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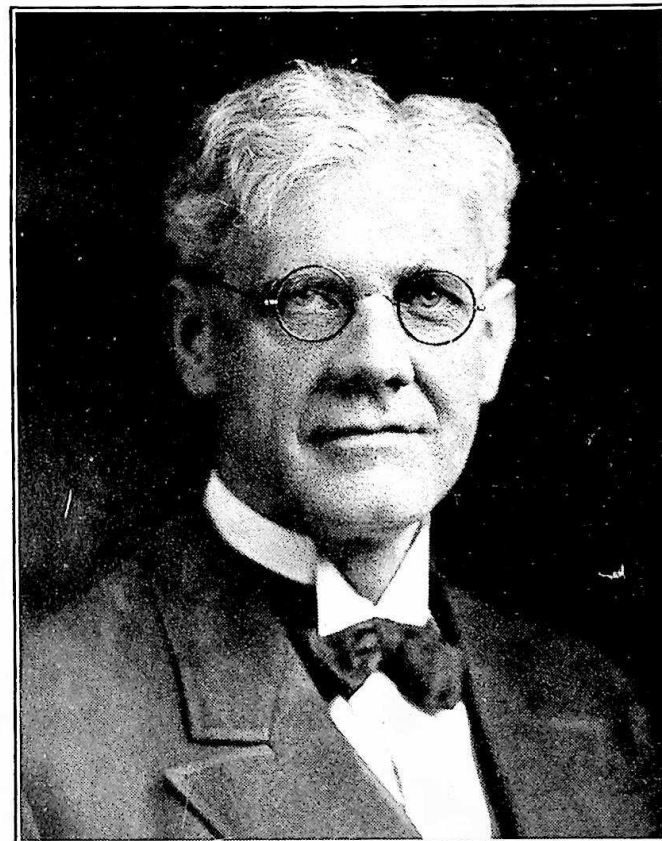
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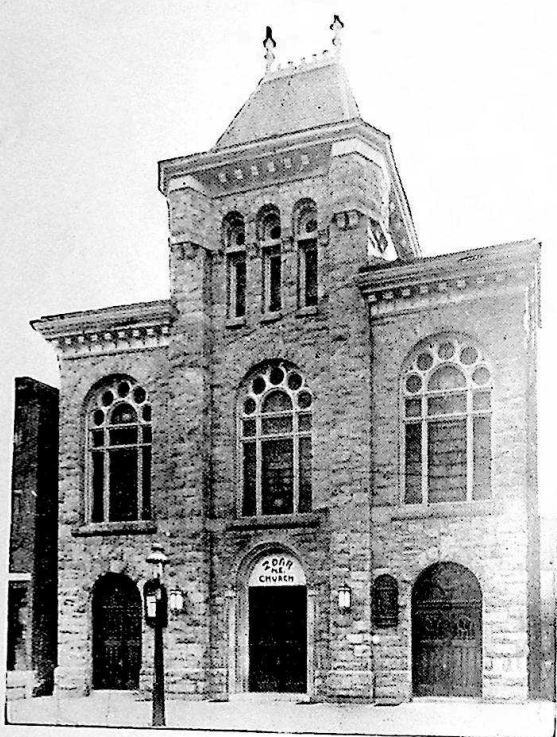
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Chronological Roll

1877	T. B. H. Coleman	1911	J. R. Purnell
1879	J. R. Waters	1911	J. O. Stanley
1881	J. H. Nutter	1911	L. S. Moore
1883	G. T. Townsend	1911	W. G. Matthews
1886	W. J. Moore	1911	J. L. Taylor
1886	J. H. Scott	1911	S. J. Horsey
1888	R. H. Coleman	1911	C. W. Shookley
1889	W. E. Hilton	1911	J. T. Wallace
1889	H. T. Johnson	1912	R. C. Hughes
1891	G. B. Coleman	1912	T. E. Randall
1891	W. C. Jason	1913	D. W. Henry
1891	L. H. Martin	1913	S. A. Waters
1891	C. W. Pullett	1913	C. T. Covington
1893	F. T. Johnson	1914	J. N. Bullen
1894	C. L. Anderson	1914	Sydney Emptage
1894	J. W. Jefferson	1915	L. H. McArthur
1894	C. S. Sprigg	1915	E. H. Jolley
1894	I. D. Pitts	1914	W. A. Johnson
1894	M. V. Waters	1914	John I. Peaco
1895	F. H. Butler	1916	John H. Russum
1895	A. L. Martin	1916	James O. Lockman
1895	E. H. Nichols	1916	Alexander Reid
1896	J. S. Coulbourn	1917	Robert A. F. Graham
1896	F. J. Handy	1917	Francis O. T. Laws
1896	J. E. A. Johns	1917	Ralph B. Thompson
1896	T. A. Johnson	1917	A. A. McDowell
1896	E. O. Parker	1918	Bishop B. Carson
1896	W. E. Waters	1918	Oliver H. Spence
1897	R. G. Waters	1918	E. H. Crampton
1897	S. T. Parker	1918	J. W. Thomas
1899	J. L. Davis	1919	Joseph N. C. Davis
1899	W. A. Hubbard	1919	James O. Griffin
1900	D. H. Hargis	1919	Walter Stanley
1900	J. L. Parker	1919	William B. Whittington
1901	T. W. Cooper	1920	William W. Brown
1901	W. C. Thompson	1920	Charles E. Kincaid
1902	Martin C. Jennings	1921	Morris C. Anderson
1903	W. C. West	1921	Clemon B. Miles
1904	J. T. Fletcher	1921	Argaelus E. Martin
1904	J. W. Jewett	1921	James A. Fassett
1904	W. H. Johns	1921	Frederick C. Kershaw
1904	J. W. Parker	1922	John S. Coard
1905	Jose Angulo	1922	Joseph E. Dunn
1905	M. W. Clark	1922	Seldon G. Dix
1906	R. S. Johns	1923	Howard R. Coleman
1906	W. A. T. Miles	1923	William A. Mulley
1906	J. H. Stevenson	1923	E. M. Neals
1906	C. W. Winder	1923	T. D. Stewart
1907	T. H. Woodley	1924	Alonzo W. McBride
1907	W. T. Spellman	1924	William R. Price
1908	O. P. Dickerson	1924	Daniel L. Ridout
1909	J. H. Blackiston	1924	Robert W. Thomas
1909	W. J. Helm	1925	Robert W. Cheers
1909	Malachi Rasin	1925	John H. Hubbard
1910	D. G. Waters	1925	John E. McBride
1910	D. S. Quillin	1925	Wm. H. Mears

1926 O. W. Jones	1931 Roland Grant
1926 Elmer P. Gibson	1932 Austin L. Black
1926 J. Lee Sawyer	1933 Irving R. Elzey
1927 Benjamin A. Arnold	1933 Howard A. Bailey
1927 Curtis L. Jones	1933 E. W. Dean
1928 Cyrus W. Derrickson	1933 J. B. Redmond, Jr.
1928 Charles D. Gerald	1934 Ransom E. Hamilton
1928 William A. Harewood	1934 Dennis R. Fletcher
1928 O'Connell Milbourne	1934 Thomas N. Hodges
1928 W. E. Marks	1934 Charles P. Spencer
1929 James W. Elbert	1934 Crawford L. Trader
1929 Charles C. Thomas	1935 Douglas M. Collins
1929 Ervin W. Spence	1935 Carson J. Williams
1930 Frederick R. Richardson	1937 F. Donald Jones
1930 W. H. Coffey, Jr.	1938 H. E. Anderson
1930 N. W. Moore, Jr.	1938 Charles E. Kiah
1930 W. L. D. Lyght	1938 L. H. Midgette
1930 William C. Thomas	1938 S. R. Miles
1930 Cornelius B. White	1938 J. R. Shockley
1931 Marion O. Ballard	

N. B. The date denotes the year of admission on trial into one of the Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Alphabetical Roll of Members

Followed by List of Probationers and Accepted Supply Pastors Employed by
the District Superintendents with their Post Office Addresses.

[The letters designate: D, Deacon; E, Elder; Sp, Supernumerary; R, Retired. The figures in the first column indicate the Year of Admission on Trial.]

1894	Anderson, C. L.	R	Mardela Springs, Md.
1938	Anderson, W. H. E.	E	Oriole, Md.
1921	Anderson, M. C.	E	Nanticoke, Md.
1905	Angulo, Jose	E	Parsonsbury, Md.
1927	Arnold, B. A.	E	4143 Woodland Ave., Phila., Pa.
1933	Bailey, Howard A.	E	Newport, Del.
1931	Ballard, Marion O.	E	Nassau, Del.
1932	Black, A. L.	E	Fruitland, Md.
1909	Blackiston, J. H.	E	1932 Bainbridge St., Phila., Pa.
1920	Brown, W. W.	E	Newark, Md.
1914	Bullen, J. N.	E	305 Pacific St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
1895	Butler, F. H.	E	25 N. 54th St., Phila., Pa.
1920	Carson, B. B.	E	Laurel, Del.
1923	Cheers, R. W.	E	Centerville, Md.
1905	Clark, M. W.	E	514 W. Isabella St., Salisbury, Md.
1924	Coard, J. S.	E	Deals Island, Md.
1930	Coffey, Wm. H., Jr.	E	Stevensville, Md.
1891	Coleman, G. B.	R	Lock Box 83, Harrington, Del.
1923	Coleman, H. R.	E	1637 N. Bouvir St., Phila., Pa.
1888	Coleman, R. H.	R	2150 Sharswood St., Phila., Pa.
1877	Coleman, T. B. H.	R	706 Poplar St., Wilmington, Del.
1935	Collins, D. W.	E	New Castle, Del.
1901	Cooper, T. W.	E	Marion Station, Md.
1896	Coulbourn, J. S.	E	18 Higgins St., Easton, Md.
1913	Covington, C. T.	E	Girdletree, Md.
1918	Crampton, E. H.	E	11a Dewey Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
1899	Davis, J. L.	E	Mardella Springs, Md.
1933	Dean, E. W.	E	121 S. Lexington Ave., White Plains, N. Y.
1928	Derrickson, C. W.	E	Preston, Md.
1908	Dickerson, O. P.	E	Cambridge, Md.
1924	Dix, S. G.	E	Townsend, Del.
1924	Dunn, J. E.	E	136 Hickory St., Orange, N. J.
1931	Elbert, J. W.	E	Pocomoke City, Md., R. R.
1933	Elzey, Irving R.	E	Wattsville, Va.
1914	Emptage, Sydney	E	Lawnside, N. J.
1921	Fassett, J. A.	E	Chestertown, Md.
1934	Fletcher, Dennis R.	E	1509 N. 20th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1904	Fletcher, J. T.	D.S.	3815 N. Smedly St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1939	Geddis, G. E.	E	Berlin, Md.
1928	Gerald, Charles D.	E	4 Pine St., Cambridge, Md.
1926	Gibson, Elmer P.	E	315 E. Broad St., Salisbury, Md.
1919	Graham, R. A. F.	E	Crisfield, Md.
1931	Grant, Roland	E	Chestertown, Md., R. R. 2.
1919	Griffin, J. O.	E	Greensboro, Md.
1934	Hamilton, Ransom E.	E	Wittman, Md.
1896	Handy, F. J.	E	4517 Kingessing Ave., Phila., Pa.

1928 Harewood, W. A.	E	Denton, Md.
1900 Hargis, D. H.	E	200 E. 9th St., Wilmington, Del.
1909 Helm, W. J.	E	1718 Arctic Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.
1913 Henry, D. W.	E	514 N. 58th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1889 Hilton, W. E.	E	Still Pond, Md.
1934 Hodges, T. N.	E	Crisfield, Md.
1911 Horsey, S. J.	D.S.	720 W. 9th St., Wilmington, Del.
1927 Hubbard, J. H.	E	Seaford, Del.
1899 Hubbard, W. A.	E	340 N. Redfield St., Phila., Pa.
1911 Hughes, R. C.	E	214 W. Md. Ave., Crisfield, Md.
1891 Jason, W. C.	E	Dover, Del.
1935 Jennings, M. C.	E	Chestertown, Md., R. F. D. 3.
1894 Jefferson, J. W.	E	2249 W. Oxford St., Phila., Pa.
1904 Jewett, J. W.	D.S.	8 Queen St., Dover, Del.
1927 Jones, C. L.	E	Marion Station, Md., R. 1.
1937 Jones, F. Donaldson	E	Lewes, Del.
1926 Jones, O. W.	E	Quantico, Md.
1896 Johns, J. E. A.	D.S.	607 Poplar Hill Ave., Salisbury, Md.
1906 Johns, R. S.	E	St. Michaels, Md.
1904 Johns, W. H.	E	1604 Providence Ave., Chester, Pa.
1893 Johnson, F. T.	E	Cheswold, Del.
1889 Johnson, H. T.	E	29 Fisher Ave., White Plains, N. Y.
1896 Johnson, T. A.	R	Cambridge, Md.
1914 Johnson, W. A.	E	Manokin, Md.
1921 Kershaw, F. C.	E	Church Hill, Md.
1918 Kincaide, C. E.	E	1007 Poplar St., Wilmington, Del.
1937 Kiah, C. E.	D	Millington, Md.
1917 Laws, F. O. T.	E	Delair, N. J.
1916 Lockman, J. O.	E	Lincoln City, Del.
1930 Lyght, W. L. D.	E	Harrington, Del.
1928 Marks, W. E.	E	Mardela Springs, Md.
1921 Martin, A. E.	E	Keller, Va.
1895 Martin, A. L.	E	Princess Anne, Md.
1891 Martin, L. H.	E	Trappe, Md., R. R. 3.
1911 Matthews, W. G.	E	712 Lafayette St., Cape May, N. J.
1915 McArthur, L. H.	E	1310 Parrish St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1926 McBride, A. W.	E	Church Creek, Md.
1927 McBride, J. E.	E	Linkwood, Md.
1917 McDowell, A. A.	E	Vienna, Md.
1925 Mears, W. H.	E	Pocomoke City, Md.
1939 Midgette, L. H.	E	330 Lewis Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
1928 Milbourne, O'Connell	E	East New Market, Md.
1921 Miles, C. B.	E	Centreville, Md.
1939 Miles, S. R.	E	Marydel, Md., R. R.
1906 Miles, W. A. T.	E	Ridgely, Md.
1910 Moore, L. S.	E	1421 W. 3rd St., Chester, Pa.
1930 Moore, N. W., Jr.	E	222 N. 59th St., Phila., Pa.
1886 Moore, W. J.	R	Reisterstown, Md.
1923 Mulley, W. A.	E	1707 W. 3rd St., Wilmington, Del.
1923 Neals, E. M.	E	Odessa, Del.
1895 Nichols, E. H.	R	Bridgeville, Del.
1881 Nutter, J. H.	E	Worton, Md., R. F. D.
1896 Parker, E. O.	D.S.	420 Dover St., Easton, Md.
1900 Parker, J. L.	E	Upper Hill, Md.
1904 Parker, J. W.	E	817 Baltic Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.
1897 Parker, S. T.	R	Upper Hill, Md.
1914 Peaco, J. I.	E	242 W. Washington St., Mt. Holly, N. J.
1894 Pitts, I. D.	E	Tyaskin, Md.
1926 Price, W. R.	E	Withams, Va.
1891 Pullett, C. W.	E	Middletown, Del.

1911	Purnell, J. R.	E	Stockton, Md.
1910	Quillin, D. S.	E	768 Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J.
1912	Randall, T. E.	E	Bridgeville, Del.
1909	Rasin, Malachi	E	121 Bayview Ave., Pleasantville, N.J.
1933	Redmond, J. B., Jr.	D	Princeton, N. J., c/o Colored Y. M. C. A.
1916	Reid, Alexander	E	Quantico, Md., R. 1.
1926	Ridout, D. L.	E	109 Pine St., Bridgeton, N. J.
1930	Richardson, F. R.	E	Corдова, Md.
1916	Russum, J. H.	E	453 Townsend St., Wilmington, Del.
1926	Sawyer, J. Lee	E	Snow Hill, Md.
1937	Scott, Warren H.	E	615 Bay Ave., Ocean City, N. J.
1886	Scott, J. H.	R	1229 N. 58th St., Phila., Pa.
1911	Shockley, C. W.	R	Delair, N. J.
1937	Shockley, J. R.	D	Upper Hill, Md.
1918	Spence, O. H.	E	192 Bloomfield Ave., Montclair, N. J.
1930	Spence, E. W.	Sp.E	104 West 124th St., New York, N. Y.
1934	Spencer, Charles P.	E	Dames Quarter, Md.
1907	Spellman, W. T.	E	Royal Oak, Md.
1894	Sprigg, C. S.	E	Port Norris, N. J.
1911	Stanley, J. O.	E	Rock Hall, Md.
1919	Stanley, W. E.	E	Onancock, Va., R. F. D.
1923	Stewart, T. D.	R	6 St. Nicholas Terrace, New York, N. Y.
1906	Stevenson, J. H.	E	Berlin, Md.
1911	Taylor, J. L.	E	Merchantville, N. J.
1931	Thomas, C. C.	E	Queenstown, Md.
1930	Thomas, W. C.	E	Easton, Md.
1930	Thompson, W. C.	E	97 Wickliffe St., Newark, N. J.
1926	Thomas, R. W.	E	30 1/2 Eakin St., Salem, N. J.
1918	Thomas, J. W.	E	1811 S. 18th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1919	Thompson, R. B.	E	47 S. Queen St., Dover, Del.
1883	Townsend, G. T.	R	Preston, Md.
1934	Trader, C. L.	E	533 Perry St., Trenton, N. J.
1911	Wallace, J. T.	E	6029 N. Norwood St., Phila., Pa.
1910	Waters, D. G.	E	Bridgeville, Del.
1879	Waters, J. R.	E	Milford, Del.
1894	Waters, M. V.	E	Smyrna, Del.
1896	Waters, W. E.	E	Trappe, Md.
1897	Waters, R. G.	E	106-49 Pine Grove St., Jamaica, N. Y.
1913	Waters, S. A.	E	Sharptown, Md.
1903	West, W. C.	E	Aireys, Md.
1919	Whittington, W. B.	E	Denton, Md., R. R. 2, Box 289.
1935	Williams, C. J.	E	Federalsburg, Md.
1930	White, C. B.	E	408 Mansion Ave., Woodbury, N. J.
1906	Winder, C. W.	R	Clayton, Del.
1907	Woodley, T. H.	E	Elkton, Md.

PROBATIONERS

1938 Bagwell, Clarence W. D Frankford, Del.
 1938 Edwards, Owens D 1878 7th Ave., New York, N. Y.

Accepted Supply Pastors for 1939-40

1938 Anderson, Charles L.P.
 1923 Ayres, J. T. E 408 E. 12th St., Wilmington, Del.
 1909 Bivins, I. H. E Marion Station, Md.
 1937 Boggs, Alexander E 1722 N. 18th St., Phila., Pa.
 1938 Boggs, L. F. L.P.
 1937 Bolden, R. A. E 4599 W. 148th St., New York, N. Y.
 1938 Carrington, Charles E 732 E. 223rd St., New York, N. Y.
 1934 Brown, P. R. E Crapo, Md.
 1928 Clark, J. E. E Golt, Md.
 1938 Foster Emmons D Trappe, Md., R. R. 3.
 1928 Fullman, S. G. E Delaware City, Del.
 1915 Goldsborough, Wm. E 2005 N. 17th St., Phila., Pa.
 1917 Heath, E. Z. E Marion Station, Md., R. R.
 1936 Holden, E. W. L.P. McDaniel, Md.
 1939 Hayman, Joseph W. D Princess Anne, Md.
 1917 Hodges, L. F. E Oxford, Md.
 1937 Holland, S. D. L.P. Marion Station, Md., R. R.
 1937 Jackson, George L.P. 31 Montgomery St., Newark, N. J.
 1939 Jackson, Milton L.P. Christiana, Del.
 1937 Johnson, George W. L.P. Port Deposit, Md.
 1939 McGill, A. L. L.P. Barclay, Md.
 1938 Mitchell, J. J. L.P. Laurel, Del.
 1938 Molock, C. H. D Millsboro, Del.
 1939 Nichols, Wm. L.P. Laurel, Del.
 1939 Nichols, Henry L.P. 1335 S. 23rd St., Phila., Pa.
 1938 Pettyjohn, M. J. E Georgetown, Del.
 1918 Pinkett, Wilson J. D Millington, Md.
 1938 Scriber, A. L. D Centerville, Md.
 1934 Stevens, J. G. E Cambridge, Md.
 1923 Thomas, L. E. E Hurlock, Md.
 1937 Turner, W. O. E Galena, Md.
 1938 White, Elisha D Horntown, Va.
 1937 Whittington, Aaron L.P. Marion Station, Md.
 1934 Whittington, J. J. D Quinton, N. J.
 1932 Williams, R. J. E Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D.
 1923 Wilson, Clarence T. D Easton, Md., R. F. D.
 1934 Winder, A. F. D Wachapreague, Va.
 1923 Wright, Van B. E Taylor's Island, Md.

II

1939-1940 Boards, Commissions and Committees

1. Conference Board of Foreign Missions:—

DOVER DISTRICT—District Superintendent: The District Missionary Secretary, J. H. Hubbard. The Epworth League President, C. L. Trader; Church School Superintendent, M. O. Ballard; Lay Member, Mrs. Hattie Stewart.

EASTON DISTRICT:—District Superintendent:—The Missionary Secretary, W. A. Harewood; The District Epworth League President, R. W. Cheers; The Church School Superintendent, Miss Madge I. Roberts; Lay Member, Mrs. Verdie Mosley.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT:—District Superintendent; The Missionary Superintendent, O. H. Spence; The District Epworth League President, Warren Brinkley; The Church School Superintendent, L. T. Carroll; Lay Member, Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor.

SALISBURY DISTRICT:—The District Superintendent; The Missionary Secretary, W. R. Price; The District Epworth League President, A. L. Black; Lay member, B. T. Hall.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT:—The District Superintendent; The Missionary Secretary, W. G. Matthews; The District Epworth League President, L. S. Moore; The Church School Superintendent, Mrs. H. R. Hargis; Lay Member, W. Calvin Matthews.

2. Conference Board of Home Missions:—

J. W. Jefferson, E. P. Gibson, W. J. Helm, R. W. Cheers, F. H. Butler, W. E. Hilton; Laymen: J. T. Harris, Sr., W. H. Staten, E. P. Waters, W. J. Winchester, Julius Ballard, George Dredden.

3. Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Aid:—

B. B. Carson, J. A. Fassett, W. C. Thompson, D. W. Henry, H. S. Wilson, L. S. Moore.

4. Conference Board of Education:—

Term Expires 1940:—J. R. Webb, M. O. Ballard, O'Connell Milbourne, W. H. Mears, W. D. Earl, M. A. Stewart, A. B. Horsey, D. W. Henry, Bernetta J. Reed, W. T. Spellman. At Large—N. W. Moore, Jr., F. H. Butler.

Term Expires 1941:—Mrs. Carrie W. Henry, D. H. Hargis, L. H. McArthur, Hermon Brown, Marcellus Blackburn, W. E. Marks, R. W. Cheers, Miss Madge I. Roberts, J. W. Elbert, Mrs. Celeste Hayman, At Large—W. J. Helm, R. B. Thompson.

Term Expires 1942:—W. A. Mulley, Timothy Staten, E. H. Crampton, Mrs. Rella Fassett, J. B. Hardcastle, Mrs. E. P. Thomas, Mrs. Letta Archer, E. P. Gibson, K. L. Jackson, Graham Waters, Miss Lena Street, W. A. Harewood, Mrs. Helen Waters.

5. Conference Board of Trustees:—

Term Expires 1940:—W. C. Jason, J. R. Waters, J. S. Coulbourn.

Term Expires 1941:—J. H. Nutter, J. W. Jefferson, T. W. Cooper.

Term Expires 1942:—D. W. Henry, D. H. Hargis, J. H. Scott.

6. Conference Board of Ministerial Training:—

F. J. Handy, H. T. Johnson, L. H. McArthur, W. A. T. Miles, R. B. Thompson, J. E. Dunn, E. H. Crampton, D. W. Henry, D. H. Hargis.

7. Conference Board of Temperance:—

DOVER DISTRICT:—District Superintendent, Chairman: Minister, W. H. Coffey, Jr., Layman, Carrie Johnson.

EASTON DISTRICT:—District Superintendent, Chairman; Minister, C. W. Derrickson, Layman, U. G. Adams.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT:—District Superintendent, Chairman; Minister, H. R. Coleman; Laywoman, Geraldine Chaney.

SALISBURY DISTRICT:—District Superintendent, Chairman; Minister, W. H. Mears, Layman, E. J. Victor.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT:—District Superintendent, Chairman; Minister, J. H. Russum, Layman, James Winchester.

8. Conference Board of Hospitals:—

DOVER DISTRICT:—Minister, J. R. Waters, Layman, Charles Frisby.

EASTON DISTRICT:—Minister, J. A. Fassett; Layman, Melvin Kiah.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT:—Minister, J. W. Thomas, Layman, J. H. Kelley.

SALISBURY DISTRICT:—Minister, A. L. Martin; Layman, C. T. Ward.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT:—Minister, F. O. T. Laws; Layman, C. E. Camper.

9. Conference Board of Stewards:—

Term Expires 1940:—C. E. Brown, J. L. Parker, R. S. Johns, J. L. Taylor, W. H. Coffey, Jr.

Term Expires 1941:—F. D. Jones, J. W. Elbert, C. D. Gerald, W. C. Thompson, J. H. Russum.

Term Expires 1942:—J. H. Hubbard, T. W. Cooper, J. N. Bullen, E. P. Gibson, C. W. Pullett, R. E. Hamilton.

10. Board of Church Location:—

DOVER DISTRICT:—D. G. Waters, J. O. Lockman, J. H. Hubbard, Laymen, Elzie Brown, W. W. M. Henry, Walter Riley.

EASTON DISTRICT:—W. C. West, C. B. Miles, S. G. Dix, Laymen, J. T. Rhyanes, G. C. H. Freeman, George Carney.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT:—J. W. Jefferson, H. T. Johnson, R. G. Waters, Laymen, A. J. Sellers, W. J. Moore, J. H. Holley.

SALISBURY DISTRICT:—Jose Angulo, I. D. Pitts, J. R. Purnell, Laymen, J. A. Elliott, D. J. Elsey, Howard Miles.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT:—R. W. Thomas, H. A. Bailey, J. I. Peaco, Laymen, W. J. Winchester, A. H. Hill, S. G. Fullman.

11. Conference Board of Control—Home for the Aged:—

DOVER DISTRICT:—J. H. Nutter, William Street.

EASTON DISTRICT:—W. T. Spellman, W. H. Staten.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT:—D. W. Henry, Cecil Brooks.

SALISBURY DISTRICT:—M. W. Clark, George Mason.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT:—D. H. Hargis, Charles Harmon.

MEMBERS-AT-LARGE:—John W. Jones, W. F. Simmons, J. H. Scott, T. H. Woodley, District Superintendents, Ex-officio.

Annual Conference Standing Committees 1939-1940

1. Auditing Accounts—Treasurer's:—

W. E. Stanley, D. L. Ridout, W. H. Hubbard, C. C. Thomas, R. B. Thompson.

2. Bible:—

J. R. Purnell, J. O. Lockman, E. W. Dean, W. A. Mulley, R. S. Johns.

3. State of the Church:—

J. H. Nutter, C. B. Miles, Alexander Reid, C. E. Kincade, N. W. Moore, Jr.

4. Periodicals, Publications and Collections:—

F. T. Johnson, F. C. Kershaw, T. W. Cooper, L. H. MacArthur, S. M. Emptage.

5. Sanctity of the Sabbath:—

D. W. Henry, J. H. Blackiston, J. H. Stevenson, R. A. F. Graham, W. C. West.

6. Evangelism:—

M. C. Jennings, C. B. Miles, H. R. Coleman, C. T. Covington, J. A. Kiah, A. L. Martin.

7. Memoirs:—

H. T. Johnson, J. R. Waters, W. A. Harewood, Jose Angulo, Malachi Rasin.

8. Publishing Committee:—

J. H. Stevenson, F. T. Johnson, C. S. Sprigg, T. W. Cooper, W. H. Mears.

9. Committee on Examining the Conference Journal:—

K. L. Jackson, W. A. Harewood, E. H. Crampton, E. P. Gibson, Malachi Rasin.

10. Resolutions:—

L. S. Moore, J. W. Jefferson, W. L. D. Lyght, C. B. Miles, A. Reid.

11. Minute Money:—

B. B. Carson, D. R. Fletcher, H. A. Bailey, M. C. Anderson, F. C. Kershaw.

12. Social Service:—

C. E. Kincade, J. W. Elbert, T. E. Randall, O. P. Dickerson, F. H. Butler.

13. Triers of Appeals:—

J. H. Stevenson, R. S. Johns, J. E. Dunn, E. P. Gibson, W. J. Helm, Reserves—W. H. Mears, R. B. Thompson.

14. State of the Country:—

H. T. Johnson, J. W. Albert, W. H. Johns, Kelley Jackson, S. G. Dix.

15. To Preach the Missionary Sermon:—

E. P. Gibson; Alternate—W. A. Mulley.

16. Visitors to Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society:—

D. G. Waters, I. R. Elsey, R. A. McCarthy, S. M. Emptage, C. W. Derickson.

17. Visitors to Morgan College:—

C. E. Kincade, J. E. Dunn, M. O. Ballard, M. W. Clark, C. B. Miles.

18. Temperance:—

R. W. Cheers, J. H. Nutter, D. S. Quillin, W. H. Mears, J. W. Thomas.

19. Church Federation:—

J. A. Fassett, T. H. Woodley, W. C. Jason, W. R. Price, J. I. Peaco, W. H. Staten, W. H. Hayman, Jr., D. J. Pinkett, Mrs. H. R. Hargis.

20. Conference Relations:—

Term Expires 1940:—L. S. Moore, R. C. Hughes, J. T. Wallace, J. L. Davis, W. T. Spellman.

Term Expires 1941:—N. W. Moore, Jr., T. E. Randall, W. J. Helm, I. D. Pitts, C. W. Derrickson.

Term Expires 1942:—J. L. Sawyer, J. N. Bullen, C. L. Trader, J. I. Peaco, S. G. Dix.

21. Committee on World Service Council:—

O. H. Spence, J. L. Sawyer, C. W. Derrickson, R. B. Thompson, W. G. Matthews.

22. Home for the Aged:—

W. E. Marks, Clara Crippen, W. C. West, W. H. Staten, J. S. Collins, D. H. Hargis, D. W. Henry, H. D. Brown, C. L. Miller.

23. Committee on Qualifications of Local Preachers:—

DOVER DISTRICT:—W. L. D. Lyght, K. L. Jackson, J. O. Stanley.

EASTON DISTRICT:—F. C. Kershaw, R. S. Johns, C. B. Miles.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT:—H. T. Johnson, J. E. Dunn, J. N. Bullen.

SALISBURY DISTRICT:—E. P. Gibson, M. W. Clark, T. W. Cooper.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT:—J. H. Russum, H. A. Bailey, J. W. Parker.

24. Committee on Accepted Supplies:—

F. J. Handy, H. T. Johnson, W. A. T. Miles, D. H. Hargis, D. W. Henry, R. C. Hughes, J. L. Davis, W. T. Spellman, T. E. Randall, R. B. Thompson.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES.**Diamond Jubilee****Ministers—**

DOVER DISTRICT:—W. H. Coffey, Jr., M. O. Ballard.

EASTON DISTRICT:—W. T. Spellman, R. S. Johns.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT:—R. H. Coleman, F. H. Butler.

SALISBURY DISTRICT:—W. H. Mears, T. W. Cooper.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT:—W. H. Johns, L. S. Moore.

Laymen—

DOVER DISTRICT:—J. R. Webb, Isaac Crippen.

EASTON DISTRICT:—William H. Staten, Joseph F. Chester.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT:—Jolley T. Harris, Sr., Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor, Dr. W. H. Barnes, Mr. Herman Brown.

SALISBURY DISTRICT:—Graham Waters, Joseph W. Hayman, H. S. Wilson.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT:—Charles Camper, Mrs. Clarice Walker, Miss Florence Wilson.

Committee to Recruit Men for the Ministry—

M. O. Ballard, Dover Dist.

W. A. Harewood, Easton Dist.

D. R. Fletcher, Phila. Dist.

W. H. Mears, Salisbury Dist.

H. A. Bailey, Wilmington Dist.

III

Daily Proceedings

FIRST DAY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22nd, 1939

7:30 P. M. OPENING. The Delaware Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened in its seventy-sixth session at Zoar Methodist Episcopal Church, Philadelphia, Pa. Devotions by the Bishop. Bishop E. G. Richardson, D.D., LL.D. presiding. Hymn 379. Address by the Bishop. Hymn "Bless be the tie that binds." Prayer by the Bishop.

ROLL CALL. The Bishop requested C. S. Sprigg, the secretary of the last Conference to call the Roll. 120 members, 5 probationers and nineteen accepted supply pastors answered the Roll Call.

SECRETARY ELECTED. On motion of J. R. Waters, C. S. Sprigg was elected Secretary of the Conference.

STATISTICIAN ELECTED. On motion of M. W. Clark, J. H. Stevenson was elected Statistician for this session.

TREASURER ELECTED. On motion of C. W. Pullett, W. J. Helm was elected Treasurer.

ASSISTANT TREASURERS ELECTED. W. J. Helm, read the names of the Assistant Treasurers and they were elected: W. T. Spellman, F. O. T. Laws, Malachi Rasin, Robert W. Cheers, A. L. Black, C. D. Gerald, N. W. Moore, Jr., W. A. Harewood and K. L. Jackson.

LEGAL LIMITS OF THE CONFERENCE. On motion of R. G. Waters the first nine rows were made the area of the Conference for the Ministerial Session.

POSTMASTER ELECTED. On motion of R. A. F. Graham, E. M. Neals was elected Postmaster.

CHORISTER ELECTED. On motion of M. W. Clark, R. B. Thompson was elected Chorister.

ORGANIST ELECTED. On motion of F. O. T. Laws, D. L. Ridout was elected Organist.

ASSISTANT ORGANIST. On motion of W. L. D. Lyght, Elmer P. Gibson was elected Assistant Organist.

ASSISTANT SECRETARIES ELECTED. The Secretary nominated the following Assistants: D. L. Ridout, J. O. Stanley, W. G. Matthews, D. R. Fletcher and J. W. Elbert, who were elected.

ASSISTANT STATISTICIANS ELECTED. J. H. Stevenson, read the names of the Assistant Statisticians who were elected. W. E. Stanley, O. P. Dickerson, C. E. Kincade, R. C. Hughes, O. H. Spence, M. W. Clark, C. B. Miles, Sydney Emptage, W. H. Mears, J. A. Fassett, B. B. Carson, B. A. Arnold, W. E. Marks, F. R. Richardson, S. G. Fullman, A. E. Martin.

COMMITTEE ON COURTESY. On motion of R. G. Waters, a committee of five was named by the District Superintendents Committee, J. H. Hubbard, J. A. Fassett, R. G. Waters, W. H. Mears, and Alexander Reid.

PROGRAM ADOPTED. On motion of D. H. Hargis the program was adopted, subject to such changes as the Conference may desire.

EXECUTIVE SESSION. On motion of F. J. Handy an Executive Session is to be held tomorrow at 2 P. M. for men in course of study and others.

DOOR KEEPERS. W. A. Harewood, W. E. Stanley, R. W. Thomas, J. H. Russum.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE. On motion of O. H. Spence the following were appointed Committee on Publicity: D. R. Fletcher, D. L. Ridout, Mr. Ralph P. Jones and Elmer P. Gibson.

ORDER OF THE DAY. On motion of R. G. Waters 10 A. M. tomorrow the Order of the Day will be the Election of one delegate and one reserve delegate to the Uniting Conference.

EX-TREASURER'S REPORT. Mrs. J. A. Kiah widow of Rev. J. A. Kiah turned over all matters pertaining to the treasurer to W. J. Helm the new treasurer who gave receipt for the same.

WELCOME ADDRESS. (a) The Church. Dr. W. Harry Barnes, Response. D. W. Henry introduced Dr. R. N. Brooks, Editor of the Christian Advocate South Western Edition.

QUESTION 34. Was the Character of each Preacher examined? The District Superintendents were called and their characters were passed. J. W. Jewett, Dover District. E. O. Parker, Easton District. J. T. Fletcher, Philadelphia District. J. E. A. Johns, Salisbury District and S. J. Horsey, Wilmington District. The Characters of the effective Elders were passed. The Characters of Ministers in detached service were passed. W. C. Jason, F. J. Handy, J. H. Scott, J. B. Redmond, Jr., A. E. Martin, A. A. McDowell and E. W. Spence.

QUESTION 42. Who are the Retired Ministers? C. L. Anderson, G. B. Coleman, R. H. Coleman, T. B. H. Coleman, T. A. Johnson, E. H. Nichols, W. J. Moore, S. T. Parker, J. H. Scott, C. W. Shockley, T. D. Stewart, G. T. Townsend, C. W. Winder, S. A. Waters.

COMMITTEE ON PULPIT SUPPLY. On motion of L. H. McArthur, W. A. Hubbard was appointed Pulpit Supply Committee.

COMMITTEE ON ACCEPTED SUPPLY PASTORS. F. J. Handy, H. T. Johnson, W. A. T. Miles, D. H. Hargis, D. W. Henry, R. C. Hughes, J. L. Davis, W. T. Spellman, T. E. Randall and R. B. Thompson.

QUESTION 39. Who have had their Conference Membership terminated? (e) (3) From the Ministry and Membership of the Church? J. N. C. Davis.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE. On motion of D. W. Henry the Committee on Temperance report Saturday 11 A. M. and Dr. Scott McBride be invited to speak.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS by E. O. Parker. (See list). On motion of W. A. Hubbard only the names of the ministers changed are to be read.

MEMORIAL SERVICE. J. R. Waters presiding. Hymn 529 read by W. A. Hubbard. Prayer, W. A. T. Miles. Scripture, A. L. Martin. Psalm 23, New Testament Lesson Sydney Emptage, John: 14:1-15. Hymn 518 by Kelly L. Jackson.

NAMES OF THE DECEASED READ BY THE SECRETARY. Ministers: George T. Fields, Lawrence S. Perry, James M. Dickerson, M. P. Sterling, K. S. Stewart, G. S. Jacobs, E. H. Jolley, J. A. Kiah. Accepted Supply Pastor: W. H. Jefferson. Preachers wives: Mrs. M. P. Sterling, Mrs. L. Y. Cox, Mrs. D. W. Martin.

MEMORIAL ADDRESS. By H. R. Coleman, Isaiah 35-8.

Dr. J. R. Waters spoke of the death of Dr. Clarence True Wilson, Executive Secretary of the Board of Prohibition and Public Morals of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Doxology. Benediction by C. W. Pullett.

SECOND DAY, MORNING SESSION, THURSDAY, MARCH 23rd, 1939

9:00 A. M. **HOLY COMMUNION.** Bishop E. G. Richardson, presiding. R. B. Thompson, Song Leader. Address by the Bishop. Hymn 1. Subject "Ye are not your own, ye have been bought with a price". The Bishop assisted by the District Superintendents administered the Holy Communion.

JOURNAL APPROVED. Committee on examining Conference Journal reported they were found correct.

RESOLUTION OF WELCOME. L. S. Moore read a resolution of Welcome to Bishop E. G. Richardson, on his motion it was adopted. (See Resolution).

ORDER OF THE DAY. Election of Delegate to Uniting Conference.

TELLERS APPOINTED. M. O. Ballard, C. W. Derrickson, H. R. Coleman, A. L. Black, W. A. Mulley and W. G. Matthews.

DELEGATE TO WASHINGTON CONFERENCE. On motion of W. L. D. Lyght, W. C. Thompson, was asked to take greetings to the Washington Conference.

ORDER OF THE DAY. On motion of E. H. Crampton 10 o'clock Saturday, we hear the report of Committee on Education.

CONFERENCE SPECIAL FUND. On motion of W. L. D. Lyght the money raised for paying the expenses of the Conference Special Fund for Conference Claimants be placed in the column for the Administration Fund.

ON MOTION of L. S. Moore the list of names of Ministers that pay one percent of their salary be printed in the Minutes and credited to the Conference Investment Fund from the Diamond Jubilee Fund.

STATISTICAL SESSION. The Statistician called the Roll by Districts and the Pastors reported.

RETIRED MINISTERS. The Bishop called the list of retired ministers and the following spoke: T. B. H. Coleman, T. A. Johnson, E. H. Nichols, J. H. Scott, C. W. Shockley, G. T. Townsend and C. W. Winder.

SONG. "Amazing Grace", led by J. R. Waters.

REPORT OF TELLERS. Whole number of votes cast 130, necessary for choice 66. D. H. Hargis 76. D. W. Henry 46.

ORDER OF THE DAY. Report of Board of Ministerial Training read by F. J. Handy.

ON MOTION of D. H. Hargis the report was approved. (See Report).

REPORT OF TELLERS. Reserved Delegate. Whole number of votes cast 127, necessary for choice 64. D. W. Henry 81, F. H. Butler 32, L. S. Moore 10.

LETTER READ. Secretary read a letter from Dr. Allen McRossie commending the work of F. J. Handy.

INTRODUCED. Revs. Frances H. Teas, A. Otto, T. S. Munker, F. C. Cullen, M. W. Thornton, E. A. Love, J. Newsome, A. Pennie and C. E. Johnson.

OFFERING FOR C. B. MILES. Amount \$21.15.

ADJOURNMENT. BENEDICTION, J. H. Scott.

SECOND DAY, AFTERNOON SESSION, THURSDAY, MARCH 23rd, 2 P. M.

Bishop E. G. Richardson, presiding. Hymn 249. Prayer by J. L. Parker.

EXECUTIVE SESSION. Report of Committee on Conference Relations.

QUESTION 24. Who have been Received on Trial? None.

QUESTION 25. Who have been Continued on Trial? (b) In Studies of Second Year? Clarence W. Bagwell and Owen S. Edward.

QUESTION 26. Who have been Discontinued? None.

QUESTION 27. Who have been admitted into Full Membership?
(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year. Charles E. Kiah and John R. Shockley. (e) Warren H. Scott Ordained Elder previously.

QUESTION 30. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study? (a) Thomas N. Hodges. (b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously. Douglas W. Collins, Warren H. Scott.

QUESTION 31. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons? (a) As Local Preachers. Mrs. Mary A. R. Camphor, Miss Lillian Vic Warrick, Arthur F. Winder, Clarence T. Wilson. On motion of L. S. Moore, their characters being passed and having passed satisfactorily their examination they were advanced in their Studies to their several classes.

QUESTION 40. What other personal Notations should be made?
(1) Milton Jackson from the U. A. M. E. Church without admission into Conference as an Elder.

CHANGE OF RELATION. On motion of L. S. Moore, A. A. McDowell's relation was changed from Supernumerary to Effective.

CASE OF J. G. HARRIS. On motion of W. A. Hubbard after hearing the report of a Committee on Conference Relations J. G. Harris was granted the privilege of joining the Methodist Episcopal Church.

RELATION SAME. On motion of L. S. Moore, E. W. Spence was continued in the Supernumerary relation.

LIST OF ACCEPTED SUPPLIES read by the Bishop: Charles Anderson, *Howard E. Anderson, J. T. Ayers, Alexander Boggs, R. A. Bolden, I. H. Bivins, Charles Carrington, J. E. Clark, Emmons N. Foster, S. G. Fullman, William Goldsborough, L. F. Boggs, Joseph W. Hayman, Pearl R. Brown, E. Z. Heath, L. F. Hodges, Milton Jackson, J. W. Hayman, E. W. Holden, S. D. Holland, George T. Jackson, George W. Johnson, A. L. McGill, J. J. Mitchell, C. H. Molock, Wm. A. Nichols, Henry Nichols, W. L. Pinkett, M. J. Pettyjohn, A. L. Scriber, J. G. Stevens, L. E. Thomas, W. A. Turner, P. O. Taylor, Elisha White, J. J. Whittington, R. J. Williams, Clarence Wilson, A. F. Winder, Van B. Wright, Aaron Whittington. On motion of W. A. Hubbard the list was adopted as read.

RECORD OF SERVICE. H. T. Johnson, Registrar spoke on his long service on the Board of Examiners as registrar and 50 years as a minister in active service. On motion of J. H. Nutter we make recognition of the men who have served 50 years in the Conference. On motion of D. H. Hargis the secretary send a letter to Mrs. Annie Nutter who has served with her husband, J. H. Nutter 58 years of active service. To Mrs. I. D. Pitts and the Wilmington Conference.

CHAPLAIN APPOINTED. On motion F. H. Butler, W. C. Jason was appointed Chaplain of Dover State College, Dover, Del.

CREDENTIALS RECOGNIZED. On motion of L. S. Moore the Credentials of S. R. Miles of the A. M. E. Church, Louis H. Midgette of the A. M. E. Church and H. E. Anderson of the A. M. E. Z. Church were recognized and received in the Conference. On motion of F. J. Handy, S. R. Miles and H. E. Anderson were placed in studies of third year. L. H. Midgette was graduated from the course of study.

INTRODUCED. Dr. H. W. McPherson, Executive Secretary of the Board of Education was introduced.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. On motion of D. H. Hargis we adjourned. Benediction by Sydney Emptage.

UNITED SESSION

THIRD DAY, MORNING SESSION, FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 9 A. M.

Bishop E. G. Richardson, presiding. Hymn. Prayer by T. B. H. Coleman.

JOURNAL EXAMINED. Committee on Examining Conference Journal. Reported Journal found correct.

LEGAL LIMITS OF CONFERENCE. Twelve seats were made the legal limit of the United Sessions of the Conference.

QUESTION 1. Who are the members of the Lay Conference present, and who are its officers? President, H. S. Wilson, Upper Hill, Md. Secretary, Mrs. Ella F. Bailey, 210 Townsend St., Chester, Pa. Treasurer, John S. Collins, Pocomoke City, Md. (See List).

PRESENTED AND ADDRESSED THE CONFERENCE. Mr. H. S. Wilson, President of the Lay Conference. Address by the Bishop.

QUESTION 19. Where shall the next Session of the Conference be held? D. W. Henry invited the Conference to Tindley Temple M. E. Church, Philadelphia, Pa., for its next session, 1940. Invitation unanimously accepted.

RESOLUTION. Relative to Area in the Central Jurisdiction. J. W. Jewett on his motion it was adopted. On motion of H. S. Wilson that part referring to the place where the Bishop should live was stricken out. Substitute: In place of Baltimore the words (The Logical and Strategic place) Amendment Prevailed the paper as a whole adopted.

INTRODUCED AND ADDRESSED THE MEETING. Dr. W. E. Shaw, Secretary of Board of Foreign Missions.

UNITING CONFERENCE. On motion of L. S. Moore each District try to make it possible to send one member from the District to the Uniting Conference to consult the delegate in his time of need.

WORLD SERVICE REPORT read by W. G. Matthews. On motion of M. W. Clark the report was adopted.

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS COMBINED REPORT. Combined District Superintendent Report read by S. J. Horsey. On motion of L. S. Moore a rising vote of thanks was given to District Superintendent S. J. Horsey for the reading and delivering so informing and inspiring report.

REPORT OF INSTITUTE. Dr. A. J. Mitchell, Manager Washington-Delaware Conferences Institute, read his report. On motion of J. W. Jewett it was adopted. (See Report).

BOARD OF PENSIONS AND RELIEF. Dr. S. R. Calkins of the Board presented a check from the Chartered Fund for \$60.00. He announced that \$731.00 was credited to the stewards special dividend from the funds of the Board. On motion of J. R. Waters the check was paid to the Board of Stewards.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY. Resolutions on Historical Society read by L. S. Moore, on his motion it was adopted.

EXCUSED. L. S. Moore was excused to attend a funeral.

11.40 A. M. United Session Adjourned.

11.45 A. M. Conference Session resumed. Hymn 301 was sung. Class called for full Membership. Address by the Bishop. Subject "Healing of the Lame Man" Act 4-12.

QUESTIONS. Pg. 497, 1-19. Bishop ask the questions. After satisfactory answers they were unanimously admitted into the Conference.

MEMBERS OF THE CLASS. H. E. Anderson, Charles E. Kiah, L. H. Midgett, S. R. Miles, and John R. Shockley.

PRAYER FOR DELEGATES AND RESERVES. The Bishop and the Conference prayed for the delegate and reserve to the Uniting Conference. Ministerial Delegate D. H. Hargis, Reserve D. W. Henry. Lay Delegate, H. S. Wilson, Reserve, Mrs. Clarice Walker.

INTRODUCED. Revs. H. W. Barkley, W. A. C. Hughes, E. M. Owens, A. Hart and W. McClenon.

ON MOTION A. A. McDOWELL we adjourned. Benediction by Dr. E. A. Love, District Superintendent of the Washington District of the Washington Conference.

THIRD DAY, AFTERNOON SESSION, FRIDAY, March 24th, 1939, 2 P. M.

Bishop Richardson presiding. Hymn 337. Prayer by W. A. Hubbard.

SALE OF OLD FOLKS HOME. On motion of Hally P. Johns we instructed the Trustees of the Conference to sell the Old Folks Home at Lanside, New Jersey and keep the funds intact for future disposal.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE. C. E. Kincade read the report on Social Service. On his motion it was adopted. (See Report).

RESOLUTION IN REFERENCE TO MISS MARION ANDERSON. D. W. Henry read a Resolution, on his motion it was adopted.

RESOLUTION AMENDED. The Secretary give the Resolution to the Public Press and forwarded it to the Upper and Lower House of Congress. (See Resolution).

EXCUSED. D. L. Ridout was excused to attend a funeral on Saturday.

QUESTION 2. Is the Annual Conference Incorporated according to the requirement of the Discipline? Yes.

QUESTION 3. What Officers and Persons holding Moneys, Funds, etc., are Bonded, and in what Amounts, according to the requirement of the Discipline? Treasurer \$7,500. W. J. Helm.

QUESTION 5. What are the Items and Aggregate of General Conference Benevolences apportioned to this Conference? World Service 2329 Units; Episcopal Fund 2½% Pastors Salary.

QUESTION 11. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants? 10% of Pastors cash Salary for Conference Claimants. On motion of D. H. Hargis the Conference pay Claimants 10% of Pastors cash Salary and 1% for Accepted Supply Pastors. On motion of D. H. Hargis in case the full amount is not paid 1% be taken out of that which is paid for Supply Pastors.

EXCUSED. Committee on Accepted Supply Pastors Excused.

United Session Closed. On motion of H. S. Wilson the United Session closed. Conference Session.

ELECTION OF TRUSTEES. Tellers Appointed, C. E. Kiah, W. A. Harewood, J. W. Jefferson, A. L. Martin and W. H. Johns were appointed Tellers. On motion of W. L. D. Lyght the Tellers count the ballots and report at the Saturday morning Session.

DEATH ANNOUNCED. J. T. Fletcher announced the death of Richard A. McCarthy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. Adjournment. Benediction by Sydney Emptage.

FOURTH DAY SESSION, SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 25th, 9 A. M.

Bishop E. G. Richardson presiding. Hymn 24 led by R. B. Thompson. Prayer by M. V. Waters.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EXAMINING CONFERENCE JOURNAL. Committee reported Journal found correct.

ORDER OF THE DAY. On motion of J. W. Parker the Report of the Board of Stewards be immediately after dinner.

REPORT OF TELLERS. Election of Trustees: D. W. Henry, 48, term 3 years, D. H. Hargis, 39, term 3 years, J. H. Scott, 14, term 3 years, J. W. Jefferson, 10, term 2 years.

GAMMON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY. A. E. Martin and F. J. Handy represented Gammon Theological Seminary.

AGENT PENSIONS AND RELIEF. On motion of D. H. Hargis, J. R. Waters was appointed agent to collect all the funds due Pensions and Relief before the Diamond Jubilee and report them to the Diamond Jubilee commission.

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION. E. H. Crampton read report of the Board of Education. On his motion it was adopted.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION. F. J. Handy, Director of Religious Education read his report, on his motion it was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes. (See Report).

D. W. Henry, Treasurer of the Rally Day Fund made his report. (See Report).

DIRECTOR'S EXPENSES. On motion of W. A. Hubbard the expenses of the Director was referred to the Commission on Education.

CASE OF A. F. WINDER. On motion of F. J. Handy, A. F. Winder was elected to Deacon's Orders.

QUESTION 36. (b) Was the character of each Accepted Supply Pastor now in charge examined? Yes.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE CHURCH by J. H. Nutter. On his motion it was adopted.

STATISTICAL REPORT. The Statistician J. H. Stevenson read his report. On motion of M. W. Clark it was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes.

TREASURER'S REPORT. The Treasurer W. J. Helm read his report. On motion of E. O. Parker it was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes after verifying with the Statistician.

ORDER OF THE DAY. Report of the Committee on Temperance. N. W. Moore, Jr., read the report of the Committee on Temperance.

ADDRESS by Dr. F. Scott McBride, Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Philadelphia, Pa. On motion of D. H. Hargis a rising vote of thanks was given Dr. F. Scott McBride for his excellent address, and we pledge to help all we can to enforce the law and in recognition of the late Dr. Clarence True Wilson for his faithful service all through the years in the cause of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE. D. W. Henry and L. S. Moore were appointed as representatives of the Anti-Saloon League in Pennsylvania.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCED. J. T. Fletcher announced the funeral of R. A. McCarthy at Jamaica, Long Island, Tuesday 12 M. 1939.

DEVOTIONS. Devotional Address by Bishop E. G. Richardson. First Kings 8:56-58.

BENEDICTION by the Bishop.

**FOURTH DAY, AFTERNOON SESSION, SATURDAY, MARCH 25th, 1939,
2 P. M.**

Bishop E. G. Richardson presiding. Mrs. N. W. Moore, Jr., at the piano. Hymn 252. Prayer by H. T. Johnson.

REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDS. Mr. C. E. Brown read report of the Board of Stewards. On motion of J. W. Parker the report was adopted.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE on the death of Richard A. McCarthy was read by E. H. Crampton. On his motion it was sent to the family. (See Resolution).

QUESTION 44. Who are the Triers of Appeals? J. H. Stevenson, R. S. Johns, J. E. Dunn, Elmer P. Gibson, W. J. Helm. Reserves, W. H. Mears, R. B. Thompson.

QUESTION 38. Who have died? J. M. Dickerson, George T. Fields, George S. Jacobs, E. H. Jolley, James A. Kiah, Richard A. McCarthy, Lawrence S. Perry, Moses P. Sterling, King S. Steward.

QUESTION 36 (a). What Accepted Supply Pastors now in Charge are taking The Conference Course of Study? 1. In the First Year, E. D. Holden, S. D. Holland, G. W. Johnson, Joseph H. Hayman, Henry Nichols, Wm. Nichols, J. J. Mitchell, L. N. Pinkett, W. O. Turner. 2. In the Second Year, Elisha White, Charles Carrington, P. A. Taylor, G. S. Jackson, Alexander Boggs. 3. In the Third Year, M. J. Pettyjohn, R. J. Williams. In the Fourth Year, J. G. Stevens, J. J. Whittington, C. H. Molock, J. T. Ayers, E. N. Foster, A. F. Winder, J. H. Bivins, G. T. Jackson, A. L. Scriber.

MINUTE MONEY. B. B. Carson reported for the Committee on Minute Money. On his motion it was adopted and 3000 copies of Minutes ordered printed.

MINUTE MONEY COLLECTIONS. On motion of W. L. D. Lyght the money for the minutes sold be sent to the Treasurer by the Mid-Conference Year and the Committee on Minute Money be the Collectors.

FRIENDSHIP HOME. On motion of J. T. Fletcher, Mrs. L. B. Jewett was granted permission to Address the Conference in relation to the Friendship Home and the Women's Home Missionary Society and take an offering. Collectors W. L. D. Lyght and J. Lee Sawyer. Collection . . .

MINUTE MONEY DEFICIT. On motion of J. E. A. Johns the charges be apportioned to raise an amount of \$400.00 to cover deficit in Minute Money.

EVANGELISM. Report of Committee on Evangelism was read by C. B. Miles. On his motion it was adopted.

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. On motion of D. H. Hargis the Executive Committee of the Diamond Jubilee report to the Trustees of the Conference at Dover, Delaware. Minutes Approved. On motion of W. A. Hubbard the minutes of the remaining sessions be placed in the hands of the Committee for approval.

FINAL ADJOURNMENT. On motion of W. L. D. Lyght after devotions and the reading of the Appointments by the Bishop the Conference Stand Adjourned. Benediction by the Bishop.

FIFTH DAY, AFTERNOON SESSION, MARCH 26th, 1939, 3 P. M.

ORDINATION SERVICE. F. J. Handy presiding. Hymn 164, O. H. Spence. Prayer H. R. Coleman. Music by the Choir of _____ Offering by D. H. Hargis. Scripture by M. W. Moore, Jr., St. Matthew 28. Hymn 162 by D. W. L. Lyght. Sermon by C. L. Trader, Text St. Matthew: 28, 19-20. Subject "The Divine Commission". Hymn 249. Prayer by W. A. T. Miles.

DEACON ELECTED. On motion of H. T. Johnson, Clarence P. Wilson was elected to Deacons orders. Address by the Bishop. Ordination of Deacons by Bishop E. G. Richardson. The Bishop Ordained Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor, C. E. Kiah, J. R. Shockley, Miss Lillian Vic Warwick, Arthur H. Winder and C. T. Wilson, Deacons. Assisted by the District Superintendents and Elders, L. F. Hodges and F. T. Johnson Ordained T. N. Hodges an Elder. The Bishop presented a certificate of graduation to C. T. Wilson.

BENEDICTION by the Bishop.

FIFTH DAY, EVENING SESSION, MARCH 26th, 1939, 7 P. M.

W. A. Mulley presiding. Hymn No. 1. Music by the Choirs of John Simmons, Philadelphia and Janes M. E. Church, Germantown, Pa. Prayer by W. E. Marks. Offering, Hymn by F. C. Kershaw. Sermon by J. W. Thomas, Text St. Mark 4: 38-39. Subject "Raging Storms". Collection for Sexton. Report of Committee on Resolutions. Missionary Sermon by W. L. D. Lyght.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION. To Bishop E. G. Richardson, the Church and to all who helped entertain the Conference, was read by L. S. Moore.

QUESTION 21. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences? George E. Geddies, South Carolina Conference, March 26th, 1939.

READING OF APPOINTMENTS. The Bishop Addressed the Conference and read the Appointments

DOXOLOGY was sung and the Benediction was pronounced by the Bishop.

We certify that the foregoing is a complete and correct record of the proceedings of the Seventy-sixth Session of the Delaware Annual Conference held in Zoar Methodist Episcopal Church, Philadelphia, Pa., March 22 to March 26, 1939.

E. G. Richardson

Bishop.

L. S. Sprigg

Secretary.

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION

Philadelphia, Pa., March 26th, 1939.

I hereby certify that on the above date and at the place named, Zoar M. E. Church, in accordance with the action of the Delaware Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, I ordained Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor, C. E. Kiah, J. R. Shockley, Miss Lillian Vic Warrick, Arthur H. Winder and C. T. Wilson, Deacons.

Assisted by the District Superintendents and Elders L. F. Hodges and F. T. Johnson, I ordained T. N. Hodges an Elder.

ERNEST G. RICHARDSON, Bishop.

IV

Disciplinary Questions

A. UNITED SESSION.

1. **Who are the members of the Lay Conference present, and who are its officers?**
President, H. S. Wilson, Upper Hill, Md.
Secretary, Mrs. Ella F. Bailey, 210 Townsend St., Chester, Pa.
Treasurer, Mr. J. S. Collins, Pocomoke City, Md.
2. **Is the Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirement of the Discipline?**
Yes.
3. **What Officers and Persons holding Moneys, Funds, etc., are Bonded, and in what Amounts, According to the Requirement of the Discipline?**
Treasurer, \$7500, W. J. Helm.
4. **What are the Statistical and Financial Reports for the year?**
(a) See Statistical Report.
(b) See Treasurer's Report.
5. (a) **What are the Items and Aggregate of General Conference Benevolences apportioned to this Conference?**
World Service, Units, 2329; Episcopal Fund, 2½ per cent. Pastors' Cash Salary.

(b) **What amounts are fixed by this body as the minimum goals for General Conference Benevolences for the ensuing year?**
Not Fixed.
6. **What Reports and Exhibits are presented by Conference Boards and Institutions?**
None.
7. **What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?**
See Report.
8. **What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?**
See World Service Report.
9. **What are the Claims on the Conference Funds?**
For Annuity distribution 1460 years, multiplied by the Disciplinary rate of \$12 per year, \$17,520. For Necessitous Distribution \$——. Total, \$17,520.

- 10. (a) What has been received on these Claims?**
 From the Book Concern, \$——; From the Chartered Fund, \$60;
 From Board of Pensions and Relief, \$731; From Annual Conference Investments, \$757; From Pastoral Charges, \$4252;
 From Other Sources, \$1318; Total, \$7118.
- (b) How has it been Applied?**
 See Report of the Board of Stewards.
- 11. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants?**
 10% of pastor's cash salary for Conference Claimants.
- 12. What are the Items and Aggregate of Annual Conference Benevolences approved by this body for the ensuing year?**
 None.
- 13. What approved financial campaigns are to be carried on in this Conference during the ensuing year, and for what amounts?**
 Conference Claimants Endowment Fund.
- 14. What is the schedule of Minimum Support?**
 None.
- 15. What are the approved claims for the support of District Superintendents, Bishops, and Conference Claimants for the ensuing year?**
 District Superintendents, \$——; Bishops, 2½% of Pastors Cash Salary; Conference Claimants, 10% Pastors Cash Salary.
- 16. What shall be the Evangelistic and Religious Educational Plan for the ensuing year?**
 See Report of Committee on Evangelism and Religious Education.
- 17. What Standing Committees shall be appointed by this body?**
 See List in Journal.
- 18. What other items of business shall be considered by this United Session?**
 See Conference Journal.
- 19. Where shall the Next Session of the Conference be held?**
 Tindley Temple M. E. Church, Philadelphia, Pa.
- B. ANNUAL CONFERENCE SESSION**
- 20. Who have had their Credentials Restored without readmission to the Conference?**
 None.
- 21. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?**
 George E. Geddis, South Carolina Conference. March 26th, 1939.

22. Who have been Readmitted?

- (a) After Voluntary Location.
None.
- (b) After Involuntary Location.
None.
- (c) After Restoration of Credentials.
None.
- (d) After Withdrawal.
None.
- (e) By Judicial Procedure or by General Conference.
None.

23. Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?

Howard E. Anderson, A. M. E. Zion Church, Elder. Louis H. Midgette, A. M. E. Church, Elder. Samuel R. Miles, A. M. E. Church, Elder.

24. Who have been Received on Trial?

- (a) In Studies of First Year.
None.
- (b) In Studies of Third Year under the Seminary Rule.
None.
- (c) Exempt from Course of Study under Seminary Rule.
None.

25. Who have been Continued on Trial?

- (a) In Studies of First Year.
None.
- (b) In Studies of Second Year.
Clarence W. Bagnell, Owen S. Edwards.
- (c) In Studies of Third Year.
H. E. Anderson, Chas. E. Kiah, S. R. Miles, J. R. Shockley.
- (d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
None.

26. Who have been Discontinued?

None.

27. Who have been admitted into Full Membership?

- (a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.
H. E. Anderson, Chas. E. Kiah, L. H. Midgette, S. R. Miles, J. R. Shockley.
- (b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
H. E. Anderson, L. H. Midgette, S. R. Miles.
- (c) Elected to be Ordained elsewhere.
None.

- (d) Ordained Deacon, having been previously elected by _____
Conference.
None.
- (e) Ordained Elder previously.
Warren H. Scott.
- 28. What Members are in Studies of Third Year?**
- (a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
H. E. Anderson, Chas. E. Kiah, S. R. Miles, J. R. Shockley.
- (b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
J. B. Redmond, Jr.
- 29. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?**
None.
- 30. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**
- (a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
Thomas N. Hodges.
- (b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
Douglas W. Collins, Warren H. Scott.
- (c) Elected and Ordained Elders under the Seminary Rule.
None.
- (d) Elected to be Ordained elsewhere.
None.
- (e) Ordained Elder, having been previously Elected by _____
Conference.
None.
- (f) Ordained Elder elsewhere under our Election.
None.
- 31. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**
- (a) As Local Preachers.
Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor, Miss Lillian Vic Warrick, Arthur F. Winder, Clarence T. Wilson, Arthur F. Winder.
- (b) Under Seminary Rule.
None.
- (c) Under Missionary Rule.
None.
- (d) Elected by this Conference and Ordained elsewhere.
None.
- 32. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?**
- (a) As Local Deacons.
None.
- (b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.
- (c) Elected by this Conference and Ordained elsewhere.
None.
- 33. Who have been left without Appointment to Attend One of our Schools?**
None.

84. Was the Character of each Preacher examined?

This was strictly done in open Conference.

85. Who are accepted as Supply Pastors?

Charles Anderson, J. T. Ayers, R. A. Bolden, Alexander Boggs, L. F. Boggs, I. H. Bivins, Charles Carrington, J. E. Clark, Emons S. Foster, S. G. Fullman, Wm. Goldsborough, L. F. Boggs, Pearl R. Brown, E. Z. Heath, L. F. Hodges, E. W. Holden, Milton Jackson, S. D. Holland, George W. H. Johnson, George W. Johnson, A. L. McGill, J. J. Mitchell, E. H. Molock, Wm. A. Nichols, Henry Nichols, W. L. Pinkett, M. J. Pettyjohn, A. L. Scriber, J. G. Stevens, L. E. Thomas, W. A. Turner, P. S. Taylor, Elisha White, J. J. Whittington, Clarence T. Wilson, A. F. Winder, Van B. Wright, Aaron Whittington.

86. (a) What Accepted Supply Pastors now in charge are taking**I. The Conference Course of Study?****1. In the First Year.**

Joseph H. Hayman, E. D. Holden, S. D. Holland, G. W. Johnson, Henry Nichols, William Nichols, J. J. Mitchell, L. W. Pinkett, W. O. Turner.

2. In the Second Year.

Elisha White, Charles Carrington, P. A. Taylor, G. S. Jackson, Alexander Boggs.

3. In the Third Year.

M. J. Pettyjohn, R. J. Williams.

4. In the Fourth Year.

J. G. Stevens, J. J. Whittington, C. H. Molock, J. T. Ayers, E. N. Foster, A. F. Winder, I. H. Bivins, G. T. Jackson, A. L. Scriber.

II. The Local Preachers' Course of Study?**1. In the First Year.**

None.

2. In the Second Year.

None.

3. In the Third Year.

None.

4. In the Fourth Year.

None.

(b) Was the character of each Accepted Supply Pastor now in charge examined?

Yes.

(c) I. Are the District Committees on Qualifications of Local Preachers nominated by the District Superintendents approved?

Yes.

(c) II. What Local Preachers have completed satisfactorily the studies prescribed?**1. For Deacon's Orders.**

None.

2. For Elder's Orders.

None.

- 87. Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?**
Kelly L. Jackson, Washington Conference, March 26th, 1939.
- 88. Who have Died?**
James M. Dickerson, George T. Fields, George S. Jacobs, E. H. Jolley, James A. Kiah, Richard A. McCarthy, Lawrence S. Perry, Moses Sterling, King S. Stewart.
- 89. Who have had their Conference Membership terminated?**
- (a) By Voluntary Location.
None.
 - (b) By Involuntary Location.
None.
 - (c) By Surrender of the Ministerial Office and Credentials.
None.
 - (d) By Judicial Procedure.
None.
 - (e) By Withdrawal.
 - (1) To Join the Ministry of another Church.
None.
 - (2) From the Ministry.
None.
 - (3) From the Ministry and Membership of the Church.
J. N. C. Davis.
 - (4) Under Complaints or Charges.
None.
- 40. What other personal Notations should be made?**
W. Milton Jackson, W. A. M. E. Church (Without Admission to Conference); H. E. Anderson, Elder, A. M. E. Zion Church, 3rd year; S. R. Miles, A. M. E. Church, Elder, 3rd year; L. H. Midgett, Elder, A. M. E. Church, Graduate from Course of Study.
- 41. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?**
E. W. Spence, 5 years.
- 42. Who are the Retired Ministers?**
C. L. Anderson, G. B. Coleman, R. H. Coleman, T. B. H. Coleman, T. A. Johnson, E. H. Nichols, W. J. Moore, S. T. Parker, J. H. Scott, C. W. Shockley, T. D. Stewart, G. T. Townsend, C. W. Winder, S. A. Waters.
- 43. Who have been granted Leave of Absence?**
None.
- 44. Who are the Triers of Appeals?**
J. H. Stevenson, R. S. Johns, J. E. Dunn, Elmer P. Gibson, W. J. Helm. Reserves: W. H. Mears, R. B. Thompson.
- 45. What institutions and organizations are approved by three-quarters vote of the Conference for appointment of Ministers in the Effective Relation with Annuity Claim?**
Princeton, N. J., Y. M. C. A.
- 46. Where are the Preachers Stationed?**
See List of Appointments.

V

Appointments 1939

N. B.—The figures at the right of Pastor's name denote the number of years at that appointment.

* Indicates change (S) Denotes supply.

DOVER DISTRICT

* J. W. Jewett, District Superintendent, 8 Queen St., Dover, Del. (3)

(Appointments in Delaware, except as otherwise noted)

Bridgeville, D. G. Waters	2	Melitoto, Md., L. H. Martin	2
Bridgeville Circuit, T. E. Randall . .	7	Milford, J. R. Waters	2
*Chestertown, Md., J. A. Fassett . .	1	Millington, Md., C. E. Kiah	2
Cheswold, F. T. Johnson	3	Nassau, M. O. Ballard	2
*Clarksville, C. W. Bagwell	1	Newark, Md., W. W. Brown	5
Coleman, Md., J. H. Nutter	3	North Berlin, Md., J. H. Stevenson .	6
Crumpton, Md., L. W. Pinkett (S) .	3	Pomona, Md., M. C. Jennings	2
*Delmar, R. W. Cheers	1	Port Deposit, Md.,	
*Dover, R. B. Thompson	1	George Johnson (S)	3
Dover Ct., C. W. Winder (S)	5	Rock Hall, Md., J. O. Stanley	6
*Fairlee, Md., Roland Grant	1	Sassafras, Md., J. E. Clark (S) . . .	5
Galena, Md., W. O. Turner (S)	2	Seaford, J. H. Hubbard	4
Georgetown, M. J. Pettyjohn (S) . . .	2	Sharptown, Md., J. L. Davis	4
Harrington, W. L. D. Lyght	2	Smyrna, M. V. Waters	2
Laurel, B. B. Carson	2	*South Berlin, Md., G. E. Geddis . .	1
*Laurel Ct., Wm. Nichols (S)	1	Still Pond, Md., W. E. Hilton	4
*Lewes, F. Donald Jones	1	*Townsend, S. G. Dix	1
Lincoln, J. O. Lockman	9	Trinity, C. H. Molock (S)	2
Mardela Springs, Md., W. E. Marks .	6		

EASTON DISTRICT

E. O. Parker, District Superintendent, 420 E. Dover St., Easton, Md. (5)

(All appointments in Maryland)

Aireys, W. C. West	3	*East New Market Ct.,	
Beckwith, Jos. Stevens (S)	5	G. T. Townsend (S)	1
*Barclay, A. L. McGill	1	Federalsburg, C. J. Williams	2
Cambridge, C. D. Gerald	2	Greensboro, J. O. Griffin	3
*Cambridge Ct., O. P. Dickerson . . .	1	Hurlock, L. E. Thomas (S)	5
Carmichaels, C. C. Thomas	6	Linkwood, J. E. McBride	5
Centerville, C. B. Miles	5	Marydel, S. R. Miles	2
*Centerville Ct., A. L. Schriber	1	*McDaniel, E. W. Holden (S)	1
Chapel, W. C. Thomas	4	*Miles River, C. T. Wilson	1
Church Creek, A. W. McBride	3	Oxford, L. F. Hodges (S)	4
Church Hill, F. C. Kershaw	2	Preston, C. W. Derrickson	5
*Cordova, F. R. Richardson	1	Ridgely, W. A. T. Miles	5
Crapo and Golden Hill,		Royal Oak, W. T. Spellman	7
P. R. Brown (S)	5	*Stevensville, W. H. Coffee, Jr.	1
*Denton, W. A. Harewood	1	St. Michaels, R. S. Johns	5
Easton, J. S. Coulbourn	6	Taylor's Island, V. B. Wright (S) . . .	4
Easton Ct., Emmons Foster (S)	2	Trappe, W. E. Waters	5
*East New Market,		Vienna, A. A. McDowell	6
O'Connell Milbourne	1	Williston, W. B. Whittington	1
		Wittman, R. E. Hamilton	4

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT

J. T. Fletcher, District Superintendent, 3815 N. Smedley St.,
Philadelphia, Pa. (6½)

Brooklyn, N. Y.:

*John Wesley, J. N. Bullen 1
Newman Mem., E. H. Crampton.. 5
Stuyvesant Heights,
L. H. Midgette 2

*Englewood, R. A. Bolden 1
*Jamaica, N. Y., R. G. Waters 1
Jersey City, N. J., O. S. Edwards.. 5
*Montclair, N. J., O. H. Spence . . . 1
Newark, N. J., W. C. Thompson . . . 5
New Rochelle, N. Y.,
G. T. Jackson (S) 2

New York City:

Butler Memorial,
Chas. Carrington (S) 3
*East Calvary, P. A. Taylor (S) . 1
*Orange, N. J., J. E. Dunn 1
Ossining, N. Y., E. W. Dean 7

Philadelphia, Pa.:

*Bethsaida, Henry Nichols 1
Camphor Memorial,
N. W. Moore, Jr. 3
E. Germantown, J. T. Wallace.. 5
Frankford,
Wm. Gorldsborough (S) 2
Germantown, F. H. Butler 3
Haven, J. W. Jefferson 11
John Simmons Memorial,
J. W. Thomas 2
John Wesley, W. A. Hubbard . . . 3
Mt. Zion, H. R. Coleman 11
Peniel, D. R. Fletcher 2
Tindley Temple, D. W. Henry . . . 6
Zoar, L. H. McArthur 6
Spring Lake, N. J.,
Henry Nichols (S) 2
*Trenton, N. J., C. L. Trader 1
White Plains, N. Y., H. T. Johnson . 9

SALISBURY DISTRICT

J. E. A. Johns, District Superintendent, 607 Poplar Hill Ave.,
Salisbury, Md. (3)

(Appointments in Maryland except as otherwise noted)

*Cottage Grove, J. L. Parker 1
Crisfield:
*Shiloh, R. C. Hughes 1
*Union Asbury, T. N. Hodges . . . 1
Dames Quarter, C. P. Spencer . . . 5
*Deals Island, J. S. Coard 1
Fruitland, A. L. Black 2
Girdletree, C. T. Covington 2
*Greenwood, J. N. Hayman (S) . . . 1
*Hopewell, R. A. F. Graham 1
Hornstown, Va., Elisha Wright (S) . 2
*Keller, Va., A. E. Martin 1
*Kingston, C. L. Jones 1
Leemont, Va., W. E. Stanley 5
Liberia, E. Z. Heath 2
*Manokin Ct., W. A. Johnson 1
Marion Station, T. W. Cooper . . . 6
*Mt. Vernon Ct., S. D. Holland (S) . 1
Nanticoke, M. C. Anderson 5
*Oakville Circuit,
Aaron Whittington (S) 1

Oriole, H. E. Anderson (S) 2
*Parsonsborg, Jose Angulo 1
Pocomoke City, W. H. Mears 5
Princess Anne, A. L. Martin 2
Quantico, O. W. Jones 1

Salisbury:

John Wesley, E. P. Gibson 7
Whites Temple, M. W. Clark 3
Snow Hill, J. Lee Sawyer 6
Stockton, J. R. Purnell 6
Stockton and Snow Hill Circuit,
R. J. Williams (S) 17
Unionville, J. W. Elbert 4
Upper Hill, J. R. Shockley 1
*Wachapreague, Va.,
A. F. Winder (S) 1
Wattsville, Va., I. R. Elzey 2
Wetipquin, Alex. Reid 2
White Haven, I. D. Pitts 2
*Withams, Va., W. R. Price 1

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

S. J. Horsey, District Superintendent, 720 N. 9th St., Wilmington, Del. (5)

Atlantic City, N. J.:	Lawnside, N. J., S. M. Emptage . . . 5
*Asbury, W. J. Helm 1	Merchantville, N. J., J. L. Taylor . 11
Hamilton Mem'l., J. W. Parker . . 2	*Middletown, Del., C. W. Pullett . . 1
Bridgeton, N. J., D. L. Ridout . . . 6	Mt. Holly, N. J., J. I. Peaco 2
*Burlington, N. J., J. I. Peaco . . . 1	*New Castle, Del., D. W. Collins . . 1
Buttonwood, Del., C. E. Kincade . . 6	Newport, Del., H. A. Bailey 2
Camden, N. J., D. S. Quillin 10	Ocean City, N. J., W. H. Scott 2
Cape May and Swainton, N. J.,	Odessa and Port Penn, Del.,
W. G. Matthews 5	E. M. Neals 2
Chester, Pa.:	Pleasantville and Absecon, N. J.,
*Grace and Darby, B. A. Arnold . 1	Malachi Raisin 5
Siloam, W. H. Johns 3	Port Norris, N. J., C. S. Sprigg . . . 3
St. Daniels, L. S. Moore 16	Quinton and Springtown, N. J.,
Delair, N. J., F. O. T. Laws 5	J. J. Whittington (S) 5
Delaware City Circuit, Del.,	Salem, N. J., R. W. Thomas 2
S. G. Fullman (S) 6	Wilmington, Del.:
*Elkton, Md., T. H. Woodley 1	Ezion, D. H. Hargis 5
Fordsville, N. J., J. H. Blackiston . 14	Mt. Carmel, J. T. Ayers (S) . . . 3
*Grenloch and Rhodes, N. J.,	*Mt. Joy, J. H. Russum 1
Milton Jackson (S) 1	Woodbury, N. J., C. B. White . . . 7

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

- W. C. Jason, Chaplain of the Delaware State College, Dover, Del. 4).
- J. B. Redmond, Jr., Secretary of Colored Branch, Y. M. C. A., Princeton, N. J. (4)
- F. J. Handy, Conference Director of Religious Education, Philadelphia, Pa. (3).

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Combined Report of District Superintendents

Bishop Richardson, Members of the United Session of the Delaware Annual Conference, and Members of the Methodist Episcopal Church—

Greetings:

We bring to you, according to the custom of recent years, this annual combined report of the survey of the work assigned to us for our careful supervision. We are conscious of our failures. They make us quite uncomfortable, but we hope that you have found us faithful to our task this conference year.

We thank God for Bishop Ernest G. Richardson, our resident Bishop; for his recovery of health. We thank Bishop Richardson for his untiring help in the management of the affairs of the Conference. We are deeply grateful also to the ministers and laymen of the various churches for their support and cooperation. It is through their self-sacrificing and unselfish devotion to the Cause of Christ that this report is made possible.

We have not accomplished all that we had hoped, yet our hearts have been encouraged when we consider the earnest and sincere efforts put forth by pastors to improve the spiritual and physical condition of their charges. It shows the deeper workings of grace in their lives.

We wish to speak in this report of the year's work in general, of some interests of our Conference, and also give special consideration to some matters which we believe will be of importance to the life and work of the Christian ministry.

We pause here to pay tribute to our fellow laborers who have passed from our ranks this year and have entered into the Eternal City:

Effective: L. S. Perry, J. M. Dickerson, M. P. Sterling, K. S. Stewart, G. S. Jacobs, E. H. Jolley, J. A. Kiah, R. A. McCarthy.

Retired: G. T. Fields.

Accepted Supply: W. H. Jefferson.

Pastor's Wife: Mrs. Josephine Sterling, Mrs. L. Y. Cox.

Pastor's Widow: Mrs. D. W. Martin, mother of A. E. Martin.

Relatives: D. L. Ridout's sister; A. L. Scriber's brother; Mrs. O. W. Jones' father; J. I. Peaco's brother; M. J. Pettijohn's brother, and Mrs. Pettijohn's mother.

Changes in Appointments

Upon the death of J. M. Dickerson, at Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J., W. J. Helm, of Montclair, N. J., was assigned to Asbury. O. H. Spence, of Dover, Delaware, was transferred to Montclair; R. B. Thompson, of Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Delaware, was appointed to Dover; J. H. Russum, of Middletown, Delaware, was sent to Mt. Joy; C. W. Pullett, of Elkton, Maryland,

was assigned to Middletown, and G. T. Townsend, in the retired relation, was transferred to Elkton.

Upon the death of L. S. Perry, of New Castle, Delaware, D. W. Collins, of Deals Island, Maryland, was appointed to New Castle; J. S. Coard, of Mt. Vernon, Maryland, was sent to Deals Island; S. D. Holland, a supply, was sent to Mt. Vernon.

Upon the death of M. P. Sterling, Joseph H. Hayman, a supply, was assigned to Quantico. Upon the death of K. S. Stewart, C. L. Paynter, a supply, was sent to Lewes, Delaware. Upon the death of W. H. Jefferson, A. L. McGill, was sent to Barclay, Maryland.

Manokin, Maryland, made vacant by the death of G. S. Jacobs; Miles River, Maryland, by the death of E. H. Jolley, and Shiloh, Crisfield, by the death of J. A. Kiah, were supplied by the respective superintendents until Conference.

Conference Institutions and Organizations

Princess Anne College has taken rank as a four-year college. It is no longer our property in the sense that Princess Anne Academy once was. But situated as it is at Princess Anne, Maryland, it is in position to render invaluable service to our people who reside in that section of our Conference. Necessary improvements are being made, and a building program has been inaugurated. The curriculum and teaching personnel have been raised to meet the standard requirements. We need the influence of this school, and we hope that a leader will be selected shortly who will develop it to its largest possibility.

Morgan College, under the direction of its new president, Dr. D. O. W. Holmes, is still playing an important part in the essential work of preparing our youth for the difficult tasks of tomorrow, and in lifting the level of the grades in the certification of the teachers of Baltimore City, in the counties of Maryland and many other States. The building program is being successfully carried on, the new Library is being completed, and it is hoped that each alumnus and friend will give at least \$4.00, the price of a volume of books, to help secure the offer of \$3,000.00 for books from the General Education Board.

The Summer School of Ministerial Training, which is held annually at Princess Anne College, is doing a magnificent piece of work for the undergraduates, the accepted supply pastors, and all others who attend. The students get great spiritual benefit through personal contact with the lecturers and teachers. Much can be said of Dr. F. J. Handy, the dean, and the fine efforts of teachers of our two conferences, who leave large parishes in the great center of our Eastern Seaboard and give ten days of hard work to help the preachers to adjust themselves to the practical problems of their parishes. This course is so important that it should command the attention of all of our ministers and should not be neglected by any, even if the sacrifice is costly.

The Epworth League and Church School Institute, held annually at Morgan College, is rated as one of the best in Methodism. It trains young people, and sends them back to be leaders of young people in their local churches. Each charge should have at least one representative, and each

minister should give his loyal support by seeking out and sending the worthy ones to the Institute, and on their return help them to put into practice that which they have received. They should defend them against the "stand patters" who might wish to shut them out. Dr. D. H. Hargis, dean, and his efficient workers deserve to be encouraged for the enrichment which they strive to impart to the youth.

The Training Schools and Classes in Religious Leadership are sources of instruction and enlightenment for young and old. They are trained here in the aims and ideals of the church, so that they may guide aright the future Church, morally and religiously. This work is being conducted successfully by our Director of Religious Education, Dr. F. J. Handy, to whom we are greatly in debt.

All the districts have carried through very successfully prepared programs for their annual Church School and Epworth League Conventions, to which hundreds of our brightest young people look for new truths and attractive programs for their local organizations.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society is continuing to extend its good work wherever possible. It is not only interested in the work accomplished and its efficient workers, but it wishes for better work and more proficient workers. The work of this Society goes on. It creates new lives, new hopes, new opportunities. It believes that the need of the world is moral and spiritual. The world needs to put God's love in the heart of things. This Society is built up by the giving of unstinted time, energy and service in the promotion of its work. The Woman's Home Missionary Society has found joy and the real meaning of life in ministering and not being ministered unto.

The Friendship Home is not something apart from the Woman's Home Missionary Society. It is the daughter. It is the result of the faith and self sacrifices of the women of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Delaware Conference, and it is depending upon the Society for its existence. The Friendship Home has its doors open for the girls and young women who need a home at a moderate cost, and for girls without means who need protection and help until they can become properly adjusted. The most absorbing and vital interest of the society at the present is the securing of adequate facilities for the housing of these girls. A new home has been secured, but on account of the small amount paid for the former home, which the women were obliged to sell, the new home is too small to meet the demands. It is earnestly requested that the ministers and laymen of the Delaware Conference help the women of this organization to make the Friendship Home all that it should be.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society is not strong numerically, but it is doing effective work. This little band of faithful and courageous workers have had many discouragements, but they will not down. They believe that their cause is a noble one, and their commission Divine.

The Ladies Aid Society is a valuable asset to the local church. Its program is such that it stimulates activities within the church. Its moral, spiritual and financial influence is greatly needed. It not only helps the individual church, but it also helps in administering to the needy of the parish.

The Brotherhood is not doing the kind of work of which it is capable. It is only here and there that we find a Brotherhood organization asserting itself. The reason is that the men are not well organized. It is only through effective organization that telling work can be done. The office in Chicago is willing to do anything it can to forward this interest of the church.

A Home for the Aged at Lawnside, New Jersey, has been felt to be one of the major needs of the Delaware Conference. Various officers were elected, selected, or appointed to look after the interests of the Home. The aim was to have it to function efficiently, to justify its existence. Many of the officers worked hard to make it a success, but it has failed to fulfill its mission and to justify its existence. The Home is badly in need of repairs, and is rapidly degenerating. Sufficient monies are not being raised to meet the immediate demands. Some definite action should be taken by this session of the Conference to discontinue it as a Conference project, or to convert it into something more serviceable.

District Conferences are held on every district in the Delaware Conference, and they have proved their worthwhileness this year more than ever. A glance at the topics would convince one that all the districts realize how much depends upon the spirit of our district meetings as reflected in our programs. Our local preachers and exhorters get an idea of the educational standards which they must meet to command a hearing in this day. The conferences stimulate both ministers and laymen to greater activity.

The Efficiency Conference is the last important meeting held before Conference. The check-ups which are made at this time are very important both to ministers and district superintendents, as they reveal a fair estimate of the work that has been done, and that needs to be done before the Annual Conference.

Historical Society and Conference History

The Delaware Annual Conference, the oldest Negro Conference in the Methodist Episcopal Church, has the honor of celebrating its Diamond Jubilee Year.

There have been many sacrifices made during these 75 years which have made it possible for us to be able to be here today.

Both laymen and ministers have made their contributions in the development of the Conference history.

We do not have a Historical Society in the Conference. As a result of this, we have no authorized or authentic historical records of the Conference developments.

We therefore suggest or recommend that the Conference have a Historical Society and that a committee be appointed to work with the Historical Society in publishing a history of the Conference.

We believe such a history will serve as a stimulating factor to the members of our Churches.

Evangelism

The command, "Go ye into all the world and make disciples of all nations"—is to the church of today as it was to the church of two thousand years ago. But with many there is not the same amount of zeal and pas-

sion for winning souls as there was in those early days. Many today among the laymen feel that to evangelize is solely the responsibility and work of the pastor, forgetting that in addition to the twelve disciples, our Lord sent out seventy—by twos—into every city and place whither He Himself would go, and said to them, "The harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few. Pray ye, therefore, the Lord of the harvest, that He would send forth laborers into His harvest."

The field of our evangelism today is three-fold: Our inactive members, our constituent members, and the children. Perhaps if we could win back our inactive members and properly relate our children to Christ and to His Church, this would be the greatest revival we could have. Many of our constituents will never be won. In fact, most of our class leaders do not know who or where these constituents are. Yet, as hard as the task may be, we must give ourselves without reserve to the winning of this group also. For they, too, are our denominational and Christian responsibility. Possibly the church is over-organized, and yet unless we have more organization in our evangelistic efforts, we shall continue to register defeat. In our financial and other drives and campaigns we organize. But when we come to our revival or evangelistic efforts, we pray that the Holy Spirit may go out and bring them in. Then we will preach, pray and sing to them. However, as we see, the Holy Spirit does not bring them in. He is waiting to use our feet, and hands, and minds, and souls in the highways and hedges, compelling them to come in that the Lord's House may be filled. We try to reap where we have not sown, and gather where we have not strowed, which is impossible. Hence, we fail.

We must put ourselves out with all our talents for the glory of God and the salvation of men. Then our reward shall be the joy of winning souls and the "well done" which the Lord of the harvest pronounces upon every good and faithful servant. Then, with joy we shall return, like the seventy, saying, "Lord, even the devils are subject unto us through Thy Name."

Christian Stewardship

Stewardship of life and possessions is as old as the human race. Man has always felt obligated to the Creator and has in offering tried to give thanks to God for life and its blessings. Both the Old and New Testaments teach that God is owner, and that man is but a steward in the household of his Lord, and as such, must be faithful in the use of what is committed to him.

The Christian Church accepted and practiced stewardship more completely than did the Jewish church, for they gave themselves and their all for the extension of the Kingdom, and no man said aught of the things which he possessed was his own. If this devotion and practice had continued, our church and the world would be in a different condition than we now find it.

In our day, the church needs to recover its passion for the extension of the Kingdom of God into all parts of the world, whatever be the cost. ALL THAT IS GOOD IS COSTLY, and this is the best of all, and therefore the most costly. God has never held the redemption and salvation of the world

as cheap, and when we do so, we lose our power to save. It is said when we cease to bleed we cease to bless.

The greatest problem we have in our church today, and it is responsible for most of our other problems, is our failure to believe and practice the doctrine of stewardship. It is encouraging, however, to notice that there is a moving in the mulberry tree, and we believe that it will spread. May it fill all the house of believers in Christ so that there will be no lack or gathering when He comes to bless His people with knowledge and power, a revival that shall sweep and cover the earth as the waters cover the great and mighty deep.

Our church believes in Christian stewardship, and defines and sets forth its principles in our book of Discipline, Paragraph 168, Section 2, and in Paragraph 571, Section 17, enjoins upon every pastor and lay member the responsibility of teaching and practicing stewardship.

With so many people losing interest in the church, and so many others failing to develop the spirit of sacrifice to the point where they will supply funds sufficient to support the church, our problems are growing more and more serious daily, especially our missionary problems at home and abroad.

That we may abound in the grace of Christian stewardship and make our church more effective for God, we recommend that stewardship classes be formed in all our church schools and other young people's organizations, and that our adult members be urged to a more complete dedication of themselves and their possessions to the extension of the Kingdom. We further recommend that our pastors and laymen be urged to attend conferences and conventions where stewardship instruction is given, to the end that these may help to bring again an awakening to the Christian Church that shall cause it to accept the challenge of God, to bring all their tithes into His storehouse, and that we may prove Him therewith, and receive such blessings as He has in store for us.

World Service

The church of today is face to face with an essentially divided world, a world in which there are many closely organized units attempting to be self-sufficient—having little or no dealings with other groups. The advance of the world in physical science, the modern means of communication and transportation, and the universal spread of information have failed to heal the breach. This is the task of the Christian Church which has a message from Christ that can be spoken effectively to a divided world, and lift it above these artificial lines.

How can this message be sent into a war-torn and weary world? The church is doing this through the Million Unit Fellowship Movement. This movement is uniting the spiritual and financial forces of Methodism, and sending them forth to do battle against the forces which would destroy fellowship among men and nations. The stand which it enables the missionaries for Christ to take in the face of danger fires and stimulates the courage of natives in the foreign fields.

The Spirit of Christ working through the Million Unit Fellowship Movement is bringing men together spiritually in spite of forces of hate and war. It is stimulating courage in the home field where class and industrial con-

fict threaten to destroy all that is fine and noble in man. The effectiveness and continuance of the work depend upon the willingness of the church not only to maintain its present missionary giving, but to increase it. This is a challenge to every true Methodist, to make himself one of the million units of spiritual and financial power, to help to advance the splendid work now being done. The world condition is such that we hope that both ministers and laymen will pledge during Lent and at Easter their fullest power to advance the cause of Christianity in a divided world.

"Rise up, O men of God!
The Church for you doth wait;
Her strength unequal to her task—
Rise up, and make her great."

Ministerial Support

The highest calling, profession or position in the world is that of the Christian ministry. No service to mankind is so altruistic, so unselfish in service, so generous in labor, and asks no returns. No support for service rendered is more dependent upon the wiles, vagaries and changing temperaments and emotions, and more influenced by personal prejudices than that of the Christian ministry. That proper and adequate support for the servant of the Most High should be viewed as somewhat outside one's Christian duty, is most unfortunate, but is a situation commonly found and one contrary to the teachings of CHRIST. The Christian minister is a vital part of the church. The church cannot exist without those who are to interpret the teachings of the Gospel of Jesus. By virtue of his high calling the minister is the visible head of our Christian brotherhood.

Economic changes and our changing social order have brought with them changes in general attitudes and standards of value. Materialism is so rampant that we are inclined to estimate all values in terms of monetary standards and give small estimate to anything unless it can be seen or felt. Seeing and feeling are not essential to Christian faith and should not be made the basis for spiritual evaluation. The priceless pearls of love, obedience, faith, reverence, honor and truth can only be fully realized and evaluated by those who follow not after the flesh but after the Spirit, and who have become attuned to the coherer of God's spiritual transmitter.

God's ministers do not first ask compensation, for with compensation there is involved the idea of "pay for value received." They do though expect those who are in Christ adequately to support and protect His chosen from vital material needs, so that there will be security and contentment for them and their dependents. He who refuses to support the Christian ministry, bishops, district superintendents, itinerant ministers and conference claimants, deliberately forswears his covenant both to God and man.

The contribution which the Christian minister has made to civilization cannot be paid for. The teachings of Martin Luther changed Europe and gave a new life and hope to millions of people and so revolutionized Prussia that his teachings gave a new mode of operation in all the schools of the country. His teachings were so far-reaching that they spread to America to form the basis of a free public school system and the underlying principles of a free democracy. Jonathan Edwards, Phillips Brooks, Henry

Ward Beecher are but a few examples of those ministerial personalities who have meant so much to society because of their contributions to the high moral and religious ideals of our American life.

The anguish of heart and humiliation of spirit which ministers so often suffer because of indifference to this spiritual duty, together with actual physical suffering and deprivation so uncomplainingly borne, bring to these martyrs the greatest test of the Christian faith. They are indeed kings among men, though uncrowned.

Temperance

To be indifferent to the certain doom which intemperance holds out to the people of this and other fair lands of our world is no doubt one of the greatest sins men can commit, and is sure in the end to wreck nations. An editor not long ago made the statement that "in America we have nearly sixty-four million church members; two hundred and forty-five thousand churches, and four hundred and thirty-seven thousand saloons—nearly twice as many saloons as churches!" He then asked the question, "Pastors, what are you going to do about it? Church members, what are you going to do about it?"

This statement and question certainly point to careless living; self-indulgence and indifference on the part of those who form the church of our Lord; also to unusual activity on the part of those who are willing to destroy manhood and womanhood for pleasure and the gain of blood money. We cannot have long life and real happiness as a product of intemperance, nor can the peace and better government for which the civilized world longs be obtained without this monster being destroyed. The very existence of law and order has the threat of destruction by that which causes degeneracy in so many, who yield to alcoholic poison through strong drink.

During the days of the Eighteenth Amendment the poor had better homes and greater savings accounts than was ever before known. But the preachers of unrighteousness blamed everything evil on the absence of strong drink until the masses believed the report, and many helped to get rid of what they called evil. Now every conceivable way is open to destroy homes and to degrade the products of each home. The new liquor set-up makes the children as welcome as the older people. All this is done to make more money for those who produce the poison that ruins both soul and body, fills prisons, electric chairs, destroys home happiness, breaks the hearts of mothers and wives and causes many children to be ragged and hungry through life.

In a section of our Conference efforts are being made to have the State grant an open Sunday for the sale of strong drink and for the operation of theatres and moving picture houses. What will we do about it? We urge that, in the spirit of that fallen hero, the late Clarence True Wilson, founder and builder of our Methodist Board of Temperance, and foe of strong drink, that we shall arise and fight the battle as never before until victory is won.

Agents are at work. The Anti-Saloon League is busy now in many States. Public schools are teaching temperance. Our Church Schools are urged to make their organization tell monthly of the ill effects of intemperance causes that the child may learn to hate the sin and escape the effects thereof.

Mahatma Ghandi, of India, has led his followers up to the great height of absolute abstinence, and says that he hopes that America will return to prohibition. We urge the church to join forces and help win the victory. Deets Pickett, in the August, 1938, issue of "The Voice," said that from 1776 to 1938 the United States was in actual war fifteen years. Those killed or dying from wounds in action numbered 244,357, and that is less than the number killed at the present rate in seven years in our rum traffic toll. The New York Times reported, in July, 1938, that forty per cent. of the automobile deaths in New York City was due to drivers under the influence of strong drink. This carnage is largely given to week-ends which included our Lord's Day.

What will we do about it, Church?

"Put on thy strength, O Zion!"

Let us encourage Christian Temperance training. Liberate those who are bound, enlighten by words of truth, and our God will give us victory.

Social Service

America's greatness lies in her moral and religious ideals. These ideals are the outgrowth of deep religious sentiments handed down by the early ministers of the Gospel. The Pilgrims, who came to New England, before landing made a covenant outlining the principles of a new government, a society which would develop in its members a likemindedness, a oneness of thought and action based upon the teachings of the Blessed Master.

In order that society shall preserve and increase its common and accepted ideals, the church has come to be recognized as the most potent agency in the propagation of the social philosophy. The basic task of the ministry to supply human needs for social improvement and adjustment is presented in the challenge of the life and service of the Master. Through the accomplishment of this task all may become one in Him.

The need for social service, for social direction and adjustment, is now recognized in all departments of our civic life. Social workers are found in the factory, in camps, in business establishments, in rural and urban communities, and are beginning to function in our churches as leaders of distinct social organizations. Through these agencies a spiritual, mental and moral awakening has come to the underprivileged, the handicapped, and the unfortunate. Can the responsibility of the church be less than any other social agency? The gospel of service is the Gospel of Christ. The Christian Church should be the greatest of all social service organizations, and its members consecrated and devoted workers.

Our Youth and the Church

The youth of our day furnish a serious challenge to the Church. They do not accept this challenge without questioning much that was taken for granted by earlier generations. Taught in the public schools by trained teachers, they are mentally alert at an early age. They learn to think on the great truths of life. They are not interested in many church activities, but they are interested in religion—and religion is life.

The business of the church in its relation to the young is to meet the spiritual needs of this class of people. The child, with all of his needs, must be kept in the midst of all our church activities and religious education programs.

The church must be vitally, intensively and actively interested in our youth. If the church is to survive and retain its place of spiritual leadership, it will have to make a life-centered approach in its work, rather than being interested in mere programs to perpetuate itself. It is a reflection on good judgment to ask people to be loyal to an organization that fails to administer in a vital way to life's needs.

Therefore, the church, in its work among young people, must make its program attractive to them. It must show them that it is interested in them, not simply to increase its numbers, but it is greatly concerned to make them loyal followers of Jesus in helping to establish a righteous social order. In order to bring about such a desirable condition, the church must keep step with the advance of secular education, making use of the best methods of the schools, but always remembering that its one business is the development of Christ-like character in men and women, boys and girls. It is plain, therefore, that the church must seek to know and understand the people it would help in its program of religious education.

Religious Education

Religion and education are not two independent and mutually exclusive fields. Essentially they cover the same general ground. They both deal with human personality, and seek to develop all its powers so as to put it in complete possession of itself and fit it for the fullest and richest life. However, they are not identical, but consider personality from different points of view.

Education strives to develop our faculties in their human relationship and service, and religion endeavors to develop our powers in their Divine relations and obligations. They are thus complementary, and mutually supplement and support each other, and when properly understood and related, they form one harmonious system of truth and life.

It is the business of the church so to relate education and religion in the development of Christian personality that the highest good may be achieved in producing a truly Christian social order.

There must be an understanding of the laws and processes by which persons develop religiously and achieve Christian personality. Those laws and processes are not man-made. They have been created in man by God Himself, and they are the means by which He works in the human heart. By understanding these laws and processes as leaders in the field of Christian education, we place ourselves in position to cooperate most effectively with Him, Who is, indeed, the Way, and the Truth, and the Life.

We rejoice in the splendid progress made in this field by our director, Dr. F. J. Handy, and pledge him our continued unflinching support.

Conclusion

We could not conclude this report without saying another word of appreciation to those courageous men of our charges who have achieved remarkably well this past year, some in the face of trying odds. It may be

said of many of them that "their heads are bloody, but unbowed." Truly do they belong to God's great body of noblemen.

Thus in the face of all that may tend to harass and discourage, we reaffirm unqualifiedly our supreme belief in the adequacy of Jesus to fill every need and to still every storm of this troubled life. If His will is done on earth as in heaven, His Kingdom will speedily come. Let us be strong, brave, and true. Let us "endure hardness as good soldiers of Jesus Christ; preach the Word; be instant in season and out of season." Then some day we may sing with confident assurance:

"Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
Does his successive journeys run;
His Kingdom spread from shore to shore,
Till moons shall wax and wane no more."

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. JEWETT,
E. O. PARKER,
J. T. FLETCHER,
J. E. A. JOHNS,
S. J. HORSEY.

DOVER DISTRICT

In the spirit of profound gratitude to God, the Father of us all, for His abundant mercy vouchsafed unto me during the year, I present my second annual report.

The health of the pastors of the Dover District has been graciously preserved. However, on Friday morning, January 13, the Rev. King Samuel Stewart met with a tragic automobile accident from which he died in the Beebe Hospital, Lewes, Del., on the above date.

Mrs. G. W. Johnson and Mrs. J. E. Clark have been on the sick list most of the year; also Mrs. J. H. Nutter was seriously ill for quite a while, but is now recovering.

District Meetings

The Annual District Stewards Meeting was held at St. Paul Church, North Berlin, Md., Tuesday, April 19, 1938. It was largely attended and was quite inspirational to the work at the beginning of the year.

New Zion Church, Laurel, Del., was the gracious host for the Sunday School and Epworth League Convention, June 14, 15, 16. Youthful enthusiasm seasoned with genuine christian optimism characterized this great gathering of our young people.

One of the truly great and helpful meetings of the year was the District Conference, convening in Whatcoat Church, Dover, Del., Oct. 25, 26, 27.

Perhaps the most revealing District institution among us is the Efficiency Conference. This year it held its sessions at Mt. Calvary Church, Bridgeville, Del., Feb. 24. Reports showed increases in every item over the corresponding time of last year.

District Activities

In line with a system quite general in some Conferences, we group our work into seven sub-districts, as follows:—

Chestertown Group—Chestertown, Crumpton, Fairlee, Mellitota, Pomona, Rock Hall. Still Pond Group—Coleman, Galena, Millington, Port Deposit, Sassafras, and Still Pond. Dover Group—Cheswold, Dover, Dover Circuit, Smyrna, and Townsend. Milford Group—Bridgeville, Bridgeville Circuit, Harrington, Lincoln, and Milford. Nassau Group—Georgetown, Lewes, Nassau, and Trinity. Berlin Group—Clarksville, Newark, North Berlin, and South Berlin. Laurel Group—Delmar, Laurel, Laurel Circuit, Mardella, Seaford and Sharptown.

The Charges in these groups work together in Kingdom interests, and under the leadership of faithful pastors are mutually helpful—spiritually, socially, intellectually and financially. Evangelistic, educational and financial campaigns have been carried on by these groups, yielding results which have been a benediction to our work.

Leadership Training in Religious Education has been in charge of the Rev. K. L. Jackson, district assistant to Dr. F. J. Handy, Director of Religious Education. Brother Jackson deserves great credit for the fine service he has rendered in this field.

The transfer of the Rev. O. H. Spence from the Dover District to Montclair, on the Philadelphia District, necessitated a change in the leadership of our Institute work. The Rev. C. L. Trader was selected for the place, and has acquitted himself in a very efficient manner as a leader. Continuing the splendid work of Brother Spence, and assisted by the pastors of the district, with several lay workers, Brother Trader put on a Mid-winter Institute Program, and Mid-winter Institutes were held with splendid success at Chestertown, Md., Feb. 4; Dover, Del., Feb. 11; and Laurel, Del., Feb. 18.

The number of Dally Vacation Bible Schools has increased from four last year to twelve this year, with an enrollment of more than two hundred and fifty. There should be at least one of these schools on every charge of the district. May this one be of our major objectives for the coming year.

Charges

BRIDGEVILLE, under the leadership of D. G. Waters, has had a great year. Pastor and people are happy. Plans have been made for a much needed new church, and \$750 raised for the same. The pastor's salary has been increased \$200.

BRIDGEVILLE CIRCUIT has advanced this year. T. E. Randall continues to serve well. There has been an increase in World Service and other benevolences. World Service \$40; other benevolences \$20; Ministerial support \$900; Trustees \$200.

CHESTERTOWN has increased in membership. The people are well pleased with R. C. Hughes, the pastor, and have manifested their feelings by responding to his leadership. The debt is being gradually decreased and a brighter day seems to be dawning upon Chestertown.

CHESWOLD has had a fair year in some respects. However, the failure of the crops militated against financial success here, so that the reports are not up to last year. F. T. Johnson, the pastor, is due great credit for his efforts.

CLARKSVILLE continues to march forward under the capable leadership of F. Donald Jones. Every interest of the church has been looked after, resulting in increases in membership, World Service, Ministerial support, and other causes.

COLEMAN thinks well of the splendid service of its pastor, J. H. Nutter, and wants to keep him. Collections advanced; membership increased.

CRUMPTON is a problem. Here are a goodly number of people in fair circumstances, good church property well located. However, results are very meagre. L. W. Pinkette has rendered good service here.

DELMAR is loyal to the leadership of its pastor, C. L. Trader. Their report surpasses that of last year. They have bought a splendid property for a new parsonage, advanced ministerial support, World Service and other causes. Also an increase in membership. World Service \$40, Ministerial support \$1086, raised for trustees \$400, other benevolences \$26.

DOVER. Whatcoat stands for progress in many of the ideals of religion and christian education. The former pastor, O. H. Spence is an enthusiast for such ideals. The impression of his personality abides. When it became necessary to release him for another field, R. B. Thompson was selected to succeed him. Brother Thompson is splendidly equipped in mind and heart for this situation. Therefore, there has been no let up in the progress of the work here. The report equals that of last year in many respects, and exceeds in a few. Keen, yet friendly rivalry continues here between the Ladies Aid Society and the Methodist Brotherhood. These two organizations have raised for church purposes \$340, World Service \$200, other benevolences \$75, Ministerial support \$1623, Trustees \$962.

DOVER CIRCUIT is very small, but has the spirit to continue its activities under the leadership of C. W. Winder. His return is requested. Raised for all purposes \$156.

FAIRLEE, with F. R. Richardson as pastor, makes the following report: World Service \$23; other benevolences \$17; ministerial support \$600; for Trustees \$255.

GALENA, supplied by W. O. Turner has had a good year. The people love their pastor, and are loyally supporting the work. They report \$25 for World Service; \$12 for other benevolences; \$850 for Ministerial support; \$90 for Trustees.

GEORGETOWN MISSION continues to advance. They have suffered some reverses. The pastor was bereft of a brother, and Mrs. Pettyjohn was bereft of her mother. Their report shows increases over last year. M. J. Pettyjohn, pastor.

HARRINGTON is shouting happy. Led on by William L. D. Lyght, they have had a truly great year. World Service \$72, its full apportionment, thereby becoming the first charge of the Dover District to earn the title of "Star Charge", other benevolences \$35, ministerial support \$1158, raised for trustees \$350. Conversions 4, accessions 3.

LAUREL has gone forward with its pastor, B. B. Carson. They have enjoyed a glorious revival, resulting in 27 conversions; 25 accessions. All finances increased. World Service \$31; Other benevolences \$17; Ministerial support \$902; for Trustees \$450.

LAUREL CIRCUIT has not done so well this year. \$5 for World Service; for other benevolences \$5. J. J. Mitchell, pastor.

LEWES was bereft of its pastor in the month of January. Hence, the work was greatly crippled. Brother L. C. Paynter, a local preacher of Nassau, was appointed to fill out the conference year, and has done well. World Service \$35; Other benevolences \$18; Ministerial support \$497. K. S. Stewart, pastor.

LINCOLN led on by J. O. Lockman, pastor, has done better than last year. The report as follows: World Service \$10; Other benevolences \$19; Ministerial support \$1096; For Trustees \$136.

MARDELA SPRINGS has had a revival resulting in converts 19, accessions 19. During the year several of its members died. This has had its effect upon the charge. However, the pastor, W. E. Marks, and his loyal flock seem to know no defeat. Raised for World Service \$30; Other benevolences \$26; for Trustees \$151; for Ministerial Support \$1102.

MELITOTA is a weak charge and has not done well this year. L. H. Martin, the pastor has not been well much of the year. For World Service \$8; for Ministerial Support \$400; For Trustees \$72.

MILFORD gladly received Dr. J. R. Waters, and heartily responded to his experienced leadership. They have enjoyed each others company, and the report from Milford reflects credit upon both pastor and people. Ministerial Support raised upon a strictly pro rata basis \$1205; World Service \$35; Other Benevolences \$23; Raised for Trustees \$251.

MILLINGTON is on the march and is well pleased with its pastor, C. E. Kiah. All causes have been faithfully presented and advanced. Raised for World Service \$30; for other Benevolences \$27; for Ministerial Support \$950; for Trustees \$525.

NASSAU. The pastor, M. O. Ballard, was most graciously received here and a splendid year's work has been accomplished. The parsonage was renovated and re-furnished, electric lights put in, a two-car garage built. All these improvements have been paid for. World Service \$30; other Benevolences \$37; Ministerial Support \$1071; for Trustees \$425.

NEWARK. The pastor has tried to succeed here. Some of the people have worked with him. They report for World Service \$20; other Benevolences \$9; for Ministerial Support \$660; for Trustees \$85. W. W. Brown, pastor.

NORTH BERLIN. This strong charge has made quite an advance over last year. The return of the pastor, J. H. Stevenson, is requested for another year. The report shows \$100 raised for World Service; \$47 for other Benevolences; \$1370 for Ministerial Support; Trustees \$191.

POMONA has succeeded under the pastorate of M. C. Jennings. Raised for World Service \$42; other Benevolences \$28; Ministerial Support \$750; for Trustees \$290.

PORT DEPOSIT has had an increase in membership. World Service slightly in advance of last year. Other collections increased. George W. Johnson, pastor.

ROCK HALL continues to advance with its energetic pastor, J. O. Stanley. There has been an increase in World Service and other collections. The charge's obligation to the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension is carefully looked after. World Service \$27; other Benevolences \$23; Ministerial Support \$882; Trustees \$250.

SASSAFRAS has been handicapped this year in that the pastor's wife has been seriously ill most of the year. A burdensome debt is a vexing problem for this small membership. World Service \$14; other Benevolences \$12; Ministerial Support \$425; Trustees \$171. J. E. Clark, pastor.

SEAFORD, with J. H. Hubbard, pastor, reports conversions 4; accessions 7. World Service \$25; other Benevolences \$10; Trustees \$250; Ministerial Support \$1103.

SHARPTOWN. Here we have the second largest membership on the district. It would seem that there are great possibilities at this place. World Service \$26; other Benevolences \$24; Ministerial Support \$925; Trustees \$166. J. L. Davis, pastor.

SMYRNA has had some success with M. V. Waters as pastor. The debt has been reduced. Conference collections in advance of last year. World Service \$10; other Benevolences \$8; Ministerial Support \$412; Trustees \$360.

SOUTH BERLIN has been in an unsettled condition this year. Another year should bring harmony. W. H. Coffey, Jr., the pastor, deserves great credit for his hard work and faithful services under unfavorable circumstances. Conversions 3; accessions 4. For World Service \$30; other Benevolences \$23; for Ministerial Support \$1002; and for Trustees \$510.

STILL POND advances beyond last year with 5 conversions; 6 accessions. \$30 for World Service; \$300 for Trustees; Ministerial Support \$730; other Benevolences \$16. W. E. Hilton, pastor.

TOWNSEND has loyally followed the leadership of its pastor, K. L. Jackson. They have had a good year. Conversions 14; accessions 14. Raised for World Service \$40; other Benevolences \$26; Ministerial Support \$—; Trustees \$510.

TRINITY has purchased a splendid site on the highway leading from Millsboro, Del. to Lewes and Rehoboth Beach, Del., almost directly opposite the entrance to Rosedale Beach. On this beautiful lot there is soon to be erected a suitable Church building for this growing congregation. C. H. Molock and his people are pulling together to advance Kingdom interests generally. World Service \$35; other Benevolences \$25; Trustees \$415.

What we have said is but a faint picture, a feeble expression of the aims and efforts of the faithful and self-sacrificing ministry and laity of the Dover District. No words can express, no pen can write the things of the Spirit. But the record of the Acts of these Apostles and Disciples is being kept by Him who knoweth all things, and who never faileth to reward the faithful. To Him be the glory and honor, dominion and power, both now and forever.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. JEWETT, District Superintendent.

EASTON DISTRICT

With a sense of deepest gratitude to our Heavenly Father for His sustaining Grace in every time of need, we make our fourth annual report of the Easton District. We are thankful to God for sufficient health and strength and for the inspiration of the Holy Spirit which has sustained us in our work. We have not accomplished all we desired either in spiritual or financial achievements, but we have done our best in spite of many handicaps. This has been a year of joyous service of christian fellowship. Perplexing situations in some sections of the district have challenged the patience, endurance and christian fortitude of both superintendent and pastors, but by God's help we are victors through Him.

There has been considerable sickness especially colds which became almost epidemic among the laymen and pastors. Among the sick were Rev. F. C. Kershaw who survived a serious hospital operation at John's Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, but we are happy at his complete recovery of health and strength. Mrs. Lillian McBride, who in the early part of the year was run down by a bicyclist and sustained a very painful fracture of the knee, is rapidly recovering.

Rev. W. H. Jefferson, the pastor for eight years at Barclay, Md., who was sick early in the year, finally passed to his reward. Funeral services were conducted on his charge and at Middletown, Del., his home. A suitable memoir is prepared by Rev. W. A. T. Miles. Rev. E. H. Jolley, our faithful pastor at Miles River, Md., who had been in ill health for some time went to his coronation late in the month of February. The funeral services were conducted at Copperville, Md., and at his home in Vienna, Md., by the superintendent assisted by the brethren of the district, Rev. S. J. Horsey, Superintendent of the Wilmington District, and Revs. C. W. Pullett, D. H. Hargis, and others. Suitable memoir will be read by Rev. C. C. Thomas.

The District Steward's meeting which is an annual time of christian fellowship and goodwill, was largely attended at Asbury M. E. Church, Easton, Md. Rev. J. S. Coulbourn and his efficient committee served us, with welcome smiles and generous courtesy, a most sumptuous repast.

The District Conference was very adequately entertained at Charles Wesley M. E. Church, Centreville, Md. Brother C. B. Miles and his amiable wife with a company of the ladies of the church bade us welcome. From this time on we felt the welcome which was accorded us. We were greeted by many pastors from the other districts who brought words of cheer and goodwill. We were inspired by the timely address of Rev. J. T. Fletcher who, with his wife, graced our conference with their presence. The literary and spiritual part of the program was informing and inspiring.

Our Efficiency Conference held at Oxford, Md., was inspirational and heartening. Advances were indicated by the reports. Brother L. F. Hodges proved to be a very efficient host to the crowds which attended this conference.

Charges

AIREYS has not yet realized the insistent need of a revival and of the evangelistic urge, although the pastor has worked faithfully towards this end. There are many young people in this charge who ought to be saved to the church and the kingdom. World Service \$30.00; other Benevolences \$23.00; other causes \$41.00. Conversions —. W. C. West, pastor.

BARCLAY suffered from the loss of its pastor by death in the early part of the year so that the charge had to be supplied for the rest of the year. World Service \$8.00; other Benevolences \$28.00; other causes \$75.00. A. L. McGill, pastor.

BECKWITH was very deliberate during the year, but quickened its pace at the end under the serene leadership of its pastor. Here is the need of a spiritual awakening. World Service \$18.00; other Benevolences \$15.00; other causes \$35.00. J. G. Stevens, pastor.

CAMBRIDGE has shaken off the spell that held her back for a time. New life and vigor, as in days of yore, are evident in the whole life of the church. Every department has been rejuvenated and all the members are eager to do their part. The services are exceptionally well attended by enthusiastic and appreciative audiences. Old Waugh is back at her old stand and nobly going about the King's business. We salute Waugh. World Service \$190.00; other Benevolences \$142.00; other causes \$1590.00; conversions 11; accessions 5. Waugh is delighted to work with Brother C. D. Gerald for another year.

CAMBRIDGE CIRCUIT has not come up to former years. There are many fine young people here who ought to be brought into the church. Many worthwhile members are to be found in this charge who are capable and willing to carry on. World Service \$10.00; other Benevolences \$15.00; conversions 1; accessions 5. S. G. Dix, pastor.

CARMICHAEL has done fairly well considering the very bad roads leading to the church. This is a two point charge with some of our finest people. Some repairs have been made upon one of the churches which greatly increase its value and appearance. World Service \$28.00; other Benevolences \$21.00; other causes \$533.00; conversions 5; accessions 8. The people desire to continue with Brother C. C. Thomas, pastor.

CENTERVILLE is very deliberate in its response to the pastor's leadership. He has given his best service here. A genuine revival of the Christ spirit would work wonders. There are many young people on this charge who would be a great asset if by some means they could be brought into the church. The pastor and his wife have worked hard to realize these aims. World Service \$40.00; other Benevolences \$52.00; conversions 8; accessions 4. C. B. Miles, pastor.

CENTERVILLE CIRCUIT has done a fairly good year's work. Brother and Sister Cheers have worked faithfully and well to achieve their goal. A good revival is much needed here and this need is more insistent each year. The church building during Brother Fletcher's pastorate was not quite completed. During a thunderstorm the church was struck by lightning and one side was almost wrecked. Brother Cheers marshalled his forces and with set faces like hardened flint, set to repair the damages. It has now been completed and the church furnished with new folding chairs which

make a very pleasing sight. World Service \$2.00; other Benevolences \$15.00; other causes \$40.00; conversions —; accessions —. R. W. Cheers, pastor.

CHAPEL is in perfect peace and accord with the pastor who by his quiet and amiable manner has completely won the love and respect of all the people both white and colored. Mrs. Thomas makes an ideal pastor's wife cooperating with all the activities of the church. The charge says "Thomas for us and no one else." World Service \$30.00; other Benevolences \$14.00; other causes \$50.00; conversions —; accessions 1. W. C. Thomas, pastor.

CHURCH CREEK has had a revival which had a quickening effect upon the church. Four persons were converted and admitted into the church. The services are fairly well attended. Here may be found some of our best people. The pastor has interested himself in the work of the church and people to the benefit of both. World Service \$20.00; other Benevolences \$24.00; other causes \$270.00; conversions 4; accessions 4. A. W. McBride, pastor.

CHURCH HILL has redeemed herself this year. The coming of Brother Kershaw has proven to be a benediction to this charge which has shaken off the dust of inactivity and become a center of spiritual life. All of the churches are active and hard at work. The people are loyal to the church's call. World Service \$65.00; other Benevolences \$75.00; conversions 18; accessions 4. F. C. Kershaw, pastor.

CORDOVA has done but little this year. The people and pastor did not understand each other and both just marked time till conference. World Service \$5.50; other Benevolences \$—; other causes \$—; conversions 2; accessions 1. W. B. Whittington, pastor.

CRAPO and GOLDEN HILL CHARGE has shown improvement over last year. A needed revival was held which greatly quickened the church. The pastor is required to be continually on the go to minister adequately to the needs of five points. He has done very well. Here too may be found some very fine churchmen. World Service \$35.00; other Benevolences \$45.00; other causes \$253.00; conversions 11; accessions 5. Pearl R. Brown, pastor.

DENTON steadily moves along the road of success very deliberately but presents a fair report this year. A revival has helped the church, and the pastor has worked hard to achieve his aim with a degree of success. The quiet personality of the pastor has won the love of his members and the esteem of the community. World Service \$18.00; other Benevolences \$30.00; other causes \$160.00; conversions 7; accessions 5. O. P. Dickerson, pastor.

EASTON has done a splendid year's work. The church has been beautifully decorated on the interior including painting of the pews. New Cathedral effect windows have replaced the square topped ones thus giving a most pleasing and attractive effect. A new garage has also been built for the parson's car. The people are united and active. This charge is made up of loyal Methodists who love their church. The pastor has made an excellent leader and the people have faithfully responded. Most of the repair work we understand, has been paid for. World Service \$75.00; other Benevolences \$79.00; total raised for all purposes \$2831.65; conversions 4; accessions —. J. S. Coulbourn, pastor.

EASTON CIRCUIT is a modest charge of one point and few members, but under the leadership of their pastor has given a good account of themselves. They are few but loyal. The people and pastor are very fond of each other and desire his return for another year. World Service \$20.00; other Benevolences \$33.00; other causes \$153.00; conversions 8; accessions 1. It is earnestly requested that the pastor return for another year. Emmons N. Foster, pastor.

EAST NEW MARKET, notwithstanding the ardent labors of the pastor and his wife, did not respond adequately to this leadership. A genuine revival is the urgent need here with a deeper sense of personal responsibility to God and the church. Many people do not attend church or seem to be very much interested in the religious life. A commendable report has been achieved. World Service \$54.00; other Benevolences \$40.00; other causes \$241.00; conversions —; accessions —. W. A. Harewood, pastor.

EAST NEW MARKET CIRCUIT is a two point charge with a small membership and little employment. A genuine revival would work marvels here in the increase of moral and spiritual strength. World Service \$1.00; other Benevolences \$13.00; other causes \$——. E. W. Holden, pastor.

FEDERALSBURG has had a very successful year. The people are very happy with their new pastor and have followed his leadership faithfully. The attendance is very encouraging. The Church School has come to life, and Mrs. Gertrude Johnson takes pride in this work of directing the youth of the church. The Ladies' Aid has been resurrected, reorganized and are cooperating in a fine way. A revival was conducted which greatly quickened the spiritual life of the church. The women are very fond of Mrs. Williams who fits well into the church life among the women. World Service \$30.00; other Benevolences \$58.00; other causes \$625.00; for all purposes \$2029.00. C. J. Williams, pastor.

GREENSBORO has excelled herself this year as figures will indicate. The charge is composed of two groups of our finest people who seem happiest when engaged in the King's business. Both the pastor and people are happy and take pride in doing the hard things. Renovations have been effected at both churches which greatly improve their appearances and comforts. World Service \$132.00; other Benevolences \$66.00; other causes \$1307.00; for all purposes \$2693.00; conversions 32; accessions 12. J. O. Griffin, pastor.

HURLOCK has been handicapped through the illness of the pastor who was for a time confined to his bed, his loyal people told him to remain in bed until he was well and that they would carry on for him, which they did in fine shape as reports will show. The superintendent was appealed to not to move the pastor even though he is sick for they want him sick or well. World Service \$50.00; other Benevolences \$70.00; other causes \$318.00; for all purposes \$1309.00; conversions 2; accessions 2. L. E. Thomas, pastor.

LINKWOOD has made a fair year's work. A revival was held with small results. Many of the people do not attend church and show little interest in church work. World Service \$22.00; other Benevolences \$24.00; other causes \$90.00; conversions 4; accessions 4. J. E. McBride, pastor.

MARYDEL has had a resurrection under the leadership of its new pastor. The people are happy and the pastor and his wife smile their way into the hearts of the people. All three of the churches have been extensively repaired and beautified and made more comfortable. The buildings

on the campground have been improved; an abandoned school house adjacent to the church property has been purchased and is used as a hall and community house. The parsonage has been repaired inside and outside affording more convenience and comfort. A glorious revival has quickened the spiritual life and set the people at work. World Service \$16; other Benevolences \$22.00; other causes \$305; for all purposes \$1013.00; conversions 31; accessions 10. S. R. Miles, pastor.

McDANIEL has suffered because many of the people have moved to other parts in search of work and thus depleting the working force of the charge. World Service \$5; other Benevolences \$33.00; other causes \$108.81; conversions —; accessions —. Roland Grant, pastor.

MILES RIVER sustained the loss of its pastor by death who had been sick for sometime. He was greatly beloved by both white and colored people for his high character. World Service \$14; other Benevolences \$24.00; other causes \$30.00. E. H. Jolley, pastor.

PRESTON, one of our largest and strongest circuits, has done a fairly good year's work and is capable of greater results. This charge offers great opportunities for the development of the young life of the community. Many of the young people are members of the church and are actively engaged in its work; but there are large numbers yet to be brought into the church life. The charge has requested the return of the pastor for another year. World Service \$27.00; other Benevolences \$61.00; other causes \$424.00; conversions 10; accessions 3. C. W. Derrickson, pastor.

RIDGELY is situated in the camp meeting section and all churches are affected because the people depend upon the camp to pay their church obligations. If each person could be brought to assume his personal church responsibility this would be one of the strongest charges. The pastor has worked hard to realize his aims. The charge sends up a good report this year. The pastor smiles and the people are happy at results. The spiritual fervor has been increased by an evangelistic effort conducted by the pastor and people. World Service \$20.00; other Benevolences \$46.00; other causes \$493.00; conversions 10; accessions 4. W. A. T. Miles, pastor.

ROYAL OAK is our strongest two point circuit manned by a fine group of people who take delight in the work of their two well appointed churches. The people take much pleasure in their services in which they enthusiastically participate. The energetic and painstaking pastor has wrought well during his stay here. His return is very much desired. World Service \$40.00; other Benevolences \$133.00; other causes \$477.00; conversions 12; accessions 10. W. T. Spellman, pastor.

STEVENSVILLE is a charge of high type of folks who respond to leadership. A fair year's work has been accomplished. The absence of the pastor's report prevents us from giving particulars of the work done. World Service \$10. J. A. Fasset, pastor.

ST. MICHAELS has suffered by the failure of the oyster industry; many people have been without work but the wise leadership of the pastor and the cooperation of the people have pulled themselves out of the difficulty and just would not fail. A good report is the result. Many sacrifices have been made by this loyal people to achieve the present results. World Service \$30.00; other Benevolences \$43.50; other causes \$620.00; for all causes \$1635.50. R. S. Johns, pastor.

TAYLORS ISLAND has made a fairly good report under the circumstance. Employment is scarce and wages low. The pastor has done very well in cooperation with the loyalty of the people. World Service \$15.00; other Benevolences \$12.00; other causes \$183.32. Van B. Wright, pastor.

TRAPPE has had a hard year, bad roads prevented many from attending the services, but wise leadership and loyal people have made possible the present commendable report. World Service \$20.00; other Benevolences \$37.00; other causes \$113.00; conversions 4; accessions 2. W. E. Waters, pastor.

VIENNA has had a scarcity of employment which greatly hindered the work of the church, but a fair year's work has been accomplished. A revival has greatly helped to make the present report possible. World Service \$25.00; other Benevolences \$17.50; other causes \$158.00; conversions 16; accessions 10. A. A. McDowell, pastor.

WILLISTON, after a pastorate of nine years in this difficult field, the charge reports a commendable result. Work has been scarce and wages low, but under the circumstances the charge has done well. World Service \$12.00; other Benevolences \$27.00; other causes \$18.00; conversions 2; accessions —. Clarence Wilson, pastor.

WITTMAN has scored another successful year, notwithstanding the poor oyster season. The energetic pastor and the loyal cooperation of the people just would not fail and report a fairly good year's work. World Service \$29.00; other Benevolences \$51.75; other causes \$519.00; all causes \$1542.75. R. E. Hamilton, pastor.

E. O. PARKER, District Superintendent.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT

The Philadelphia District could well be called the District of Debts. There is scarcely a church on which there is not a mortgage. The way these people have paid their interest, kept up their current expenses, paid something on their mortgages, and increased their benevolent giving is explained only by the fact that God led them, and they followed Him faithfully. To Him be the glory and the honor forever.

The pastors, their families, and congregations deserve our sincere appreciation and thanks, which we now acknowledge. May God bless them.

Death and Bereavement

On March 24, 1939 while the conference was still in session, Rev. Richard A. McCarthy, a faithful minister of Jesus Christ went to be with God, leaving two daughters and a son.

The following pastors have lost relatives: W. A. Johnson a daughter, R. G. Waters a daughter, H. T. Johnson two brothers, and N. W. Moore Jr. his mother-in-law.

The pastors generally have enjoyed good health, and have pursued their work with earnestness.

District Activities

Every district gathering during the conference year has been fraught with interest and helpfulness. We believe there are signs of returning enthusiasm on the part of many for the advancement of the Kingdom through the District Organizations. These include the Church School and Epworth League Convention; the Midwinter Institute; the District Conference; the Efficiency Conference; the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies' Annual Meetings; and the Laymen's Association Annual Meeting.

The Friendship Home, formerly located at 1932 North 22nd Street, Philadelphia, Pa., has been sold and a new and better one at 1911 North 12th Street has been purchased by the Woman's Home Missionary Society of our conference.

All the District sub-groups, with one exception, have been organized and many things have been accomplished through their united efforts.

Our Religious Educational work has been encouraged and helped by the presence and service of our Conference Director, Dr. F. J. Handy.

The Charges

In this supplementary report only a few of the many things which have been accomplished by the charges can be reported. It is sufficient to say that every church attempted a revival, in some form or other, and several have had good success. According to the reports there have been 218 conversions and 662 accessions; 14 churches have had Vacation Bible Schools, and 8 have Teacher Training Classes. 93 young people attended some one or more of the institutes, and about the same number attended the Church School and Epworth League Convention.

There has been a slight increase in ministerial support, both for the pastors and for the Conference Claimants. These present day and former day laborers are dependent upon the churches for support, and if this is not forthcoming both they and the churches will suffer hurt.

So far as we can discover from the reports, World Service and other collections have had a gain over last year. The following charges had World Service gains: Butler, Newman, Montclair, Newark, Orange, Jersey City, East Germantown, Mt. Zion, Peniel, Haven, Bethesaida, John Simmons, John Wesley-Phila., Camphor and Zoar.

The Charges, Specific

BROOKLYN:—

JOHN WESLEY. J. E. Dunn reports a good year's work.

NEWMAN. E. H. Crampton reports 4 conversions and 29 accessions.

STUYVESANT HEIGHTS. L. H. Midgette reports 1 conversion and 1 accession. They are still in need of a church house.

NEW YORK CITY:—

BUTLER MEMORIAL. Charles L. Carrington reports 1 conversion and 9 accessions.

EAST CALVARY. P. A. Taylor reports 5 accessions.

ENGLEWOOD. W. A. Johnson 8 accessions.

JAMAICA. R. A. McCarthy had a good year while he was able to serve.

JERSEY CITY. O. S. Edwards had 5 conversions and 10 accessions.

MONTCLAIR. O. H. Spence reports 3 conversions and 8 accessions.
 NEWARK. W. C. Thompson reports 35 conversions and 48 accessions.
 NEW ROCHELLE. G. T. Jackson had a fair year.
 ORANGE. J. N. Bullen had 5 conversions and 14 accessions.
 OSSINING. E. W. Dean had a fair year of work.

PHILADELPHIA:—

BETHSAIDA. R. G. Waters reports 5 conversions and 35 accessions.
 CAMPHOR MEMORIAL. N. W. Moore, Jr., reports 31 accessions.
 EAST GERMANTOWN. J. T. Wallace reports 5 accessions.
 FRANKFORD. William Goldsborough reports a good year's work.
 GERMANTOWN. F. H. Butler reports 30 conversions and 46 accessions.
 HAVEN. J. W. Jefferson reports 32 conversions and 94 accessions.
 JOHN SIMMONS MEMORIAL. J. W. Thomas reports conversions 3 and accessions 38.
 JOHN WESLEY. W. A. Hubbard reports 6 conversions and 25 accessions.
 MT. ZION. H. R. Coleman reports conversions 20 and accessions 70.
 TINDLEY TEMPLE. D. W. Henry reports 26 conversions and 118 accessions.
 PENIEL. D. R. Fletcher reports 7 conversions and 25 accessions.
 ZOAR. L. H. McArthur reports 30 conversions and 40 accessions.
 SPRING LAKE. Henry Nichols reports a good year's work.
 TRENTON. T. H. Woodley reports 3 accessions.
 WHITE PLAINS. H. T. Johnson reports 3 conversions and 12 accessions.

While the above figures taken from the pastors reports tell of the most important part of the pastoral work, in which we all rejoice, it goes without saying that other necessary things have been accomplished in all of the charges.

Again we give thanks to the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ for guiding and protecting us through the year; and the pastors, their families and their congregations for their co-operation and help in carrying forward the work of the district. May the peace and blessings of God be with each of them through the present year, and give them success.

Respectfully submitted,
 J. T. FLETCHER, District Superintendent.

SALISBURY DISTRICT

Following the united report I give this supplementary account of the work accomplished on the Salisbury District to help advance the Kingdom of our Lord; the reign for which we work and pray.

Death has entered our rank this year and three ministers were translated: the Rev. M. P. Sterling, Geo. S. Jacobs, and J. A. Kiah; each were workmen with good reports.

Mrs. Josephine Sterling fell while nursing her husband, and preceded him into the gate of death nineteen days; obituaries have been presented by Brothers M. W. Clark, S. M. Emptage, H. S. Wilson and the late J. A. Kiah.

The charges made vacant were supplied with conference by Jos. W. Hayman, S. D. Holland and local workmen; under the care of each the work was saved from decline, for which we are grateful.

Our rank otherwise has escaped any serious illness, and all were able to answer the roll call, except Bro. I. D. Pitts who was detained by the serious illness of Mrs. I. D. Pitts, for whose recovery we do most earnestly pray.

The leaders of our district activities have worked with unabated energy to carry forward the program of our church; success has attended their efforts and shown in the large attendance, and interest manifested by our youth and their leader at work in our district Church School; Epworth League, and Young Peoples Meeting, all having record breaking crowds with programs commended by Religious Education Director and others in attendance.

Dr. F. J. Handy has received ovations from both youth and the aged with each visit the sincerity of which was shown by efforts to fully absorb the program he presents; above 300 young people took part in the classes at Princess Anne College Jan. 28-30 in the annual Young Peoples Conference.

The Rev. E. P. Gibson dean of this work, and his helpers are untiring, and have won the blessings of the district for the program presented and the success achieved.

Professor R. A. Grigsby, and his splendid faculty leave nothing undone in their efforts to make us feel fully at home in all meetings held in the college.

Constructions are going forth now to make this beloved Institution a greater seat of learning for our groups than ever; we should show our approval, and thanks for this movement of the State of Maryland for us by filling the college with our best young people, and back all the united report of Delaware Conference has said by unflinching devotion, and activity for the Institutions growth.

Many of our pastors have ignored the old cry of hard times, and their folks have given more to Lords work than has been reported for several years; some have doubled their gifts, and the greater part show some increase which send the World Service gifts to a new height, for which I know the Lord is pleased and will pour out the promised blessing.

Charges

COTTAGE GROVE—This charge has a noble past, and we hope the future will be blessed with a report to equal or surpass its better days. The pastor has worked hard and faithful for results this year, and was able to stand as in the former report. Paid for World Service \$15.00. Jose Angulo, pastor.

CRISFIELD, SHILOH—This charge was bereaved over the passing of a splendid leader who for nearly nine years was a servant with whom this people was well pleased, and heard gladly. The work unfinished by his sudden departure was carried on to victory by the loyal local workmen and the widow; indeed a mighty man has fallen. Paid for World Service \$100.00. The late and beloved pastor was J. A. Kiah.

CRISFIELD, UNION ASBURY—True to the splendid record this small membership has labored hard to meet demands, with odds against them reaching the goal desired, they would not accept defeat but continued the work in His Name with hope. Paid for World Service \$9.00. W. R. Price, pastor.

DAMES QUARTER—This charge has great possibilities; their numbers means that much work for the salvation of men must be done by pastor and people. The close of the conference year was saddened by the death of a whole family by fire; they were foremost workers in the church, and will be greatly missed. The advance in this charge for World Service was more than doubled this year. Paid for World Service \$40.00. Chas. P. Spencer, pastor.

DEALS ISLAND—A mid-year change in this charge occurred. The Rev. D. W. Collins was sent to New Castle, Delaware, and the Rev. J. S. Coard of Mt. Vernon, Md., was sent to succeed him. The folk have followed the leadership of his successor, and report in advance. Paid for World Service \$12.00. J. S. Coard, pastor.

FAIRMOUNT CT.—A successful effort which met the requirements of the Board of Church Extension has placed St. Andrews Church of this charge in a happy mood; the debt of this church was greatly reduced, and the mortgage was placed with the Board of Church Extension; this assures a happier future for church and people. The pastor and workmen are untiring. Raised for World Service \$11.00. J. L. Parker, pastor.

FRUITLAND—The new pastor and people are one in their efforts to carry on for our Lord, and success has attended their efforts. The charge has advanced on all lines and is happy. Paid for World Service \$40.00. A. L. Black, pastor.

GIRDLETREE—The revival spirit has been foremost on this charge throughout the year, and the membership has been greatly enlarged. The pastor and his wife are serving at home where they were born, but have won and the folk are pleased to have them. The work has advanced on all lines. Paid for World Service \$20.00. C. T. Covington, pastor.

HOPEWELL—This charge has wonderful talent and victories of the past that were glorious; they can and I hope will repeat them. Paid for World Service \$11.00. C. L. Jones, pastor.

HORNTOWN, VA.—The folk of this work are pleased to follow their leader, and are happy. They have nearly tripled the benevolence and are fired to revival work; harmony prevails all over the work. Paid for World Service \$40.00. Elisha White, pastor.

KELLER, VA.—This work has not gone forward as it has in other years, however we are hopeful that the future will record great success. Paid for World Service \$3.00. Clarence W. Bagwell, pastor

KINGSTON—The pastor and his good wife have cared for every phase of church life here and made this a strong charge. The advance of righteousness is their strong call, and for this they labor. Paid for World Service \$24.00. R. A. F. Graham, pastor.

LEEMONT, VA.—This charge is one of the strongest on the district and is awaking under the efforts of the fine young pastor who serves them; let us hope for great and early victories to equal or go beyond those of the

past. Benevolent giving has increased. Raised for World Service \$40.00. W. E. Stanley, pastor.

LIBERIA—The work of this charge has again shown the power of their leaders to do service for the Master. The parsonage has again been occupied by the pastor serving them this year, and plans perfected to purchase the same. Benevolence has been cared for, and the spirit of real service shown by the membership. Paid for World Service \$25.00. E. Z. Heath, pastor.

MANOKIN—Under the leadership of the late Rev. G. S. Jacobs the work here has assumed its former glory. His sudden passing was a great shock. The work was cared for by Mrs. G. S. Jacobs, and the local forces with success, and an advance on apportionments. Paid for World Service \$20.00. The late Geo. S. Jacobs, pastor.

MARION STATION—The careful and efficient leader here enjoys harmony and a wonderful and successful service follows. Every call for church advance is carefully looked after and urged. Advance in Benevolent giving is noticed. Paid for World Service \$50.00. T. W. Cooper, pastor.

MT. VERNON—Though affected by a mid-year change their gifts under the leadership of the new pastor were slightly advanced. Efforts to secure a parsonage are on with prospects of success. Raised for World Service \$9.00. S. D. Holland, pastor.

NANTICOKE—Here harmony prevails, and efforts are put forth to meet obligations. The parsonage has undergone needed repairs; benevolences advanced. Paid for World Service \$12.00. M. C. Anderson, pastor.

OAKVILLE and FLOWER HILL—Debts here are well in hand, benevolence will fall below the giving of last year. Paid for World Service \$4.00. A. F. Winder, pastor.

ORIOLE—The year has been one of activity on all lines of church work. Our pastor here is active and fully concerned about the whole church program; success has rewarded his efforts. Paid for World Service \$3.00. H. E. Anderson, pastor.

PARSONSBURG—The work is not equal to that of the previous year in general though workmen with pastor have labored hard. Paid for World Service \$20.00. T. N. Hodges, pastor.

POCOMOKE CITY—This work continues to lead the district in every disciplinary requirement. The people have followed their pastor to higher heights than ever in Benevolent giving. The pastor and his companion are loved and revered for service rendered, in the training of youth, and the many requirements of the church making active the old and young in work that advances and uplifts. The mortgage of many years standing on this church was burned. The pastor and workmen are happy and are grateful for the success attending their work. Benevolences paid this year exceeds that of last year. Paid for World Service \$211.00. W. H. Mears, pastor.

PRINCESS ANNE—The workmen here are happy in their accomplishments for the year under the leadership of their efficient pastor. Crowds have attended and followed the calls he has made for debt reduction, advance in Benevolent giving and the spirit of unity. The future of this work is encouraging on every line and satisfaction reigns. Paid for World Service \$60.00. A. L. Martin, pastor.

QUANTICO—This charge has suffered by the invasion of death which took wife and pastor Mrs. Josephine and Rev. M. P. Sterling into eternity nineteen days apart. The sickness and death of these workmen fell heavily upon the work; but the devotion of the people during this illness gave evidence of their love and devotion. Both were buried in the yard of the church they last served. Joseph W. Hayman filled the unexpired term and was well received by the people who put forth their best efforts to make good. Paid for World Service \$5.00; and several other Benevolences cared for. Joseph W. Hayman, Supply pastor.

SALISBURY, JOHN WESLEY—Under the leadership of this hard working pastor the work continues in good condition. Improvements have been carried on by his own hand successfully, which has been a great saving as well as improvement. The organizations of the church have been cared for and encouraged. Repeated presentations of our groups in recitals have created among the people of the city applause and favorable comment and no doubt a better understanding than could have been attained except through these contacts. The work is well cared for and the future is bright. The advance in Benevolent giving is evident. This charge has taken second place on the district in its giving. Raised for World Service \$104.00. E. P. Gibson, pastor.

SALISBURY, WHITES TEMPLE—This charge has enjoyed another year of constructive work under the guidance of pastor and wife. The high mark made by work in the Church School and Daily Vacation Bible School has continued and possibly excelled that of the past year. Good attendance and harmony continues to reign. Raised for World Service \$30.00. M. W. Clark, pastor.

SNOW HILL—Every department of church life here continues to grow. The pastor is untiring in his effort to advance the Kingdom. The people have shown their pleasure in this leadership in many ways. Debts are cared for, improvements have been made in both church and parsonage. World Service giving doubled. Paid for World Service \$100.00. J. Lee Sawyer, pastor.

STOCKTON—This charge is holding steady under the leadership of their pastor. Benevolent giving equals that of the past year. Harmony prevails. Raised for World Service \$15.00. J. R. Purnell, pastor.

STOCKTON and SNOW HILL CT.—This faithful pastor is ending his sixteenth year, and has pleasure in the increased Benevolent giving of his charge; his return is desired. Raised for World Service \$15.00. J. R. Williams, pastor.

UNIONVILLE—This charge is able and is led by one who is trained yet unpretentious. All phases of church life are carefully taught. This work holds steady. Benevolent giving will equal or pass that of last year. Paid for World Service \$25.00. J. W. Elbert, pastor.

WACHAPREAGUE, VA.—This pastor is a painstaking hardworker and has the respect of the people he serves. The Benevolent causes have been presented with some degree of success. Raised for World Service \$10.00. J. R. Shockley, pastor.

WATTSVILLE, VA.—New life has been infused into this work. Debts that were crushing have been lightened, and the creditors satisfied, they have given several years to meet the demands that were about to become fore-

closures and they are meeting them. Every one is happy and the pastor and wife are greatly beloved. The people have responded to the calls made not only for debt payment but for Benevolent giving also; and every apportionment has been greatly increased. Raised for World Service \$90.00. I. R. Elzey, pastor.

WETIPQUIN—Another year of spiritual activity has blessed this people and pastor. Every activity in the church has been encouraged. The people feel that the pastor is the right man in the right place and they love and follow him. Paid for World Service \$12.00. A. Reid, pastor.

WHITE HAVEN—This charge has enjoyed a year of great activity along all lines of church work. The people are pleased with the service of the pastor. Every cause of the church has been earnestly presented and the response has been excellent. Paid for World Service \$15.00. I. D. Pitts, pastor.

WITHAMS, VA.—The pastor and his wife have not spared themselves in efforts to lead the people of this charge. The church life has been carefully and earnestly looked after, with results equalling those of former years. Paid for World Service \$20.00. O. W. Jones, pastor.

We are grateful to the pastors and workmen for the advance made in giving to extend God's Kingdom in this nervous world, where preparations for destruction of life seem to exceed all else and where the church life and strength is so much needed to right wrong and light the world. We thank our workmen for impressing their followers that they will have large returns for the money willingly given for the work of our Lord who loveth the cheerful giver. The few hundred dollars advanced in our World Service giving will surely make a large return to all who made the sacrifice willingly. We would that the gifts continue to advance until the Church shall attain Her rightful place and righteousness prevail everywhere.

Respectfully submitted,

J. E. A. JOHNS, District Superintendent.

ANNUAL REPORT OF PRINCESS ANNE COLLEGE, 1938-1939

I. Present Status

Divisions and Curriculums

The College is divided into two main divisions, the Lower Division and the Upper Division.

The Lower Division, or Junior College, offers fundamental courses for all students; that is, for students working for the B. S. degree in Agriculture, Home Economics, or Mechanic Arts, respectively. Upon the completion of the two years of the Lower Division, students whose major is in Agriculture, Home Economics, or Industrial Arts, will enter the Upper Division. Students wishing a major in Arts and Sciences will transfer at the beginning of their junior year to the upper division of some liberal arts college, such as Morgan College.

The Upper Division offers senior college courses especially designed for students desiring a major in Agriculture, Home Economics, or Mechanic Arts, and to prepare for teaching in these fields. Upon successful completion of the Upper Division, the student will be awarded the B. S. degree in Agriculture, in Home Economics, or in Mechanic Arts.

The objectives of the curriculum in Agriculture and Agricultural Education are preparation for farming, groundwork for the special fields of agriculture, the teaching of vocational agriculture, the work of county agents, and allied lines of the rural education service.

The Home Economics and Home Economics Education curriculum is for students who wish foundational training for the domestic arts or to prepare for the work of teachers of home economics, home demonstration agents, and similar positions.

The curriculum in Mechanic Arts and Mechanic Arts Education is designed to meet the needs of those who wish to prepare for positions in industry, the work of teachers of industrial arts, and the trades.

Enrollment: Men 57; Women 31. Total 88.

Officers of Administration 9; Officers of Instruction 15, thirteen of whom hold the master's degree.

A \$230,000 new building construction has been in operation for four months.

II. Outlook:

Before 1940, three new buildings will be ready for use. They will be: A three-story Trade Building. A Gymnasium. A three-story Administration building, consisting of offices, class rooms, the home economics department, and a few rooms for girls.

A large enrollment is expected next fall.

III. Remarks:

The state relationship of the college by no means severs its church relationship. The Princess Anne College of today is keenly mindful of the fact that the greater Princess Anne College of tomorrow can not be built on merely a material foundation, but it must rest upon the spiritual foundation laid by men and women whose strong character, and high ideals make this influence and the future college inseparable, regardless of its state relationship.

If the College is to inspire young men and young women to: 1. a fuller self-realization, 2. wholesome human relationships, 3. desirable economic efficiency, 4. a sense of their civic responsibility, it must remain predominantly Christian.

R. A. GRIGSBY,
Acting Dean of Administration.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

This is a more detailed report and it follows the combined report of the District Superintendents.

The Wilmington District has done some very definite and tangible work in Kingdom Building under the leadership of the ministers of Jesus Christ. These pastors have given themselves to the task committed to them this year.

We do not boast of large accomplishments, but we bow in deep humility because we have done so little in face of so many opportunities.

Bereavements

During the Conference year, three of our loyal ministers, G. T. Fields, L. S. Perry, J. M. Dickerson finished their work, answered the Father's call and went home.

D. L. Ridout was bereaved of his sister and A. L. Scriber of his brother.

C. H. Coulbourne, a member of Mt. Joy Church, Wilmington, Del., an outstanding layman of this District and of the Conference, finished his life's career.

Changes in Appointment

Upon the death of L. S. Perry, D. W. Collins was appointed to Newcastle, Del.

Upon the death of J. M. Dickerson, W. J. Helm was transferred to Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J.

J. H. Russum was sent to Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.

C. W. Pullett was appointed to Middletown, Del.

G. T. Townsend, retired, was sent to Elkton, Md.

The work of the District has been greatly strengthened by the inspiration and help that have come through the district meetings.

The District Stewards' meeting marked the first. It convened at Siloam, Chester, Pa. on Tuesday, April 12, 1938.

The District Stewards and their pastors were cordially received by both pastor and people.

Here the ministers pledged anew their loyal support to the Kingdom and the Church—World Service, Conference Claimants, Promotion of Evangelism and the Encouragement of Youth.

These ideas were emphasized at the District Meetings which followed.

The Epworth League & Church School Convention met at Dale's M. E. Church, Middletown, Del., June 28-30, 1938.

There were many attractive features at the Convention and each found a place in the hearts of those who were present. Namely: "The First Series Courses," "Worship Service," and "Community Singing." Everybody left greatly helped both mentally and spiritually.

Everything was done to prepare the delegates for the great task in the local Churches.

Dr. L. S. Moore, president of the Convention, through his efficient leadership, caused this Convention to be one of the most outstanding and most successful of any that had been held.

The Annual District Conference was held at John Wesley M. E. Church, Bridgeton, N. J.

Young People's Rally Day was held at Haven Church, Wilmington, Del., October 29, 1938.

The Annual Efficiency Conference was held at Mt. Carmel Church, Wilmington, Del., February 9, 1939.

The Middletown group continues to conduct an interesting Young People's Conference.

Daily Vacation Bible Schools continue to grow.

Schools, Classes, and Conferences are being held at strategic points under the direction of Dr. F. J. Handy, the Conference Director of Religious Education.

The W. H. M. S. and W. F. M. S. are doing yeoman-like work in their respective fields.

The Ladies' Aid Society must not be underestimated in its magnificent work which is accomplished in the local Church.

Wherever the Brotherhood or kindred organization is functioning on the District, it is a valuable asset in helping to develop the spiritual and moral tone of the people.

Report of Charges

ASBURY, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., started out with a determination to do great things for the Kingdom of God under the leadership of J. M. Dickerson. Much was being accomplished by them and him but before they were finished, when the Conference year was a little more than half gone, this conscientious Christian leader was summoned to his eternal home. W. J. Helm of Montclair, N. J. was appointed to succeed him. He was cordially welcomed to this Charge, and he has given a good account of himself. World Service \$550; Other Benevolences \$480; Ministerial Support \$2224.

HAMILTON MEMORIAL, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—This loyal group of workers has done less than their best this year. Both pastor and wife have been sick. The pastor and people have not worked in harmony, but in face of the difficulties, they report second mortgage of \$2500 and interest of \$820 cancelled. Accessions 2; World Service \$36; Other Benevolences \$7; Ministerial Support \$716. J. W. Parker, pastor.

BRIDGETON, N. J.—Under the energetic leadership of D. L. Ridout, this Charge moves upward. He holds the center of the life of both groups. Youth are given special attention and take an active part in the work of the Church. Daily Vacation Bible School is conducted with success. Conversions 6; Accessions 6; World Service \$51; Other Benevolences \$97; Ministerial Support \$1112; For all purposes \$1800. He was also a congenial host of the District Conference.

BURLINGTON, N. J.—This Charge has not kept up to its previous record. World Service \$10; Other Benevolences \$7; Ministerial Support \$333. B. A. Arnold, pastor.

BUTTONWOOD, DEL.—This Church makes a good report which is the result of hard labor. C. E. Kincade, the pastor, seeks to keep his people well informed. There are advances along every line. Conversions 2; Accessions 2; World Service \$20; Other Benevolences \$23; Ministerial Support \$757; For all purposes \$1163.

CAMDEN, N. J.—D. S. Quillin, earnest and painstaking pastor, carries on his work very successfully. He is completing his eighth year. World Service \$35; Other Benevolences \$59; Ministerial Support \$1000; Conversions 5; Accessions 2.

CAPE MAY and SWAINTON, N. J.—The pastor feels the longer he stays, the better the success attends his efforts. Both Churches have been renovated and paid for. World Service \$42; Other Benevolences \$28; Ministerial Support \$1128; Conversions 3; Accessions 3. W. G. Matthews, pastor.

GRACE and DARBY, PA. have been beset on many sides with obstacles. The going therefore, has not been easy. They report for World Service \$30; Other Benevolences \$16; Ministerial Support \$786; Conversions 10; Accessions 12. O'Connell Milbourne, pastor.

ST. DANIEL'S, CHESTER, PA.—L. S. Moore is closing another successful and fruitful year at this Charge. He is a tireless leader and his people are willing followers. This is his fifteenth year and it seems to stimulate them to activity. There seems to be no letting down in any of the work of the Church. Nothing spectacular done, but every cause in full. A new thriving Brotherhood. Boy Scouts (new) working good. Vacation Bible School was largely attended. Condition of Church in excellent condition. World Service \$672; Other Benevolences \$536; Ministerial Support \$2848; Conversions 31; Accessions 42; Raised for all purposes \$6525.

SILOAM, CHESTER, PA. is still on fire with enthusiasm. They have succeeded in what was heretofore impossible. World Service \$144; Other Benevolences \$138; Ministerial Support \$2002; Conversions 5; Accessions 5. Daily Vacation Bible School was conducted. Raised for all purposes \$3028. W. H. Johns, Pastor.

DELAIR, N. J. under the courageous and self-sacrificing efforts of their pastor, F. O. T. Laws, has advanced. World Service \$31; Other Benevolences \$29; Conversions 4; Ministerial Support \$1026; raised for all purposes \$1388. Daily Vacation Bible School conducted with success.

DELAWARE CITY and KIRKWOOD, DEL. presents another successful report for their few but energetic people. World Service \$25; Other Benevolences \$26; Ministerial Support \$791; Conversions 3; Accessions 3. Daily Vacation Bible School was conducted. The Middletown group "Young People's Conference" was held here. S. G. Fullman, pastor.

ELKTON, MD.—G. T. Townsend, one of our retired ministers was sent to Elkton in the readjustment after the death of J. M. Dickerson. This Charge reports for World Service \$20; Other Benevolences \$14; Ministerial Support \$376.

FORDSVILLE—J. H. Blackiston, has completed his fifteenth year of successful labor at this Charge. He reports for World Service \$106; Other Benevolences \$24; Ministerial Support \$1067; Conversions 15; Accessions 15; raised for all purposes \$1756.

GRENLOCH and RHODES—This is another lean year for this Charge. At the close of the year, the pastor wanted to move because of ill health. He reports for World Service \$5; Conversions 3; Accessions 3; Ministerial Support \$494. A. L. Scriber, pastor.

LAWNSIDE, N. J.—This has not been the easiest year in the life of neither the pastor nor the people. It has been a hard pull upward. The pastor labored under handicaps, but through determined persistence, the

following report is made: Conversions 6; Accessions 6; World Service \$75; Other Benevolences \$51; Ministerial Support \$989; For all purposes \$1564. S. M. Emptage, pastor.

MERCHANTVILLE, N. J. has its bonded debt with which to struggle and because of divided allegiance, this debt has not been taken care of. This Charge is expected to meet the demands of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension and thereby prove that it is worthy of the confidence of this Board. World Service \$71; Other Benevolences \$35; Ministerial Support \$1137; Conversions 6; Accessions 6. J. L. Taylor, pastor.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL.—This Charge was under the leadership of J. H. Russum for nearly seven years. Near the end of the seventh year, the pastor was transferred to Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del. and at which time, C. W. Pullett of Elkton, was placed in charge of Middletown. This Charge was the congenial host of the Church School and Epworth League Convention. It did its best to bring comfort to those who attended. It reports the following: World Service \$25; Other Benevolences \$13; Ministerial Support \$492; Accessions 2. C. W. Pullett, pastor.

MT. HOLLY, N. J. has continued to decline numerically as well as financially. This small group has labored to give the pastor a comfortable support, but the task is too great. Through persistent effort, it reports: Conversions 3; Accessions 9; World Service \$44; Ministerial Support \$599; For all purposes \$599; Other Benevolences \$20. J. I. Peaco, pastor.

NEW CASTLE, DEL.—L. S. Perry was successfully serving this Charge for the third year when he was called away to be with his Lord. D. W. Collins of Deal's Island was transferred here to carry on and he has done so in a very commendable way. The whole Church is reorganized and working. The attendance is larger, the Church has been newly cleaned outside and painted and is given a very attractive appearance. World Service \$31; Other Benevolences \$10; Ministerial Support \$843; Conversions 17; Accessions 17; Raised for all purposes \$2896.

NEWPORT, DEL.—Under the leadership of its new pastor, H. A. Bailey, new life has been taken on and one of the most fascinating reports has been presented. The aisles in the Church have been carpeted. A cement walk has been laid at the entrance of the Church. For World Service \$37; Other Benevolences \$10; Ministerial Support \$1037.45; Conversions 25; Accessions 15; Raised for all purposes \$1940.

OCEAN CITY, N. J. has not made much progress. The pastor has not understood the people and the people have not understood the pastor. World Service \$5; Ministerial Support \$396. W. H. Scott, pastor.

ODESSA, ST. GEORGES and PORT PENN, DEL. CHARGES had their difficulties this year; but under the leadership of the pastor, something has been accomplished for the Kingdom. St. George's roof has been paid for. Port Penn has an oil heater installed; Church and parsonage at Odessa have been repaired. World Service \$37; Other Benevolences \$15; Ministerial Support \$543. E. M. Neals, pastor.

PLEASANTVILLE, N. J. is one of our seashore Charges where Church work is better at one time than another. This year has been one of those lean years. World Service \$7; Other Benevolences \$30; Ministerial Support 689; Accessions 1; Vacation Bible School enrollment 26; Raised for all purposes \$984. Malachi Raisin, pastor.

PORT NORRIS—C. S. Sprigg has greatly improved in health since he has been here. He not only looks better, but he says that he feels like another man. World Service \$23; Other Benevolences \$18; Ministerial Support \$659; Conversions 4; Accessions 3; Raised for all purposes \$890.

QUINTON and SPRINGTOWN report another favorable year's work. World Service \$30; Other Benevolence \$40; Ministerial Support \$674; Conversions 14; Accessions 14. J. J. Whittington, pastor.

SALEM, N. J.—R. W. Thomas was heartily received by these faithful people. Although it was not easy to follow a person who served at this point for fourteen years, yet he has brought this year's work to a successful closing. World Service \$71; Other Benevolences \$10; Ministerial Support \$1495; Conversions 20; Accessions 12.

EZION, WILMINGTON, DEL. has not slacked her traces. She is doing things. Dr. D. H. Hargis, a consecrated and fearless worker, thinks only in terms of success. The parsonage committee and trustees have placed in the parsonage a new parlor suit. New lights have been installed. A World Service commission presented her with a golden certificate as an acknowledgment of the exceptional work done. \$1250 was raised and paid on old indebtedness. All current expenses paid up to date. Vacation Bible School was conducted four weeks and Religious Educational Training School was also conducted. All apportionments paid in full. World Service \$1073; Other Benevolences \$648; Ministerial Support \$2621; Diamond Jubilee \$129; Conversions 54; Accessions 52; Raised for all purposes \$6933.

HAVEN, WILMINGTON, DEL. is still on the upward march under the leadership of her faithful and untiring pastor, W. A. Mulley. The members are true and tried. By working together, they have done what many would think impossible. There is an increase along many lines. World Service \$66; Other Benevolences \$22; Ministerial Support \$1091; Accessions 4; Conversions 4; Raised for all purposes \$1788.

MT. CARMEL, WILMINGTON, DEL. has had another year's fine work for this small group of members. Although they have not been able to do all we had hoped for (The Board of Home Missions and Church Extension). We believe they will put forth a greater effort for that cause than they have done before. World Service \$24; Other Benevolences \$20; Ministerial Support \$565; Conversions 35; Accessions 25; Raised for all purposes \$790. Entertained in a very fine way, the Efficiency Conference. J. T. Ayers, pastor.

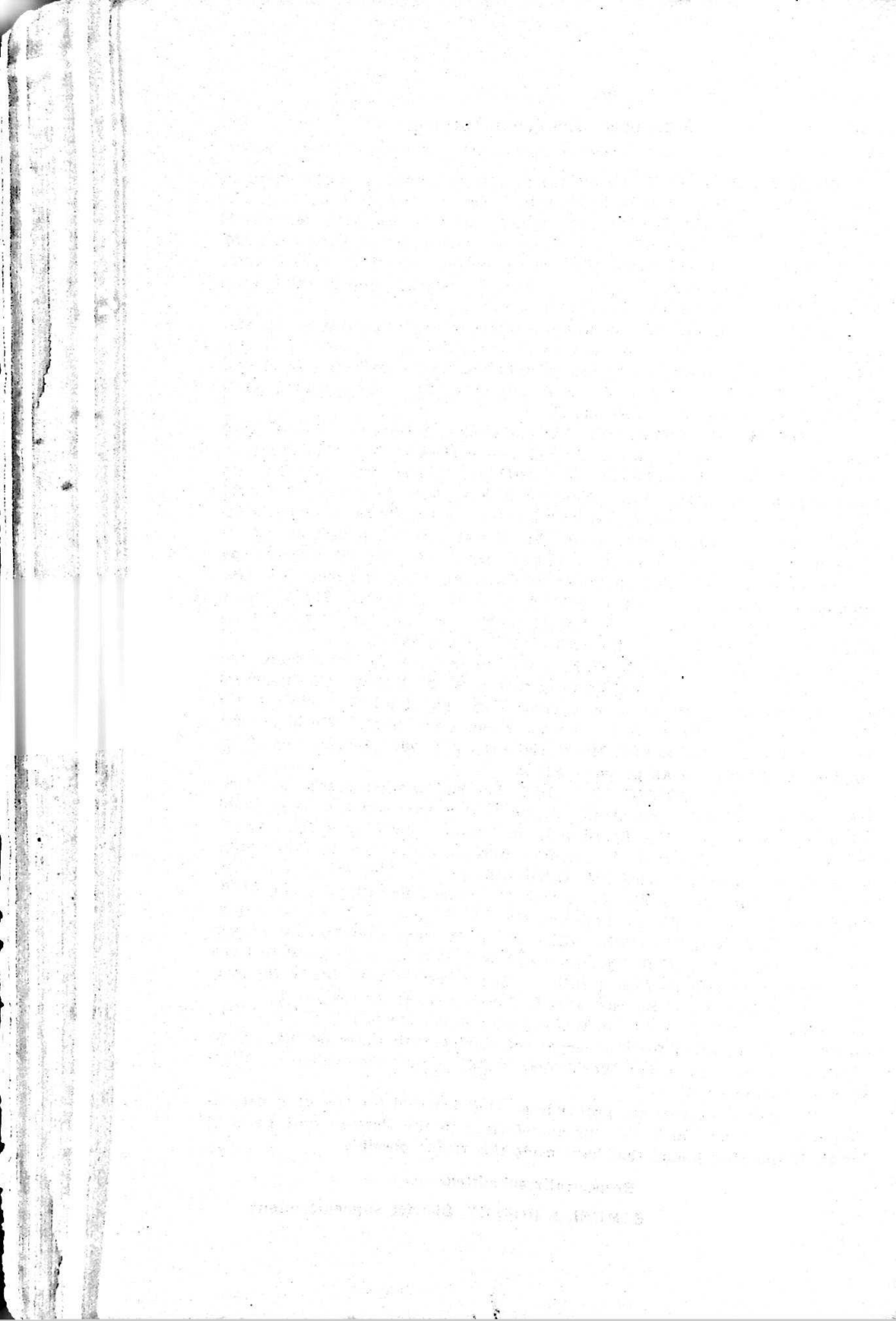
MT. JOY, WILMINGTON, DEL.—J. H. Russum who became pastor upon the removal of R. B. Thompson to Dover, Del. has not ceased to have his charge maintain its former rating. World Service \$80; Other Benevolences \$65; Ministerial Support \$1286; Conversions 4; Accessions 6.

WOODBURY, N. J.—C. B. White, pastor is wedded to this Charge. He sacrifices a promotion for the purpose of staying with these people. Conversions 18; Accessions 18; World Service \$14; Other Benevolences, Ministerial Support \$319.

We wish to express our gratitude to Almighty God for His kind protection and guidance, and also our appreciation to the Pastors and Laymen for their untiring labors that have made this report possible.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL J. HORSEY, District Superintendent.



STATISTICAL TABLES

Easton District

JAMES H. STEVENSON, Statistician
Flower St., Berlin, Md.

PASTORS

Table with columns: PASTORS, CHARGES, Support of Pastor, Ministerial Support, Baptisms, Church Membership, Church Schools, Hpworth League, Miscellaneous. Rows list various churches and their associated financial and membership data.

Total for 1938-39- 36374 29353 3860 2558 2084 555 315 2000 417 32840 8798 234 6 253 612 4458 587 92 64 655 3958 407 307 166 091 58 57 7584 78

W. J. HELM Treasurer 1719 Arctic Ave. Atlantic City, N. J.	Disciplinary Benevolences as Ordered by Gen. Con				General Administration				Annual Conf. Benevolences				Other Items				Churches				Church Property									
	On Appor- tionment	World Service	Additional Contribs	Total World Service	Children's Day	Woman's For'n Society	Woman's Home Society	Total Discipli- nary Benev.	Educational - Morgan College	Layman's Home	District Parsonage	Hospitals and Homes	Church Aid	An. Conf. Invent's for Conf. Claims	City Mission- ary Society	Expense for An- nual Delegates	Travel and Enter- tainment Fund	Minutes Publica- tion Fund	Area Expense Union Fund	Total Annual Conf. Benevolences	Grand Total includ'g Disc., An. Conf. Be- nevs., Cash Items	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Value of Other Properties, Km- dows, B's, etc.	Paid for Build'g and Improvements	Paid for Interest on Indebtedness	Paid on Old In- debtedness not Incl. Interest	Present Indebt- edness Incl. Debt on Current Exp.	Current Expen- ses not Inc. Min- isterial support
1 Aircys	30	4		34	1	1	36	6	3	5	6	6	1	1	8	1	8	1	27	175	4	5000	1	4000	40	10	100	120		
2 Barclay	38			8	2		10	2		4	1	1			3	2	3	1	13	62	3	1800	2	1300	41	50	100	120		
3 Beck with	11			11			12	3		4	1	1			8	2	8	1	15	87	3	3100	1	1300	41	50	100	241		
4 Cambridge	190	3		193	3	51	244	30	25	30	25	3	2	2	20	3	20	2	88	357	1	40000	1	2000	400	40	680	300		
5 Cambridge Circuit	10	3		13	4		13	4	3	4	3	3	2	2	6	3	6	2	118	118	2	7000	1	1600	75	35	35	100		
6 Carmichael	10			10			42	7	3	14	13	5	2	2	10	3	10	1	27	192	2	7000	1	600	130	35	360	200		
7 Centreville	40			40	2	1	42	7	3	14	13	5	2	2	10	3	10	1	192	192	2	4200	1	2500	200	35	360	300		
8 Centreville Circuit	32	1		33	2		35	3	2	10	2	2	1	1	10	2	10	1	162	162	2	4700	1	1100	130	9	530	300		
9 Chapel	20			20	2		22	4		7	4	4	1	1	7	2	7	1	179	179	2	6500	1	1000	130	9	90	50		
10 Church Creek	65			65	2		67	3		10	4	4	1	1	11	2	11	1	140	140	3	6000	1	1500	150	10	10	125		
11 Cordova Hill	5			5			5	3		5	2	2	1	1	5	2	5	1	181	181	3	8500	1	1200	252	165	85	85		
12 Crapo & Golden Hill	45			45	2		47	5		5	10	3	2	2	8	2	8	2	182	182	2	3500	1	1200	35	76	56	50		
13 Denton	18			18	2		20	3		5	10	3	2	2	8	2	8	2	110	110	2	5000	1	1000	185	12	1500	50		
14 Easton	75			75	2		85	15		28	25	5	2	2	18	3	18	3	331	331	1	30000	1	3500	1207	96	40	1700	1600	
15 Easton Circuit	20			20	2		20	1		11	3	3	1	1	6	1	6	1	91	91	1	4000	1	1500	36	10	135	216		
16 E. N. Market	54			54	1		56	4		13	9	8	1	1	9	3	11	4	384	384	1	4000	1	2000	36	10	135	216		
17 E. N. Market Circuit	1			1	1		3	1		3	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	45	45	2	1500	1	1200	15	15	20	20		
18 Federalburg	30			30	2		32	1		5	5	10	3	3	10	3	11	17	173	173	2	2500	1	2000	175	125	225	1150	90	
19 Federalburg Circuit	132			132	2		134	9		32	14	14	3	3	14	3	15	59	314	314	2	4300	1	2500	1500	425	18	500	250	
20 Greensboro	40			40	10		50	2		30	11	11	5	5	14	3	14	23	235	235	2	9000	1	1000	132	20	41	146	146	
21 Hurlock	21			21			21	8		8	5	5	4	4	6	1	6	1	69	69	3	2000	1	900	225	18	62	48	48	
22 Linkwood	3			3			3	5		3	3	3	1	1	4	1	4	1	80	80	3	3225	1	1100	1000	45	20	284	62	
23 Maryland	5			5			5	5		5	3	3	2	2	6	2	6	2	45	45	2	3000	1	1000	45	20	284	62		
24 McDaniel	17			17			17	5		8	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	25	116	116	2	2000	1	800	102	30	284	70	70	
25 Miles River	18			18	10		28	5		5	3	3	3	3	6	2	6	2	116	116	2	6500	1	2500	102	30	284	70	70	
26 Oxford	23			23	1		24	5		5	3	3	3	3	6	2	6	2	149	149	3	12352	1	2500	200	15	295	139	139	
27 Preston	40			40			40	8		10	4	4	3	3	10	4	11	17	177	177	2	2000	1	1500	150	165	165	161	161	
28 Ridgeley	20			20			20	5		25	16	16	3	3	16	3	17	28	282	282	2	12000	1	1500	150	165	165	161	161	
29 Royalton	9			9			9	7		7	7	7	3	3	8	7	8	85	85	3	6500	1	1400	283	108	86	1810	485	485	
30 St. Michaels	30			30	1		31	6		15	5	5	9	9	12	3	12	179	179	1	10000	1	3000	86	87	108	86	1810	485	
31 Taylor's Island	15			15			15	4		10	10	10	20	20	10	3	10	3	100	100	3	15000	1	1500	150	150	150	150	150	
32 Taylor's Island	20			20	2		22	5		10	10	10	3	3	14	4	14	176	176	1	7000	1	4000	12	24	60	380	25	25	
33 Trappe	20			20			20	6		19	8	8	1	1	6	5	6	51	51	4	3000	1	1200	12	24	60	380	25	25	
34 Vienna	5			5			5	2		19	8	8	1	1	6	5	6	51	51	4	3000	1	1200	12	24	60	380	25	25	
35 Williston	29			29	4		33	2		19	8	8	1	1	6	5	6	51	51	4	3000	1	1200	12	24	60	380	25	25	
36 Wittman	5			5			5	2		19	8	8	1	1	6	5	6	51	51	4	3000	1	1200	12	24	60	380	25	25	
1111	32	1143	37	3	125	1308	93	19	299	228	37	9	284	79	29	1102	5268	82	266327	39	65860	8146	6548	844	2998	10438	5619			

W. J. HELM Treasurer 1715 Arctic Ave. Atlantic City, N. J.	Disciplinary Benevolences as Ordered by Gen. Con				Annual Conf. Benevolences				Other Items				Church Property														
	On Appor- tment (Donor)	World Service Addit'l	Total Service	Total	Educa-tional Fund	Layman's Home	Morgan Col- lege	Hospitals and Homes	Church Aid	An. Conf. Invest- ments	City Mis-sion- ary Society	Expense for An- nual Dele-gate	Travel and Enter- tainment Fund	Minutes Publi- cations	Area Ex-pense Fund	Total Annual Conf. Benevolences	Grand Total Includ- ing Disc., An. Conf. Bc news, Cash Items	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Value of Other Properties, Ru- dows, Bds, etc.	Paid by Charge for Build'g and Improvements	Paid for Interest on Indebtedness	Paid on Old In- debtedness not Incl. Interest	Present Indeb- tedness Incl. Debt on Current Exp.	Current Expen- ses not In- cluded Inter- nal Support
1 Cottage Grove.....	15	100	115	2	2	81	4	10	8	22	2	4	2	2	10	79	4	3500	2	10000	500	202	100	75	55	255	
2 Crisfield-Shiloh.....	100	100	200	2	2	81	4	10	8	22	2	4	2	2	9	313	1	2000	1	2000	500	202	100	25	1400	275	
3 Union Asbury.....	30	5	35	2	2	9	9	2	2	3	3	5	10	6	10	183	1	2000	1	2000	500	176	36	25	2350	160	
4 Dames Quarter.....	12	12	24	2	2	9	9	2	2	3	3	5	10	6	10	131	2	1200	1	1200	500	176	113	151	680	96	
5 Deals Island.....	12	12	24	2	2	9	9	2	2	3	3	5	10	6	10	131	2	1200	1	1200	500	176	113	151	680	96	
6 Fairmount Circuit.....	40	40	80	2	2	38	38	1	1	6	6	2	10	2	10	114	2	1000	1	1000	4000	90	25	120	2800	115	
7 Fruitland.....	20	20	40	2	2	17	17	5	5	6	6	2	10	2	10	191	2	15000	1	15000	1500	104	36	107	1513	165	
8 Girdletree.....	20	20	40	2	2	10	10	2	2	5	5	1	12	2	5	175	2	3600	1	3600	1200	104	36	107	1513	165	
9 Hopewell.....	11	11	22	2	2	15	15	5	5	5	5	9	5	5	5	81	2	6500	1	6500	3000	225	127	200	650	65	
10 Hornstown.....	40	40	80	2	2	17	17	2	2	5	5	9	5	5	5	213	2	7000	1	7000	1550	225	127	200	650	65	
11 Keller, Va.....	4	4	8	2	2	17	17	5	5	5	5	9	5	5	5	30	2	4800	1	4800	1000	200	60	140	3200	172	
12 Kinston.....	24	24	48	2	2	17	17	2	2	3	3	8	3	3	3	174	2	8000	1	8000	1500	100	100	650	100		
13 Lexington.....	38	38	76	2	2	17	17	5	5	2	2	3	8	3	2	90	2	8000	1	8000	1000	100	100	650	100		
14 Liberia.....	25	25	50	2	2	3	3	4	4	4	4	2	10	3	12	211	3	8000	1	8000	1000	75	4	90	2	70	
15 Marion Station.....	20	20	40	2	2	3	3	2	2	4	4	2	10	3	12	211	3	8000	1	8000	1000	75	4	90	2	70	
16 Newport.....	44	44	88	2	2	10	10	3	3	7	7	2	12	2	3	221	2	25000	1	25000	3000	75	68	4000	197		
17 Nt. Vernon Circuit.....	9	9	18	2	2	7	7	2	2	17	17	2	12	2	3	26	2	2500	1	2500	1000	200	60	140	3200	172	
18 Oakville & Flower H.....	2	2	4	2	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	8	3	2	108	1	1200	1	1200	1200	200	60	140	3200	172	
19 Orlorio.....	8	8	16	2	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	8	3	2	83	2	2250	1	2250	1000	200	60	140	3200	172	
20 Parsburg.....	12	12	24	2	2	18	18	12	12	15	15	2	12	8	3	254	1	1200	1	1200	1000	200	60	140	3200	172	
21 Peromoke City.....	211	211	422	2	2	18	18	5	5	10	10	2	12	8	3	254	1	1200	1	1200	1000	200	60	140	3200	172	
22 Quantico.....	60	60	120	2	2	18	18	5	5	10	10	2	12	8	3	254	1	1200	1	1200	1000	200	60	140	3200	172	
23 Quantico.....	5	5	10	2	2	5	5	10	10	12	12	2	12	8	3	254	1	1200	1	1200	1000	200	60	140	3200	172	
24 Salisbury—J. Wesley.....	104	104	208	2	2	18	18	5	5	10	10	2	12	8	3	254	1	1200	1	1200	1000	200	60	140	3200	172	
25 Snow Hill.....	100	100	200	2	2	18	18	5	5	10	10	2	12	8	3	254	1	1200	1	1200	1000	200	60	140	3200	172	
26 Snow Hill.....	15	15	30	2	2	4	4	12	12	3	3	2	10	4	2	85	4	4000	1	4000	4000	350	280	275	3500	300	
27 Stockton.....	15	15	30	2	2	4	4	12	12	3	3	2	10	4	2	85	4	4000	1	4000	4000	350	280	275	3500	300	
28 Stockton-Snow Hill Ct.....	25	25	50	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	10	4	2	85	4	4000	1	4000	4000	350	280	275	3500	300	
29 Unionville.....	10	10	20	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	4	2	57	2	5000	1	5000	1000	200	12	45	350	140	
30 Vachaprengue, Va.....	90	90	180	2	2	18	18	2	2	7	7	2	10	4	2	234	2	15000	1	15000	3000	200	12	45	350	140	
31 Watsville, Va.....	9	9	18	2	2	4	4	2	2	7	7	2	10	4	2	91	2	7000	1	7000	1100	200	12	45	350	140	
32 Wetupin.....	15	15	30	2	2	3	3	2	2	4	4	2	10	4	2	133	2	3000	1	3000	1000	200	12	45	350	140	
33 White Haven.....	20	20	40	2	2	3	3	2	2	3	3	2	10	4	2	19	2	3000	1	3000	1000	200	12	45	350	140	
34 Withams, Va.....	1186	1186	2372	47	47	293	293	10	105	135	162	29	274	58	26	1207	5442	70	269780	34	71350	1500	3797	5688	4619	46942	4999

Wilmington District

JAMES H. STEVENSON, Statistician
Flower St., Berlin, Md.

PASTORS

Table with columns: CHARGES, PASTORS, and various financial and membership statistics. Rows include churches like Atlantic City, N. J., Asbury, W. J., Helm, and totals for 1938-1939.

RECAPITULATION OF DISTRICTS
JAMES H. STEVENSON, Statistician, Berlin, Md.

Districts	Ministerial Support				Bap- tisms				Church Membership				Church Schools				Epw'th League		Miscellan- eous													
	Total	Chalm	Paid	Support of Bishops	Support of Conf. Clarks	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Decency	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Enrolled during Year	Now on R. II	Rec'd from P. M.	Transfer by Members on Roll	Inducted	Removed by Transfer	Deaths	Church Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Depts.	C. S. Current Expenses	Senior and Young People	Intermediate	Juniors	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocate	Amount Contributed by La- dies Aid Socy	Congregations or Prchs Pks					
Dover.....	35228	3604	2696	2905	2708	713	31612	8913	233	7	248	640	124	13	3866	362	84	55	352	2934	582	485	88	299	45	113	4525	74				
Easton.....	35974	3850	2858	2084	2155	2000	417	32440	8798	234	6	545	612	110	23	4458	587	13	92	27	467	166	401	58	57	7384	78					
Philadelphia.....	42542	3858	8944	2087	712	616	3184	1763	45184	3805	178	28	435	1258	386	288	14187	3506	71	128	8124	389	726	70	386	10	147	2878	26			
Salisbury.....	8120	1681	1361	2407	2123	651	249	3047	10363	251	8	362	980	353	23	5864	616	9	156	47	439	179	331	60	64	2835	66					
Wilmington.....	43274	36881	7394	2479	251	403	2810	10335	39403	10807	221	8	502	595	158	31	5320	2512	7	103	4028	1276	883	66	409	34	172	3517	42			
Totals 1938-39	197538	170778	27927	13724	11978	3422	1855	13929	4273	30294	4186	1113	93	1842	4083	1131	547	33694	7383	202	563	254	2483	23108	6333	3299	569	1966	267	553	21280	276
Totals 1937-38	195388	165009	27028	13262	11834	3532	1814	14801	4534	38463	13043	1180	64	1959	3961	1005	190	33770	5459	154	603	265	2121	23288	6246	3510	858	2362	298	618	22984	288
Increase.....	2150	4769	899	462	144	41	18310	1443	67	29	117	124	126	351	81	2124	48	40	11	180	87	211	287	396	31	65	1095	12				

TREASURER'S REPORT BY DISTRICTS
W. J. HELM, 171 Arctic Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.

Districts	Disciplinary Benevolences as Ordered by General Conf.				Annual Conf. Benevolences				Other Items				Church Property																	
	World Service	Additional Contributions	Total World Service	Children's Day Fund (rd. Rd.)	Women's Home Mts. Society	Women's Home Mts. Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	General Administration	Education	Laymans Home	District Parsonage	Church Aid	An. Conf. Invests for Conf. Chms	City Missionary Society	Expense for Annual Delegate	Travel and Entertainment Fund	Minutes Published	Area Expense	Total Annual Conf. Fund	Grand Total including Disc., An. Conf. Benevolences, Cash Items	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Value of Other Properties, Bldgs, Etc	Paid by Charge and Improvements	Paid for Interest on Indebtedness	Paid on Old Inc. Interest	Present Inc. Debt on Current Exp.	Current Exp. not Incl. Min. Sup.
Dover.....	1145	35	1180	40	7	281	1508	124	27	21	179	192	64	.....	1	286	72	22	977	582	65	21230	31	56975	2800	3481	1127	2111	20051	19851
Easton.....	1111	32	1143	37	3	125	1369	103	3	24	101	350	477	11	9	284	79	29	1102	526	82	26637	39	63860	816	6548	844	2998	10438	5616
Philadelphia.....	5421	60	5481	85	137	816	6364	170	293	10	105	135	162	.....	11	310	71	29	1539	1760	25	94600	16	88200	31150	8110	10939	6395	10997	8448
Salisbury.....	1186	10	1196	47	6	215	1464	158	34	53	66	212	570	.....	25	274	58	20	2629	1840	10	269780	34	71350	15000	3797	5688	4619	4042	4098
Wilmington.....	3507	12	3514	62	328	839	4759	158	34	53	66	212	570	.....	25	397	73	64	1658	1045	43	506500	23	84800	31141	4250	2682	18633	34721	9622
Total 1938	12370	149	12519	271	521	2287	15598	702	357	136	753	1117	1310	11	75	1551	353	175	6663	40882	285	2200037	145	367185	74737	26386	21250	31856	142149	66539
Total 1938	11976	11980	337	559	244	15067	211	299	208	828	1224	.....	.....	7	1619	329	206	5458	38950	290	2311582	148	382420	79341	36537	23536	21666	119163	62880	
Increase.....	394	539	66	38	38	43	531	491	58	72	65	107	.....	4	.....	24	.....	31	1005	2032	5	110645	3	15235	4504	10151	2286	13190	77014	3859

**FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF
CONFERENCE STEWARDS.**

Delaware Annual Conference, For the Conference Year Ending March, 1939

RECEIPTS.

During 1938-9 to be distributed during 1939-40.

FOR ANNUITIES:

From Charges at Conference	\$3392.00
From Pastoral Charges through Chicago	1043.88
From Conference Investments	668.95
Int. on Steward's Bals.	88.57
Ministers Wives' Ass'n.	173.00
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Total	\$5366.40

FOR REGULAR RELIEF:

From Bd. of Pensions & Relief	\$ 731.00
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Total	\$ 731.00

FOR EMERGENCY RELIEF:

From Chartered Fund	\$ 60.00
Balance Previous Year	936.66
Due from Clearing House	208.00
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Total	\$7302.06

ACTUAL DISBURSEMENTS.

During 1938-9 of funds collected during 1937-8.

ON BASIS OF SERVICE:

To Preachers	\$1920.10
To Widows and Children	3949.27
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Total	\$586

ON BASIS OF EMERGENCY RELIEF:

Special Fund for Supply Pastors	\$ 75.00
Expenses Board of Stewards	9.08
Balance on Hand*	936.66
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Total	\$6890.11

PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS.

During 1939-40 of funds collected during 1938-9.

ON BASIS OF SERVICE:

To Preachers	\$2007.00	
To Widows	4153.06	
To Children	405.90	
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Total		\$6565.96

ON BASIS OF REGULAR RELIEF:

To Preachers	\$ 10.00	
To Children	20.00	
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Total		\$ 30.00

ON BASIS OF EMERGENCY RELIEF:

Special Fund for Supply Pastors	\$ 75.00	
Expenses Board of Stewards	2.90	
Balance	628.20	
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Total		\$7302.06

VITAL STATISTICS.

Membership Basis.

NUMBER PAID:

Retired Ministers	14
Widows	62
Children	24

LIST OF OFFICERS—BOARD OF CONFERENCE STEWARDS.

President, J. W. Parker, 817 Baltic Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.
 Secretary, C. E. Brown, 807 South 16th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Treasurer, C. W. Pullett, 122 Lake Street, Middletown, Del.

CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY.

I certify that this report, together with the supporting data on Forms 5A, 6A, and 7A accompanying, has been carefully inspected and that to the best of my knowledge is correct.

CHARLES E. BROWN, Secretary.

Statement of Prospective Distribution to Retired Ministers
Annuity Rate \$4.40.

Name	Approved Years	Del. Years	Del. Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity	Relief
Anderson, Clarence L.	23	23	101.20			101.20	
Coleman, George B.	27	27	118.80			118.80	
Coleman, Robert H.	35	35	154.00			154.00	
Coleman, Thos. B. H.	41	41	180.40			180.40	
Johnson, Theodore A.	39	39	171.60			171.60	
Moore, Walter J.	31	31	136.40			136.40	
Nichols, Emory H.	40	40	176.00			176.00	
Parker, Samuel T.	38	38	167.20			167.20	
Scott, James H.	48	48	211.20			211.20	
Shockley, Caleb W.	16	16	70.40			70.40	10.00
Stewart, Thomas D.	11½	5½	24.20	6	73.20	97.40	
Townsend, George T.	51	51	224.40			224.40	
Waters, Samuel A.	23	23	101.20			101.20	
Winder, Charles W.	22	22	96.80			96.80	
	445½	439½	1933.80	6	73.20	2007.00	10.00

Statement of Prospective Distribution to Widows.
Annuity Rate \$3.30.

Name	Approved Years	Del. Years	Del. Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity
Adams, James K.	33	33	108.90			108.90
Amos, Alfred S.	13	13	42.90			42.90
Bean, Edward H.	2	2	6.60			6.60
Bean, Washington I.	9	9	29.70			29.70
Bond, John W.	47	47	155.10			155.10
Bowland, William C.	31	31	102.30			102.30
Brown, John R.	40	40	132.00			132.00
Chase, Abraham	33½	33½	110.55			110.55
Cook, Jacob W.	27	27	89.10			89.10
Cook, Joseph E.	26	26	85.80			85.80
Davis, C. E.	13	13	42.90			42.90
Davis, Ross N.	12	12	39.60			39.60
Deakins, Lewis W.	37	37	122.10			122.10
Deshields, Jacob F.	7½	7½	24.75			24.75
Devron, W. T. B.	3½	3½	11.55			11.55
Dickerson, James M.	20½	20½	67.65			67.65
Dickerson, Willis C.	21½	21½	70.95			70.95
Downs, Charles W.	16½	16½	54.45			54.45

Name	Approved Years	Del. Years	Del. Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity
Downs, George W.	30	30	99.00			99.00
Dunn, Jacob C.	16½	16½	54.45			54.45
Edwards, Prince E.	13½	8½	28.05	5	4.95	33.00
Foust, J. A. T.	35	35	115.50			115.50
Holland, John R.	38½	38½	127.05			127.05
Hughes, W. J. L.	29½	29½	97.35			97.35
Hutchins, Charles H.	2½	2½	8.25			8.25
Jacobs, George S.	23	23	75.90			75.90
Jeffers, Jacob A.	11	11	36.30			36.30
Johnson, Caleb W.	19	19	62.70			62.70
Jolly, E. H.	24	24	79.20			79.20
Kiah, James A.	9½	9½	31.35			31.35
Kiah, Thomas H.	15½	15½	51.15			51.15
King, Walter N.	9½	9½	31.35			31.35
Molock, Levin W.	12½	12½	41.25			41.25
Monroe, Henry A.	21½	19	62.70	2½	28.12	90.82
Moore, Cyrus W.	26	26	85.80			85.80
Moore, Noah W.	18	18	59.40			59.40
Nichols, Jeremiah L.	8	8	26.40			26.40
Norwood, Charles A.	37	37	122.10			122.10
O'Connell, Pazavia	41	33	108.90	8	12.60	121.50
Palmer, William R. A.	4½	4½	14.85			14.85
Perry, Lawrence S.	18½	18½	61.05			61.05
Perry, William B.	26½	19½	64.35	7	115.50	179.85
Price, Perry W.	25½	25½	84.15			84.15
Purnell, Henry R.	18	18	59.40			59.40
Reed, John H.	37½	27	89.10	10½	10.44	99.54
Ridout, Daniel A.	15	15	49.50			49.50
Robins, Lewis T.	8	8	26.40			26.40
Robison, Perry E.	8	8	26.40			26.40
Rogers, Elisha E.	37	37	122.10			122.10
Snead, Horace C.	17	17	56.10			56.10
Snowden, Nicholas C.	20	20	66.00			66.00
Stewart, K. S.	8½	8½	28.05			28.05
Stewart, William L.	4	4	13.20			13.20
Thompson, Moses A.	18½	18½	61.05			61.05
Tindley, Charles A.	26½	26½	87.45			87.45
Tomlinson, Floyd L.	14½	14½	47.85			47.85
Turner, William H.	2½	2½	8.25			8.25
Wallace, Richard H.	20	20	66.00			66.00
Waters, James E.	14½	14½	47.85			47.85
Waters, Robert J.	18½	18½	61.05			61.05
Waters, Roswell	7½	7½	24.75			24.75
Webb, E. H.	35	35	115.50			115.50
	1239½	1206½	3981.45	33	171.61	4153.06

Statement of Prospective Distribution to Children.

Annuity Rate \$1.10.

Name of Mother or Guardian Name of Child	Age	Approved Father's Years	Del. Years	Del. Annuity	Total Annuity	Relief
Davis, Sarah E.—						
Dorothy	16	12	12	13.20	13.20	
Bettye	14	12	12	13.20	13.20	
Marion	12	12	12	13.20	13.20	
Page, Fannie Gillis—						
Lycurgus Gillis	16	3½	3½	3.85	3.85	
Kiah, Catherine B.—						
Donald A.	12	31	31	34.10	34.10	
Kiah, Mrs. T. H.—						
Cynthia	17	36½	36½	40.15	40.15	
Thomas	15	36½	36½	40.15	40.15	
Gwendolyn	13	36½	36½	40.15	40.15	
Grace	11	36½	36½	40.15	40.15	
Molock, Mrs. L. W.—						
Levin W.	17	12½	12½	13.75	13.75	
Herbert	16	12½	12½	13.75	13.75	
Essie	13	12½	12½	13.75	13.75	
Madaline	8	12½	12½	13.75	13.75	
Porter, Mrs. Esther—						
Roma Quinn	13	15	15	16.50	16.50	
Jean Quinn	10	15	15	16.50	16.50	
Gibson, Rev. E. P.—						
Florida Rogers	12					
Velma Rogers	9	8	8	8.80	8.80	5.00
Wardie Rogers	8	8	8	8.80	8.80	5.00
Vera Rogers	6	8	8	8.80	8.80	5.00
Shirley Rogers	5	8	8	8.80	8.80	5.00
Showell, Mrs. Della—						
Esther	13	11	11	12.10	12.10	
Tomlinson, Mrs. F. L.—						
Rosella	8	14½	14½	15.95	15.95	
Waters, Mrs. Roswell—						
Anna	15	7½	7½	8.25	8.25	
Calvin	14	7½	7½	8.25	8.25	
		369	369	405.90	405.90	20.00

ANNIVERSARIES AND SUNDAY SERVICES.**March 22nd, 8.30 P. M.**

Welcome Addresses—(a) The Church—W. Harry Barnes, M. D. (b) Other Denominations—Rev. E. Luther Cunningham. Response—Rev. D. W. Henry.

March 23rd, 8.30 P. M.

Anniversary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society—Mrs. L. B. Jewett, Presiding. (See Special Program).

4.15 P. M.—Missionary Sermon by Rev. J. N. Bullen. Text: Luke 8-39. Subject: "Effective Evangelism."

7.45 P. M.—Anniversaries of the Boards—Rev. L. S. Moore, Presiding. Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals—Speaker.

8.20 P. M.—Board of Foreign Missions—Dr. W. E. Shaw.

9.00 P. M.—Board of Home Missions—Dr. W. A. C. Hughes.

March 24th, 8.00 P. M.

Diamond Jubilee Celebration of the Delaware Annual Conference depicting the history of the conference in story and song from 1864 to 1939. Tindley Temple M. E. Church.

March 25th, 4.00 P. M.

Dedication of the Friendship Home, 1911 North 12th Street—by Bishop E. G. Richardson.

7.00 P. M.—Anniversary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—(Mrs. Maud Thompson, Presiding). (See Special Program).

8.00 P. M.—Moving Pictures—"Africa as is" and Lecture by Dr. J. C. Bieri.

Choirs Singing During Conference.

Thursday, March 22nd, Zoar Junior Choir—9.00 P. M.

Thursday, March 23rd, Peniel Choir and Camphor Brotherhood Chorus, 9.00 P. M.

Sunday, March 26th, Metropolitan Opera House, Broad and Poplar Streets—Zoar and Mt. Zion Choirs, 10.30 A. M. Tindley Temple Choir, 3.00 P. M. John Simmons and Janes Choirs, 7.30 P. M.

Zoar Church—Princess Anne Choir, 10:30 A. M. Haven Choir, 3.00 P. M. Maryland Gospel Singers, 8.00 P. M.

REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH AID AND HOME MISSIONS.**Dover District.**

Receipts: Bridgeville, \$5.00; Bridgeville Ct., \$8.00; Chestertown, \$8.00; Cheswold \$—; Clarksville, \$11.00; Coleman, \$6.00; Crumpton, \$5.00; Delmar, \$7.00; Dover, \$25.00; Fairlee, \$2.00; Harrington, \$7.00; Laurel, Lewes, \$5.00; Lincoln, \$4.00; Mardela, \$6.00; Milford, \$5.00; Millington,

\$5.00; Nassau, \$9.00; Newark, \$2.00; North Berlin, \$20.00; Pomona, \$5.00; Port Deposit, \$1.00; Rock Hall, \$5.00; Sassafras, \$2.00; Seaford, \$2.00; Sharptown, \$5.00; South Berlin, \$5.00; Still Pond, \$4.00; Townsend, \$5.00; Trinity, \$8.00. Total, \$177.00.

Expenditures: Balance on Moving Expenses of District Supt., \$20.00; Cecilton Note, \$65.00; District Parsonage House, \$25.00; Cabinet Meetings, \$12.00; Printing schedules and report blanks, etc., \$14.00; Telephone, \$36.00; Telegrams, stamps and stationery, \$11.00; Extra Travel, \$15.35; To Georgetown Mission, \$4.65. Balance, \$10.00. This amount was paid to Dr. J. H. Scott, Treasurer, at the seat of the Conference, at a meeting of the Board.

J. W. JEWETT, D. S.

Easton District.

Receipts: Aireys, \$6; Barclay, \$1; Beckwith, \$3.25; Cambridge, \$25.00; Cambridge Circuit, \$—; Carmichaels, \$5; Centreville, \$10; Centreville Circuit, \$2; Chapel, \$2.70; Church Creek, \$4; Church Hill, \$5; Cordova, \$—; Crapo & Golden Hill, \$10; Denton, \$5; Easton, \$25; Easton Circuit, \$5; East New Market, \$9; East New Market Circuit, \$4; Federalsburg, \$3; Greensboro, \$14; Hurlock, \$11; Linkwood, \$5; Marydel, \$—; McDaniel, \$3; Miles River, \$3; Oxford, \$3; Preston, \$6; Ridgely, \$3; Royal Oak, \$19; Stevensville, \$8; St. Michaels, \$10; Taylor's Island, \$—; Trappe, \$10; Vienna, \$1; Williston, \$2.50; Wittman, \$8; To bal. from last year \$30.00. Total receipts, \$261.45.

Disbursements: Telephone & telegrams, \$43.10; postal cards and stamps, stationery, \$7.83; water & sewer rents, \$23; Book Concern for Supplies, \$5.14; To Rev. E. W. Holden, \$2; Rev. Roland Grant, \$10; Rev. W. B. Whittington, \$5; Rev. F. C. Kershaw, \$10; District Conventions, Efficiency Conferences, Cabinet Meetings, Educational Meetings, \$48.62; Extra District travel, sickness and funerals, \$41.15; to Rev. C. B. Miles, \$3; to Rev. A. L. Scriber, \$10; Paid over to Dr. J. H. Scott, \$30.61. Total paid out, \$208.84. To Dr. Scott for Board, \$30.61. Total paid out and for Board, \$239.45. In hand, \$22.00.

E. O. PARKER, Dist. Supt.

Philadelphia District.

Receipts: John Wesley, Bk., \$—; Newman, \$4.00; Butler, \$—; East Calvary, \$—; Englewood, \$2.00; Jamaica, \$5.00; Jersey City, \$6.00; Montclair, \$35.00; Newark, \$15.00; New Rochelle, \$1.00; Orange, \$10.00; Ossining, \$—; Bethsaida, \$2.00; Camphor, \$5.00; East Germantown, \$5.00; Frankford, \$5.00; Germantown, \$30.00; Haven, \$65.00; John Simmons, \$10.00; John Wesley, Phila., \$15.00; Mt. Zion, \$15.00; Peniel, \$7.00; Stuyvesant Heights, \$3.00; Tindley Temple, \$60.00; Zoar, \$35.00; Trenton, \$5.00; White Plains, \$10.00. Total, \$350.00.

Disbursements: Bethsaida, \$17.00; East Germantown, \$20.00; Frankford, \$10.00; Englewood, \$10.00; New Rochelle, \$10.00; Ossining, \$10.00; Stationery and stamps, \$35.99; Printing, \$36.20; Extra travel, \$81.50; Telephone, \$68.98; J. R. Waters for bonding conference treasurer, \$5.00. Total, \$304.67. Balance \$45.33, which was turned over to Rev. L. S. Moore.

J. T. FLETCHER, D. S.

Sta., \$3.00; Mt. Vernon, \$3.00; Nanticoke, \$2.00; Oriole, \$3.00; Pocomoke City, \$3.00; Salisbury-John Wesley, \$3.00; Snow Hill, \$3.00; Stockton Ct., \$2.00; Wattsville, \$3.00; Wetipquin, \$2.00; White Haven, \$3.00. Total received, \$61.00. Paid to J. H. Jenkins, Treas., \$50.00. Balance on hand, \$11.00.

J. E. A. JOHNS, Dist. Supt.

REPORT OF COLLECTIONS FOR THE EPWORTH LEAGUE INSTITUTE.

Wilmington District.

Brought forward from last year, \$12.00. Atlantic City, N. J., Asbury, \$7.00; Hamilton Memorial, \$2.00; Bridgeton, \$—; Burlington, \$—; Buttonwood, \$2.00; Camden, \$3.00; Cape May, \$3.00; Grace & Darby, \$1.00; Siloam, \$4.00; St. Daniel, \$7.00; Delair, \$3.00; Delaware City & Kirkwood, \$2.00; Elkton, \$—; Fordsville, \$2.00; Grenloch & Rhodes, \$—; Lawnside, \$3.00; Merchantville, \$3.00; Middletown, \$2.00; Mt. Holly, \$3.00; New Castle, \$2.00; Newport, \$—; Ocean City, \$1.00; Odessa & St. George, \$—; Pleasantville, \$—; Port Norris, \$1.00; Quinton & Springtown, \$—; Salem, \$2.00; Wilmington-Ezion, \$10.00; Haven, \$3.00; Mt. Carmel, \$1.00; Mt. Joy, \$5.00; Woodbury, \$1.00. Total, \$84.00. Total paid to J. W. Jewett, \$65.00. Balance in hand, \$19.00.

S. J. HORSEY, Dist. Supt.

REPORT OF COLLECTIONS FOR THE SCHOOL OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING.

Wilmington District.

Brought forward from last year, \$10.00. Atlantic City, Asbury, \$7.00; Hamilton Memorial, \$2.00; Bridgeton, \$—; Burlington, \$—; Buttonwood, \$2.00; Camden, \$3.00; Cape May, \$3.00; Grace & Darby, \$1.00; Siloam, \$4.00; St. Daniel, \$7.00; Delair, \$3.00; Del. City & Kirkwood, \$2.00; Elkton, \$—; Fordsville, \$2.00; Grenloch & Rhodes, \$1.00; Lawnside, \$3.00; Merchantville, \$3.00; Middletown, \$2.00; Mt. Holly, \$3.00; New Castle, \$—; Newport, \$1.00; Ocean City, \$—; Odessa & St. Georges, \$—; Pleasantville, \$—; Port Norris, \$1.00; Quinton & Springtown, \$—; Salem, \$2.00; Wilm., Ezion, \$10.00; Haven, \$3.00; Mt. Carmel, \$1.00; Mt. Joy, \$5.00; Woodbury, \$1.00. Total, \$83.00. Paid J. H. Jenkins, \$73.00. Balance in hand, \$10.00.

S. J. HORSEY, Dist. Supt.

RALLY DAY OFFERINGS, APRIL 1938 TO MARCH 1939.

Dover District.

Mardella Springs, \$9.00; Whatcoat, \$50.00; Coleman, \$2.00; Townsend, \$6.00; Millington, \$7.18; Nassau, \$5.00; Trinity, \$2.00; Sassafras, \$3.00; Chestertown, \$3.00; North Berlin, \$15.00; Harrington, \$10.00; Seaford, \$5.00; Sharptown, \$2.00—Total, \$119.18.

Easton District.

Cambridge Circuit, \$4.00; Centerville, \$6.00; Preston, \$7.00; Royal Oak, \$5.00; Greensboro, \$2.00; Cambridge, \$20.00; Hurlock, \$5.00; Trappe, \$10.00; Asbury (Easton), \$10.00; Crapo, \$2.00; Barclay, \$5.00; Carmichaels, \$3.00; Denton, \$5.00; Church Hill, \$5.00—Total, \$89.00.

Philadelphia District.

Newman Memorial, \$42.00; John Wesley, \$49.00; Mt. Zion, \$20.00; Zoar, \$104.00; White Plains, \$3.00; Peniel, \$5.00; Haven, \$77.00; Germantown, \$100.00; Ossining, \$2.00; East Germantown, \$11.00; Mt. Clair, \$50.00; Camphor, \$10.00; Jersey City, \$5.00; Tindley Temple, \$210.00; John Simmons, \$5.00; Orange, \$10.00—Total, \$703.00.

Salisbury District.

Crisfield, \$22.00; Pocomoke City, \$56.00; Parsonburg, \$12.00; John Wesley (Salisbury), \$44.00; Kingston, \$6.00; Mt. Vernon, \$2.00; Fruitland, \$8.00; Wattsville, \$22.00; Oriole, \$8.00; Lemont, \$8.00; Whites Temple, \$12.00; Liberia, \$1.00; Snow Hill, \$15.00; Undesignated, \$13.00—Total, \$229.00.

Wilmington District.

Camden, \$12.00; Ezion, \$100.00; Merchantville, \$10.00; Atlantic City, \$25.00; Lawnside, \$10.00; Mt. Holly, \$8.00; Mt. Joy, \$20.00; Bridgeton, \$20.00; Siloam, \$24.00; Darby, \$7.00; Odessa, \$5.00; Delair, \$5.00; New Castle, \$4.00; Pleasantville, \$7.00; Newport, \$5.00; Haven, \$10.00; Grenloch, \$2.00; Delair, \$2.00; Hamilton, \$5.00; Salem, \$10.00; Buttonwood, \$5.00; St. Daniels, \$25.00; Quinton, \$5.00; Cape May, \$5.00; Port Norris, \$2.00; Elkton, \$4.00; Middletown, \$5.00; Fruitland, \$10.00—Total, \$352.00.

Rally Day Offerings by Districts.

Dover	\$ 119.18
Easton	89.00
Philadelphia	703.00
Wilmington	352.00
Salisbury	229.00
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Grand Total	\$1492.18

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK J. HANDY.

DIAMOND JUBILEE CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS FUND.**Dover District.**

J. W. Jewett, \$20; J. H. Stevens, \$10; R. B. Thompson, \$10; J. R. Waters, \$10; W. H. Coffey, Jr., \$8; F. D. Jones, \$8; M. O. Ballard, \$4; W. E. Marks, \$2; T. E. Randall, \$2; D. G. Waters, \$2; C. L. Trader, \$2; J. H. Nutter, \$3; M. J. Pettyjohn, \$1.50—Total, \$82.50.

Philadelphia District.

J. T. Fletcher, \$30; D. W. Henry, \$29; J. W. Jefferson, \$20; W. A. Hubbard, \$18; H. T. Johnson, \$15; L. H. McArthur, \$15; J. W. Thomas, \$14; O. H. Spence, \$14; D. R. Fletcher, \$12; E. H. Crampton, \$10; H. R. Coleman, \$5; O. S. Edwards, \$3; T. H. Woodley, \$2; F. H. Butler, \$18—Total, \$205.00.

Salisbury District.

R. A. F. Graham, \$10; W. H. Mears, \$15; E. P. Gibson, \$12; Alex Reid, \$3; T. W. Cooper, \$8; C. T. Covington, \$6; R. J. Williams, \$2; M. W. Clark, \$4; J. Lee Sawyer, \$5; J. L. Parker, \$6; A. L. Martin, \$11; Chas. P. Spencer, \$3; J. E. A. Johns, \$20—Total, \$105.00.

Paid to Dr. D. H. Hargis, Treas., March 23, 1939.

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 Recording Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Dickerson.
 Treasurer, Mrs. Addie Waters.

THE NEW FRIENDSHIP HOME.

The New Friendship Home at 1911 N. 12th St., Philadelphia, Pa., was dedicated Saturday afternoon, March 25th, by Bishop E. G. Richardson. Rev. J. T. Fletcher offered the prayer. Remarks were made by Mrs. H. R. Hargis, Mrs. A. Davis Foust, Mrs. Ella Thompson, also Mrs. K. S. Burnett of the Philadelphia Conference. Mrs. E. P. Thomas is Superintendent of the Home.

REPORT CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSION AND CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY.

Maintenance—Received and Paid.

April 20th, 1938	\$ 391.25
June 1st, 1938	25.00
July 20th, 1938	443.50
Oct. 20th, 1938	468.00
Jan. 20th, 1939	478.75
Feb. 1st, 1939	30.00
Total	\$1837.00

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. BARNES, Treas.
F. H. BUTLER, Sec'y.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM.

We, the members of your Committee on Evangelism, beg leave to submit the following report:

The greatest and the most needed work of the Church is Evangelism. Without it, Christianity will fail, no matter how many other noble things it may do. It was Jesus, the Master Teacher, who said, "Go ye into all the world and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you, and lo I am with you always even to the end of the world." In reverent obedience to this commission and leaning upon the unfailing promises of our Lord Jesus Christ, we recommend: That we, the followers of the Great Saviour, shall strive to increase the membership of our Churches at least 10% in spite of deaths and withdrawals; and that the program sent down by the General Conference Commission on Evangelism be our guiding standard; and that we endeavor to attain unto it as far as local conditions will permit.

We further recommend that in addition to the general appeal made each Sunday that periods be set apart for Special Evangelistic meetings, that

cottage Prayer meetings be held frequently and that personal workers be enlisted, trained and urged to contact each constituent on all the charges. We further recommend that the Disciplinary provision for committees on Evangelism be organized on all Districts and charges; and that these Committees be urged to function so as to lay siege upon the camps of sin and the influences of Satan in our several communities. Furthermore we recommend that each Pastor returning from this Session of the Conference re-consecrate himself and begin at once the work of the stated Program so that we may be able to make a better report at the next Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

R. W. THOMAS, Chairman;
H. R. COLEMAN,
C. T. COVINGTON,
W. H. JOHNS,
C. B. MILES, Secretary.

TEMPERANCE REPORT.

(This report was adopted by the rising vote of the Delaware Conference in tribute to the memory of the late Dr. Clarence True Wilson, whose leadership of the Methodist Board of Temperance contributed much to sobriety and public morality.)

"I am not using the term prohibition any longer. I am using the term abolition. Prohibition means it is here, but you can't have it, abolition means there is no such thing." These were the words of Dr. C. J. St. John of the Bowery Mission, New York City, addressed to the December meeting of the Anti-Saloon League.

When one considers the gravity of the problem that the liquor traffic has created one is compelled to enter the fight to destroy once and for all this hydra-headed monster that destroys our most cherished ideals and that robs the nation of the flower of manhood and womanhood.

With the Tennessee Legislature overriding Governor Prentice Cooper's veto of a measure legalizing package sales of liquor on a county option basis, Oklahoma, Mississippi and Kansas remain as the only States of these 48 United States still barring whiskey sales.

The problem is serious. The cost is tremendous. Consider first the cost in dollars and cents: The Rev. Mr. P. Vanis Slawter, Pastor of the Memorial Baptist Church, Germantown, speaking to the W. C. T. U. and the Prohibition Party in the Y. M. C. A., 18th and Arch, Philadelphia, stated that last year each person while spending only \$3.50 for educational purposes spent \$40.00 for liquor. A further comparison with the amount given or shared by each person for Mission, home and abroad, would reveal even more startling figures. It has been pointed out that liquor has 477,000 distributing places as compared with 245,000 churches.

From the clip sheet issued by our Board of Temperance it is discovered that the actual retail cost of liquor to the American people is from

\$3,500,000,000 to \$5,000,000,000 annually. This figure is equal to ten per cent. of our National income. The churches last year spent for religion \$500,000,000, an amount equal to only ten per cent. what liquor costs.

Clovis G. Shappell in his book *Ten Rules For Living* writes of an investigation made in the city of Dayton, Ohio by the Chamber of Commerce, as to how the people of that city were spending their money. The citizens were spending \$113,000 more each week for liquor than for groceries. The *Central Christian Advocate* makes this statement, since 1933, those on relief, those who are being supported by the money of the taxpayer, have spent \$3,000,000,000 for liquor.

Consider the cost to Labor: "There is the cost involved in a diversion of expenditures from the trade in goods which represents wealth accumulation, from commerce, which promotes the welfare and productive efficiency of the people. There is the cost involved in the large retail value of drink as compared with the raw material and labor entering into production. When \$100.00 is spent at manufacturing prices in a repair shop of a railroad the wage earner and salaried workers receive \$54.81 and of the remainder \$44.64 is spent for material and energy. Used in producing textiles, laborers get \$27.01 of the one hundred dollars and the producer of material and energy get \$53.64. The producers of alcoholic beverages returned to labor \$14.75 out of each one hundred dollars."

Consider the cost to our youth and especially our girls. Mr. George W. Crabbe, Superintendent of the Maryland Anti-Saloon League, has said that on every Saturday night until two o'clock Sunday morning we find boys and girls 15 and 16 coming out of Saloons, going to the curbstone holding each other up and taking the first taxi and driving off into the night to a fate God only knows what. He relates concerning a visit to an Eastern Shore City. An investigation revealed that of 27 girls graduated last year from high school 22 drank and frequented road houses. An assistant principal of a school in Baltimore visited a number of beer joints within a block of the church to which Mr. Crabbe belonged. The boys and girls of his high school, 15, 16 or 17 years of age went into those barrooms and drank and came out under the influence of liquor.

"For the first time says a New York reporter it is necessary for men to push their way through high school girls to get to the bar. A round of Chicago saloons made by reporters of the *Herald* and *Examiner* and the *American* is reported in issues of these papers, March 6 to 10th, 1935. under such headlines as the following: Shocking saloon revels of school children; west side pupils pack dens; children revel in darkness; North side pupils hold debauch at Beach View Gardens; School girls play hookey in tavern; police look on as girl 14 drinks at bar; Old Saloon plus women equal new tavern."

"A Report of the North Western Life Insurance Company shows an increase of 183% since 1932 in the excessive use of alcohol as a cause of un-insurability among people under 30."

The above is the problem. What is being done to meet it?

It is thought that the Federal Alcohol Administration will in all probability as sentiment grows among the people and Congress become an instrument for social protection, but at present it is not. In truth the act

was not established for that purpose but rather for the regulation of traffic in alcohol beverages in the interest of fair trade. The Federal Administration has contributed largely to a certain kind of decency. But perhaps its greatest social service has been its close attention paid to advertising activities.

The Annual report calls for the prohibition of radio advertising and advertising characterized by particularly obnoxious features, but it has not touched the heart of the problem.

Does our Public School system offer an adequate program? In the February number of the voice and address by Dr. Ward W. Keeseecker, U. S. Office of Education, is printed: The subject of the address is Changing Conceptions as Manifest in Recent State Laws, Courses of Study, Text Books. The address or report as it largely is, reveals that public education in regard to alcohol is confined by all the States, with the exception of one, to temperance as a part of Health Education.

The three major objectives are stated as knowledge, habits and ideals. Knowledge of what to do, the practice of proper health habits and high standards for maintaining a healthy body should be large factors in the educational process. We see at once that Temperance education in our public schools system is confined to the scientific facts in regard to alcohol with little or no emphasis placed upon the moral or character training. Only the public school system of the State of Maine gives attention to the moral significance of Temperance. The course offered is entitled the Science of Living, which implies good citizenship and the necessity for practicing total abstinence from all things harmful and moderation in all phases of human activity. The main objective is to develop correct habits, right attitudes and clear thinking on the part of our school pupils which will lead them to become masters of themselves. Aside from the State of Maine the prevailing idea among the State Board of Education is the building of sound healthy bodies with little or no attention to Character building.

With the Government and the public school system offering no adequate Temperance program to meet the liquor traffic the responsibility rests almost wholly upon the church.

Bishop Ralph S. Cushman, the new president of the Anti-Saloon League, said, "The solving of the liquor problem is primarily our job, but more than this, I would say, Churches of God awake for your life is at stake."

The Delaware Conference, sitting in its Diamond Jubilee Session, accepts the challenge and awakes. Therefore we wish to go on record as inaugurating a vigorous Temperance program. We recommend:

1. That World Temperance Sunday shall be observed in all of our churches—a special offering received and forwarded to the World Service Treasurer as the World's Temperance Sunday offering.
2. That Temperance Societies shall be organized in all of our Church schools in accordance with par. 1269, section 8 of the Discipline.
3. That we advocate through our State representatives the modification of State laws governing public education in regards to alcohol, so as to include Temperance education as a phase of moral and character Training, the accomplishment of which will be a step toward national prohibition.
4. That we advocate the enactment of State laws limiting the number

of taverns within any given area and also the closing of State Liquor Stores if a community votes dry as was proposed by Rev. John W. Tindal, Methodist Trustee on the Board of Anti-Saloon League in report to the Philadelphia Conference.

5. That we disapprove the proposal to present a bill before the State Legislature of Pennsylvania permitting the operation of a general bar in the Foyer of the Academy of Music—a bill if adopted would pave the way for the sale of wine and beer in all theatres and playhouses.

6. That we disapprove the Sunday open saloon in the State of Maryland and that we give notice of our disapproval by sending a copy of this report to the Governor of that State.

7. That we commend Governor James of the State of Pennsylvania for his influence in having liquor barred from the Independence Hall Exhibit at the New York World's Fair.

8. That we, Ministers and Laymen, pledge and consecrate our gifts, our efforts and our lives to the support of the Temperance Program as outlined by the Methodist Church.

Signed, NOAH W. MOORE, JR., Chairman,
 R. W. CHEERS,
 J. H. NUTTER,
 D. S. QUILLEN,
 M. W. CLARK,
 Committee on Temperance.

REPORT OF THE DELAWARE CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Bishop Richardson and Brethren:

We have the honor to present a report of the work in Christian education which has been carried on by the Board during 1938-1939. Our Director, working full time, with commendable zeal, energy and skill, has well covered every part of the Conference either through direct visits to the Churches or through group meetings which have been accessible to workers in all our churches.

Trends in Sunday School Enrollment and Attendance.

For some time there has been a persistent decline in the Sunday School enrollment in most of our Annual Conferences. The situation became so alarming that workers in Christian education began to ask such questions as these: What is happening to Christian education of our children? What is happening to the boys and girls who do now attend? Do we know? Do we care? Believing that church workers do care, but do not know, the parent Board of Education of the Methodist Church and Conference Boards of Education determined to give special emphasis to children's work for some time to come.

The result of increased thought in attendance and study throughout the church has been an upward trend. The schools which report losses are exceptional. Dr. Forsyth says "nineteen fall conferences of our denomination, according to reports just completed during the last conference year, have achieved a net gain of 16,842 in average attendance at Sunday Schools. The total gain for the whole denomination up to date, therefore, is 25,411. This is the gain that can be proved from the figures. However, it must be borne in mind that in both spring conferences and fall conferences we had to overcome a downward trend which last year produced a loss of over 68,180.

Coming to our own Conference, the record shows a total increase in enrollment for 1938 of 76, and an increase of 472 for 1937. This is encouraging; however, we find a decrease in enrollment for 1936 of 490. The situation in the Delaware Conference calls for more careful planning and increased devotion. With this in mind, the Conference Board decided at our last meeting that the time has come when we should rethink our whole task of Christian education of children, and evaluate our own Conference situation as it pertains to Children's Work. The procedure to be followed is suggested in a paper by the chairman of the Conference Board entitled "Can We Improve Christian Education in the Delaware Conference?"

Growing Persons Need:

- To experience the companionship and nearness of God.
- To share with others and regard the rights of others.
- To understand more about Jesus.
- To practice Jesus' way of meeting life situations.
- To learn to plan work and play together.
- To learn how to think clearly and make intelligent choices.
- To share in the fellowship and work of the church.
- To appreciate and make use of our religious heritage.

All our church organizations exist as means of bringing about the above desirable experiences. The organization is always a means to an end and never an end in itself. It is imperative, not only for the children's workers, but also for the entire Church to see clearly that we have one Church and that the Church School or any other of our many organizations within the Church are parts of it, and not separate organizations. We urge pastors to lead their Churches to think in terms of the CHILDREN'S DIVISION OF THE CHURCH.

Many times we find workers who are only loyal to church, or only loyal to adult groups. The result is much duplication, divided loyalties, and an ineffective work. This view of the church as a whole, will result in the Church School officials and representatives of other organizations, including the adult parent groups determining together common goals and mapping out steps to reach them.

Securing More Time For Desirable Experiences.

If a pastor and his workers seriously consider a program adequate to provide the desirable experiences named above, they will come to realize

that one hour a week is not sufficient time. There are several ways of securing more time. Choice will depend upon the one which fits best your situation. Vacation Church School sessions have been used with fine results.

Another way to secure more time for desirable experiences is through the Week-Day Church School. We urge our pastors and workers to study this agency for promoting the moral and religious welfare of their children. At present there is only one such school in the Delaware Conference, at Newman Memorial Church, in Brooklyn. "Week-Day Church School" is the name commonly used by agencies interested in religious education to designate a plan under which pupils meet in graded groups at regular intervals during the public school year to follow some organized course of religious instruction. Some Schools meet for about one and a half hours each week outside of public school hours. Some Week-Day Schools are able to secure "released time" from the public school authorities in the community. Your Conference Board will gladly furnish information concerning Week-Day Schools to those who may request it.

The Annual Religious Education Day.

Last month the Board held its first Annual Religious Education Day and the Semi-Annual Meeting. It is our purpose to expand the Semi-Annual Meeting by inviting pastors and workers to attend. At this meeting the year's work will be outlined and a discussion on new trends in religious education will follow. In order to enable the Conference Director to greatly increase the efficiency of our educational program within the Conference, the Board decided to carry on our work through several committees, namely, Committee on Adult Life, on Youth work, and Children's work. More information in regard to this may be found in the paper, "Can We Improve Christian Education in the Delaware Conference?"

The Conference Director will add to this report by giving a report of his activities and mentioning some notable achievements of the year. The happy result of the years of achievement in this important work is due largely to the personal interest of Bishop Richardson, the far-sightedness of our District Superintendents, and the splendid cooperation on the part of our pastors. We ask for your continued support this year.

About 20 minutes drive from our church in New York City, the much talked-about World's Fair, will soon open. One of the purposes of the Fair is to picture the world of to-morrow. The leaders in science, music, culture, industry, etc., will portray the kind of world people will live in to-morrow. My opinion is that leaders of the world today are not going to make the world of to-morrow. It is the character of the masses that will determine the kind of world we shall have to-morrow. The world of to-morrow will depend upon their ability to distinguish between truth and propaganda, the forces that make for peace and that make for war, and the current pagan philosophies and the Christian Gospel, which should take arms against them. Christian Education is a potent force in creating the ability to make the necessary distinction.

Respectfully submitted,

EARL H. CRAMPTON.

REPORT OF WORLD SERVICE COUNCIL.

After reviewing the recommendations submitted by your Council on World Service of this Conference as goals toward which we should earnestly and prayerfully strive in accepting and meeting the challenge of raising our full quota, 2329 units of the Fellowship Movement last year.

Having made some observations of the reports that have come in from the various charges at the session of this Conference, and from such reports it is still rather evident that our people are still faced with the economic problem of having sufficient means to take care of their individual financial responsibilities in most instances our people are still the last to be hired and the first to be fired, and yet, out of their meager earnings it is marvelous how sacrificing our people are in making possible such a report as will be submitted by the treasurer of this Conference.

The committee senses very keenly the danger that faces the present Church and the gravity of the entire situation in relation to the Million Unit Fellowship Movement and the effect of the legislation in the Uniting Conference that meets April 26, 1939, in Kansas City, Mo., some are anxious to know whether or not the movement is still to go on.

Bishop Frederick T. Keeney, Director of the Million Unit Fellowship Movement of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in answer to this inquiry, Quote: After the Uniting Conference is over it will probably be some considerable time before any marked changes in our present set-up are made. It seems likely that the collection of our World Service money, for example, and its remittance to our central World Service Treasurer, will continue as at present until the next General Conference (which may not meet until 1940 or 1941).

In view of the Foreign Mission Boards relationship to this Movement and the fine spiritual cultivation of new frontiers and the extension of the horizon for Kingdom service, we, your Committee, feels that there should be no let down, even in spite of the fact that many charges have failed because of economic conditions to raise this full quota of units.

We, your Committee, recommend, 1st, That stringent efforts be made by each church to raise their full number of Units pledged, and, 2nd, and finally, That the same Conference Quota of 2329 Units be our goal for the next ensuing Conference year.

Signed: O. H. SPENCE,
J. LEE SAWYER,
C. W. DERRICKSON,
J. E. A. JOHNS,
W. G. MATTHEWS, Secretary.

REPORT OF DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION.

The work of Religious Education within the Conference was organized around four objectives: Institutes, Leadership, Training Daily Vacation Church Schools, Youth (to reach the entire) Conferences, and in order to intensify the program and to reach the entire Conference District Counselors were appointed to assist.

Institute.

The training of local leaders in the field of Christian Education was conducted through Institutes. A novel and interesting experiment was tried out on the Wilmington District: A group of public teachers volunteered their services to instruct the young leaders from the various charges on the district, and with the aid of the automobile, loaned by the District Superintendent, this traveling cavalcade of Christian teachers in true Pauline fashion, visited and held classes at Wilmington, Del., Chester, Pa., Bridgeton, and Atlantic City, and Merchantsville, N. J. Similar Institutes were held at Dover, Del. (Dover Dist.), Cambridge (Easton Dist.), Salisbury (Salisbury Dist.) and at oZar (Phila. Dist.), at which time Miss Edith F. Weeker, Sec. of Children's Work Department, Chicago, Ill., and Miss Elizabeth D. Egglestin, Director of Religious Education of the Philadelphia Conference, rendered very valuable services. The Mid-Winter Institute, held at Germantown, Phila., supervised by Dr. W. C. Thompson, Dean, and at Morgan College, Dr. D. H. Hargis, Dean, represent valuable achievement. There were in all these Institutes over 300 young people trained for Christian Service in their respective churches.

Leadership Training Classes—Vacation Bible Schools.

Youth Conferences, another form of Christian Training Classes, was offered through the Leadership Training Classes. One or more of the First Series Courses was studied. These classes were formed from the youth of various charges who gathered at some central point. Each District majored in some definite type of study. Bro. Kelley Jackson, the leader on the Dover District, has done a notable piece of work in leadership training. He was amply supported by a group of very efficient teachers. These training classes on this district are the model for the entire Conference. The Easton District specialized in "Worship Services," under the leadership of Mrs. Helen Waters and Mrs. Mabel Hayes, a well-planned Worship Service was carried out and through it some young people were led to dedicate themselves to some form of christian service in their own church. The Philadelphia District presented one of the best examples of the Church School Advance Program at Newark, N. J. for a period of about 6 months. There was an increase of 100% in attendance and about 75% in offerings over the previous year. At Newman Memorial, Brooklyn, there is a Week-Day Church School, the only one in the Conference. This Church has conducted a Week-Day Church School for the last 3 years. Other training classes were also held at Tindley Temple, Haven, and Germantown. The Salisbury District stands out prominently in its annual youth conference, held at Princess Anne, Md. Over 300 young people from all over the district gathered here in intensive and serious study. Bro. E. P. Gibson was the inspiring genius in this enterprise, and was ably supported by a group of devoted teachers. The Vacation Church School at White's Chapel, super-

vised by Mrs. Marion W. Clark, is unquestionably one of the best in the Conference. This type of work was carried on either on individual charges, or by groups of churches throughout the Conference and represents one of the most important as well as the most efficient aspect of our work; the number of such schools was an increase over last year. The Leadership Training Courses on the Wilmington District centered around Ezion M. E. Church, to which came youth representatives from Mt. Joy, Mt. Carmel, Haven, and Newport, Delaware City was another focal study point, in which New Castle, Odessa, St. Georges, and Buttonwood cooperated. A successful Pannel Discussion group, the only one of the kind in the Conference, was conducted at Mt. Carmel, Wilmington. The participants were the younger members of the faculty of the Howard High School. Brother Howard A. Bailey, the Counsellor for this district, rendered valuable services to the various district programs.

Many youth conferences or rallies were also held, notably at Middletown, Dover, Laurel, Delaware, and South Berlin and Preston, Md., and Mt. Zion, Philadelphia, and at each of the five District Epworth League Conventions, most of which I attended. Nearly every phase of work in the field of Religious Education was at sometime presented during the year at various places, and at the preaching services to which I have been invited. Most of my time has been spent below Wilmington and on the Eastern Shore. It is here in the small towns and rural districts that the fields are ripe. The annual camp meetings present the greatest challenge and opportunity to christian education we have. These institution, probably a century old, may yet be geared into some definite agency of real usefulness, besides as a means of raising World Service and Pastor's Salaries. During these seasons, numbers of churches are closed and scores, if not hundreds of young people are turned loose to mill around aimlessly, Sunday after Sunday. No more tragic and pathetic spectacle presents itself to even the casual observer. These young people need guidance, and desire it; and I earnestly request the privilege of cooperation with any of those pastors who conduct these meetings to organize on such campaigns; Sunday Schools or any other form of youth religious program, as may seem possible and convenient. I throw this challenge into your laps.

I have been permitted, in addition to the foregoing duties under the church extension direction of the Board of Home Missions, to cooperate in their work of Religious Education for rural and county churches, and have either taught classes or given lectures in this field at Bethune-Cookman College, Daytona Beach, Fla.; Rust College, Holly Springs, Miss.; Philander Smith College, Little Rock, Arkansas; Morrilstown College, Morrilstown, Tenn.; Alabama State College, Montgomery, Alabama; Savannah State College, Savannah, Ga.; Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C., and Morgan College, Baltimore, Md.

In all of this work I have been genuinely supported and encouraged by all of the District Superintendents and many of the pastors. The Chairman and members of the Conference Board have cooperated in a fine manner. With great pleasure, I present this account of my stewardship.

Sincerely,

F. J. HANDY, Director.

REPORT OF THE INSTITUTE.

The Nineteen Thirty-Eight Institute was in many respects better than any previously held by these two Conferences

The faculty and staff were a group of sincere persons with a deep knowledge of the subjects they were presenting.

The student body was a group of young men and women carefully selected from the various churches and communities, who reflected credit to the churches sending them, both from their christian character and their high intellectuality; it was a joy to see them in action, at the morning watch, in their class rooms, in their recreation, in their group singing, and in the display of their extraordinary talent at the Institute Talent Night. The high character exhibited by them in the total programs of the Institute would make one wish that all of our young people in Methodism had the opportunity to share the program that was the privilege of these limited few.

Another feature which made this Institute outstanding was the support given it by the two Conferences; the largest support ever contributed from the districts was registered this year, totaling five hundred and fifty-one (\$551.00) dollars.

The Religious Education Fraternity, the W. W. F. R. E. is making its contribution in a wholesome manner in bringing back to the Institute annually those who pursue the post graduate courses offered by the school, and giving themselves to the promotion of the coming of new students.

There is splendid cooperation between the faculty, staff and Commission.

The Commission by unanimous vote authorized the celebration of the Nineteen-forty Institute with a special program in re-organization of twenty years in service. Perhaps the most gratifying incident of the Nineteen Thirty-eight Institute is that we were able to meet all of our expenses and carry a balance of \$74.77.

The financial Report is as follows:

Brought forward	\$ 1.85
From Registration	242.50
From Delaware Conference	275.00
From Washington Conference	276.00
Collections	7.83
Candy, etc.	7.00
M. E. Book Concern	5.40
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Total	\$ 815.58
Expenditures	\$ 741.81
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Leaving a balance	\$ 74.77

Recommendations.

1. That we accept the available dates at Morgan College, August 14 to 20.
2. That each Conference accept an apportionment of four hundred (\$400.) to be distributed by the District Superintendents.

3. That each charge through its pastor report its apportionment to the District Superintendent on or before July 20.
4. That each charge send at least one delegate and the larger churches at least one for every 200 members.
5. That the week be observed as Youth Institute Week and the pastors aim to give fellowship with their young people at the Institute.

With many thanks for the fine cooperation given and soliciting the continued support, I am

Sincerely,

ALBERT J. MITCHELL, Manager.

SOCIAL SERVICE REPORT.

Your committee, reflecting upon the state of human society today, sees a great need for service. The problems arising are vexing; nevertheless, it is the duty of the church to advance the interests of the Kingdom of God and thereby bring a righteous force to bear upon the maladjustments in our social organism.

We view with alarm the increase in the distribution of unclean literature which offends common decency as has been revealed by surveys of the news and book stands of our country. Emphasis upon low moral standards and crime makes this literature a menace to our people, especially our young people. We ask our churches to point to the wholesome literature that is obtainable and that will contribute to the enrichment of human personality.

We also direct your attention to the widespread and increasing sin of gambling; we deplore the tendency in some States to legalize certain forms of this pastime. We call upon our churches everywhere to rise in spiritual might and help create a social conscience that will result in a general outcry against this growing evil.

We are still harassed by the unemployment situation; we do not see that continuous spending will bring us out; there are still at least ten millions of unemployed in our midst; in view of this, we call for a greater cooperation between the government and business; and for scientific employment as among means that might be helpful in reducing the army of the unemployed.

The threats of war in the world are very grave; nations under dictatorships seem determined to force the issue; pacts and treaties no longer are binding; and nations are engaged in wars that are undeclared; they are battling, they say, for a place in the sun; armament races among the nations are in progress. We call upon our churches to mould attitudes in keeping with followers of the Prince of Peace.

We recommend to our churches a suggestion of the General Conference Commission on World Peace, namely, "that we work for a wide distribution of a pamphlet written by Bishop Edgar Blake" entitled "Where Are We Going?"

In the realm of race relations we are grateful for the different agencies working for a better understanding among the children of men. Especially do we commend those citizens of our country who, now and then, are

called upon by the exigencies of the day to make a decision that calls attention to the fact that race prejudice is out of place in a government conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition of equality of opportunity; yea, that militates against the doctrine of the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of man.

This Committee would like this Conference to go on record commending the stand taken by Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt in reference to the rejection of a Marian Anderson Concert to be given in Constitution Hall, Washington, D. C.

In conclusion, we request our people to pray that a greater social imagination might be kindled so that social action working toward a solution of our problems might be taken.

Signed: C. E. KINCADE,
A. E. RANDALL,
J. W. ELBERT,
F. H. BUTLER,
O. P. DICKERSON.

REPORT OF BOARD OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING AND PRINCESS ANNE SCHOOL OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING.

The Board of Ministerial Training is your educational agency to supervise the studies of the young ministers pursuing conference courses of studies, and to give encouragement for the continued study to as many as are elected to do so.

The significance of this responsibility is all too apparent. The educational trend today moves toward the scientific, administrative and practical aspects of life, rather than to the cultural and spiritual; this field seems almost entirely abandoned, and it appears to be left to the Ministers of the Gospel, and the Church to cultivate these cultures, if we are to develop a virile and courageous generation for the future leadership in matters of morals and the spirit. The ministers must lead the way.

We are not taking any too seriously the training of our men for the ministry, nor do we seem to have any definite and intelligent method for securing recruits. Too many of our young men appear to be satisfied, if they are barely able to meet the minimum disciplinary requirements for admission on trial, and then to trail along halfheartedly until they complete the conference course of study, with but little intention of returning for further study. They thus go out in life, both poorly and inadequately prepared to face the most serious problems man has been called on to confront and with very scant equipment.

Serious factors leap into the picture and force themselves upon us,—namely the necessity of utilizing accepted supplies in lieu of members of the conference, the raising of the standard for admission to college grade, the possible retirement of those eligible to do so together with others who are slowly but definitely approaching that period, and the increasing death rate of those in active service.

These problems force themselves into our thinking and clamor for a solution. We must face them sensibly, intelligently and courageously, and plan ahead some definite and adequate means of meeting the impending and inevitable crisis.

The School of Ministerial Training and the Summer School of Theology have been grappling with these problems for several years. Last year was one of our best sessions. During my absence in the South, Dr. D. W. Henry assumed the Deanship. He performed a splendid job, and the members of the faculty were as loyal and as faithful as ever before. There were however only about 30 students present, the smallest number that we have had in years, and half of these were accepted supplies, who may never become members of the conference, thus there is created a situation which calls for serious thought, if not immediate consideration and action.

I desire to present the following simple statistics which may help us visualize our serious situation.

Table I—1937-1938

Total number of accepted supplies on roll	29
Total number of accepted supplies holding charges	10

That is 34½ % of all the accepted supplies holding charges that might or could be held by members on trial or otherwise, if we could get them.

Table II—1937-1938

Number of members on trial pursuing this course of study....	11
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Now compare table (1) with table (2) and we have practically as many supplies in the conference course of studies holding appointments as we have members on trial. The significance of this seems to indicate that the conference is not securing a sufficiently trained number of young men to do its work.

Table III—Gains—1937-1938

Received in full membership	0
Received by transfer	0
Received from other churches (credentials)	0
Total	0

Gains—1938-1939

Received into full membership (From the course of study)	2
Received by transfer	1
Received from other churches (credentials)	3
Total	6

Three of these came from other churches, and one from another conference, only two or ⅓ came from the regular conference course, besides in the two years under consideration, the conference has not received any candidates on trial.

Table IV—Losses—1937-1938

By transfer	1
By retirement	1
By death	4
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Total	6

Table V—Losses—1938-1939

By transfer	1
By retirement	0
By death	9
	—
Total	10

Summary of Gains Received in Conference

1937-1938	0
1938-1939	6
	—
Total	6

Summary of Losses in Conference

1937-1938	6
1938-1939	10
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Total	16

Thus over against the gain of six (6) men in two years is placed the loss of 16 men for the same period, and for the two year period there is a loss of 10 men or a loss of 5 men each year. The serious problem is then, how long can the conference remain efficient?

Several alternatives face us, (1) We must draw continuously on the list of accepted supplies. This procedure is quite undesirable, it is too uncertain and indefinite. (2) We may receive men by credentials from other churches. This procedure is desirable, but not always feasible or profitable.

(3) We may seek for transfers from other conferences. This is desirable, feasible and both profitable and unprofitable.

(4) We must find recruits from our Sunday schools, young people's organizations, our colleges and seminaries. This is very desirable, feasible, profitable, logical and legitimate. It is the only sure and dependable way to guarantee to our conference a steady and continuous stream of young men, adequately trained and thoroughly consecrated to the task of helping to save the world for Christ. If we fail in this,—we fail utterly.

Another factor of grave concern faces us. It has to do with our intellectual efficiency. For a period of six or seven years we have endeavored to develop a graduate course of study and to that end offered scholarships. Last year except for the faculty members who pursued graduate work, the number of ministers taking such courses was negligible.

It is fairly well recognized in educational circles that in order for one

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to become and continue both physically fit and mentally efficient, that he enjoy at least one year out of every seven for study and research.

The world moves on at a terrific rate. "Time makes ancient good uncouth." Mere general reading, more or less spasmodic, is not adequate, for one to maintain his leadership in a constantly changing world, with its developing standards, new points of view and the constant shifting of old frontiers and horizons until always and forever the lure of the beyond becomes more and more challenging and imperious. The minister must keep studying or he dies in both the concerns of the mind and spirit. Much of what was learned only five years ago in the colleges and seminaries is outmoded today. It needs revamping and revision, and unless we really do that, revise our old stock of knowledge systematically and regularly, we shall become as much out of joint as was Rip Van Winkle after his 20 years of slumber. We may not realize this; neither did Samson, as when he shook himself to utilize his old power and to his great dismay found it had left him.

The commission through Dr. MacRössie provides a graduate course of study for the next session of the summer school at Princess Anne, July 18-27, by Dr. Franklyn Rall, of Garrett, on the subject, "The Idea of God," in seven studies. This christian point of view is sorely needed in this age so insensible to spiritual values.

In view of the urgent need expressed in this report, I present the two following recommendations:

(1) That we respectfully request the District Superintendents to appoint a permanent annual conference committee of five (5) ministers, one from each district, to be known as the recruiting committee, who working in cooperation with the District Superintendents shall explore all possible sources and areas for recruits to our ministry, and submit from time to time to this conference a program or report by which they may be secured. The first tentative program to be presented at this seat of the conference no later than Saturday.

(2) That we also request the District Superintendents to appoint a committee of 16 ministers, two from each district, to be known as the graduate committee, who shall present at this conference and subsequent conferences recommendations for the pursuance of graduate work.

If in the central jurisdiction, we together with our other great conferences are to take our place, no better opportunity can be offered than now through a thoroughly trained and consecrated ministry and under whose leadership we may render some very definite service to the united church and to the Kingdom of God.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK J. HANDY.

**REPORT OF THE MANAGER OF THE SUMMER SCHOOL OF
MINISTERIAL TRAINING.**

To Bishop Richardson and Members of the Delaware Annual Conference,
Greetings:

The manager of the Summer School of Ministerial Training submits the following:

But before it is made, may the Manager say to you that he appreciates very much the honor bestowed upon him by my brothers and friends of this Conference in electing him to the position as manager of the above named school, held so long and efficiently by the late Dr. Ernest Lyon.

The manager now takes hold where he left off and he hopes to do a work for you in this position that you will approve and not a bit, be sorry of your choice.

This report cannot be called as one done by the Manager alone. It was not. In handling and caring for the finance he was assisted by the Rev. Mr. Hampton Johnson of this, your Conference, who so well assisted Dr. Lyon.

The Manager, through his office was able to meet all bills and still has a small surplus.

Receipts by Districts.

DELAWARE CONFERENCE.

Philadelphia District	\$ 83.00
Wilmington District	72.00
Easton District	44.00
Salisbury District	50.00
Dover District	50.00
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Total	\$ 299.0

WASHINGTON CONFERENCE.

North Baltimore District	\$ 75.00
South Baltimore District	52.00
Washington District	70.00
Charleston District	12.00
Alexandria District	20.00
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Total	\$ 229.00
Sunday Service	5.85
Entertainment	5.34
From Board of Education by Dr. Allan MacRossie	\$ 125.00
Summary Delaware Conference	\$ 299.00
Washington Conference	229.00
Board of Education	125.00
Other services	11.19
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Total	\$ 664.19

Expenditures.

To Old Account	\$ 55.04
Miscellaneous	19.02
To Board of Faculty and District Superintendents	152.34
To travel of students	215.56
To travel of Faculty and District Superintendents	186.70
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Total	\$ 628.66
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Total Expended	\$ 628.66
Receipts	\$ 664.19
Expenditures	628.66
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Balance on hand	\$ 35.53

J. H. JENKINS, Manager,
907 Jackson Street, Lynchburg, Virginia.

To the Bishop and Members of the Delaware Conference:

The Manager now wishes to make a subsequent report, if it is your wish to hear it.

This report follows:

The Midwinter School of Theology held in Washington, D. C., at the Mt. Zion Methodist Episcopal Church, Dunbarton Ave. N. W., was convened at the Annual Call of Dr. Allan MacRossie.

Present at this school were forty-two ministers coming from within the bounds of the Delaware and Washington Conferences. The discussion, directed by Drs. MacRossie and F. J. Handy, was most interesting—and centered around the subject "A Trained Mind." It was said by the Director and those present that it was the best yet held. The host church of which the Rev. Mr. A. Hall Whitfield is pastor, entertained its guest lavishly and without cost to the ministers.

The expenses to and from this school was provided for chiefly through Dr. Allan MacRossie.

Receipts—Board of Education	\$ 175.00
Expenses for travel	\$ 198.29
Amount in hand	\$ 175.00
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Due Manager	\$ 23.29

J. H. JENKINS, Manager.

THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The state of the church is largely affected by the conditions prevailing in the country and in the world. There is too much of the world and worldliness in the church, and not enough of the true church of Jesus Christ in the world.

The world today is in a most critical condition, and greatly perplexed with many serious problems—problems economic, political, social, domestic, racial and interracial, national and international, denominational and interdenominational. These problems are becoming more and more critical; and are taxing to the uttermost the wisdom of the political statesmen of the world and the wisest and best ecclesiastical leaders of the church.

Many plans and means have been tried and are being tried to remedy these perilous and trying conditions; such means and plans as education, legislation, arbitration, the world court, the league of nations, peace treaties, increase of large armies, navies and war planes, unification of churches, and various councils and conferences.

Yet these problems are becoming more and more perplexing and distressing, threatening the very destruction of civilization. Why? These awful conditions are the results of sin and selfishness in the hearts and lives of men both in the world and in the visible church. Not one of the remedies named above nor all of them combined can save our sin-cursed world. What is the remedy? Jesus Christ alone can save mankind from sin and selfishness. It is written: "Thou shalt call His name JESUS: for He shall save His people from their sins." "Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners. The Gospel of Jesus Christ "is the power of God unto salvation unto every one that believeth." Jesus says: "Ye must be born again." John 3:7. What the church needs today and must have for success in saving souls and for winning the world for Jesus Christ is the baptism with the Holy Spirit as the early church received at Pentecost. Jesus is still saying to His Church "Behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you: but tarry ye . . . until ye be endued with power from on high." "Ye shall receive power after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me, both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth."

Let us all earnestly pray and work that God will bless with success the Million Unit Fellowship Movement, be with and guide the Uniting Conference in Kansas City in April, and so unify and empower with the Holy Ghost the re-united Methodist Church that it will prove through the years to come to be "Christianity in earnest," preaching the Gospel and spreading Scriptural holiness everywhere so that the prayer taught by our Lord Jesus Christ shall be fulfilled, "Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven."

J. H. NUTTER,
W. C. THOMPSON,
C. E. KINCADE,
ALEXANDER REID,
C. B. MILES.

REPORT OF MINUTE MONEY.

Dover District.

B. B. Carson, Collector.

Charges and to whom sent	No. Sent	Amt. Due	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due
Bridgeville, B. G. Waters	12	\$ 2.75	\$ 2.75	
Bridgeville Ct., T. E. Randal	20	4.75	4.75	
Chestertown, R. G. Hughes	10	2.25	2.25	
Cheswold, F. T. Johnson	15	3.50	3.50	
Clarksville, F. D. Jones	12	2.75	2.75	
Coleman, J. H. Nutter	10	2.25	2.25	
Crumpton, L. W. Pinkett	10	2.25	2.25	
Delmar, C. L. Trader	13	3.00	3.00	
Dover, C. H. Spence	16	3.75	3.75	
Dover Ct., C. W. Winder	7	1.50	1.50	
Fairlee, F. R. Richardson	8	1.75	1.75	
Galena, W. O. Turner	15	3.50	3.50	
Harrington, W. D. L. Lyght	16	3.75	3.75	
Laurel, B. B. Carson	15	3.50	3.50	
Laurel Ct., J. J. Mitchell	5	1.00	1.00	
Lewes, K. S. Stewart	6	1.25	1.25	
Lincoln, J. O. Lockman	12	2.75	2.75	
Mardela Springs, W. E. Marks	18	4.25	4.25	
Melitota, L. H. Martin	22	5.25	5.25	
Milford, J. R. Waters	8	1.75	1.75	
Millington, C. E. Kiah	18	4.25	4.25	
Nassau, M. O. Ballard	13	3.00	3.00	
Newark, W. W. Brown	12	2.75	2.75	
North Berlin, J. H. Stevenson	25	6.00	6.00	
Pomona, M. C. Jennings	8	1.75	1.75	
Rock Hall, J. O. Stanley	7	1.50	1.50	
Sassafras, J. E. Clark	10	2.25	2.25	
Sharptown, J. L. Davis	12	2.75	2.75	
Seaford, J. H. Hubbard	12	2.75	2.75	
Smyrna, M. V. Waters	5	1.00	1.00	
South Berlin, W. H. Coffee, Jr.	16	3.75	3.75	
Still Pond, W. E. Hilton	10	2.25	3.25	
Townsend, K. L. Jackson	6	1.25	1.25	
Trinity, C. H. Moloch	10	2.25	2.25	
Total	299	\$95.00	\$95.00	

Easton District.

F. O. Kershaw, Collector.

Charges and to whom sent	No. Sent	Amt. Due	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due
Aireys, W. C. West	27	\$ 6.50	\$ 6.50	
Beckwith, J. G. Stevens	8	1.75		\$ 1.75
Cambridge, C. D. Gerald	15	3.75	3.75	
Cambridge Ct., S. G. Dix	18	4.25	4.25	
Carmichael, C. C. Thomas	22	5.25	5.25	
Centerville, C. B. Miles	15	3.50	3.50	
Centerville Ct., R. W. Cheers	10	2.25		2.25
Chapel, W. C. Thomas	12	2.75	2.75	
Church Creek, A. W. McBride	20	4.75	4.75	
Church Hill, F. C. Kershaw	10	2.25	2.25	
Crapo, P. R. Brown	10	2.25	2.25	
Denton, O. P. Dickerson	8	1.75	1.75	
Easton, J. S. Coulbourn	20	4.75	4.75	
East New Market, W. A. Harewood	15	3.50	3.50	
East New Market Ct., E. W. Holden	10	2.25	2.25	
Federalsburg, C. J. Williams	12	2.75	2.75	
Greensboro, J. O. Griffin	10	2.25	2.25	
Hurlock, L. E. Thomas	25	6.00	6.00	
Linkwood, J. E. McBride	6	1.25	1.25	
Marydel, S. R. Miles	18	4.25		4.25
McDaniel, Roland Grant	9	2.00	2.00	
Miles River, E. H. Jolley	10	2.25	2.25	
Oxford, L. E. Hodges	10	2.25	2.25	
Preston, C. W. Derrickson	20	4.75	4.75	
Royal Oak, W. T. Spellman	30	7.25	7.25	
Stevensville, J. A. Fassett	15	3.50	3.50	
St. Michaels, R. S. Johns	33	8.00	8.00	
Taylor's Island, V. B. Wright	12	2.75		2.75
Trappe, W. E. Waters	10	2.25	2.25	
Vienna, A. A. McDowell	5	1.00	1.00	
Williston, C. T. Wilson	5	1.00		1.00
Wittman, R. E. Hamilton	17	4.00	4.00	
Total	478	\$111.75	\$99.75	\$12.00

Philadelphia District.

D. R. Fletcher, Collector.

Charges and to whom sent	No. Sent	Amt. Due	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due
Brooklyn, N. Y.:				
John Wesley, J. E. Dunn	10	\$2.25	\$2.25	
Newman, E. H. Crampton	4	.75	.75	
East Calvary, N. Y., J. N. C. Davis	5	1.00		1.50

Charges and to whom sent	No. Sent	Amt. Due	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due
Englewood, N. J., W. A. Johnson	10	2.25	2.25	
Montclair, N. J., W. J. Helm	25	7.00	7.00	
Newark, N. J., W. C. Thompson	16	3.75	3.75	
New Rochelle, N. Y., G. T. Jackson	10	2.25	2.25	
Butler Mem., Charles Carrington	3	.50	.50	
Orange, N. J., J. N. Bullen	6	1.25	1.25	
Philadelphia, Pa.:				
Camphor Mem., N. W. Moore, Jr.	13	3.00	3.00	
E. Germantown, J. T. Wallace	7	1.50	1.50	
Germantown, F. H. Butler	50	12.25	12.25	
Frankford, Wm. Goldsborough	15	3.50	3.50	
Haven, J. W. Jefferson	33	8.50	8.50	
John Simmons, J. W. Thomas	25	6.00	4.50	1.50
John Wesley, W. A. Hubbard	36	8.75	8.75	
Mt. Zion, H. R. Coleman	12	2.75	2.75	
Peniel, D. R. Fletcher	17	4.00	4.00	
Tindley Temple, D. W. Henry	50	12.25	12.25	
Zoar, L. H. McArthur	35	8.50	8.50	
Trenton, N. J., T. H. Woodley	14	3.25	3.25	
White Plains, N. Y., H. T. Johnson	12	2.75	2.75	
Total	398	\$96.25	\$93.25	\$3.00

Salisbury District.

M. C. Anderson, Collector.

Charges and to whom sent	No. Sent	Amt. Due	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due
Cottage Grove, Jose Angulo	12	\$2.75	\$2.75	
Crisfield:				
Shiloh, J. A. Kiah	25	6.00	6.00	
Union Asbury, W. R. Price	15	3.50	3.50	
Dames Quarter, C. P. Spencer	7	1.50		1.50
Deals Island, D. W. Collins	8	1.75	1.75	
Fruitland, A. L. Black	32	7.75	7.75	
Fairmount Ct., J. L. Parker	22	5.25	5.25	
Girdletree, C. T. Covington	10	2.25	2.25	
Hopewell, C. L. Jones	15	3.50		3.50
Horntown, Elisha White	14	3.25	3.25	
Keller, Clarence Bagwell	15	3.50		3.50
Kingston, R. A. F. Graham	15	3.50	3.50	
Leemont, W. E. Stanley	15	3.50	3.50	
Liberia, E. Z. Heath	6	1.25	1.25	
Manokin Ct., G. S. Jacobs	15	3.50	3.50	
Marion Station, T. W. Cooper	30	7.25	7.25	
Mt. Vernon, A. J. S. Coard	16	3.75	3.75	
Oakville & Flower Hill, A. F. Winder	13	3.00	3.00	

Charges and to whom sent	No. Sent	Amt. Due	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due
Oriole, H. E. Anderson	15	3.50	3.50	
Pocomoke City, W. H. Mears	36	8.75	8.75	
Princess Anne, A. L. Martin	15	3.50	3.50	
Sallsbury:				
John Wesley, E. P. Gibson	12	2.75	2.75	
Whites Temple, M. W. Clark	20	4.75	4.75	
Snow Hill, J. Lee Sawyer	13	3.00	3.00	
Stockton, J. R. Purnell	12	2.75	2.75	
Stockton & Snow Hill Ct., R. J. Williams . .	6	1.25	1.25	
Unionville, J. W. Elbert	21	5.00	4.00	1.00
Wachapreague, J. R. Shockley	9	2.00	2.00	
Wattsville, I. R. Elzey	18	4.25	4.25	
Wetipquin, Alex. Reid	19	4.50	4.50	
White Haven, I. D. Pitts	4	.75	.75	
Total	381	\$110.00	\$100.50	\$9.50

Wilmington District.

H. A. Bailey, Collector.

Charges and to whom sent	No. Sent	Amt. Due	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due
Atlantic City, N. J.:				
Asbury, J. M. Dickerson	25	\$6.00		\$6.00
Hamilton Mem., J. W. Parker	12	2.75	\$2.75	
Bridgeton, D. L. Ridout	13	3.00	3.00	
Burlington, B. A. Arnold	10	2.25	2.25	
Buttonwood, C. E. Kincade	7	1.50	1.50	
Camden, D. S. Quillin	12	2.75	2.75	
Cape May & Swanton, W. G. Matthews . . .	13	3.00	3.00	
Chester, Pa.:				
Siloam, W. H. Johns	20	4.75	4.75	
St. Daniels, L. S. Moore	31	7.50	7.50	
Delair, F. O. T. Laws	14	3.25	3.25	
Delaware City & Kirkwood, S. G. Fullman.	10	2.25	2.25	
Elkton, C. W. Pullett	5	1.00	1.00	
Fordsville, J. H. Blackiston	10	2.25	2.25	
Grenloch & Rhodes, A. L. Scriber	12	2.75	2.00	.75
Lawnside, S. M. Emptage	15	3.50	3.50	
Merchantville, J. L. Taylor	20	4.75	4.75	
Middletown, J. H. Russum	10	2.25	2.25	
Mt. Holly, J. I. Peaco	8	1.75	1.75	
New Castle, L. S. Perry	10	2.25	2.25	
Newport, H. A. Bailey	12	2.75	2.75	
Ocean City, W. H. Scott	4	.75	.75	
Odessa & St. Georges, E. N. Neals	16	3.75	3.75	

Charges and to whom sent	No. Sent	Amt. Due	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due
Pleasantville & Absecon, Malachi Raisin ..	7	1.50	1.50	
Port Norris, C. S. Sprigg	10	2.25	2.25	
Quinton & Springtown, J. J. Whittington ..	15	3.50	3.50	
Salem, R. W. Thomas	25	6.00	6.00	
Wilmington, Del.:				
Ezlon, D. H. Hargis	50	12.25	12.25	
Haven, W. A. Mulley	17	4.00	4.00	
Mt. Carmel, J. T. Ayers	6	1.25	1.25	
Mt. Joy, R. B. Thompson	14	3.25	3.25	
Woodbury, C. B. White	12	2.75	2.75	
Total	456	\$96.75	\$90.00	\$6.75

Summary.

	Amt. Due	Amt. Paid	Bal. Due
Dover District	\$ 95.00	\$ 95.00	
Easton District	111.75	99.75	\$12.00
Philadelphia District	96.25	93.25	3.00
Sallsbury District	110.00	100.50	9.50
Wilmington District	96.75	90.00	6.75
Total	\$509.75	\$468.50	\$31.25

VII

Obituary

JAMES MADDOX DICKERSON.

The late Rev. James Maddox Dickerson, son of the late Rev. Willis C. and Elmira Dickerson, was born in Jamestown, Somerset Co., Md., and died 1.15 A. M., Monday, December 5th, 1938, at his late residence, 1718 Arctic Avenue, Atlantic City, N. J. Having been born in a Parsonage, he moved from Charge to Charge with his father.

When a very young man he enlisted in the U. S. Army. On October 31st, 1893, while at Fort Douglas, Utah, he was made Corporal of Company "F" of the 24th Regiment Infantry. During his five years stay at this Fort, he also served as Telegraphic and Heliographic operator. On October 12th, 1899, he was made Sergeant Major of the 49th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers. On November 10th, 1899, he was commissioned by President William McKinley as 2nd Lieutenant, serving in Cuba and Philippine Islands during the Spanish-American War. On returning to the U. S. at the close of the war, he was stationed at Presidio, San Francisco, California. After thirteen years of honest and faithful service he received an honorable discharge from the Government service.

Thence, he taught in the public school at Barclay, Maryland for three consecutive years. In 1909 he was licensed to preach, by Rev. W. F. Cotton, D. D., District Supt. of Wilmington District, Delaware Conference. Soon thereafter he was appointed supply Pastor. In 1910 he joined the Conference at Haven Memorial Church, Philadelphia, Bishop W. F. Anderson presiding.

He faithfully and acceptably served the following charges: McDaniel, Maryland, four years; Greensboro, Maryland, five years; Salisbury, Maryland, six years; Whatcoat, Dover, Delaware, five and a half years; Ezion, Wilmington, one and a half years; District Superintendent of Salisbury District, six years; and Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J., one year and eight months, and "He was not for God took him."

In 1918 at Franklin Street Church, Cape May, N. J., Bishop Charles B. Mitchell presiding, he was elected Secretary of the Delaware Annual Conference, and enjoyed the distinction of serving fourteen years, a period longer than any other Secretary.

Brother Dickerson was an able and very zealous, conscientious Evangelistic Pastor-Preacher. Very frank and fearless in the performance of what he considered his righteous duty. Trained a soldier, his military mien sometimes caused him to be misunderstood; but when he was really known, he was polite, kind and deeply sympathetic.

At intervals during the last one and a half years of his pastorate, it was evident that he was declining in health. Yet, he was persistent in his loyalty to duty.

On Wednesday, November 30th, he took suddenly ill. He was conscious the attack was fatal. He remarked, "My race is almost run, but I have no regrets. Just beyond I see the distant Shining Shore." On Sunday morning the family noticed a decisive change. Summarily physicians held a consultation and a trained nurse was employed. Everything conceivable was done, but to no avail. The time of his departure was at hand. His last audible utterance was an attempt to sing his favorite Hymn,— "Sweet Hour of Prayer." Surrounded by his immediate family, the District Superintendent, loyal members, the nurse and sympathetic friends, he quietly passed to his Glorious Reward.

Brother Dickerson was married twice. Soon after his return from the Army he was joined in holy wedlock to Miss Bertha Virginia Landman of Millington, Maryland, who passed to the Great Beyond during his Pastorate at Greensboro, Maryland. In 1918 he was joined in holy wedlock to Mrs. Josie E. Hollis of Goldsboro, Maryland. She was a very devoted wife and a very valuable asset to him during his ministry. She survives him. Besides, there remain to mourn their loss: Two brothers, the Rev. Oliver P. Dickerson and Willis C. Dickerson, Jr.; a stepmother, Mrs. Willis C. Dickerson, Sr.; eight nieces and nephews, one great niece and five great great nieces and nephews.

The funeral services were conducted at nine p. m., December 7th, at Asbury Church, Atlantic City, N. J., by Dr. S. J. Horsey, District Superintendent. A very large representation of the ministry of the Delaware Annual Conference was present. The eulogy was delivered by Dr. S. J. Horsey and fitting remarks were made by Drs. David H. Hargis, J. T. Fletcher, F. H. Butler, D. W. Henry, Revs. D. A. Ridout and J. W. Parker. The City Ministerial Alliance was represented by Dr. A. C. Yearwood.

Resolutions of condolence from the local church were read by Mr. Jeremiah Pettyjohn and Miss Nettle Callis. Resolutions of condolence likewise were read from friends of all walks of life throughout the Conference and the Nation. Solos and favorite hymns of the deceased were rendered by the choirs.

The next day a large cortege accompanied the remains to Goldsboro, Maryland. Here at two p. m. the second funeral, which was again very largely attended, was conducted. Again the eulogy was delivered by Dr. S. J. Horsey, Revs. J. E. A. Johns, Dr. J. W. Jewett, E. O. Parker, District Superintendents, and W. H. Mears, I. R. Elzey, Dr. A. L. Martin, J. O. Griffin and the writer made sympathetic remarks.

Interment was made in the cemetery at Goldsboro, Maryland. And we gave his Spirit to the Eternities.

Ten thousand times ten thousand,
In sparkling raiments white,
The armies of the ransomed saints
Throng up the steeps of light.

'Tis finished, all is finished,
The fight with death and sin
Fling open wide the Golden Gates
And let the victor in.

—DAVID H. HARGIS.

GEORGE THOMAS FIELDS.

George Thomas Fields, the son of the late James and Amelia Harris Fields, was born in St. Georges, Delaware, February 8, 1862.

He began school at the age of ten years, attending from January until March, a school two miles distant from his home. He left school at the age of seventeen and worked on a farm, on the railroad and in a stone quarry and as a hod carrier.

His total of a little over twenty months of schooling, over a period of seven years, left him with such little educational equipment that he continued to learn on his own account by buying books and studying by lamp light after work until the late hours of the night.

On July 4, 1881, he was married to Miss Sara Draper. To this union eleven children were born, eight of whom survive: Ella, Sadie, Hattie, Letha, William, Margaret, Lena, Foster. George, Cetoria, and James preceded him to the Great Beyond.

On moving to Chester, Pa. to make his home, he joined St. Daniel's M. E. Church. He was licensed to preach in St. Daniel's M. E. Church by the late Rev. George H. Washington in 1896.

In that same year he organized Siloam M. E. Church. In 1897 he was admitted into the Delaware Annual Conference, and was assigned to Bridgeton Circuit, New Jersey, where he organized John Wesley Church.

From Bridgeton, he was sent to Marydel, Md., where he remained seven years, remodeling two of the three churches.

He served Linkwood Charge for four years.

Then to Stevensville, Md., where he served five years. There he built a church with no funds in hand at all, as a result of faith and prayer. Lumber and money being given by men whom he did not know personally.

From Stevensville he went to South Berlin, Md. Here he labored for two years.

Thence to Haven, Wilmington, Delaware, and did a significant piece of work in the western section of that city. This church was in great debt and had but 134 members. Through his planning here the church greatly grew by bounds during his stay of six years.

Arriving in Salem, New Jersey, as his next field of labor, he found the church in a critical condition. At his first Communion Service twenty-two persons were present. Here he remained for fourteen years, laboring for his Master, with marked success, the church membership now nearing the four hundred mark. Here he remained 14 years.

While doing constructive work in Kingdom Building, he was even more a power in the pulpit and a great spiritual force in each community where he served.

On May 9, 1915, his first wife was called from labor to reward.

On August 22, 1918, he was united in wedlock to Miss Almira Fassett. She was translated in September, 1934.

He was retired at the last session of the Conference in Ezion Church, Wilmington, Delaware.

He was stricken on his way home from the Conference and continued to grow weaker and his eyesight dimmer until the end.

On the eve of August 3, 1938, he quietly slipped away to the Great Beyond. Shadows were falling here, but it was Sunlight in Glory for him.

The funeral services were conducted by Dr. S. J. Horsey, Dr. L. S. Moore, Dr. D. H. Hargis, Rev. J. E. A. Johns and many other ministers of the Conference, in St. Daniel's M. E. Church, Chester, Pa.

Interment in Green Lawn Cemetery, Chester, Pa.

"We shall meet beyond the river."

His daughter,

ELLA BAILEY.

GEORGE SPENCER JACOBS.

The late Rev. George Spencer Jacobs was born to the late Alfred and Mary Ellen Jacobs, June 17th, 1889, in Lawnside, New Jersey, and departed this life January 27, 1939, in Salisbury Hospital, Salisbury, Maryland, aged 49 years and 7 months.

Brother Jacobs spent the greater part of his life in Philadelphia, Pa. There he attended the public school and made the foundation to serve the cause so dear to him until called by death to joys eternal.

He was converted at the age of 17 and joined himself to communion and fellowship of Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church, and there served as President of the Epworth League, Class leader and Steward, reaching the age of 21 was elected a member of the Trustee board, holding these charges faithfully and helpfully.

The late Rev. Charles Albert Tindley, his pastor, recognizing his qualifications, appointed him assistant of his Bible class. He is reputed to have been punctual and efficient in these charges.

In preparation for greater service in the ministry he attended the Miller School of Theology and Temple University.

December, 1913 he was given his first work as Pastor, filling the pastorate made vacant by the death of Rev. Hayman Ward in Bridgeton, New Jersey.

The Conference of 1914 held at Ezion M. E. Church, Wilmington, Del., Bishop Quale presiding, admitted brother Jacobs to preparatory membership. It was here he received his first Conference appointment. He served faithfully the following charges: Centreville Circuit, Greenwood, Mt. Vernon, Stockton, Parsonburg, Sharptown, Sassafras, Melitota, Manokin, from whence he was translated. Twenty-four years and nine months were the periods of service in this two years of retirement caused by illness.

December 24th, 1913, he was united in holy wedlock to Miss Irene Bostic, of Wilmington, Delaware, who has served faithfully with him, making sunshine in that life and success in the work to which they were sent, giving full proof of her ability to be a helper in the work for which from childhood she was prepared.

This last charge during the nine months of their service have fully recognized their worth and mourn this sudden departure that came early

on Friday morning, January 27th, in the Hospital at Salisbury, Md. Rev. George S. Jacobs gave evidence in the brief service held by Rev. E. P. Gibson, pastor of John Wesley M. E. Church, and Rev. J. E. A. Johns, his District Superintendent, January 25th, when he was preparing to leave home for the institution from which he passed to the home beyond. He was not surprised that his translation was near. A splendid man has left us, one clean and truthful. Our loss is certainly his gain.

To mourn his loss he leaves a loving wife, three brothers, one sister and a number of nieces and nephews. Interment was made in Mount Zion Cemetery, Lawnside, N. J.

O Paradise, O Paradise,
 Who doth not care for rest;
 Who would not seek the happy land
 When they that love are blest?
 When loyal hearts and true
 Stand ever in the light,
 All rapture through and through,
 In God's most holy sight.

—SYDNEY M. EMPTAGE.

WILLIAM HOWARD JEFFERSON.

Brother William Howard Jefferson, the eighth of ten sons born to David and Rhoda Jefferson, of Middletown, Delaware, was about 65 years of age and pastor of Barclay charge on the Easton District when he came to the end of his earthly journey.

He was a christian and a member of church almost all of his life, being converted at the early age of 16 years.

He filled many offices in Dale's M. E. Church, Middletown, where he also was made Local Preacher.

He knew the Bible very well, having been Sunday School Superintendent for many years, during which time he always kept the Christian life before the young people. Even while he was young and a single man he obeyed the Divine call to preach the Gospel, and all the people who heard him preach or pray were deeply moved to live better lives.

Having been happily married June 29, 1901 to Miss Blanche C. Price, he became the honorable and happy father of twelve (12) children, five boys and seven girls, four of whom, two girls and two boys preceded him into the Glory Land.

One would be struck with his fatherly spirit, and with his tender devotion to his very faithful wife.

The whole family, including the companions of his married sons and daughters, loved Brother Jefferson and mourn his passing.

For ten years he faithfully served Barclay charge and every year his return was earnestly requested.

His general manner of life was quiet, amiable and pleasing, so that he could not only make friends, but he could hold all the friends he made. He always carried a smile and a kind word for everyone.

And now he waits in the Land of the Never-Setting Sun, not only for his own children and companion, but also for Rev. J. W. Jefferson and two other brothers, Lorenzo and Frederick, and fifteen grandchildren and for all the faithful whom he knew in this life.

"Hark, hark, my soul, Angelic songs are swelling
 O'er earth's green fields; and oceans wave-beats shore
 How sweet the truth those blessed strains are telling
 Of the new Life when sin shall be no more.
 Angels of Jesus, angels of light singing to welcome
 The pilgrims of the night."

—W. A. T. MILES.

JAMES ALBERT KIAH, S. T. B.

James Albert Kiah, son of the late William and Adeliah Kiah, was born in Cambridge, Dorchester County, Md. He departed this life Sunday, 2:15 A. M., February 19, 1939, in the Shiloh M. E. Parsonage, Crisfield, Md.

He like his twin brother, the late Principal T. H. Kiah, also a member of the Delaware Annual Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, who preceded him to the Heavenly home 2 years, 1 month and 20 days, was impressed with the thought of the Christian ministry as a possible calling. To qualify for his life's work he entered the Princess Anne Academy, and after completing the prescribed course of study, he entered and graduated from Lincoln University. He was admitted on trial into the Delaware Annual Conference by the late Bishop Earl Cranston at Zoar Church, Philadelphia, Pa., 1908.

Rev. Kiah served acceptably the following appointments: Ocean City, N. J., 2 years; Pleasantville, N. J., 5 years; Upper Fairmount, Md., 4 years; Quantico, Md., 4 years; White Temple, Salisbury, Md., 7 years; Shiloh, Crisfield, Md., 9 years. In 1915 Rev. Kiah was appointed pastor of my home Church, St. Andrews, Upper Fairmount, Md. Being a single man he did not occupy the parsonage, but made our house his home for more than two years. We found in him an ideal guest, a Christian minister, honorable and above reproach.

On June 24, 1916 he married Miss Novella Nutter, of Nanticoke, Md. God blessed this union with four children, Anna Elizabeth, James Arthur, Juanita Novella, and Donald Allen. Anna and Juanita died in early childhood, and his dearly beloved companion, Mrs. Novella Kiah, his greatest earthly asset, was not for God took her June 21, 1928.

On June 19, 1929 he married Miss Catherine Beatrice Collins, of Salisbury, Md., who worked earnestly and faithfully with him to the end. She has from the beginning played the part of a real mother to the two children. She faithfully labored incessantly with her beloved companion in the work of the Christian ministry without murmur or complaint, and during his brief illness she was solicitous to the end. Just a few days before his fatal illness I met Rev. Kiah at Princess Anne College on "Day of Prayer" for colleges. He was cheerful, happy, and in fine spirit. We talked at length and parted to meet at Wattsville, Va., during the Annual Efficiency Conference of the Salisbury District, Feb. 22. I visited him during illness

and found him unconscious. I need scarcely say that Rev. Kiah died as the Christian dieth, "full of faith." Having served his own generation by the will of God, he has fallen asleep, and now rests from his labors among the blessed and illustrious dead. The death of such a man at any time is always felt to be an irreparable loss. Let us catalogue a few of the component parts of our deceased friend and brother. Let us place reason at the head of the list, next common sense, his conscience, his ambition, his courage, his affection. Other peculiarities, seen in themselves, would have made him a marked man, but I think these are the peaks with which he held up the crown of his greatness. Consider his fidelity. He was open to conviction, if wrong could be convinced and swayed to the right path, for the right with him was ever the supreme, but once settled in purpose, he could not be moved. He was not a rover or a shifter, playing fast and loose with duty, but an earnest man who having found truth planted himself on it with a firmness invincible. The elements were so evenly mixed in him, and the powers so nicely poised, that he seemed able to do his best on all occasions and under any circumstances. As a pastor he was methodical, exact, easy and without blemish. It was not with Rev. Kiah simply believing and preaching, he lived his belief, and practiced his preaching. If to be great means a gentleman, with all that the term implies, then this our brother and friend was great. May Shiloh Church, which for nine years enjoyed the services of this servant of the Lord, and for whose prosperity he so diligently and conscientiously toiled, not only cherish a grateful remembrance of his Christian and ministerial virtues, but be long blessed with a succession of ministers who shall make his virtues their exemplar and transmit to posterity unsullied those pure doctrines of Christ which Rev. Kiah so faithfully and so successfully proclaimed.

We deeply sympathize with the widow, children and relatives who have been called to part with their chief earthly counsellor and support, and we earnestly beseech the Father in Heaven to grant them the consolation they so much need and which He alone can give. The Annual Conference honored itself as well as Rev. Kiah, having elected him consecutively treasurer of its funds.

—HERBERT S. WILSON.

EDWARD HOOPER JOLLEY.

The Rev. Edward Hooper Jolley, son of Stephen C. and Sarah H. Jolley was born at Vienna, Md., Jan. 29, 1874. He was converted in 1889 in Washington, D. C., where he was attending school preparatory to his career as a school teacher. From this time on he evidenced the fact that a new life had begun with him. In May 28th, 1895 he was married to the winsome Miss Lily B. Adams; this proved to be a happy union to which were born three children, Mrs. Mildred Stewart of Cedarville, N. J., Webster L. Jolley who like his father after adequate preparation entered the teaching profession, Miss Edith M. Jolley a teacher in Cambridge, Md., and Miss Corinda Stewart, a granddaughter who grew up in this christian home is also teaching school. Four other grand children survive.

In 1915 Brother Jolley heard the divine call to the Methodist Ministry and he gave up teaching school to become a minister of Jesus Christ acceptably serving the following charges: East New Market Circuit, 1 year; Beckwith, 2 years; Whaleyville, 3 years; Newark, Md., 2 years; Lincoln City, Del., 4 years; Crumpton, 1 year; Linkwood, 6 years and 11 months where he terminated his useful and faithful life, for he was a faithful pastor and cooperated with the program of the District. He was just, honest and dependable. Two sisters survive, Mrs. Marcelena Kilson of Sudlersville, Md., Mrs. Gertrude Johns of Atlantic City, N. J. The conduct of his children reflect the life of a christian home. Besides the above mentioned survivors a faithful and devoted widow mourns her loss.

Servant of God well done;
The battles fought, the victory's won
Rest from thy loved employ.
Enter thy Master's joy.

CHAS. C. THOMAS.

LAURENCE S. PERRY.

The late Rev. Laurence S. Perry, son of the late William and Cecill Perry, was born in Charleston, S. C., but went to New York at the age of 15 years and received his fundamental and high school education in the public schools of that city.

He attended the Salem M. E. Church as his choice and there received the blessed new birth. Brother Perry soon gave evidence of a sterling character and rare abilities. He served efficiently as Church School Superintendent, Church Clerk, first president of Epworth League, Exhorter and Local Preacher.

During these religious and educational activities, Brother Perry met and became affectionately interested in one Miss Lillian B. Humphries whom he later married. To this union was born a girl—Nellie.

Brother Perry received the call to the Christian ministry and keenly felt his need of preparation for so great a task as that of a "good minister of Jesus Christ". So he entered Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Georgia, from which he was honorably graduated. He then joined the Delaware Annual Conference in 1920, and was pastor of the following Charges: Bridgeton, N. J., 1 year; White Plains, N. Y., 2 years; Mt. Zion, Philadelphia, 2 years; St. Paul, Philadelphia, 2 years; Pleasantville, N. J., 3 years; Brooklyn, N. Y., 5 years; Trenton, N. J., 1 year; New Castle, Del., 2½ years.

Rev. L. S. Perry was a conscientious, tireless laborer for the King. Although he was for sometime ill, he persisted to do his duty despite the protests of the attending physician and the family and friends. As the end drew near he became too ill to carry on. He was taken, as he desired, to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Nellie Wormsley, Brooklyn, N. Y. Here, on October 30, 1939, Brother Perry suffered a stroke and was very ill for two weeks. On the Lords' Day, November 13th, his Lord called him from sickness and pain to endless joy, from death to life eternal, from faithful labor to a glorious reward.

The funeral services were held in Newman Memorial M. E. Church, Brooklyn, New York, and were conducted by the Rev. E. H. Crampton, pastor, with Dr. J. T. Fletcher and Dr. F. A. Cullen, assistants. Others present included the Rev. S. D. Henry, F. O. T. Laws, L. H. King, J. W. Jefferson, H. R. Coleman, H. T. Johnson, E. W. Dean, R. A. McCarthy, J. W. A. Johnson, C. E. Kincaide, and others.

The Rev. L. S. Perry is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lillian B. Perry, a daughter, Mrs. Nellie Wormsley, son-in-law, two grandchildren, three sisters, one brother, many cousins, nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

His remains were laid to rest in the Cypress Hills Cemetery, Brooklyn, New York.

—MALACHI RASIN.

RICHARD ADOLPHUS MCCARTHY.

Richard Adolphus McCarthy, son of Robert and Phoebe McCarthy was born August 28, 1885, in Jamaica, British West Indies. He came to America thirty three years ago. He was married to the late Mrs. Minnie McCarthy in August 1909. Of this union there was born four children, one of which predeceased them. Rev. McCarthy became a member of the St. Marks M. E. Church, N. Y. City in January 1910 and aspired to the ministry. He was a man of high and noble aspirations, and was never content to remain inactive. Early in 1924 he became filled with the urge to do a greater work in the service of the Lord; and on Sunday April 6, 1924 he founded and began the Brook's Memorial M. E. Church in his residence at 144-15 South Rd., Jamaica, N. Y. Later in the same year he purchased a building out of his own savings, and remodeled and rented the lower floor for the use of the mission. From 1924 to 1928 he gave his services without charge. In 1929 under his leadership and direction the present structure of the Brooks Memorial M. E. Church was begun. He served the Church as its pastor from its inception until his death, being a period of fourteen years and eleven months. His greatest ambition was to see the upper structure of the Church completed, but God had other plans for him.

In September 1938 his health began to fail. Though ill, he continued to serve his people until the state of his health caused him to seek hospitalization in January 1939. He entered the hospital on January 3, 1939 and remained there for one month. He came home improved, but not well, and continued to minister to his congregation until Sunday March 19. He never complained of his illness, but was always cheerful. He expressed no desire for sympathy. He always insisted on a "Job well done." The principal thought he left with his people was the effects of Prayer. When he returned from Church, he went immediately to his bed, from which he did not rise. On Tuesday March 21, he insisted on being propped up in bed so that with his own hands he could complete his annual report to the Delaware Conference of which he was a member.

Truly he has fought a good fight and has gone to a greater reward, and we shall try to solace ourselves in the fact that he has done his work here.

He died Friday morning March 24, at four o'clock. He leaves to mourn their loss two daughters and one son, three sisters and one brother, other relatives, and numerous friends.

—THE FAMILY.

MOSES P. STERLING.

Moses P. Sterling, son of David and Frances Sterling, was born near Crisfield, Md. and departed this life December 25, 1939 at 2.20 a. m. at Quantico, Md. He was reared on the farm. The love of the soil lingered in his blood until called to his reward. He attended the schools of Crisfield, Md., Princess Anne Academy and Hampton Institute, Va. He was converted at an early age, and joined Shiloh M. E. Church, Crisfield, Md., during the Pastorate of Rev. J. R. Brown. Before entering the ministry he taught in many of the public schools of Md. Among them was Lawsonia, Nanticoke, Hopewell and Chestertown in Md., and Dover, Del. He was a lover of children and youth, preparing many for college.

He was admitted on trial in the Delaware Conference in 1907, at Camden, N. J., Bishop D. A. Goodsell presiding. Admitted into full membership and elected Deacon in 1909 at Cambridge, Md., Bishop Henry W. Warren presiding. Ordained Elder in 1939 at Salisbury, Md., Bishop John W. Hamilton presiding. He served a total of 31 years in the ministry, preaching the gospel of Jesus Christ whom he loved and served. On every charge he served souls and the interest of the kingdom advanced. Among the charges served by him were White Haven, Jamestown, Pomona, Whites Chapel, McDaniel, Stevensville, Cottage Grove, in Md., Keller, Va., Dover Ct., Del., Port Deposit, Mt. Vernon, Girdletree and Quantico, Md. The last named charge being the scene of his last Pastorate, where he passed from labor to his well earned reward. The writer in company with Rev. J. E. A. Johns, D. S., visited many times and prayed with him. He rejoiced with tears streaming down his cheeks and would say, "Well it is alright. I am waiting for the summons." Before he passed he seemed to have heard the roll call in Heaven. He answered, "Here I am, Ready." He was married to Miss Joseph Tyler, daughter of Captain George Tyler of Crisfield, Md., in 1893. Of this union no children were born. She proved to be a true and helpful companion in the ministry. It could be said of them, They pulled together in the gospel yoke. She preceded her husband to the glory land just 19 days before him. As they labored together, and loved each other, God did not allow them to be long separated from each other in the land beyond the rainbow. He was a great lover of the youth in his charges, and sought to instill in them the teachings of Christ. He realized that the children of today are the adults of tomorrow. Brother Sterling always met you with a smile on his face, and love in his heart. He was a loving shepherd to his flock, and a true friend to all with whom he came in contact. He leaves to mourn their loss 2 sister-in-laws, 1 brother-in-law, 5 cousins, and a multitude of friends.

Servant of God well done,
Thy glorious warfare is past;
The battle fought, the race is run
And thou are crowned at last.

I cannot say that he is dead; He is just away
 With a cheery smile, and a wave of the hand,
 He has wandered into an unknown land.
 And left us dreaming how very fair.
 It needs must be, since he lingers there.
 And you, O you, who the wildest yearn,
 For the old time step and the glad return.
 Think of him faring on as dear in the love there,
 As the love here. Think of him, still as the same, O say,
 He is not dead, He is just away.

—M. W. CLARK.

KING SAMUEL STEWART.

King Samuel Stewart, the son of the late John and Susan Stewart was born at Kingston, Md., December 24, 1887. He passed to his reward at Lewes, Del., January 13, 1939.

His early life was spent in his home community, and it was while in his early years that he was converted and joined the home church. Not long after having joined the church he received the impressions which resulted in his decision to enter the Christian ministry. Then, feeling the necessity of a thorough preparation for so great a task, he entered Princess Anne Academy to begin his work of training for the ministry. Following his graduation from this school he went on to Atlanta, Ga., where he matriculated in Clark University and Gammon Theological Seminary. He earned at these schools the degrees of A.B., B.D., and after his graduation entered the ministry in the Delaware Conference in 1916. During his ministry he served the following charges: Buttonwood, Del., Catlin, Md., Port Penn, Del., Cheswold, Del., and Lewes, Del.

The death of Brother Stewart was sudden and untimely. He sustained serious injuries in an accident from which he never recovered. His conscious moments following the accident were spent in prayer, thus giving evidence of his belief in the sufficiency of the power of God for every emergency. So it was breathing a prayer that he fell asleep to wake no more in this life but in a greater and better life.

Funeral services were held in St. Paul M. E. Church, Lewes, Del.

Prayer is the Christian's vital breath,
 The Christian's native air,
 His watchword at the gates of death;
 He enters heaven with prayer.

—M. O. BALLARD.

MRS. ISABELLE P. COX.

Mrs. Isabelle P. Cox, the beloved and esteemed wife of the late Rev. L. Y. Cox, was born in Baltimore, Md. She was trained in a Christian home, and in her early youth, knew the Church and her Saviour.

She was highly respected and universally loved in all the charges where her husband was sent to serve. She was a gracious hostess and knew the

art of making friends for her home, her church, and her God. Anyone could feel at home in her presence for it was a delight to her to make all persons happy.

She was a faithful and loyal member of the Franklin Street M. E. Church, Cape May, N. J.

In August, 1938, the end came and she passed peacefully to her reward.

The funeral was held at her residence on Jefferson Street by her pastor, the Rev. W. G. Matthews, assisted by the Rev. J. N. Bullen.

Interment in the Mt. Zion Cemetery, Cape May, N. J.

"Far beyond this world of changes
Far beyond this world of care
We shall meet our loved one
In our Father's mansion fair."

—W. G. MATTHEWS.

MRS. JOSEPHINE SOPHIA STERLING.

The beloved and esteemed wife of the late Rev. Moses P. Sterling and daughter of Captain George and Grace Tyler was born at Smiths' Island, Md., Feb. 6, 1877. She was educated in the public school of Crisfield, Md., after which she was tutored by private instructors. At an early age she shared interest in all work pertaining to the uplift of the Negro youth. She always tried to impart to others that which she had acquired both musically and educationally. She was efficient in both vocal and instrumental music and was an able directress of cantatas and pageants. She joined Shiloh M. E. Church, Crisfield, Md. when she was nine years old, and continued in the cause of Christ until called to her reward. In 1894 she was united in marriage to Rev. Moses P. Sterling, who at that time was principal of Crisfield Grammar School. She was a good wife, a true christian, and took her duties as a wife of a minister of the gospel to heart. Her prevailing thought and expression was "The work must go on." This spirit the writer holds was inherited, for her father, though born a slave, was one of the greatest church men of this shore. I pastored him many years. It was while her husband lay sick that she, trying to carry on the work and attend to him in his illness, collapsed and never recovered. She departed this life December 6, 1938 at 9:30 P. M. after an illness of four days. Her ever wish was to precede her husband to the great beyond. She got her wish but by nineteen days. She was an earnest and sincere worker in the field for the uplift of Gods' kingdom, and especially interested in the youth of the Church. Her artistic ability as well as her musical qualifications have left wonderful impressions on the minds of the people in every charge she served with her husband. She taught the children music both instrumental and vocal, also needle work and decorations of which she was master. The funeral was held December 9, 1938 at Mt. Zion M. E. Church, Quantico, Md. where her last six years of service were spent.

She leaves to mourn their loss, two sisters: Mrs. Eleanor Coulbourne and Mrs. Martina Cooper.

The services were conducted by the District Superintendent, Rev. J. E. A. Johns, assisted by Dr. D. H. Hargis, Rev. W. A. T. Miles, G. T. Townsend, J. A. Kiah and others.

Servant of God well done,
Thy Glorious warfare's past,
The battle fought, the victory won,
And thou art crowned at last.

—J. A. KIAH.

MRS. CLARA MARTIN.

Mrs. Clara Martin, daughter of the late Clara and Robert Wilson, was born in Worton, Maryland, January 29th, 1861. She departed this life June 20, 1938, full of the triumphs of faith. She consecrated her life to Christ in early youth and served Him faithfully all through the years.

She was joined in holy wedlock to the late Rev. Daniel W. Martin, and to this union fourteen children were born, ten preceding her to the glory land. Her husband, the late Rev. D. W. Martin passed on to be with Jesus twenty-five years ago. She served with him the following charges: Trappe, Md., 2 years; Greensboro, Md., 3 years; Church Creek, Md., 2 years; Aireys, Md., 4 years; Nassau, Del., 6 years; Hurlock, Md., 3 years. Surviving her are two sons and two daughters, Berry T. Martin of Baltimore, Md., Rev. A. E. Martin, Mrs. Susan Cephas of Hurlock, Md. and Mrs. Dora Norwood of Nassau, Del.

She was an invalid for ten years but bore her afflictions patiently, never complaining but often saying that in God's own time He would release her from her suffering. God has called her to that city so fair, far away from her burdens and care, where there is peace, joy and pleasure untold, in that city of gold. She has left a void in our home this world can never fill. In our home there is a vacant chair, in our hearts an ache, for mother has gone to the glory land.

Her Daughter, DORA NORWOOD.

VIII

In Memoriam

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from Henceforth; yea saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours, and their works do follow them."—Revelations 14: 13.

NAME	REC'D	DIED	RESIDENCE AT DEATH
1 Willmore S. Elzey	1864	1867	Cambridge, Md.
2 James Davis	1864	1871	Philadelphia, Pa.
3 Frost Pullett	1864	1872	Salisbury, Md.
4 Samuel Dale	1864	1872	Middletown, Del.
5 George W. Freeland	1871	1873	Chestertown, Md.
6 Harrison Smith	1864	1874	Wilmington, Del.
7 Solomon Cooper	1869	1877	Wilmington, Del.
8 John G. Manluff	1864	1879	Centreville, Md.
9 Stephen Johns	1867	1879	Berlin, Md.
10 Handy Long	1867	1879	Pocomoke City, Md.
11 Perry W. Pipes	1875	1879	Germantown, Pa.
12 James R. Webb	1869	1880	Fairmount, Md.
13 John Tilghman	1877	1881	Bridgeton, N. J.
14 David Eaves	1877	1880	Cambridge, Md.
15 Samuel P. Marshall	1869	1881	Burnetville, Md.
16 Simon Taylor	1864	1882	Townsend Inlet, N. J.
17 Vincent B. Wallace	1881	1882	Philadelphia, Pa.
18 George H. Waters	1874	1882	Smyrna, Del.
19 Isaac Hinson	1864	1883	Haddonfield, N. J.
20 Harrison D. Webb	1883	1883	Preston, Md.
21 William Phillips	1865	1884	Fowling Creek, Md
22 Phillip Kennedy	1865	1885	Marydel, Md.
23 George E. Snead	1883	1885	Monie, Md.
24 Charles Ash	1872	1885	Townsend, Del.
25 William F. Butler	1871	1886	Wilmington, Del.
26 Benjamin Gibbs	1864	1886	Wilmington, Del.
27 John H. Holland	1866	1887	Federalsburg, Md.
28 Charles Wing	1866	1887	Oxford, Md.
29 William J. Jackson	1885	1888	East New Market, Md.
30 King J. Still	1881	1888	Germantown, Pa.
31 Silas E. Adams	1881	1889	Fairlee, Md.
32 Isaiah Broughton	1864	1890	Camden, N. J.
33 Joshua Brinkley	1864	1890	New Castle, Del.
34 Abraham Brown	1864	1891	Philadelphia, Pa.
35 Arthur W. Hamilton	1878	1891	Wilmington, Del.
36 William T. Cole	1886	1891	Preston, Md.
37 W. J. Parker	1864	1892	Philadelphia, Pa.
38 John H. Riddick	1884	1893	Philadelphia, Pa.
39 John W. Saunders	1864	1893	Moorton, Md.
40 Francis F. Wheeler	1880	1893	Baltimore, Md.
41 John C. Carroll	1869	1894	Fairmount, Md.
42 Edward H. Bean	1892	1894	Wattsville, Va.
43 Samuel G. Waters	1864	1894	Wilmington, Del
44 Robert J. Waters	1876	1894	Trappe, Md.
45 Harrison T. Rich	1866	1895	Linkwood, Md.
46 William M. Webb	1875	1895	Newport, Del.
47 W. B. Green	1864	1895	Lewes, Del.
48 Hooper Jolly	1867	1896	Vienna, Md.
49 J. D. Elbert	1865	1896	Oxford, Md.

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50 W. P. Tunnell	1894	1896	Merchantville, N. J.
51 S. P. Whittington	1864	1896	Camden, N. J.
52 Thomas S. Als	1884	1897	Wilmington, Del.
53 John B. Lewis	1895	1897	Wilmington, Del.
54 Aaron J. Handy	1871	1898	Philadelphia, Pa.
55 Daniel E. Brown	1897	1898	Salisbury, Md.
56 Jas. A. Richardson	1888	1899	Philadelphia, Pa.
57 Asbury Grinnage	1866	1899	Starr, Md.
58 Daniel J. Waters	1872	1899	Seaford, Del.
59 James H. Mason	1879	1900	Fruitland, Md.
60 John W. Lankford	1884	1900	Dover, Del.
61 Charles H. Hutchins	1881	1900	Trappe, Md.
62 Geo. H. Washington	1872	1900	Chester, Pa.
63 Nathan Young	1864	1901	Milford, Del.
64 Peter Burrows	1865	1901	Airy's, Md.
65 Henry Morris	1865	1901	Salisbury, Md.
66 John S. Willis	1893	1901	Springtown, N. J.
67 John S. Holly	1879	1901	Baltimore, Md.
68 William Hopkins	1880	1902	Pocomoke City, Md.
69 I. J. Elbert	1891	1902	Germantown, Pa.
70 J. E. Webb	1870	1904	Millington, Md.
71 G. W. Young	1876	1904	East New Market, Md.
72 J. Q. Dennis	1865	1904	Woodland, Md.
73 J. E. Gunby	1901	1905	Chester, Pa.
74 Washington I. Bean	1905	1906	Oxford, Md.
75 Noah Morris	1866	1906	Cambridge, Md.
76 Peter J. Adams	1870	1906	Chester, Pa.
77 Charles E. Henry	1892	1907	Berlin, Md.
78 B. W. Allen	1878	1908	Philadelphia, Pa.
79 J. H. Johnson	1879	1908	Dover, Del.
80 Charles Pullett	1864	1908	Salisbury, Md.
81 James A. Scott	1878	1908	Frederick City, Md.
82 T. M. Hubbard	1877	1908	Frankford, Pa.
83 Wm. H. Johnson	1875	1908	Fairmount, Md.
84 Edw. D. Havens	1896	1908	Suffolk, Va.
85 Philip T. Scott	1891	1909	Deals Island, Md.
86 Charles E. Hemsley	1894	1909	Nanticoke, Md.
87 Samuel W. Waters	1891	1910	Philadelphia, Pa.
88 I. H. White	1874	1910	Salisbury, Md.
89 C. A. Horsey	1869	1911	Fairlee, Md.
90 N. W. Moore	1891	1911	Wilmington, Del.
91 J. H. B. Hubbard	1883	1911	Philadelphia, Pa.
92 A. J. Wallace	1883	1911	Millington, Md.
93 C. E. Davis	1898	1912	Mount Vernon, Md.
94 F. C. Wright	1891	1912	Laurel, Md.
95 H. A. Monroe	1878	1912	Philadelphia, Pa.
96 M. L. McKenney	1887	1912	Pocomoke City, Md.
97 J. H. Winters	1879	1912	Unionville, Md.
98 J. R. Brinkley	1885	1913	Wilmington, Del.
99 M. H. Horsey	1878	1913	Philadelphia, Pa.
100 R. G. Riley	1894	1914	Sharptown, Md.
101 Haman Ward	1907	1914	Bridgeton, N. J.
102 D. W. Martin	1902	1913	Hurlock, Md.
103 S. J. Hammond	1907	1915	Church Hill, Md.
104 G. M. Landin	1877	1915	Lincoln City, Del.
105 J. C. Dunn	1895	1915	Orange, N. J.
106 J. H. Pearce	1864	1915	Merchantville, N. J.
107 A. F. Ennals	1895	1915	Carmichael, Md.

NAME	REC'D	DIED	RESIDENCE AT DEATH
108 A. L. Henry	1891	1915	New Castle, Del.
109 S. S. Jolley	1899	1915	Cambridge, Md.
110 W. S. Brown	1890	1915	Philadelphia, Pa.
111 J. A. Jeffers	1893	1915	Middletown, Del.
112 W. C. Dickerson	1870	1915	Smyrna, Del.
113 J. K. Adams	1880	1915	Mount Vernon, Md.
114 A. S. Amos	1892	1916	Camden, N. J.
115 J. W. W. Cox	1892	1916	Nassau, Del.
116 D. R. Dunn	1875	1916	Worton, Md.
117 H. T. G. Jennings	1910	1916	Cokesbury, Md.
118 W. T. Hemsley	1893	1917	Wilmington, Del.
119 L. J. Waters	1904	1917	Fruitland, Md.
120 J. F. Cook	1889	1917	Philadelphia, Pa.
121 J. W. Cook	1888	1917	Lewes, Del.
122 W. F. Cotton	1893	1918	Coleman, Md.
123 J. W. Fenderson	1897	1918	Centreville, Md.
124 N. B. Snowden	1888	1918	Mt. Zion, Md.
125 J. W. Brown	1871	1919	Chestertown, Md.
126 D. A. Riddout	1882	1919	Marion, Md.
127 I. H. Johnson	1881	1920	Unionville, Md.
128 J. H. Harmon	1884	1920	E. New Market, Md.
129 F. J. Lee	1869	1920	Townsend, Del.
130 L. E. Toulson	1885	1921	Hurlock, Md.
131 I. D. Palne	1906	1921	Salisbury, Md.
132 L. T. Robbins	1915	1921	Alreys, Md.
133 A. R. Shockley	1877	1921	Philadelphia, Pa.
134 B. W. Berry	1893	1922	Atlantic City, N. J.
135 A. W. Lowber	1876	1921	Camden, N. J.
136 J. W. Bowling	1896	1922	Mardella Springs, Md.
137 C. W. Downs	1906	1922	St. Michaels, Md.
138 F. C. Gillis	1919	1922	Marydel, Md.
139 P. W. Price	1896	1923	Greensboro, Md.
140 James C. Finney	1924	1924	Spring Lake, N. J.
141 Roswell Waters	1916	1924	Liberia, Md.
142 L. W. Deakins	1884	1925	Cape May, N. J.
143 W. T. Purnell	1919	1925	Seaford, Del.
144 E. F. Showell	1915	1926	Royal Oak, Md.
145 J. H. Blake	1890	1926	Trappe, Md.
146 C. J. Hall	1888	1926	Concord, Del.
147 J. W. Gillis	1905	1926	Smyrna, Del.
148 L. Y. Cox	1867	1926	Cape May, N. J.
149 J. E. A. D. Grisby	1882	1926	Cheswold, Del.
150 R. H. Wallace	1904	1926	Nanticoke, Md.
151 C. W. Moore	1896	1927	Dover, Del.
152 J. F. Molock	1892	1927	Berlin, Md.
153 W. L. Stewart	1924	1927	Bridgeville Ct., Del.
154 H. R. Purnell	1909	1928	Berlin, Md.
155 I. J. Brittingham	1915	1928	Pocomoke City, Md.
156 G. W. Downs	1899	1928	Philadelphia, Pa.
157 J. C. Bantom	1893	1929	New Castle, Del.
158 Solomon Hammond	1900	1929	Dover, Del.
159 J. R. Brown	1889	1929	Wilmington, Del.
160 J. M. Wittington	1899	1929	Philadelphia, Pa.
161 F. H. Quinn	1915	1930	St. Michaels, Md.
162 R. N. Davis	1918	1930	Philadelphia, Pa.
163 Pezavia O'Connell	1893	1930	Baltimore, Md.

Name	Rec'd.	Died	Residence at Death
164 W. C. Bowland	1900	1931	Philadelphia, Pa.
165 G. R. Hollis	1896	1932	Chapel, Md.
166 M. H. Murphy	1911	1931	Millington, Md.
167 W. B. Perry	1918	1931	Brooklyn, N. Y.
168 W. H. Turner	1900	1931	Philadelphia, Pa.
169 M. A. Thompson	1913	1931	Philadelphia, Pa.
170 J. H. Reed	1891	1932	Cottage Grove, Md.
171 L. D. Beecham	1904	1932	Centreville, Md.
172 W. J. L. Hughes	1899	1932	Salisbury, Md.
173 E. H. Webb	1881	1932	Philadelphia, Pa.
174 C. A. Tindley	1885	1933	Philadelphia, Pa.
175 E. E. Parker	1879	1933	Philadelphia, Pa.
176 P. W. Shelton	1892	1933	New Port, Del.
177 W. N. King	1921	1933	Philadelphia, Pa.
178 J. L. Nichols	1921	1933	Delmar, Del.
179 F. G. Campbell	1917	1934	Marion Station, Md.
180 J. W. Bond	1887	1934	Chester, Pa.
181 P. E. Edwards	1923	1934	Beckwith, Md.
182 J. R. Holland	1896	1935	Centreville, Md.
183 E. E. Rogers	1898	1935	Hurlock, Md.
184 W. R. A. Palmer	1886	1934	Delair, N. J.
185 H. C. Snead	1917	1934	Melfa, Va.
186 F. L. Tomlinson	1920	1934	Oakville, Md.
187 J. F. Deshields	1928	1935	Crumpton, Md.
188 C. A. Norwood	1895	1935	Greenwood, Md.
189 C. W. Johnson	1915	1935	Mt. Holly, N. J.
190 Wardie E. Rogers	1928	1936	Parsonsburg, Md.
191 James E. Waters	1920	1935	Fruitland, Md.
192 Levin W. Molock	1924	1936	Seaford, Del.
193 Thomas H. Kiah	1900	1936	Princess Anne, Md.
194 J. A. T. Foust	1908	1937	Mt. Holly, N. J.
195 W. T. B. Devron	1916	1937	Townsend, Del.
196 A. Chase	1892	1938	Cambridge, Md.
197 P. E. Robinson	1923	1938	Elkton, Md.
198 G. T. Fields	1897	1938	Chester, Pa.
199 L. S. Perry	1920	1938	New Castle, Del.
200 James M. Dickerson	1909	1938	Atlantic City, N. J.
201 M. P. Sterling	1907	1938	Quantico, Md.
202 K. S. Stewart	1916	1939	Lewes, Del.
203 G. S. Jacobs	1914	1939	Manokin, Md.
204 E. H. Jolley	1915	1939	Miles River, Md.
205 J. A. Kiah	1908	1939	Crisfield, Md.
206 R. A. McCarthy	1931	1939	Jamaica, N. Y.

VIII

WIDOWS OF DECEASED MINISTERS.

Mrs. J. K. Adams
 Mrs. E. H. Bean
 Mrs. W. I. Bean
 Mrs. C. E. Davis
 Mrs. C. H. Hutchins
 Mrs. N. W. Moore
 Mrs. R. J. Waters
 Mrs. A. S. Amos
 Mrs. H. A. Monroe
 Mrs. Estella Wallace
 Mrs. N. B. Snowden
 Mrs. A. F. Ennals
 Mrs. J. C. Dunn
 Mrs. W. C. Dickerson
 Mrs. R. N. Davis
 Mrs. W. H. Turner
 Mrs. W. C. Bowland
 Mrs. Mary Thompson
 Mrs. M. J. O'Connell
 Mrs. J. A. Jeffers
 Mrs. J. E. Cook
 Mrs. J. W. Cook
 Mrs. D. A. Ridout
 Mrs. L. T. Robbins
 Mrs. C. W. Downes
 Mrs. Anna Price
 Mrs. F. C. Gillis
 Mrs. Annie R. Waters
 Mrs. Ellen Deakins
 Mrs. M. E. Moore
 Mrs. Mary E. Stewart
 Mrs. Sarah Purnell
 Mrs. Geo. W. Downs
 Mrs. J. M. Whittington
 Mrs. Sophia Brown

Mrs. M. H. Murphy
 Mrs. W. B. Perry
 Mrs. G. R. Hollis
 Mrs. W. J. L. Hughes
 Mrs. J. H. Reed
 Mrs. E. H. Webb
 Mrs. C. A. Tindley
 Mrs. W. N. King
 Mrs. J. L. Nichols
 Mrs. F. G. Campbell
 Mrs. J. W. Bond
 Mrs. P. E. Edwards
 Mrs. J. R. Holland
 Mrs. E. E. Rogers
 Mrs. W. R. A. Palmer
 Mrs. H. C. Snead
 Mrs. F. L. Tomlinson
 Mrs. J. F. Deshields
 Mrs. Margaret Norwood
 Mrs. M. L. Johnson
 Mrs. Wardie E. Rogers
 Mrs. J. E. Waters
 Mrs. L. W. Molock
 Mrs. T. H. Kiah
 Mrs. A. Chase
 Mrs. W. T. B. Devron
 Mrs. J. A. T. Foust
 Mrs. P. E. Robinson
 Mrs. L. S. Perry
 Mrs. J. M. Dickerson
 Mrs. K. S. Stewart
 Mrs. G. S. Jacobs
 Mrs. E. H. Jolley
 Mrs. J. A. Kiah

Resolutions

RESOLUTIONS OF WELCOME.

We are again very happy to have the pleasure of having our resident Bishop Ernest G. Richardson, D.D., LL.D. to preside over the annual session of the Delaware Conference. We have had this distinction and pleasure for six times and we expect to have similar experiences at this session of our Conference as in the past.

WHEREAS: Bishop Richardson has traveled throughout our Conference territory and has preached in our Churches, addressed our District and Efficiency Conferences during the years.

WHEREAS: Both laymen and ministers have been wonderfully inspired by his wonderful personality and his congenial and affable disposition and also by his wonderful attractiveness as a leader.

WHEREAS: We extend to him on this his seventh official visitation a most sincere and cordial welcome and hope that his labors among us may be a source of inspiration to him.

RESOLVED: That the Conference pledge to the Bishop its unstinted support and cooperation in carrying forward the work of the Conference.

RESOLVED Finally: That we pray earnestly and fervently that the Divine Hand may be over the Bishop and his Cabinet; also, the Conference so that the spirit of the Christ may be felt in all of our deliberations.

L. S. MOORE
J. W. JEFFERSON
W. L. D. LYGHT
C. B. MILES
A. REID

RESOLUTIONS OF APPRECIATION.

WHEREAS: It has been the pleasure of the Delaware Annual Conference to hold its Diamond Jubilee Celebration in this historic Church, the Mother Church of the Conference.

WHEREAS: The Pastor, Rev. L. H. McArthur with his very efficient committees has put forth every effort to make our visitation profitable and exceptionally comfortable.

WHEREAS: Other Churches of various persuasions have been exceptionally kind and very generous in opening their doors in order that we might have ample accommodations to do the work of the Conference in Kingdom Building.

WHEREAS: Choirs and musical organizations of the City and vicinity have helped us in a very beneficial way by the inspiration that we have received through spiritual singing.

WHEREAS: Bishop Richardson in his very kind and sympathetic manner has presided over the deliberations of the Conference in his usual dignified, scholarly and sympathetic manner.

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Conference extend to Bishop Richardson, and his family a rising vote of thanks as a meager expression of our appreciation for the interest he has shown in the leadership of our Conference, and for the congenial and brotherly way in which he has presided over the deliberations of our sessions. We also desire to have him know and clearly understand, that after the Methodist Church has been properly organized, it will be a pleasure for the Delaware Annual Conference to have him come into our jurisdiction and preside over our Conference deliberations.

RESOLVED: That we express to the pastor, officials, members, and friends of "Mother Zoar" our heartiest thanks and appreciation for the care and comforts which they have given us while we were here.

RESOLVED FURTHER: That the Churches, Choirs, and friends of the city who have opened their doors for us, and who have sung for our edification, receive our thanks, congratulations, and our prayers.

FINALLY, we invoke our Heavenly Father's blessings upon this Church and the good people of the city who have in any way contributed to our support and comfort.

Signed:

L. S. MOORE
J. W. JEFFERSON
W. L. D. LYGHT
C. B. MILES
A. REID

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS: It has pleased our Heavenly Father to call another of our faithful and devoted ministers, Brother Richard A. McCarthy to his Eternal home.

WHEREAS: This consecrated servant of God has spent 8 years of service in establishing a new church in Jamaica, N. Y., where a unit of new church building has been constructed and the foundation laid for a great church.

WHEREAS: This is the second time God has called in the McCarthy home within 18 months, having called Mrs. McCarthy home on July 24, 1937.

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Delaware Conference now in session at Zoar Church in Philadelphia, send the following word to the children of Brother McCarthy

The Delaware Conference now in session, at Zoar Church in Philadelphia, Bishop E. G. Richardson presiding feels deeply the departure of your devoted father. There are so many things in this world we cannot understand or know, but one thing we do know, God is too good to be unkind, too wise to make a mistake.

The Delaware Conference is praying that our Heavenly Father will comfort and sustain you in your hour of sadness.

For the Delaware Annual Conference,

EARL H. CRAMPTON.

**RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT ZOAR M. E. CHURCH, PHILADELPHIA,
BY THE DELAWARE ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST
EPISCOPAL CHURCH, MARCH 22, 1939.**

WHEREAS, Miss Marian Anderson, the great Contralto, has recently been denied, through her official representatives, the use of Constitutional Hall of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Washington, D. C., and subsequently, the Central High School of the Board of Education of our capital city, for a recital; solely on the grounds of her race, and—

WHEREAS, the only reputed reason given for such un-American, un-Christian and unsocial action was the fear of its incitation to interracial assembly, which has been banned in Washington, D. C. by congressional legislation; and—

WHEREAS, Miss Marian Anderson is an artist of rarest magnitude, the charm of whose voice and personality has made a decided contribution to the culture of the world; which has been recognized in Russia, Germany, Italy and in all of Europe, through press comments and criticisms unversally acclaiming her "The World's greatest Singer".

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That, while we instinctively feel the racial implications involved in this regrettable incident, we do not regard it only as an insult to Miss Anderson nor to the race of which she chances to be a member, but an insult to the intelligence and culture of the American People. An insult which Congress should remove and can only remove by its immediate repeal of such legislation and its repudiation of the sentiment upon which it rests; the placing of premium upon color rather than upon culture, in a land where "Equal Opportunity in all that is noblest and best" represents its proudest boast.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That individually or collectively we sha give currency to this our protest by bringing it to the attention of our representatives in Congress and press for the immediate repeal of this and other legislation that negates the Christian Ideal and obstructs the progress of interracial understanding and good-will.

RESOLVED FINALLY, That we forward a copy of this resolution to Miss Anderson assuring her of our high esteem and love for the glory that she has brought to her race and to her nation through the matchless lustre of her voice and charm.

Signed:

REV. J. T. FLETCHER
REV. J. W. JEFFERSON
REV. D. W. HENRY

**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING HISTORICAL SOCIETY AND
PRINTING HISTORY OF CONFERENCE.**

WHEREAS: The Delaware Annual Conference has had 75 years of Christian services and as a result has made a wonderful contribution to Methodism and to the Kingdom of God. The facts and factors effectiv during these years have not been accurately kept and printed, although W. C. Jason has compiled the history of the Conference up to the year 1

WHEREAS: The Delaware Conference does not have an active Historical Society:

WHEREAS: The Conference does not have any printed records of its development:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Conference order the establishment of a Delaware Conference Historical Society or the reestablishment of the old one:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That a committee be appointed by the DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS to work with them in planning ways and means by which money may be raised to have the history of the Conference printed.

L. S. MOORE.

MISSIONARY SERMON.

WHEREAS, The Missionary Sermon which was forcefully delivered by J. N. Bullen showed careful preparation and was challenging and soul inspiring.

BE IT RESOLVED, That we manifest our gratitude and appreciation to our Lord for giving us such a brother in Christ. We extend him a rising vote of thanks.

L. S. MOORE
W. L. D. LYGHT
J. W. JEFFERSON
ALEXANDER REID
C. B. MILES

Worton, Md., R. F. D. # 2
March 25, 1939

To The Rev. Bishop Ernest G. Richardson,
and Members of the Delaware Conference:

Holy Greetings, I humbly accept your greetings in the name of Him who has permitted me to serve with my husband 58 years, the longest time any wife of a minister of the Delaware Annual Conference has served.

I have a right to sing:

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Him above ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost,

Your sister in Christ,

ANNIE E. NUTTER.

Sessions of the Delaware Conference

ORGANIZED JULY 29, 1864.

Ses.	Year	NAME OF CHURCH	BISHOP	SECRETARY
1	1864	John Wesley, Philadelp'a	Edmund S. Janes	W. S. Elsey
2	1865	Ezion, Wilmington	Levi Scott	J. G. Manluff
3	1866	John Wesley, Salisbury	Matthew Simpson	W. J. Parker
4	1867	Janes, Chestertown	Edmund S. Janes	W. J. Parker
5	1868	Zoar, Philadelphia	Edmund S. Janes	W. Phillips
6	1869	St. Paul's, Milford	Edmund S. Janes	W. Phillips
7	1870	Waugh, Cambridge	Levi Scott	W. J. Parker
8	1871	Mt. Hope, Salem	Levi Scott, E.R. Ames	W. J. Parker
9	1872	Whatcoat, Dover	L. Scott, E.G. Andrews	Hooper Jolly
10	1873	Asbury, Easton	Edmund S. Janes	Hooper Jolly
11	1874	Ezion, Wilmington	Matthew Simpson	Hooper Jolly
12	1875	Ebenezer, Snow Hill	Edmund S. Janes	W. J. Parker
13	1876	Zoar, Philadelphia	Edmund S. Janes	W. J. Parker
14	1877	Janes, Chestertown	Levi Scott	G. H. Waters
15	1878	Union, St. Michaels	William L. Harris	G. H. Waters
16	1879	Waugh, Cambridge	Levi Scott	G. H. Waters
17	1880	Whatcoat, Dover	Thomas Bowman	G. H. Waters
18	1881	Ebenezer, Snow Hill	William L. Harris	G. H. Waters
19	1882	C. Wesley, Centreville	Randolph S. Foster	A. R. Shockley
20	1883	Ezion, Wilmington	E. G. Andrews	A. R. Shockley
21	1884	Asbury, Easton	C. H. Fowler	H. A. Monroe
22	1885	J. Wesley, Salisbury	Randolph S. Foster	H. A. Monroe
23	1886	Bainbridge St., Phila	S. M. Merrill	H. A. Monroe
24	1887	Janes, Chestertown	John F. Hurst	D. A. Ridout
25	1888	Whatcoat, Dover	Cyrus D. Foss	D. A. Ridout
26	1889	St. Daniels, Chester	Thomas Bowman	J. R. Waters
27	1890	Zoar, Philadelphia	D. A. Goodsell	Jas. H. Scott
28	1891	Waugh, Cambridge	W. F. Mallalieu	Jas. H. Scott
29	1892	J. Wesley, Salisbury	E. G. Andrews	Jas. H. Scott
30	1893	Whatcoat, Dover	J. M. Walden	Jas. H. Scott
31	1894	Ezion, Wilmington	C. H. Fowler	Jas. H. Scott
32	1895	Bainbridge St., Phila.	John P. Newman	Jas. H. Scott
33	1896	St. Daniels, Chester	Isaac W. Joyce	Jas. H. Scott
34	1897	Asbury, Easton	W. X. Ninde	Jas. H. Scott
35	1898	St. John's, Orange, N. J.	John F. Hurst	J. H. Nutter
36	1899	St Paul's, Milford, Del.	Cyrus D. Foss	J. H. Nutter
37	1900	Zoar, Philadelphia	Henry W. Warren	J. H. Nutter
38	1901	Asbury, Atlantic City	D. A. Goodsell	J. H. Nutter
39	1902	Janes, Germantown	S. M. Merrill	J. H. Nutter
40	1903	Mt. Zion, Pocomoke	C. H. Fowler	F. H. Butler
41	1904	Bainbridge St., Phila	E. G. Andrews	F. H. Butler
42	1905	Whatcoat, Dover	G. F. Berry	F. H. Butler
43	1906	Janes, Chestertown	Charles C. McCabe	John H. Blake
44	1907	Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J.	Daniel A. Goodsell	John H. Blake
45	1908	Zoar, Philadelphia	Earl Cranston	John H. Blake
46	1909	Waugh, Cambridge	Henry W. Warren	John H. Blake
47	1910	Haven Mem'l, Phila., Pa.	William F. Anderson	John H. Blake
48	1911	Calvary, Phila., Pa.	Charles W. Smith	John H. Blake
49	1912	John Wesley, Sallsbury	John W. Hamilton	John H. Blake
50	1913	Zoar, Philadelphia, Pa.	J. F. Berry	John H. Blake
51	1914	Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	W. A. Quayle	John H. Blake
52	1915	Asbury, Atlantic City, N.J.	T. S. Henderson	J. W. Fenderson
53	1916	Calvary, Phila., Pa.	R. J. Cooke	J. W. Jewett
54	1917	St. Paul's, Berlin, Md.	J. F. Berry	J. W. Jewett

Ses.	Year	NAME OF CHURCH	BISHOP	SECRETARY
55	1918	Franklin St. Cape May, N.J.	Chas. Bayard Mitchell	J. M. Dickerson
56	1919	Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	J. F. Berry	J. M. Dickerson
57	1920	E. Calvary, Phila., Pa.	M. S. Hughes	J. M. Dickerson
58	1921	J. Wesley, Salisbury, Md.	J. F. Berry	J. M. Dickerson
59	1922	Asbury, Atlantic City, N.J.	R. E. Jones	J. M. Dickerson
60	1923	John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	J. F. Berry	J. M. Dickerson
61	1924	E. Calvary, Phila., Pa.	M. W. Clair	J. M. Dickerson
62	1925	St. Johns, Newark, N. J.	J. F. Berry	J. M. Dickerson
63	1926	St. Daniel's, Chester, Pa.	W. P. Thirkield	J. M. Dickerson
64	1927	Asbury, Atlantic City, N.J.	L. B. Wilson	J. M. Dickerson
65	1928	Tindley Temple, Phila.	R. E. Jones	J. M. Dickerson
66	1929	Tindley Temple, Phila.	E. G. Richardson	J. M. Dickerson
67	1930	Waugh, Cambridge, Md.	M. W. Clair	J. M. Dickerson
68	1931	Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	E. H. Hughes	J. M. Dickerson
69	1932	Tindley Temple, Phila.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
70	1933	Janes, Germantown, Pa.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
71	1934	Tindley Temple, Phila. Pa.	Edgar Blake	C. S. Sprigg
72	1935	Haven, Phila., Pa.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
73	1936	Tindley Temple, Phila.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
74	1937	Asbury, Atlantic City, N.J.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
75	1938	Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	Wallace E. Brown	C. S. Sprigg
76	(1939)	Zoar, Phila., Pa.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg

General Conference Delegates

1868. Ministerial, James Davis.
1872. Ministerial, Nathan Young. Lay, James A. Jones.
1876. Ministerial, Hooper Jolly. Lay, William Perkins.
1880. Ministerial, William F. Butler. Lay, Abraham Murray.
1884. Ministerial, W. J. Parker. Lay, William Perkins.
1888. Ministerial, W. H. Coffey and W. H. Thomas. Lay, B. O. Bird and Elisha L. Briddell.
1892. Ministerial, W. H. Coffey and I. H. White. Lay, J. E. Gumby and Frederick Nichols.
1896. Ministerial, H. A. Monroe and J. H. Scott. Lay B. O. Bird and Stanford L. Parker.
1900. Ministerial, J. H. Scott, H. A. Monroe and J. R. Waters. Lay, Herbert S. Wilson, W. J. Johnson. Provisional, Simon Chase.
1904. Ministerial, W. C. Jason, J. H. Scott and H. A. Monroe. Lay, W. F. Morgan, H. S. Wilson and Frank Trigg.
1908. Ministerial, N. W. Moore, C. A. Tindley and J. H. Scott. Lay, H. S. Wilson, S. H. Long and Harrison Jenkins.
1912. Ministerial, Charles A. Tindley, Storer S. Jolly and J. H. Scott. Lay, Herbert C. Wilson, George L. Waters and Charles H. Coulbourne.
1916. Ministerial, Charles A. Tindley, James H. Scott and Thomas H. Kiah. Lay, Herbert S. Wilson, George L. Waters and Horatio W. Jones.
1920. Ministerial, C. A. Tindley, T. H. Kiah, D. H. Hargis, J. W. Jewett. Lay, Herbert S. Wilson, Horatio W. Jones, Mary E. Jackson and George L. Waters.

1924. Ministerial. C. A. Tindley, T. H. Kiah, F. H. Butler, J. E. A. Johns. Lay, William M. Henry, Herbert S. Wilson, Frederick S. Jewett, James H. Lewis.
1928. Ministerial. D. H. Hargis, C. A. Tindley, F. H. Butler, T. H. Kiah. Lay, Herbert S. Wilson, Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor, Miss Olive A. Hall. Dr. William W. M. Henry.
1932. Ministerial. D. H. Hargis, D. W. Henry, C. A. Tindley, F. H. Butler. Lay, Herbert S. Wilson, Miss Olive A. Hall, Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor, Mr. W. H. Staten.
1936. Ministerial. D. H. Hargis, J. T. Fletcher, D. W. Henry. Lay, H. S. Wilson, Holly P. Johns, W. H. Staten.

DELEGATES TO THE UNITING CONFERENCE.

1939. Ministerial. D. H. Hargis. Reserve, D. W. Henry. Lay, Herbert S. Wilson. Reserve Mrs. Clarice Walker.
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LAY ASSO. PRES. ADDRESS.

We Christian adults are on the spot. The future of the church and the world depends upon us, and the future of neither at present is wholly secure. No longer can we complacently pass the buck to the youth on the ground that the future is up to them. Before those that are now young can come into positions of control, our adult-dominated world will have assimilated them to our adult group so that the net gains that they can achieve beyond us are negligible.

Christian youth cannot build a new world as long as the world is controlled by adults who do not want a new world. Any substantial gains toward a new world will have to be made first in the adult generation.

Furthermore, the world of our day is in such a plight that it cannot wait to be saved or remade by a generation yet to grow up. Before they can gain control, history-making decisions will have been made. It is adults, not youths, who are on the spot. Youth is capable and eager to play its part, but the two generations must work and grow together if real gains are made.

We are a disillusioned generation of Christians. In the early years of the century, when we were adolescents, the golden age seemed just ahead. Democracy, that political order which expresses the Christian evaluation of persons, was extending its frontiers in all lands, permanent world peace seemed about to be realized. Men were too intelligent and international relations too secure ever to permit another major war. And then Christian idealism was brought to fever heat through propaganda, and we were incited to a "holy war" to make the world safe for democracy and end all war.

We've lived to see the folly and utter futility of that war, to see fanatical dictatorships drive democracy from nation after nation, to see the iniquitous treaty that closed that war torn to shreds to leave the world trembling in panic on the brink of another even-more-monstrous catastrophe.

With the fire and ardor of youth we helped to wage the final campaign in the long warfare against the liquor traffic and won. And for a decade we rested in the flush of victory, while the enemy, making an ally of every agency of propaganda and deceit, came back with a victorious counter-attack from which we are still dazed.

Within the Church visible, with all its variant forms, exists the church invisible, the true, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints whose essential unity of spirit should be a perpetual answer to the prayer of Christ for his disciples that "they may be one; even as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee." This is the sort of unity in Christ which will make permanent and satisfactory the outward and formal unity of the United Methodist Church. It will transcend our differences of temperament and opinion, bring us together in purpose and plan, and still permit the utmost freedom of thought and action.

I am convinced that the most pressing evangelistic call of our day is for the evangelism of our friendships. We have spent altogether too much time and energy in general efforts. No one is eagerly interested in a general invitation. Almost everybody will feel compelled at least to recognize a definite appeal. Friendship should not tie our tongues. Enlist children in the cause of Christ. The venture of Christian faith is threefold; God—Ourselves—Others. The Church School is the richest asset of the church. In the last 30 years our Sunday Schools have contributed more than 4,600,000 members to the Methodist Episcopal Church, a number equal to the present membership of our denomination, and have contributed more than 25 millions of dollars to our connectional and local benevolences.

The future of our church is with our youth. The baffling and often staggering problems of our times will not be solved by the adults of our day, but by the children and youth, the adults of to-morrow.

Parents must take blame or credit for youth's character. The elders together with the school, and the church have weakened everything which has to do with the guidance and discipline of youth. It is not fair to toss a child upon a selfish and hardened world, and expect him to make his way without the protection that character and right habits of living alone can give him, and those he should learn at home.

The church is however advancing very rapidly. Gains along all lines have been noted.

Some suggestions for a greater advance.

1. Select ministers who are more intelligent.
2. Arrange more social activities around the church.
3. Become more modern and liberal.
4. Stop emphasizing money and contributions.
5. Let church people be more friendly.
6. Apply sermons to every-day matters.
7. Emphasize the Bible.
8. Make services shorter.
9. Manage to have more unity among churches.
10. Improve church music.

HERBERT S. WILSON, President.

**THE LAYMEN'S PROGRAM OF THE DELAWARE ANNUAL CONFERENCE
METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH AT ST. PAUL BAPTIST CHURCH
10th AND WALLACE STREETS, PHILADELPHIA, PA.**

Theme: "Working Together With God."

Wednesday, March 22nd, 1939.

- 2:00 P. M.—Registration at St. Paul Baptist Church.
3:30 P. M.—Singing. "Evangelism", Rev. N. W. Moore, Jr.
6:00 P. M.—Supper.
7:30 P. M.—Devotions. Directed by Mrs. Ella F. Bailey, St. Daniels' Church, Chester, Pa.
8:00 P. M.—Memorial Service. Mrs. Clarice Walker, Asbury Church, Atlantic City, N. J.

Greetings:

On behalf of ministers—Rev. Elmer P. Gibson.
On behalf of young people—Mr. Warren D. Brinkley.
On behalf of Washington Conference—Rev. A. J. Mitchell.
On behalf of Local Laymen's Association—Mrs. Olivia Smith.
On behalf of A. M. E. Churches—Mr. J. T. P. Cross.
On behalf of Baptist Churches—Mr. Eustace Gay.
Response—Mr. Hally P. Johns.

Thursday, March 23rd, 1939.

- 9:00 A. M.—Devotions, Mrs. Ella F. Bailey.
9:30 A. M.—Report of District Officers.
10:30 A. M.—Address by the Conference President, Mr. Herman D. Brown.
Singing: Mrs. Rella Fassett.

Symposium

"The Modern Church"

- a—Worship, Mrs. Helen Waters, Salisbury District.
b—Official Board—St. Daniels' Church, Wilmington District.
c—Class and Unit Leaders—Dr. L. S. Moore, Chester, Pa.
d—Christian Stewardship—Mr. Jolly T. Harris, Sr.
e—Young Peoples Work—Rev. Daniel L. Ridout, Bridgeton, N. J.

- 2:00 P. M.—Devotions.
2:15 P. M.—Men's Work—Mr. Dowell H. Gates.
Music—Conference Laymembers Choir.
Religious Education—Rev. E. H. Crampton, President of the Conference Board of Education.
3:00 P. M.—Panel Discussions. District Echoes: Dover, Easton, Philadelphia, Salisbury, Wilmington.
7:30 P. M.—Devotions.
8:00 P. M.—Organization of the Lay Members for the United Session.
Herbert S. Wilson, Pres.; Ella F. Bailey, Secy.; Jos. Hayman, Treas.; Sidney Collins, Chaplain.

Program Committee.

Mrs. Ella F. Bailey, Chester, Pa.
 Mrs. Viola Cline, Salem, N. J.
 Mr. Hally P. Johns, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Mr. D. H. Gates, Philadelphia, Pa.

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 Chaplain, Mrs. Viola Cline, Salem, N. J.

Vice-Presidents.

Dover District, Mr. Asbury Gilbert.
 Easton District, Mrs. Verdie Mosley.
 Philadelphia District, Mr. Howard S. Ellis.
 Wilmington District, Mrs. Clarice Walker.
 Salisbury District, Mr. Page DeShields.

Laymen's Specials.

Thursday, March 23rd—8:00 P. M.

Organization of the Lay Members for the United Sessions.
 Election of a delegate to Uniting Conference meeting in Kansas City,
 Missouri, April 26th, 1939.
 St. Paul Baptist Church, 10th and Wallace Streets.

Saturday, March 25th—7:00 P. M.

Ministers' Wives Banquet at St. Paul Baptist Church.

Saturday, March 25th—8:30 P. M.

Lay Members Banquet at Zion Baptist Church.

LAY MEMBERS UNITED SESSION, 1939.
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 George M. Milbourne, Princess Anne, Md., R. F. D. # 1

Rules of Order

OF THE DELAWARE ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

Rule I. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference; but in case of such appeal, the question shall be taken without debate.

Rule II. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise specially ordered by the Conference.

Rule III. On assigning the floor to any member of Conference, he shall distinctly announce the name of the member to whom he assigns it.

Rule IV. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member shall be presented in writing, if the President, Secretary, or any two members request it.

Rule V. When a motion or resolution is moved and seconded, or a report is presented, and is read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover, with the consent of Conference, at any time before amendment or decision.

Rule VI. The motion to adjourn, to lay on the table, to take from the table, or for the previous question, shall be taken without debate.

Rule VII. No new motion or resolution shall be entertained until the one under consideration has been disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene, which shall have precedence in the order in which they are here placed, namely: (1) To fix the time to which the Conference shall adjourn. (2) To adjourn. (3) To lay on the table. (4) For the previous question. (5) To postpone to a given time. (6) To refer to a committee. (7) Substitute. (8) Amendment. (9) To postpone indefinitely.

Rule VIII. A substitute or amendment may be amended.

Rule IX. When any member is about to speak in debate, or to deliver any matter to the Conference, he shall rise and respectfully address the President.

Rule X. No member shall be interrupted when speaking, except by the President to call him to order when he departs from the question, or uses personalities or disrespectful language; but any member may call the attention of the President to the subject when he deems a speaker out of order, and any member may explain if he thinks himself misrepresented.

Rule XI. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at one time, without leave of the Conference; nor shall any person speak more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

Rule XII. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon by the Conference it shall be in order for any member who voted with the prevailing side to move a reconsideration; but a motion to reconsider a non-debatable motion shall be decided without debate.

Rule XIII. No member shall absent himself from the service of the Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

Rule XIV. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member has been necessarily absent.

Rule XV. Every member who is within the bar at the time the question is put shall give his vote, unless the Conference, for special reasons excuse him.

Rule XVI. It shall be in order for any member to call for the yeas and nays in any question before the Conference; and, if the call be sustained by twenty-five members present the vote thereon shall be taken by yeas and nays.

Rule XVII. It shall be in order to move that the question shall be taken without further debate, on any measure pending before the Conference, except in cases where character or Conference relations are involved; and if sustained by a two-thirds vote, the question shall be so taken; nevertheless, it shall be in order under this rule to move to recommit, to divide or to lay on the table after the previous question has been ordered.

Rule XVIII. The motion to adjourn shall be taken without debate, and shall always be in order, except (1) when a member has the floor; (2) when a question is actually put, or vote is being taken; (3) when a question is pending on sustaining the demand for the previous question; (4) when the previous question has been called and sustained, and action under it is still pending; (5) when a motion to adjourn has been negatived, and no business or debate has intervened; and (6) when a motion to fix the time to which the Conference shall adjourn is pending or shall be made.

Names of Local Preachers

DOVER DISTRICT.

P. W. Cornish, Bridgeville, Del.
J. J. Nichols, Bridgeville, Del.
George Thomas, Chestertown, Md.
Daniel C. Barrett, Chestertown, Md. (R. R. #3).
W. A. Brown, Chestertown, Md. (R. R. #3).
Thomas E. Johnson, Chestertown, Md. (R. R. #3).
John Blackiston, Chestertown, Md. (R. R. #2).
Claude Pritchett, Cheswold, Del.
Andrew Wilson, Crumpton, Md.
George Chaney, Coleman, Md.
George W. Johns, Dover, Del.
Charles White, Dover, Del.
Clarence Dixon, Harrington, Del.
Michael Cotton, Chestertown, Md.
James Coleman, Galena, Md.
Mrs. Helen Riley, Golt, Md. (R. R.).
Mrs. Lulu E. Turner, Galena, Md.
George M. Brown, Houston, Del.
Mrs. Lydia Webb Ewell, Laurel, Del.
Fred D. Thomas, Lewes, Del.
William Macklin, Lincoln City, Del.
Robert H. Waples, Lincoln City, Del.
J. J. Mitchell, Laurel, Del. (R. R.).
D. J. Johnson, Mardela, Md.
L. C. Johnson, Mardela, Md.
Louis H. Custis, Mardela, Md.
Jacob F. Deshields, Mardella, Md.
L. H. Waller, Mardella, Md.
Robert Cropper, Milford, Del.
L. C. Painter, Nassau, Del.
J. E. Waples, Nassau, Del.
John R. Watson, Nassau, Del.
William P. Redmond, Newark, Md.
Mrs. M. E. Bell, Berlin, Md.
Oscar Mason, Port Deposit, Md.
James Hopkins, Rock Hall, Md.
Mrs. Lydia Scott, Rock Hall, Md.
William J. Scott, Rock Hall, Md.
Mrs. Rachel C. Brown, Golt, Md. (R. R.).
Samuel Robinson, Golt, Md. (R. R.).
William A. Nichols, Seaford, Del.
E. O. Russum, Seaford, Del.
Horace Stanley, Sharptown, Md.
Thaddeus Hackett, Still Pond, Md.
George A. Tiller, Still Pond, Md.
Hiram Wallace, Still Pond, Md.
S. Frank Henry, Townsend, Del.
Alonzo Lee, Townsend, Del.
I. B. Henry, Berlin, Md.
Charles Purnell, Berlin, Md.

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LOCAL PREACHERS**

George Murray, Salem, Md.
 Thomas H. Stewart, East New Market, Md.
 Thomas H. Stanley, Salem, Md.
 Sylvester Caldwell, Claibourne, Md.
 Albert Wilson, Trappe, Md.
 R. H. Dennard, East New Market, Md.
 W. H. Bradley, East New Market, Md.
 D. J. Dafney, East New Market, Md.
 Albert Slacum, East New Market, Md.
 Mrs. Minnie Stewart, East New Market, Md.
 William T. Cornish, Taylor's Island, Md.
 Perry Cooper, Easton, Md.
 William Lucas, Preston, Md. (R. F. D.)
 Geo. E. Williams, Trappe, Md. (R. F. D. #3.)
 Frank Frazier, Hurlock, Md., Route #1.
 Mrs. Susie Cephas, Hurlock, Md., Route 1.
 J. T. Rhyanes, Queenstown, Md. (R. F. D.)
 William Matney, Golden Hill, Md.
 Robt. Lee, Easton, Md. (R. F. D. #2.)
 William H. Griffin, Easton, Md. (R. F. D. #2.)
 Mrs. Elizabeth Hodges, Oxford, Md.
 W. H. Staten, Preston, Md., (R. F. D.)
 J. S. Stanley, Preston, Md. (R. F. D.)
 Solomon Hubbard, Preston, Md.
 Charles Chamberlain, Preston, Md. (R. F. D.)
 Mrs. Martha Chamberlain, Preston, Md. (R. F. D.)
 A. D. Webb, Hurlock, Md. (R. F. D.)
 O. D. Jackson, Church Creek, Md. •
 D. H. Bantom, Oxford, Md.
 Levin W. Molock, Vienna, Md. (R. F. D.)
 John F. Molock, Aireys, Md.
 Peter H. Stanley, Aireys, Md. (R. F. D.)
 Stephen B. Wilson, Aireys, Md. (R. F. D.)
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 Lucretia Johnson, 97 Wickliffe St., Newark, N. J.
 Samuel Hackett, 533 Perry St., Trenton, N. J.
 Simon Shepherd, 533 Perry St., Trenton, N. J.
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 A. L. Boggs, 1722 North 18th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Major Wing, 1155 South 19th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Anna R. Brown, 1311 South 18th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
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 Solomon Hubbard, 6029 North Norwood St., Philadelphia, Pa.
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 Walter Mills, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Hezekiah Harmon, Marshallton, Del.
 James Teagle, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 James Dickerson, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Samuel H. Dennis, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Lora Waters, Pocomoke City, Md.
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 I. J. Teagle, Stockton, Md.
 L. W. Collick, Snow Hill, Md.
 D. J. Waters, Crisfield, Md.
 R. C. Crosswell, Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 G. L. Crosswell, Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Chas. H. Cottingham, Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 W. S. Johnson, Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Mrs. Mary E. Crosswell, Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 E. S. Waters, Marion Station, Md.
 Aaron Whittington, Marion Station, Md.
 Craffon Whittington, Marion Station, Md.
 E. L. Thomas, Manokin, Md.
 Joseph P. Joynes, Manokin, Md.
 Sarah M. Waters, Manokin, Md.
 Joseph R. Waters, Upper Hill, Md.
 John C. Waters, Upper Hill, Md.
 Joseph Maddox, Upper Hill, Md.
 J. W. Hayman, Princess Anne, Md.
 W. P. James, Princess Anne, Md.
 Henry Hitch, Princess Anne, Md.
 O. J. Wainwright, Princess Anne, Md.
 William James, Princess Anne, Md.
 Chas. Nixon, Princess Anne, Md.
 Joseph H. Hayman (L. D.), Princess Anne, Md.
 John Bell, Princess Anne, Md.
 William Burk, Princess Anne, Md., R. F. D.
 J. W. McBride, Dames Quarter, Md.
 Alex Johnson, Dames Quarter, Md.
 Amos Wilson, Dames Quarter, Md.
 Dennis Johnson, Dames Quarter, Md.
 Washington McBride, Dames Quarter, Md.
 Isaac J. Jones, Deals Island, Md.
 Roma Jones, Oriole, Md.
 John Maddox, Oriole, Md.
 Anthony Johnson, Oriole, Md.
 E. F. Conway, Clara, Md.
 A. T. Garrison, Clara, Md.
 Dennis Cooke, Quantico, Md., R. F. D.
 Stephen Cook, Quantico, Md., R. F. D.
 S. B. Lankford, Quantico, Md., R. F. D.
 John Hull, Quantico, Md.
 Carrie Bailey, Quantico, Md., R. F. D.

Granville P. Deshiel, Jesterville, Md.
 William Nutter, Nanticoke, Md.
 Morris Nutter, Nanticoke, Md.
 J. W. Elzey, Nanticoke, Md.
 Littleton Church, Quantico, Md.
 I. R. Davis, Whaleysville, Md.
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 J. W. Handy, Fruitland, Md.
 Grover Jones, Salisbury, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 J. Lee Dashields, Eden, Md.
 Charles Harmon, Oakville, Md.
 Richard Miles, Princess Anne, Md.

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 Charles E. Harris, R. F. D. # 2, Salem, N. J.
 Frank T. Pierce, R. F. D. # 2, Salem, N. J.
 John T. Manders, 309 Keasby St., Salem, N. J.
 Charles Henry, 24 York St., Salem, N. J.
 Solomon Baynard, 415 Lafayette Ave., Woodbury, N. J.
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 Mrs. Alice L. Rasin, 121 W. Beyview Ave., Pleasantville, N. J.
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 William Moore, Lawnside, N. J.
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 William Jordan, Woodbine, N. J.
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Church School Superintendents

DOVER DISTRICT.

J. R. Watson, Nassau, Del.
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Harvey Young, Lincoln City, Del.
Parold Davis, Lincoln City, Del.
Octavia Henry, Chestertown, Md., R. R. # 2.
Hazel Thompson, Chestertown, Md., R. R. # 2.
Helen P. Riley, Golt, Md., R. R.
Perry Riley, Golt, Md., R. R.
Sandy Ford, Chestertown, Md., R. R. # 2.
Edward Phillips, Chestertown, Md., R. R. # 2.
Estella Gattis, Seaford, Del.
Frank Evans, Federalsburg, Md., R. R.
Williams Nichols, Rhodesdale, Md., R. R.
E. L. Dorsey, Portsville, Del.
Charles Frisby, Chestertown, Md.
Mary Freeman, Milford, Del.
Thomas E. Johnson, Chestertown, Md., R. R. # 3.
Deborah Lewis, Chestertown, Md., R. R. # 3.
Beulah Jackson, Worton, Md., R. R.
Margaret L. Thorpe, Harrington, Del.
James W. Turner, Houston, Del.
Edward Derrickson, Berlin, Md.
Lucretia Prideaux, Berlin, Md., R. R.
S. M. Blackburn, Dover, Del.
Carrie White, Still Pond, Md.
Thaddeus Hackett, Still Pond, Md.
Mildred Wiggings, Crumpton, Md.
Hallie Wilson, Sudlersville, Md.
Hannah Quonomy, Port Deposit, Md.
Mildred Lacy, Port Deposit, Md.
Ewing A. Bowen, Berlin, Md.
Ruth Ray, Townsend, Del.
Mary Montgomery, Townsend, Del.
Irwin Collins, Townsend, Del.
Agnes Anderson, Warwick, Md.
Arthur Brown, Golt, Md., R. R.
George Dredden, Bridgeville, Del.
P. W. Cornish, Bridgeville, Del.
Anna Moseley, Cheswold, Del.
Mary Agnes Morris, Cheswold, Del.
George A. Walters, Frankford, Del., R. R.
Maggie Postles, Selbyville, Del.
Lorraine Holoway, Delmar, Del.
Eunice Hopkins, Georgetown, Del.
Mildred Hopkins, Georgetown, Del.
Inez Burton, Nassau, Del.
Rebecca Argo, Lewes, Del.
Robert Hall, Millsboro, Del., R. R.
Reese Phillips, Millsboro, Del., R. R.
Viola Comegys, Millington, Md.
Verma Wilson, Millington, Md.
William Jones, Chestertown, Md., R. R.
George Scott, Rock Hall, Md.
Edward Thomas, Rock Hall, Md.
Luther C. Johnson, Mardela Springs, Md., R. R.
James R. Smiley, Laurel, Del., R. R.
Sherman Brown, Mardela Springs, Md., R. R.
Estelle Nichols, Laurel, Del.

CHURCH SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS
EASTON DISTRICT.

Mrs. Lillian Tucker, Denton, Md.
 Mrs. Maggie Harris, Hillsboro, Md., R. F. D.
 John C. Rozier, Centreville, Md.
 Mrs. Fannie Coursey, Easton, Md., Route 2.
 Samuel Staten, Easton, Md., Route 3.
 Joseph F. Chester, 109 Pine St., Cambridge, Md.
 Perkins Starkey, Barclay, Md.
 Joshua Farrell, Chestertown, Md., Route 1.
 John J. Anthony, Centreville, Md., Route 4.
 Mrs. Sarah Stansbury, Centreville, Md., Route 3.
 Mrs. Henrietta Teat, Centreville, Md., Route 2.
 G. C. H. Freeman, Trappe, Md., R. F. D.
 Miss Anna Thomas, St. Michaels, Md.
 Miss Agnes Curtiss, Oxford, Md.
 Alonzo Dickerson, Oxford, Md., R. F. D.
 Kenneth Harmor, Preston, Md.
 Russell Friend, Bethlehem, Md.
 Willard Johns, Hurlock, Md., R. F. D.
 Peter Johns, Hurlock, Md.
 Linda Matthews, Hurlock, Md., Route 2.
 Mrs. Margaret Spry, Hurlock, Md.
 George Carney, Goldsboro, Md.
 Albert Matthews, Greensboro, Md.
 Miss Thelma Daniels, Marydel, Md., Route 1.
 Miss Grace Dickerson, Marydel, Md., Route 1.
 Mrs. Nettie Jobs, Chester, Md.
 Clinton Spence, Stevensville, Md.
 Mrs. Gertrude L. Johnson, Federalsburg, Md.
 Mrs. Lyda Pratis, Federalsburg, Md.
 John E. Burris, Crapo, Md.
 Mrs. Helen Meekins, Church Creek, Md., Route 2.
 Mrs. Edna Travis, 436 Washington St., Cambridge, Md.
 D. J. Dafney, East New Market, Md.
 Solomon Kellum, Easton, Md., Route 1.
 McKinley Brooks, Easton, Md., Route 4.
 Clifford Thomas, Graysonville, Md., Route 1.
 John F. Wright, Queenstown, Md., Route 1.
 Earl Stafford, Centreville, Md., Route 3.
 Mrs. Evelyn Gould, Centreville, Md., R. F. D. (Gouldtown).
 Miss Audry Dickerson, Preston, Md., R. F. D.
 Mrs. Myrtle Wright, Denton, Md., R. F. D.
 Mrs. Ida McDowell, Vienna, Md.
 Mrs. Nicie Parne, Cambridge, Md., Route 1.
 Ms. Addie B McBride, Cambridge, Md.
 Edward Monday, Cordova, Md., R. F. D. (Newtown).
 Mrs. Mildred Stanford, Queen Anne, Md.

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 Morris Riley, 1620 Manton St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 James E. Fitchett, 260 N. Salford St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Ernest Wickerson, 25 Williams St., Englewood, N. J.
 E. A. Price, 26 West 113th St., New York, N. Y.
 Mrs. Victoria Sommers, 4816 Hawthorne St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Cecil Brooks, 29 East Penn St., Germantown, Pa.

James H. Kelly, 133 North Salford St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Joseph Johnson, 162 Union St., Jersey City, N. J.
 Thomas Johnson, 491 Atlantic St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Lawrence Riley, 1221 Bucknell St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Mrs. Ida Fooks, 5610 Westminster Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Mrs. Leorna Brinkerhoff, 143-01 Shore Ave., Jamaica, N. Y.
 L. P. Gibson, 6134 Lambert St., East Germantown, Pa.
 W. H. Foster, 415 Bloomfield Ave., Montclair, N. J.
 L. T. Carroll, 1717 North 21st St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Miss Rebecca Williams, 281 Stuyvesant Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 John White, 90 River St., New Rochelle, N. Y.
 A. E. Ricks, 282 Lincoln St., East Orange, N. J.
 Alonzo Smith, 22 Broadway, Ossining, N. Y.
 F. M. Bird, 16 Frelinghuysen St., Newark, N. J.
 Mrs. B. C. Green, 475 Monroe St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Ralph H. Jones, 1810 Montrose St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Miss Frances Watson, 448 Brunswick St., Trenton, N. J.
 Milton Thomas, 26 Minerva St., White Plains, N. Y.
 Mrs. M. E. Good, 1927 Norris St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Herman D. Brown, 1302 N. Park Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

CHURCH SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

John A. Elliott, Wachapreague, Va.
 Geo. T. Dowling, Wachapreague, Va.
 Maggie Chandler, Parksley, Va.
 Berkley Mason, Onancock, Va., R. F. D. 1.
 W. H. Wallop, Horntown, Va.
 Martha Waters, New Church, Va.
 Henrietta Crippen, New Church, Va.
 I. T. Bailey, Oak Hall, Va.
 Samuel Holden, Oak Hall, Va.
 Walter J. Mills, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Clifford Shockley, Snow Hill, Md., R. F. D. 2, Box 52.
 Ernest Bivins, Snow Hill, Md., R. F. D. 4.
 Mrs. Hattie Rowley, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Samuel H. Dennis, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Thomas Aydelotte, Pocomoke City, Md.
 James Stevenson, Girdletree, Md.
 E. J. Johnson, Girdletree, Md.
 J. E. Copes, Snow Hill, Md., R. F. D.
 Mary J. Davis, Stockton, Md.
 Chas. Waters, Snow Hill, Md.
 H. H. Elzie, Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 Howard Miles, Crisfield, Md.
 Leah Gale, Shelltown P. O., Md.
 Thomas Logan, Marion Station, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 Stephen Outen, Marion Station, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 C. T. Ward, Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Waters Crosswell, Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Edw. Bird, Marion Station, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Calvin Holland, Marion Station, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 William Smith, Jr., Westover, Md.
 Lizzie Kersey, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 Alvin Cottman, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 J. P. Joynes, Manokin, Md.
 Isaac White, Westover, Md.
 John C. Waters, Upper Hill P. O., Md.
 Emory D. Waters, Fairmount, Md.

Wm. H. Hayman, Princess Anne, Md.
 Mazie Bloodsworth, Princess Anne, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Edw. Mills, Princess Anne, Md., R. F. D. 2.
 Amos Wilson, Dames Quarter, Md.
 J. W. McBride, Chance, Md.
 Edw. L. Wallace, Deals Island, Md.
 Oscar Maddox, Oriole, Md.
 Wilhelmina Smith, Venton, Md.
 A. W. Preston, Tyaskin, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 A. T. Garrison, Clara, Md.
 Roger Hull, Quantico, Md., R. F. D.
 Gussie Wallace, Quantico, Md., R. F. D.
 Andrew Evans, Nanticoke, Md.
 Geo. E. Price, Quantico, Md.
 Samuel Nelson, Hebron, Md.
 Richard Wilson, Parsonsburg, Md.
 Henry Showell, Whaleyville, Md.
 C. E. Holland, Bishops, Md.
 Ada Browne, 106 Delaware St., Salisbury, Md.
 L. H. Waller, 604 Lake St., Salisbury, Md.
 Ruth Nutter, Salisbury, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 Mary Joyce, Eden, Md., Box 21.
 Walter Steward, Eden, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 Frank Cornish, Eden, Md.

CHURCH SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Charles F. Ward, 919 Maple Terrace, Darby, Pa.
 Wm. H. Bradley, 259 W. Washington St., Mt. Holly, N. J.
 W. Calvin Matthews, 1311 Walnut St., Wilmington, Del.
 Charles Williams, Merchantville, N. J.
 Herman Moody, Middletown, Del.
 Elwood Tildon, 1623 W. 3rd St., Chester, Pa.
 Mrs. Josephine Covington, Middletown, Del.
 Mrs. Jennie A. Maddox, 807 Indiana Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.
 Sylvester Woolford, Buttonwood, New Castle, Del.
 Mrs. Aletha Walton, 934 Poplar St., Wilmington, Del.
 Joseph Harmon, Delaware City, Del.
 Alice Lloyd, Kirkwood, Del.
 Joseph E. Nettie, Quinton, N. J.
 Mrs. Laura V. Williams, R. F. D. 2, Bridgeton, N. J.
 Charles Henry, 24 York St., Salem, N. J.
 Charles H. Wright, 415 Lafayette Ave., Woodbury, N. J.
 Isaiah Kersey, Catell Road, Jericho, N. J.
 Norman N. Graves, 54 Orange St., Bridgeton, N. J.
 Robert A. Murray, Jr., W. Adams Ave., Pleasantville, N. J.
 C. L. Miller, Eden Cemetery, Darby, Pa. (Springfield Rd.).
 Alvin Miller, Lawnside, N. J.
 Mrs. Roxie Beckles, 503 New Castle Ave., Wilmington, Del.
 P. C. Johnson, Port Norris, N. J.
 Mrs. Ethel Simmons, St. Georges, Del.
 Mrs. Lydia H. Garnett, 305 Chestnut St., New Castle, Del.
 Mrs. Ella Wiggins, Odessa, Del.
 Herold Wilson, Elkton, Md.
 Mrs. Jennie Jackson, Port Penn, Del.
 Mrs. Gertrude Young, 1707 W. 3rd St., Wilmington, Del.
 Theodore Gray, 1306 Wilson St., Wilmington, Del.
 Hawy Hall, 1602 Walnut St., Chester, Pa.
 Mrs. Minnie Harmon, Cape May Court House, N. J.
 Mrs. Adelia Cox, 212 Jackson St., Cape May, N. J.

Epworth League Presidents

DOVER DISTRICT.

Estella Doran, Chestertown, Md., R. R. # 3.
Hattie Johnson, Chestertown, Md.
Ruth Spriggs, Chestertown, Md., R. R. # 2.
Edna Hicks, Chestertown, Md., R. R. # 2.
Lucy Berryman, Rock Hall, Md.
Alice Ward, Rock Hall, Md.
Mildred Wilson, Worton, Md., R. R.
Josephine Tildon, Port Deposit, Md.
Perry Cooper, Millington, Md., R. R.
Hilda Ashley, Millington, Md.
Williamson Stevenson, Jr., Division St., Dover, Del.
Mildred Watson, Townsend, Del.
Margaret Dixon, Harrington, Del.
Sadie Burton, Nassau, Del.
Herman Beach, Rehoboth Beach, Del.
Meridith Jackson, Millsboro, Del., R. R.
Avery Johnson, Clarksville, Del.
Elizabeth Brittingham, Berlin, Md.
Elizabeth Derrickson, Berlin, Md.
Margaret Collick, Berlin, Md., R. R.
Albert Dredde, Bridgeville, Del.
Dora Dredde, Bridgeville, Del.
Sinah Robinson, Bridgeville, Del.
Thaddeus Deshields, Seaford, Del.
Viola Barclay, Seaford, Del.
Ocelle Whitney, Laurel, Del.
Ruth Webb, Laurel, Del.
Althea Hotton, Delmar, Del.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

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Joseph H. Simpson, 241 W. Washington St., Mt. Holly, N. J.
Miss Margaret Wiggins, 919 Wilson St., Wilmington, Del.
Mrs. Laura Washington, Merchantville, N. J.
Wm. Tasco, Middletown, Del.
Miss Louise Phillips, 411 Flower St., Chester, Pa.
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Miss Elizabeth Lindsey, 44 Eakin St., Salem, N. J.
Mrs. Octavia C. Coy, R. F. D., Sewell, N. J.
Miss Katherine Tolson, 414 Lafayette Ave., Woodbury, N. J.
William Buck, 18 Willow St., Bridgeton, N. J.
Mrs. Rosa Bryant, W. California Ave., Absecon, N. J.
C. W. Shockley, Delair, N. J.
Carl Still, Eveshaw Ave., Magnolia, N. J.
Mrs. Hilda Lee, 1116 B. St., Wilmington, Del.
Miss Olivia Lewis, 105 E. 4th St., New Castle, Del.
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Maberry Pitts, 1616 Providence Ave., Chester, Pa.
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W. Edward Watson, Odessa, Del.
William E. Deakins, 213 Jackson St., Cape May, N. J.
John A. Quillin, 768 Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J.
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DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

1938-39

SALISBURY DISTRICT

Received for Epworth League and Church School Institute as follows:

Crisfield—Shiloh	\$ 4.00
Union-Asbury	3.00
Dames Quarter	1.00
Fairmount	3.00
Fruitland	3.00
Girdletree	3.00
Horntown	3.00
Kingston	3.00
Liberia	3.00
Manokin	3.00
Marion Station	3.00
Nanticoke	1.00
Pocomoke City	3.00
Salisbury—John Wesley	2.00
Whites Temple	3.00
Snow Hill	3.00
Stockton	2.00
Watchapreague	2.00
Wattsville	3.00
White Haven	3.00
Total received	\$ 54.
Paid to Rev. J. W. Jewett, Treasurer	\$ 50
Balance on hand	\$ 4.

J. E. A. JOHNS, Dist. Supt.

DELAWARE CONFERENCE RECORD OF SERVICE.

The date following the name at the top indicates the time when each person was received into the Conference, including the two years on probation. The figure or figures at the end of the line indicates the number of years at that place.

Anderson, C. L. 1894.		Bullen, J. N. 1914.	
Rock Charge	2	Woodland, Md.	2
Trinity	4	Carmichaels, Md.	3
Frankford, Del.	3	Fairlee, Md.	2
Lincoln, Del.	4	Hurlock, Md.	3
Stockton, Md.	7	Denton, Md.	2
Mardela Springs, Md.	7	Chestertown, Md.	6
1917 retired.		Trenton, N. J.	4
		Orange, N. J.	4
		Brooklyn, N. Y., John Wesley.	1
Anderson, M. C. 1921.		Butler, F. H. 1895.	
Ossining, N. Y.	3	Salisbury Circuit	2
Federalburg, Md.	4	Atlantic City, N. J.	4
Girdletree, Md.	2	Centreville, Md.	4
Sharptown, Md.	5	Montclair, N. J.	10
Nanticoke, Md.	5	Zoar, Philadelphia, Pa.	6
		Secretary Col'd. Wk. Board of	
		Epworth League	10
		D. S. Dover District	6
		Germantown, Phila., Pa.	3
Angulo, Jose. 1905.		Carson, B. B. 1919.	
Fordsville, N. J.	2	Stockton Circuit	2
Church Creek, Md.	2	Golden Hill, Md.	2
Woodland, Md.	3	Trinity, Del.	2
Rock Hall, Md.	3	Sassafras, Md.	4
Wittman, Md.	3	Bridgeville, Del.	5
Alreys, Md.	3	Coleman, Md.	4
Madison, Md.	4	Laurel, Del.	3
Newark, Md.	2		
Dames Quarter, Md.	3		
Hudson, N. Y.	1		
Vienna, Md.	5		
Wachapreague, Va.	2		
Cottage Grove, Md.	4		
Parsonsburg, Md.	1		
Arnold, B. A. 1927.		Cheers, Robert W. 1925.	
Assistant Pastor St. Paul's		Trenton, N. J.	4
Church Phila., Pa.	1	Princess Anne, Md.	5
Asst. Pastor John Wesley		Cambridge, Md.	4
Church Phila., Pa.	1	Centerville Ct.	1
Burlington, N. J.	3	Delmar, Del.	1
John Simmons Memo. Church			
Phila., Pa.	1		
Burlington, N. J.	6		
Chester, Pa., Grace & Darby..	1		
Bailey, Howard A. 1933.		Clark, M. W. 1905.	
Grenloch and Rhodes, N. J. ...	2	Catlin, Md.	2
Atlantic City, Hamilton Memo-		New Castle, Del.	3
rial	3	Church Hill, Md.	1
Newport, Del.	2	Lincoln City, Del.	6
		Retired 1924.	4
		Delmar, Del.	5
		Quantico, Md.	1
		Fruitland, Md.	1
		Camphor Memorial, Phila., Pa.	4
		White's Temple, Salisbury, Md.	3
Ballard, M. O. 1931.		Conrd. John S. 1922.	
Fairlee, Md.	3	Dover Circuit	3
Millington, Md.	4	Frankford, Del.	1
Nassau, Del.	2	Port Penn, Del.	2
		Beckwith, Md.	3
		Centreville, Ct.	1
		Keller, Va.	2
		Stockton Ct., Md.	4
		Mt. Vernon and Polks Road ..	4
		Deals Island, Md.	1
Black, Austin L. 1932.		Coffey, Jr., W. H. 1930.	
Wachapreague, Va.	2	Dover Ct., Del.	1
Wetipquin, Md.	4	Galena, Md.	1
Fruitland, Md.	2	Chestertown, Md.	6
		South Berlin, Md.	1
		Stevensville, Md.	1
Blackiston, J. H. 1909.			
Burlington, N. J.	14		
Bridgeton, N. J.	1		
Fordsville, N. J.	14		
Brown, W. W. 1920.			
Wetipquin, Md.	3		
Wachapreague, Va.	4		
Liberia, Md.	7		
Port Deposit, Md.	1		
Newark, Md.	5		

Coleman, T. B. H. 1877.

Church Creek, Md.	1
Fruitland, Md.	2
McDaniel, Md.	3
Cottage Grove	4
Port Deposit, Md.	5
Mt. Zion, N. J.	6
Milford, Del.	7
Berlin, Md.	8
Pocomoke City, Md.	9
Chestertown, Md.	10
Queenstown, Md.	11
Centreville, Md.	12
Madison, Md.	13
Oriole, Md.	14
Oak Hall, Va.	15
Melitota, Md.	16
Church Hill, Md.	17
Delaware City, Del.	18
Crumpton, Md.	19
Jamestown, Md.	20
Wetpquin, Md.	21
Retired 1918	

Coleman, R. H. 1888.

Woodbury, N. J.	1
Fair Oaks, Va.	2
Cokesbury, Md.	3
Newport, Del.	4
Delaware City, Del.	5
Bridgeton, N. J.	6
Whittman, Md.	7
Greensboro, Md.	8
Kent Island, Md.	9
Jamestown, Md.	10
Fairlee, Md.	11
Pomona, Md.	12
Carmichaels, Md.	13
Rock Hall, Md.	14
Hurlock, Md.	15
Harrington, Del.	16
East Wilmington, Del.	17
Port Deposit, Md.	18
Retired 1923.	
Cheswold, Del. 3 yrs. 9 mo.	

Coleman, G. B. 1891.

Crapo, Md.	3
Millington, Md.	1
Cape May, N. J.	2
McDaniel, Md.	2
Bridgeville, Del.	4
New Castle, Del.	1
Wachapreague, Va.	2
Harrington, Del.	5
Salisbury Circuit	
Port Deposit, Md.	2
Retired 1919.	

Coleman, H. R. 1923.

Haddonfield, N. J.	4
Quinton, N. J.	12
Mt. Zion, Philadelphia, Pa.	

Collins, D. W. 1935.

Englewood, N. J.	1
Deals Island, Md.	3
New Castle, Del.	1

Cooper, T. W. 1901.

Seaford, Del.	8
Royal Oak, Md.	7
Lawsonia, Md.	5
Brooklyn, N. Y.	5
East New Market, Md.	3
Oxford, Md.	3
Jersey City, N. J.	2
Marion Station, Md.	6

Coulbourn, J. S. 1896.

White Haven, Md.	3
Quantico, Md.	3
Wattsville, Va.	2
Berlin, Md.	8
Easton, Md.	6

Covington, C. T. 1913.

Dames Quarter, Md.	2
Liberia, Md.	1
Parsonburg, Md.	2
Delmar, Del.	3
Fairmount, Md.	4
Keller, Va.	1
Wetpquin, Md.	1
Hurlock, Md.	3
Ridgely, Md.	1
Hopewell, Md.	1
Horntown, Va.	2
White Haven, Md.	3
Girdletree, Md.	2

Crumpton, E. H. 1918.

Ossining, N. Y.	1
Transferred to New England Conference, 1919.	
Worcester, Mass.	4
Transferred to Del. Conf. 1923.	
White Plains, N. Y.	1
Pleasantville, N. J.	3
Lawnside, N. J.	8
Brooklyn, N. Y., Newman	5

Davis, J. L. 1899.

Wittman, Md.	8
Crumpton, Md.	3
Townsend, Del.	3
Dames Quarter, Md.	2
Parsonburg, Md.	6
Nanticoke, Md.	2
Phila. Pa., Calvary Mission	3
Woodbury, N. J.	5
Swalnton, N. J.	2
Ocean City, N. J.	1
St. Peters, Wilmington, Del.	1
Galena, Md.	1
Sharptown, Md.	4

Denn, E. W. 1935.

Transferred from Texas Conference	
Englewood, N. J. and New Rochelle, N. Y.	1
Ossining and New Rochelle	3
Ossining, N. Y.	3

Derrickson, C. W. 1928.

McDaniel, Md.	4
Church Hill, Md.	2
Preston, Md.	5

Dickerson, J. M. 1910.

McDaniel, Md.	4
Greensboro, Md.	5
Salisbury, Md.	6
Dover, Del.	5 1/2
Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	1 1/2
Dist. Supt., Salisbury Dist.	6
Atlantic City, Asbury	2
Deceased 1938.	

Dickerson, O. P. 1908.

Odessa, Del.	2
Barclay, Md.	3
Delaware City, Del.	6
Jamestown, Md.	6
Parsonburg, Md.	1
Mardela Springs, Md.	4
Nanticoke, Md.	5
Denton, Md.	4
Cambridge Circuit, Md.	1

Dix, Seldon G. 1922.

Orlole, Md.	4
Wittman, Md.	2
Quinton & Springtown	2
On leave of absence	1
Supernumerary	1
Galena, Md.	6
Cambridge Ct., Md.	1
Townsend, Del.	1

Dunn, Joseph E. 1922.

Ocean City, N. J.	2
New Rochelle & Delmar, Del.	3
Camphor Memorial, Phila.	3
Chestertown, Md.	1
Newport, Del.	6
Brooklyn, N. Y., John Wesley.	3
Orange, N. J.	1

Elbert, J. W. 1930.

Englewood, N. J.	2
Orlole, Md.	3
Unionville, Md.	4

Elzey, Irvin R. 1933.

Hopewell, Md.	5
Wattsville, Va.	2

Emptage, Sydney. 1914.

Asst. to E. Calvary, Phila., Pa.	1
Grenloch & Rhodes, N. J.	2
Siloam, Chester, Pa.	5
Mt. Holly, N. J.	1
John Wesley, Brooklyn, N. Y.	4
John Wesley, Salisbury, Md.	2
Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	2
Pocomoke City, Md.	4
Lawnside, N. J.	5

Fanssett, J. A. 1921.

East New Market Ct., Md.	2
Taylor's Island, Md.	3
Trappe, Md.	4
Stevensville, Md.	9
Chestertown, Md.	1

Fields, G. T. 1897.

Siloam, Chester, Pa.	1
Bridgeton Circuit, N. J.	3
Marydel, Md.	7
Linkwood, Md.	3
Stevensville, Md.	5
South Berlin, Md.	2
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	2
Bridgeton, N. J.	3
Salem, N. J.	14
Retired 1938.	
Deceased 1938.	

Fletcher, D. R. 1934.

Spring Lake, N. J.	1
Bethsaida, Phila., Pa.	2
Centerville Ct., Md.	1
Peniel, Phila., Pa.	2

Fletcher, J. T. 1904.

Wittman, Md.	2
Denton, Md.	2
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	2
Germantown, Pa.	7
District Supt., Phila. Dist.	6
Zoar, Phila., Pa.	9 1/2
Dist. Supt., Phila. District	6 1/2

Geddis, G. E. 1927.

South Carolina Conf., Clifton College	2
Wesley College, McBee, S. C.	2

Charleston, S. C., Old Bethel Church	2
Seneca, S. C., Wesley Church.	3 1/2
Kingston, S. C., Wilson Chapel	1 1/2
Delaware Conference, Clarks-ville, Del.	1

Gerald, C. D. 1928.

Kellar, Va.	4
Parsonsburg, Md.	2
Pomona, Md.	4
Cambridge, Md.	2

Gibson, Elmer P. 1926.

Grace & Darby, Pa.	3
Camphor Mem., Phila., Pa.	4
John Wesley, Salisbury, Md.	7

Graham, R. A. F. 1917.

Salem Circuit, N. J.	3
Ossining, N. Y.	1
Cambridge Ct.	2
Chincoteague, Va.	1
Swainton & Woodbine, N. J.	3
Springtown, N. J.	1
Clarksville, Del.	5
Galena, Md.	2
Kingston, Md.	4
Hopewell, Md.	1

Grant, Roland. 1931.

Deals Island, Md.	3
Leemont, Va.	1
Federalburg, Md.	3
McDaniel, Md.	1
Fairlee, Md.	1

Griffin, J. O. 1919

Swainton, N. J.	1
Oakville, Md.	2
White Haven, Md.	2
Keller, Va.	2
Cambridge Circuit, Md.	2
Atreys, Md.	3
Hortown, Va.	4
Withams, Va.	4
Greensboro, Md.	3

Hamilton, Ransom E. 1934.

Centreville Ct., Md.	2
Wittman, Md.	4

Handy, F. J. 1896.

Morgan College Professor	4
Salem, N. J.	2
Newark, N. J.	4
Atlantic City, N. J.	3
Phila. Dist. Supt.	3
Zoar, Philadelphia, Pa.	2
Montclair, N. J.	8
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	1
Camden, N. J.	4
Jersey City, N. J.	1
Englewood, N. J.	3
Hudson, N. Y.	3 mo.
St. Michaels, Md.	9 mo.
Ossining, N. Y.	3
Butler Mem., New York, N. Y.	3
Director Religious Education Delaware Conference	3

Harewood, W. A. 1928.

Cambridge Ct., Md.	4
East New Market, Md.	6
Denton, Md.	1

Hargis, D. H. 1900.

Dames Quarter, Md.	1
Atlantic City, N. J.	2
St. Pauls., Phila., Pa.	1
Hudson, N. Y.	1
Centreville, Md.	4
Princess Anne, Md.	2
Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	3
Salem, N. J.	1
Cambridge, Md.	2
Supt. Cambridge District	6
Haven, Phila., Pa.	6
Dist. Supt., Wilmington Dist.	6
Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	5

Helm, William J. 1900.

Church Creek, Md.	2
Lincoln City, Del.	3
Hurlock, Md.	3
Snow Hill, Md.	4
Berlin, Md.	4
Salisbury, Md.	2
Newark, N. J.	2
Dist. Supt., Easton Dist.	6
Montclair, N. J.	4
Atlantic City, N. J.	1

Henry, D. W. 1913.

Cambridge Circuit	1
Bridgeville, Del.	7
Princess Anne, Md.	4
Germantown, Phila., Pa.	3
Superintendent Salisbury Dist.	2
Transferred to Phila. Dist., as Supt. 1931.	3 1/2
Tindley Temple	6 1/2

Hilton, W. E. 1889.

Preston, Md.	1
Church Creek, Md.	2
Nassau, Del.	3
Berlin, Md.	3
Delaware City, Del.	1
Merchantville, N. J.	2
Newport, Del.	6
Port Deposit, Md.	2
Bainbridge, Phila., Pa.	1
Marydel, Md.	1
Millford, Del.	8
Bridgeton, Ct.	2
Campbor Memo., Phila., Pa.	1
Hurlock, Md.	1
New Castle, Del.	3
Coleman, Md.	3
Woodbury, N. J.	2
Clarksville, Del.	4
Still Pond, Md.	4

Hodges, T. N. 1934.

Cottage Grove, Md.	2
Parsonsburg, Md.	3
Union-Asbury, Crisfield, Md.	1

Horsey, S. J. 1911.

Cokesbury, Md.	3
Nassau, Del.	2
Royal Oak, Md.	5
Centreville, Md.	2
Middletown, Del.	3
Mt. Holly, N. J.	1 1/2
Delair, N. J.	3 1/2
Dover, Del.	2
Newark, N. J.	5
Dist. Supt. Wilmington Dist.	5

Hubbard, J. H. 1925.

Church Hill, Md.	1
Harrington, Del.	1
Nassau, Del.	5
Still Pond, Md.	5
Seaford, Del.	3

Hubbard, W. A. 1900.

Rossville, N. Y.	1
Skipton, Md.	2
Coleman, Md.	2
Widgeon, Md.	4
Dames Quarter, Md.	1
Pomona, Md.	2
Middletown, Del.	3
Dist. Supt., Wilm. District	5
Newark, N. J.	8
John Wesley, Brooklyn, N. Y.	4
John Simmons Memo., Phila., Pa.	1
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	8

Hughes, R. C. 1912.

Beckwith, Md.	4
Mt. Vernon, Md.	6
Greenwood, Md.	3
Berlin & Sinepuxent, Md.	3
Leemont, Va.	6
Princess Anne, Md.	4
Chestertown, Md.	1
Shiloh, Crisfield, Md.	1

Jacobs, G. S. 1914.

Centreville Circuit, Md.	2
Deals Island, Md.	2
Liberia, Md.	2
Greenwood, Del.	2
Mt. Vernon, Md.	3
Stockton, Md.	3
Parsonsburg, Md.	1
Sharptown, Md.	1
Retired 1930.	3
Sassafras, Md.	3
Melitota, Md.	1
Manokin Ct.	1
Deceased 1939.	

Jason, W. C. 1891.

Orange, N. J., Newark Conf.	4
Bainbridge St., Phila.	1
Janes, Germantown, Pa.	1
State College, Del.	26
Cheswold, Del.	1
Associate pastor, Dover Del.	1
Centreville Ct.	1
Smarna, Del.	2
Millford, Del.	1
St. Michaels, Md.	2
Oxford, Md.	2
Delmar, Del.	2
Chaplain, State College, Dover	4

Jefferson, J. W. 1894.

McDaniel, Md.	2
Denton, Md.	2
Fairlee, Md.	4
Ridgely, Md.	5
Galena, Md.	3
Dover, Del.	6
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	7
Supt. Easton District	6
Haven, Phila., Pa.	11

Jennings, Martin C. 1902.

Brooklyn, N. Y.	1
New Haven, Conn.	3
Mt. Holly, N. J.	3
Sunday School Missionary	2
Jersey City, N. J.	1
Wilmington, Del., Haven	1
Grenloch and Rhodes	2
Coleman, Md.	2
Crisfield, Md., Shiloh	1
Leave of Absence	1
Withdrew from Conference, 1920.	
Re-admitted, 1935.	3
Marydel, Md.	2
Pomona, Md.	2

Jewett, J. W. 1904.

Pleasantville, N. J.	2
New Haven, Conn.	1
Preston, Md.	3
Snow Hill, Md.	5
Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	2
D. S. Salisbury District	6
Mt. Clair, N. J.	12
Atlantic City, N. J., Asbury ..	2
D. S. Dover District	3

Johns, J. E. A. 1896.

Bridgeton, N. J.	3
Mt. Holly, N. J.	2
Salisbury, Md.	4
Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	4
Dist. Supt. of the Centreville ..	6
District ..	4
Newark, N. J.	4
Germantown, Pa.	6
Dist. Supt., Salisbury District ..	8
Germantown, Phila., Pa.	3
Dist. Supt. Salisbury District..	3

Johns, R. S. 1906.

Centreville Circuit, Md.	2
Orlolo, Md.	2
Port Penn, Del.	4
Sinepuxent, Md.	1
Sassafras, Md.	2
New Castle, Del.	2
Frankford, Pa.	2
Pleasantville, N. J.	2
Deals' Island, Md.	1
Cambridge Circuit, Md.	1
Carmichaels, Md.	2
Federalburg, Md.	2
Trappe, Md.	5
St. Michaels, Md.	5

Johns, W. H. 1904.

Barclay, Md.	2
Delaware City, Del.	2
Smyrna, Del.	4
Fairlee, Md.	2
Federalburg, Md.	3
Chestertown, Md.	7
Merchantville, N. J.	4
Cape May, N. J.	4
Ridgely, Md.	1
Port Norris, N. J.	6
Chester, Pa., Siloam ..	3

Johnson, F. T. 1893.

Delaware City, Del.	1
Beckwith, Md.	2
Seaford, Del.	1
Leemont, Va.	2
Salem Circuit, N. J.	9
Still Pond, Md.	9
Denton, Md.	8
Federalburg, Md.	6
White Plains, N. Y.	2
Buttonwood, Del.	1
Woodbury, N. J.	2
Marion Station, Md.	1
Parsonsburg, Md.	1
Quantico, Md.	1
White's Temple, Salisbury, Md. ..	4
Cheswold, Del.	3

Johnson, H. T. 1880.

Fair Oak, Va.	1
Salisbury Circuit, Md.	1
Ridgely, Md.	1
Greenwich, N. J.	1
Union, Md.	2
Mount Holly, N. J.	2
Orange, N. J.	5

Mount Joy & Wil., Del.	2
Jamestown, Md.	2
East New Market, Md.	2
Oxford, Md.	2
Newport, Del.	1
Grenloch & Rhodes, N. J.	2
Hudson, N. Y.	2
Cape May, N. J.	12
Newman, Brooklyn, N. Y.	4
Pleasantville, N. J.	1
White Plains, N. Y.	9

Johnson, T. A. 1890.

Rehoboth, Del.	1
Hurlock, Md.	1
Oak Grove, Del.	1
Cape May, N. J.	3
Denton, Md.	1
Greenwood, Del.	2
Wetpquin, Md.	1
Trinity, Del.	1
Crapo, Md.	2
Beckwith, Md.	1
Nanticoke, Md.	2
Deals Island, Md.	2
Sharptown, Md.	1
Vienna, Md.	1
Lewes, Del.	2
Harrington, Del.	2
Frankford, Del.	3
Dover Circuit, Del.	2
Port Penn, Del.	2
Crumpton, Md.	1
Hebron, Md.	2
East New Market Ct., Md.	5
Centerville Ct.	1
Retired 1937	

Johnson, W. A. 1914.

South Florida Conference	11
Englewood, N. J.	3
Manokin, Md.	1

Jolley, E. H. 1915.

East New Market Ct., Md.	1
Beckwith, Md.	2
Whaleyville, Md.	3
Newark, Md.	2
Lincoln City, Del.	4
Crumpton, Md.	1
Linkwood, Md.	5
Miles River, Md.	5
Deceased 1939.	

Jones, Curtis L. 1927.

Wachapreague, Va.	2
Hebron, Md.	1
Girdletree, Md.	5
Hopewell, Md.	1
Kingston, Md.	1

Jones, F. Donald. 1937.

Clarksville, Del.	2
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Jones, O. W. 1927.

Withams, Va.	2
Lewes, Del.	1

Kershaw, Frederick C. 1921.

Cambridge Md., St. Luke	2
Ocean City, N. J.	2
Hudson, N. Y. and Syracuse, ..	1
N. Y.	1
Barrington, N. J.	2
Sassafras, Md.	2
Bridgeville, Ct., Del.	2
Delaware City, Del.	2
Wattsville, Va.	4
Churchville, Md.	2

Klah, J. A. 1908.

Ocean City, N. J.	2
Pleasantville, N. J.	5
Fairmount, Md.	4
Quantico, Md.	4
Whites Chapel, Salisbury, Md.	7
Shiloh, Crisfield, Md.	9
Deceased 1939.	

Kincade, C. E. 1918.

Eastern Ct.	1
Sewell, N. J.	2
Warren, Phila., Pa.	1
Ossining, N. Y.	6
Jersey City, N. J.	2
Ocean City, N. J.	1
Buttonwood, Del.	6

Laws, F. O. T. 1917.

Bridgeton, N. J.	5
Bridgeville, Del.	3
Middletown, Del.	4
Peniel, Philadelphia, Pa.	1
E. Germantown, Pa.	5
Delair, N. J.	5

Lockman, J. O. 1916.

Melltota, Md.	1
Cordova, Md.	3
Rock Hall, Md.	11
Lincoln, Del.	9

Lyght, W. D. 1930.

Spring Lake, N. J.	3
Smyrna, Del.	5
Harrington, Del.	2

Marks, W. E. 1928.

Transferred from New Eng- land Conference.	
Lincoln City, Del.	3
Rock Hall, Md.	3
Mardella Springs, Md.	6

Martin, A. E. 1918.

Atlanta Conf. Cartersville, Ga. Transferred to Del. Conf. 1921	2
Crapo, Md.	1
Airey, Md.	2
Gammon Theo. Seminary	2
McDaniel, Md.	2
Laurel, Del.	3
Cape May, N. J.	3
South Berlin, Md.	3
Leave of Absence	1
Kellar, Va.	1

Martin, A. L. 1895.

Wattsville, Va.	3
Cambridge, Md.	12
Atlantic City, N. J.	17
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	2
Newark, N. J.	4
John Simmons Co., Phila., Pa.	5
Princess Anne, Md.	2

Martin, L. H. 1891.

Skipton, Md.	1
Queenstown, Md.	2
Carmichaels, Md.	1
Kent Island, Md.	3
Church Hill, Md.	3
Orlote, Md.	4
Vienna, Md.	4
Frankford, Del.	6
Stockton, Md.	4
Church Creek, Md.	6
Chapel, Md.	2
Cordova, Md.	1
Easton Ct., Md.	7
Melltota, Md.	2

Matthews, W. G. 1911.

Easton Circuit, Md.	2
McDaniel, Md.	3
Cambridge Circuit, Md.	5
Preston, Md.	5
Coleman, Md.	2
Elkton, Md.	7
Cape May, N. J.	5

McArthur, L. H. 1915.

Yonkers, N. Y.	1
Hudson, N. Y.	2
Frankford, Pa.	2
Merchantville, N. J.	3
Chestertown, Md.	4
Snow Hill, Md.	4
Mt. Joy, Wilm., Del.	3½
Zoar, Phila., Pa.	6½

McBride, Alonzo W. 1924.

Trinity, Del.	3
Jamestown, Md.	4
Aireys, Md.	6
Church Creek, Md.	3

McBride, J. E. 1925.

Melltota, Md.	3
Burlington, N. J.	1
Taylor's Island, Md.	2
Cordova, Md.	4
Linkwood, Md.	5

McCarthy, R. A. 1931.

Jamaica, N. Y.	8
Deceased 1939.	

McDowell, A. A. 1917.

Dames Quarter, Md.	2
Port Deposit, Md.	1
Townsend, Del.	2
Sassafras, Md.	2
Millington, Md.	2
Linkwood, Md.	2
Church Creek, Md.	1
Dames Quarter, Md.	1
Wetpquin, Md.	2
Vienna, Md.	5
Supernumerary 1 year.	
Vienna, Md.	1

Mears, W. H. 1925.

Stockton Circuit, Md.	1
White Haven, Md.	2
Fruitland, Md.	4
Union Asbury, Crisfield, Md.	2
South Berlin, Md.	1
Pocomoke City, Md.	5

Midgette, L. H. 1939.

Stuyvesant Heights	1
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Milbourne, O. Connell, 1928.

Cambridge Ct., Md.	1
Fairlee, Md.	2
Odessa, Del.	4
Elkton, Md.	2
Chester, Pa., Grace and Darby	2
East New Market, Md.	1

Miles, Clemon B. 1921.

Oakville, Md.	1
Nanticoke, Md.	2
Quantico, Md.	2
Carmichael, Md.	2
Federalburg, Md.	5
Centerville, Md.	6

Miles, W. A. T. 1906.

Spring Lake, N. J.	2
Brooklyn, N. Y.	3
Fairmount, Md.	4
Salem, N. J.	5
Marion Station, Md.	4
Easton, Md.	2
Orange, N. J.	2
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	1
Middletown, Del.	3
Laurel, Del.	3
Ridgely, Md.	5

Miles, S. R. 1939.

Marydel, Md.	1
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Moore, L. S. 1911.

Port Penn, Del.	1
Crumpton, Md.	2
Townsend, Del.	2
Dover, Del.	8
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.	16

Moore, Jr., N. W. 1930.

New Rochelle, N. Y.	1
Upper Hill, Md.	4
Fairmount Ct. and Upper Hill, Md.	2
Phila., Pa., Camphor Memorial.	3

Moore, W. J. 1886.

Atlantic City, N. J.	1
Seaford, Del.	1
Lincoln City, Del.	3
Princess Anne, Md.	4
Newark, N. J.	2
Centreville, Md.	2
Magnolia, N. J.	9
Salem, N. J.	4
Frankford, Pa.	2
Delair, N. J.	1
Retired, 1918.	

Mulley, W. A. 1923.

Mellota, Md.	2
St. Peters, Wilmington, Del.	2
Harrington, Del.	3
Chestertown, Md.	2
New Castle, Del.	3
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	5

Neals, E. M. 1923.

Savannah Conference—	
Nichols and Douglas	1
Wanessville, Ga.	1
Worshorough, Ga.	1
Barnsville, Ga.	3
Harris City, Ga. and White Springs, Ga.	1
Patterson and Offman, Ga.	1
Woodland, Md.	2
Carmichael, Md.	1
Parsonburg, Md.	2
Whitmans, Va.	3
Jamestown, Md.	1
Millington, Md.	2
Kingston, Md.	1
Grenloch and Rhodes	3
Odessa and St. Georges, Del.	1
Odessa and Port Penn, Del.	1

Nichols, E. H. 1895.

Cambridge Circuit, Md.	3
Parsonburg, Md.	3
Wittman, Md.	3
Unionville, Md.	3

Box Iron, Md.	2
Nanticoke, Md.	2
Harrington, Del.	3
Bridgeville Circuit, Del.	4
Linkwood, Md.	5
East New Market and Reid's Grove, Md.	2
Hebron, Md.	2
Withams, Va.	1
Oakville, Md.	2
Deals Island, Md.	1
Polks Road, Md.	3
Liberia, Md.	1
Retired 1935	

Nutter, J. H. 1881.

Snow Hill Ct., Md.	1
Leemont, Va.	2
Royal Oak, Md.	2
Professor in the Centenary Biblical Institute (Morgan College) 3 years.	
Pocomoke City, Md.	4
Salisbury, Md.	3
Crisfield, Md.	1
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	1
St. Michaels, Md.	1
Balnbridge St., Phila., Pa.	3
District Supt. of the Wilmington District 6 years.	
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.	3
Princess Anne, Md.	3
Marion Station, Md.	4
Royal Oak, Md.	2
Ridgely, Md.	3
Coleman, Md.	3
Millford, Del.	2
Odessa, Del.	3
Smyrna, Del.	2
Harrington, Del.	2
Laurel, Del.	2
Coleman, Md.	3

Parker, E. O. 1896.

New Haven, Conn.	1
Asbury, Phila., Pa.	1
Delaware City, Del.	1
Bridgeton, N. J.	2
Delaware City, Del.	2
Smyrna, Del.	3
Millford, Del.	2
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	2
Coleman, Md.	1
Westmont, N. J.	4
Camden, N. J.	4
Princess Anne, Md.	5
Orange, N. J.	4
Easton, Md.	3
Jersey City, N. J.	1
Cape May, N. J.	2
Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	3
Dist. Supt., Easton District.	5

Parker, J. L. 1900.

Chincoteague, Va.	1
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	5
Salisbury Circuit, Md.	3
Sail Pond, Md.	3
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	1
Oxford, Md.	4
Middletown, Del.	3
Newport, Del.	5
Church Hill, Md.	1
Vienna, Md.	2
Stevensville, Md.	1
Carmichael, Md.	4
Cheswold, Del.	2
Fairmount Circuit and Upper Hill	2
Cottage Grove, Md.	1

Parker, J. W. 1904.

Greenlock, N. J.	1
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	3
Merchantville, N. J.	4
Quantico, Md.	2
Stockton, Md.	2
Vienna, Md.	2
Woodbury, N. J.	2
Phila., Macedonia	1
Church Hill, Md.	1
S. Berlin & Sinepuxent	1
Wattsville, Va.	4
Coleman, Md.	2
Bridgeville, Del.	2
New Castle, Del.	1
Newport, Del.	2
Hamilton Memorial, Atlantic City, N. J.	2

Parker, S. T. 1897.

McDaniel, Md.	2
Salem Circuit, N. J.	1
Catlin, Md.	3
Port Deposit, Md.	2
Oak Hall, Va.	4
Lawsonia, Md.	3
Nanticoke, Md.	3
Sharptown, Md.	2
Fairmount, St. Andrews Oakville, Md.	3
Wetipquin, Md.	1
Wachapreague, Va.	4
Dames Quarter, Md.	2
Hornstown, Va.	1
White Haven, Md.	4
Retired, 1935.	

Peace, J. I. 1914.

Swainton, N. J.	3
Grenloch and Rhodes, N. J.	3
Pleasantville, N. J.	2
Bridgeton, N. J.	2
Camphor Memorial, Phila., Pa. Nanticoke, Md.	3
Quinton and Springtown Odessa and St. Georges, Del.	5
Mt. Holly, N. J.	1
Mt. Holly and Burlington, N. J.	1

Perry, L. S. 1920.

Bridgeton, N. J.	1
White Plains, N. Y.	2
Mt. Zion, Phila., Pa.	2
St. Paul, Phila., Pa.	2
Pleasantville, N. J.	2
Brooklyn, N. Y.	5
Trenton, N. J.	5
New Castle, Del.	3
Deceased 1938.	

Pitts, I. D. 1894.

Cape May, N. J.	1
Williston, Md.	1
Woodland, Md.	2
Trappe, Md.	3
Mt. Holly, N. J.	2
Kent Island, Md.	6
Federalsburg, Md.	6
Fairmount, Md.	2
Marydel, Md.	3
Mardela Springs, Md.	3
Fruitland, Md.	4
Union Asbury, Crisfield, Md.	4
Quantico, Md.	4
Unlonville, Md.	3
Orlolo, Md.	5
White Haven, Md.	2

Price, William R. 1924.

Wittman, Md.	2
Hornstown, Va.	2
Greenwood, Md.	2

Dames Quarter, Md.	4
Liberia, Md.	1
Fruitland, Md.	2
Union Asbury, Crisfield, Md.	1
Withams, Va.	1

Pullett, C. W. 1891.

Quantico, Md.	3
Marion, Md.	3
Snow Hill, Md.	2
Fairmount, Md.	2
Orange, N. J.	4
Princess Anne, Md.	2
Easton, Md.	4
District Superintendent Cambridge, Md.	6
White's Chapel, Salisbury St. Michaels, Md.	1
East New Market, Md.	2
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	1
Lawnside, N. J.	2
Bridgeton, N. J.	2
Darby & Grace, Pa.	3
Burlington, N. J.	1
Mt. Carmel, Wilm., Del.	2
Siloam, Chester, Pa.	2
Elkton, Md.	2
Middletown, Del.	1

Purnell, J. R. 1911.

Church Creek, Md.	3
Thompsontown, Md.	1
Cambridge Circuit, Md.	1
Wachapreague, Va.	4
Withams, Va.	6
Unlonville, Md.	4
Wattsville, Va.	6
Stockton, Md.	6

Quillin, D. S. 1910.

Madison, Md.	3
Vienna, Md.	3
East New Market, Md.	6
Snow Hill, Md.	4
Crisfield, Md.	6
Camden, N. J.	10

Randall, T. E. 1912.

Odessa, Del.	2
Greenwood, Del.	3
Galena, Md.	3
Pomona, Md.	4
Harrington, Del.	3
Bridgeville Ct., Del.	6

Rasin, Malachi. 1909.

Bridgeville Ct., Del.	2
Nassau, Del.	3
Hudson, N. Y.	2
Townsend, Del.	4
Sharptown, Md.	3
Nanticoke, Md.	2
Fruitland, Md.	4
Union Asbury, Crisfield, Md.	4
Ridgely, Md.	4
Pleasantville, N. J.	5

Reid, Alexander. 1916.

St. Paul, Phila., Pa.	1
Nassau, Del.	3
Newark, Del.	3
Stockton, Md.	2
Sharptown, Md.	4
So. Berlin & Sinepuxent, Md.	5
Union Asbury, Crisfield, Md.	4
Wetipquin, Md.	2

Redmond, Jr., J. B. 1933.

Lexington Conference Port Deposit, Md.	2
Phila., Pa., Bethesda	1
Secty Col. Y. M. C. A., Prince- ton, N. J.	3

Richardson, F. R. 1930.

Chapel, Md.	1
East New Market Ct., Md.	2
Centreville Ct., Md.	2
Oxford, Md.	2
Galena, Md.	1
Fairlee, Md.	1
Cordova, Md.	1

Riout, Daniel L. 1924.

Princess Anne Academy	3
St. Peters, Wilm., Del.	2
Hamilton Memorial, Atlantic City, N. J.	3
St. Michaels, Md.	2
Bridgeton, N. J.	6

Runnum, J. H. 1916.

Sinepuxent, Md.	1
Jamestown, Md.	2
Church Hill, Md.	1
McDaniel, Md.	2
Cheswold, Del.	1
Delaware City, Del.	9
Middletown, Del.	7
Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	1

Sawyer, J. Lee 1926.

Ocean City, N. J.	1
Grenloch & Rhodes, N. J.	3
Hopewell, Md.	2
Snow Hill, Md.	8

Scott, J. H. 1886.

New Castle, Del.	2
Wilmington Circuit, Del.	3
Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J.	4
Newark, N. J.	2
D. S. of Centreville District ..	6
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.	5
Zoar, Phila., Pa.	5
D. S. of Phila. District.	4
D. S. South Phila., District. ..	3
Germantown, Pa.	3
Princess Anne, Md.	3
Frankford, Phila., Pa.	1
St. Paul's, Phila., Pa.	1
Bethesda, Phila., Pa.	1
Retired 1934.	

Scott, Warren H. 1937.

Ocean City, N. J.	2
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Shockley, C. W. 1911.

Greenwood, Del.	3
Salem Ct., N. J.	3
Mt. Holly, N. J.	1
Delair, N. J.	2
Oriole, Md.	2
Dames Quarter, Md.	3
Cordova, Md.	1
Williston, Md.	1
Retired, 1927.	2

Shockley, J. R. 1937.

Wachapreague, Va.	1
Upper Hill, Md.	1

Spellman, W. T. 1907.

New Haven, Conn.	1
Burlington, N. J.	1
Catlin, Md.	1
Marydel, Md.	2
Coleman, Md.	3
Unionville, Md.	3
Hopewell, Md.	9
Denton, Md.	6
Royal Oak, Md.	7

Spence, Edwin W. 1920.

Lexington Conference	
Cadertown and River Hill, Ky.	2
Batavia and Ohio	1
Delaware Conference.	
Manokin, Md.	2
Left without appointment to attend school.	
Supernumerary ..	5

Spence, O. H. 1918.

Deals Island, Md.	2
Horntown, Va.	6
Royal Oak, Md.	3
Milford, Del.	4
Dover, Del.	6
Montclair, N. J.	1

Spencer, C. P. 1934.

Keller, Va.	1
Dames Quarter, Md.	5

Sprigg, C. S. 1894.

Bridgeton, N. J.	2
Greenlock, N. J.	1
Mount Holly, N. J.	2
Salem, N. J.	2
Cheswold, Del.	1
Millington, Md.	2
Lewes, Del.	2
Smyrna, Del.	1
Salisbury, Md.	3
Crisfield, Md.	5
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	6
Crisfield, Md.	7
Mt. Zion, Phila., Pa.	3
Mt. Holly, N. J.	3
St. Paul, Phila., Pa.	1
Grace & Darby, Chester, Pa.	5
Port Norris, N. J.	3

Stanley, J. O. 1912.

Delaware City, Del.	1
Smyrna, Del.	2
Preston, Md.	1
Wittman, Md.	5
Cordova, Md.	3
Vienna, Md.	2
Church Hill, Md.	3
McDaniel, Md.	5
Rock Hall, Md.	1
	6

Stanley, W. E. 1910.

Melittota, Md.	2
Centreville Ct., Md.	1
McDaniel, Md.	3
Oxford, Md.	4
East New Market, Md.	4
Denton, Md.	2
Leemont, Va.	5

Sterling, M. P. 1907.

White Haven, Md.	1
Jamestown, Md.	3
Pomona, Md.	4
Salisbury Ct., Md.	1
White's Chapel, Salisbury, Md.	1
McDaniel, Md.	1
Stevensville, Md.	2
Cottage Grove, Md.	2
Keller, Va.	1
Dover Circuit	1
Port Deposit, Md.	2
Mt. Vernon, Md.	4
Cottage Grove, Md.	1
Girdletree, Md.	3
Quantico Ct., Md.	6
Deceased 1938.	

Stevenson, J. H. 1906.

Morrisville, N. J.	6
White Plains, N. Y.	1
Sassafras, Md.	3
Newport, Del.	5
Coleman, Md.	2
Ridgely, Md.	5
St. Paul & Warren, Phila., Pa.	1½
Delair, N. J.	4½
North Berlin, Md.	6

Stewart, K. S. 1918

Buttonwood, Del.	1
Catlin, Md.	2
Port Penn, Del.	6
Cheswold, Del.	3
Lewes, Del.	10
Deceased 1939.	

Stewart, T. D. 1923.

South Carolina Conference	
Pendleton, S. C.	1
Greenwood, S. C. at school ...	2
Delaware Conference	
Syracuse, N. Y.	2
New Rochelle, N. Y.	3
Cheswold, Del.	4 mo.
Transferred to New England Conference	
St. Andrew's, Worcester, Mass.	4
Transferred to Del. Conference	
Manokin, Md.	1 mo.
Delmar, Del.	5 mo.
Hudson, N. Y.	1
Retired, 1935.	

Taylor, J. L. 1912.

Sassafras, Md.	1
Barclay, Md.	3
Cheswold, Del.	4
New Castle, Del.	5
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	3
Smyrna, Del.	1
Merchantville, N. J.	11

Thomas, C. C. 1929.

Swainton	1
Dover Circuit	2
Port Deposit	1
Carmichaels, Md.	6

Thomas, R. W. 1924.

Bridgeville Ct., Del.	2
Still Pond, Md.	5
Nassau, Del.	6
Salem, N. J.	2

Thomas, J. Wesley. 1918.

S. Carolina Conference	
St. James, Sumpter, S. C.	2
New England Conference	
Church of all Nations, Boston, Mass.	1½
Morgan Memorial	1½
Pendleton, S. C. Prof.	
Tennessee Conference and Pastor	
Walden College and Pastor	
Braden Memorial	2½
California Conference	
Taylor Memorial Oakland, Cal.	2
Central West Conference	
Denver, Colorado	1
South West Conference	
Muskogee, Oklahoma	2
Delaware Conference	

Hudson, N. Y.	3
Jersey City, N. J.	4
John Simmons Mem., Phila., Pa.	2

Thomas, W. C. 1930.

Cottage Grove, Md.	1
McDaniel, Md.	2
Chapel, Md.	4

Thompson, R. B. 1919.

Cokesbury, Del.	3
Cheswold, Del.	2
St. Michaels, Md.	6
Waugh, Cambridge, Md.	5
Mt. Joy, Wilms., Del.	5
Dover, Del.	1

Thompson, W. C. 1901.

Washington Conference, 1901.	
Whatcoat & Mt. Zion, Balto. . .	2
Lexington, Va.	3
Lynchburg, Va.	2
P. E. & D. S.	5
Mt. Zion, Washington, D. C.	3
Charlestown, W. Va.	3
Annapolis, Md.	3
Transferred to Del. Conf. 1922.	
Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	3
Dist. Supt., Phila. District.	6
Atlantic City, N. J.	4
Newark, N. J.	5

Townsend, G. T. 1883.

Snow Hill Ct.	1
Milton, Del.	1
Bridgeville, Del.	3
Cape May Circuit, N. J.	1
Port Deposit, Md.	5
Preston, Md.	3
Princess Anne, Md.	5
Galena, Md.	3
Carmichaels, Md.	4
Alreys, Md.	4
Dames Quarter, Md.	3
Hopewell, Md.	4
Unionville, Md.	5
Leemont, Va.	3
Wetpquin, Md.	3
Mardella Springs, Md.	
Retired 1934.	

Truder, C. L. 1934.

Manokin, Md.	2
Delmar, Del.	3
Trenton, N. J.	1

Wallace, Jesse T. 1911.

Withams, Md.	3
Crisfield, Md.	2
Merchantville, N. J.	1
Magnolia, N. J.	4
Frankford, Pa.	3
Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	4
Easton, Md.	2
Orange, N. J.	4
E. Germantown, Pa.	5

Waters, D. G. 1910.

Whaleyville, Md.	2
Catlin, Md.	1
Still Pond, Md.	4
Preston, Md.	5
Laurel, Del.	8
John Wesley, Salisbury, Md.	4
Milford, Del.	5
Bridgeville, Del.	2

Waters, J. R. 1879.

Snow Hill Circuit, Md.	1
Fruitland, Md.	3
Salisbury, Md.	2
Princess Anne, Md.	2
Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	3
Cape May, N. J.	1
Salem, N. J.	1
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.	1
District Supt. of the Wilmington Dist., 6 years, and of the Salisbury District, 6 years.	7
Germantown, Pa.	3
Newark, N. J.	2
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.	2
Agent Conf. Claimants End. Fund.	2
Brooklyn, N. Y., Newman	2
Camden, N. J.	3
Magnolia, N. J.	1
Conf. Field Secy., Board of Pensions & Relief.	3
Pocomoke City, Md.	3
Mt. Holly, N. J.	2
Haven, Wilm., Del.	2
Bridgeville, Del.	3
Millford, Del.	2

Waters, M. V. 1894.

Wigeon, Md.	2
Siloam, Chester, Pa.	1
Greenlock, N. J.	2
Mount Holly, N. J.	3
Merchantville, N. J.	2
Salem, N. J.	4
Magnolia, N. J.	2
Brooklyn, N. Y.	1
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	3
Denton, Md.	3
East New Market, Md.	2
White Plains, N. Y.	5
Pleasantville, N. J.	4
Harrington, Del.	3
Smyna, Del.	2

Waters, R. G. 1897.

Bridgeville, Del.	2
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	2
Millford, Del.	3
Crisfield, Md.	4
Salisbury, Md.	5
Orange, N. J.	7
Magnolia, N. J.	2
Jersey City, N. J.	2
Camden, N. J.	4
John Simmons Memo. Philadelphia, Pa.	1
Snow Hill, Md.	1
Frankford, Phila., Pa.	6
Bethsaida, Phila., Pa.	1
Jamaica, N. Y.	1

Waters, S. A. 1912.

Deals Island, Md.	2
White Haven, Md.	5
Pomona, Md.	5
Stevensville, Md.	6
Preston, Md.	6
Sharptown, Md.	1
Retired 1936.	

Waters, W. E. 1896.

Cheswold, Del.	1
Port Deposit, Md.	2

Millford, Del.	2
Chestertown, Md.	2
Middletown, Del.	3
Princess Anne, Md.	2
Coleman, Md.	1
Galena, Md.	3
Siloam, Chester, Pa.	1
Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	3
John Wesley, Salisbury, Md.	3
St. Michaels, Md.	3
Union Asbury, Crisfield, Md.	5
Marlon Station, Md.	3
St. Peters, Wilm., Del.	3
Hamilton Memo., Atlantic City	3
Trappe, Md.	5

West, W. C. 1903.

Trinity, Del.	1
Vienna, Md.	1
Madison, Md.	4
Preston, Md.	5
Carmichaels, Md.	1
Pomona, Md.	2
Sassafraz, Md.	3
Still Pond, Md.	4
Seaford, Del.	2
Fairlee, Md.	2
Church Creek, Md.	8
Alreys, Md.	3

Whittington, W. B. 1919.

Odessa, Del.	1
Port Deposit, Md.	1
Dover Ct., Del.	1
Crapo, Md.	2
Dames Quarter, Md.	1
Newark, Md.	1
Orlole, Md.	3
Stockton Ct., Md.	3
Taylor's Island, Md.	2
Golden Hill, Md.	2
Crumpton, Md.	1
Cordova, Md.	1
Williston, Md.	1

White, C. B. 1930.

Absecon, N. J.	3
Woodbury, N. J.	7

Winder, C. W. 1906.

Bronx, N. Y.	4
White Plains, N. Y.	2
Laurel, Del.	3
Middletown, Del.	1
Fairlee, Md.	1
McDaniel, Md.	4
Royal Oak, Md.	1
Trenton, N. J.	1
Snow Hill, Md.	1
Leave of Absence	1
Supernumerary	4
Retired, 1932.	

Woodley, T. H. 1906.

Fordsville, N. J.	2
Hudson, N. Y.	2
Berlin, Md.	7
Easton, Md.	4
Dist. Supt., Wilmington Dist.	6
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	3
John Wesley, Brooklyn, N. Y.	4
Trenton, N. J.	3
Elkton, Md.	1

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