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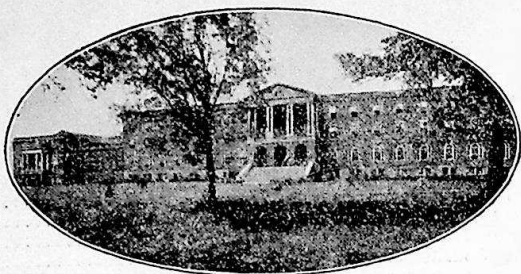
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- 1918—Byron Wilson John.  
Raymond Beall Claggett.  
Lester Hamill Smallwood.  
Reuben Davis Marshall.  
Geo. Willard Cobb.
- 1919—Clarence Leonard Beard.  
William Wallis McIntyre.  
Samuel Coiner Stickley.  
Martin Luther Fearnow.  
Nolan Bailey Harmon, Jr.  
John Raymond Wood.  
Clarence Hadden Shaw.  
W. Clark Early.
- 1920—Frederick Bloom Wyand.  
Denny Lewis Fringer.  
Floyd Lupton Morrison.  
Glenn Jackson Cooper.
- 1921—William Thomas.\*  
Paul LeRoy Warner.  
William Garnet Winton.  
James Calvin Dugger.  
Clarence Elmer Kirby.  
William Edward Canoles.  
Charles Earl Brandt.

- 1921—Arthur Wells Groscup.  
William Alexander Clark.  
Newton Campbell Rice.  
Harry Lewis Coffman.
- 1922—John Knox.  
Kemp Dudley Swecker.  
John Barnett Grimes.  
Harris Magruder Waters.\*  
John Wesley Seay.  
Elmer Allen Wilcher.  
Letcher Stevens Shires.  
Walter Smith.
- 1923—Wm. W. Stevens, Jr.  
Lee Holiday Richcreek.  
Charles Lester Reiter.  
Charles Asbury York.  
Julius Davis Russell.  
Delford Neal Calvert.  
Ernest Taylor Harrison.  
Roswell V. Whitehurst.  
John Hale Pearson.  
German H. Hunt Tyler.  
Harmon L. Hoffman.
- 1924—Arthur Irvin Orndoff.  
Claude Byron Larrick.  
David Robert Cleckner.  
William Clews.  
Elias G. Helmtoller.  
Palmer Eubank.
- 1925—James Herbert Brown.  
William Preston Good.  
Edward Byrnes Cook.  
Henry Baker Smith.  
Thomas Morgan.  
Royal Allen Rice.  
Charles McCulloch LeFew.  
Walter Milton Reynolds.  
John Russell Corron.  
William James Elliott.  
Frank Lewis Baker.  
William Oliver Luttrell.
- 1926—Harold Hetzer Hoyt.  
Charles Roy Curtis.  
Emory Wilson Jordan.  
Edwin Samuels Sheppe, Jr.  
Floyd Montgomery Lucas.  
Harry Stockton Myerly.
- 1927—Paul Russell Diehl.
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 John L. Shipman, Ballston, Va.  
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 Marshall Tyres, Occoquan, Va.  
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 Dr. J. Collinson Joyce, Baltimore, Md.  
 Charles L. Tate, Arnold, Md.  
 Harry E. Walls, Church Hill, Md.

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Hildebrand, S. V.....	E Herndon, Va.
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Wolf, E. L.....	E 525 Belleville Road, Roanoke, Va.
Wright, B. F.....	E Hinton, W. Va.
Wright, C. M.....	Sup. E Sterling, Va.
Wyand, F. B.....	E Stuarts Draft, Va.
York, C. A.....	E Brunswick, Md.
York, J. M.....	E 2549 McHenry St., Baltimore, Md.

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LOCAL PREACHERS—With P. O. Address.

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ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

Bell, Jesse M.....	L	Manassas, Va.
Claypool, Christopher C....	L	Lois, Va.
Febrey, Harry C.....	E	East Falls Church, Va.
Gentry, Paul K.....	L	Fairfax, Va.
Gill, Golder Wm.....	L	Warrenton, Va.
Lawson, Henry.....	E	Manassas, Va.
Linger, Charles F.....	L	Clarendon, Va.
Manny, Theodore B.....	L	Clarendon, Va.
Powell, Roger F.....	L	Ryan, Va.
Varney, John W.....	L	Potomac, Va.
Williams, Geo. H.....	E	Route 5, Alexandria, Va.
Winslow, W. Byron.....	L	R. F. D., Manassas, Va.
Wright, Chas. M.....	E	Sterling, Va.

BALTIMORE DISTRICT.

Carr, D. E.....	E	Houston, Delaware.
Eichnor, Lemuel S.....	L	2504 W. Balto. St., Balto., Md.
Fairbank, Frank T.....	D	Trappe, Md.
Fraley, Lester R.....	L	Baltimore, Md.
Gary, George .....	L	Odenton, Md.
Grace, Leslie .....	L	830 Whitmore Ave., Balto., Md.
Hartman, Wm. Arthur....	L	346 S. Fulton Ave., Balto., Md.
Huffington, J. W.....	L	4110 Penhurst Rd., Balto., Md.
Hunter, Arthur L.....	L	1828 E. Biddle St., Balto., Md.
Iglehart, S. Monroe.....	L	Ellicott City, Md. (R. F. D.)
McMillan, J. F.....	L	1613 N. Mont'd Av., Balto., Md.
Meckins, Holly B.....	L	1709 Wilkens Ave., Balto., Md.
Moore, Lanty J.....	L	New Windsor, Md. (R. F. D.)
Musgrove, Paul .....	L	Glenelg, Md.
Ridgely, G. Dudley.....	L	347 S. Mount St., Balto., Md.
Ridgely, Lawrence D.....	L	1615 McHenry St., Balto., Md.
Sponaugle, Wm. Clay....	L	1819 N. Gay St., Balto., Md.
Sylvester, E. Paul.....	D	Grand Rapids, Mich.
Thompson, J. P.....	L	Easton, Md.
Walraven, E. Davis.....	L	Sudlersville, Md.
Walkins, W. M.....	E	857 Park Ave., Balto., Md.

LEWISBURG DISTRICT.

Anderson, Harry .....	L	Selma, Va.
Hull, Ira S.....	D	Frankford, W. Va.
Johnson, B. M.....	L	Hot Springs, Va.
Kiracofe, G. D.....	D	Paint Bank, Va.
Persinger, B. M.....	L	Blue Spring Run, Va.
Pugh, A. C.....	L	Sweet Springs, W. Va.
Richardson, W. C.....	L	Covington, Va.
Rose, L. O.....	D	Talcott, W. Va.
Russell, N. W.....	D	Lewisburg, W. Va.
Smith, William .....	L	Dunmore, W. Va.
Whitesell, James Edwin..	L	Ronceverte, W. Va.

## MOOREFIELD DISTRICT.

Baker, Alonzo O.....	L	Burlington, W. Va.
Banks, John T.....	L	Kirby, W. Va.
Bergdoll, Richard A.....	L	Romney, W. Va.
Davidson, Alonzo G.....	L	Stotlers Cross Road, W. Va.
Dixon, John W.....	L	Alaska, W. Va.
Dolan, Ernest W.....	L	Alaska, W. Va.
May, Homer A.....	L	Franklin, W. Va.
Miller, Albert D.....	L	Romney, W. Va.
Offutt, J. McKenna.....	L	Romney, W. Va.
Pascall, Charles W.....	L	Moorefield, W. Va.
Price, Benjamin T.....	L	Baker, W. Va.
Puffenbarger, C. F.....	D	Blain, W. Va.
Puffenbarger, John P.....	L	Brandywine, W. Va.
Rockwell, James D.....	L	Green Spring, W. Va.
Russell, Clarence G.....	L	Somerfield, Pa.
Saville, John D.....	D	Moorefield, W. Va.
Saville, L. E.....	L	Augusta, W. Va.
Snyder, Walter C.....	L	Levels, W. Va.
Stimmell, Lewis H.....	L	Cumberland, Md.
Wagoner, Charles.....	L	Gainsboro, Va.
Yost, George W.....	E	New Creek, W. Va.

## ROANOKE DISTRICT.

Blankenship, J. V.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Camden, E. N.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Carroll, C. V.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Craft, O. L.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Doosing, W. T.....	E	Shawsville, Va.
Dowdy, C. P.....	L	Salem, Va.
Farrier, R. H.....	L	Newport, Va.
Fridley, C. T.....	L	Eagle Rock, Va.
Gillespie, H. W.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Greenwood, L. H.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Griggs, Louis.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Hodges, J. A.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Hooks, H. S.....	D	Roanoke, Va.
Keith, Christopher.....	D	Amsterdam, Va.
Kessler, A. D.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Musser, R. E.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Nalls, L. M.....	D	Salem, Va.
Patterson, J. L.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Persinger, D. W.....	D	Roanoke, Va.
Redford, A. L.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Settle, F. A.....	L	Roanoke, Va.
Stras, Joseph.....	D	Roanoke, Va.
Suthers, T. F.....	E	Roanoke, Va.

## ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

Alexander, H. B.....	L	Port Republic, Va.
Berry, DeWitt C.....	L	Bedford, Va.
Campbell, E. L.....	L	Fairfield, Va.
Cave, G. A.....	L	Stanley, Va., R. F. D.
Charlton, Frank Deaver...	L	Lexington, Va.
Cloud, Douglas Ingram....	L	Lexington, Va.
Davidson, John H.....	L	Luray, Va.
Earman, Hobart.....	L	Port Republic, Va.



ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Continued.

Griffith, H. H.....	L	Kimball, Va.
Lilly, Malcolm Gordon....	L	Hinton, Va.
Lowry, Charles W.....	L	Lexington, Va.
Palmer, C. H.....	L	Dickinson, Md.
Robertson, James Louis...	L	Craigsville, Va.
Wagner, E. G.....	L	Staunton, Va.
Wine, E. L.....	L	New Hope, Va.
Woodzell, M. L.....	L	Burnsville, Va.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Ainge, Wesley .....	L	Townsend, Md.
Alford, Dells C.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Burgess, Arthur F.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Butt, Garner M.....	L	Rockville, Md., R. F. D.
Crittendon, Percy.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Davis, E. H.....	D	Washington, D. C.
Dollarhide, D. A.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Eaton, Owen N.....	L	Hyattsville, Md.
Fling, Wm. Lee.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Flippin, Charles M.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Fowler, Clarence E.....	D	Washington, D. C.
Holden, Fred A.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Laing, David.....	D	Mt. Rainier, Md.
Matthews, J. E.....	D	Washington, D. C.
McCulloch, James E.....	E	Colesville, Md.
Moore, G. Wesley.....	E	Washington, D. C.
Murray, Raymond W.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Nash, Wilbur F., Jr.....	L	Beltsville, Md.
Nicholson, J. Russell.....	L	Rockville, Md., R. F. D.
Overholt, E. E.....	D	Washington, D. C.
Palmer, R. C.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Phillips, William G.....	L	Silver Spring, Md.
Reed, Henry T.....	E	Washington, D. C.
Schwartz, S. H.....	L	Branchville, Md.
Shannon, A. H.....	E	Washington, D. C.
Shelton, Blaine H.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Shipley, F. H.....	E	Berwyn, Md.
Smith, Chas. Henry.....	L	Washington, D. C.
Smith, Lacey H.....	L	Bethesda, Md.
Steadman, Joseph E.....	L	Hyattsville, Md.
Taylor, Zachary.....	L	Grenock, Md.
Waters, Wm. B.....	L	Rockville, Md.
White, Julian Eugene.....	L	Laurel, Md.
Willard, Wm. Henry.....	L	Branchville, Md.

WINCHESTER DISTRICT.

Burruss, Carroll .....	L	Front Royal, Va.
Engle, Jesse A.....	L	Shenandoah Junction, W. Va.
Jackson, C. F.....	L	Martinsburg, W. Va.
Lauthan, Ross Ogden.....	L	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
O'Flaherty, Edward M.....	L	Woodstock, Va.
Shirkey, A. P.....	L	Martinsburg, W. Va.
Smith, A. W.....	D	Martinsburg, W. Va.
Staples, Lohring C.....	L	Stephens City, Va.

# IN MEMORIAM.

Our Brethren Who Have Fallen On Sleep Since 1866

"They \* \* rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

NAME.	Entered Conference.	PLACE OF DEATH.	TIME.	AGE.	In Ministry.
Eldridge R. Veitch.....	1831	Stephens City, Va.....	1867, Feb. 10.....	57	32
David Trout.....	1837	Front Royal, Va.....	1869, Dec. 6.....	74	36
Daniel H. Parrish.....	1855	Baltimore City.....	1871, Feb.....	37	11
John L. Gibbons.....	1822	Baltimore County, Md.....	1871, July.....	70	53
David Shoarf.....	1843	Woodstock, Va.....	1871, May 26.....	48	21
Stephen Smith.....	1830	Berkeley Springs, W. Va.....	1871, Oct. 9.....	63	41
James D. Nally (prob.).....	1870	Bladensburg, Md.....	1873, Aug. 4.....	26	7
William G. Cross.....	1846	Loesburg, Va.....	1873, Dec. 25.....	54	31
John W. Bull.....	1843	Alexandria, Va.....	1873, Dec. 25.....	54	31
Lewis Henley (prob.).....	1873	Greenbrier Co., W. Va.....	1874, Jan. 19.....	24	5
Richard S. Shreve.....	1869	Botetourt County, Va.....	1874, June 25.....	34	2
William S. Baird.....	1842	Frederick County, Va.....	1874, Aug. 3.....	59	31
Lenozzo D. Nixon.....	1854	Loudoun County, Va.....	1875, Jan. 28.....	63	20
James F. Liggett.....	1855	Churchville, Va.....	1875, April.....	44	20
Foushee C. Tebbs.....	1845	Poolesville, Md.....	1875, Nov. 18.....	55	34
John P. Etchison.....	1852	Arlington, Md.....	1876, May 31.....	55	25
Norval Wilson.....	1821	Near Charlestown, W. Va.....	1876, Aug. 9.....	73	55
Henry C. Pitzer.....	1872	Union, W. Va.....	1877, Feb. 8.....	32	3
William G. Coe.....	1854	Lewisburg, W. Va.....	1877, Mch. 29.....	45	25
Dabney Ball.....	1843	Baltimore City.....	1878, Feb. 15.....	58	30
William J. Perry.....	1858	Staunton, Va.....	1878, May 12.....	39	28
John N. Gray.....	1850	Hampshire Co., W. Va.....	1878, Oct. 18.....	39	19
George G. Brooke.....	1829	Berryville, Va.....	1878, Dec. 8.....	42	42
James Higgins.....	1867	Baltimore City.....	1879, Feb. 13.....	70	44
Thomas B. Sargent.....	1825	Baltimore City.....	1879, Oct. 14.....	74	53
Wm. H. Wheelwright.....	1846	Warren County, Va.....	1879, Dec. 17.....	55	35
Michael P. Scannan.....	1874	Waverly, Md.....	1879, Dec. 26.....	26	8
John L. Gilbert.....	1842	Brucetown, Va.....	1880, Jan. 28.....	61	38
Ezra F. Busey.....	1842	Baltimore City.....	1880, May 13.....	60	32
Jehu Hank.....	1828	Monroe County, W. Va.....	1880, July 7.....	79	59
Enoch G. Jamison.....	1841	Newport, Va.....	1880, Dec. 10.....	69	34
Benjamin Arbogast.....	1857	Winchester, Va.....	1881, Mch. 31.....	50	20
George B. Allen.....	1861	Harford County, Md.....	1881, Sept. 4.....	51	21
Samuel Regester.....	1840	Prince George's Co., Md.....	1881, Oct. 17.....	63	44
S. Samuel Roszell.....	1838	Fauquier Co., Va.....	1882, April 27.....	70	45
John Poisal.....	1827	Baltimore City.....	1882, June 25.....	75	57
Edward G. Vandiver.....	1876	Lewisburg, W. Va.....	1883, Sept. 3.....	31	7
Samuel Kopler.....	1827	Baltimore City.....	1884, Aug. 1.....	80	50
William H. Wilson.....	1844	Washington City.....	1884, April 29.....	69	46
Charles L. Torreyson.....	1859	Fairfield, Va.....	1885, June 6.....	52	29
Alexander B. Blue.....	1876	Rockbridge Baths, Va.....	1885, June 6.....	34	3
James H. March.....	1842	Middletown, Va.....	1885, July 30.....	65	48
George W. Lightner.....	1868	Falmouth, Va.....	1886, Feb. 14.....	81	19
Frank M. Strother.....	1877	Markham, Va.....	1886, Oct. 29.....	34	9
Leonidas R. Greene.....	1876	Roanoke City, Va.....	1886, Nov. 23.....	33	16
William L. Lynch.....	1872	Berryville, Va.....	1887, Mch. 26.....	45	11
S. Holland Engle (prob.).....	1866	Berryville, Va.....	1887, June 12.....	22	9
Thomas Hildebrand.....	1838	Monterey, Va.....	1887, Nov. 28.....	71	42
Joseph N. Spangler.....	1845	Baltimore City.....	1887, Dec. 27.....	67	48
James Beaty.....	1850	Moorefield, W. Va.....	1888, April 18.....	61	33
John S. Martin.....	1835	Baltimore City.....	1888, July 8.....	73	53
William R. Stringer.....	1855	Reisterstown, Md.....	1888, Nov. 15.....	54	36
Lewis C. Miller.....	1863	Harrisonburg, Va.....	1889, April 25.....	49	28
Gilson Mauzy.....	1851	Rockingham County, Va.....	1889, Nov.....	75	35
George B. Jefferson.....	1855	Parnassus, Va.....	1890, Jan. 8.....	67	34
Wm. T. Quinn.....	1856	Baltimore City.....	1890, Feb. 26.....	61	30
Andrew Robey.....	1860	Edinburg, Va.....	1890, Mch. 14.....	67	31
Paris M. Henderson (Pr.).....	1889	Catawba, Roanoke Co., Va.....	1890, April 13.....	22	6
Samuel S. Troy.....	1882	Franklin, Va.....	1890, July 12.....	29	8
Maurice C. Mehrling (Pr.).....	1888	Near Frederick City, Md.....	1890, Sept. 13.....	22	2
John W. Ewan.....	1853	Washington, D. C.....	1890, Dec. 29.....	59	38
Alfred A. Eskridge.....	1830	Staunton, Va.....	1891, Jan. 16.....	92	62
Francis A. Richey.....	1843	Woodstock, Va.....	1891, Feb. 21.....	73	48
John Landstreet.....	1848	Martinsburg, W. Va.....	1891, Nov. 21.....	73	43
Presley B. Smith.....	1853	California.....	1891, June 11.....	59	38
Edward F. Heterick.....	1857	Frederick County, Va.....	1891, May 28.....	70	34
Henry Hoffman.....	1841	Keysor, W. Va.....	1892, Jan. 12.....	78	41

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NAME.	Entered Confer- ence.	PLACE OF DEATH.	TIME.	AGE.	In Ministry.
John C. Dice	1848	Upperville, Va.	1892, April 5.	71	44
R. Stewart Cunningham	1877	Monterey, Va.	1892, Dec. 22.	39	16
Samuel D. Bennington (Pr.)	1891	Springfield, W. Va.	1892, Sept. 20.	61	16
Charles M. Brown	1875	Front Royal, Va.	1893, June 7.	40	18
George Stevenson	1841	Stephens City, Va.	1893, July 8.	83	52
William W. Hedrick	1875	Newport, Va.	1893, Oct. 10.	66	18
Samuel W. Haddaway	1869	Washington, D. C.	1893, Oct. 26.	43	24
William A. Wade	1868	Washington, D. C.	1893, Dec. 4.	57	25
M. G. Balthis	1861	New Market, Md.	1894, June.	57	33
John W. Wolfe	1846	Springfield, W. Va.	1894, June 6.	69	48
Samuel Rodgers	1848	Baltimore, Md.	1894, Nov. 1.	69	46
Milton M. Long	1887	Berkley Springs, W. Va.	1894, Dec. 30.	37	8
David Thomas	1833	Baltimore, Md.	1895, Jan. 3.	87	62
Wm. K. Boyle	1860	Hyattsville, Md.	1895, Feb. 20.	55	23
Silas R. Snapp	1867	Cedarville, Va.	1895, Mch. 10.	61	46
John W. Boteler	1851	Washington, D. C.	1896, April 12.	67	51
Joshua M. Grandin	1845	Contee's Md.	1896.	82	28
Robert Ross	1868	Allogany County, Md.	1896, Dec. 13.	84	42
Joseph H. Temple	1855	Churchville, Va.	1897, Mch. 27.	69	22
Felix M. Totten	1876	McDowell, Va.	1898, Mch. 15.	46	35
George H. Zimmerman	1860	Baltimore, Md.	1898, Nov. 3.	60	38
John W. Tongue	1844	Washington, D. C.	1898, Dec. 31.	78	53
Alfred O. Armstrong	1876	Rockville, Md.	1899, Jan. 29.	44	28
Jefferson D. Martin	1883	Lewisburg, W. Va.	1899, Sept. 2.	40	16
J. Newman Hank	1851	Baltimore, Md.	1899, Dec. 10.	72	48
James M. Follansbee	1849	Glade Spring, Va.	1900, Jan. 12.	76	51
Wesley Hammond	1864	Romney, W. Va.	1900, Feb. 21.	62	36
Archibald C. Hamill	1891	Greenbank, W. Va.	1900, Feb. 24.	64	9
Francis M. Mills	1832	Neosho, Mo.	1900, Mch. 10.	88	68
Edward H. Henry	1860	Marshall, Va.	1900, April 7.	67	40
J. Hoffman Waugh	1842	Harrisonburg, Va.	1900, Aug. 10.	86	58
Thomas Briley	1859	Mount Jackson, Va.	1900, April 19.	64	41
John C. Jones	1877	Romney, W. Va.	1900, Aug. 23.	47	23
Henry H. Kennedy	1868	Charles Town, W. Va.	1901, May 21.	54	33
Jacob M. Eavey	1889	Crab Bottom, Va.	1901, Aug. 16.	41	12
Samuel M. Bowman	1889	Mt. Sidney, Va.	1901, April 21.	50	12
Francis A. Mercer	1855	Baltimore, Md.	1902, Jan. 15.	72	47
Nelson Head	1834	Leesburg, Va.	1902, June 15.	91	69
Thomas E. Carson	1853	Roanoke, Va.	1902, Oct. 18.	70	49
Robert R. S. Hough	1854	Fredericksburg, Va.	1902, April 19.	73	46
Rumsey Smithson	1856	Mansfield, Ill.	1902, June 12.	68	46
John W. Canter	1859	Dunlap, W. Va.	1902, June 21.	68	43
Larkin H. Crenshaw	1859	Loudoun County, Va.	1902, Sept. 22.	70	43
William A. McDonald	1866	Baltimore, Md.	1902, May 14.	64	36
Charles G. Linticum	1848	Prince George's Co., Md.	1903, Oct. 25.	81	55
Saul B. Dolly	1856	Fredericksburg, Va.	1903, Aug. 8.	76	47
Thomas J. Miller	1887	Hedgesville, W. Va.	1903, Oct. 1.	39	16
Sydnor G. Ferguson	1872	Leesburg, Va.	1904, Mch. 7.	59	32
J. C. Sedwick	1872	Calvert County, Md.	1904, April 13.	62	32
Anron Boon	1857	Luray, Va.	1904, Dec. 31.	71	47
Philip S. E. Sixeas	1856	Newcastle, Va.	1904, Dec. 23.	72	48
Henry D. Bishop	1859	Covington, Va.	1905, May 13.	63	37
Sylvanus Townsend	1859	Bohemia Manor, Md.	1906, Feb. 1.	69	47
Quincy A. Wheat	1857	Front Royal, Va.	1906, Mch. 27.	72	49
Peter H. Whisner	1861	Staunton, Va.	1906, Mch. 31.	62	34
Charles A. Joyce	1861	Baltimore, Md.	1906, April 21.	68	45
William O. Ross	1869	Gambrill's, Md.	1906, May 9.	70	45
Lewis G. Martin	1868	Abbeville, S. C.	1906, Nov. 26.	69	37
James H. Boyd	1875	Abbeville, S. C.	1907, Feb. 22.	67	39
John O. Tackett	1879	Roanoke, Va.	1907, Mch. 30.	57	32
Lewis H. Graybill	1859	Remington, Va.	1907, May 20.	59	28
Robert Smith	1846	Botetourt County, Va.	1907, May 25.	73	48
Bernard B. White	1903	Manassas, Va.	1907, Aug. 27.	88	61
James S. Gardner	1853	Mt. Jackson, Va.	1907, Sept. 14.	51	4
Frederick A. Gaines	1894	Middletown, Va.	1907, Nov. 14.	78	54
James E. Armstrong	1853	Forest Grove, Md.	1907, Feb. 10.	46	14
William G. Eggleston	1837	Roanoke, Va.	1908, April 7.	78	55
Walter Neal Simpson	(Sup)	Middletown, Va.	1908, April 25.	93	71
Charles B. LeFev	1887	Prince Frederick, Md.	1908, Aug. 20.	30	42
Leonidas A. Snow	1875	Salem, Va.	1909, April 9.	52	22
Harry W. Burruss	1899	Brentsville, Va.	1909, April 21.	55	34
Allen A. P. Neel	1863	Gathersburg, Md.	1909, April 27.	37	10
Samuel K. Cox	1844	Frankford, W. Va.	1909, Nov. 20.	68	46
Thomas G. Nevitt	1874	Harrisonburg, Va.	1909, Nov. 27.	86	65
Lemuel W. Haslup	1861	Near Port Republic, Va.	1909, Dec. 15.	69	35
William L. Dolly	1884	Baltimore, Md.	1909, Dec. 16.	78	48
		Near Baltimore, Md.	1910, Feb. 5.	49	26

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NAME.	Entered Confer- ence.	PLACE OF DEATH.	TIME.	AGE.	In Ministry.
James H. Wolff.....	1855	Charles Town, W. Va.....	1910, Feb. 21.....	76	55
Hamilton A. Gaver.....	1853	Middletown, Va.....	1910, Mar. 18.....	80	57
Addison Weller.....	1864	Govanstown, Md.....	1910, May 15.....	79	46
William E. Henry.....	1896	Baltimore, Md.....	1910, Nov. 14.....	36	14
Jacob S. Hopkins.....	1877	Strasburg, Va.....	1910, Dec. 4.....	87	33
Joseph J. Crickenberger.....	1864	Lewisburg, W. Va.....	1910, Dec. 25.....	79	46
John S. Hutchinson.....	1870	Edinburg, Va.....	1911, Mar. 20.....	68	40
Joseph J. Engle.....	1856	Berryville, Va.....	1911, Sept. 4.....	79	55
Asbury C. McNeer.....	1871	Alderson, W. Va.....	1911, Dec. 19.....	66	40
Leonidas Butt.....	1861	Woodstock, Va.....	1912, July 8.....	71	51
Stuart H. Greene.....	1908	Greenbrier Co., W. Va.....	1912, Sept. 8.....	28	8
Frank Jenkins.....	1904	Greenville, Va.....	1913, Jan. 5.....	40	8
Adam Q. Flaherty.....	1875	Craig Co., Va.....	1913, Mar. 19.....	86	52
Andrew M. Cackley.....	1877	Roanoke, Va.....	1913, April 28.....	64	38
William E. Woolf.....	1860	Washington, D. C.....	1913, Oct. 5.....	61	36
Clarence L. Kennard.....	1884	Clarksburg, W. Va.....	1914, Feb. 17.....	77	54
Louis R. Jones.....	1860	New Market, Md.....	1914, Mar. 17.....	51	30
LaFayette Fox.....	1872	Luray, Va.....	1914, Mar. 29.....	79	54
J. Hervey DuLaney.....	1858	Front Royal, Va.....	1914, July 14.....	68	42
Charles L. Dameron.....	1864	Washington, D. C.....	1914, Sept. 7.....	79	56
Peter W. Jeffries.....	1885	Baltimore, Md.....	1914, Nov. 20.....	74	50
John T. Wightman.....	1848	Baltimore, Md.....	1914, Nov. 29.....	57	29
Isaac Ryder.....	1886	Baltimore, Md.....	1915, Mar. 3.....	90	67
Walter W. Watts.....	1867	Jacksonville, Fla.....	1915, July 28.....	61	29
J. Kyle Gilbert.....	1875	Strasburg, Va.....	1915, July 31.....	60	27
Charles E. Simmons.....	1874	Churchville, Va.....	1915, Aug. 19.....	64	40
William M. Waters.....	1888	Manassas, Va.....	1915, Aug. 22.....	64	41
Charles S. Stanton.....	1873	Washington, D. C.....	1915, Aug. 29.....	54	27
James T. Williams.....	1876	Harrisonburg, Va.....	1915, Oct. 24.....	51	27
John H. Davidson.....	1886	Charles Town, W. Va.....	1915, Nov. 29.....	69	44
Samuel A. Parker.....	1873	Luray, Va.....	1915, Dec. 5.....	64	39
Vincent W. Wheeler.....	1853	Berryville, Va.....	1916, Mech. 12.....	59	30
Alpheus W. Wilson.....	1868	Clifton Forge, Va.....	1916, Aug. 27.....	69	43
William H. D. Harper.....	1890	Baltimore, Md.....	1916, Nov. 21.....	82	63
John S. Engle.....	1867	Roanoke, Va.....	1917, Jan. 23.....	77	49
Thomas W. Brown.....	1890	Baltimore, Md.....	1917, Feb. 1.....	49	27
William L. Smith.....	1853	Gardenville, Md.....	1917, July 30.....	80	50
Ephraim L. Kregelo.....	1868	Brunswick, Md.....	1917, Oct. 20.....	51	27
Asbury R. Martin.....	1864	Shepherdstown, W. Va.....	1917, Nov. 17.....	89	60
John T. Maxwell.....	1893	Staunton, Va.....	1918, Aug. 20.....	74	55
William McVilvie.....	1859	Staunton, Va.....	1918, Oct. 12.....	81	54
William Hodges.....	1869	Waldorf, Jd.....	1919, Jan. 28.....	69	44
George T. Tyler.....	1876	Martinsburg, W. Va.....	1919, Mar. 29.....	81	61
William E. Woolf.....	1858	Winchester, Va.....	1919, July 6.....	76	50
Adam P. Boudé.....	1871	Round Hill, Va.....	1919, Sept. 13.....	68	43
Beverly W. Bond.....	1871	Stanley, Va.....	1919, Nov. 29.....	84	61
John W. McNeil.....	1892	Baltimore, Md.....	1920, Jan. 22.....	77	49
John Fredrick Baggs.....	1874	Staunton, Va.....	1920, Nov. 16.....	62	28
James W. Grubb.....	1879	Baltimore, Md.....	1921, Mar. 6.....	70	48
James P. Stump.....	1883	Sudlersville, Md.....	1921, Mar. 20.....	75	42
Isaac W. Canter.....	1866	Fredericksburg, Va.....	1921, May 13.....	75	36
Oscar W. Lusby.....	1891	Washington, D. C.....	1921, Aug. 27.....	78	54
Charles W. Stump.....	1903	Roanoke, Va.....	1921, Dec. 1.....	50	30
J. Latimer Kibler.....	1876	Stony Ridge, W. Va.....	1922, Jan. 1.....	62	28
Benjamin F. Ball.....	1866	Washington, D. C.....	1922, Sept. 29.....	74	46
Rufus H. Wilson.....	1870	Waynesboro, Va.....	1923, Jan. 26.....	57	31
Thomas Cooper.....	1870	Blacksburg, Va.....	1923, Feb. 17.....	76	54
Isaac HarnessVanDevander	1818	Staunton, Va.....	1923, Mar. 24.....	75	63
Wm. G. Hammond.....	1857	Greenbank, W. Va.....	1923, Mar. 25.....	49	5
James R. Vanhorne.....	1866	Dranesville, Va.....	1923, April 6.....	87	66
Thomas A. Buch.....	1909	Clifton Forge, Va.....	1923, May 11.....	84	57
Frazier Furr.....	1867	Roanoke, Va.....	1923, May 19.....	82	14
Luke R. Markwood.....	1875	Harrisonburg, Va.....	1923, Sept. 6.....	79	54
Abssalon Knox.....	1906	Staunton, Va.....	1923, Sept. 17.....	73	48
David Bush.....	1868	Baltimore, Md.....	1924, Jan. 15.....	51	17
David H. Kern.....	1866	Salem, Va.....	1924, April 15.....	85	57
John H. Light.....	1884	Staunton, Va.....	1924, June 18.....	58	28
J. Robert Andrew.....	1874	Romney, W. Va.....	1924, Dec. 29.....	66	40
Francis A. Strother.....	182	Rowland, N. C.....	1925, July 5.....	76	42
George J. D. Collins.....	1876	Stephens City, Va.....	1925, Aug. 22.....	79	63
John A. Kern.....	1866	Baltimore, Md.....	1926, Jan. 20.....	76	50
Murphy D. Ellmore.....	1914	Dallas, Texas.....	1926, Mar. 23.....	80	60
Hubert W. Ludamood.....	1924	Leesburg, Va.....	1926, Aug. 2.....	42	12
Christopher Sydenstricker.....	1886	Winchester, Va.....	1926, Nov. 21.....	67	3
George H. Echols.....	1895	Charles Town, W. Va.....	1927, June 19.....	81	41
Henry A. Brown.....	1830	Williamsburg, W. Va.....	1927, Sept. 8.....	63	32
David F. Eutslar.....	1878	Sebring, Fla.....	1928, Feb. 17.....	73	48
John R. Jacobs.....	1896	Winchester, Va.....	1928, June 3.....	75	50
Carleton D. Harris.....	1888	Ronceverte, W. Va.....	1928, July 5.....	60	32
		Baltimore, Md.....	1928, Sept.....	40	



# Sessions of the Baltimore Conference

DATE.	PLACE.	PRESIDENT.
1866—Feb. 7-15.	Alexandria, Va	John Early.
1867—March 6-13.	Trinity, Baltimore, Md.	George F. Pierce.
1868— " 4-13.	Central, Baltimore, Md.	D. S. Doggett.
1869— " 3-12.	Trinity, Baltimore, Md.	W. W. Wightman.
1870— " 2-10.	St. Paul's, Baltimore, Md.	H. N. McTyeire.
1871— " 8-14.	Salem, Va.	Geo. F. Pierce.
1872— " 6-13.	Warrenton, Va.	Robert Paine.
1873— " 5-14.	Trinity, Baltimore, Md.	Geo. F. Pierce.
1874— " 4-12.	Staunton, Va.	D. S. Doggett.
1875— " 3-10.	Washington, D. C.	E. M. Marvin.
1876— " 1- 8.	Winchester, Va.	E. M. Marvin.
1877— " 7-15.	Alexandria, Va.	H. H. Kavanaugh.
1878— " 6-14.	St. Paul's, Baltimore, Md.	H. N. McTyeire.
1879— " 5-11.	Salem, Va.	W. W. Wightman.
1880— " 3-10.	Front Royal, Va.	J. C. Keener.
1881— " 9-15.	Harrisonburg, Va.	H. N. McTyeire.
1882— " 8-14.	Fredericksburg, Va.	H. N. McTyeire.
1883— " 14-21.	Charles Town, W. Va.	J. C. Keener.
1884— " 12-19.	Calvary, Baltimore, Md.	A. W. Wilson.
1885— " 11-18.	Salem, Va.	J. C. Granbery.
1886— " 10-16.	Staunton, Va.	H. N. McTyeire.
1887— " 9-15.	Leesburg, Va.	J. C. Keener.
1888— " 14-20.	Martinsburg, W. Va.,	A. W. Wilson.
1889— " 13-19.	Alexandria, Va.	A. W. Wilson.
1890— " 12-19.	St. Paul's, Baltimore, Md.	W. W. Duncan.
1891— " 11-17.	Greene Mem. Roanoke Va.	E. R. Hendrix.
1892— " 23-29.	Harrisonburg, Va.	J. C. Keener.
1893— " 22-27.	Front Royal, Va.	J. S. Key.
1894— " 28-April 4.	Fredericksburg, Va.	J. C. Granbery.
1895— " 27- " 3.	Washington, D. C.	J. C. Granbery.
1896— " 25-31.	Roanoke, Va.	R. K. Hargrove.
1897— " 24-30.	Staunton, Va.	C. B. Galloway.
1898— " 23-28.	Hinton, W. Va.	A. W. Wilson.
1899—April 5-11.	Washington, D. C.	J. C. Granbery.
1900— " 4-10.	Washington, D. C.	W. A. Candler.
1901— " 3- 9.	Roanoke, Va.	O. P. Fitzgerald.
1902—March 26-April 1.	Trinity, Baltimore, Md.	C. B. Galloway.
1903— " 25-31.	Fredericksburg, Va.	A. Coke Smith.
1904— " 30-April 5.	Alexandria, Va.	A. W. Wilson.
1905— " 22-28.	Winchester, Va.	W. W. Duncan.
1906— " 28-April 2.	Cumberland, Md.	{ A. W. Wilson. } W. A. Candler.
1907— " 27- " 3.	Staunton, Va.	E. E. Hoss.
1908— " 25-31.	Roanoke, Va.	A. W. Wilson.
1909— " 24-30.	St. Paul's, Baltimore, Md.	{ A. W. Wilson and } W. A. Candler.
1910— " 23-28.	Washington, D. C.	A. W. Wilson.
1911— " 29-April 3.	Clifton Forge, Va.	E. E. Hoss.
1912— " 27- " 2.	Roanoke, Va.	W. B. Murrah.
1913— " 26-31.	Staunton, Va.	J. C. Kilgo.
1914— " 25-30.	Baltimore, Md.	Collins Denny.
1915— " 24-29.	Washington, D. C.	W. A. Candler.
1916— " 22-27.	Alexandria, Va.	Edwin D Mouzon.
1917— " 28-April 2.	Roanoke, Va.	W. B. Murrah.
1918—April 3-8.	Central, Baltimore, Md.	James Atkins.
1919—March 26-31.	Staunton, Va.	E. R. Hendrix.
1920—April 7-12.	Washington, D. C.	E. R. Hendrix.
1921—April 7-11.	Greene Mem., Roanoke, Va.	E. R. Hendrix.
1922—March 23-27.	Washington, D. C.	U. V. W. Darlington
1923—April 4-9.	West End, Roanoke, Va.	W. A. Candler
1924—April 27.	Greene Mem., Roanoke, Va.	W. A. Candler
1925—March 25-30.	Mt Vernon Pl., Wash., D. C.	W. A. Candler
1926—March 23-29.	Winchester, Va.	W. A. Candler
1927—Sept. 28-Oct. 3.	Greene Mem., Roanoke, Va.	Collins Denny
1928—Sept. 26-Oct. 1.	Staunton, Va.	Collins Denny.



# Journal of the Daily Proceedings 1928

## FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, September 26, 1928.

The Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, commenced its One Hundred and Forty-fourth Session in Central Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Staunton, Va., September 26th, 1928, at 9 o'clock A. M.

Bishop Collins Denny, President of the Conference, in the Chair.  
The Conference united in singing Hymn No. 556—

"Blest be the tie that binds  
Our hearts in Christian love;  
The fellowship of kindred minds  
Is like to that above."

Bishop Denny led in prayer.

The Conference united in reciting the Apostles' Creed.

The Bishop read from the seventh chapter of Matthew's Gospel and addressed the Conference upon the closing part of the Sermon on the Mount.

THE ROLL was called by the Secretary of the last Conference and 181 Clerical and 41 Lay members answered to their names.

SECRETARIES: H. M. Canter was elected Secretary and, upon his nomination, J. Harry Smith, Gracen D. Kidner, James H. Haley, C. J. Clark, J. H. Bean, N. C. Rice, L. B. Bobbitt and C. E. Brandt were elected Assistant Secretaries.

W. G. Winton was appointed to canvass for Conference Minutes.

THE RULES of the General Conference were, upon motion, adopted as the Rules for the governing of the Conference.

THE BAR of the Conference was fixed at a line running in front of the fourth window from the front of the auditorium.

THE HOUR of Meeting was fixed at 9 A. M. and that of Adjournment at 12.30 P. M.

SUBSTITUTIONS: The following Substitutions on the ROLL were made: Alexandria District, Mrs. Annie G. Cline in place of Miss Jessie Hough and Miss Estelle Holden in place of T. B. Winter; Moorefield District, H. C. Homan in place of Fuller Barnard and E. Lee Shaw in place of D. H. Kuhn; Roanoke District, L. B. Davis for Mrs. W. W.

Cash; Rockingham District, R. P. Lankford in place of Miss Alda Maiden and J. L. Henderson in place of H. E. Skelton; Washington District, Mrs. Louis Dashiell in place of H. H. Moler, A. F. Harlan in place of T. T. Rowe, Mrs. Nellie Clark in place of E. B. Prettyman and Howard Spurrier in place of William T. Griffith.

The following Substitutions on the various Boards were made: Charles L. DeLong in place of S. V. Hildebrand on the Board of Hospitals; J. T. Vandergrift in place of Fuller Barnard and J. W. Rosenberger in place of J. H. Bean on the Board of Church Extension. W. W. Stevens, Jr., was elected a member of the Board of Hospitals.

NOMINATIONS: Nominations of the Presiding Elders for the several Committees were presented and, upon motion, they were adopted.

The Secretary was instructed to send Telegrams of sympathy and love, with assurance of our continued prayers in their behalf, to C. D. Harris, W. W. White and W. T. Griffith.

The Bishop requested Rev. Forrest J. Prettyman to lead the Conference in prayer on behalf of these brethren.

COMMUNICATIONS were received and, upon motion, referred without reading, as follows: From the General Board of Education to the Conference Board of Education; from the General Board of Lay Activities to the Conference Board of Lay Activities; from the General Sunday School Board to the Conference Sunday School Board; from the General Board of Church Extension to the Conference Board of Church Extension; the General Board of Finance to the Conference Board of Finance; the General Hospital Board to the Conference Hospital Board, and from the Publishing Agents to the Conference Board of Finance.

The Secretary was instructed to send telegrams of affectionate greeting to all the absent Superannuate brethren.

Upon motion, it was directed that all Announcements be submitted in writing and read from the Secretary's table.

QUESTION TWENTY-ONE of the General Minutes was called, viz., Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

PRESIDING ELDERS: E. V. Register of the Alexandria District, T. J. Lambert of the Baltimore District, G. W. Richardson of the Lewisburg District, H. V. Wheeler of the Moorefield District, E. L. Woolf of the Roanoke District, H. Sydensticker of the Rockingham District, J. H. Balthis of the Washington District and H. M. Canter of the Winchester District represented the condition of their respective Districts and their characters were examined and passed.

The names of G. O. Homan, Turnes A. Jordan and Allen A. P. Neel were called, their characters examined and passed, and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a Supernumerary relation.

The names of John A. Anderson, James A. Anderson, A. Lee Barrett, Oliver C. Beall, C. Harry Buchanan, Oscar F. Burgess, Henry S. Coe,

W. P. Conway Coe, William B. Dorsey, Jefferson W. Duffey, George W. Gaither, William T. Gover, Frank T. Griffith, Norman N. Hall, Henry P. Hamill, Fiske E. Hammond, John C. Hawk, James M. Hawley, James B. Hedrick, James L. Henderson, John B. Henry, James S. Keene, Hamilton W. Kinzer, John H. Kuhlmann, Louis L. Lloyd, Charles W. Marsh, William E. Miller, J. W. Mitchell, Harry L. Myerly, Charles L. Potter, Hamilton M. Roane, William H. Sanders, J. Lester Shipley, Samuel R. Snead, Henry I. Stephens, H. Monroe Strickler, Wallace O. Talbert, Rufus M. Wheeler, G. Dorsey White, John H. Wilhite and B. W. Waters were called, their characters examined and passed, and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a Superannuate relation.

The names of John L. Thomas, W. F. Lowance, J. T. Thrasher and German H. H. Tyler were called, their characters passed, and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a Superannuate relation.

The names of Frank M. Richardson and Chas. L. Reiter were called and their characters examined and passed.

When the names of Henry A. Brown and David F. Eutsler were called, they were reported as having died in the Lord and their names referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

Upon motion, Saturday at 11 o'clock was made the Order of the Day for the Report of the Committee on Memoirs.

The following Resolution, signed by F. J. Prettyman, C. M. Hesser, H. Sydenstricker, G. W. Richardson, T. J. Lambert, H. V. Wheeler, E. L. Woolf, R. L. Fultz, H. M. Canter, J. H. Balthis, E. V. Regester, W. F. Locke, S. K. Cockrell, W. W. Millan, H. B. Denham, Daniel C. Roper and James Walker, was presented and, upon motion, adopted:

"In view of the present inflamed condition of the country, growing out of the pending political campaign, we deem it both wise and expedient to exclude from our Conference and from our pulpits the discussion of those phases of the aforesaid campaign that may be legitimately considered as the committal of the Church to a party political issue; and we instruct the Board of Temperance and Social Service to present to the Conference a clear cut declaration of our historical position on Temperance and other social problems in order that no doubt may be raised as to our stand in these matters."

A motion to reconsider did not prevail.

The following Resolution, signed by E. V. Regester, J. H. Balthis, H. V. Wheeler, H. Sydenstricker, G. W. Richardson, H. M. Canter and E. L. Woolf was presented and, upon motion, adopted:

"Resolved, That the Conference adopt the plan of making Collections for the first six months of the Conference Year.

Collections to be reported and money paid at the District Conferences."

**QUESTION SEVENTEEN** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **What Traveling Preacher and what Local Preachers have been elected Deacons?**

Ira Sankey Hull of the Lewisburg District and David Laing of the Washington District, having been recommended by their respective District Conferences, were elected to Deacon's Orders.

**QUESTION ELEVEN** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who are located this year?**

The name of Gordon E. Smith, an Elder of the Washington District, was called, his character examined and passed, and he was located at his own request.

**QUESTION EIGHT** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who are re-admitted?**

Ans. None.

**QUESTION NINE** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who are received by Transfer from other Conferences?**

The Bishop announced the Transfer of John W. Rustin, an Elder, from the Virginia Conference.

**QUESTION TEN** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who are received from other Churches as Traveling Preachers?**

Ans. None.

**INTRODUCTIONS:** Rev. C. R. James, representing the Publishing House, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Conference united in singing Hymn No. 547:

"Children of the heavenly King,  
As we journey let us sing."

Conference adjourned with the Benediction by Bishop Denny to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

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## SECOND DAY.

Thursday, September 27, 1928.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment.

Bishop Denny in the Chair.

The Conference united in singing Hymn No. 463:

"Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

J. Harry Smith led in prayer and read a selection from the Gospel of St. John.



The Journal of yesterday was read and, after correction, was approved.

The Secretary called the Roll of those absent yesterday and 21 Clerical and 23 Lay members answered to their names.

**SUBSTITUTIONS:** The following substitutions were made on the **ROLL:** J. M. Petty for John S. McDonald in the Roanoke District; Everett H. Warren in place of Mrs. Harry Moore in the Lewisburg District; O. C. Michael in place of J. H. Koller in the Baltimore District; Wilfred Lawson for W. W. White on the Committee on Admissions.

William H. Best was elected member of the Commission on Budget in place of C. D. Harris.

**COMMUNICATIONS:** A communication from the General Board of Missions was received and referred to the Conference Board of Missions.

Messages of Greetings were received from C. H. Buchanan, H. S. Coe, Walter W. White, J. S. Keene and J. Lester Shipley.

A petition presented by Daniel C. Roper from the Quarterly Conference of Mount Vernon Place, Washington, requesting a change in the date of the meeting of the Annual Conference; and a similar request from the Preachers' Meeting of Baltimore City, presented by F. J. Prettyman, were, upon motion, referred, with all similar papers, to a Committee of eight to be appointed by the Chair.

The Board of Missions was granted leave to retire.

**QUESTION THREE** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who remain on trial?**

Charles Fadely Phillips (has completed Course of Study), John Thomas Brown, Walter Delford Sheets, Harry Wallace Craver, Allan Gillis, Herman Monroe Wilson (has completed Course of Study), Mack Thomason, William Felix Hodges, William Preston Saunders, Julian Edward McDonald, Albert Hinkle Shumate, Raymond Ledbetter Moore and Paul Russell Diehl, having passed in examination before the Committee on the Course of Study, were advanced to the Class of the Second Year.

**QUESTION TWO** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who else is in the Class of the First Year?**

George Milton Bell, Peter Constant Helmtoller, Jr., and William Harvey Gray, not having completed the Course of Study, were continued in the Class of the First Year.

**QUESTION TWENTY-ONE** of the General Minutes was resumed.

Harold Hetzer Hoyt, Charles Roy Curtis and Harry Stockton Myerly, already Deacons, having passed in Examination before the Committee on the Course of Study, and having been recommended by the Committee on Admissions, were advanced to the Class of the Third Year.

Emory Wilson Jordan and Edwin Samuels Sheppe, Jr., having passed in Examination before the Committee on the Course of Study, and



having been recommended by the Committee on Admissions, were elected Deacons and advanced to the Class of the Third Year.

Floyd Montgomery Lucas, having passed in Examination on the Course of Study for the Fourth Year, was elected Deacon.

**QUESTION FOUR** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who else is in the Class of the Second Year?**

Arthur Woodley Hinton and William Jennings Groah (passed the Course of Study for the Second Year), John Sanders Schwartz (passed the Course of Study for the Four Years), and George Lipscomb Waters (passed the Course of Study for the Third Year), were continued in the Class of the Second Year.

**QUESTION SIXTEEN** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who else is in the Class of the Fourth Year?**

Elias Galloway Helmtoller and Charles Leslie Reither, not having completed the Course of Study, were continued in the Class of the Fourth Year.

**QUESTION SEVENTEEN** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected Deacons?**

Emory Wilson Jordan, Floyd Montgomery Lucas and Edwin Samuels Sheppe, Jr., traveling preachers; John Thomas Brown, Walter Delford Sheets, Harry Wallace Craver, Allan Gillis, Herman Monroe Wilson, William Felix Hodges and Julian Edward McDonald, local preachers, were severally elected to Deacon's Orders.

Williah Jennings Groah, local preacher, was elected to Deacon's Orders three years ago, but not ordained.

**QUESTION NINETEEN** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected Elders?**

Robert Orvel Hipes, Arthur Irvin Orndoff, Claude Byron Larrick, David Robert Cleckner, William Clews and Kemp Dudley Swecker, traveling preachers, having passed in Examination on the Course of Study, were elected Elders.

**QUESTION TWENTY-ONE** of the General Minutes was resumed. The name of J. W. Beall was called, his character passed and his name was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a Supernumerary relation.

**QUESTION TWELVE** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who have withdrawn or been expelled?**

The name of F. E. Allison was called, his character passed, and he announced his withdrawal from the ministry and membership of the Church and surrendered his credentials.

Rev. Luther E. Todd, D. D., Secretary of the General Board of Finance, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of the Superannuate Endowment.

Report No. 1 of the Board of Missions was presented and read.

W. G. Cram, D. D., Secretary of the Board of Missions, addressed the Conference and the Report was, upon motion, adopted.

The Board of Directors of the Southern Methodist Publishing Company presented their report, and a motion was made that it be adopted.

An amendment was offered to refer the Report to the Board of Christian Literature; but the amendment did not prevail, and the Report was adopted.

Conference united in singing Hymn No. 135:

"Majestic Sweetness sits enthroned  
Upon the Saviour's brow."

Conference adjourned with the Benediction by Bishop Denny to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

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### THIRD DAY.

Friday, September 28, 1928.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment.

Bishop Denny in the Chair.

Conference united in singing Hymn No. 547:

"Children of the Heavenly King,  
As we journey let us sing."

R. M. Wheeler read the First Psalm and led in prayer.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

SUBSTITUTIONS: R. G. Mowbray in place of J. R. Phillips on ROLL from the Baltimore District.

F. J. Prettyman was elected in place of J. H. Balthis on the Board of Education.

The Chair announced the following Committee to consider all papers relating to the change of the time of meeting for the Annual Conference: W. S. Hammond, F. J. Prettyman, G. G. Oliver, C. W. Fink, W. T. Doosing, J. J. Rives, C. M. Stoy, W. G. Hardy.

The name of C. M. Sarver was called, his character passed and his name was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a Superannuate relation.

The name of Herman Wilson was called and the Committee on Examination announced that he had passed on the entire Course of Study.

Leave of absence from the Conference was granted, J. H. Wells, J. P. Tyler, H. S. Myerley, J. H. Smith and F. J. Prettyman.

**QUESTION FIFTEEN** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who are the Deacons of one year?**

William Preston Good, Thomas Morgan, Royal Allen Rice, Walter Milton Reynolds, John Russell Corron, Frank Lewis Baker, William Oliver Lutrell and Ernest Taylor Harrison, having passed in Examination before the Committee on the Course of Study, were advanced to the Class of the Fourth Year.

**QUESTION SEVEN** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who else is in the Class of the Third Year?**

Edward Byrnes Cook, Henry Baker Smith, Charles McCulloh LeFew, William James Elliott and Palmer Eubank, not having completed the Course of Study, were continued in the Class of the Third Year.

James Herbert Brown, Jr., a student at Emory University, and Harris Magruder Waters, a missionary in Japan, were continued in the Class of the Third Year.

**QUESTION SIX** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who are admitted into full connection?**

Harold Hetzer Hoyt, Charles Roy Curtis, Emory Wilson Jordan, Edwin Samuels Sheppe, Jr., and Floyd Montgomery Lucas, having been recommended by the Committee on Admissions, were called forward. The Bishop addressed them and propounded the Disciplinary Questions, and, upon motion, they were admitted into Full Connection.

The name of C. D. Harris was called and it was announced that he had died in the Lord and his name was referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

A Resolution, signed by R. L. Durham and others, relating to the Election by the District Conferences of Lay delegates to the Annual Conference, was presented and read and, upon motion, was laid upon the table until Saturday.

The Report of the Committee on Temperance and Social Service was presented and read and, upon motion, adopted.

The Nomination of Trustees for the Francis Asbury School, made by the Board of Education, the Board of Missions, the Sunday School Board and the Epworth League Board, were presented and, upon motion, they were elected.

The Report of the Board of Trustees of the Home for the Aged and Orphans was presented and read and, upon motion, was adopted with regard to those portions of the Report upon which the Conference was called to act.

The following Resolution was presented, read and, upon motion, adopted:

"In view of America's providential opportunity to save and train a generation of children in Bible Lands, orphaned by recent wars and deportations;

"In view of the constructive work being done for these orphans through Near East Relief; and

"In view of the endorsement and urgent request of our last General Conference,

"The Baltimore Annual Conference hereby requests the General Conference Committee on Near East Relief to give our Churches and Sunday Schools an official message concerning the present work over-seas, the need for support and the method of International Golden Rule Sunday Observance."

**QUESTION FORTY-FOUR** of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Where shall the next Session of the Annual Conference be held?**

An invitation from Central Church, Cumberland, the other Churches in Cumberland co-operating, to hold the next session of the Annual Conference in that place, was presented and, upon motion, was unanimously accepted.

The following Constitutional Question, handed down by the General Conference of May, 1926, for the approval of the Annual Conference, was presented and read:

"The Clerical Representatives shall be elected by the Clerical members of the Annual Conference; provided that such representatives have been traveling preachers at least four years next preceding their election, and are in full connection with the Annual Conference which elects them when elected, and also at the time when holding the General Conference.

"The lay representatives shall be elected by the lay members of the Annual Conference; provided that such representatives be twenty-five years of age and shall have been members of our Church for at least six calendar years next preceding the time of their election, and also at the time of holding the General Conference; provided that, if such representative elected shall change his membership to another congregation outside the boundaries of the Annual Conference which elected him, the alternate shall take the seat in the General Conference in order of election."

By unanimous consent the Bishop was requested to explain the proposed Constitutional change.

One hundred and fifty-three members of the Conference were present and voted. 10 voted Aye and 143 voted No.

Upon motion, the Baltimore Southern Methodist was requested to print the Report of the Committee on Temperance and Social Service.

The Secretary presented the matter of keeping the permanent Records of the Conference and, upon motion, he was instructed to have bound the Printed Minutes instead of transcribing them in typewritten form.

A message of Greeting was received from F. T. Griffith.

The Secretary was instructed to send telegrams of sympathy to the family of Rev. C. D. Harris because of his death and to Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Wells because of the death of Mrs. King.



INTRODUCTIONS: Rev. George E. Booker, D. D., Presiding Elder, Richmond District; Rev. H. C. Pifer, D. D., of Charlottesville; Rev. J. T. Moore, D. D., all of the Virginia Conference; Rev. S. C. Hatcher, D. D., Vice-President of Randolph-Macon College; Rev. Thomas Priddy, of the Holston Conference; Rev. C. N. Coffman, of the Charleston District, and Rev. A. J. Gearhead of the Western Virginia Conference; Rev. A. M. Frazier, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Staunton, Va., and Dr. F. L. Day, of Randolph-Macon College, were severally introduced to the Conference.

Rev. C. C. Jarrell, D. D., Secretary of the General Hospital Board, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Conference united in singing Hymn No. 279:

"Rock Of Ages, cleft for me,  
Let me hide myself in thee,"

and adjourned, with the Benediction by Rev. S. C. Hatcher, D. D., to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

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#### FOURTH DAY.

Saturday, September 29, 1928.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment.

Bishop Denny in the Chair.

Conference united in singing Hymn No. 1:

"O for a thousand tongues to sing  
My great Redeemer's praise."

W. C. Smith read the 13th chapter of First Corinthians and led in prayer.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

QUESTION ONE of the General Minutes was called, viz., **Who are admitted on Trial?**

The Recommendations of Conrad William Jordan of the Baltimore District Conference and John Franklin Owens of the Richmond District Conference of the Virginia Conference were presented and, having passed in Examination before the Committee on the Course of Study and having been recommended by the Committee on Admissions, they were admitted on Trial.

The names of Charles Fadely Phillips and Edwin Samuels Sheppe, Jr., were called and the Committees of Examination reported that each had completed the entire Course of Study.

Permission to retire was granted to the Trustees of Home for Aged and Orphans.

Report number one of the Board of Finance, dealing with group insurance, was presented.

Representatives of insurance companies were granted twenty minutes to explain to the Conference the advantages of such insurance and, upon motion, the Report was adopted.

Report number one of the Commission on Budget, relative to an assessment of \$8,500.00 for Randolph-Macon Academy, Front Royal, Va., was presented.

Dr. R. E. Blackwell, President of Randolph-Macon College, was introduced and addressed the Conference in behalf of the assessment.

After discussion, the Report was adopted by a vote of 109 Ayes to 95 Noes.

The Order of the Day having arrived,

QUESTION FOURTEEN of the General Minutes was called, viz.,  
What preachers have died during the year?

Conference united in singing Hymn No. 315:

"Nearer, My God, to Thee."

H. P. Hamill led in prayer.

The Bishop called F. J. Prettyman to the Chair.

The Committee on Memoirs presented their report:

The Memoir of H. A. Brown was read by S. V. Hildebrand.

The Memoir of D. F. Eutsler was read by R. L. Fultz.

The Memoir of John R. Jacobs was read by F. J. Prettyman.

The Memoir of C. D. Harris, it was announced, would be prepared and presented at the next Annual Session of the Conference.

Conference united in singing:

"There's a Land That Is Fairer Than Day."

Upon motion, the Report of the Committee on Memoirs was adopted.  
Bishop Denny resumed the Chair.

QUESTION THIRTEEN of the General Minutes was called, viz.,  
Who are transferred to other conferences?

The Bishop announced the transfer of J. L. Early, Jr., and John W. Rustin, Elders, to the Virginia Conference.

H. H. Sherman, Secretary of the General Board of Education, addressed the Conference in regard to the Educational work of the Church.

Messages of Greeting were received from W. O. Talbert and J. M. Anderson.

The Trustees of the Home for Aged and Orphans requested the appointment of A. B. Sites as Assistant Manager at the Home and, upon motion, the request was approved.

Report No. 1 of the Board of Lay Activities was presented and, upon motion, adopted.

Report No. 2 of the Board of Lay Activities was presented and, upon motion, adopted and referred to the Presiding Bishop for an interpretation of the question of law it involved.

The Time of the morning session was upon motion extended.

Report No. 1 of the Committee on Conference Relations was presented and adopted.

Requests for Appointments to Educational Institutions were presented by the Board of Education and were approved.

Conference united in singing and adjourned, with the Benediction by Bishop Denny, to meet Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

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### FIFTH DAY.

Monday, October 1, 1928.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment.

Bishop Denny in the Chair.

Conference united in singing Hymn No. 458:

"Jesus, Lover of my soul,  
Let me to thy bosom fly."

H. L. Hout led in prayer.

The Journal of Saturday was read and approved.

QUESTION EIGHTEEN of the General Minutes was called, viz., What traveling preachers and what local have been ordained deacons?

QUESTION TWENTY of the General Minutes was called, viz., What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained elders?

The Bishop presented the following certificate to the above named questions:

This certifies that I, Collins Denny, one of the Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, after a sermon preached by me in the City of Staunton, State of Virginia, in Central Methodist Episcopal Church, South, did ordain each of the following preachers to the office of Deacon in the Church of God, on Sunday morning, September the thirtieth, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-eight, each of them having been elected to that office by the Baltimore Annual Conference of the Church above mentioned, and each of them being presented for ordination to that office by H. M. Canter, an Elder, and also the Secretary of the Annual Conference mentioned above, namely: Emory Wilson Jordan, Floyd Montgomery Lucas, Edward Samuels Sheppe, Jr.—all three traveling preachers; and William Jennings Groah, Walter Delford Sheets, John Thomas Brown, Henry Wallace Craver, Herman Monroe Wilson, Allan Gillis, William Felix

Hodges, Julian Edward McDonald, Ira Sankey Hull and David Laing—all eleven local preachers.

In this service John A. Anderson, an Elder, read the Epistle.

Immediately after the ordination of the Deacons named above, and assisted in the laying on of hands by John A. Anderson named above, Rufus M. Wheeler, Hubert Sydenstricker, Charles D. Bulla, all Elders, I ordained each of these traveling preachers to the office of Elder in the Church of God, each one having been elected to that office by the Annual Conference named above, and each one being presented for ordination to that office by the Secretary named above, namely: Robert Orvel Hipes, Arthur Irvin Orndorff, Claude Byron Larrick, David Robert Cleckner, William Clews and Kemp Dudley Swecker.

In this service Edward Samuels Sheppe, Jr., the Deacon named above, read the Gospel.

Done in the City of Staunton, State of Virginia, this thirtieth day of September, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-eight.

COLLINS DENNY.

The Bishop presented the following Answer to the question of law in Report No. 2 of Board of Lay Activities:

While the question of law presented by the Board of Lay Activities comes from that Board alone, the accompanying documents and figures referred to in this concrete case cover the "Benevolences" collected in the Baltimore Conference.

The special items submitted in the case for my decision are "Printing Minutes," "Treasurer' Expenses," "Conference Secretary for Space in Minutes," "Premium on Treasurer's Bond," "Printing, Postage and Stationery." If the interests concerned derive benefit from these items and no special collections are taken in the Conference to meet these expenses, then the interests concerned must in equity bear their reasonable and proportionate part of the cost. It is but reasonable to suppose that the Commission on Budget includes these necessary expenses in the total amount assessed on the Church, consequently it is legal for the Conference Treasurer, "subject to the approval of the Conference" (par. 335), in dealing with the report of the Conference Commission on Budget, to pay these necessary expenses; a practice which conforms to long-established usage, and in the Baltimore Conference to the instruction in open Conference of Bishop Wilson.

COLLINS DENNY,

President of the Baltimore Annual  
Conference of the Methodist  
Episcopal Church, South.

Staunton, Virginia,  
September 29, 1928.



On motion, the Commission on Budget was instructed to add \$3,500 to the amount allowed in order to carry into effect Group Insurance for the Conference.

H. L. Hout, E. V. Regester, G. W. Richardson, W. W. Millan and H. M. Canter were on motion, named as the Committee on Group Insurance and instructed to carry same into effect.

Permission was granted the Commission on Budget to retire.

The Bishop called W. F. Locke to the Chair.

N. B. Harmon, Jr., Editor Baltimore Southern Methodist, addressed the Conference in the interests of the paper and the Conference, by rising vote, assured him of its appreciation, confidence and support.

Reports No. 2, No. 3 and No. 4 of the Board of Missions were presented, read and, upon motion, adopted.

The Report of the Treasurer of the Conference Board of Missions was presented, read and adopted. And, upon motion, permission was granted the Treasurer to print in the Minutes a supplementary Report.

The Report of the Conference Treasurer was presented, read and upon motion, adopted.

The Report of the Treasurer of the Board of Finance was presented, read and, upon motion, adopted.

Report No. 2 of Committee on Conference Relations was presented, read and, upon motion, adopted.

On motion, Mrs. W. H. Ballengee was elected a member of the Sunday School Board for the Rockingham District.

Report No. 2 of the Board of Education was presented and read.

Dr. H. P. Hamill addressed the conference on behalf of the Report and, upon motion, the Report was adopted.

The Report of the Committee on District Conference Records was presented, read and, upon motion, adopted.

The Report of the Commission on Budget was presented, read and, upon motion, adopted.

QUESTION SIX of the General Minutes was resumed.

Harry Stockton Myerly was called forward. The Bishop propounded to him the Disciplinary Questions, and having passed in examination before the Committee on Examination and having been recommended by the Committee on Admissions, he was, upon motion, received into full connection.

On motion, the Conference Treasurer was instructed to pay, out of the Conference Expense Fund, all expenses of the Committee on Group Insurance.

The following Reports were presented, read and, upon motion, adopted:

Report of the Hospital Board.

Report of the Bible Board.

Report of the Epworth League Board.

Report of the Treasurer of the Epworth League Board.

Report of the Board of Christian Literature.

Report of the Commission on Summer Assembly.  
 Report of the Board of Church Extension.  
 Report of the Treasurer of the Board of Church Extension.  
 Report No. 2 of the Board of Finance.  
 Report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance.  
 Report of the Special Committee on change of time for meeting of the Conference.

The following Resolution, signed by W. H. Best, Jno. C. Copenhagen and R. G. Mowbray, was presented and unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

We the members of the Baltimore Annual Conference assembled in Staunton for the holding of its 144th Session do hereby express our appreciation to those who have made our stay in this city so pleasant.

To Rev. C. M. Hesser and his official committee for the splendid arrangements made for our comfort and convenience.

To the members of our Church in this city and their friends for their gracious hospitality.

To the Press for accurate and full report of the proceedings of the conference.

To the Railroads and Bus Lines for courtesies and considerations in travel to and from the Conference.

To the Churches that have opened their houses of worship for the meeting of Boards and Committees.

QUESTIONS Twenty-four, Twenty-five, Twenty-six, Twenty-seven, Twenty-eight, Twenty-nine, Thirty, Thirty-one, Thirty-two, Thirty-three, Thirty-four, Thirty-five, Thirty-six, Thirty-seven, Thirty-eight, Thirty-nine, Forty, Forty-one and Forty-two were severally called and answered.

Nominations for the Committees for 1929, including a request that Bishop Denny preach the Opening Sermon, as a Jubilee Sermon, at the next annual session of the Conference, were presented and adopted.

A collection for the sexton was taken amounting to \$48.40.

QUESTION TWENTY-ONE of the General Minutes was resumed.

On motion the names of the preachers in each District were called, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

The Bishop announced the following changes in boundaries:

#### CHANGE IN BOUNDARIES AND NAMES.

##### Alexandria District—

Change name of Clarendon to TAYLOR AVENUE.

Change name of Arlington to COMMUNITY CHURCH.

Take Auburn from West Fauquier Charge and connect with Fauquier.

Take Sydenstricker from Occoquan and connect with East Fairfax.

Take Bethel from Occoquan and connect with Quantico.

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**Baltimore District—**

Change name of Central Caernarvon to CENTRAL.

Change name of Annapolis-Salem to ANNAPOLIS.

Change name of Hamilton-North Point to ST. JOHNS OF HAMILTON.

Change name of Andrew Chapel-Epworth to ANDREW CHAPEL.

Make Epworth a charge.

To Church Hill-Millington add CHESTERVILLE.

**Moorefield District—**

Change name of Frankfort to ALASKA.

Drop Green Spring, now on Gainsboro charge, as a preaching place; let Gainsboro Quarterly Conference take charge of the lot.

**Roanoke District—**

Drop El Bethel, now connected with Buchanan, as a preaching place; let Buchanan Quarterly Conference take charge of property.

**Rockingham District—**

Combine Page and Stanley-Marksville, and call new charge PAGE-STANLEY.

**Washington District—**

Take Emmanuel from Laurel and place with Savage.

Change name of Mt. Pleasant to FRANCIS ASBURY.

**Winchester District—**

Transfer to Woodstock Quarterly Conference, White Chapel, formerly on Riverton Charge.

Conference united in singing Hymn No. 398:

J. C. Thrasher led in prayer.

QUESTION FORTY-FIVE of the General Minutes was called, viz.,

**Where are the preachers stationed this year?**

The Bishop announced the appointments. (See Appointments.)

The Conference adjourned sine die, with singing the Doxology and with the Benediction by Bishop Denny.

# APPOINTMENTS.

1928-1929.

The Figures Refer to the Year of Appointment.

(Those whose names are in *italics* are supplies.)  
(The Roman Numerals indicate the Class.)

<b>Alexandria District.</b>		Central—R. C. Meeks	2
E. V. REGESTER, P. E.	2	Epworth— <i>W. C. Sponaugle</i>	2
Alexandria—W. S. Hammond	6	Frederick Ave.—J. M. York	4
Ballston-Lee Heights—		St. John's of Hamilton—	
E. S. Sheppe, Jr. (III)	3	L. S. Rudasill	2
Chesterbrook-Langley—		Trinity—J. H. Wells	2
A. H. Shumate (III)	3	Sudbrook—To be Supplied.	
Clarendon—		Wilkins Ave.—W. H. Best	3
Taylor Ave.—G. H. Fielding	4	Church Hill-Millington—	
Community Church—		A. VanDevander	2
<i>Chas. F. Linger.</i>		<i>E. D. Walraven, Jr.</i> Preacher	1
Del Ray—W. R. Hardesty	4	Easton—Wendell Allen	2
East Fairfax—J. C. Dugger	4	Freedom—W. E. Canoles	2
Fairfax—L. B. Atkins	2	Goldsboro—C. R. Curtis (III)	4
Falls Church—Homer Welch	3	Howard—A. O. Lyons	4
Fauquier—W. H. Marsh	1	Ingleside—C. W. Jordan (I)	1
Fredericksburg—C. L. DeLong	2	Jarrettsville—J. H. Schooley	3
Hamilton-Purcellville—		Mt. Airy—A. L. Harnesberger	2
O. L. Gochenour	1	Patuxent-Odenton—	
Herridon—S. V. Hildebrand	1	J. E. McDonald (II)	1
Hillsboro-Bluemont—		One to be Supplied.	
I. G. Michael	1	Perry Hall—A. L. Hunter, Jr.	1
Leesburg—W. M. Compton	1	Queen Anne—L. H. Richereck	1
Loudoun—J. W. Seay	1	Reisterstown—George W. Cobb	1
Manassas—George Hasel	2	Royal Oak-Tilghman—	
Marshall—Glenn J. Cooper	1	J. A. Rood	3
Middleburg—G. D. Kidner	1	Trappe— <i>F. T. Fairbank</i>	4
Nokesville— <i>J. M. Bell.</i>		Wesley Grove—C. I. Flory	4
Occoquan—H. H. Hoyt (III)	2	Editor, Baltimore Southern	
Quantico—Paul L. Warner	2	Methodist—N. B. Harmon, Jr.	
Remington—W. H. Gray (I)	5	Student, Johns Hopkins University—L. B. Bobbitt (Sudbrook Quarterly Conference).	
Stafford—Walter Smith	1	Student, Emory University—	
Sterling— <i>C. M. Wright</i>	4	James H. Brown, Jr. (III)	
Sudley—C. F. Phillipps (II)	2	(Wilkins Ave. Quarterly Conf.).	
Warrenton—D. M. Brown	3		
West Fauquier—C. B. Larrick	1		
<b>Baltimore District.</b>		<b>Lewisburg District.</b>	
T. J. LAMBERT, P. E.	2	G. W. RICHARDSON, P. E.	3
Aberdeen—C. E. Brandt	1	Alderson—B. W. John	1
Annapolis—D. L. Fringer	3	Alvon— <i>N. W. Russell</i>	2
Asbury-Pasadena—		Blue Sulphur—	
R. D. McNeer	2	W. F. Hodges (II)	2
Baltimore:		Callaghans—P. Eubank (III)	4
Alpheus Wilson Memorial—		Clifton Forge—John Paul Tyler	1
F. J. Prettyman	2	Covington:	
Andrew Chapel—		Epworth—R. A. Rice (IV)	1
R. L. Wittig	1	Granbery—D. A. Berry	1
Arlington—S. K. Cockrell	7	Durbin—L. S. Shires	2

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Frankford—R. D. Marshall	2
Greenbank—G. E. Pope	2
Greenville—	
E. G. Helmintoller (IV)	4
Hillsboro—E. T. Harrison (IV)	2
Hinton-Belle Point—	
H. L. Hout	5
B. F. Wright, Jr. Preacher	1
Hot Springs—F. L. Morrison	3
Huntersville—	
A. W. Hinton (II)	1
Levelton—A. C. Pugh	1
Lewisburg—T. M. Swann	2
Marlinton—S. R. Neel	4
Paint Bank—G. D. Kivacofc	1
Peterstown—	
W. M. Reynolds (IV)	2
Richlands—J. R. Corron (IV)	1
Riverview—James E. Hodges	1
Ronceverte—W. J. Whitesell	1
Selma—H. A. Wilson	1
Talcott—L. O. Rose	3
Union—G. R. Fringer	1
White Sulphur—G. G. Oliver	2
Williamsburg—	
W. J. Elliott (III)	2
Conf. Director, Superannuate	
Endowment—H. L. Hout.	

**Moorefield District.**

H. V. WHEELER, P. E.	4
Alaska—E. W. Dolan	2
Augusta—H. W. Craver (II)	1
Burlington—J. T. Brown (II)	2
Capon Bridge—J. C. Spindler	2
Cumberland:	
Central—Wade Johnson	3
Emmanuel—C. L. Beard	2
Trinity—J. W. Rosenberger	2
Elk Garden—To be Supplied.	
Flintstone—A. A. P. Neel	1
Franklin—W. A. Clark	1
Frostburg—	
F. L. Baker, Jr. (IV)	3
Gainsboro—Charles Wagner	2
Garrett—H. L. Stimmell	2
Hampshire—M. Thomason (II)	1
Hardy—B. T. Price	3
Highland—F. M. Lucas (III)	1
Keyser—J. A. Johnson	2
Listonburg—C. G. Russell	2
McDowell—W. W. Stevens, Jr.	3
Monterey—R. V. Whitehurst	1
Moorefield—C. W. Fink	2
Morgan—G. M. Bell (I)	1
Petersburg—J. D. Pope	2

Piedmont—W. G. Winton	1
Ridgeley—D. R. Cleckner	2
Romney—L. L. Lowance	3
South Fork—J. D. Saville	8
Springfield—C. H. Palmer	1
Wardensville—	
W. P. Good (IV)	2

**Roanoke District**

E. L. WOOLF, P. E.	4
Bethany—W. D. Eye	2
Blacksburg—E. W. Aaron	2
Buchanan—F. T. Ridgeway	1
Buena Vista—J. H. Haley	4
Cambria—C. J. Clark	4
Catawba—To be Supplied.	
Christiansburg—W. W. White	3
Eagle Rock—H. L. Hoffman	1
Elliston-Shawsville—	
M. P. Weikel	4
Fincastle—J. P. Atkins	2
Glen Wilton—T. Morgan (IV)	3
New Castle—	
W. P. Saunders (II)	1
Newport—W. O. Lutrell (IV)	2
Pembroke—Allan Gillis (II)	3
Roanoke:	
Belmont—H. P. Baker	2
Grace—John F. Owens (I)	1
Greene Memorial—	
W. F. Locke	2
G. O. Homan, Super-	
numerary.	
Huntington Court—	
F. M. Richardson	2
Melrose—W. E. Holley	2
Mt. Olivet—W. Lawson	1
Raleigh Court—	
G. G. Martin	2
T. A. Jordan, Super-	
numerary.	
South Roanoke—W. C. Early	1
Trinity—B. V. Switzer	3
West End—E. A. Lambert	1
Roanoke Circuit—	
E. B. Cook (III)	3
Rockbridge—A. I. Orndoff	2
Salem—J. R. Wood	1
Vinton—J. W. Leggett	5
Missionary to Belgium—	
William Thomas.	
Missionary to Japan—	
George L. Waters (II).	
Missionary to Japan—	
H. M. Waters (III).	

**Rockingham District.**

H. SYDENSTRICKER, P. E.	4
Bath—J. S. Schwartz (II)	1
Blue Ridge—A. W. Groscup	2
Bridgewater—E. A. Wilcher	2
Calvary—Fishersville— F. B. Wyand	2
Churchville—W. J. Groah (II)	2
Collierstown— H. B. Smith (III)	1
Elkton—E. A. Roades	1
Fairfield—D. N. Calvert	1
Goshen—E. W. Jordan	3
Greenville—N. C. Rice	1
Harrisonburg—J. H. Bean	1
Keczetown—McGaheysville— M. L. Fearnow	2
Lexington—J. Harry Smith	2
Luray—W. A. Lynch	2
Mt. Crawford—K. D. Swecker	2
Mt. Solon—J. B. Grimes	1
New Hope—H. L. Coffman	1
Page—Stanley— M. G. Lilly	1
G. H. H. Tyler, Super- numerary.	
Port Republic—R. C. Maxwell	1
Rockbridge Baths— B. L. Parrott	2
Shenandoah—W. H. Ballengee	2
Staunton: Central— C. M. Hesser	4
W. Delford Sheets (II), Junior Preacher	1
Marquis Memorial— L. H. Smallwood	3
Waynesboro: Basic—J. H. Pearson	4
Main Street—H. C. Marsh	1
Post Chaplain, Staunton Mill- itary Academy—W. S. Thomas.	

**Washington District.**

J. H. BALTHIS, P. E.	2
Beltsville—Branchville— H. L. Bivens	2
Bethesda—John Knox	1
Brentwood—E. H. Davis	3
Brunswick—C. A. York	4
Calvert—H. Q. Burr	2
Chesapeake—J. J. Ringer	1
Clarksburg—C. L. Reiter (IV)	1
Colesville—H. S. Myerly (III)	4
Frederick—W. C. Smith	1
Gaithersburg—Wm. Stevens	3
Goshen—Emory—L. Hammond	1

Hyattsville—D. L. Blakemore	1
LaPlata—C. H. Shaw	2
Laurel—G. R. Mays	4
Mt. Ranier—J. H. Billingsley	2
Poolesville—W. W. McIntyre	4
Potomac— P. C. Helmintoller, Jr. (I)	1
Prince George— S. J. L. DuLaney	1
Rockville—Frank A. Tyler	1
Savage—William Clews	6
Washington City: Calvary—E. C. Beery	3
Emory—D. L. Snyder	4
Epworth—J. C. Copenhagen	1
J. T. Myers, Missionary Pastor to Japan.	
Francis Asbury—J. J. Rives	1
Marvin—C. H. Cannon	2
Mt. Vernon Place— W. A. Lambeth	5
H. R. Deal, Jr. Preacher.	1
St. Paul—W. D. King	3
Superintendent, Home of Aged—H. M. Wilson (II).	
Asst. Manager, Home of Aged—A. B. Sites.	
Associate Sunday School Editor—C. D. Bulla.	
Conference Sunday School Superintendent—R. K. Nevitt.	

**Winchester District.**

H. M. CANTER, P. E.	4
Berkeley—C. M. LeFew (III)	2
Berryville—R. L. Eutsler	1
Brucetown—J. D. Russell	5
Charles Town—W. D. Keene	2
Edinburg—C. T. Collyer	1
Frederick—P. R. Diehl (II)	2
Front Royal—R. L. Fultz	1
Jefferson—C. E. Kirby	1
Linden—R. O. Hipes	2
Martinsburg—C. K. Ray	2
Middletown—J. B. Hupman	3
Mt. Jackson—A. B. Sapp	2
New Market—J. C. Hooks	2
Ridgeway—F. F. Neel	2
J. W. Beall, Supernumerary.	
Riverton—E. W. Brubaker	2
Shenandale—S. F. Fridley	3
Shenandoah Junct.—C. C. Bush	2
Shepherdstown—R. B. Claggett	2
Stephens City—O. D. Lambert	2
Strasburg—A. E. Owens	2
Toms Brook—G. K. Heydrick	2
Warren—S. C. Stickley	2
White Post—R. L. Moore (II)	1

Winchester—M. D. Mitchell 3  
 Woodstock—H. S. Coffey 2  
 Sec'y Gen'l Board of Educa-  
 tion—H. H. Sherman.

**Transferred.**  
 J. W. Rustin and J. L. Early, Jr.,  
 to the Virginia Conference.

**Supernumerary.**

Beall, John W.  
 Homan, German O.

Jordan, Turner A.  
 Tyler, German H. H.

**Superannuates.**

Anderson, James A.  
 Anderson, John A.  
 Barret, A. Lee  
 Beall, Oliver C.  
 Buchanan, C. Harry  
 Burgess, Oscar F.  
 Coe, Henry S.  
 Coe, W. P. Conway  
 Dorsey, William B.  
 Duffey, Jefferson W.  
 Gaither, George W.  
 Gover, William T.  
 Griffith, Frank T.  
 Hall, Norman N.  
 Hamill, Henry P.  
 Hammond, Fiske E.  
 Hawk, John C.  
 Hawley, James M.  
 Hedrick, James B.  
 Henderson, James L.  
 Henry, John B.  
 Keene, James S.  
 Kinzer, Hamilton W.

Kuhlman, John H.  
 Lloyd, Louis L.  
 Lowance, William F.  
 Mark, Charles W.  
 Miller, William E.  
 Mitchell, J. W.  
 Myerly, Harry L.  
 Potter, Charles L.  
 Roane, Hamilton M.  
 Sanders, William H.  
 Sarver, Charles M.  
 Shipley, J. Lester  
 Snead, Samuel R.  
 Stephens, Henry I.  
 Strickler, H. Monroe  
 Sutton, Charles B.  
 Talbert, Wallace O.  
 Thomas, John L.  
 Thrasher, John C.  
 Wheeler, Rufus M.  
 White, G. Dorsey.  
 Wilhite, John H.  
 Waters, B. W.

**Report of Conference Treasurer for Year—October 1st, 1927,  
to October 1st, 1928.**

**Receipts.**

Balances brought forward from last year:		
Conference Entertainment .....	\$6,151.62	
Conference Expense .....	1,221.95	
		<u>\$7,373.57</u>
Proceeds of Conference Work Assessment.....		75,480.00
Proceeds of General Work Assessment.....		50,486.00
H. M. Canter, Secretary—Minutes sold.....		350.00
Refund—Roanoke Entertainment Committee.....		2,442.09
Contributions to Golden Cross Society.....		366.00
Interest on Balances.....		534.74
Fractional Payments .....		8.18
		<u>\$137,040.58</u>

**Disbursements.**

General Work Assessment (See detail Statement).....	\$50,486.00	
Conference Work Assessment, as follows:		
Conference Missions .....	\$18,025.00	
Church Extension .....	4,876.00	
Conference Claimants (Board of Finance).....	26,946.00	
Education.....	7,065.00	
Baltimore Southern Methodist.....	6,552.00	
Sunday School Board.....	3,495.00	
Epworth League Board.....	732.00	
Board of Lay Activities.....	876.00	
Hospital Board .....	75.00	
		<u>68,642.00</u>
Conference Expense, as follows:		
King Bros.—Printing Minutes, 1926-27.....	\$965.24	
Treasurer's Expense .....	600.00	
Printing, Postage and Stationery.....	42.00	
H. M. Canter, Secretary—Space in Minutes...	14.00	
		<u>1,621.24</u>
General Hospital Board—Contributions received for Golden Cross Society .....		366.00
Conference Entertainment—Staunton Entertainment Com- mittee.....		6,000.00
Balances Forward:		
Conference Entertainment Fund.....	\$8,797.45	
Conference Expense Fund.....	1,127.89	
		<u>9,925.34</u>
		<u>\$137,040.58</u>

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. HOUCK, Treasurer,

October 1st, 1928.

Baltimore Conference.



Distribution of Amounts Received on Assessments for Conference  
Year, October 1st, 1927, to October 1st, 1928.

CONFERENCE WORK.

Board of Missions.....	\$18,025.00
Church Extension .....	4,876.00
Education.....	7,065.00
Conference Claimants (Board of Finance).....	26,946.00
Conference Entertainment .....	5,819.00
Conference Expense .....	1,019.00
Baltimore Southern Methodist.....	6,552.00
Sunday School Board.....	3,945.00
Epworth League Board.....	752.00
Board of Lay Activities.....	876.00
Hospitals.....	75.00
	\$75,480.00

GENERAL WORK.

Missions—Home and Foreign.....	\$18,962.00
Negro Work .....	1,422.00
Church Extension .....	4,338.00
Education.....	3,058.00
Theological Schools .....	1,896.00
Board of Finance.....	4,527.00
Epworth Leagues .....	1,114.00
Sunday Schools .....	4,527.00
Bishop's Fund .....	5,333.00
American Bible Society.....	1,185.00
General Conference Expense.....	948.00
Temperance and Social Service.....	569.00
Federal Council .....	237.00
Lay Activities .....	1,185.00
Hospitals.....	1,185.00
	\$50,486.00

Table Showing Amounts Paid by Districts on Conference and General Work Assessments for Year, October 1st, 1927, to October 1st, 1928.

District.	Conference Work.		General Work.	
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
Alexandria. . . . .	\$12,449.00	\$8,171.00	\$8,478.00	\$5,441.00
Baltimore, , , , . . . . .	11,111.00	9,154.00	7,566.00	5,897.00
Lewisburg. . . . .	13,144.00	7,167.00	8,951.00	4,642.00
Moorefield. . . . .	10,515.00	5,999.00	7,161.00	4,271.00
Roanoke. . . . .	16,566.00	13,646.00	11,280.00	8,938.00
Rockingham. . . . .	11,809.00	9,063.00	8,041.00	6,186.00
Washington. . . . .	15,163.00	12,804.00	10,327.00	8,649.00
Winchester. . . . .	12,893.00	9,476.00	8,780.00	6,462.00
	<u>\$103,650.00</u>	<u>\$75,480.00</u>	<u>\$70,584.00</u>	<u>\$50,486.00</u>

Percentage of Receipts on Conference Work Assessment. . . . . 72.82%

Percentage of Receipts on General Work Assessments. . . . . 71.52%

Distribution of Assessments for Conference Year, 1928-1929.

District.	Conference Work.	General Work.
Alexandria. . . . .	\$14,148.00	\$8,484.00
Baltimore. . . . .	12,454.00	7,469.00
Lewisburg. . . . .	14,544.00	8,722.00
Moorefield. . . . .	11,841.00	7,101.00
Roanoke. . . . .	18,913.00	11,343.00
Rockingham. . . . .	13,759.00	8,251.00
Washington. . . . .	17,661.00	10,591.00
Winchester. . . . .	14,380.00	8,623.00
	<u>\$117,700.00</u>	<u>\$70,584.00</u>

**Board of Finance for Year—October 1st, 1927 to October 1st,  
1928.**

**TREASURER'S REPORT.**

**Receipts.**

Balances forward from last year:		
Emergency Fund .....	\$9,500.00	
General Fund .....	407.02	
		<u>\$9,997.02</u>
From Conference Claimants Assessment.....		26,946.00
From Corporate Board of Finance.....		3,000.00
From Publishing House—Dividend.....		2,940.00
From Interest on Endowment Fund, from April 1st, 1927, to April 1st, 1928.....		3,601.35
From Interest on Balances.....		120.00
		<u>\$46,604.37</u>

**Disbursements.**

Paid Superannuates, Widows and Orphans.....		\$36,855.00
Paid Expenses, as follows:		
H. M. Canter—Sec'y.—Space in Minutes.....	\$14.00	
C. M. Hesser—Printing Account.....	4.75	
Printing, Postage and Stationery for Treasurer's Office.....	29.00	
		<u>47.75</u>
Paid taxes, etc., on LeFew Property.....		100.00
Balances:		
Emergency Fund .....	\$9,500.00	
General Fund .....	101.62	
		<u>9,601.62</u>
		<u>\$46,604.37</u>

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. HOUCK, Treasurer,

October 1st, 1928.

Board of Finance.

## Payments to Claimants on Superannuate Fund—1928.

## Superannuates.

	Years.	Gen. B.	Conf.	Total.
Anderson, J. M.....	18	\$50.22	\$500.00	\$550.22
Anderson, John A.....	39	108.81	550.00	658.81
Barrett, A. Lee.....	38	106.02	500.00	606.02
Beall, O. C.....	43	119.97	550.00	669.97
Brown, H. A. (Estate).....	42	58.59	330.00	388.59
Buchanan, C. H.....	38	117.18	500.00	617.18
Burgess, O. F.....	36	100.44	500.00	600.44
Coe, H. S.....	36	100.44	500.00	600.44
Coe, W. P. C.....	35	97.65	100.00	197.65
Duffey, Jefferson W.....	51	142.29	550.00	692.29
Dorsey, W. B.....	52	145.08	550.00	695.08
Eutsler, D. F.....	44	92.07	425.00	517.07
Gaither, G. W.....	26	72.54	500.00	572.54
Gover, W. T.....	35	97.65	550.00	647.65
Griffith, F. T.....	24	66.96	425.00	491.96
Hall, N. N.....	22	61.38	425.00	486.38
Hamill, Henry P.....	50	142.29	550.00	692.29
Hammond, F. E.....	27	75.33	550.00	625.33
Hawk, John C.....	34	94.86	550.00	644.86
Hawley, J. M.....	26	72.54	425.00	497.54
Hedrick, James B.....	12	33.48	300.00	333.48
Henderson, J. L.....	33	92.07	550.00	642.07
Henry, J. B.....	23	64.17	500.00	564.17
Keene, J. S.....	9	25.11	500.00	525.11
Kinzer, H. W.....	19	53.01	250.00	303.01
Kuhlman, J. H.....	31	86.49	275.00	361.49
Lloyd, L. L.....	55	153.45	550.00	703.45
Mark, C. W.....	43	119.97	550.00	669.97
Miller, W. E.....	42	117.18	550.00	667.18
Mitchell, J. W.....	42	117.18	350.00	467.18
Myerly, H. L.....	32	89.28	550.00	639.28
Potter, C. L.....	31	86.49	550.00	636.49
Reiter, Charles L. (Off.)....	4	11.16	250.00	261.16
Richardson, F. M. (Off.)....	20	55.80	550.00	605.80
Roane, H. M.....	25	69.75	550.00	619.75
Sanders, W. H.....	44	122.76	550.00	672.76
Shipley, J. Lester.....	42	117.18	.....	117.18
Snead, S. R.....	11	39.06	500.00	539.06
Stephens, H. I.....	42	117.18	550.00	667.18
Strickler, H. M.....	45	125.55	550.00	675.55
Sutton, C. B.....	36	100.44	550.00	650.44
Talbert, W. O.....	30	83.70	550.00	633.70



## Superannuates (Continued).

	Years.	Gen. B.	Conf.	Total.
Waters, B. W.....	46	128.34	550.00	678.34
Wheeler, R. M.....	50	139.50	550.00	689.50
White, G. Dorsey.....	42	117.18	550.00	667.18
Willhite, J. H.....	34	94.86	400.00	494.86
Thomas, J. L.....	..	.....	225.00	225.00
Total.....		\$4,282.66	\$21,880.00	\$26,162.00

## Widows.

	Years.	Gen. B.	Conf.	Total.
Andrew, Mrs. J. R.....	40	\$74.40	\$250.00	\$324.40
Armstrong, Mrs. A. O.....	21	39.06	275.00	314.06
Baggs, Mrs. C. L.....	21	37.20	275.00	312.20
Bishop, Mrs. H. D.....	25	46.50	275.00	321.50
Burch, Mrs. T. A.....	14	26.04	275.00	301.04
Burruss, Mrs. H. W.....	7	13.02	275.00	288.02
Bush, Mrs. David.....	49	91.14	275.00	366.14
Butt, Mrs. Leonidas.....	40	74.40	250.00	324.40
Collins, Mrs. G. T. D.....	44	81.84	275.00	356.84
Cooper, Mrs. Thomas.....	38	70.68	275.00	345.68
Cox, Mrs. S. K.....	16	29.76	225.00	254.76
Cunningham, Mrs. R. S. (Estate).....	11	20.46	250.00	270.46
Crickenberger, Mrs. J. J.....	30	55.80	275.00	330.80
Davidson, Mrs. J. H.....	4	7.44	200.00	207.44
Echols, Mrs. George H.....	31	57.66	275.00	332.66
Elmore, Mrs. M. D.....	12	22.32	200.00	222.32
Fox, Mrs. F.....	16	29.76	275.00	304.76
Gaines, Mrs. F. A.....	13	24.18	100.00	124.18
Gardner, Mrs. J. S.....	12	22.32	200.00	222.32
Gilbert, Mrs. J. K.....	37	68.82	250.00	318.82
Green, Mrs. L. R.....	7	13.02	275.00	288.02
Green, Mrs. S. H.....	4	7.44	275.00	282.44
Grubb, Mrs. J. W.....	32	59.52	200.00	259.52
Haddaway, Mrs. S. W. (Estate)	18	33.48	150.00	183.48
Hammond, Mrs. Wesley.....	8	14.88	275.00	289.88
Henry, Mrs. E. H. (Estate)...	32	59.52	250.00	309.52
Henry, Mrs. W. E.....	2	3.72	200.00	203.72
Jenkins, Mrs. Frank.....	8	14.88	250.00	264.88
Jones, Mrs. J. C.....	2	3.72	140.00	143.72
Kennard, Mrs. C. L.....	21	39.06	150.00	189.06
Kern, Mrs. David H.....	25	46.50	275.00	321.50
Kibler, Mrs. J. L.....	35	65.10	250.00	315.10
Knox, Mrs. Absalom.....	18	33.48	275.00	308.48
LeFew, Mrs. C. B.....	12	22.32	275.00	297.32
Light, Mrs. J. H.....	36	66.96	275.00	341.96

## Widows (Continued).

	Years.	Gen. B.	Conf.	Total.
Long, Mrs. M. M.....	7	13.02	100.00	113.02
Lusby, Mrs. O. W.....	24	44.64	275.00	319.64
Markwood, Mrs. Luke R.....	42	78.12	275.00	353.12
Maxwell, Mrs. J. T.....	25	46.50	250.00	296.50
Meville, Mrs. Wm.....	21	39.06	250.00	289.06
Miller, Mrs. L. C.....	11	20.46	275.00	295.46
Nevitt, Mrs. T. G.....	30	55.80	275.00	330.80
Parker, Mrs. S. A.....	27	50.22	250.00	300.22
Pitzer, Mrs. H. C.....	3	5.58	140.00	145.58
Ryder, Mrs. Isaac.....	23	42.78	250.00	292.78
Smith, Mrs. W. L.....	24	44.64	275.00	319.64
Smithson, Mrs. Rumsey.....	39	72.54	275.00	347.54
Strother, Mrs. Frank A.....	25	46.50	275.00	321.50
Stump, Mrs. C. W.....	17	31.62	250.00	281.62
Stump, Mrs. J. P.....	2	3.72	250.00	253.72
Sydenstricker, Mrs. C.....	36	66.96	275.00	341.96
Tackett, Mrs. J. O.....	6	11.16	150.00	161.16
Townsend, Mrs. S. (Estate).	9	16.74	120.00	136.74
Tyler, Mrs. G. T.....	45	83.70	200.00	283.70
Vandiver, Mrs. E. G.....	6	11.16	200.00	211.16
Waugh, Miss Carrie.....	..	.....	550.00	550.00
Wheeler, Mrs. Vincent.....	21	39.06	275.00	314.06
Wolff, Mrs. James H.....	28	52.08	275.00	327.08
Woolf, Mrs. W. H.....	29	53.94	275.00	328.94
Total.....		\$2,306.40	\$14,450.00	\$16,756.40

## Orphans.

	Years.	Conference.
Echols, Charles Denny.....	10	\$75.00
Echols, Ellen Marie.....	7	75.00
Echols, Marvin W.....	15	75.00
Echols, Minnie Ruth.....	12	75.00
Echols, Warren Candler.....	4	75.00
Ellmore, Emory S.....	13	75.00
Lusby, Lillian.....	16	75.00

\$525.00

	General Board.	Conference Board.
Total amount paid Superannuates.....	\$4,282.66	\$21,880.00
Total amount paid Widows.....	2,306.40	14,450.00
Total amount paid Orphans.....	.....	525.00
	\$6,589.06	\$36,855.00

**REPORT NUMBER 1—BOARD OF FINANCE.**

There has appeared before your Board of Finance a number of gentlemen representing Insurance Companies placing before your Board the subject of group insurance for the ministers of our Conference. Your Board would report to you that it will be possible for this Conference to carry group insurance on the preachers of the Conference at the approximate cost of \$2,400 per year, to be provided for by the Conference with an assessment and at the cost of 60 cents per month per thousand to be paid by the policy holder—this 60 cents to be collected by the Conference Treasurer or special appointed Treasurer and by him paid to the insurance company; provided that there be at least 75 per cent. of the active preachers take a policy for from \$500 to \$4,000. If the Conference is desirous, these representatives will be glad to explain the plan to your body, and your Board of Finance will govern themselves in accordance to your action in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

CLAUDE M. HESSER,  
Chairman.

JAMES A. JOHNSON,  
Secretary.

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**REPORT NUMBER 2—BOARD OF FINANCE.**

Your Conference Board of Finance has received with much interest the report of the General Secretary, Dr. Luther E. Todd, giving a note of encouragement in the work of the year in special effort for the Superannuate Endowment Fund, and also the interesting report made to our Board by our Conference Director, Rev. H. L. Hout, which indicates that our Conference occupies a position very near the top of our Conferences in percentage of payment and gratifying in results of his efforts. A large number of our stations have paid their quotas in full or will in the year 1928-1929. Not a few of our circuits have done well and a few have paid their quota in full. At the request of the General Board of Finance, we request Bishop Collins Denny to appoint Rev. H. L. Hout Conference Director for the ensuing year in connection with his regular work, and that as a Conference, we pledge our earnest cooperation in their efforts to complete this most important task and request our Presiding Elders to give the representatives of this effort an opportunity at the District Conferences to present this cause. We would urge our preachers and members of our Quarterly Conferences to note their standing in

Table No. IV in Conference Minutes and early in the year plan to meet their quotas in full.

Your Board would urge our pastors to carry out the provisions of the resolution passed by the Conference asking that fifty per cent. of Conference Benevolences be raised by the time of the meeting of District Conference, and forward the same promptly to our Conference Treasurer as it will mean success in our Board carrying out your direction in paying our Claimants.

Respectfully submitted,

CLAUDE M. HESSER,  
President.

JAMES A. JOHNSON,  
Secretary.

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#### REPORT NUMBER 1—BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We recommend to the Bishop the following appointments:

H. H. Sherman as Secretary General Board of Education; Walter S. Thomas as Post Chaplain, Staunton Military Academy; L. B. Bobbitt as student, Johns Hopkins University; J. H. Brown, student, Emory University.

We also recommend H. P. Hammill, J. H. Balthis and G. H. Fielding as a Committee on Ministerial Supply and Training.

A. R. DUDDERAR,  
Secretary.

G. H. FIELDING,  
Chairman.

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#### REPORT NUMBER 2—BOARD OF EDUCATION.

##### The Randolph-Macon System.

The Randolph-Macon System continues its marked progress as shown by the following facts: The number of students in attendance at the schools of the Randolph-Macon System is 1,792, which is an increase over the enrollment of last year of 59 students.

The number of students now attending the Woman's College from the Baltimore Conference is 76. There are 41 from the Baltimore Conference at the Randolph-Macon College. The Academy at Front Royal, Va., has 72, and the Academy at Bedford, Va., has 19 from this Conference.



The value of the property of the Randolph-Macon System is \$5,282,348.00. This includes the Woman's College at Lynchburg, Va., the Randolph-Macon College at Ashland, Va., the Academy at Front Royal, Va., the Academy at Bedford, Va., and the Randolph-Macon School for Girls at Danville, Va.

There are 15 ministerial students from the Baltimore Conference at Randolph-Macon College, and 4 at the Academy at Front Royal, Va.

The beautiful and modernly equipped building at Front Royal, Va., is recognized as one of the best arranged buildings of its kind to be found anywhere in this section of the country. Owing to the loss sustained by the fire, and the very high cost of material and labor, this building is now burdened by a tremendous debt of \$210,000.00

We wish to go on record as expressing our appreciation to Prof. Charles L. Melton, Mr. Frank Chalmers and the entire faculty for their untiring services in the present situation.

We recommend that all of our people give their co-operation in giving patronage to the schools of the System and in helping to lift the indebtedness from the Academy at Front Royal, Va.

**The Christian Education Movement.**

Pledges in the bounds of the Baltimore Conference in 1921	\$393,411.00
Amount paid on these pledges to date.....	277,768.00
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Amount unpaid on these pledges to date.....	\$115,643.00
Any amounts paid on these undirected pledges will be applied on the debt on the Academy at Front Royal.	

**Ministerial Supply and Training.**

Balance on hand September 28, 1927.....	\$2,890.68
Received from all sources.....	5,045.26
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Total.....	\$7,935.94

**Disbursements.**

Randolph-Macon College .....	\$2,783.00
Loans to students.....	500.00
Donations to students.....	1,475.00
Expended for Pastors' School.....	300.00
Expenses of the Board.....	129.86
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Total expenditures .....	\$5,187.86
Balance on hand.....	\$2,748.08

**Education Day.**

We recommend that, in accordance with the **Discipline**, the second Sunday in June, or as near thereto as practicable, be set aside as Christian Education Day. Suggestive literature may be secured at the Board's headquarters, Nashville, Tennessee.

**Conferences.**

We endorse the delegated Missionary Conferences at Memphis on January 1, 2, and 3, 1929, also the conferences on Religious Education at Junaluska, July 17 to 21, 1929.

**Student Work in State Institutions.**

We recommend that application be made to the General Conference Board of Education for an appropriation of not less than \$300.00 for student work at Lexington and \$300.00 for student work at Blacksburg. We ask for the continuance of the assessment of \$700.00 on the Conference for the establishment of a chair of Religious Education in the Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Blacksburg, under the agreement of a year ago.

**School for Pastors and Christian Workers.**

The Summer School for Pastors and Christian Workers held at Front Royal last summer under the support of the several Conference Boards is heartily approved for the coming summer, the details of which will be made by the Board of Directors duly elected for the purpose.

**Requirements for Admission on Trial.**

The Board is glad to record the growing tendency to keep the educational requirements up to the standard of at least two years of work in a standard college for those admitted on trial in the Conference.

**The Francis Asbury School.**

We are glad to report progress on the proposed Francis Asbury School and trust that the new Board of Trustees will be in a position to consummate some plans in the near future.

**Assessments Recommended.**

We recommend the following assessments for education for the year 1928-1929:

Randolph-Macon College .....	\$6,500.00
Ministerial Supply, training.....	2,200.00
Expenses of Board.....	200.00
Chair of Religious Education at V. P. I.....	700.00
For Academy at Front Royal.....	8,500.00
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Total.....	\$18,100.00

Respectfully submitted,

A. R. DUDDERAR,  
Secretary.

G. H. FIELDING,  
Chairman.

**REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON SUMMER ASSEMBLY.**

Your Commission on Summer Assembly believe that the need for a place for the meeting of the various organizations of the church for study, recreation and inspiration, during the summer season, is growing with each succeeding year; but owing to certain conditions, we are unable to report much progress this year.

The Commission and the Francis Asbury School have planned to work together with a view to using the same property for both purposes, therefore, the progress of the one determines the report of the other.

We believe that with this growing need for such a place for assembly, we ask the continuance of the Commission for another year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE N. CONRAD, Chairman.  
CHAS. L. DeLONG, Secretary.

**REPORT OF BOARD OF CHRISTIAN LITERATURE.**

The printed page will ever fill a place in human need which the spoken word though delivered by a matchless orator cannot usurp. Most people will read something.

If the character of publications displayed on our news stands is a good cross section of the tastes of the reading public, it is the churches' duty to produce and circulate an attractive, virile worth while Christian literature.

Your Board is very much gratified to observe that our Publishing House is doing a worthy part to fill this need, and while to make money is not the chief object of the House, yet it is a pleasure to note that in its several branches its sales during the past year have reached nearly the two million dollar mark, with a net profit of above six per cent., which is twelve thousand dollars better than last year, and out of this profit \$75,000 has been appropriated for Conference Claimants. In view of this and for other obvious reasons we earnestly hope that all our people will patronize our own Publishing House. We believe that for our purpose our own literature is the best published in the land. We commend all our general publications to our people.

It is with profound sorrow that we have heard of the death of our brother, C. D. Harris. We remember his untiring efforts in behalf of the paper.

Your Board wishes to express its gratification at the selection of our brother, N. B. Harmon, Jr., as editor and we pledge to him our unanimous loyal support in every movement to stimulate interest in the paper.

We are pleased to report that our publishing house has established a Department of Tracts for the purpose of supplying our people with tracts on the Doctrines of Methodism, History and policy of our Church, Evangelistic work, and Christian Stewardship. This literature may be had upon the request of our preachers, and by laymen endorsed by their pastor, absolutely free.

WM. STEVENS, President.

JESSE W. RICHARDS, Secretary.

#### REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

The Board had the most perplexing problem this year it has had for many years in distributing aid to its applicants. There was a total of \$18,900 asked for, as donations, and for disposal the Board had \$5,800. The Board attempted to administer this sacred trust after earnest prayer and exhaustive deliberation. The Board was impressed with the fact that the large proportion of requests came from churches that had a long standing building debt, which indicated that they had built far beyond their resources and were thus heavily burdened, in some cases almost to the breaking point. We would admonish our preachers and congregations to adhere more closely to the disciplinary requirements before building and thus save themselves from embarrassing and discouraging experience.

We would advise that no building enterprise be executed until the Architecture Department of the General Board had been consulted and plans had been endorsed by them. Many mistakes would be obviated, many dollars saved, and much greater satisfaction obtained



in the erection of our buildings. The average architect is not acquainted with the needs of a modern church building, so we urge our people to submit their plans to our General Board for their approval and get the fullest value for the money invested.

The Secretary of our General Board, Dr. T. D. Ellis, writes in his letter to the Conference Board:

"I sincerely trust that your Board will discourage and if necessary, refuse to approve applications from immature enterprises. Church Extension money can be made available only when the enterprise may be brought to completion free of debt, except what may be due the Board of Church Extension as a loan. It is a mistake to rush applications on to the General Board before the building is in course of erection and sufficient money raised to complete it with the aid which the General Board may be able to render."

Those who are building would be saved many disappointments and misunderstandings in their dealings with the General Board if they would heed this admonition.

(Signed) JOHN C. COPENHAVER, President.  
A. W. MEARS, Secretary.

**Appropriations.**

Alexandria District—	
Bethany, Purcellville, Va.....	\$500.00
Baltimore District—	
Andrew Chapel, Baltimore.....	500.00
Lewisburg District—	
Epworth, Covington, Va.....	300.00
Moorefield District—	
Calvary, Ridgely, W. Va.....	500.00
Roanoke District—	
Trinity, Buchanan, Va.....	250.00
South Roanoke, Va.....	500.00
Rockingham District—	
Trinity, Lexington, Va.....	750.00
Basic, Waynesboro, Va.....	500.00
Fields, Shenandoah, Va.....	500.00
Washington District—	
Francis Asbury, Washington.....	1,000.00
Mount Rainier, Md.....	500.00
	\$5,800.00

ADELBERT W. MEARS, Treasurer,  
117 Commerce St., Baltimore, Md.

**REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.****Literature.**

This is the day of the printed page. Our church has provided a thoroughly intellectual and a deeply spiritual Christian literature, and a literature that is soundly pedagogical as well. We call special attention to the **Elementary Teacher**. This periodical has been changed from a quarterly carrying only Group Lessons material to a beautiful and attractive monthly carrying helps for elementary teachers of all types. It has received from our elementary workers an enthusiastic welcome and its circulation is steadily growing. Another very important publication is the **Workers' Council**. It is the only publication issued under the joint auspices of the General Sunday School Board and the Book Committee that furnishes practical discussions of educational principles and methods for workers of all kinds, and that illustrates these discussions with reports of what is actually being done in the various sections of our field. We urge upon our people the use of our own denominational literature.

**Leadership Training.**

Our Board through its efficient field workers has been unsparing in its efforts to provide our Conference with a consecrated and trained leadership. Standard Training Schools and Cokesbury Classes have been held throughout our territory, issuing 1808 credits. We beg our pastors for increased cooperation in this particular, attending themselves upon the Schools, and working to get their superintendents and teachers enrolled.

**School for Pastors and Christian Workers.**

The Sunday School Board, in cooperation with the Conference Board of Education, the Board of Missions, the Board of Lay Activities, and the Epworth League Board held last June at the Randolph-Macon Academy Building in Front Royal, Virginia, a successful and most encouraging School for Pastors and Christian Workers. We had an enrollment of 214, including 80 pastors and 6 presiding elders. We heartily commend this School to the attention of our people and invite their interest and participation in the School for 1929.

**District Organizations.**

Our Board seeks to carry on much of its work through our District Organizations, and it is our policy to return to each District 20% of the Sunday School Day offering for work within the District. It is

our earnest desire that the several District officers will see to it that our important Sunday School work is adequately presented and administered within the bounds of their respective fields.

### **Sunday School Day.**

The great task of carrying on the program of Christian education within our Conference depends in large measure for its financial support upon the contributions made by each individual school on Sunday School Day. This day carries great educational value to our people in setting forth the aims of our work and in giving the people opportunity for participation in the purposes. We realized last year from Sunday School Day offerings approximately \$3,900.00. Our goal is the observance of this day with an offering in each school in the Conference.

### **Programs of Work.**

Only by having a Program of Work can each school check up upon itself and determine relative progress. We ask that each school provide itself with this Program and to test itself constantly by the goals held up therein.

### **Home for the Aged and Orphans.**

Our Sunday Schools have accepted responsibility for the dining room of the Home for the Aged and Orphans at Gaithersburg, at a cost of \$20,000. This part of the building will be a Sunday School Memorial. We ask, therefore, that each of our schools take a liberal offering in the Christmas season and send the same to Mr. W. F. Hummer, Treasurer, Gaithersburg, Maryland.

### **State Work.**

While we subscribe to the general principle of interdenominational co-operation we believe that such co-operation should originate in each local situation and should be promoted by the regularly constituted denominational agents. After due consideration at the hands of committees appointed by each participating Conference of our Church we deem it wise not to accept officially membership in the Virginia State Council of Religious Education as at present constituted, or its affiliated county and community councils, but that we declare our willingness to co-operate with the Council through our employed staff and volunteer workers in such phases of their program as seems practicable, without in any way interfering with the prosecution of our denominational program or involving our Sunday Schools in financial obligations.

### Missionary Offering.

As our Church law provides that the monthly missionary offering in the Sunday School shall be applied as a special for missions as the Workers' Council may determine, with which law we are in full accord, and as a large majority of the Sunday Schools of the Baltimore Conference have been applying their monthly missionary offering to the Conference assessments and could not immediately be relieved entirely of this responsibility without a material shortage in these assessments, we recommend that all Sunday Schools thus applying their missionary offering in whole or in part, be urged to apply at least a part of this offering to the Sunday School missionary special. Beginning with January, 1929, the Sunday Schools throughout the connection assume entire support of our missionary work in China.

### Our Employed Staff.

We hereby record our hearty endorsement and deep appreciation of the efficient and consecrated work of our Conference Superintendent, Rev. R. K. Nevitt, and of Miss Etta Mai Russell, Conference Elementary Superintendent. The Board has voted to continue the valued services of Miss Russell, and we hereby respectfully request Bishop Collins Denny to appoint Rev. R. K. Nevitt as Conference Superintendent of Sunday School work. We respectfully request Bishop Collins Denny also to appoint Rev. C. D. Bulla, D.D., Associate Sunday School Editor.

### Objectives for 1928-29.

1. That Childhood and Youth Week be observed in at least 25% of the schools of the Conference.
2. That a minimum of 30% of the officers and teachers of the Conference take at least one unit of credit in Leadership Training during the year.
3. That the District Standard of Efficiency as adopted by the Conference Council be the goal of each District.
4. That we aim at a 10% increase in our membership.
5. The co-operation of all the schools in the Conference in the Board's plan of District Organization.

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. WALTON, Chairman.  
D. M. BROWN, Secretary.



**SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD TREASURER'S REPORT.****Income.**

Balance from 1926-27.....	\$1,623.58
Note.....	2,000.00
Administering European Special (5%).....	341.72
Wesley Bible Classes (50%).....	48.25
Sunday School Day Offerings.....	3,805.49
Conference Assessment (6 months).....	1,898.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$9,717.04</b>

**Disbursements.**

Salaries.....	\$4,800.00
Travel.....	839.67
Clerical Help.....	800.00
Office and Phone.....	520.02
Printing and Supplies.....	388.55
Postage.....	135.70
Interest on loan.....	120.00
Conference School.....	381.40
Council—Executive Meetings.....	164.48
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	\$8,149.82
Balance in Bank.....	1,567.22
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	\$9,717.04

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN BRAYSHAW, Treasurer.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD MISSIONARY TREASURER'S REPORT.****Income.**

Brought forward 1926-27.....	\$1,733.72
Received from schools.....	7,195.72
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	\$8,929.44

**Disbursements.**

To Missionary Treasury, General Sunday School Board.....	\$7,105.83
To Treasurer, General Sunday School Board (for Administering).....	112.05
To Treasury, Conference Sunday School Board (5% for Administering).....	341.72
Reserve for extension.....	1,008.60
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	\$8,568.20
Balance in Bank.....	361.24
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	\$8,929.44

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN BRAYSHAW, Treasurer.

**REPORT OF EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.**

Your Board has given careful attention to the work of the Epworth League, both within the bounds of the Baltimore Conference and throughout the church, and is happy to report there are evidences of vitality and progress in this department of the church's activity. Though the degree of progress cannot be adequately expressed in mere figures, yet a few of the outstanding facts may be of interest.

Our records show an increase of 6 Senior Chapters, 7 Epworth-Hi Chapters and 6 Junior Chapters in the Baltimore Conference for the past year. For the same period of time it shows an increase of 251 in membership.

Six years ago the Leaguers of the Conference started a campaign to raise \$25,000 in ten years for the erection of Epworth Hall. At the end of six years they had already raised, in cash money, the sum of \$27,500, and have good prospects for raising more than \$5,000 this next Conference year. We feel this has been no small undertaking and it shows the energy, loyalty and devotion of our young people.

We wish to call special attention to the theme of the Epworth League Program for the present year—"Adventures in Christian Living." This is the practical application of the principles of Jesus in everyday life about us. The League has set itself to the accomplishment of its motto—the social order must be Christianized.

Then we would call attention to Recreation Week. The entire Southern Methodism is urged to observe this week, April 14-20.

Lastly, we call your attention to the so-called "Young People's Revival." This is one of the most recent developments in the Epworth League. It is an effort to enlist our Leaguers once a year in a campaign of personal evangelism in behalf of their friends and associates who are not christians, however, in no way is it expected to take the place of the regular revival conducted by the pastor. For his part, we believe, the pastor will do well to encourage his Leaguers to undertake such a campaign, and will lend them such assistance as he can give. We trust our pastors and Epworth Leaguers may co-operate to such good purposes that many of our young people may be brought to a fuller realization of Jesus as their Saviour and Lord.

Respectfully submitted,

E. C. BEERY, President.

R. B. CLAGETT, Secretary

**REPORT OF TREASURER OF EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.****Receipts.**

1927—Oct. 5—Cash, balance on hand.....	\$299.18
Received on Assessments (6 months).....	422.00
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Total.....	\$721.18

**Disbursements.**

Conference Epworth League Board.....	\$300.00
School for Pastors and Christian Workers.....	100.00
Expenses of Board.....	115.73
Balance, cash on hand.....	205.45
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Total.....	\$721.18

R. B. CLAGETT, Treasurer.

**REPORT OF BIBLE BOARD.**

As in all past ages of the Church, the Holy Bible today is to be recognized as the revealed word of God. It is to be given and is to retain the place of pre-eminence among the world's literature. It is to be received and believed in as the all-sufficient—the only-sufficient rule of faith and practice; the record of the divine purposes for God's people in all generations, and the indicator of the power of God unto salvation to all who will believe.

The Bible Board reiterates the statement upon which the Church of Christ stands, relative to the Bible, as being its own foundation; further, it accepts the Bible as being the very word and will of God and recognizes the divinity of its authorship throughout through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, its infallibility as the guide to personal soul salvation and entire sanctification of life and conduct.

Your Board recommends to this Annual Conference that continued and augmented emphasis be given by all our preachers to these facts; that all our sermons be constructed upon the bases of Bible texts; that the use of the sacred Volume in our Sunday-School classes and in all our work be employed and the use of the helps to the displacement of the pure Scriptures be emphatically discouraged.

The Board recommends, also, the replacement of the Holy Bible upon the altars of more of our homes that around it may be re-established the worship of the family, so that from its illumined pages may be shed abroad over each day's path the radiance of its heavenly light.

It is recommended, further, the constant carrying on the person of a copy of the Bible or a portion thereof and the daily searching of the Scriptures that the way of life may be known more perfectly, and their testimony of the Lord Jesus Christ may be our own.

It recommends, further, the endorsement of the noble work of the Gideons in their distribution of the Word of God in the rooms of hotels

and public places. Many have been the cases where souls have been reached and saved through this means.

It recommends, lastly, the establishment, where possible, in the towns and villages of our charges depositories for the sale and distribution of copies of the Scriptures, especially of the cheaper editions that all the people may have access to the Bread of Life. Arrangements for such may be effected by the pastors with the American Bible Society whose great work is hereby commended and endorsed.

FRANK T. RIDGEWAY, President,  
R. V. WHITEHURST, Secretary.

Staunton, Virginia,  
September 29, 1928.

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#### BOARD OF MISSIONS—REPORT NO. 1.

The Board of Missions in its several meetings has considered prayerfully and thoughtfully the missionary situation in our Church. A paper from our General Board of Missions emphasizes what we must all feel, that "the spiritual appeal with Christ as the transforming personality, in the center of all, is the final and supreme note to be sounded in this day and generation"; and that as never before we must lift up Christ that men may be drawn unto Him.

To this end we endorse the plans of evangelism which have been promoted by the Home Department of the General Board throughout the borders of our Church in America, and the plans of the General Board for a world-wide revival and we call upon our people to intercede at the Throne of Grace for divine guidance in all our missionary operations.

We commend the "Enlarged Plan of Missionary Education" which is being promoted by the Education and Promotion Department of the Board of Missions. We cannot hope to continue a great missionary program without giving to our people a general understanding of the plans, policies, administrative difficulties, as well as the urgent needs of the whole missionary work.

At the last meeting of the General Board of Missions it was decided to call a great missionary conference for the whole connection some time during this year. In pursuance of this order there will be held at Memphis, Tenn., on January 1, 2 and 3, 1929, a delegated Missionary Conference. The members of our Conference Board of Missions will be ex-officio members of this delegated conference and we request each of the other of our Conference Boards to name at least five delegates from their membership. Rev. D. L. Blakemore has been selected as Conference Director to help to make certain the attendance of a large number of these delegates and others.

Respectfully submitted,

B. V. SWITZER, Chairman.  
SELWYN K. COCKRELL, Secretary.



**BOARD OF MISSIONS—REPORT NO. 2.**

We recommend that the \$44,000 for the Missionary Maintenance for the coming year be distributed to the districts as follows:

Alexandria. . . . .	\$5,335.00
Baltimore. . . . .	4,952.00
Lewisburg. . . . .	5,643.00
Moorefield. . . . .	4,380.00
Roanoke. . . . .	7,326.00
Rockingham. . . . .	4,930.00
Washington. . . . .	6,110.00
Winchester. . . . .	5,325.00

After consultation with the Bishop and the Presiding Elders we report the following schedule for District Missionary Institutes:

Alexandria—Alexandria, December 7.
Baltimore—Baltimore, December 5.
Lewisburg—Ronceverte, December 13.
Moorefield—Moorefield, December 4.
Roanoke—Roanoke, December 12.
Rockingham—Harrisonburg, December 11.
Winchester—Winchester, December 10.
Washington—Washington, December 6.

Respectfully submitted,

B. V. SWITZER, President.  
SELWYN K. COCKRELL, Secretary.

**BOARD OF MISSIONS—REPORT NO. 3.**

We nominate for election by the Conference Dr. J. P. Tyler as Conference Missionary Secretary in connection with a charge and without compensation from our Board of Missions and request the Bishop to appoint him.

We nominate for election by the Conference the following Committee on Evangelism: B. V. Switzer, R. G. Mowbray, C. E. Outcalt, J. R. Wood and W. A. Lambeth.

Respectfully submitted,

B. V. SWITZER, President.  
SELWYN K. COCKRELL, Secretary.

## BOARD OF MISSIONS—REPORT NO. 4.

Claimants upon the Board of Missions for the year 1928-1929 for the amounts named:

## Alexandria District.

Arlington. . . . .	Class B	\$300
Ballston and Lee Heights. . . . .	Class B	300
East Fairfax . . . . .	Class B	300
Herndon. . . . .	Class B	150
Nokesville. . . . .	Class B	450
Occoquan. . . . .	Class A	200
Quantico. . . . .	Class B	300
Sudley. . . . .	Class B	200
Warrenton. . . . .	Class A	60
West Fauquier . . . . .	Class B	300
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		\$2,560

## Baltimore District.

Asbury & Pasadena.	Class B	\$200
Church Hill Milling- ton. . . . .	Class B	300
Easton. . . . .	Class B	300
Frederick Avenue . . . . .	Class B	300
Mt. Airy. . . . .	Class B	100
Patuxent (Contin- gent). . . . .		200
Queen Anne . . . . .	Class B	200
Reisterstown. . . . .	Class B	200
Royal Oak (for Tilghman). . . . .	Class B	150
Trappe. . . . .	Class B	175
Wilkins Avenue . . . . .	Class B	300
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		\$2,425

## Lewisburg District.

Alvon. . . . .	Class B	\$125
Bells Point . . . . .		300
Callaghans. . . . .	Class B	100
Greenville. . . . .	Class B	200
Huntersville. . . . .	Class B	200
Levelton. . . . .	Class B	100
Paint Bank . . . . .	Class B	150
Peterstown. . . . .	Class B	100
Richlands. . . . .	Class B	150
Riverview. . . . .	Class B	150
Williamsburg. . . . .	Class B	200
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		\$1,775

## Moorefield District.

Alaska. . . . .	Class B	\$100
Augusta. . . . .	Class B	200
Capon Bridge . . . . .	Class B	275
Elk Garden . . . . .	Class B	100
Flintstone. . . . .	Class B	100
Frostburg. . . . .	Class B	500
Gainsboro. . . . .	Class B	225
Garrett. . . . .	Class B	150
Hampshire. . . . .	Class A	100
Hardy. . . . .	Class B	100
Listonburg. . . . .	Class B	200
Petersburg. . . . .	Class A	100
Ridgeley. . . . .	Class B	200
South Fork . . . . .	Class B	200
Springfield. . . . .	Class B	225
Wardensville. . . . .	Class B	150
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		\$2,925

## Roanoke District.

Cambria. . . . .	Class B	\$250
Catawba. . . . .	Class B	250
Glen Wilton . . . . .	Class B	50
Grace. . . . .	Class B	200
Huntington Court. . . . .	Class A	500
Mt. Olivet . . . . .	Class B	200
Newport. . . . .	Class A	60
Roanoke Circuit . . . . .	Class B	300
South Roanoke . . . . .	Class A	560
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		\$2,370

## Rockingham District.

Bath. . . . .	Class B	\$275
Blue Ridge . . . . .	Class B	500
Churchville. . . . .	Class A	100
Colliertown. . . . .	Class B	250
Fairfield. . . . .	Class B	150
Goshen. . . . .	Class A	120
Marquis Memorial . . . . .	Class A	200
Mt. Solon . . . . .	Class B	150
New Hope . . . . .	Class A	160
Rockbridge Baths . . . . .	Class B	250
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		\$2,155

<b>Washington District.</b>	
Bethesda (Contin- gent) . . . . .	\$150
Brentwood. . . . . Class A	200
Clarksburg. . . . . Class B	150
Colesville. . . . . Class B	200
Frederick City. . . . . Class B	500
Goshen-Emory. . . . . Class B	250
Hyattsville. . . . . Class A	240
Laurel. . . . . Class B	250

Potomac. . . . . Class B	250
	<u>\$2,190</u>

**Winchester District.**

Linden. . . . . Class B	\$250
Mt. Jackson. . . . . Class B	300
Shenandale. . . . . Class B	750
Warren. . . . . Class B	350
	<u>\$1,650</u>

Respectfully submitted,

B. V. SWITZER, Chairman.

SELWYN K. COCKRELL, Secretary.

Approved:

COLLINS DENNY,

President of the Conference.

Sept. 28, 1928.

**REPORT OF TREASURER OF CONFERENCE BOARD OF MISSIONS.**

**GENERAL FUND.**

**Receipts.**

From Centenary Fund. . . . .	\$2,295.57
From Conference Treasurer. . . . .	18,025.00
	<u>\$20,320.57</u>

**Disbursements.**

Deficit from Year 1926-1927. . . . .	\$2,295.57
Appropriation to Pastors' School. . . . .	200.00
Expenses of Conference Board of Missions. . . . .	\$23.59
Traveling Expenses of President of Board to Jackson, Miss. . . . .	77.18
Premium on Treasurer's Bond. . . . .	50.00
Space in Conference Minutes. . . . .	24.00

Conference Missions:	
Alexandria District .....	\$2,480.00
Baltimore District .....	2,125.00
Lewisburg District .....	1,475.00
Moorefield District .....	2,925.00
Roanoke District .....	2,530.00
Rockingham District .....	2,440.00
Washington District .....	2,350.00
Winchester District .....	1,500.00
	17,825.00
	\$20,795.34
Deficit .....	\$474.77

R. G. MOWBRAY, Treasurer.

**REPORT OF TREASURER OF CONFERENCE BOARD OF MISSIONS.  
CENTENARY FUND.**

**Receipts.**

Balance . . . . .	\$6,465.37
10% of amount paid on Centenary Subscriptions April 1st, 1927, to April 1st, 1928 .....	123.79
Interest on Bank Deposits .....	238.14
	\$6,827.30

**Disbursements.**

To General Fund to cover deficit for year 1926-27 .....	\$2,295.57
Emergency Appropriations to three preachers .....	400.00
	\$2,695.57
Balance .....	\$4,131.73

R. G. MOWBRAY, Treasurer.



**REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.**

From July 1, 1927, to July 1, 1928.

**Organizations.**

213 Adult Auxiliaries; 6,262 Adult Members.  
 128 Young People's Auxiliaries; 2,572 Members.  
 136 Epworth Junior Societies; 3,042 Members.  
 Primary Divisions, 36; Members, 539; Baby Divisions, 85; Babies,  
 1,069.  
 Total Organizations, 477; Total Membership, 11,876.

**Finances.**

Total sent Treasurer of Woman's Missionary Council..... \$40,158.40  
 Total Conference Receipts for all purposes..... 42,230.24

**Activities.**

281 Mission Study Classes with 5,108 Members.  
 94 Bible Study Classes with 1,911 Members.  
 12,950 Program Leaflets, Bulletins, and Helps distributed.  
 2,110 Subscribers to the Missionary Voice.  
 376 Subscribers to "Juniors."  
 150 Auxiliaries report Publicity Work.  
 216 Auxiliaries report Social Service Work.  
 335 Donations through the Supply Department; value, \$5,526.48.  
 285 Auxiliaries observed the Week of Prayer; offering, \$2,595.16.  
 103 Auxiliaries presented Christian Stewardship.  
 101 Auxiliaries on the Conference Honor Roll.

**Specials.**

3 Missionaries, 7 Bible Women, 5 Scholarships, 2 Day Schools supported.  
 'Hummer Memorial,' Medical School, Shanghai, China.  
 Gift to Laura Haygood Library, Soochow, China.

**Workers.**

4 Home Missionaries from the Baltimore Conference, 4 Foreign Missionaries from the Baltimore Conference, now in active service.

MRS. T. J. COPELAND, President.

MISS E. V. PEPLER, Secretary.

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF CORPORATE BOARD OF FINANCE.

September 28, 1927, to September 28, 1928.

## Receipts.

Balance September 28, 1927.....	\$3,778.62	
Interest on Bonds and Deposits.....	2,162.65	
Ground Rents.....	812.24	
Redemption of Bonds.....	8,000.00	
Profit on sale of Bonds.....	675.00	
Estate D. W. Wyant.....	376.00	
Estate O. C. Simmont.....	21,500.00	
		<u>\$37,304.51</u>

## Disbursements.

Investment in Bonds and Ground Rents.....	\$13,188.33	
Premiums and Accrued Interest.....	210.46	
Sundry Expenses and Attorney Fees.....	58.99	
J. T. Houck, Conference Treasurer.....	3,000.00	
Balance on hand.....	20,846.73	
		<u>\$37,304.51</u>

ADELBERT W. MEARS, Treasurer,  
117 Commerce St., Baltimore, Md.

## TITLE AND FORM OF BEQUEST.

To the Corporate Board of Finance:

In the name of God. Amen.—

I, \_\_\_\_\_, being of sound mind and memory do constitute this my last will and testament.

Item. I devise and bequeath the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, (or the following property, to wit: describe the property, and give full power to sell or dispose of the same), to the "Corporate Board of Finance of the Baltimore Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of Baltimore City," its successors and assigns, under the following trusts and conditions, to receive said sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (or property), and pay the interests and profits of the same; or the principal, or so much thereof as said corporation may deem advisable, to the Superannuated Ministers, and to the Widows and Orphans of deceased ministers of the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in such sum or sums to each, and at such times, as to said corporation may seem best. (If property, to pay the rents and profits, or the proceeds of sale of said property, etc.)

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_.

Signed, sealed and published in our presence, who at his (her) request, in his (her) presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto affixed our names, as witnesses hereto.

COMMISSION OF  
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**REPORT NO. 1 OF THE BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES.**

*To the Baltimore Conference Methodist Episcopal Church, South—*

The Board of Lay Activities rejoices in the increased interest and activity of the laymen of the church in all its enterprises and in the increasing efficiency of the laymen's organizations, indicated by the report of the General Board of Lay Activities submitted to us at this session.

We renew our pledge of loyalty to the plan of lay activities prescribed by the General Conference and assure the General Board of our co-operation in the execution of their programme.

We cannot better express our position on the subject of the benevolences of the church than by repeating the declarations made in our Report at the 1927 Session of the Conference, in the form of resolutions, which we now reintroduce as such :

*Be it Resolved—*

1. The assessments, general and conference, constitute the first and abiding obligation of the laymen's organization ;
2. That the benevolences be provided for in cash or pledges as soon as practicable after the session of the Annual Conference ;
3. That at least half these claims should be paid by the time of the District Conference ;
4. That as far as possible, these funds be sent to the Conference Treasurer monthly or quarterly as an integral part of the church budget ;
5. That a campaign of education on behalf of the benevolences be actively waged in every charge.

In addition to these recommendations, we urge each District Leader to begin at once a close and detailed study and survey of his District, and, having ascertained and classified the weak spots, that he address himself, in co-operation with pastors and church and charge leaders, towards the goal of 100 per cent, as the minimum on all collections. Special recognition and commendation should be given the District showing the greatest increase, at the next session of the Conference.

**Methodist Layman.**

We urge a wider circulation of the Methodist Layman, in the confident belief that if this, our official organ, be more generally read, it will be a great stimulus to activity and interest and a source of pleasure and profit to the readers. We plead with pastors to put their influence behind the lay leaders on behalf of this really splendid publication. It is sent by the Board at its own expense to all clerical members of the Conference.

### Christian Stewardship.

We again declare our adherence to the principle of Christian Stewardship. We urge its practice and its promulgation by the organization of Stewardship Committees as rapidly as conditions will admit and by sermons on stewardship by pastors, until every charge has been covered. We call attention to the fact that the year 1929 is to be Stewardship Year, and urge that all charges begin to prepare for it at once.

### Wesley Brotherhoods.

Wesley Brotherhoods have not been formed in our Conference as numerous as might be desired. We are confident that such a brotherhood will quicken the spiritual life of any congregation where it may be founded and we urge that the formation of them be pressed. It is hoped that the recent visit of the General Secretary, Mr. Fred T. Barnett, to several of the Districts, where conferences were held, will result in renewed activity.

### Communications Referred.

Several communications have been referred to the Board. One is a letter from Mr. John R. Pepper which calls attention to the fact that in traveling through rural sections, many churches are found without markings to indicate their identity and recommends that the laymen undertake to have all our churches marked with signs identifying them as belonging to our denomination. We heartily indorse this recommendation and direct our District leaders to carry it into effect as far as practicable.

### Group Insurance.

The matter of group insurance for members of the Conference has been brought before us. Feeling that it is a question for the Board of Finance, we respectfully commend it to their careful study.

We nominate M. L. Walton, Jr., for Conference Lay Leader.

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. WALTON, JR., President.

CHAS. L. MELTON, Secretary.

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**REPORT NO. 2 OF THE BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES.**

*To the Baltimore Conference Methodist Episcopal Church, South--*

The Board of Lay Activities have had referred to them a communication from Mr. J. E. Crawford, Secretary of the General Advisory Council on Benevolences, calling attention to a statement in a report from a special committee of said Council, copy of which accompanies the communication, to the effect that it has been ascertained that seventeen of the home Conferences, including the Baltimore Conference, made deductions for some item or items of expense, or to pay in full some amount or amounts levied by the Conference, before the total amount collected on the assessments for general and conference benevolences had been properly divided.

As the matter of the benevolences, while of interest to all, preachers and laity alike, is of especial interest to the Board of Lay Activities, because of the duties imposed upon them, and as we find from the exhibit which accompanies said communication, that such deductions were made in the Baltimore Conference, during the Conference year ended with the 1927 session, as follows: Printing Minutes, \$1,069.54; Treasurer's Expenditures, \$900.00; Conference Secretary for space in minutes, \$14.00; Premium on Treasurer's bond, \$62.50; Printing, Postage and Stationery, \$45.77; and as we are of the opinion that the aforesaid deductions by the Treasurer of this Conference may have been unauthorized under the law, we respectfully report that it is desirable to have, and we hereby request of the presiding Bishop, and Episcopal Decision as to the legality of the practices above set forth, and to that end propound, and request his decision upon the following question:

When the General Conference had placed an assessment upon the church for all the various general interests as set forth in paragraph 330 of the Discipline, and when this amount had been apportioned to the several Annual Conferences in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 331 of the Discipline, and when the Baltimore Annual Conference had raised funds on account of these general interests, then, was the Conference or its Treasurer, authorized, under the law, to withhold from the Treasurers of the several interests included in the assessments, any part of the amounts so raised and apply it to the expense of printing Conference Minutes, expense of Treasurer, Premium on Treasurer's bond, Conference Secretary for space in minutes, or printing, postage and stationery? If any deductions, before distributing to the Treasurers of the general interests, are lawful, what amounts may the Conference, or its Treasurer, deduct and for what purposes?

The communication, with the accompanying exhibit, is hereto attached.

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. WALTON, JR., President.

CHAS. L. MELTON, Secretary.

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF TEMPERANCE AND SOCIAL SERVICE.**

In compliance with the resolution passed by the Conference on Wednesday of this week calling upon the Board of Temperance and Social Service, "To present to the Conference a clear-cut declaration of our historical position on temperance and other social problems, in order that no doubt may be raised as to our stand on these matters."

We the Board of Temperance and Social Service present the following report:

Whereas, it is appropriate that we renew a statement of the attitude of this Conference, respecting the subject of temperance and that we should express our loyalty to prohibition, and

Whereas, the attitude of our church heretofore was expressed in the Episcopal address at Hot Springs in 1922, in the following words: "It is the cause of deep gratitude that the greatest of all nations has led the way in this mighty and matchless reform. It is incumbent, therefore, upon every good citizen to work for the placing in power men who are sincere friends of the law and to assist in every proper way the enforcement of the law. The vital issue before the people today is whether they will stand by those members of congress who have voted to maintain the prohibition amendment and whether the people will vote to defeat candidates who will attempt to repeal or weaken the Volstead Act. The only certain place to meet that issue is in the primary and in the general election. The crisis should be promptly and vigorously met by the Christian Citizenship of this nation," and

Whereas, the attitude of our church was further expressed in the Episcopal address of May, 1926, in the following words: "The industrial, social, educational, moral and religious forces of the nation, led by its Christian citizenship, overthrew the legalized liquor traffic and secured national prohibition. The same great forces must unite in the fight with equal vigor and persistence to outlaw the criminal traffic and the would-be nullifiers of the law," and

Whereas, the General Conference in May, 1926, in the report on temperance, declared the attitude of our church in the following words: "In our states from constable to governor, and in the nation from revenue agent to president, officials must be elected who believe in enforcement, not only because prohibition is the law, but because it ought to be the law. To the attainment of these ends we will call upon our teachers and preachers to give voice to the social creed of our church, and upon all people to assert their full influence as citizens and as patriotic citizens of our republic."

Now, therefore, this conference desires to reaffirm and to emphasize and endorse the action taken by the General Conference and the sentiment as expressed above in the Episcopal address, on the great moral

issue of prohibition and as to the duty of our people in connection therewith.

Many other problems in our social order present themselves to the church for careful consideration and solution. We call attention to the "Social creed of the churches" which has been adopted by our General Conference and published in the Discipline.

We recommend that the various items of this creed be constantly brought to the attention of our people, and every effort be made to hold the church to its high historical social ideals.

Respectfully submitted,

R. C. MEEKS, President.  
 W. W. McINTYRE, Secretary.  
 H. C. HOMAN.  
 G. R. FRINGER.  
 J. E. POOLE,  
 J. W. ROSENBERGER.  
 J. C. DUGGER.  
 O. D. LAMBERT.  
 O. C. MICHAEL.  
 Committee.

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#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

We, your Committee on District Conference Records, beg to report as follows:

We have examined the records from Seven (7) of the Districts of the Baltimore Conference—the record of the Winchester District not being at the seat of Conference.

We find the records from the Districts to be neatly and accurately kept.

GLENN J. COOPER, Chairman.  
 A. F. HARLAN, Secretary.

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#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

We, your Committee, beg to make the following report on Sabbath Observance.

That there is an evident rising tide for a better Lord's Day throughout the boundaries of our Conference, but realizing the vital importance of the Lord's Day to our Church life as well as our Christian civilization we recommend:

1st—That all our Churches and Sunday Schools use the Educational Program of the Lord's Day Alliance as a part of our regular work.

2nd—That we endorse the membership program of the Lord's Day Alliance of Maryland, and urge all our Churches, Sunday Schools and members to take some one of these Memberships.

3rd—That we rejoice in the success of the Lord's Day Alliance of Maryland in defeating professional Sunday baseball in Frederick and Washington Counties, the closing of Sunday Motion Picture Theatres in Baltimore City and Montgomery County and in its prevention of other commercialized forms of Sunday business.

4th—That all our Presiding Elders be requested to have Sabbath Observance as one of the topics in our District Conference Programs.

5th—That this Conference name Rev. Nolan B. Harman, Jr., a member of the Educational Committee of the Lord's Day Alliance of Maryland.

6th—That each of our Presiding Elders be requested to serve as Chairman of a Lord's Day District Committee to consist of two ministers and two laymen, named by the Presiding Elder, to cooperate with the Lord's Day Alliance of Maryland and bordering states.

7th—We recommend passage of the Lankford Sunday Rest Bill, H. R. 78, by the U. S. Congress, having for its object the securement of one rest day in seven for the people of said District; the control and suppression of commercialism, the closing of theatres, dance houses, club rooms, baseball diamonds and all other places of worldly amusement and traffic on the Lord's Day and to effect better and more Biblical Observance of the Sabbath in our Nation's Capital.

(Signed) JAS. D. ALEXANDER, President.

HARRY E. WALLS, Secretary.

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**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOME FOR THE  
AGED AND ORPHANS, METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,  
SOUTH, INC., AND LOCATED AT GAITHERSBURG,  
MARYLAND.**

During the Conference year the Executive Committee held sixteen meetings for the purpose of giving specific attention to the many interests of the Home. Monthly reports were received from the Superintendent, Financial Secretary, Treasurer and Matron. The members of this Committee have conscientiously devoted time and talent to the end that this growing institution of the Baltimore Conference might be directed both economically and efficiently. The Board of Trustees at the Annual Meeting carefully reviewed the work of the Executive Committee and official staff, giving approval and commendation of the same.



Many applications have been filed and disposed of on the dual basis—the worthiness of the applicant and the welfare of the Home. A few disagreeable and previous experiences had taught us that a thorough investigation of each applicant would often save embarrassment later and we have persistently exercised this care. This precaution has been misunderstood in some few cases but we deem it a wise policy. The family has grown steadily. We now have fifty residents, having reached the capacity of our building and started a waiting list.

During the year the Board of Trustees in joint action with the Executive Committee of Epworth Hall have completed plans for an additional unit to be known as "Epworth Hall." This building is well under way and when completed will provide some additional rooms and other conveniences which are sorely needed. This addition will increase our assets \$40,000.00. The vision, ability and liberality manifested by the youth of this Conference in making this additional unit possible merits special mention and an acknowledgment of appreciation by this Board.

While steadily increasing our responsibility within the Home, we are also endeavoring to enlarge our constituency throughout the Conference. We assume keeping our people aware of our various needs will encourage a more liberal support. The interest which the people are manifesting in this project leads us to believe that our cause was never more acceptable than it is today.

We again remind you that our definite financial policy consists of a free-will offering from each Sunday School at Christmas time and a like offering from the congregations on Mother's Day combined with the maintenance subscriptions to provide for the current expenses of the Home. We have also issued Annuity Bonds and offered them for sale as a means of reducing our bonded indebtedness. All funds accruing from the sale of these bonds must be so applied. We solicit the abiding interest of the pastors and people in the promotion of this particular feature of our plan. Seven of these bonds have been sold and a total of \$5,000.00 received from the same.

After more than five years of unremitting toil, Rev. J. J. Ringer asks to be relieved of the Superintendency of the Home. The Board deems this a fitting occasion to acknowledge their appreciation of the unusual services of Brother Ringer in connection with the Home and to express their confidence in him as a man capable of doing big things. Under trying conditions of which the public knew little or nothing, he has done more than any other in establishing the Home and bringing it to its present successful status. To do this he has shown at all times signal devotion to the work, in nothing sparing himself or seeking his own advancement. This institution today stands and through all the coming years will stand as a monument to his untiring zeal and industry. Brother Ringer while retiring from the superintendency will retain his relation as a member of the Board of Trustees and continue

to give the Home the benefit of his intimate knowledge and practical experience in the work.

Through the faithful service of the staff members and the growing liberality of our people this has been a fruitful year. The average monthly income for the Conference year has been \$6,322.00; while the previous eighteen months averaged \$4,314.00. Total income from all sources \$75,861.00. Total indebtedness on the Home at the beginning of the Conference year \$117,000.00. Reduction of indebtedness during the year \$27,500.00, present indebtedness \$89,500.00. Total income from annual maintenance subscriptions \$4,776.00.

The Board is confident that with efficient management, diligence in effort and the practice of economy in the use of funds at our disposal the maintenance problem can be solved and additional funds secured to liquidate our bonded indebtedness within a reasonable period. With this as our goal we seek your hearty co-operation and solicit your liberal support.

Mr. W. M. Magruder, Treasurer, has resigned and his resignation has been duly accepted with sincere appreciation of his long and efficient service to the institution.

The following officers have been elected by the Board of Trustees for the ensuing year:

Rev. J. Howard Wells, President,  
 Rev. E. V. Register, Vice-President,  
 Rev. E. A. Lambert, Secretary,  
 Mr. W. F. Hummer, Treasurer.

#### Recommendations.

First. We request Bishop Collins Denny to appoint Rev. Herman M. Wilson, Superintendent of the Home, and Rev. A. B. Sites, Assistant Manager, for the coming year.

Second. We recommend the following Trustees, subject to the confirmation of the Conference:

Rev. J. Howard Wells,	A. E. Huddlestun
Rev. W. S. Hammond,	J. B. Andrews,
Rev. E. V. Register,	J. T. Houck,
Rev. C. M. Hesser,	James Walker,
Rev. J. J. Ringer,	W. F. Hummer,
Rev. John Paul Tyler,	B. H. Hiner,
Rev. Boyd V. Switzer,	Mrs. T. A. Groover,
Rev. H. M. Wilson,	Mrs. Harry S. Davis,
Rev. E. A. Lambert,	Mrs. William Brayshaw.
M. L. Walton,	

Signed,

J. HOWARD WELLS, President,  
 E. A. LAMBERT, Secretary.

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE HOME OF THE AGED  
AND ORPHANS OF THE BALTIMORE CONFERENCE  
M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, INC.**

**Receipts.**

Balance . . . . .	\$3,552.46
Amount raised from all sources . . . . .	75,861.10
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$79,413.56</b>

**Disbursements.**

Buying additional property, paying off indebtedness and maintenance . . . . .	\$78,698.56
<b>Balance . . . . .</b>	<b>\$715.00</b>

I, Walter M. Magruder, treasurer of the Home of the Aged and Orphans of the Baltimore Conference M. E. Church, South, Inc., do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of receipts and disbursements is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) WALTER M. MAGRUDER.

Subscribed and sworn to this 21st day of September, 1928.

(Signed) KATHERINE M. WELLS,  
Notary Public.

**THE HOME FOR THE AGED AND ORPHANS OF THE BALTIMORE  
CONFERENCE, M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, INC., AND  
LOCATED AT GAITHERSBURG, MD.**

Assets and Liabilities as of September 25, 1928.

**Assets.**

<b>Real Property:</b>		<b>Personal Property:</b>	
Farm . . . . .	\$35,000.00	Furniture . . . . .	\$7,000.00
Three Cottages . . . . .	11,000.00	Stock . . . . .	5,585.00
Main Building . . . . .	125,000.00	Farm Implements . . . . .	1,565.00
Epworth Hall . . . . .	40,000.00	Dairy Equipment . . . . .	500.00
Dairy and Horse Barn . . . . .	10,000.00	<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$14,650.00</b>
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$221,000.00</b>		
<b>Guest Money:</b>		<b>Totals:</b>	
Merriweather Note . . . . .	\$300.00	Real Property . . . . .	\$221,000.00
March Property . . . . .	2,000.00	Personal Property . . . . .	14,650.00
Weeks' Will . . . . .	5,000.00	Guest Money . . . . .	12,300.00
Williams Estate . . . . .	5,000.00	<b>TOTAL ASSETS . . . . .</b>	<b>\$247,950.00</b>
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$12,300.00</b>		
<b>TOTAL ASSETS . . . . .</b>	<b>\$247,950.00</b>	<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES, \$89,500.00</b>	

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS.**

The Committee on Conference Relations recommend for Supernumerary Relation:

Beall, John W.  
Jordan, Turner A.

Homan, German O.

For Superannuate Relation:

Anderson, James M.  
Anderson, John A.  
Barret, A. Lee.  
Beall, Oliver C.  
Buchanan, C. Harry.  
Burgess, Oscar F.  
Coe, Henry S.  
Coe, W. P. Conway.  
Dorsey, William B.  
Duffey, Jefferson W.  
Gaither, George W.  
Gover, William T.  
Griffith, Frank T.  
Hall, Norman N.  
Hamill, Henry P.  
Hammond, Fiske E.  
Hawk, John C.  
Hawley, James M.  
Hedrick, James B.  
Henderson, James L.  
Henry, John B.  
Keene, James S.  
Kinzer, Hamilton W.

Kuhlmann, John H.  
Lloyd, Louis L.  
Lowance, William F.  
Mark, Charles W.  
Miller, William E.  
Mitchell, John W.  
Myerly, Harry L.  
Potter, Charles L.  
Roane, Hamilton M.  
Sanders, William H.  
Sarver, Charles M.  
Shiple, John Lester.  
Snead, Samuel R.  
Stephens, Henry I.  
Strickler, H. Monroe.  
Sutton, Charles B.  
Talbert, Wallace O.  
Thomas, John L.  
Thrasher, John C.  
Wheeler, Rufus M.  
White, G. Dorsey.  
Wilhite, John H.  
Waters, B. W.

Signed,

FRANK T. RIDGEWAY, Chairman,  
C. C. BUSH, Secretary.

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**REPORT NO. 2 ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS.**

In addition to the names already recommended we also recommend German H. H. Tyler for Supernumerary Relation.

F. T. RIDGEWAY, Chairman.  
C. C. BUSH, Secretary.



**NOMINATIONS FOR TRUSTEES OF THE FRANCIS ASBURY SCHOOL.**

The following nominations, for Trustees of The Francis Asbury School from the Boards named are hereby submitted to the Conference for election:

From the Board of Education: H. H. Sherman, H. P. Hamill, J. H. Balthis, S. R. Pritchard, G. N. Conrad.

From the Board of Missions: D. L. Blakemore, R. G. Mowbray, E. L. Woolf, B. H. Riddleberger, S. K. Cockrell.

From the Sunday School Board: W. E. Holley, E. A. Lambert.

From the Epworth League Board: J. Armstrong Cross, E. C. Beery.

Respectfully submitted,

D. L. BLAKEMORE, President,  
Trustee, Francis Asbury School.

SELWYN K. COCKRELL, Secretary,  
Trustee, Francis Asbury School.

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**REPORT OF THE SOUTHERN METHODIST PUBLISHING CO.**

The Board of Directors of the Southern Methodist Publishing Company submits the following report for the year.

The past year has been one of real progress for your Conference organ. Under the experienced leadership of Dr. C. D. Harris, the Editor and Business Manager, the paper has been put into many additional homes and each week has gone forth as an assistant preacher of the Conference to enthuse, inform and to create interest in all the work of the Conference and the enterprises of the Church at large. Because of the visits of the Editor and the extensive campaign carried on by the preachers of the Conference the circulation has increased from 5424 to 6560—which gives us 1351 new subscribers for the year.

The editorials have dealt with practical questions of church policy and government. They have rung true on all the great moral issues of the day. We have sought always to keep the editorials along the high levels of thought and for the very best interests of the Conference. We trust that a spirit of optimism has been fostered and that the confidence of the people in the program of the Church has been greatly increased. We have found by experience and observation, that where the paper is most widely circulated and read by the people, there the Conference interests are better conserved and greater results in loyalty and support are obtained.

The Editor has been able, during the past year, to visit many of the churches and present the important cause of Christian Literature. As a result of these visits our people have a better knowledge and a wider vision of the tremendous power of the printed page in the formation of life and character.

Financially we are on a safe and sound foundation. With the continued support and hearty co-operation on the part of the pastors of the Conference we shall be able to make the paper a greater factor for good than ever before.

Last year you very generously increased the assessment to the sum of \$9,000. This act on your part put new life in the paper and has enabled us to carry on with increased energy and a greater degree of success. We promised, at that time, that we would, at the earliest possible moment, ask for a reduction when the business of the paper justified such a reduction. We are this year asking for a small reduction of \$500.00 in the assessment for next year. We have not had sufficient time to increase our assets very materially but as we get on our feet financially from year to year, we shall ask for a reduction in the amount of the assessment until that amount shall cease to be an excessive burden on the Conference and yet enable us to do successfully the work that you have asked us to do for you. The printed page is needed today as never before to give direction to right thinking and in the shaping of public opinion on all great moral and religious questions. Hence no sacrifice is too great on the part of the Conference in the accomplishment of this good end.

The Conference already knows Dr. C. D. Harris lies in the Maryland General Hospital critically ill. The end of this useful and well-spent life seems to be near. Our associations with this fine Christian gentleman have always been most pleasant. He was truly a man in whom there was no guile.

To his family we extend our deepest sympathy and pray that the gospel of comfort which he so effectively preached by tongue and pen may sustain them as the shadows deepen and the end draws near.

For seventeen years he lived and toiled to make the paper a force for righteousness in the homes of our people. This incessant toll soon sapped the strength of the robust body and now the silver cord is loosening and the pitcher lies broken at the well.

We respectfully request:

1. That the assessment be \$8,500.00 for the next year.
2. That Bishop Denny appoint Rev. Nolan B. Harmon, Jr., Editor for the next year.
3. That the month of May be given to an intensive campaign for the larger circulation of the Conference organ.

C. M. HESSER, Secretary.

E. V. REGESTER, President.

**REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE HOSPITAL BOARD.**

Your Hospital Board is glad to report an ever rising tide of enthusiasm in The Gracious Ministry of Healing to which our Church has so recently committed itself. Our Church now owns and controls eleven (11) hospitals which represent a property value of more than ten millions of dollars, and we learn that our great Duke University is preparing to build a \$4,000,000 hospital which will have an endowment of 6,000,000 dollars. In addition to these hospitals, we have eight Training Schools for Nurses in which about five hundred of our finest young women are being trained for this ministry of healing. The doors of opportunity are ever opening, bidding us enter and occupy the field.

The medium of our assistance in this great work is The Golden Cross Society, which has been heartily endorsed by The College of Bishops and membership in which the General Conference has made obligatory upon every church of our connection.

In view of the foregoing facts your Board makes the following recommendations to the Conference.

1.—That the Conference observe the week including the second and third Sundays of May as Hospital Week, and that every possible effort be put forth to enroll members in The Golden Cross Society.

2.—That Dr. Noland M. Canter of Harrisonburg, Virginia, be appointed Conference director of "The Golden Cross Society" and that each Presiding Elder appoint a District Director whose name and post office address shall be given to The Conference Director; and that each director be given the opportunity to present this cause to his respective District Conference.

3.—That the General Board be instructed to direct 80% of the funds received from The Golden Cross enrollment in our Conference to The Southern Methodist Hospital and Sanatorium at Tuscan, Arizona.

4.—That, The Commission on Budget of our Conference be asked to set aside the small sum of money requested for the use of The Conference Hospital Board, to enable it to carry on its work.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. L. DELONG, President,

F. F. NEEL, Secretary.

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**REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CHANGE OF TIME FOR MEETING OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE.**

We, the undersigned members of the committee appointed to consider the proposed change of time for the meeting of the Baltimore Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, after careful consideration do recommend that the present plan of meeting in September be continued.

W. G. HARDY,  
W. T. DOOSING,  
WM. S. HAMMOND,  
GEO. G. OLIVER.

C. W. FINK,  
C. M. STOY,  
J. J. RIVES.

## MEMOIRS.

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### HENRY A. BROWN.

Rev. Henry Alexander Brown, the son of Lewis and Malinda Brown, was born October 3, 1855, in Monroe County Virginia (now West Virginia), and departed this life at Sebring, Florida, February 17, 1928. He was the oldest member of a family of eleven children, four daughters and seven sons, three of whom were ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Henry A. Brown was reared on the farm mainly in Giles County, Virginia, where his parents moved from Monroe County, West Virginia. By diligent study and close application he gained a good English education, acquiring also some knowledge of the foreign languages. Especially was he well informed in the Scriptures and was an earnest and prayerful student of the Bible, which he believed with all his heart to be the word of God for he felt its power in his own life. He was well acquainted with the doctrines of his church which were very dear to him and which he loved to preach. In his early life he taught in the public schools serving also as a local preacher.

He was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, September 1877, under the ministry of the Rev. P. S. Sutton, Preacher in Charge, of Parisburg Circuit, Holston Conference. And he was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of the same charge, June 1, 1878; Rev. J. W. Bowman, P. C. and Rev. A. J. Frazier, P. E.

At twenty-five years of age he felt the call to enter the regular ministry. With the usual equipment of a Methodist preacher of that day, consisting of a horse, saddle bags, and Bible, he started for conference, choosing to cast his lot among the preachers of the Baltimore Conference rather than those of the Holston Conference. He traveled many miles across the Alleghany mountains on horseback to the seat of the Baltimore Conference. On arriving at his destination he found the conference fully supplied with preachers. He was sadly disappointed. However, Dr. John S. Martin, one of the presiding elders, seeing the dilemma in which the young man was placed, took charge of him and gave him work as a supply under a regular preacher. With this rather discouraging outlook, but with a determination to do what he felt the Lord wanted him to do, he entered the ranks of the Methodist itinerant ministry. This rather discouraging beginning resulted in a long and useful career of more than forty-two years of active service. During this time he served on circuits, in stations, and eight years as a presiding elder.



Brother Brown was admitted on Trial in the Baltimore Conference with Rev. John C. Thrasher, Rev. Collins Denny, now Bishop Denny, the honored President of our Conference, and others, at the session held at Front Royal, Virginia, March 3-10, 1880, Bishop John C. Keener, presiding. He was received into full connection at the conference held at Charles Town, West Virginia; and was ordained Deacon by Bishop Keener, March 18, 1883. And he was ordained Elder by Bishop Keener, March 13, 1887, at Leesburg, Virginia.

He served the following charges: 1879-80, a Supply on Rockingham Circuit; 1880-82, Junior preacher on Luray Circuit; 1882-83, Junior preacher on Augusta Circuit; 1883-84, West Augusta Circuit; 1884-86, Staunton Circuit; 1886-90, Crabbottom Circuit; 1890-92, Frostburg Circuit; 1892-96, Moorefield Circuit; 1896-1900, Hinton Station; 1900-04, Stephens City; 1904-07, Bridgewater Circuit; 1907-10, Romney Circuit; 1910-13, Loudoun Circuit; 1913-17, Presiding Elder, Moorefield District; 1917-21, Presiding Elder, Roanoke District; 1921-22, Middletown, Virginia; 1922, Superannuated on account of continued illness.

Middletown was his last appointment in the conference. During the year he was attacked by the fatal disease, influenza, from which he never fully recovered. It prayed upon his system until it settled in his lungs making it necessary for him to go to such a climate as was adapted to his condition. Consequently, he moved to Florida where he found relief and was hopeful of recovery; but it was temporary and only a means, probably, of prolonging his life for a period of four or five years. Other complications set in and finally Angina Pectoris fastened its deadly hold upon him, and, unexpectedly to his family and many friends, he passed away suddenly.

Early in his ministry, August 5, 1886, by Rev. James S. Gardner, D. D., he was happily united in marriage to Miss Sarah J. Keller, daughter of F. G. and Esther A. Keller, Churchville, Virginia, devout methodist people. To this union were born two sons, Harry K. and Charles L. The faithful wife and mother who survived her husband lives at Sebring, Florida. She was truly a devoted companion and entered into church activities of every kind sharing the hardships and the joys of her husband as well as making the parsonage an ideal home. The father's heart as well as the mother's has been gladdened by the two sons, who are still living having developed into useful men; Harry, a Superintendent of Schools in North Dakota, and Charles, a field representative with the American Telephone and Telegraph Company of New York office, both honor their father's and mother's God and stand in places of trust and responsibility.

In the worthy tribute they made to their father, published in the **Baltimore Southern Methodist** soon after his death, they said, "The home of a methodist preacher is not one of luxury, and indeed in our home there have been times when there was not any great evidence that more than the bare necessities of life were there; but if we were given the opportunity now to start life anew, choosing our own en-

vironment, we would not exchange our home for the palace of a king. Father often used to sing 'I am the child of a King!' We, his sons, being in direct descent, claim a birthright no less honorable." They exclaim, "We his sons, verily believe there has been no better man than our father and no nobler woman than our mother! Can any sons claim a richer heritage?" In his own family he shed the luster of an upright life and impressed those around him with the dignity of his high office as a minister of Christ. To his friends who knew him intimately his gentleness, honesty and sincerity made him great and he was characterized by tenderness of heart.

Brother Brown had a clear religious experience and could say with St. Paul "I know whom I have believed." He lived in daily communion and fellowship with his Lord. He was a faithful pastor, sympathetic and helpful; he knew the art of reaching those in distress; he could adapt himself to all conditions and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He ever stood true to his convictions of right as he saw them. The ministry was to him a labor of love, and he honored the high calling with his best service whether it be on a large circuit, in a station or on a district as the presiding elder. He accepted always willingly and served faithfully whatever charge was assigned him at the hands of the Bishop.

He was an excellent preacher. His sermons prepared with care, were instructive, suggestive, intensely practical, and helpful to his hearers. He loved to preach the gospel for he believed it with all his heart to be "the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth." And God honored his ministry in the salvation of souls and the upbuilding of believers in the faith. He was warm-hearted, unselfish and generous; all had in him a wise counselor, and a friend whom they could always trust. These qualities combined with executive ability of high order made him a very effective presiding elder serving two districts in this capacity. His preachers loved him and had confidence in him not only as an executive but as a true consecrated man of God. He had ambition and energy beyond his physical strength. At times he labored under difficulties to meet the demands made upon him and finally, gave down under the pressure. To him it was a great disappointment to have to lay down his life-work and go on the retired list; and then, for health's sake to move to the state of Florida, away from his conference and out of touch, largely, with the brethren with whom he had been so intimately associated for the many years in active service and whose fellowship he so much enjoyed. It was said, however, that he was never more kindly received anywhere than he was by the good people of Sebring, Florida. They loved him and helped to make his last years happy ones. The writer of this memoir would write him occasionally and he would always reply cheerfully and everytime would testify to his abiding faith in God and his bright hope of Heaven.

Rev. George W. Gaither of this Conference was at Sebring, Florida, at the time of Brother Brown's departure and gave the following information concerning his death and burial. On Saturday morning, February the eleventh, he walked to the market and returned complaining with a pain around his heart. They called in a doctor but Brother Brown continued to grow weaker until the following Friday morning, February the seventeenth, about 7 o'clock he called his son, Harry, to his bedside and said, "I am going, Goodbye" and he passed away peacefully through the portals of death into "the city which hath foundations whose builder and maker is God." He left a well rounded life of useful service, and could exclaim with Saint Paul: "I am now ready . . . I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith."

Monday morning, February 20th, at 10 o'clock, attended by a large congregation, the funeral services were held in the Methodist Church just across the street from Brother Brown's home at Sebring, Florida. The sermon was preached by Brother Gaither from the text: "Know ye not there is a prince and a great man fallen this day in Israel?" He was assisted in the services by Dr. Wm. G. Clinton, Pastor, M. E. Church; Dr. C. B. Toombs, Pastor, Presbyterian Church; Rev. V. G. White, Pastor, Christian Church; Rev. James S. Day, Jr., Pastor, Baptist Church; and Rev. G. B. Strickland, Pastor, M. E. Church, South, Avon Park, Florida. Interment followed in the Sebring Cemetery. His body now lies in Florida ("the land of Flowers") to await the resurrection morning.

"The pains of deaths are past,  
 Labor and sorrows cease;  
 And, life's long warfare closed at last,  
 His soul is found in peace.  
 Soldier of Christ, Well done!  
 Praise be thy new employ;  
 And while eternal ages run,  
 Rest in thy Saviour's joy."

THOS. J. LAMBERT.

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#### DAVID FRANK EUTSLER.

The true estimate of life comes at its latter end, for it is only in the perspective of the past that we can form a proper estimate of our experiences. Those who wait and watch, as their loved ones pass down into the valley of the shadow, are never really ready for the final hour, and to them it seems tragic, yet for the departing saint himself, "soothed and sustained by an unfaltering trust," that hour is an hour of triumph, in which he reaches the very climax of

his earthly career and enters upon the heavenly inheritance within his Father's House. Mingled with our falling tears, therefore, ought ever to be a note of joy for those who have wrought well and have entered into rest.

Such a one was David Frank Eutsler; and such an hour of glorious victory came to him on the morning of June 3, 1928. A Sabbath day it was, appropriate for his translation; the earth beautiful in its dress of living green and fragrant with the perfume of bursting bud and blossoming flower, as he loosed the moorings of his little bark and set sail upon the tideless sea.

Seventy-five years before, on January 22, 1853, he had been born near Port Republic, Virginia. His parents were George Washington and Sarah Byerly Eutsler, to whom God gave thirteen children, David being the second child. Three years later the family moved to Meridian in Augusta County. It was here in the very heart of the Shenandoah Valley that he grew up, and something of the strength of its rugged mountains and the quiet beauty of its waving fields seemed to pass over into his character and become part of his life.

He attended the school near his home, and early manifested a deepening interest in the church and in religion. Consequently it is not surprising that God should come to him and set him apart for his service. His conversion and his call to preach were almost simultaneous, and both occurred at a Camp Meeting held near New Hope church in Rockingham County. Immediately he began to "bring forth fruits meet for repentance," which evidenced a genuine work of grace. It is significant that he was the first of the family to profess conversion, but his parents soon followed, influenced, no doubt, by the life of their son, and each of his brothers and sisters subsequently came into the same blessed experience and united with the Methodist Church.

Feeling, like Paul, that he must preach the Gospel, and desiring a better preparation for the ministry, he left his home and entered Randolph-Macon College. In 1878, while still a student, he appeared before the Baltimore Conference at St. Paul's, Baltimore, and was admitted on trial. Completing his studies at school and then giving his entire time to the work, he was elected Deacon three years later and ordained in Harrisonburg, Va., by Bishop McTyeire. In 1883, he had finished his course and was made an Elder at Charles Town, W. Va., being ordained by Bishop Keener. The following charges bear the impress of his ministry: Montgomery, Fincastle, Fairfax, Catletts, Union, Covington, E. Harford, Moorefield, Brucetown, Shepherds-town, Upperville, Jefferson, Berkeley, Howard, Queen Anne and Frostburg. While at Howard his health began to fail but he would not surrender his "loved employ" until at Frostburg it became evident, even to himself, that he could not continue. Then, not because he would, but because he must, by reason of his physical infirmity, he asked the reference of his name for the superannuate relation.



In his character strength and gentleness combined, and in his ministry the same virtue and grace appeared. He was well grounded in the truth. No doubts shadowed his horizon. The ever increasing assaults upon faith, which mark our day, could not affect him. He rested upon the Bible as the Word of God. The Gospel was to him a divine message which he was divinely commissioned to proclaim, and with the full assurance of a deep experience he could say with the Apostle, "I know whom I have believed." In consequence his was a fruitful ministry, strengthening the faith of those who believed and bringing multitudes to a saving knowledge of his Lord. As a citizen, he was above reproach in his daily walk and conversation. As a husband and father his wise counsels and tender affection have left behind treasures of memory which lie too deep for words. And as a good minister of Jesus Christ there are thousands who rise up to call him blessed, while others whom he led to "wash their robes and make them white" surely welcomed him on the other side.

On August 5, 1881, he was happily married to Miss Annie M. Landes, who shared with him the trials and triumphs of the itinerant life. Always watching over him and ministering to him, it was her loving presence that smoothed the way for his faltering feet and cheered his fainting heart. To them six children were born, four of whom, with their mother, survive: Virginia and Frank of Winchester, Va., Keener Wilson of Ocean Port, N. J., and Mrs. Allen D. Merrill of Pocomoke City, Md. He is also survived by three sisters and by four brothers, one of whom is Rev. Robt. L. Eutsler of Buchanan, Va., an honored member of our own conference.

His funeral was held in Braddock Street Church, Winchester, conducted by his presiding Elder, Rev. H. M. Canter, assisted by Rev. M. D. Mitchell, his pastor, Rev. W. O. Talbert, Rev. J. B. Hupman and Rev. O. D. Lambert. The interment was at Charles Town, where other ministers had gathered and where Rev. W. J. Whitesell, Rev. W. D. Keene and Rev. C. C. Bush took part in the burial. In addition to these many brethren of the ministry came to do him honor.

In the early hours of the morning, without a struggle, peacefully, quietly, gently as a child asleep upon its mother's breast, he passed away. So—

We cannot think of him as dead  
 Who walks with us no more;  
 Along the paths of life we tread,  
 He has but gone before;  
 And still his silent ministry  
 Within our hearts has place,  
 As when on earth he walked with us  
 And met us face to face.

H. M. CANTER.

## REV. JOHN R. JACOBS.

It is the sacred duty and a sweet privilege to record at these sessions of our Annual Conference our appreciation of the life and work of those who have been called from us during the year by death. At the last session Bro. John R. Jacobs was read out for Ronceverte Station—today the entry is made to his name "Died in the Lord." We are missing with heavy hearts one of our most manly of men. How strange that this stalwart and courageous spirit should be called from us in what seemed the prime of life. Such a providence awakens in us who believe in a future life, and in a just and loving Heavenly Father, vast visions of that far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory that shall be revealed in us. We are sure that the reward will far more than compensate for the lack of years to fulfill our Divine commission here.

Bro. Jacobs was born at Unison, Loudon County, Virginia, October 18th, 1868. He began his service in our ministry at the Conference held at Roanoke, Virginia, March, 1896, when he was admitted on trial and sent as Junior Preacher with Rev. H. M. Strickler to Marshall, Va. During this year occurred the romance of his life, when he married Miss Edith, the daughter of his Senior Preacher. Nothing but happiness has come of this romantic marriage which continued in most beautiful love and peace to the end of his life.

At the Conference of March, 1897, the young couple went to Sterling, Va., where he spent only one year.

From this time on his pastorates lasted four years, 1898 to 1902: Listonburg, Pa.; 1902 to 1906, West Harford, Md.; 1906 to 1910, Wesley Grove, Md.; 1910 to 1914, Fredericksburg, Va.; 1914 to 1918, Woodstock, Va.

At the Conference of 1918 he was in France as a Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in the World War.

This intermission in his ministry in the Conference was most characteristic of the manner of the man. He had the qualities of manhood that eminently fitted him for service in the sphere of battle. He went with the boys to the front and saw active service in the great World War. He knew the temper and spirit of the American man and could stand with him in the front of the battle and minister to him with tenderness and manly courage in sickness and death.

He resumed his work in the Conference at the close of the war and at the Conference of March, 1919, was stationed at Martinsburg, W. Va.

Here he remained four years and in 1923 was appointed to Blacksburg. He now once more came into intimate contact with young men at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute. His ministry here was most successful and fruitful. Last year, 1927, his assignment was Ronceverte, W. Va.

It is altogether possible that the awful strain of his army life had left its mark upon him and sapped his splendid vitality. He was stricken several months before the end came. His last battle was well fought and his victory was won.

As a preacher he was clear in his statements of the fundamental truths of the Gospel, and forceful in the delivery of his message. One of the characteristics of his ministry was his ability to point his sermon with the incidents of current life and express it within the channel of present day thought. The boys never missed the meaning of his message.

As a man he was outstanding in his fearless position on all questions and he had abhorrence of any failure to face any issue squarely.

As a comrade he was true and loyal. Friendship with him was as tender and constant as a lover's vow. He was faithful to the end.

His one year at Ronceverte had endeared him to the hearts of the members of his flock, and during his last days they expressed their love for him by every possible means and ministered to him with great tenderness and care. He died in the parsonage, and on July 5th, 1928, funeral services were conducted at the church by his Presiding Elder, the Rev. G. W. Richardson, assisted by Rev. D. L. Blakemore and Rev. T. W. Swann. He was buried at Luray, Va., July 6th, 1928.

Beside his wife, three children—one daughter and two sons—survive him.

We thank God for his life and ministry among us.

F. J. PRETTYMAN.

Official Communiqué

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Alexandria District.	Membership.										Church Property.			
	Members Reported Last Year.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certifcate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Membership, Including Local Preachers.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Number of Congregations in Charge.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.		
1 Alexandria. . . . .	1,243	..	21	9	25	1,248	12	10	1	\$88,000	..			
2 Arlington. . . . .	45	..	..	13	..	58	..	8	1	4,500	\$575			
3 Ballston-Lee Heights. . . . .	209	..	17	20	10	236	1	5	1	40,000	10,800			
4 Chesterbrook-Langley. . . . .	133	..	1	14	5	143	..	14	2	20,625	1,400			
5 Clarendon. . . . .	388	2	17	51	14	444	6	18	1	37,500	400			
6 Del Ray. . . . .	339	1	9	14	5	351	4	19	1	10,000	600			
7 East Fairfax. . . . .	266	1	7	5	5	274	7	5	6	15,000	..			
8 Fairfax. . . . .	283	1	6	16	37	268	4	2	4	20,000	1,500			
9 Falls Church. . . . .	241	2	4	3	18	230	5	4	3	35,000	4,400			
10 Fauquier. . . . .	350	..	9	1	3	357	8	1	4	22,000	..			
11 Fredericksburg. . . . .	641	..	23	30	89	605	8	7	1	40,000	..			
12 Hamilton-Purcellville. . . . .	538	..	10	12	28	528	4	5	3	18,000	..			
13 Herndon. . . . .	289	7	6	6	9	293	7	9	4	20,000	..			
14 Hillsboro-Bluemont. . . . .	515	10	6	6	17	514	3	1	6	18,000	..			
15 Leesburg. . . . .	409	26	2	2	81	356	9	9	2	35,000	..			
16 Loudoun. . . . .	405	15	14	14	12	352	15	..	4	27,000	160			
17 Manassas. . . . .	363	3	7	3	84	362	1	4	3	15,500	10,000			
18 Marshall. . . . .	405	26	2	2	4	430	26	2	4	25,000	..			
19 Middleburg. . . . .	314	8	2	2	21	303	6	..	2	30,000	..			
20 Nokesville. . . . .	187	18	..	..	35	180	16	5	6	10,000	..			
21 Occoquan. . . . .	275	19	..	9	75	228	3	6	5	24,000	..			
22 Quantico. . . . .	185	35	..	..	80	140	30	2	3	46,000	..			
23 Remington. . . . .	711	1	24	18	15	728	8	2	4	26,000	2,500			
24 Stafford. . . . .	666	..	..	3	6	663	..	..	7	30,000	..			
25 Sterling. . . . .	214	1	4	..	37	181	3	..	5	35,000	..			
26 Sudley. . . . .	214	..	16	8	7	314	13	..	3	25,000	..			
27 Warrenton. . . . .	366	1	17	6	23	365	19	2	2	70,000	..			
28 West Fauquier. . . . .	260	..	6	..	6	266	4	..	4	18,000	3,300			
Total	10,595	979	969	751	6	10,419	910	100	..	..	..			



TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Church Property—Continued.										Insurance.					Woman's Work.			
No. of Par-sonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Property.	Raised for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Premiums Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	Number of Societies.	Members.	Total Amt. Raised by Women's Missionary Societies.					
1	\$12,000		\$2,500	\$500	\$67,000	\$40					1	219	\$846					
2				127	2,500	13					1	32	298					
3				1,691	20,000	72					1	20	71					
4				600	11,500	42					2	30	1,071					
5	10,000	\$1,000		3,000	24,000						1	101	2,103					
6	10,000	2,350		1,357	14,000	44					1	45	695					
7	5,000	200	600	1,400	6,000	38												
8	5,000			665	12,500	95					2	37	58					
9	6,000		700	1,368	16,800	63					1	32	255					
10	6,000		700	350	16,800	63					1	13	34					
11	12,000	5,400	1,250	4,889	31,000	46					3	140	645					
12	3,500		20,000	10,318	15,000	53					1	9	172					
13	10,000	5,500		1,130	20,000	75					2	17	295					
14	4,500		1,000	350	10,500	32					1	10	60					
15	8,000			1,800	29,000						1		171					
16	10,000		1,000	1,193	14,700	43					2	30	54					
17	5,000		7,000	2,000	10,000						1	23	115					
18			300	20	10,000	7					2	29	227					
19	9,000				14,300	34												
20	3,800			1,175	3,500	20					1	12	275					
21	8,000		3,000	2,200	21,000	159												
22	2,000	650		300	3,000	15					2	39	151					
23	4,600		1,600	3,500	15,600	35					1	18	144					
24	3,000		1,000	275	11,000	11												
25	4,500		830	523	20,000	63												
26	6,000		473	327	10,500	53					2	43	504					
27	10,400			422	37,000	85					1	23	399					
28				1,125	8													
25	\$167,300	\$18,109	\$41,953	\$41,481	\$468,325	\$1,209					31	925	\$8,643					

TABLE No. 2—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

	Church Papers Taken.		Epworth Leagues.						Total Raised by Epworth Leagues.
	General Organ.	Conference Organ.	Number Leagues.	Members.	Raised for Missions.	Raised on Anniversary Day.	Raised for All Other Objects.		
1 Alexandria.....	4	130	2	160	\$25		\$260	\$385	
2 Arlington.....	1	4	3	104	45	2	104	158	
3 Balston-Lee Heights.....									
4 Chesterbrook-Langley.....	1	25	3	117	66	6	115	187	
5 Clarendon.....			1	40	22	129	151	151	
6 Del Ray.....									
7 East Fairfax.....	2	14	2	36	30			30	
8 Fairfax.....	2	20	1	78	15		37	52	
9 Falls Church.....	2	20	1	16			10	10	
10 Fauquier.....			1	16			10	10	
11 Fredericksburg.....	5	45	1	51	25	5	71	101	
12 Hamilton-Purcellville.....	2	32	3	35	10	10	10	30	
13 Herndon.....	1	25	3	90	64	2	82	148	
14 Hillsboro-Bluemont.....	1	25	1	60			55	55	
15 Leesburg.....	4	26							
16 Loudoun.....	5	27							
17 Manassas.....	2	28	1	34	40	5	25	70	
18 Marshall.....			2	29	20	3	83	106	
19 Middleburg.....	4	15	1	50			60	60	
20 Nokesville.....	1	45							
21 Occoquan.....	1	12							
22 Quantico.....	1	8	2	33	6		100	139	
23 Remington.....	4	22	3	125	60		150	210	
24 Stafford.....	1	25							
25 Sterling.....			3	116	10	3	40	53	
26 Sudley.....	2	32							
27 Warrenton.....	2	25							
28 West Fauquier.....									
Total.....	54	588	31	1,164	\$438	175	\$1,451	\$1,909	

Alexandria District.

TABLE No. 2.—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Number of Sunday Schools.	Sunday Schools.											Lay Activities.			
	Officers & Teachers.	Number on Cradle Roll.	Number in Home Dept.	Number in All Other Depts.	Total Enrollment in All Depts.	Number of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church.	No. Taking Training Courses.	Number of Wesley Classes.	Amount Raised on Sunday School Day	Amount Raised for Missions.	Amount Raised for All Other Purposes.	Total Amt. Raised by Sunday Schools.	Number of Brother-hoods.	Number of Members.	Raised by Brother-hoods.
1	63	80	200	606	949	21	8	4	\$25	\$200	\$1,773	\$1,998	.....	.....	.....
1	13	16	115	145	145	.....	.....	.....	10	53	217	280	.....	.....	.....
2	25	18	258	288	288	.....	.....	.....	20	121	350	491	.....	.....	.....
3	21	53	15	192	291	.....	.....	.....	26	109	483	618	.....	.....	.....
4	46	35	45	468	594	24	30	5	25	166	656	847	.....	.....	.....
5	30	47	10	469	557	.....	.....	.....	25	534	658	1,217	.....	.....	.....
6	40	30	312	382	557	5	.....	.....	10	195	375	580	.....	.....	.....
7	34	38	25	303	363	6	4	.....	40	176	585	800	.....	.....	.....
8	34	12	28	.....	240	130	.....	.....	5	172	297	474	.....	.....	.....
9	28	12	28	.....	242	7	.....	.....	2	129	188	329	.....	.....	.....
10	38	14	.....	192	242	.....	.....	.....	12	129	188	329	.....	.....	.....
11	39	21	135	497	695	23	19	6	30	505	750	1,285	.....	.....	.....
12	32	40	65	452	589	8	8	5	30	350	600	980	.....	.....	.....
13	33	39	24	232	328	4	6	5	31	109	415	555	.....	.....	.....
14	54	18	28	290	395	6	.....	.....	38	124	291	453	.....	.....	.....
15	15	25	.....	210	235	15	2	1	26	158	819	1,003	.....	.....	.....
16	4	32	.....	156	212	12	.....	.....	17	122	103	242	.....	.....	.....
17	1	15	15	152	202	4	6	6	15	325	243	583	.....	.....	.....
18	3	23	10	100	273	21	.....	.....	24	45	344	519	.....	.....	.....
19	2	16	10	138	164	5	5	1	17	41	251	309	.....	.....	.....
20	4	20	10	100	130	15	.....	.....	14	23	140	178	.....	.....	.....
21	3	24	.....	161	185	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	350	.....	.....	.....
22	3	28	28	179	259	30	12	1	17	55	260	332	.....	.....	.....
23	4	48	25	300	396	16	.....	.....	23	50	400	473	.....	.....	.....
24	7	82	15	.....	621	.....	.....	.....	31	171	438	540	.....	.....	.....
25	5	33	14	222	273	3	.....	.....	21	.....	452	473	.....	.....	.....
26	2	18	35	103	201	13	8	3	14	18	168	187	.....	.....	.....
27	2	31	46	184	281	16	7	1	18	276	424	718	.....	.....	.....
28	1	7	8	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	20	30	.....	.....	.....
79	898	734	821	6,293	9,127	393	146	66	\$574	\$4,217	\$11,850	\$16,844	1	12	\$151

TABLE NO. 3—FINANCE.

Presiding Elder.		Preacher In Charge.		District Work.		Annual Conf. Work.		General Work.	
		Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
Alexandria District.									
1	Alexandria—W. S. Hammond	\$400	\$400	\$3,600	\$3,600	\$121	\$1,318	\$1,318	\$905
2	Arlington—Deiford Sheets	8	8	600	610	2	290	187	197
3	Balston-Lee Heights—E. S. Sheppe	80	60	1,500	1,500	20	184	130	130
4	Chesterbrook—Langley—A. H. Shumate	60	80	1,200	1,200	13	38	500	342
5	Clarendon—G. H. Fielding	156	156	2,400	2,400	38	411	309	211
6	Del Ray—W. R. Hardesty	142	142	2,400	2,400	67	341	165	110
7	East Fairfax—J. C. Dugger	100	100	1,235	1,235	20	348	270	225
8	Fairfax—L. B. Atkins	135	135	1,600	1,600	30	443	301	285
9	Falls Church—Homer Welch	145	145	1,800	1,500	23	441	101	60
10	Fauquier—Walter Smith	136	136	1,500	2,700	39	777	531	531
11	Fredericksburg—C. L. DeLong	162	162	1,500	1,500	50	582	407	410
12	Hamilton—Purcellville—F. T. Ridgeway	264	264	2,700	1,700	29	398	350	265
13	Herdon—Glenn J. Cooper	165	165	1,900	1,700	52	550	289	378
14	Hillsboro—Bluemont—J. W. Seay	118	118	1,500	2,460	40	591	591	406
15	Leesburg—J. R. Wood	162	162	1,500	1,782	40	470	400	321
16	Loudoun—O. L. Gochenour	170	170	1,800	1,800	36	520	225	300
17	Manassa—George Hesel	152	152	1,800	1,700	40	461	400	311
18	Marshall—S. V. Hildebrand	140	140	1,800	1,700	30	420	420	278
19	Middleburg—W. C. Early	146	142	1,700	950	19	184	85	40
20	Nokesville—H. P. Smith	55	55	950	1,500	28	464	110	90
21	Occoquan—H. H. Hoyt	112	142	1,500	800	10	540	70	50
22	Quantico—Paul L. Warner	40	40	800	1,450	71	630	200	435
23	Remington—W. H. Gray	142	142	1,510	1,750	66	366	60	146
24	Stafford—W. H. Marsh	161	161	1,750	1,200	9	384	244	40
25	Sterling—C. M. Wright	111	111	1,200	1,300	29	557	140	118
26	Sudley—C. F. Phillips	125	125	1,300	1,975	29	243	154	96
27	Warrenton—D. M. Brown	150	150	2,000	414	27	880	570	570
28	West Fauquier—C. B. Larrick	50	35	675	414	27	880	570	570
Total		\$3,800	\$3,785	\$46,720	\$46,366	\$880	\$6,945	\$9,170	\$6,711



TABLE NO. 3--FINANCE.

	-Raised This Year.										Brought For-ward from Table 1.	Brought For-ward from Table 2.	Grand Total for Year.
	Foreign Missions Specials.	Home Missions Specials.	Conference Missions Specials.	For Golden Cross Fund.	On Christian Education Pledges.	For Superannuate Endowment.	For Hospital.	For Orphanage.	For Incidental and Other Objects.	Missions Maintenance.			
1								\$200	\$4,866		\$1,386	\$2,383	\$15,279
2									126		439	280	4,488
3	\$8	\$10			25				1,244		1,834	642	5,644
4					31			40	84		1,713	618	3,217
5	254				115			\$19	1,128		5,103	1,034	10,746
6					40			50	291		2,086	5,075	6,296
7					32			88	100		1,438	830	3,700
8	50				370			88	328		819	830	4,773
9					10			15	450	6	1,687	226	5,246
10					226				384		447	339	3,084
11									1,204		6,578	1,386	12,505
12					\$50			34			10,542	1,010	14,620
13	175	20	51	\$15	200			200	200		1,560	854	4,923
14					163			25	215		442	585	3,513
15					25			698	400	\$125	1,971	1,300	7,284
16					16			80	280		1,280	298	4,484
17				5	54				300		2,115	583	5,420
18					21			21	429		554	519	3,815
19	41				196				200		362	369	3,675
20					191			20	100		1,470	178	2,296
21					36			17	378	48	2,259	149	5,004
22								20	800		466	471	2,887
23	68				150			3	136		3,679	4,362	6,609
24					115			3	50	96	286	540	2,403
25					15						40,916	526	40,863
26					98			54	380		889	187	2,907
27	40										908	735	4,244
28											8	30	
	\$741	\$20	\$137	\$20	\$70	\$2,394	\$16	\$619	\$14,073	\$269	\$92,135	\$26,089	\$190,125

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Baltimore District.	Membership.										Church Property.				
	Members Reported Last Year.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership, Including Local Preachers.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Number of Congregations in Charge.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.			
1	Aberdeen. . . . .	244	11	3	8	250	14	2	2	\$25,800	.....				
2	Annapolis-Salem. . . . .	265	31	6	6	296	18	1	2	7,000	.....				
3	Asbury-Pasadena. . . . .	169	.....	24	12	181	17	3	2	20,000	.....				
4	Baltimore—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....				
5	Alph. Wilson Mem. . . . .	436	8	21	21	444	5	1	1	250,000	\$50,000				
6	Andrew Chapel. . . . .	164	7	7	6	172	8	1	1	25,000	13,900				
7	Arlington. . . . .	285	25	6	47	269	11	1	1	60,000	.....				
8	Central-Caernarvon. . . . .	464	8	33	68	438	6	3	1	35,000	.....				
9	Epworth. . . . .	92	32	6	2	129	9	1	1	45,000	5,000				
10	Frederick Avenue. . . . .	308	13	.....	5	316	1	12	1	52,000	10,100				
11	Hamilton-North Pt. . . . .	478	105	59	10	625	10	6	2	135,000	58,600				
12	Trinity. . . . .	468	16	32	42	472	4	4	1	200,000	86,000				
13	Sudbrook. . . . .	98	14	1	2	111	1	3	1	25,000	.....				
14	Wilkens Avenue. . . . .	373	4	4	51	348	.....	.....	1	75,000	6,750				
15	Church Hill-Millington . . . . .	201	17	1	3	216	3	11	4	32,000	.....				
16	Easton. . . . .	247	3	3	53	200	3	1	1	40,000	.....				
17	Freedom. . . . .	445	7	4	15	441	7	10	6	19,800	.....				
18	Goldsboro. . . . .	164	4	2	2	168	5	1	1	8,500	.....				
19	Howard. . . . .	357	2	6	53	312	12	4	4	36,000	.....				
20	Ingleside. . . . .	158	12	1	1	170	1	2	2	4,000	.....				
21	Jarrettsville. . . . .	195	3	.....	3	195	4	2	2	12,000	.....				
22	Mt. Airy. . . . .	266	21	13	71	319	1	4	3	25,000	.....				
23	Patuxent-Odenton. . . . .	236	.....	10	8	319	1	9	5	19,000	.....				
24	Perry Hall. . . . .	44	.....	.....	.....	44	.....	.....	1	7,000	.....				
25	Queen Anne. . . . .	127	2	1	8	122	12	1	2	6,000	.....				
26	Reisterstown. . . . .	255	13	.....	5	263	4	2	2	15,000	.....				
27	Royal Oak-Tilghmans . . . . .	116	1	2	4	115	2	2	2	8,000	.....				
28	Trappe. . . . .	119	1	1	3	118	1	4	2	5,500	.....				
29	Wesley Grove. . . . .	229	5	5	12	290	6	2	2	24,500	2,300				
Total. . . . .	7,063	15	381	251	521	7,232	36	219	64	55	\$1,917,100	399,650			

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Church Property—Continued.				Insurance.						Woman's Work.			
No. of Par-sonages.	Value.	Indebt-ness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Raised for Churches and Par-sonages.	Insurance Carried.	Premiums Paid.	Churches Damaged or De-stroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or De-stroyed.	Amount of Dam-ages.	Loss Col-lected.	Number of Societies.	Members.	Total Amt. Raised by Women's Societies.
1	\$5,600	\$400	.....	\$657	\$24,300	\$46	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	87	\$789
2	8,000	.....	\$4,000	115	8,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	18	131
3	5,000	.....	4,000	2,165	12,700	63	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	29	40
4	15,000	6,375	4,000	12,497	111,000	253	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	57	4,377
5	7,000	.....	.....	1,935	32,000	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	26	127
6	15,000	.....	.....	587	27,700	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	49	1,191
7	6,600	.....	5,500	1,200	36,500	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	131	1,839
8	300	.....	275	275	1,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9	4,000	.....	.....	1,910	16,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	28	225
10	10,000	.....	.....	10,822	66,000	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	32	34
11	25,000	.....	1,300	7,635	120,000	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	133	2,617
12	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13	4,900	.....	.....	2,111	35,000	240	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	64	517
14	4,500	.....	.....	615	8,810	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	6,000	1,400	3,000	350	17,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	37	456
16	3,000	.....	1,200	600	12,800	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	15	130
17	3,500	.....	1,700	700	7,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	10,500	.....	3,000	300	28,000	89	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	53	192
19	2,500	.....	.....	250	4,000	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	5,000	.....	1,000	421	12,225	97	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	19	115
21	5,000	.....	.....	.....	18,000	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	20	110
22	4,000	.....	1,000	93	10,500	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
23	.....	.....	2,500	.....	3,000	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24	2,000	.....	2,500	103	4,100	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	22	117
25	6,000	.....	1,800	1,015	13,000	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	90	85
26	3,500	.....	500	100	8,100	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	51	109
27	2,600	.....	200	250	4,500	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
28	2,500	.....	.....	292	17,500	69	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	91	342
26	\$167,100	\$8,175	\$37,475	\$47,001	\$668,536	\$1,574	.....	.....	.....	.....	37	1,052	\$13,543

TABLE No. 2 - CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

	Church Papers Taken.		Epworth Leagues.						Total Raised by Epworth Leagues.
	General Organ.	Conference Organ.	Number Leagues.	Members.	Raised for Missions.	Raised on Anniversary Day.	Raised for All Other Objects.		
1	1	27	2	72	\$35	9	\$142	\$386	
2	2	25	2	55	14	11	134	189	
3		26							
Baltimore—									
4			2	137	70		122	132	
5	3	13	1	22			23	28	
6	4	47	2	46	60	3	63	126	
7	4	85	2	35	60	2	63	125	
8	3	8	1	48	4			575	
9			3	69	47		110	157	
10			2	70	50	2	75	127	
11			1	20	70	10	175	255	
12	1	10	2	54	25	1	65	91	
13			2	57	27	3	62	92	
14			2	52	13	8	75	91	
15	3	24	1	30	15		68	83	
16	2	12	1	32	5		8	13	
17	1	12	2	50	8	2	25	35	
18	1	32	2	61			64	64	
19	1	15							
20	1	27	1	45	40	8	91	139	
21	3	16	1	73	25	3	93	122	
22	3	34	3	80	26	4	203	243	
23		3							
24	1	20							
25	1	19	3	107	26	3	119	148	
26									
27									
28	1	34	2	73	37	3	73	113	



TABLE No. 2.—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Number of Sunday Schools.	Sunday Schools.										Lay Activities.			
	Number of Officers & Teachers.	Number on Cradle Roll.	Number in Home Dept.	Number in All Other Depts.	Total Enrollment in All Depts.	Number of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church.	No. Taking Training Courses.	Number of Wesley Classes.	Amount Raised on Sunday School Day.	Amount Raised for All Other Purposes.	Total Amt. Raised by Sunday Schools.	Number of Brother-hoods.	Number of Members.	Raised by Brother-hoods.
1	28	22	19	195	264	10	1	8	\$45	\$403	\$416			
2	28	57	31	275	391	32	2		11	410	1,079			
3	25			215	270		8		8	22				
4														
5	13	17	13	291	334	4	8	1	11	82	467			
6	28	14	34	203	279	15	12	1	20	470	358			
7	25	9	100	249	383	6	19	4	33	565	852			
8	18	26			138	12								
9	35	75	20	291	421	10	5	4	10		988			
10	52	36		566	654	108			35	406	826			
11	20	15	60	180	275	14			35	450	1,252			
12	15			130	145	12		1	5	121	244			
13	26	65	70	314	475	21	8	1	15		285			
14	25	19	10	123	178	15	3		28	178	172			
15	15	15	35	127	192	3	4	2		213	230			
16	49	30	9	315	403	6	22	2	34	228	500			
17	22	28	16	200	266	4	15	1	25	265	323			
18	37	4	18	308	362		11	5	35	76	525			
19	18			125	143	12			20	136	136			
20	18	13	6	116	153	3			39	100	113			
21	30	5	16	209	260				9	215	286			
22	34	40		267	341	17				312	317			
23	9	16		49	74									
24	14	16		111	141	1	15	1	15	200	198			
25	22	20	20	177	239			24		255	332			
26	20	4	15	209	248	1	5			263	347			
27	14	15		143	172				9	132	53			
28	26	15	9	193	243	3	5	2	18	404	330			
12	767	576	501	5,611	7,144	309	143	56	\$480	\$5,846	\$11,099			\$18,179

TABLE NO. 3—FINANCE.

	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		District Work.		Annual Conf. Work.		General Work.	
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
1	\$169	\$169	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$43	\$43	\$464	\$303	\$316	\$206
2	105	105	1,560	1,560	25	25	300	300	203	203
3	100	100	1,426	1,426	20	10	211	129	144	86
Baltimore:										
4	300	300	4,000	4,000	71	71	874	874	595	595
5	112	112	1,500	1,500	28	20	266	100	182	132
6	187	187	3,000	3,000	51	51	552	552	376	376
7	260	260	3,000	3,000	71	71	732	675	498	441
8	98	65	1,050	1,050						
9	135	135	1,800	1,800	42	42	398	398	272	272
10	187	187	2,700	2,700	57	38	703	600	478	225
11	285	285	3,600	3,600	80	80	994	994	706	706
12	98	98	1,300	1,300	20		222	70	150	50
13	165	165	2,200	2,200	45	45	461	461	314	314
14	136	136	1,300	1,300	33	33	402	300	273	144
15	135	135	1,800	1,800	35	35	419	369	255	197
16	112	112	1,500	1,500	35	35	380	140	258	100
17	100	100	1,200	1,200	23	23	281	281	192	192
18	139	139	1,800	1,800	45	45	557	216	380	216
19	83	83	1,100	1,100	25	25	289	221	197	150
20	120	120	1,600	1,600	30	30	370	370	251	251
21	83	83	1,200	1,200	30	20	289	200	203	123
22	150	134	1,650	1,562	33	25	245	165	166	85
Junior Preacher.										
23	38	38	500	500	8	8	99		67	
24	75	75	1,200	1,200	22	22	232	212	158	108
25	90	90	1,200	1,200	26	26	250	250	145	145
26	75	75	1,400	1,365	20	20	288	200	196	103
27	60	60	800	800	17	17	182	182	124	124
28	150	150	2,000	2,000	50	50	517	517	354	354
Total	\$3,747	\$2,698	\$49,360	\$49,300	\$985	\$900	\$10,977	\$9,072	\$7,483	\$5,919

Note.—Omitting to the first of last

TABLE No. 3—FINANCE.

	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Conference Missions	Raised This Year.								Brought Forward from Table 1.	Brought Forward from Table 2.	Grand Total for Year.	
				For Golden Cross Fund.	On Christian Education	Pledges	For Superannuate Endowment.	For Hospitals.	For Orphanage.	For Incidental and Other Objects.	Missions for Maintenance.				
1	\$201				\$34		\$196			\$75	\$863		\$1,492	\$1,250	\$5,735
2	50				29		179			39	1,000		246	1,689	5,015
3							51				125	\$20	2,268	363	4,530
4							629			63	6,351		17,127	890	26,443
5							74			45	1,535	119	2,212	588	6,527
6							550				1,892	215	1,838	974	9,165
7	200						500			83	3,002		3,059	1,575	10,366
8	32										544	17	275	865	2,721
9							50				1,180		2,135	998	6,467
10							289				2,490		11,193	1,444	20,868
11							1,667			300	7,379	400	10,317	1,992	27,760
12							398					21		461	2,291
13							\$15				1,371	85	2,111	392	6,504
14	72						93				837		666	370	3,773
15							52				1,198		806	526	5,718
16							61				200		810	1,162	4,080
17							27				698	21	700	588	3,625
18							325			501	1,061		581	700	5,133
19							70				280		252	292	2,337
20	114						36				627		635	391	3,955
21							134			40	90	31	347	632	2,900
22	25						244			50	753		113	872	3,818
23	16						2				29		8	112	705
24							43			39	241	81	265	413	2,489
25	120						130			15	327	15	1,151	749	4,151
26											131	8	274	621	2,203
27											195		250	193	1,868
28							180				817	160	703	847	5,588
	\$830				\$124	\$15	\$5,598			\$850	\$35,276	\$1,193	\$62,749	\$21,949	\$219,900

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

TABLE No. 1--MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Lewisburg District.	Membership.										Church Property.				
	Members Reported Last Year.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Other.	Present Total Membership.	Including Local Preachers.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Number of Congregations in Charge.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.		
1 Alderson.....	463	.....	4	1	32	431	2	.....	1	1	\$60,000	\$7,500			
2 Alvon.....	255	.....	41	2	3	296	19	3	6	5	2,500	.....			
3 Blue Sulphur.....	472	.....	50	7	82	447	50	17	6	6	20,000	.....			
4 Callaghan.....	269	1	6	4	4	279	6	18	6	4	5,000	.....			
5 Clifton Forge.....	1,117	.....	24	18	53	1,106	10	7	1	1	80,000	9,369			
6 Covington--	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			
7 Epworth.....	329	1	8	7	36	311	6	22	2	1	45,000	17,900			
8 Granbery Memorial.	701	.....	23	18	11	731	13	6	1	1	70,000	11,485			
9 Durbin.....	131	.....	31	8	8	163	11	26	4	3	12,500	.....			
10 Frankford.....	294	1	2	4	11	290	.....	7	3	3	10,000	.....			
11 Greenbank.....	635	1	1	9	144	562	1	7	6	5	21,000	.....			
12 Greenville.....	372	.....	13	.....	5	389	.....	.....	4	4	15,000	.....			
13 Hillsboro.....	282	.....	17	.....	8	291	5	.....	2	2	19,000	.....			
14 Hinton-Belle Point.....	633	.....	18	6	22	695	11	4	1	2	53,500	.....			
15 Hot Springs.....	420	1	2	.....	26	398	.....	1	7	6	15,000	.....			
16 Huntersville.....	231	.....	8	2	3	238	4	5	5	5	16,000	425			
17 Levellon.....	378	.....	9	1	14	374	6	.....	6	5	13,500	.....			
18 Lewisburg.....	408	1	7	14	11	419	.....	.....	1	1	55,000	.....			
19 Marlinton.....	547	.....	8	16	10	563	3	4	1	1	65,000	3,200			
20 Paint Bank.....	397	.....	18	3	13	402	28	26	6	6	12,600	.....			
21 Peterstown.....	449	.....	5	3	69	388	4	.....	6	6	6,000	.....			
22 Richlands.....	375	.....	10	.....	4	146	.....	4	2	4	9,500	.....			
23 Riverview.....	258	.....	3	2	69	184	3	.....	5	3	9,500	.....			
24 Ronceverte.....	348	.....	5	3	6	344	4	5	1	1	50,000	9,700			
25 Selma.....	225	1	19	14	.....	252	23	.....	4	2	13,000	.....			
26 Talcott.....	542	.....	.....	.....	2	540	.....	.....	6	5	28,000	.....			
27 Union.....	581	.....	1	1	20	560	1	3	6	6	35,000	1,200			
28 White Sulphur.....	384	.....	24	17	3	423	12	3	1	1	25,000	2,850			
Williamsburg.....	317	.....	45	6	22	346	20	.....	4	3	8,000	.....			
Total.....	1,933	7	402	116	700	11,559	242	167	104	94	\$754,600	63,629			



TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Church Property—Continued.				Insurance.						Woman's Work.			
No. of Par-sonages.	Value.	Indebt-ness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Raised for Churches and Par-sonages.	Insurance Carried.	Premiums Paid.	Churches Damaged or De-stroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or De-stroyed.	Amount of Dam-ages.	Loss Col-lected.	Number of Societies.	Members.	Total Amt. Raised by Women's Missionary Societies.
1	\$8,000	\$5,000	.....	\$2,875	\$50,000	\$259	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	75	953
1	3,000	.....	\$800	122	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	8,000	.....	.....	359	6,000	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	18	36
4	2,500	.....	.....	.....	1,200	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	8	234
4	5,000	.....	.....	1,567	49,000	522	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	296	2,002
6	150	.....	500	2,134	20,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	10,000	.....	.....	4,988	23,500	110	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	31	807
8	3,500	295	250	700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	29	190
9	4,000	.....	500	610	3,500	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	42	421
10	2,500	.....	.....	300	8,600	93	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	40	319
11	5,000	.....	.....	300	3,000	48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
12	4,000	.....	.....	274	11,200	76	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	25	125
13	15,000	.....	14,500	1,899	21,900	58	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	79	517
14	6,100	2,450	.....	663	4,900	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	19	165
15	2,500	.....	.....	375	2,200	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	15	131
16	1,000	.....	170	170	1,000	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	12,000	2,800	.....	2,107	36,000	205	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	87	439
18	5,000	.....	.....	3,842	59,000	166	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	126	1,263
19	1,200	.....	.....	175	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	4,000	150	500	150	2,000	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	54	267
21	4,000	.....	.....	10	5,330	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	20	139
22	.....	.....	200	70	900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
23	2,000	.....	2,100	2,445	4,000	203	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	80	971
24	3,500	916	.....	.....	6,000	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	51	51
25	2,500	.....	.....	506	2,100	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	25	50
26	4,000	.....	2,000	1,000	10,000	55	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	65	1,200
27	6,000	.....	.....	7,475	10,000	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	120	1,200
28	3,000	.....	.....	.....	1,500	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	\$695,400	\$6,166	\$20,720	\$35,141	\$332,830	\$1,748	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	1,259	\$11,480

TABLE No. 2—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

		Church Papers Taken.		Epworth Leagues.						Total Raised by Epworth Leagues.
		General Organ.	Conference Organ.	Number.	Members.	Raised for Missions.	Raised on Anniversary Day.	Raised for All Other Objects.	Total Raised by Epworth Leagues.	
1	Alderson	1	12	2	74	\$160	60	\$68	234	
2	Alvon	3	20	1	40	12	12	75	12	
3	Blue Sulphur	3	32	2	50	20	10	10	96	
4	Callaghan	30	55	3	241	81	2	10	433	
5	Clifton Forge	2	30	2	45	15	2	200	217	
6	Epworth	10	50	1	56	35	1	125	160	
7	Granbery Memorial									
8	Durbin									
9	Frankford									
10	Greenbank									
11	Greenville									
12	Hillsboro	1	10	1	55	50	3	84	137	
13	Hinton-Belle Point	6	53	2	36	39	4	85	129	
14	Hot Springs	1	11	3	77					
15	Huntersville	1	10							
16	Levelton									
17	Lewisburg	17	37	1	44	30	5	75	110	
18	Marlinton	5	4	1	90	20	5	75	100	
19	Paint Bank			1	56	6		78	78	
20	Peterstown			1	44	20		75	81	
21	Richlands			2	78	5		5	25	
22	Riverview	1	4							
23	Ronceverte	7	25	1	65	35	5	71	111	
24	Selma			5	144	36	6	155	197	
25	Talcott	1	6	1	60	10	1	1	19	
26	Union	7	58	1	30	50		17	17	
27	White Sulphur	2	70	3	172	60	6	206	262	
28	Williamsburg	1	10	2	42			20	20	
	Total	99	697	40	1,657	\$637	135	\$1,380	\$2,497	

TABLE No. 2—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Sunday Schools.														Lay Activities.		
Number of Sunday Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Number on Cradle Roll.	Number in Home Dept.	Number in All Other Depts.	Total Enrollment in All Depts.	Number of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church.	No. Taking Training Courses.	Number of Wesley Classes.	Amount Raised on Sunday School Day.	Amount Raised for Missions.	Amount Raised for All Other Purposes.	Total Amt. Raised by Sunday Schools.	Number of Brother-hoods.	Number of Members.	Raised by Brother-hoods.	
1	27	65	28	390	510	4			\$15	\$139	\$360	\$784				
4	30	25			150	20				20	120	140				
4	35	65	27		127	18			10	163	257	430				
5	27	18	235	280	515				5	20	320	345				
5	44	75	85	741	945	16	19	1		1,600	1,251	2,851	1	28	56	
6	20	53	32	343	448	8	4	6	15	325	1,490	1,830				
7	27	48	50	506	631	25	12	4	30	554	5,568	6,182				
8	4	27	40	256	340	28	11	2	9	40	183	292	1	12		
9	26	41	8	257	332	1	2	16		49	172	236				
10	48	70	14	523	655		10		23	140	462	625				
11	4	30	24	6	310	3						80				
12	29	40	25	244	338	17	12	7	10	118	425	533				
13	32	50	68	653	803	11			8	28	174	210				
14	6	36	2	313	369	2	7		10	26	236	272				
15	30	19		189	238	8			10	26	94	131				
16	35	30		277	345	6			3	34	42	984				
17	15	20	20	215	275	10	7	5	20	492	472	984				
18	27	40	20	447	534	2	30	3	36	661	761	1,458				
19	4	27	21	243	291	10			16	34	206	265				
20	16				120					10	40	50				
21	12	12		160	190	10		2	7	55	25	87				
22	16	5		95	116	3			4	6	81	87				
23	30	30	55	320	435	3	8	2	6	70	1,480	1,556	1	28	10	
24	22	52		282	356	14		1		78	292	331				
25	31	28	18		360				9	45	135	189				
26	65	80	51	364	560			4	25	35	615	675				
27	32	60	35	375	507	15	17	4	10	600	644	1,254				
28	26	12	14	150	196	15				129		232				
82	838	1,036	808	7,873	10,996	249	149	57	\$271	\$5,820	\$17,497	\$24,132	3	68	\$65	

TABLE No. 3—FINANCE.

		Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		District Work.		Annual Conf. Work.		General Work.	
		Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
Lewisburg District.											
1	Alderson—E. A. Roades.....	\$181	\$181	\$2,300	\$2,300	\$206	\$206	\$598	\$397	\$453	\$353
2	Alvon—N. W. Russell.....	74	74	.....	.....	75	75	270	75	183	50
3	Blue Sulphur—W. F. Hodges.....	100	100	1,250	1,250	113	113	370	370	248	139
4	Callaghan—Palmer Eubank.....	96	90	1,200	1,127	103	50	345	50	229	50
5	Clifton Forge—D. L. Blakemore.....	230	290	3,500	3,600	338	338	1,095	515	745	325
Covington:											
6	Epworth—J. B. Grimes.....	130	.....	1,800	.....	125	125	435	225	289	125
7	Granbery Memorial—J. H. Bean.....	244	244	3,000	3,000	282	282	918	318	624	624
8	Dubin—L. S. Shires.....	88	88	1,100	806	50	21	327	41	209	27
9	Frankford—R. D. Marshall.....	100	100	1,200	1,200	113	45	374	165	248	110
10	Greenbank—George E. Pope.....	100	100	1,500	1,500	113	50	375	110	250	75
11	Greenville—E. G. Helmintoller.....	85	85	1,200	1,161	100	40	315	75	210	40
12	Hillsboro—E. T. Harrison.....	100	100	1,200	1,200	113	.....	370	75	250	55
13	Hinton-Belle Point—H. L. Hout.....	245	245	3,000	3,000	281	281	918	918	622	622
14	Hot Springs—F. L. Morrison.....	100	97	1,500	1,453	131	40	432	41	285	27
15	Huntersville—Mack Thomason.....	65	61	780	690	75	38	273	35	170	21
16	Levelton—H. A. Wilson.....	86	45	1,000	860	109	.....	312	.....	220	.....
17	Lewisburg—T. M. Swann.....	214	214	3,000	3,000	225	225	715	715	495	495
18	Marlinton—S. R. Neel.....	192	192	2,600	2,600	268	208	678	678	458	458
19	Paint Bank—A. C. Pugh.....	86	86	1,025	1,025	94	60	322	45	.....	.....
20	Peterstown—W. M. Reynolds.....	90	90	1,100	1,100	90	80	.....	90	.....	46
21	Richlands—P. C. Helmintoller, Jr.....	70	64	1,000	917	163	35	237	35	238	35
22	Riverview—George M. Bell.....	60	35	645	586	64	32	216	32	140	32
23	Ronceverte—J. R. Jacobs.....	214	214	2,700	2,700	205	205	713	356	450	225
24	Selma—B. F. Wright.....	104	80	1,350	1,015	118	.....	385	18	260	12
25	Talcott—L. O. Rose.....	96	96	1,300	1,300	104	10	330	40	232	10
26	Union—J. L. Early, Jr.....	136	136	1,700	1,546	155	100	505	243	334	175
27	White Sulphur—G. G. Oliver.....	160	160	2,200	2,200	180	180	580	580	390	390
28	Williamsburg—W. J. Elliott.....	90	90	1,100	1,037	100	66	338	217	300	191
Total.....		\$3,597	\$3,357	\$45,270	\$42,243	\$3,994	\$2,905	\$12,948	\$7,768	\$8,532	\$4,712

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.



TABLE No. 3—FINANCE.

	Raised This Year.										Brought For-ward from Table 1.	Brought For-ward from Table 2.	Grand Total for Year.
	Foreign Missions Specials.	Home Missions Specials.	Conference Missions Specials.	For Golden Cross Fund.	On Chris-tian Edu-cation Pledges.	For Super-annuate Endow-ment.	For Hos-pital.	For Or-phanage.	For In-clu-dents and Other Objects.	Missions for Main-tenance.			
1								\$26	\$1,424		\$3,037	\$789	\$7,857
2									221		122	140	1,656
3	\$163	\$10		\$36	\$5			29	257		418	442	3,761
4					40				7		246	441	2,846
5					1,090				3,305		4,091	3,431	15,684
6			20				\$20	45	440		2,134	1,830	8,637
7					521				1,500	\$26	5,905	6,342	14,120
8					86			5	183		485	293	2,055
9	65	3		15				11	500		1,148	295	3,656
10									608	140	1,052	625	4,075
11									40		473	80	1,829
12	47		13		145				26		473	567	2,601
13	275			36	1,100			38	3,333		2,474	2,170	13,486
14					92			11	95	100	879	337	2,953
15	32		9		27			10	65		513	272	1,750
16									100		178	131	1,264
17					137			18	1,800	171	2,751	1,094	10,620
18					426			26	1,348		5,271	1,673	12,548
19					10			16			175	256	1,673
20					30				50		417	130	2,080
21											151	112	1,369
22					54			3	80	36	73	87	1,059
23					210				1,789		3,619	1,677	9,915
24					16			30	727		116	528	2,512
25					77				500		531	208	2,262
26	220		12		42			42	600		2,255	687	6,046
27	50				27				821		8,750	1,264	14,012
28	\$852	\$22	\$97	\$87	\$28	\$4,758	\$20	\$355	\$20,476	\$560	\$48,190	\$26,144	\$154,666

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Moorefield District	Membership.										Church Property.				
	Members Reported Last Year.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership, Including Local Preachers.	Adults Bapitized.	Infants Bapitized.	Number of Congregations in Charge.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.			
1 Augusta.....	310	2	45	2	7	353	42	.....	5	1	\$7,500	.....			
2 Burlington.....	262	1	3	1	6	261	.....	.....	6	5	10,000	.....			
3 Capon Bridge.....	271	.....	14	8	9	214	8	9	6	5	7,000	.....			
4 Cumberland—															
5 Central.....	428	.....	21	21	22	448	6	5	1	1	40,000	.....			
6 Emmanuel.....	185	.....	3	10	4	163	1	13	1	1	5,000	.....			
7 Trinity.....	382	1	15	3	25	373	4	10	1	1	35,000	.....			
8 Elk Garden.....	123	1	.....	.....	10	114	3	15	4	3	4,500	.....			
9 Flintstone.....	122	.....	10	.....	1	132	3	12	5	5	10,500	.....			
9 Frankford.....	447	1	22	16	20	335	8	11	6	5	10,000	.....			
10 Franklin.....	410	2	26	.....	.....	432	10	14	6	6	32,000	\$1,500			
11 Frostburg.....	265	.....	7	.....	4	268	3	13	2	2	6,000	.....			
12 Gainsboro.....	380	.....	7	1	18	370	2	.....	6	5	11,500	.....			
13 Garrett.....	200	.....	14	4	65	153	.....	21	7	4	5,000	.....			
14 Hampshire.....	395	1	2	.....	2	397	4	.....	8	8	11,500	.....			
15 Hardy.....	418	.....	17	1	21	425	15	5	4	4	8,200	.....			
16 Highland.....	453	.....	4	4	9	440	.....	6	6	2	1,000	.....			
17 Keyser.....	601	.....	13	10	32	601	2	19	1	1	87,000	20,000			
18 Listonburg.....	211	.....	9	.....	2	218	2	7	5	4	9,500	.....			
19 McDowell.....	395	1	.....	4	2	322	.....	3	6	6	10,000	.....			
20 Monterey.....	390	.....	5	2	9	388	.....	.....	4	4	15,000	600			
21 Moorefield.....	349	1	7	2	3	344	7	.....	3	3	53,000	681			
22 Morgan.....	465	.....	8	5	45	433	.....	2	6	6	12,800	.....			
23 Petersburg.....	345	.....	3	3	51	292	2	1	4	4	18,000	.....			
24 Piedmont.....	375	.....	12	8	.....	385	2	1	2	2	9,500	150			
25 Ridgeley.....	214	.....	42	7	5	258	7	10	2	2	22,000	6,984			
26 Romney.....	530	3	11	11	21	531	31	12	1	3	39,500	12,000			
27 South Fork.....	197	.....	2	.....	14	185	10	1	3	3	8,000	.....			
28 Springfield.....	215	1	8	.....	71	140	2	2	5	4	10,000	.....			
29 Wardensville.....	359	.....	23	7	8	381	19	3	7	5	10,500	.....			
Total.....	9,627	15	353	137	541	9,406	193	229	125	109	\$529,500	\$41,915			

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Church Property—Continued.										Insurance.					Woman's Work.			
No. of Par-sonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Raised for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Premiums Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	Number of Societies.	Members.	Total Amt. Raised by Woman's Societies.					
1				\$105	\$3,600	\$10					1	15	\$28					
2	\$3,000			198	4,500	6					1	10	105					
3	1,500			232	4,000	54					1	31	58					
4	9,500	\$1,875		2,170	24,000	20					3	65	308					
5	6,000	278		858	7,000						2	34	433					
6	10,000		\$100	660	19,500						1	50	395					
7	300																	
8			585	200	800	7												
9	3,698	2,048		1,700														
10	5,000			3,200	17,000	56					4	47	119					
11	5,000			400	3,000	16					1	11	333					
12	2,500			234	6,875	29	1		\$2,000									
13			200															
14	3,500			242	7,900	39												
15	2,000			125	3,600	12												
16	5,000			1,450	4,000	10					1	14	182					
17	10,000			4,603	24,000	133					1	72	989					
18	500		200	40														
19	5,000			242	7,900	39				\$900	2	30	91					
20	6,000				3,000	6					4	75	125					
21	6,000			14,738	22,000	98					3	72	77					
22	3,000			390	5,000	75					1	9	645					
23	5,000		500	1,620	10,000	57					1	16	284					
24	3,500			275	5,000	45					1	20	150					
25	5,300	2,300		731	16,000	175					1	12	448					
26	8,000			9,250	16,800	90					4	169	827					
27					2,000	8												
28	3,000		400	300	3,000	45					1	9	83					
29	3,000			67	5,000	5					3	44	93					
24	\$114,998	\$6,501	\$1,985	\$44,030	\$225,475	\$1,035	1	1	\$3,800	\$900	37	805	\$5,773					





TABLE No. 2—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Number of Sunday Schools	Sunday Schools.										Lay Activities.				
	Officers & Teachers.	Number on Cradle Roll.	Number in Home Dept.	Number in All Other Depts.	Total Enrollment in All Depts.	Number of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church.	No. Taking Training Courses.	Number of Wesley Classes.	Amount Raised on Sunday School Day	Amount Raised for Missions.	Amount Raised for All Other Purposes.	Total Amt. Raised by Sunday Schools.	Number of Brother-hoods.	Number of Members.	Raised by Brother-hoods.
1	41	55	.....	212	358	28	4	2	.....	\$21	\$90	\$111	.....	.....	.....
2	23	21	20	137	201	4	.....	.....	11	69	156	235	.....	.....	.....
3	20	18	19	160	217	.....	.....	.....	5	32	98	139	.....	.....	.....
4	32	12	31	280	365	18	26	4	25	633	499	1,157	.....	.....	.....
5	25	25	20	185	255	3	21	3	15	.....	406	421	.....	.....	.....
6	21	35	12	337	423	.....	.....	.....	25	674	834	1,532	.....	.....	.....
7	19	11	.....	188	199	6	1	.....	.....	50	275	325	.....	.....	.....
8	14	43	.....	97	154	9	.....	.....	23	78	311	412	.....	.....	.....
9	51	.....	.....	369	420	.....	.....	.....	20	73	230	323	.....	.....	.....
10	45	60	.....	334	439	19	10	.....	5	108	450	563	.....	.....	.....
11	20	.....	.....	142	162	14	8	.....	9	172	198	379	.....	.....	.....
12	28	34	.....	360	422	5	.....	.....	.....	7	173	180	.....	.....	.....
13	40	43	.....	208	291	14	.....	.....	40	45	135	260	.....	.....	.....
14	58	44	4	303	414	2	.....	.....	10	43	300	353	.....	.....	.....
15	31	25	6	255	327	19	2	.....	3	82	237	322	.....	.....	.....
16	30	25	7	285	347	.....	.....	.....	25	474	238	737	.....	.....	.....
17	43	36	.....	578	657	9	38	.....	30	275	1,362	1,667	.....	.....	.....
18	24	5	.....	174	203	4	.....	.....	.....	15	140	159	.....	.....	.....
19	24	27	5	250	327	.....	.....	.....	10	109	75	140	.....	.....	.....
20	35	11	.....	298	344	.....	.....	.....	.....	91	400	492	.....	.....	.....
21	34	30	30	325	419	7	21	6	15	200	350	565	.....	.....	.....
22	66	28	.....	398	492	4	.....	.....	10	44	180	233	.....	.....	.....
23	48	38	25	403	466	3	12	3	17	94	413	524	.....	.....	.....
24	25	52	26	200	303	10	5	3	20	584	266	870	.....	.....	.....
25	22	54	.....	228	304	11	6	.....	9	200	262	462	.....	.....	.....
26	35	36	25	388	484	9	15	4	23	148	598	679	.....	.....	.....
27	15	.....	.....	94	109	.....	.....	.....	2	2	17	19	.....	.....	.....
28	20	.....	.....	225	245	.....	.....	.....	8	40	100	148	.....	.....	.....
29	45	61	19	354	479	.....	.....	.....	10	114	254	381	.....	.....	.....
	96	950	839	2,821	9,735	194	169	54	\$370	\$4,468	\$8,947	\$13,826	.....	.....	.....

TABLE No. 3—FINANCE.

Moorefield District.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		District Work.		Annual Conf. Work.		Work. General.	
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1 Augusta—J. T. Banks.....	70	688	725	688	5	5	263	139	110	68
2 Burlington—John Thomas Brown.....	96	1,100	1,100	1,100	5	5	315	75	210	40
3 Capon Bridge—J. C. Spindler.....	90	800	800	800	5	5	289	89	190	61
Cumberland:										
4 Central—Wade Johnson.....	230	2,500	2,500	2,500	8	8	526	526	358	358
5 Emmanuel—C. L. Beard.....	100	1,600	1,600	1,600	5	5	315	315	213	213
6 Trinity—J. W. Rosenberger.....	220	2,300	2,300	2,300	8	8	683	683	466	466
7 Elk Garden—A. W. Hinton.....	70	39	611	364	5	5	210	30	140	20
8 Flintstone—H. W. Craver.....	65	60	750	660	4	4	190	100	129	87
9 Frankford—E. W. Dolan.....	95	95	930	930	5	5	336	100	222	90
10 Frankln—W. G. Winton.....	170	170	1,750	1,750	8	8	430	430	325	325
11 Frostburg—F. L. Baker.....	35	90	500	480	5	5	263	140	175	90
12 Gainsboro—Charles Wagner.....	89	89	800	800	4	4	283	48	199	34
13 Garrett—(To be supplied).....	64	37	610	489	5	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
14 Hampshire—J. L. Thomas.....	116	105	1,200	1,106	5	5	375	50	330	25
15 Hardy—B. T. Price.....	100	100	800	800	5	5	316	160	213	100
16 Highland—N. C. Rice.....	130	130	1,500	1,500	5	5	230	151	370	242
17 Keyser—J. A. Johnson.....	250	250	2,500	2,500	8	8	715	715	480	480
18 Listonburg—C. G. Russell.....	70	70	707	707	5	5	242	40	165	21
19 McDowell—W. W. Stevens, Jr.....	133	135	1,200	1,200	8	8	405	143	283	100
20 Monterey—H. L. Hoffman.....	152	152	1,600	1,600	8	8	460	200	307	175
21 Moorefield—C. W. Funk.....	156	156	1,700	1,700	8	8	410	330	280	220
22 Morgan—J. R. Corron.....	134	134	1,100	1,100	4	4	.....	.....	.....	.....
23 Petersburg—J. D. Pope.....	120	120	1,350	1,350	6	6	315	50	283	14
24 Piedmont—H. C. Marsh.....	190	190	1,800	1,800	8	8	525	525	365	73
25 Ridgeley—D. R. Cleckner.....	115	115	1,500	1,500	8	8	420	200	286	365
26 Romney—L. L. Lovance.....	185	185	1,700	1,700	8	8	546	452	373	112
27 South Fork—J. D. Saville.....	30	11	345	125	2	2	126	25	86	305
28 Springfield—C. M. Sarver.....	70	70	775	775	3	3	210	20	163	20
29 Wardensville—W. P. Good.....	106	106	1,035	1,035	4	4	316	113	213	67
Total.....	\$3,563	\$3,543	\$36,188	\$36,089	\$163	\$163	\$9,714	\$5,499	\$6,934	\$4,282

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

TABLE NO. 3.—FINANCE.

	Raised This Year.										Brought Forward from Table 1.	Brought Forward from Table 2.	Grand Total for Year.
	Foreign Missions Specials.	Home Missions Specials.	Conference Missions Specials.	For Golden Cross Fund.	On Christian Education Pledges.	For Super-annuate Endowment.	For Hospital.	For Orphanage.	For Incidents and Other Objects.	Missions for Maintenance.			
1											\$148	\$111	1,774
2	\$93			\$6	\$10	\$30		\$10	\$400	\$121	310	241	2,081
3				2		82			214	15			1,329
4					56	265			977		2,493	1,317	8,110
5								11	280	75	1,291	482	3,604
6					187	231		28	818		1,055	1,699	6,772
7								4				325	786
8						22		35	183	20	208	427	1,673
9						39		10	100	128	1,700	475	3,499
10						93		10	270	97	3,375	588	6,968
11				1		18			353	5	749	392	2,631
12						6			208		263	279	1,731
13						6		3				260	800
14						20			80		281	353	1,982
15	80					70		10	70		137	324	1,856
16						104		29	300	81	1,642	787	4,971
17						85			1,805	292	5,725	1,701	12,888
18				5		20		8	30	30	40	200	1,236
19						237			25		191	175	2,214
20						10		10		103	131	492	2,878
21						10			250		14,913	630	18,007
22	54					515		\$4	485		471	234	1,754
23						15			454		1,961	560	4,429
24									242	80	4,234	961	4,234
25				4					569		1,354	799	4,457
26	100					182		32	1,367	176	10,167	739	15,265
27						35			40		8	19	275
28						24			150		428	148	1,809
29								18	90	75	166	425	2,048
30	\$327			\$18	\$316	\$2,109	\$4	\$243	\$9,810	\$1,298	\$50,777	\$15,143	122,061

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Roanoke District.	Membership.										Church Property.			
	Members Reported Last Year.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Pro-Fession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership, Including Local Preachers.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Number of Congregations in Charge.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.		
1 Bethany.....	573	1	30	8	124	472	22	1	5	5	\$15,000	.....		
2 Blacksburg.....	477	.....	28	23	5	523	23	2	1	1	50,000	\$2,300		
3 Buchanan.....	717	.....	8	12	27	709	5	.....	6	6	49,500	10,000		
4 Buena Vista.....	397	.....	3	2	21	381	2	1	1	1	20,000	.....		
5 Cambria.....	332	.....	16	15	.....	334	15	.....	4	4	11,000	.....		
6 Catawba.....	528	.....	2	2	7	325	2	.....	2	2	6,000	.....		
7 Christiansburg.....	320	1	9	13	3	339	8	5	1	1	35,000	8,000		
8 Eagle Rock.....	258	.....	1	3	10	264	13	.....	3	3	32,000	.....		
9 Ediston-Shawsville.....	391	1	8	2	6	395	2	.....	4	4	12,000	.....		
10 Fincastle.....	412	.....	29	7	12	436	26	2	4	4	18,000	.....		
11 Glen Wilton.....	305	.....	20	10	5	330	20	1	3	3	11,500	.....		
12 New Castle.....	576	.....	1	36	117	496	.....	.....	7	5	15,000	.....		
13 Newport.....	268	1	30	3	2	299	30	.....	4	4	13,000	.....		
14 Pembroke.....	421	.....	17	3	2	439	15	.....	3	3	14,000	.....		
Roanoke—														
15 Belmont.....	1,507	3	93	171	85	1,687	52	9	1	1	100,000	8,300		
16 Grace.....	352	3	.....	.....	78	274	.....	.....	1	1	15,400	.....		
17 Greene Memorial.....	1,997	5	80	122	92	2,107	35	4	1	1	192,000	11,000		
18 Huntington Court.....	47	.....	.....	40	4	88	1	.....	1	1	11,000	4,030		
19 Melrose Avenue.....	913	2	29	37	176	803	14	5	1	1	100,000	35,746		
20 Mt. Olive.....	243	.....	13	21	21	246	9	5	1	1	10,000	.....		
21 Raleigh Court.....	793	2	33	94	22	810	15	2	1	1	65,000	19,500		
22 South Roanoke.....	211	.....	6	26	14	237	.....	4	1	1	60,000	28,000		
23 Trinity.....	660	.....	30	10	30	600	20	1	1	1	93,500	15,400		
24 West End.....	500	.....	15	23	39	559	11	29	1	1	30,000	19,200		
25 Roanoke Circuit.....	333	1	10	4	2	246	6	.....	4	4	15,000	.....		
26 Rockbridge.....	320	.....	12	7	8	331	7	10	3	3	12,000	.....		
27 Salem.....	804	1	10	6	65	723	4	6	1	1	45,000	.....		
28 Vinton.....	547	.....	10	5	4	558	4	3	1	1	40,000	.....		
Total.....	15,352	22	555	705	1,041	15,315	361	81	69	65	\$1,150,900	\$162,393		



TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

	Church Property—Continued.				Insurance.						Woman's Work.			
	No. of Par-sonages.	Value.	Indeb-tedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Raised for Churches and Par-sonages.	Insurance Carried.	Premiums Paid.	Churches Damaged or De-stroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or De-stroyed.	Amount of Dam-age.	Loss Col-lected.	Number of Societies.	Members.	Total Amt. Raised by Women's Missionary Societies.
1	1	\$4,500		\$1,000	\$551	\$9,900	21					4	38	\$97
2	1	10,000		799	799	36,000	603					4	166	863
3	1	4,500		760	375	13,500	101					6	128	198
4	2	13,500		14,000	7,500	18,750	86					2	65	450
5	1	4,000		175	175	5,000	25					1	14	88
6	1	10,000			7,200	25,000	87					1	45	232
7	1	4,000		500	516	13,500	5					3	40	126
8	1	6,000	\$200			4,800	5					2	21	214
9	1	3,000		300		13,500						1	21	350
10	1	1,500			600	2,500	25					2	30	100
11	1	4,000			320	2,000						1	25	708
12	1	10,000			443	11,000	89					1	16	134
13	1	6,000			931	9,500	50					2	16	134
14	1	8,500		2,800	1,725	81,000	210					3	151	1,264
15	1	5,000		500	400	12,000	40					3	92	201
16	1	16,200			5,061	136,100	448					3	272	1,611
17	1	10,000			891	2,000	6					1	100	768
18	1	10,000	5,000	1,000	6,235	80,000	313					1	26	43
19	1	10,000	2,100	1,000	338	13,000	78					3	160	1,577
20	1	10,000	5,200	1,000	800	3,000	305					3	91	1,450
21	1	10,000		3,500	7,962	25,000	75					2	156	491
22	1	9,000			1,180	82,000	148					3	263	1,388
23	1	6,500			5,942	51,500	282					3	46	108
24	1	5,000			180	8,000	45					3	38	60
25	1	4,000			438	12,000	25					2	157	890
26	1	10,000		10,000	513	35,700	132					1	120	494
27	1	6,000			950	28,700	100					4	2,285	\$13,905
28	26	\$181,200	\$12,500	\$36,300	\$52,038	\$738,050	\$3,307					60		

TABLE No. 2—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Roanoke District.		Church Papers Taken.		Epworth Leagues.					
		General Organ.	Conference Organ.	Number Leagues.	Members.	Raised for Missions.	Raised on Anniversary Day.	Raised for All Other Objects.	Total Raised by Epworth Leagues.
1	Bethany	2	46	2	43	\$12	\$4	\$49	\$65
2	Blacksburg	1	21	1	89	10	45	48	63
3	Buchanan	7	35	2	64	23	2	40	65
4	Buena Vista	8	16	1	25	15	2	17	34
5	Cambria			3	62	23	2	86	111
6	Catawba								
7	Christiansburg								
8	Eagle Rock			3	90	30	2	55	87
9	Elliston-Shawsville								
10	Fincastle	1	18	1	34	5	1	62	68
11	Glen Wilton	1	15	2	50	25	10	100	135
12	New Castle	1	20	1	56	3		12	15
13	Newport								
14	Pembroke			2	35			26	26
15	Roanoke—								
16	Belmont	1	48	3	136	99	4	136	239
17	Grace			2	68	50		80	130
18	Greene Memorial	15	254	1	52	90	2	84	176
19	Huntington Court	1	3						
20	Meirrose Avenue			3	113	45	6	200	252
21	Mt. Olivet			1	17	10		9	19
22	Raleigh Court			3	106				100
23	South Roanoke			2	84	17	1	100	118
24	Trinity								
25	West End			3	215	42	5	68	115
26	Roanoke Circuit	18	2	1	20	12		35	47
27	Rockbridge	2	16	2	72	5		57	63
28	Salem			1	46	73	5	160	238
29	Vinton	4	35	2	50	15		40	55
	Total	62	580	42	1,537	\$604	\$91	\$1,464	\$2,221

TABLE No. 2—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Sunday Schools.										Lay Activities.					
Number of Sunday Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Number on Cradle Roll.	Number in Home Dept.	Number in All Other Depts.	Total Enrollment in All Depts.	Number of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church.	No. Taking Training Courses.	Number of Wesley Classes.	Amount Raised on Sunday School Day.	Amount Raised for Missions.	Amount Raised for All Other Purposes.	Total Amt. Raised by Sunday Schools.	Number of Brother-hoods.	Number of Members.	Raised by Brother-hoods.
1	38	16	8	324	386	22	26	3	\$26	\$452	\$345	\$723	.....	.....	.....
2	30	59	92	216	397	24	.....	3	18	381	538	1,001	.....	.....	.....
3	58	46	50	402	556	5	15	11	47	70	515	632	.....	.....	.....
4	28	24	30	266	338	4	8	2	10	328	650	988	.....	.....	.....
5	35	55	32	308	434	10	1	8	25	64	200	289	.....	.....	.....
6	4	25	.....	257	282	2	1	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	1	18	50	280	378	14	.....	4	30	250	506	786	.....	.....	.....
8	3	47	22	228	306	12	3	10	23	.....	320	870	.....	11	.....
9	4	35	25	297	415	8	1	2	24	122	279	425	.....	.....	.....
10	4	40	36	382	480	14	7	.....	37	160	478	738	.....	.....	.....
11	3	50	30	220	330	20	20	6	12	250	600	887	.....	.....	.....
12	4	36	33	358	427	.....	.....	.....	12	111	244	367	.....	.....	.....
13	2	15	12	.....	100	15	.....	.....	15	95	164	275	.....	.....	.....
14	2	20	10	223	253	13	1	.....	18	46	246	293	.....	.....	.....
15	1	70	50	1,215	1,395	78	70	19	75	500	2,111	2,585	.....	.....	.....
16	1	31	45	213	310	.....	17	3	5	350	675	1,030	.....	.....	.....
17	1	74	106	1,161	1,466	40	75	22	110	2,125	5,043	7,278	.....	.....	.....
18	1	12	10	150	172	2	10	.....	5	24	168	197	.....	.....	.....
19	1	52	28	731	833	37	18	.....	19	535	1,316	1,870	.....	.....	.....
20	1	24	26	246	296	17	10	2	8	178	210	396	.....	.....	.....
21	1	70	25	599	716	25	39	5	30	226	.....	1,821	.....	.....	.....
22	1	33	18	243	304	6	12	8	3	102	387	492	.....	.....	.....
23	1	62	44	442	618	28	30	10	65	705	1,328	2,099	.....	.....	.....
24	1	70	108	597	865	14	24	11	43	320	1,241	1,604	.....	.....	.....
25	4	28	14	238	284	4	4	2	8	.....	190	198	.....	.....	.....
26	3	31	21	245	307	11	15	3	25	241	162	428	.....	.....	.....
27	1	39	20	362	477	10	10	.....	20	520	728	1,268	.....	32	\$100
28	1	30	78	482	615	10	.....	6	12	608	1,212	1,833	.....	.....	.....
62	1,105	1,004	885	10,885	13,740	445	415	135	\$721	\$8,763	\$19,856	\$31,085	2	43	\$100

TABLE NO. 3—FINANCE.

		Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		District Work.		Annual Conf. Work.		General Work.	
		Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
1	Bethany—W. B. Eye.....	\$120	\$120	\$1,700	\$1,715	\$39	\$39	\$495	\$274	\$337	\$200
2	Blacksburg—E. W. Aaron.....	149	149	2,400	2,400	48	48	617	617	420	420
3	Buchanan—R. L. Eutsler.....	130	126	2,000	1,945	42	42	540	331	342	226
4	Buena Vista—J. H. Haley.....	186	186	2,500	2,500	60	60	771	600	525	331
5	Cambria—C. J. Clark.....	56	56	750	750	18	18	231	216	158	132
6	Catawba—W. P. Saunders.....	47	47	700	720	15	15	195	45	133	30
7	Christiansburg—W. W. White.....	194	194	2,600	2,500	63	63	802	628	546	372
8	Eagle Rock—G. R. Fringer.....	116	116	1,560	1,560	38	20	481	248	328	178
9	Elkhorn-Shawsville—M. P. Weikel.....	89	89	1,200	1,200	29	10	370	197	252	136
10	Fincastle—J. P. Atkins.....	112	112	1,500	1,500	36	32	450	150	350	150
11	Glen Wilton—Thomas Morgan.....	73	73	1,200	1,200	24	24	301	200	205	65
12	New Castle—Wilfred Lawson.....	112	112	1,150	1,188	36	10	463	125	315	100
13	Newport—W. O. Luttrell.....	77	77	1,100	1,300	25	25	318	318	217	92
14	Pembroke—Allen Gillis.....	89	89	1,200	1,200	29	29	370	75	252	58
<b>Roanoke:</b>											
15	Belmont—H. P. Baker.....	246	246	3,300	3,300	80	80	1,018	1,018	693	693
16	Grace—C. E. Brandt.....	134	134	1,700	1,700	.....	.....	555	555	378	378
17	Greene Memorial—W. F. Locke.....	448	448	6,000	6,000	145	145	1,851	1,851	1,260	1,260
18	Huntington Court—(To be supplied).....	.....	.....	500	507	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	12
19	Melrose Avenue—Watson E. Holley.....	186	186	2,800	2,800	61	61	771	771	525	525
20	Mt. Olivet—W. F. Lowance.....	97	97	1,300	1,015	31	31	401	88	273	59
21	Raleigh Court—C. G. Martin.....	223	223	3,600	3,600	73	73	925	925	630	630
22	South Roanoke—H. R. Deal.....	60	60	1,100	1,100	19	19	247	247	168	168
23	Trimity—B. V. Switzer.....	298	298	4,000	4,000	97	97	1,234	1,234	840	840
24	West End—J. C. Copenhaver.....	223	223	3,200	3,200	73	73	926	926	630	630
25	Roanoke Circuit—E. B. Cook.....	52	52	700	725	17	10	147	38	104	38
26	Rockbridge—A. I. Orndorff.....	74	74	1,000	1,000	24	24	309	309	210	210
27	Salem—Frank A. Tyler.....	223	223	3,300	3,300	73	73	925	925	630	630
28	Vinton—J. W. Leggett.....	186	186	2,500	2,500	61	61	771	771	525	525
Total.....		\$4,000	\$3,996	\$56,560	\$56,525	\$1,256	\$1,182	\$16,484	\$13,694	\$11,272	\$9,088

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.



TABLE No. 3—FINANCE.

	Foreign Missions Specials.	Home Missions Specials.	Conference Missions Specials.	Raised This Year.										Brought Forward from Table 1.	Brought Forward from Table 2.	Grand Total for Year.	
				For Golden Cross Fund.	On Christian Education Pledges.	For Superannate Endowment.	For Hospital.	For Orphanage.	For Incidental and Other Objects.	Missions for Maintenance.	For Incidental and Other Objects.	For Orphanage.	For Hospital.				For Superannate Endowment.
1	\$10																\$3,731
2			\$10														8,375
3																	
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	\$4,807		\$282	\$165	\$58	\$21	\$5,043	\$25	\$760	\$51,245	\$1,888	\$71,887	\$33,501	\$237,185			

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Rockingham District	Membership.										Church Property.				
	Members Reported Last Year.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Local Preachers.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Number of Congregations in Charge.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.		
1 Basic.	308	.....	2	8	17	301	.....	.....	.....	2	2	\$55,000	\$21,850		
2 Bath.	374	.....	2	1	22	355	.....	2	.....	5	5	8,200	.....		
3 Blue Ridge.	392	.....	56	.....	2	447	.....	28	.....	4	4	6,000	.....		
4 Bridgewater.	652	.....	.....	.....	18	638	.....	.....	.....	4	4	52,000	.....		
5 Calvary-Fishersville.	230	.....	24	4	13	305	.....	18	1	2	2	22,000	5,500		
6 Churchville.	185	.....	.....	7	19	173	.....	.....	.....	3	3	18,600	.....		
7 Collierstown.	173	.....	8	7	5	183	.....	4	1	3	3	8,450	1,600		
8 Elkton.	327	.....	1	2	13	317	.....	1	3	1	1	60,000	9,000		
9 Fairfield.	275	.....	3	4	16	267	.....	7	.....	4	6	22,000	.....		
10 Goshen.	296	.....	47	11	5	349	.....	12	4	4	4	12,000	.....		
11 Greenville.	343	.....	12	5	12	348	.....	10	1	2	2	12,000	.....		
12 Harrisonburg.	830	.....	47	51	24	904	.....	27	.....	1	1	160,000	.....		
13 Keezletown-McGaheysville.	600	.....	4	22	13	613	.....	4	.....	6	6	32,750	.....		
14 Lexington.	495	.....	30	16	16	527	.....	22	3	1	1	100,000	39,000		
15 Luray.	438	.....	2	12	13	440	.....	2	3	1	1	40,000	500		
16 Mt. Crawford.	343	.....	10	20	15	358	.....	10	.....	4	4	2,200	.....		
17 Mt. Solon.	395	.....	5	2	10	392	.....	5	.....	4	4	20,000	.....		
18 New Hope.	357	.....	1	4	1	362	.....	.....	.....	4	4	6,800	.....		
19 Page.	313	.....	3	.....	119	194	.....	3	.....	4	3	5,500	.....		
20 Port Republic.	547	.....	38	4	23	562	.....	21	2	4	4	32,000	390		
21 Rockbridge Baths.	192	.....	18	2	19	193	.....	8	6	1	1	2,500	.....		
22 Shenandoah.	200	.....	10	5	6	209	.....	4	.....	1	1	30,000	4,663		
23 Stanley-Marksville.	156	.....	7	1	2	212	.....	7	.....	4	4	18,500	.....		
Stanton—															
24 Central.	1,346	.....	29	25	31	1,369	.....	14	15	1	3	75,500	.....		
25 Marquis Memorial.	218	.....	48	13	2	277	.....	26	.....	2	2	18,000	.....		
26 Waynesboro.	415	.....	10	20	18	427	.....	6	.....	1	1	40,000	.....		
Total.	10,460	.....	417	250	454	10,722	.....	231	47	74	76	\$800,000	\$2,503		

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Church Property—Continued.										Insurance.					Woman's Work.		
No. of Par-sonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Raised for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Premiums Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	Number of Societies.	Members.	Total Amt. Raised by Women's Missionary Societies.				
1	\$4,000		\$1,000	\$4,436	\$36,000						1	29	\$150				
1	2,000			100	2,200	\$2											
3	1,000				43,800	42					2	44	197				
4	5,500	\$248	25	2,312	15,300	30					1	32	1,038				
5	7,000			443	10,000						1	13	72				
6					5,500	9											
7	2,600			1,739	22,250	240					1	14	103				
8	6,000			1,930	10,000	20											
9	5,000	400	200	475	4,000	41					1	14	65				
10	2,000			315	7,700	61					3	50	235				
11	4,500		500		78,365	85					3	328	1,980				
12	10,000			577	22,850	13					4	93	310				
13	7,500				45,000						3	164	601				
14	8,000		3,000	6,625	25,000	236					3	50	194				
15	9,000		1,000	962	12,600	20					2	36	200				
16	4,000		1,500	450	10,900	15					3	46	335				
17	3,000		2,000	280	6,500	30					2	27	300				
18	7,500		600	600	3,800	20					2	20	87				
19	2,500			79	28,225	24											
20	4,500			1,721	3,500	5					1	33	451				
21	2,500		200	125	6,000	34											
22			2,500	2,789	5,350	45											
23	1,500				51,200	154					1	107	1,914				
24	23,000	1,600		8,776	10,100	113					1	62	283				
25	4,000		500	632	21,000	37					2	46	328				
26	6,000			427													
26	\$132,600	\$2,248	\$13,025	\$36,068	\$487,340	\$1,279					37	1,208	\$8,843				

TABLE No. 2.—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Rockingham District.		Church Papers Taken.		Epworth Leagues.					
		General Organ.	Conference Organ.	Number Leagues.	Members.	Raised for Missions.	Raised on Anniversary Day.	Raised for All Other Objects.	Total Raised by Epworth Leagues.
1	Basic	3	37	1	32	\$20	\$1	\$100	\$121
2	Bath	2	15	1	30	10	10	25	45
3	Blue Ridge	1	1						
4	Bridgewater			2	55	25	2	153	180
5	Calvary-Fishersville.	2	20	2	78	70	4	228	302
6	Churchville	2	5	1	47			5	5
7	Collierstown.	2	11						
8	Elkton.	1	24	1	20	10		45	55
9	Fairfield.	1	30						
10	Goshen.	6	30	1	111			3	5
11	Greenville.	1	16	1	50	5		5	10
12	Harrisonburg.	15	75	1	42	15	3	40	58
13	Keezletown-McGaheysville.	6	60	2	61	20	2	14	36
14	Lexington.			2	78	107	2	118	227
15	Luray.	1	18	3	78	16	2	40	58
16	Mt. Crawford	2	45						
17	Mt. Solon			1	30	12	2	6	22
18	New Hope			2	65			90	90
19	Page.		8						
20	Port Republic	1	20	6	168	74	10	85	169
21	Rockbridge Baths	1	6	1	46	4		36	40
22	Shenandoah.	1	11	2	46	11	1	10	22
23	Stanley-Marksville		8						
24	Staunton—Central.	35	130	2	188	110	5	147	262
25	Marquis Memorial	5	22	2	84	81	6	268	355
26	Waynesboro			2	59	75		53	128
	Total	88	584	36	1,368	\$665	\$50	\$1,471	\$2,198



TABLE No. 2—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Sunday Schools.															Lay Activities.		
Number of Sunday Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Number on Cradle Roll.	Number in Home Dept.	Number in All Other Depts.	Total Enrollment in All Depts.	Number of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church.	No. Taking Training Courses.	Number of Wesley Classes.	Amount Raised on Sunday School Day	Amount Raised for Missions.	Amount Raised for All Other Purposes.	Total Amt. Raised by Sunday Schools.	Number of Brother-hoods.	Number of Members.	Raised by Brother-hoods.		
1	2	31	25	3	250	309	5	17	3	\$14	\$458	\$557	\$1,029	.....	.....	.....	
2	4	40	13	20	182	215	22	.....	.....	6	31	121	158	.....	.....	.....	
3	4	40	.....	.....	386	386	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4	4	66	23	3	560	560	22	.....	4	13	287	1,941	2,241	.....	.....	.....	
5	4	22	42	.....	210	274	15	5	1	15	162	165	342	.....	.....	.....	
6	3	27	11	.....	214	252	6	2	.....	15	309	39	363	.....	.....	.....	
7	3	19	.....	.....	127	146	6	.....	.....	10	46	57	114	.....	.....	.....	
8	1	18	16	2	222	258	.....	.....	.....	15	200	123	338	.....	.....	.....	
9	4	23	21	10	140	198	.....	1	.....	.....	85	185	270	.....	.....	.....	
10	4	32	30	.....	300	300	12	.....	.....	10	96	130	236	.....	.....	.....	
11	2	39	39	23	233	334	15	6	1	16	306	565	887	17	17	\$4	
12	1	40	58	36	784	918	25	11	1	25	1,289	1,135	2,449	1	12	.....	
13	5	50	40	.....	474	564	4	11	2	17	324	623	964	.....	.....	.....	
14	1	34	39	30	386	489	28	27	5	10	738	460	1,208	.....	.....	.....	
15	1	21	8	18	222	269	5	.....	3	5	280	457	742	.....	.....	.....	
16	4	34	35	10	.....	425	8	.....	.....	20	650	580	1,250	.....	.....	.....	
17	4	40	23	1	310	374	5	9	3	15	141	302	443	.....	.....	.....	
18	4	20	18	.....	196	232	.....	.....	.....	.....	110	120	230	.....	.....	.....	
19	3	23	.....	.....	147	147	3	.....	.....	8	41	49	98	.....	.....	.....	
20	4	70	56	28	519	673	36	17	6	40	450	741	1,591	.....	.....	.....	
21	1	10	9	.....	125	144	15	.....	.....	4	291	54	345	.....	.....	.....	
22	1	18	17	28	207	270	9	15	4	18	141	352	512	.....	.....	.....	
23	2	16	10	.....	135	161	7	.....	.....	.....	28	114	142	.....	.....	.....	
24	2	80	119	120	1,003	1,242	.....	35	4	59	1,272	3,003	4,334	1	36	25	
25	2	25	29	15	302	371	30	.....	.....	5	191	584	626	.....	.....	.....	
26	1	20	38	13	341	412	17	9	6	20	472	265	767	.....	.....	.....	
26	69	818	719	358	6,582	10,023	267	165	43	\$360	\$8,498	\$12,522	\$21,729	3	65	\$29	

TABLE No. 3—FINANCE.

Rockingham District.		Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		District Work.		Annual Conf. Work.		Work. General.	
		Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
1	Basic—J. H. Pearson.....	\$130	\$130	\$1,750	\$1,750	\$7	\$7	\$358	\$358	\$264	\$264
2	Bath—R. L. Moore.....	75	71	925	875	6	6	237	103	148	53
3	Blue Ridge—A. W. Groscup.....	40	40	600	600	6	6	65	.....	40	.....
4	Bridgewater—E. A. Wilcher.....	175	175	1,800	1,800	10	10	572	400	336	179
5	Calvary-Fishersville—F. E. Wyand.....	140	140	1,800	1,800	8	8	427	427	311	311
6	Churchville—W. J. Groah.....	60	60	1,005	1,005	3	3	196	196	110	110
7	Collierstown—F. M. Lucas.....	66	66	734	734	5	5	185	65	106	35
8	Elkton—W. M. Compton.....	160	160	2,000	2,000	8	8	538	175	350	125
9	Fairfield—A. B. Sites.....	110	110	1,165	1,165	6	6	370	100	200	65
10	Goshen—E. W. Jordan.....	90	90	1,200	1,200	6	6	243	243	190	190
11	Greenville—L. Hammond.....	135	135	1,500	1,500	6	6	410	181	280	125
12	Harrisonburg—J. J. Rives.....	324	324	3,600	3,600	16	16	1,149	1,149	791	791
13	Keezietown—McGaheysville—M. L. Fearnow.....	186	186	1,900	1,900	11	11	664	332	448	224
14	Lexington—J. Harry Smith.....	260	260	3,000	3,000	12	12	739	739	575	575
15	Luray—W. A. Lynch.....	190	190	1,800	1,800	10	10	658	451	430	300
16	Mt. Crawford—K. D. Swecker.....	140	140	1,400	1,400	8	8	479	328	328	328
17	Mt. Solon—F. E. Allison.....	110	100	1,350	1,200	6	6	381	366	253	243
18	New Hope—J. C. Thrasher.....	110	110	1,100	1,100	6	6	329	200	190	120
19	Page—G. H. H. Tyler.....	66	56	700	602	6	6	250	250	150	150
20	Port Republic—W. A. Clark.....	160	160	1,600	1,600	9	9	520	422	422	422
21	Rockbridge Baths—B. L. Parrott.....	66	66	700	700	4	4	252	252	132	132
22	Shenandoah—W. H. Ballengee.....	130	130	1,500	1,500	6	6	422	125	295	87
23	Stanley-Marksville—G. B. Kiracote.....	60	55	700	539	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<b>Staunton:</b>											
24	Central—C. M. Hesser.....	384	384	5,600	5,600	22	22	1,400	1,400	1,029	1,029
25	Marquis Memorial—L. H. Smallwood.....	60	60	1,500	1,500	4	4	164	164	100	100
26	Waynesboro—D. A. Beery.....	170	170	2,000	2,000	9	9	578	370	350	223
Total.....		\$3,597	\$3,568	\$42,929	\$42,520	\$200	\$194	\$11,536	\$9,045	\$7,888	\$6,181

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TABLE NO. 3--FINANCE.

	Foreign Missions Specials.	Home Missions Specials.	Conference Missions Specials.	For Golden Fund.	Raised This Year.							Brought Forward from Table 1.	Brought Forward from Table 2.	Grand Total for Year.
					On Christian Education Pledges.	For Superannuate Endowment.	For Hospital.	For Organ-phanage.	For Incidental and Other Objects.	Missions for Maintenance.				
1	\$36				\$10	\$6				\$862	\$106	\$4,586	\$1,150	\$8,600
2											16	102	203	1,447
3	20			70	30					620	260	2,551	2,421	7,160
4						30			\$60	480	69	1,511	644	5,050
5						10			8		100	71	368	1,615
6									39			1,748	114	2,945
7	35				8					635		2,273	393	5,916
8	70					55				857		495	270	2,431
9	20				34	28			16	175		421	291	2,525
10										767	79	299	901	3,687
11						48				4,889	200	2,340	2,507	16,186
12	1,289				222				4	288	200	800	1,000	4,863
13	45			21		74				4,516	125	7,226	1,435	18,332
14						128			7	538	75	1,392	800	5,336
15	28				15	25			50	500	266	670	1,250	4,409
16						43			30	393	108	630	467	3,455
17	60									550		930	320	3,336
18												99	98	1,335
19									16	891	275	1,832	1,591	7,112
20	100	\$50		17	39	100			7	60		131	385	1,472
21	10					20						3,274	555	5,726
22						46				378	100	45	142	834
23														
24	1,120	286				1,000			619		212	8,776	4,621	22,170
25						25				960	51	1,028	381	4,618
26	92			23		93				631		792	767	4,699
	\$2,925	\$336	\$74	\$132	\$359	\$1,765			\$856	\$19,239	\$2,342	\$44,122	\$23,654	\$145,919

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Washington District.	Membership.										Church Property.											
	Members Reported Last Year.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals and Otherwise.	Removals and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership, Including Local Preachers.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Number of Congregations in Charge.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.									
1	Beltsville-Branchville.	229	5	3	6	12	226	2	17	2	3	\$25,000	\$2,000									
2	Bethesda.	126	1	.....	4	37	93	.....	.....	1	1	12,000	4,000									
3	Brentwood.	193	.....	12	4	26	183	3	7	1	1	10,000	.....									
4	Brunswick.	228	.....	24	3	11	244	6	18	1	1	25,000	7,500									
5	Calvert.	534	.....	29	4	17	550	.....	14	4	4	20,000	.....									
6	Chesapeake.	533	1	10	3	2	547	.....	22	5	5	26,000	.....									
7	Clarksburg.	263	.....	15	3	4	278	5	.....	5	3	12,500	.....									
8	Colesville.	143	.....	9	3	1	154	5	11	3	3	12,000	.....									
9	Frederick.	251	1	12	.....	1	263	1	18	2	2	40,000	5,000									
10	Gaithersburg.	385	.....	12	2	6	393	3	6	2	2	75,000	.....									
11	Goshen-Emory.	145	.....	4	2	3	148	3	6	2	2	15,000	.....									
12	Hyattsville.	270	1	1	6	13	265	.....	4	1	1	24,500	.....									
13	La Plata.	401	.....	8	14	8	415	2	31	6	6	23,500	.....									
14	Laurel.	160	1	3	2	4	161	.....	17	2	2	18,000	.....									
15	Poolesville.	264	.....	15	.....	7	272	6	3	1	1	40,000	.....									
16	Potomac.	227	2	4	4	2	233	.....	9	2	2	11,500	1,400									
17	Prince George.	638	1	28	5	33	651	1	28	6	7	38,000	.....									
18	Rockville.	279	2	8	7	10	302	2	7	1	1	22,500	5,000									
19	Savage.	180	.....	9	.....	51	138	.....	2	2	2	11,000	.....									
Washington—																						
20	Calvary.	500	2	8	9	12	314	1	7	1	1	40,000	.....									
21	Emory.	547	1	45	31	29	595	9	16	1	1	100,000	11,500									
22	Epworth.	1,080	.....	48	40	126	1,051	9	28	1	1	200,000	.....									
23	Francis Asbury.	524	2	7	15	25	521	.....	14	1	1	250,000	98,250									
24	Marvin.	287	1	19	7	7	287	2	6	1	1	35,000	3,000									
25	Mt. Rainier.	519	1	24	11	147	417	3	10	1	1	50,000	33,500									
26	Mt. Vernon Place.	3,703	9	87	193	262	3,781	24	27	1	1	530,000	26,200									
27	St. Paul.	465	1	5	17	134	331	.....	3	1	1	45,000	11,900									
Total.											12,887	33	451	402	920	12,823	84	331	57	59	\$1,711,500	\$209,250





TABLE No. 2—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

	Church Papers Taken.		Epworth Leagues.						
	General Organ.	Conference Organ.	Number Leagues.	Members.	Raised for Missions.	Raised on Anniversary Day.	Raised for All Other Objects.	Total Raised by Epworth Leagues.	
Washington District.									
1	3	30	2	53	\$22	\$2	\$395	\$420	
2	1	8	1	15	40	4		44	
3	1	14	2	86	75	3	17	96	
4	2	24	3	67	10	2	110	122	
5	1	66							
6	6	30	2	50	10		40	50	
7	1	14	2	69	71	5	155	231	
8	1	7	2	45	30	4	126	160	
9	5	29	2	48	30		50	80	
10	3	43	1	67	25	3	120	148	
11	1	30	2	57	16		104	120	
12	50	2	2	94	70	5	71	146	
13	1	28	1	40	11		25	36	
14	1	12	2	67			212	212	
15	4	52	2	75	100	5	145	250	
16	1	12							
17			1	20					
18	4	29	2	52	114	6	210	330	
19			4	21	10	1	124	134	
Washington—									
20	2	35	3	68	90	6	78	174	
21	3	39	1	35	10	3	95	108	
22	10	100	3	123	346	6	143	495	
23	8	56	2	70	78	5	410	493	
24	3	50	1	52	65	4	69	138	
25	5	22	1	20	35	2	35	72	
26	15	269	3	208	1,133	15	705	1,853	
27			2	62	50	5	137	192	
Total	131	995	47	1,564	\$2,441	\$86	\$3,450	\$6,104	

TABLE No. 2.—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Sunday Schools.															Lay Activities.				
Number of Sunday Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Number on Cradle Roll.	Number in Home Dept.	Number in All Other Depts.	Total Enrollment in All Depts.	Number of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church.	No. Taking Training Courses.	Number of Wesley Classes.	Amount Raised on Sunday School Day.	Amount Raised for Missions.	Amount Raised for All Other Purposes.	Total Amt. Raised by Sunday Schools.	Number of Brother-hoods.	Number of Members.	Raised by Brother-hoods.				
1	32	27	12	271	342	1	7	2	\$11	\$100	\$94	\$1,105	.....	.....	.....				
2	20	10	17	144	191	.....	.....	1	10	350	.....	350	.....	.....	.....				
3	35	54	50	188	327	8	9	1	7	142	352	501	.....	.....	.....				
4	20	30	30	274	354	22	1	1	12	125	625	762	1	27	\$201				
5	54	3	5	307	369	28	.....	.....	9	87	315	411	.....	.....	.....				
6	40	14	13	400	467	10	.....	.....	43	454	303	800	.....	.....	.....				
7	45	20	.....	202	267	7	.....	.....	9	53	5	68	.....	.....	.....				
8	26	16	7	100	149	11	.....	.....	25	70	130	225	.....	.....	.....				
9	20	6	2	180	208	12	.....	.....	8	140	205	354	.....	.....	.....				
10	22	39	35	235	351	10	.....	6	15	508	458	981	.....	.....	.....				
11	29	16	.....	105	150	4	.....	.....	5	80	223	308	.....	.....	.....				
12	25	24	45	280	374	1	6	4	30	235	378	643	.....	.....	.....				
13	51	43	9	242	345	6	3	4	41	168	446	749	.....	.....	.....				
14	32	12	25	161	158	3	.....	2	10	70	397	477	.....	.....	.....				
15	14	18	25	.....	.....	11	1	2	11	358	130	499	.....	.....	.....				
16	7	21	.....	95	123	1	.....	.....	5	50	135	190	.....	.....	.....				
17	31	39	19	334	429	29	.....	.....	15	100	400	500	.....	.....	.....				
18	22	40	38	172	272	8	.....	1	25	175	534	734	.....	.....	.....				
19	36	12	29	158	235	9	2	.....	5	35	233	274	.....	.....	.....				
20	30	22	23	.....	.....	6	28	6	30	149	1,023	1,172	.....	.....	.....				
21	57	40	46	444	587	18	.....	4	25	375	3,650	3,650	.....	.....	.....				
22	66	55	230	813	1,164	40	6	10	25	1,650	2,257	3,932	.....	.....	.....				
23	23	5	20	324	377	.....	8	3	19	445	2,753	2,753	.....	.....	.....				
24	31	34	35	234	337	18	.....	4	31	72	1,027	1,130	.....	.....	.....				
25	40	20	46	217	323	6	12	1	11	339	579	918	.....	.....	.....				
26	130	110	40	1,023	1,283	95	90	25	75	2,462	7,408	9,945	.....	.....	.....				
27	31	5	16	294	349	.....	.....	8	17	150	554	722	.....	.....	.....				
54	985	735	817	7,217	9,571	364	173	84	\$529	\$8,992	\$24,991	\$34,163	1	27	\$201				

TABLE No. 3—FINANCE.

Washington District.		Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		District Work.		Annual Conf. Work.		General Work.	
		Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
1	Beltsville—Branchville—H. L. Bivens.....	\$100	\$100	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$25	\$25	\$408	\$213	\$280	\$135
2	Bethesda—Gordon E. Smith.....	40	40	1,500	1,264	13	13	287	297	203	203
3	Brentwood—E. H. Davis.....	55	55	1,100	1,100	13	13	287	297	203	203
4	Brunswick—C. A. York.....	70	70	1,860	1,800	20	20	357	357	243	243
5	Calvert—H. Q. Burr.....	145	145	2,000	2,000	42	42	433	239	293	195
6	Chesapeake—S. J. L. DuLancy.....	136	136	1,500	1,400	42	42	535	400	365	250
7	Clarksburg—W. E. McDonald.....	70	70	1,138	1,138	27	27	262	123	177	100
8	Colesville—H. S. Myerly.....	60	60	1,000	1,000	20	20	262	262	178	178
9	Frederick—R. C. Maxwell.....	50	50	1,150	1,150	10	10	243	100	166	40
10	Gaithersburg—William Stevens.....	150	150	2,000	2,000	40	40	565	446	385	304
11	Goshen—Emory—C. E. Kirby.....	75	75	1,200	1,200	34	34	289	289	137	71
12	Hyattsville—E. A. Lambert.....	70	70	2,000	2,000	17	17	345	345	235	235
13	La Plata—C. H. Shaw.....	126	126	1,600	1,600	50	50	416	225	284	175
14	Laurel—G. R. Mays.....	40	40	1,500	1,500	20	20	297	65	203	52
15	Poolesville—W. W. McIntyre.....	134	134	1,700	1,700	42	42	441	441	301	391
16	Potomac—H. L. Coffman.....	40	40	1,000	1,000	20	20	228	55	156	38
17	Prince George—L. G. Michael.....	130	130	1,600	1,800	50	50	629	150	423	131
18	Rockville—B. W. John.....	140	140	2,000	2,000	50	50	524	524	357	357
19	Savage—William Clews.....	48	48	1,350	1,350	13	13	275	72	138	72
<b>Washington:</b>											
20	Calvary—E. C. Beery.....	140	140	2,500	2,500	40	40	507	507	345	345
21	Emory—D. L. Snyder.....	180	180	3,700	3,700	47	47	651	651	444	444
22	Epworth—John Paul Tyler.....	308	308	4,500	4,500	70	70	1,275	1,275	868	868
23	Marvin—C. H. Cannon.....	160	160	2,250	2,250	42	42	604	604	411	411
24	Mt. Pleasant—R. L. Fultz.....	186	186	3,000	3,000	42	42	803	803	547	547
25	Mt. Rainier—J. H. Billingsley.....	90	90	2,500	2,500	15	15	481	481	327	327
26	Mt. Vernon Place—W. A. Lambeth.....	708	708	9,500	9,500	168	168	3,283	3,283	2,232	2,232
27	St. Paul—W. D. King.....	140	140	2,000	2,200	35	35	581	581	395	395
Total.....		\$3 600	\$3 591	\$59 088	\$59 212	\$981	\$972	\$14 982	\$12 788	\$10 203	\$8 649

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.



TABLE No. 3--FINANCE.

	Foreign Missions Specials.	Home Missions Specials.	Conference Missions Specials.	For Golden Cross Fund.	Raised This Year.							Brought Forward from Table 1.	Brought Forward from Table 2.	Grand Total for Year.
					On Christian Education Pledges	For Superannuate Endowment.	For Hospital.	For Orphanage.	For Includents and Other Objects.	Missions for Maintenance.				
1	\$100					\$122			\$30	\$536	\$30	\$1,818	\$1,105	\$6,014
2						25				474		591	404	2,734
3				\$11		12			48	610	62	620	597	3,519
4	30			6				\$25	30	1,492		1,235	1,085	5,945
5						25			50	498	90	25	411	3,591
6						111			27	416		523	850	3,615
7	6					100			30	236	35	801	299	1,580
8									5	1,500	25	565	385	2,787
9						151			70	746	45	1,261	434	3,000
10						277	\$11		49	1,068	95	1,941	1,129	7,178
11						214			194	554	28	1,115	428	3,900
12						66			60	509	6	735	789	5,352
13	111					45	10		13	497	106	2,911	749	5,021
14						189			11	11	12	1,454	190	3,671
15						44			750	1,124		3,713	408	7,130
16						13			18	300	111	98	1,065	2,783
17	50					21				2,258		2,616	1,345	4,296
18	200					500			265	2,786		6,014	3,758	8,902
19	5		\$15			2,137			27	6,859		1,924	4,491	2,534
20						430			26	857		2,721	1,268	8,491
21	300					215			188	6,182	173	58,894	3,246	23,453
22	2,287	\$638				40			357	22,032		5,670	990	8,395
23		175				150				1,200		48,494	11,798	72,000
24														59,794
25	30													53,910
26	2,485	4,861												\$338,150
27	\$6,701	\$5,677	\$15	\$17	\$334	\$4,953	\$52	\$1,477	\$56,097	\$891	\$151,542	\$40,128		

Note--Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Winchester District.	Membership.										Church Property.				
	Members Reported Last Year.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals and Others.	Present Total Membership.	Local Preachers.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Number of Congregations in Charge.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.		
1 Berkeley.	445	..	34	7	4	482	15	12	3	3	28,000	..			
2 Berryville.	542	1	8	5	61	495	6	1	2	2	26,000	\$2,800			
3 Brucetown.	442	..	33	6	5	478	..	4	5	5	22,000	2,000			
4 Charles Town.	725	..	53	37	72	735	20	7	2	2	35,000	..			
5 Edinburg.	227	..	3	3	4	229	3	..	1	1	20,000	..			
6 Frederick.	442	..	14	12	86	382	13	2	6	6	18,000	..			
7 Front Royal.	764	1	1	18	27	756	1	1	1	1	75,000	..			
8 Jefferson.	637	..	3	34	36	637	..	4	5	5	39,500	..			
9 Linden.	292	..	9	3	60	245	9	..	5	5	14,500	..			
10 Martinsburg.	838	3	16	15	23	896	6	11	1	1	30,000	..			
11 Middletown.	413	..	7	7	13	407	..	1	3	3	79,600	..			
12 Mt. Jackson.	328	..	3	5	15	321	3	1	4	4	22,000	125			
13 New Market.	350	..	18	17	4	380	9	10	4	4	20,000	..			
14 Ridgeway.	404	1	40	6	6	444	..	5	5	5	20,650	..			
15 Riverton.	231	..	2	10	11	214	2	..	3	3	20,000	..			
16 Shenandale.	258	..	19	19	15	287	6	26	5	5	900	..			
17 Shenandoah Junction.	402	..	19	20	67	360	6	15	3	3	40,000	3,400			
18 Shepherdstown.	567	1	16	11	16	579	8	11	4	4	27,500	500			
19 Strasburg.	357	..	33	6	50	346	15	12	1	1	30,100	4,500			
20 Stephens City.	627	1	15	8	187	463	6	3	4	4	50,000	3,400			
21 Toms Brook.	527	..	13	3	37	498	9	2	6	6	15,500	..			
22 Warren.	352	..	3	..	5	350	3	..	4	5	4,100	..			
23 White Post.	417	..	12	5	64	353	7	1	4	4	25,000	..			
24 Winchester.	1,018	..	20	35	47	1,026	9	9	1	1	40,000	..			
25 Woodstock.	488	1	16	8	65	447	14	3	1	1	54,000	..			
Total.	12,144	9	402	300	979	11,810	170	141	83	80	\$793,350	\$16,725			

TABLE NO. 1.—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

	Church Property—Continued.				Insurance.						Woman's Work.			
	No. of Parsonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Raised for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Premiums Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	Number of Societies.	Members.	Total Amt. Raised by Women's Missionary Societies.
1	1	\$3,000		\$100	\$775	\$10,000	\$33					1	18	\$40
2	1	3,500			1,000	21,000	75					1	28	300
3	1	2,500		500	2,800		30							
4	1	13,000	\$3,500		1,268	35,000	295					2	64	394
5	1	3,000				13,500						3	123	523
6	1	5,000			2,000	6,200	7					1	15	30
7	1	9,000			454	22,500	19					3	72	457
8	1	5,600			818	20,800	158					4	80	220
9	1	3,000				7,800	23							
10	1	15,000		15,000	3,510	31,600	497					1	65	643
11	1	4,000				22,100	89					3	69	183
12	1	5,000		600	620	13,000	27					1	13	347
13	1	6,000		600		7,600	20					1	35	333
14	1	4,000		1,500	1,000	8,400	70					1	45	250
15	1	500				7,500	37							
16	1	2,000	400		360									
17	1	2,500			2,800	23,000	172					3	50	775
18	1	5,000		500	1,050	14,900	46					3	76	193
19	1	4,000			1,600	8,000						3	145	410
20	1	6,000		1,200	660	17,500	67					1	27	245
21	1	2,200		500	140	9,010	17					1	14	18
22	1	3,300			150	2,650	17							
23	1	3,500			400	1,190	38					3	50	394
24	1	15,000		36,500	10,222	22,250						1	104	3,468
25	1	5,600		100	2,594	28,000	123					1	36	819
	24	\$131,200	\$4,000	\$56,500	\$34,226	\$354,400	\$1,860					38	1,129	\$10,042

TABLE No. 2 - CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

	Church Papers Taken.		Epworth Leagues.					Total Raised by Epworth Leagues.
	General Organ.	Conference Organ.	Number Leagues.	Members.	Raised for Missions.	Raised on Anniversary Day.	Raised for All Other Objects.	
1 Berkeley	20	61	4	75	\$100	\$12	\$105	\$296
2 Berryville		40	3	65	37	2	100	139
3 Brucetown			3	64	30	3	80	103
4 Charles Town	66	2	2	126	35	5	279	319
5 Edinburg	1	18	1	40	5	3	45	53
6 Frederick	2	15	2	63	10	4	146	161
7 Front Royal	6	40	3	143	63	2	279	344
8 Jefferson	1	33	3	92	10	3	84	97
9 Linden		4						
10 Martinsburg	12	147	3	191	205	6	335	546
11 Middletown	1		1	47	20	1	72	93
12 Mt. Jackson	1	35						
13 New Market	1	30						
14 Ridgeway	4	35	4	160		20	200	220
15 Riverton			2	52	39	3	39	81
16 Shenandale								
17 Shenandoah Junction	1	18	3	110	23	5	110	137
18 Shepherdstown			2	53	35	5	39	79
19 Stephens City			4	118	12	5	242	259
20 Strasburg			2	100	20	4	172	196
21 Toms Brook	1	20	2	33				
22 Warren	1	16						
23 White Post	4	20	3	85	38	4	65	107
24 Winchester			2	121	60		183	243
25 Woodstock			3	77	45	8	131	184
Total	122	534	51	1,815	\$287	\$95	\$2,706	\$3,663



TABLE No. 2.—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

Number of Sunday Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Number on Grade Roll.	Number in Home Dept.	Number in All Other Depts.	Total Enrollment in All Depts.	Number of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church.	No. Taking Training Courses.	Number of Wesley Classes.	Amount Raised on Sunday School Day	Amount Raised for Missions.	Amount Raised for All Other Purposes.	Total Amt. Raised by Sunday Schools.	Lay Activities.		
													Number of Brother-hoods.	Number of Members.	Raised by Brother-hoods.
1	3	37	15	418	518	25	1	6	\$29	\$241	\$557	\$827	.....	.....	.....
2	24	28	20	338	390	6	.....	2	24	12	502	538	.....	.....	.....
3	4	32	25	511	620	.....	.....	3	324	324	200	524	.....	.....	.....
4	2	39	44	618	746	48	.....	5	45	533	1,200	1,778	.....	.....	.....
5	2	26	34	140	182	3	.....	3	75	75	292	370	.....	.....	.....
6	6	60	51	310	424	6	.....	5	12	63	278	354	.....	.....	.....
7	2	43	61	606	833	.....	.....	5	20	534	606	1,160	.....	.....	.....
8	5	63	44	404	538	.....	.....	9	27	160	440	627	.....	.....	.....
9	2	16	.....	63	63	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	64	.....	.....	.....
10	1	40	66	614	770	16	33	15	45	600	2,402	3,047	.....	.....	.....
11	3	33	15	312	353	.....	.....	2	10	185	252	447	.....	.....	.....
12	3	25	27	192	253	3	.....	.....	8	.....	530	538	.....	.....	.....
13	4	35	30	21	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	.....	686	.....	.....	.....
14	5	60	30	489	579	25	10	9	48	450	560	1,058	.....	.....	.....
15	3	29	26	6	204	2	.....	.....	11	27	158	196	.....	.....	.....
16	5	31	15	369	400	19	.....	.....	8	9	150	167	.....	.....	.....
17	3	40	77	13	348	24	4	5	12	60	750	822	.....	.....	.....
18	4	64	13	445	538	17	.....	10	22	272	927	1,221	.....	.....	.....
19	4	57	58	15	431	12	5	7	16	640	1,110	1,768	.....	.....	.....
20	1	30	42	12	276	360	2	5	6	270	467	743	.....	.....	.....
21	6	65	78	47	523	718	.....	.....	14	147	739	1,060	.....	.....	.....
22	3	26	.....	13	142	181	2	2	4	16	84	105	.....	.....	.....
23	4	32	20	246	314	9	.....	.....	6	54	260	320	.....	.....	.....
24	1	58	55	672	881	20	5	2	45	400	2,217	2,662	.....	.....	.....
25	1	19	20	223	321	10	8	1	40	188	385	613	.....	.....	.....
	79	1,009.	943	689	8,834	11,706	74	86	\$452	\$5,340	\$15,066	\$21,365	2	50	\$117

TABLE NO. 3—FINANCE.

	Winchester District.											
	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		District Work.		Annual Conf. Work.		General Work.		Paid.	
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.		
1 Berkeley—C. M. LeFev.	\$110	\$1,400	\$10	\$10	\$165	\$247	\$317	\$165	\$317	\$165		
2 Berryville—W. J. Whitesell	165	1,800	18	18	574	574	392	392	392	392		
3 Brucetown—J. D. Russell	105	1,200	6	6	2,000	238	979	135	979	135		
4 Charles Town—W. D. Keene	248	2,700	26	26	778	778	552	552	552	552		
5 Edinburg—G. D. Kidner	110	1,700	8	8	371	127	253	55	253	55		
6 Frederick—Paul R. Diehl	84	1,356	3	3	413	100	280	60	280	60		
7 Front Royal—N. D. Harmon, Jr.	242	2,500	26	26	806	806	550	550	550	550		
8 Jefferson—J. W. Beall	140	1,600	14	14	605	455	412	298	412	298		
9 Linden—R. O. Hipes	74	1,000	3	3	314	.....	215	.....	215	.....		
10 Martinsburg—C. K. Ray	274	3,000	28	28	945	945	645	645	645	645		
11 Middletown—J. B. Hupman	144	1,500	12	12	472	159	322	158	322	158		
12 Mt. Jackson—A. B. Sapp	100	1,200	8	8	372	120	252	100	252	100		
13 New Market—J. C. Hooks	120	1,350	8	8	388	200	266	170	266	170		
14 Ridgeway—F. F. Neel	214	1,600	10	10	460	460	313	313	313	313		
15 Riverton—E. W. Brubaker	68	1,050	4	4	290	66	197	45	197	45		
16 Shenandoah—S. F. Fridley	35	650	4	4	137	37	94	30	94	30		
17 Sheandoah Junction—C. C. Bush	127	1,500	12	12	453	453	296	206	296	206		
18 Shepherdstown—R. B. Claggett	185	1,900	18	18	622	622	424	424	424	424		
19 Stephens City—O. D. Lambert	165	2,000	10	10	610	610	393	393	393	393		
20 Strasburg—A. E. Owens	140	1,800	10	10	492	375	335	275	335	275		
21 Toms Brook—G. K. Heydrick	124	1,200	5	5	480	241	330	165	330	165		
22 Warren—S. C. Stickey	50	817	2	2	331	25	227	25	227	25		
23 White Post—L. H. Richcreek	124	1,275	10	10	418	95	284	65	284	65		
24 Winchester—M. D. Mitchell	296	3,700	25	25	1,029	1,029	701	701	701	701		
25 Woodstock—H. S. Coffey	232	2,500	20	20	660	660	451	451	451	451		
Total	\$3,676	\$3,609	\$42,298	\$41,631	\$300	\$297	\$12,893	\$9,422	\$8,780	\$6,463		

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TABLE No. 3—FINANCE.

	Raised This Year.										Brought Forward From Table 1.	Brought Forward From Table 2.	Grand Total for Year.
	Foreign Missions Specials.	Home Missions Specials.	Conference Missions Specials.	For Golden Cross Fund.	On Christian Education Pledges	For Superannuate Endowment.	For Hospital.	For Organizational Phrange.	For Incidental and Other Objects.	Missions for Maintenance.			
1	\$248					\$112		\$50	\$2,301		\$848	\$1,123	\$6,946
2					\$25		75	600			1,375	677	5,573
3						34					2,800	647	5,166
4					5	315		75	1,538	\$200	1,957	1,778	9,739
5	75						5	379	30	30	523	423	3,028
6					15					54	2,036	514	4,420
7	171					260		47	919		930	1,304	7,242
8	85							40	1,140		1,196	724	5,338
9					32		7				23	64	1,870
10	115				31	600		60	1,800	300	4,650	3,593	15,266
11	260						28	413			272	447	3,363
12	37					25		21	472		994	538	3,195
13								200	600		353	606	3,550
14									550		1,320	1,278	5,757
15	27								340	20	37	277	1,783
16						8		13	175		360	167	1,336
17						90		27	388		3,747	958	7,106
18	81					325	\$2	97	671		1,289	1,300	6,276
19						52		68	902	102	977	2,027	6,059
20	230					325			950		2,010	939	6,558
21						17		16	185		175	1,050	3,000
22						12			15	50	267	104	1,256
23	48								250		832	427	3,072
24	562					134			8,074		13,690	2,972	25,232
25	406					188		56	1,947		3,536	663	10,000
	\$2,288	\$85	\$200	\$2	\$212	\$2,939	\$5	\$885	\$25,522	\$322	\$46,197	\$24,800	\$152,131

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

## RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 1.

TABLE NO. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

DISTRICTS.	Membership.										Church Property.					Indebtedness.
	Members Reported Last Year.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership, Including Local Preachers.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Number of Congregations in Charge.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.				
1 Alexandria. . . . .	10,526	13	372	269	751	10,418	218	138	91	92	\$805,125	\$35,635				
2 Baltimore. . . . .	7,063	15	381	251	521	7,232	36	219	54	55	1,217,100	232,650				
3 Lewisburg. . . . .	11,033	7	402	116	700	11,359	242	167	104	94	754,600	63,629				
4 Moorefield. . . . .	9,627	15	353	137	541	9,406	193	229	125	109	529,500	41,915				
5 Roanoke. . . . .	15,352	22	555	705	1,041	15,315	361	81	69	65	1,150,900	162,393				
6 Rockingham. . . . .	10,460	12	417	250	434	10,721	231	47	74	76	860,000	82,503				
7 Washington. . . . .	12,887	33	451	402	290	12,823	84	331	57	59	1,711,500	203,250				
8 Winchester. . . . .	12,144	9	402	300	979	11,810	170	141	83	80	793,350	16,725				
Total. . . . .	89,937	126	3,333	2,430	5,256	90,807	1,535	1,353	657	630	\$7,822,075	\$844,700				



RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 1.

TABLE No. 1—MEMBERSHIP, CHURCH PROPERTY, INSURANCE, AND WOMAN'S WORK.

Church Property—Continued.		Insurance.										Woman's Work.		
No. of Par-sonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Raised for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Premiums Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	Number of Societies.	Members.	Total Amt. Raised by Woman's Societies.	
1	\$167,200	\$18,109	\$41,953	\$41,481	\$468,325	\$1,209	.....	.....	.....	.....	31	925	\$8,643	
2	167,100	8,175	37,475	47,001	668,536	1,574	.....	.....	.....	.....	37	1,052	13,543	
3	695,400	6,166	20,720	35,141	332,830	1,748	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	1,259	11,480	
4	114,998	6,501	1,985	44,030	325,475	1,035	.....	1	\$3,800	\$900	37	805	5,773	
5	181,200	12,500	36,300	52,038	738,050	3,307	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	2,285	13,905	
6	132,600	2,248	13,025	36,068	487,340	1,279	.....	.....	.....	.....	37	1,208	8,843	
7	166,650	20,443	100,431	135,344	677,375	1,446	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	1,466	14,659	
8	131,200	4,000	56,500	34,226	354,400	1,860	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	1,129	10,042	
199	\$1,756,448	\$78,142	\$308,389	\$425,329	\$3,952,331	\$13,458	1	1	\$3,800	\$900	320	10,129	\$86,888	

RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 2.

TABLE No. 2—CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

DISTRICTS.	Church Papers Taken.		Epworth Leagues.					
	General Organ	Conference Organ.	Number Leagues.	Members.	Raised for Missions.	Raised on Anniversary Day.	Raised for All Other Objects.	Total Raised by Epworth Leagues.
1 Alexandria .....	54	588	31	1,164	\$138	\$175	\$1,453	\$1,962
2 Baltimore .....	36	484	40	1,287	662	72	2,088	3,394
3 Lewisburg .....	99	697	40	1,657	637	135	1,380	2,497
4 Moorefield .....	53	446	33	1,252	236	29	841	1,261
5 Roanoke .....	62	580	42	1,537	604	91	1,464	2,221
6 Rockingham .....	88	584	36	1,368	665	50	1,471	2,198
7 Washington .....	131	995	47	1,564	2,441	86	3,450	6,104
8 Winchester .....	122	534	51	1,815	787	95	2,706	3,663
Total .....	645	4,908	320	11,644	\$6,470	\$733	\$14,853	\$23,300

## RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 2.

TABLE No. 2 CHURCH PAPERS TAKEN, EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, AND LAY ACTIVITIES.

	Sunday Schools.														Lay Activities.			
	Number of Sunday Schools	Officers & Teachers.	Number on Cradle Roll.	Number in Home Dept.	Number in All Other Depts.	Total En- rollment in All Depts.	Number of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church	No. Taking Training Courses.	Number of Wesley Classes.	Amount Raised on Sunday School Day	Amount Raised for Missions.	Amount Raised for All Other Purposes.	Total Amt. Raised by Sunday Schools.	Number of Brother- hoods.	Number of Members.	Raised by Brother- hoods.		
1	79	898	734	821	6,293	9,127	393	146	66	\$574	\$4,217	\$11,850	\$16,844	1	12	\$151		
2	52	767	576	501	5,611	7,444	309	143	56	460	5,846	11,089	18,179	1	68	66		
3	82	838	1,036	808	7,873	10,996	249	149	57	271	5,820	17,497	24,132	3	68	66		
4	96	930	839	249	2,821	9,735	194	169	54	370	4,468	8,947	13,826	2	43	100		
5	62	1,105	1,004	885	10,685	13,740	445	415	135	721	8,763	19,856	31,085	2	43	100		
6	69	818	719	358	6,582	10,023	267	165	43	360	8,498	12,822	21,729	3	65	29		
7	54	985	735	817	7,217	9,571	364	173	84	329	8,992	24,991	34,163	1	27	201		
8	79	1,009	943	689	8,834	11,706	277	74	86	452	5,340	15,066	21,365	2	50	117		
	573	6,370	6,586	5,128	54,916	82,342	2,498	1,434	581	\$3,537	\$51,944	\$121,828	\$181,323	12	265	\$664		

# RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 3.

## TABLE NO. 3.—FINANCE.

DISTRICTS.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		District Work.		Annual Conf. Work.		General Work.	
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
1 Alexandria .....	\$3,800	\$3,795	\$46,720	\$46,203	\$850	\$856	\$12,451	\$8,181	\$8,578	\$5,444
2 Baltimore .....	3,847	3,694	49,360	49,221	989	900	10,977	9,072	7,483	5,919
3 Lewisburg .....	3,597	3,357	45,270	42,343	3,994	2,905	12,948	7,768	8,532	4,712
4 Moorefield .....	3,563	3,543	36,188	36,089	163	163	9,714	5,499	6,934	4,282
5 Roanoke .....	4,000	3,996	56,560	56,525	1,256	1,182	16,484	13,694	11,272	9,088
6 Rockingham .....	3,597	3,568	42,929	42,520	209	191	11,586	9,045	7,888	6,181
7 Washington .....	3,600	3,591	59,088	59,212	981	972	14,982	12,783	10,203	8,649
8 Winchester .....	3,676	3,609	42,298	41,631	300	297	12,893	9,422	8,780	6,463
Total .....	\$29,680	\$24,157	\$378,413	\$373,986	\$8,773	\$7,469	\$102,035	\$75,464	\$69,670	\$50,738

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.



# RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 3.

## TABLE NO. 3—FINANCE.

	Foreign Missions Specials.	Home Missions Specials.	Conference Missions Specials.	Raised This Year.										Brought Forward From Table 1.	Brought Forward From Table 2.	Grand Total For Year.
				For Golden Cross Fund.	On Christian Education Pledges.	For Superannuate Endowment.	For Hospital.	For Orphanage.	For Incidents and Other Objects.	Missions For Maintenance.	For Hospital.	For Orphanage.	For Incidents and Other Objects.			
1	\$741	\$30	\$137	\$20	\$90	\$2,994	\$16	\$619	\$14,073	\$269	\$92,195	\$26,089	\$190,125			
2	830	22	97	124	15	5,598	.....	850	35,376	1,193	62,749	21,949	219,900			
3	852	.....	.....	87	28	4,758	20	355	20,476	560	48,190	26,144	154,666			
4	327	.....	.....	18	316	2,109	4	243	9,810	1,298	50,777	15,143	132,061			
5	4,807	.....	.....	58	521	5,043	25	760	51,245	1,888	71,887	33,501	237,186			
6	2,925	336	74	132	359	1,765	.....	856	19,339	2,342	44,122	23,654	145,919			
7	6,104	5,677	15	17	334	4,953	52	1,477	56,097	891	151,542	40,128	338,150			
8	2,288	85	200	2	242	2,939	5	885	25,522	822	46,197	24,800	152,131			
	\$18,874	\$6,432	\$723	\$458	\$1,905	\$30,159	\$121	\$6,045	\$231,738	\$9,263	\$572,259	\$211,408	\$1,560,138			

Note—Owing to the fact that last year was an 18-mo. year, no increase or decrease is shown.

TABLE No. 4—SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT.

Alexandria District.	Amount Charge Agrees to Pay In 5 Years.	Amount Charge Has Paid to Date.	Balance Charge Has Yet to Pay.
Alexandria . . . . .	\$3,500.00	\$2,132.55	\$1,367.45
Arlington . . . . .	40.00	40.00	.....
Balston-Lee Heights..	775.00	270.00	505.00
Chesterbrook-Langley.	360.00	300.00	60.00
Clarendon . . . . .	2,006.00	313.00	1,693.00
Del Ray . . . . .	1,694.00	1,301.50	392.50
East Fairfax . . . . .	1,120.00	267.91	852.09
Fairfax . . . . .	1,294.00	969.75	333.25
Falls Church . . . . .	1,721.00	180.75	1,540.25
Fauquier . . . . .	1,425.00	743.50	681.50
Fredericksburg . . . . .	2,582.00	2,600.00	.....
Hamilton-Purcellville.	1,730.00	819.02	910.98
Herndon . . . . .	1,176.00	1,020.90	155.10
Hillsboro-Bluemont ..	1,674.00	606.25	1,067.75
Leesburg . . . . .	1,724.00	697.62	1,026.38
Loudoun . . . . .	1,624.00	460.25	1,163.75
Manassas . . . . .	1,595.00	474.00	1,121.00
Marshall . . . . .	1,600.00	756.75	843.25
Middleburg . . . . .	1,708.00	1,231.49	476.51
Nokesville . . . . .	560.00	291.40	268.60
Occoquan . . . . .	1,250.00	178.05	1,071.95
Quantico . . . . .	475.00	190.25	284.75
Remington . . . . .	1,440.00	472.01	967.99
Stafford . . . . .	1,479.00	899.55	579.45
Sterling . . . . .	1,290.00	10.00	1,280.00
Sudley . . . . .	1,225.00	449.15	775.85
Warrenton . . . . .	1,733.00	125.11	1,607.89
West Fauquier . . . . .	710.00	58.00	652.00
Totals . . . . .	\$39,510.00	\$17,849.76	\$21,678.24

TABLE No. 4—SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT—(Cont'd.).

Baltimore District.	Amount Charge Agrees to Pay In 5 Years.	Amount Charge Has Paid to Date.	Balance Charge Has Yet to Pay.
Aberdeen. . . . .	\$1,942.00	\$672.00	\$1,270.00
Annapolis-Salem. . . . .	1,428.00	1,178.05	249.95
Asbury-Pasadena. . . . .	1,345.00	426.20	918.80
Baltimore—			
Alpheus Wilson			
Memorial. . . . .	3,144.00	2,830.50	313.50
Andrew Chapel . . . . .	1,854.00	264.00	1,590.00
Arlington. . . . .	2,713.00	2,240.00	473.00
Central-Caernarvon	4,188.00	2,877.50	1,310.50
Epworth. . . . .	1,321.00	.....	1,321.00
Frederick Avenue . . . . .	1,563.00	294.79	1,268.21
Hamilton. . . . .	1,500.00	1,184.70	315.30
Sudbrook. . . . .	1,160.00	644.00	516.00
Trinity. . . . .	5,700.00	4,531.39	1,168.61
Wilkins Avenue . . . . .	1,690.00	151.10	1,538.90
Church Hill-Millington	1,833.00	648.42	1,184.58
Easton. . . . .	1,484.00	185.00	1,299.00
Freedom. . . . .	1,439.00	769.50	669.50
Goldsboro. . . . .	1,260.00	363.25	896.75
Howard. . . . .	1,622.00	1,207.06	414.94
Ingleside. . . . .	1,078.00	604.77	473.23
Jarrettsville. . . . .	1,686.00	545.64	1,140.36
Mt. Airy. . . . .	1,196.00	797.32	398.68
Patuxent-Odenton. . . . .	930.00	241.51	688.49
Perry Hall . . . . .	425.00	297.50	127.50
Queen Anne . . . . .	1,060.00	43.00	1,017.00
Reisterstown. . . . .	1,127.00	888.80	238.20
Royal Oak-Tilghman	1,492.00	37.70	1,454.30
Trappe. . . . .	863.00	236.00	627.00
Wesley Grove . . . . .	3,000.00	2,299.50	700.50
Totals. . . . .	\$50,043.00	\$26,459.20	\$23,583.80

TABLE No. 4—SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT—(Cont'd.).

Lewisburg District.	Amount Charge Agrees to Pay In 5 Years.	Amount Charge Has Paid to Date.	Balance Charge Has Yet to Pay.
Alderson. . . . .	\$2,289.00	\$1,625.00	\$664.00
Alvon. . . . .	995.00		995.00
Blue Sulphur . . . . .	1,308.00	1,795.50	
Callaghan. . . . .	1,164.00	391.25	772.75
Clifton Forge . . . . .	4,000.00	1,940.00	2,060.00
Covington—			
Epworth. . . . .	1,504.00	278.14	1,225.86
Granberry Memorial	2,616.00	2,344.40	271.60
Durbin. . . . .	1,012.00	252.11	759.89
Frankford. . . . .	1,308.00	129.10	1,178.90
Green Bank . . . . .	1,308.00	760.49	547.51
Greenville. . . . .	1,185.00	316.67	868.33
Hillsboro. . . . .	1,308.00	856.35	451.65
Hinton. . . . .	3,500.00	3,500.00	
Hot Springs . . . . .	1,190.00	267.00	923.00
Huntersville. . . . .	895.00	79.50	\$15.50
Levelton. . . . .	1,000.00	36.85	963.15
Lewisburg. . . . .	2,616.00	971.00	1,645.00
Marlinton. . . . .	1,962.00	1,748.25	213.72
Paint Bank . . . . .	1,199.00	255.00	944.00
Peterstown. . . . .	865.00	130.75	734.25
Richlands. . . . .	1,180.00	287.37	892.63
Riverview. . . . .	760.00	395.10	364.90
Ronceverte. . . . .	1,935.00	1,393.50	541.50
Selma. . . . .	1,082.00	405.00	677.00
Talcott. . . . .	1,090.00	130.90	959.10
Union. . . . .	1,935.00	907.28	1,027.72
White Sulphur . . . . .	1,635.00	843.00	792.00
Williamsburg. . . . .	1,100.00	95.00	1,005.00
Totals. . . . .	\$43,941.00	\$22,134.54	\$22,293.96



TABLE No. 4—SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT—(Cont'd.).

Moorefield District.	Amount Charge Agrees to Pay In 5 Years.	Amount Charge Has Paid to Date.	Balance Charge Has Yet to Pay.
Augusta. . . . .	\$600.00	\$192.80	\$407.20
Burlington. . . . .	1,090.00	398.71	691.29
Capon Bridge . . . . .	800.00	195.32	604.68
Cumberland—			
Central. . . . .		431.46	
Emmanuel. . . . .	930.00	125.00	805.00
Trinity. . . . .	2,200.00	1,028.40	1,171.60
Elk Garden . . . . .	820.00	111.68	708.32
Flintstone. . . . .	821.00	296.74	524.26
Frankford. . . . .	800.00	92.99	707.01
Franklin. . . . .		389.85	
Frostburg. . . . .		198.30	
Gainsboro. . . . .	820.00	73.75	746.25
Garrett. . . . .		99.36	
Hampshire. . . . .	1,189.00	119.45	1,069.55
Hardy. . . . .	807.00	246.90	560.10
Highland. . . . .		159.03	
Keyser. . . . .	1,971.00	702.32	1,268.68
Listonburg. . . . .	985.00	20.25	964.75
McDowell. . . . .	1,205.00	786.44	418.56
Monterey. . . . .	1,533.00	314.63	1,218.37
Moorefield. . . . .	1,524.00	163.68	1,360.32
Morgan. . . . .	1,090.00	158.34	931.66
Petersburg. . . . .	1,027.00	143.25	883.75
Piedmont. . . . .	1,917.00	708.37	1,208.63
Ridgeley. . . . .	1,414.00	50.00	1,364.00
Romney. . . . .	1,726.00	870.31	855.69
South Fork . . . . .		30.00	
Springfield. . . . .	713.00	250.17	462.83
Wardensville. . . . .	1,125.00	215.30	909.70
Totals. . . . .	\$27,107.00	\$8,572.80	\$19,842.20

TABLE No. 4—SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT.

Roanoke District.	Amount Charge Agrees to Pay In 5 Years.	Amount Charge Has Paid to Date.	Balance Charge Has Yet to Pay.
Bethany. . . . .	\$1,630.00	\$205.50	\$1,424.50
Blacksburg. . . . .	1,929.00	1,543.20	385.80
Buchanan. . . . .	1,425.00	489.33	935.67
Buena Vista . . . . .	2,125.00	823.50	1,301.50
Cambria. . . . .	822.00	185.70	636.30
Catawba. . . . .		46.00	
Christiansburg. . . . .	2,121.00	57.00	2,064.00
Eagle Rock . . . . .	1,600.00	158.90	1,441.10
Elliston-Shawsville . . . . .	1,300.00	694.09	605.91
Fincastle. . . . .	1,621.00	146.63	1,474.37
Glen Wilton . . . . .		112.55	
New Castle . . . . .	1,500.00	503.43	996.57
Newport. . . . .	815.00	76.17	738.83
Pembroke. . . . .		7.20	
Roanoke—			
Belmont. . . . .	3,304.00	2,970.00	334.00
Grace. . . . .	1,934.00	162.00	1,772.00
Greene Memorial . . . . .	5,467.00	6,026.00	
Huntington Court. . . . .			
Melrose Avenue . . . . .	2,600.00		2,600.00
Mt. Olivet . . . . .	1,275.00	30.92	1,244.08
Raleigh Court . . . . .	1,100.00	220.00	880.00
South Roanoke. . . . .			
Trinity. . . . .	4,204.50	3,224.24	980.26
West End . . . . .	3,000.00	2,400.00	600.00
Roanoke Circuit . . . . .	853.00	341.20	511.80
Rockbridge. . . . .	880.00	671.00	208.90
Salem. . . . .	3,300.00	2,840.00	460.00
Vinton. . . . .	2,150.00	1,662.00	488.00
Totals. . . . .	\$46,955.50	\$25,596.66	\$22,083.59

TABLE No. 4—SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT.

Rockingham District.	Amount Charge Agrees to Pay In 5 Years.	Amount Charge Has Paid to Date.	Balance Charge Has Yet to Pay.
Basic . . . . .	\$1,741.00	\$20.00	\$1,721.00
Bath . . . . .	962.00	10.00	952.00
Blue Ridge . . . . .	530.00	2.00	528.00
Bridgewater . . . . .	1,686.00	363.97	1,322.03
Calvary-Fishersville . . . . .	1,832.00	218.16	1,613.84
Churchville . . . . .	857.00	125.00	732.00
Collierstown . . . . .	860.00	12.00	848.00
Elkton . . . . .	2,000.00	345.00	1,655.00
Fairfield . . . . .	1,323.00	234.75	1,088.25
Goshen . . . . .	1,273.00	297.50	975.50
Greenville . . . . .	1,323.00	50.00	1,273.00
Harrisonburg . . . . .	3,000.00	2,045.00	955.00
Keezletown—			
McCaheysville . . . . .	1,945.00	411.50	1,533.50
Lexington . . . . .		143.25	
Luray . . . . .	2,368.00	47.65	2,320.35
Mt. Crawford . . . . .		118.00	
Mt. Solon . . . . .	1,113.00	538.08	574.92
New Hope . . . . .	1,432.00	196.79	1,235.21
Page . . . . .	683.00		683.00
Port Republic . . . . .	1,515.00	740.50	774.50
Rockbridge Baths . . . . .	750.00	20.00	730.00
Shenandoah . . . . .	975.00	277.50	697.50
Stanley-Marksville . . . . .	1,015.00		1,015.00
Staunton—			
Central . . . . .	5,000.00	4,500.00	500.00
Marquis Memorial . . . . .	717.00	220.00	497.00
Waynesboro . . . . .	2,000.00	782.20	1,217.80
Totals . . . . .	\$36,900.00	\$11,718.85	\$25,442.40

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TABLE No. 4—SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT.

Washington District.	Amount Charge Agrees to Pay In 5 Years.	Amount Charge Has Paid to Date.	Balance Charge Has Yet to Pay.
Beltsville-Branchville	\$1,650.00	\$944.71	\$705.29
Bethesda . . . . .	840.00	.....	840.00
Brentwood . . . . .	946.00	687.20	258.80
Brunswick . . . . .	.....	32.00	.....
Calvert . . . . .	1,639.00	980.00	659.00
Chesapeake . . . . .	1,550.00	543.10	1,006.90
Clarksburg . . . . .	1,003.00	551.67	451.33
Colesville . . . . .	900.00	527.00	373.00
Frederick . . . . .	1,080.00	.....	1,080.00
Gaithersburg . . . . .	1,982.00	926.03	1,055.97
Goshen-Emory . . . . .	1,203.00	1,203.00	.....
Hyattsville . . . . .	935.00	935.00	.....
La Plata . . . . .	1,645.00	436.50	1,208.50
Laurel . . . . .	1,241.00	479.25	761.75
Poolesville . . . . .	1,634.00	1,334.00	300.00
Potomac . . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Prince George . . . . .	1,630.00	652.00	978.00
Rockville . . . . .	1,634.00	1,647.50	.....
Savage . . . . .	1,242.00	175.07	1,066.93
Washington—			
Calvary . . . . .	1,884.00	416.60	1,467.40
Emory . . . . .	1,954.00	723.00	1,231.00
Epworth . . . . .	5,000.00	3,300.00	1,700.00
Marvin . . . . .	2,154.00	1,305.00	849.00
Mt. Pleasant . . . . .	2,182.00	1,521.00	661.00
Mt. Ranier . . . . .	1,550.00	40.71	1,509.29
Mt. Vernon Place . . . . .	10,000.00	10,000.00	.....
St. Paul . . . . .	2,135.00	1,331.00	804.00
Totals . . . . .	\$49,613.00	\$30,691.34	\$18,967.16



TABLE No. 4—SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT.

Winchester District.	Amount Charge	Amount Charge	Balance Charge
	Agrees to Pay In 5 Years.	Has Paid to Date.	Has Yet to Pay.
Berkley. . . . .	\$1,301.00	\$540.10	\$760.90
Berryville. . . . .	1,947.00	191.00	1,756.00
Brucetown. . . . .	1,200.00	125.79	1,074.21
Charles Town. . . . .	2,500.00	582.20	1,917.80
Edinburg. . . . .	1,483.00	86.00	1,397.00
Frederick. . . . .	1,100.00	205.09	\$94.91
Front Royal. . . . .	2,164.00	1,514.00	650.00
Jefferson. . . . .	1,690.00	300.87	1,389.13
Linden. . . . .	972.00	24.00	948.00
Martinsburg. . . . .	3,000.00	2,400.00	600.00
Middletown. . . . .	1,623.00	164.10	1,458.90
Mt. Jackson. . . . .	1,182.00	138.55	1,043.45
New Market. . . . .	1,466.00	142.55	1,323.45
Ridgeway. . . . .	1,629.00	39.80	1,589.20
Riverton. . . . .	258.80	44.00	214.80
Shenandale. . . . .	982.00	68.00	914.00
Shenandoah Junction. . . . .	1,590.00	168.02	1,421.98
Shepherdstown. . . . .	1,950.00	1,467.71	482.29
Stephen City. . . . .	1,738.00	221.65	1,516.35
Strasburg. . . . .	1,623.00	1,299.75	323.25
Toms Brook. . . . .	800.00	17.00	783.00
Warren. . . . .	820.00	172.67	647.33
White Post. . . . .	1,204.20	129.25	1,074.95
Winchester. . . . .	2,716.00	2,183.16	532.84
Woodstock. . . . .	2,500.00	1,145.70	1,354.30
Totals. . . . .	\$39,439.00	\$13,370.96	\$26,068.04

**RECAPITULATION TABLE No. 4.**  
**SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT.**

DISTRICTS.	Amount Charge Agrees to Pay In 5 Years.	Amount Charge Has Paid to Date.	Balance Charge Has Yet to Pay.
Alexandria. . . . .	\$39,510.00	\$17,849.76	\$21,678.24
Baltimore. . . . .	50,043.00	26,459.25	23,583.80
Lewisburg. . . . .	43,941.00	22,134.54	22,293.96
Moorefield. . . . .	28,633.00	8,572.80	19,842.20
Roanoke. . . . .	46,955.50	25,596.66	22,083.59
Rockingham. . . . .	36,900.00	11,718.85	25,442.40
Washington. . . . .	49,613.00	30,690.34	18,967.16
Winchester. . . . .	39,439.00	13,370.96	26,068.04
Totals. . . . .	\$333,508.50	\$156,394.16	\$179,959.39

## GENERAL MINUTES

## I. PROBATIONERS.

**Ques. 1.** Who are admitted on trial?

**Ans.** Conrad William Jordan, John Franklin Owens.

**Ques. 2.** Who else is in the class of the first year?

**Ans.** George Milton Bell, Peter Constant Helmtoller, Jr., William Harvey Gray.

**Ques. 3.** Who remain on trial?

**Ans.** Charles Fadely Phillips (has passed all courses of study), John Thomas Brown, Walter Delford Sheets, Harry Wallace Craver, Allan Gillis, Herman Monroe Wilson (has passed all courses of study), Mack Thomason, William Felix Hodges, William Preston Saunders, Julian Edward McDonald, Albert Hinkle Shumate, Raymond Ledbetter Moore, Paul Russell Diehl.

**Ques. 4.** Who else is in the class of the second year?

**Ans.** Arthur Woodley Hinton (passed 2nd year), William Jennings Groah (passed 2nd year), John Sanders Schwartz (passed entire course of study), George Lipscomb Waters (passed 3rd year).

**Ques. 5.** Who are discontinued?

**Ans.** None.

## II. CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP.

**Ques. 6.** Who are admitted into full connection?

**Ans.** Harold Hetzer Hoyt, Charles Roy Curtis, Emory Wilson Jordan, Edwin Samuels Sheppe, Jr. (has passed entire course of study), Floyd Montgomery Lucas (has completed 4th year course), Harry Stockton Myerly.

**Ques. 7.** Who else is in the class of the third year?

**Ans.** Edward Byrnes Cook, Henry Baker Smith, Charles McCulloh LeFew, William James Elliott, Palmer Eubank, James Herbert Brown, Jr. (student at Emory University), Harris Magruder Waters (Missionary to Japan).

**Ques. 8.** Who are readmitted?

**Ans.** None.

**Ques. 9.** Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

**Ans.** John W. Rustin, an Elder from the Virginia Conference.

**Ques. 10.** Who are received from other churches as traveling preachers?

**Ans.** None.

Ques. 11. Who are located this year?

Ans. Gordon E. Smith, at his own request.

Ques. 12. Who have withdrawn or been expelled?

Ans. F. E. Allison, withdrew from ministry and membership of Methodist Church.

Ques. 13. Who are transferred to other Conferences?

Ans. J. L. Early, Jr., and John W. Rustin, Elders, to the Virginia Conference.

Ques. 14. What preachers have died during the year?

Ans. David F. Eutsler, Henry A. Brown, John R. Jacobs, Carlton D. Harris.

### III. ORDERS.

Ques. 15. Who are the deacons of one year?

Ans. William Preston Good, Thomas Morgan, Royal Allen Rice, Walter Milton Reynolds, John Russell Corron, Frank Lewis Baker, Jr., William Oliver Luttrell, Ernest Taylor Harrison.

Ques. 16. Who else is in the class of the fourth year?

Ans. Elias Galloway Helms, Charles Leslie Reiter.

Ques. 17. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected deacons?

Ans. Emory Wilson Jordan, Floyd Montgomery Lucas, Edwin Samuels Sheppe, Jr., traveling preachers. Ira Sankey Hull, David Laing, John Thomas Brown, Walter Delford Sheets, Harry Wallace Craver, Allan Gillis, Herman Monroe Wilson, William Felix Hodges, Julian Edward McDonald, local preachers.

Ques. 18. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained deacons?

Ans. Emory Wilson Jordan, Floyd Montgomery Lucas, Edwin Samuels Sheppe, Jr., traveling preachers. Ira Sankey Hull, David Laing, John Thomas Brown, Walter Delford Sheets, Harry Wallace Craver, Allan Gillis, Herman Monroe Wilson, William Felix Hodges, Julian Edward McDonald, William Jennings Groah (was elected three years ago), local preachers.

Ques. 19. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected elders?

Ans. Robert Orvel Hipes, Arthur Irvin Orndoff, Claude Byron Larrick, David Robert Cleckner, William Clews, Kemp Dudley Swecker, traveling preachers.

Ques. 20. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained elders?

Ans. Robert Orvel Hipes, Arthur Irvin Orndoff, Claude Byron Larrick, David Robert Cleckner, William Clews, Kemp Dudley Swecker, traveling preachers.



## IV. CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

Ques. 21. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

Ans. Their names were called one by one and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 22. Who are supernumerary?

Ans. John W. Beall, German O. Homan, Turner A. Jordan, German H. H. Tyler.

Ques. 23. Who are superannuated?

Ans. James A. Anderson, John A. Anderson, A. Lee Barret, Oliver C. Beall, C. Harry Buchanan, Oscar F. Burgess, Henry S. Coe, W. P. Conway Coe, William B. Dorsey, Jefferson W. Duffey, George W. Gaither, William T. Gover, Frank T. Griffith, Norman N. Hall, Henry P. Hamill, Fiske E. Hammond, John C. Hawk, James M. Hawley, James B. Hedrick, James L. Henderson, John B. Henry, James S. Keene, Hamilton W. Kinzer, John H. Kuhlmann, Louis L. Lloyd, William F. Lowance, Charles W. Mark, William E. Miller, John W. Mitchell, Harry L. Myerly, Charles L. Potter, Hamilton M. Roane, William H. Sanders, Charles M. Sarver, John Lester Shipley, Samuel R. Snead, Henry I. Stephens, H. Monroe Strickler, Charles B. Sutton, Wallace O. Talbert, John L. Thomas, John C. Thrasher, Rufus M. Wheeler, G. Dorsey White, John H. Wilhite, B. W. Waters.

## V. STATISTICS.

Ques. 24. What is the number of districts, of pastoral charges, and of societies in this Conference?

Ans. Districts, 8; Pastoral Charges, 219; Societies, 657.

Ques. 25. How many have been licensed to preach, and what is the number of local preachers and of members?

Ans. Licensed, 21; Local Preachers, 126; Members, 90,807.

Ques. 26. How many adults and how many infants have been baptized during the year?

Ans. Adults, 1,535; Infants, 1,353.

Ques. 27. What is the number of Epworth Leagues and of Epworth League members?

Ans. Epworth Leagues, 320; Epworth League Members, 11,644.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Sunday Schools, of Sunday School officers and teachers, and of Sunday School scholars enrolled during the year?

Ans. Sunday Schools, 573; Officers and Teachers, 6,370; Scholars Enrolled, 82,342.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Woman's Missionary Societies, and what is the number of members of the same?

Ans. Societies, 320; Members, 10,129

Ques. 32. What are the educational statistics?

Ans. Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Virginia—Value of Property, \$438,100; endowment, \$1,014,850; officers and teachers, 35; students, 263. Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Virginia—Value of Property, \$1,000,000; endowment, \$1,169,076; officers and teachers, 94; students, 851. Randolph-Macon Academy, Bedford, Virginia—Value of Property, \$350,000; officers and teachers, 13; students, 178. Randolph-Macon Academy, Front Royal, Virginia—Value of Property, \$353,500; officers and teachers, 12; students, 158. Randolph-Macon Institute, Danville, Virginia—Value of Property, \$178,507; officers and teachers, 23; students, 342. Total for the System—Value of Property, \$2,320,107; Endowment, \$2,183,926; Officers and Teachers, 177; Students, 1,792.

Ques. 33. What are the orphanage statistics?

Ans. Money expended, \$6,045.

Ques. 34. What are the hospital statistics?

Ans. None.

## VI. FINANCES.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for the following causes?

Ans. Foreign Missions, \$18,962; Home and Conference Missions, \$18,025; Church Extension, \$9,214; Education, \$10,123; American Bible Society, \$1,185; General Conference Expense, \$948; by the Woman's Missionary Society, \$86,888.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for the support of the ministry?

Ans. Bishops, \$5,333; Presiding Elders, \$24,153; Preachers in Charge, \$373,907; Conference Claimants, \$26,946; Superannuate Endowment Fund, \$12,585.

Ques. 37. What is the grand total contributed for all purposes from all sources in this Conference this year?

Ans. \$1,560,138.

## VII. CHURCH PROPERTY.

Ques. 38. What is the number of houses of worship, their value, and the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Ans. Houses of Worship, 630; Value, \$7,822,075; Indebtedness, \$844,700.

Ques. 39. What is the number of parsonages, their value, and the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Ans. District Parsonages, 9; Value, \$123,750; Indebtedness, \$24,850; Parsonages belonging to Pastoral Charges, 199; Value, \$1,756,448; Indebtedness, \$78,142.

Ques. 40. What amount of insurance is carried on Church property, and what amount has been paid out in premiums?

Ans. Insurance carried, \$3,952,331; Premiums paid, \$13,458.

Ques. 41. How many churches and parsonages have been damaged or destroyed during the year, what is the amount of damage, and what has been collected thereon?

Ans. Churches damaged, 1; Parsonages damaged, 1; Amount of damage, \$3,800; Collected, \$900.

Ques. 42. What is the number of superannuate homes, and what is their value?

Ans. None.

#### VIII. MISCELLANEOUS.

Ques. 43. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader?

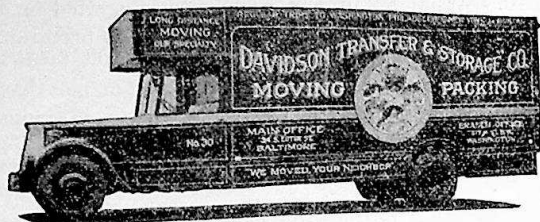
Ans. M. L. Walton, Jr., Woodstock, Va.

Ques. 44. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?

Ans. Central Church, Cumberland, Md.

Ques. 45. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

Ans. (See Appointments.)



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