseph Wall
 1961 Floyd E. Waters
 1961 James M. Young
- 1962 Felton E. May
 1962 Kendall Kane McCabe
 1962 Dale Ross Pruett
 1962 D. Bruce Roberts
 1962 Harold Preston Spedden
 1962 Simon N. Stubbs
 1962 Lawrence E. Wimbrow
- 1963 Fred M. Bruner
 1963 William Thomas Carter
 1963 Conrad Maurice Cohen
 1963 George P. Kirk
 1963 Jerrold Wayne Knotts
 1963 Alvin J. Willink
 1963 Dan Edward Walker
- 1964 Clifford Arnett Armour, Jr.
 1964 Widmon Butler, Jr.
 1964 George Lehmann Stellges
- 1965 John Francis Holden
 1965 Buford Eugene Painter
 1965 William Reber Pittman
 1965 John A. Massimilla
 1965 Charles Milton Moyer
 1965 Gary W. Trail
- 1966 William T. Archer, Jr.
 1966 Ronald Paul Arms
- 1966 Nelson B. Benjamin
 1966 Alexander Louis Boda
 1966 Charles Gallagher Hurlock
 1966 Robert W. Starrett
 1966 Robert Lee Thomas
- 1967 Earl LeRoy Magill
 1967 Gary Otis Parker
 1967 Charles William Walz
- 1968 Paul Thomas McKelvey
 1968 Harold Eston Owens
 1968 Jack Steward Smith
- 1969 Terry Waxton Armstrong
 1969 Joseph Cooper Bostick
 1969 Donald Otis Clendaniel, II
 1969 Van Talmadge Crawford, Jr.
 1969 William Miles Fitzhugh, Jr.
 1969 Robert Dennis Howell
 1969 Herbert N. F. G. Nurse
 1969 Douglas Milton Ridley
 1969 Jesse Henry Walker
- 1970 Irvin Miller Behm, Jr.
 1970 John N. Brittain
 1970 Bruce Edward Cooke
 1970 Robert Lee Harris
 1970 Edward Calmar Goodley
 1970 Henry Sterling Green
 1970 Charles Robert Greene III
 1970 John Ronald Owens
 1970 James W. Riley
 1970 Frank Edward Tulak
 1970 John William Van Tine
 1970 James Paul Walz
- 1971 Ray Francis Graham
 1971 Robert Granville Kelley
 1971 Harvey Manchester, Jr.
 1971 Gary Lee Meekins
 1971 Norman Lawrence Poultney
 1971 Gary Stuart Tulak
 1971 Robert Lewis Warner
 1971 Fred David Weber
- 1972 Glenn Paul Catley
 1972 Thomas Woodrow Hurley
 1972 Howard Paul Ketterman, Sr.
 1972 Harley Henry Krause
 1972 Kenneth R. Varrel
- 1974 Jonathan Edwin Baker
 1974 Thomas Peter Donnachie III
 1974 Kenneth Wayne Grier

1974 Donald Eugene Hamilton
 1974 Vaughn Arzah Johnson
 1974 Wayne McCoy
 1974 Gary L. Moore
 1974 Ellsworth Price Woodruff

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1970 Lloyd Rowland Foard
 1970 Kenneth Wesley Livingston

1972 Samuel Willard Crossan
 1972 Thomas Chester Short
 1972 Dorothy Evelyn White

1973 Charles Austin Donophan

1974 James Maurice Caldwell
 1974 Greg Wayne Hill
 1974 Michael Lee Price
 1974 William Travis Sterling
 1974 Alfred E. Taylor
 1974 Keith Elbers Yorkdale

1975 Hervey W. Greer
 1975 Robert Paul Hall
 1975 John Franklin Mitchell
 1975 Paul Hardy Parsons
 1975 George Harrington Radway
 1975 Richard C. Rash
 1975 Floyd A. Twilley
 1975 Kenneth Steven Valentine
 1975 Fred Dickson Wood III

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1976 Joseph Glenn Burris
 1976 Richard Edward Green
 1976 James Lee Hartman
 1976 Raymond Thomas Hopkins III
 1976 Gonzalee Matthews
 1976 Edward Timothy Moore
 1976 Colleen Marie O'Sullivan
 1976 Harry Alton Patterson III
 1976 Marlene Louise Walters

B. Alphabetical Roll And Directory

Members of Conference, Accepted Supplies with Post Office Address if Different from Appointment, Widows, Lay Members of the Conference with their Post Office Addresses.

NOTE: The letters designate: (AM) Associate Members; (D) Deacon; (E) Elder; (LP) Lay Pastors; (P) Probationer; (R) Retired; (SY) Supernumerary; (SL) Sabbatical Leave; (DL) Disability Leave. The figures in the first column indicate the year of admission on trial; those in the last column, the year of appointment or relation, the Roman Numerals indicate the Board or Agency being served on. (The wife's name is listed directly under the member's name.)

The Roman Numerals designate:

- I. Board of Church and Society
- II. Board of Discipleship
- III. Board of Global Ministries
- IV. Board of Higher Education and Ministry
- V. Board of Child Care
- VI. Board of Directors - Wesley Foundations
 - A. Delaware State
 - B. University of Delaware
 - C. University of Maryland - Eastern Shore
 - D. Washington College
- VII. Board of Laity
- VIII. Board of Ministry
- IX. Board of Pensions
- X. Board of Trustees - Conference
- XI. Board of Trustees - Homes and Hospitals
- XII. Board of Trustees - Wesley College
- XIII. Commission on Archives and History
- XIV. Commission on Religion and Race
- XV. Committee on Disability
- XVI. Committee on Ministerial Benefits (under Finance & Administration)
- XVII. Conference Committees
 - A. Annual Conference Arrangements
 - B. Episcopal Residence
 - C. Equitable Salary
 - D. Investigation
 - E. Nominations
- XVIII. Council on Finance and Administration
- XIX. Council on Ministries
- XX. Delmarva Ecumenical Agency
- XXI. Commission on Status and Role of Women
- XXII. District Committees
 - Dover
 - Easton
 - Salisbury
 - Wilmington
- XXIII. United Methodist Women
- XXIV. Youth Ministries
- XXV. General and Jurisdictional Board Members

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1932	Amoss, H. M. (Ernestine O.)		R		233 S. 48th Lane P. O. Box 145, Cape Coral, Fla. 33904	4
1966	Archer, Wm. T., Jr. (Louise Marguerite)	I	E	Princess Anne-Antioch	623 N. Somerset Ave. Princess Anne, Md. 21853	2
1964	Armour, C. A. Jr. (Jeanette)	XVII	E	Ocean City	P. O. Box 88 Ocean City, Md. 21842	2
1966	Arms, Ronald P.		ESY		1118 N. Hilton Road Wilm., Del. 19803	1
1969	Armstrong, T. W. (single)	X	E	Millington-Asbury	Box I, Cyprus Street Millington, Md. 21651	6
1923	Bailey, F. B. (Laura Ann)		R		351 Nimitz Rd. White Oak Farms Dover, DE 19901	15
1933	Bailey, H. A. (Nora Jefferson)		R		111 Elder Avenue Yeadon, Pa. 19050	5
1924	Bailey, H. N. (Mildred Edith)		R		Greenspring Ave. Perryville, Md. 21903	24
1957	Bailey, R. D. (Ellen J.)	XI	E	Assoc. Council Dir.	174 Fairfield Drive Dover, DE 19901	6
1939	Baker, David W. (Florence E.)	VI	E	Dist. Supt. Salis. Dist.	1404 Camden Ave. Salisbury, Md. 21801	3
1973	Baker, Jonathan E. (Donna K.)	I	E	Cecilton	P. O. Box 326 Cecilton, Md. 21913	2
	Barclay, Howard F.	I	AM	Deal Island Cir.	Nanticoke, Md. 21840	5
1957	Barton, C. E., Jr. (Mary Joyce)	IX	E	Elkton-Providence	229 E. Main Street Elkton, Md. 21921	4
1940	Baynard, F. O. (Elizabeth A.)	II	E	Lincoln Chg.	Lincoln, DE 19960	3
1956	Beckwith, W. H. (Constance)	XVIII	E	Chester: Bethel	2615 Foulk Road Wilm., DE 19803	2
1936	Beckwith, W. L. (Goldie May)		R		R. D. 3, Cambridge, Md. 21613	2
1970	Behm, Irvin M., Jr. (single)	I	E	Goldsboro Chg.	Goldsboro, Md. 21636	2
1966	Benjamin, Nelson (Nancy K.)		E	Crisfield: Asbury	Rt. 1, Box 231-A Crisfield, Md. 21817	2
1935	Bennett, E. L.		R		8901 Biscayne Dr. East Ocean City, Md. 21842	5
1961	Bergman, R. W. (Mary Lewis Davis)	III	E	Skyline	5401 Crestline Rd. Hills of Skyline Wilm., DE 19808	11
1969	Bishop, George W. (Evelyn H.)		AMR		Willards, Md. 21874	5
1962	Black, William H. (Judith Ann)		LPE	Dela. City-Kirkwood	10-1 Amstel Drive, New Castle, DE 19720	14
1974	Blackburn, James C. (Elizabeth B.)	III	AME	Pastor-Ecumenical Church at Glasgow, DE	Box 177, R. D. 1 Middletown, DE 19709	3

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1967	Blevins, Ed. B. (Ruth Evelyn)	II, XVII	E	Kingswood	300 Marrows Rd. Brookside Blvd. Newark, DE 19713	7
1951	Blundon, A. J. (Doris Miller)	VI, VIII, XI	E	Chestertown Christ	Campus Ave. Chestertown, Md. 21620	10
1966	Boda, A. L. (Betty Jean)		E	Tilghman	Tilghman, Md. 21671	11
1969	Bostick, J. C. (O. June)	XVII	E	Fruitland: St. John's	Fruitland, Md. 21826	2
1949	Brewer, O. G., Jr. (Frances Eunice) Brittain, John N. (Eileen)	XVIII	E	Laurel: Centenary Assoc. Bethesda, Salisbury	133 Oakland Dr. Laurel, DE 19956 101 Oakdale Road Salisbury, Md. 21801	2
1969	Brown, Claude (Mary)	XVII	AME	Asbury Chg.	601 Main Street Sharptown, Md. 21861	2
1964	Bruner, F. M.		E	Family Therapist	313 Lemmon Hill Lane, Salisbury, Md. 21801	5
1969	Bryant, C. R.		AMR		Millington, Md. 21651	1
1935	Buckley, F. G. (Kathryn Cooper)		R		Sharptown, Md. 21861	5
1950	Bundick, W. B. (Mary G.)		E	Lewes-Bethel	130 W. 4th Street Lewes, DE 19958	8
1960	Burge, Charles D. (Eileen)		E	Chaplain, U. S. Army	Ft. Richardson, APO Seattle 98749	11
	Burke, Clarence Russell (Frances B.)		LPD	Stockton-Shiloh	Rt. 2, Box 26 Eden, Md. 21822	13
1976	Burris, Joseph B. (single)		PD	School	Box 352, Cecilton, Md. 21913	1
1956	Butler, Dallas W. (Lucille M.)		E	Crisfield-Immanuel	Crisfield, Md. 21817	8
1964	Butler, Widmon, Jr. (Alice Washington)	I, X	E	Middletown: Summit	701 S. Cox Street Middletown, DE 19709	2
1971	Byrd, Calvin C. (Marie Boyer)	III, X	AME	Bridgeville Ct.	Bridgeville, DE 19933	5
1930	Caldwell, Henry T.		R		Galena, Md. 21635	12
1974	Caldwell, James M. (single)		PD	Bethel-Concord-Wesley	Pine Street, Seaford, DE 19973	1
1929	Carpenter, C. I. (Miriam D.)		R		P. O. Box 206 Milford, DE 19963	8
1963	Carter, Wm. T. (Judy)		E	Chaplain, U. S. Army	Ft. Lewis, Wash. 98433	12
1972	Catley, Glenn P., Jr. (R. Elaine)	II	E	Dagsboro-Bethel	Dagsboro, DE 19939	3
1969	Caulk, Jacob C. (Marion)		AMR		Rt. 1, Box 340 East Millsboro, DE 19966	4
1944	Chancy, Augustus (Grace)		R		Box 1437, Easton Md. 21601	7

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1929	Chandler, H. F. (Adelaide Ballenger)		R		227 Fiddler's Green Dover, DE 19901	5
1971	Chase, Harvey G. (Mary B.)	II	AME	Harrison St.	623 N. Harrison St. Wilm., DE 19805	1
1954	Clawson, E. J. (Eleanor Jean)		E	Wingate-St. Thomas	Wingate, Md. 21675	1
1951	Clendaniel, D. O., Sr. (Helen Dickerson)	IX	E	Claymont- Atonement	44 Seminole Ave. Claymont, DE 19703	5
1969	Clendaniel, D. O. II (Ann Elizabeth)		E	Roxana Chg.	R. D. 2, Frankford DE 19945	6
1963	Cohen, C. M. (Joann Campbell)	VIII	E	Federalsburg: Christ	109 Park Lane Federalsburg, Md. 21632	11
1926	Coleman, E. E. (E. Louise)		R		7 Elberly Dr., Chapel Hill, Newark, DE 19711	11
1961	Coleman, John W. (Katherine Lucy)		E	Field Rep. Dept. Urban Ministries, Natl. Div. Bd. of Missions	85 VanArsdale Place Teaneck, N. J. 07666	7
1926	Collins, W. I. (Audie Elizabeth)		R		Route 1, Box 781 Lancaster, Va. 23503	7
1952	Commodore, G. O. (Janet H.)	III	E	Cambridge- Waugh	402 Pine Street Cambridge, Md. 21613	8
1972	Conner, Harry H. (Betsy A.)		R		207 Greenwood Rd. Wilm., DE 19804	5
1969	Conway, James A. (Irene P.)		AMR	Mt. Vernon- Grace	Box 1181 Tyaskin, Md. 21865	9
1970	Cooke, Bruce E. (Gail)	I	E	Snow Hill: Bates Memorial	P. O. Box 13 Snow Hill, Md. 21863	1
1941	Cooke, R. J. (Mary Frances)	XII, XVII	E	Pen. Conf. Council Director	506 Westwood Drive Dover, DE 19901	6
1953	Covington, C. D. (Gladys Jane R.)	III	E	Union	1217 McKennon's Church Rd., Wilm., DE 19808	2
1966	Cox, C. Richard (Julie Ann)		E	Crime Prevention Assoc. of Phila.	6814 Ardleigh St. Phila., Pa. 19119	9
1964	Crawford, V. T., Jr. (single)		E	North East- Bayview	R.F.D. 1, Box 83 North East, Md. 21901	3
1935	Crockett, E. E. (Eloise Wesley)		R		R.F.D., Seaford DE 19973	12
1972	Crossan, S. W., III (single)		PD	School	1504 Hayden Dr. Nashville, Tn. 37206	4
1933	Crosse, S.W.C. (Iris E.)		R		c/o Dr. St. George Crosse 1615 Decatur St. Washington, D.C. 20011	4
1953	Cuff, G. Wayne (Mary)	VIII, XII, XVII	E	Hillcrest: Bellefonte	8 White Oak Road, Wilm., DE 19809	2
1945	Cursey, E. W. (Elsie L.)		R		St. Michaels, Md. 21663	5
1941	Davis, H. M. (Shirley)	II	E	Easton-St. Mark's	522 Trippe Ave. Easton, Md. 21601	11

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1971	Dennis, Edgar N. (Sara E.)		AMD	Crisfield- Shiloh	Rt. 1, Box 336 Eden, Md. 21822	5
1968	Dennis, Louis R. (Madeline)		R		112 Devonshire Rd. Fairfax, Wilm., DE 19803	9
1972	Dennis, Roland W. (Loistine P.)	III	AMD	Oxford- Williamsburg	715 Bradley Avenue Cambridge, Md. 21613	7
1938	Dickey, K. M. (Florrie Marie)		E	Greensboro: Burrsville	P. O. Box 57 Greensboro, Md. 21639	2
1927	Diehl, J. R.		R		Louise Ave., Box 138 Salisbury, Md. 21801	20
1935	Dise, W. L.		R		Box 35, Bivalve, Md. 21814	9
1922	Dix, Seldon G. (Ellis A.)		R		P. O. Box 222 Bridgeville, DE 19933	10
1972	Donnachie, Tom P. (Judith Ann)	III	E	Odessa	Main St. Odessa, DE 19730	3
1926	Donoway, W. A.		R		201 Powell Ave. Salisbury, Md. 21801	16
1973	Donophan, Chas. A. (Nancy Clair)	III	PD	Queen Anne Chg.	Box 267 Queen Anne, Md. 21657	3
1956	Dore, William (Ruth C.)	I	E	Snow Hill: Whatcoat	102 W. Federal Street Snow Hill, Md. 21863	5
1970	Doughten, J. B., Jr. (Mary Evelyn)	XVII	AME	Greenwood Chg.	P. O. Box 31 Greenwood, DE 19950	3
1970	Downing, Ivon P. (Helen Ruth)	I	AME	Clarksville: St. George's	Clarksville, DE 19937	3
1950	Dredden, A. J. (Deborah E.)	VIII, X	E	Laurel- Delmar	409 W. 6th Street Laurel, DE 19956	9
1932	Elliott, Lee (single)		R		214 Lewis Drive Lake Manor, Laurel DE 19956	5
1958	Ellis, Ralph A., Jr. (Veda)	IX, XI	E	Richardson Park	11 N. Maryland Avenue Richardson Park Wilm., DE 19804	7
1950	Evans, Howard E. (Lois Almata)		E	Milton: Goshen	103 Mulberry St. Milton, DE 19968	2
1974	Fansler, Kenneth G. (Evelyn)	IV	AME	Assoc. Alders- gate	1014 Faun Road Graylyn Crest Wilm., DE 19806	4
1969	Fitzhugh, W. M., Jr. (Christine)	VIII, XIII	E	Georgetown:	300 E. Market Street Georgetown, DE 19947	3
1935	Flater, H. B. (Louise M.)		R		506 4th Street Denton, Md. 21629	1
1970	Foard, Lloyd R. (Pat)		PD	Newark	P. O. Box 36 Newark, Md. 21841	3
	Ford, Warren J.		LPD	Salisbury: Riservise	Delmar, DE 19940	8
1948	Foster, G. A. (Elizabeth S.)	XI, XIII	E	Bridgeville: Union	101 Laws Street Bridgeville, DE 19931	2
1934	French, J. E.	X	E	Rehoboth Beach: Epworth	19 Baltimore Ave. Rehoboth Beach DE 19971	2
1968	Gammon, G. S. (single)		E	Staff, Youth Service Com. of DE	45 Central Terrace, No. 7 Clifton Pk. Wilm., DE 19802	8

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1969	Garrett, Wm. J. (Sarah Hayes)		R		RD 4, Box 705, Delshire Dover, DE 19901	2
1945	Geoghegan, W. D. (Sarah P.)		E	Prof. Religion, Bowdoin College	40 Federal Street Brunswick, Me. 04011	23
1916	George, J. P. (Amelia)		R		R. D. 2, Milton, DE 19968	28
1928	Gerald, C. D. (Melinda P.)		R		R.D. 2, Box 152C Eden, Md. 21822	10
1969	Gibbs, Marie F.		LPD	Boyer's Chapel	R.D. No. 1, Box 124 Worton, Md. 21678	5
1947	Given, R. Gordon (Lois Frances)		E	Frederica Charge	Frederica, DE 19946	5
1970	Gladden, Edward M. (Mary)		AME	Calvary- Eastlake	2921 Tatnall St. Wilm., DE 19802	1
1969	Gladden, H. H. (Betty Lou)	II	AME	Hebron	Box 331, Hebron, Md. 21830	11
1935	Glass, W. A. (Eleanor Adeline)		E	Prof., Cedar	1931 Highland Street Allentown, Pa. 18104	18
1957	Godfrey, George C. (Carolyn L.)		E	Seaford-St. John's	239 W. Conwell Street Seaford, DE 19973	8
1951	Golden, A. B. (Sarah)	X	E	Christ	6 White Kirk Dr. Wilm., DE 19808	3
1970	Goodley, Edward C. (Nancy Ann)		E	Mardela Springs	Box 126, Mardela Springs Md. 21837	4
1939	Goodley, G. W. (Margaret E.)	XIV	E	Assoc., Asbury- Minquadale	134 Colesbury Drive Penn Acres, New Castle, DE 19720	5
1956	Gordy, H. L., Jr. (Beverly Clow)	VIII	E	Salisbury: Trinity	403 N. Division St. Salisbury, Md. 21801	2
1971	Graham, Ray F. (Nancy)		E	Trappe: Bruceville	Box 46, Trappe Md. 21673	1
1971	Grattan, Harold N. (Bernice O.)		AMR		Box 72, Snow Hill Md. 21863	4
1970	Green, H. Sterling (Nettie P.)	IV	E	Georgetown: Indian Mission	102 E. Laurel St. Georgetown, DE 19947	2
1976	Green, Richard E. (Mary Lou)		PD	Upper Fairmount	Box 165-1, Upper Fairmount, Md. 21867	2
1970	Greene, C. R., III		E	Assoc., St. Paul's Wilm.	21198 Prior Road Wilm., DE 19809	2
1958	Greene, W. Hayward (A. Madeline)	XIV	E	Salisbury: Wesley Temple	RD 2, Box 182, West Rd. Salisbury, Md. 21801	2
1971	Greene, Wallace L. (Mabel)		AME	Taylor's Island	R.D. 1, Box 14 Preston, Md. 21655	14
1975	Greer, Hervey W. (single)		PD	School	2121 Sheridan Rd. Evanston, Ill. 60201	2
	Griffin, James O.		R		Stevens Smith Homes 4400 W. Girard, Philadelphia, Pa. 19104	10
1973	Grier, Kenneth W. (single)	III	E	West Harrington Charge	63 Commerce Street Harrington, DE 19952	2
1969	Hackett, Thaddeus (Esther E.)		AMR		206 West Street Harrington, DE 19952	1
1942	Hackett, W. O. (Marian R.)		E	Administrator, Methodist Country House	105 Oxford Place, Alapocas, Wilm., DE 19803	7

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1959	Hackshaw, E. C. (Peggy Rose)	XVII, XVIII	E	Berlin Circuit	Box 15, Berlin, Md. 21811	10
1975	Hall, Robert P. (single)		PD	Church Creek Chg.	Box 46, Church Creek, Md. 21622	2
1974	Hamilton, Donald E. (Joanne)	V, VIII	E	St. Michaels- Royal Oak	210 Talbot Street St. Michaels, Md. 21663	2
1959	Hamilton, R. L. (Marjorie B.)		E	Dir. of Md.'s Drug Abuse Admin.	7136 Redtop Road Hummelstown, Pa. 17036	3
1959	Hammond, C. E. (Anna B.)	VII, VIII	E	Dover, Whatcoat	880 Forest Street Dover, DE 19901	3
1971	Handy, Clarence E. (Margaret)		AME	Oakville- Cottage Grove	Tyaskin, Md. 21865	23
1935	Harris, Carlton M. (Lucy Cave)		R		56 Westmoreland St. Westminster, Md. 21157	6
1970	Harris, Robert L. (Lena Kay)	VIII	E	Clayton Chg.	P. O. Box 266 Clayton, DE 19938	3
1936	Hart, Charles B. (Theodora T.)	I, VI	E	Newark	102 Bent Lane Newark, DE 19711	6
1976	Hartman, James L. (single)		PD	Warwick	P. O. Box 7 Warwick, Md. 21912	1
1938	Hastings, R. W. (Madilyn Elizabeth)		R		105 E. 3rd Street Seaford, DE 19973	24
1957	Hays, Clarence H. (Patricia Jane)		E	Centreville	220 Broadway Centreville, Md. 21617	3
1967	Helms, R. W. (Florence Jane)	II	E	Ebenezer- Newark	R. D. 3, Newark, DE 19711	11
1941	Hemphill, E. J., Jr. (Reba F.)		R		507 Selkirk Drive Winter Park, Fla. 32789	2
1949	Hemphill, Wm., Jr. (Sarah Foster)	XI	E	St. Paul's, Wilm.	4 Malvern Court Devon, Wilm. DE 19803	7
1957	Henderson, G. M. (Virginia Caroline)	XIII	E	Peniel	117 E. Market Street Wilm., DE 19804	4
1970	Henry, Phillip A. (Lois L.)		AME	Millington- Pondtown	Box 282, Odessa, DE 19730	7
1961	Herrman, C. C., Jr. (single)		E	Asst. Professor of Sociology	Western Md. College Westminster, Md. 21157	3
1969	Hilbert, James J. (Margaret E.)		AMR		114 Friendship Road Elkton, Md. 21921	6
1944	Hill, P. O. (Elizabeth B.)	IV, XVII	E	Assoc., Wilm. Aldersgate	2410 Carr Avenue Wilm., DE 19803	3
1974	Hill, Greg W. (Rosemary)		PD	St. John's- Moore's	Lewisville, Pa. 19351	4
1971	Hilton, Paul R. (Bernice N.)	IX, XI	AME	Coleman	425 Bethune Drive Dunleith, Wilm., DE 19801	4
1950	Hitchens, Wm. B. (Jean H.)	IX	E	Silverbrook: Haven	2203 Lancaster Ave. Wilm., DE 19805	2
1965	Holden, John F. (Sylvia)	XIV	E	Exec. Dir., West End Neighborhood House	710 N. Lincoln Street Wilmington, DE 19805	2
1954	Holliday, J. V. (Hilda Louise)	IV	E	Marshallton: Cedars	2716 Barnsley Rd. Wilm., DE 19808	2
1976	Hopkins, Raymond T.		PD	School	Carroll Hall 13 4400 Mass. Ave., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20016	1

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1941	Hopkins, R. W. (Annabel)		R		1055 28th Ave. N. Naples, Fla. 33940	28
1948	Horney, E. J. (Miriam H.)	IV	E	Chap. Del. Home & Hosp. for Chronically Ill	137 Sunnyside Road Smyrna, DE 19977	9
1938	Hornung, D. O. (Mary Virginia)		E	Berlin-Stevenson	18 S. Main Street Berlin, Md. 21811	
1969	Howell, R. D. (Elizabeth)		E	Chaplain-Veterans Admin. Hosp.	12 Slingerland St. Slingerlands, N.Y. 12159	2
1935	Hubbard, R. C. (Dorothy B.)		R		RD 3, Box 33 Cambridge, Md. 21613	1
1940	Hudson, W. H. (Dorothy W.)	IX, XII	E	Millsboro-Grace	Church Street Millsboro, DE 19966	4
1959	Huffman, Chas. C. (Daisy Margaret)	III	E	Federalsburg: Concord	206 W. Central Avenue Federalsburg, Md. 21632	2
1972	Hurley, Thomas W. (Janice J.)	V	E	Queenstown-Grasonville	Box 7, Queenstown Md. 21658	5
1966	Hurlock, Chas. G. (Linda L.)		E	Perryville-	Perryville, Md. 21903	4
1959	Hurst, D. J. (Mauvette F.)	II	E	Christiana-Salem	23 W. Main Street Christiana, DE 19702	1
1960	Hustead, Chester C. (Ruth)		R		Cardinal Drive Salisbury, Md. 21801	3
	Ireland, Gary		LPD	School		
1953	Irwin, J. A. (Edith H.)	VIII, IX, XVII	E	Selbyville-Salem	Selbyville, DE 19975	11
1961	Isaacs, E. C. (Catherine M.)	VIII, II, IX	E	Cambridge: Grace	308 Oakley St. Cambridge, Md. 21613	1
1969	Jackson, Edward H. (Elizabeth)		AME	Clarksville Charge	Clarksville, DE 19937	3
1950	Jeffers, H. C. (Rebecca P.)		R		P. O. Box 63, College Corner, Ohio 45003	17
1962	Jicha, H. F., Jr. (Eleanor L.)		E	Millsboro: Zoar	Box 233, 244 River Millsboro, DE 19966	4
1974	Johnson, Vaughn A. (Debbie)	II, VI	E	Princess Anne: Metropolitan	33 E. Broad Street Princess Anne, Md. 21853	2
1935	Jones, John E. (Inez G.)		R		2301 W. 12th Street Wilm., DE 19805	2
1971	Jones, Lewis R. (Rebecca)		AME	Chester-Stevenville	R. D. 1, Box 295 Chester, Md. 21619	4
1961	Kauber, Donald W. ()		E	Dir. of Information & Ed., Dept. of Planned Parenthood	19 Church St. Burlington, Vt. 05461	7
1932	Kay, J. M. (Philena Kay)		R		R. D. 2 Finksburg, Md. 21048	9
1938	Keene, M. H. (Dorothy A.)		E	Administrator-Seafood Manor House	401 Riverside Drive Seafood, DE 19973	11
1971	Kelly, Robert G. (Ann B.)		E	Laurel-Mt. Pleasant	Central Avenue Laurel, DE 19956	4
1970	Kester, Edward E. (Susan M.)	VIII	E	Galena	Box 107 Galena, Md. 21653	3
1972	Ketterman, H. P., Sr.	X	E	Sudlersville	Sudlersville, Md. 21668	4
1920	Kincade, C. E. (single)		R		2618 W. 6th Street Chester, Pa. 19013	7

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1964	Kirk, George P. (Betty Ann)		ESY		309 Gayview Drive Charleston, W. Va. 25306	7
1933	Kirwan, R. W. (Alberta T.)		R		R.D. 2, Box 331 Milford, DE 19963	7
1963	Knotts, J. W. (Sally)	VIII	ESL		116 Tall Timber Lane Fruitland, Md. 21826	1
1938	Krams, H. K.		R		2706 Bardell Drive Wilm., DE 19808	5
1972	Krause, Harley H. (Blanche A. K.)	II	E	Parsonsburg	Box 88 Parsonsburg, Md. 21849	3
1955	Lasbury, C. E. (Kaylene M.)	XVIII	E	Hockessin	Box 185 Hockessin, DE 19707	8
1976	Ledbetter, Pam		P	Magnolia Chg.	P. O. Box 256 Magnolia, DE 19962	1
1971	Lee, Edward W.	XII	AME	Salisbury-Quantico	RFD 1, Box 66 Salisbury, Md. 21801	13
1969	Lee, Jeremiah, Jr. (Minnie)		AME	Queenstown-Carmichael	R.D. 1, Box 205 Queenstown, Md. 21658	2
1919	Leister, G. E. (Ruth)		R		Millsboro, DE 19966	18
1971	Lewis, Cevert A. (Shirley)		AME	Tome-Asbury	100 N. Main St. Port Deposit, Md. 21904	4
1969	Lewis, David T. (Caroline)		AME	Girdletree-Coolspring	Girdletree, Md. 21829	8
1914	Link, J. N. (Jinnie Elizabeth)		R		Meth. Manor House 1001 Middleford Rd. Seaford, DE 19973	15
1933	Littleton, D. A. (Marie W.)		R		N. Church St., P. O. Box 148, Sudlersville Md. 21668	8
1970	Livingston, Kenneth W.		PD	Exec. Dir., Wesley Social Service Center	11687 Montana Ave. Brentwood, Calif. 90049	6
1956	Lucia, Frank (Helen A.)	XI	E	Milford-Avenue	424 Kings Highway Milford, DE 19963	2
1950	Lyght, W. L. D.		R		712 W. 20th St. Wilmington, DE 19802	9
1938	Mackey, J. R. (Jayne S.)		R		c/o Pasadena Community Church, 112 70th St. St. Petersburg, Fla. 33707	2
1967	Magill, Earl (LeWanda Ruth)	XVII	E	Ocean View	Ocean View, DE 19970	7
	Maloney, Lester H. Martin, Lewis A.		LPE			
			LP	Still Pond-Betterton	Box 36 Still Pond, Md. 21667	1
1971	Manchester, H., Jr. (single)	I	E	Cherry Hill	RD 4, Box 125, Elkton, Md. 21921	2
1965	Massimilla, J. A. (Edna M.)		ESL		25 Sixth Street Rehoboth Beach DE 19971	1
1975	Matthews, Gonzalee (Cynthia)		PD	Mt. Vernon: Grace	623 N. Somerset Avenue Princess Anne, Md. 21853	2
1962	May, Felton E. (Phyllis H.)	VI, XII	E	Dist. Supt., Easton District	215 S. Hanson Street Easton, Md. 21601	2

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1925	McBride, J. E. (Mattie)		R		P. O. Box 84 Fruitland, Md. 21826	12
1962	McCabe, K.K. (single)	VIII	E	Seaford: Mt. Olivet	758 Nylon Blvd. Seaford, DE 19973	2
1938	McCoy, P. E. (Althea Hite Cooley)	XVIII	E	Wilmington-St. Mark's	1210 Flint Hill Road Arundel, Wilm., DE 19808	3
1974	McCoy, Wayne (single)	II	E	Federalburg:	206 Denton Road Federalburg, Md. 21632	2
1968	McKelvey, Paul Thomas (Karen E.)		E	Assoc., Grace-Wilm.	1500 Bedford Rd. Deerhurst, Wilm. DE 19803	5
1972	Medzarentz, Haig S. (Elsie C.)	AMD		Church Hill: Price	Box 6, Church Hill, Md. 21623	2
1971	Meekins, Gary L. (Judith)	IX	E	Lewes Charge	Rt. 1, Box 112 Lewes, DE 19958	3
1959	Merrill, T. R. (Carolyn R.)		E	Chaplain, U. S. Army	Post Chapel Center Fort Ord, Calif. 93941	14
1930	Milbury, F. D. (Lillian J.)		R		223 N. Bradford St. Dover, DE 19901	7
1941	Miller, A. S. (Carol J.)		E	Staff, Dept. of Finance & Field Serv., Bd. of Missions	7 Algonquin Road Cambridge, Md. 21613	8
1958	Miller, Nathaniel L. (Sasha)		E	Assoc. Council Director	551 Westwood Dr. Dover, DE 19901	2
1969	Mills, Walter J. (Emma L.)	AMR			P. O. Box 547 Fruitland, Md. 21826	3
1974	Minker, Ralph L., Sr. (Ruth Edna)		R		105 Sharpley Rd. Sharpley, Wilm., DE 19802	3
1975	Mitchell, John F. (single)	PD		Nanticoke-Bivalve	123 Main Street Nanticoke, Md. 21840	2
1976	Moore, Edward T. (single)	PD		Hoopers Island	Fishing Creek, Md. 21654	1
1973	Moore, Gary L. (Cylinda W.)	II	E	Quantico-Rockawalkin	RFD 1, Hebron Md. 21830	2
	Mott, J. Arthur		LP	Neavitt:	Maple Avenue Trappe, Md. 21673	3
1965	Moyer, C. M. (Dorothy A.)	III	E	Camden-Woodside	38 S. Main Street Camden, DE 19934	6
1976	Newsome, Melvin T.	PM		Ridgely-Marydel	Rt. 1, Box 365 Ridgely, Md. 21660	1
1932	Nichlas, H. N. (Mary H.)		R		14 Penn. Avenue Milford, DE 19963	11
1969	Nurse, H. N. F. G.		R		c/o Kansas Newman College, 3100 McCormick Avenue, Wichita, Kn. 67213	3
1951	O'Dell, J. C. (Emily Z.)		E	Colora-Hopewell	R. D. 1, Box 153 Colora, Md. 21917	4
1928	O'Neil, James (Myrtle May)		R		Box 286 A, R.D. 2 Laurel, DE 19956	17
1971	Opher, Hester R.	II	AME	Easton-Miles River	R. D. 1, Box 412 Easton, Md. 21601	18
1976	O'Sullivan, Colleen M. (single)	PD		School	10 S. Dillwyn Road Windy Hills Newark, DE 19711	1

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1968	Owens, Harold E. (Cherie Ann)	III	E	Rising Sun-Janes	Box 242, Rising Sun Md. 21911	4
1970	Owens, John R. (Nancy)	V	E	Assoc., Salisbury Asbury	1214 Frederick Avenue Salisbury, Md. 21801	2
1956	Owens, W. H. (Marilyn H.)	IX, XI, XVII	E	Cambridge: Zion	610 Locust Street Cambridge, Md. 21613	5
1965	Painter, B. E. (Nora H.)		E	Hurlock-Unity-Washington	Box 298 Hurlock, Md. 21643	7
1967	Parker, Gary O. (Sara M.)		E	Oriental Missionary Society	Box A Greenwood, Ind. 45142	6
1925	Parks, H. M. (Leah E.)		R		311 Marsh Rd., Hillcrest Wilmington, DE 19809	15
1975	Parson, Paul H. (single)		PD	School	Box 329, Gordon-Conwell Sem., South Hamilton, Mass. 01982	1
1976	Patterson, Harry A. (single)		PD	School	Mt. Hermon Rd. & S. Kaywood Dr., Route 7 Salisbury, Md. 21801	1
1959	Paul, David G. (Peggy A.)		E	Felton Charge	Main Street Felton, DE 19943	4
1958	Payne, R. H., Jr. (Lorraine)		E	Laurel: Christ	601 S. Central Avenue Laurel, DE 19956	1
1955	Phillips, Roy B. (Thelma W.)	V	E	Kent Island	Harbor View, Md. 21619	16
1961	Pitsenbarger, H. W. (Mary Frances)		E	Field Repr., Finance & Field Serv., Natl. Div., Bd. of Global Ministries	113 W. Central Ave. Federalburg, Md. 21632	2
1965	Pittman, Wm. R. (Sharon)		E	Preston-Harmony	N. Main St., Box 655 Preston, Md. 21655	5
1959	Poukish, C. H. (Joyce Louise)		E	Delmar: St. Stephens	102 State Street Delmar, DE 19940	1
1971	Poultney, N. L. (Sally)		E	Cambridge: Choptank	R. D. 3, Box 164A Cambridge, Md. 21613	2
1974	Price, Michael L. (Betty)	PD		Assoc. Avenue, Milford	412 Bridgeham Ave. Milford, DE 19963	1
1934	Pritchard, D. T.		R		206 Caesar Rodney Rd. Wyoming, DE 19934	4
1962	Pruitt, D. R. (Margaret)		E	Extension Agent-Youth	1502 Joshua Clayton Road, Dover, DE 19901	5
1961	Pusey, I. R. (Dolores)		E	Red Lion	R.D., Bear, DE 19701	21
1975	Radway, G. H. (Lillian C.)	PD		Seaford Chg.	35 Church Street Bridgeville, DE 19933	7
1961	Randolph, J. T. (Maubra Jane)	IV, VIII	E	Wyoming	Wyoming, DE 19934	4
1975	Rash, Richard C. (single)	PD		Bethel Chg.	Box 62 Bethel, DE 19931	2
1957	Reiter, C. L. (Anna S.)		R		904 Hanover St. Salisbury, Md. 21801	20
1945	Revelle, W. H., Jr. (Carolyn H.)	VI	E	Dist. Supt., Dover Dist.	431 N. State Street Dover, DE 19901	2
1938	Reynolds, B. E. (Grace Collins)	II	E	Salisbury Bethesda	103 W. William St. Salisbury, Md. 21801	3
1927	Reynolds, P. E. (Esther)		R		208 S. University Ave. Federalburg, Md. 21632	12

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1958	Rich, W. D. (M. Ardelle)	VIII, XI	E	Assoc., Grace, Wilm.	12 Vining Lane Wilm., DE 19807	1
1969	Ridley, D. M. (Ann F.)		E	Vienna-Elliotts	Box 278 Vienna, Md. 21869	5
1924	Ridout, Daniel L.		R		5704 Jonquil Avenue Baltimore, Md. 21215	6
1956	Riffe, David (Joyce B.)	II, VI	E	Wesley Foundation, Univ. of Delaware	20 Orchard Road Newark, DE 19711	9
1973	Riley, James W. (Claudia H.)	XIII	E	Salisbury: Grace	1112 Mt. Hermon Rd. Salisbury, Md. 21801	1
1971	Ringgold, John W. (Lora Mae)	V, XIV	AME	Cambridge: Vienna	P. O. Box 1509 Salisbury, Md. 21801	1
1964	Roberts, D. B. (Penny J. R.)		E	Ass't. Prof., Christian Ed., Scarritt College for Christian Workers	1008 18th Avenue, South Nashville, Tenn. 37213	3
1970	Roberts, James H. (Gwendolyn Ophia)	II	AME	Still Pond- Coleman	Rt. 1, Box 111 Worton, Md. 21678	7
	Robinson, Frank W. (Joyce B.)		LPE	Easton-Bellevue	Rt. 5, Box 62 Easton, Md. 21601	5
1958	Robinson, C. J. (Evelyn W.)		E	New Castle- Mt. Salem	101 W. 6th Street New Castle, DE 19720	2
1951	Robinson, W. L., Jr. (Eleanor Elizabeth)	III	E	Assoc., Penin- sula McCabe	2308 Paulwyn Drive Wilmington, DE 19803	6
1957	Rose, Kenneth R. (JoAnn W.)	II	E	Grace-Wilm.	1704 Bancroft Pkwy. Wilm., DE 19806	3
1918	Ross, G. S. (Grace B.)		R		3245 Fairway Drive, Lindengreen, Wilm. DE 19803	21
	Russell, William E. (Angela C.)		LPD	Wilm.-Simpson	44 Covered Bridge Lane Newark, DE 19711	8
1947	Ruth, Dale L. (Margaret Elizabeth)		E	Field Representative, Dept. of Develop- ment & Promotion of the Peninsula U.M. Homes & Hosp., Inc.	161 Lakeside Dr. Laurel, DE 19956	3
1947	Sanders, S. R. (Bernice C.)	IV	E	Nanticoke Circuit	P. O. Box 463 Salisbury, Md. 21801	14
1962	Schauer, Henry H. (Frances M.)		R		326 N. Maryland Ave. Wilm., DE 19805	2
1960	Scott, Carrol (Lucille)	XVII	E	Preston-Hurlock	R. D. 1, Box 277 Preston, Md. 21655	2
	Seals, Robert (Betty Jane)		LP	Church Hill-	R. D. 1, Box 63 Church Hill, Md. 21623	2
1957	Seyfert, F. C., Jr. (Jo Ann)		E	Holly Oak	1511 Philadelphia Pike Wilm., DE 19809	
1936	Shield, E. R. (Ada Matthews)		R		7 Second Street Pocomoke City Md. 21851	8
1937	Shockley, John R. (Edith M.)	VII, XI	E	Ezion- Mt. Carmel	4303 Whittier Drive Wilm., DE 19802	2
1957	Shockley, O. J. (Dorothy V.)	IX	E	Aldersgate	410 Country Club Drive Wilm., DE 19803	2
1972	Short, Thos. Chester (Susan D.)		PD	Dorchester Chg.	Box 98 Secretary, Md. 21664	2

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1960	Short, Thos. Crawford (Mary H.)		E	Asbury- Minquadale	9 Fols Crescent Penn Acres New Castle, DE 19720	3
1969	Shufelt, Vinton D. (Edith Sard)		AMR	Chaplain, Deer's Head Center & Holly Center	Rt. 7, S. Kaywood Drive Salisbury, Md. 21801	3
1956	Simpers, J. W., Jr. (Ethel Mary)		E	Assoc. Council Director	Camp Pecometh Centreville, Md. 21617	2
1943	Smith, Curtis W. (Rosemary)	I	E	Allen	Allen, Md. 21810	1
1968	Smith, Jack S. (Nancy May)		E	Salisbury: St. Andrews	Rt. 4, Box 606 Salisbury, Md. 21801	3
1956	Smith, Kyle N. (Margaret P.)		E	Milford:	206 S.E. Front Street Milford, DE 19963	3
	Smith, Samuel M. (Margaret K.)		LP	Charlestown- St. Johns	1815 Windemere Avenue Wilm., DE 19804	5
1928	Snapp, A. M. B. (Marguerite Lucille)		R		101 N. Layton Avenue Wyoming, DE 19934	14
1962	Spedden, H. P. (Elaine M.)	VII	E	St. Paul's	804 Edlon Park Cambridge, Md. 21613	10
1918	Spence, O. H. (Pearl Rebecca)		R		58 S. Queen Street Dover, DE 19901	10
1926	Spence, P. W. (Elizabeth O.)		R		4 Troy Avenue Wilm., DE 19804	11
1934	Spencer, Charles P. (Edna B.)		R		407 E. Madison Avenue Magnolia, N.J. 08049	4
1938	Squires, C. H. (Aileen Perry)		EDL		Port Deposit, Md. 21904	3
1972	Stanley, George L. (Mamie)		AME	Centreville- Newton	Box 175, Hurlock Md. 21643	7
1971	Stanley, Nelson C. (Margaret)		AME	East New Market- Linkwood	E. New Market Maryland 21631	20
1956	Stapleton, J. Gordon	VII	E	Assoc. Council Dir.	P. O. Box 205 Dover, DE 19901	7
1957	Starnes, R. W. (Martha E.)		E	Prof. Wesley College	College Square Dover, DE 19901	10
1971	Staten, William M. (Rose V.)		AME	Lincoln-Milford Harrington	Rt. 1, Box 162 Lincoln, DE 19960	1
1966	Starrett, Robert W. (Carolyn J.)	III	E	Chaplain: Wesley College	102 Governors Avenue Dover, DE 19901	1
1958	Staton, L. E. (Betty Ann)		E	St. Michaels: St. Lukes	Box 207, St. Michaels, Md. 21663	1
1949	Stazesky, R. C. (Mary Anne T.)	XI	E	Exec. Dir. of Ch. Home Foundations, Inc.	1025 Faun Rd., Graylyn Crest Wilm., DE 19803	2
1964	Steckman, Ira D., Jr. (Mearl E.)	XVII	E	Smyrna, Asbury, Centennial	306 Hamilton Way Smyrna, DE 19977	7
1964	Stelleges, George L. (Una Naomi)	IV	E	Salisbury: Christ	Rt. 7, Box 66 Salisbury, Md. 21801	3
1971	Sterling, Wm. T., Jr. (Sheila T.)		PD	Oriole	Oriole, Md. 21848	5
1932	Stone, Walter H.	VI	E	Assoc. Council Director	Worton, Md. 21678	7
1960	Stookey, L. H. (Peggy Ann)		E	Asst. Prof. of Preaching & Worship	Wesley Theological Seminary, 4400 Mass. Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20016	4

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1965	Strickland, A. W. (Hattie Elizabeth)		R		421 Valley Road Havertown, Pa. 19083	12
1961	Strickler, C. E. (Mary)	XVII	ESL		P. O. Box 353 Snow Hill, Md. 21863	1
1962	Stubbs, Simon N.		E	Dir., Community Services Psychiatric Institute	8411 14th Avenue Langley Park, Md. 20787	3
	Sye, Herbert (Berta)		LP	Whaleysville Chg.	Whaleysville, Md. 21872	2
1945	Tasco, Wm. M. (single)		R		Townsend, DE 19734	2
1928	Tawes, R. L. (Mabel S.)		R		511 Caulk Road Milford, DE 19963	5
1974	Taylor, Alfred E. (Beverly)		PD	Mt. Vernon Chg.	Box 203, Sharptown Md. 21861	2
1969	Taylor, George W. (Inez N.)		AMR	Snow Hill: Ebenezer	107 S. Collins Street Snow Hill, Md. 21863	1
1971	Taylor, John Edwin (Rosalee)		AMD	Bishopville- Showell	P. O. Box 375 Bishopville, Md. 21813	3
1949	Thomas, E. C., Jr. (Elizabeth D.)	VI	E	Dist. Supt. Wilm. Dist.	202 Alapocas Drive Wilmington, DE 19803	2
1914	Thomas, E. P. (Elsie D.)		R		Methodist Manor House Seaford, DE 19973	21
1936	Thomas, Paul (H. Marjorie)		R		950 N.E. 2nd Terrace Boca Raton, FLA 33432	3
1966	Thomas, Robert L. (Jeanean B.)	II	E	Townsend	P. O. Box 60 Townsend, DE 19734	2
1930	Thomas, W. C. (Adelaide K.)		R		7426 N. 20th Street Phila., Pa. 19104	13
1972	Thompson, Daisy		LPR	Assoc., Smyrna: Asbury	442 Fulton Street Dover, DE 19901	2
1958	Tingle, Melvin E. (Marguerite G.)		E	Oxford	P. O. Box 116 Oxford, Md. 21654	3
1956	Todd, O. M. (Flora W.)		E	Vice Pres. for Academic Affairs	10 Birch Drive Greenville, Pa. 16125	6
1950	Trader, Charles L.		R		1001 Middleford Road Rm. 129 Seaford, DE 19973	11
1965	Trail, Gary W. (Elaine Burkett)		E	Chesapeake Trinity	Box 196, Chesapeake City, Md. 21915	5
1936	Truitt, F. H. (Mary V.)		R		200 Church Street Sharptown, Md. 21861	2
	Tubbs, Joseph J. (Florence)		E	Campus Mgr. Wesley College	Rt. 1, Chesmar Chestertown, Md. 21620	4
1971	Tulak, Gary S. (Judith Ann)	II	E	Assoc., St. Mark's Easton	708 Lomax Street Easton, Md. 21601	2
1970	Tulak, Frank E. (Janice L.)	III	E	Assoc., Hillcrest- Bellefonte	31 Glenrock Drive Radnor Green Claymont, DE 19703	3
1922	Turkington, T. J. (Doris)		R		600 Market Street Denton, Md. 21629	17
1971	Turner, William A. (Barbara)		AME	Frankford Chg.	Box 37, Frankford DE 19945	1
1975	Twilley, F. A., Jr. (Ann)		PD	School	Boston University Boston, Mass. 02215	2

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1975	Valentine, Kenneth S.		PD	School	Drew Theological Seminary, Madison New Jersey 07904	2
1935	Van Cleaf, R. E. (Jeanette M.)		R		Pot Nets, Box D385 Millsboro, DE 19966	2
1970	Van Tine, John W. (Virginia R.)	IV	E	Cheswold Chg.	Cheswold, DE 19936	4
1972	Varell, K. R., Jr. (Lorna F.)	II	E	Assoc., Seaford: St. John's	509C Bradford Terrace, Seaford, DE 19973	3
1931	Vaughn, J. B. (Alice T.)		R		4 S. Clifton Avenue Brackton Ext. Wilmington, DE 19805	8
1920	Volk, F. M. (Viola)		R		27712 Ridge Rd. Damascus, Md. 20750	17
1932	Von Hagel, J. J. (Virginia C.)		R		24 Golfview Dr., Apt. C-3 Newark, DE 19702	3
1963	Walker, D. E. (Ruth E.)	III	E	Rock Hall	Rock Hall, Md. 21861	7
1969	Walker, Jesse H. (Charlotte)		E	Mt. Joy- Buttonwood	625 S. Heald Street Wilmington, DE 19801	6
1961	Wall, Thomas J. (Corrine J.)	IX	E	Pocomoke City	200 Walnut Street Pocomoke City Md. 21851	4
1960	Wallace, Robert O. (Ebba)		E	North East- Hart's	308 S. Main Street North East, Md. 21901	1
1976	Walters, Marlene L. (Thomas)		PD	School	2424 Grubb Road Wilmington, DE 19810	1
1953	Walton, Harold E. (Norma Jo)	III	E	Assoc., Newark	69 E. Main Street Newark, DE 19711	6
1967	Walz, Chas. W. (Mary L.)		E	Seaford- Reliance	Rt. 1, Box 307 Seaford, DE 19973	3
1970	Walz, James P. (Margaret J.)		E	School	Drew University Madison, N.J. 07904	1
1971	Warner, Robert L. (Audrey)		ESY		108 Mulberry Dr. Windy Hills, Newark, DE	1
1961	Waters, Floyd E. (Margaret I.)		EDL		218 Lake Street Salisbury, Md. 21801	4
1971	Weber, F. David (Rosemary L.)	I	E	Brandywine- Trinity	22nd & Market Streets Wilmington, DE 19802	1
1929	Wheatley, G. H. (Frances H.)		R		R.D. 1, Box 213B Snow Hill, Md. 21863	9
	Wheedleton, John R. (Betty B.)		LPD	Williamsburg (Short Street)	R.D. #3, Box 216 Seaford, DE 19973	8
1972	White, Dorothy E.		PD	Mt. Lebanon- Mt. Salem	1701 Mt. Salem Lane Wilm., DE 19806	1
1957	Whitlock, R. P. (Mary E.)	IX, XII	E	Wesley:	140 Hazel Road Dover, DE 19901	7
1943	Wilbey, D. C. (Ellen E.)	III	E	McCabe- Peninsula	1306 Copley Drive Welshire Wilm., DE 19803	7
1952	Wilcox, C. E. (Blanche W. C.)		R		Box 712 Webasso, Fla. 32970	7
1954	Wilkins, Ed. R. (Josephine A.)	IV, IX	E	Denton: Ames	Box 66, Denton Md. 21629	1
1963	Williams, Nellie L.	VIII	E	Milton- Nassau	R.F.D. Box 245 Milton, DE 19968	2
1945	Wilkins, H. O. (Dorothy)	III, XII	E	Salisbury: Asbury	504 Pine Bluff Road Salisbury, Md. 21801	4

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1950	Wilkins, S. L.	IV	E	Golts-Sassafras	550 S. duPont Parkway Bldg. 14, Apt. 2. Beaverbrook Apts. New Castle, DE 19730	6
1945	Williams, J. I. (Anna M.)		R		P. O. Box 429 St. Michaels, Md. 21663	3
	Williams, Jos. W., Jr. (Anita E.)		LP	Chestertown-Pomono	Rt. 2, Chestertown Md. 21620	3
1963	Willink, Alvin J. (Doris J.)	II	E	Harrington-Houston	203 Weiner Avenue Harrington, DE 19952	2
1940	Willis, C. L. (Hazel R.)		R		R. D. 18, Cate Rd. Knoxville, Tenn. 37921	9
1971	Wilson, G. F. (Edith M.)		AME	Pittsville-Willards	Pittsville, Md. 21850	11
1940	Wimberly, E. V. (Evelyn Mae)		R		3810 N. 16th Street Philadelphia, Pa. 19140	16
1961	Wimbrow, L. E. (Olivia H.)		E	Chestertown: First	P. O. Box 227 Chestertown, Md. 21620	2
1975	Wood, Fred Dickson, III (Patricia)		PD	School	Wesley Theological Seminary, Wash., D.C.	2
1973	Woodruff, Ellsworth P. (Ruth)		E	Worton-St. James	R.D. 2, Box 46 Chestertown, Md. 21620	4
1972	Yorkdale, Keith		PD	School	Wesley Theo. Seminary, 4400 Mass. Ave., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20016	1
1969	Young, Haswell G. (Georgiana C.)	IV	E	Pocomoke City Charge	407 Oxford Street Pocomoke City Md. 21851	2
1961	Young, James M. (Kathleen S.)		E	Methodist Action Program	1404 Lovering Lane Wilmington, DE 19806	3

DEACONESS APPOINTMENTS

Mrs. Daisy Cabean, Retired, Ezion-Mt. Carmael-Wilmington Quarterly Conference. Address: Rt. No. 1, Box 214, Lockesburg, Ark. 71846.

Miss Olive Cook, Del. Div. Social Services: Social Worker, 2200 Elmfield, Wilmington, DE 19810.

STUDENT LAY PASTORS

Name	Appointment	Address	Yrs. Sr.
Ball, William T. (Florence)	Girdletree-Stockton	Girdletree, Md. 21829	5
Beckett, Noah L.	Wittman-McDaniel	Wittman, Md. 21676	4
Brittingham, Austin (Doris Elizabeth)	Georgetown Chg.	Rt. 1, Box 208 Georgetown, DE 19947	2
Burbage, John D. (Janis H.)	Smith Island	Ewell, Md. 21814	6
Carmean, James, Jr. (Doris)	Gumboro-Whitesville	R. D. 3, Box 343 Millsboro, DE 19966	4
Cook, Kevin A. (Susan)	Whaleysville	Box 6, Whaleysville, Md.	1
Crockett, Dewey	Deal Island-St. Johns	Deal Island, Md. 21821	4
Downing, William (Martha)	Powellville Charge	Powellville, Md. 21852	4
Homer, Arthur R.	Ridgely Chg.	Box 424, Ridgely, Md. 21660	1
Hurley, Vernon (Teresa)	Laurel Charge	146 Delaware Avenue Laurel, DE 19956	2
Kendall, Eleanor A.	St. Georges-Delaware City	St. Georges, DE 19733	1

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Lyburn, Glenn H.	Blades Charge	300 S. Market Street Blades, DE 19973	2
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VI. Business Of The Annual Conference

A. Daily Proceedings

Official Journal

THIRTY-SEVENTH SESSION, MAY, 1976

10:00 a.m. Registration — DuPont College Center, Wesley College.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON — MAY 25, 1976

2:00 p.m. SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION and MEMORIAL SERVICE. The Reverend Richard C. Hubbard delivered the sermon. The following list of those who have died in the past year was read:

Ministers

Dallas M. Cogan	Leland B. Hall
C. E. Davis	E. W. Hervis
James W. Elbert	Emerson M. Jolly
A. B. Frye	Lutetia J. Lawrence
	G. E. Turner

Spouses

Mrs. John H. (Lula) Anderson	Mrs. Andrew T. (Anna S.) McFarland
Mrs. Milton R. (Bertha) Elliott	Mrs. George A. (Mary E.) Morris
Mrs. Ralph H. D. (Carrie) Hughes	Mrs. William A. (Pauline M.) Nichols
Mrs. Emory W. (Nettie) McDowell	Mrs. C. R. (Nettie) Strausburg
	Lewis Nathaniel Opher

CALL TO ORDER: The Peninsula Annual Conference convened in its thirty-seventh session in the Central Middle School, Dover, Delaware, May 25, 1976 at 3:15 p.m. Bishop James K. Mathews presiding.

The Secretary, Clifford A. Armour, Jr., read the Procedural and Organization Motion:

1. The bar of the Conference includes the first fifteen rows on the main floor of the Auditorium.
2. The printed program is to be the program of the Conference subject to necessary changes.
3. The Committee on Approval of the Daily Proceedings is Glenn P. Catley, Paul R. Hilton, William Staten and Jonathan Baker. The Committee is to present the report when requested by the Bishop.
4. The roll call is to be taken by all members signing cards to be collected by the ushers at the opening session.
5. Richard D. Bailey is named reporter for United Methodist Information and Publications, other church papers, and press contact with the secular communications media.
6. The Conference minutes be made the Official Journal of the Conference and the Secretary be authorized to edit and condense the same.
7. The Secretary send greetings to all members not able to attend the Conference Session on the report of such cases by the District Superintendents.
8. Members may be excused from sessions upon report to their Superintendents or the Secretary.
9. Attendance of clergy and lay members will be recorded in the Conference Journal.
10. The Boards, Divisions, Commissions and Committees as printed in the Minutes become

the Boards, Divisions, Commissions and Committees of the Conference with such corrections as need be made.

11. Motions must be presented to the Secretary on forms provided for this purpose, prior to, or at the time they are presented to the Conference. Forms will be found on the Secretary's desk and are also in the hands of the ushers.
12. When the customary draft is received from the Publishing House, it shall be endorsed and turned over to the proper treasurer.
13. That Kenneth M. Dickey be named Chairman of Ushers and Doorkeeper for the Sessions, and that William M. Staten be named his associate. The following are named ushers:

Jonathan E. Baker

Alex L. Boda

Donald O. Clendaniel II

Tom P. Donnachie III

William Downing

Edward M. Gladden

Howard P. Ketterman, Sr.

Harley H. Krause

David T. Lewis

Gary L. Meekins

David G. Paul

James W. Riley

Carroll Scott

Thomas Chester Short

Robert W. Starrett

Larry E. Staton

D. E. Walker

14. Resolutions which have not been considered by the study and review sections will require suspension of the rules to be considered by the Conference. Five (5) copies of the resolutions should be in the hands of the Conference Secretary by 10 a.m. on Wednesday morning.
15. The Bishop's State of the Church Address at the opening session of the Annual Conference will be printed in the Journal.
16. Other addresses and sermons will be available for all at the cost of reproducing them. Forms for ordering these can be secured from the Ushers or the Assistant Secretaries.
17. Charges with only one Lay Member will have the name of the Reserve Member typed on one side of the same badge with the name of the Lay Member. When the Lay Member cannot attend a session, the Lay Member will be responsible to see that the Reserve Member receives the badge.
18. Charges with more than one Lay Member will not have any Reserve Members' names typed on the same badge with the Lay Members' name. When a Reserve Member is to take the place of a Lay Member, the badge for the Lay Member will be brought to the Registration Desk. The person at the Registration Desk will hold the Lay member's badge and type a badge for the Reserve. Before the Lay Member can go back in the session, the Reserve Member's badge must be returned.
19. The following are nominated to serve as Assistant Secretaries for the 1976 Session of the Peninsula Annual Conference: Donald Hamilton, George Stellges, William Sterling, William Staten, and the Head Usher, Kenneth Dickey.
20. **STUDY AND REVIEW SECTIONS:**
 - a. Study and Review Sections were held on Saturday, May 15.
 1. Reports and other matters to come before the Annual Conference for action will be assigned to Study and Review Sections. Matters to be considered by the sections must be given to the Secretary of the Conference in writing prior to 9:00 a.m. on Saturday morning.
 2. Where there are recommendations from the Study and Review Sections, the report from the Secretary of that group shall list the action taken; namely, consent, concurrence, non-concurrence, amendment, or referral. Also listed will be the number present, number voting for, voting against, and abstaining.
 3. Where the Study and Review Section proposed changes in wording of a recommendation, this changed wording was mimeographed and mailed to the Conference members prior to the meeting of the Annual Conference on May 25-27.
 - b. Leaders of Conference Study and Review Sections were:

SECTION I - Fellowship Hall, Wesley Church, Dover

Chairperson:

James C. Hardcastle

Secretary:

Willard Hickman

Assistant Secretary:

Gary L. Moore

Resource Persons:

R. Jervis Cooke, John W. Simpser, Jr., Walter H. Stone, Theodore W. Briggs, and Cabinet representative

SECTION II - Choir Room - Second Floor

Chairperson:

Mary Frances Cooke

Secretary:

Terry W. Armstrong

Assistant Secretary:

Robert W. Helms

Resource Persons:

J. Gordon Stapleton, and Cabinet representative

SECTION III - Sanctuary

Chairperson:

Charles E. Barton

Secretary:

Cora Selby

Assistant Secretary:

Robert O. Wallace

Resource Persons:

Nathaniel L. Miller and Cabinet representative

ROLL CALL: Following the organizational motion the Secretary took the roll by the receiving of cards from all Conference members. Clergy present: 308. Lay members present:

The Reverend Felton E. May was granted personal privilege and introduced Dr. William Hassler, who welcomed the Conference to Wesley College. He introduced Chaplain Edward R. Wilkins who gave the Conference pertinent instructions.

TRANSFERS: The following were announced by Bishop Mathews:

Transfers In:

Pamela G. Ledbetter, probationer, from the South Georgia Conference, as of June 1, 1976

Melvin T. Newsome, probationer, from the Eastern Pennsylvania Conference, as of June 1, 1976

ADDRESS: Bishop James K. Mathews gave his State of the Church Address. The address can be found printed in the Conference Journal in the section under Reports.

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend Felton E. May presented the Reverend David W. Baker who in turn introduced Mrs. Eunice Mathews to the Conference.

SUPERINTENDENT'S COMPOSITE REPORT: The Reverend David W. Baker, Chairperson of the Cabinet, presented the Superintendent's Composite Report (for report, see IV Reports; also found there is a summary report for each District).

MOTION: The Reverend Edwin C. Thomas, Jr., for the Cabinet of the Peninsula Conference, moved the following: In accordance with paragraph 1441 of the 1972 Discipline, I move that the Glasgow Church on Delaware Route 896 be declared discontinued and the Conference Board of Trustees be instructed to dispose of the property. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE: Bishop James K. Mathews recognized Bishop Fred G. Holloway, who addressed the Conference briefly.

DELEGATES REPORT: From 1976 General Conference:

Dr. A. Frank Chapman

Mrs. Mary Frances Cooke

The Rev. Felton E. May

The Rev. R. Jervis Cooke

reported on the 1976 General Conference in Portland, Oregon. The Bishop commended the Peninsula Conference Delegation for their hard labors at the General Conference.

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend Felton E. May moved for the suspension of the rules. There being no objection, the Bishop stated that the rules were suspended, and the Reverend Mr. May introduced the following resolution:

WHEREAS the General Conference at its recent meeting in Portland, Oregon, authorized new legislation giving each Annual Conference the privilege to

nominate one or more of its clergy persons for the high office of the Episcopacy and,
 WHEREAS the defined task of a Bishop in the United Methodist Church is to enable the gathered Church to worship and evangelize faithfully and,
 WHEREAS it is further understood that an episcopal leader facilitates the initiation of structures and strategies for the equipping of the Christian people for service in the Church and in the world in the name of Jesus Christ and to help extend the service in mission and,
 WHEREAS the future of United Methodism in a large degree calls for leaders who can be companions, enablers, and exemplars. Such leaders should be able to articulate the issues clearly, to read consensus competently, to negotiate settlements honestly, to consult willingly and to make difficult decisions candidly, and,
 WHEREAS one of our fellowship has developed his gifts from God as a Pastor, Administrator and Servant of the Church at large and,
 WHEREAS his gifts and graces bespeak the outstanding traits of the Office of Bishop through his service to God as Pastor serving congregations across the Peninsula Conference, as District Superintendent, as Director of the Conference Council on Ministries, as a member with leadership responsibilities for the Board of Missions, as Vice-Chairperson for the General Council on Ministries, as Trustee for Wesley College, Wesley Seminary, Drew University and,
 WHERE his service to human kind is accentuated in his love for his family as husband and father,
BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference meeting in regular session this 25th day of May 1976, nominate the Reverend Mr. R. Jervis Cooke as our candidate for the Office of Bishop in the United Methodist Church and communicate the action taken by this body to the Secretary of the Northeastern Jurisdictional Conference for presentation and consideration when the Jurisdictional Conference convenes the 13th of July, 1976.

The resolution was unanimously passed, with the Conference rising in a standing ovation. The Reverend Mr. Cooke briefly thanked the Conference for the high honor and their support and love.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: The Reverend David W. Baker distributed additions and corrections to the report of the Nominating Committee. Other announcements were made concerning business of the Annual Conference.

The Benediction was given by the Reverend R. Jervis Cooke, and the Session was recessed at 5:15 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 25, 1976
 8:00 p.m.

The Commission on Religion and Race presented the evening program. The preacher for the evening was the Rev. Dr. George H. Outen of the Board of Discipleship. His sermon was "The Church as the Household of God."

The guest choirs for the evening were from the Cambridge-Vienna Charge, United Methodist Church, Cambridge, Maryland. The five choirs or musical groups were the Harvey Chase Singers, The Gospel Souls, Wesley Young Adult Choir, Wesley Senior Choir and Teen Club Choir.

Ms. Lowan Pitts, Chairperson of the Commission, was in charge of the program.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26, 1976

9:00 a.m. Bishop James K. Mathews called the Peninsula Annual Conference to order and the Rev. Thomas Crawford Short led the worship.

APPROVAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS: The Rev. Glenn P. Catley, Jr. reported that the proceedings for Tuesday, May 25 were in order and moved their acceptance. The motion was seconded and passed.

BOOKS: Bishop Mathews spoke briefly about a number of books available at the Cokesbury display and commented on the quality of the books available this year.

THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS: The Rev. David W. Baker presented the report of the Committee on Nominations and moved that the report of the Conference Committee on Nominations printed in the Pre-Conference Journal, as corrected, along with the addendum be accepted; with the exception of The Board of Directors - Mutual Relief Association, Board of Trustees - Homes and Hospitals and the Board of Trustees of Wesley College, and that those nominated for the various Boards, Commissions, Committees and Agencies be elected. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously. (The Report can be found in Section III of the 1976 Journal).

NOMINATIONS TO GENERAL AGENCIES: The Rev. David W. Baker introduced the following report concerning Nominations to General Agencies:
 The Peninsula Conference is asked to nominate persons to serve on the General agencies of the United Methodist Church. We submit these nominations to the Jurisdictional Conference where, in most cases, the election takes place. Not every conference can be represented on each agency. We were fortunate to have had eight persons to serve during the last four years. Seven of these are eligible to serve another four years and we are renominating them (names underlined and starred). Since each agency is to be composed of one-third each of clergy, lay women and lay men, we are nominating one of each so as to be ready if our incumbent member is not selected to fill a quota slot. Thus only one-third of those we nominate could be elected even if we should be so fortunate as to be represented on each agency. Special rules apply to nominations for the General Council on Ministries. Each Conference will be represented by one basic member. The nominations from the Annual Conference shall be made from the General Conference delegates.

General Council on Ministries

- * Minister R. Jervis Cooke
- Lay woman Mary Frances Cooke
- Lay man James C. Hardcastle

General Board of Church and Society

- Minister Edwin C. Thomas, Jr.
- Lay woman Lowan Pitts
- Lay man Ralph O'Day

General Board of Discipleship

- Minister J. Gordon Stapleton
- * Lay woman Cora N. Selby
- Lay man Maurice Hancock

General Board of Higher Education and Ministry

- Minister Ruth M. Laws
- Lay woman Jerome Framptom
- Lay man

General Board of Global Ministries

- Minister Felton E. May
- Lay woman Cordelia Jones
- * Lay man J. Wallace Watson

General Commission on Religion and Race

- Minister Richard C. Stazesky
- * Lay woman Thelma C. Alford
- Lay man Guizelous O. Molock

General Commission on the Status and Role of Women

- Minister David W. Baker
- Lay woman Katherine Prettyman
- Lay man A. Frank Chapman

General Board of Publications

- * Minister John R. Shockley
- Lay woman
- Lay man James Marvel

General Board of Pensions

Minister William H. Revelle, Jr.
 Lay woman Nina Pink
 Lay man Calvin Webster

National Council of Churches

Minister Howell O. Wilkins
 * Lay woman Cleo Henry
 Lay man James Baxter

CONSENT CALENDAR: The Rev. C. A. Armour, Jr., Secretary of the Conference, moved that the following reports without recommendations be placed on the Consent Calendar:

Trustees of Peninsula Annual Conference
 Peninsula Methodist Federal Credit Union
 Board of Child Care
 United Methodist Women
 Board of Ministry
 Board of Trustees of Wesley College

The motion was seconded and approved.

ORDER OF THE DAY: 1976 Merger Study.

The report was given by Ms. Lowan Pitts and Dr. James Davis of the Board of Global Ministries.

"TEN YEARS LATER"

An Evaluation of the Merger of the
 Delaware and Peninsula Conferences, 1975

CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Final Report of the
 Peninsula Conference Commission on Religion and Race
 Lowan Pitts, Chairperson

Implementation: It is not the responsibility of the Commission to implement these recommendations. Rather, we are referring these to the Council on Ministries for referral to the proper boards and committees for study, detailed planning, and action.

We are not asking for specific dollar amounts on these programs, because specific proposals need to be designed. The 1977 Council on Ministries budget already contains \$19,000 for implementation, even though it has not yet been designated for specific programs. This money, plus national funds which might become available as a part of the general church priority emphasis on ethnic and minority churches, should insure that adequate funding is available within existing budgets.

By approving our report, the Annual Conference goes on record as endorsing these suggestions for further planning by the proper committees. The Council on Ministries will be responsible for the implementation. The Commission will monitor the actions, following up on each specific proposal, and report to next year's Annual Conference what action has been taken on each one of them.

Local Churches.

A. Church School Enrollment:

Since merger, small church schools in black churches have declined still further. There are now fewer church schools with 25-49 or 50-99 enrollment, and more with less than 25 students.

In the white churches, too, smaller church schools apparently lost enrollment. Many white church schools which once had more than 150 students enrolled have declined to 50-149 members.

Average attendance at black church schools is lower than it is in white church schools, but the black church schools have been improving in attendance rate. While the average attendance rate in white church schools has been higher than for black church schools, the white attendance rate has been getting worse.

Church schools in both white churches and black churches showed a generally downward trend. Recognizing the importance of the church school both as an educational strategy and as a source of new members, this decline in the church school is a matter for concern.

So many of the black church schools are so small — under 25 enrollment — that one must question the effectiveness of the educational program and be doubly concerned about the future.

Recommendation:

Recognizing the decline in church school membership in both black and white churches, The Commission on Religion and Race recommends that local churches consider the development and implementation of church school programs across racial lines, including interracial church school staffs.

B. Church Membership:

On the average, black churches are smaller than white churches. The average for black churches is 103 members, compared to 256 for white churches.

72% of black churches have less than 100 members; 35% for Whites.

32% of black churches have less than 50 members; 13% for Whites.

9% of black churches have less than 25 members; 4% for Whites.

There are no large black churches and few medium-sized. Only 4 percent of the black churches have more than 300 members; but 27 percent of the white churches do.

In both groups, the percentage of churches with less than 100 members is smaller now than it was in 1963:

Black churches: 78% — 72% White churches: 46% — 35%

Compared with the national trends, the white churches of the Peninsula Conference have been doing well, statistically. They have grown faster than the national average for at least 20 years. The black churches, on the other hand, did not grow as fast as the national average before the merger, and have lost 20 percent since the merger.

The county-by-county analysis showed enough similarity between the areas where the white churches have lost members and areas where the black churches have lost, that population factors seem to be apparent in many cases.

The general condition of membership loss in black churches in most areas of the Conference and the severity of those losses suggest that more than just population factors were at work. Pastoral leadership, lack of commitment by the Conference, administrative chaos from charge realignments, the racial climate in the area, ministerial morale, etc., probably also contributed to the membership losses in the black churches.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the appropriate board or agency in the Conference consider the development of an administrative pattern which will provide adequate pastoral care and programming for all churches. This recommendation is based on the recognition of the need to strengthen small black churches, as they provide one of the few remaining opportunities within local communities for leadership development for Blacks.

C. Membership Growth:

Most of the black churches are in rural communities where population is not growing. New members must come, not from new people moving into the community, but from the church school, from attracting inactive members of other churches, from picking up any responsibilities which other denominations have put down, and by winning the unchurched. The United Methodist Church should not see itself as competing with black denominations in providing traditional black religious expression, rather we must find our own unique role in the black community by identifying and meeting new, emerging needs and by emphasizing racial inclusiveness. Ten years ago we preached inclusiveness in the face of white opposition. Now is the time to preach and live racial inclusiveness, even if there is black opposition.

Recommendations:

(1) Each congregation should be challenged to look at emerging and unmet needs in their community and to start new programs.

(2) Black pastors should have opportunities to share with each other ideas that are working in their churches.

(3) Racial inclusiveness should be articulated as the operating principle of the Conference and practiced at every level. Open dialogue should be maintained to discover places where inclusiveness is more sham than real.

(4) Black population is growing in the Wilmington and Dover areas. Two types of concentration are suggested: (a) transitional churches in transitional communities where the white congregation is willing to carry out an active program of outreach to the emerging black community, and (b) starting a new United Methodist black congregation in a school, storefront, or purchased church building in transitional communities where the white churches are not immediately willing to aggressively try to reach Blacks. Conference funds will be needed. Some of this money could come from the proceeds of selling white churches which close due to unwillingness to reach out.

D. Recruitment of Ministers.

The shortage of black ministers has been at a crisis stage for almost a decade and is approaching unsolvability. It is not feasible to continue to add churches to the black pastoral charge. It is wishful thinking to believe that enough black seminary graduates can be obtained to serve the rural black circuits. Ministers must be provided in some other way.

Recommendations:

(1) Recruit part-time Lay Pastors and/or lay speakers to hold worship services under the supervision of a Conference Member.

(2) Train white ministers to serve as pastors to black congregations.

(3) Reorganize rural charges to Larger Parishes with Conference Members as Directors with staffs of part-time and full-time Lay Pastors, augmented by Lay Speakers and Local Preachers.

E. Training for Ministers.

A number of black seminary graduates are overly "professionalized" and not responsive to their congregations. A number of black ministers who have not had seminary training are not well-equipped to serve multi-racial or predominantly white congregations. Most white ministers have little experience or training to be able to serve Blacks.

Recommendations:

(1) Continue and expand the annual meetings of pastors serving churches of another race.

(2) Train pastors in action-reflection methodology to help them to be more sensitive to the needs of persons.

(3) Provide "buddies" for ministers appointed across racial lines to help them on a consultative day-by-day basis.

(4) Make a special effort to expose selected white ministers to the black religious experience, e.g., a traveling seminar to visit black churches in Philadelphia and interview outstanding black pastors.

(5) Make available ten (10) fully paid scholarships to desiring aspirants to the ministry, whether white or black, for seminary study, providing they agree upon graduation to a specific number of years in a Black charge of the Peninsula Conference.

F. Apportionments.

A larger percentage of black churches than white churches have established a record of paying their apportionments in full during the ten-year period of merger. This includes payment in full of pastoral salaries (without equitable aid). The effect of this, however, has been to limit churches to doing little more than meeting apportionment obligations, because of the limited size of the membership.

Recommendations:

(1) General emphasis on full payment of apportionments by all churches is needed.

(2) Churches with records of low rate of payment should receive special interpretive efforts and emphasis to increase their rates.

(3) The goal of this recommendation is to attempt to limit the annual apportionment increment that is necessitated because of the delinquency of some churches, and not to discourage churches that are presently giving full support from continuing to do so.

G. Inadequate Buildings.

Many of the small rural churches have woefully inadequate buildings. The church program is often limited by lack of space. Some fail to meet minimum standards of maintenance, health, and fire safety. A new building may give a congregation an emotional shot in the arm, unless bickering and high costs have a divisive effect.

Recommendations:

(1) Before major building investments are made in church buildings or parsonages, a study should be made to determine the long-term viability of the congregation.

(2) The use of pre-fab or other less expensive ways of providing small, functional buildings should be investigated. The number of new buildings is more important than having each one large and beautiful.

H. Representation on Conference Boards.

This is one of the areas in which genuine progress has been made. A great deal of effort has been spent. Questions that remain involve the ability of the Blacks on the boards to truly represent the local churches, and the way in which the black members participate.

Recommendations:

(1) Blacks who serve on boards should meet to identify problem areas and to suggest solutions. Then, chairpersons of the boards should meet with them to discuss implementation of their suggestions.

(2) Blacks who serve on boards should be encouraged to attend the Black Caucus, BMCR, and other places where black people discuss their ideas about the Conference.

I. Business Meetings.

Reducing the length of meetings has gone about as far as it can go. Meetings have become so short and business-like that needs of sociability and inspiration are being lost. Blacks, in particular, have keenly felt this loss.

Recommendations:

(1) Business meetings should include time to get to know one another as persons and for general discussion of concerns.

(2) More opportunities should be provided for inspiration and general information, not only decision making.

(3) The Annual Conference session should provide more opportunities for the entire Conference to participate in black religious experiences, such as Blacks as hymn leaders, Blacks as organists or pianists for Conference singing, encouraging Whites to attend "Black Afternoon and Black Night" at Conference.

(4) More opportunities should be provided at the Annual Conference session for everyone to review, discuss, and debate the issues and recommendations that are brought to it from the boards and agencies.

J. Confront Attitudes of Hatred, Prejudice, and Separation in Both Races.

Sermons can stress the need for attitudes to change, lay a basis for change, provide concepts for reformulating attitudes, reinforce attitudes. But, talking at people is not an effective way to change attitudes.

Recommendations:

(1) Expose people to situations which challenge their attitudes.

(2) Expose people to persons who do not fit their stereotypes.

(3) Provide opportunities to reflect on inconsistencies and irrationalities of their attitudes.

(4) Involve people in joint discussions of common problems and joint action on common issues. "Joint" means partnership and teamwork in planning, implementation, and financing.

K. Social Contacts.

Informal contacts and interracial programs were more common in the two years of preparation before the merger than they are now. After the merger efforts were relaxed.

Many thought the merger was completed. But actually, the merged Conference had just begun. It is far from completed. We need to return to deliberate, planned efforts at bi-racial activities.

Recommendations:

(1) White ministers, especially, should take the initiative to establish informal social contacts with their black colleagues, to have interracial events involving neighboring congregations, and to identify community needs that can best be met on a cooperative interracial basis. But white ministers should not be expected to take the initiative all the time, lest they fall into paternalistic patterns.

(2) Black ministers, too, should invite Whites to participate in activities which would be meaningful to them (not just fund-raising events). They too should initiate informal social contacts. They might be especially helpful in identifying community needs and designing programs to meet those needs.

L. Interracial Mission Structures.

In the Wilmington area MAP provides an interracial structure for mission planning. Other parts of the Conference have no such organization. These are needed, both for planning and for sensitivity to racial issues.

Recommendations:

(1) Where possible, establish Councils on Ministries at a county or cluster level or where feasible interracial ecumenical missional councils for groups of churches large enough to include several congregations of each race, but small enough to be serving essentially the same communities. They might work together on: special day celebrations, community problems, training events, specialized programs and groups.

M. History.

That the Commission encourage this Conference and the neighboring Conferences to do everything possible to create a working Committee to complete a history of the former Delaware Conference. The services of Reverend and Mrs. Jessie Walker of the Peninsula Conference have been offered.

The report, and the recommendations included, were adopted as amended.

A HYMN: Bishop Mathews led the group in singing "I Want A Principal Within."

PRESENTATION FROM THE METHODIST PUBLISHING HOUSE: Mr. W. M. Birchard presented a check for \$5,394.90 to Bishop Mathews on behalf of the Methodist Publishing House. The check was turned over to Theodore W. Briggs, Conference Business Manager.

INTRODUCTION OF CHAPLAINS: Bishop Mathews asked the Reverend G. Wayne Cuff, a member of the Division of Chaplains to introduce Chaplain M. Douglas Blair (Col.) U.S.A. Ret., Associate Secretary, Division of Chaplains, Board of Higher Education and Ministries, the United Methodist Church. He spoke briefly to the Conference and introduced the following Chaplains:

The following ministerial members of the Peninsula Annual Conference have been appointed as chaplains on full-time duty with military or institutions:

- Army: Charles D. Burge, William T. Carter, Thomas R. Merrill (Regular)
Navy:
Air Force:

- Veterans Administration: Robert D. Howell
Other Institution: Edwin J. Horney
Special:

The following ministerial members of the Conference have Reserve status in the military and are understood to be subject to call to active duty:

- Dallas W. Butler Army
Charles E. Covington National Guard
William Hemphill, Jr. National Guard

- Joseph V. Holiday, Jr. National Guard
Harold E. Owens Air Force
Robert O. Wallace National Guard

This is to certify that the above list is correct; the ministers named are Elders in full connection and are under appointment in this conference, as indicated.

Date: May 25, 1976

Signed: James K. Mathews

INTRODUCTION OF YOUTH MEMBERS: Bishop Mathews called on Ms. Pam Harris, Chairperson of the Conference Council on Youth Ministries to introduce the youth members who were present at the Annual Conference. They were:

- Carleton Parker
David Lane
Dorinda Adams
Cindy Durham
Herman Lipsius
Krystal Thomas

REPORT OF STUDY AND REVIEW SECTION I James C. Hardcastle, Chairperson, Willard Hickman, Secretary, Gary L. Moore, Assistant Secretary.

All recommendations are found in the report of the Conference Council on Ministries.

1. Council on Ministries - Camps and Retreat Centers

Recommendations a (1) - (4)

Table with 6 columns: Section voted concurrence, Voting, For, Against, Not voting. Row 1: 88, 88, 0, 0. Row 2: 88, 88, 0, 0.

Conference voted concurrence

Council on Ministries - Communications

Recommendations b (1) - (4)

Table with 6 columns: Section voted concurrence, Voting, For, Against, Not voting. Row 1: 88, 88, 0, 0. Row 2: 88, 88, 0, 0.

Conference voted concurrence

Council on Ministries - Stewardship

Recommendations c (1) - (2)

Table with 6 columns: Section voted concurrence, Voting, For, Against, Not voting. Row 1: 88, 88, 0, 0. Row 2: 88, 88, 0, 0.

Council on Ministries - Task Force on World Hunger

Refer Section III Board of Church and Society - World Hunger

Council on Ministries - Conference Council on Youth Ministries

Recommendations e (1) - (4)

Table with 6 columns: Section voted concurrence, Voting, For, Against, Not voting. Row 1: 88, 88, 0, 0. Row 2: 88, 88, 0, 0.

Conference voted concurrence

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend Donzel C. Wildey presented a resolution to the Annual Conference in order that it might be considered on Thursday afternoon. The Conference approval.

ORDER OF THE DAY: Camp PeCoMeth Thirtieth Anniversary. The Reverend Jack W. Simperts, Jr., Assistant Council Director for Camp PeCoMeth, presented a multi-media report in honor of the Thirtieth Anniversary of Camp PeCoMeth.

Bishop Mathews called on the Reverend Walter H. Stone to offer the Benediction and the Conference was recessed for lunch.

WEDNESDAY — MAY 26, 1976

2:00 p.m. The Opening Devotions were led by the Reverend Glenn P. Catley, Jr. The Conference preacher, Reverend George H. Outen spoke. His sermon, "The Kingdom in Our Midst."

2:50 p.m. Bishop James K. Mathews called the Plenary Session to order.

ORDER OF THE DAY: Corporate Session of Wesley College.

The Honorable Reynolds du Pont presiding. The minutes of the Corporate Session follow:

**WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
DOVER, DELAWARE**

**MINUTES OF THE CORPORATE SESSION
Wednesday, May 26, 1976**

The annual meeting of the Corporate Session of Wesley College, Inc. was held in the Dover Central Middle School Auditorium, Dover, Delaware, at 2:50 p.m., May 26, 1976. Bishop James K. Mathews called the members of the Peninsula Annual Conference to order and relinquished the floor to Reynolds du Pont, chairman of the Board of Trustees of Wesley College. Mr. du Pont convened the annual meeting of the Corporate Session of Wesley College. In presenting his report, Mr. du Pont referred the members to the written report contained on pages 53 through 57 of the Pre-Conference Bulletin. Mr. du Pont briefly reviewed the report and encouraged all members to read it at their leisure. He concluded his remarks by thanking the members for continued support of Wesley College.

In the absence of Mr. Edward Spear, Mr. du Pont presented the following names in nomination for trustees of Wesley College, Inc. for the term expiring in 1980:

The Reverend Olin J. Shockley, Jr.	Mr. William P. Richardson
The Reverend William H. Owens	Mr. William H. Cantwell
The Reverend George C. Godfrey	Mrs. Edgar W. Buchanan
Mrs. Henry B. du Pont	Robert Tunnell, Esq.
	Mr. Thomas S. Holt

It was moved and seconded that the nominations be closed. It was further moved and seconded that the nominations as presented be accepted. Both motions were unanimously accepted. Before leaving the matter of board composition, Mr. du Pont advised that action is being taken to add the Dover District superintendent to the Board of Trustees as an ex officio member. This matter will be brought before the Annual Conference in 1977. In the meantime, the Dover District superintendent will be invited to all board meetings as a guest.

Mr. du Pont introduced Dr. William W. Hassler and commended him for the work he has done in his year as president of Wesley College. Dr. Hassler, in his remarks, stressed the fact that education and religion actually go hand in hand and though we perhaps face crucial years, we are as one in this venture. Enrollment in Wesley College, as with other colleges, has been a problem but the enrollment picture is improving at Wesley College. He informed the members that over the past two years the number of private junior colleges in the United States has declined from 270 to 240. We of Wesley College can survive with the sacrifice and supreme effort by all. In this respect, personnel of Wesley College have been working diligently towards a balanced budget for the next school year. In addition to other efforts, an across-the-board salary freeze has been instituted. In closing, Dr. Hassler thanked the Conference members for their support and suggested that they continue to take action to lead us to possible donors and to interest students who may benefit by coming to Wesley College.

The chairman, Mr. du Pont, introduced Chaplain Edward Wilkins who briefly explained the college/church Ambassadors Program. He thanked those who have worked on the Ambassadors Program and announced that we now have approximately 100 Ambassadors in the local churches. He encouraged ministers who have not selected Wesley College Ambassadors to do so as soon as possible and to notify his office. Chaplain Wilkins also closed by thanking the members for their past support.

There being no further business to come before the Corporate Session the Session was adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Herman T. Meinersmann
Assistant Secretary
Board of Trustees

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend William H. Revelle, Jr. introduced Dr. John L. Knight, President of Wesley Theological Seminary, and President of Association of Theological Schools. Dr. Knight brought greetings from Wesley and the other Seminaries in the Northeastern Jurisdiction.

REPORT, STUDY AND REVIEW SECTION III Chairperson, Mary Frances Cooke, Secretary, T. W. Armstrong, Assistant Secretary, Robert W. Helms.

Item number 3 Board of Missions

Recommendations: 3. a-f

Section recommended concurrence	Voting 114
For: 114	Against: 0
	Not Voting: 0

Conference voted concurrence.

9. Board of Missions Parsonage Standards (See Report, page 188)

The following amendments were recommended:

Section IV - Equipment Provided by the Minister's Family

Item A should be expanded to read: Linens, towels and washcloths.

Item B should be expanded to read: Blankets, quilts, and bedspreads.

Add Item L - Light Bulbs

M - Paper Products (paper towels, napkins, toilet tissue, facial tissue, etc.)

N - Cleaning Supplies (laundry detergents, bar soap, cleansers, mops, brooms, brushes, floor wax, etc.)

O - Yard and garden tools.

P - Housecleaning services.

Amendment Q - That standards for the furnishings and upkeep of parsonages, as accepted and recommended, be published and mailed to each pastor and chairperson of Pastor-Parish Relations Committee of each local church.

Amendments Accepted.	Voting 114
For: 114	Against: 0
	Not Voting: 0

Parsonage Standards as Amended.

Section recommends concurrence	Voting 114
For: 114	Against: 0
	Not Voting: 0

Conference voted concurrence.

INTRODUCTION: Mrs. Mary Frances Cooke presented Mrs. Virginia LeCompte, President of the Neighborhood House Board of Directors, who addressed the Conference.

REPORT OF STUDY AND REVIEW SECTION I (cont'd)

Commission on Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns

Recommendations 2 - a-c,

Section voted concurrence	Voting 55
For: 54	Against: 0
	Not Voting: 0

Conference voted concurrence.

Commission on Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns

Recommendations 2 - d

Section voted concurrence	Voting 56
For: 56	Against: 0
	Not Voting: 0

Conference voted concurrence.

Council on Ministries - Conference Council on Family Life

Recommendations f (1) - (3)

Section voted concurrence	Voting 88
For: 88	Against: 0
	Not Voting: 0

Conference voted concurrence.

REPORT, BOARD OF PENSIONS

Resolution 1 (See Report, page 174)

Section voted concurrence	Voting 84
For: 84	Against: 0
	Not Voting: 0

Conference voted concurrence.

BOARD OF PENSIONS

Resolution 2 (See Report, page 174)

Section voted concurrence Voting 72
 For: 60 Against: 9 Not voting: 3

Conference voted concurrence.

BOARD OF PENSIONS

Resolution A & B (See Report, page 174)

Section voted concurrence Voting 84
 For: 73 Against: 7 Not Voting: 4

Conference voted concurrence.

BOARD OF PENSIONS

Resolution (See Report, page 174)

Section voted concurrence Voting 84
 For: 77 Against: 0 Not Voting: 7

Conference voted concurrence.

Reverend William H. Revelle, Jr. introduced the following Resolution: Resolved, that this 1976 Session of the Peninsula Annual Conference constitutes the following persons as a Steering Committee to plan and promote the Crusade For Pensions: eight lay persons - Nina Pink, Robert Powrie, David Haacke, Calvin Webster, James C. Hardcastle, Katherine Prettyman, John Quigley, Marvin Smith. Four clergy - William H. Owens, Kendall K. McCabe, E. C. Hackshaw, Thomas Crawford Short, the Cabinet, (Bishop and District Superintendents), the Council Director, and eight (8) other persons to be selected by the Committee itself.

The Resolution was seconded and passed.

Reverend Revelle then introduced Mr. Maurice Winn, Director of the Crusade for Pensions from the Department of Finance and Field Service, and Dr. Forrest Heddon, the Resident Director of the Peninsula Conference Crusade.

Mr. Ira S. Pruitt gave the Treasurer's Report of the Board of Pensions. The Conference approved the entire report of the Board of Pensions.

REPORT OF STUDY AND REVIEW SECTION I

Council on Finance and Administration (see report)

Recommendation 1

Section voted concurrence Voting 90
 For: 89 Against: 0 Not Voting: 1

Conference voted concurrence.

Council on Finance and Administration (see report)

Recommendation 2

Section voted concurrence Voting 93
 For: 75 Against: 17 Not Voting: 1

Conference voted concurrence.

Council on Finance and Administration (see report)

Recommendation 3

Section voted concurrence Voting 93
 For: 93 Against: 0 Not Voting: 0

Conference voted concurrence.

Council on Finance and Administration (see report)

Recommendation 4

Section voted concurrence Voting 93
 For: 88 Against: 2 Not Voting: 3

Conference voted concurrence.

Council on Finance and Administration

Recommendation 6 page 18

In the 1976 Journal the report of Equitable Salary Support and Temporary General Aid Discretionary fund should list only the churches and not the pastors' names.

Section voted concurrence Voting 93
 For: 83 Against: 2 Not Voting: 8

Conference voted concurrence.

Commission on Equitable Salaries (see report)

Recommendation 1 & 2

Section voted concurrence Voting 57
 For: 55 Against: 1 Not Voting: 1

Conference voted concurrence.

INTRODUCTION: The Reverend Donzel C. Wildey introduced the Reverend Donald Leiter, Executive Director of the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency, who brought greetings to the Annual Conference from Bishop Thomas Mardaga, Chairperson of the Administrative Board of D. E. A. The Reverend Mr. Leiter introduced Dr. E. L. Strickland, Director of Rural Ministries for D. E. A.

INTRODUCTION: Bishop Mathews introduced Mrs. Faith Richardson, who was escorted to the stage by Chaplain Edward R. Wilkins.

INTRODUCTION: Bishop Mathews introduced the following District Superintendents from the Baltimore Annual Conference:

- The Reverend David Andrews Frederick District
- The Reverend Carroll Doggett Baltimore S. W. District
- The Reverend Merrill Drennan Washington West District
- The Reverend Edgar Hammersla Annapolis District
- The Reverend Harold Johnson Baltimore North District
- The Reverend Carroll Yingling Baltimore N. W. District

The Reverend Harold Johnson extended an invitation to all members of the Peninsula Conference to attend the Bicentennial Worship Celebration of the Baltimore Annual Conference.

Following announcements by the Conference Secretary, the Reverend Edgar Hammersla gave the Benediction at 5:10 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26, 1976

5:45 p.m. The Laity Banquet was held at Wesley College where Dr. and Mrs. A. Frank Chapman were honored. Dr. Chapman retired after eight years as Conference Lay Leader.

8:15 p.m. The Music Committee chairperson, Ms. Joann C. Cohen, and The Bicentennial Committee chairperson, the Rev. Brooks E. Reynolds, presented the 1976 Youth Bicentennial Festival. A choir of 175 youth voices under the leadership of Dr. Ray Zeigler, sang three selections. A choir from each district also provided music out of our American experience. Leadership for the District Choirs was provided by the following:

- Richard L. Allen Wilmington
- Cynthia G. Matthews Salisbury
- Marva Thomas Dover
- Joann C. Cohen Easton

The accompanist for the Conference-wide choirs and the organist for the evening was Leona M. Kelley.

The following were District winners in the Oratorical Contest:

- Chrissie Ruth Baker Wilmington
- Patti Sue Gravenor Salisbury
- Bill Messenger Dover
- Dorinda Adams Easton

The Conference winner was Bill Messenger, Dover.

The Finalists in the Essay Contest were:

- Marlene Elliott Dover
- Lydia Wallace Easton

Jennifer Grise Salisbury
Sandy Lynn Lodge Wilmington

The Conference winner was Marlene Elliott, Dover.

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1976

9:00 a.m. Bishop James K. Mathews called the Plenary Session to order. The Peninsula Annual Conference Committee on Family Ministries led the worship. The Liturgist was the Reverend Thomas P. Donnachie III, assisted by Mr. William A. Kniceley. The Committee presented the play, "Criminy! It's The Preacher."

APPROVAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS: The Rev. Jonathan E. Baker moved that the Daily Proceedings for Wednesday, May 26, 1976 be approved and that the Committee be given authority to approve the proceedings for Thursday. Passed unanimously.

DEEPER FURROWS: The Rev. Richard D. Bailey announced that copies of Deeper Furrows were available and the Bishop encouraged their use.

ORDER OF THE DAY - HEALTH AND WELFARE MINISTRIES

The Rev. Robert W. Starrett introduced Bruce L. D'Agostino from the Board of Child Care. He then introduced the Rev. William Hemphill, Jr., who presented the Rev. Milton H. Keene, Methodist Manor House, and the Rev. William O. Hackett, Methodist Country House. The following residents - The Rev. Charles Trader, Mrs. Jennie Reed, and Mrs. Mary Sheridan addressed the conference. J. Wallace Watson, Executive Director of the Peninsula Homes and Hospitals, Inc., brought greetings to the Conference and presented a painting by Dr. Cora Pickett to Bishop and Mrs. Mathews.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Edward J. Steiner, Conference Treasurer, gave the report for 1976. (see appropriate Section of the Journal).

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT: The Rev. Nathaniel L. Miller, Conference Statistician, presented the Statistical Report. (see Statistical Tables).

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: Bishop Mathews expressed his appreciation to Dr. A. Frank Chapman, Conference Lay Leader, who is retiring after eight years of service.

BUDGET: The Rev. Donald O. Hornung, chairperson of the Council on Finance and Administration, presented the proposed budget for 1977. He reported that the General Conference Apportionment is about \$40,000.00 higher than anticipated, but COFA is not recommending any change in the 1977 Budget. 94% has been budgeted and if Peninsula Conference Churches pay their apportionments in full we will be able to pay the General Conference Apportionments out of 1976 escrow. The Rev. Hornung moved the adoption of the budget and the motion passed. The Rev. Donald O. Hornung expressed appreciation to Mr. Theodore W. Briggs, Conference Business Manager.

REPORT - BOARD OF MINISTRY: The report of the Board was presented by the Rev. John W. Irwin, chairperson, the Rev. Jerrold W. Knotts, registrar, and the Rev. Charles E. Barton, Jr., secretary. (For report, see the Disciplinary Questions). The report was accepted by the Conference. The Rev. Thomas W. Hurley moved that the Board of Ministry study on a much closer basis part-time Lay Pastors each year to determine their eligibility. The motion was seconded and passed.

The Chairperson, the Rev. John W. Irwin, expressed appreciation and the thanks of the Board to Rev. Jerrold W. Knotts, and Rev. Charles E. Barton for their work as registrar and Board secretary, respectively. Chairperson of the Board, John Irwin asked for special privilege and introduced the following motion: I move that the Secretary of the Conference be asked to express our Love and Concern to the Rev. Jason Blundon and to wish him God's blessing and to offer him our individual help in his period of recuperation. The motion was seconded and passed.

MOTION - It was moved and seconded at the recommendation of Bishop Mathews that the Session be extended beyond the noon recess so that he might recognize retiring ministers, and ask the appropriate disciplinary questions of those entering the Conference as probationary and full members.

RETIRED: The Revs. Commander R. Bryant, Thaddeus Hackett, Richard C. Hubbard, Harvey B. Flater, and S. Winston C. Crosse were retired. Bishop Mathews presented each

with an appropriate certificate and all greeted the Annual Conference. The Bishop asked the Conference to sing "Heralds Of Christ."

PROBATIONARY MEMBERS: The Conference Secretary, Clifford A. Armour, Jr. presented the class entering probationary membership and the Bishop asked the disciplining questions; appropriate answers were given.

The class entering full membership was presented to the Bishop by the Conference Secretary. The Bishop asked the disciplinary questions and received appropriate answers.

The Bishop then requested that the Conference stand and sing the Doxology.

Following appropriate announcements the Bishop gave the Benediction and the Conference was recessed for lunch at 12:25 p.m.

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1976

2 p.m. The Rev. Gary L. Meekins opened the worship and introduced the Conference Preacher, The Rev. Dr. George H. Outen. His title was "The Ordinances of God." Following his dynamic sermon, he was given a standing ovation.

ORDER OF THE DAY - CORPORATE SESSION OF THE MUTUAL RELIEF ASSOCIATION

Rev. Larry E. Wimbrow - President
Rev. George W. Goodley - Secretary

The Rev. George W. Goodley introduced the following:

REPORT TO THE CORPORATE SESSION OF THE MUTUAL RELIEF ASSOCIATION

The Board of Directors of the Mutual Relief Association of the Peninsula Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, Inc., presents the following resolution to the Corporate Session at the 1976 Annual Conference:

"Be it resolved that the Board of Directors of the Mutual Relief Association of the Peninsula Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, Inc., pursuant to the action of the 1975 session of the Annual Conference hereby directs that the said Mutual Relief Association, Inc. be dissolved in accordance with the statutes of the State of Delaware, and that its responsibilities for the remaining claims be transferred to the Conference Council on Finance and Administration, effective December 31, 1976."

This resolution has been approved unanimously by the nine members of the Board of Directors of the Mutual Relief Association and is respectfully submitted to the Corporate Session.

This action, if approved by the Corporate Session, will protect the claims of the 25 remaining members of the Mutual Relief Association.

In view of this action, if approved, no further election of Directors is deemed necessary.

The Board of Directors wishes to express sincere and lasting appreciation to all who have shared in this mutual brotherhood since 1939, when Union took place.

Respectfully submitted,
George W. Goodley, Secretary
Mutual Relief Association, Inc.

The report was approved as presented, and the president, Rev. Larry E. Wimbrow, adjourned the Corporate Session.

REPORT - STUDY AND REVIEW SECTION II

Mary Frances Cooke - Chairperson
Rev. Terry W. Armstrong - Secretary
Rev. Robert W. Helms - Assistant Secretary

1. Commission on Archives and History

Recommendation 1, a through c

Section recommends concurrence Voting 96

For 96 Against 0 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

2. Commission on Worship

Recommendation 2, a through d

Section recommends concurrence
 For 95 Against 1 Voting 96
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

4. Board of Laity

Recommendations 4, a and b

Section recommends concurrence
 For 96 Against 0 Voting 96
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Laity

Recommendations 4, c

Amended to read "Send delegates to the N. E. Jurisdictional Lay Assembly"

Section voted to amend
 For 96 Against 0 Voting 96
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Laity

Recommendations 4, d and e

Section recommends concurrence
 For 96 Against 0 Voting 96
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Laity

Recommendation 4, f

The Chairperson of the Nominating Committee of each local church be informed by letter and in the COMMUNICATOR of the action of the Annual Conference that the Laymember of the Annual Conference is elected for the quadrennium and that a Member is not able to serve for more than two quadrennium.

Section recommends concurrence
 For 91 Against 5 Voting 96
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

5. Board of Health and Welfare Ministries

Recommendations 5, a through d

Section recommends concurrence
 For 114 Against 0 Voting 114
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

6. Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.

Nominations to the Board of Trustees, Class of 1979

M - minister	L	A. T. Blades
L - layperson	L	Lamot Copeland, Jr.
	L	J. Simpson Dean, Jr.

L	Robert P. Faust
L	Carroll Griffith
L	James C. Hardcastle

L	Henry Silliman
M	William Hemphill, Jr.
M	William H. Owens

L	Jerome Frampton
L	William Henderson
M	Paul Hilton

L	James C. Stewart
L	Henry T. Price

Section recommends concurrence
 For 114 Against 0 Voting 114
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

7. Board of Evangelism

Recommendations 6, a through f

Section recommends concurrence
 For 96 Against 0 Voting 96
 Not Voting 0

Whereas the General Conference of 1976 made one of its missional priorities the work of Evangelism; and, whereas youth work is essential to the Evangelistic Outreach, and whereas the Peninsula Annual Conference has generally recognized the need for a full-time Director of Evangelism and Youth Work for some time; be it therefore resolved that a full-time Director of Evangelism and Youth Work be secured and employed as a Conference staff person beginning with Annual Conference, 1978.

The Conference voted concurrence as amended.

8. Board of Education

Recommendations 7, a through g

Section recommends concurrence
 For 96 Against 0 Voting 96
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Education

Recommendation 7, h

That the Division of Education of the Board of Discipleship of the Peninsula Annual Conference, be directed to study, develop and recommend a program to encourage local churches to financially underwrite some of the financial expenses of leadership training for the laity.

Section recommends concurrence
 For 114 Against 0 Voting 114
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

The Report was approved.

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE: Bishop Mathews recognized J. Francis Turpin, who is the Easton District Lay Leader and organized the 1976 Laity Banquet.

REPORT — STUDY AND REVIEW SECTION III

Rev. Charles E. Barton, Jr. - Chairperson
 Ms. Cora Selby - Secretary
 Rev. Robert O. Wallace - Assistant Secretary

1. Commission on Higher Education and Campus Ministry

Recommendations 1, a-c

Section recommends concurrence
 For 75 Against 1 Voting 75
 Not Voting 0

The Rev. James P. Walz moved to empower a committee to investigate certain allegations that have been brought against Wesley Junior College on the floor of the 1976 Annual Conference concerning certain moral laxity; and that this Committee be composed of lay and clergy members, none of whom are to be from the Commission on Higher Education.

The Motion was seconded.

A. Frank Chapman introduced a substitute motion "that the whole matter be referred to the Board of Trustees of Wesley College, our Bishop, and Cabinet, for action." The Substitute prevailed.

The Conference voted concurrence.

2. Board of Church and Society: General Welfare

Recommendations a (1) through (8)

Section recommends concurrence
 For 75 Against 0 Voting 75
 Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Church and Society: World Peace

Recommendations b (1) through (5)

Section recommends concurrence	Voting	75		
For 75	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Church and Society: Human Relations

Recommendations c (1) through (4)

Section recommends concurrence	Voting	75		
For 75	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Church and Society: Emerging Issues

Recommendations d (1) through (5)

Section recommends concurrence	Voting	75		
For 75	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Church and Society: Child Abuse

Recommendation as printed in the report.

Section recommends concurrence	Voting	75		
For 74	Against	0	Not Voting	1

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Church and Society: Family Life

Section recommends concurrence

Voting	75		
For 71	Against	0	Not Voting 4

The Conference voted concurrence with some negative votes.

Board of Church and Society: Gambling

Voted to recommend concurrence as amended. The following is the amended resolution:

"WHEREAS on May 10, 1976, Delaware Governor Sherman Tribbitt signed Senate Bill 568, thereby placing "on the ballot in the 1976 general election the question of whether citizens of Delaware favor State controlled and regulated slot machines" (quote from the formal synopsis of the bill as presented to Senate), the form of the question to be:

"1. Do you favor State regulated and controlled slot machines in Delaware?"

YES	NO
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"WHEREAS the intent of this bill is to determine public opinion as to whether or not Delaware's citizenry desire this form of legalized gambling (State regulated and controlled slot machines), with the results serving as a mandate to the Governor and members of the General Assembly to initiate appropriate legislation to effectuate the will of the people as expressed in the resolution).

"WHEREAS, slot machines and other forms of professional and governmental gambling are an inequitable form of taxation and delay necessary tax reform to equitably distribute the expenses of running the State and providing public services;

"WHEREAS the United Methodist Church, and the Peninsula Annual Conference, has always taken a strong position against the expansion of legalized gambling, recognizing the detrimental effect of gambling on the social, economic and spiritual life of all affected persons.

"WHEREAS, the Peninsula Annual Conference stands in a tradition that has recognized the fruitlessness and futility of the "something for nothing" philosophy - which already contributes greatly to the destructive, even self-destructive, habits and attitudes of people, especially children and youth who would have access to the proposed slot machines - promoted by this form of gambling.

"BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference reaffirms its position of being 'for' people by denouncing the intention of this bill and referendum, which is to legalize slot machines in Delaware.

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference, through its Board of Church and Society, urge all Clergy and Laity of Delaware:

1. to give important consideration to this referendum question;
2. to mandate, by a "NO" vote to the referendum question, to the Governor and the General Assembly of Delaware that no legislation to legalize slot machines in Delaware is wanted by the people; and
3. to encourage others to voice and vote their opposition to this effort to further legalize gambling in Delaware.

"BE IT RESOLVED, that we call upon our Methodist people in Delaware to join with other like-minded churches and groups in defeating the slot machine proposal to be placed on the ballot in November, 1976.

"BE IT STILL FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be sent to the Governor of Delaware by the Secretary of the Conference."

Section voted to amend.	Voting	75		
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For 73	Against	2	Not Voting	0
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Section recommends concurrence as amended	Voting	75		
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For 73	Against	2	Not Voting	0
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The above Resolution on Gambling, and the one in the report of the Board of Church and Society were joined together and voted on together.

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Church and Society: Public Assistance - Delaware

Section recommends concurrence

Voting	75		
For 75	Against	0	Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Church and Society: Public Assistance - Maryland

Section recommends concurrence as amended to read in the next to the last paragraph to include in the fiscal 1978 budget.

Concurrence	Voting	75		
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For 75	Against	0	Not Voting	0
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The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Church and Society: Unemployment

Section voted to amend the resolution as found in the report of the Board of Church and Society with the following:

Therefore, be it resolved that the Peninsula Annual Conference go on record as supporting the concept of employment for all employable persons. The amendment adds the word "employable."

A second amendment added reads:

Be it resolved, that the Peninsula Conference go on record as supporting the concept of employment such as provided for in the Humphrey-Hawkins Bill HR/50, S/50

Voting:	70		
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For 50	Against	10	Not Voting	10
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The Conference voted for the Amended Resolution: YES	139	NO	103
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The Resolution passed.

Board of Church and Society: United Nations

Section recommends concurrence

Voting	71		
For 69	Against	1	Not Voting 1

The Conference voted concurrence.

Board of Church and Society: World Hunger

Section recommends Amended Resolution as printed:

WHEREAS, the world hunger situation has reached the crisis state, with more than half a billion people suffering from malnutrition, and as many as fifty million people threatened with death by starvation this year;

WHEREAS, the gospel of Jesus Christ calls us to have compassion for the needy, to feed the hungry and give drink to the thirsty (Matthew 25:34-40)

WHEREAS the General Council on Ministries of the United Methodist Church has declared world hunger to be an immediate priority of the Church:

WHEREAS the land in these United States is fast disappearing from production because of current land use policies, and

WHEREAS wise use of land is directly connected with food production,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Peninsula Annual Conference at its 1976 session that we support the Resolutions (H. Con. Res. 393 and S. Con. Res. 66) presently before the United States Congress and declaring as national policy the right to food.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that our support be conveyed by the Conference Secretary to the Representatives and Senators representing the area included within the boundaries of our Conference.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we commend to the Commission on Social Concerns of our constituent churches the need for careful consideration and study of current land use policies to the end that the least possible land be withdrawn from agricultural production.

James Baxter moved that we delete "Be it resolved by the Peninsula Annual Conference at its 1976 session that we support the Resolutions (H. Con. Res. 393 and S. Con. Res. 66) presently before the United States Congress and declaring as national policy the right to food" and, in its place, he moved "Be it resolved that each Church of the Peninsula Annual Conference set aside July 4, 1976 as the time for one meal of fasting, and those savings (approximately \$1.00 per meal per person) be sent to the Conference Business Office for World Hunger Need." The motion was seconded.

Following much discussion, the Rev. Jesse H. Walker moved the following procedural motion: That we separate Mr. Baxter's motion to delete, and the item to be added and consider them as two separate motions. Reverend Walker's motion was seconded and passed.

Mr. Baxter's motion to delete failed and the motion "Be It Resolved that each Church of the Peninsula Annual Conference set aside July 4, 1976 as the time for one meal of fasting, and those savings (approximately \$1.00 per meal per person) be sent to the Conference Business Office for World Hunger Need," passed unanimously.

The Conference then voted the following:

Amended Resolution concurred	Voting	69
For 56	Against 10	Not Voting 3
Section concurred as amended	Voting	70
For 67	Against 1	Not Voting 2

The Conference voted concurrence as amended.

Reverend Bruce E. Cooke moved that the following be included in the Proceedings of the Peninsula Annual Conference:

**RESOLUTION DECLARING AS NATIONAL POLICY
THE RIGHT TO FOOD**

House: H. Con. Res. 393

Senate: S. Con. Res. 66

WHEREAS an estimated 460 million persons, almost half of them young children suffer from acute malnutrition because they lack even the calories to sustain normal human life; and

WHEREAS those who get enough calories but are seriously deficient of proteins or other essential nutrients may include half of the human race; and

WHEREAS the President, through his Secretary of State, proclaimed at the World Food Conference a bold objective for this nation in collaboration with other nations: "that within a decade no child will go to bed hungry, that no family will fear for its next day's bread, and that no human being's future and capacities will be stunted by malnutrition," and

WHEREAS all the governments at the World Food Conference adopted this objective; and

WHEREAS in our interdependent world, hunger anywhere represents a threat to peace everywhere; and

WHEREAS the coming bicentennial provides a timely occasion to honor this nation's

founding ideals of "liberty and justice for all," as well as our tradition of assisting those in need, by taking a clear stand on the critical issue of hunger:

Now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED That it is the sense of the (Senate/House of Representatives) that

1. Every person in this country and throughout the world has the right to food — the right to a nutritionally adequate diet — and that this right is henceforth to be recognized as a cornerstone of U. S. policy; and
2. This right become a fundamental point of reference in the formation of legislation and administrative decisions in areas such as trade, assistance, monetary reform, military spending and all other matters that bear on hunger; and
3. Concerning hunger in the United States we seek to enroll on food assistance programs all who are in need, to improve those programs to insure that recipients receive an adequate diet, and to attain full employment and a floor of economic decency for everyone; and
4. Concerning global hunger this country increase its assistance for self-help development among the world's poorest people, especially in countries most seriously affected by hunger, with particular emphasis on increasing food production among the rural poor; and that development assistance and food assistance, including assistance given through private, voluntary agencies, increase over a period of years until such assistance has reached the target of one percent of our total national production (GNP).

THE BISHOP asked for a motion that we extend the Session beyond the 5 o'clock adjournment; it was moved and seconded, and passed.

3. Commission on Enlistment for Church Occupations

Section recommends concurrence	Voting	75
For 75	Against 0	Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

4. Commission on Lay Worker

Section recommends concurrence	Voting	75
For 75	Against 0	Not Voting 0

The Conference voted concurrence.

The Bishop announced that following January 1, 1977, the Commission on Lay Worker will be known as the "Board of Diaconal Ministry."

Commission on Religion and Race

Recommendation 6 a-c

Section recommends concurrence	Voting	71
For 68	Against 2	Not Voting 1

The Conference voted concurrence.

Commission on Religion and Race (see report)

Recommendation (1) Voting 73

Section recommends concurrence	Voting	73
For 70	Against 2	Not Voting 1

The Conference voted concurrence.

Commission on Religion and Race (see report)

Recommendation 2 as amended by changing the word "implemented" to the word "initiated" so that it reads as follows:

(2) At least two specific projects as initiated this year by the Bishop and cabinet.

Section recommends concurrence	Voting	72
For 61	Against 7	Not Voting 4

The Conference voted concurrence.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION: The Reverend Donzel C. Wildey introduced the following which was presented to the Conference on Wednesday, May 26:

The Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church

appreciates the pastoral leadership of the denominational executives of Delaware for their May 21, 1976 statement regarding the United States District Court opinion on school desegregation in Wilmington and New Castle County, and we affirm our support of their statement,

and we encourage that their message be circulated immediately to the congregations of the United Methodist Church in Wilmington and New Castle County.

STATEMENT REGARDING THE COURT DECISION May 21, 1976

We, the undersigned denominational executives in the State of Delaware, are united in our support of equal educational opportunity for all children. We are aware of the sincere differences being expressed over the means to achieve this goal.

The Court has now handed down its decision. This decision is one way to achieve equal educational opportunity. Indeed it is now the design by which this shall be achieved and is the law of the land.

We call for compliance with the decision of the Court. We hope that Wilmington and New Castle County can be an example to the nation of orderly compliance with the law.

We know that there are those who object to this decision. We remind them that there are legal ways, guaranteed by our Constitution, to seek relief or change.

We, as religious leaders, are opposed to the use of violence, disruption, or the spreading of rumors. We need an atmosphere of calm and understanding. We must preserve our schools and community and protect our children. Religious people of all faiths must stand together for peace. They must witness to what they believe is right in a manner which reflects their faith in and their commitment to a God of love and justice.

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Nathan Barnett, Executive Director, Jewish Federation of Delaware.

Elmo A. Bean, Bethel A.M.E. Church, Delaware Conference.

Raymond C. Best, Dean, Delaware District, Maryland Synod, Lutheran Church in America.

P. B. Bynum, Representative of the United Baptist Convention.

William H. Clark, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Delaware.

James S. Clifford, Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Wilmington, Delaware.

R. Jervis Cooke, Director, United Methodist Peninsula Conference Council on Ministries.

Stamatios Ganiaris, Holy Trinity Orthodox Church, Wilmington, Delaware.

Leonard B. Gewirtz, Chairman, Rabbinical Association of Delaware.

Donald E. Leiter, Executive Director, Delmarva Ecumenical Agency.

Thomas J. Mardaga, Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington.

Robert B. Moore, Executive Presbyter, New Castle Presbytery, UPC USA.

Edwin C. Thomas, Jr., Wilmington District Superintendent, United Methodist Church.

James K. Mathews, Bishop of the Washington Area United Methodist Church.

Commission on Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns

Dr. Donzel C. Wildey, Chairperson

The Reverend Dr. Donzel C. Wildey asked the Conference to approve, and support the statement. The statement was approved.

CONFERENCE COUNCIL ON YOUTH MINISTRIES: Ms. Pam Harris presented a gift of appreciation to the Reverend F. David Weber who had served the past year as Conference Coordinator of Youth Ministries.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend John W. Simperts, Jr., Associate Council Director, Camp PeCoMeth, invited the Annual Conference to the celebration of Camp PeCoMeth's Thirtieth Anniversary on Saturday, July 24, 1976.

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE: Ms. Betty Obenshain, Lay Member of the Cecilton Charge, asked the Conference Secretary to read the following: Whereas the Cecilton Charge is being honored today by having two young men from that Charge ordained: Joseph Burris, deacon and Jonathan Baker, elder; Whereas this is the first time in the history of the Cecilton Charge for this to occur; Whereas after many years of receiving Pastors from other churches who have served their Lord and the congregation; Be It Resolved that we are pleased to have these young pastors coming from our Charge.

The Bishop asked that the Conference join the Cecilton Charge in their expression of honor.

MOTION: The Reverend R. Jervis Cooke moved the suspension of the rules to receive an omnibus resolution in regards to the implementation of new structures mandated by the

1976 General Conference. Motion to suspend was seconded and approved. The Reverend R. Jervis Cooke then introduced the following resolution: Whereas the 1976 General Conference has mandated certain new structures, such as a Board of Diaconal Ministry to be effective Jan. 1, 1977, Whereas there has been insufficient time between the General Conference and the Annual Conference to research, organize, and implement these structures; Now Therefore be it resolved that the Conference authorize and direct the Conference Council on Ministries to organize a Board of Diaconal Ministry, and any other required structures to be effective Jan. 1, 1977 and subject to review by the Conference of 1977.

The Resolution was seconded and unanimously passed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - The Conference Secretary made several announcements concerning the evening service of ordination.

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE: The Bishop encouraged the Conference to continue doing good work and exhorted it to go on bringing to reality the Kingdom of God.

MOTION OF COURTESIES: The Reverend Felton E. May expressed his thanks to those who assisted in the implementation of the 1976 Session of the Annual Conference and particularly to Bishop James K. Mathews for his leadership, his insight, his presentation, both here and around the world and his Christ-like insight in dealing with all of us.

The Bishop received a standing ovation.

MOTION TO ADJOURN: The Reverend Felton E. May moved "adjournment of the thirty-seventh Annual Session of the Peninsula Annual Conference, following the reading of Pastoral appointments at the conclusion of the Ordination service, Thursday evening, May 27, 1976."

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 27, 1976

8:00 p.m. Bishop James K. Mathews, assisted by the District Superintendents, the Reverends David W. Baker, Felton E. May, William H. Revelle, Jr., Edwin C. Thomas, Jr., and Clifford A. Armour, Jr., Conference Secretary, and the following Lay persons: Dr. A. Frank Chapman, Conference Lay Leader, Mrs. Mary Frances Cooke, Conference President United Methodist Women, Ms. Pam Harris, and Carleton Parker, members of the Conference Council on Youth Ministries, led the Ordination Service.

The Reverend R. Jervis Cooke, Council Director of the Peninsula Annual Conference, preached the sermon.

The Reverend Clifford A. Armour, Jr., Conference Secretary, presented the following candidates for Deacon's orders:

Joseph Glenn Burris	Edward Timothy Moore
Richard Edward Green	Colleen Marie O'Sullivan
James Lee Hartman	Harry Alton Patterson III
Raymond Thomas Hopkins III	Marlene Louise Walters
Gonzalee Matthews	

The following were presented as candidates for Elder's orders and were ordained by Bishop James K. Mathews, assisted by the Superintendents, selected Laity, and Sponsoring Elders:

Jonathan Edwin Baker	Vaughn Arzah Johnson
Thomas Peter Donnachie III	Wayne McCoy
Kenneth Wayne Grier	Ellsworth Price Woodruff
Donald Eugene Hamilton	

After the singing of a hymn, the appointments were read and the Thirty-seventh Session of the Peninsula Annual Conference was adjourned. Bishop James K. Mathews pronounced the Benediction.

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION

This is to certify that on this 27th day of May, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-six, I ordained as Deacons: Joseph Glenn Burris, Richard Edward Green, James Lee Hartman, Raymond Thomas Hopkins III, Gonzalee Matthews, Edward Timothy Moore, Colleen Marie O'Sullivan, Harry Alton Patterson III, and Marlene Louise Walters.

Assisted by the Superintendents, Laity, and sponsoring Elders, I ordained as Elders: Jonathan Edwin Baker, Thomas Peter Donnachie III, Kenneth Wayne Grier, Donald Eugene Hamilton, Vaughn Arzah Johnson, Wayne McCoy, and Ellsworth Price Woodruff.

James K. Mathews

James K. Mathews
Presiding Bishop
Washington area.

Auditorium of Central Middle School
Dover, Delaware
May 27, 1976

B. Disciplinary Questions

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the Peninsula Annual Conference held in Dover, Delaware from May 25, 1976 through May 27, 1976.

Bishop James K. Mathews, Presiding.

Date When Organized October 31, 1939. Number of This Session 37th.

PART I ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Who are elected for the quadrennium: (¶ 661.6, 877)
 - Secretary? Clifford A. Armour, Jr.
 - Address P. O. Box 88, Ocean City, Md. 21842
 - Statistician? Kyle N. Smith
 - Address 206 S. E. Front St., Milford, De. 19963
 - Treasurer? Edward J. Steiner
 - Address P. O. Box 354, Milford, De. 19963
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? (¶ 661.1) Yes
3. Bonding and auditing:
 - a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts? (¶ 881, 1408) All
 - b) Have the books of said officers or persons been audited? (¶ 877, 881, 1408) Yes
4. What conference councils, boards, commissions, and committees have been appointed or elected?

(Answer Yes or No for agencies listed; use blank lines to list additional regularly elected boards, commissions, and committees of your conference.)

 - a) Councils:
 - Council on Ministries Yes
 - Council on Finance and Administration Yes
 - b) Boards:
 - Board of Church and Society Yes
 - Board of Global Ministries Yes
 - Board of the Ministry Yes
 - Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference Yes
 - Board of Discipleship Yes
 - Board of Higher Education and Ministry Yes
 - Board of Pensions Yes
 - Other Conference boards:
 - Board of Laity
 - c) Commissions:
 - Commission on Enlistment for Church Occupations Yes
 - Commission on Religion and Race Yes
 - Commission on Archives and History Yes
 - Commission on Equitable Salaries Yes
 - Other conference commissions:
 - d) Committees:
 - Committee on Investigation Yes
 - Other Conference committees:
 - Episcopal Residence
 - Annual Conference Arrangements
 - Nomination

- e) Conference United Methodist Women Yes
 f) District Boards of Church Location and Building Yes
 g) District Committees on the Ministry Yes
5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records according to the forms prescribed by The United Methodist Church (¶ 664.6) Yes
6. What is the report of the statistician? (See table of contents)
7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See table of contents)
8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? (See table of contents)
9. What is the schedule of equitable salaries for pastors? (¶ 892) The guide line figures for equitable salaries for the year 1977 are: Full Pastors, probationary members serving full time and associate members \$9,200.00. Student Pastors and full time supply pastors \$7,700.00.
10. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? (¶ 876) Amount of salary determined by average of the ten highest salaries of the Conference. Adjusted during the year if necessary.
11. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of the pension and benefit programs of the Conference? (¶ 1260.4, 6) Included in the unified budget with priority rating.
12. What are the apportionments to this conference?
- For the World Service Fund? See unified budget
 - For the Episcopal Fund? See unified budget
 - For the General Administration Fund? See unified budget
 - For the Interdenominational Cooperation Fund? See unified budget
 - For the Ministerial Education Fund? See unified budget
 - For the Black College Fund? See unified budget
 - For the Temporary General Aid Fund? See unified budget
13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year: (¶ 870) World Service? 31.2% Conference benevolences 68.8%
14. What United Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for pension responsibility? (¶ 1259.4f) See special appointments following list of appointments in the journal.
15. Conference and District lay leaders (¶ 1050)
- Conference lay leader: Name James C. Hardcastle
Address: 121 N. Kirkwood St., Dover, Del. 19901
 - Associate conference lay leaders: Lay Life & Work, Francis Waegel; Secretary & Treasurer, Robert Young; Director of Lay Speaking: Joseph Soltow; Director of United Methodist Men: Ralph O'Day.
 - Who are district and associate district lay leaders? (¶ 1057)
Dover — Richard Lort
Easton — Francis Turpin
Salisbury — Oris Horsey
Wilmington — J. Robert Ashton
16. What local churches have been:
- Organized? (¶ 142) None
 - Merged? (¶ 1438)
 - United Methodist with United Methodist None
 - Other Mergers None
 - Discontinued or abandoned? (¶ 130, 351.2, 1441) None
 - Relocated and to what address? None
 - Changed name of church? Ex: "First" to "Trinity" None
 - Transferred into this conference from other United Methodist conference(s) and with what membership? (¶ 668)
 - This year None

- 2) Previously this quadrennium None
- g) What other changes have taken place in the list of churches? See appointment list.
17. What changes have been made in district and charge lines? See appointment list

PART II PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS

18. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? Yes
19. Who constitute the Conference Committee on Investigation? (¶ 1540.1) See list in Journal Section III
20. Who are eligible to be appointed as:
- Full-time lay pastors? (¶ 348.1) and what progress has each made in the course of study? None
 - Part-time lay pastors? (¶ 348.2) and what progress has each made in the course of study?

Black, William Howard	Elder	Course completed
Burke, Clarence Russell	Deacon	Fifth Year Studies
Ford, Warren Jefferson	Deacon	Fifth Year Studies
Gehring, Steven D.	Deacon	2nd Year Seminary
Gibbs, Marie F.	Deacon	Course Completed
Hope, Clifton	Elder	Course Completed
Ireland, Gary	Deacon	2nd Year Seminary
Maloney, Lester Harper	Deacon	1st Year Seminary
Mott, J. Arthur	Elder	Course Completed
Plumline, James	Elder	Course Completed
Robinson, Frank G.	Elder	Seminary Graduate
Russell, Wm. Etheridge	Deacon	1st Year Seminary
Shenton, Philip	Deacon	Course Completed
Wheedleton, John Roger	Deacon	Course Completed
White, Stephen Leroy	Deacon	2nd Year Seminary
 - Student lay pastors? (¶ 348.3) and in what schools are they enrolled?

Ball, Wm. T.	Salisbury State College
Beckett, Noah H.	Wesley Theological Seminary
Brittingham, Austin	Georgetown Community Technical
Burbage, John D.	Salisbury State College
Carmean, James	Georgetown Community College
Cook, Kevin A.	Wesley Theological Seminary
Crockett, Dewey	University of Maryland Eastern Shore
Downing, Wm. S.	Salisbury State College
Homer, Arthur R.	Howard University
Hurley, Vernon	Georgetown Community Technical
Lyburn, Glenn Howard	Wesley Theological Seminary
Martin, Lewis	Wesley Theological Seminary
McIntyre, Ralph Benjamin	Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary
Mudede, Ebenezer	Wesley Theological Seminary
Norris, Ronald J.	Chesapeake College
Riddleberger, Robert	Chesapeake College
Simpson, Robt. Ed., Jr.	University of Delaware
Smith, Samuel M.	University of Delaware
Wallace, Wm. T.	Salisbury State College
21. What ministers in good standing in other Christian churches have been approved under the provisions of Par. 376.5 for service as pastors of charges?
- Seals, Robert
 Sye, Herbert
 Spain, Ricky
 Williams, Joseph W.

22. a) What lay pastors are granted pension credit on account of approved full-time service during the past year? (§ 1259.3b) NOTE: Only pastors listed in question 20a the previous year are eligible to receive credit under this paragraph.) None
 b) What ministers of other Christian churches, qualifying under the provisions of Par. 376, are granted pension credit on account of approved fulltime service during the past year?
 Seals, Robert
 Sye, Herbert
 Williams, Joseph W.
23. What preachers, coming from other Christian churches, have had their orders recognized?
 a) As deacons? Spain, Ricky
 b) As elders? None

NOTE: If your conference has admitted or ordained persons to accommodate another conference, list these persons in Question 34 only. If persons have been admitted or ordained by another annual conference to accommodate your conference, list these persons in Questions 24-33, whichever are appropriate, giving the date and name of the accommodating conference.

24. Who have been admitted from other Christian churches? (§ 376-376.3)
 (List Alphabetically — See note preceding question 24)
 a) As Associate Members? None
 b) As Probationary Members? None
 c) As Members in Full Connection? None
25. Who have been admitted as Associate Members? (§ 323)
 (List Alphabetically — See note preceding question 24) None
26. Who are admitted as Probationary Members? (List Alphabetically — See note preceding question 24)
 a) With degrees from accredited or approved colleges and credits from accredited or approved school of theology? (§ 327)
 Burris, Joseph Glenn
 Green, Richard Edward
 Hartman, James Lee
 Hopkins, Raymond Thomas III
 Moore, Edward Timothy
 O'Sullivan, Colleen Marie
 Patterson, Harry Alton III
 Walters, Marlene Louise
 b) With degrees from colleges not accredited by the University Senate and credits from accredited or approved school of theology? (§ 328.1) Matthews, Gonzalee
 c) With degrees from accredited or approved college or university, 2 years advanced study beyond requirement for Associate Membership and 2 years of service as an Associate Member. (§ 328.2) None
27. Who are continued as Probationary Members and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies? (§ 329)
 a) As students in approved schools of theology?
 Foard, Lloyd Roland Completing 3rd Year at Wesley
 Greer, Hervey Ward Completing 2nd Year at Garrett
 Hall, Robert Paul Completing 2nd Year at Wesley
 Mitchell, John Franklin Completing 2nd Year at Wesley
 Livingstone, Kenneth Wesley Finishing at Chicago Theological
 Parsons, Paul Handy Completing 2nd year at Gordon-Conwell
 Radway, George Harrington Completing 2nd Year at Wesley
 Rash, Richard Cartwright Completing 2nd Year at Wesley
 Short, Thomas Chester Completing 3rd Year at Wesley

- Twilley, Floyd Albert, Jr. Completing 2nd Year at Boston
 Valentine, Kenneth Steven Completing 2nd Year at Drew
 Wood, Fred Dickson III Completing 2nd Year at Wesley
 Yorkdale, Keith Elbers Completing 2nd Year at Wesley
- b) As graduates of approved schools of theology?
 Caldwell, James Maurice
 Crossan, Samuel Willard III
 Donophan, Charles Austin
 Hill, Greg Wayne
 Price, Michael Leigh
 Sterling, Wm. Travis
 Taylor, Alfred E.
 White, Dorothy E.
- c) In the advanced ministerial course of study? None
28. Who are discontinued as Probationary Members? (§ 369) Taylor, Edward William
29. Who are admitted into full connection? (§ 333) (List alphabetically — See note preceding question 24)
 Baker, Jonathan Edwin
 Donnachie, Thomas Peter III
 Grier, Kenneth Wayne
 Hamilton, Donald Eugene
 Johnson, Vaughn Arzah
 McCoy, Wayne
 Woodruff, Ellsworth Price
30. Who have been elected deacons? (§ 311, 312) (List alphabetically — See note preceding question 24)
 a) As lay pastors? (Par. 311, 312.1) None
 b) As Associate Members? (Par. 311) None
 c) As Probationary Members? (Par. 311, 312.2)
 Burris, Joseph Glenn
 Green, Richard Edward
 Hartman, James Lee
 Hopkins, Raymond Thomas III
 Matthews, Gonzalee
 Moore, Edward Timothy
 O'Sullivan, Colleen Marie
 Patterson, Harry Alton III
 Walters, Marlene Louise
31. Who have been ordained deacons? (List alphabetically — See note preceding question 24)
 Burris, Joseph Glenn
 Green, Richard Edward
 Hartman, James Lee
 Hopkins, Raymond Thomas III
 Matthews, Gonzalee
 Moore, Edward Timothy
 O'Sullivan, Colleen Marie
 Patterson, Harry Alton III
 Walters, Marlene Louise
32. Who have been elected elders: (§ 314) (List alphabetically — See note preceding question 24)
 a) Theological graduates? (§ 314.1)
 Baker, Jonathan Edwin
 Donnachie, Thomas Peter III
 Grier, Kenneth Wayne

Hamilton, Donald Eugene
 Johnson, Vaughn Arzah
 McCoy, Wayne
 Woodruff, Ellsworth Price

b) Probationary Members previously Associate Members? (314.2) None

33. Who have been ordained elders? (List alphabetically — See note preceding question 24)

Baker, Jonathan Edwin
 Donnachie, Thomas Peter III
 Grier, Kenneth Wayne
 Hamilton, Donald Eugene
 Johnson, Vaughn Arzah
 McCoy, Wayne
 Woodruff, Ellsworth Price

34. Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conferences: (See note preceding question 24)

a) Admitted:

As Associate Members? None
 As Probationary Members? None
 As Members in Full Connection? None

b) Ordained after election by this conference:

Deacons? None
 Elders? None

c) Ordained after election by other conferences:

Deacons? None
 Elders? None

35. Who are readmitted? (Par. 372-374)

a) As Associate Members? None
 b) As Probationary Members? None
 c) As Members in Full Connection? None

36. What retired members have been made effective:

a) As Associate Members? None
 b) As Members in Full Connection? None

37. Who have been received by transfer? (List alphabetically. If Probationary Member or Associate Member, so indicate. See note preceding question 24)

Name	Conference	Date
Ledbetter, Pam	South Georgia	June 1, 1976 PM
Newsome, Melvin T.	Eastern Penna.	June 1, 1976 PM

38. Who have been transferred out? (List alphabetically. If Probationary Member or Associate Member, so indicate. See note preceding question 24) None

39. Who have had their conference membership terminated? (If Associate or Probationary Member, so indicate. Give date when this action became effective.)

a) By voluntary location? (Par. 367.1) None
 b) By involuntary location? (Par. 367.2) None
 c) By Annual Conference action? (Par. 368) None
 d) By surrender of ministerial office? (Par. 370.1) None
 e) By withdrawal to unite with another church? (Par. 370.2) None
 f) By withdrawal under complaints or charges? (Par. 370.3) None
 g) By judicial procedure (expelled)? (Par. 1540) None

40. Deceased (List alphabetically)

a) What Associate members have died during the year? None

Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death	Date received into Associate Membership
Jolly, Emerson M.	6/6/02	4/5/76	1957

b) What Probationary Members have died during the year? None

c) What Members in Full Connection have died during the year?

Effective:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death	Date received into Full Connection
Hall, Leland B.		2/11/76	1953

Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death	Date received into Full Connection
Davis, C. E.	11/27/1889	12/30/75	1921
Elbert, James W.	10/ 9/1900	2/11/76	1929
Frye, A. B.	8/ 9/1890	1/30/76	1915
Henvis, E. W.	2/ 9/1893	12/11/75	1918
Turner, G. E.	12/ 9/1894	1/ 1/76	1920

d) What lay pastors have died during the year?

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Cogan, Dallas M.	5/31/39	5/1/76
Lawrence, Lutitia J.	3/14/1882	6/2/75

41. Who are the supernumerary ministers and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? (¶ 358)

Name and Number of Years

Arms, Ronald, First
 Kirk, George, Seventh
 Warner, Robert, First

42. Who are granted sabbatical leave? (¶ 356) (Give date when this relation became effective)

Knotts, Jerrold W., 6/1/76
 Massimilla, John A., 6/1/76
 Strickler, Chas. A., 6/1/76

43. Ministry in non-church related special appointments (without pension credit). (¶ 352.7, 392)

a) Who have been approved this year for appointment to ministry in non-church related special appointments by action of the Annual Conference? See special appointments list

b) Who have previously been approved for appointment to ministry in non-church related special appointments by action of the Annual Conference? See special appointments list

c) Who have been returned to the itineracy from non-church related special appointments by action of the bishop and cabinet? (¶ 392) See special appointments list

44. What actions have been taken concerning disabled ministers and lay pastors? (¶ 357. NOTE: Disability leave is a relationship that must be granted annually by action of the Annual Conference. Persons listed here should not be listed as retired under questions 45 and 46.)

a) Who were granted disability leave since the last Annual Conference session? (¶ 357.2) (Give effective dates and indicate if Probationary Member or Associate Member) None

b) Who have had their disability leave terminated since the last conference session? (¶ 357.5) (Give effective date of terminations) None

c) Who are granted disability leave at this session? (If Probationary Member or Associate Member, so indicate.)

C. H. Squires
 Floyd Waters

- d) What lay pastors have been recommended by the Joint Committee on Disability for disability benefits during the ensuing year? (To be answered by the Board of Pensions.) None
45. What members in Full Connection have been retired? (List alphabetically giving full name — first, middle, last — in that order)
- a) This year?
S. Winston C. Crosse
Harvey B. Flater
Charles B. Hart (Effective 9/1/76)
Richard C. Hubbard
- b) Previously?
- | | |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Howard Amoss | D. Littleton |
| F. B. Bailey | W. L. D. Lyght |
| H. A. Bailey | J. Robert Mackey |
| H. N. Bailey | J. E. McBride |
| Walter L. Beckwith | D. Milbury |
| E. L. Bennett | R. L. Minker, Jr. |
| F. G. Buckley | H. W. Nicklas |
| H. T. Caldwell | Herbert N. F. G. Nurse |
| C. I. Carpenter | J. O'Neill |
| A. Chancy | H. M. Parks |
| H. F. Chandler | D. T. Pritchard |
| E. E. Coleman | C. L. Reiter |
| W. I. Collins | P. E. Reynolds |
| H. H. Conner | D. Ridout |
| E. Crockett | G. S. Ross |
| E. W. Cursey | Henry H. Schauer |
| L. R. Dennis | E. Shield |
| J. R. Diehl | A. M. B. Snapp |
| W. L. Dise | O. H. Spence |
| S. G. Dix | C. F. Spencer |
| W. S. Donoway | A. W. Strickland |
| L. Elliott | William M. Tasco |
| C. E. George | R. L. Tawes |
| C. D. Gerald | E. P. Thomas |
| J. O. Griffin | P. Thomas |
| C. Harris | W. C. Thomas |
| R. Hastings | C. Trader |
| Edward J. Hemphill, Jr. | Frederick H. Truitt |
| R. W. Hopkins | T. J. Turkington |
| C. Husted | Robert E. Van Cleaf |
| H. C. Jeffers | J. B. Vaughn |
| John Edward Jones | F. M. Volk |
| M. Kay | J. J. Von Hagel |
| C. E. Kincaid | G. H. Wheatley |
| R. W. Kirwan | C. E. Wilcox |
| K. H. Krams | Joseph I. Williams |
| G. E. Leister | C. Willis |
| J. N. Link | E. V. Wimberly |
46. What Associate Members have been retired: (List alphabetically giving full name — first, middle, last — in that order.)
- a) This Year?
Bryant, Commander
Hackett, Thaddeus

- b) Previously?
G. W. Bishop
J. Conway
J. C. Caulk
H. N. Grattan
J. H. Hilbert
J. W. Willis
Vinton D. Shufelt
G. Taylor
47. Who have been recognized as retired lay pastors?
- a) This year? None
- b) Previously?
- | |
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| W. Abbott |
| M. R. Elliott |
| C. Fox |
| A. T. P. Hudson |
| R. H. D. Hughes |
| O. O. James |
| G. Jones |
| M. C. Milliner |
| H. M. Ralph |
| M. Roberts |
| M. C. Smith |
| J. C. Steen |
| O. Thompson |
| A. A. Turkington |
| I. W. White |
| C. E. Wilkins |
48. Who are appointed to attend school? (§ 352.8) (List alphabetically all those whose prime appointment is to attend school)
- a) Associate Members? None
- b) Probationary Members?
- | |
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| Burris, Joseph Glenn |
| Crossan, Samuel Willard III |
| Hopkins, Raymond Thomas III |
| O'Sullivan, Colleen Marie |
| Parsons, Paul Hardy |
| Patterson, Harry Alton III |
| Twilley, Floyd Albert |
| Valentine, Kenneth Steven |
| Walters, Marlene Louise |
| Wood, Fred Dickson III |
| Yorkdale, Keith Elbers |
- c) Members in Full Connection?
Walz, James P.
49. What is the number of:
Pastoral charges? 226
Local churches? 506
50. a) What is the number of lay pastors?
b) Changes in ministerial membership. What is the number of ministers:
Received as Associate Members? 0; Received as Probationary Members? 9;
Received into Full Connection? 7; Transferred In? 2; Transferred Out? 0; Received from other Christian churches? 0; Readmitted? 0; Retired made effective? 0; Discontinued? (§ 369) 0; Located? (§ 367.1-2) 0; Terminated? (§ 368) 0; Withdrawn? (§ 370.1-.2-.3) 0; Expelled? (§ 1540) 0; Deceased? 9

51. What is the number of ministerial members of the Annual Conference?

Categories	Members in Full Connection	Probationary Members	Associate Members
Pastors and District Superintendents	141	32	33
All Special Appointments	38	1	1
Appointed to Attend School	1	11	0
On Sabbatical Leave	3	0	0
Disability Leave	2	0	0
Supernumerary	3	0	0
Retired	81	0	10
Total Number Ministerial Members	269	44	44
Grand Total, All Conference Ministerial Members			357

52. What other personal notation should be made? None

PART III CONCLUDING BUSINESS

53. Where shall the next Conference Session be held? Dover, Delaware
54. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session? (Attach list) (Include Special Appointments and give effective dates of all changes)
55. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? (Attach list of appointments including special appointments. List all special appointments according to categories of annuity claims — ¶ 1259.5)

Bishop's State Of The Church Address

James K. Mathews
Peninsula Annual Conference — May 25-27, 1976

THAT ALL MAY BE ONE

TEXT: "... that they may all be one." John 17:21

INTRODUCTION

Let me salute the Peninsula Annual Conference at its 192nd session. I am not unmindful of the fact that this is the Garden of Methodism and you have every reason to claim a proud heritage.

We are gathered here in our bi-centennial year as a people. Serious Americans know that we have a collective responsibility to do what we can to see to it that this nation, under God, has a new birth of freedom. This can happen if we are prepared to grasp the primal vision of the founders of our nation; that is, to re-affirm just principles. These are embodied in what might be called the American Canon. The Declaration of Independence declares:

"We hold these truths to be self-evident: that all men (people) are created equal — that they are endowed by their creator with certain unalienable rights — that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness."

The same document declares that a government's "just powers are derived from the consent of the governed." We affirm "liberty and justice for all."

We may have a new birth of freedom if we pay the price. That price surely includes repentance and a reordering of our priorities.

We may have a new birth of freedom if we bring our performance as a people up to our pretence as a people.

This is where we as church people come in. It is our responsibility to see to it that we continue to be a nation under God. We are the guardians of meaning, value and community. Instead of this being in the main an address on the state of the Church, it will address itself to the nature of the Church which should make clearer to us the state God intends.

In the midst of the great liturgy of the Russian Orthodox Church there comes a time for the response from the people. With incredible beauty and fervor they sing the Nicene Creed. Among other affirmations they confess: I believe — we believe — one, holy, catholic and apostolic church. We, too, believe.

To be Christian is to be ecumenical, for our several communions are neither more nor less than a part of the one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. One of its symbols is a little ship surmounted by a cross in the middle of the sea. It has passed through many a storm. It has touched on every shore.

It was Archbishop William Temple who said that he believed in such a Church "but regretted very much that it did not exist." Surely he must have said that in a rare and passing mood of discouragement, for he also observed that ecumenism was the "great new fact of our time."

Throughout the whole inhabited world in our day God has been renewing His Church after the image of Christ. We have all been participants in this painful and often slow process. Nevertheless those who would complain excessively about the short-comings of the Church may well recall that Noah might have found the stench in the inside of the ark unendurable — if it were not for the storm on the outside!

As John 17 bears witness, Jesus prayed four times over for the oneness of the Church — a unity likened to the oneness of the Father and the Son. Jesus, our great High Priest, offered himself in holiness for the Church that it might also be holy. The one, consecrated Church is

sent as witness into the whole inhabited world that the world might believe that Jesus Christ has been sent to it and that humanity might know that it is indeed loved of God. These petitions of our Lord have not gone unanswered. We are all, without exception, beneficiaries of his intercession.

Each of these four marks of the Church — its oneness, its holiness, its universality, and its sentness — imply and reinforce each and all of the others. Each mark is a gift of God gratefully to be received by the whole Church and essential to its life. This is a part of every Christian heritage and it is a part of our heritage.

I

Therefore, to be United Methodist is to believe one Church: this in spite of the fact that ecumenism is reported to be the least of our concerns. The New Testament knows but one church, though it may be gathered in Rome or in Corinth or Ephesus or Princeton or Dover or Baltimore or anywhere else. With Corinthian Christians St. Paul raises the absurd question: "Is Christ divided?" It was to be answered by a resounding "No!" There is one Church just as there is one body, one Spirit, one hope, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of us all, who is above all, and through all and in all.

Jesus said to the first disciples and says to all followers today: "One is your Master and all you are brothers and sisters." By the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ we have been taken into the very family of God. How intimate this is may be seen in the fact that three times in the New Testament the word *Abba* — Father — is used. It comes to us untranslated from the lips and language of our Lord. It was a term of great and affectionate warmth. It was used only in the bosom of the family; never in prayer. Never that is, until Jesus dared to use it. Undoubtedly this is the word uttered when he taught the disciples to pray: "Our Father — my father who is also your father." This is a family word, binding all who use it into one fellowship. It is with this word that the Holy Spirit intercedes for us. It is with this word that the Spirit witnesses within us that we are indeed children of God. Recall Jesus's prayer to the Father that "they may be one, even as we are one."

It is the very intimacy of our given oneness which makes our dividedness so scandalous. An extreme example is in South Africa where the government's policy is based on *apartheid*, which literally means separation. There of all places one would suppose that the Church would emphasize its unity. What we find in that land is that the Church is more sorely divided there than anywhere else on earth; with some 2500 denominations amid a nation of 20,000,000 people.

In our own country we have for generations taken for granted our divided state. We brought our denominations with us. We started new ones here. We have segregated ourselves by language and color. In our denominations we have reflected our sociological differences. Now, at long last, the world calls out to us: "Physician, heal thyself."

Last autumn the fifth Assembly of the World Council of Churches met in Nairobi in Kenya under the theme: "Jesus Christ Frees and Unites." Most of the delegates knew only a few words of Swahili, the language of the land. One of them was *Uhuru* — freedom, the title of one of Robert Roark's books. The other was *Harambee* — "shoulder to shoulder we are one to go forward together." When the theme was translated into Swahili, behold, there were our two friends: "Jesus Christ *Uhuru* (frees) and *Harambee* (united)." This is more than a slogan; it is a reality we experience. Jesus Christ does liberate from every shackle. He frees us also from narrowness and parochialism and stifling denominationism. Then he unites us in one great fellowship of love throughout the whole wide earth. Unity is not just a goal we achieve; it is a gift we receive in behalf of all humanity.

As Christians we take this gift seriously and seek to be more perfectly one. So it is that we as United Methodists are involved in Christian councils at every level, for the Church is of necessity conciliar and cooperative. We are engaged in conversations between and among the various branches of the family of Christ — for the Christian faith implies a readiness to talk things over. As to organic union, we here present are the result of several organizations and many of our present denominations are the result of several formal unions. We are participants in the Consultation of Church Union. We have mutually recognized our memberships. For us these are not options but obligations. Long ago Archbishop Soderblom said of

Christian unity: "God wills it and the world's need requires it." The unity of the Church points to the unity of all humankind, for in Jesus Christ finally "all things hold together." God intends that the universe be brought into one in Christ.

II

Secondly to be United Methodist is to believe one, holy church. How often we of the tradition of John Wesley declare that we are a people raised up to spread Scriptural holiness throughout the lands of earth. However much we may have fallen short in the fulfillment of this intention, somehow we know that this is the demand which is laid upon us. It is laid upon us all.

Scriptural holiness affirms that God is holy. Scriptural holiness acknowledges that the Church is holy because for its sake Jesus consecrated himself. Scriptural holiness insists that God's people are a holy people called to live lives of total commitment — holiness means total commitment. Scriptural holiness projects us into society to "put wrong things right." We are called to be saints — faithful brothers and sisters in Christ. It is God who makes saints and the world cannot do without them.

Holiness is both God's gift to the Church and the task which He assigns to the Church. We are the guardians of the holy and are supposed to witness to it and identify it wherever it manifests itself in human experience.

It is difficult for us to speak of these things but we must speak of them, for without a sense of the holy, culture itself withers away. We ought not to forget that. At the limits of our existence we encounter mystery, the sacred, the eternal, the transcendent, the dimension of depth, what one writer calls, the "really real." At life's fearful extremities, prompted by the Holy One, we dare to say: "Father" and "Friend." In these matters the Spirit of Jesus Christ is our sure teacher. John Calvin said that we must all our lives go to school to Jesus Christ.

The Reformers knew that every day was holy; that time was sacred. But it was only as they regarded particular days as holy that they had any standard by which to Judge the sacredness of all their days.

Our forebears knew also that all space is sacred, but to measure this reality they understood that some space had specifically to be designated as sacred space where the meaning of life is symbolized and empowered. In our society we do not have nearly enough of it; so we continue to pollute and desecrate the planet.

Our mothers and fathers in the faith knew that somehow human relationships are sacred and that when this perspective is lost or blurred — when, as we say, "nothing is sacred" — then civilizations are brought to the brink of destruction.

Our fathers and mothers in the faith knew that there is such a thing as a sacred calling. It is never experienced in an unmixed way. Like Isaiah's, our calling is a strange mixture of being undone even as we are addressed by God; and of our being unready in our very readiness to be sent by God. The fear which repels and the fascination which at the same time draws us on together prompt the awe — the wonder — that is present when we experience the reality of the holy. When most aware of our contingency we are surest of our feet resting on solid ground, like the father who had suffered a series of tragic losses but could still witness: "I have been to the bottom and it is firm."

Today, of course, as Hammerskjold has reminded us, "the road to holiness leads through the world of action." We, therefore, experience the holy when we sense what God is doing in history and consequently what we must do as co-workers with him. Moses came along at a time and place where God was about to act to set his people free. When Moses was invited to join in the enterprise — he knew he was on holy ground and a sharer in a sacred task. A hated Samaritan came along at the same time and place God would have an act of mercy done. He joined with my God and we have not forgotten his sacred deed. Jonathan Edwards and John Wesley came along when God intended to revive his Church. All of these persons were on the road to holiness, totally committed to the work of God. So must we be. For we have come along when God intends to complete his liberation of people and give them full humanity and justice. Where the time of our lives and the places of our lives intersect, there is our sacred mission.

This is no small task. Centuries ago Gregory the Theologian stated that the "art of arts" and the "science of sciences" for the Christian is to give up the clay to the spirit — to turn matter into spirit. This is our assignment. Who can deny that our world cries out for this today? H. Richard Niebuhr once wrote: "Man lives in two worlds and when he tries to make his home in one alone something goes awry with him. Our race, like — migratory birds, cannot live and perform all its functions in one climate but must undertake a periodic flight to another homeland."

It is with some such considerations as these in mind, I think, that the message of the Fifth Assembly of the World Council of Churches at Nairobi was a call of the faithful to prayer. It is not surprising either that the United Methodist/Roman Catholic dialogue has concerned itself with holiness and spirituality in the ordained ministry. As those who believe one, holy church and without withdrawing one step from significant social engagement, do we not need — all of us — to confess that we are not likely to go much further without digging deeper?

III

Furthermore, to be United Methodists is to believe one, holy, catholic Church. We need not labor this point in a global era of history. The Church has to do with all times and all places. It is universal and it is local. It relates to all humanity. No one is left out. At Nairobi it was precisely in the report of the section on Christian Unity that the claims of the physically handicapped were affirmed. In the light of the Gospel records this should not surprise us. No one is to be left out. Ecumenism refers not so much to relations between and among the churches as to the inclusiveness of our caring.

When John Wesley preached on "The Catholic Spirit" he noted that the "two grand, general hindrances" to unity were, first, "that they cannot all think alike," and secondly, "that they cannot all walk or act alike." He continued, "But although a difference in opinion or modes or worship may prevent an entire external union, yet need it prevent our union in affection?" Then later he concludes that "Catholic love is — universal love."

As God loves the whole world, so must we. This implies both openness and inclusiveness. Either we will be radically ecumenical or we will come out as merely parochial Americans, or British, or Swedish, or Chinese or whatever. Either we will be radically ecumenical or we will settle for being merely men or women, representative of a particular race or region. Either we will be radically ecumenical or we will be merely denominational.

We all begin at such places but we do not end there. For to be radically ecumenical is to care for all; to live for all just as Jesus Christ died for all.

In one of Charles Wesley's great hymns he sings:

Come, all ye souls by sin oppressed,
Ye restless wanderers after rest;
Ye poor, and maimed, and halt and blind,
In Christ a hearty welcome find.

Then he concludes:

Come thou, this moment, at his call,
And live for him who died for all.

IV

Finally to be United Methodists is to believe one, holy, catholic and apostolic church. By this we do not mean merely that we share the apostolic faith — which we all do; nor that we claim to be connected in some unbroken fashion with the apostles, which some of us do and some of us do not. Rather, we are summoned for an apostolic task. We are sent on mission.

In John 20 we find Jesus saying: "As the Father has sent me, so I send you." Two words for "send" are used in this passage. One is of great force: He is sent as ambassador extraordinary and minister pleni-potentiary. The second "send" — our sentness — is of lesser force. We are all sent as a part of his mission.

This passage suggests what one theologian has called a "divine relay race" — the mission passed from Father, to Son, to Holy Spirit, to the Church, and then to each one of us. We

have come to see more clearly than ever that the Church does not have a mission; it is mission.

Since the Church is mission it continues the mission of Jesus Christ, announced in the sermon at Nazareth:

"God's Spirit is in my heart:
he has called me to my great work.
This is what I have to do —
give Good News to the poor;
tell prisoners that they are prisoners no longer
and blind people that they can see;
set conquered people free,
and tell everybody God's Great Day has come."

Jesus is here found doing the work of evangelist and missionary. E. Stanley Jones used to love to expound this passage as the Good News in action addressed to the economically disinherited; the socially and politically disinherited; the physically disinherited; the morally and spiritually disinherited; and the offer of a new beginning — a Jubilee Year — for everybody. Apostolic task indeed!

Mission projects: World Hunger/Ethnic Church Development/Evangelism. Let the missional priorities of churches be tested against the measuring rod of this mission of Jesus. Let them be measured against the standard of Matthew 25 in which Jesus Christ identifies himself with every person in need and consequently our service to humanity is service to our Lord. Nor should we forget for one moment that Matthew 25 is set in the context of God's judgment upon us all.

But we need not succumb, as some would have us do, to hopelessness. They would emphasize that we are headed for a new Dark Ages; that the world faces a series of crises of unparalleled urgency; that we are like a Titanic on a collision course with an iceberg — like a Brontosaurus on the road to extinction; that our basic problem is survival itself.

Nor need we subscribe to this analysis: "When society reaches a stage where property confers rank, wealth becomes the only source of virtue, passion the only bond of union between husband and wife, falsehood the source of success in life, sex the only means of enjoyment, and when outer trappings are confused with inner religion" — then the age of destruction is at hand.

There is truth here — but not the last word. This is the Hindu view of history — the Kali Yuga, the age of destruction. For Hindus, Kali is the deity of destruction. She is also the smallpox goddess. I would simply point out that this very year the disease of smallpox has been entirely eliminated from human history. Thanks be to God. When the age of destruction seems to be upon us, at that very moment Great Kali is dead!

But Jesus Christ is risen and is alive forevermore. Ours is therefore a mission of hope. Jesus Christ goes before us. He is present with us. He presents his Church today with challenges and opportunities without parallel for centuries. For people everywhere today are awakening — women, men, youth, student, the poor, the dispossessed of earth — a veritable explosion of consciousness. Do we not see this? Moreover, there is today a universal yearning of meaning, value, justice, community, for fullness of life. Do we not know this? Multitudes do not know that theirs is a religious search. They are not supposed to know. But we are supposed to know it, for we know One who came that they might have life and have it in all its fullness. This is his mission and ours.

It is my hope therefore and expectation that our program during the coming year and quadrennium will reflect these realities. We can fulfill our missional priorities. We can reverse the decline in membership. God intends that his Word shall be declared and heard and responded to. For my part, I shall be engaged in an enabling ministry to ministers and laity alike. I invite you to undergird all we do with effectual, fervent prayer. Let us expect great things of God as we attempt great things for him.

To be United Methodist — to be Christian — is to believe and be a part of one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. Amen.

C. Reports

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

Composite Report - 1976

Presented By David W. Baker

Bishop Mathews, Fellow-Cabinet Members, Brothers and Sisters in the Ordained Ministry, Delegates and Guests:

It is a unique experience for any Superintendent, and it has been for me personally, to be acting chairman, with just one year of experience as a member of the Peninsula Conference.

First, I would express our appreciation to Bishop Mathews for his leadership in the past, as pastor, teacher, student, supervisor and friend. His energetic leadership and motivating concern for the individual churches, pastors and laity, becomes more evident in our continuing relationship. We are fortunate, indeed, to have a Bishop and Wife, who have a wide variety of personal comradeship with world leaders, and who are in associative and enterprising contact with the great thinkers of the world on the important concerns of our day. Then they have, in their own inimitable style, enriched our personal knowledge and enlarged our conception of the world community, by sharing some of their rare experiences with us of the Peninsula Conference community.

I would express my thanks to the other members of the Cabinet for their patience and trust in me, as we have sought to become a working unit for the strengthening of the Conference. I'm sure you all realize that the Cabinet has had a complete change in personnel within the span of two years. We do not agree on everything, but we have been able to disagree, and in Christian love eventually work out a mutually agreed upon procedure.

We are determined to be a unit working for the good of every parsonage family; every local church within the limits of our conference. It is from this point that we pray will come forth a new day of Christian relationship between every parsonage family. There is a dire need within our conference for the clergy families to be more united in love, concern and support. This is the reason for notification, whenever possible, in case of serious illness and death. We need to give expression to this Christian privilege and duty; to share this bond of friendship which will sustain us during any personal experience—whether sorrow or joy. Let's engage in more sharing within our fellowship in the future.

Right here, we would be amiss if our appreciation to the Reverend Mr. R. Jervis Cooke was not gratefully expressed. Mr. Cooke is a member of the extended Cabinet, and attends all meetings, except those related to pastoral appointments. His treasured hours of experience in the pastorate, in administration on district and conference levels has been invaluable.

I read of four men standing at opposite corners of a mighty auditorium. They really desired to come together, but neither will come to another's corner. In the center of the room is a beautiful fountain. Finally, someone proposes that they meet at the fountain. They start for the common center. They come on—forty, fifty, one hundred feet. The nearer they come to the fountain, the nearer they come to each other, each making concessions of location and space. At last they reach their destination, and clasp hands around the sparkling waters of the fountain! Jesus Christ, the great fountain of life, liberty and love is the center of the world. The nearer God's children come to Christ, the nearer they will be to each other . . . As pastors and laypersons, let us not see ourselves from the four corners of our Conference, but as working together for the promotion and extension of God's Kingdom within our Conference. There is a feeling, easily sensed, on the part of some pastors and laypersons, that they can get along without each other very well. Truthfully, this is impossible! For the enrichment of our individual spirits, and the good of our collective body, let's find ourselves nearer to each other as we find our destiny within the Church of Christ who is the center of life.

I stated at the beginning, that this report was unique and indeed it is. It is a composite report, to which each Superintendent has contributed a particular area of common concern.

The Appointment Process

The Council of Bishops met at Dallas, Texas, for three days in January 1976 to discuss appointment making as it is practiced in our connection. The importance accorded this discussion by the bishops is reflected in the fact that every active bishop in the United States was present save two whose absences were necessitated by serious family circumstances.

In a news release following the consultation the Bishops stated: "This consultation has been by no means the beginning of our deep concern about this process. Always it has been a vital part of our work, shared with the district superintendents, requiring a major investment of time and energy. During recent years in all jurisdictions and in every episcopal area, efforts have been made to improve, systematize, and indeed to humanize procedures employed in the making of pastoral appointments."

The "efforts" in the Washington Area began to take definite shape at the first semi-annual Washington Extended Cabinet Retreat held in January 1971. Bishop James K. Mathews convened the retreat for the purpose of creatively developing overall strategies with the two annual conferences. A primary concern which surfaced immediately was the appointment procedure. Since that time the concern appears regularly on the area retreat agenda.

A twelve step appointment process has been developed and has become the basis for the cabinet's efforts to systematize, improve, and to humanize procedures employed in making pastoral appointments. Three categories have received constant consideration and attention in the development of the twelve step system. They are the Pastor-Parish Relations Committee, the Pastors, and the Cabinet.

Workshops were developed for members of local charge pastor-parish relations committees during the year 1974-75 and were held on a district basis. Many of these committees came to see their responsibilities and opportunities in a new way through the knowledge gained in these workshops. There is under consideration the development of a new round of workshops to inform new committee members and to give an added dimension of those who are experienced. The district superintendents are increasing the face to face communication with the pastor-parish relations committees when a change of pastors is contemplated. The appreciation already expressed by several committees would seem to indicate that the methods used are an improvement in the process.

The appointment system is accepted by a minister when he enters into the relationship and membership in an annual conference. Nevertheless pastors are threatened by the process. It is necessary to develop a pattern of dialogue that will heighten trust levels. Out of this atmosphere can come the opportunity for the sharing of personal goals and establishing such goals where there are none. The superintendents are attempting to develop annual direct interviews with their pastors. Pastors and their families are being introduced to the pastor-parish relations committees prior to annual conference in order to facilitate orientation.

The authority and responsibility for the appointment procedure rest heavily upon the shoulder of the bishop and his cabinet. It is necessary that this team work together in harmony. The superintendents are the function arm of the bishop in the appointment process. We individually and collectively take ownership of the goals and objectives of the system. In the appointment process we seek to act as conference superintendents.

In the bishops' January news release there were also the following affirmations:

"We reaffirm our tradition of an itinerant ministry, of which the bishops together with all other ordained ministers of our church are a part. An itinerant, appointive system is essential to an effective connectional church. Our ministry is a preaching order. The itinerancy affords the best available pastor to every charge and assures an appointment for every ministerial member of an annual conference. It is also a principal guarantee of a free and responsible pulpit. It offers the possibility of matching the specific needs of congregations with the professional abilities of the best qualified men or women. Over a period of years it

makes available a variety in approach and emphasis. The itinerant system is essentially missional in its thrust, through which the pastors fulfill their calling by being sent to their charges. Moreover, a traveling appointive ministry offers the best possibility for our becoming ethnically a truly inclusive church. In instances urgently requiring a change of pastors, our policy can effect this efficiently, promptly, and humanly. It has not only served our tradition effectively in the past, but is peculiarly equipped to meet the demands of our own day.

We strongly and unanimously affirm the consultative process in appointment making. This is a collective undertaking involving the local church through its Pastor-Parish Relations Committees; the pastor (and the pastoral family); the district superintendents; and the bishop. We are determined to involve all four partners in making appointments."

The Peninsula Conference Cabinet joins in the foregoing affirmations. Under the pastoral care of Bishop Mathews, and supporting his administrative leadership, we shall seek to strengthen the appointment process in the Peninsula Annual Conference during the year 76-77 by following the twelve step appointment procedure listed below.

Peninsula Cabinet Appointment Procedures

1. Each year a letter with an enclosed "consultation questionnaire," mailed to each pastor on December 15.
2. Each year a letter requested from each Pastor Parish Relations Committee, by January 15, concerning their wishes regarding continuation of relationship with their present pastor.
3. After consideration of available data concerning needs of a charge, strengths of available persons, the Cabinet will agree on a pastor to propose to the charge, and upon concurrence of the Bishop and the willingness of the pastor involved, the affected District Superintendent shall effectively present the name and qualifications to the Pastor Parish Relations Committee, stating the plan is to appoint unless there are reasons for further consideration.
4. If further consideration is requested, a time line shall be set for decision.
5. If the pastor presented is declined, the door is closed permanently for that person, for that charge, for that year.
6. There will be no interviews of prospective pastors by the Pastor Parish Relations Committee before the fact of appointment confirmation.
7. When considering appointments of Associate Pastors;—that a name suggested by the Cabinet be discussed privately with the senior pastor, and an opportunity be given for an interview between both pastor and proposed associate. At the end of that interview both shall state to each other whether they are interested in pursuing the matter further. Either party at this point may decide negatively without any reflections upon the individual or the decision. When agreement is made to pursue the matter further, the District Superintendent will meet with the Pastor Parish Relations Committee, propose the name of the candidate with the support of the senior pastor. It is understood that when searching for an associate pastor, the senior pastor involved will be asked for input suggesting names for the Cabinet's consideration.
8. When agreement is reached with a charge, a checklist shall be followed even though it may have been discussed in a recent meeting, so that more clear and open communication can be achieved. The result of the checklist shall be a letter, a copy of which is retained by the Superintendent.
9. Whenever a news release is involved, it shall be issued by authority of the Bishop in consultation with the appointing Superintendent.
10. No appointment is final until read by the Bishop.
11. The Superintendent visit the new appointee early in the tenure of the new position.
12. Plans for an annual evaluation program of each church and pastor for the purpose of placing the right pastor in the right position is in the making. It will be developed, and implemented by the present Cabinet over the next couple of years. We feel a need for an educational process for both pastor and church or churches.

Pension Concerns

During the years the Peninsula Annual Conference, and its predecessor conferences, have been paying pensions to its retired clergy, clergy-widows, and their orphans, the costs of these pensions have been escalating as our membership and our total years of service responsibility have increased. These escalations have not kept pace with the rate of inflation. So in reality, our pensioners have had their purchasing power lessened with each passing year. Although sincere efforts have been made to alleviate this problem, it does continue.

Paying pensions out of current income has provided no guarantee of even the existing rate. Entry of the Peninsula Annual Conference in the Minister's Reserve Pension Fund on January 1, 1977, will correct this. The 1975 session of conference which authorized this entry, called for a proposal to reduce the indebtedness caused by our entry. The required proposal will be considered later in these sessions of 1976, and it is the hope of the cabinet that it will be approved.

The cabinet is unanimously endorsing the proposal for a "Crusade For Pension Funding" because the sooner we eliminate our past service obligation, the sooner we free up sums of conference income for program purposes. It should be clearly noted that had our conference funded its pension responsibility previously, our present pension costs would be approximately two-fifths of what is now required.

Proposals that will be considered by this session of conference to require charges to either withhold the minister's contribution to pension from his gross income or to pay the contribution on the minister's behalf as a fringe benefit are intended to eliminate the chance of delinquency which would reduce the amount of pension at the time of retirement. Any clergy indebtedness incurred after January 1, 1977, will permanently reduce pension. Indebtedness incurred prior to January 1, 1977, will be recovered within the first four years of retirement and then the pension payment will be at the conference established level.

The Peninsula Annual Conference has been a pace-setter in Methodism in many matters including its highly developed concern for those who have served long and loyally as clergy but are no longer able to do so because of the inexorable march of time. Venturesome faith on the part of clergy and laity has made this record possible.

On behalf of all those who benefit, retired clergy, widows, and children, the cabinet expresses gratitude to the people called Methodist on the Delmarva Peninsula, and prays in the words of the poet Alfred, Lord Tennyson that "these our mercies may grow from more to more, making a vaster music."

The Ten Year Merger Study

The strength of our Annual Conference was made evident when we took the time to objectively look at ourselves through the 1975 Merger Study of the Delaware and Peninsula Conferences. Each note of concern registered by the report shall serve as a benchmark as we move into the future. The loss of twenty percent of our Black members over the past ten years is more than an adequate stimulus to cause us as a Conference to wholeheartedly support the missional priority of strengthening the ethnic minority churches.

We commit ourselves to the further development of an inclusive church, where interracial experiences for clergy and laity will not be contrived but will be the order of the day. It is the intention of the Cabinet to support the recruitment program of the Conference Board of the Ministry, especially the recruitment of Black Pastors. This year considerable time and funds for travel were expended to interview seminary students and fully ordained clergy regarding membership in our conference. During the next several years, we seek to extend our efforts.

Whether or not we have made significant progress was reflected in varying degrees by clergy and laity, black and white. It is our opinion that our communications system does not penetrate the private worlds of all our people. Therefore we urge clergy and all laity in leadership positions to double their efforts to share the program and successes of our inclusive fellowship. Christians who are comfortable in their segregated patterns of life, be

they black or white, have not had the fullness of the Gospel applied to their day to day life. We stand ready to support all who seek to tell and act out the story of our oneness in Christ.

The commitment to the appointment of pastors regardless of race or sex is number one on our agenda. We are a stronger people because of our long journey toward inclusiveness. We are indebted to Mrs. Lowan Pitts, Chairperson, Commission on Religion and Race, and Mr. James Davis, Research Director, National Division, Board of Global Ministries and to each person who participated in the Merger Study. We await their recommendations and program goals for the years ahead. We call upon the membership of this Conference to hear and respond with openness of heart and mind as we move forward with faith.

Special Concerns:

1. The Student Day Offering within the Conference needs additional support by all churches. In many areas of the General Church giving, our Conference is leading, (as compared to others in our Jurisdiction), but in this one we stand 15th of the 18 conferences in our giving to this cause. In 1975 we sent only a total of \$880.30 to the General Church which provides Methodist Scholarships and Loans to those in need. In return, the General Church granted to persons within our Conference in 1975, four scholarships, totaling \$2,500. In addition, the agency has provided loans to 41 persons for a total of \$25,775. We need to give further consideration to this life-line to many of our student pastors.
2. There is a need for training sessions on the part of the clergy in reference to filling out reports. Many of the errors made are tragic, and, frankly take valuable time of the office staff to correct, and could, in fact, affect the amount of the apportionment paid by the local church.
3. We all acknowledge that the life-blood of the Conference is the local church. The future of the small local church (30 members, or less), is uncertain. Costs are rising, salaries are not commanding, and there is a shortage of qualified pastors. We are asking too much for a minister to preach more than three times on a charge, any given Sunday, and still do justice to his other pastoral duties that day. This may mean union services in some areas, alternating between churches, if we hold on to a House of Worship for sentiment alone. The day of the Station Church is on the way out. Both the large and small churches need each other. Let's get on with our "Father's Business" and let the church, with its new methods and techniques help us grow. We call attention to the option of the Limited Service Church, as provided by our Conference, on page 172 of the 1973 Conference Journal.
4. We need to know why we are in the work of the church. If we knew the answer to this, it just might turn the tide of the Church and Church School membership. True, we need not to be so much number conscious, as to be concerned with the quality of the membership we enroll. However, the following few statistics should cause us to take inventory of our labor.
 - 1975 Total -
 - Gain of Membership - 132
 - Number of Churches Receiving None on Profession of Faith - 195
 - Number of Churches Receiving No One from Preparatory Membership - 349
 - Loss in Church School Membership - 547

We share this information to be provocative rather than critical; so that it will jar us to a re-awakening of the mission of the church. This brief excerpt from the '76 General Conference minutes:—"The number who are received on profession of faith each year is more closely related to church membership trends than all the other processes or factors combined. And the explanation for declining membership lies in the fact that during the last quadrennium we have received only about one-half as many on profession of faith, as we did during those quadrennia when the Church was experiencing its most rapid growth and expansion. Our problem is not one of losing old members or losing more members—that number has remained relatively constant. The problem can be traced to our failure to add enough new members. The number removed by death, transfer, and charge conference ac-

tion—that is, the outgo, has remained relatively constant, but the number of new Christians—the income—has been reduced by one-half. The trends in the church membership seem to be lagging indicators which have followed other trends elsewhere in the life of the church." In this new quadrennium, we need to combine the emphasis upon Evangelism and Christian Education, as a unit from which we will emerge vitally renewed Christians in our communities.

This report would be incomplete if we did not mention the Bicentennial Celebration of our Country. I believe it to be a challenge to the Christian Church to lead the way out of the confused, disoriented, mistrustful days, into the light of peace and tranquility. May I share these words written for the Methodist SesquiCentennial in 1934 by a renowned Churchman of all times.

"As I stood in the pulpit of Wesley in the City Road Chapel in London, there came to me the fact of the two great contributions which the Wesleyan Movement gave to the world. One was the fact of Wesley's heart being 'strangely warmed in the meeting hours.' The whole movement was founded upon a fact of inner experience of God which transformed and lighted up the whole of life. From that moment, all else was secondary to this one and central thing—a radiant experience of God.

"We must continue this line of succession of the burning heart. The chief business of the Christian Church is to produce the strange moral and spiritual miracle of conversion. When it has lost its power to do this, it has lost the right to live. If God has raised us up for anything, it is for the perpetuating of this miracle. Methodism in America, look to your marching orders, your commission from God—it includes this central fact. Confused and paralyzed men need this today as never before.

"The second great contribution of Wesley was his saying: 'The world is my parish.' There was to be no territorial or racial limitation to his redemptive movement. These two things stand together. One is the experience and the other is the expression. The experience goes to the depth of the individual's need and extends to the need of the earth's last man. Cool either one and you kill both."

This message came from Dr. E. Stanley Jones.

If this Bicentennial means the rekindling of the human heart and the redirection to its world task, then it will not be a celebration alone, but a revival.

The gains of the centuries are on trial today. The cost of God's cause grows more insistent with each passing day. The enemies of God are vicious, powerful, and treacherous. They are strongly entrenched. But many times has the power of God in Christ lifted men out of their sin and saved society. We are not alone in our fight. It is Christ the Crucified who can redeem our civilization. He demands a muscular, sturdy discipleship. We should offer our best brains, our finest heroism, our bottom dollar, our most sacrificial devotion. There are none too good for the task at hand. Thank God for a fearless and superb leader, who chose to die rather than retreat or submit. This is the Christ we proclaim and whom we have the honor to represent. If Christians can dare to claim His spirit, this can be the finest hour in the history of our nation.

I would like to voice the unanimous sentiment of your cabinet to the members of the Conference Staff concerning their amiability, and the manner in which they share unselfishly of their time and leadership in many ways to our Conference, and on each District. They have been at our beck and call. We trust the conference membership realizes, as we do, how fortunate we are to have such valuable resource persons readily available; their capabilities are most outstanding. Also, our deep appreciation to the clerical staff of the Dover Business Office. None know, except those who have had continual contact in person or by phone, the joyful spirit of helpfulness which exists with those four walls. For this kind of personnel we are blessed, and truly thankful.

Now, last but certainly not the least, we express grateful appreciation to each of you—and all of you, for the cooperation and many courtesies extended to the members of the Cabinet

during the year . . . Now let's be up and doing in Christian Love and Brotherhood for the cause of Christ and His Kingdom.

David W. Baker, Sr., Chairperson
Felton E. May

William H. Revelle, Jr.
Edwin C. Thomas, Jr.

a. District Superintendents

SUPERINTENDENTS' REPORTS

DOVER DISTRICT

William H. Revelle, Jr., Superintendent

Summarizing the life and labors of the Dover District in this my first year as its Superintendent is difficult for two reasons. First, to list accomplishments and the persons responsible is hazardous lest a person be omitted. Second, to fail to mention some specifics would seem to be ingratitude and this is not the case.

The first area of recollection should deal with the pastoral appointments. I believe there has been good to excellent rapport between clergy and congregation. This has been evident in tangible and intangible ways. Carolyn and I are in the process of visiting the homes of the clergy and have been graciously received there. When we are a part of a parish function or service there seems to be an openness and camaraderie that is a joy to experience. Without question, good fellowship is a two-way process. So I applaud its existence and urge all to work at making it even more obvious and effective.

During the past year, the pastoral charges have moved a little ahead of their previous record in supporting denominational benevolences. This is good because it indicates that church people are reaching out to relieve human need and suffering. The ability and willingness to translate our cash into compassion is an outward manifestation of an inward spirit. Saying "Lord, Lord" is effective only when we do the works of Him who is indeed The Lord.

Thanks are in order for all those persons and parishes who have gone beyond the routine. To those who have supported our advance specials, our child care ministry, our concern for older citizens, community projects, and youth ministry during the summer as well as our retreat center — We Thank You. Attendance at the Laity Communion Breakfast occasions was good, as well as at other Laity and/or district events.

The maintenance of buildings on the district is a source of satisfaction, also. During the year, new buildings have been begun, plans have been developed for others, studies regarding need are in process, and parsonages have been either renovated or replaced. In all cases of the latter, the standards of the conference for ministerial residence have been either met or exceeded.

A majority of charges have tried to relieve the financial stress on the clergy by providing cost of living increases. Certainly no person can do their best job if he or she lives under the hardship of inadequate income or the anxiety of insufficient retirement. Equitable income and effective ministry are closely related.

A number of our parsonage families have been besieged by illness or need for surgery during the year. These persons either have or are recuperating, for which God be praised. Some of the extended family members have expired, and for these we pray the companionship and comfort of God. The Reverend Charles E. Davis, a retired member of our conference died during the year, and we pray that God may reward his ministry by the words "Well Done."

One parsonage family had its number enlarged when Kristin Frye Varell arrived. May God grant this family not only joy but strength to guide this life entrusted to their care.

For the gracious reception shortly after our arrival by the district at large, for the warmth of the Ministers and their mates, and for the compatibility of all the official bodies of the various charges with which it has been our privilege to deal in this short year, Carolyn and I say a simple but sincere thank you. May these our relationships be made stronger and God's will be more effectively done by us all, always, however long or short may be our time together.

Let it be known without any doubt, that our Bishop and the entire Cabinet are concerned about the quality and the caliber of life of our total conference — each clergy and each congregant, and it is our prayer that our discipleship may ever be worthy.

GOD BLESS!!

EASTON DISTRICT

Felton E. May, District Superintendent

This 1975-76 Conference year will probably be remembered as one of the most exciting and challenging years of my ministry. I am greatly indebted to my family and the people of the Easton District for their generous support.

Deep appreciation is extended to Reverend and Mrs. Otho Brewer for effecting a smooth transition, which allowed my family and I to quickly adjust to a new environment. All of you who planned and participated in the welcoming reception, exhibited not only "southern hospitality," but Christ-like love; which we seek to return day by day as the Easton District Parsonage Family.

Getting To Know You:

The basic link of our connectional system is the Charge Conference. It was a long and sometime bone-weary task to meet with every charge on the District. However, there is no better way to hear and see local church leadership. The overwhelming concern shared by laity and clergy alike was centered in the survival of the town and country charge. There should be no doubt in anyone's mind that the town and country charge is the back-bone of United Methodism; and the survival of such charges is linked to the survival of our great church. It has become clear to me that the people of this District have a high regard for fiscal responsibilities. They not only have extended an enviable record of paying their Conference Apportionments one hundred percent (100%) for every church on the District; they have opened their hearts to God's children from distant lands. Displaced persons from South-east Asia have found a home on our District.

I know a bit more about the Laity because of my close association with the District Board of the Laity and the District Executive Committee of the United Methodist Women. Mrs. Joseph W. (Lillian) Liener and Mr. Francis Turpin provide outstanding leadership and counsel. The experience of teaching a part of the District Lay Speakers course exposed me to one-hundred fifty (150) plus Certified Lay Speakers who are a source of spiritual strength yet untapped.

Clergy and their spouses have added a new dimension to our ministerial career. Their response to District events and shared task undergirds and sustains our lives in our common cause for Christ. We salute the leadership of Reverend Thomas Hurley and Mrs. Lawrence (Olivia) Wimbrow. I dare not claim any credit for motivating spiritual, financial or numerical growth during the year. We stand on the outstanding work of all of those who came before us.

Our communications system was strengthened through a District Newsletter edited by Rev. Robert O'Kelly Wallace. The District Secretaries, District Work Area Chairpersons and the District Age Level Coordinators met quarterly with the Superintendent to discuss future mission and ministry strategies for the District. The District has been sub-divided into three areas to give easy access to special programs and training events. District Committee on Building and Location, and the Committee on the Ministry were called to clear routine matters.

Personal Items From Across the District:

Illnesses: The following persons sustained serious illness or injury during the year: Reverend Jeremiah Lee, Mrs. Joseph W. (Anita) Williams, Jr., Mrs. Robert (Betty) Seals, Reverend Edward Gladden, Reverend Jason Blundon, Mrs. Carlton (Lucy) Harris, Reverend Richard Hubbard. Each of the above has been blessed with speedy recovery.

Deaths Within our Family: Mr. Lewis Opher, husband of Reverend Mrs. Hester Opher; Reverend Dallas Cogan; Rev. Mrs. Lutetia Lawrence; Mrs. James L. Nichols.

Birth and Baptisms: A daughter, CAROLINE SUZANNE, was born to Reverend and Mrs. Edward Kester, July 23, 1975 and Baptized by the District Superintendent, August 17, 1975. A

son, CHAD STUART, was born to Reverend and Mrs. Gary Tulak, February 26, 1976. A son, RICHARD HENRY, III, was born to Reverend and Mrs. Richard Gentzler, April 28, 1976.

Mid-year Pastoral Changes: Reverend Charles Huffman replaced Reverend Harold Pitzenbarger, Federalsburg-Concord Charge; Reverend Carlton Harris (Retired) replaced Reverend Charles Green at Royal Oak; and Reverend F. G. Buckley replaced Reverend James Scott, East New Market Charge.

Retirements: The following persons will move into the retired status at the close of the 1976 Annual Conference:

REVEREND COMMANDER BRYANT
REVEREND RICHARD HUBBARD

A special word of "thanks" is extended to the following brethren who served as interim-pastor or pastor in charge during the past year: Reverend F. G. Buckley, Reverend Carlton Harris, Reverend D'Arcy Littleton, and Reverend Walter Mills.

Each Charge Conference was concluded by sharing the following words from a hymn written by Charles Wesley. I believe that the people of the Easton District concur in this thought as we close our report:

"A charge to keep I have, A god to glorify,
A never dying soul to save, And fit it for the sky."

"To serve the present age, My calling to fulfill;
O may it all my powers engage, To do my Master's will!"

SALISBURY DISTRICT

David W. Baker, Sr., District Superintendent

This report is made on behalf of the pastors and the laypersons of the Salisbury District. The successes are the results of the faithful and loyal effort on the part of people called Methodist. The weak areas are but a challenge to the same loyalty and faithfulness. They will be answered with dedicated prayer, planning and effort.

State of the Church and Ministerial Families: God visited four of our homes of the clergy families, leaving a "first edition" in each home. Melody Evette Matthews, daughter of Gonzalee and Cynthia, born 7/3/75; Harvey Franklin Twilley, son of Floyd A., Jr. and Ann, born 4/13/76; Joshua Joseph Taylor, son of Alfred and Beverly, born 4/13/76; and Jonathan David Owens, son of J. Ronald and Nancy, born 5/6/76. Conscious of the oneness of the whole family on earth and heaven, we commended to our Lord seven members of our ministerial family: Gilbert E. Turner, 1/1/76; A. B. Frye, 1/30/76; James W. Elbert, 2/9/76; Mrs. Anna McFarland, widow of the late A. T. McFarland, 3/6/76; Mrs. Mary E. Morris, widow of the late George A. Morris, 3/19/76; Emerson M. Jolly, 4/5/76; and Jonathan David Owens, 5/9/76, son of J. Ronald and Nancy Owens. "These, Thy children, are gathered home, through Jesus Christ, Our Lord."

Pastoral Changes: Charles C. Huffman, serving Antioch Charge, Princess Anne, was appointed to a church on the Easton District effective 10/12/75; Daniel T. Pritchard, retired, serving Whaleysville, was taken ill and had to relinquish his pastoral responsibilities on 10/15/75; William T. Archer, Jr., was appointed to Antioch Charge, Princess Anne effective 11/1/75; Howard Warren was again called from retirement to supply Whaleysville-New Hope Charge on 11/10/75; Claude C. Brown came from the Dover District and was appointed to Asbury, Sharptown effective 11/15/75. My special appreciation to all those retired Pastors who have filled in during the illness of active Pastors, vacation periods, and were especially helpful by their availability to administer the Sacrament of Holy Communion on charges served by student lay-pastors.

Report of Year's Labors: Bishop Mathews made four official visits to the District; conducted two Study Days, and preached at Parsonsburg and Immanuel, Crisfield (where a new educational building was consecrated). We were pleased to have Mrs. Mathews speak at the fall meeting of the United Methodist Women. Clergy conducted sharing sessions one morning weekly for eight weeks, on "Improving Your Preaching." . . . Open House was held at the District Parsonage one Sunday evening in October, November and December, for

Clergy Families, local church Lay Leaders and the Presidents of the local units of the United Methodist Women, and their spouses . . . Donald Barnhouse spoke at our Laity Banquet — a highlight in the year's activities . . . Several listening and planning sessions were held on a county basis with Nat Miller, of the Conference Staff, who was also helpful in two local situations in the black communities . . . In January, a Leadership Training Session brought 505 local church leaders to Asbury, Salisbury, for class instruction, and concluded by uniting in the nave for a "union" hymn fest, and commission to share their knowledge in the local parish . . . Two Missionary Training Sessions were held, as well as a day on the review of "10 years after Merger Study" . . . A district all day Ash Wednesday program was shared, with Dr. Edmund A. Steimle, as guest preacher — the climax, a worship service held in Asbury, Salisbury, with a full house to begin the Lenten season . . . Three Communion breakfasts were held during Lent — laity and clergy uniting. A New Life Mission, with eleven churches of Salisbury uniting in common need for renewal, held in Bethesda Church, Salisbury, April 5 through 9th, with Eddie Fox, from the General Board of Discipleship, Nashville. More than 500 persons came each night — the outcome? — "New Life" . . . Both the district boards of Ministry and Building and Church Location have been active, and helpful in their efforts . . . 18 Lay Pastors Licenses were renewed . . . 40 new Certified Lay Speakers completed their three day study course in January, 1976 . . . Two young men have been recommended by their Charge Conference for License to Preach.

Stewardship of Tithe: As a district we paid 98.4% of our apportionments. This is an increase of 2.4%. There were 14 churches of the 142, which did not pay in full . . . The United Methodist Women raised \$84,191 for their local churches and \$22,253 for missions; (three reported nothing) . . . Paid on indebtedness by churches — \$252,320; on building and improvements — \$350,896 . . . Raised for second-mile giving, \$30,096, (2 charges reported nothing) . . . A goodly number of our churches responded to the emergency caused by the Guatemala earthquake, along with answering the call for the alleviation of the hungry . . . 45 of our 56 charges increased the minister's annual income in the amount of \$33,560; an average of \$745.

Concern over Lack of Concern: The lack of interest in giving to the regular General and Annual Conference Special offerings is a primary concern. The * designates these causes: . . . 41 charges gave to Homes for the Aged . . . 41 charges to the Board of Child Care . . . 32 to Christian Education Sunday* . . . 31 to the World Wide Communion Offering* . . . 29 to One Great Hour of Sharing* . . . 24 to United Methodist Student Day* . . . 21 to Human Relations* . . . 13 to Higher Education . . . 7 to Hunger (CROP) . . . 5 to Barratt's . . . 5 to Neighborhood House . . . 4 to Wesley College . . . and 2 to DEA.

Evangelism is the Key to the growth of the church, yet we had a net loss for the year of 98 persons . . . 25 charges reported increases in membership; 25 losses . . . 5 remained the same . . . One charge in two years reports neither increase nor decrease. We call attention to the Pastor Parish Relations Committee and the Board of Trustees of each charge to the new guidelines presented this year by the Town and Country Commission of the Conference Board of Global Missions, concerning standards for the parsonages. Serious action needs to be taken by the local churches to maintain a respectable home for its pastor and family.

Limited Service Churches: St. Peter's; Immanuel, Crisfield Charge Conference, 1/1/73. Hopewell; Upper Hill Charge Conference, 1/1/74. White Haven; Quantico-Rockawalkin Charge Conference, 1/1/75.

Commendations: To the District officers of both "Ministers and Mates" who planned and executed interesting, inspiring programs for the clergy families, and were totally supportive in the extra projects which were proposed and activated during this conference year . . . To the District United Methodist Women, for their continuing labor in behalf of the local units — and the world at large . . . To all District Secretaries, for promoting their assumed responsibility, sometimes with too little evident support . . . To George Stellges, District Secretary of Evangelism, especially, for the organization and responsibility carried in behalf of the Salisbury New Life Mission . . . To the District Board of Laity, Robert Taylor — Lay Leader, who has given four years of dedicated leadership in behalf of the laity of the district, and has been most cooperative with clergy in all united efforts. A job well done! . . . To all — Clergy and Laity, who have, each in their own way contributed to the good of the

Church — here on the Salisbury District; and shared their concern with us and others . . . For sharing exciting experiences of the past year and the splendid cooperation between the ministers, their families, and the laity, Florence and I express our appreciation. May the past inspire us all to new and larger endeavors for God's Kingdom.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Edwin C. Thomas, Jr., Superintendent

United Methodists in the Wilmington District have reason to be excited and enthusiastic. Faith sight provides the reason. God is calling us through our contemporary life to witness and mission.

Almost every segment of our society is represented in the United Methodist constituency. All political, social, economic views are probably held within our membership. This constitutes a call from God to be leaven in the loaf of life. We have the opportunity to dialogue in our fellowship under the Lordship of the living Christ, on any subject we choose. The commitment to do so, trusting in our Lord for grace and glory and growth, can cause Christians again to outthink, outlove, outlive, and outdie their contemporaries.

A strategy for effective deployment and utilization of the Lord's forces needs to be redefined. Population changes in the district demand a study and evaluation of the need to develop new congregations. A new fusion of the Holy Spirit within us and among us, prayerfully sought, will provide fresh gifts of power to the lone, the hurt, the depressed, the guilty, the angry, and the unloved of God's children.

We are called to patient, loving, and sane behavior as we seek to implement the specific order of the court in reference to desegregation of Wilmington and New Castle County schools. We are called to a strengthening of the churches in Cecil County, that God's instrument there may become more effective in its life and its proclamation.

These are a sample of the challenges of the contemporary scene which constitute a thrilling call from God to witness and to mission.

A YEAR OF LISTENING

The foregoing statement is the result of a year of listening. I have tried in every Charge Conference, in every contact with pastors and lay persons, in every worship experience, in every business meeting, to listen. The listening is now in the process of turning into dialogue. The dialogue will turn into specific actions. The actions will, if God chooses, bear fruit for his kingdom.

Changes within the parsonage families during this year included the birth of Aimie Leigh, daughter of The Rev. and Mrs. Bruce E. Cooke.

The wedding of the Rev. John Holden and Miss Sylvia Parker took place at Harrison Street Church on July 5, 1975.

Death visited ministerial homes as follows: Mrs. Carrie Biddle Hughes, wife of Rev. Ralph H. D. Hughes, August 14, 1975; Mrs. Nettie W. McDowell, widow of Rev. E. W. McDowell, August 26, 1975; Rev. Leland B. Hall, February 11, 1976; Rev. Edmund W. Hennis, December 11, 1975; Mrs. Lula Anderson, widow of Rev. John H. Anderson, October 7, 1975.

The Rev. Richard C. Stazesky was appointed Executive Director of The Church Home Foundation on March 1, 1976. The Rev. John F. Holden was appointed Executive Director of the West End Neighborhood House on April 19, 1976.

The congregations of the Simpson and the Skyline churches have had the glorious experience of moving into new church buildings this year. The North East church is worshipping in a completely refurbished sanctuary.

In concluding, I thank the membership of the Wilmington District for its work in the kingdom and supportiveness to this my freshman year. The parsonage families of the district have provided aid in their acceptance of Betty and myself. My colleagues in the Extended Cabinet have enriched my administration. Bishop Mathews has provided high creative leadership. My Heavenly Father has been patient with my sinfulness, has provided the beauty of his glory in dark moments even when my blindness could not see it. When all of that comes to mind, my soul can but exclaim "Hallelujah!"

b. Boards, Commissions and Committees

SECTION I

CONFERENCE COUNCIL ON MINISTRIES

I. Report Of The Council

The Council has met five times during the past year. Attendance and participation have been good. The officers are: Chairperson, Mr. James Hardcastle; Vice Chairperson, The Rev. Robert Whitlock; Secretary, Miss Jessie Stevens; Treasurer, Mr. Robert Powrie.

Careful attention has been given to the development, implementation, coordination and evaluation of Conference programs. Most of the program goals established for 1975 were achieved by the Conference agencies and the standing committees of the Council.

The Program-Budget building process was expanded this year. A special committee, chaired by Robert Powrie, designed a new format for the presentation of goals and financial requests with priorities indicated. Each agency was given a hearing to explain its needs and plead its case. All materials and requests were carefully weighed and a Program-Budget was submitted to the Council. Every Council member was provided with a workbook containing all printed material in the hands of the committee and the specific recommendations of the committee before the Council meeting. The report was adopted and has been forwarded to the Council on Finance and Administration.

The Council has operated with the following Standing Committees: Executive, Research and Planning, Communication, Stewardship, Camps and Retreat Centers, Bicentennial, and the task force on the Call for Peace and Self-Development of People.

The Committee on Research and Planning, chaired by Gilbert Scarborough, was given responsibility to conduct the priority study referred to the Council by the 1975 Conference. Because there was concern expressed in the Study and Review Section, in the Conference plenary session as well as in the Council that this study of priorities not be a mere "beauty contest" or popularity poll, a great deal of attention has been given to the design of a proper instrument. Materials used by other conferences have been received and studied. General church research experts have been consulted. An instrument and process is expected to be ready soon for use in our Conference. We regret that this has not been completed in this Conference year and request an extension so that the 1977 Conference may study the results which will be available when the 1979 budget is prepared.

The Committee on Communications, chaired by Glenn Catley, serves as an advisory group for the audio-visual library and the Conference newspaper, The Communicator, Richard Bailey, Editor. They are promoting a subscription campaign for the paper. An audio-visual guide has been produced this year and is in the hands of the pastors. The committee is at work on an update of our benevolent promotional material including "Sights and Sounds of the Peninsula Conference."

The Committee on Stewardship, chaired by Robert Harris, has promoted a program of Wills, stewardship education, and every member commitment. A course in Family Financial Planning has been offered by Richard Bailey at Wesley College. The Council now has under study a proposal to create a Conference Foundation to enhance financial support of our benevolent causes.

The Committee on Camps and Retreat Centers chaired by Harold Davis is concerned with the maintenance and operation of Camp Pecometh and Drayton Retreat Center.

Camp Pecometh will celebrate its 30th anniversary this year. Appropriate observances will be held at Annual Conference and at the Camp. John Simpers, resident director, reports good attendance at all programs with a special note that more campers were sent by local

churches of the Conference than in recent years. The Camp operates a year-around program. New features will be added this year.

Drayton Manor in its tenth year saw an increase in usage by more than 800 people days. Walter Stone, resident director, has organized a group known as the "Friends of Drayton," which is very supportive of the aims and programs of the center. The group has also secured supplemental financial aid for the center. This year the Council authorized the exchange of a small piece of land along the road passing the Center for another behind the director's residence. This exchange will facilitate the rebuilding of the road bed to accommodate increased traffic to a new housing development. A two-car garage in the Manor House has been developed into an attractive room for dining or group use.

The Bicentennial Committee, chaired by Brooks Reynolds, has submitted proposals which the Council has adopted: the Conference observance of the bicentennial will begin Nov. 8, 1975 and close with our Heritage Sunday services at Barratt's Chapel, November 14, 1976; the churches are encouraged to study "A Nation Yet to Be," a book by Bishop James Armstrong; a Bicentennial Youth Essay and Oratorical Contest to be completed by Conference time. The Committee has also under study some long-range plans for the celebration of Methodism's Bicentennial in 1984.

The Task Force on Peace and Self-Development of Peoples has turned its attention to World Hunger which is an emerging missional priority of the church. Workshops have been held on each District and materials distributed indicating what local churches can do to support the national effort as well as what can be done in each local community. The Chairperson, Bruce Cooke, represented this Conference at a National Convocation for World Hunger in Oklahoma City called by the Board of Global Ministries. This Task Force was established for one quadrennium and is completing its work. There is a proposal before Conference to create a new Task Force on Hunger to continue this particular emphasis.

In the area of Black Ministries a great deal of effort has been expended in the completion of the Study of the Merger of the Delaware and Peninsula Conferences. Beyond this project a series of "Listenings" are in process to discover the concerns and needs of Black members and church leaders. Nathaniel Miller has been conducting these sessions. Special attention is being given to proposals for cooperative parish development.

Leadership Development, under the direction of Gordon Stapleton has produced a wide variety of training experiences this year. Of special note was the third series of workshops to train local church officers held in January on each District. Large attendance and strong evaluation reports indicate that this is meeting a real need. Another leadership seminar for clergy was held at Drayton Manor in cooperation with the Board of Ministry.

Each member of the staff has been involved in local church workshops, consultations, seminars and special presentations.

The Conference Council on Youth Ministries was represented at a national conference in Norman, Oklahoma by Pam Harris, President, and David Weber, Youth Coordinator. Youth have participated in several of our Conference agencies. A Youth Conference drew more than 300 to the Sheraton Hotel in Dover, where special emphasis was given to very practical mission projects in Appalachia.

Our Conference Family Life Coordinator, Don Hurst, and his associates have continued to promote programs supportive of marriage relationships and family life. Of special note was a Marriage Enrichment Weekend at Drayton Manor.

The council has given its unanimous endorsement to the proposed Pension Crusade to be conducted by the Department of Finance and Field Service of the National Division of the Board of Global Ministries. Such a crusade could reduce our Conference indebtedness for pension funding and free significant sums of money for needed programs within the Conference.

The Council Chairman and Director wish to thank all those who served on our Conference Boards, commissions and committees during this quadrennium and in particular those who have held leadership positions. We will be reorganizing our Conference this May. Many of you will be in new relationships. We pray God's blessings upon you.

II. Program Recommendations

Paragraph 831.10.c of The Book of Discipline states that one of the functions of the Conference Council on Ministries is "to receive program recommendations from the local churches, the District and Annual Conference agencies, and the jurisdictional and General Councils on Ministries; to evaluate these recommendations; and to formulate a coordinated conference program to be presented to the Annual Conference for consideration." The Council has evaluated the proposals submitted to it and the following program recommendations for 1977 are presented for Annual Conference consideration.

A. To be considered by Study and Review Section I

1. Council on Ministries

a. Committee on Camps and Retreat Centers

- (1) Responsible for maintenance of Camp Pecometh and Drayton Center.
- (2) Seek to develop new and creative programs which will encourage personal and spiritual growth in persons.
- (3) Seek increased usage of these facilities on a year-round basis.
- (4) At Drayton Manor to seek a broader support base through "Friends of Drayton."

b. Communications

- (1) Publish Weekly newspaper — The Communicator — and increase circulation through subscription campaigns and District promotion.
- (2) Provide training and encouragement for editors of local church papers and newsletters through workshops or seminars.
- (3) Develop positive relationships with public news media and participate in D.E.A. communications efforts.
- (4) Promote the Audio-Visual Library of the Conference and encourage local church use of the resources available.

c. Stewardship

- (1) Provide training for local church work area chairpersons on stewardship.
- (2) Conduct local church and District workshops in areas of stewardship, family financial planning, budget building, wills, etc.

d. Task Force on World Hunger (see Board of Church and Society proposal and description) This supplants the Task Force on Peace and Self-Development of Peoples which was for the 1972-1976 quadrennium and is a proper response to the general church missional priority on Hunger.

e. Conference Council on Youth Ministries

- (1) Provide District and Conference programs for youth.
- (2) Encourage and facilitate youth participation in Conference agencies.
- (3) Strengthen local youth programming and provide training for local church leaders and coordinators.
- (4) Promotion of the Youth Service Fund.

f. Conference Council on Family Life

- (1) Encourage and develop programs in support of better Christian family life for our people.
- (2) Sponsor Marriage Enrichment Retreats and seminars.
- (3) Provide resource materials and persons to local church pastors and Family Life Coordinators.

2. Commission on Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns

a. Encourage the Peninsula Conference in support of the fair share of the administrative budget of the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency. Through support and participation to enable that agency to be a strong ecumenical arm of the Christian churches on the Peninsula.

b. Conduct training workshops for local church work area chairpersons of Ecumenical Concerns.

- c. Increase the understanding, involvement and commitment of people and local churches in D.E.A. Task Forces and other ecumenical endeavors. Encourage support of finances and participation in such approved ecumenical ventures.
 - d. Special concern for involvement and support of ecumenical programs for the elderly.
- B. To be considered by Study and Review Section II
1. Commission on Archives and History
 - a. Encourage the organization of local, regional or District Historical Societies as chapters of the Conference Society.
 - b. Continue the care and supervision of Barratt's Chapel and Museum, including reduction of the mortgage related to renovation.
 - c. To foster interest in and appreciation of the Methodist heritage by securing and filing histories of local churches; receiving and protecting memorabilia and artifacts related to Methodist history; and beginning to lay plans for the observance of the Methodist Bicentennial in 1984.
 2. Commission on Worship
 - a. To provide worship leadership, as requested, for Annual Conference sessions.
 - b. By November 1977 the Music Committee of the Commission on Worship will conduct a Workshop on "Music in the Small Church." This workshop will seek to assist those in small churches to make best use of resources available to them and to develop information about cooperative methods which may expand their resources.
 - c. To send worship materials through the Coordinated Mailing to pastors and worship leaders.
 - d. To conduct a Conference-wide workshop in the area of creative worship and liturgy for clergy and local church work area chairpersons of worship.
 3. Board of Missions
 - a. Encourage support of Advance Specials:
 - (1) Conference Specials: Neighborhood House, Methodist Action Program, and Church Extension.
 - (2) National Specials: especially work in Appalachia.
 - (3) World Specials: particular emphasis on work in Rhodesia.
 - (4) General Advance Specials for Hunger and Ethnic Minority Churches.
 - b. The Board as funds may be available will provide support for the Methodist Action Program. Such support will involve careful annual evaluation of the work and programs of M.A.P.
 - c. The Board as funds are available will provide support for Neighborhood House.
 - d. The Board will participate in cooperative, ecumenical mission projects of the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency such as: Rural Ministries Coalition (work among migrants), Leisure Ministries (work at beaches and in resort communities) and Metropolitan Ministries.
 - e. As funds are available assist missional church extension projects.
 - f. Encourage a parish development program in the Conference.
 4. Board of the Laity
 - a. Conduct retreat at Camp Pecometh for Methodist Men.
 - b. Plan lay banquet at Conference for lay members and clergy.
 - c. Send persons to Northeastern Jurisdiction Lay Assembly.
 - d. Conduct conferences training program for lay speaker and lay leaders.
 - e. Plan and conduct District events, such as lay speaker training; Communion Breakfast; and Fall Lay Banquets.
 - f. The Chairperson of the Nominating Committee of each local church be informed by letter and in the Communicator of the action of the Annual Conference that the laymember of the Annual Conference is elected for the quadrennium and that a member is not able to serve for more than two (2) quadrennium.

5. Board of Health and Welfare Ministries
 - a. By March 1977 to involve 100 Conference leaders, ministers and laity, in a second Convocation on Aging. The aim of the convocation will be a study of problems and needs and the equipping of persons to work in local churches and communities on behalf of the elderly.
 - b. By October 30, 1977 participants in the Conference Convocation will have provided leadership in convening on each district a workshop of 4-6 hours to train additional local church leaders and to lay plans for District and local church activities on behalf of the aging.
 - c. Continue support of Board of Child Care.
 - d. Continue in liaison relationship with Peninsula Homes and Hospitals, Inc. and continue support of the retirement homes of the Conference.
6. Board of Evangelism
 - a. To hold a Convocation on Evangelism in the Fall of 1977.
 - b. To hold a Youth Evangelistic Convocation during the Christmas Vacation or on a winter weekend, using the best ecumenical and United Methodist leadership available. This should be coordinated with the Conference Council on Youth Ministries.
 - c. In the Lenten Season of 1977 to conduct a Conference Preaching Mission. It is suggested that a dynamic preacher be scheduled for approximately three services on each district over a two-week time span.
 - d. Continue to promote New Life and Lay Witness Missions.
 - e. Provide evangelistic retreats, and discipleship training for laity.
 - f. Study possibility of such new programs as "Key Event" and "Conference on the Holy Spirit."
7. Board of Education
 - a. To encourage education workshops and church school teacher leadership training in local churches. To be achieved through contacts by staff who will design programs to fit local needs.
 - b. In the summer of 1977 secure at least five persons to participate in laboratory training at Watson Homestead, Corning, New York. Those selected will agree to return to give service in leadership schools in the Annual Conference.
 - c. By January of 1977 to have recruited and trained leaders in the Work Area of Education to lead the four district workshops sponsored by the Conference Council on Ministries.
 - d. At the request of the Conference Board of Evangelism to engage in a joint effort to make local churches aware of the role of Church Education as a means of evangelism. By December of 1977 to have designed and produced a program emphasizing Church School evangelism.
 - e. By December 1, 1977 to compile and circulate a list of resource materials and resource persons available to local churches.
 - f. To hold, by December 1, 1977, a Basic Principles Workshop to emphasize teaching skills, principles of growth and development and the dynamics of the classroom experience whatever curriculum tools may be used.
 - g. Before December 1, 1977, to conduct a pilot project in a local church involving a six-weeks' presentation of the "Introduction to the Bible" course. Such a project, under the direction of the Conference Board, would utilize a substantial percentage of the teachers in that local church. On the basis of an evaluation of this pilot project the Board would determine the appropriateness of further use of the program.
 - h. That the Division of Education of the Board of Discipleship of the Peninsula Annual Conference be directed to study, develop, and recommend a program to encourage local churches to financially underwrite some of the financial expenses of leadership training for the laity.

- C. To be considered by Study and Review Section III
1. Commission on Higher Education and Campus Ministry
 - a. Encourage support of Wesley College and interpret the College to the Conference.
 - b. Continue support of the Christian Center at Morgan State University in Baltimore.
 - c. Provide a Christian witness on college and university campuses within bounds of the Peninsula Conference through Wesley Foundation and related programs.
 2. Board of Church and Society
 - a. General Welfare
 - (1) Continue alliance with and support of Delaware Equal Education Process Committee.
 - (2) Promote Labor Sunday, September 2nd, by an article in the August COMMUNICATOR.
 - (3) Promote Drug and Alcohol Sunday, November 11th, by an article in the October 12 COMMUNICATOR, with action possibilities suggested for local churches in the September Coordinated mailing.
 - (4) Develop action resources, preventive and rehabilitative, in the area of drug and alcohol concerns.
 - (5) In cooperation with Peninsula Homes and Hospitals, Inc., continue to sensitize churches toward awareness of and action on concerns of aging. (particularly in the area of legislation and public policy).
 - (6) Continue to raise moral questions posed by capital punishment through newspaper articles and legislative contacts.
 - (7) Continue to study and seek to raise inadequate public assistance grants through cooperation and support of DEA Social Awareness and Action Task Force, the Public Assistance Task Force (PAT) and the Maryland Conference on Social Concerns through legislative contacts and action.
 - (8) Continue both to share in the DEA Task Force on the Community Rehabilitation Programs for convicted criminals and the effort to involve ten per cent of churches in specific rehabilitation projects.
 - b. World Peace
 - (1) Establish and support a task force on World Hunger for the 1976-80 quadrennium, in order to implement the General Church priority on World Hunger.
 - (a) That this be a Task Force of the Conference Council on Ministries.
 - (b) That this Task Force be made up of representatives from a full spectrum of Conference Boards and Agencies, as well as members-at-large.

— we would recommend that the members-at-large include persons with backgrounds and interests in agriculture, business (preferably international), home economics and nutrition.
 - (c) This Task Force should be related directly to the Division of World Peace of the Board of Church and Society, with its budget remaining within the budget of that Board.
 - (2) Continue alliance with and support of Pacem In Terris.

— To continue funding and use of resources, especially on the issues of World Hunger and Militarism.
 - (3) To promote World Order Sunday.

— Use Coordinated Mailing, the COMMUNICATOR, and other means of communication.
 - (4) To encourage churches to become informed on the Middle East situation, gathering information from all points of view with recognition that unbiased information is not likely to be found unless it is sought out.

- (5) To keep abreast of developments in world affairs, and be ready to educate local churches in terms of a Christian ethical response.

— To anticipate possible developments such as follows:

 - (a) Need for interpretation of the state of the United Nations.
 - (b) Increasing tension in Southern Africa.
 - (c) Possible changes in the nature and scope of the C.I.A.
- c. Human Relations
 - (1) Promote Human Relations Sunday.
 - (2) Plan, promote and present an Afro-American Heritage Seminar.
 - (3) Plan and conduct four district seminars on anti-Semitism.
 - (4) Develop Task Force to study housing on the lower shore.
- d. Emerging Issues

To sponsor a Conference-wide training seminar on the following issues. The training seminar will be followed by district workshops using the newly trained leaders.

 - (1) Death and dying.
 - (a) definition of death
 - (b) euthanasia
 - (c) Pastoral care
 - (2) Resources (land use policy) on the state and national levels.
 - (3) Question of futurism.

Who controls and plans our future.
 - (4) Biogenesis
 - (5) Sexism
4. Commission on Enlistment For Church Occupations
 - a. To provide resource people and/or materials, when requested, for programs on Christian vocations and church occupations held by schools or local churches.
 - b. During February, 1977, to hold a Conference-wide Convocation on Church Occupations at Wesley College, Dover, DE. This Convocation to be structured to have particular outreach, recruitment and effort for inclusion of Black youth in the Conference. A second emphasis will be career opportunities in middle years.
 - c. In the Fall of 1977 to hold District Workshops to utilize those trained at the Convocation in the process of training others and developing emphasis in local churches.
 - d. Beginning in January, 1977, develop a periodic newsletter to District and local church secretaries of enlistment promoting Conference programs and offering specific suggestions for programs on the local church level.
 - e. By September, 1977, to purchase one or more additional audio-visual aids to supplement the Conference A/V Library vocation resources.
5. Commission on the Lay Worker
 - a. By January, 1977, to write and have approved a set of guidelines for local church Pastor-Parish Relations Committees to use in hiring professionals in the field of church music in the local church.
 - b. To keep before local churches their basic Christian responsibility in hiring lay personnel.
 - c. Through the coordinated mailings, to ask local churches to semi-annually review job performance, salary, and fringe benefits for all employees, plus establishing medical insurance, life insurance, and a pension program for all lay employees, who work 20 hours or more per week.
6. Commission on Religion and Race
 - a. To encourage and support full participation of ethnic minority persons in the life of the Conference. Hold a workshop on each District to provide training opportunities for these minority persons who may hold office in the local church, or on District or Conference agencies to the end that participation may be more effective.

- b. To encourage interracial activities at the District and local levels by promoting community service projects such as day care and senior citizen programs.
- c. In order to encourage increased participation of black youth in United Methodist Church activities and to enhance opportunities for recruitment of Black youth into the ministry the Commission in cooperation with the Conference Council on Youth Ministries and the Conference Board of Ministry will sponsor a Conference for Black Youth in 1977.

Respectfully submitted,
James C. Hardcastle
Chairperson
R. Jervis Cooke
Executive Director

Council On Finance And Administration

During the past year, the following actions were taken by this Council:

1. Cokesbury Village — reviewed financing and situation remains under review.
2. World Hunger — the \$10,000 request was not granted since this kind of item was to be a sacrificial gift at the local church level.
3. Conference Office Building — authorized the purchase of this property and the adjacent property from Wesley College for \$50,000.
4. Dover District Parsonage — granted \$325 to replace dishwasher.
5. Dover District Parsonage — authorized up to \$5,000 for renovations and furnishings.
6. Easton District Parsonage — granted \$1,350 to replace airconditioning unit.
7. Easton District Parsonage — authorized up to \$5,500 for renovations and furnishings.
8. Wilmington District Parsonage — authorized up to \$5,000 for renovations and furnishings.
9. Election — elected W. H. Beckwith as Secretary.
10. New Member — elected Otho G. Brewer, Jr. as a new member to replace Harrell W. Pitsenbarger.
11. Wesley College Sunday — authorized a special offering for Wesley College on this day.
12. Directors and Officers Liability Insurance — authorized this coverage on District Superintendents and Conference Staff.
13. DEA Rural Ministries Coalition — granted \$5,000.
14. Bicentennial Supplement in Baltimore Sun — granted \$100 to share in the cost with Baltimore Conference.

The following received Equitable Salary Support for calendar year 1975:

Charge	Equitable Salary Support
DOVER	
Magnolia	\$ 600.00
Gumboro-Whitesville	1,091.69
EASTON	
Easton New Market-Linkwood	480.00
Easton-Miles River	1,434.00
Millington-Pondtown	939.96
Chester-Stevensville	1,500.00
Cambridge-Aireys	1,181.65
Still Pond-Coleman	591.96
Church Hill-Burrsville	248.75
Church Hill-Burrsville	508.19
Golts-Sassafras	1,458.31

SALISBURY	
Crisfield-Shiloh	1,323.00
Oakville-Cottage Grove	2,559.00
Deal Island	999.96
WILMINGTON	
North East-Bayview	1,299.96
East Cecil	1,749.96
Warwick	625.00
Middletown-Townsend	435.40
St. John's-Moore's	500.04
Warwick	991.69
Kirkwood	1,458.31
	<u>21,976.83</u>

Temporary General Aid-Discretion Fund

Charge	Amount
DOVER	
Smyrna	\$ 1,400.00
EASTON	
Preston Hurlock	466.69
SALISBURY	
Pocomoke City	300.00
Wesley Temple	500.00
	<u>\$ 2,666.69</u>

Recommendations:

1. Edward J. Steiner is nominated for the office of Conference Treasurer for the 1976-79 quadrennium.
2. That the rule no apportionment to a church can be increased or decreased more than 10% in any given year be continued through 1977.
3. That each board and agency in the Peninsula Conference receiving Conference funds be audited annually in compliance with Paragraph 881 of the 1972 Book of Discipline, and that copies of the audited reports be sent to CFA within 90 days following the fiscal year end of the board or agency. The auditing fees to be paid by the board or agency. This is to become effective January 1, 1978.
4. That the following shall be the World Service Conference Benevolence ratio for 1977:

World Service	\$238,000	31.2%
Conference Benevolence	<u>523,848</u>	<u>68.8%</u>
	\$761,848	100.0%

5. That the 1977 balanced budget in the amount of \$2,053,493 be adopted.
6. In the 1976 Journal, the report of Equitable Salary Support and Temporary General Aid Discretionary Fund should list only the churches and not the pastors' names.

Respectfully submitted,
Donald O. Hornung, President
Milton H. Wahl, Vice-President
Walter H. Beckwith, Secretary

BOARD OF PENSIONS ANNUAL REPORT

This report of the Peninsula Conference Board of Pensions covers the calendar year 1975.

The major program objective during 1975 has been to look after the pension needs of the retired ministers and their dependents. An important item within this objective has been to prepare the way for the entrance on January 1, 1977 of our Conference into the Ministers Reserve Pension Fund (M.R.P.F.). The Pension Board is required to make on that date an initial payment to M.R.P.F. of about \$1.4 million. Additional payments will be made annually by the Conference. The \$1.4 million mentioned above will be taken from the permanent investment portfolio now administered by the Board. If the Conference had entered into M.R.P.F. on January 1, 1975 instead of 1977 a payment of this size would have reduced the pension investment portfolio to less than \$0.7 million but improvements in the financial markets during 1975 and so far during 1976 have been so great that if the payment had been made on January 1, 1976 the funds retained in the portfolio would have been in excess of \$1.1 million. The book value and the true market value of the investment portfolio was \$2.5 million on January 1, 1976.

We cannot predict what the financial markets will do in the future but the Financial Committee of the Pension Board in cooperation with the Bank of Delaware is attempting to determine what securities should be sold and by what time schedule in order to best meet the \$1.4 million obligation. This committee has been most fortunate in obtaining advice from Mr. Ira T. Ellis, former economist of the Dupont Company, concerning our financial strategy during this critical period.

The failure of many ministers to pay the 2% assessment on their salary as required by previous Conference action further increases our financial strain and is a grave concern of this Board. Arrearages as of January 1, 1976 were about \$135,000, and the increase over 1974 was nearly 5%. This problem has been discussed with Bishop James K. Mathews and it is hoped that, as a result of his efforts and the continued pressure from this Board, a major reduction in this arrearage can be effected before our entrance into M.R.P.F.

During 1975, \$0.56 million was paid to retired ministers and their dependents, to retired supply ministers and their dependents, and to Clearing House. These payments were made at the rate of \$110 per year for each year of service. With continued inflation and the attendant increase in the cost of living, the pension paid to many of our retirees is barely adequate to meet normal living costs and falls far short when an emergency arises. Necessitous funds have been paid by this Board to the most needy cases. This Board sincerely hopes that the basic payment figure of \$110 can be increased in the not too distant future at least to the extent that the burden of inflation is not such a severe one.

1) Resolved that for the calendar year 1976, the sum of \$2,000 or 1/3 of the annual pension, whichever is less, shall be allowed as a housing allowance for pensioners for tax purposes. (Note: The Internal Revenue Service requires this approval annually.)

2) WHEREAS, The Peninsula Annual Conference has voted to fund its clergy pension responsibility in the Minister's Reserve Pension Fund, effective January 1, 1977, and

WHEREAS, experience indicates all clergy two percent (2%) of salary assessments have not been paid in full in the past, and

WHEREAS, failure to pay these assessments in full each year will diminish clergy pension upon retirement, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Peninsula Annual Conference shall require its churches to either

A. withhold two percent (2%) of the stated salary from clergy income, or

B. shall pay on behalf of clergy the two percent (2%) of salary assessment to the Minister's Reserve Pension Fund.

NOTE: If the churches would pay this assessment on behalf of their clergy, this could be considered a part of any fringe benefit any pastoral charge might wish to give its minister(s).

The Board of Pensions joins the Task Force To Study Funding of Pensions in presenting the "Proposal" and "The Resolution" that follows in its report.

Meetings by the Pension Board have been on a bimonthly basis as opposed to monthly meetings in the past. If required, the Executive Committee was empowered to act for the Board in the interim. This change not only reduced travel time for Board members but also reduced expenditures.

Respectfully submitted,
Dale F. Babcock, Chairman
Donald O. Clendaniel, Sr., Sec.

Task Force To Study Funding Of Pensions

The Peninsula Annual Conference in its 1975 session directed that this Task Force should be continued, pursuant to the resolution as printed on pages 125 and 126 of the Journal for said session, and that this Task Force should be directed "to devise and develop plans and/or a selective financial crusade to diminish and/or liquidate past service obligations" occasioned by entry of the Peninsula Annual Conference into the Minister's Reserve Pension Fund "in a lesser period of time than the maximum 30 year amortization span."

Minutes of this Task Force will show the following resolutions:

- A. That the Special Task Force for Funding Pensions recommends that the Peninsula Annual Conference approve and authorize a "Financial Crusade" to secure funds that will reduce our indebtedness for past service obligation on behalf of clergy occasioned by entry of the Peninsula Annual Conference into the Minister's Reserve Pension Fund.
- B. That the Peninsula Annual Conference secure the services of the Department of Finance and Field Service of the National Division of the General Board of Global Ministries of the United Methodist Church to plan and supervise said Crusade.
- C. That this Task Force requests the endorsement of the Peninsula Annual Conference Council on Finance and Administration, The Peninsula Annual Conference Board of Pensions, and the Peninsula Annual Conference Council on Ministries for this resolution.

Items "A" and "B" have received the unanimous endorsements from the agencies listed in item "C" above. Therefore, the Peninsula Annual Conference Board of Pensions and this Task Force To Study Funding of Pensions jointly present the following proposal and resolution for adoption by this 1976 session of the Peninsula Annual Conference.

Proposal For A Conference Financial Crusade
in the
Peninsula Annual Conference

An effective financial crusade program in an Annual Conference should not only enable the Conference to raise the funds needed for its pension obligation, but it should also be developed in such a manner that it will benefit the on-going program of the local church. The Office of Finance and Field Service of the Board of Global Ministries of The United Methodist Church, as well as the clergy and lay leaders of the Annual Conference, is concerned that every action be taken to improve the effectiveness of the local church program.

The proposed Conference Crusade Plan requires the support of the individual local churches and is based on the following premises:

1. That the Annual Conference give thoughtful and enthusiastic approval of the fund-raising project.
2. That there be active participation in the Crusade by the Resident Bishop, District Superintendents, Pastors, Lay Leaders and other members of the church, along with the full use of the advice, methods and leadership of the Office of Finance and Field Service.

- 3. That all local churches cooperate in a unified fund-raising procedure.

This proposed plan may be divided into five parts:

- 1. A promotional program is conducted in each local church which will result in the acceptance of its proportionate part of the Conference financial objective. The Office of Finance and Field Service believes it is imperative for the Conference appeal to reach each individual church member. Thus it recommends a personal gifts solicitation in each church.
- 2. The plan or organization is carefully worked out to meet the specific needs of the Annual Conference. It follows substantially the procedure used with outstanding success by the Office of Finance and Field Service in other Areas and Conferences of The United Methodist Churches.

All of the Office's Area, Conference and District Financial Crusades have been organized and conducted as a united and simultaneous program throughout the entire membership, with a definite outline of action and education for every local church designed to reach each member on an individual basis. With such a plan, local detail adaptations are kept to a minimum, individuals have a greater knowledge of the project, and the churches, knowing what is needed, are inspired to meet the need.

- 3. A detailed guide is provided for the preparation of the educational and publicity materials, including all copy for Crusade forms, etc.
- 4. A program is developed to help local churches meet their commitment through a personal gifts solicitation. This includes, among other things, guidance in the selection and training of local chairpersons and committees, direction in the completion of prospect lists, and training in modern solicitation techniques.
- 5. Suggestions are made and guidance given in the establishment of a follow-up program for the continued support of the project during the acceptance payment period.

The Office of Finance and Field Service emphasizes the advantage to the Conference in conducting its fund-raising program during the time of the year which will permit the largest possible participation of the local churches in a personal gifts solicitation.

It is estimated that the Crusade will cover approximately six months, using about three months for preliminary preparation and about three months for the intensive period. The preliminary preparation will include developing the Crusade organization, preparing the educational materials and Crusade forms, arranging the District and Sub-District programs, and assembling the materials by District and Sub-Districts, together with the implementation of other important aspects of the Crusade.

The proposed goal in this Conference Crusade is \$1,500,000.00 and is for the purpose of funding our pension obligation.

In order for this Crusade to yield this amount in cash for this cause, it is necessary to add a reasonable safety factor of 25% to provide for the shrinkage in some local church acceptances and in the payment of some local church commitments.

The Office of Finance and Field Service will provide a Supervising Director and a Resident Director. During the preliminary preparation, the Directors will give part-time service as required. During the intensive phase, the Resident Director will give full-time service. He will be assisted by additional Directors as needed during the Sub-District Workshops.

The fee paid to the Office of Finance and Field Service is extremely modest in comparison to the fees charged by most commercial firms. Unlike the commercial fund-raising agencies, the Office does not have a high overhead and advertising expense; nor is its motivation one of profit. However, the Office fund-raising services are equally professional and competent.

The fee paid to the Office of Finance and Field Service, after staff salaries and expenses are paid, is devoted to the continuing missionary activities of The United Methodist Church. Therefore, it may be said that the fee paid to the Office never leaves The United Methodist Church.

Most Conferences and Areas prefer a fixed service fee, agreed upon in advance, which includes all living and traveling expenses of the Directors, except transportation and lodging costs when traveling within the Conference or Area on Crusade business. Therefore, we propose a total service fee of \$45,000.00, which will be payable to the Treasurer of the National Division and be delivered to the Resident Director at the close of the Crusade.

It should be understood, of course, that all other Crusade Promotional expenses, such as printing, postage, telephone, office space, equipment, supplies, clerical help, etc. will be paid by the Conference. An estimate of these promotional expenses is from \$30,000.00 to \$40,000.00. It is customary for a representative of the Executive Committee to jointly approve all expenditures along with the Resident Director.

Yield Goal	\$1,500,000.00	NATIONAL DIVISION
Safety Factor	375,000.00	BOARD OF GLOBAL MINISTRIES
Promotion	40,000.00	THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Service Fee	45,000.00	475 Riverside Drive-Room 316
	\$1,960,000.00	New York, New York 10027
		Telephone: 212-678-6076
		OFFICE OF FINANCE & FIELD SERVICE
		Frank L. Countryman, Ex. Sec.

Resolution For The Peninsula Annual Conference

WHEREAS, The Peninsula Annual Conference is faced with certain pension funding needs, and

WHEREAS, these needs are so presently imperative, it is moved:

- 1. That the churches of the Peninsula Annual Conference conduct a financial crusade to yield \$1,500,000.00 over a 3-year period, the pledge payment period to begin May 1, 1977, and to be designated as follows: Methodist Reserve Pension Fund (M.R.P.F.)
- 2. That the intensive phase of this financial crusade be conducted from January 1, 1977 to May 5, 1977, with such preliminary work as is necessary between June 1, 1976 and December 15, 1976.
- 3. That each church be given a financial objective based on an equitable formula as its proportionate part of the Conference need, and that the Administrative Board of each church be asked to accept this amount as its minimum goal.
- 4. That each church conduct a personal gifts solicitation of the congregation to implement their acceptance of the Conference-wide objective.
- 5. That all funds raised toward the Conference objective in this financial crusade be paid by each local church Treasurer to the Treasurer of the Peninsula Annual Conference.
- 6. That after the expenses and service fee of the financial crusade have been paid, the balance of the funds raised be administered through the Treasurer of the Peninsula Conference.
- 7. That the funds necessary for the cost of promotion of this fund raising program be advanced by the Conference Council on Finance and Administration from funds on hand or such other sources as the Commission may secure, with the understanding that these amounts be repaid from the fund raising receipts as soon as possible.
- 8. That the Conference Crusade Steering Committee, as appointed by Bishop James K. Mathews, set up a General Committee which will be responsible for the conduct of the crusade.
- 9. That the Office of Finance and Field Service of the National Division of the Board of Global Ministries of The United Methodist Church be engaged to provide the professional leadership needed to direct this fund raising program, and that the Crusade

Agreement be signed by Bishop James K. Mathews, the Crusade Chairperson, and the Conference Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,
W. H. Revelle, Jr., Chairman

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TRUSTEES OF PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The past year was a relatively quiet one for the Trustees. No grants were made toward conference-wide projects as of the writing of this report, but we are investigating the possibility of financially aiding Camp Pecometh in the rebuilding of its pier and pavilion. We hope to be in the position also to purchase some boats to help further the Camp's water program for campers.

Two properties were sold during the year; a vacant lot on Vine Street in Easton and the abandoned Kesley Chapel property on the Easton District. The net proceeds of \$1,965.20 from the Vine Street lot were distributed equally to St. Mark's and Asbury churches in Easton, and the \$1,500.00 proceeds from the Kesley Chapel property were turned over to the Salem church in Fairlee, Maryland.

The Glasgow church on the Wilmington District is no longer being used. The Trustees have paid the county taxes and fire insurance premium on the property for the current year.

The Trustees are working with their counterparts in the Episcopalian and Presbyterian judicatories toward the formation of a new corporation to own and manage the United Campus Ministry property at the University of Delaware. The proceeds from the sale of the Wesley Foundation property at the University will constitute a portion of the assets of the new corporation.

An exchange of approximately one-half acre of Drayton Manor property with a like-size parcel of the contiguous property of Bissell & Ferris Enterprises has been effected. This exchange was made to improve the boundary line between the two properties as a result of a new roadway into the Kinnaird Point development.

Our thanks go again this year to Mr. Theodore Briggs for his helpful cooperation and advice in our financial and statistical matters. We also express our appreciation to the Reverend William H. Revelle, Jr., who, in his capacity as the liaison between our Board and the cabinet, helps to keep us on the right ecclesiastical track in the conduct of the Trustees' business.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas S. Lodge, President

PENINSULA METHODIST FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

The Credit Union had one of its most successful years in 1975. A dividend of 6.5% was paid for the whole year. A total of \$46,843.51 was loaned to thirty-nine different persons. This year several loans were made to employees at the Manor House in Seaford. Our total assets grew from \$40,573.30 on January 1, 1975 to \$47,943.31 on December 31, 1975.

Our greatest need is still for new investors. Savings in our credit are insured against loss

by an agency of the federal government. We are currently paying a 6.5% dividend on savings. In addition there is life insurance on savings at no cost to saver.

The constant demand for loans, demands that far exceed the money available, attest to the service that the credit union can offer and is offering with its limited resources.

Our experience to this point has been good. In the 8½ years of our operation we have made \$177,790.36 in loans and have written off \$34.09 as uncollectable. This is a good way to invest money and help needy brothers and sisters at the same time.

Charles E. Barton, Jr.
Treasurer

COMMISSION ON EQUITABLE SALARIES

The Commission on Equitable Salaries has supported the salaries of pastors of 20 charges through Equitable Salaries Funds and three through Temporary General Aid Discretionary Funds during 1975. Supplements to salaries ranged from \$200.00 to \$2,559.00. A total of \$24,543.18 was expended.

Many charges whose pastors received supplements in 1975 did increase their 1976 salaries so that the amount paid from the equitable salary fund decreased slightly in 1976. It is expected that the total expenditures in 1976 will be less than that of 1975.

The Commission makes the following recommendations:

1. That the minimum salary guidelines remain the same for 1977:
 - (a) \$9,200.00 for conference members, probationary members serving full-time and associate members.
 - (b) \$7,700.00 for student pastors and full-time supply pastors.
2. The amount to be expendable in 1977 shall not exceed \$35,000.00. This reduction from previous years of \$40,000.00 is in light of the reduction in the Conference Budget for 1976 from previous years of \$10,000.00 to \$2,000.00, and the 1975 Conference action of transferring 25% of the Temporary General Aid Fund to a Discretionary Fund.

Respectively submitted,
Joseph C. Bostick, Chairman

COMMISSION ON ECUMENICAL AND INTERRELIGIOUS CONCERNS

"Jesus Christ frees and unites" was the theme of the World Council of Churches Seventh Assembly in Nairobi, Kenya, November 23 to December 10, 1975, and is a fitting beginning to this Commission Report for 1975.

The Commission

The Commission on Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns is the liaison between the Peninsula Conference and the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency. \$12,375.00 of the Commission's 1975 budget was devoted to this cooperative inter-church endeavor as the United Methodist share of the Administrative Budget. The Commission has further promoted the task force ministries of D.E.A. and urged their support by agencies of the Conference, local congregations and individuals.

This Commission conducted sessions for local church Chairpersons at each of the four District workshops held in January. Don Leiter of the D.E.A. and other members of the Commission participated as leaders in each of these sessions.

Promotional and instructional materials were prepared and distributed to all ministers and local church ecumenical leaders through the coordinated mailings. This included notices of training experiences, opportunities for ecumenical involvement, and D.E.A. Task Forces. A special emphasis was highlighted each month and information was directed to local churches to encourage their participation in ecumenical endeavors.

At the urging of the Commission, the third Sunday in January is set aside for the churches to receive an offering to be sent to the Conference Office for a designated D.E.A. Task

Force. The Week of Prayer, January 18-25, is another time when each church is encouraged to expand their cooperative involvement with other churches as we recognize that "Jesus Christ frees and unites."

The mass media was utilized for communications regarding special inter-church service programs and other ecumenical experiences. Many activities were covered by articles in the Conference Paper "Communicator" and in the public press and radio.

The committee gave initiative support urging our conference to approve the "Mutual Recognition of Members" proposal from C.O.C.U. This proposal was approved at the 1975 Annual Conference. We have urged our delegates to support this proposal at General Conference Sessions in 1976.

Since much of our ecumenical efforts are related to D.E.A., a report on those activities are included in this report.

The Delmarva Ecumenical Agency

The Delmarva Ecumenical Agency (DEA) is the coordinated witness of thirteen Protestant denominations, the Roman Catholic Church, and Church Women United serving Delaware and Eastern Shore Maryland. This ecumenical presence provides the Delmarva Peninsula with a broad base contact and resource, opportunities for coordinated community ministries, and a prophetic voice within the congregations and communities. Program planning is carried out through task forces with representation from religious groups, private organizations and public agencies that provide resources (dollars, programs, personnel and facilities) for the implementation of a specific ministry.

The DEA RURAL MINISTRIES Coalition is a task force, working with the Board of Missions to serve the rural residents in poverty. Relationships with local organizations makes it possible to provide services at the grass roots. Several thousand migrants and seasonal farm workers (Chicano, Puerto Rican, Black) received direct personal services of professional health care, (physical exams, dental, surgery, eye, medication), of personal counseling, (family, financial, legal, employment, health, etc.), of spiritual nurture, (worship, education, counseling, fellowship activities), of general assistance, (food, transportation, housing, child care, information referrals), and manpower training (vocational assessment, counseling, job development and placement, follow-up) to upgrade the employable skills of farm workers.

The DEA LEISURE MINISTRIES provided, through the Board of Missions, opportunities for relationships of coordinating and implementing programs to serve the growing population (permanent, vacation, weekend) along the ocean beaches, yacht basins, mobile home communities and parks.

The programs at Ocean City, MD and Rehoboth Beach, DE touched the lives of nearly 10,000 youth last summer. Coffee houses at both locations provided youth with opportunities of conversation, fellowship, entertainment, and relaxation in a loving-accepting atmosphere. Counseling and Bible study experiences were available through the leadership of seminarians. In Ocean City a twenty-four hour telephone hot line was used by over 800 youth in moments of crisis and need of help due to sexual adventure, drug trips, and alcohol excesses.

The Long Neck peninsula, near Millsboro, DE, is a developing community of mobile home residents. A chaplain spent the summer in the area responding to the spiritual, fellowship and personal needs of the families. Potential exists for an ecumenical congregation.

The DEA SOCIAL AWARENESS AND ACTION Consortium (SAAC) identified issues, recommended relationships to citizens groups and suggested strategies for social change, legislative action and congregational involvement to make life more livable for "the least of these my brothers." Relating to the Board of Church and Society DEA worked with other denominations and citizen organizations on the issues of WELFARE, especially increased grants to families with dependent children (AFDC), RACIAL JUSTICE, especially desegregation of schools in New Castle County, CRIMINAL JUSTICE concerns related to improving rehabilitation efforts and transporting family and friends to visit the inmates of

the Delmarva Correctional Center, ALCOHOLISM with emphasis on coordinating the religious community with others in rehabilitative efforts with alcoholics and their families, and in HOUSING.

The DEA GLOBAL CONCERNS MINISTRIES are carried out through a key task force. PACEM IN TERRIS provides resources to congregations, through the Board of Church and Society, and communities on the issues of world hunger and militarism. CROP hunger walks and fasts in the Delmarva communities were encouraged as a response by members of congregations. CWS (Church World Service) Trucks made semi-annual pick-ups in the various Delmarva communities which DEA coordinated.

The DEA RESOURCES CENTER provided congregations not only with educational materials but also a coordinating relationship between the various denominational staff, including Dr. Gordon Stapleton, and leadership responsible for congregational development. Mrs. Helen Walker, Director, conducted congregational workshops in addition to coordinating the services (AV's resource-full newsletter, simulation games, books, cassettes, ecumenical workshops and referrals) available to congregations and groups in educational settings and learning events.

The DEA COMMUNICATIONS task force provided information regarding the ministries of the churches through DEA. Regular news releases, especially in the Communicator, radio and television programming, bulletin inserts, and special interpretation programs with slides were developed with speakers for church and group meetings.

The DEA SPECIAL MINISTRIES provided an administrative structure by which the DEA can respond to developing task forces, committees and spin-off corporations. The LENTEN SERVICES Committee in Wilmington planned noon day services during the weeks of Lent. PINE BLUFF VILLAGE, Inc. was established in Salisbury, MD to develop a senior citizens housing project of over 100 units. A committee is being organized to develop a response to the need of PASTORAL CARE FOR INSTITUTIONALIZED PERSONS.

The PLANNING FUNCTIONS of DEA are carried out by the Executive Director, the Rev. Donald E. Leiter, through offices in Wilmington, Dover and Salisbury. These functions include: (a) developing ecumenical ministries through task forces; (b) coordinate communication and funding of the ministries; (c) facilitate relationships between member denominations; (d) facilitate ecumenical relations in local neighborhoods; and (e) provide liaison with ecumenical organizations beyond the Peninsula. Funding for this core planning budget is contributed by member judicatories on a "fair-share" basis. The United Methodists contribute through the Commission on Interreligious and Ecumenical Concerns budget.

To a large degree the 1975 goals of the Commission were achieved during 1975 and the goals for 1976 stand as a stepping stone into the future. With the realization that "Jesus Christ frees and unites" we move forward confidently in His Spirit.

Respectfully submitted,
Donzel C. Wildey, Chairperson
Donald E. Leiter, DEA, Ex. Dir.

SECTION II BOARD OF EDUCATION

In the past quadrennium the Conference Board of Education has made a conscious effort to reach the local churches. Conference programs have been focused on each age-level at some time during the four-year period, new methods and curriculum have been introduced and a large number of leadership training events have been conducted within individual local churches. The task has only begun, but within the limits of volunteer and staff time, we feel we have made a good start.

Highlights of 1975-76

In November and February four Quarterly Curriculum Resource Previews were conducted, one on each of the four districts.

January Workshops for new Work Area Chairpersons on Education offered 113 persons a look at their new responsibilities in the local church.

A Film Workshop held in April attracted persons from both United Methodist Church Schools and other denominations.

In May a Workshop for Adult Church School teachers was sponsored by the Board.

Laboratory training continues as a major emphasis of the Board, recruiting leaders and to the extent of our budget assisting in financial support. The number of leaders for training of local church school teachers continues to grow.

Teacher training programs have been conducted in local churches throughout the conference. Staff consultations in the area of education in local churches will average 30 visits per year in addition to a resource service to churches in supplying information, pamphlets and curriculum.

Church Leader's Weekend

Again this year a volunteer group of lay persons have produced two very successful Church Leader's Weekends at Drayton Manor. Our retreat center was filled for both events which were highly praised by the participants. In November, under the leadership of Carolyn Englehart, the program was on Adult-Youth Communications. The February event featured the Covenant Players and experiential training on using drama in the local church.

Goals for 1976-77

At its annual planning retreat the Board of Education established the following goals which have been approved and recommended for finding by the Conference Council on Ministries:

1. Training for Conference staff persons in education. At least one formal training event during 1977.
2. Laboratory training: In the summer of 1977 we will secure at least five leaders to participate in laboratory training who will agree in return to give service in leadership schools in the Annual Conference.
3. By January of 1977 we will have recruited and trained leaders in the Work Area of Education to lead four district workshops sponsored by the Conference Council on Ministries.
4. By December 31, 1977 we will have engaged in a joint planning effort with the Board of Evangelism and produced a program emphasizing Church School evangelism.
5. By December 1, 1977 we will have compiled a list of resources, and contacted and listed resource persons, and shared this information with local churches.
6. By December 1, 1977 we will have held a Basic Principles Workshop which will emphasize teaching skills rather than curriculum using a professional resource leader, at a central location in the Peninsula Conference.
7. Before December 1, 1977 we will recruit a local church with a cooperative pastor or educator to conduct a pilot project under the aegis of the Board of Education on the theme "Bible Study For Church School Teachers."
8. We will contribute to and participate in the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency Education Task Force.

A Final Word

As the life of this Board comes to an end at this Annual Conference, we want to express appreciation to each board member for their attendance and participation in the work of the Board. Our thanks, too, to the Conference Council on Ministries for its support, review processes, and encouragement.

Respectfully submitted,
Harold Spedden, Chairperson
J. Gordon Stapleton
Associate Director/Education

BOARD OF EVANGELISM

Top priority for 1975-76 was the New Life Mission. Missioner training was held during December at Drayton Manor. To date thirty-one ministers have completed the training. Nineteen of those trained served in the special Washington Area Bicentennial New Life Missions held the weeks of March 14-18th, and April 4-8th, 1976. Four served in Peninsula Conference churches, and fifteen in the Baltimore Conference. Twenty churches in our Conference held New Life Missions using local and national missionaries. Several missions were held as combined efforts enabling over thirty congregations to experience the impact of a New Life Mission.

The New Life Mission is a contemporary strategy for evangelism that is designed to awaken faith in persons and renew churches for mission. It combines preaching, teaching, reaching, and sharing approaches to communicating the Gospel for response. It is the hope of the board that following the successful missions this spring many other churches will plan missions this fall or in the spring of 1977. Churches may also wish to consider a New World Mission using a missionary from overseas. For information concerning the New Life Mission or New World Mission contact our Conference New Life Mission Coordinator, the Reverend Everett C. Isaacs, or write to the Reverend Eddie Fox, the Board of Discipleship, P.O. Box 840, Nashville, Tennessee 37202.

Board officers assisted with the Conference Council January laity training sessions and are making plans for follow-up training sessions using national resource persons in the fall of 1976. Our district secretaries of evangelism and board members invite your ideas and offer our assistance to those in the local church with leadership responsibilities in evangelism.

Respectfully submitted,
Charles M. Moyer, Chairperson

BOARD OF LAITY

Your Board of the Laity has completed another good year. Last September, Dr. Ernest A. Smith, of the General Board of Church and Society, gave excellent leadership to the Annual Retreat at Camp Pecometh. It was well attended and proved very stimulating.

The Northeast Jurisdiction Lay Assembly in Atlantic City is of special interest to our people. Peninsula Conference — despite its small size — again had more in attendance than any other conference. The theme this year was A TIME FOR EVERY PURPOSE.

The Minister and Laity Banquets in the fall, engendered much interest, activity, and good programming in the four Districts.

One of our strong points continues to be the District Lay Speaking Courses. We have been somewhat handicapped because of the outdated Lay Speaking literature. This will be corrected after the 1976 General Conference.

This year, in the Annual Conference Leadership Training Program, the Conference Board of the Laity was responsible for Local Church Lay Leader Training. The four District Lay Leaders did an excellent job in the absence of the Conference Lay Leader, who was ill.

The Board of the Laity has sponsored Laity Evening Services at Barratt's Chapel for five years. This year, at the Annual Laity Service there, George Caley, President of the Con-

ference Historical Society, gave an excellent talk concerning our Methodist Heritage. We hope this service will continue to be an annual affair.

Last year, Dr. David Self, of the General Board of Discipleship, was the speaker at the sixth Lay Banquet at Annual Conference. This year, the Easton District Lay Leader and his Committee, will be responsible for the Banquet. We are all looking forward to a worthwhile and happy evening.

For me, this completes two quadrenniums as Conference Lay Leader. Some may think eight years is too long. Perhaps this is true. As your Lay Leader, I have tried to honestly face all issues as I saw them.

As my term comes to an end, I recall with pride some of our successes. Among these, are the four-year term for Lay Members of Annual Conference, the Annual Laity Evening at Barratt's Chapel, the Laity Banquet at Annual Conference, and last but by no means least, our successful effort to maintain our identity as a Conference Board of the Laity.

Thanks, Laity and Clergy, for your support. Let us all give our new Conference Lay Leader the backing that he deserves. Thank you again for your cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
A. Frank Chapman
Conference Lay Leader

COMMISSION ON WORSHIP

The Peninsula Annual Conference Commission on Worship seeks to provide leadership, resources, and training to strengthen the liturgical life of the church. Liturgical practices need to be revitalized, updated and not "formal" or "dead" but alive and meaningful expressions of what God has done and is doing.

During the past year the Music Committee under the leadership of Mrs. Joanne Cohen has been extremely active in planning and carrying out a youth workshop. With Helen Kemp of Westminster Choir College as a principal resource leader a successful workshop attended by 400 children and 80 directors plus the Music Committee was held.

Also a Choir Directors Workshop with Helen Kemp was held with 50 Directors from several denominations attending.

Plans for the future include a Bicentennial Youth Choir at Annual Conference preceded by District Workshop Celebrations on May 2, 1976.

Plans also are already well under way for 1977 including a Workshop centered around the theme of "Music for Small Churches."

Another major area of interest of the Commission is Preaching Quality. In order to offer to 40 individuals the opportunity to share with an outstanding leader in the field of Preaching, a two-day experience is being set up at Drayton Manor. This program is being worked out in conjunction with the Continuing Education Committee of the Board of Ministry. Further information will be available by the time of the Pre-Conference Reports.

As usual, the services of Holy Communion, Ordination and other worship periods at Annual Conference are planned by the Commission. We welcome suggestions concerning programs which will assist local churches in the area of Christian Worship and our members are available to serve as consultants as time and resources allow.

Respectfully submitted,
Jerrold W. Knotts, Chairperson

COMMISSION ON ARCHIVES AND HISTORY

The 195th Anniversary of Barratt's Chapel was observed on November 9, 1975, Peninsula Conference Heritage Sunday. On that day each congregation was urged to devote a portion of its worship service to the examination of its own religious heritage, and to receive a special offering for the Restoration Fund of Barratt's Chapel.

This service was built around an old fashioned Methodist hymn-sing. Four district

superintendents or their representatives, and six members of the Commission participated. Each district presented a three-minute historical vignette of its happenings two hundred years ago. Mrs. Samuel V. Mace, Asbury, Smyrna, was the organist for the hymn-sing. Special choral music was provided by the Chancel Choir of Red Lion United Methodist Church, and the Mt. Vernon United Methodist Youth Choir, Mt. Vernon, Maryland. Over 400 persons attended.

Rev. and Mrs. Harvey B. Flater were in residence at Barratt's Chapel and Museum. The Chapel remained open during the entire year. This was due to the fact that tourists were expected during the Bicentennial celebrations, and also because Barratt's has attained national recognition since being placed on the National Register of Historic Places. From May until September the Museum was opened daily, except Monday, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; during the fall and spring by appointment, and from Christmas through February it was closed. It was with regrets that the Commission received the announcement from the Rev. and Mrs. Flater that they were retiring from Barratt's.

The Commission welcomes the use of Barratt's Chapel for religious services, and cultural and historic meetings. All requests for the use, and/or special services in the Chapel must be coordinated with the Curator or the President. Gratuities for the use of the Chapel for weddings is \$25.00.

The Commission on Archives and History has a subordinate Historical Society which has open membership to individuals, families, churches, and church organizations. The annual dues are \$5.00. We urge that as many United Methodists as possible become affiliated with the Society. The funds received will be used to promote interest in the study and preservation of the history of the United Methodist Church and its antecedents; to cooperate with the agents of the Church to promote historical interests of the church; to promote the understanding of and appreciation for Methodist History and heritage including the history of the former Delaware Conference; to preserve Barratt's Chapel, and to maintain Barratt's Chapel Museum as a repository for church records, artifacts, appointments and other paraphernalia for posterity.

During the past year the Commission has again expressed the desire to receive gifts and artifacts relating to Methodist History. It asks that each church send to the curator at least one interior and one exterior photograph of its building, so that they serve as a pictorial inventory in this Bicentennial Year. The Commission has also sent out a fund raising letter to each charge soliciting '76 in '76' for the Restoration Fund.

Gifts to the Restoration Fund for either the Building Fund or the Endowment Fund may be given as memorials or in memory of, or in honor of loved ones or friends. The names of all the donors are carefully recorded in the Memorial Book at the Museum.

Please make your check payable to "Barratt's Chapel" and mail to Peninsula Conference Business Office, 139 N. State Street, Dover, DE 19901.

We respectfully urge ALL Methodists to visit "The Cradle of Methodism" during the Bicentennial. We also urge attendance at the 196th Anniversary Service, the second Sunday of November, 1976. It is hoped that Bishop Mathews will preach and hold a Communion service at that time.

Should any church, or any church organization wish to have a program about the General History of the Methodist Church on the Peninsula, or to have a brief talk concerning the events which centered around Barratt's Chapel, please feel free to contact the President of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,
George L. Caley, President

BOARD OF HEALTH AND WELFARE MINISTRIES

To be completely honest, our board's achievements over the past year have been modest, but none the less important. Gradual progress has been made toward the goals we established and we are proud of the continued success of our Homes ministry, a program begun years ago. (A report of the Peninsula Homes and Hospitals, Inc., which follows, goes into more detail.)

I shall pause for a moment to pay tribute to the leadership of the Board of Trustees for their faithful work. This year their agency received a distinguished award for outstanding service to the aging at the National Health and Welfare Convention held in Cincinnati, Ohio March 9, 1976. In particular, we express our appreciation to Wallace Watson, who has served as executive director for the past seven years.

Now let us turn to the highlights of our board's work and plans.

1. The district directors are beginning to add a broadened dimension to our work. They chair our standing committees and serve as resource leaders at our annual training workshops held in January in collaboration with the conference Council on Ministries. They also relate directly to the local health and welfare representatives of the churches.

2. Through the guidance of the standing Committee on Aging, a Convocation on Aging was planned for the fall of 1975, but which was later rescheduled for March 30, 1976, at Wesley College. We are hopeful of using this medium to bring new knowledge of the problems of the older person to our conference. If the first convocation is reasonably successful we will plan to hold one annually, emphasizing important matters within health and welfare ministries.

3. As a follow-up of the convocation we plan to hold district seminars in the fall of 1976. Our purpose is to use the information from the annual convocation in practical ways. In time this approach will keep the concerns of health and welfare before our people at the level of the local churches. From this involvement we hope to see new ministries emerging. The numerous possibilities will be explored in these seminars.

4. At our fall meeting of the full Board we heard from The Reverend Dr. Ken Colton, who is a special consultant on hunger of the Division of Health and Welfare. This is a new area of our Board, but which was urged upon us to consider by the Board of Global Ministries as we attempt to cope with world hunger. No plans have been made thus far in this urgent matter, but we shall look further into this to see what we can do.

In some ways we have been dealing with the problem of hunger and nutrition right along. Through the Seaford Manor House a vital program was begun to deliver meals to elderly persons living in their homes. This is but one example of the church being involved. We could list several other programs that exist within our conference. We appreciate the work that so many volunteers are contributing daily to help people live better and know that someone cares.

I recently sat alone in a restaurant in Wilmington. Three elderly ladies soon took a table next to mine. Though I was reading a book at the time (waiting to be served) I could not help overhear a memorable comment made by one of them. She said, almost pathetically, "When you live alone, you don't cook." That fact, that need, has sent many volunteers out into homes to share a meal nightly with a lonely, elderly person. That fact has created weekly and monthly dinners in churches for "senior citizens." That fact has brought many older persons into the residential care of our Homes.

What else are the aging saying? What do they need? How do they feel? What can we do to help? To these questions we must all address ourselves and remain faithful to persons as we minister in the name and power of The Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert W. Starrett, Chairman
Health and Welfare Ministries

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

We are pleased to report that we have grown in both capacity and in ability to meet the complex needs of the elderly person, and thus we continue to strengthen and expand our ministry to the aging. A factor in this accomplishment has been a close working relationship with the Conference Board of Health and Welfare Ministries, which has provided ideas, encouragement and support to our endeavors.

During the past year, our Homes, the Country House and the Manor House, served a monthly average of 503 persons in our residential facilities and provided 36,503 patient days of

nursing care to 377 Residents and 57 out-patients in our Health Care Facilities. Seventy per cent of our residents required some degree of financial assistance from our Benevolence funds in order to cover the cost of their care.

The inflationary conditions under which we serve have severely tested our stewardship, but with improved managerial skills, and effective financial controls, we have operated within our Budget with no reduction in essential services or programs. The quality of our care has been maintained in spite of the prevailing economic pressures. Our Homes are truly a "place for living" and vividly described in an editorial by J. Clark Samuel, Editor of the CECIL DEMOCRAT, as "a gracious and rewarding experience." (Copies of the editorial will be distributed.)

In addition to our progress in controlling expenses, our income position has also improved. Fees from Residents are now covering 80% of the cost of care, and contribution income for Benevolence work has increased sufficiently to cover the balance. Considerably more contribution income is needed, however, to cover depreciation and retire our capital indebtedness on the Manor House and the George H. Pigueron Health Center at the Country House. A new gift program, the Autumn Leaf Development Fund, has been started to obtain a higher level of charitable contributions. This will be an on-going five-year fund raising effort and success in this endeavor will enable us to expand the scope of our Benevolence program, which is now limited to current beneficiaries only, because of insufficient gift income.

Our concern for the aging extends far beyond the walls of our two Homes. We continue to be directly involved in the out-reach program of the Sussex County Home Services, Inc., which is based at the Manor House. We continue to cooperate and give leadership to the programs of the Church Home Foundation, Inc. of Wilmington, and we are specifically involved with the Church Home Foundation in its joint fund raising efforts.

Our Board of Trustees has officially endorsed the multi-denominational Pine Bluffs project in Salisbury, MD, and provided, along with other agencies, a modest amount of "seed money" for initial expenses. The project envisions a 100-unit residence facility for elderly persons in the Salisbury Area.

The Trustees and corporate staff have continued their efforts to bring the Cokesbury Village project from design to reality. Progress was slowed considerably at the close of 1975, when our selected lead bank encountered difficulty, due to personnel changes, in finalizing a satisfactory mortgage plan. It became necessary to seek new funding arrangements which necessitated a delay in construction. This delay caused a serious, but temporary, drop in resident applications.

Certainly, one of the highlights of the year occurred on March 9, 1976, when Mrs. Irene George, Chairperson of the Division of Health and Welfare, Board of Global Ministries presented the Agency of the Year Award to the Peninsula United Homes and Hospitals, Inc. The Award was accepted for the Corporation by J. Wallace Watson, Executive Director. The presentation took place in Cincinnati, Ohio at the 36th Annual Convention of the National Association of Health and Welfare Ministries. (Copies of the Award Citation will be distributed.)

Respectfully submitted,
William Hemphill, Jr., President
J. Wallace Watson, Exec. Director

BOARD OF CHILD CARE

From every area within the Baltimore and Peninsula Conferences 178 children have lived in facilities of Board of Child Care during the year past. These facilities include the Child Care Center in Rockdale, foster homes, and homes of the Swartzell Assembled Family Program.

Four youth, residents of the Center and one from Swartzell who graduated from high school in June, have moved on to take their place. Even before leaving care each of these persons had secured a job. One is a student at Morgan University — and on a football scholarship.

Our newly appointed part-time Chaplain, Mark Palmer, is making a great contribution to the spiritual life of children at the Center. In addition to pastoral counseling, Mark is seen on the playfield shooting baskets with the kids and meeting with them to plan a monthly on-grounds worship service.

The boys' basketball team boasts 11 wins to 3 losses. (whom did they play?) The girls at this writing practice each Monday night. We are indebted to St. Mary's Seminary for use of their gym — the Board does not own such a facility. Accolades too are in order for the YMCA, Catonsville, which has provided use of facilities to our younger groups of boys and girls.

Other activities of our youth include the Tuesday, on-ground movie, historical trips to Gettysburg, ceramics, the poetry club, Fort McHenry tour, B & O Railroad Museum, Walters Art Gallery, hiking on the Appalachian Trail, and I am told we "look forward with weather-warming to doing more outside such as volleyball, archery, weekend camping, and, of course, the week-long camping trip in August."

Swartzell Assembled Family Program has been awarded a twelve thousand dollar grant from Kendall Foundation to be used in initial payment for an additional home. In the "Lewis" home three children sing in the choir of St. Matthew's Church. Dennis of the "Bradford" home will graduate in June and hopes to continue his education. Mrs. Keys, an Assembled Family mother, is taking refresher courses in public school so that she may help the kids with homework. Mrs. Brown, Assembled Family mother, and her daughter are studying sign language so they may communicate with Sherdina, a foster child in the home who has a hearing impairment.

Services are available to persons who desire to create a family through adoption. The supply of infants is extremely limited. The trend with Board of Child Care and nationally is toward adoption of older children, sibling groups, and displaced children from overseas. During this past year we have placed an infant from Korea and two toddlers from Viet Nam.

Counseling services are available to persons needing help in planning for their children. Adoption is only one of the possible available alternatives. Pastors are encouraged to call if they need help with any child care problem which comes to their attention. Phone (301) 922-2100.

Our foster care program continues to offer homes to children with special needs; older children, sibling groups, and children with physical and emotional handicaps.

Old Time Methodist Day — hot dogs 15c — was a great success and will be repeated October 2, 1976. All are invited.

Our Development Capability expanded to include Deferred Giving Programs. Included are Annuities, Unitrusts, Pooled Income Funds and Wills and Bequests. These enable us to provide additional services to financial supporters as well as insure a sound giving program for the future. Our Development representative is available to discuss these items with any interested parties.

We the staff and the Board and each of you who has fostered the work of Board of Child Care may feel proud of the many accomplishments of the children and of those who have worked with them over the year. From foster parent studying sign, to child care director on the mountain trail, this is a living, vibrant program ministering every hour of every week to homeless children and youth. It is possible only because you the church, in the spirit of Christ care enough to make a cookie at Christmas, give to an annual appeal or write a will. We covet your love.

E. William Hall, D.D., President
Claude F. Libis, Exec. Director

BOARD OF MISSIONS

"The wholeness of the gospel is manifest in the totality of the Church. God, the Creator, Redeemer, Savior, and Life-Giver, summons the Church to mission in the world. The aims of this mission are:

1. To witness in all the world, by word and deed, to the self-revelation of God in Jesus Christ and the acts of love by which God reconciles all people to himself.

2. To evoke in all people the personal response of repentance and faith through which by God's grace they may find newness of life in righteous, loving relationship with God and their fellow men.
3. To bring God's people together into a Christian community for worship and fellowship and to send them into the world as servants in the struggle for justice and meaning.
4. To respond to the given unity of God's people and to the needs of the world, and to advocate and work for the unity of the Christian Church in every aspect of the Church's life.
5. To reveal in ministry the love of God for all and to manifest the healing of the gospel to those who suffer.
6. To move all people to live in awareness of the presence and life-giving power of God's Holy Spirit, in acknowledgement of his rule over earthly history and in confident expectation of the ultimate consummation of his purpose."

(The Book of Discipline, para. 801, 1972)

The Board of Missions seeks to share in the aims of this mission and has attempted through the Committee on Promotion and Cultivation, the Town and Country Committee, and the Urban Work Committee to aid Christ's Cause.

The Board of Missions, through the Town and Country Committee, sponsored a convocation at Felton, DE on the theme "Rural Life and the Rural Church." The Board has developed new parsonage standards to be shared with the Cabinet and encouraged a ministry to migrants through D.E.A. and provided funds for church extension work in the Conference.

The Board of Missions work is probably best seen in the disbursement of its budget monies. During this Conference year, the Board has supported the following ministries:

- a. St. Matthews-By-The Sea
- b. The Methodist Action Program
- c. D.E.A. Leisure and Rural Ministries
- d. Neighborhood House
- e. Promotion of Advance Specials
- f. Church Extension — Grants and Loans
- g. The Glasgow Ecumenical Project
- h. Parsonage Aid to Local Churches

The 1977 proposed budget of the Board of Missions suggests a continued emphasis on the mission and ministry of the Church of Jesus Christ through The Peninsula Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church.

Standards for the Furnishings and Upkeep of Parsonages

Recommendations to the Peninsula Annual Conference, 1976
from Committee on Town and Country Ministries, Board of Missions

(The previous standards were adopted in May 1965.)

The purpose of Parsonage Standards is three-fold:

- 1) to help congregations provide comfortable housing, within reasonable limits, for the pastor's family.
- 2) to aid the pastor's family and the congregation in taking proper care of the parsonage and furnishings.
- 3) to avoid misunderstandings between the congregation and the pastor, or between successive pastors.

I. Parsonage Building and Equipment

- A. Minimum number of rooms should include: Four bedrooms with ample closet space in each, living room, dining room, kitchen, 1-1/2 baths, utility room, pastor's study. If there are three bedrooms or less in an existing parsonage, extra sleeping space should be provided. In some cases, adding new rooms should be considered.
- B. Suggestions for additional rooms and facilities: Extra bedrooms, recreation or family room, an outside entrance to pastor's study, garage or car-port.

- C. Utilities: Central heating system that provides even heat for all rooms; combination storm windows and doors; automatic water heater and sufficient electrical outlets in each room.
- D. Furnishings to be provided by the church:
1. Heavy furniture for each room; window blinds, curtains or drapes; rugs or wall-to-wall carpet; adequate lighting.
 2. Pastor's study-office is preferably in the church building, but if located in the parsonage it should be on the first floor. The study should be equipped with adequate bookshelves, desk, files, storage closet for supplies, mimeograph machine, typewriter, and telephone. The telephone should be on a private line.
 3. Kitchen: an electric or gas range in good condition; modern refrigerator with separate freezing compartment; built-in wall cabinets; floor-based cabinets with ample counter space; sufficient electrical outlets; modern floor covering.
 4. Utility room: adequate plumbing and wiring for all utilities. Church is to supply an automatic washer and dryer.
 5. The church or charge is to supply heavy duty porch and/or lawn furniture.
 6. Church to supply fire extinguishers for kitchen and outside the furnace room door. These should be of the ABC type or other Underwriters-approved type.
- II. Parsonage Grounds
Attractively landscaped lawns, lawnmower, and television aerial or cable connection.
- III. Care of Property
- A. Insurance: The church shall provide adequate fire and liability insurance on the parsonage. The church should urge that the minister have adequate insurance on his personal items.
 - B. The parsonage should be kept well painted with periodic check-ups on paint, paper, furnishings, wiring, etc.
 - C. It is important that every Committee on Pastor-Parish Relations make an inventory of the parsonage, with the help of the parsonage family, listing all items owned by the church, their condition, and their date of acquisition. There should also be kept records of the dates when the various rooms were renovated and their current condition.
 - D. The minister is responsible for any damage of property by members of the family or family pets. All broken and worn-out furniture should be removed and not stored in attic or basement. Discarded furnishings from families of members should not be placed in the parsonage.
 - E. Such things as cutting grass, trimming shrubs, shoveling snow, and the like to be worked out between the minister and the Committee on Pastor-Parish Relations.
- IV. Equipment Provided by the Minister's Family
- A. Linens, towels, washcloths
 - B. Blankets, quilts and bedspreads
 - C. Dishes, china, and crystal
 - D. Silverware
 - E. Cooking utensils
 - F. Television
 - G. Deep freezer
 - H. Pictures
 - I. Lawn flowers
 - J. Vacuum cleaner
 - K. Lamps, other than basic lighting
 - L. Light bulbs

- M. Paper products (paper towels, napkins, toilet tissue, facial tissue, etc.)
 - N. Cleaning supplies (laundry detergents, bar soap, cleansers, mops, brooms, brushes, floor wax, etc.)
 - O. Yard and garden tools
 - P. Housecleaning services
 - Q. That standards for the furnishings and upkeep of parsonages, as accepted and recommended, be published and mailed to each pastor and chairperson of Pastor-Parish Relations Committee
- V. Minister's Responsibilities
- A. The right of a minister to own furniture and equipment cannot be challenged. However, if the minister does own furniture and other goods which are to be used in the parsonage, the parsonage furniture must be stored so that it is kept in good condition and does not suffer from being stored. The minister is responsible for the furniture in the parsonage, whether it is used or not.
 - B. The minister is expected to provide specialized furniture such as baby furniture or decorative items of non-basic nature.
 - C. The parsonage is the minister's home while he is in the parish. The minister is responsible for any damage of property by members of the family or by pets. If damaged, the item should be returned to its original condition or replaced.
 - D. At moving time, the minister should leave the parsonage in clean, orderly condition. The facilities should be in good repair, the light switches working, the faucets not leaking, etc. Trash and unwanted items should be hauled away.
 - E. Since the minister's goods are not provided protection by the church's insurance policy, it is recommended that every minister's family inventory their possessions and have them insured against loss, both in the church building and in the parsonage.
 - F. While the church to which the minister moves is responsible for the cost of the moving, a minister who has a hobby that involves considerable quantities of equipment ought to participate in the cost of the moving, to the extent of his equipment. This is a matter of conscience.
 - G. The minister should leave for his successor:
 1. Tagged keys for all locks
 2. Notes on whom to call in case of emergency
 3. Notes on whom to call for service and repairs
 4. Notes on where to find such things as screens, lawnmower, etc.
 5. Same telephone number. (If not possible, notify secretary of the annual conference immediately of any change.)
- VI. General Suggestions
- A. We recommend an "open house" observance annually.
 - B. The parsonage is the home of the minister and the minister's family during their occupancy; their rights and privacy should always be observed by members of the congregation. However, the minister and the family should take good care of all parsonage property.
 - C. The Committee on Pastor-Parish Relations should make an annual inspection of the parsonage to determine necessary repairs and replacements. This should be done at the discretion of the parsonage family.
 - D. The Committee on Pastor-Parish Relations is responsible for the acceptance or rejection of all furniture or furnishings offered to the parsonage as church property. When donation of any item of furnishing is made, it should be clearly designated whether the item is a personal gift to the minister's family or if it is to remain in the parsonage.
 - E. Since all utilities are paid by the church, such items as storm windows, insulation, and improved heating systems should be given every consideration. Utilities are interpreted to mean heat, electricity, gas, oil, sewage, water, telephone, and cable TV service if connected. (Note! the minister is responsible for personal toll calls made by the parsonage family.)

- F. It is recommended that maintenance-free material be used in existing and new parsonages, such as: ceramic tile, paneling, durable floor coverings, aluminum siding, vinyl or aluminum windows, formica, brick, split shingles, and aluminum gutters.

The parsonage is a part of the witness of the church, and it is a symbol of the stewardship of the congregation; the parsonage should, therefore, receive the same kind of care as the church building.

Approved, Board of Missions
18 March 1976

Harold E. Owens, Chairperson

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Peninsula Conference United Methodist Women — an organization of women who, knowing God, want to share their faith by reaching out to help the needy. In addition to being loyal supporting members of their local church they choose to go farther and give of their time, talent, and money as a group to meet needs they choose to meet — especially needs of women and children.

In 1936 Dr. J. J. Bunting wrote in his Salisbury District report referring to the Ladies Aid this admonition:

"If I be permitted, a careful and friendly caution to the lay brethren, remember that this unit is an Aid. It is hardly fair and wholesome for Church members to cease regular giving and depend on the women to do everything."

Could this apply today?

Meeting our pledge of \$97,000 to the Women's Division of the Board of Global Ministries was more difficult this year. We are thankful that we achieved our goal and sent in a total of \$113,000 which includes special gifts and offerings.

Our priority goals were determined by the Conference Executive Committee at a planning retreat held at Drayton Manor on February 3 and 4, 1975. Feeling that much more work was needed in these areas, we continued our emphasis in these areas:

1. To improve Communications between Conference, District and Local Units through existing channels.
2. To develop leadership by improving leadership training.

Communications

The Conference Council on Ministries training sessions for local church leaders held on each district in January afforded the Conference President and each District President an opportunity to work with local United Methodist Women presidents.

A Workshop for Conference and District United Methodist Women officers was held at Wyoming United Methodist Church, Wyoming, DE in March. Filmstrips, role playing and simulation games helped show communication problems and answers.

District spring meetings carried more emphasis on the role communication plays in our organization.

Officer training at the Conference School of Missions in July also was used for some training.

Leadership Training

The Spring meeting of the Conference United Methodist Women dealt with leadership and celebrated International Women's Year. Three Christian women employed in fields which serve people shared their life stories and work stories with us. Pat Groff, Director of D.E.A. Rural Ministries, Mary White, Director of Neighborhood House, and Lowan Pitts, Director of Delaware State Human Relations Department shared in a wonderful way.

Conference officers of U.M.W. attended Regional School of Christian Mission at Lycoming College, Williamsport, PA, May 18-23. The Conference President was unable to attend because she was attending Peninsula Annual Conference session as a member — the United Methodist Women of Peninsula Conference's representative.

On July 11-12-13 a weekend School of Christian Mission was held at Wesley College, Dover, DE. This was followed by a 5-day school. Mrs. Marie Brown served as Dean, assisted by the Reverend John R. Owens. The Reverend R. Jervis Cooke served as coordinator. Our schools are cooperative ones with the Conference Board of Missions. The faculty was excellent. "A Nation Yet To Be" with Dr. Ernest Smith and Mrs. Jessie Pratt teaching; Southeast Asia: Christian Presence with Dr. Nancy Goodley and Dr. William A. Kale; The Prophets taught by Rev. Charles Barton. Attendance increased by 20 over last year.

Betty Dunn, Coordinator of Christian Social Involvement, Wilmington District, and Mary Frances Cooke, Conference President, and Margaret Black, Coordinator of Christian Global Concerns, Peninsula Conference United Methodist Women, were representatives of our Conference at a Seminar sponsored by the Women's Division. The theme of the Seminar was "Living in the Eighth Day" and dealt with, The Word, The Self, The Globe and The Organization of United Methodist Women. The Seminar was held at Oklahoma University, Norman, Oklahoma, August 16-23.

It is now the policy of the Women's Division to invite Conference United Methodist Women Presidents to attend one meeting of the Women's Division and Board of Global Ministries per quadrennium at their expense. I was privileged to attend the meeting in Atlantic City, N.J. October 17-25, 1975. It was truly a learning experience.

Annual Meeting

The Annual meeting of Peninsula Conference United Methodist Women was held on November 22, 1975 at the William Henry Middle School in Dover, DE. "Women: In the Middle of Tomorrow" was the theme. Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Black and Mrs. Cooke brought to the group a report on the Seminar held in Oklahoma. Global Economics, Biblical background, Human Sexuality, The Law of the Sea, Pluralism and Inclusiveness were subjects of presentation.

With God's blessing may Peninsula Conference United Methodist Women continue to share their faith through old and new channels.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Frances Cooke, President

BOARD OF MINISTRY

Another way of saying Board of the Ministry may well be the care and welfare of the clergy. From the time persons indicate a desire to be a part of the Ordained Ministry by the referring of their names to the Board, until their retirement, this body maintains a close relationship and concern for the clergy. Through its many committees, Scholarship Loans, Psychological Testing, Sermon Review, Continuing Education, Service to Ministers and Conference Relations, it seeks to provide help, insight and growth throughout a person's ministry.

RECRUITMENT — The Rev. William Fitzhugh, Jr., chairman, will be working with a committee from the Washington Area in planning a consultation on the Ministry at Drayton Manor with Bishop Mathews during the last week of December.

Visitation to various United Methodist Seminaries to interview students with regard to appointments and membership in the Conference was a vital part of their work as well as helping, when financially able, with summer work experiences for seminary students. These summer programs provide opportunities for students to become acquainted with the area and clergy. All of these experiences are helpful in interesting persons to consider the Peninsula Conference as their avenue for service in the ministry. We urge observance of Ministry

Sunday, September 19, as the opportunity for clergy and laity of the churches of the Peninsula Conference to present the challenge and claims of the ordained ministry.

SCHOLARSHIP — The Rev. Kendall McCabe serves this committee which each year seeks to make available to as many worthy students as possible the limited funds the Board has available. This year \$12,000 was distributed among college and seminary students committed to the ministry. Each year the requests and needs are greater than the available funds.

PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING continues to be a helpful program in aiding the members of the Board, as well as those seeking admission into the Annual Conference, to have a better understanding of individuals. Through this program, all candidates receive a battery of tests and subsequently meet with the one who administered them for interpretation and evaluation. The Board believes this program better enables a candidate to know himself and thus be a better minister wherever he may be appointed to serve.

COUNSELING ELDER PROGRAM is a program developed over the years and evaluated each year that it might be improved to the benefit of counselor and counselee. All probationary members serving appointments within the Conference boundaries are assigned a member in full connection as a Counseling Elder. This person provides direction, insight, fellowship and a source of help during the year. Following the Annual Conference Sessions, assignments are made and a day-long orientation is held to acquaint counselors with the program.

CONTINUING EDUCATION — This continues to be a very vital program of the Board. It seeks to provide partial grants for local pastors participating in continuing education study programs. There is a very limited amount of funds available for this, however. The Study Leaves program advocated by the Bishop requires funding that is not available to the Board at this time.

The committee seeks to work with other Boards and Commissions in providing learning experiences for the clergy. Later this year the committee plans to sponsor a workshop on preaching jointly with the Commission on Worship. One-day seminars in specialized fields enables more of the clergy to be stimulated, challenged and to be of more benefit in their individual pastorates.

In response to the request of laymen across the church to find ways of helping ministers develop their strengths, a Bi Polar Growth Seminar, involving the members of the Board of Ministry and the Conference staff, was held at Drayton Manor. This experience, led by the Rev. Richard Murray, professor at Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist, enabled those attending to identify their strengths and patterns of leadership. It is hoped that this program eventually may be offered on each district to help those in the local pastorate to define and develop their lesser strengths as well as knowing their style of leadership.

SERVICE TO MINISTERS — In June, a Retirement Seminar, in which twenty men from the Conference participated, was helpful in identifying problems related to retirement. Later these men participated in programs on the four districts which enabled Conference members to have a better insight into retirement with all its ramifications.

CONFERENCE RELATIONS — Clergy anticipating a change in status, such as retirement or sabbatical, are asked to submit their requests in writing to the Board through its Committee on Conference Relations, the Rev. Jason Blundon, Chairperson. In the case of retirement, time is required for all the paper work to be completed through the office of the Board of Pensions in Evanston, Illinois, before retirement benefits can begin. Those anticipating retirement may secure forms from the Committee.

In preparation for Annual Conference, twenty (20) persons were interviewed for either Deacons or Elders Orders and/or Probationary or Full Membership. Each candidate met with the full membership of the Board for an hour where he was questioned regarding the appropriate paragraphs in the Discipline. At this writing there are nineteen (19) persons in the category of Probationary Membership and eleven (11) persons eligible for this status.

Because of the Conference rule, that a person may not serve on any given Board during more than two (2) consecutive quadrenniums, the Board of Ministry this year will lose the

services of eight (8) of its members: Charles E. Barton, Jr., who has served as secretary; George C. Godfrey, chairperson of the Psychological Testing program; William Hemphill, Jr., chairperson of the Counseling Elders Committee; Frank Lucia, chairperson of the Committee on Continuing Education; George Stellges, who chaired the Ministerial Education Fund and Ministry Sunday Committee; and Robert Whitlock, who directed and developed the program for the Service to Ministers Committee. In addition to these six ministers, W. Hayward Greene and Brooks E. Reynolds have also completed their terms on the Board. To all of these men the Peninsula Annual Conference owes a great debt of gratitude and, as Chairperson, I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks for their leadership and support during this year.

John A. Irwin, Chairperson

COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION & CAMPUS MINISTRY

Accomplishments

Since June of 1975 the Commission on Higher Education and Campus Ministry has —

1. Given support to the campus ministry programs within the bounds of The Peninsula Conference and to the Morgan Christian Center.
2. Assisted the Wesley Foundation at the University of Delaware in its merger with the United Campus Ministry (UCM) at the University of Delaware.
3. Sent the Chairperson of the Commission to meet with the Board of Directors of the Wesley Foundation at the University of Maryland, Eastern Shore, for the purpose of selecting a new Campus Minister (The Reverend Vaughn Johnson).
4. Submitted 1977 budget requests for Wesley College, the Wesley Foundations, the UCM at the University of Delaware, and the Morgan Christian Center.
5. Processed the applications for recertification (See below).

In Process

At the present time (3/9/76), the Commission is seeking —

1. To find a more responsible strategy for providing supervision and guidance to the Campus Ministry situations in The Peninsula Conference. This will require fuller and closer cooperation between our Commission, the Campus Ministers, and the Boards of Directors.
2. To assist the UCM at the University of Delaware in following through on the financial ramifications of its recent merger.
3. To investigate the possibility of a Foundation Grant, for the purpose of studying and evaluating the campus ministries in our Conference.

Certification

The Commission on Higher Education and Campus Ministry recommends the following persons for recertification in the positions indicated below:

Director of Christian Education —

Jeanetta Benedict
Olive A. Cook
Doris J. Hoover
Cheryl B. Johnson
Phyllis May
Herbert Nurse
Jessie V. Stevens

Minister of Christian Education —

Clifford A. Armour, Jr.
Fred M. Bruner
Wanda Ewing

Kenneth G. Fansler
 Frederick C. Seyfert, Jr.
 Director of Music —
 Joann C. Cohen
 Thelma Green
 Thomas C. Mowbray
 Genevieve R. Palmer
 Evelyn D. Swensson

List of Boards of Directors

Our Commission has the responsibility for recommending to the Annual Conference the names of nominees for membership on the Wesley Foundation Boards of Directors. The names which have been given to us for presentation to the Conference for election are printed in the report of the Conference Nominating Committee.

Respectfully submitted,
 John T. Randolph, Chairperson

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WESLEY COLLEGE TO THE PENINSULA CONFERENCE

Wesley College welcomed Dr. William W. Hassler as its 12th president in July, 1975, and held his inauguration concurrent with the opening of the 1975-1976 academic year in September. Since July, Dr. Hassler has been facing the challenges of maintaining a full academic program despite the problems of a deficit budget, and at the same time soliciting support for the operation of the college.

The charge of the Board of Trustees to the President to present a balanced budget for the 1976-77 school year has been of primary importance to every department of the college, and has resulted in major efforts to effect and implement economies this year and next according to the guidelines set down by the Ad Hoc Budgetary Committee.

This committee, representative of faculty and administration and chaired by Dean of Students Thomas Welch, made an in-depth study of the college's fiscal situation during the first semester and presented a detailed report to the Board of Trustees. Many economy measures were suggested for immediate and future implementation, with the result that over \$180,000 was able to be economized during the second semester of the current academic year.

Wesley's administration is working zealously to prepare a balanced budget for the fiscal year 1976-1977, a more viable situation that could be helped by an increase in enrollment. The much lower rate of attrition between the first and second semesters of the current year points to good prospects for a larger number of returning sophomores in September, and the Admissions Office reports the number of confirmed freshmen to be close to last year's figures.

The academic program is the main attraction to new students, and through increases in curricular offerings and transfer programs, potential freshmen are sure to become interested in Wesley. The Paralegal and Cooperative Education programs, which began in September, did attract a large class of students. Subsequent revisions in the curriculum for paralegal assistants will go into effect in September, 1976, and will bring it as up-to-date as possible. New curricula scheduled to begin in September, and for which students are currently being recruited, are career directions in optometry, English and environmental studies, which will lead to transfer into a four-year college. Music Therapy, a field in which there is much interest, will also be offered as a transfer program in September.

Currently in the planning stages is a four-year curriculum in Business Administration with concentrations in marketing and management. There is a possibility that, with the required approvals, the program will begin in September.

Of immediate impact on this year's freshmen was the Learning Resources Program. Through extensive testing during the two summer orientation sessions, incoming students revealed strengths or weaknesses in reading, writing, or study skills, or a need for personal or career counseling. Since their arrival on campus in September the students who needed assistance were enrolled in this program and have worked in it consistently, with extremely favorable results. The Program has been developed further, and its testing methods refined. It will continue in full strength in the coming year as a part of Wesley's regular program.

Wesley College's facilities have been in full use this year through programs by college and community groups. An extensive Bicentennial concert and lecture series provided entertainment and food for thought in all areas. The Wesley Players staged four plays — all written by Lewis Wells and based on the history of Colonial America, and Delaware in particular — all of which were open to the public. The Music Department's performing groups shared the bill with several visiting performers whose concerts came under the aegis of that department, and, as in other years, the Chorus, Jazz Ensemble and Madrigal Singers were in demand for performances both on- and off-campus.

In March the Faith and Life Dialogue presented Dr. Samuel Proctor through the Thomas Staley Distinguished Christian Scholar Lecture Series. Dr. Proctor spent three days at Wesley, during which time he addressed the student body and the public at an afternoon Chapel service, held an informal "rap" session in the snack bar, visited classes, met with students, faculty and clergy during lunch, dinner or breakfast meetings, and shared Friday morning from breakfast time until almost noon with members of the Student Christian Association and almost 50 members of the local clergy. He was warmly received by everyone.

Since December Wesley has shared its crafts room with the Cerebral Palsy Association, which has established a crafts program in the facility. A pilot program until June, the effort has met with great success and may be continued further. Several Wesley students volunteered their time and talents during the daily sessions, and feel rewarded by the welcome they received from participants.

The environment and Delaware's coastal zone have been highlighted during the year through two programs established with outside funding, but housed at Wesley. The Central Delaware branch of the Environmental Education Center has been housed in Cannon Hall since last August, and has developed education programs for children through teens and their parents, as well as excursions on trail or in canoe for adults. The Coastal Zone Act, and its pros and cons, was discussed in a series of five seminar workshops. The public has responded well to both programs, supporting the Coastal Zone Seminars through attendance and the Environmental Education Center through participation in its activities.

The Peninsula Conference has continued to make use of Wesley's meeting facilities during the year, for both clergy and lay conferences. The College has also worked with Conference ministers and Wesley Ambassadors in local churches in order to further develop the Wesley Ambassador Program, one which is designed to make members of the Conference churches more aware of the College and its programs, facilities and potential for use in many areas. The waiver of application fees for potential freshmen from the Conference is just one of many benefits resulting from the closer partnership. Others include the sharing of faculty talents and hobbies through a Speakers Bureau which has been reestablished. Churches or groups needing a consultant, speaker or teacher in specific areas are invited to use members of the Wesley faculty and staff. Arrangements may be made through the College Relations Office.

Wesley College recently received, as a gift from the Underwood Company, a seven-acre plot of ground in downtown Dover, including the Richardson-Robbins plant building. Immediate use of the building has not yet been decided, though the Environmental Education Center will be renting vegetable garden plots on the land behind the building during the summer.

Through the year the financial situation has created a need for means of raising money to help the college. The Alumni have helped by responding to the second annual Telethon with

pledges adding up to \$22,500.00. Rental of facilities to other programs has worked out in the past, although the sharing of facilities with the University of Delaware Freshman Honors Program will constitute the first complete side-by-side arrangement. This program is scheduled to begin in September, and is designed to accommodate close to 200 exceptionally bright high school seniors on the Wesley campus, and to give them their first year of college in the small, family-like setting before they transfer to the main campus in Newark for their sophomore year.

There is also the possibility that a Delaware Criminal Justice school may lease some of Wesley's facilities for its own program.

Wesley has also received grants to conduct a statewide program in pre-retirement planning. This should be of widespread interest to all people in Delaware companies who plan to retire and who are interested in the many possibilities of the "leisure years."

The College, in order to meet its financial need and to continue its wide scope of excellent programs for students and community, is seeking every possible means of gathering support from those who believe in Wesley College and who have a commitment to retain the college as a positive force on the Delmarva Peninsula. The Peninsula Conference has been very generous in the past, for which the College is extremely grateful. This year, however, the College has requested the Conference to increase its annual contribution for the 1977 calendar year, and is gratified by the consideration this request is being given.

Everyone connected with Wesley College has worked very hard this year in order to insure the continuation of the college and its programs. It has been an exhausting effort, but the realization that there is a real need for Wesley College and for what it has to offer has given extra strength and drive to the search for a balanced budget, for ways to cut spending, and especially to the search for every possible means to continue.

The long hours of objective and subjective self-evaluation have had a positive effect in the streamlining of departmental functions. And the hope for a successful outcome seems more and more possible with each day's news.

The 1976-77 school year may be run on a very tight budget, but hopefully it will help assure Wesley College of a long future.

As Chairman of the Board of Trustees of your college I assure you everything possible is being done to strengthen Wesley College, your college, so that you may continue to be proud of this institution related to the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Reynolds du Pont, Chairman
Board of Trustees
Wesley College

COMMITTEE ON THE LAY WORKER

One of the highlights of the year was to have in our Conference Ms. Edith Goodwin, Director of Lay Ministries of the Methodist Church, Nashville, to speak to the committee and all certified persons eligible to become a Lay Worker. She interpreted the role of the Lay Worker and brought hope for the future for lay professionals working in the church. In keeping with what she told us, it is evident through the magnitude of the legislation before the General Conference, that there is major concern on the part of the church as to the nature and office of the diaconal ministry. As a committee, we shall wait with interest the action of General Conference.

Throughout the year, we have tried to keep alive before the local church its responsibilities to lay employees, as well as data on fringe benefits.

Little progress has been made on designing a Guideline for Pastor-Parish Relations Committees in hiring professionals in music vocations in the local church. It now appears that either there is a lack of interest/need for such a guideline or else we have not tapped the right sources; so a review will be made of this goal.

The Guideline for Pastor-Parish Relations Committees in hiring professional Christian educators or persons in program or leadership development is still being reviewed by the Conference Council on Ministries.

This year, terminates my chairmanship of this committee. The quadrennium has sped quickly but it has brought forth some fruit and, at least, a movement towards a greater appreciation for and understanding of professional lay persons who have responded to the call of God. I owe a debt of gratitude to each member of the committee for their faithfulness in attendance and in sharing the work load. It has been a pleasure to serve.

Respectfully submitted,
Jessie V. Stevens, Chairperson

COMMISSION ON ENLISTMENT FOR CHURCH OCCUPATIONS

During the past year the Commission sponsored several programs stressing the importance of investing one's life wisely in service to God and his fellowman through the vocational choices he makes. Traditionally our outreach has been limited to youth in our conference; however, this past year we became aware of the large number of middle-aged persons who are interested in changing careers and are seeking help in thinking through their decision. As a Commission we continue to operate with the dual purpose of emphasizing the importance of seeing every job as a Christian vocation and of enlisting those interested in occupations within the church, i.e. in the areas of parish ministry, Christian education, missions, chaplaincy, church music, etc.

Some of the Commission's 1975 activities include:

- 1) Distribution of the booklet Church Occupations and Voluntary Service to high school guidance counselors throughout the State of Delaware. (They are presently being distributed on the Eastern Shore of Maryland.)
- 2) Distribution of the Summertime Service Posters to all churches through the coordinated mailing. These posters urge youth to invest their summer in church-sponsored programs or community volunteer programs which could give them good experience and provide much needed service.
- 3) On several occasions members of our Commission held seminars on Christian Vocation and Church Occupations at high schools and churches throughout our Conference.
- 4) We participated in the Career Day at Delaware State College in Dover. This year our theme was "The Road Not Taken."
- 5) Training workshops for local church secretaries of enlistment were held on all four districts.

Respectfully submitted,
H. Sterling Green, Chairperson

BOARD OF CHURCH AND SOCIETY

The United Methodist Church has a long history of concern for social justice. Inspired by the words of the prophets and the life and teachings of Jesus, our people have often taken forthright positions on controversial issues involving Christian principles.

A Social Creed was first adopted by the Methodist Episcopal Church, North, in 1908. Within the next decade, similar statements were adopted by the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and by the Methodist Protestant Church. The Social Principles, as we know them today, begin with an Affirmation of Faith and conclude with "Our Social Creed," which is a brief statement for use in the public worship services of the churches. I commend the "Principles" and the "Creed" to you.

GOALS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

When I look at the goals of the Board for 1975, I'm truly pleased with the accomplishments of the four divisions. While there are one or two items which were not fully accomplished, there are other accomplishments which were not anticipated.

Our Division on World Peace was chaired by The Reverend Bruce E. Cooke and accomplished all of their goals. Peace and World Order Sunday was effectively promoted with a special series of workshops on the districts, and Peace and Self-Development was given a high priority in the Conference with the annual Conference sessions themselves focusing on this emphasis. The Board has supported Pacem in Terris, a task force of the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency, with money and leadership; and they have supported us with resources and programs. The Council on Ministries task force on Peace and Self-Development has been most active and will submit its own report.

Our Division on General Welfare has been effectively chaired by Mrs. Doris Phillips and we are proud of their accomplishments. Drug and Alcohol Sunday was promoted with an article in the COMMUNICATOR on "The Alcoholic Woman." To further our work in the area of criminal justice, meetings were held with the Task Force on Crime and Justice of the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency to begin planning for workshops which are currently in progress. Their goal is to eventually involve 10% of our churches in specific projects of rehabilitation. The Division helped sponsor Chaplain Leland Hall's participation in the National Consultation on Criminal Justice held in Illinois in November. Mr. Hall's report to the Board helped us focus on the need for the church's involvement in this national concern.

Other issues which have commanded our attention are welfare grants in Delaware and Maryland and gambling in Maryland. A group attended the Legislative Seminar in Annapolis, and another group organized the Eastern Shore Action Task Force to effectively deal with issues in this section of Maryland.

Our Division on Human Relations was chaired by The Reverend Calvin Byrd who worked in close cooperation with the Commission on Religion and Race. Human Relations Sunday was promoted with another increase in giving, and Project Equality was supported for the last year. Two additional organizations were supported — Citizen's Housing Alliance of Delaware (CHAD) and Delaware Equal Education Process Committee (DEEP). One of the major projects for the year involved cooperation and support of the inter-racial retreat planned by the Commission on Religion and Race.

Our Division on Emerging Social Issues is chaired by the Reverend Richard C. Stazesky whose dynamic preaching and administrative ability have been clearly evident on the Wilmington District. I recently heard it said that three sermons at Brandywine-Trinity provided the inspiration for three important organizations — Public Assistance Task Force (PAT), Delaware Equal Education Process Committee (DEEP), and Citizen's Housing Alliance of Delaware (CHAD).

Cooperation

As Methodists we have our goals, and so do many of the other denominations. To help us work together, the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency established a Social Awareness and Action Consortium (SAAC). The concept behind SAAC is to provide an ecumenical umbrella for major social issues which demand a response from the church.

Current issues to which SAAC is giving attention are: Welfare through the Public Assistance Task Force (PAT) and the Maryland Conference on Social Concerns; Racial Justice, especially desegregation of schools in New Castle County through Delaware Equal Education Process Committee (DEEP) and the School Decision Committee; housing concerns through Citizen's Housing Alliance of Delaware (CHAD); Criminal Justice concerns through our Division on General Welfare; and World Hunger through Pacem in Terris.

Several of these groups began through Methodist leadership and support. We continue to work in them and through them.

Introduction

May I take this opportunity to introduce you to WISC and IMPACT, which I think could be

tremendously helpful to you and to your Church and Society work area chairperson: WISC is:

- The Washington Interreligious Staff Council.
- The Council is made up of about one hundred Washington-based Denominational/Faith executives working in the area of Church and Society.
- The Council meets twice a month to share concerns and hear reports from the several issue-oriented task forces on which members serve.
- The Council develops the background/study papers and action/update reports which are published by IMPACT and mailed to the network.

IMPACT is:

- A grassroots network of committed persons across the country who, on the basis of religious and moral conviction, seek to influence public policy.
- An action network, all of whose participants agree to communicate with their members of Congress at least three times a year.
- A network which gives special priority to U.S. Food Policy, but which also works on other public policy issues of major concern to the American religious community.
- An interreligious network, sponsored by twenty national Protestant, Roman Catholic, and Jewish agencies. (The United Methodist Church is one of these sponsoring agencies.)

IMPACT publishes:

- Six issues of HUNGER, a bi-monthly background paper on critical issues in U.S. Food Policy.
- One or two issues of PREPARE, a 10-12 page background and study paper on some other major policy issues about which there is widespread concern in the religious community.
- Eight to twelve issues of Action, a concise two-page bulletin providing timely information and recommendations for your action when bills are at critical stages in Congress.
- Four issues of UPDATE, brief reports on a wide-range of bills of concern to the religious community.

REGISTRATION involves:

- A basic commitment to communicate three or four times a year with your elected representatives in Congress.
- A cost of five dollars (\$5.00). This must be the best bargain available in national legislative information.
- May I suggest the local church underwrite the cost of registering your pastor and Church and Society chairperson.
- Write Robert Odean, National Director

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Conclusion

Since this will be my last report as chairperson of the Board of Church and Society, I want to say thank you to the members of the Board and the leadership that made this and previous reports possible. So am I grateful for the members of the Conference Staff and Cabinet who have been supportive and helpful.

RESOLUTIONS submitted for Annual Conference consideration by the Board of Church and Society.

Child Abuse

WHEREAS the Christian is called to be concerned for the well-being of all persons, that they might be best able to enjoy a qualitatively good life;

WHEREAS children are dependent upon their parents and society to safeguard them from those persons and things in their environment that represent a hazard to their well-being and development;

WHEREAS cruelty to children in the forms of abuse and neglect is coming more and more to the attention of the American people as a major social problem:

1. which is showing a large increase in relation to the frustrations of adults over unemployment, changing family and living patterns (high divorce rates, cohabitation) and the pressures of living in an increasingly-complex culture;
2. which some experts now consider to be the largest cause of death among children in the United States; and
3. which results in teenagers and adults who, in response to the violence in their childhood homes, are themselves violent toward other persons, including their own children;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference encourage our churches to give priority to family life programs that point out the issues and problems of child abuse and neglect in our communities;

that we support programs which give counseling and assistance to parents and children who are having family problems, and encourage our churches to support and participate in such programs;

that we encourage our churches to lift up childhood and the role of Christian adults in relation to the needs and development of their own and all children; and

that the Peninsula Conference, through staff, bring these matters to the attention of the new Family Life Council and through them to the attention of the churches.

Family Life

WHEREAS the Christian community is committed to the human dignity of all persons;

WHEREAS the dignity of individuals is derived from the family as the basic unit in society;

WHEREAS the family needs spiritual, moral and financial support which they cannot at times provide for themselves;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference call upon all local churches to engage in specific projects to implement individual human dignity, to bring about significant and positive welfare reform, to support the family's right to limit itself to a viable, loving unit, to recognize the right of children to a caring, nurturing environment, and to bring about dignified employment for all persons to enable them to become productive members of society.

Gambling

"WHEREAS on May 10, 1976, Delaware Governor Sherman Tribbitt signed Senate Bill 568, thereby placing "on the ballot in the 1976 general election the question of whether citizens of Delaware favor State controlled and regulated slot machines" (quote from the formal synopsis of the bill as presented to Senate), the form of the question to be:

"1. Do you favor State regulated and controlled slot machines in Delaware? Yes No.

"WHEREAS the intent of this bill is to determine public opinion as to whether or not Delaware's citizenry desire this form of legalized gambling (State regulated and controlled slot machines), with the results serving as a 'mandate to the Governor and members of the General Assembly to initiate appropriate legislation to effectuate the will of the people as expressed in the referendum' (quote from section 9 of the bill, underlining by the author of the resolution).

"WHEREAS, slot machines and other forms of professional and governmental gambling are an inequitable form of taxation and delay necessary tax reform to equitably distribute the expenses of running the state and providing public services;

"WHEREAS the United Methodist Church, and the Peninsula Annual Conference, has always taken a strong position against the expansion of legalized gambling, recognizing the detrimental effect of gambling on the social, economic and spiritual life of all affected persons.

"WHEREAS the Peninsula Annual Conference stands in a tradition that has recognized the fruitlessness and futility of the 'something for nothing' philosophy — which already contributes greatly to the destructive, even self-destructive, habits and attitudes of people, especially children and youth who would have access to the proposed slot machines — promoted by this form of gambling.

"BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference reaffirms its position of being 'for' people by denouncing the intention of this bill and referendum, which is to legalize slot machines in Delaware.

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference through its Board of Church and Society, urge all clergy and laity of Delaware:

1. to give important consideration to this referendum question;
2. to mandate, by a "NO" vote to the referendum question, to the Governor and the General Assembly of Delaware that no legislation to legalize slot machines in Delaware is wanted by the people; and
3. to encourage others to voice and vote their opposition to this effort to further legalize gambling in Delaware.

"BE IT RESOLVED, that we call upon our Methodist people in Delaware to join with other like-minded churches and groups in defeating the slot machine proposal to be placed on the ballot in November 1976.

"BE IT STILL FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be sent to the Governor of Delaware by the Secretary of the Conference."

Public Assistance Delaware

WHEREAS the church is concerned for the well-being and quality of life of all persons;

WHEREAS this concern is rooted in Christian love, finding expression in actively seeking to change the social and economic factors that contribute to the altering of life quality;

WHEREAS if persons are ever to break out of the economic and social cycles in which they find themselves, life's basic needs for food, clothing and housing have to be met;

WHEREAS in Delaware there are 31,061 persons who receive Aid to Families with dependent Children (AFDC) and 22,364 are children;

WHEREAS the maximum grant for a family of four eligible for AFDC in Delaware is \$259/month;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference commend Governor Sherman Tribbitt of Delaware for his proposed 1977 budget which includes an increase in AFDC to 100% of the 1968 Standard of Need. We urge this increase be adopted. We respectfully request that a revision of the Standard of Need be adopted to reflect the cost of living in 1976.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be sent to the Governor by the Secretary of the Conference.

Public Assistance Maryland

WHEREAS the Church is concerned for the well-being and quality of life of all persons;

WHEREAS this concern is rooted in Christian love, finding expression in actively seeking to change the social and economic factors that contribute to the altering of life quality;

WHEREAS if persons are ever to break out of the economic and social cycles in which they find themselves, life's basic needs for food, clothing and housing have to be met;

WHEREAS in Maryland there are 214,000 persons who receive Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) and 155,000 are children;

WHEREAS the maximum grant for a family of four eligible for AFDC in Maryland is \$242/month;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference respectfully requests Governor Marvin Mandel of Maryland to include in the fiscal 1978 budget an increase for AFDC equal to the rise in the Cost of Living since July, 1975. We urge this increase be adopted. We respectfully urge that a Cost of Living factor be established in the determination of AFDC grants for the future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be sent to the Governor by the Secretary of the Conference.

Unemployment

WHEREAS the Church is concerned for the well-being and quality of life of all persons;

WHEREAS this concern is rooted in Christian love, finding expression in actively seeking to change the social and economic factors that contribute to the altering of family quality;

WHEREAS if persons are ever to break out of the economic and social cycles in which they find themselves, life's basic needs of food, clothing and housing have to be met;

WHEREAS individuals need a source of income, employment, to provide for basic needs;

WHEREAS if this employment does not exist, if basic needs are not met in positive ways, negative means are sought, including criminal involvement, which in turn affects whole social and cultural systems;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference go on record as supporting the concept of employment for all employable persons.

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Peninsula Conference go on record as supporting the concept of employment such as provided for in the Humphrey-Hawkins Bill HR/50, S/50.

United Nations

BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church affirm its support of continued United States involvement in the United Nations by voicing support of the following statement of our Council of Bishops:

We respectfully request the President, the State Department, and the Congress of the United States to continue to give full support to the United Nations, convinced that it is the one international forum through which the nations of the world can meet to debate issues, air differences and move toward solutions of complex problems, and that the presence of the United States in that body is essential to the relative stability of the global community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Peninsula Annual Conference convey our support to the President, the Secretary of State and the Representatives and Senators representing the area included within the boundaries of our Conference.

World Hunger

WHEREAS, the world hunger situation has reached the crisis state, with more than half a billion people suffering from malnutrition, and as many as fifty million people threatened with death by starvation this year;

WHEREAS the gospel of Jesus Christ calls us to have compassion for the needy, to feed the hungry and give drink to the thirsty (Matthew 25:34-40)

WHEREAS the General Council on Ministries of the United Methodist Church has declared world hunger to be an immediate priority of the Church;

WHEREAS the land in these United States is fast disappearing from production because of current land use policies, and

WHEREAS wise use of land is directly connected with food production,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Peninsula Annual Conference at its 1976 session, that we support the Resolutions (H.Con.Res.393 and S.Con.Res.66) presently before the United States Congress and declaring as national policy the right to food.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that our support be conveyed by the Conference Secretary to the Representatives and Senators representing the area included within the boundaries of our Conference.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we commend to the Commission on Social Concerns of our constituent churches the need for careful consideration and study of current land use policies to the end that the least possible land be withdrawn from agricultural production.

Commission On Religion And Race

The "Study of 10 years of Merger," authorized by the 1973 Annual Conference was completed in late December. During the month of February the Commission held District meetings (4). The purpose of these meetings was two-fold. (1) To make available to as wide a group as possible the findings of the study, (2) to seek suggestions and recommendations from the participants in the meetings regarding the directions and goals the conference should set for itself, as we continue to pursue the sometimes elusive goal of "Inclusiveness."

Approximately 300 persons attended the four sessions. We feel there was a good representation of laity and clergy, and black and white members of our conference. Participation in these District discussions surpassed our expectations. The participants spoke "openly and frankly in response to the findings" but with a feeling of caring and concern for each other. The one refrain we heard from each District, was a call for more such opportunities for inter-racial dialogue at the District and local church level.

The Hallmark of the study of merger has been involvement. Leaders of the conference, the laity and clergy have participated at every step of the study from the design of the questionnaire to participation in the District meetings.

The most frequently heard criticism at the workshop was that the participants did not have sufficient time to thoroughly review all the material contained in the study.

The Commission on Religion and Race recognized this as a problem, but felt there was no adequate way to surmount the problem and still hold the sessions. Therefore we elected to proceed with the workshops, and indeed the positive responses lead us to believe we made the proper decision.

The full report of the study will be presented at the Annual Conference. Some notable highlights are presented here:

Church Membership

- (1) Prior to the merger, churches of the former Delaware Conference had been growing significantly, especially in the Dover and Wilmington Districts. In the ten years following merger, membership in black churches has dropped by more than 20 per cent.
- (2) The white churches grew during the decade before the merger, especially the Wilmington District. In the ten years since merger white churches in the Dover and Wilmington District have continued to grow, but less rapidly, but those in the Easton and Salisbury Districts have lost slightly (less than 2 per cent).

Urgent Needs For The Annual Conference In The Next Few Years

- (1) Whites tended to emphasize: Challenge for deeper Christian commitment, Evangelism, stewardship, education and help.

- (2) More blacks than whites urged an emphasis on better racial understanding.
- (3) More blacks than white emphasized the need to strengthen small black churches. More blacks than whites wanted to use Conference resources to eradicate poverty and meet needs.
- (4) For Ministers: Improve and strengthen communications was more important.

Continuing Issues For The Conference

Two issues were identified by a majority of each group as likely to be problems for a long time to come. "Appointment of ministers regardless of color, and racism, prejudice and fear."

Most people, except for about 1/4 of the white lay persons, agreed that these would not be continuing problems: Ministerial pensions, redistricting, appointment of a black District Superintendent, or Conference institutions being open to all.

Minority Self-Determination Fund

Three projects have been funded from the Peninsula Conference from this fund administered by the General Commission on Religion and Race. The Whatcoat Community Services Project, \$10,000; the Latin American Community Center, \$8,000; and a project sponsored by the Migrant Home Committee. A fourth project submitted by Ezion-Mt. Carmel Church is under review and hopefully will be approved by Annual Conference time.

The "Report of Merger" shows that there has been a 20% decline in the membership of Black Churches in the last 10 years.

It further shows that:

- (A) 76% of the Black Churches have memberships of less than 100.
- (B) 35% of the Black Churches have Church School enrollments of less than 25.
- (C) Of the 151 Black Churches in the Conference, only 4 of these are station charges with all of the others being on a circuit of two or more churches.

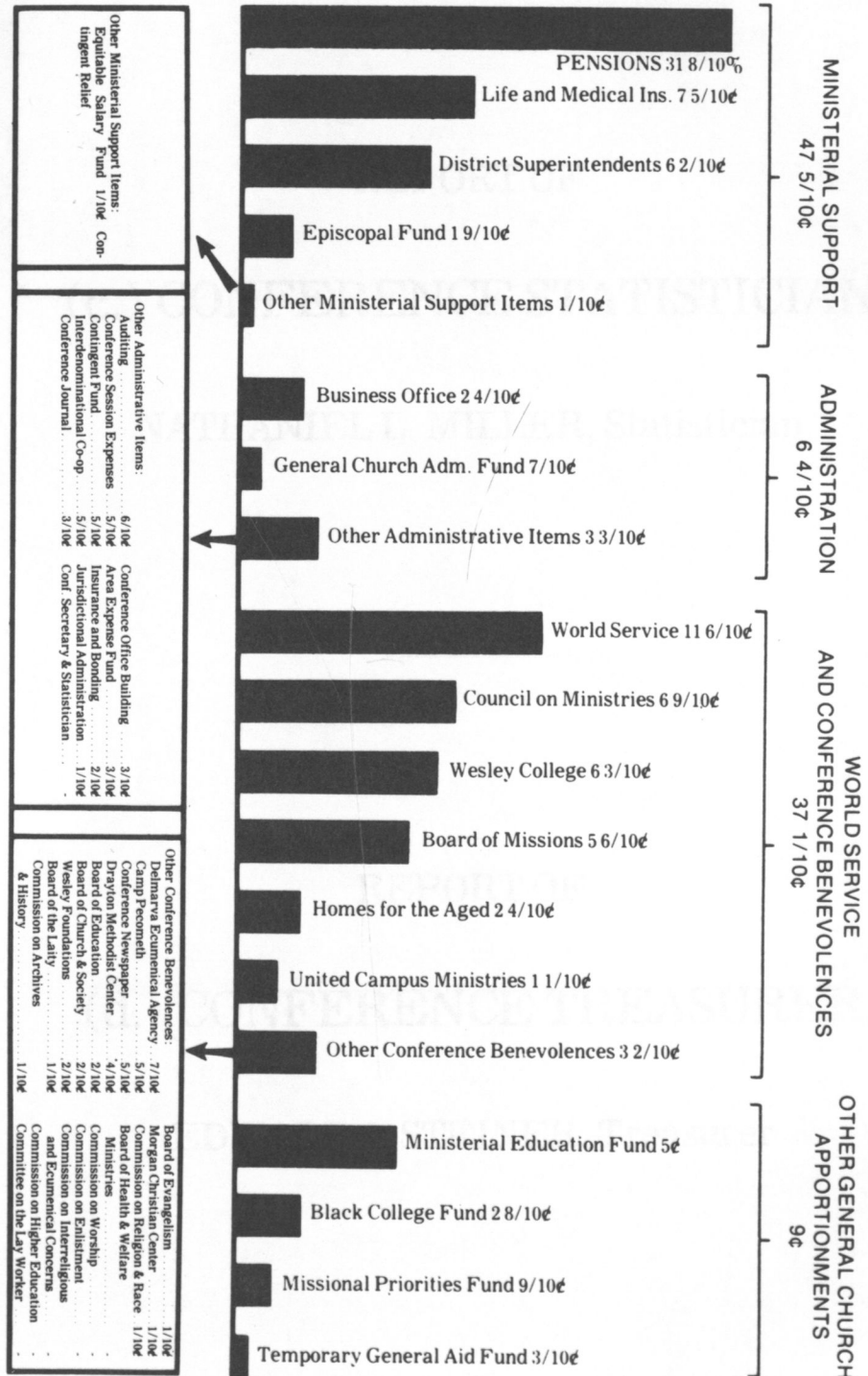
The Commission on Religion and Race recognizes that declining memberships and combinations of small churches are not problems unique to the Black Churches; in fact, our data indicates that these problems exist in the white churches as well. However, the problem within the Black Churches is now at the critical stage and, unless we apply some specific strategies to remedy the situation, the continued existence of the Black Church is in doubt.

The Black Churches need to be strengthened in order that they may indeed fulfill their reason for existence, that of worship, the edification of believers, and particularly to assume a definite membership and evangelistic responsibility and to be responsible for ministering to all of their members wherever they live.

Therefore, the Commission on Religion and Race recommends that:

- (1) The Peninsula Annual Conference create a program of intentional Parish Development using any of the established models that may be appropriate to our situations, such as: larger parishes,
- (2) At least two specific projects be initiated this year by the Bishop and cabinet.

PENINSULA CONFERENCE
Where the Budget Dollar Goes 1977



REPORT OF

(c.) CONFERENCE STATISTICIAN

NATHANIEL L. MILLER, Statistician

REPORT OF

(d.) CONFERENCE TREASURER

EDWARD J. STEINER, Treasurer

Salisbury District, Table No. 1

Table with columns: CHURCH AND CHARGE, NAME OF PASTOR, and CHURCH MEMBERSHIP (1-13). Rows include churches like 1 Allen:Asbury, 2 Mt. Vernon:Asbury, etc.

Salisbury District, Table No. 1

Table with columns: CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP (14-23), UMW (24-25), and PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS (26-30). Rows correspond to the churches in the left page.

Salisbury District, Table No. 1

Table with columns: CHURCH AND CHARGE, NAME OF PASTOR, CHURCH MEMBERSHIP (Total Members Reported, Received This Year on Confession of Faith, etc.), and various membership metrics. Includes sub-totals for Total Last Year Increase and Decrease.

Salisbury District, Table No. 1

Table with columns: CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP (Total Enrolled, Number of Leaders, Children, etc.), UMW, and PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS (Value of Church, Land, Buildings, etc.).

Wilmington District, Table No. 1

Table with 13 columns: CHURCH AND CHARGE, NAME OF PASTOR, Total Members Reported At Close Of Last Year, Received This Year on Confession of Faith or Restored, Received From Other United Methodist Churches, Received From Other Denominations, Removed By Charge Conference Action Or Withdrawn, Removed By Transfer To Other U.M. Churches, Removed By Transfer To Other Denominations, Removed By Death, Total Members At Close Of This Year, Average Attendance At The Principal Weekly Worship Service (s), Number Of Persons Baptized This Year (all ages), Preparatory Members Now on Roll (baptized under 16), Number Of Persons On Constituency Roll.

Wilmington District, Table No. 1

Table with 30 columns: CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP (Total Enrolled in Confirmation Classes, Number Of Leaders, Children (birth through sixth grade) All Classes and Groups, Youth, Adults, Total Church School Membership, Average Attendance In The Sunday Church School, Ave. Attendance Ongoing Classes, Groups for Learning, Ave. Attendance Short-term Classes, Groups for Learning, Church School Members Joining on Confession of Faith), UMW (Membership In United Methodist Women, Amount Paid For Local Church And Community Work), PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS (Value Of Church, Land, Buildings And Equipment, Value Of Church Owned Parsonages And Furniture, Value Of Other Assets (Cash, Securities, Other Property, etc.), Indebtedness On Items 26, 27, 28 At End Of Year, Other Indebtedness (Current Expenses, etc.)).

Recapitulation Table No. 1

DISTRICT	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP												
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Total Members Reported At Close Of Last Year	Received This Year On Confession Of Faith Or Restored	Received From Other United Methodist Churches	Received From Other Denominations	Removed By Charge Conference Action Or Withdrawn	Removed By Transfer To Other U.M. Churches	Removed By Transfer From Other Denominations	Removed By Death	Total Members At Close Of This Year	Average Attendance At The Principal Weekly Worship Service (s)	Number Of Persons Baptized This Year (All Ages)	Preparatory Members Now On Roll (All Baptized Children Under 16)	Number Of Persons On Constituency Roll
1	Dover	22776	586	236	130	166	78	239	23089	9651	499	4600	2887
2	Easton	22579	474	196	93	30	343	22736	8655	500	4330	2634	
3	Salisbury	22487	508	218	54	449	133	22333	9311	537	4538	2785	
4	Wilmington	32890	822	472	196	737	380	32803	10815	797	7465	4046	
	Total	100732	2390	1122	473	1437	773	100961	38432	2333	20933	12352	
	Total Last Year Increase	101392	2169	1258	610	1960	983	100829	38412	2135	21638	12893	
	Total Last Year Decrease	660	221	136	127	523	210	132	20	198	705	541	

Total Enrolled In Confirmation Classes This Year	CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP													PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS			
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	Number Of Leaders	Children (Birth Through Sixth Grade) In All Classes And Groups	Youth	Adults	Total Church School Membership	Average Attendance In The Sunday Church School	Average Attendance In Other On-Going Classes And Groups For Learning	Average Attendance In Church School Members	Church School Members Joining Church On Confession Of Faith	Membership In United Methodist Women	Amount Paid For Local Work Church And Community	Value Of Church Land, Buildings And Equipment	Value Of Church Owned Parsonages And Furniture	Value Of Other Assets (Cash, Securities, Other Property, etc.)	Indebtedness On Items 26, 27, 28 At End Of Year	Indebtedness (Current Indebtedness, etc.)	
368	1557	4815	2260	3786	12280	7023	1814	2115	312	3995	62632	2305513	1468360	1255560	6918		
329	1353	4103	2043	2622	10201	5752	1258	2439	242	4156	75558	2467005	1067225	533494	34159		
396	1343	4285	2271	3875	11789	5974	2218	2412	260	4219	65346	1675500	1173056	713413	1765		
484	1581	6010	2433	2843	12654	6067	2005	3393	479	4011	64007	2854872	3943695	2453123	10547		
1577	5834	19213	9007	12926	46924	24816	7295	10359	1293	16381	7692337	9302890	7652336	4955590	53389		
1742	5751	19508	9589	13337	47471	25368	6642	9145	1280	264918	68802728	7932486	7808089	4983676	62690		
165	83	295	582	411	547	552	653	1214	13	2625	8120609	1370404	155753	28086	9301		

Recapitulation Table No. 2

DISTRICT	LOCAL CHURCH EXPENDITURES												
	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	52A	52B	
	Principal And Interest On Mortgages, etc.	Buildings And Improvements (Not Including Funds Borrowed)	Church School: Lesson Material, Supplies, etc.	Other Current Program And Operating Expenses	Miscellaneous Benevolences	United Methodist Women	Pastor's Salary	Associate(s) Salary	Travel And All Fringe Benefits	Salary Claim 1976	Conference Apportionment	Paid On Apportionment	
1	Dover	241233	96796	640436	48855	23601	474002	19325	58535	524584	433128	414978	
2	Easton	366722	57041	455440	20553	25381	526072	5075	59126	553434	391356	391549	
3	Salisbury	343632	65683	578034	16569	22959	473287	19395	44507	522824	405584	396869	
4	Wilmington	501620	85768	1188889	65872	49505	538158	98891	72858	654331	680908	615356	
	Total	1274124	305288	2863809	151799	121086	2011519	143686	235026	2255173	1910976	1818752	
	Total Last Year Increase	1113157	279299	2535831	122333	120104	1861005	139263	208795	2125371	1812315	1732499	
	Total Last Year Decrease	160967	25989	327978	29466	982	150514	5423	26231	129802	98661	86253	

World Service Special Gifts	BENEVOLENCES															
	56A	56B	57	58A	58B	58C	58D	59	60	61	64A	64B	65	66	68	69
	General Advance	Youth Service Fund	One Great Hour Of Sharing	World Communion Offering	United Methodist Student Day	Human Relations	Sunday School	Conference Advance	Christian Education Sunday (Camp Recomeath)	Higher Education	Board Of Child Care	Homes For The Aged	Wilmington District Office	Methodist Action Program	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total (Paid Lines 31-68)
50	10733	72	3488	1658	956	876	99	1552	1562	289	5279	3520	55	2542	2314780	
50	7886	166	1930	1519	864	631	348	1431	1431	436	5643	2971	128	1083	2205257	
377	13388	25	3771	1396	600	645	405	1078	1078	663	3840	2165	105	383	2243623	
327	17141	16	5093	2471	1120	1413	10853	2117	2117	246	6270	3735	24938	3285	3838786	
50	49118	279	14282	7046	3540	3565	11705	6178	1654	1654	21032	12391	5550	25226	10602446	
377	43203	524	9440	7013	3094	3426	6412	5768	5768	1266	22495	13113	24954	6769	9958949	
5915	5915	245	4842	33	446	139	5293	420	420	388	1453	722	272	524	643497	

1975 Salaries — Special Appointments

Name	Salary	Utilities	Travel	Housing	Total
Arms, Ronald	\$ 9,660.00		\$ 900.00	\$3,200.00	\$13,760.00
Bailey, R. D.	7,600.00		1,650.00	2,500.00	11,750.00
Baker, David W.	15,681.00	Provided	2,800.00	Provided	18,481.00
Brewer, O. G.	6,534.00	Provided	1,167.00	Provided	7,701.00
Bruner, F. M.	12,700.00	Subsistence			12,700.00
Burge, Charles D.	18,918.00	606.24		2,584.80	22,109.04
Carter, William T.	16,869.60	606.24		2,940.00	20,415.84
Coleman, J. W., Jr.	18,481.00		Unlimited		18,481.00
Cooke, R. Jervis	15,681.00	Provided	2,750.00	Provided	18,431.00
Cox, C. R.	23,000.00		1,200.00		24,200.00
Cuff, G. Wayne	6,534.00	Provided	1,167.00	Provided	7,701.00
Gammon, G. S.	11,862.50				11,862.50
Geoghegan, W. D.	20,098.50				20,098.50
Hackett, Wm. O.	13,460.00	Provided		Provided	13,460.00
Hall, L. B.	16,451.50				16,451.50
Hamilton, Richard L.	20,000.00				20,000.00
Hicks, Richard R.	16,200.00		6,000.00		22,200.00
Horney, E. J.	14,400.00				14,400.00
Keene, M. H.	15,075.00				15,075.00
Livingstone, K. W.	14,800.00				14,800.00
May, Felton E.	9,147.00	Provided	1,633.00	Provided	10,780.00
Merrill, T. R.	18,102.00			3,024.00	21,126.00
Miller, Nathaniel L.	6,767.00	Provided	1,283.00	Provided	8,050.00
Parker, Gary O.	4,560.00	Provided	Provided	Provided	4,560.00
Revelle, Wm. H.	9,147.00	Provided	1,633.00	Provided	10,780.00
Riffe, David	9,850.00		900.00	3,950.00	14,700.00
Roberts, D. Gruce	13,000.00				13,000.00
Robinson, C. J.	4,176.00	Provided	733.00	Provided	4,909.00
Ruth, Dale L.	12,500.00			2,000.00	14,500.00
Shockley, John R.	4,833.00	Provided	917.00	Provided	5,750.00
Shockley, Olin J.	6,534.00	Provided	1,167.00	Provided	7,701.00
Simpers, John W.	5,846.00	Provided	1,027.00	Provided	6,873.00
Stapleton, J. Gordon	11,600.00	Provided	2,200.00	Provided	13,800.00
Stone, Walter H.	11,077.00	Provided	1,100.00	Provided	12,177.00
Stookey, Laurence H.	6,356.00	1,160.00		6,518.00	14,034.00
Thomas, Edwin C.	9,147.00	Provided	1,633.00	Provided	10,780.00
Todd, O. M.	21,500.00	all			21,500.00
Tubbs, Joseph J.	8,840.00				8,840.00
Wilkins, E. R.	12,560.00	Provided		Provided	12,560.00
Young, James M.	10,500.00	Provided	1,500.00	Provided	12,000.00

Individual Pension Assessments That Are Delinquent

Name	Total
Clifford A. Armour, Jr.	\$ 581.42
David W. Baker	1,833.38
William T. Ball	252.10
Frank O. Baynard	2,630.10
Noah L. Beckett	89.10
Walter H. Beckwith	395.42
Nelson Benjamin	247.08
Edward B. Blevins	1,038.77
Alexander L. Boda	1,220.63
Otho G. Brewer, Jr.	668.37
Claude C. Brown	1,727.47
John D. Burbage	266.62
Dallas W. Butler	991.05
Widmon Butler, Jr.	1,010.28
Calvin C. Byrd	745.77
James Carmean, Sr.	33.30
Harvey G. Chase	1,411.25
Edgar Clawson	1,202.16
D. O. Clendaniel, II	737.38
George O. Commodore	1,238.98
R. Jervis Cooke	413.35
Charles E. Covington	2,666.68
Dewey Crockett	171.81
G. Wayne Cuff	235.00
Edgar N. Dennis	1,587.48
Roland W. Dennis	1,426.60
Kenneth M. Dickey	415.38
Charles A. Donophan	467.34
Ivon Downing	1,361.54
Lloyd Foard	1,149.51
C. S. Gammon	228.28
Richard Gentzler	58.42
Gordon R. Given	947.23
Herbert H. Gladden	565.88
George C. Godfrey	652.20
C. R. Greene, III	404.98
Walter H. Greene, Sr.	2,794.65
Wallace L. Greene	1,431.94
William O. Hackett	1,204.53
E. C. Hackshaw	1,943.00
R. L. Hamilton	1,334.80
C. E. Hammond	940.66
Clarence H. Hayes	146.60
Gerald M. Henderson	2,387.32
Chas. C. Herrman, Jr.	207.54
R. R. Hicks	2,152.70
Paul R. Hilton	1,539.02
Robert D. Howell	1,007.65
Wm. H. Hudson	416.34
Charles C. Huffman	2,405.79
Thomas W. Hurley	157.95

Vernon Hurley	61.31
Charles G. Hurlock	604.73
John A. Irwin	2,315.96
Edward H. Jackson	413.36
Herbert F. Jicha	1,675.62
Lewis R. Jones	225.49
D. W. Kauber	147.16
Robert C. Kelly	1,052.45
Edward E. Kester	31.37
Howard P. Ketterman	1,029.45
Harry K. Krams	876.18
Edward Lee	2,612.57
Jeremiah R. Lee	983.47
C. A. Lewis	795.07
David T. Lewis	1,896.62
Frank Lucia	681.82
Earl L. Magill	1,118.22
Felton E. May	1,522.52
Wayne McCoy	87.21
Ralph McIntyre	213.09
Gary L. Meekins	540.75
Nathaniel L. Miller	1,110.95
Charles Moyer	793.67
Ronald J. Norris	203.80
Hester R. Opher	1,252.33
Harold E. Owens	586.90
Gary O. Parker	275.62
David G. Paul	1,881.30
Romie H. Payne, Jr.	1,722.29
H. W. Pitsenbarger	2,312.06
Wm. Pittman	1,273.21
Norman L. Poultney	58.60
Dale Pruitt	1,674.39
D. M. Ridley	289.29
James W. Riley	460.68
John W. Ringold	696.40
James H. Roberts	1,200.91
Frank W. Robinson	1,692.24
Kenneth R. Rose	2,938.98
S. P. Sanders	3,238.00
Carrol Scott	1,447.00
James Scott	52.65
Robert Seals	170.80
Thomas Chester Short	66.64
Thomas Crawford Short	39.24
J. W. Simperts	279.23
George L. Stanley	1,465.47
Nelson Stanley	1,078.24
J. Gordon Stapleton	1,127.16
Roland Starnes	508.44
Robert W. Starrett	1,042.89
William M. Staten	1,251.50
George L. Stellges	814.75
William T. Sterling	185.71

Charles Strickler	2,255.95
Simon N. Stubbs	155.26
John E. Taylor	1,337.52
Frank E. Tulak	224.87
Wm. A. Turner	10.78
Dan E. Walker	1,195.70
Jessie H. Walker	839.00
William T. Wallace	56.25
F. David Weber	631.54
Donzel C. Wildey	813.49
Edward R. Wilkins	1,044.61
S. L. Wilkins	99.74
Joseph W. Williams	152.60
Alvin J. Willink	284.26
L. E. Wimbrow, Jr.	2,359.83
Elsworth P. Woodruff	159.00
Keith E. Yorkdale	109.83
Haswell G. Young	604.04
TOTAL	115,553.73
131 Ministers that have transferred	25,590.58
	141,144.31
Last Years Total	131,901.91
Year before 1973	117,664.80

PENINSULA CONFERENCE
LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
Certified Public Accountants

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Peninsula Conference of the
 United Methodist Church

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your instructions we have made an audit of the cash received and disbursed by the Treasurer of the

PENINSULA CONFERENCE
 OF THE
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

for the twelve months ended December 31, 1975 and present herewith our report in the following:

	Accountants' Opinion
Exhibit "A"	Balance Sheet
Schedule A-1	Cash Balance Held for Other Funds
Exhibit "B"	General Conference Operating Reserve Statement
Exhibit "C"	Statement of Reserve Funds
Schedule No. 1	Council on Ministries — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 2	Board of Education — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 3	Wesley Foundation at the University of Delaware — Receipts and Expenditures
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Schedule No. 7	Committee on Higher Education — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 8	Board of Church and Society — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 9	Board of Evangelism — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 10	Board of Health and Welfare Ministries — Receipts and Expenditures
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Schedule No. 12	Board of Missions — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 13	Commission on Enlistment — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 14	Commission on Worship — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 15	Commission on Archives and History — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 16	Commission on Ecumenical Affairs — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 17	Commission on Religion and Race — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 18	Committee on the Lay Worker — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 19	Drayton Methodist Center — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 20	Camp Pecometh — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 21	Board of the Ministry — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 22	Ministers' Benefits Fund — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 23	Conference Education Society — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 24	Promotion and Cultivation Fund — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 25	Ministerial Contingent Relief Fund — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 26	Mutual Relief Association — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 27	Board of the Ministry — Riddle Fund — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 28	Youth Service Fund — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 29	Support Services Fund — Receipts and Expenditures
Schedule No. 30	Equitable Salary Fund — Receipts and Expenditures
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Schedule No. 32	Conference Business Office — Operating Expenditures
Schedule No. 33	Contingent Fund Expenditures
Schedule No. 34	Board of Missions — Trust Agreements
Schedule No. 35	Board of Missions — Contingent Liabilities — National Board of Missions Notes to Financial Statements

Changes in the following funds are shown in separate audit reports for the twelve months ended December 31, 1975:

Board of Pensions
 Board of Trustees
 Methodist Mission and Church
 Extension Society, Inc.
 Peninsula United Methodist Homes
 and Hospitals, Inc.
 St. Matthews-By-The-Sea,
 Fenwick Island, Del.
 Wesley College, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
 April 21, 1976

ACCOUNTANTS' OPINION

Peninsula Conference of the
 United Methodist Church

We have examined the balance sheet of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church as of December 31, 1975, and the related statement of General Conference Operating Reserve for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, subject to the notes to the financial statements, the aforementioned statements present fairly the assets and liabilities of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church at December 31, 1975, arising from cash transactions, and the revenues collected and expenditures made by it and changes in Operating Reserve during the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers
 Certified Public Accountants

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
 April 21, 1976

**PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
BALANCE SHEET
GENERAL CONFERENCE FUND
DECEMBER 31, 1975**

ASSETS

Operating Fund:

Cash on Hand and on Deposit —		
Bank of Delaware — Regular # 1	500.00	
Bank of Delaware — Regular # 2	100.00	
Bank of Delaware — Payroll	750.00	
Bank of Delaware — Certificates of Deposit	355,000.00	
Wilmington Savings Fund Society — Savings	176,411.74	
Centreville National Bank — Regular	100.00	
Maryland National Bank — Regular	50.00	
Petty Cash Funds	375.00	533,286.74

Capital Fund:

Real Estate (includes contents) at Estimated, Appraised or Cost Values —		
Conference Board of Trustees		
Drayton Methodist Center	526,150.00	
Drayton Methodist Center — Parsonage	36,250.00	
Wilmington District Parsonage	76,000.00	
Easton District Parsonage	56,000.00	
Salisbury District Parsonage	70,823.36	
Dover District Parsonage	79,105.00	
Program Director's Parsonage, 506 Westwood Drive, Dover	53,624.00	
Associate Program Director's Parsonage 1119 Westview Terrace, Dover	48,998.00	
Associate Program Director's Parsonage 551 Westwood Drive, Dover	53,924.72	
Camp Director's Home, Camp Pecometh	34,806.00	
Camp Property	469,934.00	
Pioneer Camp	15,000.00	
Board of Missions —		
St. Matthews-By-The-Sea Parsonage, Church and Land, Fenwick Island, Del.	101,707.00	
Pike Creek Church and Parsonage, Millcreek (Skyline), Del.	106,298.00	
Land — Assateague Island	6,210.00	
Archives and History —		
Barratt's Chapel Museum and Curator's Residence	132,900.00	
Barratt's Chapel Restoration	53,330.69	
Fenwick Island — Lot # 12	5,000.00	
Conference Offices — 139 N. State Street	81,758.54	
131 N. State Street	15,000.00	2,022,819.31
Automotive Equipment — Camp Pecometh		4,850.00

2,560,956.05

Note 1: Real Estate values and indebtedness thereon, if any, held in the name of Wesley College and Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc., are shown in separate audit reports of these corporations.

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

Operating Fund:

Accounts Payable — Deposits	2,945.34	
Miscellaneous Payroll Deductions	259.48	3,204.82

Cash Balances Held for Other Funds (Schedule A-1) 182,287.74

Reserve Funds —

Board of Missions — Revolving Loan	10,717.21	
Reserve for Self-Insurance	5,000.00	
Jurisdictional Fund	4,282.36	
Delaware Conference History Fund	7,545.88	
Contingent Expense Fund	40,701.49	
Unallocated Receipts	22,493.27	
Baltimore Conference Funds	3,248.13	
Conference Newspaper Fund	(405.78)	
Building Maintenance Fund	553.66	
Wesley Foundation — University of Delaware	46,576.72	140,712.95

Operating Reserve (Exhibit "B") 207,081.23

Capital Fund:

Mortgage Payable — Bishopville Bank (St. Matthews-By-The-Sea Parsonage)	3,500.00	
Mortgage Payable — Farmers Bank (Barratt's Chapel Restoration)	27,125.00	

Fund Balance 1,997,044.31

2,027,669.312,560,956.05

Note 2: Peninsula Conference Board of Missions trust agreements and loans to various churches representing contingent receivables at some future date are shown in Schedule No. 34.

Note 3: Contingent liabilities of Peninsula Conference Board of Missions on loans made by National Board of Missions are shown in Schedule No. 35.

SCHEDULE A-1

**PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
CASH BALANCES HELD FOR OTHER FUNDS
DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Council on Ministries	1,104.73
Board of Education	703.48
Wesley Foundation — University of Delaware	—

Wesley Foundation — University of Maryland	508.98
Wesley Foundation — Washington College	276.55
Wesley Foundation — Delaware State College	262.62
Committee on Higher Education	171.18
Board of Church and Society	129.99
Board of Evangelism	307.38
Board of Health and Welfare Ministries	59.76
Board of the Laity	1,044.45
Board of Missions	11,902.66
Commission on Enlistment	458.59
Commission on Worship	627.53
Commission on Archives and History	3,722.33
Commission on Ecumenical Affairs	279.40
Commission on Religion and Race	142.51
Committee on the Lay Worker	253.59
Drayton Methodist Center	1,256.73
Camp Pecometh	5,525.39
Board of the Ministry	11,883.13
Board of the Trustees	7,330.60
Ministers' Benefits Fund	44,358.23
Conference Education Society	3,295.88
Promotion and Cultivation Fund	167.27
Ministerial Contingent Relief Fund	1,475.48
Mutual Relief Association	679.88
Board of the Ministry — Riddle Funds	3,570.81
Youth Service Fund	373.38
Support Services	1,305.10
Equitable Salary Fund	76,047.20
Temporary General Aid Discretion Fund	3,062.93
	<u>182,287.74</u>

EXHIBIT "B"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
GENERAL CONFERENCE OPERATING RESERVE STATEMENT
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

	Budget	Received	Disbursed
Ministerial Support			
Pension and Benefits Funding —			
Board of Pensions —			
Necessitous Cases	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Special Appointees	13,200.00	13,200.00	13,200.00
Annuities	474,640.00	474,640.00	474,640.00
Endowments	40,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00
Life and Medical Insurance	110,000.00	110,000.00	110,000.00
Total Pension and Benefits Funding	<u>640,340.00</u>	<u>640,340.00</u>	<u>640,340.00</u>
Other Ministerial Support —			
Episcopal Fund	34,000.00	34,000.00	34,987.00
District Superintendents —			
Salaries, Office, Travel, etc.	92,600.00	92,600.00	90,131.09
Maintenance Improvements and Utilities	17,200.00	17,200.00	19,649.56

Equitable Salary Fund	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Contingent Relief	500.00	500.00	500.00
Total Other Ministerial Support	<u>154,300.00</u>	<u>154,300.00</u>	<u>155,267.65</u>
Total Ministerial Support	<u>794,640.00</u>	<u>794,640.00</u>	<u>795,607.65</u>
Administration			
General Conference Apportionments —			
General Administration Fund	14,190.00	14,190.00	14,081.00
Interdenominational Co-op Fund	9,460.00	9,460.00	9,387.00
Jurisdictional Administration	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Area Expense Fund	3,700.00	3,700.00	3,700.00
Annual Conference Administration —			
Conference Session Expense	8,000.00	8,000.00	9,147.90
Conference Secretary	600.00	600.00	600.00
Conference Statistician	475.00	475.00	475.00
Conference Journal	7,000.00	7,000.00	5,747.89
Insurance and Bonding	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,502.46
Auditing	9,000.00	9,000.00	10,966.00
Conference Office Building	7,000.00	7,000.00	6,581.73
Business Office (Schedule No. 32)	42,410.00	42,410.00	38,604.24
Contingent Fund (Schedule No. 33)	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Total Administration	<u>116,335.00</u>	<u>116,335.00</u>	<u>114,293.22</u>
World Service and Conference Benevolences			
World Service Fund	222,316.00	222,316.00	220,603.00
Conference Benevolences —			
Council on Ministries —			
Staff and Administration	97,834.00	97,834.00	97,834.00
Program	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
Housing	19,000.00	19,000.00	16,174.77
Education —			
Board Expenses	4,540.00	4,540.00	4,540.00
Committee on Higher Education	250.00	250.00	250.00
Wesley College	108,000.00	108,000.00	108,000.00
Wesley Foundations —			
University of Delaware	21,000.00	21,000.00	8,400.00
United Campus Ministries	—	—	12,600.00
University of Maryland	800.00	800.00	265.00
Washington College	800.00	800.00	1,067.50
Delaware State College	800.00	800.00	1,067.50
Morgan Christian Center	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Church and Society —			
Board Expenses	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
Project Equality	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Board of Evangelism	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,100.00
Board of Health and Welfare Ministries —			
Board Expenses	500.00	500.00	500.00
Homes for the Aged	100,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00
Board of the Laity	2,800.00	2,800.00	2,800.00
Board of Missions	100,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00
Commission on Enlistment	500.00	500.00	500.00
Commission on Worship	565.00	565.00	565.00
Commission on Archives and History	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Commission on Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns —			
Commission Expenses	500.00	500.00	500.00

Delmarva Ecumenical Agency	12,375.00	12,375.00	12,375.00
Commission on Religion and Race	400.00	400.00	400.00
Committee on the Lay Worker	88.00	88.00	88.00
Drayton Methodist Center	7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00
Camp Pecometh	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Board of the Ministry	22,812.00	22,812.00	22,812.00
Total Conference Benevolences	536,664.00	536,664.00	527,838.77
Total World Service and Conference Benevolences	752,980.00	752,980.00	748,441.77
Other Apportioned Benevolences			
Other Church Apportionments —			
Black College Fund	56,679.00	56,679.00	56,324.00
Ministerial Education Fund	68,438.00	68,438.00	68,438.00
Temporary General Aid Fund	6,500.00	6,500.00	6,319.00
Total Other Apportioned Benevolences	131,617.00	131,617.00	131,081.00
Cash Receipts in Excess of Budget	—	22,493.27	22,493.27
Other Benevolences			
Wilmington District Office	—	5,550.04	5,550.04
General Advance Specials —			
World Missions	—	24,927.35	24,927.35
National Missions	—	3,980.00	3,980.00
U. M. C. O. R.	—	18,221.28	18,221.28
Miscellaneous	—	107.54	107.54
Conference Advance Specials —			
Neighborhood House	—	9,699.40	9,699.40
One Great Hour of Sharing	—	14,408.15	14,408.15
World Communion Offering	—	7,043.88	7,043.88
Methodist Student Day	—	3,521.22	3,521.22
Youth Service Fund	—	296.00	296.00
Human Relations Sunday	—	3,565.38	3,565.38
Board of Child Care	—	18,242.46	18,242.46
Homes for the Aged	—	11,507.60	11,507.60
Christian Education Sunday (Pecometh)	—	6,797.24	6,797.24
Higher Education	—	1,386.65	1,386.65
M. A. P.	—	8,873.20	8,873.20
Barratt's Chapel	—	3,408.55	3,408.55
Miscellaneous	—	3,997.65	3,997.65
Total Other Benevolences	—	145,533.89	145,533.89
Interest Income		31,638.25	31,638.25
Miscellaneous		837.00	—
1,795,572.00	1,996,074.41	1,989,089.05	
Disbursements	1,989,089.05		
Excess of Receipts over Disbursements		6,985.36	
Transfer from 1973 Surplus Reserve		9,906.70	
Net Transfer to Operating Reserve		16,892.06	
Operating Reserve, January 1, 1975		190,189.17	
Operating Reserve, December 31, 1975		207,081.23	

EXHIBIT "C"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FUNDS
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

	Board Of Missions Revolving Loan	Reserve For Self Insurance	Jurisdictional Fund	Delaware Conference History Fund	Contingent Expense Fund	Surplus Reserve 1973	Unallocated Receipts	Baltimore Conference Funds	Conference Newspaper Fund	Building Maintenance Fund	Wesley Foundation Univ. Of Del.
Balance, January 1, 1975	—	—	4,105.36	6,467.88	77,279.91	19,906.70	—	1,036.45	606.35	—	—
Increases:											
Board of Global Missions —											
Loan Fund	10,717.21	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Receipts — Ministers Benefits Fund	—	5,000.00	1,500.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	818.57
Conference Appropriation	—	—	—	1,078.00	29,741.68	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest Income	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Excess of Receipts over Budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	22,493.27	—	—	—	—
Baltimore Conference —											
Received for Expenses	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11,502.50	5,017.95	—	—
Subscriptions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,690.00	—	—
Free Copy Costs charged to Boards and Agencies	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	560.00	—
Rems Received	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	55,000.00
Sale of Wesley House —											
Univ. of Del.	10,717.21	5,000.00	1,500.00	1,078.00	29,741.68	—	22,493.27	11,502.50	11,707.95	560.00	55,818.57
10,717.21	5,000.00	1,500.00	1,078.00	29,741.68	19,906.70	—	22,493.27	11,502.50	11,707.95	560.00	55,818.57
10,717.21	5,000.00	5,605.36	7,545.88	107,021.59	19,906.70	—	22,493.27	12,538.95	12,316.30	560.00	55,818.57
Decreases:											
Northeast Jurisdictional Apportionment	—	—	1,323.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Purchase of 131 and 139 N. State St.	—	—	—	50,533.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Transfer to Contingent Fund — (Schedule No. 33)	—	—	—	15,787.10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Board of Pensions — Endowment	—	—	—	—	—	10,000.00	—	—	—	—	—

	Board Of Missions Revolving Loan	Reserve For Self Insurance	Jurisdictional Fund	Delaware Conference History Fund	Contingent Expense Fund	Surplus Reserve 1973	Unallocated Receipts	Baltimore Conference Funds	Conference Newspaper Fund	Building Maintenance Fund	Wesley Foundation Univ. Of Del.
Transfer to Operating Reserve						9,906.70					23.27
Expenses Paid								9,290.82(1)	12,722.08	6.34	9,218.57
United Campus Ministries			1,323.00		66,320.10	19,906.70		9,290.82	12,722.08	6.34	9,241.84
Balance, December 31, 1975	10,717.21	5,000.00	4,282.36	7,545.88	40,701.49		22,493.27	3,248.13	(405.78)	553.66	46,576.73

(1) As of December 31, 1975, invoices for the October, November and December issues, payable to the United Methodist Reporter in the amount of \$3,321.13 were unpaid.

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
SCHEDULE NO. 1
COUNCIL ON MINISTRIES
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		5,810.31
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation		105,834.00
		<u>111,644.31</u>
Expenditures:		
Salaries —		
Director	15,681.00	
Associate — Communication and Stewardship	7,599.96	
Associate — Black Ministries	11,600.04	
Associate — Education	11,600.04	
Associate — Drayton Methodist Center	11,076.96	
Associate — Camp Pecometh	10,022.04	
Secretary — Director	6,382.99	
Secretary — Office	5,170.08	79,133.11
Social Security Taxes		675.78
Insurance — Workmen's Compensation		513.98
Travel —		
Director	2,750.04	
Associate — Communication and Stewardship	1,650.00	
Associate — Black Ministries	2,199.96	
Associate — Education	2,199.96	
Associate — Drayton Methodist Center	1,100.04	
Associate — Camp Pecometh	1,760.04	11,660.04
Telephone and Answering Service		4,069.11
Postage		330.55
Office Supplies		1,495.41
Printing		1,135.66
Expenses — Coordinator — Youth and Family		772.90
Promotion — Christian Education		
Sunday Offering		703.45
Committees and Task Forces		500.63
Committee Meetings		229.74
Training Events and M. A. T. C. Dues		901.82
Conferences and Convocations		772.81
Promotional Articles and Events		216.64
Communications		4,995.42
Black Ministries —		
Innovative Ministries	315.35	
Leadership Training	1,636.96	
Resources and Materials	99.00	2,051.31
Equipment		158.92
Maintenance		222.30
		<u>110,539.58</u>
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>1,104.73</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 2

BOARD OF EDUCATION
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		916.63	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		4,540.00	
		<u>5,456.63</u>	
Expenditures:			
Literature	396.74		
New Films	12.62		
Leadership Education	2,903.59		
Educational Workshops and Local			
Church Teacher Training	185.29		
Board and Committees	720.82		
Christian Education —			
Supplies	138.77		
Equipment	59.32	198.09	
Miscellaneous	336.00	4,753.15	
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>703.48</u>	

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 3

WESLEY FOUNDATION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		2,365.86	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation	8,400.00		
Rental — Wesley Apartment	747.50		
Miscellaneous	25.00	9,172.50	
		<u>11,538.36</u>	
Expenditures:			
Director's Salary	5,494.98		
Director's Housing Allowance	2,175.00		
Program Expense	2,706.19		
Maintenance	913.19		
Insurance	239.00		
Miscellaneous	10.00	11,538.36	
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>-0-</u>	

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 4

WESLEY FOUNDATION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		1,378.98	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		265.00	
		<u>1,643.98</u>	
Expenditures:			
Director's Salary	700.00		
Program Expense	435.00	1,135.00	
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>508.98</u>	

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 5

WESLEY FOUNDATION AT WASHINGTON COLLEGE
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		583.49	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		1,067.50	
		<u>1,650.99</u>	
Expenditures:			
Director's Salary	1,200.00		
Program Expense	174.44	1,374.44	
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>276.55</u>	

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 6

WESLEY FOUNDATION AT DELAWARE STATE COLLEGE
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		601.12	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		1,067.50	
		<u>1,668.62</u>	

Expenditures:		
Director's Salary	1,200.00	
Program Expense	206.00	1,406.00
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>262.62</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 7

**COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Balance, January 1, 1975	20.29
Receipts:	
Conference Appropriation	250.00
	<u>270.29</u>
Expenditures:	
Program Expense	99.11
Balance, December 31, 1975	<u>171.18</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 8

**BOARD OF CHURCH AND SOCIETY
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Balance, January 1, 1975	1,243.60
Receipts:	
Conference Appropriation	3,500.00
	<u>4,743.60</u>
Expenditures:	
Secretarial Services	209.40
Travel	41.20
Telephone	97.43
Postage	11.93
Office Supplies	20.50
Engage Magazine	223.70
Communicator	804.00
Training Conference — Workshops	769.52
Division Expense —	
Human Relations	10.88
General Welfare	108.63
Emerging Issues	95.86
	<u>215.37</u>

District Director —		
Dover	14.72	
Easton	90.28	
Wilmington	86.05	191.05
Peace and Self Development		520.00
Pacem in Terris		1,000.00
Citizens' Housing Alliance		250.00
Delaware Equal Education Process		200.00
Miscellaneous	59.51	4,613.61

Balance, December 31, 1975

129.99

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 9

**BOARD OF EVANGELISM
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Balance, January 1, 1975	1,173.03
Receipts:	
Conference Appropriation	2,100.00
	<u>3,273.03</u>
Expenditures:	
Administrative Expense	579.34
Materials	237.40
Educational Opportunities — General and Jurisdictional	112.50
Conference-Wide Evangelistic Program	1,647.80
District Secretaries	238.61
National Council Pledge	150.00
	<u>2,965.65</u>
Balance, December 31, 1975	<u>307.38</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 10

**BOARD OF HEALTH AND WELFARE MINISTRIES
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Balance, January 1, 1975	101.31
Receipts:	
Conference Appropriation	500.00
	<u>601.31</u>

Expenditures:			
Administrative Expense	193.29		
Workshops for Local Representatives	2.76		
National Convention	26.50		
Promotional Materials	304.00		
District Directors' Expenses	15.00	541.55	
Balance, December 31, 1975			59.76

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 11

**BOARD OF THE LAITY
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Balance, January 1, 1975			1,165.19
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation	2,800.00		
Laymen's Retreat (see below)	—	2,800.00	
			3,965.19
Expenditures:			
Lay Leader —			
Dover	209.44		
Easton	148.94		
Salisbury	35.09		
Wilmington	266.24		
Associate Conference	349.86		
Conference	1,188.82	2,198.39	
Program Expense		722.35	2,920.74
Balance, December 31, 1975			1,044.45

SPECIAL PROJECT — LAYMEN'S RETREAT 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975			—
Receipts:			
Registration Fees	1,379.00		
Offerings	159.59	1,538.59	
			1,538.59
Expenditures:			
Camp Pecometh	1,316.53		
Travel	20.50		
Honorarium	50.00		
Office Services	151.56	1,538.59	
Balance, December 31, 1975			-0-

**PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
SCHEDULE NO. 12**

**BOARD OF MISSIONS
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Balance, January 1, 1975			12,252.09
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation	100,000.00		
Sale of Land — Marabou Meadows	22,083.95		
Board of Trustees — Charles Ferguson Estate	246.29		
Miscellaneous	141.51	122,471.75	
			134,723.84
Expenditures:			
Administrative Expense	173.05		
Promotion and Cultivation Fund	2,962.67		
Honorarium — St. Matthews-By-The-Sea	500.00		
Mission Aid —			
D. E. A. — Rural	3,000.00		
Wilmington District	60,000.00		
D. E. A. — Parks — Camps —			
Seashore Ministry	3,000.00		
Ocean City — Atlantic	3,000.00		
Glasgow Project — Program	8,000.00		
Neighborhood House — Wilmington	7,150.00		
Town and Country	205.95		
Millsboro — Grace Church Project	1,200.00		
Wilmington — Mt. Joy	4,500.00	90,055.95	
Parsonage Aid	1,200.00		
Glasgow Project — Land Purchase	10,000.00		
Selling Expense — Marabou Meadows	1,743.35		
Red Lion — United Methodist Church —			
Marabou Meadows	12,459.00		
Miscellaneous	3,727.16	122,821.18	
Balance, December 31, 1975			11,902.66

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 13

**COMMISSION ON ENLISTMENT
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Balance, January 1, 1975			703.84
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		500.00	
			1,203.84

Expenditures:			
Secretarial Services	226.06		
Office Expense	93.81		
Material for Local Churches	200.28		
Books, Manuals and Printed Resources	8.48		
Audio-Visual Aids	88.02		
Training Retreat	128.60	745.25	
Balance, December 31, 1975			458.59

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 14

COMMISSION ON WORSHIP
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		889.01	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		565.00	
			1,454.01
Expenditures:			
Program Expense	655.28		
Music Committee	171.20	826.48	
Balance, December 31, 1975			627.53

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 15

COMMISSION ON ARCHIVES AND HISTORY
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		2,123.14	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation	2,500.00		
General Church	1,700.00		
Barratt's Chapel Fund	374.26		
Contributions	961.60		
Sale of Materials	511.98		
Chapel Restoration	4,595.51	10,643.35	
			12,766.49

Expenditures:			
Telephone		138.58	
Insurance		499.00	
Mortgage Principal		3,500.00	
Mortgage Interest		2,050.14	
Literature and Materials		50.00	
Program Expense		186.86	
Promotion		774.08	
Maintenance		554.00	
Utilities		1,281.50	
Miscellaneous		10.00	9,044.16
Balance, December 31, 1975			3,722.33

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 16

COMMISSION ON ECUMENICAL AFFAIRS
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		218.66	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		500.00	
			718.66
Expenditures:			
Program Expense		439.26	
Balance, December 31, 1975			279.40

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 17

COMMISSION ON RELIGION AND RACE
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		379.50	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		400.00	
			779.50
Expenditures:			
Administrative		301.44	
Worship and Convocation		229.30	
Promotional Material		106.25	636.99
Balance, December 31, 1975			142.51

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 18

COMMITTEE ON THE LAY WORKER
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		255.22	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		88.00	
			343.22
Expenditures:			
Telephone52		
Postage	1.20		
Printing and Promotion	76.01		
Co-Ordinated Mailing	11.90	89.63	
Balance, December 31, 1975			253.59

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 19

DRAYTON METHODIST CENTER
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		1,587.48	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation	7,000.00		
Groups — Day	7,973.49		
Groups — Night	56,084.71		
Duck Blind Rental	400.00		
Friends of Drayton	10,583.98		
Swimming Pool — Family Memberships	4,216.00		
Miscellaneous	322.79	86,580.97	
			88,168.45
Expenditures:			
Salaries —			
Food Service and Secretary	3,223.71		
Housekeepers and Purchasing	5,191.66		
Cooks	10,384.82		
Waitresses	7,976.65		
Maintenance Man	9,098.71		
Maintenance Men (Part-Time)	1,517.61		
Pool Guard	1,283.54	38,676.70	
Social Security Taxes		2,262.78	
Secretarial Services		582.36	
Telephone		1,622.16	
Office Supplies		118.67	

Insurance		3,500.00	
Home Supplies		2,745.52	
New Inventory		2,920.28	
Food		19,036.50	
Laundry		2,067.28	
Refunds		32.50	
Maintenance —			
Property	2,501.64		
Pool	2,143.65	4,645.29	
Electricity		3,340.35	
Gas		1,057.96	
Heat		3,541.13	
Miscellaneous		762.24	86,911.72
Balance, December 31, 1975			1,256.73

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 20

CAMP PECOMETH
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975			15,022.91
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		10,000.00	
Christian Education Sunday		6,797.24	
Camper Fees — Summer-Program		37,717.50	
Weekends		6,031.52	
Picnics		764.70	
Canteen		3,005.67	
Donations		704.00	
Farm		18,013.80	
Gunning		2,000.00	
Weekdays		8,618.45	
Family Camp		1,218.60	
Miscellaneous		437.95	95,309.43
			110,332.34
Expenditures:			
Salaries —			
Maintenance Director	5,199.84		
Secretary	1,870.08		
Summer Staff	22,888.59	29,958.51	
Social Security Taxes		1,753.05	
Office Supplies		1,449.25	
Insurance — Camper Health		1,651.70	
Insurance — Property Liability		5,481.00	
Staff Training		506.63	
Program Materials		67.26	
Publicity		461.81	
Food		18,902.13	

Recreation Equipment	572.74	
Camper Refund — Summer Program	285.00	
Camper Refund — Weekends	60.00	
Medical Supplies	369.02	
Crafts	25.08	
Canteen	3,008.73	
Farm	4,970.53	
Property Taxes	554.40	
Equipment Purchases	6,485.59	
Maintenance—		
General	10,078.97	
Pool	1,497.09	
Plumbing and Electrical	1,254.48	
Snow and Grass	3,000.00	15,830.54
Utilities —		
Gas	2,793.04	
Electric	3,279.39	
Telephone	1,778.04	7,850.47
Miscellaneous	4,563.51	104,806.95
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>5,525.39</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 21

BOARD OF THE MINISTRY
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		13,053.31
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation	22,812.00	
Callie L. Fishburn Fund	32.34	22,844.34
		35,897.65
Expenditures:		
Administrative Expense	1,598.74	
Travel — Candidates	461.18	
Continuing Education	2,793.91	
Recruitment	1,000.00	
Honorarium — Registrar	500.00	
Psychological — Testing and Counseling	1,473.65	
Scholarships	12,000.00	
Bishop's Events	206.42	
Orientation	705.40	
Service to Ministers	1,649.75	
Counseling Elder Program	46.33	
Miscellaneous	1,579.14	24,014.52
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>11,883.13</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 22

MINISTERS' BENEFITS FUND
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		77,282.21
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation	110,000.00	
Members' Contributions	38,187.02	
Members' Service Charge	297.50	
Receipts for Premiums	16,523.00	165,007.52
		242,289.73
Expenditures:		
Premiums — Medical Expense Plan	135,904.30	
Premiums — Non-Contributory Group Life	32,672.47	
Maternity Benefits	4,129.53	
Mutual Relief Association	1,000.00	
Premiums — Contributory Group Life	18,437.86	
Medical — Self Insurance Fund	5,000.00	
Clerical Expense	509.95	
Office Expense	156.57	
Printing	48.82	
Miscellaneous	72.00	197,931.50
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>44,358.23</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 23

CONFERENCE EDUCATION SOCIETY
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		1,829.45
Receipts:		
Methodist Student Day Offerings	2,640.92	
Board of Trustees — O'Neill Estate	172.68	2,813.60
		4,643.05
Expenditures:		
Administrative Expense	22.17	
Scholarships	1,325.00	1,347.17
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>3,295.88</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 24

PROMOTION AND CULTIVATION FUND
 RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
 FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		443.28
Receipts:		
Board of Missions	2,962.67	
		3,405.95
Expenditures:		
Travel	24.08	
Mailings and Office Services	229.41	
Promotion	2,210.59	
Film Repairs	250.00	
Miscellaneous	524.60	3,238.68
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>167.27</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 25

MINISTERIAL CONTINGENT RELIEF FUND
 RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
 FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		775.48
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation	500.00	
Miscellaneous	1,000.00	1,500.00
		2,275.48
Expenditures:		
Assistance Paid		800.00
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>1,475.48</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 26

MUTUAL RELIEF ASSOCIATION
 RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
 FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		840.94
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Receipts:		
Ministers' Benefits Fund	1,000.00	
Assessments	67.00	1,067.00
		1,907.94
Expenditures:		
Office Supplies and Expense	28.06	
Claims Paid	1,200.00	1,228.06
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>679.88</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 27

BOARD OF THE MINISTRY — RIDDLE FUND
 RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
 FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

	Domestic	Foreign
Balance, January 1, 1975	128.60	3,108.94
Receipts:		
Riddle Estate	416.64	416.63
	545.24	3,525.57
Expenditures:		
Scholarships	500.00	—
Balance, December 31, 1975	<u>45.24</u>	<u>3,525.57</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 28

YOUTH SERVICE FUND
 RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
 FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		533.01
Receipts:		
General Receipts		283.50
		816.51
Expenditures:		
Program Expense		443.13
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>373.38</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 29

SUPPORT SERVICES FUND
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		690.76	
Receipts:			
Receipts for Services		22,585.74	
			23,276.50
Expenditures:			
Salary — Regular	6,491.98		
Salary — Part Time	1,812.75		
Social Security Taxes	485.84		
Pension — Employer's Portion	382.80		
Postage	4,635.60		
Office Supplies	5,432.55		
Photo Copying	1,143.59		
Workmen's Compensation Insurance	27.00		
Computer Service Bureau	986.11		
New Equipment	67.50		
Maintenance	460.68		
Miscellaneous	45.00		21,971.40
Balance, December 31, 1975			<u>1,305.10</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 30

EQUITABLE SALARY FUND
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		71,868.79	
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation	10,000.00		
Temporary General Aid Fund	22,918.49		32,918.49
			104,787.28
Expenditures:			
Administrative Expense	33.63		
Salaries	21,976.83		
Temporary General Aid Discretion Fund	5,729.62		
Miscellaneous	1,000.00		28,740.08
Balance, December 31, 1975			<u>76,047.20</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 31

TEMPORARY GENERAL AID DISCRETION FUND
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, January 1, 1975		
Receipts:		
Equitable Salary Fund		5,729.62
		<u>5,729.62</u>
Expenditures:		
Salaries		2,666.69
Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>3,062.93</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 32

CONFERENCE BUSINESS OFFICE
OPERATING EXPENSES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Salaries	25,485.72
Secretarial Service	810.45
Social Security Taxes	1,350.55
Pension — Employer's Portion	1,308.20
Medical, Life and Accident Insurance	430.05
Travel	673.10
Telephone	1,083.90
Postage	1,184.13
Office Supplies	295.25
Printing	817.57
Insurance — Workmen's Compensation	93.00
Computer Service Bureau	4,054.85
Photo Copies	376.48
Continuing Education	185.00
Maintenance	126.70
Miscellaneous	329.29
	<u>38,604.24</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 33

CONTINGENT FUND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Dover District Parsonage — Repairs and Maintenance	3,230.38
Easton District Parsonage — Repairs and Maintenance	6,850.00
Salisbury District Parsonage — Repairs and Maintenance	121.20
Wilmington District Parsonage — Repairs and Maintenance	2,756.74
Moving Expenses — District Superintendents	3,129.86
Moving Expenses — Retired Ministers	679.65
Moving Expenses — Staff	614.25
D. E. A. Rural Ministries Coalition	5,000.00
National Div. Research and Survey — Merger Study	2,000.00
Directors and Officers Liability Insurance	879.00
C. F. A. Expenses	430.00
Miscellaneous	96.02
	<u>25,787.10</u>
Less: Transfer from Contingent Expense Fund	(15,787.10)
	<u>10,000.00</u>

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 34

BOARD OF MISSIONS
TRUST AGREEMENTS
[CONTINGENT RECEIVABLES]
DECEMBER 31, 1975

Trust Agreements	
Stanton, dated 9/19/50	1,800.00
Grace, Salisbury, dated 5/3/51	20,000.00
Church Hill, dated 7/25/55	3,000.00
Grace, Salisbury, dated 8/31/55	48,400.00
Christ, Rosell, dated 12/1/55	2,500.00
St. Paul's, Clayton, dated 3/21/57	6,000.00
Calvary, Queentown, dated 2/9/60	2,500.00
Chester, Bethel, dated 3/31/60	25,000.00
Epworth, Rehoboth Beach, dated 4/1/60	25,000.00
St. Paul's, Wilmington, dated 6/2/60	12,000.00
Stanton, dated 7/28/61	1,800.00
Asbury, Salisbury, dated 8/12/63	15,000.00
Holly Oak, dated 9/8/63	3,000.00
Madely, dated 11/11/63	10,000.00
Christ Church, Salisbury (between Board of Missions and Division of National Missions), dated 1963	2,500.00
Kent Island, dated 1/6/64	4,200.00
Atlantic, Ocean City, Md., dated 4/17/64	25,000.00
Lincoln, dated 6/3/64	3,000.00
Whatcoat, Camden, Del., dated 9/64	20,000.00

Hockessin, Wilmington, dated 9/64	40,000.00
Wyoming, dated 10/64	12,000.00
Union Church, Chester, Md., dated 6/10/68	15,000.00
Mt. Calvary United, Preston, Md., dated 4/19/69	15,000.00
Wesley Temple, dated 6/13/68	25,000.00
Chester, Bethel, dated 6/28/71	20,000.00
Centreville Church, Centreville, Md., dated 3/16/68	20,000.00
*Salem Church, Pocomoke City, Md., dated 7/13/72	12,000.00

*Contains interest and repayment clause

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHEDULE NO. 35

BOARD OF MISSIONS
CONTINGENT LIABILITIES — NATIONAL BOARD OF MISSIONS

	Date	Original Amount	Balance Dec. 31, 1975
Atlantic, Ocean City, Md.	7/22/64	125,000.00	51,808.90

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 1975

1.) Summary of significant accounting policies.

GENERAL The conference maintains its books and records on a cash basis.

FIXED ASSETS are stated at appraised or estimated values as of December 31, 1969 and at cost for subsequent purchases. Depreciation is not provided for in the financial statements since all replacements are charged to Income.

2.) Pension Plan.

The Peninsula Annual Conference unanimously adopted a resolution to enter into Plan A of the Ministers Reserve Pension Fund of the United Methodist Church, a contributory pension plan, effective January 1, 1977, at which time an initial deposit of \$1,400,000.00 is due on the accrued service obligation cost which is estimated to be \$9,488,656.00 as of January 1, 1977. An annual deposit of \$526,177.00 shall be made on December 31, 1977 and each subsequent December 31 for the balance of 30 years or until such time as the actual cost of funding the accrued service obligation has been met.

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
Certified Public Accountants

Peninsula Conference
of The United Methodist Church
Conference Trustees

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your instructions we have made an audit of the Treasurer's records of the following funds:

- CONFERENCE TRUSTEES' GENERAL FUND
- POOLE ESTATE
- BARRATT'S CHAPEL FUND
- WASHINGTON FOSTER ESTATE
- O'NEILL ESTATE
- SCOTT MEMORIAL FUND
- METHODIST CEMETERY CORPORATION OF LEIPSIC
- CHARLES FERGUSON ESTATE
- CANNON-LOFLAND FUND [FORMERLY WARWICK CEMETERY CORP.]
- McDORMAN AND SPEDDEN FUND
- SALLY C. LINDSEY FUND
- ESTATE OF JEROME THOMAS
- CALLIE L. FISHBURN FUND
- EATON MEMORIAL
- JOHN P. HYATT TRUST FUND

for the twelve months ended December 31, 1975 and present herewith the following report:

- Accountants' Opinion
- Exhibit "A" Statement of Changes In Trust Assets
- Exhibit "B" Balance Sheet
- Exhibit "C" Statement of Changes In Principal Fund Balances
- Exhibit "D" Cash Receipts and Expenditures Statement — Income Cash
- Schedule No. 1 Marketable Securities
- Notes to Financial Statements

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
April 23, 1976

ACCOUNTANTS' OPINION

Peninsula Conference
of The United Methodist Church
Conference Trustees

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Peninsula Conference of The United Methodist Church Board of Trustees as of December 31, 1975 and the related statements of Cash Receipts and Expenditures and Changes in Trust Assets for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the aforementioned statements present fairly the assets and liabilities of the Peninsula Conference of The United Methodist Church Board of Trustees at December 31, 1975, arising from cash transactions, and the revenues collected and expenditures made by it during the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers
Certified Public Accountants

Wilmington, Delaware
April 23, 1976

EXHIBIT "A"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN TRUST ASSETS
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

The Trustees Charge Themselves As Follows:

First, As To Principal —		
Principal Assets as of December 31, 1974		112,971.74
Increases:		
Sale of Properties —		
Vine St., Easton, Maryland	1,965.20	
Kesley Chapel	1,500.00	3,465.20

Decreases:		
Proceeds from Sale of Properties —		
St. Mark's U. M. C.	982.60	
Asbury U. M. C.	982.60	
Salem U. M. C.	1,500.00	3,465.20

Total Principal Assets — December 31, 1975 112,971.74

Second, As To Income —		
Income Balance, December 31, 1974		16,274.46
Increases:		
Income Allocated — Bank of Delaware,		
Agency Account	7,439.45	
Scott Memorial Fund — Bank of Delaware,		
Trustee	814.00	8,253.45
		24,527.91

Decreases:		
Expenses Allocated:		
Board Expenses	36.54	
Filing Fee	10.00	46.54
Expenses — Scott Memorial Fund —		
Scholarships	2,000.00	
Expenses — Barratt's Chapel Fund —		
Commission on Archives and History	374.26	
Expenses — Washington Foster Estate —		
Wesley Chapel U. M. Church	777.04	

Garvice-Sligh — Insurance	20.00	
Expenses — O'Neill Estate — Conference Education Society	172.68	
Expenses — Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic	216.71	
Expenses — Charles Ferguson Fund — Board of Missions	246.29	
Expenses — Cannon-Lofland Fund — Mt. Olivet U. M. Church	27.55	
Expenses — McDorman and Spedden Fund — Spedden U. M. Church	981.74	
Expenses — Sally C. Lindsey Fund — Trinity U. M. Church	57.11	
Expenses — Estate of Jerome Thomas — Beckwith U. M. Church	57.10	
Expenses — Callie L. Fishburn Fund — Board of Ministry	32.34	
Expenses — Eaton Memorial — Asbury U. M. Church	57.10	
Expenses — John P. Hyatt Trust Fund — Red Lion U. M. Church	28.89	5,095.35
Balance of Income, December 31, 1975		<u>19,432.56</u>
Total Assets, December 31, 1975 — Exhibit "B" ...		<u>132,404.30</u>

EXHIBIT "B"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1975

ASSETS

Cash:		
Cash Held in General Conference Funds —		
Income Cash	19,432.56	
Principal Cash	(12,101.96)	7,330.60
Bank of Delaware — Agency Account —		
Principal Cash	139.15	7,469.75
Marketable Securities (Schedule No. 1) (Market Value \$106,032.00)		<u>124,934.55</u>
		<u>132,404.30</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

General Fund:		
Income Balance	2,052.78	
Principal Balance	<u>13,685.51</u>	15,738.29
Poole Estate:		
Income Balance	13,163.55	
Principal Balance	<u>44,502.12</u>	57,665.67

Barratt's Chapel Fund:		
Income Balance	458.36	
Principal Balance	<u>7,610.84</u>	8,069.20
Washington Foster Estate:		
Income Balance	910.77	
Principal Balance	<u>16,801.11</u>	17,711.88
O'Neill Estate:		
Income Balance	184.08	
Principal Balance	<u>3,314.32</u>	3,498.40
Scott Memorial Fund:		
Income Balance		845.83
Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic:		
Income Balance	230.66	
Principal Balance	<u>4,222.22</u>	4,452.88
Charles Ferguson Fund:		
Income Balance	262.45	
Principal Balance	<u>4,364.02</u>	4,626.47
Cannon-Lofland Fund:		
Income Balance	29.57	
Principal Balance	<u>484.17</u>	513.74
McDorman and Spedden Fund:		
Income Balance	1,046.84	
Principal Balance	<u>14,115.74</u>	15,162.58
Sally C. Lindsey Fund:		
Income Balance	60.62	
Principal Balance	<u>952.72</u>	1,013.34
Estate of Jerome Thomas:		
Income Balance	60.62	
Principal Balance	<u>952.72</u>	1,013.34
Callie L. Fishburn Fund:		
Income Balance	34.75	
Principal Balance	<u>537.45</u>	572.20
Eaton Memorial:		
Income Balance	60.62	
Principal Balance	<u>952.72</u>	1,013.34
John P. Hyatt Trust Fund:		
Income Balance	31.06	
Principal Balance	<u>476.08</u>	507.14
		<u>132,404.30</u>

EXHIBIT "C"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 BOARD OF TRUSTEES
 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN PRINCIPAL FUND BALANCES
 FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

	General Fund	Poole Estate	Barratt's Chapel Fund	Washington Foster Estate	O'Neill Estate	Methodist Cemetery Corp. Of Leipsic
Balance, January 1, 1975	13,685.51	44,502.12	7,610.84	16,801.11	3,314.32	4,222.22
Increases:						
Sale of Property — Vine St., Easton, Maryland	1,965.20					
Sale of Property — Kesley Chapel	1,500.00	—	—	—	—	—
	<u>17,150.71</u>	<u>44,502.12</u>	<u>7,610.84</u>	<u>16,801.11</u>	<u>3,314.32</u>	<u>4,222.22</u>
Decreases:						
St. Mark's U. M. C. — Proceeds Vine St., Easton, Maryland	982.60					
Asbury U. M. C. — Proceeds Vine St., Easton, Maryland	982.60					
Salem, U. M. C. — Proceeds Kesley Chapel	1,500.00	—	—	—	—	—
Balance, December 31, 1975	<u>13,685.51</u>	<u>44,502.12</u>	<u>7,610.84</u>	<u>16,801.11</u>	<u>3,314.32</u>	<u>4,222.22</u>

Charles Ferguson Fund	Cannon-Lofland Fund	McDorman & Spedden Fund	Sally C. Lindsey Fund	Estate of Jerome Thomas	Callie L. Fishburn Fund	Eaton Memorial	John P. Hyatt Fund	Total
4,364.02	484.17	14,115.74	952.72	952.72	537.45	952.72	476.08	112,971.74
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,465.20
<u>4,364.02</u>	<u>484.17</u>	<u>14,115.74</u>	<u>952.72</u>	<u>952.72</u>	<u>537.45</u>	<u>952.72</u>	<u>476.08</u>	<u>116,436.94</u>
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,465.20
<u>4,364.02</u>	<u>484.17</u>	<u>14,115.74</u>	<u>952.72</u>	<u>952.72</u>	<u>537.45</u>	<u>952.72</u>	<u>476.08</u>	<u>112,971.74</u>

EXHIBIT "D"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 BOARD OF TRUSTEES
 INCOME FUND ACCOUNTS
 RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
 FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

	General Fund	Poole Estate	Barratt's Chapel Fund	Washington Foster Estate	O'Neill Estate	Scott Memorial Fund	Methodist Cemetery Corp. Of Leipsic
Balance, January 1, 1975	517.28	10,696.54	374.26	777.04	172.68	2,031.83	216.71
Receipts:							
Bank of Delaware — Agency (Schedule No. 1)	1,545.17	2,482.54	461.25	936.63	185.24	—	232.11
Bank of Delaware	—	—	—	—	—	814.00	—
	1,545.17	2,482.54	461.25	936.63	185.24	814.00	232.11
	2,062.45	13,179.08	835.51	1,713.67	357.92	2,845.83	448.82
Expenses:							
Board Expenses Allocated	9.67	15.53	2.89	5.86	1.16	—	1.45
Scholarships	—	—	—	—	—	2,000.00	—
Commission on Archives and History	—	—	374.26	—	—	—	—
Wesley Chapel U. M. Church	—	—	—	777.04	—	—	—
Bond Premium	—	—	—	20.00	—	—	—
Conference Education Society	—	—	—	—	172.68	—	—
Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic	—	—	—	—	—	—	216.71
Board of Missions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mt. Olivet U. M. Church	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Spedden U. M. Church	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trinity U. M. Church	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beckwith U. M. Church	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Board of Ministry	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Asbury U. M. Church	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Red Lion U. M. Church	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	9.67	15.53	377.15	802.90	173.84	2,000.00	218.16
Balance, December 31, 1975	2,052.78	13,163.55	458.36	910.77	184.08	845.13	230.66

Note: The allocation percentages used for distribution to the various funds for the year ended December 31, 1975 were as follows:

General Fund	20.77%	Cannon-Lofland Fund	40%
Poole Estate	33.37	McDorman and Spedden Fund	14.16
Barratt's Chapel Fund	6.20	Sally C. Lindsey Fund	.82
Washington Foster Estate	12.59	Estate of Jerome Thomas	.82
O'Neill Estate	2.49	Callie L. Fishburn Fund	.47
Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic	3.12	Eaton Memorial	.82
Charles Ferguson Fund	3.55	John P. Hyatt Trust Fund	.42
			100.00%

Charles Ferguson Estate	Cannon-Lofland Fund	McDorman & Spedden Fund	Sally C. Lindsey Fund	Estate of Jerome Thomas	Callie L. Fishburn Fund	Eaton Memorial	John P. Hyatt Trust Fund	Total
246.29	27.55	981.74	57.11	57.10	32.34	57.10	28.89	16,274.46
264.10	29.76	1,053.43	61.00	61.00	34.97	61.00	31.25	7,439.45
264.10	29.76	1,053.43	61.00	61.00	34.97	61.00	31.25	8,253.45
510.39	57.31	2,035.17	118.11	118.10	67.31	118.10	60.14	24,527.91
1.65	.19	6.59	.38	.38	.22	.38	.19	46.54
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,000.00
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	374.26
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	777.04
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20.00
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	172.68
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	216.71
246.29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	246.29
—	27.55	—	—	—	—	—	—	27.55
—	—	981.74	—	—	—	—	—	981.74
—	—	—	57.11	—	—	—	—	57.11
—	—	—	—	57.10	—	—	—	57.10
—	—	—	—	—	32.34	—	—	32.34
—	—	—	—	—	—	57.10	—	57.10
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28.89	28.89
247.94	27.74	988.33	57.49	57.48	32.56	57.48	29.08	5,095.35
262.45	29.57	1,046.84	60.62	60.62	34.75	60.62	31.06	19,432.56

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

SCHEDULE NO. 1

MARKETABLE SECURITIES
DECEMBER 31, 1975

Description	January 1, 1975		Increases	
	Shares Or Face Value	Book Value	Shares or Face Value	Book Value
American Can Co., Common	200 shs.	8,822.07	—	—
American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Capital	300 shs.	21,075.00	—	—
Baltimore Gas & Electric Co., Common ...	100 shs.	3,524.00	—	—
Bank of Delaware, Capital	97 shs.	4,277.10	—	—
Delmarva Power & Light Co., Common ...	252 shs.	6,368.68	—	—
Exxon Corp., Capital	100 shs.	8,600.00	10 shs.	943.20
Proctor & Gamble Co., Common	100 shs.	5,997.89	—	—
Virginia Electric Power Co., \$5.00 Cumulative Preferred	100 shs.	10,777.23	—	—
American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Debentures, 8.8%, due 5/15/05	\$20,000	19,700.60	—	—
General Motors Acceptance Corp., 7 1/4%, due 3/1/95	\$15,000	14,981.70	—	—
Phillips Petroleum Debentures, 7-5/8%, due 3/15/01	\$ 5,000	5,087.95	—	—
F N M A 8.5%, due 6/10/80	\$15,000	14,878.13	—	—
		<u>123,991.35</u>		<u>943.20</u>

Description	Decreases		Gain [Loss]	December 31, 1975			Income
	Shares Or Face Value	Book Value		Shares Or Face Value	Book Value	Market Value	
	—	—	—	200 shs.	8,822.07	6,275.00	480.00
	—	—	—	300 shs.	21,075.00	15,262.50	1,020.00
	—	—	—	100 shs.	3,425.00	2,225.00	196.00
	—	—	—	97 shs.	4,277.10	2,231.00	213.40
	—	—	—	252 shs.	6,368.68	3,276.00	302.40
	—	—	—	110 shs.	9,543.20	9,762.50	512.50
	—	—	—	100 shs.	5,997.89	8,900.00	200.00
	—	—	—	100 shs.	10,777.23	4,800.00	500.00
	—	—	—	\$20,000	19,700.60	20,575.00	1,760.00
	—	—	—	\$15,000	14,981.70	12,750.00	1,087.50
	—	—	—	\$ 5,000	5,087.95	4,525.00	381.24
	—	—	—	\$15,000	14,878.13	15,450.00	1,275.00
					<u>124,934.55</u>	<u>106,032.00</u>	<u>7,928.04</u>
							488.59
							<u>7,439.45</u>

Less: Trustee Commission 488.59
Net Income 7,439.45

**PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

GENERAL Assets and liabilities, income and expense, are recorded on the cash basis of accounting.

INVESTMENTS are stated at cost or market value at the date of gift, except those that were held on April 11, 1964 (first time recorded for balance sheet purposes), which are stated at market value. Market value at December 31, 1975 was \$106,032.00 and the unrealized depreciation was \$18,902.55.

**LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
Certified Public Accountants**

May 7, 1976

Peninsula Conference of the
United Methodist Church

Gentlemen:
In accordance with instructions we have made an examination of the Treasurer's records of

**METHODIST MISSION AND
CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY, INC.
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE**

for the period January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975.
The details of the cash receipts and disbursements are presented as follows:
Exhibit "A" Cash Receipts and Disbursements Statement — Regular Account

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

EXHIBIT "A"

**METHODIST MISSION AND CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY, INC.
REGULAR ACCOUNT
CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Beginning Balance		13,710.93
Cash Receipts:		
Peninsula Annual Conference	60,600.00	
Board of Global Ministries	7,672.74	
Contributions:		
Individuals	19,165.85	
Churches	12,898.98	
Foundation	10,000.00	42,064.83

Interest Received	875.40	
Other	1,190.00	112,402.97
		<u>126,113.90</u>

Cash Disbursements:		
Personnel Salaries		43,263.91

Administrative and Office:		
Telephone	1,108.63	
Insurance	147.29	
Postage	790.42	
Cleaning Supplies	84.52	
Equipment and Maintenance	631.47	
Office Supplies	588.99	
Fund Drive Cost	1,211.16	
Public Relations	787.37	
Miscellaneous	174.47	
Conferences	245.92	
FICA Expense	1,741.73	7,511.97

Housing Expense		3,269.45
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Old Asbury Operation:		
Telephone	232.52	
Utilities	1,389.17	
Fuel	1,043.09	
Water	178.34	
Insurance	931.35	
Furnishings	18.27	
Upkeep	450.12	
Building Repairs	78.98	
Cleaning Supplies	301.27	
Equipment and Maintenance	872.80	
Janitorial Wages	2,956.25	
Cemetery Upkeep	114.00	
FICA Expense	172.90	8,739.06

Programs:		
Brandywine-Trinity	22,499.95	
Harrison Street	5,000.00	
Haven Church	1,000.00	
Old Asbury Center	14,430.68	
Spanish Speaking Ministries	1,144.83	
Camping	1,495.00	
Neighborhood House	1,500.00	
West Wilmington Action Committee	2,250.00	
Emergency Fund	585.41	49,905.87

Training		434.82	113,125.08
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Ending Balance			<u>12,988.82</u>
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METHODIST MISSION AND CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY, INC.
REGULAR ACCOUNT
CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Consisting of the Following:

Cash in Bank — Home Federal Savings and Loan Association	7,499.71
Cash in Bank — Bank of Delaware	3,796.42
Petty Cash Funds	200.00
1976 Receipts Applicable to 1975	2,895.00
Old Asbury Funds — Boy Scouts	(43.02)
Old Asbury Funds — Playground	(298.97)
Payroll Withholdings	(734.20)
Insurance Premium Payable	(102.08)
Payroll Taxes	(224.04)
	<u>12,988.82</u>

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
Certified Public Accountants

April 21, 1976

Peninsula Conference of
The United Methodist Church

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your instructions we have made an examination of the Cash Receipts and Expenditures of

ST. MATTHEWS BY THE SEA
FENWICK ISLAND, DELAWARE

for the twelve months ended December 31, 1975 and found them to be correct as shown below:

Cash Balance, January 1, 1975	3,211.14
Receipts:	
Offerings	<u>3,519.90</u>
	6,731.04
Expenditures:	
Electricity	268.33
Insurance	526.00
Mortgage Interest	340.00
Mortgage Principal	1,000.00
Organist	250.00
Painting	395.00
Postage	24.00
Repairs and Maintenance	<u>2,970.55</u>

Telephone	86.69	5,860.57
Cash Balance, December 31, 1975		<u>870.47</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
Certified Public Accountants

Peninsula Conference
of the United Methodist Church

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to instructions we have made an audit of the cash received and disbursed by the Treasurer of the

BOARD OF PENSIONS
OF
PENINSULA CONFERENCE
OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

for the twelve months ended December 31, 1975 and present herewith our report as contained in the following:

Exhibit "A"	Accountants' Opinion
Exhibit "B"	Statement of Condition — Board of Pensions — Endowment Fund
Exhibit "C"	Statement of Fund Balances
	Cash Receipts and Disbursements Statement —
	Endowment Fund Principal
Exhibit "D"	Cash Receipts and Disbursements Statement — Endowment Fund Income
Schedule No. 1	Mortgage Investments — Endowment Fund Principal
Schedule No. 2	Stock Investments — Endowment Fund Principal
Schedule No. 3	Bonds and Other Investments — Endowment Fund Principal
	Notes To Financial Statements

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
May 11, 1976

ACCOUNTANTS' OPINION

Peninsula Conference
of the United Methodist Church

We have examined the statement of condition of the Board of Pensions of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church as of December 31, 1975 and the related statements of receipts and disbursements and changes in fund balance for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the aforementioned statements present fairly the assets and liabilities of the Board of Pensions of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church at December 31, 1975, arising from cash transactions, and the revenues collected and expenditures made by it and changes in fund balances, during the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers
Certified Public Accountants

Wilmington, Delaware
May 11, 1976

EXHIBIT "A"

BOARD OF PENSIONS
ENDOWMENT FUND
STATEMENT OF CONDITION
DECEMBER 31, 1975

ASSETS

Principal

Cash — Uninvested:			
Bank of Delaware	96,508.77		
Bank of Delaware — Agency Account	562.99	97,071.76	
Investments:			
Mortgages (Schedule No. 1)	3,452.74		
Stocks (Schedule No. 2)	1,497,255.14		
Bonds (Schedule No. 3)	841,314.08		
Miscellaneous Investments (Schedule No. 3)	215,424.90	2,557,446.86	2,654,518.62

Income

Cash —			
Bank of Delaware (See Note)	160,712.11		
Conference Claimants Distribution Fund	56,658.44	217,370.55	
Loan Receivable		221.60	217,592.15
			<u>2,872,110.77</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

Liabilities		None
Fund Balances:		
Principal	2,654,518.62	
Income	217,592.15	2,872,110.77
		<u>2,872,110.77</u>

Note: \$17,153.00 of the Bank of Delaware balance of \$160,712.11 represents funds restricted for necessitous cases.

EXHIBIT "B"

BOARD OF PENSIONS
STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

	Principal	Income
Fund Balance, December 31, 1974	2,588,255.96	150,904.46
Increases:		
Ministers' Contributions	31,048.88	—
Methodist Publishing House	10.00	—
Peninsula Conference	50,000.00	—
Mortgage Recovery	41.48	—
Excess of Receipts over Expenditures	—	66,687.69
	81,100.36	66,687.69
	<u>2,669,356.32</u>	<u>217,592.15</u>
Decreases:		
Net Loss on Sale and Redemption of Securities	14,831.52	—
Mail Charges	1.58	—
	14,833.10	—
Fund Balance, December 31, 1975	<u>2,654,523.22</u>	<u>217,592.15</u>

EXHIBIT "C"

BOARD OF PENSIONS
CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT
ENDOWMENT FUND PRINCIPAL
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

Balance, Uninvested Cash, December 31, 1974		
Bank of Delaware	2,993.39	
Bank of Delaware Agency Account	104,676.14	107,669.53
Receipts:		
Mortgage Principal Repaid	10,755.24	

Mortgage Recovery		41.48	
Sale and Redemption of Securities			
Stocks	191,940.01		
Bonds	489,666.97	681,606.98	
Amortization of Bond Premiums		1,659.78	
Ministers' Contributions		31,048.88	
Methodist Publishing House		10.00	
Peninsula Conference		50,000.00	775,122.36
			<u>882,791.89</u>
Disbursements:			
Mail Charges		1.58	
Purchase of Securities			
Stocks	146,459.36		
Bonds	639,259.19	785,718.55	785,720.13
Balance, Uninvested Cash, December 31, 1975			
Bank of Delaware		96,508.77	
Bank of Delaware Agency Account		562.99	97,071.76

EXHIBIT "D"

**BOARD OF PENSIONS
CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT
ENDOWMENT FUND INCOME
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Cash Balance, December 31, 1974			
Bank of Delaware		101,685.48	
Conference Claimants Distribution Fund		48,997.38	150,682.86
Receipts:			
Peninsula Conference —			
Pensions	487,840.00		
Necessitous Cases	2,500.00	490,340.00	
Pension Contributions —			
Non-qualifying		110.00	
Income from Endowment Investments —			
Mortgage Interest (Schedule No. 1)	564.95		
Stock Dividends (Schedule No. 2)	74,730.12		
Bonds and Other Interest (Schedule No. 3)	59,332.34		
Chartered Fund Dividend	269.11		
Reserve Fund — General Board Interest (Schedule No. 3)	3,560.84	138,457.36	
Conference Claimants Distribution Fund —			
Interest		14,930.61	
Temporary General Aid Fund Distribution		11,669.00	
Interest on Ministers' Delinquent Contributions		3,575.02	
Savings Account Interest — Kinder Fund		446.58	
Ministers' Deficiency Payments		461.93	
Miscellaneous		1,121.00	661,111.50
			<u>811,794.36</u>

Disbursements:			
Pensions Paid		470,729.00	
Necessitous Cases		5,528.00	
Pensions Paid for Conference Claimants			
Distribution Fund		106,768.50	
Salaries		3,050.00	
Amortization of Bond Premiums		1,659.78	
Kinder Fund — Concord Methodist Church		446.58	
Trustees Commissions		2,995.62	
Transfer to Conference Treasurer — Ministers'			
Deficiency Payments		461.93	
Mortgage Service Fees — Net		53.45	
General Expense of Administration —			
Mileage and Dinners	1,870.08		
Printing and Postage	590.23		
Other	270.64	2,730.95	594,423.81
Cash Balance, December 31, 1975:			
Bank of Delaware		160,712.11	
Conference Claimants Distribution Fund		56,658.44	217,370.55

Note: \$17,153.00 of the Bank of Delaware balance of \$160,712.11 represents funds restricted for necessitous cases.

BOARD OF PENSIONS

SCHEDULE NO. 1

**MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS
ENDOWMENT FUND PRINCIPAL**

Mortgagor	Location
Clouser, Houston C. and Barbara	2205 Grant Ave., Gwinhurst, Del.
Fetterman, Frank G. and Helen	Main Street, St. Georges, Del.
Justice, Dexter L. and Clara Ann	Laurel Ave., Roseville Park, Newark, Del.
Klees, Henry and Roberta I.	Airport Road, Christiana Acres, New Castle, Del.
McDowell, Frances and Wilma	DuPont Highway, Bear Station, Del.
Pierce, Robert	Red Lion Manor, Del.
Pusey, Wilmer E. and Clara	204 Mansion Rd., Richardson Park, Wilmington, Del.
Rohrer, Elmer C. and Anna E.	Sutton's Lane, Rose Hill, New Castle, Del.
Wassmer, Walter J. and Elizabeth	Pencader Hundred, Bear, Del.

(1) Assigned to Board of Conference Claimants (Board of Pensions, December 31, 1953)

Date of Mortgage	Original Amount	Balance Dec. 31, 1974	Reductions 1975	Balance Dec. 31, 1975	Interest 1975	Interest Paid To
6/28/49	7,150.00	1,308.00	1,308.00	—	47.74	—
11/12/52	4,500.00	387.21	387.21	—	15.28	—
8/13/53	5,000.00	1,467.68	209.29	1,258.39	82.71	11/1/75
10/16/62(1)	5,000.00	656.58	57.36	599.22	42.64	2/1/75
2/27/53	9,000.00	4,690.60	4,690.60	—	225.26	—
10/14/47	10,700.00	1,113.03	1,113.03	—	32.41	—
2/5/54	8,000.00	1,590.37	395.17	1,195.20	84.83	11/1/75
8/22/49	2,873.73	226.90	226.90	—	6.36	—
12/10/54	14,750.00	2,772.21	2,372.28	399.93	27.72	2/1/75
		<u>14,212.58</u>	<u>10,759.84</u>	<u>3,452.74</u>	564.95	
Add: Mortgage Recovery					41.48	
					<u>606.43</u>	
Less: Commissions Paid				53.45		
Mortgage Adjustment				4.60	58.05	
Net Income					<u>548.38</u>	

BOARD OF PENSIONS

SCHEDULE NO. 2

STOCK INVESTMENTS
ENDOWMENT FUND PRINCIPAL

Stocks	December 31, 1974		Increases		Shares	Amount
	Shares	Book Value	Shares	Amount		
Abbott Laboratories, Common	500 shs.	35,109.85	500 shs. (3)	—	—	—
American Home Products Corp., Common	1800 shs.	5,199.91	—	—	—	—
American Tel. & Tel. Co., Capital	1800 shs.	81,230.74	—	—	—	—
Avon Products, Inc., Common	600 shs.	67,136.65	—	—	—	—
Bank of Delaware, Capital	1355 shs.	24,590.90	—	—	—	—
Christiana Securities	—	—	500 shs.	57,751.86	—	—
Diamond International Corp., Common	1800 shs.	69,801.83	—	—	—	—
Doyle Dane & Bernbach, Common	2000 shs.	56,001.71	—	—	2000 shs.	56,001.71
Dresser Industries, Inc., Common	—	—	909.12 shs. (2)	37,704.05	.12 shs.	4.98
Dresser Industries, Inc., Series "B" \$2.00 Conv. Pfd.	1000 shs.	37,704.05	—	—	1000 shs. (2)	37,704.05
Exxon Corp., Capital	1000 shs.	94,152.85	—	—	—	—
General Electric Co., Common	1300 shs.	59,804.66	—	—	—	—
General Motor Corp., Common	1052 shs.	76,573.64	—	—	—	—
General Tel. & Electronics Corp., Com.	1100 shs.	32,805.50	—	—	—	—
I.N.A. Corp., Common	1000 shs.	26,460.60	—	—	1000 shs.	26,460.60
Ingersoll Rand Co., Common	1000 shs.	61,813.36	—	—	—	—
IBM Corp., Capital	700 shs.	53,091.58	—	—	100 shs.	7,584.51
International Tel. & Tel., Series "K" \$4.00 Conv. Pfd.	400 shs.	38,544.35	—	—	—	—
Kellogg Company, Common	3600 shs.	52,380.19	—	—	1600 shs.	23,617.33
Marsh & McLennan Co., Inc., Common (1)	500 shs.	33,056.32	—	—	—	—
Middle South Utilities, Inc., Common	2800 shs.	65,193.58	—	—	—	—
Mobil Oil Corp., Capital	440 shs.	10,700.76	—	—	440 shs.	10,700.76
N. L. T. Corporation, Common	2000 shs.	45,925.38	—	—	—	—
Pepsico, Inc., Common	800 shs.	37,534.84	—	—	—	—
Phelps Dodge Corp., Common	1200 shs.	48,992.38	—	—	—	—
Public Service Company of Indiana, Inc., Common	1500 shs.	56,706.48	—	—	—	—
R.C.A. Corp., Common	1000 shs.	37,532.43	—	—	—	—
Sears, Roebuck & Co., Capital	800 shs.	56,304.31	—	—	—	—
Standard Oil of Indiana, Capital	—	—	1000 shs.	51,003.45	—	—
Sybron Corporation, Common	1500 shs.	55,045.38	—	—	—	—
Texaco, Inc., Common	2500 shs.	92,654.66	—	—	—	—
Travelers Corp., \$2.00 Conv. Pfd.	1000 shs.	46,196.35	—	—	1000 shs.	46,196.35
Wilmington Trust Co., Capital	2400 shs.	57,300.00	—	—	—	—
Xerox Corporation, Common	500 shs.	43,520.83	—	—	—	—
		<u>1,559,066.07</u>		<u>146,459.36</u>		<u>208,270.29</u>

	December 31, 1975			Income Received 1975
	Decreases	Gain [Loss]	December 31, 1975	
Stocks	Shares	Amount	Book Value	Market Value
Abbott Laboratories, Common	—	—	1000 shs.	41,250.00
American Home Products Corp., Common	—	—	1800 shs.	60,075.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co., Capital	—	—	1800 shs.	91,575.00
Avon Products, Inc., Common	—	—	600 shs.	20,925.00
Bank of Delaware, Capital	—	—	1355 shs.	32,520.00
Christiana Securities	—	—	500 shs.	64,000.00
Diamond International Corp., Common	—	—	1800 shs.	65,025.00
Doyle Dane & Bernbach, Common	2000 shs.	56,001.71	—	—
Dresser Industries, Inc., Common	.12 shs.	4.98	909 shs.	57,380.63
Dresser Industries, Inc., Series "B" \$2.00 Conv. Pfd.	1000 shs. (2)	37,704.05	—	—
Exxon Corp., Capital	—	—	1000 shs.	88,750.00
General Electric Co., Common	—	—	1300 shs.	59,962.50
General Motor Corp., Common	—	—	1052 shs.	60,621.50
General Tel. & Electronics Corp., Com.	—	—	1100 shs.	27,912.50
I.N.A. Corp., Common	1000 shs.	26,460.60	—	—
Ingersoll Rand Co., Common	—	—	1000 shs.	70,000.00
IBM Corp., Capital	100 shs.	7,584.51	600 shs.	134,550.00
International Tel. & Tel., Series "K" \$4.00 Conv. Pfd.	—	—	400 shs.	16,400.00
Kellogg Company, Common	1600 shs.	23,617.33	2000 shs.	43,000.00
Marsh & McLennan Co., Inc., Common (1)	—	—	500 shs.	29,125.00
Middle South Utilities, Inc., Common	—	—	2800 shs.	40,600.00
Mobil Oil Corp., Capital	440 shs.	10,700.76	—	—
N. L. T. Corporation, Common	—	—	2000 shs.	32,250.00
Pepsico, Inc., Common	—	—	800 shs.	56,000.00
Phelps Dodge Corp., Common	—	—	1200 shs.	43,500.00
Public Service Company of Indiana, Inc., Common	—	—	1500 shs.	59,250.00
R.C.A. Corp., Common	—	—	1000 shs.	19,125.00
Sears, Roebuck & Co., Capital	—	—	800 shs.	51,600.00
Standard Oil of Indiana, Capital	—	—	1000 shs.	42,625.00
Sybron Corporation, Common	—	—	1500 shs.	24,562.50
Texaco, Inc., Common	—	—	2500 shs.	58,437.50
Travelers Corp., \$2.00 Conv. Pfd.	1000 shs.	46,196.35	—	—
Wilmington Trust Co., Capital	—	—	2400 shs.	74,400.00
Xerox Corporation, Common	—	—	500 shs.	25,437.50
		<u>208,270.29</u>	<u>1,497,255.14</u>	<u>1,490,859.63</u>

(1) Name change from Marlennan Corp. (2) 1,000 shs. Series "B," \$2.00 Conv. Pfd. converted to 909.12 shs. of Common Stock (3) 2 for 1 split.

BOARD OF PENSIONS

SCHEDULE NO. 3

BONDS AND OTHER INVESTMENTS
ENDOWMENT FUND PRINCIPAL

Bonds, Notes, etc.	December 31, 1974		Increases	
	Face Value	Book Value	Face Value	Amount
American Tel. & Tel. Co. — 8-3/4% — 2000	\$ 55,000	55,000.00	—	—
Federal Finance Bank Bills — 3/31/75	—	—	\$ 105,000	103,585.11
General Mills — 8-7/8% — 1995	100,000	109,658.30	—	—
G. M. A. C. — 9.55% — 1/9/75	—	—	100,000	100,000.00
Minnesota Mining & Mfg. — 8.2% — 4/1/85	—	—	100,000	100,503.30
Monogahela Power Co. — 8-1/8% — 1999	25,000	25,524.50	—	—
New England Tel. & Tel. — 8.2% — 2004	100,000	106,594.39	—	—
North American Mtg. Investors — 5-1/2% — 1979	100,000	86,000.00	—	—
Northern Natural Gas — 8-3/4% — 1990	89,000	96,467.47	—	—
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. — 6% — 2002	40,000	40,219.24	—	—
Penna. Power & Light Co. — 7% — 1999	25,000	25,000.00	—	—
Public Service Co. of Indiana, Inc. 1st Mtg. — 7-1/8% — 1999	25,000	25,191.69	—	—
United Aircraft Conv. Deb. — 4-1/2% — 1992	20,000	13,550.42	—	—
U.S. Treasury Bills — 6/30/75	—	—	105,000	103,553.48
U.S. Treasury Bills — 9/25/75	—	—	105,000	103,525.70
U.S. Treasury Bills — 12/26/75	—	—	65,000	63,953.50
U.S. Treasury Bills — 3/25/76	—	—	65,000	64,138.10
Westinghouse Electric Corp. — 8-5/8% — 1995	100,000	108,676.87	—	—
		691,882.88		639,259.19

Other

Board of Pensions of the Methodist Church, Missouri Corp.	\$ 4,427.05 *	4,427.05 *	—	—
Corporate Board of Finance Methodist Episcopal Church, South	1.00	1.00	—	—
Cemetery Lots	1.00	1.00	—	—
Temporary Reserve Fund — Delaware Conference	210,995.85 *	210,995.85 *	—	—
		215,424.90		—

* Does not include interest credited at year end which is normally drawn at a later date.

	Decreases		Gain (Loss)	Premium Amortization	December 31, 1975		Market Value	Income Received 1975
	Face Value	Amount			Face Value	Book Value		
	—	—	—	—	\$ 55,000	55,000.00	56,100.00	4,812.50
	\$105,000	103,585.11	—	—	—	—	—	1,414.89
	—	—	—	467.50	100,000	109,190.80	100,000.00	8,875.00
	100,000	100,000.00	—	—	—	—	—	186.04
	—	—	—	50.33	100,000	100,452.97	103,000.00	1,753.89
	—	—	—	21.41	25,000	25,503.09	21,781.25	2,031.26
	—	—	—	223.54	100,000	106,370.85	91,000.00	8,200.00
	—	—	—	—	100,000	86,000.00	71,750.00	5,500.00
	—	—	—	467.03	89,000	96,000.44	86,552.50	7,787.50
	—	—	—	8.44	40,000	40,210.80	29,650.00	2,400.00
	—	—	—	—	25,000	25,000.00	21,250.00	1,750.00
	—	—	—	8.33	25,000	25,183.36	21,656.25	1,781.26
	20,000	13,550.42	1,498.76	—	—	—	—	710.00
	105,000	103,553.48	—	—	—	—	—	1,446.52
	105,000	103,525.70	—	—	—	—	—	1,011.98
	65,000	63,953.50	—	—	—	—	—	1,046.50
	—	—	—	—	65,000	64,138.10	64,138.10	—
	—	—	—	413.20	100,000	108,263.67	93,250.00	8,625.00
		488,168.21	1,498.76	1,659.78		841,314.08	760,128.10	59,332.34
					\$ 4,427.05 *	4,427.05 *	4,427.05 *	269.11
					1.00	1.00	1.00	—
					1.00	1.00	1.00	—
					210,995.85 *	210,995.85 *	210,995.85 *	14,930.61 *
						215,424.90	215,424.90	15,199.72

Board of Pensions of the Methodist Church, Missouri Corp.	Dec. 31, 1974		Dec. 31, 1975	
	1971	271.61	1971	271.61
	1972	305.44	1972	305.44
	1973	325.28	1973	325.28
	1974	373.04	1974	373.04
			1975	370.66
Temporary Reserve Fund — Delaware Conference		14,930.61		13,867.74

**BOARD OF PENSIONS
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 1975**

1. Summary of significant accounting policies.

GENERAL	The Board maintains its books and records on a cash basis.
INCOME CASH	The amount of \$17,153.00 of the Bank of Delaware balance of \$160,712.11 represents funds restricted for necessitous cases.
INCOME CASH — CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS DISTRIBUTION FUND	This fund is held by the General Board to pay ministers' pensions that had prior service with Peninsula Conference.
INVESTMENTS — MORTGAGES	are held by the Board of Pension and collected through an agent. We found the following exception on the mortgages — Henry M. Klees — no insurance in force.
STOCKS	were originally recorded at market value and adjusted for additions and deletions since that date at cost. Market value at December 31, 1975 was \$1,490,859.63.
BONDS	were originally recorded at market value and adjusted for additions and deletions since that date at cost. The premiums paid amortized over the life of the bond on a straight line basis. Market value of bonds at December 31, 1975 was \$760,128.10.
MISCELLANEOUS INVESTMENTS	These funds are held by the General Board and monies earned on these funds are transferred to the Conference Claimants Distribution Fund held by the General Board. Cemetery lots were willed to the Board of Pensions and were recorded at a nominal amount.

2. Pensions

MINISTERS' CONTRIBUTIONS	Pastors make a personal contribution of 1½% to 2% of their salaries to this fund.
DELINQUENT MINISTERS' CONTRIBUTIONS	The records of pastors' contributions due the fund for the year ended December 31, 1975 were not all posted to their individual records as of our examination date. An estimate of delinquent ministers' contributions at December 31, 1975 is \$169,031.00 including interest on past due amounts.

3. Ministers' Reserve Pension Fund

The Peninsula Conference unanimously adopted a resolution to enter Plan A of the Ministers' Reserve Pension Fund of the United Methodist Church, a contributory pension

plan, effective January 1, 1977, at which time an initial deposit of \$1,400,000.00 is due on the accrued service obligation cost which is estimated to be \$9,488,656.00 as of January 1, 1977. An annual deposit of \$526,177.00 shall be made on December 31, 1977 and each subsequent December 31 for the balance of 30 years or until such time as the actual cost of funding the accrued service obligation has been met.

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS

Certified Public Accountants

Board of Trustees
Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.
Methodist Country House
Wilmington, Delaware

Gentlemen:

In accordance with instructions, we have made an examination of the books and records of

**PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE**

for the year ended April 30, 1975, and present our report containing the following:

Accountants' Opinion
Exhibit "A" — Consolidated Balance Sheet
Exhibit "B" — Statement of Income — Corporate
Exhibit "C" — Statement of Income — Country House
Schedule C-1 — Administrative Expenses
Schedule C-2 — Dietary Expenses
Schedule C-3 — Household and Property Expenses
Schedule C-4 — Infirmary Expenses
Exhibit "D" — Statement of Income — Manor House
Schedule D-1 — Administrative Expenses
Schedule D-2 — Dietary Expenses
Schedule D-3 — Household and Property Expenses
Schedule D-4 — Infirmary Expenses
Exhibit "E" — Statement of Income — Gift Annuity and Life Income Fund
Exhibit "F" — Statement of Income — Endowment Fund
Exhibit "G" — Statement of Income — Pooled Income Fund
Notes to Financial Statements

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
July 7, 1975

Board of Trustees
Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.
Methodist Country House
Wilmington, Delaware

ACCOUNTANTS' OPINION

We have examined the consolidated balance sheet of the Peninsula United Methodist

Homes and Hospitals, Inc. as of April 30, 1975 and the related statements of income for the fiscal year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

The accompanying statements present fairly the financial position of the Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc. at April 30, 1975 and the result of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers
Certified Public Accountants

Wilmington, Delaware
July 7, 1975

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET
APRIL 30, 1975

EXHIBIT "A"

	Consolidated Totals	Corporate	Country House	Manor House	Endowment Fund	Annuity Fund	Pooled Income Fund
ASSETS							
Current Assets:							
Cash in Bank and on Hand	\$ 126,841	\$ 49,633	\$ 755	\$ 750	\$ 47,194	\$ 27,589	\$ 920
Notes Receivable	18,900	5,000	12,500	1,400	—	—	—
Prepaid Insurance	13,503	294	8,026	5,183	—	—	—
Prepaid Expenses	2,864	1,755	972	137	—	—	—
Miscellaneous	36,987	5,500	10,239	11,550	56	8,958	684
Interhouse Receivable	—	77,267	211,231	66,577	52,000	—	—
Total Current Assets	\$ 196,095	\$ 139,449	\$ 243,723	\$ 85,597	\$ 99,250	\$ 36,547	\$ 1,604
Investments (at cost)	\$2,096,598	\$ 78,857	\$ 12,500	\$ —	\$1,032,921	\$ 931,824	\$ 40,496
Land, Buildings and Equipment	\$9,940,985	\$ 552,178	\$5,786,446	\$3,602,361	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
less: Accumulated Depreciation	2,776,887	—	1,828,069	950,818	—	—	—
	\$7,162,098	\$ 552,178	\$3,958,377	\$2,651,543	—	—	—
Other Assets:							
Cash Value of Life Insurance	\$ 54,242	\$ 54,242	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Cash — Designated Funds	272,264	272,264	—	—	—	—	—
Total Other Assets	\$ 326,506	\$ 326,506	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Total Assets	\$9,784,297	\$1,096,990	\$4,214,600	\$2,737,140	\$1,132,171	\$ 968,371	\$ 42,100
LIABILITIES							
Current Liabilities:							
Accounts Payable	\$ 115,625	\$ 365	\$ 66,007	\$ 49,253	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Employee Withholding	4,792	—	2,989	1,803	—	—	—
Accrued Expenses	27,614	14,113	7,205	6,296	—	—	—
Interhouse Payable	—	327,957	—	79,118	—	—	—
Miscellaneous	21,563	19,975	1,317	271	—	—	—
Total Current Liabilities	\$ 169,594	\$ 362,410	\$ 77,518	\$ 136,741	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Long-Term Liabilities:							
Annuitiy and Life Agreements	\$ 670,102	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 628,753	\$ 41,349
Mortgages Payable	2,898,326	184,130	940,000	1,774,196	—	—	—
Escrow Payable	4,307	4,307	—	—	—	—	—
Total Long-Term Liabilities	\$3,572,735	\$ 188,437	\$ 940,000	\$1,774,196	\$ —	\$ 628,753	\$ 41,349
Total Liabilities	\$3,742,329	\$ 550,847	\$1,017,518	\$1,910,937	\$ —	\$ 628,753	\$ 41,349

	Consolidated Totals	Corporate	Country House	Manor House	Endowment Fund	Annuity Fund	Pooled Income Fund
Deferred Income:							
Guest Fees Paid In Advance	\$ 133,929	\$ 133,929	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Equity	\$5,908,039	\$ 412,214	\$3,197,082	\$ 826,203	\$1,132,171	\$ 339,618	\$ 751
Total Liabilities, Deferred Income and Equity	\$9,784,297	\$1,096,990	\$4,214,600	\$2,737,140	\$1,132,171	\$ 968,371	\$ 42,100

EQUITY

Equity

Deferred Income:

Guest Fees Paid In Advance

Equity

Total Liabilities, Deferred Income and Equity

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
CORPORATE
STATEMENT OF INCOME
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED APRIL 30, 1975

Income:			
Living Unit Endowment	\$ 454,500		
Contributions — General	35,831		
Contributions — Bequests	11,428		
Contributions — Special	28,900		
Interest and Dividends	29,392	\$ 560,051	
Administrative Expense:			
Salaries and Wages	\$ 90,375		
Dues and Subscriptions	866		
Insurance	605		
Data Taxes	7,067		
Payroll Taxes	6,861		
Professional	4,534		
Office Supplies and Printing	4,138		
Office Rental and Overhead	2,718		
Travel and Education	1,363		
Motor Service — Corp. Car	1,031		
Miscellaneous	3,667		
Employee Insurance	2,595		
Pension Expense	3,245		
Medical Records — Salaries	16,041		
Medical Records — Miscellaneous	730	\$ 145,836	
Promotional and Development Expense:			
Salaries	\$ 23,389		
Housing Allowance	1,833		
Transportation	1,912		
Printing and Office Supplies	4,007		
Miscellaneous	1,993		
Training and Education	1,042		
Telephone	370	34,546	
		\$ 180,382	
Allocated to Operation of Homes		(180,382)	—
Grants to Homes:			
Methodist Country House — Operations	\$ 122,642		
Methodist Country House — Capital Assets	43,018		
Methodist Manor House — Operations	128,571		
Methodist Manor House — Capital Assets	19,766	313,997	
		\$ 246,054	
Other Expense:			
Interest — Mortgage — Methodist Country House	\$ 61,950		
Interest — Mortgage — Methodist Manor House	88,981		
Miscellaneous	373	151,304	
Excess of Income Over Expense			\$ 94,750

EXHIBIT "C"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
COUNTRY HOUSE
STATEMENT OF INCOME
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	1975	1974	Increase (Decrease)
Operating Income:			
Monthly Guest Fees	\$ 829,718	\$ 717,468	\$ 112,250
Dining Room Receipts	8,083	6,908	1,175
Medicare and Blue Cross Reimbursements	23,037	12,330	10,707
Physiotherapy Fees	5,332	6,124	(792)
Drug Reimbursements	38,155	30,043	8,112
Other Reimbursements	162,819	101,001	61,818
Discounts Earned	515	1,396	(881)
	<u>\$1,067,659</u>	<u>\$ 875,270</u>	<u>\$ 192,389</u>
Operating Expenses:			
Administrative (Schedule C-1)	\$ 182,255	\$ 161,520	\$ 20,735
Dietary (Schedule C-2)	439,796	397,319	42,477
Household and Property (Schedule C-3)	387,723	342,172	45,551
Infirmary (Schedule C-4)	463,474	384,304	79,170
	<u>\$1,473,248</u>	<u>\$1,285,315</u>	<u>\$ 187,933</u>
Excess of Operating Expenses over Income	\$ (405,589)	\$ (410,045)	\$ 4,456
Other Income:			
Auxiliary	\$ 11,200	\$ 10,500	\$ 700
Junior Board	7,000	10,500	(3,500)
Contributions — General	57,371	82,564	(25,193)
Conference Benevolence	59,060	57,436	1,624
Mothers Day Offering	7,589	6,057	1,532
Endowment Fund	1,625	20,454	(18,829)
Contributions — Special	99,474	114,247	(14,773)
Miscellaneous	671	200	471
Interest	601	17,238	(16,637)
Corporation Grants	122,642	—	122,642
	<u>\$ 367,233</u>	<u>\$ 319,196</u>	<u>\$ 48,037</u>
	<u>\$ (38,356)</u>	<u>\$ (90,849)</u>	<u>\$ 52,493</u>
Other Expense:			
Commission and Taxes on Securities	\$ 148	\$ 113	\$ 35
Fund Raising Expense	33	1,785	(1,752)
Corporate Promotion and Development	18,123	—	18,123
Miscellaneous	4,692	7,043	(2,351)
Retirement of Fixed Assets	3,083	(140)	3,223
	<u>\$ 26,079</u>	<u>\$ 8,801</u>	<u>\$ 17,278</u>
Excess of Expenses over Income	\$ (64,435)	\$ (99,650)	\$ 35,215

SCHEDULE C-1

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
COUNTRY HOUSE
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended April 30,		Increase (Decrease)
	1975	1974	
Office Salaries	\$ 36,578	\$ 70,210	\$ (33,632)
Insurance	15,959	14,831	1,123
Payroll Taxes	2,300	4,172	(1,872)
Professional	194	2,463	(2,269)
Stationery and Printing	4,852	4,734	118
Telephone (Net of Income)	17,420	14,814	2,606
Travel and Entertainment	797	1,478	(681)
Utilities — Residence	1,360	968	392
Miscellaneous	1,431	1,478	(47)
Dues and Subscriptions	898	1,333	(435)
Pension Expense	16,690	22,475	(5,785)
Employee Insurance	9,078	9,198	(120)
Depreciation	6,991	10,060	(3,069)
Data Processing	—	3,306	(3,306)
Corporate Administrative Allocation	67,707	—	67,707
	<u>\$ 182,255</u>	<u>\$ 161,520</u>	<u>\$ 20,735</u>

SCHEDULE C-2

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
COUNTRY HOUSE
DIETARY EXPENSES
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended April 30,		Increase (Decrease)
	1975	1974	
Salaries and Wages	\$ 198,732	\$ 179,522	\$ 19,210
Food — Meat, Eggs, etc.	72,340	68,404	3,936
Food — Vegetables and Fruit	17,203	15,755	1,448
Food — Bread	17,244	12,559	4,685
Food — Milk and Other Beverages	24,460	18,805	5,655
Food — Groceries	48,053	36,788	11,265
Food — Diet	5,933	4,434	1,499
Dishes, Glasses and Silverware	7,182	9,435	(2,253)
Payroll Taxes	12,268	10,779	1,489
Management Fees	10,500	10,500	—
Depreciation	10,168	17,988	(7,820)
Miscellaneous Supplies and Expenses	15,713	12,350	3,363
	<u>\$ 439,796</u>	<u>\$ 397,319</u>	<u>\$ 42,477</u>

SCHEDULE C-3

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
COUNTRY HOUSE
HOUSEHOLD AND PROPERTY EXPENSES
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended		Increase (Decrease)
	April 30,		
	1975	1974	
Utilities	\$ 106,592	\$ 70,167	\$ 36,425
Laundry and Cleaning	10,876	9,697	1,179
Depreciation	79,916	85,549	(5,633)
Housekeeping and Maintenance — Wages	130,002	122,697	7,305
Housekeeping and Maintenance — Supplies	18,849	17,172	1,677
Motor Services Supplies and Expense	2,538	3,666	(1,128)
Repairs and Maintenance	13,547	10,849	2,698
Extermination	720	400	320
Payroll Taxes	8,051	7,649	402
Maintenance Contracts	7,545	5,263	2,282
Miscellaneous	2,359	1,599	760
Linen Replacement	409	554	(145)
Cablevision	3,528	3,528	—
Trash Removal	1,929	1,664	265
Uniforms	862	1,718	(856)
	<u>\$ 387,723</u>	<u>\$ 342,172</u>	<u>\$ 45,551</u>

SCHEDULE C-4

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
COUNTRY HOUSE
INFIRMARY EXPENSES
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended		Increase (Decrease)
	April 30,		
	1975	1974	
Physicians' Salaries	\$ 27,578	\$ 24,318	\$ 3,260
Nurses' Salaries	296,323	242,328	53,995
Payroll Taxes	15,719	12,170	3,549
Drugs and Pharmaceuticals	31,101	29,250	1,851
Depreciation	56,543	51,157	5,386
Miscellaneous Supplies and Expense	21,095	17,753	3,342
Other Salaries	6,317	7,328	(1,011)
Corporate Health Services Allocation	8,798	—	8,798
	<u>\$ 463,474</u>	<u>\$ 384,304</u>	<u>\$ 79,170</u>

EXHIBIT "D"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
MANOR HOUSE
STATEMENT OF INCOME
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	1975	1974	Increase (Decrease)
Operating Income:			
Monthly Guest Fees	\$ 827,161	\$ 761,166	\$ 65,995
Dining Room Receipts	4,663	3,711	952
Medicare and Blue Cross Reimbursements	20,041	26,341	(6,300)
Physiotherapy Fees	5,360	6,425	(1,065)
Drug Reimbursements	67,937	61,647	6,290
Other Reimbursements	38,791	30,895	7,896
Discounts Earned	167	399	(232)
	<u>\$ 964,120</u>	<u>\$ 890,584</u>	<u>\$ 73,536</u>
Operating Expenses:			
Administrative (Schedule D-1)	\$ 157,155	\$ 146,858	\$ 10,297
Dietary (Schedule D-2)	432,093	398,391	33,702
Household and Property (Schedule D-3)	355,918	318,893	37,025
Infirmary (Schedule D-4)	340,655	319,398	21,257
	<u>\$1,285,821</u>	<u>\$1,183,540</u>	<u>\$ 102,281</u>
Excess of Operating Expenses over Income	<u>\$ (321,701)</u>	<u>\$ (292,956)</u>	<u>\$ (28,745)</u>
Other Income:			
Auxiliary	\$ 4,125	\$ 4,110	\$ 15
Junior Board	3,000	3,000	—
Contributions — General	41,731	103,251	(61,520)
Conference Benevolence	47,985	44,564	3,421
Mothers Day Offering	6,221	5,842	379
Interest	160	7,021	(6,861)
Sussex County Home Service	4,415	5,193	(778)
Endowment Fund	1,598	1,271	327
Miscellaneous	727	999	(272)
Corporate Grants	128,571	—	128,571
	<u>\$ 238,533</u>	<u>\$ 175,251</u>	<u>\$ 63,282</u>
	<u>\$ (83,168)</u>	<u>\$ (117,705)</u>	<u>\$ 34,537</u>
Other Expense:			
Fund Raising Expense	\$ 1	\$ 1,660	\$ (1,659)
Miscellaneous	10,275	15,048	(4,773)
Corporate Promotion and Development	16,424	—	16,424
	<u>\$ 26,700</u>	<u>\$ 16,708</u>	<u>\$ 9,992</u>
Excess of Expenses over Income	<u>\$ (109,868)</u>	<u>\$ (134,413)</u>	<u>\$ 24,545</u>

SCHEDULE D-1

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
MANOR HOUSE
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended April 30,		Increase (Decrease)
	1975	1974	
Office Salaries	\$ 35,427	\$ 72,471	\$ (37,044)
Insurance	11,028	11,373	(345)
Payroll Taxes	2,256	4,359	(2,103)
Professional	152	1,517	(1,365)
Stationery and Printing	2,010	1,985	25
Telephone (Net of Income)	12,540	10,976	1,564
Travel and Entertainment	1,613	2,376	(763)
Utilities (Residences)	1,355	1,151	204
Miscellaneous	97	927	(830)
Dues and Subscriptions	680	1,042	(362)
Pension Expense	15,725	23,395	(7,670)
Employees Insurance	7,521	6,249	1,272
Depreciation	5,393	5,731	(338)
Data Processing	—	3,306	(3,306)
Corporate Administrative Allocation	61,358	—	61,358
	<u>\$ 157,155</u>	<u>\$ 146,858</u>	<u>\$ 10,297</u>

SCHEDULE D-2

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
MANOR HOUSE
DIETARY EXPENSES
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended April 30,		Increase (Decrease)
	1975	1974	
Salaries	\$ 187,819	\$ 169,705	\$ 18,114
Food — Meat, etc.	61,723	75,741	(14,018)
Food — Vegetables and Fruit	16,718	11,932	4,786
Food — Bread	17,248	13,299	3,949
Food — Milk and Other Beverages	27,316	19,432	7,884
Food — Groceries	53,852	50,115	3,737
Food — Diet	7,955	5,769	2,186
Dishes, Glasses and Silverware	6,897	3,061	3,836
Payroll Taxes	12,408	10,534	1,874
Management Fees	10,500	10,500	—
Depreciation	10,786	11,463	(677)
Miscellaneous Supplies and Expenses	18,871	16,840	2,031
	<u>\$ 432,093</u>	<u>\$ 398,391</u>	<u>\$ 33,702</u>

SCHEDULE D-3

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
MANOR HOUSE
HOUSEHOLD AND PROPERTY EXPENSES
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended April 30,		Increase (Decrease)
	1975	1974	
Heat, Light and Power	\$ 111,645	\$ 72,887	\$ 38,758
Laundry and Cleaning	10,427	8,927	1,500
Depreciation	80,895	85,970	(5,075)
Housekeeping and Maintenance — Salaries	105,740	106,224	(484)
Housekeeping and Maintenance — Supplies	17,061	14,484	2,577
Motor Services	971	1,178	(207)
Trash Removal	1,585	1,200	385
Repairs and Maintenance	7,978	4,735	3,243
Extermination	329	273	56
Payroll Taxes	7,144	6,901	243
Maintenance Contracts	7,153	8,178	(1,025)
Miscellaneous	962	1,971	(1,009)
Uniforms	1,194	479	715
Linen Replacement	1,240	4,016	(2,776)
Cablevision	1,594	1,470	124
	<u>\$ 355,918</u>	<u>\$ 318,893</u>	<u>\$ 37,025</u>

SCHEDULE D-4

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
MANOR HOUSE
INFIRMARY EXPENSES
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended April 30,		Increase (Decrease)
	1975	1974	
Physicians' Salaries	\$ 20,175	\$ 20,790	\$ (615)
Nurses' Salaries	220,848	209,862	10,986
Other Salaries	—	4,889	(4,889)
Payroll Taxes	15,791	14,529	1,262
Drugs and Pharmaceuticals	35,424	34,709	715
Depreciation	10,786	11,463	(677)
Miscellaneous Supplies and Expense	29,658	23,156	6,502
Corporate Health Service Allocation	7,973	—	7,973
	<u>\$ 340,655</u>	<u>\$ 319,398</u>	<u>\$ 21,257</u>

EXHIBIT "E"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
STATEMENT OF INCOME — GIFT ANNUITY AND LIFE INCOME FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended		Increase (Decrease)
	April 30,		
	1975	1974	
Income —			
Interest — U.S. Treasury Bonds	\$ 2,958	\$ 3,001	\$ (43)
Interest — Savings Accounts	316	628	(312)
Interest — Corporate Bonds and Other Obligations	24,209	24,191	18
Dividends — Common Stock	17,181	17,034	147
Total Income	\$ 44,664	\$ 44,854	\$ (190)
Expenses —			
Custodians' Fees	\$ 1,102	\$ 1,074	\$ 28
Miscellaneous	50	6	44
Total Expenses	\$ 1,152	\$ 1,080	\$ 72
	\$ 43,512	\$ 43,774	\$ (262)
Other Income —			
Gain or Loss on Sale of Securities	\$ 4	\$ (12,768)	\$ 12,772
Termination of Annuities and Life Income Contracts	30,571	22,617	7,954
	\$ 30,575	\$ 9,849	\$ 20,726
	\$ 74,087	\$ 53,623	\$ 20,464
Other Expenses—			
Payment to Gift Annuitants	\$ 42,593	\$ 43,366	\$ (773)
Payment to Life Agreements	2,251	1,840	411
	\$ 44,844	\$ 45,206	\$ (362)
Fund Income	\$ 29,243	\$ 8,417	\$ 20,826
Fund Balance, May 1, 1974			\$ 310,375
Add: Fund Income			29,243
Fund Balance, April 30, 1975			\$ 339,618

EXHIBIT "F"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
STATEMENT OF INCOME — ENDOWMENT FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended		Increase (Decrease)
	April 30,		
	1975	1974	
Income —			
Interest — U.S. Treasury Bonds	\$ 2,380	\$ 2,390	\$ (10)
— Corporate Bonds	25,373	22,591	2,782
— Savings Account	934	860	74
— Commercial Paper	4,300	1,924	2,376
Dividends	15,044	14,287	757
Gain (Loss) on Sale of Securities	1,495	(4,359)	5,854
Total Income	\$ 49,526	\$ 37,693	\$ 11,833
Expenses —			
Custodial Fees	\$ 1,175	\$ 1,025	\$ 150
Miscellaneous	2	5	(3)
Total Expenses	\$ 1,177	\$ 1,030	\$ 147
Net Income	\$ 48,349	\$ 36,663	\$ 11,686
EQUITY			
Balance, May 1, 1974			\$ 966,045
Add: Additions to Principal		\$ 121,000	
Net Income for Current Year		48,349	169,349
			\$1,135,394
Less: Payments to Country House — Restricted ..		1,625	
Payments to Manor House — Restricted		1,598	3,223
Balance, April 30, 1975			\$1,132,171

EXHIBIT "G"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
STATEMENT OF INCOME — POOLED INCOME FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED APRIL 30, 1975 AND 1974

	Fiscal Years Ended		Increase (Decrease)
	1975	1974	
Income —			
Interest Income	\$ 2,667	\$ 1,522	\$ 1,145
Expenses —			
Payments to Beneficiaries	2,207	1,269	938
Net Income	\$ 460	\$ 253	\$ 207
Fund Balance, May 1, 1974			\$ 291
Add: Net Income Current Year			460
Fund Balance, April 30, 1975			\$ 751

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
APRIL 30, 1975

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:

The financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Fixed Assets are depreciated on a straight line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets. Investments are stated at cost. Fixed Assets donated are capitalized at the fair market value on the date of gift. Medicare reimbursements are recorded when received, therefore the accounts receivable do not reflect any monies due from this source.

2. Investments:

Market Values of the investments at April 30, 1975 are summarized as follows:

	Market Value	Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)
Endowment Fund	\$ 953,648	\$ (79,273)
Annuity Fund	784,611	(147,213)
Pooled Income Fund	38,000	(2,496)

3. Land, Buildings and Equipment — At April 30, 1975 the cost of these assets were as follows:

	Corporate	Country House	Manor House
Land	\$ —	\$ 289,899	\$ 115,111
Buildings	—	4,970,228	3,126,273
Equipment	2,235	526,319	360,977
Cokesbury Project	549,943	—	—
	<u>\$ 552,178</u>	<u>\$5,786,446</u>	<u>\$3,602,361</u>

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
Certified Public Accountants

Board of Trustees
Wesley College, Inc.
Dover, Delaware

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to instructions we have made an audit of the financial books and records of
WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
DOVER, DELAWARE

for the twelve months ended June 30, 1975, and present herewith our report as contained in the following:

	Comments
Exhibit "A"	Balance Sheet
Exhibit "B"	General Fund Statement
Exhibit "C"	General Fund — Summary of Operating Revenues and Expenditures
Exhibit "D"	Development Fund Statement
Exhibit "E"	Endowment — Scholarship Fund Statement
Exhibit "F"	Dulany Charitable Gift Annuity Fund Statement
Exhibit "G"	Student Activities Fund Statement
Schedule No. 1	Operating Revenues
Schedule No. 2	Administrative Expenses
Schedule No. 3	Student Services
Schedule No. 4	Institutional Expenses
Schedule No. 5	Instructional Expenses
Schedule No. 6	Other Educational and General Expenses
Schedule No. 7	Auxiliary Enterprises
Schedule No. 8	Student Aid Statement
Schedule No. 9	Endowment — Scholarship Fund Investments
Schedule No. 10	Capital Fund Assets
Schedule No. 11	Endowed Scholarships

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
August 21, 1975

**WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
COMMENTS**

OPERATIONS

For the twelve months ended June 30, 1975, operations resulted in an excess of disbursements over receipts of \$571,931.35. A summary of these operations is presented in Exhibit "C."

CASH

All bank accounts were reconciled and the balances confirmed by direct correspondence with the depositories. Cash on Hand was counted on July 24, 1975.

Cash on Hand and on Deposit as of June 30, 1975, was as follows:

General Fund		
Petty Cash	150.00	
Current Account — Farmers Bank, Dover, Delaware	(74,888.34)	
Dormitory and Dining Hall Revenue Fund	59.38	
Carpenter Hall Revenue Fund	6.45	
Reserve Funds	52,818.28	(21,854.23)
Development Fund		
Treasurer's Account	(199.09)	
Second Century Fund Account	6,709.77	6,510.68
Endowment Fund — Scholarship Fund		
Principal Cash — Farmers Bank, Wilmington, Del.	12,699.11	
Income Cash — Farmers Bank, Wilmington, Del.	185.99	12,885.10
Dulany Charitable Gift Annuity Fund		
Principal Cash	7.50	
Income Cash	14.50	22.00

NOTES AND ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

All notes and accounts receivable were scheduled; those deemed uncollectible were written off. The amount shown in the Balance Sheet is made up as follows:

Accounts Receivable — Other	5,900.00	
Current Accounts Receivable	20,772.30	
Past Due Accounts Receivable	20,034.53	
Total	<u>46,706.83</u>	

We did not confirm the receivables.

INVENTORIES

The inventories were taken by the college management, and we were not present at the time. We believe that the small amount of inventory held over in the Miscellaneous Instructional Supplies could be regarded as a constant sum, and has not been changed from the amount shown the previous year. The inventory in the Student Activities Fund was adjusted to agree with the actual inventory.

Below is an analysis of the inventories:

General Fund		
Miscellaneous Instructional Supplies	<u>170.00</u>	<u>170.00</u>
Student Activities Fund		
Books	17,478.93	
Supplies	14,174.82	
Novelties	<u>8,329.39</u>	<u>39,983.14</u>

INVESTMENTS

The Investments are held in separate funds as follows:

Development Fund	4,067.79	
Endowment — Scholarship Fund (Schedule No. 9)	552,675.82	
Dulany Charitable Gift Annuity (Exhibit "F")	<u>49,992.50</u>	<u>606,736.11</u>

These funds are placed in several types of investments as follows:

Land	4,067.79	
Stocks and Bonds	591,762.96	
Mortgages	<u>10,905.36</u>	<u>606,736.11</u>

The Stocks and Bonds held by Farmers Bank as collateral under a trust indenture were confirmed to us. The remaining were examined.

We were unable to examine the mortgages which are serviced by Elwood F. Melson, Jr.

LAND BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT

During the year under review, assets have been sold from the Capital Fund in the amount of \$45,131.17. The net changes in assets appear in Schedule No. 10.

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Trade Accounts were scheduled and found to be in agreement with the general records. We did not confirm these balances.

ADVANCE PAYMENTS

This account represents payments received for tuition, fees, etc. for the coming year.

RESERVE FUNDS

This account represents monies received which are restricted to their use or are applicable to future periods.

CAPITAL FUNDS

The obligation of this fund consisted of the following:

	Amount July 1, 1974	Increase	Decrease	Amount June 30, 1975
Farmers Bank — Notes	651,123.04	—	131,634.25	519,488.79
Grace Wharton — Note	2,298.59	—	2,298.59	—
H. E. W. Library Bond	491,000.00	—	13,000.00	478,000.00
C. I. T. Loan	1,145,854.14	—	104,168.56	1,041,685.58
Farmers Bank — Student Center ...	1,563,000.00	—	56,426.20	1,506,573.80
H. U. D. 1971 Series A	250,000.00	—	10,000.00	240,000.00
H. U. D. 1971 Series B	457,000.00	—	6,000.00	451,000.00
H. U. D. 1971 Series C	1,917,000.00	—	31,000.00	1,886,000.00
	<u>6,477,275.77</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>354,527.60</u>	<u>6,122,748.17</u>

The loan payable to C. I. T. Educational Building, Inc. is under a lease rental agreement payable semi-annually. The lease rental is payable in thirty equal installments of \$52,084.28 each. To continue the same practice as on prior loans, only the cost of the construction has been included in fixed assets while the total amount payable has been recorded as a liability.

OTHER LIABILITIES

All known liabilities have been included in the Balance Sheet as of June 30, 1975.

ENDOWMENT FUND — SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The condition of this fund at June 30, 1975 is reflected in the Balance Sheet, Exhibit "A." Changes in the fund are reported in Exhibit "E" and changes in investments are in Schedule No. 9.

During the year, \$117,446.50 in securities held in the Endowment-Scholarship Fund were sold at the recommendation of H. U. D. to pay the principal and part of the interest on the H. U. D. 1971 Bonds, and C. I. T. Loan. This is shown as income in the General Fund as transfer from the Endowment-Scholarship Fund.

During the year, the Archie mortgage with a balance of \$189.15 and the Driver mortgage with a balance of \$2,579.78, were deemed uncollectible and written off. This is shown as a reduction in the Fund Balance, not as an expense in the General Fund.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES FUND

Operations in this fund resulted in an excess of disbursements over receipts of \$18,121.27. Details of this fund can be found in Exhibit "G."

DEVELOPMENT FUND

Transactions effecting the balance of this fund can be found in Exhibit "D."

DORMITORIES AND DINING HALL PROJECTS INDENTURE

In our examination of the records of Wesley College, Inc. for the year ended June 30, 1975, we obtained no knowledge which, in our opinion, indicated any default in the fulfillment of any terms, covenants or provisions of the Indenture to the Federal Government.

AUDITOR'S OPINION

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included such tests of the accounting records and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, subject to the above comments, the accompanying Balance Sheet and Statements of Operations present fairly the financial position of Wesley College, Inc. as of June 30, 1975 and the results of its operations for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of preceding years except, that no provision has been made for depreciation.

EXHIBIT "A"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
BALANCE SHEET
JUNE 30, 1975

ASSETS

General Fund:			
Accounts Receivable	46,706.83		
Accounts Receivable — Development Fund	36,572.45		
Accounts Receivable — Student Activities Fund	116,084.54		
Inventories	170.00	199,533.82	
Development Fund:			
Cash In Bank	6,510.68		
Investments	4,067.79		
Accounts Receivable — General Fund	10,000.00	20,578.47	
Endowment — Scholarship Fund:			
Cash in Bank	12,885.10		
Investments (Schedule No. 9) (Market Value \$478,874.25)	552,675.82	565,560.92	
Dulany Charitable Gift Annuity Fund:			
Cash in Bank	22.00		
Investments (Exhibit "F") (Market Value \$36,776.25)	49,992.50	50,014.50	
Student Activities Fund:			
Accounts Receivable	3,709.25		
Inventories	39,983.14	43,692.39	
Capital Fund:			
Land	1,067,854.25		
Buildings and Improvements	11,922,112.99		
Furniture and Fixtures	421,721.93	13,411,689.17	
			<u>14,291,069.27</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

General Fund:		
Cash in Bank — Overdraft	21,854.23	
Accounts Payable — Trade	94,118.07	
Accounts Receivable — Credit Balance	11,319.81	
Payroll Taxes Payable	4,019.86	
Advance Payments	78,656.00	
Reserve Funds	52,818.28	
Summer School and Conferences	26,266.66	
Notes Payable — Bank	550,000.00	
Accrued Payroll	86,348.33	
Retirement	816.97	
Sundry Accounts	14,875.86	
Fund Balance	<u>(741,560.25)</u>	199,533.82
Development Fund:		
Accounts Payable — General Fund	36,572.45	
Fund Balance	<u>(15,993.98)</u>	20,578.47
Endowment — Scholarship Fund:		
Fund Balance		565,560.92
Dulany Charitable Gift Annuity Fund:		
Fund Balance		50,014.50
Student Activities Fund:		
Accounts Payable — General Fund	116,084.54	
Fund Balance	<u>(72,392.15)</u>	43,692.39
Capital Fund:		
Notes Payable — Bank	2,026,062.59	
Notes Payable — C. I. T.	1,041,685.58	
H. E. W. Bond Payable	478,000.00	
H. U. D. Bonds Payable	2,577,000.00	
Fund Balance	<u>7,288,941.00</u>	<u>13,411,689.17</u>
		<u>14,291,069.27</u>

EXHIBIT "B"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
GENERAL FUND STATEMENT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Fund Balance, July 1, 1974	(169,628.90)
Decreases:	
Excess of General Fund Expenditures over Revenues for the twelve months ended June 30, 1975	<u>571,931.35</u>
Fund Balance, June 30, 1975	<u>(741,560.25)</u>

EXHIBIT "C"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
GENERAL FUND
SUMMARY OF OPERATING REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Revenues		
Educational and General		
Tuition	1,377,022.25	
Miscellaneous Fees	25,848.00	
Endowment Income	44,643.93	
Gifts and Grants	288,033.88	
Miscellaneous	68,906.92	
Alumni Association	15,000.00	
Student Center Fee	56,850.00	
Federal Funds	19,529.00	
Transfer of Endowment Principal	<u>117,446.50</u>	2,013,280.48
Auxiliary Enterprises		
Dining Hall	289,992.57	
Residence Halls	<u>285,645.31</u>	<u>575,637.88</u>
Total Operating Revenues		2,588,918.36
Expenditures		
Educational and General		
Administrative (Sched. No. 2)	259,254.44	
Student Services (Sched. No. 3)	172,941.22	
Institutional Expenses (Sched. No. 4)	143,164.43	
Instructional Expenses (Sched. No. 5)	893,810.37	
Other Educational and General Expenses (Sched. No. 6)	670,592.40	
Excess of Student Aid Disbursements over Receipts (Sched. No. 8)	154,928.56	
Excess of Student Activities Fund Disbursements over Receipts (Exhibit "G")	18,121.27	
Debt Service	106,893.64	
Uncollectible Accounts	<u>28,724.63</u>	2,448,430.96
Auxiliary Enterprises		
Dining Hall	297,896.72	
Residence Halls	<u>414,522.03</u>	<u>712,418.75</u>
Total Operating Expenditures		<u>3,160,849.71</u>
Excess of Expenditures over Revenue		<u>(571,931.35)</u>

EXHIBIT "D"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
DEVELOPMENT FUND STATEMENT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Balance, July 1, 1974		(56,063.15)
Increases:		
Contributions — Peninsula Conference	6,000.00	
Contributions — Second Century Fund	216,771.47	
Rental From Properties	32,397.48	
Sale of Properties	37,384.01	
Refund — Equipment	41.85	
Decrease — Accounts Payable — General Fund	40,000.00	332,594.81
		<u>276,531.66</u>
Decreases:		
Equipment	2,319.50	
Interest	21,916.62	
Taxes	1,338.86	
Property Expense	937.38	
General Campus Expense	9,243.96	
Legal Fees	756.50	
Audit	770.00	
Safe Deposit Box	25.00	
Miscellaneous	17.00	
Loan Payments	183,903.19	
Bowdle Settlement	456.50	
Freight	27.16	
Outside Consultants	812.97	
Transfer to General Fund	70,001.00	292,525.64
		<u>(15,993.98)</u>

EXHIBIT "E"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
ENDOWMENT — SCHOLARSHIP FUND STATEMENT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	Income	Principal
Fund Balance, July 1, 1974:		
Investments — Schedule No. 9	—	639,368.72
Principal Cash	—	23,654.38
Income Cash	13,046.02	—
	<u>13,046.02</u>	<u>663,023.10</u>
Increases:		
Income from Investments — Schedule No. 9	42,259.97	—
Gift — J. Henry Smith	—	3,782.50

— John Havill	—	985.00
— Dr. & Mrs. Lowe	—	1,800.00
— Dr. & Mrs. Parker	—	14,775.00
— Julius Tudor	—	2,500.00
— Dover Medical Research Center	—	35,300.00
— Faculty Club	—	2,500.00
Mortgage on Sale of Bowdle Property	—	8,000.00
Miscellaneous	12.50	29.14
	<u>42,272.47</u>	<u>69,671.64</u>
	<u>55,318.49</u>	<u>732,694.74</u>
Decreases:		
Transfer to General Fund	40,750.00	117,446.50
J. Henry Smith Adjustment	1,382.50	—
Transfer Mac Collum to General Fund	13,000.00	23,000.00
Loss on Sale of Securities	—	24,104.38
Uncollectible Mortgages	—	2,768.93
	<u>55,132.50</u>	<u>167,319.81</u>
Fund Balance, June 30, 1975	<u>185.99</u>	<u>565,374.93</u>
Allocated as Follows:		
Investments — Schedule No. 9	—	552,675.82
Principal Cash	—	12,699.11
Income Cash	185.99	—
	<u>185.99</u>	<u>565,374.93</u>

EXHIBIT "F"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
DULANY CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY FUND STATEMENT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	Income	Principal
Fund Balance, July 1, 1974:		
Investments —		
2100 shs. General Public Utilities Corp	—	48,037.50
85 shs. Duke Power	—	1,955.00
Principal Cash	—	7.50
Income Cash	92.50	—
	<u>92.50</u>	<u>50,000.00</u>
Increases:		
Dividends — General Public Utilities Corp.	3,528.00	—
Dividends — Duke Power	119.00	—
	<u>3,647.00</u>	<u>—</u>
	<u>3,739.50</u>	<u>50,000.00</u>

Decreases:

Payments to Annuitants	1,925.00	—
Transferred to General Fund	1,800.00	—
	<u>3,725.00</u>	<u>—</u>
Fund Balance, June 30, 1975	14.50	50,000.00
	<u>14.50</u>	<u>50,000.00</u>

Allocated as Follows:

2100 shs. General Public Utilities Corp.	—	48,037.50
85 shs. Duke Power	—	1,955.00
Principal Cash	—	7.50
Income Cash	14.50	—
	<u>14.50</u>	<u>50,000.00</u>

EXHIBIT "G"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
STUDENT ACTIVITIES FUND STATEMENT
ANALYSIS OF INCOME AND EXPENSES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Income

Confirmation Fees	62,875.00	
Wesley Players	430.00	
Student Fines	174.15	
Admission Fees and Concession Stands	<u>1,683.50</u>	65,162.65
College Store —		
Supplies	6,888.22	
Books	56,994.38	
Novelties	12,668.22	
Sundries	<u>4,423.44</u>	80,974.26
Game Room		4,877.29
Snack Bar		<u>2,762.38</u>
Total Income		<u>153,776.58</u>

Expenses

Cultural —		
Sigma Tau Omega	177.25	
SAM	440.94	
Wesley Players	1,401.57	
Phi Theta Kappa	1,585.56	
Delta Psi Omega	25.00	
Kappa Chi	206.50	
Logology Society	<u>106.33</u>	3,943.15
Music —		
Band		1,412.29

Publications —

Eukairia	7,510.71	
Echoes	824.29	
NGOGN	10.06	8,345.06
WSCA	1,089.61	
College Center Board	5,347.04	
Social Program	7,225.00	
Salaries	6,515.46	
Student Help	4,656.50	
Concession Stand	552.55	
Miscellaneous Cultural Affairs	<u>8,447.40</u>	33,833.56

Sports —

Baseball	2,052.99	
Football	17,581.58	
Golf	250.00	
Basketball — Women	2,150.42	
Basketball — Men	10,083.65	
W Club	1,246.71	
Tennis	741.23	
Intramural Sports	272.58	
Trainers' Supply	1,758.95	
Hockey — Women	1,148.63	
Cheerleaders	595.04	
Dolphin Swim Club	335.47	
Pom Pom	<u>208.41</u>	38,425.66

Student Council		188.28
SGA		1,119.50
WSLY		(131.20)
Student Fines		48.00
President's Fund		500.00
Athletic Director		<u>1,475.95</u>

College Store —

Salaries	8,441.17	
Student Help	404.71	
Supplies	6,256.80	
Equipment	71.94	
Books	45,624.56	
Equipment Maintenance	199.84	
Novelties	13,172.36	
Sundry	4,365.27	
Mastercharge	<u>267.14</u>	78,803.79

Game Room —

Student Help	3,332.00	
Supplies	418.81	
Equipment Maintenance	83.00	
Special Activities	<u>100.00</u>	3,933.81

Total Expenses	<u>171,897.85</u>	
Net Income (Loss) For The Year		(18,121.27)
Net Loss Charged to General Fund		<u>18,121.27</u>

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO. 1

OPERATING REVENUES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Educational and General

Tuition			
Resident Full Time	1,132,643.00		
Non Resident Full Time	160,530.00		
Music	7,930.00		
Part Time	17,062.50		
Evening School	49,806.75		
Summer Session	9,050.00	1,377,022.25	
Miscellaneous Fees			
Applications	12,595.25		
Graduation	2,768.20		
Transcript	987.50		
Laboratory	9,497.05	25,848.00	
Endowment Income			
Copeland Trust	26,093.93		
Endowment Income	18,550.00	44,643.93	
Gifts and Grants			
Peninsula Conference	106,000.00		
Nursing Department	10,000.00		
Others	172,033.88	288,033.88	
Miscellaneous		68,906.92	
Federal Funds		19,529.00	
Alumni Association		15,000.00	
Student Center Fee		56,850.00	
Transfer of Endowment Fund Principal		117,446.50	
Total Educational and General		2,013,280.48	
Auxiliary Enterprises			
Dining Hall			
Students	260,165.00		
Other	14,825.49		
Summer Conferences	15,002.08	289,992.57	
Residence Halls			
Dormitories	279,567.00		
Summer Conferences	6,078.31	285,645.31	
Total Auxiliary Enterprises		575,637.88	
Total Operating Revenues		2,588,918.36	

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO. 2

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

President's Office

Salaries	35,755.89	
Presidential Search	3,135.32	
Supplies	512.64	
Office Expense	1,404.26	
Equipment — Maintenance	165.40	
Vuo Vadis	32,238.83	73,212.34

Administrative Assistant To The President

Salaries	32,692.10	
Part-Time Help	224.00	
Supplies	1,490.79	
Travel and Entertainment	3,329.25	
Equipment	365.00	
Equipment — Maintenance	141.40	38,242.54

Treasurer's Office

Salaries	62,138.29	
Supplies	2,883.15	
Travel and Entertainment	750.54	
Equipment	275.66	
Equipment — Maintenance	609.10	66,656.74

Trustees

Supplies	201.44	
Travel	39.20	240.64

Academic Dean's Office

Salaries	54,002.51	
Student Help	2,332.50	
Supplies	1,168.52	
Travel and Entertainment	174.23	
Equipment — Maintenance	88.55	
Special Projects	848.46	
Innovative Teaching	75.14	58,689.91

Associate Academic Dean's Office

Supplies	439.69	
Travel and Entertainment	57.32	
Equipment	49.99	547.00

Office of the Registrar

Salaries	14,185.27	
Supplies	455.11	
Equipment	2,192.59	

Equipment — Maintenance	16.58	16,849.55
General Office and Switchboard		
Salaries	4,815.72	
Total Administrative Expenses	<u>259,254.44</u>	

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO. 3

STUDENT SERVICES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Admissions Office		
Salaries	44,914.42	
Student Help	579.50	
Supplies	2,157.92	
Miscellaneous	790.00	
Travel	8,516.60	
Equipment	20.85	
Equipment — Maintenance	70.25	
Campus Entertaining	3,168.32	60,217.86
Dean of Student Affairs		
Salaries	36,668.48	
Student Help	3.24	
Supplies	1,115.40	
Travel	38.50	
Orientation	1,334.95	
Identification	999.70	40,160.27
College Center		
Salaries	15,227.37	
Supplies	737.76	
Travel	48.13	16,013.26
Student Welfare		
Salaries	16,997.88	
Supplies	665.72	
Insurance	13,817.55	
Physician and Medical Supplies	1,586.67	33,067.82
Counseling Office		
Salaries	18,680.90	
Student Help	130.34	
Supplies	1,249.71	
Travel	24.40	
Equipment — Maintenance	27.10	20,112.45
Commencement		3,369.56
Total Student Services		<u>172,941.22</u>

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC

SCHEDULE NO. 4

INSTITUTIONAL EXPENSES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Public Relations		
Salaries	15,609.67	
Student and Part-Time Help	1,198.30	
Supplies	675.13	
Publications	42,134.13	
Photography	3,746.50	
Advertising	14,816.41	
Travel and Entertainment	599.51	
Equipment — Maintenance	51.60	78,831.25
Alumni Affairs		
Salaries	18,616.79	
Student Help	20.00	
Supplies	1,797.56	
Travel	184.77	
Equipment — Maintenance	580.50	21,199.62
Unallocated Expense		
Audit		1,638.55
Office Services		
Salaries	12,630.87	
Supplies	(2,270.07)	
Postage	22,813.98	
Equipment	8,161.00	
Equipment — Maintenance	159.23	41,495.01
Total Institutional Expenses		<u>143,164.43</u>

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO. 5

INSTRUCTIONAL EXPENSES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Division of Humanities		
Salaries		107,811.00
English		
Supplies	1,052.44	
Travel	190.10	
Innovation Teaching	18.00	
Miscellaneous	737.75	1,998.29

Modern Language			
Student Help	41.00		
Supplies	129.33		
Travel	<u>14.40</u>	184.73	
Philosophy and religion			
Supplies		<u>163.90</u>	110,157.92
Division of Fine and Applied Arts			
Salaries		65,735.37	
Art			
Supplies		1,038.27	
Dramatics			
Supplies		237.29	
Music			
Supplies	1,525.08		
Travel	2,025.15		
Equipment	500.00		
Equipment — Maintenance	1,119.40		
Concert Expense	304.45		
Piano Moving	<u>106.00</u>	5,580.08	
Special Communication			
Supplies	280.80		
Equipment Maintenance	24.50	305.30	72,896.31
Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics			
Salaries		90,121.34	
Biological Sciences			
Student Help	1,626.00		
Supplies	3,826.77		
Equipment	62.71		
Equipment — Maintenance	15.50		
Field Trips	<u>384.00</u>	5,914.98	
Physical Sciences			
Student Help	45.50		
Supplies	1,206.71		
Travel	404.50		
Equipment — Maintenance	337.12		
Miscellaneous	<u>110.70</u>	2,104.53	
Mathematics			
Supplies		284.84	98,389.69
Division of Applied Sciences			
Salaries		180,554.69	
Business			
Student Help	403.50		

Supplies	525.40		
Travel	22.60		
Miscellaneous	<u>3.00</u>	954.50	
Education			
Student Help	315.00		
Supplies	894.92		
Travel	86.92		
Equipment	256.58		
Rink and Alley Rental	<u>622.20</u>	2,175.62	
Nursing			
Supplies	1,678.28		
Travel	3,813.34		
Equipment — Maintenance	62.10		
Insurance	<u>834.00</u>	6,387.72	
Secretarial Sciences			
Student Help	192.00		
Supplies	626.63		
Equipment	18,725.90		
Equipment — Maintenance	<u>523.20</u>	20,067.73	210,140.26
Division of Social and Behavioral Sciences			
Salaries		51,994.00	
Economics			
Supplies		67.02	
Geography			
Supplies		130.70	
Political Sciences			
Supplies	46.03		
Travel	40.00	86.03	52,277.75
Psychology			
Supplies	421.06		
Innovative Teaching	<u>54.76</u>	475.82	
Sociology			
Supplies		143.47	
History			
Supplies		<u>465.41</u>	1,084.70
Other Instructional Expenses			
Chapel			
Salaries	2,137.92		
Supplies	500.50		
Retreat	684.29		
Travel	263.80		
Speakers	2,048.61		
Equipment — Maintenance	66.00		
Wesley Sunday	92.98		
Entertainment	<u>(36.00)</u>	5,758.10	

Library			
Salaries	58,788.27		
Supplies	432.79		
Equipment	90.00		
Books	7,728.80		
Periodicals	5,515.65		
Binding	744.80		
Micro Film	425.00		
Other Sources	2,148.30	75,873.61	
Educational Media			
Student Help	1,460.00		
Supplies	1,899.89		
Equipment	325.55		
Equipment — Maintenance	708.49	4,393.93	
Evening School			
Salaries	34,274.32		
Supplies	1,745.46	36,019.78	
Computer Center			
Salaries	10,226.03		
Supplies	15.55		
Travel and Office Expense	600.00		
Equipment Rental	3,145.46		
Del-Data	12,809.92	26,796.96	
Faculty Recruitment			
Relocation	437.50		
Interviews	327.97	765.47	
Professional Relations and Improvements			
Membership	1,742.00		
Publications	27.95		
Graduate Study	3,611.65		
Professional Meetings	3,848.27		
Institutional Dues	2,469.00		
Remembrance — Staff and Faculty	154.90	11,853.77	
Faculty Welfare			
Social Security	75,052.78		
Workmen's Compensation	3,367.00		
Retirement	57,177.93		
Faculty Benefits	600.00		
Blue Cross	26,329.33		
Faculty Disability Insurance	7,608.50		
Retirement — Deferred	17,266.58	187,402.12	348,863.74
Total Instructional Expenses			<u>893,810.37</u>

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO. 6

OTHER EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL EXPENSES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Operation and Maintenance of Physical Plant			
Salaries	238,123.59		
Supplies	45,663.94		
Equipment	6,452.85		
Repairs — Building	7,248.21		
Repairs — Equipment	15,690.42		
Grounds	2,317.04		
Athletic Field	106.45		
Disposal Equipment	3,628.44	319,230.94	
Automotive			
Supplies	1,344.77		
Equipment	20.00		
Equipment Maintenance	360.21	1,724.98	
Utilities			
Telephone	35,324.43		
Electricity	175,631.63		
Water	9,905.48		
Fuel	111,855.15		
Gas	3,165.25		
Insurance	12,228.00	348,109.94	
President's Home			
Entertainment	67.47		
Repairs, Maintenance and Equipment	376.53		
Vehicle	1,082.54	1,526.54	
Total Other Educational and General Expenses			<u>670,592.40</u>

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO. 7

AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Dining Hall Expense			
Student Help	7,615.67		
Supplies	100.71		
Equipment — New	65.00		
Equipment — Maintenance	909.59		
Food Service	289,205.75	297,896.72	
Residence Hall Expense			
Salaries	20,865.02		
Student Help	9,972.00		

Debt Service	371,289.07	
Supplies	2,728.79	
Travel	116.96	
Off-Campus Housing	1,680.00	
Hospitality	146.82	
Breakage Replacement	5,589.06	
Residence Program	2,134.31	414,522.03
Total Auxiliary Enterprises		414,522.03

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO. 8

**STUDENT AID
ANALYSIS OF INCOME AND EXPENSES
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1975**

Income		
Student Aid Income —		
Endowment Scholarships	22,700.00	
Awards	237.01	22,937.01
Scholarships and Grants —		
National Methodist	1,000.00	
Churches	300.00	
Individuals and Organizations	11,570.00	
WSCS	200.00	
Nursing	25,750.00	
Work Study	19,711.00	58,531.00
Loans —		
NDSL	96,647.00	
HEW	8,650.00	
BEOG	16,888.00	
SEOG	10,300.00	132,485.00
Total Income		213,953.01
Expenses		
Scholarships and Grants —		
Designated	19,685.00	
Peninsula Conference	12,875.00	
National Methodist	1,000.00	
Churches	550.00	
Nursing	60,500.00	
Honor	23,000.00	
Music	1,495.00	119,105.00
Awards		368.82
Grant-In-Aid		83,306.54
Professional Discounts		21,338.98
Loans —		
NDSL	105,345.23	
HEW	11,064.00	

BEOG	17,353.00	
SEOG	11,000.00	144,762.23
Total Expenses		368,881.57
Net Loss for Year charged to General Fund		(154,928.56)

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO. 9

ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP FUND INVESTMENTS

Stocks And Bonds	Description	Date Of Mortgage	Rate Of Interest	Interest Paid To	Book Value July 1, 1974	Increases	Decreases	Gain (Loss)	Book Value June 30, 1975	Income Received
1,271 shs. \$ 3,600	American Telephone & Telegraph, Common				62,241.80	—	62,241.80	662.98	—	4,219.72
	American Telephone & Telegraph Debentures 8-3/4%, due 5/15/2000				3,611.55	—	—	—	3,611.55	315.00
\$50,000	American Telephone & Telegraph Debentures 8-3/4%, due 5/15/2000				—	50,000.00	—	—	50,000.00	351.93
\$ 5,000	Baltimore Gas & Electric 10%, due 7/1/82				—	5,150.00	—	—	5,150.00	209.22
1,835 shs.	Bank of Delaware, Capital				31,175.82	—	—	—	31,175.82	4,220.50
250 shs.	Bethlehem Steel, Common				6,812.50	—	—	—	6,812.50	687.50
228 shs.	Consolidated Edison \$5.00 Pfd.				23,719.90	—	—	—	23,719.90	1,140.00
700 shs.	Continental Oil of Delaware				21,713.19	—	—	—	21,713.19	1,330.00
4,441 shs.	Delmarva Power & Light Co., Common				80,901.70	—	—	—	80,901.70	5,329.20
59 shs.	Delmarva Power & Light Co., Common				—	573.80	—	—	573.80	53.10
\$ 2,000	Delmarva Power & Light Co. Debentures, 8%, due 2003				2,017.33	—	—	—	2,017.33	160.00
300 shs.	Detroit Edison, Common				5,887.50	—	—	—	5,887.50	435.00
1,270 shs.	Duke Power, Common				29,210.00	—	—	—	29,210.00	1,778.00
130 shs.	Duke Power, Common				—	1,611.93	—	—	1,611.93	182.00
9 shs.	E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., Common				1,317.40	—	—	—	1,317.40	47.25
59 shs.	E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., 3-1/2% Pfd.				—	—	—	—	—	206.52
515 shs.	Exxon Corp., Capital				28,098.46	—	—	—	28,098.46	2,729.50
955 shs.	General Motors Corp., Common				68,152.61	—	—	—	68,152.61	2,769.50
145 shs.	General Motors Corp., Common				—	6,647.67	—	—	6,647.67	420.50
1,900 shs.	General Public Utilities Corp.				41,590.73	—	—	—	41,590.73	3,192.00
\$ 1,100	General Public Utilities Corp., Debentures, 10-1/4%, due 1980				1,100.00	—	—	—	1,100.00	112.76
600 shs.	Houdaille Industries, 2.25 Pfd.				21,966.19	—	21,966.19	(7,971.89)	—	337.50
300 shs.	Kennecott Copper Co.				13,687.50	—	—	—	13,687.50	735.00
\$ 2,000	Methodist Fund				2,000.00	—	—	—	2,000.00	200.00
200 shs.	Norfolk & Western				18,571.48	—	—	—	18,571.48	1,000.00
365 shs.	Northern Natural Gas				16,653.22	—	—	—	16,653.22	1,204.52
300 shs.	Panhandle-Eastern Pipeline Co.				11,378.25	—	—	—	11,378.25	600.00
1,600 shs.	Philadelphia Electric				36,120.25	—	36,120.25	(15,543.33)	—	1,968.00
70 shs.	Philadelphia Electric				—	983.24	983.24	(82.40)	—	—
400 shs.	Southern Company				7,916.20	—	7,916.20	(3,930.28)	—	560.00
300 shs.	Texaco, Inc.				10,059.18	—	—	—	10,059.18	630.00
900 shs.	Union Carbide Corp.				43,066.24	—(2)	26,317.50	2,760.54	16,748.74	1,740.00
2,000 shs.	Union Electric Co.				34,880.00	—	—	—	34,880.00	2,560.00
250 shs.	U.S. Steel Corp.				8,500.00	—	—	—	8,500.00	650.00
	Total Stocks and Bonds				623,349.00	64,966.64	155,545.18	(24,104.38)	541,770.46	42,074.22
					189.15	—	189.15(1)	—	—	—
					—	8,000.00	—	—	8,000.00	—
					2,579.78	—	2,579.78(1)	—	—	—
					900.00	—	900.00	—	—	—
					3,350.79	—	445.43	—	2,905.36	206.16
					7,019.72	8,000.00	4,114.36	—	10,905.36	206.16
	Total Mortgages				639,368.72	72,966.64	159,659.54	(24,104.38)	552,675.82	42,280.38
	Total Investments									20.41
	Commission Paid for Collection of Mortgage									42,259.97

(1) Written off as uncollectible
(2) Sold 550 shs. 350 remaining

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO. 10

CAPITAL FUND ASSETS
JUNE 30, 1975

	Book Value July 1, 1974	Additions (Deletions) To June 30, 1975	Book Value June 30, 1975
Land			
Main Campus	315,053.74		315,053.74
Athletic Field	33,712.64		33,712.64
Williams Hall	14,000.00		14,000.00
New Dormitory	46,500.00		46,500.00
Richardson Hall	25,000.00		25,000.00
Carpenter Hall	75,000.00		75,000.00
Gooding Hall	32,006.25		32,006.25
Budd Hall	36,506.25		36,506.25
Derrickson Hall	35,000.00		35,000.00
Tennis Courts	17,093.82		17,093.82
Harrington House	2,000.00		2,000.00
Jones Property	32,000.00		32,000.00
Frazier Property	15,000.00		15,000.00
Carroll Property	26,000.00		26,000.00
Taylor Property	16,500.00		16,500.00
Executive Property	18,000.00		18,000.00
Roe Property	18,000.00		18,000.00
Danner Property	16,000.00		16,000.00
Clark Property	14,500.00		14,500.00
Martin Property	20,000.00		20,000.00
Taylor Property	17,000.00		17,000.00
Reginald Property	18,500.00		18,500.00
Herrick Property	30,000.00		30,000.00
Conner Property	45,000.00		45,000.00
Howe Property	37,744.69		37,744.69
Torbert Property	30,000.00		30,000.00
Wilson Property	30,000.00		30,000.00
Wright Property	7,488.92		7,488.92
Bowdle Property	6,131.17	(6,131.17)	—
Bailey Property	4,247.94		4,247.94
Barnard Property	40,000.00		40,000.00
Morris Property	12,000.00	(12,000.00)	—
Bowdle Property	27,000.00	(27,000.00)	—
Buildings			
Richardson House	80,000.00		80,000.00
Richardson Barn	5,000.00		5,000.00
Peninsula House — Parking Lot	8,446.25		8,446.25
Gooding Hall	404,930.99		404,930.99
Budd Hall	337,508.31		337,508.31
Slaybaugh Hall	505,420.96		505,420.96
Dulany Hall	469,426.05		469,426.05
Williams Hall	485,232.31		485,232.31

Gym	644,985.99		644,985.99
Cannon Hall	810,899.48		810,899.48
Carpenter Hall	1,243,613.54		1,243,613.54
Robert H. Parker Library	1,311,652.10		1,311,652.10
President's Home	47,728.41		47,728.41
Student Center	3,697,852.04		3,697,852.04
New Dormitory	1,862,758.40		1,862,758.40
	<u>11,915,454.83</u>	—	<u>11,915,454.83</u>

Improvements to Buildings

Dormitories	4,241.21		4,241.21
Instructional	456.43		456.43
General	1,960.52		1,960.52
	<u>6,658.16</u>	—	<u>6,658.16</u>

Furnishings and Equipment

Classroom Buildings	12,187.41		12,187.41
Dormitories:			
Southwing	10,116.35		10,116.35
Anne Stewart Hall	1,415.76		1,415.76
Richardson Hall	3,017.50		3,017.50
Men's and Women's Dormitory (new) ...	243,947.13		243,947.13
Various	3,630.93		3,630.93
Gooding Hall	9,562.94		9,562.94
Derrickson Hall	10,845.92		10,845.92
Offices	17,669.47		17,669.47
President's House	6,720.35		6,720.35
Lounges	4,573.00		4,573.00
Peninsula House — 217 N. Bradford St.	500.40		500.40
Chapel	6,269.00		6,269.00
Chaplain's House	887.65		887.65
Book Store	483.75		483.75
Instructional:			
Laboratories —			
Physics	4,612.14		4,612.14
Chemistry	3,706.77		3,706.77
Biology	5,635.98		5,635.98
Commercial	7,325.43		7,325.43
Reading Center	479.60		479.60
Music Department	7,645.00		7,645.00
Miscellaneous Instruction	17,458.78		17,458.78
Visual Aid	1,637.35		1,637.35
Library	20,274.42		20,274.42
Physical Education	660.00		660.00
Activities:			
Dramatics	1,200.00		1,200.00
Social Committee	250.00		250.00
Physical Education	2,000.00		2,000.00
Publication	100.00		100.00
Chorus	2,000.00		2,000.00
Band	400.00		400.00
Sports	3,211.01		3,211.01

Maintenance:			
Housekeeping	5,228.34		5,228.34
Shops	1,069.55		1,069.55
Tools and Machinery	1,000.00		1,000.00
I. B. M. Equipment	4,000.00		4,000.00
	<u>421,721.93</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>421,721.93</u>
Total	<u>13,456,820.34</u>	<u>(45,131.17)</u>	<u>13,411,689.17</u>

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

SCHEDULE NO.11

ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS

	Balance July 1, 1974	Additions	Balance June 30, 1975	Income
Mr. & Mrs. Richard McMullen	10,044.37	—	10,044.37	751.09
Mary A. Wilcox	2,000.00	—	2,000.00	149.56
Vaughn Smith Collins	5,000.00	—	5,000.00	373.90
Thomas Irons	2,500.00	—	2,500.00	186.95
George F. Kettle	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	74.78
Mary P. Merritt	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	74.78
T. Blair Ely	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	74.78
Bishop McDowell	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	74.78
Thomas S. Holt	10,000.00	—	10,000.00	747.80
Dr. Presley Spruance Downs	40,000.00	—	40,000.00	2,991.20
The Ashbrook Fund	10,212.85	—	10,212.85	763.65
The Lurty Memorial	35,863.00	—	35,863.00	2,681.18
Elmer Fell Davis	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	74.78
Mary A. J. Short	1,900.00	—	1,900.00	142.08
Avery W. Hall	5,000.00	—	5,000.00	373.90
Martin Jensen	25,000.00	—	25,000.00	1,869.50
Alton E. Lowe	2,000.00	—	2,000.00	149.56
Wesley College Faculty Club	10,000.00	2,500.00	12,500.00	747.80
Grace Brown	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	74.78
Grover Herman	10,000.00	—	10,000.00	747.80
The Rev. & Mrs. Tilghmar Smith Fund	8,020.00	3,782.50	11,802.50	599.73
Mr. & Mrs. V. R. Kilby	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	74.78
W. T. Cloud Estate	17,670.70	—	17,670.70	1,321.36
Lewis P. Brown	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	74.78
Julius Tudor	5,000.00	2,500.00	7,500.00	373.90
James Rollins	4,188.46	—	4,188.46	313.33
William F. Milbury	1,554.30	—	1,554.30	116.66
John Havill	2,348.68	985.00	3,333.68	175.73
Dr. & Mrs. Alton Lowe	1,200.00	1,800.00	3,000.00	89.73
Dr. & Mrs. Robert Parker	—	14,775.00	14,775.00	—
Dover Medical Research	—	35,300.00	35,300.00	—
	<u>217,502.36</u>	<u>61,642.50</u>	<u>279,144.86</u>	<u>16,264.65</u>

ENDOWED LECTURESHIPS

Mary Nuttle Marine	12,558.21	—	12,558.21	940.04
George H. Bennett	500.00	—	500.00	37.39
	<u>13,058.21</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>13,058.21</u>	<u>977.43</u>
	<u>230,560.57</u>	<u>61,642.50</u>	<u>292,203.07</u>	<u>17,242.08</u>

DISTRIBUTION REPORT
General Board of Pensions of the United Methodist Church

For the 1976 Calendar Year

RETIRED

Name	Annual Annuity To Be Paid by Peninsula
Amoss, Howard M.	\$ 1,650.00
Bailey, Franklin B.	3,328.00
Bailey, H. N.	2,541.00
Bailey, Howard A.	2,310.00
Beckwith, Walter L.	4,692.00
Bennett, Elmer	4,191.00
Bishop, George W.	1,452.00
Buckley, Frank G.	3,971.00
Caldwell, Henry T.	3,625.00
Carpenter, C. I.	1,320.00
Caulk, Jacob C.	2,030.00
Chancy, Augustus	2,118.00
Chandler, Hartwell	2,090.00
Coleman, Edward E.	1,727.00
Collins, W. Irvin	3,432.00
Conner, Harry H.	2,530.00
Conway, James A.	1,756.00
Crockett, E. E.	1,636.00
Crosse, S. Winston C.	1,760.00
Cursey, Elwood W.	3,835.00
Dennis, Louis R.	798.00
Diehl, J. R.	3,498.00
Dise, Waldo L.	3,515.00
Dix, Seldon G.	3,520.00
Donaway, Walter A.	3,377.00
Elliott, Lee	4,290.00
Flater, Harvey B.	4,400.00
Garrett, William J.	2,624.00
George, J. P.	3,152.00
Gerald, C. D.	2,613.00
Grattan, Harold N.	594.00
Griffin, James C.	2,970.00
Hastings, R. W.	1,673.00
Harris, Carlton M.	2,695.00
Hilbert, James J.	391.00
Jeffers, H. C.	1,147.00
Jolly, Emerson M.	1,782.00
Jones, John Edward	4,615.00
Kay, Melvin	3,724.00
Kincade, Charles E.	1,980.00
Kirwin, Ray W.	4,846.00
Leister, Guy E.	3,438.00
Link, John N.	1,540.00
Littleton, D'Arcy A.	2,393.00
Lyght, W. L. D.	2,750.00

Mackey, J. R.	2,970.00
McBride, John E.	3,548.00
Milbury, F. D.	3,988.00
Mills, Walter J.	2,481.00
Minker, Ralph L.	660.00
Nicklas, H. Norman.	3,834.00
O'Neil, James	3,735.00
Parks, Harry M.	4,285.00
Pritchard, Daniel T.	3,630.00
Reiter, C. L.	935.00
Reynolds, Paul E.	4,261.00
Ridout, Daniel L.	2,448.00
Ross, Gilbert S.	3,548.00
Schauer, Henry M.	3,575.00
Shields, Elmer R.	4,180.00
Shufelt, Vinton D.	2,327.00
Snapp, Albert M. B.	2,145.00
Spence, O. H.	2,860.00
Spence, Preston W.	4,428.00
Spencer, Charles P.	3,465.00
Squires, Charles H.	4,098.00
Strickland, Alfred W.	2,118.00
Tawes, Roy L.	5,165.00
Taylor, George W.	2,701.00
Tasco, William Moses	880.00
Thomas, Essel P.	4,648.00
Thomas, Paul	1,430.00
Thomas, William C.	3,273.00
Trader, Charles L.	1,947.00
Truitt, Frederick H.	4,318.00
Turkington, Thomas J.	3,421.00
VanCleaf, Robert E.	3,245.00
Vaughn, Joseph B.	4,461.00
Volk, Frank M.	3,328.00
Von Hagel, James J.	3,960.00
Waters, Floyd E.	1,210.00
Wheatley, Grayson H.	3,801.00
Wilcox, C. E.	1,760.00
Williams, J. I.	3,328.00
Willis, C. L.	1,320.00
Wimberly, Edgar V.	1,320.00
Total	\$245,354.00

WIDOWS

Andrews, Zoe H.	\$ 1,753.00
Atkins, Minnie D.	3,399.00
Baker, Louise S.	2,859.00
Bicking, Lucille H.	3,733.00
Golden, Anna	330.00
Bradley, Catherine G.	2,401.00
Branford, Ruth W.	2,889.00
Brewer, Flora E.	2,661.00
Brinton, Anna L.	701.00

Brown, Emma J.	2,021.00
Butler, Katie	3,630.00
Blundon, Sadie E. (Caudill)	309.00
Clarkson, Edith P.	2,537.00
Collis, Emma B.	392.00
Connelly, Gertrude D.	4,035.00
Covington, Lula M.	2,393.00
Crum, Mildred E.	2,083.00
Culhane, Charlotte (Marine)	2,454.00
Davis, Ester S.	2,988.00
Davis, Elizabeth	371.00
Fordham, Mabel T.	2,228.00
Frye, Cora E.	3,074.00
Gerry, Lillian	1,682.00
Goodhand, Charlotte B.	1,114.00
Gould, Katherine W.	248.00
Grant, Mary L.	825.00
Green, Cora McW.	3,601.00
Hall, Carolyn P.	1,073.00
Hamblin, Edith P.	3,058.00
Hanby, Bessie B.	2,394.00
Harris, Eura S.	3,040.00
Herson, Jennie M.	2,496.00
Holdway, Elizabeth	887.00
Hubbard, Goolie	2,145.00
Hughes, Betty L.	1,761.00
Ingram, Juanita	495.00
Jackson, Odelle	1,526.00
Jefferson, Bertha C.	3,061.00
Jones, Carrie M.	3,300.00
Jones, Velma T.	722.00
Kiah, Catherine B.	825.00
Kniceley, Janet	1,052.00
Lockerman, Jaal T.	3,465.00
Loss, Olive B.	866.00
Marks, Amy	2,640.00
McDowell, Ida E.	3,403.00
Mills, Frances W.	825.00
Mills, Pauline J.	825.00
Morris, Mary E.	825.00
Mulligan, Nellie R.	3,036.00
Nichols, Laura W.	1,650.00
Pettus, Ruth C.	1,609.00
Pigueron, Margaret	2,166.00
Price, Blanche N.	2,450.00
Pruitt, Willie	825.00
Randall, Lillian M.	3,156.00
Randall, Mary E.	701.00
Annie B. Reid	3,218.00
Schauer, Mary T.	2,285.00
Shockley, H. Julia	2,468.00
Snead, Catherine L.	2,074.00
Spry, Nellie	3,196.00
Stafford, Mary V.	1,064.00
Stevenson, Ella M.	2,021.00

Thawley, Mary E.	3,438.00
Thomas, Selena P.	2,331.00
Tomlinson, Julia	1,217.00
Trader, Ruth M.	1,733.00
Turner, Mae W.	1,980.00
Wallace, Mabel W.	1,815.00
Waters, Celeste	825.00
Waters, Hattie M.	1,650.00
Watson, Marie C.	1,073.00
Wells, Madeline D.	1,093.00
Whedbee, Hattie H.	825.00
Wimbrow, Audrey Jane	2,454.00
Wooten, Reba C.	3,296.00
Zimmerman, Helen	1,877.00
Total	\$154,921.00

CHILDREN

Bunting, John J. Jr.	578.00
George, Eric, Jr.	275.00
Hall, Cindy Marie	358.00
Hall, Brooks W.	358.00
Randall, Mark Lane	1,052.00
Total	2,621.00

SUPPLY MINISTERS

Abbott, Wilmer E.	1,870.00
Elliott, Milton R.	2,525.00
Fox, Clarence J.	2,151.00
Hudson, A. T. P.	2,151.00
Hughes, Ralph H.	1,403.00
James, Ophelia O.	1,777.00
Jones, Grover N.	1,590.00
Milliner, Milton C.	1,216.00
Ralph, Harlan M.	1,029.00
Roberts, Maxwell J.	2,057.00
Smith, Muriel C.	1,496.00
Steen, James C. Sr.	3,553.00
Turkington, A. A.	1,777.00
White, Isaac H.	1,590.00
Wilkins, Clarence E.	1,262.00
Wilson, George B.	1,403.00
Total	\$ 28,850.00

SUPPLY WIDOWS

Brown, Ester P.	912.00
Browne, Kay	982.00
Caldwell, Blanche	1,403.00
Collins, Estella	701.00
Cottingham, Anna P.	1,052.00
Foster, Hazel	701.00
Guyer, Minnie	806.00
Hall, Lillie M.	1,613.00

Henry, Rosie	771.00
Hill, Juanita D.	1,753.00
Hodges, Elizabeth	842.00
Holden, Lois	701.00
Hughes, Mary E.	1,367.00
Hyland, Maryanna L.	701.00
Johnson, Minnie	561.00
Kirby, Ella N.	2,104.00
Layton, Elsie G.	2,454.00
McWilliams, Mary	894.00
Molock, Leah P.	403.00
Murray, Bertha V.	1,262.00
Prettyman, Elizabeth	1,403.00
Townsend, Maud E.	1,543.00
Travers, Cora M.	1,543.00
Washington, Natalie	70.00
Total	\$ 26,542.00

SUPPLY CHILDREN

Foster, Sara E.	596.00
Foster, Sandra	596.00
Total	1,192.00

VII. Historical

A. Record Of Past Conference Sessions

No.	Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary
Organizing Session				
1	Oct. 31,	1939 Salisbury, Md.	E. H. Hughes	J. R. Bicking
Adjourned Session				
	May 15,	1940 Wilmington: Grace	E. H. Hughes	J. R. Bicking
Special Session				
	Jan. 22,	1941 Dover: Wesley	A. W. Leonard	J. R. Bicking
	Oct. 31,	1944 Dover: Wesley	C. W. Flint	J. R. Bicking
	Sept. 15,	1949 Dover: Wesley	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
	June 12,	1950 Dover: Wesley	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
Regular Session				
2	May 13,	1941 Wilmington: Union	A. W. Leonard	J. R. Bicking
3	May 13,	1942 Wilmington: McCabe	A. W. Leonard	J. R. Bicking
4	May 12,	1943 Wilmington: Union	R. J. Wade	J. R. Bicking
5	May 17,	1944 Wilmington: McCabe	E. H. Hughes	J. R. Bicking
6	May 16,	1945 Wilmington: St. Paul's	C. W. Flint	J. R. Bicking
7	May 15,	1946 Wilmington: McCabe	C. W. Flint	J. R. Bicking
8	May 14,	1947 Wilmington: Union	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
9	May 17,	1948 Wilmington: Union	Claire Purcell	W. L. Beckwith
10	May 12,	1949 Salisbury: Bethesda	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
11	May 18,	1950 Wilmington: Union	F. P. Corson	W. L. Beckwith
12	May 17,	1951 Dover: Wesley	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
13	May 15,	1952 Wilmington: Grace	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
14	May 14,	1953 Wilmington: Union	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
15	May 13,	1954 Wilmington: St. Paul's	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
16	May 12,	1955 Wilmington: Grace	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
17	May 24,	1956 Dover: Wesley	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
18	May 16,	1957 Wilmington: Grace	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
19	May 15,	1958 Wilmington: St. Paul's	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
20	May 14,	1959 Salisbury: Bethesda	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
21	May 19,	1960 Wilmington: Grace	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
22	May 18,	1961 Wilmington: Grace	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
23	May 17,	1962 Wilmington: Grace	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
24	May 16,	1963 Salisbury: Bethesda	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
25	May 21,	1964 Wilmington: Aldersgate	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
26	May 13,	1965 Wilmington: Grace	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
27	May 19,	1966 Convention and Civic Center, Rehoboth Beach, Del.	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
28	May 18,	1967 Wilmington: Aldersgate	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
29	May 21,	1968 Easton: St. Marks	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
30	May 13,	1969 Salisbury: Asbury	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
31	May 26,	1970 Wilmington: Grace	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
32	May 25,	1971 Dover-Wesley College	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
33	May 30,	1972 Dover-Wesley College	J. W. Lord	C. A. Armour, Jr.
Special Session				
	Oct.	1972 Salisbury-Bethesda	J. K. Mathews	C. A. Armour, Jr.

Regular Sessions

- 34 May 22, 1973 Dover-Wesley College..... J. K. Mathews..... C. A. Armour, Jr.
- 35 May 21, 1974 Dover-Wesley College..... J. K. Mathews..... C. A. Armour, Jr.
- 36 May 20, 1975 Dover-Wesley College..... J. K. Mathews..... C. A. Armour, Jr.
- 37 May 25, 1976 Dover-Wesley College..... J. K. Mathews..... C. A. Armour, Jr.

B. Roll Of The Honored Dead

DECEASED MINISTERIAL MEMBERS

“They Rest From Their Labors And Their Works Do Follow Them.”

Entered Ministry	Name	Time Death	Place of Death	Age	Years Effective
1908	John W. Sutton	Apr. 11, 1939	Princess Anne, Md.	63	27
1886	Wm. R. Mowbray	Apr. 25, 1939	Wilmington, Del.	78	40
1907	Ransom P. Nichols	May 8, 1939	Salisbury, Md.	65	32
1876	Wilbur F. Corkran	May 10, 1939	Lewes, Del.	85	53
1833	Vaughn S. Collins	July 7, 1939	Wilmington, Del.	80	46
1885	Ellenzie C. Sunfield	Mar. 20, 1940	Wayne, N. J.	80	35
1892	John A. Wright	Nov. 17, 1940	Delmar, Del.	80	37
1918	A. F. Zimmerman	Dec. 21, 1940	Dover, Del.	47	22
1892	Clarence M. Cullen	Mar. 20, 1941	Lewes, Del.	78	43
1900	James L. Nichols	Apr. 2, 1941	Newark, Del.	70	29
1890	Melvin D. Nutter	Sept. 16, 1941	Newark, Del.	80	39
1881	John A. Rood	Apr. 1, 1942	Chesterville, Md.	89	35
1894	Henry G. Budd	Aug. 10, 1942	Dover, Del.	78	37
1902	James H. Gardner	Aug. 19, 1942	Salisbury, Md.	71	40
1876	Edmund J. Hoffecker	June 8, 1942	Easton, Md.	89	42
1895	Daniel J. Givan	Sept. 2, 1942	Snow Hill, Md.	77	45
1905	Jesse C. McCoy	Dec. 29, 1942	Rising Sun, Md.	68	37
1912	Wm. C. Mumford	Feb. 11, 1943	Salisbury, Md.	64	31
1887	James H. Wilson	June 6, 1943	Elsmere, Del.	80	39
1905	William R. Woodell	Jan. 19, 1944	Delmar, Del.	72	29
1914	Marion W. Marine	Feb. 18, 1944	Dover, Del.	59	30
1890	Virgil E. Rorer	June —, 1944	Jacksonville, Fla.	—	43
1896	Luther E. Poole	July 4, 1944	Snow Hill, Md.	74	38
1891	George P. Jones	Oct. 17, 1944	Mystic, Conn.	80	34
1895	Edward H. Collins	Aug. 13, 1944	Wilmington, Del.	75	39
1929	Clark S. Marshall	Dec. 31, 1944	Clayton, Del.	84	2
1892	Dorsey Blake	Mar. 20, 1945	Milford, Del.	80	52
1897	John W. Prettyman	May 14, 1945	Zion, Md.	80	39
1899	Thomas R. Woodford	June 21, 1945	Orlando, Fla.	73	37
1914	Norman C. Benson	July 21, 1945	Philadelphia, Pa.	70	31
1905	Daniel J. Ford	Oct. 23, 1945	Camden, Del.	75	30
1904	Frank M. Clift	Nov. 25, 1945	Springfield, Pa.	75	33
1902	James W. Colona	Apr. 24, 1946	Wilmington, Del.	74	41
1905	John T. Bailey	Sept. 27, 1946	Milford, Del.	74	33
1904	Joseph A. Buckson	Feb. 9, 1947	Rehoboth Beach, Del.	82	28
1903	George S. Thomas	Jan. 23, 1947	Tampa, Fla.	75	38
1910	Ziba Adams	Mar. 7, 1948	Port Republic, N. J.	75	32
1912	W. F. Bauscher	July 11, 1947	Baltimore, Md.	64	30
1897	C. P. Butler	Apr. 29, 1948	Seaford, Del.	80	47
1910	J. C. B. Hopkins	Jan. 25, 1948	Perryville, Md.	67	35
1914	Frank White	Dec. 27, 1947	Rising Sun, Md.	71	28
1897	William O. Bennett	Nov. 9, 1948	Felton, Del.	82	33
1903	Arthur W. Goodhand	Feb. 6, 1949	Wilmington, Del.	86	38
1910	Ernest C. Hallman	Sept. 22, 1948	Lewes, Del.	62	37
1909	Frank Herson	July 30, 1948	Milford, Del.	64	39

1897 Thomas S. Holt	Nov. 20, 1948	..Federalsburg, Md.	76	14
1911 Oren B. Rice	Aug. 31, 1948	..Trappe, Md.	76	28
1921 Francis R. Holland	May —, 1948	..Salisbury, Md.	82	9
1903 William E. Habbart	Feb. 1, 1950	..Wilmington, Del.	76	40
1893 George W. Hines	Mar. 28, 1950	..Stewartstown, Pa.	80	51
1906 Benjamin M. Johns	Oct. 24, 1949	..Unadilla, N. Y.	74	43
1898 Hugh B. Kelso	Mar. 11, 1950	..Wilmington, Del.	74	47
1931 John H. Mark	Jan. 28, 1950	..Bridgeton, N. J.	74	10
1900 William C. Poole	Dec. 24, 1949	..Lewes, Del.	74	35
1912 Ivanhoe Willis	Sept. 21, 1949	..Wilmington, Del.	76	27
1902 Oram T. Baynard	May 11, 1950	..Dover, Del.	76	38
1908 Arthur L. Grey	May —, 1950	..Easton, Md.	75	35
1904 John M. Kelso	May 19, 1950	..Dover, Del.	72	41
1898 Frederick X. Moore	Sept. 4, 1950	..Baltimore, Md.	76	23
1938 C. E. Ennis	June 16, 1952	..Salisbury, Md.	39	13
1922 M. E. Dearholt	Dec. 24, 1951	..Fayetteville, Pa.	58	25
1916 C. C. Harris	May 3, 1952	..Easton, Md.	65	36
1902 W. E. Matthews	June 23, 1951	..Smyrna, Del.	93	20
1914 F. K. McCorkle	Mar. 5, 1952	..Blades, Del.	80	27
1918 J. T. Rowleson	July 14, 1951	..Dagsboro, Del.	67	33
1921 Milton S. Andrews	July 12, 1952	..Wilmington, Del.	56	19
1896 Frank A. Holland	Mar. 6, 1952	..Hurlock, Md.	82	40
1905 W. P. Roberts	Nov. 23, 1953	..Mt. Airy, Md.	70	43
1899 George W. Dawson	Nov. 23, 1953	..Middletown, Del.	80	40
1912 Charles M. Griffeth	Apr. 29, 1954	..Baltimore, Md.	68	34
1917 Walter A. Hearn	Dec. 14, 1953	..Wilmington, Del.	68	36
1927 Harvey O. Hufnal	May 2, 1954	..Lewes, Del.	49	25
1913 Disston W. Jacobs	Nov. 4, 1953	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	67	30
1930 Lucian L. Powell	Oct. 2, 1953	..Seaford, Del.	50	23
1884 William A. Wise	Dec. 2, 1953	..Wilmington, Del.	91	46
1929 Asa E. Niceley	Mar. 15, 1955	..Salisbury, Md.	63	23
1895 George A. Morris	Aug. 2, 1954	..Salisbury, Md.	84	37
1893 John P. Outten	June 25, 1954	..Laurel, Del.	85	40
1904 Edwin B. TaylorSpringfield, S. C.		
1909 John J. Bunting, Sr.	May 19, 1955	..Hurlock, Md.	69	46
1927 John A. Clark	May 17, 1955	..Wilmington, Del.	72	22
1947 Wilson Davis	Oct. 10, 1955	..Easton, Md.	45	8
1922 Charles H. Hudson	Aug. 22, 1955	..Wilmington, Del.	72	27
1899 John L. Johnson	Jan. 20, 1956	..Smyrna, Del.	81	45
1924 Arthur E. B. Blundon	Dec. 25, 1956	..Camden, Del.	63	32
1900 Howard Davis	Apr. 3, 1957	..Lewes, Del.	84	38
1889 Vinal E. Hills	Jan. 25, 1957	..Wilmington, Del.	90	47
1928 Frederick C. Louhoff	Nov. 24, 1956	..Wilmington, Del.	70	27
1942 Thomas B. Brinton	Oct. 3, 1957	..Wilmington, Del.	74	10
1898 Omar E. Jones	Dec. 10, 1957	..Seaford, Del.	80	50
1912 George E. Sterling	Jan. 17, 1958	..Wilmington, Del.	68	46
1911 David J. Moore	Nov. 13, 1958	..Rich. Park, Del.	78	37
1906 John N. Sparklin	Aug. 22, 1958	..Wilmington, Del.	87	36
1911 Charles W. Spry	Sept. 28, 1958	..Dover, Del.	77	37
1908 Leonard White	June 13, 1958	..Wilmington, Del.	77	35
1922 J. Harry Wright	May 30, 1958	..Wilmington, Del.	67	29
1917 Charles H. Dobson	Sept. 13, 1959	..Easton, Md.	82	16
1931 Richard M. Green	Mar. 1, 1960	..Wilmington, Del.	56	27
1903 Walter E. Gunby	Apr. 20, 1960	..Cambridge, Md.	82	41
1896 Leolan Jackson	June 8, 1959	..Ridgely, Md.	85	43

1900 C. Nadal Jones	Aug. 13, 1959	..Wilmington, Del.	86	42
1905 Howard R. McDade	Aug. 12, 1959	..Sharptown, Md.	81	16
1907 Wm. H. Revelle, Sr.	July 18, 1959	..Lewes, Del.	83	42
1886 George Emmett Wood	Jan. 10, 1960	..Dover, Del.	97	43
1923 Walter G. Barlow	Feb. 8, 1961	..Georgetown, Del.	85	19
1904 Edward J. Bond	Aug. 1, 1960	..Kennedyville, Md.	81	42
1900 Charles I. FloryWaynesboro, Va.		
1908 Jesse P. LandonWayne, Michigan		31
1910 Thomas V. Sard	May 8, 1961	..Wilmington, Del.	85	37
1926 Harry V. Branford	Nov. 11, 1961	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	73	29
1912 Ollie H. Connelly	July 19, 1961	..Ocean Grove, N. J.	75	47
1930 W. James Ennis	Nov. 8, 1961	..Camden, Del.	56	14
1958 Charles M. Kelsner	Feb. 6, 1962	..Easton, Md.	67	14
1905 Lewis B. Morgan	June 28,	..Claiborne, Md.		14
1917 Peter M. R. SchauerWilmington, Del.		36
1922 Wingate D. Short	July 15, 1961	..Wilmington, Del.	70	22
1916 Roy T. Thawley	May 2, 1962	..Wilmington, Del.	69	41
1919 John H. Whedbee	Feb. 28, 1962	..Sherwood, Md.	74	33
1926 Charles W. Branford	Dec. 3, 1962	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	70	32
1941 John J. Bunting, Jr.	May 24, 1962	..Newark, Del.	42	21
1950 William F. GodwinNokomis, Florida		10
1920 E. C. GrahamBaltimore, Md.		32
1907 Oden E. James	Feb. 16, 1963	..Cambridge, Md.	86	16
1926 Otis P. Jefferson	May 13, 1963	..Hillcrest, Del.	66	36
1937 R. Ward Mills	July 19, 1962	..Chance, Md.	85	19
1922 Thomas C. Mulligan	June 29, 1962	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	67	39
1918 Robt. Spencer Hodgson	Oct. 12, 1963	..Felton, Del.	73	40
1898 John Wheelington Jones	Aug. 14, 1963	..Wilmington, Del.	92	45
George F. Newton				
1908 James Thomas Price	May 4, 1964	..Cambridge, Md.	80	28
1914 Ralph H. Collis	Nov. 27, 1964	..Jacksonville, Fla.	66	43
1909 Marion E. Hungerford	Aug. 20, 1964	..Georgetown, Md.	84	36
1915 Ralph C. Jones	Mar. 19, 1965	..Wilmington, Del.	73	42
1907 Tilghman Smith	Sept. 20, 1964	..Wilmington, Del.	86	41
1923 Lawrence E. Wimbrow	May 21, 1964	..Salisbury, Md.	75	34
1922 Otto G. Brewer	Sept. 19, 1965	..Mardela Springs	68	40
1945 Rollo E. Ferry	May 4, 1966	..Wilmington, Del.	57	24
1891 Joseph H. Geoghegan	1965	..Wilmington, Del.	77	48
1912 R. C. Hughes	May 23,	..Wilmington, Del.		43
1921 Joseph B. Pettus	Apr. 19, 1966	..Lynchburg, Va.	75	37
1916 Otis B. Reed	Mar. 3, 1966	..Wyoming, Del.	82	38
1901 Charles R. Strausburg	Sept. 1, 1965	..Greenbelt, Md.	88	46
1954 Omar C. Jones	Mar. 6, 1967	..Dames Quarter, Md.	61	12
1937 Robert F. Loss	Jan. 20, 1967	..Wilmington, Del.	56	13
1916 John I. Peaco	Apr. 22, 1967	..Wilmington, Del.	91	40
1892 Clarence W. Strickland	May 4, 1967	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	99	42
1916 Lester E. Windsor	Aug. 8, 1966	..Frankford, Del.	73	38
1916 James P. Adams	Feb. 1, 1968	..Salisbury, Md.	81	22
1903 Thomas C. Jones	May 5, 1968	..Tilghman, Md.		44
1931 William H. Kohl	Dec. 14, 1967	..Salisbury, Md.	70	31
1916 Alexander Reid	May 4, 1968	..Cambridge, Md.	82	18
1943 Addison L. Smith	July 7, 1967	..Chestertown, Md.	60	
1929 Charles C. Thomas	Oct. 22, 1967	..Baltimore, Md.	59	38
1919 John W. Townsend	May 15, 1968	..Delmar, Del.	75	39
1907 John R. Bicking	Apr. 20, 1969	..Salisbury, Md.	85	45

1938 Harold Fordham	Feb. 1, 1969	..Clarksville, Del.	77	27
1919 J. Leas Green	Mar. 30, 1969	..Catonsville, Md.	73	44
1928 Robert E. Green	July 5, 1968	..Lewes, Del.	40	40
1926 William E. Marks	Dec. 29, 1968	..Dover, Del.	74	34
1946 Wm. C. R. Mills	Apr. 25, 1969	..Elsmere, Del.	20	20
1942 Geo. H. Pigueron, Jr.	Sept. 17, 1968	..Wilm., Del.	60	26
1926 Frank A. Baker	Aug. 7, 1969	..Salisbury, Md.	79	31
1952 Ira E. Doyle	Oct. 6, 1969	..Chestertown, Md.	55	17
1949 James R. Hughes	Nov. 15, 1969	..Wilmington, Del.	47	20
1919 Andrew T. McFarland	Oct. 24, 1969	..Crisfield, Md.	79	37
1946 Charles H. Molock				
1919 Earl M. Shockley	Apr. 23, 1970	..Wilmington, Del.	83	28
1926 Sidney B. Bradley	May 11, 1971	..Middletown, Del.	70	
1924 John E. Parker	Aug. 24, 1970	..Dover, Del.	80	37
1948 Harry R. Snead	July 25, 1970	..Wilm., Del.	60	22
1927 Isaac W. Wallace	June 21, 1970	..Easton, Md.	74	23
1907 William H. Briggs	June 16, 1971		89	
1921 J. Earl Cummings	July 26, 1971	..Wilm., Del.	72	
1917 William S. Grant		..Wilm., Del.		
1921 Henry G. Holdway	April 23, 1972	..Wilm., Del.	80	28
1923 Roy L. Jones	Jan. 17, 1972	..Cambridge, Md.	88	33
1910 Dayton E. McClain	Sept. 23, 1971	..Gainesville, Fla.	95	
1923 Louis C. Randall	Sept. 19, 1971	..Delmar, Del.	72	
1923 John A. Trader	Feb. 23, 1972	..Dover, Del.	74	
1918 John W. Wootten	Oct. 26, 1971	..Newark, Del.	81	
William A. Hill	Nov. 11, 1971	..Sharptown, Md.	67	
Denson H. Warrick	Dec. 28, 1971	..Brookview, Md.	63	
1914 W. J. McKee	Jan. 22, 1973	..Ireland		36
1912 J. O. Stanley	Sept. 1, 1972	..Upper Hill, Md.		53
1917 Ralph B. Thompson	Feb. 26, 1973	..Lewes, Del.	82	46
1931 J. C. Hanby	April 22, 1973	..Laurel, Del.	81	25
Samuel E. Armstrong	Dec. 18, 1972	..Cambridge, Md.	85	
1930 Edward C. Justis	Nov. 19, 1972	..Parsonsborg, Md.	87	26
1950 Mrs. Carvilla M. Pinder	Oct. 30, 1972	..Hurlock, Md.	58	13
1944 Rayfield T. Wallace	Feb. 2, 1973	..Salisbury, Md.	76	21
1917 Charles H. Atkins	Feb. 13, 1974	..Viola, Del.	91	35
Josephine Farrar	April 30, 1974	..Cambridge, Md.		28
1927 Conrad Hamer	Oct. 8, 1973	..Dover, Del.	75	37
Robert L. Kirby	March 20, 1974	..Seaford, Del.	89	34
Joshua W. Mickle	Jan. 5, 1974	..Milford, Del.	72	36
1962 Goodhand, V. Myers	Oct. 27, 1974	..Cecilton, Md.	61	13
Snyder, Samuel	Sept. 9, 1974	..Templeville, Md.	65	
1936 Chas. S. Clarkson	Jan. 29, 1975	..Wilm., Del.	70	34
1936 Ira E. Crum	Jan. 30, 1975	..Salisbury, Md.	79	26
1906 Chas. M. Elderdice	May 28, 1974	..Westminster, Md.	88	50
1921 S. T. Hamblin	Jan. 1, 1975	..Wilm., Del.	85	36
1946 George T. Jackson	March 19, 1975	..Salisbury, Md.	85	14
1910 Melvin E. Wheatley	Feb. 10, 1975	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	92	46
Basil Chandler	Oct. 25, 1974	..Salisbury, Md.	39	
1969 Robt. W. Dennis	Oct. 27, 1974	..Fruitland, Md.	78	
1953 Leland B. Hall	Feb. 11, 1976	..Newark, Del.	47	23
1921 C. E. Davis	Dec. 30, 1975	..Seaford, Del.	86	37
1929 J. W. Elbert	Feb. 11, 1976	..Salisbury, Md.	75	44
1915 A. B. Frye	Jan. 30, 1976	..Salisbury, Md.	85	41
1918 E. W. Hennis	Dec. 11, 1975	..Onancock, Va.	82	40
1920 G. E. Turner	January 1, 1976	..Uniontown, Md.	81	32
D. M. Cogan	May 1, 1976	..Fishing Creek, Md.	36	1

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DALLAS COGAN

Dallas Cogan was born May 31, 1939 in Washington, D.C. He was the son of E. Martin Cogan and the late Mrs. Mary Hill Cogan.

He was interested in education, both his own and that of others. His own education was extensive, including a B.A. from the American University, Washington, D.C. (1965) and an M.A. in English Education from Syracuse University, Syracuse, N.Y. (1967). To that Dallas added an almost completed program for a second M.A., this one in theatre and drama, and a year of study at Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D.C. Besides his own education, he spent four years in the education of others, teaching high school English. He also spent 21 years in the Air Force.

Among Dallas's interests was drama; community theatre and musical drama were ranked early among his avocations. In his accomplishment, one could find the direction of sanctuary drama — Archibald Macleish's *JB*. Apart from drama, Dallas was active layperson in his church in Liverpool, New York. There he was active in leading a Lay Witness Mission and conducting a discussion group built around the televised lecture series of the well known Dr. Edward Bauman.

After an intense personal search, Dallas felt called to the ministry in June, 1974. He was licensed to preach in May, 1975, and began to serve as pastor of the Hooper's Island Parish.

Death came to our colleague on May 1, 1976, as he was concluding a year of successful ministry in the Easton District. The funeral was held at Hosier Memorial Church in Fishing Creek, Maryland, on May 5. The Rev. Richard Gentzler officiated, assisted by Rev. Harold Spedden. Interment was in the Hosier Memorial Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Roberta Lunch Cogan, and five children: Brian, Lisa, and Marc Bechar and Tracy and Britt Cogan.

Dallas is to be remembered as a faithful servant of our Lord who had dedicated his life to proclaiming the Good News. No one who knew him could ignore his intense zeal for his work and his great devotion to the ministry of the Church. We give thanks to God for such a friend and co-worker. Gloria deo.

Bob Hall

CHARLES EVAN DAVIS

Charles Evan Davis, son of John A. and Elizabeth Valentine Davis, was born in Wilmington, Delaware on November 27, 1889. His family were devoted members of the Old Scott Methodist Episcopal Church, located at Seventh & Spruce Streets. Charles, too, became a regular devout member of the Sunday School, Epworth League and Church with its extensive program. Following the sudden death of one of their band of young people, Estelle Robinson, Charles and J. Harry Wright dedicated their lives to the Christian ministry. He entered the Wilmington Conference Academy at Dover, Delaware, graduating in the Class of 1915.

In the fall of 1915, Charles Davis entered Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania. He joined the Baltimore Conference and served as student pastor of the little Howard Street Methodist Episcopal Church, Hagerstown, Maryland for several years. During his ministry there, the mortgage on the church was burned. The mortgage ashes were given to Charles, which he devoutly kept in his desk drawer with other memos. After graduating from Dickinson College, Class of 1919, with a B.A. degree, he served one year as the full time minister of

the little Howard Street Church. Mr. Davis joined the Wilmington Annual Conference and was ordained a Deacon, March 1921, by Bishop W. F. McDowell. He entered Drew Theological Seminary and graduated with the Class of 1922. At the Conference Session of 1923, he was ordained Elder, by Bishop W. F. McDowell and Bishop Herbert Welch.

During Mr. Davis' college days a great forward movement had been started by the Methodist Church celebrating the One Hundred Years of Missionary Work. On the fair grounds at Columbus, Ohio, the work of the mission fields, throughout the world was so challengingly depicted, Charles had planned to go as a missionary to India. Due to financial cut backs and changes in the Board of Missions programs, Charles found it necessary to write to the Reverend W. A. Wise, then a District Superintendent and a former pastor of "Old Scott," to request an appointment in Wilmington Annual Conference. On completion of his studies at Drew in May, 1922, he was then appointed to the Cheswold Methodist Episcopal Church. He continued to serve the Wilmington Annual Conference and the Peninsula Annual Conference faithfully, accepting and ably serving the appointments throughout the Districts.

As a member of the Easton District and the Conference Board of Education and under the leadership of the Reverend Richard M. Green, Mr. Davis was active in the development of Camp Pecometh, the first camp owned and operated by the Peninsula Annual Conference. From its very beginning, in the summer of 1947, through to his retirement, Charles gave freely of his time and devotion to the development and growth of Camp Pecometh.

A few words of tribute taken from Reverend Godfrey's funeral meditation — "He may have not held the large church pulpits, but he lived his faith. He served his fellow man. He was interested in bettering the ways of children and youth. He was one who walked humbly with his God and tried very much to lead others into that pilgrimage of faith. His impression will always be with me — playing soft ball with Junior Highs at Peniel, after his retirement."

He was married to Esther Shackell of Cheswold, Delaware, June 12, 1926, by the Reverend Harry S. Henck. Reverend Henck was his beloved classmate both at Dickinson College, Drew Seminary and the earlier years together in the ministry. In extending sympathy to Esther and family, Harry made this tribute: "I shall always be in debt for his Christian example in College and Seminary."

Charles Davis is survived by his wife, who still resides at the Manor House, Seaford, Delaware, and five children, Mrs. Charlesta D. Snyder, Bellevue, Washington; Mrs. Leona D. Porter, Greensboro, Maryland; Raymond E. Davis, Newport, Delaware; John A. Davis, Hebron, Maryland; and Mrs. Teryl D. Markey, Keyser, West Virginia; and sixteen grandchildren. One of his favorite hymns that the family heard him sing often:

"I love to tell the story, of unseen things above
Of Jesus and his glory, Of Jesus and his love,
I love to tell the story, because I know 'tis true,
It satisfies my longings, As nothing else can do,
I love to tell the story, Twill be my theme in glory,
To tell the old, old story, Of Jesus and his Love."

"Charles kept telling that story for fifty-four years." (Ref: Reverend Godfrey)

On December 30, 1975, the Reverend Charles E. Davis entered into life immortal from the Manor House Infirmary, where he had been a patient for six months. Funeral services were conducted at the St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Greensboro, Maryland on January 2, 1976. Reverend Charles Davis was pastor of the St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church, Greensboro, Maryland, 1945-1949, where he and his family served and enjoyed a happy ministry. The service was conducted by the Reverend George C. Godfrey, pastor of St. John's United Methodist Church, Seaford, Delaware, where Reverend Davis had his membership since entering the Methodist Manor House in October of 1968. Reverend

Godfrey was assisted by the Reverend Kenneth M. Dickey, pastor of St. Paul's. His daughter, Leona D. Porter, organist, as a last tribute, so beautifully played her father's favorite hymns and music. Burial service was in the nearby Greensboro Cemetery.

In loving memory,
The Family

JAMES WILMER ELBERT

What a blessed assurance to know that we are ready to step into eternal life at our Master's call.

James Wilmer Elbert, a loving husband, beloved father and prominent retired minister of the Peninsula Conference departed this life on Wednesday, February 11, 1976 at Peninsula General Hospital, Salisbury, Maryland, after a lingering illness.

Born in East New Market, Maryland, October 9, 1900, he was the son of the late Silas and Mary Elbert. He received his early education in the Dorchester County School. After graduating with honors from Princess Anne Academy, Princess Anne, Maryland, he continued his education at Morgan State College where he received his B.S. Degree and at Drew University, Madison, New Jersey, where he received his Doctor of Divinity Degree.

His pastoral charges included Yonkers, New York; New Rochelle, New York; Englewood; Newark, New Jersey; Dover, Delaware; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Easton, Maryland and Pocomoke City, Maryland. He served as District Superintendent of the Salisbury District of the Delaware Conference for five years until the merger. He was president of the Delaware Conference Ministerium for fifteen years and served as consultant of the Board of Education in the Delaware Conference.

He was married to the former Marjorie Goldsborough of East Orange, New Jersey. From this union there were five sons and four daughters: James Ellsworth and Silas Elbert of Philadelphia, Wilmer Elbert of Washington, D.C., Thomas Andrew Elbert of Charleston, South Carolina, Vance Elbert of Salisbury, Maryland, Mary Frances Lawson of Sterling Heights, Michigan, Marjorie Tilghman of Germantown, Pa., Katherine Wright of Salisbury, Maryland and the late Patricia Elbert.

In addition to his wife and eight children, he is also survived by one nephew, Thomas S. Elbert of Hurlock, Maryland, three sons-in-law, five daughters-in-law, thirteen grandchildren and a host of other relatives.

Rev. Elbert, a devoted husband and father whose family always came first, was dedicated to his work and was loved and respected by his many friends.

I have no wish to play the saint
Untarnished and unstained
To be enshrined in stone and paint
In Churches windowed paned.

I'd rather when I leave this earth
And all my toil is through
Be known as one who shared men's mirth
And all their sorrows too.

To play the man, to play the friend,
To keep the faith with all,
To do my best unto the end
In all tasks, great or small.

To fashion something as a whole
That symbolizes me,

And at the last to have a soul
That's fit for God to see.

Sorrowfully submitted,
The Family

ALPHA BRANSON FRYE

Alpha Branson Frye was born on August 9, 1890 near Carthage, Moore County, North Carolina. He was the youngest of four children in the family of Walter A. and Bercie (Lomax) Frye. Since his father died when he was only five years of age, much of his early education was interrupted to help support his mother and sisters by working in the local cotton mills.

Bercie Frye was a woman of deep spiritual conviction whose faith kept the family together through frequent periods of financial adversity. As a teenager, Alpha was converted during a camp meeting and committed himself to the Christian ministry.

His basic Christian education was received at Misenheimer School, Misenheimer, North Carolina, Washington Collegiate Institute, Washington, North Carolina and Boston Theological Seminary, Boston, Massachusetts. He began his ministry in 1915 in the Blue Ridge Atlantic Annual Conference where he served charges at Parmalee, North Carolina and Portsmouth, Virginia. On November 25, 1917, he received his Deacon's orders from Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes at Kings Mountain, North Carolina.

On January 1, 1919, Alpha married Cora Ethel Hill whom he had first met when they were classmates at Misenheimer, North Carolina. In May 1919, he joined the Wilmington Annual Conference (now the Peninsula Annual Conference). He received his Elder's credentials from Bishop William F. McDowell on April 3, 1921 at Crisfield, Maryland. He served charges at Concord, Maryland; Church Hill, Maryland; Ocean View, Delaware; Fruitland, Maryland; Greensboro, Maryland; Rising Sun, Maryland; Lewes, Delaware; Richardson Park (Wilmington), Delaware; Eastlake (Wilmington), Delaware and Crisfield, Maryland. He retired in 1956 after 41 years in the active ministry. In that same year, he accepted the position of Minister of Visitation at Asbury Methodist Church, Salisbury, Maryland, from which he retired a second time in May 1975.

A. B. (as he was affectionately called by his friends) and Cora Frye developed a closely knit family of four children who are: Loren H. and A. Branson, both of Wilmington, Delaware; Gleason F., Greenwich, Connecticut; and Maida E. of Charlotte, North Carolina. In addition, he is survived by seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

A. B. Frye was an effective minister of the gospel for more than sixty years. Under his ministry and encouragement, several young men from his various churches entered the ministry. Although he will be remembered for many aspects of his ministerial career, perhaps his greatest quality was his love of people, young and old, and a concern for their spiritual well-being. His keen sense of humor was well-known and became an important asset in his ability to relate to those with whom, and to whom, he served.

A. B. Frye died in the Peninsula General Hospital, Salisbury, Maryland on January 30, 1976, following a short illness. The funeral service was held in Asbury United Methodist Church, Salisbury, Maryland. The pastor, the Rev. Howell O. Wilkins, officiated and the District Superintendent, the Rev. David W. Baker, assisted. Interment was in Gracelawn Memorial Park, Wilmington, Delaware.

The Family

LELAND BROOKS HALL

Leland Brooks Hall was born January 28, 1929 in Birmingham, Alabama, the son of Henry Brooks and Willie Lewis (Hanchey) Hall. He attended public schools in Birmingham, graduating from Ensley High School. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree at the Univer-

sity of Alabama in 1952, his Master of Divinity degree at Candler School of Theology of Emory University in 1955. Leland returned to the University of Alabama for a Master's degree in Sociology in 1961.

Leland married Martha Carolyn Pound on June 6, 1949. There are two children, Brooks Wilburn Hall and Cynthia Marie Hall.

The Fairview Methodist Church in Birmingham, Leland's home church, licensed him to preach in 1951. He was ordained a Deacon in 1953, an elder in 1955 and was admitted as a full member that year in the North Alabama Annual Conference.

His first pastoral assignment was to Tuscaloosa Circuit in 1951. In August of 1955 he was transferred to the Peninsula Annual Conference and appointed as Director of the Wesley Foundation at the University of Delaware.

In 1967 he became Chaplain, Supervisor of Religious Services, for the Department of Corrections of the State of Delaware. In this capacity he became the first chaplain at the new correctional facility at Smyrna when the prison was moved from New Castle County.

Leland Hall served the Peninsula Annual Conference in a variety of capacities: as Chairman of the Commission on Christian Vocations; as member of the Board of the Ministry; the Conference Council and the Conference Deaconess Board. He was active in the regional and national associations of Wesley Foundations and served a term as secretary of the national group. He was vice-chairman of the Chesapeake Area Methodist Student Movement.

In the City of Newark he served with distinction on the Newark Housing Authority (twice as its chairman).

In 1962 he received the Delaware Youth Services Commission Service Award.

Leland died suddenly of a heart attack on February 11, 1976 at the Delaware Division of the Wilmington Medical Center in Wilmington, Delaware. Funeral services were held in the Newark United Methodist Church on February 14 conducted by The Reverend R. Jervis Cooke, Conference Council Director, The Reverend Edwin C. Thomas, Jr., District Superintendent, and The Reverend Charles B. Hart, Pastor. He was buried on February 16, 1976 in Birmingham, Alabama with The Reverend Robert F. Storey, officiating.

Leland will be remembered by many for his ministry of compassion and concern. At the University of Delaware he was a confidant and respected counselor to students and faculty. At the prison his ministry deeply touched the lives of so many persons. His guidance aided pastors "outside the walls" to minister more meaningfully to their people in the prison. The people whom he loved and served on the diverse campuses at Newark and Smyrna were well represented at his funeral along with family, fellow clergy of many faiths and other friends.

Leland Brooks Hall was a good minister of Jesus Christ. He gave clear evidence of the love of God in his service to humanity.

R. Jervis Cooke

EDMUND WOLLASTON HENVIS

Edmund Wollaston Hennis, son of Lewis C. and Mary Macklem Hennis, was born on February 9, 1893 at 2917 West Street, Wilmington, Delaware. He was the youngest of five children. His mother, Mary M. Hennis in 1890 helped start the first Sunday School in that locality. In boyhood Edmund attended Eastlake M.E. Church, regularly and at age 9 joined the church. He was active in teaching and was superintendent of the Sunday School as he became older. He attended public school at Wilmington, Delaware where he graduated. He was a member of the Fraternity Phi Kappa Phi at Delaware College and was a graduate of the College in the Class of 1919.

He received his degree of Bachelor of Divinity at Drew Theological Seminary May 16, 1922.

He joined the Wilmington Conference, now Peninsula Conference in 1924. His pastorates were the following churches or charges: Claremont, Va., Onancock, Va., Newark, Md., Sudlersville, Md., St. Michaels, Md., Cecilton, Md., Felton, DE., Millsboro, DE., New Cas-

tle, DE., Salisbury, Md. (South) Bayview and Bethel at Northeast, Md. He had the honor of being made Pastor Emeritus of Bethel Church. He retired in 1958.

On September 7, 1918 Edmund Wollaston Henvis and Elizabeth Stanton Camperson were married. To this union two children were born, Samuel Camperson and Esther Susanna, who survive him. His wife, Elizabeth S. C. Henvis, died September 16, 1960 at Delaware Hospital, after a long illness.

On August 16, 1963 Edmund W. Henvis and Lorena Koskey were married and she survives him. Rev. Edmund W. Henvis lived in retirement with Mrs. Henvis at her home in Onancock, Va., 15 Kerr Street (23417) and attended Cokesbury United Methodist Church, assisting when needed. Rev. and Mrs. Henvis attended the 85th Anniversary Service at Eastlake United Methodist Church, Wilmington, DE November 16, 1975.

On December 11, 1975 Edmund W. Henvis died at Northampton, Accomack Hospital, Nassawadox, Va., following a brief illness. The funeral service was conducted by the Reverends Kim A. Hull, pastor and Frank W. Blake, pastor Emeritus of Cokesbury U.M. Church, December 14, 1975. Burial was at Mt. Holly Cemetery, Onancock, Va.

(Lorena Koskey Henvis)
Mrs. Edmund W. Henvis

EMERSON McDONALD JOLLY

Emerson McDonald Jolly was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on June 6, 1902, the son of the late Douglas Deshield and Sarah (Houston) Jolly. He was one of eight children.

His early education was in the public schools of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland. He was graduated from the former Salisbury High School.

Upon graduation he furthered his education at Hampton Institute in Hampton, Virginia. However, through this endeavor, his religious training, which to him was the most important was not pursued until later adulthood.

He served his country during World War II at Langley Air Force Base in Langley, Virginia, until he was honorably discharged due to a physical disability received in his childhood.

Upon returning to Salisbury, he sought employment with the McFadden Dick and Stanley Robins families.

On May 7, 1944 he was joined in Holy Wedlock to Sarah Elizabeth Mapp, by the late Reverend Marion W. Clarke in White Temple Methodist Church in Salisbury, Maryland.

He then sought and obtained a position with The Southern Life Insurance Company of which he was a representative and later supervisor of the Salisbury District. He experienced great enjoyment and personal satisfaction in this occupation for it afforded him daily contact and worthwhile service to his patrons.

Emerson was a very civic minded individual and he was a member of the Spirit of Democracy American Legion Post No. 145 of which he held several offices; and a former member of the Knights of Pythias of the Odd Fellows.

In 1947 he began his religious training under the late Reverend Marion W. Clarke; and through the encouragement of the late Daniel J. Elzey.

He received his Deacon's license on May 19, 1957 from Bishop Edgar A. Love. Following this achievement, his first pastoral assignment was Shiloh-Hutt's Chapel in Snow Hill, Maryland.

Subsequent ministerial responsibilities were: St. Paul ME Church at Stockton, Maryland. While serving this charge, several goals were achieved, as he received his Elder's license on May 28, 1961. Pastoring this same charge the Delaware Conference awarded him scholarship aid to attend workshops in advanced religious training on the campus of Bennett College in Greensboro, N.C to further prepare himself for his life's work.

Other charges pastored at this time were the Dames Quarter-Deal Island charge where he served the St. Charles, John Wesley and Macedonia churches.

The Delaware Conference later became the Peninsula Conference and Emerson deemed

it an honor to be selected and to serve on several committees. His life was such that he was able to win and indeed deserve the respect of his congregations, his contemporaries, his peers, his conference officials and his friends and acquaintances.

Emerson was a man of hopes and desires, of high intentions and human frailties, of accomplishments and failures.

He was a true and devoted shepherd of his flock, as he found great delight in doing whatever he could for mankind, especially the sick and shut-ins in his community.

Each Sunday the congregation attending services were comforted and fulfilled by the thought of the week which was always found in each church bulletin he made. Emerson was a man who wanted the very best for mankind.

He entered Peninsula General Hospital in October, 1975 and after undergoing extensive surgery he was quite anxious to return to his ministry at the Upper Hill, Maryland charge from which he was to be officially retired on his birthday, June 6, 1976.

On Monday, April 5, 1976 the Master for whom he worked so diligently called him from his earthly home to dwell with him in his eternal home forevermore.

He left to mourn his departure, his loving wife, Sarah, a brother Douglas Jolly of Salisbury, Maryland, two sisters — Clay Jolly Griffin and B. Doreen Jolly of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, eight grandchildren, seventeen great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Funeral services were conducted at St. Andrew's United Methodist Church, Upper Hill, Maryland on April 10, 1976 by the Reverend David W. Baker, District Superintendent of the Salisbury District, assisted by the Reverend Edward W. Lee, St. Luke Charge, Hebron, Maryland; Reverend Richard Green, Christ Church, Upper Fairmount, Maryland, and the Reverend Howard Barclay of the Dames Quarter-Deal Island Charge who gave the eulogy.

His body was laid to rest in Green Acres Memorial Park, Salisbury, Maryland. He was a loving and faithful man, and a devoted, dedicated and dynamic man of God.

There's a golden chain of memory,
That binds two hearts together
A chain so strong it holds you fast
Through fair or stormy weather . . .

The Family

GILBERT EDWIN TURNER

Although his paternal forbears had lived in Talbot County, Gilbert Turner's father settled in Caroline County, having married the former Roxanna Todd. On his farm near Federalsburg, Thomas Turner raised not only melons and strawberries, but also twelve children.

The young Gilbert Turner, born December 9, 1894, here acquired his lifelong affinity for the soil, and often recalled the early days of balky mules and labor in the sandy earth of Caroline. In later years, he always tilled a garden when he was able, and sometimes even when he was not.

He early discovered his life work, as shown by an exhorter's license, dated January 1, 1916, issued on Reliance Charge of the Methodist Protestant Church. Gilbert Turner later attended the Westminster Theological Seminary, graduating on May 4, 1920.

On June 16, 1919, he married Mae B. Williams, of Westminster, Maryland. They had three children: Brice, David and Donald Turner.

His first charge had been at Lewistown, Frederick County, while he was a student at the Seminary. During the next 34 years, the Rev. Turner served many churches, both in the Maryland Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church and the Peninsula Conference of the Methodist Church. His last pastorate was on Smith Island.

An increasing infirmity, caused by Parkinson's disease, necessitated Gilbert Turner's

retirement in 1952. He resided at Uniontown, Carroll County, with Mrs. Turner, until death came on January 1, 1976. This was 60 years to the day from the date of his first exhorter's license. The cause of death was congestive heart failure. He was 81 years of age.

The Rev. Turner is survived by his wife, three sons, seven brothers and sisters, and six grandchildren.

He lived much longer than he expected to, mentally active to the last, generous to a fault, and beloved by all who knew him. He was a true and faithful servant of God. His civic duties were foremost in his mind. From 1966 to 1970 he was President of the Uniontown Improvement Association.

Funeral services were held at the Uniontown United Methodist Church on January 4, 1976. Officiating were the Rev. Robert Bartlett, pastor of the church, and the Rev. Deane Boyd, pastor of the Uniontown Bible Church. The Rev. Frank Volk, a classmate with Gilbert Turner at the Seminary, delivered an inspiring message. Burial was in the Uniontown Methodist Cemetery.

David Edwin Turner

BERTHA MUMFORD ELLIOTT

Bertha Mumford Elliott was born April 22, 1901 at Millsboro, Delaware. She was the daughter of Peter James and Della (Pusey) Mumford. Mrs. Milton Elliott joined Carey's United Methodist Church, lived the faithful life of a Christian gentlewoman in every relationship, serving as Church School teacher, Choir member and gracious helper to her husband in the several charges which they served until her death in Laurel, Delaware, August 3, 1975.

The fruitage of Mrs. Elliott's faith was a gracious kindness which made her universally beloved wherever she went. She was lovely in every way, a most faithful companion, a delightful and charming hostess and always interested in the work of her husband. She was the kind of person I would have chosen for a mother, had I the choice.

Mrs. Elliott entered the parsonage life when she married the Reverend Milton Elliott, November 20, 1938. In addition to her husband, she is survived by sons Joshua, Samuel and Vaughn, and daughters Helen Poole and Louise Wells.

Funeral services were conducted August 6, 1975 in Centenary United Methodist Church by the Reverend Otho Brewer. Interment was in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Laurel, Delaware.

The loveliness of her life, so wisely and lavishly spent in the service of her Lord and His Church, will be a benediction that shall never cease to give comfort and joy to her family and to a great host of friends.

Dale L. Ruth

MRS. RALPH H. D. HUGHES

Carrie Meredith Biddle was born in Milford, Delaware on April 1, 1906, daughter of Sylvester Elwood and Maude Godwin Biddle. At an early age, her family moved to Wilmington, where they affiliated with the Harrison Street Methodist Church.

She was educated in the Wilmington Public Schools. After graduation from the Wilmington High School, she attended first, the Temple University School of Music, and later West Chester State Normal. She was awarded a certificate as a Qualified Music Teacher.

On June 23, 1928, she was united in marriage to Ralph H. D. Hughes. For the ensuing twenty-five years her church life included membership, first in the Harrison Street Methodist Church, then in the Trinity Methodist Church, both in Wilmington and finally in the Church of the Atonement in Claymont. In 1953, her husband accepted the appointment as Interim part-time pastor of the Bellefonte Methodist Church.

During the following two years, Ralph and Carrie were led to consider the full time ministry. Accordingly, Ralph qualified as an Approved Supply, and offered himself to the Annual Conference for an appointment. This was no idle decision. It meant for them terminating a successful career in the business world. It involved relinquishing an adequate pension. However, Carrie gave her unqualified approval, confident that the Lord would provide, and prepared to go wherever her husband was appointed. Thus began her life as the wife of a Methodist minister.

In 1956 her husband became the pastor of the Stanton Methodist Church, later to become St. Mark's United Methodist Church of Stanton, Delaware. The next twelve years she happily related to the activities in St. Mark's and contributed of her talents to its spectacular growth. She was endowed with a genial disposition together with a limitless faith in God's love and His purpose for her life. These she shared, unsparingly, with all of every age, in that fine church, where she is remembered with deep affection.

In 1968 her husband retired and together they moved to their home in Silview. They united with the Peniel United Methodist Church in Newport, where she continued her normal active life in that fellowship.

On August 14, 1975 she departed this life. She is survived by her husband, the Reverend Ralph H. D. Hughes, and their son, the Reverend Ralph E. Hughes of Orlando, Florida, two grandsons, and a sister. Services were conducted by her pastor, the Reverend Gerald M. Henderson on August 18, 1975 in the McCrery Funeral Home, Kirkwood Highway. Interment was in Riverview Cemetery, Wilmington, Delaware.

Preston W. Spence, Jr.

LOUISE GEE JACOBS

Louise Gee Jacobs, widow of the late Rev. Dr. Disston W. Jacobs, died at her home in Rehoboth Beach, Delaware, on February 3rd, 1973. Born February 23, 1888, she was nearing her eighty-fifth birthday but her unusual vitality and her love of life gave no hint of the passing of so many years.

She was married to Dr. Jacobs in March of 1913, and for thirty years she served with him in Pastorates of The Wilmington and Peninsula Annual Conferences where for a time he served as Superintendent of The Wilmington District. Illness forced his early retirement in 1943, and hers, of course. But when Dr. Jacobs died THE DELAWARE COAST PRESS began an editorial with these words:

"We're going to miss Dr. Disston W. Jacobs. This man of God didn't end his ministerial work with his retirement from the pulpit ten years ago —"

These same words can just as well be spoken of Mrs. Jacobs. For when she died, after having served her Church so well in life, it was discovered that she had planned to continue her own ministry long beyond her death. In her Last Will and Testament she spoke generously of her love and appreciation for her Church and its ministry to her, and bequeathed a little more than seventy thousand dollars to the Conference Board of Pensions for its ministry to others.

Louise Gee Jacobs was seemingly determined not to end her "ministerial work" either by retirement or by death. The loveliness of her life, so wisely and lavishly spent, continues to be a benediction to all who knew her and to many who never had that privilege.

Mrs. Jacobs leaves only one survivor, a niece, Miss Marjorie F. Gee of Cranston, Rhode Island. Funeral services were conducted at Epworth Church, Rehoboth Beach, by The Rev. Charles E. Covington, and on February 6th, she was laid to rest beside her husband in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Smyrna, Delaware.

Yes, Mrs. Jacobs, we shall miss you too. But we shall be forever grateful that your ministry, and the ministry of people like you does not end with retirement or even in death.

John Edward French

IDA ESTELLE JONES

Ida Estelle Jones, in her ninety-sixth year, died on Tuesday evening September 24, 1974 at the Methodist Manor House in Seaford, Delaware where she had been a guest since 1970.

Mrs. Jones was the daughter of the late Charles James and Charlotte Emma Covington Howeth. She was married to Rev. Thomas C. Jones at Tilghman, Md., in September 6, 1911. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. K. Milligan, president of Bowling Green Seminary, Virginia; and the Rev. Frank Reynolds of Dover, Delaware. After a reception, held at the bride's home, the happy couple left for Blair, Oklahoma, where Rev. Jones was pastor.

Rev. Jones died at their last home in Tilghman, Maryland in 1968.

Mrs. Jones was a member of the Tilghman United Methodist Church. A member of the United Methodist Womens Society of that church. A member of Chapter #65, Order of the Eastern Star of Easton, Maryland.

In 1943, while they were serving in Harrington, Delaware, Mrs. Jones was president of the Delaware State United Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service. She was also a graduate of the Moody Bible Institute and organized and taught many Church School Classes. She took an interest in many youth groups, directing many plays and pageants and kept in touch with many of her friends she made during the ministry of her husband.

During the terrible "Flu" epidemic in 1918, she went into the homes where the disease was, and ministered to and nursed the sick, never fearing for her own health.

In this happy union there were no children, but they found in each other faithful help mates and splendid co-workers. In Rev. Jones' book, "The Gospel of Evangelism" he wrote a tribute to his wife, ". . . Ida Estelle, who has been my inspiration, co-worker and advisor all through my ministry."

Funeral services were held in Tilghman United Methodist Church on September 27, at 2 p.m. Her pastor, the Reverend Alexander L. Boda officiated. Burial was in the Tilghman United Methodist Church Cemetery beside her late husband, the Reverend Thomas C. Jones.

In loving memory of my sister,
Blanche V. Sinclair

MRS. LUTETIA JOHNSON LAWRENCE

Rev. Mrs. Lutetia Johnson Lawrence, daughter of Elizabeth and John Sutton, was born March 14, 1882, in Wittman, Maryland.

She was married to Walter D. Johnson on April 23, 1902. Of this union was born one son, and four daughters, and she adopted another daughter.

During her youth, she was a member of Wittman Methodist Church. After her marriage, she moved to Newark, New Jersey and became a member of St. John's Methodist Church.

She was a dedicated worker in the church all of her life serving in many capacities, such as President of the Women's Society, Stewardess, Usher, Sunday School teacher, and Assistant Pastor, to name a few.

In the year 1952, she became an ordained minister, and pastored the McDaniel-Bozman Churches.

The St. Paul's Methodist Church of Royal Oak presented her with a scroll in recognition of her accomplishments and achievements in the ministry during the year 1963.

Her health began to fail in 1972 and she put up a good battle until June 2, 1975 when she departed this life in Easton Memorial Hospital.

Left to mourn their loss are five daughters, one brother, twenty grandchildren, fifteen great grandchildren, three great, great grandchildren, and a host of relatives and friends.

Now the Laborer's Task is o'er
Now the battle days are past;

Now upon the farther shore
Lands the voyager, at last
Father, in Thy gracious keeping
Leave we now, Thy servant sleeping.

The Bereaved Family

MRS. E. W. McDOWELL

Nettie Williams McDowell was born December 31, 1882 to George S. and Esther L. Williams at the family home near Federalsburg, Maryland. She graduated from Federalsburg High School and attended the old Wilmington Conference Academy at Dover.

She was married to the Rev. E. W. McDowell on September 14, 1905, her brother the Rev. George C. Williams performing the ceremony. Two children were born of this union, Elizabeth McDowell Figgs (deceased) and Esther McDowell Fouracre.

She served with her husband many charges in the Conference from Ocean View, Hillsboro-Queen Anne, Pocomoke City, Claymont, Middletown and Richardson Park.

Her delight was music. She sang, played the piano and organ, playing the organ even when her sight was failing. She loved books, flowers and most of all her Bible.

She fell asleep at the Union Hospital in Elkton, Maryland, on August 26, 1975. A memorial service was held in the Chapel at Gracelawn, the Rev. Harold Walton in charge. She was laid to rest beside her husband in Gracelawn, August 28, 1975.

Esther McDowell Fouracre

ANNA SEYMOUR McFARLAND

Mrs. Anna Seymour McFarland, widow of the Reverend Andrew T. McFarland, slipped away to be with her Lord on March 6, 1976 in her 92nd year. A resident of The Methodist Manor House in Seaford since her husband's death in October 1969, she continued to be very active, in spite of a weakened heart, until the last few weeks of life.

Born in Ardnasalem, County Monaghan, Ireland on June 11, 1884, the daughter of Francis and Sarah Birch Seymour, she was the oldest of seven children. After attending school in the town of Monaghan, she worked in Onagh, County Tyrone where she met her husband-to-be, Andrew. They were married in Belfast on April 13, 1914 and came to America in September the following year.

Sensing God's call for Andy to enter the ministry, they went to Reliance, South Dakota to begin his first pastorate and to join the Dakota Methodist Episcopal Annual Conference. In 1938 they returned from the West to join the Wilmington Annual Conference and to be nearer members of her family who had followed them from Ireland in 1916 and who had settled in the East.

In all of their ministry, Anna was not only supportive of her husband's work, but found her primary areas of interest in working with children and with young adults. In most of the churches they served, she developed a Junior Church for children, and also a Philathia Class for young adult women. In addition, her readiness to provide a cup of tea, some Irish scones, and a listening ear helped to make their home a place where many troubled persons found the reality of Christ's love.

Although she had no children, her many nieces and nephews and their children were her family. She is survived by one brother, Eben Seymour, who lives in Lawrence Park, Broomall, Pennsylvania.

The funeral service was held on Tuesday, March 9, in the chapel at Gracelawn Cemetery, Wilmington where her body was buried beside her husband's. Two of her nephews, the Reverend Samuel Seymour and the Reverend David Seymour, assisted the Reverend

William Hemphill, a niece's husband, in the service of praise to God for her life of witness and service for Jesus Christ.

William Hemphill, Jr.

MRS. GEORGE A. (MARY E.) MORRIS

Funeral services were held Monday, March 22, 1976, at 3:30 p.m. in the Hill-Baker-Bounds Funeral Home, for Mrs. Mary E. Morris, 87, of 907 N. Division Street. She died Friday in the Peninsula General Hospital after a short illness.

The Reverend Howell Wilkins officiated, and interment was in the Parsons Cemetery.

Mrs. Morris had worked for many years in the millinery department of the former R. E. Powell Company of Salisbury. She was born near Salisbury, the daughter of the late Stansbury and Matilda Atkins. Her late husband was The Reverend George A. Morris, a retired Methodist minister.

Surviving are a stepson, Albert K. Morris, Salisbury, three step-grandchildren, six step-great grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Bessie A. White.

David W. Baker

LEWIS N. OPHER

Lewis N. Opher, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Opher, departed this life June 25, 1975 at the Memorial Hospital, Easton, Maryland.

He was born on May 18, 1914 at Madison, Dorchester County, Maryland where he attended the public schools.

He was a kind and loving husband and a wonderful father. Indeed, he was the greatest in all respects; to know him was to love him. In 1941, he became a member of St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Cambridge and remained there until his wife became a pastor and began to move from place to place.

After moving to Miles River Charge, he became a member of The Deshields United Methodist Church, Copperville, where they made their home. He sang with the Methodist men, was a member of the Usher Board, a member of the Talbot County Christian Men's Alliance, a Boy Scout Counselor, loved everyone's children and always had time to play with them. Anything he was asked to do, anywhere, he was always willing to do with a smile. Even at work, his employer never had to worry. He always left things in his hands and would come back and find them in good shape.

One of the outstanding characteristics of Lewis Opher was his constant appreciation for and his beautiful thoughtfulness of other people.

He made the Lord his trust; whether the day was one of sunshine, shadow, joy, sorrow, gladness or disappointment.

Surviving him are his devoted wife, Hester Opher; two daughters, Mrs. Rebecca Perry and Mrs. Thelma Spry; two sons, Lewis and James Opher; six brothers, Joseph E., Carl, Albert, Carvis, Maurice and Frederick Opher; one uncle, Thomas Dixon; one aunt, Ailene Keene; two sons-in-law; one daughter-in-law; seven grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews; and many other relatives and friends.

No one ever sought the Father
and found he was not there,
And no burden is too heavy to be
lightened by a prayer.
No problem is too intricate and no
sorrow that we face is too deep
and devastating to be softened by

his Grace.

No trials and tribulations are beyond
what we can bear; if we share
them with our Father, as we
talk to him in prayer.

The Family

RUTH FISHER OXNAM

Mrs. G. Bromley Oxnam died April 23, 1975, in Wolfeboro, N.H., after a long illness. A native of York, Neb., Mrs. Oxnam traveled the world with her husband throughout his ministry as a pastor and educator in California, Massachusetts, and Indiana; as a Bishop of the United Methodist Church in Nebraska, Massachusetts, New York and Washington, D.C. and as an Ecumenical leader with the World and National Council of Churches. The Oxnams served the Washington area from 1952 to 1960. They moved to Scarsdale, New York after retirement in 1960. Mrs. Oxnam is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Robert McCormick of Rancho Santa Fe, California, and a son, Philip H., of Wolfeboro, eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

VIII. Conference Rules Of Order

Rule 1. The Conference shall meet at 9:00 A.M. and adjourn at 12:30 P.M. But the Conference may, in its discretion, alter the time of meeting and adjournment.

Rule 2. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference; but in case of such an appeal the question shall be taken without debate, except that the appellant may make a simple statement of the grounds of his appeal.

Rule 3. All resolutions, motions, amendments and substitute motions presented to the Annual Conference shall be submitted to the Secretary in writing at the time they are made or as soon thereafter as possible.

Rule 4. When a motion is made and seconded, or a resolution is introduced and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover, with the consent of the Conference, at any time before amendment or decision.

Rule 5. The motion to Lay on the Table, or to Take from the Table, and for the Previous Question, shall be taken without debate.

Rule 6. No new motion or resolution shall be entertained until the one under consideration has been disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene which shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed, namely:

- (1) To fix the time to which the Conference shall adjourn.
- (2) To adjourn.
- (3) To take a recess.
- (4) To lay on the table.
- (5) For the previous question.
- (6) To postpone to a given time.
- (7) To refer.
- (8) To substitute.
- (9) Amendment.
- (10) To postpone indefinitely.

A motion to amend shall be in order, and a substitute for both amendments may be received, which substitute may be amended only once, and if a substitute be accepted, it shall operate as an amendment to the original proposition.

Rule 7. When a member is about to speak in debate, or to deliver any matter to the Conference, he shall rise and respectfully address the President, but shall not proceed until recognized by him.

Rule 8. No member shall be interrupted while speaking, except by the President to call him to order when he departs from the question, or uses personalities or disrespectful language; but any member may call the attention of the President to the subject when he deems a speaker out of order, and any member may explain when he thinks himself misrepresented.

Rule 9. When a member desires a question of privilege, he shall briefly state the question; but it shall not be in order for him to proceed until the President shall have decided it a privileged question.

Rule 10. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than ten minutes at one time, without leave of the Conference; nor shall any person speak more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

Rule 11. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon by the Conference, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the prevailing side to move a reconsideration; but a motion to reconsider is a non-debatable motion and shall be decided without debate.

Rule 12. No member shall absent himself from the sessions of the Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

Rule 13. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar of the Conference at the time when such question shall be put by the President, except by leave of the Conference when such member has been necessarily absent.

Rule 14. Every member who is within the bar at the time a question is put shall give his vote, unless the Conference, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

Rule 15. It shall be in order for him to move that the question be taken without further debate on any measure pending, except in cases in which character is involved, and if sustained by two-thirds, the question shall be taken.

Rule 16. The motion to adjourn shall be taken without debate, and shall always be in order, except, (1) when a member has the floor; (2) when a question is actually put, or a vote is being taken; (3) when the question is pending on seconding the demand for the previous question; (4) when the previous question has been called and sustained, and is still pending; and (5) when a motion to adjourn has been negatived and no business or debate has intervened.

Rule 17. All reports of the Boards, Commissions and Committees shall be published and mailed to the Members of the Annual Conference ten (10) days prior to the date of meeting of the Annual Conference. Reports to be included in this mailing must be in the hands of the Secretary thirty (30) days prior to such Session.

Rule 18. No report shall be received or adopted by the Conference until a copy has been placed in the hands of the Secretary.

Rule 19. These rules shall not be suspended or amended except by a vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting.

Rule 20. All materials to be published in the Journal shall be in the hands of the Secretary not later than three (3) days after adjournment of the Annual Session or it shall be excluded.

Rule 21. The Nominating Committee shall distribute mimeographed copies of its report to the Annual Conference on the day before the report is to be voted on by the Conference.

Rule 22. Recommendations as to the change in format and policy regarding data to be included in the Journal shall be referred to the Conference Council on Ministries for study and recommendation before action by the Conference.

Rule 23. That no member of any Board, Divisions Committee, or Commission shall serve more than two consecutive quadrenniums on said Board, Divisions Committee or Commission and shall be ineligible to be re-elected until after one Quadrennium has elapsed except members of boards, committees or commissions elected for three year terms may serve three consecutive terms and shall be ineligible to be reelected until after one term has lapsed and except that when a member is elected to fill an unexpired quadrennium or term he may complete the unexpired quadrennium or term and serve not more than one additional consecutive quadrennium or term. No member of the Conference, lay or ministerial shall be elected to serve on more than two Boards, Divisions Committees, or Commissions concurrently, except the committees elected or appointed for the Annual Conference session only, district committees whether or not elected by the Annual Conference and the quadrennial committee on the local church. The distribution of membership shall be according to Districts, three laymen and three ministers as nearly as possible to each District.

Rule 24. Lay members of the Annual Conference will be elected quadrennially. A lay member may be re-elected for another quadrennium, but must wait one quadrennium before being eligible for election for a third time.

Rule 25. In order to achieve balanced membership in the Annual Conference, the Conference Secretary shall report quadrennially the number of lay persons required to preserve equality of membership, and that the Peninsula Conference achieve the desired equality of membership, by (1) the associate lay leader of Lay Life and Work, the four District Lay Leaders, the four District Presidents of the United Methodist Women, all United Methodist Deaconesses active and retired within the bounds of the Peninsula Annual Conference, all certified Directors of Christian Education employed by churches of the Peninsula Annual Conference, and all other voting lay persons of the Conference Council on Ministries, shall be members in the Annual Conference with vote; (2) each pastoral charge enrolling more than 500 members, but having only one clergy member appointed to it, may elect one additional lay member, and further, that a pastoral charge having more than one clergy member appointed to it may elect one additional lay member, provided that more than 1,500 members are enrolled; and (3) the Conference Council on Youth Ministries shall elect as many youth members as are needed to maintain a balance, divided equally among the districts.

Rule 26. All budget requests must be referred to the Council on Finance and Administration prior to Annual Conference action.

IX. Pastoral Records

A. MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE

- Amoss, H. M.** — 1932-57, Baltimore Conference; 1957, Pen. Conf.; 1957-62, Salisbury-Bethesda; 63-68—Dist. Supt. Easton Dist. 69—Cambridge-Zion—69-71—Cambridge-Zion; 72—Retired.
- Archer, Wm., Jr.** — 1959, Peninsula Conference; 59— ; 60—Queenstown, Md.; 61,62—St. Georges-Clarksville; 63—Laurel, Mt. Pleasant; 66—Madeley-Minquadale; 67-69—Odessa, St. Paul's; 70-75—Sharptown-Asbury Circuit; 76—Princess Anne.
- Armour, C. A.** — 1964, Peninsula Conf.; 1964-65—At School; 66-68—Assoc. Elkton; 69-70—At School; 71-74—Assoc. Asbury Salisbury; 75—Ocean City.
- Arms, R. P.** — 1966, Pen. Conf.; 66—Denton-Burrsville; 67—School; 68-70—Cambridge-Choptank; 71-72—Assoc. Aldersgate-Wilm.; 73-75—Methodist Action Program. 76—Sy.
- Armstrong, Terry W.** — 1969, Peninsula Conference; 69—Warwick, Md.; 70—Elkton-Assistant; 71—Asbury-Millington.
- Bailey, F. B.** — 1921, Maryland M.P.; 1921-23, West Wilmington; 25, Lauraville; 26-27, Wallace Memorial; 28-29, Mardela; 30-34, Deer Park; 35-36, Calvary; (Balto.); 37-44—Maryland and Peninsula, Federalsburg (Christ); 45-55, Laurel (Christ); 56-59, North East, Md.; 60-61, Associate, McCabe—Wilmington; 62—Retired.
- Bailey, H. A.** — 1933, Delaware Conference; 1933-35, Greenlock & Rhodes, N. J.; 35-38, Hamilton Memorial, Atlantic City, N. J.; 38-42, Newport, Del.; 42-43, Salem, N.J.; 43-65, Executive Secretary, Board of Education—Delaware Conference; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69—Associate Executive Secretary Board of Education; 70-71 Staff Assoc. Meth. Action Program; 72—Retired.
- Bailey, H. N.** — 1924, Wil. Conf.; 1924, Farmington; 25, St. Paul's (Dover); 26, Marydel; 27-29, Crapo; 30-31, Seaford Circuit; 32-33, Hopewell; 34-36, Tangier; 37, Deal's Island; 38-45, Wil. and Peninsula, Perryville; 46-51, U.S. Veterans Administration Chaplain; 52—Sabbatical Leave; 53—Retired.
- Bailey, R. D.** — 1957, Pen. Conf.; 57—Farmington, Del.; 58-61, Harmony-Grove; 62-63—Vienna; 64-70—Camden, Del.; 71—Assoc. Council Dir.
- Baker, D. W.** — 1939, Wil. Conf. and Peninsula, 39-40, Stanton; 41-42, Warwick; 43-46, Rehoboth Beach; 47-49, Milford (Calvary); 50-56—Laurel Centenary; 57-59, Richardson Park; 60-65—Selbyville, Del.; 66-67—Mt. Olivet-Seaford; 68-73—Wilm.-St. Mark's; 74—Salisbury Dist. Superintendent.
- Baker, Jonathan E.** — 1973, Peninsula Conf.; 1973-74—School. 75-Cecilton.
- Barton, Chas. E.** — 1957, Pen. Conf.; 57-58, Concord-Grove; 59-64—Dorchester, Secretary, Md.; 65-72—Cheswold, Del.; 73—Elkton-Providence.
- Baynard, F. O.** — 1940, Peninsula Conf. 40—At School; 41-42—Stanton; 43-45, Hosier Mem. and Hooper's Island; 46-47, Church Hill; 48-50, Wyoming; 51-54, Frankford; 55—Queenstown; 56-58, Greenwood Circuit; 59-62, Clayton, Del.; 63-64—Mt. Pleasant, Crisfield, Md.; 65-73—Georgetown-Grace; 74—Lincoln Charge.
- Beckwith, W. H.** — 1956, Peninsula; 1957-58, School; 59—New Jersey Conf. 1960—Peninsula; 60-61, Chesapeake, City, Md.; 61—S. Dakota Conf.; 62—Peninsula Conf. 62-63—Mardela, Md.; 64-65—Pocomoke-Salem; 66-70—Assoc. Newark; 71-74—Laurel. 75—Chester-Bethel.
- Beckwith, W. L.** — 1936, Wil. Conf.; 36-38, Church Hill; Wilmington and Peninsula, 39-42—Magnolia; 43-47—Millsboro; 48-56-Smyrna; 57-65—Crisfield-Asbury; 66-74—Chestertown-First. 75—Retired.
- Behm, Irvin M., Jr.** — 1970, Peninsula Conf.; 71-74—Dorchester Circuit. 75—Goldsboro.
- Benjamin, N. B.** — 1966, Pen. Conf.; 1966-68—Still Pond, Md.; 69-74—Fruitland-St. John's; 75—Crisfield-Asbury.
- Bennett, E. L.** — 1935, Wilmington Conf.; 35-36, Elliott's; 36-37, Beckwith and Spedden; 38-39—Smith's Island; Peninsula Conf. 1940-45—Dagsboro; 46-49—Mt. Pleasant (Crisfield); 50-53, Berlin; 54-56, Centreville; 57—Salisbury-Andrews & Stengle; 58-65—Pocomoke-Bethany; 66-70—Frankford; 71—Sabbatical Lv.; 72—Retired.
- Bergman, R. W.** — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, Cannon Charge; 63-65—Mt. Pleasant, Col. Md.; 66—Skyline.

- Blevins, E. B. — 1957, West Virginia; 1960, Peninsula; 1960-61, St. James; 62-66—Laurel-Christ; 67-69—Sudlersville, Md.; 70—Kingswood.
- Blundon, A. Jason — 1951, 51, Odessa; 52—Asst. Pastor Grace-Wilmington; 53-55—Ocean View; 56-59, Bridgeville; 60-63—Oxford, Md.; 64-66—Federalsburg-Union; 67—Chestertown-Christ.
- Boda, A. L. — 1966—W. Va.; 1968—Pen. Conf.; 68—Tilghman, Md.
- Bostick, Joseph C. — 1969, Pen. Conf.; 1969—Burrsville; 70-74—Greensboro-St. Paul's; 75—Fruitland-St. John's.
- Brewer, O. G., Jr. — 1949, Peninsula; 49-50, Wye Mills-Cordova; 51-58, Princess Anne; 59-65—Denton, First; 66-68—Cambridge-Zion; 69-74—Dist. Supt. Easton Dist.; 75—Laurel-Centenary.
- Brittain, John N. — 1970, East Ohio; 1976 Penin. Conf., 76—Bethesda, Salisbury Assoc.
- Bruner, Frederick M. — 1963—E. Pa.; 1969—Peninsula Conf.; 69-70—Associate, Salisbury-Asbury; 71—Townsend, Del.; 72—Wicomico County Mental Health Clinic, Salisbury.
- Buckley, F. G. — 1935, Wilmington Conf.; 1935, Pocomoke Cir.; 36, Annamessex; 37-38, Charlestown; 39-41, Wil. and Pen. Concord; 42-43, Bishopville; 44-47, Quantico, 48-49, Whaleysville; 50-53, Port Deposit; 54-55, Townsend; 56—Centreville-Grace; 57-58, Camden, Del.; 59-63, East New Market; 64-65—Chesapeake City, Md.; 66-69—Church Hill, Md.; 70—Retired.
- Bundick, W. B. — 1950, Pen. 1950-51, Townsend, Del.; 52-53, Dagsboro-Bethel; 54-57, Mt. Salem; 58-62, New Castle, Del.; 63-65—Christ Church, Brack Ex., Wilm., Del.; 66-68—Centreville, Md.; 69—Lewes-Bethel.
- Burge, C. D. — 1960, Peninsula Conf.; 60, Magnolia, Del.; 61—Townsend, Del.; 66—Chaplain, U.S. Army.
- Burris, Joseph Glenn — 1976 Penin. Conf., 76—School.
- Butler, Dallas W. — 1956—West Pa.; 1970—Pen. Conf.; 70—Crisfield-Immanuel.
- Butler, Widmon, Jr. — 1964, Delaware Conf.; 64, Denton-Williston, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65—Denton-Williston, Md.; 66-74—Preston Circuit; 75—Middletown-Summit.
- Caldwell, H. T. — 1930, Wilmington Conf.; 29-30, Church Hill; 31-35, Felton; 36-41, Chesapeake City; 42-44, Hockessin; 45-48, Sharptown; 49-60, Rising Sun; 60—Retired.
- Caldwell, J. M. — 1974, Peninsula Conf.; 74-75—School. 1976—Bethel-Concord-Wesley.
- Carpenter, C. I. — 1920-30, Newark Conf.; 31-33, Wil. Conf.; Rehoboth; 34-36, Federalsburg; Wil. and Pen., 37-60, Chaplain, U.S. Army; 61-67—Avenue-Milford; 68—Retired.
- Carter, Wm. T. — 1963, Peninsula Conference; 1963-64—At School; 65—Chaplain, U.S. Army.
- Catley, G. P. — 1972, Balti. Conf.; 1974, Peninsula Conf.; 74—Dagsboro-Bethel.
- Chancy, Augustus — 1944, Delaware Conf.; 44-47, Chestertown, Md.; 48-49, Bridgeton, N.J.; 50-54, Easton, Md.; 55-59, Salem, N.J.; 60-64, Mt. Joy, Wilm., Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69, Mt. Joy, Wilm., Del.; 70—Retired.
- Chandler, H. F., Jr. — 1929, Baltimore Conf.; 29-32, Relay; 33-34, Canton; 35-39; Montgomery Circuit; 40-52, Bethesda; Pen. Conf. 1953; 54-62, Easton, Md.; 63-68—Dist. Supt., Dover District; 69-71—Assoc. Wilmington-Grace; 72—Retired.
- Clawson, E. J. — 1958, Peninsula; 58-59, Allen, Md.; 60-61, Sharptown-Mt. Vernon; 62-66—Nanticoke-Bivalve; 67-71, Crisfield-Mt. Pleasant; 72-73—Bishopville-Showell; 74-75—East Cecil Charge; 76—Wingate-St. Thomas.
- Clendaniel, D. O. — 1951, Penin. Conf.; 51-55, Church Hill; 56-57, Federalsburg (Union); 58-63, Federalsburg (Union) and Federalsburg (Christ); 64—Sabbatical Leave; 65-71—Milford-Calvary; 72—Claymont Atonement.
- Clendaniel, D. O., II — 1969, Pen. Conf.; 69—Gumboro; 71—Roxana, Del.
- Cohen, C. M. — 1963, Peninsula Conference; 1963-64-70 — At School; 65 — Assoc. St. Mark's-Easton, Md.; 66 — Federalsburg-Christ.
- Coleman, E. E. — 1926, Maryland Conf.; 24, Lewistown; 25, Wilm. (First); 26-27, Cecil; 28-32, Kempton; 33-35, Delmar; Mary. and Pen; 36-42, Seaford (Olivet); 43-45, Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 46-49, Middletown; 50-60, Chaplain, Wilm., Del.; 61-65 — Chaplain, Va. Marion, Ind.; 66 — Retired.
- Coleman, John W. — 1961, Delaware, Conf.; 61-64, Assoc. Zoar, Phila., Pa.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-67 — St. Michaels-Royal Oak; 68-69. — Wilm.-Ezion; 70 — Field Representative, Dept. of Urban Ministries, Nat'l Div., Board of Missions.
- Collins, W. L. — 1926, Virginia Conf. ME. South; 1926, Phoenix; 27-28, Spotsylvania; 29-32, Lancaster; 33-36, Middle Bedford; 37-38, Cambridge, Md.; Wil. and Pen. 39-41, Salisbury (South); Pen. 42-45, Church Hill; 46-47, Mardela; 49-53, Bishopville; 54-57, Deal Island; 58-68, Hooper's Island; 69 — Retired.

- Commodore, George O. — 1952, Delaware Conf.; 52, Unionville, Md.; 53-59, Nanticoke, Md.; 60-64, Pocomoke, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-68 — Pocomoke, Md. 69 — Cambridge-Waugh.
- Cooke, B. E. — 1970, Pen. Conf.; 70-72 — School; 73-75 — St. George's-Delaware City; 76 — Snow Hill-Bates.
- Cooke, R. J. — 1941, Pen. Conf.; 1941, At School; 42-43, Kingswood and Delaware City; 44, Bethel and Town Point; 45, Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 46-47, Trappe; 48-49, Centreville (Epworth); 50-56, Seaford-St. John's; 57-58, Salisbury, Trinity; 59-64 — Dist. Supt. Wilm. Dist.; 65-70 — Newark, Del.; 71 — Conf. Council Dir.
- Covington, C. E. — 1953; 53-55, Marydel; 56-60, Ocean View, Del.; 61-74 — Rehoboth Beach, Del.; 75 — Union.
- Cox, C. R. — 1956 — N.Y.; 1966 — Pen. Conf.; 66-67 — Wilm. Silverbrook; 68 — Crime Prevention Assoc. for Youth, Philadelphia, Pa.
- Crawford, V. T., Jr. — 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Tilghman, Md.; 66-68 — Willards-Grace; 69 — Wingate-St. Thomas; 70-71 — Oriole, Md.; 72 — Cannon Charge; 73 — Clayton Charge; 74 — North East-Bayview.
- Crockett, E. E. — 1935, Wil. Conf.; 1935-37, Girdletree; Wil. and Pen. Confs.; 38-41, Nanticoke; 42-44, Mt. Pleasant; 45-49, Retired; 49-50, Seaford Circuit; 51-61, Retired; 62, Restored Active Relation; 62-63, Farmington; 64 — Retired.
- Crossan, Samuel Willard — 1972, Peninsula Conf.; 72 — School.
- Crosse, S. Winston C. — 1933-1957, British Methodist Church; 1957, Delaware Conf.; 57-58, Shiloh, Crisfield, Md.; 59-61, White Temple, Salisbury, Md.; 62-64, Laurel, Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-67 — Laurel, Delmar; 68 — Retired; 69 — Active, 69 — Easton-Asbury; 70-72 — Coleman; 73-75 — Disability; 76 — Retired.
- Cuff, G. Wayne — 1953, Delaware Conf.; 53-54, School; 55-57, Grenloch and Rhodes, N.J.; 58-62, Newport, Del.; 63-64, St. Michaels-Royal Oak, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-68 — Waugh, Cambridge, Md.; 69-74 — Dist. Supt. Wilm. District. 75 — Hillcrest-Bellefonte.
- Cursey, Ellwood W. — 1945, Pen.; 45-47, Stanton; 48-49, Allen; 50-52, Hurlock (Washington); 53-54, St. Michaels, 55-56, Milton; 57-58, Centreville, Md.; 59-61, Emmanuel, Crisfield; 62-65 — Marshallton; 66-68 — Millington, Md.; 69-71 — Harrington-Trinity; 72 — Retired.
- Davis, Harold M. — 1941, Pen. Conf.; 42, Farmington; 43-45, Odessa; 46-52, Milton (Goshen); 53-62, Elkton, Md.; 63-65 — Salisbury-Trinity; 66 — Easton-St. Mark's.
- Dennis, Louis R. — 1968, Pen. Conf.; 68 — Retired.
- Dickey, K. M. — Received by transfer from Southern Illinois Conference, May 15, 1946, Peninsula Conf.; 1946, Cecilton; 1947, Allen; 1948-49, Newark, Md.; 50-52, Hosier Memorial; 53, Sabbatical Leave; 54-55, Tilghman; 56-61, Nassau, Del.; 62, Houston; 63-67, Tome-Port Deposit, Md.; 68-70, Smith Island; 71-72, Parsonsburg, Md.; 73-74 — Mt. Vernon Charge, 75 — Greensboro-Burrsville.
- Diehl, J. R. — 1927, Wilmington Conf.; 1927-28, Greenwood; 29, Ellendale; 30, Mt. Vernon; 31-33, Cherry Hill; 34-35, Hopewell; Wil. and Pen.; 36-42, Parsonsburg; 43-46, Felton; 47-48, Seaford Circuit; 48-50, Federica; 51-55, Crisfield, Mariners; 56, Retired.
- Dise, W. L. — 1935, Wil. Conf.; 1928-34, United Lutheran Church; 1935, Pittsville; 36-38, Wyoming; Wil. and Pen. Confs.; 39-42, Fruitland; 43, Hurlock (Washington); 44-45, Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46, Sabbatical Leave; 47-50, Rehoboth; 51-52, Retired; 53-55, Centreville-Grace; 56-57, Smith Island; 58-59, Hebron-Nelson; 60, Retired; 61, Restored Active Relation; 61-65 — Salisbury, St. Andrews; 66 — Retired.
- Dix, Seldon G. — 1922, Delaware Conf.; 22-25, Oriole, Md.; 26-27, Wittman, Md.; 28-29, Quinton & Springtown, N.J.; 30, Leave of Absence; 31, Supernumerary; 32, Galena, Md.; 33-38, Cambridge Ct., Md.; 39-40, Townsend, Del.; 41-45, Bridgeville Ct., Del.; 46, Milford, Del.; 47-52, Mardela Springs, Md.; 53-55, Newman, Brooklyn, N.Y.; 56-60, Federalsburg, Md.; 60 — Retired; 1965, Transferred to Peninsula Conference.
- Donaway, W. S. — 1926, Maryland Conf.; 25, Snow Hill Cir.; 26-28, Powellville; 29-32, Accomac; 33-35, Wesley Chapel of Kent; Mary. and Pen. 36-40, Delmar, 41-42, Preston; 43-47, Fruitland; 48-50, Hillsboro; Wilm., Trinity, 51; St. Georges, 52, 56 (Clarksville); 57-58, Crisfield-Mt. Pleasant; 59 — Retired.
- Donnachie, T. P. — 1972, East Penna., 1974, Pen. Conf.; 74 — Odessa.
- Donaphan, Charles A. — 1973, Penin. Conf.; 68-71, Seaford Circuit; 72-73 — East Cecil; 74 — Queen Anne Charge.
- Dore, William — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 58-59, St. James; 60-65 — Sudlersville, Md., 66-71 — Denton-St. Luke's; 72 — Snow Hill-Whatcoat.

- Dredde, A. J. — 1950, Delaware, Conf.; 50-52, Lewes, Del.; 53-56, Seaford, Del.; 57-64, North Berlin, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — North Berlin, Md.; St. Paul's; 67 — Chestertown-Pomona; 68 — Laurel-Delmar.
- Elliott, Lee — 1928, Maryland; 1932 Pen. 28-70 — Laurel Cir.; 71 — Retired.
- Ellis, R. A. — 1958, Peninsula, 58-61, Holly Oak, Del.; 62-69, Georgetown-Wesley; 70 — Richardson Park.
- Evans, H. E. — 1950, Pen.; 53, Mt. Vernon; 54-56, Salisbury, St. Andrews; 57-62, Snow Hill, Whatcoat; 63-66 — Salisbury-Grace; 67-69 — Princess Anne, Antioch-Cokesbury; 70-74 — Georgetown-Wesley, 75 — Milton-Goshen.
- Fitzhugh, William M. — 1969, Pen. Conf.; 1969-70, Assistant-Cambridge-Zion; 71-73, Royal Oak, Md.; 74 — Georgetown, Grace.
- Flater, H. B. — 1935, Maryland, 35, Caroline; 36-38, Bivalve; Mar. and Pen.; 1938-40, Kent Island-Wye; 41-43, Still Pond; 44-45, Easton (Calvary); 46-52, Scott (Wil.); 53-60, Snow Hill — Bates; 61-63, Delmar, Mt. Olive; 64-66 — Oxford, Md.; 67-69 — Preston-Bethesda; 68 — Laurel-Christ; 70-71 — Quantico-Rockawalkin; 72-75 — Disability; 76 — Retired.
- Foard, L. R. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70 — Millington-Asbury; 71-73 — West Cecil Ct.; 74 — Newark Circuit.
- Foster, G. A. — 1948 Peninsula; 48-49 — At School; 50-54, Aldersgate; 55-56 — Winona School of Theology; 57-74 Wilmington-Union; 75 — Bridgeville.
- French, J. E. — 1934, Wil. 1934-36, Cordova; Wil. and Pen., 37-39, Epworth (Wil.); 40, 42, Newcastle; 43-45, Denton, (First); 56-61, Supt., Salisbury District; 62-65 — Cambridge-Zion; 66-69 — Wilm.-Peninsula; 70-74 — Milford Avenue, 75 — Rehoboth-Epworth.
- Gammon, G. S. — 1964, Peninsula; 64-68 — Wilmington, Calvary; 69 — Youth Services Commission, State of Del.
- Geoghegan, William D. — 1945, Pen. Conf.; 45-46, Christiana; 47-50, at school; 50-54, Chaplain, University of Rochester; 54 — Bowdoin College.
- George, J. P. — 1916, Maryland, 1916, Queen Anne; 17-18, Pocomoke Cir.; 19, Warwick; 20-21, Laurel Cir.; 22-23, Franklin City; 24-25, Conquest; 26-28, Accomac; 29-31, Whaleysville; 32-36, Kent Island; Mary. and Pen. 37-41, Harbeson; 42-44, Marydel; 45-47, Cambridge Cir.; 48 — Retired.
- Gerald, C. D. — 1928, Delaware Conf.; 28-31, Keller, Va.; 32-33, Parsonsburg, Md.; 34-37, Pomona, Md.; 38-42, Cambridge, Md.; 43-48, Supt. Dover District; 49-51, Camphor, Phila.; Pa.; 52-56, Princess Anne, Md.; 57-62, Seaford, Del.; 63-64, Nassau, Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Nassau, Del.; 66 — Retired.
- Given, R. G. — 1947, Pen.; 1947-48, Crapo; 49-51, Wesley Chapel of Kent; 52, Trappe; 53-56 — Quantico; 57-58, Vernon; 59-60, Whaleysville, Md.; 61-65 — Bishopville, Md.; 66-69 — Sharptown-Asbury; 70-71 — Bethel, Del.; 72 — Frederica Charge.
- Glass, W. A. — 1935, Wil. 1935 — Burrsville; 36-37, Bayside; Wil. and Pen. 38-40, Galena; 41-43, Christiana; 44-45, At School; 46, 58, Registrar, Drew Seminary; 59 — Asst. Prof. Cedar Crest College.
- Godfrey, George — 1957, Pen. Conf.; 57, Blades, Del.; 58-61, Conference Director of Camp and Youth Work; 1962 — Western Pa. Conf.; 62-64, Baldwin Community; 1965, Pen. Conf.; 65-68 — Assoc. St. Paul's, Wilm., Del.; 69 — Seaford-St. John's.
- Golden, A. B. — 1951; 51-73, Christiana, Del.; 74 — Wilmington-Christ.
- Goodley, Edward C. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70-72, Georgetown Ct.; 73 — Mardela Springs.
- Goodley, G. W. — 1939, Wil. and Pen. 39-40, Charlestown; 41, Ebenezer; 42-45, Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46-47, Associate Pastor, Asbury (Salisbury); 48-55, Hillcrest; 56-58, Denton (First); 59-66 — Newport, Del.-Peniel; 67-68 — Lewes-Bethel; 69-71 — Claymont-Atonement; 72 — Assoc. Wilmington Manor-Asbury.
- Gordy, H. L., Jr. — 1956, Pen. Conf.; 56 — School; 57-60 — Quantico, Md.; 61-66, Chaplain, Wesley College; 67-74 — Wilm.-Silverbrook; 75 — Salisbury-Trinity.
- Graham, Ray F. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-72, School; 73-75 — Assoc. Red Lion-Glasgow; 76 — Trappe-Bruceville.
- Green, H. S. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70-71, School; 72-74 — Townsend; 75 — Georgetown-Indian Mission.
- Green, C. R., III — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70 — Cherry Hill; 71 — Nagasaki Girls School; 72-73, Seaford Circuit; 74-Royal Oak.
- Green, R. E. — 1976 Penin. Conf. 1975 — Upper Fairmount.
- Greene, W. Hayward — 1958, Delaware Conf.; 58-59, Leemont, Va.; 60-64, Easton, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Milford, Del.-Harrington; 67-68 — Snow Hill Circuit; 69-73, Dover-Whatcoat; 74 — Pocomoke City Charge; 75 — Salisbury-Wesley Temple.

- Greer, H. W. — 1975, Peninsula; 1974, Assoc. Ezion-Mt. Carmel.
- Grier, Kenneth Wayne — 1973, Penin. Conf.; 1973-74 — Assoc. Camden-Woodside; 75 — West Harrington.
- Griffin, J. O. — Pen. Conf.; 1965, Retired — Del. Conf.; 1956.
- Hackett, W. O. — 1942, Pen. 1942-43, Elk Neck; 44-47, Wyoming-Woodside; 48-56 — Georgetown-Wesley; 57-60, Seaford-St. John's; 61-69 — Hillcrest, Bellefonte; 70 — Adm. Meth. Country House.
- Hackshaw, Ewart C. — 1941-1959, British Methodist Church; 1959, Delaware Conf.; 59-64, Rock Hall, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Rock Hall, Md.; 67 — Berlin Cir.
- Hall, R. P. — 1975, Peninsula; 1975 — Church Creek.
- Hamilton, D. E. — 1974, Pen. Conf.; 71-74 — Middletown-Townsend Ct.; 75 — St. Michael's-Royal Oak.
- Hamilton, Richard L. — 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59-62, Goldsboro, Md.; 63-65 — Asst. Dir.-Development, Wesley Theo. Seminary; 66-70 — Aldersgate-Assoc.; 71-73, Drug Control Coordinator, State of Delaware; 74 — Special Consultation, White House Office for Drug Abuse.
- Hammond, Clayton E. — 1959, Delaware Conf.; 60-64, Darby, Pa.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-68 — Dover, Del.; (Whatcoat); 69-73, Assoc. Executive Sec. Com. on Religion & Race; 74 — Whatcoat; Dover.
- Harris, C. M. — 1967, Peninsula Conference; 1967-71 — Oxford-Royal Oak; 72-73 — Disability; 74 — Retired.
- Harris, R. L. — 1970, Pen. Conf.; 70-71 — Magnolia, Del.; 72-73 — Assoc. Hillcrest-Bellefonte; 74 — Clayton Charge.
- Hart, C. B. — 1936, Ohio; 36-38, School-Union, N.Y.C., Supplied Asbury, Mt. Vernon, N.Y.; 39-40, N.Y. East, Mt. Vernon, Asbury; 41-43, Bethpage and Hicksville; 44-48, Huntington; 49-55, Waterbury Ct., First; 56-58, Babylon; 59-62, St. Louis (Missouri East, 61), Webster Groves, Mo., Webster Hills; 1963, Peninsula; 63-70, McCabe; 71-75 — Newark, Del.; 76 — Retired.
- Hartman, James Lee — 1976, Penin. Conf.; 76 — Warwick.
- Hastings, R. W. — 1938, Wil. 1938, Farmington; Wil. and Pen. 39-41, Church Hill; 42-44, Sharptown (Mt. Vernon); 45-47, St. Michaels (Sardis); 48-52, (Salem) Pocomoke City; 53 — Retired.
- Hays, Clarence H. — 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59-60, Bethel, Del.; 61-62, Ocean View, Del.; 63-64, Assoc. St. Marks, Easton, Md.; 65-67 — Goldsboro Circuit, Goldsboro, Md.; 68-69 — Smyrna-Asbury; 70-73, Seaford-Reliance; 74 — Centreville.
- Helms, R. W. — 1957, Pen.; 57 — Minquadale, Del.; 58-59, Cherry Hill, Md.; 60-62, Galena, Md.; 63-65 — Church Hill, Md.; 66 — Newark-Ebenezer.
- Hemphill, E. J., Jr. — 1941, Pen. 41, Kingswood, 42-43, Ebenezer; 44-73 — Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 74 — Sabbatical Leave; 75 — Retired.
- Hemphill, Wm., Jr. — 1949, Pen.; 49-52, East New Market; 53-56 — Sudlersville, Md.; 57-61, Cambridge-St. Paul's; 62-69 — Dover, Wesley; 70 — St. Paul-Wilm.
- Henderson, Gerald M. — 1957, Pen. Conf.; 59-62, Mt. Pleasant-St. Georges; 63-72, Millsboro, Del.; 73 — Peniel.
- Hermann, C. C., Jr. — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, Associate Grace, Wilmington; 63-66, Ocean View, Del.; 67-69 — School; 70 — North East-Bayview; 71-73 — Ass't. Professor Auburn University, Alabama; 74, Ass't Prof. Western Md. College.
- Hill, G. W. — 1974, Peninsula Conf.; 73 — St. John's-Moore's.
- Hill, P. O. — 1944, Genessee Conf.; 41-42, Farmersville Center; 43, Fair Haven (Va.); 44 — Attending School; 45-47, Queenstown, 48-50 — Christ, Federalsburg; 51-56 — Cecil United Parish; 57-58, St. George's Clarksville; 59-63, Milton; 64-68, Middletown; 69-73, Wilm.-Christ; 74 — Assoc. Aldersgate, Wilm.
- Hitchens, Wm. — 1950, Pen.; 1950-52, Felton; 53-56, Clayton, Del.; 57-62, Christ Church, (Brack Ex. Wilm.); 63-74 — New Castle, Del. 75 — Silverbrook-Haven.
- Holden, J. F. — 1965, North-East Ohio Conference; 1967, Peninsula Conference; 1967-71 — Assoc. Harrison St.; 72 — Harrison Street.
- Holliday, J. V. — 1952, Pen.; 52-54, At School; 55, Georgetown Circuit; 56-59, Queenstown, Md.; 60-64, Rock Hall, Md.; 65-71 — Laurel-Centenary; 71 — Disability; 72-74 — West Harrington Charge, 75 — Marshallton-Cedars.
- Hopkins, Raymond Thomas, III — 1976, Penin. Conf.; 76, At School.
- Hopkins, R. W. — 1941, Pen.; 1941-42, Charlestown; 43, Port Deposit; 44-45, At School; 46-47, Perryville; 48-72, Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 73 — Retired.

- Horney, E. J. — 1948, School; 49-55, Ebenezer; 56-62, Hurlock, Md.; 63-64 — Christ Imp., Chestertown, Md.; 65-67 — Asbury, Smyrna, Del.; 68, Chaplain — Del. Home & Hospital, Smyrna, Del.
- Hornung, D. O. — 1938, Detroit; 1938-39, Clio.; Pen. Conf.; 41-42, Pomona; 43-44, Crumpton; 45-47, Ingleside and Barclay; 48-53, Ocean City; 54-58, Millsboro; 59-65, Centreville, Md.; 66-72, Pocomoke City-Bethany-Salem; 73 — Berlin-Stevenson.
- Howell, Robert D. — 1969, Pen. Conf.; 69-71 — East New Market, Md.; 72 — Assoc. St. Paul's, Wilmington.
- Hubbard, R. C. — 1935, North East, Ohio; 35-36, At School; 37, Kenilworth, N. J. (Student Charge); 38, Seville, Ohio; 39-41, Peninsula, Ohio; 1942, N. J. Conference; 42-45, Spring Lake, N. J.; 1946-75 — Peninsula Conf. Cambridge (Grace); 76 — Retired.
- Hudson, W. H. — 1940, Pen. 1940, St. Martins; 41, At School; 42-45, Milton (Goshen); 46-59, Brack-Ex.; 50-59, Chestertown (First); 60-66; Lewes, Del.; 67-72, Wilmington-Peniell; 73 — Millsboro-Grace.
- Huffman, Charles C. — 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59-62, Preston, Md.; 63-67 — Galena, Md.; 68-69 — Crisfield-Asbury; 70-75 — Princess Anne-Antioch; 76 — Federalsburg Concord.
- Hurley, Thomas W. — 1972, Peninsula Conference; 1967-70 — Church Creek; 71 — Assoc.-Wilm.-Peniell; 72 — Queenstown.
- Hurlock, C. G. — 1967, Peninsula Conference; 1967-69, Mariners Bethel; 70-72, Crisfield-Asbury; 73 — Perryville-Principio.
- Hurst, D. J. — 1959, Louisville to Peninsula Conf.; 1959-61, Burrsville, Md.; 62-64 — Millington; 65-69 — Crisfield-Immanuel; 70-75 — Delmar-St. Stephen's; 76 — Christiana-Salem.
- Hustead, Chester — 1969 Pen Conf.; 69-70, Milton-Goshen; 71-72, Marion Station-Mariners; 73 — SY; 74 — Retired.
- Irwin, John A. — 1953, Ohio Conf.; 1954, Pen. Conf.; 54, Farmington; 55-56 — East New Market; 57-58 — Preston, Md.; 59-62 — Millsboro, Del.- 63-65 — Assoc. Newark; 66 — Selbyville-Salem.
- Isaacs, E. C. — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, St. Georges, Del.; 63-68 — Wyoming, Del.; 69-71 — Calvary-Eastlake; 72-75 — Denton-St. Luke's; 76 — Cambridge, Grace
- Jeffers, H. C. — 1950; 52, Trinity & Quindocqua; 52-56 — Preston, Md.; 57-59, Sudlersville, Md.; 60 — Retired.
- Jicha, Hubert F., Jr. — 1956, Erie Conf.; Assoc., First Church, Jamestown, N.Y.; 57-59, Clavendon, Pa.; 60-62 — Genesee Conf.; Gainesville, N.Y. At School; 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-64 — Assoc., Wesley, Dover, Del.; 65 — Frankford, Del.; 66-70 — Perryville, Md.; 71-72, Clayton, De.; 73 — Georgetown Charge.
- Johnson, Vaughn — 1974 — Penin. Conf.; 74 — School; 75 — Princess Anne-Metropolitan.
- Jones, J. E. — 1935, Wil. 1933, Williamsburg; 34-36, Cheswold; 37, Nanticoke; Wil. and Pen. 38-41, Roxana; 42-45, Brack-Ex.; 46-69, Berlin; 50-53, Millsboro; 54-61, Wilmington-Harrison Street; 62-64 — Cambridge-St. Paul's; 65-74 — Harrington-Asbury; 75 — Retired.
- Kauber, D. M. — 1961, West Ohio; 1961-63, At School; 64 — Dir. Gen. Bd. Educ.; 1965 — Peninsula; 1965-68 — Church Ext. Society; 1969 — At School; 70-71 Staff MAP; 72-74 — Dir. Planned Parenthood of Del., 75 Dir. Planned Parenthood of Vermont.
- Kay, J. M. — 1931, Maryland, 1931, Kent Island; 32-33, Claremont; 34-36, Greenwood; Mary. and Pen. 37-45, James; 46-50, Concord-Grove; 51-55, Fairmont & Westover; 56-57, Mardela, Md.; 58-63, Crapo, Md.; 64-67, Allen, Md.; 68 — Retired.
- Keene, M. H. — 1938, Wil.; 1938, Henderson; Wil. and Pen. 39-40, Kingswood; 41-3, Mardela (Emmanuel); 44-45, Hurlock (Washington); 46-48, Chestertown (Christ); 49-53, Harrison St.; 54-59, Kingswood-Brookside; 60-65 — Seaford-Mt. Olivet; 66 — Administrator-Seaford Manor House, Seaford, Del.
- Kelly, R. G. — 1963-Penin. Conf.; 59-60, Minquadale; 61, Ebenezer Newark (Interim); 61-62, Warwick; 63-64, Cheswold; 65, Assoc. Elkton; 66-70, Withdrawn; 1970 Pen. Conf. (PM); 70-72, Lincoln; 73 — Laurel Mt. Pleasant.
- Kester, E. E. — N. Indiana, 1974 Penin. Conf.; 73 Crapo Charge; 74 Galena.
- Ketterman, Howard P., Sr. — 1972 Peninsula Conference; 1966, Mt. Hermon; 67-69, Nanticoke-Bivalve; 70-72, Queen Anne Ct.; 73 — Sudlersville
- Kincade, Charles E. — 1920, Delaware Conf.; 20, Eastern Ct., Md.; 21-23, Sewell, N.J.; 24, Warren, Phila., Pa.; 25-30, Ossining, N.Y.; 31, Jersey City, N.J.; 32-33, Ocean City, N.J.; 34-40, Buttonwood, Del.; 41-42, Mt. Holly and Burlington, N.J.; 43, Townsend, Del.; 44-45, Wilm. City Missionary Society, Del.; 46-52, Delaware City, Del.; 53, Sabbatical Leave; 54 — Retired. 1965, Transferred to Peninsula Conference.

- Kirk, George P. — 1963, W. Va.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Bethel Circuit, Bethel, Del.; 67 — Secretary-Dorchester; 68-69 — Colora Mt. Pleasant; 70 — Sy.
- Kirwan, R. W. — 1933, Wil. 25-26, Powellville; 27-28, Annamessex; 29-30, Farmington; 31-33, Cheswold; 34-36, Queenstown; 37-38, Bishopville; Wil. and Pen. 39-44, Greensboro; 45-48, Clayton (St. Paul's); 49-50, Easton (Calvary); 51-53, Goldsboro; 54-56, Dagsboro, Bethel & Christ; 57-61, Houston, Del.; 62-69 — Nassau, Del.; 70 — Retired.
- Knotts, J. W. — 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-65 — At School; 66-67 — Assoc. Peniel; 68-70 — Assoc. Wilm.-Grace; 71-75 — Salisbury-Grace; 76 — Sabb.
- Krams, H. K. — 1938, Balt. Conf. (South), 36 Pulaski Cir. (Holston Conf.); 37-38, Hiram Cir. (North Georgia Conf.); Baltimore and Penn. Conf. 39-40, Ingleside and Barclay; 41-44, St. Michaels (Sardis); 45-53, Marshallton; 54-60, Brandywine; 61-71 — Dir. Religious Services, Youth Service Commission, State of Delaware; 72 — Retired.
- Krause, Harley H. — Holston Conference; 1964-66, Peninsula Conference; 67-70 — Marion Station-Mariners; 71 — East Cecil Ct.; 72-73 — North East, Bayview; 74 Parsonsburg.
- Lasbury, C. E. — 1955, Pen.; 55-56 — Assistant, St. Paul's Wilm.; 57-63, Chester-Bethel; 64-68 — Fruitland-St. John's; 69 — Hockessin, Del.
- Ledbetter, Pamela G. — 76 — Magnolia.
- Leister, G. E. — 1919, Maryland, 1919-25, Greenbush and Tasley; 26-36, Federalsburg; Mary. and Pen. 37-42, Pocomoke (Bethany); 43-48, Centreville (Grace); 49-52, Clayton; 53, Bethel-Dover Dist.; 58 — Retired.
- Link, J. N. — 1913-15, Fairfax Circuit, Virginia; 1916-17, Warwick Circuit, Maryland; 1918-19, Accomac Circuit, Virginia; 1920-24, Deer Park Circuit, Maryland; 1925-27 Grace Church, Baltimore; 1928-33 Starr Church, Baltimore; 1935-37 First Church, Newark, New Jersey; 1938-46 Professor of Practical Theology, Westminster Theological Seminary; 1947-52 Peninsula Church, Wilmington; 53-58, District Superintendent, Wilmington District; 59 — Retired.
- Littleton, D. A. — 1933, Wil. 1933, Pocomoke Cir.; 34-36, Ocean City; 37-39, Townsend; 40-45, Pen Conf. Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46, Odessa; 47-54, Chaplain Veterans Administration; 55-56, Cherry Hill, Md.; 57-58, Wilm.-Trinity; 59-60, Assoc. Wilm. Manor; 61-66 — Assistant Director Goodwill Industries, Wilm., Del.; 67 — Retired.
- Livingston, K. W. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70 — American Bible Society; 71 — Mental Health Therapist, Golden State Community Mental Health Center.
- Lucia, Frank — 1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Georgetown Circuit; 59-63, Camden, Del., 64-74 — Chester-Bethel; 75 — Milford-Avenue.
- Lyght, W. L. D. — 1930, Delaware Conf.; 31-32, Spring Lake, N. J.; 33-37, Smyrna, Del.; 38-40, Harrington, Del.; 41-46, Princess Anne, Md.; 47-50, St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.; 51-54, Asbury, Atlantic City, N.J.; 55-60, Supt. Wilm. District; 61-64, Ezion, Wilm. Del.; 1965 Peninsula Conf.; 65-67, Ezion, Wilm. Del.; 68 — Retired.
- Mackey, J. R. — 1938-48, Epperson; Norman Jax Dist. 38-40; Jacksonville Beach, Jax Dist. 40-48; Peninsula Conf. 48-69, Asbury-Salisbury; 70-74 — Aldersgate-Wilm., 75 — Retired.
- Magill, Earl — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 70 — Ocean View.
- Manchester, Harvey, Jr. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-72, School; 73-74 — Laurel Charge; 75 — Cherry Hill.
- Massimilla, John A. — 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66, Laurel, Del., (Mt. Pleasant); 67-69 — Dagsboro-Bethel; 70 — Clayton, Del.; 71-72 — Felton, Del. 73-75 — Magnolia; 76 — Sabb.
- Matthews, Gonzalee — 1976 Penin. Conf.; 1975 — Mt. Vernon-Grace.
- May, Felton E. — 1962, Northern Illinois Conf.; 62-63 — Assistant St. James Meth. Church; 64-68 — Maple Park; 1968, Pen. Conf.; 68-69 — Meth. Mission & Church Extension Society; 70-74 — Ezion-Mt. Carmel, 75 — Easton Dist. Supt.
- McBride, J. E. — 1925, Delaware Conf.; 25-27, Melitota, Md.; 28, Burlington, N. J.; 29-30, Taylor's Island, Md.; 31-34, Cordova, Md.; 35-40, Linkwood, Md.; 41-45, Taylor's Island, Md.; 46-50, Hurlock, Md.; 51-55, Ridgely, Md.; 56-57, Fruitland, Md.; 58 — Retired. 1965, Transferred to Peninsula Conference.
- McCabe, K. K. — 1962, Pen. Conf.; 62-63, School; 64-66, Smith Island-Ewells; 67-68 — School; 69-74 — Middletown-Summit, 75 — Seaford-Mt. Olivet.
- McCoy, P. E. — 1938, Wil. 1938, At School; 39, Burrsville; Pen. 40, Warwick; 41, Galena; 42-43, Hillcrest; 44-45, Newport; 46, Grace (Wil.), Associate Pastor 47-48, (Ebenezer) Easton; 49, Chaplain U.S. Army; 50-52, Easton (Ebenezer); 53-58, St. Paul's, Wilm.; 59-62 — Salisbury-Trinity; 63-64 — Newark, Del.; 65-66 — Dist. Supt. Seaford Dist.; 67, Dist. Supt. Wilmington District; 68-73 — Grace Wilmington, 74 — Wilmington: St. Mark's.

- McCoy, W. — 1974 Penin. Conf.; 73-74 — Cambridge-Aireys, 75 — Federalsburg-Denton.
- McKelvey, Paul T. — 1968, Pen. Conf.; 68-69 — School; 70-71 — Richardson Pk. Assoc; 72 — Assoc. Wilmington-Grace.
- Meekins, Gary L. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-73 — Chestertown-Pomona, 74 Lewis Charge.
- Merrill, Thomas R. — 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59, School; 60-62, Mardela, Md.; 63 — Chaplain U.S. Army.
- Milbury, F. D. — 1930, Wil. 1930, At School; 1931-35, Wyoming; 36-39, Federalsburg; Pen. 40-43, Mt. Salem; 44-46, Laurel (Centenary); 47, Newport; 52-55, Dir. Religious Education; 56-64, Milford, (Calvary); 65 — Assoc. Hillcrest Memorial-Bellefonte, Wilm. 66 — Retired.
- Miller, A. S. — 1941, Pgh. Conf.; 1940-43, Beechview; 1943-45, Cambridge Circuit, Md.; 1945-48, Beaver Falls, Central; 1948-49, Uniontown, Calvary, Pen. Aug. 1949; 49-61, Cambridge (Zion); 62-67, Salisbury Dist. Supt.; 68 Claymont-Atonement; 69 — Staff Dept. of Finance & Field Service, Nat'l Division, Board of Missions.
- Miller, N. L. — 1958, Delaware Conf.; 1965-67 — California Nevada, Assoc. Jones Methodist; 1967 — Pen. Conf.; 67 — Bridgeville; 68-69 — Snow Hill Circuit; 70-74 — Lincoln; 75 — Assoc. Coun. Dir.
- Minker, R. L., Sr. — 1974 readmitted; 1974 — Retired.
- Mitchell, J. F. — 1975, Peninsula; 1975 — Nanticoke-Bivalve.
- Moore, Edward Timothy — 1976 — Penin. Conf; 76 — At School.
- Moore, Gary L. — 1973 Penin. Conf.; 73 — Magnolia Charge, 73-74 — Church-Hill-Price; 75 — Quantico-Rockawalkin.
- Moyer, Charles M. — 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Harbeson Circuit, Harbeson, Del. 67-70, Felton, Del.; 71 — Camden-Woodside, Del.
- Newsome, Melvin T. — Eastern Pa. 1976 — Penin. Conf. 76 — Ridgely-Marydel.
- Nicklas, H. N. — 1932, Maryland Conf. 31-32, Warwick; 33-35, Powellville; 36-39, Cecil; Pen. 40-42, Odessa; 43-47, Magnolia; 48-51, Trappe; 52-59, Sharptown-Mt. Vernon; 60, Bishopville, Md.; 61-62, Bethel, Del.; 63-65, Houston, Del.; 66 — Retired.
- Nurse, Herbert N. — Virginia-North Carolina Conf.; 1962-64, Baltimore Conf.; 1965-66 — Supply Pen. Conf.; 1967-68 — Girdletree-Cool Spring — On Probation. Pen. Conf. 1969; 69 — Queenstown-Carmichael; 70-71 — Easton-Asbury; 72 — Chester-Stevensville; 73 — Sy.; 74 — Disability; 75 — Retired.
- O'Dell, J. C. — 1962, Pen. Conf.; 62 — Assoc. Easton-St. Marks; 63-69 — Holly Oak; 70-72, Laurel-Mt. Pleasant; 73 — Colora-Hopewell.
- O'Neil, James — 1928, Wil. 1928, Farmington; 29-31, Nassau; 32-33, Blades; 34-36, Kenton; Wil. and Pen. 37-40, Quantico; 41-42, Pittsville (Ayers); 43-44, Fairmount; 45-47, Greenwood; 48-51, Ellendale; 52-55, Ingleside; 56-57, Crisfield (Mariners); 58-59, Mardela; 60 — Retired.
- O'Sullivan, Colleen Marie — 1976 Penin. Conf. 76 — At School.
- Owens, Harold E. — 1968, Pen. Conf.; 68-70, North East-West Cecil; 71-72, Assoc.-McCabe-Pen.; 73 — Rising Sun-Janes.
- Owens, J. R. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70 — Roxana; 71-74 — Milton-Goshen; 75 — Assoc. Asbury-Salis.
- Owens, W. H. — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Perryville (Asbury); 59-62, Assoc. Dir. Home for Aged; 63-71 — Snow Hill, Whatcoat; 72 — Cambridge-Zion.
- Painter, Buford E. — 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69 — Worton, Md. (Saint James); 70 — Hurlock.
- Parker, G. O. — 1967, Peninsula Conference; 67 — School; 68-70 — Secretary, Dorchester; 71 — Oriental Miss. Soc.
- Parks, H. M. — 1925, Wil. 1925-26, Little Creek; 27-28, Mt. Lebanon; 29-31, St. John's; 32, Delaware City; 33-35, Marshallton; Wil. and Pen. 36-42, Asbury (Wil.); 43-47, Salisbury (Grace); 48, St. Michaels; 49-51, Rock Hall; 52-53, Townsend; 54-58, Port Deposit; 59-61, Millington, Md.; 62 — Retired.
- Parsons, P. H. — 1975 Peninsula; 1975 — At School.
- Patterson, Harry Alton III — 1976 Penin. Conf. 76 — At School.
- Paul, D. G. — 1959 Philadelphia Conf.; 1960 Peninsula; 1960, Warwick, Md.; 61 — Trappe, Md.; 62-65 — Rising Sun; 66 — Sudlersville, Md.; 67 — St. Georges-Delaware City.
- Payne, R. H., Jr. — 1958 Peninsula 58-59, Tilghman, Md.; 60-61, Still Pond, Md.; 62-65 — Queenstown; 66-71 — Marshallton; 72-73 — Odessa; 74-75 — Christiana-Salem; 76 — Laurel.
- Phillips, Roy B. — 1955, Pen.; 55, Wesley Chapel; 56-58, Townsend, Del.; 59-60, St. Georges, Clarksville; 61 — Kent Island.

- Pitsenbarger, H. W. — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, Church Creek, Md.; 63-66 — Preston, Md.; 67 — Federalsburg-Union.
- Pittman, Wm. R. — 1965, Balti. Conf.; 1966, Pen. Conf.; 1966-69 — Queenstown, Md.; 70-71 — Cecilton, Md.; 72 — Preston-Harmony.
- Poukish, C. H. — 1962 Pen. Conf.; 62-65 — Harrington-Trinity; 66 — Crisfield, Md.-Mt. Pleasant; 67 — Wilm.-Brandywine; 68-75 — North East; 76 — Delmar.
- Poultney, N. L. — 1971, Pen. Conf.; 71-74 — Cherry Hill; 75 — Cambridge-Choptank.
- Price, M. L. — 1974, Pen. Conf.; 74-75 — Bethel-Concord-Wesley; 76 — Milford, Avenue - Assoc.
- Pritchard, D. T. — 1934, Wil. 1934-35, Somerset; 36-39, Newark, Md.; Pen. 40-41, Mt. Pleasant (Laurel); 42-46, Millington; 47-48, Odessa; 49-51, Harrington (Trinity); 52-59, Oxford; 60-61, Blades, Del.; 62 — Port Deposit-Tome; 63-65, Hopewell; 66 — Retired.
- Pruett, D. R. — 1962, Peninsula Conf.; 62, Hopewell; 63-66, West Cecil Circuit; 67-71, Wyoming; 72 — Extension Agent-Youth-Delaware Coop. Ext. Service.
- Pusey, I. R. — 1961 Peninsula Conf.; 61 — Red Lion, Del.
- Radway, G. H. — 1968-70 Sassafras; 71 — Seaford Ct.; 1975, Peninsula.
- Randolph, J. T. — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, Cedars; 63-64 — School; 65-66 — Trappe, Md.; 67-69, St. Michaels-St. Luke's; 70-72, School; 73 — Wyoming.
- Rash, R. C. — 1975 Peninsula; 1975 — Bethel.
- Reiter, C. L. — 1957, Pen. 57 — Readmitted and Retired.
- Revelle, W. H., Jr. — 1945 Pen. Conf. 45-48, Port Deposit; 49-56 — Chestertown, Christ; 57-58, Smyrna-Asbury; 59-69, Wilm., St. Paul's; 70-72, Salisbury-Asbury; 73-74 — Hillcrest-Bellefonte; 75 — Dover Dist. Supt.
- Reynolds, B. E. — Wil. 1938, 1938-39, Hoopers Island; Wil. and Pen. 40-42, Newark, Md.; 43-44, Marshallton; 45-73, Wilmington Manor-Asbury; 74 — Salisbury-Bethesda.
- Reynolds, P. E. — 1927, Wil. 1927-28, Vienna; 29-32, Hillcrest, 33-35, North East; 36-46, Chestertown (First); 47-48, (Bethany) Pocomoke City; 49-57, New Castle; 58-62, St. Michaels; 63 — St. Georges; 64 — Retired.
- Rich, W. D. — 1956, Balti. Conf.; 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-64 — Dir. Wesley Foundation for Eastern, Md.; 65-67, Ocean City, Md.-Atlantic; 68-75 — Assoc. Salisbury-Bethesda; 76 — Assoc. Grace-Wilmington.
- Ridley, Douglas M. — 1969 Pen. Conf.; 69-71 — Still Pond-Betterton; 72 — Vienna-Elliotts.
- Ridout, Daniel L. — 1924, Delaware Conf.; 24-26, Princess Anne Academy; 27-28, St. Peters, Wilm., Del.; 29-31, Hamilton, Atlantic City, N. J.; 32-33, St. Michaels, Md.; 34-40, Bridgeton, N.J.; 41-48, Camphor, Phila., Pa.; 49-52, Supt., Dover District; 53-64, Secretary, Baltimore Area; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-70 — Supt. Chestertown District, Chestertown, Md.; 71 — Retired.
- Riffe, David — 1958-62, Wesley Foundation at W. Va. University; 62-68 — Wesley Foundation at Winston Salem, N.C.; 1968 Pen. Conf.; 68 — Wesley Foundation, Univ. of Del.
- Riley, James W. — 1972, Pen. Conf.; 1970-72, Hooper's Island; 73-75 — Ridgely Charge; 76 — Salisbury-Grace.
- Roberts, D. Bruce — 1962, Peninsula Conf.; 62-64 — At School; 65-69 — Assoc. Brandywine-Trinity, Wilm., Del.; 70-73, School; 74 — Ass't. Prof. Christian Ed., Scarritt College.
- Robinson, C. J. — 1960, Philadelphia to Peninsula, 60 — Dover Wesley & Air Base; 63 — Middletown, Del.; 64-70 — Assoc. Claymont; 71-74 — Assoc. Coun. Dir.; 75 — New Castle-Mt. Salem.
- Robinson, W. L., Jr. — 1951; 51-52, Asbury, Wilmington; 53-55, Charleston, Md.; 56-60, Ebenezer-Newark, Del.; 61-66, Wilm.-Brandywine; 67-70, Salisbury-Grace; 71 — Assoc. McCabe-Peninsula.
- Rose, Ken R. — Pen. Conf. 1965; 1965-73 — Salisbury-Bethesda; 74 — Grace Wilm.
- Ross, G. S. — 1918, Maryland; 1918, Greenback; 19, Harpers Ferry; 20-23, Harmony; 24, Rowlandsville; 25-28, Cannon; 29, Kent Island; 30-34, Mardela; Mary. and Pen. 35-40, Milton; 41-43, Seaford Cir.; 44-48, Goldsboro; 49-50, St. Georges-Delaware City; 51-52, St. Georges-Summit; 53-55, Minquadale; 56, Retired.
- Ruth, D. L. — 1947, Penin. Conf.; 44-47, Bozman; 1948-52, Easton-Trinity; 53-56 — Cambridge-St. Paul's; 57-61, Laurel Centenary; 62-67 — Claymont; 68-73 — Dist. Supt. Salisbury Dist.; 74 — Field Representative, Dept. of Dev. and Promotion of the Peninsula United Methodist Homes & Hospitals, Inc.
- Sanders, Samuel P. — 1947, Delaware Conf.; 47-49, New Rochelle, N.Y.; 50-52, South Berlin, Md.; 53-54, Pocomoke City, Md.; 55-57, Leemont, Va.; 58-62, Shiloh, Crisfield, Md.; 63-64, Nanticoke, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Nanticoke, Md.

- Schauer, H. H. — 1933, Student Appointment-Grove; 33-37 — Northumberland; 38-40 — Caroline; 41-44 — Trappe; 45 — Sharptown; 46 — Sabbatical leave; 47-49 — Church Creek; 50-51 — Preston; 52-55 — Rock Hall; 56-61 — Voluntary Location; 62-66, East Cecil; 67-71, Assoc. Asbury-Minquadale; 72-74 — Marshallton-Cedars; 75 — Retired.
- Scott, Carrol — 1960, Delaware Conf.; 61-64, Unionville, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69 — Oxford, Md., Bellevue; 70-74 — Princess Anne-Metropolitan; 75 — Preston Hurlock.
- Seyfert, Frederick C. — 1957, Eastern Conf.; Denver-Trinity; 58-63 — North Hampton; 64-65 — Philadelphia-Third; 66-67 — Fairless Hills; 68 — Peninsula Conference; 68-71 — Associate, Dover-Wesley; 72-73 — Milford-Calvary; 74 — Holly Oak.
- Shield, E. R. — 1936, Mary. Conf. 36-38, Powellville; Mar. and Pen. 1939-52, Snow Hill-Bates Memorial; 53-57, Pocomoke-Salem; 58-61, Georgetown-Wesley; 62-64 — Laurel-Centenary; 65 — Cambridge-St. Paul's; 66-68 — Wilm.-Christ; 69-71 — Retired; 72-73 — Disability; 74 — Retired.
- Shockley, J. R. — 1937, Del. Conf.; 37-38, Wachapreague, Va.; 39-42, Upper Hill, Md.; 43-48, Shiloh, Crisfield, Md.; 49-54, Cambridge, Md.; 55-60, Ezion, Wilm., Del.; 61-64, Supt. Wilm. Dist.; Wilm., Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Supt. Wilm. Dist., Wilm., Del.; 67-71 — Wilm., Harrison St.; 72-74 — Assoc. Council Director; 75 — Ezion-Mt. Carmel.
- Shockley, O. J. — 1957, Pen.; 57-59, Cheswold, Del.; 60-63, Harrington-Asbury; 64-69, Richardson Park; 70-72, Hillcrest-Bellefonte; 73-74 — Dist. Supt. Dover District; 75 — Aldersgate.
- Short, T. Chester — 1972, Peninsula; 72-74 — Harbeson Charge; 75 — Dorchester Charge.
- Short, T. C. — 1960, Peninsula; 60-67, North East, Md.; 68-73 — Seaford-Mount Olivet; 74 — Asbury-Minquadale.
- Simpers, John W. — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-57, School; 58-59, Charlestown, Md.; 60-68 — Hockessin, Del.; 69-73 — Centreville, Md.; 74 — Seaford-Mt. Olivet; 75 — Assoc. Coun. Dir.
- Smith, C. W. — 1943, Detroit Conf.; at school; 44-63, New Hampshire Conf.; 1964, Peninsula Conf.; 1964-65 — East New Market, Md.; 66-70 — Townsend, Del.; 71-75 — Frankford, Del.; 76 — Allen.
- Smith, Jack S. — 1968, Pen. Conf.; 1968-69 — Cecilton; 70 — Assoc. St. Paul's, Wilm.; 71-73 — Holly Oak; 74 — St. Andrews-Melons.
- Smith, Kyle N. — 1956, Western North Carolina Conf.; 1967, Pen. Conf.; 1967-69 — Greensboro-St. Paul's; 70-73 — Trappe-Oxford; 74 — Milford, Calvary.
- Snapp, A. M. B. — 1928 Vermont; 1938, Balto. South; — Pen. 1940-41, Church Hill; 42-45, Chaplain, U.S. Army; 46-47, South & Allen (Salisbury); 48-50, Perryville; 51-53, Chaplain U.S. Army; 54-55, Dover Air Base-St. Paul's; 56-62, Wyoming, Del.; 63 — Retired.
- Spedden, H. P. — 1962, Pen. Conf.; 62 — Concord; 63-66, Ridgely, Md.; 67 — Cambridge-St. Paul's.
- Spence, O. H. — 1918, Delaware Conf.; 18-19, Deal Island, Md.; 20-25, Horntown, Va.; 26-28, Royal Oak, Md.; 29-32, Milford, Del.; 33-38, Dover, Del.; 38-41, Montclair, N.J.; 42-48, Dist. Supt. Salisbury Dist.; 49-54, Ezion, Wilm.; 55-60, Asbury, Atlantic City, N.J.; 61 — Retired. 1965, Transferred to Peninsula Conference.
- Spence, P. W. — 1926, Wil. 1926-29, Christiana; 30-31, Delaware City; 32-33, Mt. Lebanon; 34-38, Preston; Wil. and Pen. 39-42, Bridgeville; 43-50, Claymont; 51-56 — Dist. Supt. Easton Dist.; 57-65 — Wilm.-Peninsula; 66 — Retired.
- Spencer, C. P. — 1967, Pen. Conf.; 1967-69, Trappe-Easton Ct.; 70-71, St. Michaels-Royal Oak; 72 — Retired.
- Squires, C. H. — 1938, Wil.; 1938, Girdletree; 39, Willards; Pen. 40-43, Bayside; 44-46, Hurlock (Unity); 47, Newark, Md.; 48-53, (St. Andrews) Salisbury; 54, Ocean City; 55-56, Cheswold, Del.; 57-58, Dagsboro-Bethel; 59-63, Perryville-Asbury; 64-67, Vienna, Md.; 68-69 — Galena; 70-72 — Hopewell-Ebenezer; 73 — Disability.
- Stapleton, J. G. — 1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56-57, Trappe, Md.; 58-63, Pocomoke-Salem; 64 — Assoc. Wilmington-Grace; 68-69 — Milford-Avenue; 70 — Assoc. Council Dir.
- Starnes, Ronald W. — 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59-62, Dagsboro, Del.; 63-66, Odessa, Del.; 67 — Ass't. Professor Wesley College.
- Starrett, R. W. — 1967 Peninsula Conference; 1967-69, Assoc.-Wilm., Aldersgate; 70 — School; 71 — Assoc. Claymont, Del.; 72-75 — Assoc. Dover-Wesley; 76 — Chaplain, Wesley College.
- Staton, L. E. — 1958, Peninsula; 58, Minquadale, Del.; 59, Assoc. Easton-St. Marks; 60, Cheswold, Del.; 61 — Queenstown; 62-63, Chesapeake City; 64-67, Milton, Del., Goshen; 68-69 — Clayton, Del.; 70-75 — Laurel-Christ; 76 — St. Michaels, St. Lukes

- Stazesky, R. C. — 1949 Pen.; 49, School; 50, Wilm. (Trinity); 51-57, School; 58-65 — Silverbrook; 66 — Dir. of Urban Ministry, Wilm. Dist. Church Extension Society; 67-70 — Executive Director, Meth. Mission & Church Ext., Society, Inc.; 71-73 — Ass't. Director for Client Services, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Dept. of Labor — Delaware; 74 — Brandywine-Trinity.
- Steckman, I. D., Jr. — 1967 Peninsula Conference; 1967 — Hebron-Rockawalkin; 68-69 — Preston-Concord; 70 — Asbury-Smyrna.
- Stellges, G. L. — 1964, Peninsula Conf.; 1964-65 — Cherry Hill; 66-68 — Hillsboro-Queen Anne; 69 — Hurlock-Williamsburg; 70-73 — St. Michaels-St. Luke's; 74 — Christ, Salisbury.
- Sterling, W. T. — 1974, Penin. Conf.; 72 — Oriole.
- Stone, W. H. — 1932, Maryland, 1930, West Wilmington; 31-32, Carroll Cir.; 33-35, Uniontown; 36-39, First (Wil.); Pen. Conf.; 40-42, Hillsboro and Queen Anne; 43-59, Seaford (Mt. Olivet); 60-69 — Ex. Sec. Bd. of Education; 70 — Assoc. Council Dir. Pen. Conf.
- Stubbs, S. N. — 1962, Lexington Conf.; 62, School; 1963, Delaware Conf.; 63, Denton-Williston, Md.; 64, Princess Anne, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Princess Anne, Md.; 66-68 — Pastoral Psychologist, Wash. Inst. for Emp. Train.; 69-71 — Program Coordinator Prince Georges County; 72-73 — Assistant Director, GUIDE, D.C. Catholic University; 74 — Director Community Services, Psychiatric Institute.
- Stookey, L. H. — 1960, Peninsula; 60-62, Mt. Pleasant, Md.; 63-66, Harrison St., 67-70, School; 71-72, Perryville, Md.; 73 — Wesley Theo. Seminary.
- Strickler, C. E. — 1961 Peninsula Conf.; 61-75 — Snow Hill, Bates; 76 — Sabb.
- Tasco, Wm. M. — 1945, Delaware Conf.; 45-46 — Smyrna, Del.; 47-48 — Harrington, Del.; 49-65 — Frodville, N.J. Transferred to Southern N.J. Conf. 1965; Trans. to Philadelphia Conf. 1966. Fletcher, Phila. 66-68 (Leave 68-70). Reinstated 1970; 1971 Peninsula Conf. 71-74; Zion, Federalsburg; 75, Retired.
- Tawes, R. L. — 1928, Wil. 1928-29, Millington; 30-32, Ridgely; 33, Ocean City; 34-36, Magnolia; 37, Seaford Cir.; Wil. and Pen. 38-42, Hurlock (Washington); 43-48, Silverbrook; 49-53, Milford-Avenue; 54-56, Wilm.-Peninsula; 57-62, Dist. Supt. Dover District; 63-65 — St. Marks, Easton; 66-68 — Salisbury-Trinity; 69-72, Elkton, Md.; 73 — Retired.
- Taylor, A. E. — 1974 Penin. Conf.; 74 — School; 75 — Mt. Vernon Charge.
- Thomas, E. C., Jr. — 1949, Peninsula Conf.; 49-51, Greenwood (Grace & Cannon); 52-58, Odessa; 59-62, Queen Anne, Md.; 63-68 — Elkton, Md.; 69-74 — Salisbury-Trinity; 75 — Wilmington Dist. Supt.
- Thomas, E. P. — 1914, Wil. 1914-15, Pittsville; 16-17, At School; 18-20, Ocean City; 21-22, Epworth (Wil.); 23-28, Laurel; 29-32, Smyrna; 33-35, Dover; Wil. and Pen. 36-40, Easton; 41-44, St. Paul's (Wil.); 45-50, Supt., Easton Dist.; 51-55, Claymont; 56, Retired.
- Thomas, Paul — 19__, Troy Conf.; 1961 Peninsula Conf.; 61-73 — Assoc. Aldersgate, Wilmington; 74 — Retired.
- Thomas, R. L. — 1966, Pen. Conf.; 1966-67, Warwick-Town Point; 68 — Elkton, East Cecil; 69-72, Sharptown-Mt. Vernon; 73-74 — Crisfield-Asbury; 75 — Townsend.
- Thomas, W. C. — 1930, Delaware Conf.; 30, Cottage Grove, Md.; 31-32, McDaniel, Md.; 33-37, Chapel, Md.; 38, Centreville Ct., Md.; 39-42, Centreville, Md.; 43, Sabbatical Year; 44-46, Nanticoke, Md.; 47-51, Townsend, Del.; 52, Upper Hill, Md.; 53, Deal Island, Md.; 54-55; 56, Retired; 57, Effective; 57-63, Cheswold, Del.; 64 — Retired, 1965, Transferred to Peninsula Conference.
- Tingle, M. E. — 1953, S. C. Conf.; 1956 Baltimore Conf.; 1964, Peninsula Conf.; 64-73, St. Georges-Clarksville; 74 — Oxford.
- Todd, O. M. — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Goldsboro, Md.; 59-64, Princess Anne, Md.; 65-69, Director, Drayton Methodist Center; 70 — Prof. Thiel College.
- Trader, Charles — 1950, Pen.; 50, Fairmount-Westover; 51-55, Vienna; 56-62, Church Hill, Md.; 63-65 — Queen Anne, Md.; 66 — Retired.
- Trail, Gary W. — 1962, Central Penna. Conf.; 62 — School; 63 — Waffordsburg; 64-65 — Robertsdale; 1966, Pen. Conf.; 66-67 — Sherwood-Bayside; 68-71 — Preston-Bethesda; 72 — Chesapeake City.
- Truitt, F. H. — 1936, Wil. 36-37, Pomona; 38-39, St. Johns; Pen. 40, Mt. Vernon; 41-46, Nassau and Unity; 47-49, (Trinity) Harrington; 49-52, St. Michaels (Sardis); 53-59, Sharptown-Asbury; 60-63, Hebron, Md.; 64-72, Berlin, Md.; 73-74 Disability; 75 — Retired.
- Tubbs, Joseph J. — Baltimore Conf., 1973 Pen. Conf.; Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 74 — Wesley College-Staff.

- Tulak, Frank E. — 1970 W. Pa.; 1972 Pen. Conf.; 1971-72, Church Creek; 73 — East New Market Charge; 74 — Assoc. Hillcrest-Bellefonte.
- Tulak, Gary S. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-74 — Cambridge-Choptank; 75 — Assoc. St. Mark's-Easton.
- Turkington, T. J. — 1922, Maryland; 1922-24, Chincoteague; 25, Wilmington, (Second Ch.); 26-30, First Ch. (Washington); Maryland and Pen. 31-59, Denton, (Grace); 60 — Retired.
- Twilley, F. A. — 1975 Peninsula; 1975 — At School.
- Valentine, K. S. — 1975 Peninsula; 1975 — At School.
- Van Cleaf, R. E. — 1935, Maryland, 1935-39, Clayton; Pen. Conf. 40-43, Hurlock, (Unity); 44-45, Chaplain U. S. Army; 46-48, Mt. Vernon (Sharptown); 49-50, Georgetown (Grace); 51-55, Harrington-Asbury; 56-58, Middletown, Del.; 59-61, Eastlake-Wilmington; 62-68 — Chaplain U. S. Army; 69 — Queen Anne-Hillsboro; 70-71 — Odessa-St. Paul's; 72-74 — Bethel Charge; 75 — Retired.
- Van Tine, J. W. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70-72 — St. James-Worton, Md.; 73 — Cheswold.
- Varell, K. R., Jr. — 1972 Peninsula Conf.; 72-73 — School; 74 — Assoc. Seaford-St. John's.
- Vaughn, J. B. — 1931, Wil. Conf.; 1931-35, Bethel and Town Point; 1936-37, Madeley; Wil. and Pen. 1938-41, Milton; 42-43, Salisbury; 44-47, Centreville (Epworth); 48-49, (Washington), Hurlock; 50-54, United Parish; 55-56, Houston, Del.; 57-63, Berlin, Md.; 64-68 — Wilm. East Lake; 69 — Retired.
- Volk, F. M. — Maryland Conf.; 1920-21, Melvin Chap., Cumberland; 22-23, Rowlandsville; 24-27, Kempton; 28-30, Pipe Creek; 31, Harpers Ferry; Maryland and Pen. 1932-40, Pittsville; 41-45, Scott; 46-49, Mt. Olive (Delmar); 50-52, Cambridge (St. Paul's); 53-54, Milton-Goshen & Grace; 55-59, Fruitland; 60 — Retired.
- Von Hagel, J. J. — 1932, Maryland, 1933-35, Walkers Chapel; 36-38, Claremont; 39-41, Greenwood, Grace and Cannon, Pen. Conf.; 42-43, Milton, Grace and Indian River; 44-46, Vienna; 47-51, Frankford; 52-55, Wyoming; 56-63, Salisbury (Grace); 64-66, Hurlock, Md.; 67-72, Rising Sun, Md. — Janes; 73 — Assoc. Wilmington-Grace; 74 — Retired.
- Walker, D. E. — 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63 — St. Thomas; 64-69 — Mardela, Md.; 70 — Rock Hall.
- Walker, Jesse H. — 1971, Pen. Conf.; 71 — Mt. Joy Buttonwood.
- Wall, Thomas J. — 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-64, Assoc. Hillcrest-Bellefonte; 65-66, Secretary-Dorchester; 67-72, Ridgely Circuit; 73 — Pocomoke City.
- Wallace, Robt. O. — S. Dakota, 1974, Penin. Conf.; 74-75 — Trappe-Bruceville; 76 — North East-Harts.
- Walters, Marlene — 1976 Peninsula Conf.; 76 — At School.
- Walton, H. E. — 1953, South Carolina Conf.; 1967, Pen. Conf.; 67-70 — Min. Edu. Seaford-St. John's; 71 — Assoc. Newark.
- Walz, C. W. — 1967, Peninsula Conference; 1967-68 — Gumboro; 69-73 — Greenwood, Del.; 74 — Seaford-Reliance.
- Walz, James P. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70-75 — Mt. Lebanon; 76 — At School.
- Warner, Robt. L. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-74 — Wilm.-St. Marks; 75 — Warwick; 76 — Sy.
- Waters, Floyd E. — 1961, Delaware Conf.; 62, Odessa-Port Penn., Del.; 63-64, Port Deposit, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Port Deposit, Md.; 66-71 — Retired; 72 — Disability.
- Weber, F. D. — 1971, Pen. Conf.; 71 — Crapo, Md.; 72-74 — Assoc. Newark; 75 — Calvary-Eastlake; 76 — Brandywine-Trinity.
- Wheatley, G. H. — 1929, Wil. Conf. 29-32, Onancock; 33-35, Newark, Md.; 36-39, St. Peters; Wil. and Pen. 40-41, Marian (Trinity); 42-43, Ingleside and Barclay; 44-48, Rock Hall; 49-59, Greensboro; 60 — Retired.
- White, Dorothy E. — 1972, Peninsula Conf.; 72-75 — School; 76 — Mt. Lebanon-Mt. Salem.
- Whitlock, Robert — 1957; 57-59 — Chesapeake City, Md.; 60-63 — Fruitland, Md.; 64-69 — Delmar, Del.-St. Stephens; 70 — Wesley-Dover.
- Wilcox, C. E. — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Harrington (Trinity); 59 — Odessa, Del.; 60-63, Calvary-Wilmington; 64-65 — Hebron, Md.; 66 — Sabbatical Leave; 67-68 — Trappe-Faith Chapel; 69 — Salisbury-St. Andrews; 70 — Mt. Salem; Retired.
- Willey, D. C. — 1943, Pen. Conf.; 43-44 — Leeds, Md.; 45-46 — U. S. Navy Chaplain; 47 — Kingswood; 48 — Hillcrest; 49 — California-Nevada Conf.; 49 — Peninsula; 49-52 — Ocean View; 53-55 — Milford-Calvary; 56-59 — Executive Secretary Bd. of Education; 60-69 — Executive Secretary, Md. Council of Churches; 70 — Peninsula-Wilm.; 71 — McCabe-Peninsula.
- Wilkins, Edw. R. — 1954-55, At School; 56-59, Assoc. Pastor, Wesley, Dover; 60-64 — Bridgeville; 65-66, Princess Anne-Antioch; 67-75 — Chaplain Wesley College; 76 — Denton.

- Wilkins, H. O. — 45-46, St. John's; 47-49, Camden; 50-55, Middletown; 56-60, Hillcrest, Del.; 61-67, Seaford, St. John's; 68-72, Dist. Supt. Wilm. Dist.; 73 — Asbury-Salisbury.
- Wilkins, Samuel L. — 1950, Delaware Conf.; 50-53, Grenloch and Rhodes, N.J.; 54-59, Buttonwood, Del.; 60-63, Grace, Chester, Pa.; 64, School; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Townsend Circuit, Del.
- Williams, J. I. — 1945, Delaware Conf.; 45-46, Marydel, Md.; 47-49, Greensboro, Md.; 50-54, Federalsburg, Md.; 55-60, Royal Oak and Bellevue, Md.; 61-62, John Wesley, Salisbury, Md.; 63-64, Seaford, Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-70 — Seaford Circuit, Seaford, Del.; 71 — Retired.
- Williams, N. L. — West Virginia, 1975 Peninsula; 1975 — Milton-Nassau.
- Willink, Alvin J. — 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-64 — Mt. Lebanon; 65-74 — Bridgeville-Union; 75 — Harrington-Houston.
- Willis, Charles L. — 1947 East Tennessee Conf.; 1960, Delaware Conf.; 60-62, Nanticoke, Md.; 63-64, Fairlee, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-70 — Church Creek, Md.; 71 — Disability Lv.; 72 — Retired.
- Wimberly, E. V. — 1940, Delaware Conf.; 40, Jersey City, N.J.; 41-44, John Simmons, Phila., Pa.; 45, Newport, Del.; 46-47, Milford, Del.; 48-58, Lawnside, N.J.; 59-60, Siloam, Chester, Pa.; 61-64, Mt. Carmel, Wilm., Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69 — Mt. Carmel, Wilm., Del.; 70 — Retired.
- Wimbrow, L. E. — 1962, Balti. Conf.; 1967, Pen. Conf.; 67 — North East-West Cecil Circuit; 68-74 — Ocean City-Atlantic; 75 — Chestertown-First.
- Wood, F. D. — 1975 Peninsula; 1975 — At School.
- Woodruff, E. P. — 1974, Penin. Conf.; 72 — Crapo Circuit; 73 — Worton-St. James.
- Yorkdale, K. E. — 1974, Penin. Conf.; 1972-73 — Wingate, St. Thomas; 74-75 — West Cecil Charge; 76 — At School.
- Young, H. G. — 19__, Nebraska; 72 — Penin. Conf.; 72-74 — St. Michael's-Royal Oak; 75 — Pocomoke City Charge.
- Young, J. M. — 1961, Balti. Conf.; 61-62 — North Rehobeth (Mass.); 63-66 — New Harbor-Round Pond; 1966 — Maine Conf.; 66-73 — Bangor-Grace; 1974 — Penin. Conf.; 74 — Executive Director MAP.

B. ASSOCIATE MEMBERS AND LAY PASTORS

PASTORAL RECORD

*Associate Members

- Abbott, Wilmer E. — Peninsula Conference; 1946 — Parsonsburg; 47 — St. John's; 50-59 — Madley; 60 — Charlestown; 61-62 — Felton; 63-67 — Cedars; 68 — Retired.
- Ball, Wm. T. — 1972 — Girdletree-Stockton.
- *Barclay, Howard F. — 1972 — Deal Island Circuit.
- Beckett, Noah L. — 1973 — Wittman-McDaniel.
- *Bishop, George W. — Peninsula Conference; 57-58 — Nanticoke; 59-60 — Mt. Vernon; 61-71 — Frederica; 72 — Retired.
- Black, William H. — Delaware Conference; 1963-64 — Delaware City-Port. Peninsula Conference; 1965 — Delaware City-Port Penn.; 66 — Christiana-Kirkwood.
- Blackburn, J. — 1974 — Glasgow.
- Brittingham, A. — 1975 — Georgetown.
- *Brown, Claude C. — Peninsula Conference; 1958 — St. Martins; 59-63 — Upper Fairmount; 64-66 — Wingate; 67 — Harmony; 68-69 — Hebron-Rockawalkin; 70-73 — Galena, Kennedyville; 74 — Blades.
- *Bryant, Commander R. — Delaware Conference; 1948-50 — St. John's Mission; 51-57 — Crumpton; 58-64 — Pomona; Peninsula Conference; 65-66 — Bridgeville Circuit; 67-69 — St. Michael's-Royal Oak; 70-75 — Ridgely-Marydel; 76 — Retired.
- Burbage, John D. — Peninsula Conf. 1971; 71 — Smith Island.
- Burke, Clarence R. — Delaware Conference; 1964 — Stockton-Shiloh; Peninsula Conference; 1965 — Stockton-Shiloh.
- *Byrd, Calvin C. — Delaware Conference; 1962-64 — Seaford Circuit; Peninsula Conference; 1965-68 — Smyrna; 69-70 — Millsboro-Friendship; 71 — Bridgeville Ct.
- *Caulk, Jacob C. — Delaware Conference; 1949-56 — St. Georges-Kirkwood; 57-58 — Odessa-Port Penn; 59-64 — Buttonwood-Christiana; Peninsula Conference; 1965-69, Buttonwood-Christiana; 70, Haven-Mt. Pleasant; 71-72, Millsboro Ct.; 73 — Retired.
- *Chase, Harvey G., Jr. — Delaware Conference; 1955-64 — Cordova-Earle's Chapel; Peninsula Conference; 1965-67, Ridgely-Greensboro; 68-75 — Cambridge Circuit; 76 — Harrison Street.
- Cook, Kevin A. — 76 — Whaleyville.
- *Conway, James A. — Delaware Conference; 1955-57 — Seaford Circuit; 58-64 — Newark, Md.; Peninsula Conference; 1965-67 — Newark; 68-71 — Crisfield-Shiloh; 72 — Retired.
- Crockett, Dewey — 1973 — Deal Island-St. John's.
- *Dennis, Edgar N. — Delaware Conference; 1962-63 — Manokin; 64 — Mount Vernon; Peninsula Conference; 1965-70 — Mt. Vernon; 68-71 — Eden, Md.; 72 — Crisfield-Shiloh.
- Dennis, Roland W. — Delaware Conference; 1961-62 — White Haven; Pen. Conf.; 1962-69 — Wittman-McDaniel; 70 — Trappe-Oxford.
- *Doughten, James B., Jr. — Peninsula Conference; 1959-60 — Leipsic-Little Creek; 61-63 — Gumboro; 64-69 — Lincoln; 70-73 — Dagsboro-Bethel; 74 — Greenwood Charge.
- *Downing, Ivon P. — Peninsula Conference; 1958 — Mt. Zion-Wesley; 59-60 — Ellendale; 61-65 — Roxana; 66-69 — Reliance; 70-73 — Newark-Bethany; 74 — Clarksville-St. George's.
- Downing, Wm. — 1973 — Powellville Charge.
- Eichelberger, D. A. — 1975 — Wingate-St. Thomas.
- Elliott, Milton R. — Wilmington & Peninsula Conference; 1938-40, Williamsburg. Peninsula Conference; 1941-42 — Bishops Head; 43 — Farmington; 44-51 — Milton-Grace; 52-55 — Harrington-Trinity; 56-59 — Seaford Circuit; 60-61 — Deal Island; 62-64 — Stockton-Girdletree; 65 — Retired.
- *Fansler, K. G. — 1970 — Eastern Penna. AM; 70 — Assoc. Covenant, Springfield; 71-72 — Assoc. First, Corning; 73 — Assoc. Aldersgate, Wilm.
- Ford, W. J. — Pen. Conf.; 1969 — Salisbury-Riverside.
- Fox, Clarence J. — Peninsula Conf.; 1946-49 — St. Thomas; 50-56 — Hebron Nelson; 57-59 — Bishopville; 60-65 — Pittsville-Ayres; 66-68 — Powellville; 69 — Retired.
- *Garrett, William J. — Peninsula Conference; 1948-50 — Bozman-Neavitt; 51-55 — Beckwith-Spedden; 56-57 — Pittsville-Ayres; 58-61 — Parsonsburg; 62-64 — Sharptown-Asbury; 65-68 — Harrington-Trinity; 69-71 — Chesapeake City-Trinity; 72-74 — Calvary Eastlake; 75 — Retired.

- Gehring, Steven D. — Pen. Conf.; 1970-74 — Assistant-St. Mark's Easton.
- Gibbs, Mrs. Marie F. — Peninsula Conf.; 72 — Boyer's Chapel.
- *Gladden, Edward M. — Peninsula Conference; 1958-61 — Galestown; 62-63 — Smith Island; 64-69 — Newark, Md.; 70-73 — St. Andrews-Salisbury; 74-75 — St. Michael's, St. Luke's; 76 — Calvary-Eastlake.
- *Gladden, Herbert H. — Peninsula Conference; 1957-65 — Powellville; 66 — Hebron.
- *Grattan, Harold N. — S. New Jersey Conference; 1966 — Evan. Peninsula Conference; 67, Smith Island; 68-70, Girdletree-Stockton; 71-72, Mardela Springs; 73 — Retired.
- *Greene, Wallace L., Sr. — Delaware Conference; 1964 — Taylors Island. Peninsula Conference; 65 — Taylors Island.
- *Hackett, Thaddeus — Delaware Conference; 1942-44 — Galena; 45-48 — Millsboro; 49-64 — Harrington. Peninsula Conference; 65-75 — Sharptown-John Wesley; 76 — Retired.
- *Handy, Clarence E. — Delaware Conference; 1962-64 — Tyaskin; Peninsula Conference; 65 — Oakville-Cottage Grove.
- *Henry, Phillip A. — Delaware Conference; 1955-62 — Fairlee; 63-64 — Milford, Peninsula Conference; 65-68 — Wilmington-Simpson; 69 — Assoc. Wilmington-Ezion; 70 — Millington-Pondtown.
- *Hilbert, James J. — Wyoming Conference; 1938-53. New York Conference; 1954-58. Central Pa. Conference; 1959-64. Peninsula Conference; 1966-67 — Cherry Hill; 68-69 — Port Deposit-Tome; 70 — Retired.
- *Hilton, Paul R. — Delaware Conference; 1952 — Buttonwood; 53-58 — Still Pond; 59-64, Millington, Peninsula Conference; 65-67, Millington; 68-72, Rock Hall; 73 — Coleman.
- Homer, Arthur R. — 76 — Ridgely Charge.
- Hope, Clifton — Peninsula Conference; 1956-63 — Newark-Bowen; 64-65 — Associate-Trinity, Salisbury; 66 — Quantico (Interim Pastor); 67-69 — Deal Island; 70-72 — St. Martin's.
- Hopkins, R. — 1975 — Asbury-Minquadale.
- Hudson, Arthur T. P. — Wilmington & Peninsula Conference; 1925-26 — Annessex, Va.; 1927-28 — Ayers Chapel, Va.; Williamsburg, Md.; Crumpton; Mardela Springs; Powellville; Mt. Vernon; 1950 — Retired.
- Hughes, Ralph H. — Peninsula Conference; 1953-55 — Bellefonte; 56-67 — St. Marks, Stanton; 1968 — Retired.
- Hurley, V. — 1974 — Upper Fairmount; 75 — Laurel Charge.
- *Jackson, Edward H. — Delaware Conference; 1948 — Hoopersville; 49-53 — Taylors Island-Hoopersville; 54-64 — Church Hill-Mt. Zion. Peninsula Conference; 65-73 — Church Hill-Mt. Zion; 74 — Clarksville Charge.
- James, Ophelia O. (Mrs.) — Delaware Conference; 1949-64 — Sassafras-Galena. Peninsula Conference; 65-67 — Sassafras-Galena; 1968 — Retired.
- Johnson, Ernest J. — Delaware Conference; 1943 — Cottage Grove; 48-52 — Wachapreague, Va.; 53-55 — Crisfield; 56 — White Haven; 57-60 — Greenwood; 1961 — Retired.
- Jones, Grover N. — Delaware Conference; 1938-40 — Keller; 41-48 — Fairmount; 49-56 — Hopewell; 57-59 — Deal Island; 60-62 — Oriole-Venton; 1963 — Retired.
- *Jones, Lewis R. — Delaware Conference; 1946-47 — Laurel Circuit; 48-51 — Millington; 52-64 — Mardela, Peninsula Conference; 65-69 — Lincoln-Wesley Chapel; 70-72, Elkton-Port Deposit; 73 — Chester-Stevensville.
- *Lee, Edward W. — Delaware Conference; 1954-58 — Mt. Vernon; 59-61 — Crisfield-Union, Asbury, Liberia; 62-64 — Quantico. Peninsula Conference; 65 — Quantico.
- *Lee, Jeremiah R. — Delaware Conference; 1956-57 — Keller; 58-59 — White Haven; 60-61 — Hopewell; 62-64 — Taylor Island. Peninsula Conference; 65-68 — Millsboro; 69-73 — Whaleyville Circuit; 74 — Church Hill-Burrsville; 75 — Queenstown-Carmichael.
- *Lewis, C. A. — Peninsula Conference; 1968-71 — Bishopville-Showell; 72 — Gumboro-Line Charge; 73 — Tome-Asbury.
- *Lewis, David T. — Delaware Conference; 1953-54 — Seaford Circuit; 55-59 — Oriole; 60-64 — Whaleyville. Peninsula Conference; 65-68 — Whaleyville; 69 — Girdletree-Coolspring.
- Martin, Lewis A. — 76 — Stillpond-Betterton.
- McIntyre, Ralph — Peninsula Conference; 1971; 71-72, Nanticoke-Bivalve, 73 — Parsonsburg; 74 — Mt. Pleasant-Crisfield.
- *Medzarentz, Haig S. — Maine Conference; 1964. Peninsula Conference; 1965-66 — Bishopville; 67-68 — Greenwood; 69-70 — Elkton-East Cecil; 71-74 — Warwick, Md.; 75 — Church Hill-Price.

- Milliner, Milton C. — Peninsula Conference; 1948-65 — Reliance; 1966 — Retired.
- *Mills, Walter J. — Delaware Conference; 1941-42 — Deal Island; 43-47 — White Haven; 48-50 — Stevensville; 51-60 — Hurlock; 61-63 — Leemont, Virginia. North Carolina-Virginia Conference; 1964-65, Leemont, Va. Peninsula Conference; 1966-67, Denton; 68-71, Fruitland-Mt. Calvary; 72 — Retired.
- Mott, J. A. — 1974 — Neavitt-Bozman.
- Mudede, Ebenezer — 76 — Zion Charge.
- Norris, Ronald J. — 1973 — Rock Hall-Fairlee.
- *Opher, Hester R. (Mrs.) Delaware Conference; 1955-56 — Crapo-Golden Hill; 57-58 — Easton Circuit; 59-64 — Miles River-Staten Chapel. Peninsula Conference; 1965 — Miles River Staten Chapel.
- Ralph, Harlan M. — Wilmington Conference; 1924 — Elliotts Island; 26-27 — Williamsburg; 28-29 — Church Creek; 30-33 — Georgetown Circuit; 34-36 — Smith Island; 1937 — Retired.
- Riddleberger, Robert L. — 76 — Crapo.
- *Ringgold, John W. — Delaware Conference; 1963-64 — Greensboro, Peninsula Conference; 1965-68 — Queenstown-Carmichael; 69-74 — Salis.-Wesley Temple; 75 — Lincoln; 76 — Cambridge-Vienna.
- *Roberts, James H. — Delaware Conference; 1959-64 — Marydel. Peninsula Conference; 1965-69 — Marydel; 70 — Stillpond-Coleman.
- Roberts, Maxwell J. — Peninsula Conference; 1948-49 — Royal Oak; 50-53 — Cambridge Circuit; 54-56 — Church Creek; 57-58 — East New Market; 59-60 — Frankford; 61-62 — Stockton-Girdletree; 62-65 — Parsonsburg; 66-68 — Salisbury-St. Andrews; 69 — Retired.
- Russell, William E. — Delaware Conference; 1964 — New Castle-Mt. Salem. Peninsula Conference; 1965-68 — New Castle-Mt. Salem; 69 — Wilmington-Simpson.
- Seals, R. — 1972-74 — Queenstown-Carmichael; 75 — Church Hill-Burrsville.
- Shenton, Philip — 76 — Ellendale Charge.
- *Shufelt, Vinton D. — Peninsula Conference; 1950-56 — Harmony; 57-62 — Ridgely; 63-65 — St. Michael's; 66 — Salisbury-Christ; 67-73 — Salisbury-Christ & Mt. Hermon; 74 — Retired.
- Smith, Muriel C. (Miss) — Peninsula Conference; 1952-57 — Secretary; 58-63 — Greenwood; 64-65 — Ellendale; 1966 — Retired.
- Spain, Rickey — 76 — Upper Hill.
- *Stanley, George L. — Delaware Conference; 1955-59 — Taylors Island; 60-64 — Federalsburg. Peninsula Conference; 1965 — Greensboro Circuit; 66-69 — Hurlock-Union-Grove; 70 — Cordova-Newtown.
- *Stanley, Nelson C. — Delaware Conference; 1949-56 — Williston; 57-60 — East New Market; 61-64 — East New Market-Linkwood. Peninsula Conference; 1965 — East New Market-Linkwood.
- *Staten, William M. — Delaware Conference; 1960 — Marydel; 61-64 — Hurlock. Peninsula Conference; 1965 — Cordova-Earle's Chapel; 66-67 — Milford-Harrington; 68-69 — Millington-Pondtown; 70-75 — Snow Hill; 76 — Lincoln-Milford-Harrington.
- Steen, James C. — Rock River Conference; 1922-23. Wilmington Conference; 1924-25 — Col-ora; 26-41 — Bellefonte. Peninsula Conference; 1942-46 — Dover (Former M. P.); 47-64 — Kirkwood; 1965 — Retired.
- Sye, H. E. — 1975 — Whaleysville.
- *Taylor, George W. — Delaware Conference; 1942-45 — Bethsaida, Philadelphia; 46-47 — Oriole-Venton; 48-55 — Marion Station; 56-64 — Clarksville. Peninsula Conference; 1965-73 — Clarksville; 74 — Retired.
- *Taylor, John E. — Peninsula Conference; 1961-63 — Harbeson; 64-66 — Greenwood; 67-68 — Burrsville; 69 — Vienna-Elliott; 70-71 — Concord-Harmony; 72-73 — Crisfield Mt. Pleasant; 74 — Bishopville-Showell.
- Thompson, Daisy — 1973 — Lewes Charge; 74 — Retired.
- Turkington, Albert A. — Wilmington Conference; 1937-38 — Onancock, Va. Peninsula Conference; 1939-45 — Whaleysville; 46-54 — Oriole-St. Peter's; 1955 — Retired.
- *Turner, William A. — Peninsula Conference; 1945-46 — Bethel; 47-49 — Whitesville; 50-53, Tilghman Island; 54-55, Hooper's Island; 56-57, Marion Station. Central Pa. Conference; 1958-63. Peninsula Conference; 1964-67, Mt. Vernon; 68-75 — Allen; 76 — Frankford Charge.
- Wallace, W. T. — 1974 — Mt. Calvary-Fruitland.

- Wheleton, J. R. — Pen. Conf.; 1970 — Williamsburg.
- White, George D. — Pen. Conf.; 1970-71 — Willards-Eden.
- White, Isaac H. — Delaware Conference; 1945-47 — Keller, Va.; 48-53 — Greenwood; 54-56 — Dames Quarter; 57-60 — Cottage Grove; 61-63 — Hopewell; 64 — Wesley Circuit; 65 — Retired.
- White, Stephen L. — Peninsula Conference; 1964-65 — Whaleysville; 66-70 — Parsonsburg; 71 — Gumboro.
- Wilkins, Clarence E. — Peninsula Conference; 1944-49 — Gumboro; 51-56 — Whitesville; 57 — Kenton; 1958 — Retired.
- Williams, J. W., Jr. — 1974 — Chestertown, Pomona.
- *Wilson, G. Francis — Peninsula Conference; 1953 — Whaleysville; 54-60 — Stockton-Girdletree; 61-65 — Quantico-Rockawalkin; 66 — Pittsville.
- Wilson, George B. — 1950 — Delaware Conference; 50-51, Port Deposit; 51-54 — Still Pond; 54-59 — Rock Hall; 59-61 — Nassau, DE; 61-62 — Wattsville, Va.; 62-67 — Fruitland, Md.; 67-68 — Girdletree, Md.; 68 — Retired.

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