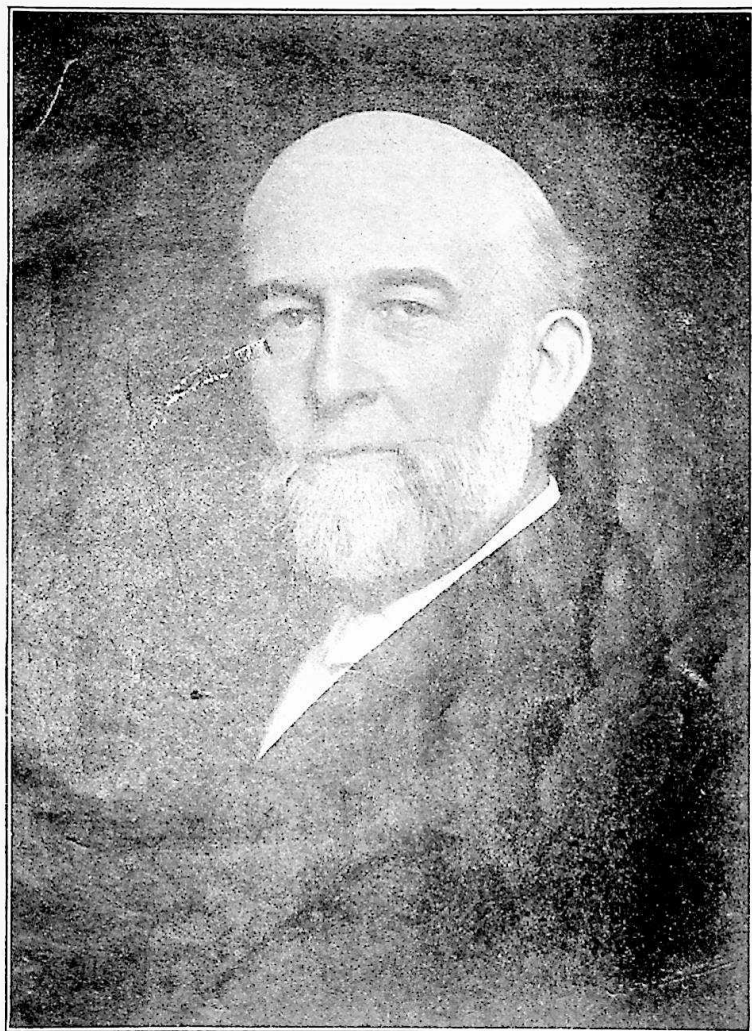
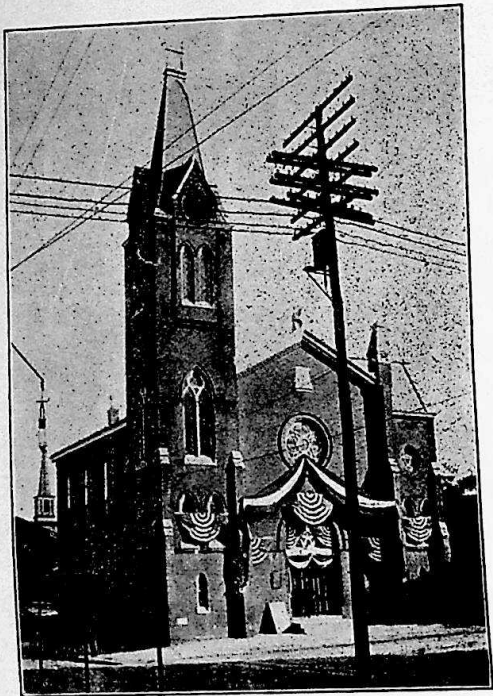


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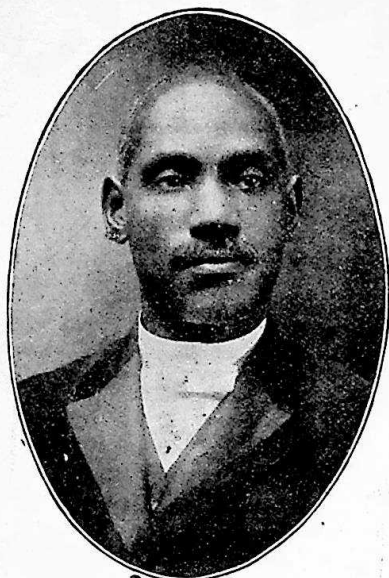
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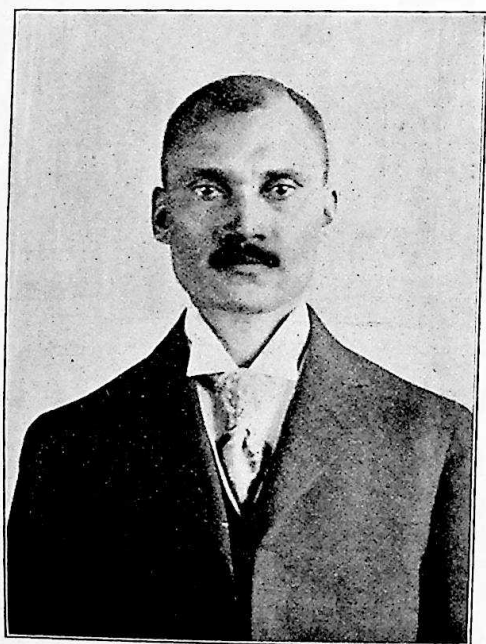
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RULES OF ORDER.

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or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover, with the consent of Conference, at any time before amendment or decision.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.

I

CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL.

1867 L. Y. Cox	1896 J. W. Bowling
1869 F. J. Lee	1896 J. S. Coulbourne
1876 A. W. Lowber	1896 F. J. Handy
1877 A. R. Shockley	1896 J. R. Holland
1879 T. B. H. Coleman	1896 G. R. Hollis
1879 E. E. Parker	1896 J. E. A. Johns
1879 J. R. Waters	1896 T. A. Johnson
1881 I. H. Johnson.	1896 C. W. Moore
1881 J. H. Nutter	1896 E. O. Parker
1881 E. H. Webb	1896 P. W. Price
1882 J. E. A. D. Grigsby	1896 W. E. Waters
1882 D. A. Ridout	1897 R. G. Waters
1883 G. T. Townsend	1897 G. T. Fields
1884 L. W. Deakins	1897 S. T. Parker
1884 J. H. Harman	1898 E. E. Rogers
1885 C. A. Tindley	1899 J. L. Davis
1885 L. E. Toulson	1899 G. W. Downs
1886 W. J. Moore	1899 W. A. Hubbard
1886 W. R. A. Palmer	1899 W. J. L. Hughes
1886 J. H. Scott	1899 J. M. Whittington
1887 J. W. Bond	1900 W. C. Bowland
1888 R. H. Coleman	1900 Solomon Hammond
1888 C. J. Hall	1900 D. H. Hargis
1889 J. R. Brown	1900 T. H. Kiah
1889 W. E. Hilton	1900 J. L. Parker
1889 H. T. Johnson	1900 W. H. Turner
1890 J. H. Blake	1901 T. W. Cooper
1891 G. B. Coleman	1902 M. C. Jennings
1891 W. C. Jason	1902 J. U. King
1891 L. H. Martin	1903 W. C. West
1891 C. W. Pullett	1904 L. D. Beecham
1892 Abraham Chase	1904 J. T. Fletcher
1892 J. F. Molock	1904 J. W. Jewett
1892 P. M. Shelton	1904 W. H. Johns
1893 J. C. Bantom	1904 J. W. Parker
1893 B. W. Berry	1904 R. H. Wallace
1893 F. T. Johnson	1905 Jose Angulo
1894 C. L. Anderson	1905 M. W. Clark
1894 J. W. Jefferson	1905 J. W. Gillis
1894 C. S. Sprigg	1906 C. W. Downs
1894 I. D. Pitts	1906 R. S. Johns
1894 L. T. Robbins	1906 W. A. T. Miles
1894 M. V. Waters	1906 I. D. Paine
1895 F. H. Butler	1906 J. H. Stevenson
1895 A. L. Martin	1906 C. W. Winder.
1895 E. H. Nichols	1907 M. P. Sterling.
1895 C. A. Norwood	1907 T. H. Woodley.

- 1907 W. T. Spellman
 1908 J. A. T. Foust.
 1908 O. P. Dickerson
 1908 J. A. Kiah
 1909 J. H. Blackiston.
 1909 H. R. Purnell.
 1909 W. J. Helm
 1909 Maláchi Rasin.
 1910 D. G. Waters.
 1910 J. M. Dickerson
 1910 D. S. Quillen.
 1911 M. H. Murphy.
 1911 J. R. Purnell.
 1911 J. O. Stanley.
 1911 L. S. Moore.
 1911 W. G. Matthews.
 1911 J. L. Taylor.
 1911 S. J. Horsey.
 1911 C. W. Shockley.
 1911 J. T. Wallace
 1912 C. W. H. Briddell.
 1912 R. C. Hughes.
 1912 T. O. Johns.
 1912 T. E. Randall
 1912 J. L. Nichols
 1913 D. W. Henry.
 1913 L. T. Robbins.
 1913 Lawrence B. Buchanan.
 1913 S. A. Waters.
 1913 C. T. Covington.
 1913 M. A. Thompson.
 1914 G. S. Jacobs.
 1914 J. M. Bridgman.
 1914 J. N. Bullen.
 1914 R. R. Robinson.
 1914 Sydney Emptage.
 1914 J. G. Harris.
 1915 F. H. Quinn.
 1915 L. H. McArthur.
 1915 C. W. Johnson.
 1915 L. T. Robbins.
- 1915 E. H. Jolly.
 1915 J. J. Brittingham.
 1915 E. F. Showell.
 1916 Sylvester S. Lankford.
 1916 John I. Peaco.
 1916 Roswell Waters.
 1916 Walter T. B. Devron.
 1916 John H. Russum.
 1916 James O. Lockman.
 1916 Abraham G. Henry.
 1916 Alexander Reed.
 1916 King S. Stewart.
 1917 Fred C. Campbell.
 1917 Ross N. Davis.
 1917 Robert A. F. Graham.
 1917 Francis O. T. Laws.
 1917 Thaddens McDonald.
 1917 Horace C. Snead.
 1917 Ralph B. Thompson.
 1917 A. A. McDowell.
 1918 John H. Edwards.
 1918 William B. Perry.
 1918 Alpha F. Anthony.
 1918 Benjamin B. Carson.
 1918 James R. H. Matthews.
 1918 Oliver H. Spence.
 1918 Stephen G. Bell.
 1917 William B. Nelson.
 1918 Orlando Bustamente.
 1919 Joseph N. L. Davis.
 1919 Frederick C. Gillis.
 1919 James O. Grffin.
 1919 Walter Stanley.
 1919 Frederick A. Still.
 1919 Walter B. Whittington.

(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 Local Preachers 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.]

1905	Angulo, Jose	.....E	Madison, Md.
1894	Anderson, C. L.	.....R	Mardela Springs, Md.
1918	Anthony, A. F.	.....D	185 Duffield St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
1893	Bantom, J. C.	.....E	Seaford, Del.
1904	Beecham, L. D.	.....E	Oxford, Md.
1893	Berry, B. W.	.....R	442 Berkley St., Camden, N. J.
1909	Blackiston, J. H.	.....E	Burlington, N. J.
1890	Blake, J. H.	.....E	Greensboro, Md.
1887	Bond, J. W.	.....E	445 Townsend St., Wilmington, Del.
1900	Bowland, W. C.	.....E	Coleman, Md.
1896	Bowling, J. W.	.....E	Fruitland, Md.
1911	Briddell, C. W. H.	.....E	Stevensville, Md.
1914	Bridgman, J. N.	.....E	Hudson, N. Y.
1919	Brittingham, I. J.	.....D	Dover, Del.
1889	Brown, J. R.	.....E	2249 Oxford St., Phila., Pa.
1913	Buchanan, L. B.	.....E	Delaware City, Del.
1914	Bullen, J. N.	.....E	Fairlee, Md.
1895	Butler, F. H.	.....E	1310 Parrish St., Phila., Pa.
1919	Campbell, Frederick C.	....D	Salem, N. J.
1905	Clark, M. W.	.....E	Lincoln City, Del.
1892	Chase, Abraham	.....E	Trappe, Md.
1891	Coleman, G. B.	.....R	Lock Box 83, Harrington, Del.
1888	Coleman, R. H.	.....E	Harrington, Del.
1877	Coleman, T. B. H.	.....R	Easton, Md.
1901	Cooper, T. W.	.....E	Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. #1.
1896	Coulbourne, J. S.	.....E	Wattsville, Va.
1913	Covington, C. T.	.....E	Delmar, Del.
1867	Cox, L. Y.	.....R	834 Lafayette St., Cape May, N. J.
1899	Davis, J. L.	.....E	Philadelphia, Pa.
1919	Davis, Ross N.	.....D	Parsonsborg, Md.
1884	Deakins, L. W.	.....E	Townsend, Del.
1916	Devron, W. T. B.	.....D	Crumpton, Md.
1909	Dickerson, J. M.	.....E	315 E. Broad St., Salisbury, Md.
1908	Dickerson, O. P.	.....E	Manokin P. O., Md.
1906	Downs, C. W.	.....E	Laurel, Del.
1899	Downs, G. W.	.....E	Centreville, Md., R. F. D.
1914	Emptage, Sydney	.....E	1604 Providence Ave., Chester, Pa.
1908	Foust, J. A. T.	.....E	768 Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J.
1897	Fields, G. T.	.....E	1705 W. 3rd St., Wilmington, Del.
1904	Fletcher, J. T.	.....E	130 E. Stafford St., Germantown, Pa.
1919	Graham, R. A. F.	.....D	Salem, N. J.
1882	Grigsby, J. E. A. D.	.....E	Tunis Mills, Md.

1905	Gillis, J. W.	.....E	Ridgely, Md.
1888	Hall, C. J.	.....R	Seaford, Del.
1900	Hammond, Solomon	.....E	Frankfort, Del.
1896	Handy, F. J.	.....E	192 Bloomfield Ave., Mt. Clair, N. J.
1900	Hargis, D. H.	.....DS	Bridgeville, Del.
1884	Harman, J. H.	.....R	Berlin, Md., R. F. D.
1914	Harris, J. G.	.....E	Withams, Va.
1909	Helm, W. J.	.....E	Snow Hill, Md.
1916	Henry A. G.	.....E	11 Morgan St., Yonkers, N. Y.
1913	Henry, D. W.	.....E	Bridgeville, Del.
1889	Hilton, W. E.	.....E	304 W. 1st St., Milford, Del.
1896	Holland, J. R.	.....E	Berlin, Md.
1896	Hollis, G. R.	.....E	Rock Hall, Md.
1911	Horsey, S. J.	.....E	Centreville, Md.
1899	Hubbard, W. A.	.....E	97 Wickliffe St., Newark, N. J.
1911	Hughes, R. C.	.....E	Mount Vernon, Md.
1899	Hughes, W. J. L.	.....E	1421 W. 3rd St., Chester, Pa.
1914	Jacobs, G. S.	.....E	Kingston, Md.
1891	Jason, W. C.	.....E	Dover, Del.
1894	Jefferson, J. W.	.....E	712 W. 42d St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1904	Jewett, J. W.	.....DS	607 Poplar Hill Ave., Salisbury, Md.
1896	Johns, J. E. A.	.....E	444 E. Haines St., Germantown, Pa.
1906	Johns, R. S.	.....E	New Castle, Del.
1911	Johns, T. O.	.....E	1023 S. 17th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1904	Johns, W. H.	.....E	Chestertown, Md.
1915	Johnson, C. W.	.....D	Horntown, Va.
1893	Johnson, F. T.	.....E	Federalsburg, Md.
1889	Johnson, H. T.	.....E	828 Corgie St., Cape May, N. J.
1881	Johnson, I. H.	.....R	Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D.
1896	Johnson, T. A.	.....E	Lewes, Del.
1915	Jolley, E. H.	.....D	Whaleyville, Md.
1902	King, J. U.	.....E	200 E. 9th St. Wilmington, Del.
1908	Klah, J. A.	.....E	Quantico, Md.
1900	Klah, T. H.	.....E	Princess Anne, Md.
1919	Laws, F. O. T.	.....D	Bridgeton, N. J.
1869	Lee, F. J.	.....R	Townsend, Del.
1916	Lockman, J. O.	.....D	Cordova, Md.
1876	Lowber, A. W.	.....R	Wetipquin, Md.
1895	Martin, A. L.	.....E	1718 Arctic Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.
1891	Martin, L. H.	.....E	Stockton, Md.
1918	Matthews, J. R. H.	.....E	Brooklyn, N. Y., 164 3rd Ave.
1911	Mathews, W. G.	.....E	Cambridge, Md.
1915	McArthur, L. H.	.....E	1817 Plum St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1919	McDonald, Thaddeus	.....D	Princess Anne, Md.
—	McDowell, A. A.	.....	Port Deposit, Md.
1906	Miles, W. A. T.	.....E	30 1/2 Eakin St., Salem, N. J.
1892	Molock, J. F.	.....R	Berlin, Md.
1896	Moore, C. W.	.....E	Millington, Md.
1910	Moore, L. S.	.....E	47 Queen St., Dover, Del.
1886	Moore, W. J.	.....R	Reisterstown, Md.
1911	Murphy, M. H.	.....E	Smyrna, Del.

1918	Nelson, W. B.	E	White Plain, N. Y.
1895	Nichols, E. H.	E	Linkwood, Md.
1912	Nichols, J. L.	E	Girdletree, Md.
1895	Norwood, C. A.	E	Dames Quarter, Md.
1881	Nutter, J. H.	E	Royal Oak, Md.
1909	Palmer, W. R. A.	E	407 Oxford St., Pocomoke City, Md.
1906	Paine, I. D.	E	Carmichael, Md.
1879	Parker, E. E.	E	6122 Norwood St., Phila., Pa.
1896	Parker, E. O.	E	33 Broad St., Princess Anne, Md.
1900	Parker, J. L.	E	Middletown, Del.
1904	Parker, J. W.	E	Vienna, Md.
1897	Parker, S. T.	E	Upper Fairmount, Md.
1918	Perry, W. B.	E	Mount Holly, N. J.
1916	Peaco, J. I.	E	Haddonfield, N. J., R. F. D. No. 2.
1894	Pitts, I. D.	E	Mardella, Md.
1896	Price, P. W.	E	Still Pond, Md.
1891	Pullett, C. W.	E	907 Main St., Salisbury, Md.
1909	Purnell, H. R.	E	Pocomoke City, Md.
1911	Purnell, J. R.	E	Wachapreague, Va.
1910	Quillen, D. S.	E	East New Market, Md.
1915	Quinn, F. H.	D	Engaged in War Work.
1912	Randall, T. E.	E	Galena, Md.
1909	Rasin, Malachi	E	Mardella Springs, Md.
1916	Reed, Alexander	E	Nassau, Del.
1882	Ridout, D. A.	E	Marion, Md.
1894	Robbins, L. T.	E	St. George, Del., Box 62.
1915	Robbins, L. T.	D	Aireys, Md.
1914	Robinson, R. R.	E	Berlin, Md.
1898	Rogers, E. E.	E	Leemont, Va.
1916	Russum, J. H.	D	Church Hill, Md.
1886	Scott, J. H.	DS	2511, Oxford St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1892	Shelton, P. M.	E	Merchantville, N. J.
1877	Shockley, A. R.	R	463, Church St., Moorestown, N. J.
1911	Shockley, C. W.	E	Delair, N. J.
1915	Showell, E. F.	D	Church Creek, Md.
1919	Snead, H. C.	E	Keller, Va.
1911	Stanley, J. O.	E	Wittman, Md.
1907	Sterling, M. P.	E	Westover, Md., R. D.
1916	Stewart, K. S.	D	Catlin, Md.
1907	Spellman, W. T.	E	Hopewell, Md.
1894	Sprigg, C. S.	E	Crisfield, Md.
1906	Stevenson, J. H.	E	Newport, Del.
1911	Taylor, J. L.	E	Cheswold, Del.
1913	Thompson, M. A.	E	4 Pine St., Cambridge, Md.
1919	Thompson, R. B.	D	Port Deposits, Md., R. D. 1.
1885	Tindley, C. A.	E	1509 Christian St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1885	Toulson, L. E.	E	Hurlock, Md.
1883	Townsend, G. T.	E	Unionville, Md.
1900	Turner, W. H.	E	Wetipquin, Md.
1911	Wallace, J. T.	E	Lawnside, N. J.
1904	Wallace, R. H.	DS	116 Port St., Easton, Md.
1910	Waters, D. G.	E	Preston, Md.

1879	Waters, J. R.	E 11a Dewey Pl., Brooklyn, N. Y.
1894	Waters, M. V.	E Denton, Md.
1896	Waters, W. E.	E St. Michaels, Md.
1897	Waters, R. G.	E 98 Hickory St., Orange, N. J.
1916	Waters, Roswell	D White Haven, Md.
1913	Waters, S. A.	E Chestertown, Md., R. F. D.
1881	Webb, E. H.	R 1532 Christian St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1903	West, W. C.	E Sassafras, Md.
1899	Whittington, J. M.	E Beckwith, Md.
1906	Winder, C. W.	E McDaniel, Md.
1907	Woodley, T. H.	E 18 Higgins St., Easton, Md.

PROBATIONERS.

1917	Bell, Stephen G.	Engaged in War Work.
1918	Bustamente, Armando	Engaged in War Work.
1918	Carson, Benjamin B.	Stockton, Md.
1919	Davis, Joseph N. L.	58 Dale Ave., Ossining, N. Y.
1917	Edwards, John H.	D Nanticoke, Md.
1919	Gillis, Frederick A.	D Marydel, Md.
1919	Griffin, J. O.	D Swainton, N. J.
1917	Lankford, S. S.	East New Market, Md.
1919	Purnell, William T.	Beckwith, Md.
1919	Stanley, Walter	Chestertown, Md., R. F. D.
1919	Whittington, Walter B.	Odessa, Del.

SUPPLIES FOR 1919-20.
Cambridge District.

Davis, W. E.	Snow Hill, Md.
Dredde, J. H.	Crapo, Md.
Harmon, J. H.	D Berlin, Md.
Hooper, S. J.	D Golden Hill, Md.
Saunders, W. H.	E Trinity, Del.
Shockley, D. R.	Cambridge, Md.
Stewart, H. J.	Newark, Md.
Thomas, R. W.	E Bridgeville, Del.

Centreville District.

Brown, Nicholas	E Barclay, Md.
Cooper, J. H.	E Preston, Md.
Earle, S. A.	E Easton, Md.
Hayman, W. H.	E Williston, Md.
Heath, Zebulun	Chester, Kent Island, Md.

Philadelphia District.

Goldsborough, William 711 S. 15th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Morris E. F.E Pleasantville, N. J.
 Fassett, James Spring Lake, N. J. /
 McQueen, F. D. 27 School St., Englewood, N. J.

South Philadelphia District.

Dennis, J. E. 1329 S. Lamber St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Green, E. B. Woodbury, N. J.
 Hodges, Lewis New Castle, Del., R. F. D. 14
 Ridout, D. L. Ocean City, N. J.

Salisbury District.

Bivins, G. H. Fairmount, Md.
 Bivins, I. H.D Kingston, Md.
 Mitchell, J. J. Laurel, Del., R. F. D.
 Pinkett, Wilson Salisbury, Md.
 Waters, J. W.E Oriole, Md.

III

OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE BOARDS.

NOMINATIONS FOR 1919-1920.

Delaware Annual Conference Board of Foreign Missions.

Ministers—President, E. E. Parker; Secretary, W. T. Spellman; Treasurer, L. E. Toulson; M. V. Waters, C. W. Moore.

Laymen—W. H. O. Ennis, James L. Johnson, W. H. Graves, C. T. Friend, Alexander Vaughn.

District Superintendents, District Missionary Secretaries, District Epworth League Presidents, ex officio members.

Annual Conference Board of Home Mission and Church Extension.

Ministers—J. R. Brown, J. U. King, J. R. Waters, C. A. Tindley, J. R. Holland, J. W. Bond, W. E. Hilton, E. O. Parker.

Laymen—M. F. Pitts, C. H. Colbourn, J. D. Brinkley, Emory Birkhead, Joseph E. Sweeting, G. L. Waters, W. W. Moore, John W. Bird.

District Superintendents ex officio members.

Annual Conference Board of Education.

Ministers—W. C. Jason, T. H. Kiah, D. W. Henry, F. H. Butler, J. L. Parker.

Laymen—William Valentine, Mrs. E. M. Whitten, Zebulin Heath, Raymond Jones, H. W. Jones.

District Superintendents ex officio members.

Annual Conference Board of Sunday Schools.

Ministers—C. A. Tindley, J. H. Blake, C. W. Downs, T. E. Randall, M. A. Thompson, E. E. Rogers, W. H. Johns, J. A. Kiah, L. S. Moore, P. M. Shelton.

Laymen—J. E. Fitchett, J. E. Gillett, W. H. Staton, S. J. Ford, Annie R. Waters, Peter Burrows, Mary F. Chaney, Carrie A. Wiggins, Christianna Palmer.

District Superintendents ex officio members.

Annual Conference Board of Freedmen's Aid.

Ministers—W. R. A. Palmer, W. C. Bowland, W. E. Waters, A. L. Martin, E. F. Showell.

Laymen—Mrs. E. C. Thomas, Martha Clark, Emma Miller, Mrs. L. G. Miles, L. V. Matthews.

District Superintendents ex officio members.

Annual Conference Tract Society.

Ministers—W. G. Mathews, I. D. Pitts, G. W. Downs, C. W. Shockley, T. L. McDonald.

Laymen—C. E. Holland, James Rose, Harrison Jenkins, George Hate-
nay, W. S. King.

District Superintendents ex officio members.

Annual Conference Board of Conference Claimants.

Ministers—J. H. Nutter, T. H. Woodley, C. W. Pullett, O. P. Dickerson, F. G. Campbell.

Laymen—C. W. Hall, Shadrach Doram, J. T. Ayres, Clarence Cott-
man, Walter Chase.

Annual Conference Deaconesses Board.

Term expires 1920—T. H. Woodley, J. T. Fletcher, Mrs. H. R. Hargis.

Term expires 1921—J. R. Holland, M. W. Clark, Mrs. A. H. Barkley.

Term expires 1922—J. R. Waters, C. W. Winder, Mrs. M. E. Jackson.

Annual Conference Board of Stewards.

Term expires 1920—J. E. A. Johns, T. W. Cooper, Abraham Chase, J. W. Parker, P. W. Price.

Term expires 1921—J. S. Coulbourn, H. S. Wilson, Caleb Laws, G. L. Waters, L. E. Toulson.

Term expires 1922—C. W. Pullett, J. E. A. D. Grigsby, Charles Thorpe, J. L. Parker, C. W. Moore.

Annual Conference Board of Epworth League.

Ministers J. U. King, M. W. Clark, W. A. T. Miles, W. H. Johns, R. G. Hughes.

Laymen—Mrs. L. S. Overall, Mrs. M. C. Monroe, Mrs. M. E. Johnson, Mrs. W. J. Helm, Mrs. J. T. Wallace.

District Superintendents ex officio members.

Annual Conference Board of Church Aid and Home Missions.

Ministers—A. Chase, L. S. Moore, R. R. Robinson, G. T. Townsend, J. E. A. Johns.

Laymen—H. S. Wilson, J. R. Webb, George Pierce, G. L. Waters, Charles Wells.

District Superintendents ex officio members.

Annual Conference Temperance Society.**Cambridge District.**

District Superintendent D. H. Hargis, Chairman.

Ministers: D. S. Quillin, J. C. Bantum.

Laymen: S. J. Young, P. A. Stanley.

Centerville District.

District Superintendent R. H. Wallace, Chairman.
 Ministers: M. P. Sterling, S. J. Horsey.
 Laymen: Mrs. Amy Chase, Samuel Phillips.

Philadelphia District.

District Superintendent J. T. Fletcher, Chairman
 Ministers: J. H. Blackiston, F. O. T. Laws.
 Laymen: Thomas Pinder, Robert Street.

South Philadelphia District.

District Superintendent J. H. Scott, Chairman.
 Ministers: M. H. Murphy, R. S. Johns.
 Laymen: Bessie Weston, Sadie Blackwell.

Salisbury District.

District Superintendent J. W. Jewett, Chairman.
 Ministers: G. T. Townsend, E. E. Rogers.
 Laymen: Ware Conaway, James Teagle.

Committee on Evangelism.

Cambridge District: D. H. Hargis, Chairman.
 Minister, R. R. Robinson; Layman, D. J. Dafney.

Centerville District: R. H. Wallace, Chairman.
 Minister, J. O. Stanley; Layman, Lillian Tucker.

Philadelphia District: J. T. Fletcher, Chairman.
 Minister, A. L. Martin; Layman, W. J. Johnson.

South Philadelphia District: J. H. Scott, Chairman.
 Minister, R. B. Thompson; Layman, Frank Mitchell.

Salisbury District: J. W. Jewett, Chairman.
 Minister, J. S. Coulbourn; Layman, E. D. Waters.

District Boards of Foreign Missions.

Cambridge District: D. H. Hargis, Chairman.
 Minister, E. F. Showell; Layman, L. J. Molock.

Centerville District: R. H. Wallace, Chairman.
 Minister, J. N. Bullen; Layman, John Rozler.

Philadelphia District: J. T. Fletcher, Chairman.
 Minister, F. J. Handy; Layman, R. J. Chandler.

South Philadelphia District: J. H. Scott, Chairman.
 Minister, W. B. Whittington; Layman, W. H. O. Enajs.

Salisbury District: J. W. Jewett, Chairman.
 Minister, J. R. Purnell; Layman, S. H. Long.

District Boards of Home Missions and Church Extension.

Cambridge District: D. H. Hargis, Chairman.
 Ministers: D. S. Quillen, W. E. Hilton.
 Laymen: G. L. Waters, Charles Harman.

Centerville District: R. H. Wallace, Chairman.
 Ministers: F. T. Johnson, R. N. Davis.
 Laymen: J. W. Butler, J. T. Ryan.

Philadelphia District: J. T. Fletcher, Chairman.
 Ministers: H. T. Johnson, J. I. Peaco.
 Laymen: W. F. Simmons, W. P. Parker.

South Philadelphia District: J. H. Scott, Chairman.
 Ministers: J. H. Stevenson, W. T. B. Devron.
 Laymen: Charles Colbourn, George Lee.

Salisbury District: J. W. Jewett, Chairman.
 Ministers: M. A. Rasin, T. H. Kiah.
 Laymen: E. Birkhead, Cornelius Ward.

Delaware Conference Board of Trustees.

Term expires 1920: F. H. Butler, J. H. Nutter, J. H. Blake.
 Term expires 1921: J. H. Scott, C. A. Tindley, J. W. Bond.
 Term expires 1922: J. R. Brown, W. C. Jason, J. R. Waters.
 President, J. H. Scott; Vice President, J. R. Waters; Secretary, F. H. Butler; Treasurer, C. A. Tindley.

Delaware Conference Missionary Secretaries.

Cambridge District: W. G. Matthews.
 Centerville District: D. G. Waters.
 Philadelphia District: J. T. Wallace.
 South Philadelphia District: M. H. Murphey.
 Salisbury District: C. T. Covington.

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STANDING COMMITTEES FOR 1919-1920.

Auditing Treasurer's Account: R. R. Robinson, J. H. Nutter, J. H. Blackiston, T. E. Randall, C. S. Sprigg.

Bible: L. B. Buchanan, I. D. Paine, T. O. Johns, J. L. Nichols, J. L. Taylor.

State of the Church: J. H. Nutter, S. Hammond, M. Rasin, J. R. Brown, E. O. Parker.

Periodicals: T. W. Cooper, L. H. McArthur, C. T. Covington.

Sanctity of the Sabbath: W. C. Bowland, W. H. Johns, L. H. Martin, J. A. T. Foust.

Post Office: J. L. Davis.

Memoirs: F. H. Butler, J. W. Parker, D. A. Ridout, L. S. Moore, R. C. Hughes.

Delaware Conference Publishing Committee: E. O. Parker, J. H. Blake, F. T. Johnson, T. W. Cooper, W. J. Helm, J. M. Dickerson.

Resolutions: J. U. King, J. T. Wallace, P. M. Shelton, J. H. Russum, J. L. Nichols.

Minute Money: T. W. Cooper, F. T. Johnson, E. Showell, J. L. Taylor, F. O. T. Laws.

Committee on Social Service: M. A. Thompson, W. H. Johns, F. H. Butler, T. H. Kiah, J. U. King.

To Preach the Missionary Sermon: T. H. Woodley; Alternate, C. S. Sprigg.

State of the Country: F. H. Butler, D. A. Ridout, T. H. Woodley, O. P. Dickerson, S. J. Horsey.

Triers of Appeals: C. W. Pullett, T. W. Cooper, J. R. Brown, T. H. Kiah, C. S. Sprigg; Reserve, J. H. Nutter, W. T. Spellman.

Committee on Visiting Woman's Home Missionary Meeting: W. E. Hilton, A. R. Shockley, J. L. Davis, W. C. West, I. D. Pitts.

Committee on Visiting Princess Anne Academy: E. F. Showell, M. Rasin, T. E. Randall, J. N. Bullen.

Committee on Visiting Morgan College: D. W. Henry, W. R. A. Palmer, J. N. Bridgeman, C. W. H. Briddell.

Temperance: J. T. Fletcher, C. A. Norwood, M. W. Clark, J. E. A. D. Grigsby, C. W. Moore.

Committee on Church Federation: C. W. Pullett, A. Reed, W. C. West, W. H. John, E. H. Webb, F. J. Handy; Laymen, G. L. Waters, D. J. Atwell, F. M. Allen; District Superintendents ex officio members.

Board of Education for Princess Anne Academy and Morgan College: J. A. Kiah, C. W. H. Briddell, C. W. Downs, L. S. Moore; Laymen, Levi Carroll, Eli Crippen, Z. Heath, A. G. Henry, W. L. Henry, Helen H. Murray.

Conference Board of Examiners: W. C. Jason, H. T. Johnson, F. H. Butler, J. T. Wallace, J. U. King, J. T. Fletcher, T. H. Kiah, F. J. Handy, W. A. T. Miles, S. J. Horsey, D. W. Henry, M. A. Thompson, L. S. Moore.

Committee on Conference Relation: Term expires 1920, J. R. Brown, T. E. Randall, T. H. Woodley, J. L. Parker, J. H. Stevenson; term expires 1921, J. E. A. Johns, W. E. Hilton, G. T. Townsend, M. P. Sterling, P. W. Price.

War Council: President, F. H. Butler; Vice President, W. E. Hilton; J. H. Blake, E. O. Parker, L. S. Moore; Laymen, A. F. Allen, George L. Waters, C. H. Colburn.

Committee on Centenary Commission.

Cambridge District.

Minister, D. W. Henry; Layman, George E. Cooper.

Centerville District.

Minister, W. H. Johns; Layman, Daniel R. Miller.

Philadelphia District.

Minister, C. A. Tindley; Layman, W. F. Simmons.

South Philadelphia District.

Minister, J. U. King; Layman, Charles H. Coleburn.

Salisbury District.

Minister, W. R. A. Palmer; Layman, H. S. Wilson.

Conference Organization—Missionary Centenary.

Chairman, F. H. Butler, Minister, 1310 Parrish St., Philadelphia, Pa.
Secretary, Herbert S. Wilson, Layman, Upper Fairmount, Md.

Conference Officers, Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Mrs. S. D. Wright, President Emeritus; Mrs. H. R. Hargis, President; Mrs. A. E. Thompson, 1st Vice President; Mrs. Fanny Wilson, 2nd Vice President; Mrs. Clara Johns, 3rd Vice President; Mrs. A. R. King, 4th Vice President; Mrs. C. E. Sprigg, 5th Vice President; Mrs. E. L. Miller, Recording Secretary; Mrs. A. Davis Foust, Corresponding Secretary; Miss M. L. Waters, Treasurer.

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. Gunby 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 S. Wilson, George L. Waters and Charles H. Colbourne.
1916. Ministerial, Charles A. Tindley, James H. Scott and Thomas H. Kiah. Lay, Herbert S. Wilson, George L. Waters and Horatio W. Jones.

 OFFICERS OF THE DELAWARE CONFERENCE LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

- President, William F. Simmons, 1618 North St., Philadelphia, Pa.
- Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Mattie Warrick, 650 N. Sydenham St., Philadelphia, Pa.
- Treasurer, C. H. Coulbourne, Wilmington, Del.
- Recording Secretary, Miss Olive A. Hall, 1718 Catharine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

V

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

1. Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirement of the Discipline?
Yes.
2. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?
None.
3. Who have been Readmitted?
None.
4. Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?
None.
5. Who have been Received on Trial?
 - (a) In Studies of First Year.
Joseph N. L. Davis, Frederick C. Gillis, James O. Griffin, Walter Stanley, Frederick A. Still, Walter B. Whittington, W. T. Purnell (excused from course of study).
 - (b) In Studies of Third Year under the Seminary Rule.
None.
6. Who have been Continued on Trial?
 - (a) In Studies of First Year.
Stephen G. Bell, Armando Bustamente.
 - (b) In Studies of Second Year.
B. B. Carson, S. S. Lankford, J. R. H. Matthews, O. H. Spence.
 - (c) In Studies of Third Year.
None.
 - (d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
Earl H. Crampton, James H. Edwards, W. B. Nelson.
7. Who have been Discontinued?
Malachi Matthews.
8. Who have been admitted into Full Membership?
 - (a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.
Ross Nelson Davis, Robert A. F. Graham.
 - (b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
I. J. Brittingham, Frederick C. Campbell, F. O. T. Laws, J. O. Lockman, T. L. McDonald and Ralph B. Thompson.
9. What Members are in Studies of Third Year.
 - (a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
I. J. Brittingham, Frederick C. Campbell, Ross N. Davis, Robert A. F. Graham, F. O. T. Laws, J. O. Lockman, T. L. McDonald, Ralph B. Thompson, Horace C. Snead.
 - (b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
Roswell Waters.

10. **What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?**
Alpha F. Anthony, W. T. B. Devron, C. W. Johnson, J. I. Peaco, F. H. Quinn, J. H. Russum.
11. **What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**
 - (a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
E. H. Jolly, E. F. Showell.
 - (b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
None.
 - (c) Elected and Ordained Elders under the Seminary Rule.
Frederick C. Campbell, Thaddeus L. McDonald.
12. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**
 - (a) As Local Preachers.
J. E. Dennis, Charles H. Flamer, William Goldsborough, T. G. Washington.
 - (b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.
 - (c) Under the Seminary Rule.
None.
13. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?**
 - (a) As Local Deacons.
None.
 - (b) Under Missionary Rule.
Alpha F. Anthony.
14. **Was the Character of each Preacher examined?**
Yes, this was done strictly in open conference.
15. **Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?**
Earl H. Crampton, transferred to the New England Conference.
16. **Who have Died?**
John W. Brown and N. B. Snowden.
17. **Who have been Located at their own Request?**
None.
18. **Who have been Located?**
None.
19. **Who have Withdrawn?**
M. C. Jennings.
20. **Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?**
None.
21. **Who have been Expelled?**
None.
22. **What other personal Notation should be made?**
None.
23. **Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?**
J. M. Whittington, one year.

24. **Who are the Retired Ministers?**
C. L. Anderson, L. Y. Cox, J. H. Harmon, I. H. Johnson, F. J. Lee, A. W. Lowber, J. F. Molock, A. R. Shockley, E. H. Webb, T. B. H. Coleman, C. J. Hall, Walter J. Moore, G. B. Coleman.
25. **Who are the Triers of Appeals?**
C. W. Pullett, T. W. Cooper, J. R. Brown, T. H. Kiah, C. S. Sprigg Reserve, W. T. Spellman, J. H. Nutter.
26. **What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?**
\$4,429.
27. **What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?**
\$4,786.
28. **What is the Statistical Report?**
See the Statistician's Report.
29. **What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?**
See the Conference Treasurer's Report.
30. (a) **What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?**
\$14,825.
- (b) **What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the Annual Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?**
\$16,547.
31. **What are the Claims on the Conference Funds?**
For Annuity distribution, 1097 years multiplied by the Disciplinary rate of \$10,970 per year, \$10.00. For Necessitous distribution, \$1,000. Total, \$11,970.
32. (a) **What has been Received on these Claims?**
From the Book Concern, \$1,122. From Annual Conf. Investments, \$932.50. From Pastoral Charges, \$3,933. Total, \$5,987.
- (b) **How has it been Applied?**
To payment of Conference Claims and 10 per cent. set aside for Necessitous cases.
33. **What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants?**
\$10,174.
34. **What amount has been paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connectional Relief?**
\$257.
35. **Where are the Preachers Stationed?**
See List of Appointments.
36. **Where shall the Next Conference be held?**
East Calvary, Philadelphia, Pa.

VI

APPOINTMENTS.

N. B.—The figures at the right hand indicate the number of years of continuous service at the charge of the present incumbent.

Cambridge District.

D. H. Hargis, District Superintendent (3).

Aireys, Md.	L. T. Robbins	1
Beckwith, Md.	W. T. Purnell	1
Box Iron, Md.	J. L. Nichols	2
Bridgeville, Del.	D. W. Henry	5
Bridgeville Circuit, Del.	R. W. Thomas (Supply)	5
Cambridge Circuit	W. G. Mathews	4
Saint Luke's	D. R. Shockley (Supply)	2
Waugh	M. A. Thompson	2
Church Creek, Md.	E. F. Showell	5
Crapo, Md.	J. H. Dredden (Supply)	3
East New Market, Md.	D. S. Quillen	4
East Newmarket and Reid's Grove..	S. S. Lankford	1
Federalsburg	F. T. Johnson	4
Frankfort, Del.	Solomon Hammond	2
Golden Hill, Md.	S. J. Hooper (Supply)	4
Harrington, Del.	R. H. Coleman	2
Hurlock, Md.	L. E. Toulson	2
Laurel, Del.	C. W. Downs	5
Lewes, Del.	T. A. Johnson	2
Lincoln City, Del.	M. W. Clark	6
Linkwood, Md.	E. H. Nichols	2
Madison, Md.	Jose Angulo	1
Milford, Del.	W. E. Hilton	7
Nassau, Del.	Alexander Reed	1
Newark, Md.	H. J. Stewart (Supply)	1
North Berlin, Md.	J. R. Holland	1
Preston	D. G. Waters	4
Seaford, Del.	J. C. Bantam	4
Sinepuxent, Md.	J. H. Harman (Supply)	2
Snow Hill, Md.	W. J. Helm	3
Snow Hill Ct., Md.	W. E. Davis	1
South Berlin, Md.	R. R. Robinson	2
Stockton, Md.	L. H. Martin	2
Stockton Circuit, Md.	B. B. Carson	2
Trinity, Del.	W. H. Saunders (Supply)	1
Vienna, Md.	J. W. Parker	2
Whaleyville, Md.	E. H. Jolley	2

Centreville District.

R. H. Wallace, District Superintendent (2).

Barclay, Md.	Nicholas Brown (Supply)	2
Carmichael, Md.	I. D. Paine	1
Catlin, Md.	K. S. Stewart	2
Centreville, Md.	S. J. Horsey	2
Centreville Circuit, Md.	G. W. Downs	2
Chestertown, Md.	W. H. Johns	4
Church Hill, Md.	J. H. Russum	1
Cordova, Md.	J. O. Lockman	3
Cox's Creek, Md.	Zebulun Heath (Supply)	2
Crumpton, Md.	W. T. B. Devron	2
Denton, Md.	M. V. Waters	4
Denton Mission, Md.	J. H. Cooper (Supply)	9
Easton, Md.	T. H. Woodyly	1
Easton Circuit, Md.	S. A. Earle (Supply)	5
Fairlee, Md.	J. N. Bullen	1
Greensboro, Md.	J. H. Blake	2
Longwoods, Md.	J. E. A. D. Grigsby	1
Marydel, Md.	F. C. Gillis	2
McDaniel, Md.	C. W. Winder	1
Melitoto, Md.	Walter Stanley	1
Millington, Md.	C. W. Moore	4
Oxford, Md.	L. D. Beecham	2
Pomona, Md.	S. A. Waters	2
Ridgely, Md.	J. W. Gillis	4
Rock Hall, Md.	G. R. Hollis	3
Royal Oak Md.	J. H. Nutter	2
St. Michaels, Md.	W. E. Waters	2
Stevensville, Md.	C. W. H. Briddell	1
Trappe, Md.	Abraham Chase	4
Williston, Md.	W. H. Hayman (Supply)	4
Wittman, Md.	J. O. Stanley	4
Woodland, Md.	T. B. H. Coleman (Supply)	2

South Philadelphia District.

J. H. Scott, District Superintendent (1).

Buttonwood,	Lewis Hodges (Supply)	2
Cape May, N. J.	H. T. Johnson	5
Chester, Pa., St. Daniels	W. J. L. Hughes	3
Chester, Pa., Siloam	Sidney Emptage	3
Cheswold, Del.	J. L. Taylor	4
Cokesbury	R. B. Thompson	3
Coleman, Md.	W. C. Bowland	2
Delaware City, Del.	L. B. Buchanan	1
Dover, Del.	L. S. Moore	4
Dover Circuit, Del.	I. J. Brittingham	4
Galena, Md.	T. E. Randall	2

Middletown, Del.	J. L. Parker	2
New Castle, Del.	R. S. Johns	2
Newport, Del.	J. H. Stephenson	4
Ocean City, N. J.	D. L. Ridout (Supply)	1
Odessa, Del.	W. B. Whittington	2
Philadelphia, Pa., East Calvary	C. A. Tindley	17
E. Calvary Mission	J. L. Davis	1
St. Paul	J. E. Denn's (Supply)	1
Port Deposit, Md.	A. A. McDowell	1
Port Penn, Del.	L. T. Robbins	4
Sassafras, Md.	W. C. West	2
Smyrna, Del.	M. H. Murphy	4
Still Pond, Md.	P. W. Price	4
Swainton, N. J.	J. O. Griffin	3
Townsend, Del.	L. W. Deakins	1
Wilmington, Del., Ezion	J. U. King	3
Wilmington, Del., Haven	G. T. Fields	2
Wilmington, Del., Mt. Joy	J. W. Bond	3
Woodbury, N. J.	E. B. Green (Supply)	1

Philadelphia District.

J. T. Fletcher, District Superintendent (1).

Atlantic City, N. J.	A. L. Martin	10
Bridgeton, N. J.	F. O. T. Laws	3
Bridgeton Circuit, N. J.	F. G. Campbell	3
Brooklyn, N. Y., Ebenezer	A. F. Anthony	2
Ebenezer	J. R. H. Matthews	2
Newman	J. R. Waters	1
Burlington, N. J.	J. H. Blackston	9
Camden, N. J.	J. A. T. Foust	3
Camden Mission, N. J.	B. W. Berry	4
Delair, N. J.	C. W. Shockley	2
Englewood, N. J.	F. D. McQueen	9
Glenloch & Rhodes, N. J.	J. I. Peace	3
Hudson, N. Y.	J. N. Bridgman	1
Jersey City, N. J.	To be supplied.	-
Magnolia, N. J.	J. T. Wallace	2
Merchantville, N. J.	P. M. Shelton	2
Mont Clair, N. J.	F. J. Handy	5
Mount Holly, N. J.	W. B. Perry	2
Newark, N. J.	W. A. Hubbard	1
Orange, N. J.	R. G. Waters	5
Ossining, N. Y.	J. N. C. Davis	1
Philadelphia, Frankford	L. H. McArthur	2
Germantown	J. E. A. Johns	1
Haven	J. R. Brown	7
John Wesley	J. W. Jefferson	4
Somerville	E. E. Parker	6
Zoar	F. H. Butler	5
Zoar Mission	William Goldsborough	1

Pleasantville, N. J.	E. F. Morris	5.
Salem, N. J.	W. A. T. Miles	5
Salem Circuit, N. J.	R. A. F. Graham	3
Springlake, N. J.	James Fassett	1
Yonkers, N. Y.	A. G. Henry	3
White Plains, N. Y.	W. B. Nelson	2

Salisbury District.

I. W. Jewett, District Superintendent (3).

Cottage Grove, Md.	M. P. Sterling	1
Crisfield, Md.	C. S. Sprigg	2
Dames Quarter, Md.	C. A. Norwood	1
Deals Island, Md.	O. H. Spence	2
Delmar, Md.	C. T. Covington	1
Fairmount, Md. Centennial/	G. H. Bivins	1
Fairmount, Md., St. Andrews	S. T. Parker	1
Fruitland, Md.	J. W. Bowling	2
Greenwood, Md.	H. R. Purnell	2
Hebron, Md.	G. W. Joynes (Supply)	2
Hopewell, Md.	W. T. Spellman	2
Hornstown, Va.	C. W. Johnson	2
Jamestown, Md.	O. P. Dickerson	1
Keller, Va.	H. C. Sneed	3
Kingston, Md.	I. H. Bivins (Supply)	8
Lawsonia, Md.	T. W. Cooper	4
Leemont, Va.	E. E. Rogers	7
Liberia, Md.	G. S. Jacobs	2
Mardella Springs, Md.	I. D. Pitts	2
Marion Station, Md.	D. A. Ridout	2
Mount Vernon, Md.	R. C. Hughes	4
Nanticoke, Md.	J. H. Edwards	1
Oriole, Md.	J. W. Waters (Supply)	4
Parsonburg, Md.	R. N. Davis	1
Pocomoke City, Md.	W. R. A. Palmer	3
Portsville	J. J. Mitchell	1
Princess Anne, Md.	E. O. Parker	3
Princess Anne Circuit	T. L. McDonald	2
Quantico, Md.	J. A. Kiah	1
Salisbury Md., John Wesley	J. M. Dickerson	2
Leatherbury Chapel	Wilson Pinkett (Supply)	2
White Chapel	C. W. Pullett	2
Sharptown, Md.	M. Rasin	1
Unionville, Md.	G. T. Townsend	2
Wachapreague, Va.	J. R. Purnell	4
Wattsville, Va.	J. S. Coulbourne	18
Wetipquin, Md.	W. H. Turner	2
White Haven, Md.	Roswell Waters	2
Witham, Va.	J. G. Harris	2

Special Appointments.

- W. C. Jason, President of Delaware State College for Colored Youth; member of Whatcoat, Dover, Quarterly Conference. (23)
 T. H. Kiah, Principal of Princess Anne Academy. (9)
 S. G. Bell, left without appointment to attend one of our schools. (2)
 Armando Bustamante, left without appointment to attend one of our schools. (2)
 T. O. Johns, Conference Evangelist. (1)
 F. T. Quinn, War Work. (2)

LOCAL PREACHERS.

CAMBRIDGE DISTRICT.

- P. H. Stanley, Airey, Md.
 Chas. E. Jackson, Airey, Md.
 John W. Stanley, Airey, Md.
 L. W. Molock, Jr., Airey, Md.
 J. J. Saunders, Bridgeville, Del.
 Major Wing, Bridgeville, Del.
 E. O. Russum, Bridgeville, Del., R. F. D.
 J. J. Nichols, Federalsburg, Md., R. F. D.
 Jeremiah Gross, Bridgeville, Del., R. F. D.
 Wm. Allen, Cambridge, Md.
 Jas. A. Vaughn, Cambridge, Md.
 Jas. W. Vaughn, Cambridge, Md.
 Isaac Gray, Cambridge, Md.
 Moses Wing, Cambridge, Md., R. F. D.
 Robert Cornish, Cambridge, Md., R. F. D.
 Frank Farrar, Cambridge, Md., R. F. D.
 J. M. McCready, Crapo, Md.
 C. A. Dockins, East New Market, Md.
 D. J. Dafney, East New Market, Md.
 Henry Kane, East New Market, Md.
 J. H. Thompson, East New Market, Md.
 Richard Denard, East New Market, Md.
 Chas. Thomas, East New Market, Md., R. F. D.
 Geo. P. Rodgers, Clarksville, Del.
 Wm. Matney, Golden Hill, Md.
 F. H. Hughes, Hurlock, Md.
 Abram Holock, Hurlock, Md.
 J. G. Johnson, Hurlock, Md.
 Chas. N. Jones, Hurlock, Md.
 M. V. Hyland, Laurel, Del.
 D. H. West, Laurel, Del.
 Irving Spence, Laurel, Del.
 Robt. Wapple, Milford, Del., R. F. D. 4.
 J. J. Shockley, Ellendale, Del., R. F. D. 3.

R. D. Jackson, Linkwood, Md.
 Wm. J. Thomas, Linkwood, Md., R. F. D.
 Wm. T. Cornish, Taylor's Island, Md.
 Cor. V. Hooper, Taylor's Island, Md.
 Thomas P. Carroll, Milford, Del., R. F. D.
 Robert Cropper, Milford, Del.
 L. C. Paynter, Nassau, Del.
 John T. Gray, Berlin, Md.
 Isaac Rider, Berlin, Md.
 J. B. Henry, Berlin, Md.
 Isaac R. Davis, Whaleyville, Md.
 Mitchell J. Wangus, Vienna, Mdr., R. F. D.
 J. E. Fitchett, Berlin, Md.
 Frank Travis, Seaford, Del.
 Isaac Teagle, Stockton, Md.
 R. J. Williams, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D.
 B. F. Lowber, Whaleyville, Md.
 W. B. Nicholson, Selbyville, Del.

CENTREVILLE DISTRICT.

Joseph T. Rhyanes, Queenstown, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 Edward Thomas, Jr., Queenstown, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 James R. Smith, Queenstown, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 Henry Rynes, Centreville, Md., R. F. D. #3.
 Abraham Robinson, Chestertown, Md.
 Lorenza Dunn, Chestertown, Md.
 Alexander Handy, Centreville, Md., R. F. D.
 Clarence Wilson, Hillsboro, Md.
 J. W. Butler, #101 Aurora St., Easton, Md.
 G. C. Rasin, Easton, Md.
 J. H. Hubbard, Easton, Md.
 George T. Henry, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D. O2.
 John W. Blackston, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D. #2.
 William R. Phillips, Federalsburg, Md.
 W. D. Matthews, Goldsboro, Md.
 J. E. Johnson, Goldsboro, Md.
 Thomas R. Webb, Greensboro, Md.
 George K. Newman, McDaniel, Md.
 Sandy J. Ford, Worton Md., R. F. D. #1.
 J. E. Nichols, Oxford, Md.
 William A. Brown, Sr., Chestertown, Md.
 William A. Brown, Jr., Chestertown, Md.
 Gabriel Newcomb, Preston, Md.
 Walter J. Stanley, Preston, Md.
 John S. Griffin, Bethlehem, R. F. D.
 J. R. Webb, Preston, Md.
 Roland Bell, Ridgely, Md.
 S. H. Doram, Ridgely, Md.
 Louis H. Ward, Rock Hall, Md.
 Eugene Thompson, Rock Hall, Md.
 Horace S. Murray, Bellevue, Md.

Thomas Caldwell, St. Michaels, Md.
 Addison Bantom, Trappe, Md.
 Andrew H. Ross, Trappe, Md.
 John W. Washington, Williston, Md.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.

Major Henry, 36 Leeds Place, Atlantic City, N. J.
 Moses Hackett, 128 New York Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.
 Charles W. Freeman, Asbury M. E. Church, Atlantic City, N. J.
 Hugh Tilden, Asbury M. E. Church, Atlantic City, N. J.
 Robert Price, Asbury M. E. Church, Atlantic City, N. J.
 Wm. W. Graves, Bridgeton, N. J.
 Lewis Short, Bridgeton, N. J.
 Raymond Taylor, Bridgeton, N. J.
 Daniel W. Hawkins, 711 Osborne St., Cape May, N. J.
 P. H. Wilson, 527 Classon Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Charles E. Lewis, 1956 Dean St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 George W. Still, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Wm. O. C. Johnson, 467 St. Mary St., Burlington, N. J.
 Charles P. Waters, Ferry Ave. Church, Camden, N. J.
 W. J. Johnson, 917 Edward St., Chester, Pa.
 Charles E. Kincade, Chester, Pa.
 William Coombs, Bridgeton, N. J., R. F. D.
 Frank M. Kersey, Woodbury Heights, N. J.
 Henry L. Fussell, Westmont, N. J.
 Joseph W. Wilson, Westmont, N. J.
 Wm. A. Moore, Cleminton, N. J.
 Reuben Johnson, Merchantville, N. J.
 Frederick Still, Merchantville, N. J.
 James H. Jackson, 192 Bloomfield Ave., Montclair, N. J.
 George Sedeler, Delair, N. J.
 Wm. M. Trusty, Mt. Holly, N. J.
 Hamilton Lyles, 98 Hickory St., Orange, N. J.
 J. Z. W. Warren, 73 Ogden St., Orange, N. J.
 W. H. Alexander, Ossining, N. Y.
 Marcus F. Pitt, East Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila., Pa.
 Nathaniel Dobson, East Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Edward Duncan, East Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater, St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Saml. Travers, East Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila., Pa.
 Jno. H. Holland, E. Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila., Pa.
 Jno. H. Middleton, E. Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila. Pa.
 Wm. Walker, E. Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila., Pa.
 C. H. Flamer, E. Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila., Pa.
 Andrew J. Sellars, E. Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila. Pa.
 Luther Malone, E. Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila., Pa.
 Thos. E. Johnson, E. Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila. Pa.
 Jessie T. Cottman, E. Calvary Church, Broad & Fitzwater St., Phila, Pa.
 Charles G. Harris, Frankford, Phila., Pa.
 Charles W. Jones, Philadelphia, Pa.

John M. Clark, Frankford, Phila., Pa.
 Joseph Sweeting, 5848 Osceola St., Phila., Pa.
 James A. Hubbard, 53 Armat St., Phila., Pa.
 W. S. King, 1723 Beechwood St., Phila., Pa.
 N. E. Stiles, 2247 Oxford St., Phila., Pa.
 James Carney, John Wesley Church, Phila., Pa.
 E. P. Smax, 2331 S. Millick St., Phila., Pa.
 Charles Spence, East Calvary Church, Philadelphia, Pa.
 George Smith, 239 S. 37th St., Phila., Pa.
 Solomon Hubbard, 6142 N. Woodstock St., Phila., Pa.
 Joseph Jenkins, Germantown, Phila., Pa.
 N. H. Lee, 1310 Parrish St., Phila., Pa.
 John H. Larkins, 2109 Master St., Phila., Pa.
 Wm. Goldsboro, Zoar M. E. Church, Phila., Pa.
 J. T. Mander, Salem, N. J.
 Robert Berry, Quinton, N. J.
 Frank Pierce, Quinton, N. J.
 Charles E. Harris, Quinton, N. J.
 Levi, Harman, Swainton, N. J.
 John Walker, Woodbury, N. J.
 William E. Davis, Philadelphia, Pa.
 James E. Henry, 77 John St., Belleville, N. J.
 Aaron Brown, Morristown, N. J.
 Clarence Lynch, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Daniel L. Ridout, Princess Anne, Md.
 Anthony J. Hall, Newark, N. J.
 Joseph N. Davis, E. Calvary M. E. Church, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Lawrence Smith, 1714 Page St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Noah Lewis, 1334 Hope St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 William Casey, E. Calvary M. E. Church, Philadelphia, Pa.
 James W. Richardson, Haven M. E. Church, Philadelphia, Pa.
 William T. Purnell, Lex St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 James E. Waters, Haven M. E. Church, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Clement B. Miles, Salem, N. J.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

George T. Ballard, Westover, Md.
 William C. Hayward, Westover, Md.
 Henry A. Fields, Dames Quarter, Md.
 George E. Fields, Dames Quarter, Md.
 Curtis L. Jones, Dames Quarter, Md.
 Sewell Jones, Dames Quarter, Md.
 Washington McBride, Chance, Md.
 John L. Price, Chance, Md.
 M. C. Deshields, Deals Island, Md.
 Isaac W. Wallace, Deals Island, Md.
 Paul Jones, Upper Fairmount, Md.
 Robert Maddox, Fairmount, Md.
 Joseph M. Williams, Upper Fairmount, Md.
 Handy Long, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. #4.
 George H. Johnson, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. #4.

- Charles H. Hargis, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. #4.
 James Brewington, Salisbury, Md., R. F. D.
 George Deshields, Hebron, Md.
 W. A. Hovington, Horntown, Va.
 William Coulbourne, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. #5.
 George Jójnes, Jr., Manokin, Md.
 Asbury Whittington, Kingston, Md.
 George Cottman, Kingston, Md.
 G. E. Stewart, Harold, Md.
 Albert Atkinson, Marion Station, Md.
 J. H. Brittingham, Crisfield, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 J. E. T. Kellam, Onancock, Va.
 William Wise, Onancock, Va.
 Joseph Jarrel, Marion Station, Md.
 George Johnson, Marlona Station, Md.
 L. H. Waller, Mardela Springs, Md.
 George H. Bivens, Marion Station, Md.
 Charles Maddox, Oriole, Md.
 Anthony Johnson, Venton, Md.
 J. W. Parker, Parsonsburg, Md.
 Asbury Marshall, Pocomoke City, Md.
 H. T. Wheatly, Pocomoke City, Md.
 J. J. Whittington, Pocomoke City, Md.
 Frank Quinn, Sr., Pocomoke City, Md.
 Leorah Waters, Pocomoke City, Md.
 I. M. Collier, Pocomoke City, Md.
 Woodland P. James, Princess Anne, Md.
 John Bell, Princess Anne, Md.
 Joseph H. Hayman, Princess Anne, Md.
 John L. Dennis, Princess Anne, Md.
 George Cottman, Princess Anne, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 John McBride, Princess Anne, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 Harry Cottman, Princess Anne, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 Henry Hitch, Princess Anne, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 Littleton Church, Quantico, Md.
 A. J. Pinkett, Salisbury, Md.
 Wesley Dashields, Salisbury, Md.
 C. E. Elzey, Salisbury, Md.
 D. J. Johnson, Delmar, Del.
 Joseph C. Parker, Delmar, Del.
 E. S. Waters, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. #2.
 James Dickerson, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. #2.
 James Teagle, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. #2.
 I. R. Cropper, Wattsville, Va.
 Wilmore Conner, Wattsville, Va.
 Sydney Coard, New Church, Va.
 John R. Hull, Wetipquin, Md.
 W. W. Brown, Wetipquin, Md.
 Stephen Cook, Wetipquin, Md.
 Z. B. Dasheild, Wetipquin, Md.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Wesley White, Chestertown, Md.
 Wm. Corney, Barclay, Md.
 Joseph Kelson, Marydel, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 John W. Goldsboro, Marydel, Md., R. F. D.
 Andrew Wilson, Millington, Md., R. F. D. 1.
 Charles Saunders, Cheswold, Del.
 Wm. Demby, Odessa, Del.
 Alonza Lee, Townsend, Del., R. F. D.
 R. S. Brown, Port Deposit, Md.
 Oscar Mason, Port Deposit, Md.
 S. J. Hawkens, Port Deposit, Md.
 George C. Terrey, Port Deposit, Md., R. F. D.
 Howard Jefferson, Middletown, Del.
 W. H. O. Ennis, Del. City, Del.
 John Bungy, New Castle, Del.
 D. J. Atwell, 222 Lincoln St., Wilmington, Del.
 T. G. Washington, 1001 B. St., Wilmington, Del.
 N. B. Waters, 221 Tatnall St., Wilmington, Del.
 J. H. Clark, 1107 Tatnall St., Wilmington, Del.
 J. T. Ayers, 808 Woloston, St., Wilmington, Del.
 Alonza McBride, 200 E. 9th St., Wilmington, Del.
 Lawrence Turner, 455 Townsend St., Wilmington, Del.
 G. S. Garrett, Lincoln University, Pa.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS.

CAMBRIDGE DISTRICT.

J. J. Mason, Milford, Del., R. F. D.
 Mrs. Bessie Harmon, Lincoln City, Del.
 Handy Prettyman, Milton, Del.
 Mary E. Mitchell, Milford, Del.
 Thomas Dale, Snow Hill, Md., R. F. D.
 Robert Corbin, Snow Hill, Md., R. F. D.
 Daniel Tingle, Snow Hill, Md.
 Joseph West, Snow Hill, Md.
 Warrie Stevenson, Girdletree, Md.
 D. L. Bishop, Girdletree, Md.
 J. B. Collic, Stockton, Md., R. F. D.
 Emerson Purnell, Snow Hill, Md., R. F. D.
 Mrs. Cora B. Hussy, Chincoteakue, Va.
 Isaac Carey, Stockton, Md.
 Miss Helen Thompson, Lewes, Del.
 Mrs. Helen Mills, Nassau, Del.
 Solomon E. Jacobs, Rehoboth, Del.
 Clarence Norwood, Nassau, Del.

Dorsey Johnson, Millsboro, Del., R. F. D. . .
Lyda Hitchens, Millsboro, Del., R. F. D.
Chas. E. Tingle, Whaleyville, Md.
John H. Postley, Selbyville, Del.
Mrs. E. Derrickson, Showells, Md.
George A. Walters, Clarksville, Del.
J. H. Roach, Harrington, Del.
W. F. Ralston, Harrington, Del.
Noah Thorpe, Harrington, Del.
George Fasset, Berlin, Md., R. F. D.
George W. Riley, Berlin, Md.
Chas. H. Harmon, Newark, Md.
Mrs. Bessie Bowen, Newark, Md.
William E. Miller, Berlin, Md.
T. H. Thompson, East New Market, Md., R. F. D.
Louis Ridout, Vienna, Md., R. F. D.
J. G. Johnson, Hurlock, Md.
Thomas Baltimore, Hurlock, Md.
C. W. Jolley, Hurlock, Md.
Mrs. Rosa Blake, Linkwood, Md.
J. H. S. Bordley, Linkwood, Md.
M. E. Molock, Linkwood, Md.
C. A. Dockins, East New Market, Md.
R. M. Parker, Vienna, Md.
Levi Coleman, Vienna, Md., R. F. D.
P. H. Stanley, Airey, Md.
L. W. Molock, Sr., Vienna, Md., R. F. D.
Thomas Molock, Airey, Md.
Louis Stanley, Airey, Md.
S. E. Stanley, Airey, Md.
Mrs. Emma Young, Cambridge, Md., R. F. D.
Moses Chester, Cambridge, Md., R. F. D.
Miss Florence Matthews, Church Creek, Md.
Pallstine Plater, Cambridge, Md., R. F. D.
Mrs. Ollie Macer, Woolford, Md.
C. V. Hooper, Taylors Island, Md.
J. W. Keene, Madison, Md.
W. T. Cornish, Taylors Island, Md.
William Matney, Golden Hill, Md.
Mrs. Della Cooper, Church Creek, Md.
Frazier Stubbs, Hoopers Island, Md.
Mrs. Roxie Phillips, Golden Hill, Md.
John E. Burrs, Crapo, Md.
George Williams, Bridgeville, Del.
C. G. Roach, Bridgeville, Del., R. F. D.
Geo. W. Johnson, Federalsburg, Md.
A. D. Jackson, Cannon, Del.
Mrs. Angeline Phillips, Cannon, Del.
C. H. Evans, Oak Grove, Md.
Jeremiah Coleman, Seaford, Del.
J. F. Nichols, Oak Grove, Md.

Miss F. A. Parker, Laurel, Del.
 Josiah Stevens, Cornersville, Md.
 William Light, Cambridge, Md., R. F. D.
 Mrs. Elizabeth B. Hughes, Cambridge, Md.
 Peter Burrows, Cambridge, Md.

CENTREVILLE DISTRICT.

George Scott, Rock Hall, Md.
 Samuel Cann, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 S. J. Ford, Worton, Md., R. F. D. # 1.
 Thomas E. Johnson, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D. # 3.
 Mrs. Deborah Lewis, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D. # 3.
 Daniel Miller, Chestertown, Md.
 Roland Bell, Ridgely, Md.
 Mrs. Bardie Kilson, Greensboro, Md.
 Mrs. Lillian Stanford, Greensboro, Md.
 G. T. Carney, Greensboro, Md.
 Lily A. Tucker, Denton, Md.
 Mrs. Mary E. Bell, Denton, Md.
 S. I. Beulah, Hobbs, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 John Smith, Denton, Md., R. F. D. # 2, care Rev. W. H. Hayman.
 William Thomas, Denton, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 I. T. Prattis, Federalsburg, Md.
 Charles Friend, Preston, Md.
 J. W. Johns, Williamsburg, Md.
 Alexander Hubbard, Bethlehem, Md.
 Mary Tyler, Centreville, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 J. B. Anthony, Centreville, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 W. E. Saunders, Centreville, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 Mrs. M. E. Askins, Centreville, Md.
 John H. Pauls, Cordova, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 A. N. Thomas, Centreville, Md., R. F. D. # 1.
 George Scott, Cordova, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 Alexander Gould, Ridgely, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 Mrs. Clara Hazelton, Chester, Md., Kent Island.
 J. F. Wright, Carmichael, Md.
 Edward Thomas, Queenstown, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 Frank Wilson, Centreville, Md., R. F. D. # 3.
 Nettie Boardley, Stevensville, Md.
 Jesse Lee, Stevensville, Md., R. F. D. # 1.
 Edna Dorsey, Stevensville, Md.
 S. T. Staten, Easton, Md., R. F. D. # 3.
 W. H. Green, Cordova, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 • W. E. Webb, Easton, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 Lucretia Henry, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 Estelle Johnson, Worton, Md., R. F. D. # 2.
 S. Kellum, Easton, Md., R. F. D. # 1.
 Walter Brooks, Easton, Md., R. F. D.
 W. I. Rasin, Easton, Md., R. F. D.
 John Miles, St. Michaels, Md.
 W. S. Wallace, Royal Oak, Md.

Samuel Green, Bellevue, Md.
 Lewis Grace, Sherwood, Md.
 Samuel Waters, McDaniel, Md.
 W. Benson, Oxford, Md.
 J. E. Nichols, Oxford, Md.
 R. C. Camper, Trappe, Md.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

Arthur Reid, Melfa, Va.
 Jeremiah Madre, Kellër Va.
 William E. Harris, Deals Island.
 Paule Jones, Upper Fairmount, Md.
 F. D. Jones, Upper Fairmount, Md.
 Henry Boggs, Upper Fairmount, Md.
 Joshua Gillis, Upper Fairmount, Md.
 R. H. Wallop, Horntown, Va.
 Sarah Waters, New Church, Va.
 G. E. Stewart, Harold, Md.
 R. H. Fields, Kingston, Md.
 Milton Jackson, Marumsco, Md.
 Eben Adkinson, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D.
 Havinia Waters, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D.
 William Dickerson, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D.
 H. H. Elzia, Crisfield, Md.
 Benjamin F. Gunter, Onancock, Va.
 S. J. Horsey, Parksley, Va.
 Cornelius Horsey, Marion Station, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 Addison Wilson, Marion Station, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 L. H. Waller, Mardella Springs, Md.
 George H. Bivens, Marion Station, Md.
 Levin Evans, Marion Station, Md.
 Frederick Elzey, Champ, Md.
 Wilhelmina Smith, Venton, Md.
 C. A. Parker, Pittsville, Md.
 William Price, Delmar, Del.
 J. E. Gillette, Pocomoke City, Md.
 E. J. Victor, Pocomoke City, Md.
 Hulette E. Hayman, Princess Anne, Md.
 Henry Crawford, Princess Anne, Md., R. F. D. #1.
 Levin Gale, Quantico, Md.
 James L. Johnson, 307 E. Church St., Salisbury, Md.
 Greensbury Jones, Salisbury, Md.
 D. J. Johnson, Delmar, Del.
 Arthur Brown, Sharptown, Md.
 L. H. Johnson, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. #2.
 M. R. Warrington, Pocomoke City, Md., R. F. D. #2.
 Jerusalem Shield, Wachapreague, Va.
 J. R. Bowdoin, Wachapreague, Va.
 E. W. Poole, Wattsville, Va.
 W. W. Matthew, Atlantic, Va.

Handy Hull, Wetipquin, Md.
 Charles Dashfield, Jesterville, Md.
 E. T. Conaway, Clara, Md.
 G. H. Garrison, Clara, Md.
 William Carroll, Manokin, Md.
 Howard S. Miles, Crisfield, Md.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.

Miss Clarice Walker, 356 N. S. Carolina Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.
 F. O. T. Laws, 72 S. Pine St., Bridgeton, N. J.
 Mrs. Laure Williams, R. F. D. 1, Greenwich, N. J.
 Rissell Fished, R. D. 7, Bridgeton, N. J.
 Mrs. Mary E. Lee, 207 Clarkson St., Burlington, N. J.
 Edwin Baker, 46 Sumpter St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Allen Haynes, 411 Ralph Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Fitz Martindale, 572 Baltic St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 R. J. Chandler, 1830 Kossouth St., Camden, N. J.
 B. W. Berry, 442 Berkley St., Camden, N. J.
 D. W. Harkins, 711 Osborne St., Cape May, N. J.
 Mrs. M. J. Wilson, 132 Reaney St., Chester, Pa.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Pearce, 1604 Providence Ave., Chester, Pa.
 Mrs. Lucy Hines, 37 School St., Englewood, N. J.
 Edward Davis, Grenloch, N. J.
 Joseph W. Wilson, Westmont, N. J.
 Albert Johnson, Magnolia, N. J.
 Jesse Talton, Merchantville, N. J.
 J. W. Snedeker, Bloomfield, N. J.
 R. H. Gaines, Mount Holly, N. J.
 Wesley Green, 97 Wickliff St., Newark, N. J.
 A. W. Ricks, 40 Linden Ave., E. Orange, N. J.
 Miss Carrie Baskerville, 622 Malcolm St., Ossining, N. Y.
 Mrs. Christina Palmer, 1403 S. Chadwick St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 J. H. Holland, 2015 Lombard St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 A. E. Roundtree, 1817 Plum St., Frankford, Pa.
 William J. Green, 757 Woodlawn Ave., Germantown, Phila., Pa.
 W. S. King, 1723 N. Beechwood St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 H. D. Gates, 321 Cecil St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Jacob Robinson, 1327 S. Mole St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 A. D. Pindar, 6097 N. Beechwood St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 L. T. Carroll, 1717 N. 21st St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Marshall Caulk, 1743 Edwin St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 E. H. Morris, Pleasantville, N. J.
 Charles W. Henry, 341 Keasby St., Salem, N. J.
 Charles E. Harris, Quinton, N. J.
 Mrs. Mary Cohen, Swainton, N. J.
 Mrs. Mary E. Coles, 6 Holmes St., White Plains, N. Y.
 Melinda Tilden, Woodbury, N. J.
 Isaiah Kersey, Sewall, N. J.
 Mrs. Julia Johnson, 22 Culber St., Yonkers, N. Y.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

- Ada Chisum, Still Pond, Md.
J. W. Redden, Still Pond, Md.
Margie Wally, Worton, Md., R. F. D. #2.
J. E. Hines, Barclay, Md.
Martha Washington, Henderson, Md.
J. E. Anthony, Marydel, Md., R. F. D. #1.
Wm. H. Sockum, Marydel, Md., R. F. D. #1.
Susan Ferrell, Millington, Md., R. F. D.
Wm. Houston, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D.
George Wiggins, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D.
Wm. Trusty, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D. #2.
Joshua Ferrell, Chestertown, Md., R. F. D.
Ezekiel Brown, Jr., Golt, Md., R. F. D. #1.
Regenia Rhoades, Warwick, Md.
Lottie Bally, Cecilton, Md.
R. M. Peaker, Galena, Md.
Perry Riley, Galena, Md.
Irene Berkley, Millington, Md.
Geo. Gordon, Millington, Md., R. F. D.
Bertha Minus, Dover, Del.
Gilbert Harris, Dover, Del.
Bessie Groves, Dover, Del.
Harry Brown, Dover, Del.
Elizabeth Barrett, Smyrna, Del.
Kennedy Beckett, Cheswold, Del.
Frazier Corney, Cheswold, Del., R. F. D.
George Pierce, Middletown, Del.
M. R. Wiggins, Odessa, Del.
Robert Lee, Townsend, Del.
W. F. Henry, Townsend, Del., R. F. D.
Annie Caulk, Townsend, Del., R. F. D.
Lenna Clark, Port Deposit, R. F. D. #1.
J. O. Mason, Port Deposit, Md.
W. H. O. Ennis, Del. City, Del.
Julius King, Kirkwood, Del.
Annie Jones, St. George, Del.
Wm. Bacchius, Port Penn, Del.
Louisa Dingle, Del. City, Del., R. F. D.
Henriett Jackson, Port Penn, Del.
Jason Perry, New Castle, Del.
Daniel Allen, New Castle, Del.
John W. Bird, 1706 W. 2nd Street, Wilmington, Del.
Walter Moody, Christianna, Del.

VII

DAILY PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY—MORNING, APRIL 9th, 1919.

OPENING: The Delaware Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened in its fifty-sixth annual session at Ezion M. Church, Wilmington, Delaware, at 9 A. M., Wednesday, April 9th, Bishop Joseph F. Berry, D. D., LL. D., presiding.

The session was opened by singing "Am I a Soldier of the Cross?"

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER: The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by the bishop assisted by the District Superintendents and others.

ROLL CALL: Upon request of the Bishop the secretary of the last session of the conference called the roll of the conference.

The conference stood while the names of those who had died during the year was called.

NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF SECRETARY: Upon call for nomination of secretary of the conference, C. W. Pullett nominated James M. Dickerson. There being no other nominees he was elected by acclamation.

ASSISTANT SECRETARIES: The following named were nominated by the secretary as his assistants: C. S. Sprigg, F. H. Butler, C. W. H. Briddell, and L. B. Buchanan.

NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF STATISTICIAN: Upon nomination of J. R. Waters, E. O. Parker was nominated statistician, and there being no other nominees he was elected by acclamation.

ASSISTANT STATISTICIANS: The following named were nominated assistant statisticians and approved by the conference: D. W. Henry, J. T. Fletcher, J. H. Stevenson, O. P. Dickerson, M. W. Clark and J. E. A. Johns.

NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF TREASURER: Upon nomination of E. E. Parker, W. J. Helm was nominated treasurer, and there being no other nominees he was elected by acclamation.

ASSISTANTS TO THE TREASURER: The following named were nominated assistants to the treasurer and were approved by the conference: A. L. Martin, C. W. Downs, W. C. Bowland, J. L. Parker, P. M. Shelton, W. C. West, J. A. Klah, J. T. Wallace, S. J. Horsey, L. S. Moore, M. A. Thompson and W. T. Spellman.

REPORTER FOR BALTIMORE AMERICAN: Upon nomination of W. R. A. Palmer, J. H. Blake was elected reporter for the Baltimore American.

POSTMASTER ELECTED: On nomination of R. G. Waters, J. L. Davis was elected Conference Postmaster.

REPORTER FOR CITY PAPERS AND SOUTHWESTERN CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE: On nomination of J. U. King, F. H. Butler was elected reporter for the city papers and the Southwestern Christian Advocate.

STANDING COMMITTEES READ AND APPROVED: The Standing Committees and Boards were read by W. A. Hubbard, secretary of the cabinet and were approved by the conference.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS CALLED: The chairmen of the various committees named the place and time of meeting of their various committees.

MEMBER CONFERENCE BOARD OF EXAMINERS APPOINTED: On nomination of W. C. Jason, W. R. A. Palmer was appointed a member of the Conference Board of Examiners, temporarily in the place of J. U. King, host of the conference.

PRINTED PROGRAM ADOPTED: On motion of W. R. A. Palmer the printed program was made the official program of the conference.

BAR OF THE CONFERENCE: On motion of R. G. Waters the first seven rows of seats from the Altar rail was made the bar of the conference.

RESOLUTION OF WELCOME: A resolution of welcome to the presiding officer, Bishop Joseph F. Berry, D. D., LL. D., was read by J. U. King, and on his motion it was adopted by a standing vote.

BOUQUET PRESENTED: At this juncture Mrs. Anna R. King, wife of the host of the conference, presented a beautiful bouquet to the bishop on behalf of the Ladies' Aid Society of Zion M. E. Church, the seat of the conference.

RESPONSE BY THE BISHOP: Bishop Berry graciously responded to the presentation address.

INTRODUCED: Dr. P. M. Watters, president of Gammon Theological Seminary, was introduced and addressed the conference in the interest of that institution.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME: Mayor J. W. Lawson, of Wilmington, Delaware, was presented and delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the city.

RESPONSE TO ADDRESS OF WELCOME: The response to the address of welcome was delivered by Bishop Joseph F. Berry.

INTRODUCED: Dr. W. W. Lucas, Assistant Secretary Epworth League, Dr. Robert Watt, District Superintendent, Wilmington District, Wilmington Conference, Rev. George W. Dawson, Pastor of Asbury M. E. Church, Wilmington, Del., Rev. Zach Wells, Pastor of Wesley Church, Wilmington, Del., Rev. George Bounds, and Rev. W. V. Horner, of the Wilmington Conference, Dr. J. O. Spencer, President of Morgan College, and Dr. H. Y. Arnett, Pastor of Bethel A. M. E. Church, Wilmington, Del., were introduced.

M. E. BOOK CONCERN: Mr. C. R. Adkins, M. E. Book Room, was presented, addressed the conference and named T. W. Cooper to look after the accounts of the Book Concern on his departure from the conference.

DRAFT FROM THE BOOK CONCERN: The Bishop presented a draft of \$1,122 from the M. E. Book Room, New York City, and on motion of J. H. Scott was turned over to the Conference Treasurer.

ADDRESS ON MISSIONARY CENTENARY: Dr. W. W. Lucas at the juncture made an address on the Missionary Centenary and requested the appointment of the officers of the conference organization. The president of the organization to be a minister and the secretary to be a layman.

INTRODUCED: Dr. R. B. Stevenson, Board of Control, Epworth League, was introduced and spoke in the interest of the Missionary Centenary as relates to the Epworth League.

MEMORIAL SERVICE: J. H. Harmon, Chairman of Committee on Memoirs, was presented and presented F. H. Butler, who read the memoir of N. B. Snowden, and he also presented J. H. Nutter, who read the memoir of J. W. Brown.

D. H. Hargis, Superintendent of the Cambridge District, spoke in eulogy of Charles H. Spencer, employed as Supply at Nassau, Del., who was accidentally killed by train while in his automobile.

R. H. Wallace, Superintendent of the Centreville District, spoke in eulogy of J. H. Grinnage, who died while serving as a Supply on the Centreville District.

Bishop Joseph F. Berry spoke in eulogy of Bishops J. W. Bashford and Franklin Hamilton, who died during the year.

INTRODUCED: Dr. J. R. Sunwalt, pastor Grace M. E. Church, Wilmington, Del., was introduced to the conference.

QUESTION 14: Was the character of each preacher examined? J. H. Scott, Superintendent of the Philadelphia District, was called, his character was passed and he read the report of his district.

STATISTICAL SESSION: A statistical session was ordered at 2:30 P. M., according to program and the bishop appointed C. A. Tindley to preside.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements were made by W. C. Jason and J. U. King.

BENEDICTION: Benediction was pronounced by Dr. J. N. Sunwalt.

FIRST DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION—APRIL 9th, 1919.

STATISTICAL SESSION: Opening. The sessions was opened with C. A. Tindley presiding. P. M. Shelton led in prayer.

REPORTS: On motion of J. H. Scott the statistician called the charge by districts and the pastors made their reports to the statistician and treasurer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements were made by Dr. J. O. Spencer, W. C. Jason and J. R. Waters.

Doctor Robert Watt presented an epitome of the Missionary Centenary movement composed by himself.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICE: On motion of J. R. Brown C. A. Tindley was appointed to conduct evangelistic service.

ADJOURNMENT: On motion of J. R. Waters the statistical session adjourned.

SECOND DAY—THURSDAY MORNING—APRIL 10th, 1919.

OPENING: The session was opened with devotions conducted by W. R. A. Palmer.

JOURNAL READ: The journal of the previous day's session was read and approved with minor corrections.

RECORD OF SERVICE OF A. R. SHOCKLEY: On motion of W. C. Jason it was ordered that the record of service of A. R. Shockley be changed to show 35 years' service instead of 33.

QUESTION 14 RESUMED: J. W. Jewett, Superintendent of the Salisbury District, was called, his character passed, and he read the report of his work.

D. H. Hargis, Superintendent of the Cambridge District, was called, his character passed, and he read the report of his work.

R. H. Wallace, District Superintendent of the Centreville District, was called, his character passed, and he read the report of his work.

INTRODUCED: Dr. C. M. Boswell, of the Methodist Hospital, Philadelphia, was introduced and spoke on the activities of that institution.

Reverend James H. Hyatt, Executive Secretary of the Maryland Bible Society, was introduced and spoke in the interest of his society, especially urging the necessity of having the Bible in the home.

NECESSITOUS CASES: On motion of J. U. King it was ordered that 10 per cent. of the Conference Claimant's Fund for immediate distribution be set aside for necessitous cases.

FOURTEENTH QUESTION RESUMED: W. A. Hubbard, Superintendent Wilmington District, was called, his character passed, and he read the report of his work.

INTRODUCED: Mr. Henry P. Scott, grandson of Bishop Scott, was introduced and addressed the conference, speaking in commendation of the activities of the colored people in war work.

FOURTEENTH QUESTION RESUMED: The names of the effective elders of the Cambridge, Centreville, Philadelphia, Salisbury and Wilmington Districts were called and their characters passed.

The characters of W. C. Jason, President of Delaware State College, Dover, Del., T. H. Kiah, Principal Princess Anne Academy, J. R. Waters, Conference Claimant Endowment Agent, Delaware Conference, and M. C. Jennings, on leave of absence, were also passed.

QUESTION 23: Who are the supernumerary ministers? None.

QUESTION 24: Who are the retired ministers? C. L. Anderson, L. Y. Cox, J. H. Harman, I. H. Johnson, F. J. Lee, A. W. Lowber, J. F. Molock, A. R. Shockley, E. H. Webb, T. B. H. Coleman, C. J. Hall and Walter J. Moore were called, their characters passed, and they were continued in their present relation.

LIMITING PERIOD OF EXAMINATIONS: On motion of J. R. Waters it was ordered that the examinations of classes be closed on the second day of the conference.

DR. J. O. SPENCER PRESENTED: Dr. J. O. Spencer, President of Morgan College, Baltimore, Md., was presented and addressed the conference on the subject of education.

ORDER OF THE DAY: On motion of T. H. Kiah it was ordered that immediately after the journal is read at the morning session of the next day that the order of the day be the reading of the report of the Morgan College Half Century Fund.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements were made by J. U. King, pastor, and chairmen of various committees.

COLLECTION FOR WAR COUNCIL: On motion of J. H. Scott a collection was ordered to be taken to pay for a conference service flag obtained by the council. Amount of collection \$16.00.

PHILADELPHIA BOOK ROOM: Mr. E. A. Yeakel was introduced and spoke in the interest of the Philadelphia Book Concern of the Philadelphia Conference.

PROOF TO BE READ BY THE STATISTICIAN AND TREASURER: On motion of J. H. Scott it was ordered that the publishing committee allow the treasurer and statistician to read the proof of their reports.

TRUSTEES TO BE THE CUSTODIAN OF SERVICE FLAG: On motion of R. G. Waters it was ordered that the Delaware Conference Trustees be the custodian of the Conference Service Flag and that they be permitted to send it to charges on special occasions.

ADJOURNMENT AND BENEDICTION: The conference adjourned and Dr. C. M. Boswell pronounced the benediction.

THIRD DAY—FRIDAY MORNING—APRIL 11th, 1919.

OPENING: Devotions were conducted by M. A. Thompson.

JOURNAL READ: The journal of the previous day's session was read and approved.

CENTENARY OFFICERS ELECTED: On motion of J. H. Scott, F. H. Butler was elected chairman and Herbert Wilson, Secretary of the Conference Missionary Centenary Organization.

RESOLUTION OR MEMORIAL FROM THE WISCONSIN CONFERENCE: A resolution or memorial from the Wisconsin Conference with reference to the dissolution of foreign language speaking conferences, together with a protest from F. A. Mueller, representing ten German Speaking Conferences was read by the secretary.

ACTION ON MEMORIAL DEFERRED: On motion of J. H. Scott action on the memorial and protest was deferred.

REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE: Report of the Auditing Committee was read by R. R. Robinson and was adopted by the conference.

RESOLUTION FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE: A resolution from the Committee on Finance to elect the treasurer for the ensuing year before the adjournment of conference was on motion of D. H. Hargis placed on file.

QUESTION 6 (b): Who have been continued on trial in studies of the second year? B. B. Carson, O. H. Spence, S. S. Lankford.

QUESTION 6 (a): Who have been continued on trial in studies of first year? On motion of J. H. Scott, Stephen G. Bell and James R. H. Matthews were continued on trial in studies of the first year.

QUESTION 6 (d): Who have been continued on trial in studies of the fourth year? On motion of J. H. Scott, Earl H. Crampton and William B. Nelson were continued on trial in studies of the fourth year.

TRANSFER OF CRAMPTON ANNOUNCED: The bishop announced the transfer of Earl H. Crampton to the New England Conference.

QUESTION 11 (a): What members have completed the conference course of study; elected and ordained elders this year? Edward H. Jolly and Ernest F. Showell.

On motion of D. H. Hargis, their district superintendent, they were discharged from the conference course of study and elected to elder's orders.

QUESTION 10: What members are in studies of the fourth year? F. H. Quinn, W. T. B. Devron, C. W. Johnson, John I. Peaco and J. H. Russum (F. H. Quinn being continued because of absence in war work).

On motion of their district superintendents they were advanced to the studies of the fourth year.

QUESTION 6 (c): Who have been continued on trial in studies of the third year? On motion of W. A. Hubbard, Roswell Waters was continued in studies of the third year.

QUESTION 5 (b): Who have been received on trial in studies of the third year? John H. Edwards was on motion of J. W. Jewett continued on trial in studies of the third year.

QUESTION 9: What members are in studies of the third year; (a) Admitted into full membership this year? I. J. Brittingham, Frederick C. Campbell, Ross N. Davis, Robert A. F. Graham, F. O. T. Laws, J. O. Lockman, T. L. McDonald, Ralph B. Thompson.

On motion of their District Superintendents they were admitted into full membership.

QUESTION 8: Who have been admitted into full membership; (a) Elected and ordained deacons this year? Ross N. Davis and Robert A. F. Graham.

(b) Elected and ordained deacons previously? I. J. Brittingham, Frederick C. Campbell, F. O. T. Laws, J. O. Lockman, T. L. McDonald and Ralph B. Thompson.

CLASS FOR ADMISSION INTO FULL MEMBERSHIP: The class for admission into full membership was called by the bishop, the disciplinary questions asked and after being addressed by the bishop as to ministerial qualifications and responsibilities were excused from the room.

The Registrar was called and the Committee on qualifications and after it had been ascertained that they had met the requirements of that committee as to signing the tobacco abstinence pledge, disavowal of indebtedness to the extent of embarrassment, upon recommendation of their District Superintendents they were admitted into full membership in the conference.

QUESTION 7: Who have been discontinued? Malachi Matthews was on motion of W. C. Jason discontinued.

DELEGATION FROM THE WASHINGTON CONFERENCE: The following named delegation from the Washington Conference was introduced: Doctors D. W. Hayes and R. W. Thomas, Revs. J. C. Carroll, J. C. Love, Matthias Williams, Doctor A. J. Mitchell, Rev. E. W. S. Peck, Mrs. Julius Carroll and Mrs. R. W. Thomas.

ADDRESS OF BISHOP TO DELEGATION: The bishop made an address of greeting to the delegation.

GREETINGS FROM BALTIMORE PREACHER'S MEETING: Doctor D. W. Hayes brought greetings from the Baltimore Preacher's Meeting of the Washington Conference.

DR. R. W. S. THOMAS PRESENTED: Doctor R. W. S. Thomas, Pastor of Metropolitan M. E. Church, Baltimore, Washington Conference was presented and addressed the conference.

C. A. TINDLEY'S RESPONSE: C. A. Tindley responded to the address of Doctors Hayes and Thomas.

MORGAN COLLEGE REPORT: The report of the Morgan College Half Century Fund was read and was followed with an appeal by Doctor J. O. Spencer for a further financial effort on the part of the delinquent charges.

TELEGRAM FROM DOCTOR PENN: The bishop read a telegram from Doctor I. G. Penn, stating the time of his arrival at conference.

SUBMISSION OF APPEAL TO CABINET: On motion of J. H. Nutter the appeal of Doctor Spencer was referred to the cabinet.

ORDER OF THE DAY: The report of the Conference Claimant Endowment Agent J. R. Waters was made the order of the day for 11 A. M. tomorrow.

TIME EXTENDED: On suggestion of the bishop the time was extended.

DR. W. W. LUCAS PRESENTED: Dr. W. W. Lucas, Assistant Secretary of the Epworth League, was presented and spoke in the interest of the Missionary Centenary.

DR. J. C. NICHOLSON PRESENTED: Doctor J. C. Nicholson, member of Board of Education, M. E. Church, was presented and addressed the conference in the interest of his board.

MR. W. C. MASLAND PRESENTED: Mr. W. C. Masland, chairman of the Minute Men of the Philadelphia Area, was introduced and addressed the conference.

INTRODUCED: Reverends Matthias Brown, S. A. Virgil, C. E. Hodges, J. H. Jenkins and Ernest Williams, Washington Conference, Rev. J. N. Waters, A. M. E. Church, Doctor John Watchhorn, Corresponding Secretary City Missions and Church Extension, Philadelphia, Pa., and Doctor Robert E. Jones, Editor South Western Christian Advocate, was introduced.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements were made by J. U. King and the chairmen of various committees.

BENEDICTION: Benediction was pronounced by Doctor R. E. Jones.

FOURTH DAY—SATURDAY MORNING—APRIL 12th, 1919.

OPENING: The devotions were conducted by C. A. Tindley.

JOURNAL READ: The journal of the previous day's sessions was read and approved.

CASE OF J. R. H. MATTHEWS: On motion of J. H. Scott, the case of J. R. H. Matthews was reconsidered and on recommendation he was advanced to the studies of the second year.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PERIODICALS: The report of the committee on periodicals was read by C. W. Winder and was adopted by the conference.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BIBLE: The report of committee on Bible was read by I. D. Paine. The report was adopted.

RECEPTION OF LAY ASSOCIATION: On motion of J. R. Waters it was ordered that the lay association be received by the conference after the journal is read at the afternoon session.

QUESTION 5: Who have been received on trial in studies of the year? The Class for admission on trial was called, viz: Joseph N. L. Davis, James O. Griffin, Frederick A. Still, William B. Whittington, Frederick C. Gillis and Walter Stanley.

CLASS FOR ADMISSION ON TRIAL QUESTIONED BY THE BISHOP: The class for admission on trial was questioned by the bishop, and after having given satisfactory response was excused from the room.

The Registrar and District Superintendents made their reports and recommendations and on motion of their district superintendents they were admitted on trial.

Joseph N. L. Davis, Frederick C. Gillis, James O. Griffin, Frederick A. Still, not having the required educational attainments were admitted by a two-thirds vote of the conference.

CASE OF JAMES E. WATERS: On motion of J. R. Waters, the recommendation of J. E. Waters was withdrawn.

DOCTOR GEORGE H. BICKLEY: Doctor George H. Bickley, Executive Secretary, Philadelphia Area, Missionary Centenary, was introduced and introduced the conference on the Missionary Centenary Movement. He invited inquiries as to the Centenary and made very comprehensive replies to the questions asked.

REV. L. C. MURDOCK: Reverend L. C. Murdock, in charge of the Missionary Centenary Movement in the colored conferences, was introduced and addressed the conference in the interest of the Missionary Centenary.

RESOLUTION ON INTER-CHURCH MOVEMENT: A resolution on inter-church movement was read by J. R. Waters and on his motion was adopted.

INTRODUCED: Reverend A. L. Hubbard, of the Wilmington Conference, was introduced by the bishop and addressed the conference in the interest of the Lord's Day Alliance.

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE CLAIMANT ENDOWMENT AGENT: J. R. Waters, Conference Claimant Endowment Agent of the Delaware Conference, read the report of his work. The report was adopted.

INTRODUCED: Doctor Charles R. Oaten, Board of Conference Claimants, was introduced and addressed the conference.

FUNDS FOR CONFERENCE: Doctor Charles R. Oaten turned over to the conference the sum of nine hundred dollars and fifty cents. As dividends from conference investments \$300.50, and from the Conference Claimants' Board, Chicago, \$600.00, which was turned over to the Conference Treasurer by the bishop.

QUESTION 12: What others have been elected and ordained deacons; (a) As local preachers? J. E. Dennis, Charles H. Flamer, William Goldsborough, Thomas G. Washington.

On motion of their district superintendents they were elected to deacon's orders.

QUESTION 11: What members have completed the conference course of study: (c) Elected and ordained elders under the seminary rule?

On motion of J. H. Scott Frederick C. Campbell and Thaddeus L. McDonald were discharged from the conference course of study and elected and ordained elders under the seminary rule.

CASE OF JOHN H. EDWARDS: On motion of J. H. Scott John H. Edwards was advanced to the studies of the fourth year under the seminary rule.

INTRODUCED: Doctor Robert E. Jones, Editor South Western Christian Advocate, was introduced to the conference. He addressed the conference in the interest of his paper.

MORGAN COLLEGE HALF CENTURY FUND: A resolution was read by T. H. Kiah with reference to the delinquent charges in the Morgan College Half Century Fund, and on his motion was adopted. See resolution.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANT ENDOWMENT FUND COLLECTION: On motion of J. U. King, the district superintendents were appointed collectors of the subscriptions to the conference claimant's endowment fund.

On motion of J. H. Scott, J. R. Waters was appointed to collect the conference claimant endowment subscriptions from those outside of the conference.

QUESTION 36: Where shall the next conference be held? On motion of C. A. Tindley, it was ordered that the next conference be held at East Calvary M. E. Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION: J. H. Blade read a resolution of commendation to W. H. Johns who preached the missionary sermon. See resolution.

CONFERENCE COURSE OF STUDY BOOKS: On motion of W. C. Jason, the course of study books used by the conference board of examiners was presented to Morgan College.

QUESTION 25: Who are the Triers of Appeals? C. W. Pullett, T. W. Cooper, J. R. Brown, T. H. Kiah, C. S. Sprigg. Reserve: W. T. Spellman and J. H. Nutter.

REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE: The report of the committee on temperance was read by M. W. Clark and on his motion was adopted. See Report.

PRESENTATION OF PURSE TO J. H. SCOTT: C. A. Tindley presented a purse to J. H. Scott from the members of the Philadelphia District on his retirement as superintendent of the district.

RESPONSE BY DOCTOR SCOTT: J. H. Scott responded to the speech of presentation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements were made by the pastor and others.

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION: A resolution of commendation of J. R. Waters as Agent of the Conference Claimant's Endowment Fund was read by W. C. Jason and was adopted by the conference. See resolution.

Benediction was pronounced by Doctor Robert E. Jones.

FOURTH DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION—APRIL 12th, 1919.

OPENING: The session was opened with devotions conducted by C. A. Tindley.

JOURNAL READ: The journal of the morning session was read and adopted.

RECEPTION OF LAY ASSOCIATION: The Lay Association was received by the conference and presented by Mr. Herbert Wilson, Chairman of the Association.

RESOLUTION FROM LAY ASSOCIATION: Resolution from the Lay Association endorsing the Missionary Centenary Movement and adopting the maximum quota, together with other activities of the church, was presented and read by Mrs. Clarice Walker.

RESPONSE TO ADDRESS OF LAY ASSOCIATION: C. A. Tindley responded to the address of Mr. Herbert Wilson and the Resolution.

ADOPTION OF SERIES OF RESOLUTIONS: On motion of W. B. Perry the resolution of the Lay Association was received and ordered printed in the minutes.

MISSIONARY CENTENARY QUOTA: A resolution was read by J. R. Waters accepting the maximum quota of \$4,000,000, to be raised by the colored conferences. See resolution.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CONFERENCE STEWARDS: The report of the Board of Conference Stewards was read by Mr. S. H. Long. On motion of J. H. Scott, the report was re-committed for correction.

STATISTICAL REPORT: The Statistical Report was read by E. O. Parker, Statistician. It was adopted. See Statistical Report.

TREASURER'S REPORT: The report of the Treasurer was read by W. J. Helm, Treasurer of the conference. It was adopted. See Report of Treasurer.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MINUTE MONEY: The report of the Committee on Minute Money was read by T. W. Cooper. The report was adopted. See report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS: The report of the Committee on Conference Relations was read. On motion of J. H. Scott, M. C. Jennings was allowed to withdraw and have his papers properly endorsed to enter the Congregational Church.

Alpha F. Anthony was also allowed to withdraw for the purpose of returning to Africa and engaging in missionary work, and on motion of J. H. Scott he was elected and ordained elder under the missionary rule.

On motion of D. H. Hargis, J. M. Whittington was granted supernumerary relation.

On motion of W. A. Hubbard, offered as substitute for recommendation of committee that G. B. Coleman be granted supernumerary relation, he was retired.

He voluntarily relinquished his claim on the Board of Conference Stewards at this session of the conference.

A collection of \$47.00 was taken and presented G. B. Coleman.

THE CASE OF W. T. PURNELL: On motion of J. H. Scott, W. T. Purnell was re-admitted on trial in the first year and excused from the studies.

SUSPENSION OF RULE: On motion of F. H. Butler, the rule requiring that candidates be under 40 years of age to be admitted on trial was suspended.

On motion of J. H. Scott, Armando Bustamento was continued on trial in studies of the first year.

CONFERENCE EVANGELIST: On motion of J. H. Scott, it was ordered that a conference evangelist be appointed.

EVANGELIST APPOINTED: T. O. Johns was appointed Conference Evangelist by the Bishop.

REPORT OF THE STATE OF THE CHURCH: Report of the State of the Church was read by J. H. Nutter. The report was adopted.

GRECIAN TERRITORY: A resolution was read by W. B. Perry in reference to Grecian possessions. See resolution.

MISSIONARY SERMON: On motion of J. W. Jewett, T. H. Woodley was appointed to preach the missionary sermon and C. S. Sprigg alternate.

NUMBER OF MINUTES TO BE PRINTED: On motion of W. A. Hubbard, it was ordered that 3,000 copies of the minutes be printed and sold at twenty-five cents per copy and all preachers receive one copy free.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION: The report of the Committee on Education was read by D. W. Henry. The report was adopted.

PURCHASE OF FARM BY DELAWARE STATE COLLEGE, DOVER, DEL.: A resolution was presented by J. R. Waters relative to farm purchased by Delaware State College, Dover, Delaware.

PRESIDENT OF STATE COLLEGE APPOINTED: On motion of D. H. Hargis, W. C. Jason was appointed President of Delaware State College, Dover, Delaware.

LEFT WITHOUT APPOINTMENT: On motion of J. H. Scott, Stephen G. Bell and Armando Bustamento were left without appointment to attend school.

On motion of J. H. Scott, J. R. Brown, W. C. Jason and J. R. Waters were re-elected Trustees of the Conference, their terms having expired. The Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES: On motion of J. H. Nutter, it was ordered that the minutes of the present session be adopted without being read.

CLOSING SESSION OF CONFERENCE: On motion of W. R. A. Palmer, it was ordered that the closing session of the conference be held at the Opera House.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements were made by J. U. King and others.

BENEDICTION: Benediction was pronounced by Doctor Robert E. Watt.

FIFTH DAY—EVENING SESSION—APRIL 13th, 1910.

OPENING: The session was opened with devotions conducted by E. E. Parker.

SERMON: A sermon was delivered by R. G. Waters during the interval between the devotions and the arrival of the bishop.

INTRODUCED: Doctor I. G. Penn, Assistant Secretary, Freedman's Aid Society, was introduced and addressed the conference in the interest of the Missionary Centenary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRIBUTION OF HOME MISSIONARY MONEY: The report of the distribution of Home Missionary money was read by W. A. Hubbard. The report was adopted.

REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDS: The report of the Conference Board of Stewards as revised was read by S. H. Long. The report was adopted.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS: A resolution of thanks for entertainment of the conference was read by J. T. Wallace.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements were made by T. H. Kiah and J. U. King.

READING OF MINUTES DISPENSED WITH AND ADJOURNMENT AFTER READING APPOINTMENTS: On motion of D. H. Hargis, it was ordered that the reading of the minutes of the present session be dispensed with and that the conference adjourn without date after the appointments have been read.

APPOINTMENTS: The appointments for the year were read by Bishop Joseph F. Berry, President of the Conference. See Appointments.

BENEDICTION: The benediction was pronounced by Bishop Berry.

ANNIVERSARIES AND RELIGIOUS EXERCISES.

Tuesday, April 9th, 8.00 P. M. Anniversary of the Board of Temperance. This session was presided over by J. T. Fletcher, who introduced Doctor L. N. Williams, who was the principal speaker of the evening.

Wednesday, April 10th, 8.00 P. M. Unfurling of Conference Service Flag, F. H. Butler, presiding. The speakers were Mrs. Alice Dunbar Nelson and C. A. Tindley. Miss Emelyne J. Tindley rendered a solo, "A Strike For Liberty," her own composition, which was loudly applauded. The music was rendered by the Ezion Choir.

Thursday, April 11th, 3.00 P. M. The annual Missionary Sermon was delivered by W. H. Johns. Text, Isaiah, 40th chapter, 8 the verse.

8.00 P. M. The anniversary of the Board of Education was presided over by W. C. Jason. The speakers were Principal T. H. Kiah, P. A. Academy, Vice President William M. Pickens, Morgan College; President J. O. Spencer, Ph. D., Morgan College, and Dr. J. Nicholson, representing the Board of Education, M. E. Church. Music was furnished by the Mt. Joy Choir.

Friday, April 12, 1.30 P. M. The Anniversary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society was presided over by Mrs. Hattie R. Hargis. The speakers were Mrs. A. P. Camphor and others.

3.30 P. M. The Anniversary of the Woman's Foreign Missions Society was presided over by Mrs. M. E. Jackson. Mrs. A. P. Camphor, wife of Bishop Camphor, was the principal speaker.

8.00 P. M. The Missionary Centenary Anniversary was presided over by J. H. Nutter. Speakers, Bishop A. P. Camphor, Missionary M. E. Church, and Dr. W. W. Lucas, Assistant Secretary Epworth League.

Saturday, April 12th, 7.30 P. M. The Anniversary of the Board of Conference Claimants was presided over by T. H. Woodley. Speakers, Doctor Charles R. Oaten, Board of Conference Claimants, and J. R. Waters.

9.00 P. M. The Anniversary of the Epworth League was presided over by W. A. T. Miles. Dr. W. W. Lucas and Dr. I. G. Penn were the speakers.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE: 9.00 A. M., Love Feast was conducted by A. R. Shockley.

SERMON BY THE BISHOP: At 10.00 A. M., W. A. Hubbard, District Superintendent Wilmington District, announced the opening hymn, No. 96. W. B. Perry led in prayer. Hymn No. 183 was also announced by W. A. Hubbard, the singing of which was immediately followed by the sermon by Bishop Berry. Text, John, 20th chapter and 21st verse. Subject, "God's Unfinished Business."

GRAND OPERA HOUSE: 3.00 P. M., preaching by C. A. Tindley.

8.00 P. M., sermon by R. G. Waters, which was followed by a business session, including the reading of the appointments.

EZION M. E. CHURCH: 10.30 A. M., sermon by C. W. H. Briddell.

3.00 P. M., the class for ordination was ordained by Bishop Berry, which ceremony was followed immediately by a sermon by J. T. Wallace.

7.30 P. M., sermon by W. R. A. Palmer.

LAYMEN'S MEETING.

The Laymen's Meeting was held Friday, April 11th, at the A. U. M. P. Church, French Street, between 8th and 9th at 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., with Mr. H. S. Wilson presiding. See resolutions adopted at this meeting.

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION.

This is to certify that on Sunday, April 13th, 1919, at Ezion M. E. Church, Wilmington, Delaware, I ordained to the office of deacon the following named persons: Ross Nelson Davis, Robert A. F. Graham, James E. Dennis, Charles H. Flamer, William Goldsborough and Thomas G. Washington. Also on the same day and in the same place, assisted by the District Superintendents and the secretary of the Conference, I ordained as elders in the church the following named persons: Frederick C. Campbell, Thaddeus L. McDonald, E. H. Jolly, E. F. Showell and Alpha F. Anthony.

(Signed) JOSEPH F. BERRY,

JAMES M. DICKERSON,

Bishop.

Secretary.

ANNIVERSARY OF WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Another year has winged its flight. And now we glance back and try to see what there is to record. The year has been one of absorbing interest with us, if for no other reason, it is the year of jubilee. Fifty years of service for our Heavenly Master brings our Conference up to this question: Have we done our best. For the most of the women are following the crowd, and that is such an easy task. But a faithful few have done heroic work. Many keep up the noon-day prayer, which has been an inspiration to those who are working on the field. Our anniversary was one of unusual interest. Mrs. Bishop Camphor gave the annual address in her usual way, possessing the same sympathetic voice, telling of her trip going to and coming from Liberia with great interest, making an appeal to her hearers that will never be forgotten. We were honored with a fraternal delegate from the W. F. M. Society from the Washington Conference, Mrs. W. F. Thomas, who gave a strong address which brought cheer and inspiration to our hearts.

The secretary has made only a few stray visits; one we note especially, to Haven M. E. Church, Philadelphia, where two young people came forward and offered their services to go to Africa as missionaries as soon as they finished school. One is studying medicine, the other theology. We can now work and hope that this will be a prosperous year and that His kingdom may come quickly.

MRS. M. E. JACKSON, President and Secretary,

914 French St., Wilmington, Del.

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807 North 15th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

VIII

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS' REPORTS.

CAMBRIDGE DISTRICT.

Bishop and Brethren:

We are profoundly grateful to our Heavenly Father that we are permitted to present this our second annual report of the Cambridge District.

Over the top has been our slogan. Strenuous have been our efforts to concentrate our forces facing toward the front. Many have been the voices like trumpet calls summoning us to join other campaigns. The Red Cross, War Savings Stamps, Y. M. C. A. and Liberty Loan drives have all repeatedly requested us to join their ranks. We now mark time while we report.

During the year the following pastors and their families have been on the sick list: Revs. Alexander Reid, W. G. Matthews, R. H. Coleman, H. J. Stewart, Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Thompson, Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Jolley, Rev. and Mrs. N. M. Brown. Bro. Brown also lost a brother and Mrs. Brown her mother. Rev. D. W. Henry and Mrs. B. B. Carson each lost a brother. Rev. L. E. Toulson lost his sister, Mrs. Sarah J. Lewis. Rev. Jose Angulo was accidentally shot. Rev. J. C. Bantom's family of seven were seriously ill for several weeks. His elder son, Joseph, succumbed to death. Rev. C. H. Spencer, of Nassau Charge, was accidentally killed, March 31st. A suitable memoir has been prepared.

While we cannot boast a complete triumph, we are thankful to the Lord that we have been able to hold our own all along the line. Here and there we have made striking advances.

... AIREY, the largest and most difficult circuit to pastor, should be divided. The people should receive a more adequate pastoral oversight. The Pastor, Jose Angulo, has labored earnestly, with some good results. Conversions 15; accessions 15; benevolences increased; \$211 raised for church improvements.

BECKWITH has experienced a gracious revival resulting in 47 conversions; accessions 40; benevolences nearly doubled. J. M. Whittington, pastor.

BOX IRON has had a prosperous year, \$371 paid on old indebtedness. Conversions 24; accessions 26; benevolences advanced. J. L. Nichols, pastor.

BRIDGEVILLE has successfully inaugurated the new financial plan. A lot has been purchased on Main Street for \$200 and a modern parsonage built at a cost of \$1600, which has been reduced to \$1000 by disposing of the old site for \$600. Conversions 10; accessions 10; benevolences nearly doubled. D. W. Henry, pastor.

BRIDGEVILLE CIRCUIT has had a very prosperous year. Conversions 30; accessions 30; all indebtedness liquidated, benevolences nearly trebled. R. W. Thomas, pastor.

CAMBRIDGE, ST. LUKE'S. This Mission supplied by D. R. Shockley, is making its second report to the Annual Conference. Conversions 59;

accessions 23; \$130 paid on bonded indebtedness; \$53 raised conference collections.

CAMBRIDGE, WAUGH, has had an unparalleled year financially. \$1,589 paid on bonded indebtedness. Conversions 14; accessions 27. Sunday School and Epworth League have been reorganized. Benevolences more than doubled. \$4,500 raised for all purposes. M. A. Thompson, pastor.

CAMBRIDGE CIRCUIT has had a good year. \$300 has been paid on bonded indebtedness. Conversions 15; accessions 15; benevolences advanced. W. G. Matthews, pastor.

CHURCH CREEK. This circuit is advancing intellectually and spiritually. The young people's societies are well organized. Conversions 28; accessions 27; benevolences doubled. Paid on indebtedness \$363. E. F. Showell, pastor.

CRAPO has been marvelously blessed. Conversions 44; accessions 41; benevolences advanced. J. H. Dredden, pastor.

EAST NE W MARKET was reported last year on the firing line. This year they report "over the top." Conversions 91; accessions 89; young people's societies well organized; benevolences more than doubled; indebtedness reduced. D. S. Quillen, pastor.

EAST NEW MARKET CIRCUIT has been strengthened by the addition of Reid Grove Mission. \$250 paid on old indebtedness; conversions 8; accessions 8; benevolences advanced. H. J. Stewart, pastor.

FRANKFORD is witnessing a reconstruction period. The spiritual seed has just begun to germinate. Conversions 6; accessions 6; \$182 paid on old indebtedness; benevolences advanced. Solomon Hammond, pastor.

GOLDEN HILL has surpassed herself. Benevolences more than doubled. Conversions 5; accessions 4. S. J. Hooper, pastor.

HARRINGTON. has quickened her pace. She is overcoming her spiritual handicap. Conversions 27; accessions 17; \$228 paid on indebtedness; benevolences advanced. R. H. Coleman, pastor.

HURLOCK, with L. E. Toulson pastor, has had a very successful year. Paid on old debts and improvements \$747. Conversions 18; accessions 18; benevolences greatly advanced.

LAUREL. The harmonious workings of her splendid organizations have enabled her to report success along all lines. Conversions 76; accessions 80; \$500 paid on old indebtedness; benevolences doubled. C. W. Downs, pastor.

LEWES has been somewhat hindered by the migration of her membership. Nevertheless, they have wrought nobly. Paid on old indebtedness \$106; pastor's salary increased; benevolences doubled; conversions 15; accessions 15. T. A. Johnson, pastor.

LINCOLN. This charge still leads in subscriptions to the South Western Christian Advocate. It is free from debt. Slaughter Neck Church needs a new heating plant. Conversions 4; accessions 4; benevolent collections far in advance of last year. M. W. Clark, pastor.

LINKWOOD. Recently quickened by a gracious revival, this circuit has somewhat atoned for the tardiness of the early part of the conference year. Two of the churches have been repaired and \$297 paid on the same. Conversions 38; accessions 41; benevolences advanced. E. H. Nichols, pastor.

MADISON. The resources of this circuit are only partially developed. Paid on indebtedness \$218. \$247 raised for repairing the church at Madison. Conversions 16; accessions 16; benevolences more than doubled. W. H. Saunders, pastor.

MILFORD. W. E. Hilton has strenuously labored in this field for six years. He brings the best benevolent report in this history of the charge. Conversions 5; accessions 7; \$266 paid on old indebtedness.

MILTON, supplied by T. P. Carroll, has been Spartan-like in her endeavor to maintain herself. There are only a few members remaining. It should be annexed to Lincoln Charge.

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NEWARK has experienced an eventful year. On August 21st, Alexander Reid, pastor, was united in holy matrimony to Miss Annie Barkley. In November this charge was sorely affected by the influenza epidemic, and January the pastor's life was despaired of; \$169 paid on improvements. Benevolences advanced.

NORTH BERLIN has lived up to her previous good record. \$900 has been paid on bonded indebtedness; conversions 6; accessions 5; benevolences increased. This church is very well organized. The pastor, T. H. Woodley, is serving his eighth year and is yet acceptable.

SEAFORD has grown in its moral consciousness. Some effort is being put forth on our side of the house to lessen the Sabbath desecration. Notwithstanding the pastor's grievous afflictions, he has wrought nobly. Paid on indebtedness \$283; benevolences nearly doubled; conversions 5; accessions 14. This charge is affected by the migration of its members. J. C. Bantom, pastor.

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Temperance.

Our slogan last year was "America a Saloonless Nation by 1920". But the most sanguine dreamer did not anticipate that the prophecy would be realized in 1919. Indeed, the stress and strain of our recent world war so exhibited the baneful effects of the saloon in deteriorating the mind and debilitating the body, as a sequence, National Prohibition was hastened 25 years. But that there may not be a reaction, the youth of this nation, indeed of the world, must be taught the evil effects of this diabolical institution. In each Sunday School a temperance society should be organized. Temperance Sundays should be consistently observed. In its broadest significance temperance should be taught both from the pulpit and in the pew. The abominable distillery should be annihilated all over the world.

The Christian Sabbath.

In these turbulent days of radical and perverted socialism, the legal and moral laws governing the Christian Sabbath must be strictly maintained. Any relaxation to enforce or successful effort to repeal them will be interpreted as a triumph of the worldly amusement forces and financial propagandists over the Church of God, which has always been the undaunted leader, promoting the just laws of civilization enacted for the highest social welfare of mankind.

Anarchism and Bolshevism cannot possibly exist in a nation that rightly appreciates and properly observes the Christian Sabbath. We stand for the unmodified sanctity of the Christian Sabbath.

Public Education.

The Public School System of Delaware has been very inadequate, indeed almost antiquated. The recent session of the State Legislature enacted a law creating a new and more adequate System of Education. The teacher's salary has been greatly increased. The minimum term of the rural schools has been extended to ten months. Thus the door of hope has opened wider for a larger number of more efficient teachers.

Morgan College Half Century Fund.

Napoleon the Great once said, "To maintain a great Republic like the United States, the citizens must be enlightened and Christianized." That greatest embodiment of the true American spirit, the late Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, said, "Unless the country is made a good place for all of us to live in, it won't be a good place for any of us to live in." Our present political world crisis is teaching us that the little Soldier-Emperor and the Christian statesman are both right.

Christian Education as it is exemplified by Morgan College, Princess Anne Academy and other Christian Schools must be the undergirder of the Christian home and pulpit, the foundation stone upon which all true democracy must stand. We have incessantly stressed this idea until our intensive decisive campaign for Morgan College Half Century Fund alone has culminated \$2560 as a liberal contribution from this district for the preparation of a higher Christian leadership. This educational contagion is effecting our young people. Some are practicing the most rigid economy to avail themselves of the advantage of a Christian education. We are seeking to have the spirit become everywhere prevalent.

While all of the charges might receive an honorable mentioning (if space and time would permit), for they have strenuously striven likewise to raise their full apportionment for Morgan College Half Century Fund, the following have placed themselves on the "HONOR ROLL" as having "gone over the top": East New Market, Laurel, Bridgeville Circuit, Hurlock, Bridgeville, Golden Hill, North Berlin, Waugh Chapel (Cambridge) and South Berlin.

Ministerial Support and Benevolences.

The pastors have been zealous to advance the various causes of the Church, and constant in their conceived duty to His Kingdom. The laity have not been remiss in their appreciative recognition of their unselfish fidelity. Hence 32 charges have increased their pastoral support. There has been gratifying advance in raising the amounts apportioned for the support of Bishops, Conference Claimants and District Superintendent.

Notwithstanding the many special drives we have had for money, the district reports and advance of 90 per cent. in the benevolent collections. The annual obligation on the bonded debt of the District Parsonage has been met. Raised on old indebtedness and improvements, \$10,714.

• Patriotism.

Both the Public Press and the Official War Records are very prolific in their laudation of the daring and valor of our patriotic youths who answered the unselfish call of the Government, enlisting in the most destructive, yet the greatest humanitarian war of the ages, exhibiting such courage and bravery until Kaiserism has been annihilated and autocracy has been dethroned. Christian Democracy is most steadily and assuredly becoming a practical reality among the nations of the earth. Our pastors and people are not slack to appreciate the noble deeds and unparalleled sacrifices of our returning heroes. The churches are vying with each other in welcoming their peaceful return and seeking to bestow every benefit for their physical welfare, their moral and spiritual betterment.

"The flags at home are waving so true,
Awaiting to give a welcome to you."

Centenary of Methodist Missions.

The Centenary of Methodist Missions authorized by the General Conference of 1916 and formally launched June 18-22, 1819, at Columbus, Ohio, has been rightly designated by eminent Christian Statesmen as the greatest spiritual movement this side of Pentecost.

Bishop Berry, we feel highly elated to report the Cambridge District unanimously in sympathy with the Centenary. It is almost perfectly or-

ganized up to date according to the Centenary Calendar. We think of the Centenary as the stream of life. As the Nile rushes forth from the mountain depositing her rich alluvial sediment on vale and plain, so abundantly enriching the soil that the vegetable life is spontaneously produced, so the Great Boards of Foreign and Home Missions and Church Extension, the incarnation of the spirit which actuated the self-sacrifice of John Stewart, is a mighty spiritual river system disseminating truth, righteousness and holiness by establishing Christian Missions and Churches in every hamlet, town and city, generating spiritual life among the people throughout the whole world.

With sincere gratitude to the pastors and the people for their hearty co-operation, I submit this, my second annual report.

D. H. HARGIS,
District Superintendent.

CENTREVILLE DISTRICT.

Bishop and Brethren:

Being ourselves mere plodders, and serving a people of very limited means and opportunities, we have nothing remarkable to present. Faithful service has been our "motto" under which we have labored; and we neither expect nor desire any other commendation than that of our Lord.

It gives us pleasure to report that there seems to be a growth in Christian character in the churches and a raising of the moral tone of the communities. I think this is largely due to the earnest, practical, preaching of the gospel and zeal for the salvation of souls by the ministers of the district.

The "Bone Dry" propaganda which has swept the country has helped greatly in raising the morals of the district. An intoxicated person is seldom seen. The people are thrifty and happy; praying that every state in the union will soon be dry; and total abolition of alcohol as a beverage, which has hindered so long the moral, religious, economic and physical advancement of the race and nation.

District Activities.

The District Conference, held in Zion M. E. Church, Federalsburg, was an inspiration to all present. The Conference was opened with a strong evangelistic sermon by brother C. W. H. Briddell, followed by the Holy Communion. After which an evangelistic service was held, and several persons confessed conversion. Visitors to the conference were Dr. W. G. Jones, a member of the Philadelphia Conference, who presented to the conference the Centenary Campaign. Dr. William Pickens was there in the interest of Morgan College Half Century Campaign. Prof. T. A. Kiah was there to represent Princess Anne Academy. Dr. J. R. Waters was there in the interest of the Conference Claimants' Fund, and he was happy over the result of his visit.

W. H. Johns looked after the interest of the Southwestern Christian Advocate. The district is organized into groups and units, preparatory to putting on the Centenary Campaign after conference.

The epidemic of influenza seriously interfered with the spiritual and financial success of the district. It was the intention of the brethren to

take advantage of the prosperity that is in our midst to advance their benevolence and other financial obligations to at least fifty per cent. above last year. But the epidemic closed many of the churches from seven to nine Sundays, yet the pastors determined to advance the finances above last year.

There has been a sympathetic brotherhood between pastors and the Superintendent, which has by the grace of God, helped us to advance the district along all lines.

Ministerial Support.

We presented to the Quarterly Conference the resolution passed by this Annual Conference, relative to the increase of pastor's salary. There was not any serious objection against it. The result was a material increase in salary all over the district. In fact, on every charge. That means less desire among the brethren to change to other districts in search of more salary; and a more efficient and satisfied ministry.

Morgan College.

We pledged ourselves at the last conference by a resolution, to stand by Morgan College, relative to the Half Century Fund. And we have done what we could to raise every dollar pledged by the churches on the district. We did not accomplish our desire; but we have satisfaction in knowing that we made an earnest effort to do so. Several charges paid their full apportionment.

Sickness and Death.

Death has removed from our midst since the last Annual Conference the following brethren: Rev. James H. Grinnage, a supply, and Rev. John W. Brown, a retired member of this conference. Suitable memoirs will be read.

Rev. W. E. Waters, pastor of our church at St. Michaels, was bereaved of his loving wife, Jesse Estelle Waters, on February 15th. She was a long and patient sufferer, a devoted wife, and a loving mother. She desired to live for her children's sake. But she was resigned to the will of her Heavenly Father. Funeral services were held in St. Michaels and Sharp Street Memorial Church, Baltimore. Suitable memoir will be read.

Rev. D. G. Waters, of Preston, lost his lovely daughter Edna, January 17th, in Philadelphia. She was a fine Christian character, a graduate of Princess Anne Academy.

Mrs. G. R. Hollis is mourning the loss of a loving father, Mr. Francis E. Lawrence, of Chester, Pa.

The following have been on the sick list some time during the year: Brothers F. T. Johnson, M. V. Waters, J. O. Stanley, D. G. Waters; pastors' wives as follows: Mrs. L. A. Blake, Mrs. J. O. Stanley, Mrs. J. O. Lockman.

Survey of the Charges.

CARMICHAEL. This charge has advanced along all lines. Pastor's salary was increased, money in bank for a new church building, and the pastor was invited to return for another year. Conversions 22; accessions 18. Paid on building and improvements \$37; paid on church property debt \$153; benevolence \$79. J. N. Bullen, pastor.

CENTREVILLE. This charge has taken on new activity. The pastor, who is quiet and unassuming, quietly organized his forces; introduced the New Financial Plan, won the confidence of his people, and the respect of the creditors of the church, made a plan to pay up the accumulated interest on the church debt. This charge formerly felt that they were not able to pay a pastor more than \$750 salary. But this year they will pay their pastor \$900. Conversion 11; accessions 12; paid on improvement \$21; paid on the debt of church \$375; benevolence \$143, an increase of 78 per cent. over last year. This charge went over the "top" for Morgan College. Samuel J. Horsey, pastor.

CENTREVILLE CIRCUIT. This charge is not easily managed. But the people soon found out that they had a pastor who knew how to do things, therefore they were willing to follow his lead. Conversions 2; accessions 3; paid on improvements \$26; paid on church debt \$429; benevolence \$50. G. W. Downs, pastor.

CHESTERTOWN has exceeded all former records. This charge was visited by one of the greatest revivals in a number of years. They estimated the pastor's salary at \$952, and paid him \$1000. The people are happy and hopeful. This church, which once seemed hopeless because of its being burdened with debt, is now becoming one of the desirable charges under the tactful leadership of its present pastor. The pastor was unanimously invited to serve them another year. Conversions 35; accessions 34; paid on improvements \$75; paid on church debt \$725; benevolence \$170. W. H. Johns, pastor.

CHURCH HILL maintains peace and satisfaction under the leadership of its pastor, who is serving them the fourth year. Conversions 6; accessions ..; paid on church debt \$310; benevolence \$34. I. D. Paine, pastor.

CORDOVA is satisfied with their pastor. Increased his salary and invited him to serve them another year. They send in a good report. Conversions 10; accessions 9; paid on improvements \$195; paid on parsonage debt \$110; paid on church debt \$30; benevolence \$136. J. O. Lockman, pastor.

COXE'S NECK MISSION gives promise of growing into a strong church some day. There are a number of people living in the neighborhood who do not attend any church. The great need of this mission is a revival and the sympathy of the pastor and churches near it. Brother Heath has done the best he could under the circumstances. Paid on improvements \$15; benevolence \$12. Zebulon Heath, pastor.

DENTON can always be relied upon doing its duty, as far as circumstances will allow. The churches on this charge were closed for several Sundays because of the influenza, still they have maintained their record. Conversions 15; accessions 7; paid on church debt \$400; total benevolence \$362. M. V. Waters, pastor.

DENTON MISSION finds after eight years of service from their pastor they cannot do without him. Increased his salary and invited him to serve them for the ninth year. Conversions 3; accessions 3; paid on church debt \$146; raised on benevolence \$45. J. H. Cooper, pastor.

EASTON maintains its old time vigor, in spite of the church being closed for several Sundays because of the influenza; sends up the following report: Conversions 33; accessions 42; paid on improvements \$250; paid

on church debt \$500; paid on parsonage debt \$175; for patriotic purposes \$158; benevolence \$397. J. R. Holland, pastor.

EASTON CIRCUIT has done fairly well under the leadership of its pastor. This charge has a small and scattered membership. Reports conversions 3; accessions 3; paid on parsonage debt \$169; paid on church debt \$72; total benevolence \$28. S. A. Earles, pastor.

FAIRLEE. In spite of the fact that many of the strong members of this charge have gone northward seeking higher wages for their labor, the charge has advanced. Conversions 5; accessions 5; paid on improvements \$56; paid on church debt \$66; paid on parsonage debt \$20; for patriotic purposes \$39; for benevolence \$66. C. W. Winder, pastor.

FEDERALSBURG has enjoyed another year of prosperity though sorely afflicted with the epidemic of influenza. The pastor has taken a part in the civic movements of the town, looking to the improvement of the health, morals and educational advancement of his people. Largely by his effort, the people of the town enjoy an excellent public school building for their children. Conversions 30; accessions 3; paid on improvements \$75; paid on church debt \$253; raised for the public school building \$500; for benevolence \$221. F. T. Johnson, pastor.

GREENSBORO. A wonderful change has been made in this charge. The pastor in the beginning of his pastorate took an active part in the patriotic movements on the charge, and won the respect of the white people, and brought about a greater feeling of freindship and sympathy between the races.

A wealthy citizen of the town urged the pastor to buy an automobile for his service, instead of a horse and carriage. And this gentleman gave the first \$100 toward paying for it. This charge was the first to go over the "top" on the district on the Morgan College Half Century Campaign. The pastor, as district director for the Centenary Campaign, has been tireless in his effort to thoroughly complete the organization before conference. The people of this charge have been led by thir pastor at such a rapid pace I have been afraid that they might be stricken with spiritual or financial apoplexy, but nothing of the kind has happened as yet. Pastor's salary was increased from \$750 to \$900. Conversions 53; accessions 57; paid on improvements \$876; paid on parsonage debt \$175; for patriotic purposes \$384; benevolences, full, \$346. J. H. Blake, pastor.

LONGWOODS is a difficult charge to serve. This charge needs a thorough spiritual awakening. The pastor has labored faithfully and has had some success. Converts 7; accessions 7. The Ladies' Aid Society raised for all purposes \$236. Raised for benevolence \$57. L. W. Deakins, pastor.

McDANIEL has been blessed with another year of success. The pastor has not slackened his enthusiastic efforts to advance his charge. Conversions 8; accessions 8; paid on church debt \$102; paid on parsonage debt \$50; raised for patriotic purposes \$66.; for benevolence \$81. C. W. H. Briddell, pastor.

MELITOTA. This charge reports the best year's work in many. In spite of the churches being closed because of the epidemic for several Sundays, and the pastor greatly worried over the fact that his father was stricken with paralysis and momentarily expecting his death, the charge sends up a good report. Conversions 20; accessions 3; raised for improvements \$20; benevolence \$75. Ross N. Davis, pastor.

OXFORD is happy over the advancement it has made this year under

the leadership of its new pastor. Conversions 12; accessions 12; raised for improvements \$424; paid on church debt \$150; benevolence \$132. L. D. Beecham, pastor.

POMONA people are pleased with their new pastor. They have gladly followed his leadership and the results have been good. Conversions 5; accessions 15; raised for improvements \$118; benevolence \$167, an increase over last year; for patriotic purposes \$68. S. A. Waters, pastor.

PRESTON people are fully satisfied with their pastor. His loving fellowship and dignity have won for him the respect of both races. He is invited to serve them another year. Conversions 8; accessions 8; paid for improvements \$50; paid on church debt \$638; raised for benevolence \$176. D. G. Waters, pastor.

RIDGELY people are loyal to their church. The charge should be a station, the young people could be better trained. The great need of this charge is a new church. The pastor has labored faithfully for success. Conversions 12; accessions 14; paid on improvements \$75; paid on church debt \$252; in bank towards building a new church \$269; raised for benevolence \$141. J. W. Gillis, pastor.

ROCK HALL. This charge is not in perfect harmony. One of the churches was taken from Fairlee Charge some years ago and attached to Rock Hall, which was at that time a station. Now they want to be returned to Fairlee Charge, from which they were taken. The pastor has labored faithfully, and has in a measure succeeded. Conversions 10; accessions 15; paid on building and improvements \$400; paid church debt \$147; paid on parsonage debt \$204; for benevolence \$61. G. R. Hollis, pastor.

ROYAL OAK. The pastor of this charge returned once more to serve these people after an absence of thirty-two years. Those who remember him say that he is a better preacher, more desirable than he was when he first served them. They increased the salary to \$900, fell in line with the pastor's plans and he has had success in spite of the epidemic of influenza. I venture to say this charge sends up the best report in its history. Conversions 48; accessions 44; paid on improvements \$10; paid on parsonage debt \$97; raised for benevolence \$356. In conversions and benevolence, an increase of more than 40 per cent. J. H. Nutter, pastor.

ST. MICHAELS is happy under the leadership of their new pastor. The spiritual fervor of the church has been high all the year. The financial condition was never better than now. The pastor has been greatly handicapped by his wife being very ill all the year, yet the people were patient and loyal. Conversions 10; accessions 9; paid on improvements \$240; paid on church debt \$446; raised for benevolence \$113. W. E. Waters, pastor.

STEVENSVILLE. This is a loyal people. Their greatest need is a pastor who will faithfully shepherd them. One who will look after the young people and train them in Christian character and moral rectitude. The charge advanced the pastor's salary from \$716 to \$900, and would pay the right man \$1000. Conversions 6; accessions 6; paid on improvements \$30; paid on church debt \$150; raised for benevolence \$92. M. P. Sterling, pastor.

TRAPPE. Although the pastor and people of this charge were greatly afflicted with the epidemic of influenza, which closed their church for nine Sundays, they would not acknowledge defeat, and have sent up a good report. Electric lights with beautiful fixtures have been put in the church.

Cement steps and walk have been laid from church door to the street. Trappe will soon be acknowledged among the best stations on the district. Conversions 53; accessions 41; paid on improvements \$150; raised on benevolence \$129. Abraham Chase, pastor.

WILLISTON reports in advance of last year. The pastor has labored hard for success, and reports as follows: Conversions 7; accessions 7; paid on improvements \$161; paid on church debt \$..; raised for benevolence \$71. W. H. Hayman, pastor.

WITTMAN people are thoroughly satisfied with their pastor, who is serving them the third year. By his winning ways and gentle disposition, he has gripped his people in such a manner that no sane superintendent would advise the Bishop to remove him at this time. This charge needs a revival, a visitation from Heaven to awaken the people to spiritual activities. Conversions 1; accessions 4; paid on improvements \$1200; paid on church debt \$100; for patriotic purposes \$10; raised for benevolence \$79. J. O. Stanley, pastor.

WOODLAND. Brother J. H. Grinnage, who was appointed to this charge as pastor last conference, died without an opportunity of meeting his people. Brother T. B. H. Coleman, who retired from active service last conference, was appointed to supply the charge until conference. He has been very successful. The people are satisfied with him, and have requested his return for another year. Those of us who know this charge, know that it is seldom satisfied. Therefore, I trust the Bishop will not disturb their tranquility just now. Conversions 39; accessions 33; paid on improvements \$197; paid on parsonage debt \$157; paid on church debt \$140; raised for benevolence \$104. Advanced over last year. T. B. H. Coleman, pastor.

Summary.

Total conversions 460. Total accessions 415. Total paid for building and improvements \$4642. Total paid on church debts \$6007. Raised for benevolence \$4028. An increase of \$1242 over last year.

The following charges paid their full apportionment for Morgan College Half Century Fund: Greensboro, 200; Centreville, \$102; Easton, \$213; Royal Oak, \$234; Denton, \$180.

We have no undue elation over the result of our labor. For the magnitude of the work and the consciousness of our own weakness appall and humiliate us. And we say with Paul, "Who is sufficient for these things?" We are unprofitable servants, and our sufficiency is of God. Like Paul, "Forgetting the things which are behind and stretching forward to the things which are before, we press on toward the mark; to the goal, unto the prize of a higher calling of God in Christ Jesus."

Respectfully submitted,

R. H. WALLACE.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

Bishop Berry and Brethren:

With gratitude to God for his guidance and providence through another year and with due appreciation for the kind treatment accorded me

by the pastors and people of the Salisbury District, I present this, my second annual report.

The epidemic of influenza which swept over the country during last October and November held our territory within its deadly grip at the very season of the year that many of our charges do their most effective service for the interests of the Kingdom. The work of the district was brought to a halt for three weeks, during which period we could only mark time, and some of our churches were closed for eight weeks. There has been considerable sickness among the brethren and their families, but our ministerial ranks have not been broken by death. On the 7th of last October Mrs. Mary Roberta Kiah, a woman of culture and refinement and wife of Principal Thomas H. Kiah, a member of this conference, passed to the larger service of the Heavenly Country.

The results of our labors cannot be characterized as great achievements, however we are thankful that we can report progress. The advancement beyond the point attained last year is truly indicative of what can be accomplished.

COTTAGE GROVE, with J. E. A. D. Grigsby, pastor, shows progress, notwithstanding the pastor was confined to his bed for several weeks with severe illness. Ministerial support and benevolences increased beyond last year.

CRISFIELD. The results of the year at this church justify the somewhat unusual action of returning a pastor to a charge after three years' service in another charge. Benevolences advanced 50 per cent. above last year. The pastor's salary has been increased \$100, \$1000 paid on the bonded debt, and the remainder of the Morgan College Half Century Fund, \$111, has been raised and paid. C. S. Sprigg, pastor.

DAMES QUARTER, with A. A. McDowell, pastor, started off well; The people were anxious to advance and added \$150 to the pastor's salary. There were good reasons to expect a good report from this charge. But, I fear the result can hardly be characterized as such. I have not received the pastor's report.

DEALS ISLAND has had a great year. This is the pastor's first year in the Christian ministry. He has begun well. Every dollar of ministerial support and disciplinary benevolences has been raised, advancing these claims more than 100 per cent. beyond last year; \$25 paid on old debts; \$55; for Morgan College Half Century Fund; 57 conversions; 56 accessions.

FAIRMOUNT. Centennial, with C. A. Norwood, pastor, has advanced the benevolent collections and increased the pastor's salary.

FAIRMOUNT. St. Andrews, with J. A. Kiah, pastor, reports 24 conversions. The Ladies' Aid Society in this charge is a strong organization and reports \$718 raised this year; \$582 paid on old debts; pastor's salary increased and benevolences advanced.

FRUITLAND, with J. W. Bowling as pastor, continues to go forward. This pastor went out and found a colony of 18 families about four miles from Fruitland and the same distance from Salisbury and called my attention to it. These people have been organized and there is a splendid prospect for a growing church. The pastor's salary has been increased, benevolences advanced; \$450 in bank for a new church; \$109 raised for Morgan College Half Century Fund.

GREENWOOD has done well and reports 11 conversions, 5 acces-

sions, an increase in benevolent collections and 50 per cent. increase in pastor's salary. H. R. Purnell, pastor.

HEBRON. This charge has been supplied by G. W. Joynes, a local elder, with splendid success. Accessions 28; benevolences advanced 50 per cent. over last year, and \$150 increase in pastor's salary. With careful attention this work can be greatly developed. Morgan College Half Century Fund raised in full.

HOPEWELL shared in the prosperity which came to the tidewater sections last fall and winter, and the pastor, W. T. Spellman, wisely planned to profit thereby. The results show that he was not disappointed. Conversions 15; accessions 15; \$125 increase in pastor's salary, and the benevolences advanced almost 100 per cent.

HORNTOWN has not done so well. There seems to be a lack of harmony between pastor and people. Perhaps there has been some outside influence at work that has not helped the situation. Conversions 3; accessions 5; \$33 raised for benevolences and \$28 for war work and local charities. C. W. Johnson, pastor.

JAMESTOWN, with J. H. Russum, pastor, increased the ministerial support and advanced the benevolences.

KELLER. H. C. Snead is pastor here, and he is a prophet with honor in his own home. His boyhood friends are members and officials of his charge and they say he is the right man in the right place. The charge continues to grow. The work on the new church, which is almost completed, was stopped because of war conditions. They are now planning to remodel and enlarge the other church. The pastor's salary was advanced \$100, and the benevolences advanced 25 per cent.

KINGSTON. I. H. Bivens, pastor, is a growing charge. The people are loyal and are anxious to advance. The Ladies' Aid Society of this charge, under the leadership of Mrs. Bivens, leads the district this year and reports \$850 raised for the church. The pastor's salary was increased and the benevolences advanced 30 per cent. On the 20th of last October a beautiful church at Marumsco, one of the points in this charge, was dedicated. The dedicatory sermon was preached by the Rev. C. S. Sprigg. The collection amounted to \$625.

LAWSONIA, with T. W. Cooper, pastor, continues to advance. With less than 100 full members, this church estimated \$900 for the support of the pastor and paid it before Thanksgiving. Raised the ministerial support in full, raised the entire benevolent budget, and raised for Morgan Half Century Fund, \$72, which was the remainder of its apportionment for that fund, and two dollars over.

LEEMONT. E. E. Rogers, pastor, has the largest membership of any charge in the district. It has two churches, either of which is capable of being a good station. It is a pity that the people here cannot see the disadvantage of the present condition. The report shows progress beyond last year. Paid on old debts \$190; increased pastor's salary \$50, and increased the benevolences 40 per cent.

LIBERIA, with G. S. Jacobs, pastor, has gone forward. The benevolent collections have been carefully looked after and show quite an increase over last year. Paid on old debts \$323.

MARDELA, under the leadership of I. D. Pitts, has done well with a small membership and with some hindrances that ought not to be. The

charge has advanced the pastor's salary and the benevolences; \$72 has been raised for war work.

MARION STATION. This charge has made a notable advance over last year. There is an increase in ministerial support and the benevolences are almost 100 per cent. in advance of last year. D. A. Ridout, pastor.

MT. VERNON, with R. C. Hughes, pastor, dedicated its very beautiful church on the first of last September. Revs. J. U. King and E. O. Parker assisted the writer in the services, brother Parker delivering the dedicatory sermon. This charge has advanced ministerial support and benevolence beyond last year.

NANTICOKE. It seemed to be expedient to make a change in the pastorate at this point early in December and the bishop appointed J. H. Edwards at that time. He has had only about four months in which to work, but he has wrought nobly. The young people have been organized in a lyceum which meets every Sunday afternoon. Many of these young people have been saved. A revival added 52 to the church. The benevolence is in advance of last year; \$150 raised on Morgan Collge Half Century Fund, and \$150 for war work and local charities.

ORIOLE, with J. W. Waters, pastor, has had another good year and reports in advance of last year. The pastor's salary has been advanced and the benevolences increased 10 per cent.; \$97 paid on old debts.

PARSONBURG, C. T. Covington, pastor, has renovated the church at Delmar at a cost of \$300, and paid for the same; paid on old debts \$278; advanced the pastor's salary \$100, and raised \$95, the remainder of its apportionment for the Morgan College Half Century Fund.

POCOMOKE CITY, with W. R. A. Palmer, pastor, has excelled its great record of last year and makes the best report of its history. The pastor has given his services to the country during the war as a member of the legal advisory board of his County, but in doing this he has not neglected the work of the church as the reports show. The pastor's salary was increased \$100; ministerial support raised in full; \$500 paid on old debts; maintains its place in the Honor class for raising all the benevolent apportionments in full; \$168, the remainder of its Morgan College Half Century Fund, has been raised, and \$227 for war relief and local charities; accessions 8.

PRINCESS ANNE, E. O. Parker, pastor, maintains its standing in the Honor class for raising all the benevolent apportionments. It also advanced the pastor's salary 25 per cent., paying the largest salary of any station in the district. Paid \$300 on the mortgage; raised \$230 for Morgan College Half Century Fund, completing its full apportionment, and reporting the largest amount of any charge of the district for this cause. Conversions 2; accessions 10. The total benevolence is \$631.

PRINCESS ANNE CIRCUIT, with Thaddeus L. McDonald, pastor, has done well. The benevolences and ministerial support have been increased; \$305 paid on the mortgage, and \$102 on improvements. Conversions 8; accessions 6.

QUANTICO, L. B. Buchanan, pastor, makes a better report than last year. The pastor's salary was advanced 20 per cent. and there is quite an increase in the benevolences. Paid on old debts \$284. Accessions 4.

SALISBURY, John Wesley, under the leadership of J. M. Dickerson, makes a splendid report. \$1419 has been paid on the indebtedness; \$325 on a new heating plant; \$82 on war work; \$25 for local charities; the

benevolence increased 50 per cent. The pastor's salary was advanced \$100 and the ministerial support raised in full. Morgan College Half Century Fund, \$182, the balance of the apportionment.

SALISBURY, Whites Chapel, C. W. Pullett, pastor, advanced the pastor's salary \$300 and paid out several weeks before conference. Ministerial support raised in full; the benevolences more than doubled; raised \$23 for war work; \$5 for local charities, and \$54 for the Morgan College Half Century Fund, completing its apportionment. Conversions 15; accessions 3.

SHARPTOWN, S. T. Parker, pastor, shows progress. A gracious revival resulted in 65 conversions and 42 accessions. The pastor's salary was increased and they promise to make a much larger increase another year; \$123 raised for war work and \$98 for local charities. Raised for improvements \$350, and on old debts \$173.

UNIONVILLE. G. T. Townsend is the pastor here and he would have the angels know that he did his best. His record justifies his desire, for surely he is a workman that needeth not to be ashamed. The pastor's salary was increased \$130; benevolences increased 50 per cent. beyond last year. The charge was blessed with a revival which resulted in 25 conversions and a quickened membership.

WACHAPREAGUE, with J. R. Purnell as pastor, continues to advance. There is a splendid increase in the benevolent collections. The one great need of this charge is a suitable parsonage. The charge is now out of debt and in a condition to build. Paid on old debts \$250.

WATTSVILLE. J. S. Coulbourn completes his seventeenth year as pastor of this charge, and still the people ask for his return. The new church has been completed; the parsonage has been improved and \$1335 raised on these enterprises; \$64 paid on old debts; pastor's salary advanced \$100. The charge reports \$151 for local charities; \$136 for Morgan College Half Century Fund; \$32 for war work, and \$212 for the benevolences.

WETIPQUIN, with W. H. Turner, pastor, has been blessed with a revival and reports 67 conversions and 47 accessions. The ministerial support and benevolences have been advanced. Both the church and parsonage have been improved and \$596 paid on the same. War work \$85; local charities \$55.

WESTOVER MISSION, pastored by R. H. Boggs, is a small work and in these times of high prices is not strong enough to support a pastor. They therefore, desire to be united with other work. This is certainly the best thing for them. There is a slight increase in pastor's salary and conference collections.

WHITE HAVEN, with Roswell Water, pastor, has had a most successful year. A revival resulted in 45 conversions and 45 accessions. The churches and parsonage have been repaired and furnished and \$498 paid on the same. The pastor's salary was increased; the benevolences almost doubled and \$105 raised on the Morgan College Half Century Fund.

WITHAMS. This charge is pleased with its pastor and he is proud of his people. They have had a good time together this year, and the report follows: Conversions, 45; accessions, 48; paid on old debts, \$136; conference collections, \$181; war work, \$80; Morgan College Half Century Fund, \$102.

Mission Points.

LEATHERBURY CHAPEL, formerly a part of Hebron Circuit, has been successfully pastored by brother Wilson Pinkett, a local preacher. About \$20 has been raised for conference collections.

PORTSVILLE has been carefully looked after by J. J. Mitchell, a local preacher, and the outlook for a church at this point is good. About \$25 has been raised for conference collections.

Spiritual Conditions.

The brethren have prayed and planned for revivals and in several of the charges these efforts have been visibly rewarded with a goodly number of conversions and greatly quickened churches. The pastors are called together every month in their Monthly Meeting and discuss methods and exchange views relative to increasing their spiritual efficiency and enlarging the borders of the Kingdom in their respective fields of labor.

Young People's Societies.

I have brought the work of training the children and young people to the attention of the Quarterly Conference of every charge and have striven to show the importance of this very necessary work. The Young People's Societies offer the very best opportunities for soul culture and spiritual development. To be indifferent to the program which the Church presents to us in the Sunday School, the Junior and Senior Epworth Leagues, is to stultify one's mind and to cut off the main sources of power and spiritual efficiency. Every Sunday School should have a teacher training class and every League should pursue a regular course of study under efficient leadership.

Representatives of the Sunday Schools and Leagues of the district met in convention in Whites M. E. Church, Salisbury, Md., on the second and third of last July. The papers, discussions and addresses were of an exceedingly high order. Dr. J. O. Spencer, of Morgan College, and other representative persons brought strong messages which were profitably received.

Morgan College Half Century Fund.

Christian education is the hope of the race. Every race must have efficient leadership if it is to properly fill its mission in the world. In order to meet this need the church fosters and maintains schools where its youth are trained that they may function correctly in the work of life. Morgan College and Princess Anne Academy are such centers here in our midst. They are ours. We must support them. At least a dollar a year per member should be raised for these institutions. If any one should question this, I would say the answer is found in the consecrated and efficient leadership which these schools have given to this and other conferences. A number of our charges have raised every dollar of the Half Century Fund. Why not every charge? What some have done others can do. What is needed is leadership with vision and a holy zeal for the cause of Christian education and every charge would go "Over The Top" with hilarity.

Princess Anne Academy.

Notwithstanding the war took several of the young men out of school, the attendance at this institution is the largest in its history. It continues to fill a large place in the educational life of our people of the Penin-

sula as well as other sections of the State of Maryland and other states. They are an earnest, serious and interesting group of young people who reflect in their lives the excellent Christian training they are receiving. During last January it was my pleasure to be present at their revival. It was a genuine spiritual awakening. Teacher and students sang, prayed and shouted in the joy of their religious experience. They told of the power of the gospel in their lives and plead with their unconverted friends until forty-three yielded themselves to Jesus.

The Centenary.

Methodism is in the midst of a Centenary celebration marking the close of her first hundred years of missionary achievement and the beginning of a far-visioned program for the future. Among other things the plan includes the education of the Church along missionary lines, the development of the prayer life, and the promotion of habits of Christian stewardship. \$105,000,000 is the sum asked for missions during the next five years. The Church has the money. It can finance this program. I believe it will. If it continues to put emphasis upon the fundamental element of the program—the quickening of the prayer life of the church—it will mean the repetition of Pentecost and bring about a spiritual condition in the Church that men shall not feel that aught of the things which they possess is their own, but that they are stewards over what God has entrusted to them. Is it not true that giving to the interests of the Kingdom has been more upon the principle of ownership than that of stewardship? The Centenary is an effort to correct this error, and to teach men their true relationship to God and things. The practice of stewardship, a tithing church, would place our work upon such a financial basis that the treasury of our Lord would overflow and He would open the windows of heaven and pour upon us such a blessing as there would not be room to receive it.

Our pastors and people are catching the spirit of this great movement of the church and are in line with the leaders in their efforts to carry out this world program of the Church. I have given the best of myself without reserve to this work and to every phase of my duty as I have understood it. My work has been made pleasant by the hearty co-operation of both clergy and laity. It is due to their self-sacrificing loyalty and devotion to the Redeemer's cause that I am able to report Victory for the forces of righteousness.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. JEWETT.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.

After a year of earnest effort, of varied difficulties, and by the grace of God, of some achievement, we come with ranks unbroken.

We pause, however, to note the death of our late brother, the Rev. N. B. Snowden, a retired minister living at Derwood, Md., within the bounds of the Washington Conference. Faithfully he served several appointments in this conference with marked success. He departed this life May 15, 1918, to enter into fuller enjoyment of our Lord.

Mrs. J. E. Webb, the widow of a deceased member of this conference, was called away, after a lingering illness, to her heavenly home, September 15, 1918. She had been a devout and enthusiastic Christian from her youth and is remembered for the sunshine she scattered.

In achievement most of the charges have made high record. It is a pleasure to note some salient features.

ATLANTIC CITY, with A. L. Martin pastor, has gone "over the top" and reports 48 conversions, 51 accessions, \$8000 raised for all purposes, the Benevolent collections greatly in advance over last year, and \$375 raised for Morgan College. After nine years of continuous service, the pastor's popularity increases and the people of all races clamor for his return.

BRIDGETON CHARGE has reduced the mortgage on the church, advanced the pastor's salary by \$100, raised in full all apportionments for Benevolent and Conference collections, also for Morgan College and for Endowment for Conference Claimants. It remains in the Honor Class. 12 conversions; 13 accessions. F. O. T. Laws, pastor.

BRIDGETON CIRCUIT, with F. G. Campbell pastor, has increased its membership, cancelled its debt, and advanced the Benevolent Collections and the Ministerial support.

BROOKLYN, Ebenezer Charge, has done well under adverse circumstances. It is only one year old and has had to rent a place for worship. A. F. Anthony, pastor.

BROOKLYN, John Wesley, with J. R. H. Matthews, pastor, is growing rapidly and deserves a Church building. Conversions 74; accessions 74. This charge has raised for Church building \$1500 and all its apportionments for Benevolent Collections and Ministerial Support. Its pastor is evangelistic and God is owning him, the rented hall cannot accommodate the people who desire to attend. The Brooklyn and Long Island Church Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church has been asked to help us by selling to this congregation one of their churches which is almost deserted because of the removal of the English speaking white people from the neighborhood. This congregation deserves the help of our Methodism because they are willing to help themselves and shoulder responsibilities.

BROOKLYN, Newman. Up to last year this was our only appointment in Brooklyn. It at last is about to be housed. The Board of Home Mission and Church Extension has purchased for this congregation the Herkimer Street Methodist Episcopal Church, a modern built structure that will meet their needs. The charge has paid \$500 on account and will occupy it shortly after the adjournment of this Conference. J. N. Bridgeman, pastor.

BURLINGTON, with J. H. Blackiston, pastor, has been somewhat handicapped by a fire which destroyed part of their Church building, but nevertheless, makes the best report of their history. Benevolent collections greatly advanced and Morgan College money raised in full.

CAMDEN has paid \$800 on improvements and increased the pastor's salary by \$200. J. A. T. Foust, pastor.

CAPE MAY has had a record breaking year; paid on improvements \$668, increased the pastor's salary by \$300 and greatly advanced the Benevolent collections; \$50 raised for Morgan College, and \$65 for Endowment for Conference Claimants. H. T. Johnson, pastor.

CHESTER, St. Daniels, with W. J. L. Hughes, pastor, has had 40 conversions, 117 accessions, paid \$448 on improvements, \$700 on parsonage debt, increased the pastor's salary by \$250, raised \$238 for Morgan College, completing the full apportionment, and remains in the Honor Class, raising in full every apportionment for the Benevolent collections and \$203 for Endowment for Conference Claimants. Raised for all purposes \$9000.

CHESTER, Siloam, has had 42 conversions, 34 accessions, paid \$580 on improvements, cancelled \$1200 mortgage on parsonage, increased pastor's salary by \$200 and goes into the Honor Class, having raised in full all apportionments for Benevolent and Conference Collections. A Sunday School of 16 scholars has been started at Swarthmore, Pa. Sydney Emptage, pastor.

DELAIR, with C. W. Shockley, pastor, has made a marked advance in the Benevolent Collections.

ENGLEWOOD struggles under a heavy burden of debt, but has a faithful, sacrificing band of workers and deserves help. Benevolent collections taken. F. D. McQueen, pastor.

GRENLOCH & RHODES CHARGE has raised its full apportionment for Morgan College and for Endowment for Conference Claimants and has advanced the Benevolent collections and increased the pastor's salary by \$100. J. I. Peaco, pastor.

HUDSON, with T. O. Johns, pastor, has had considerable misunderstanding. Charges were presented against the pastor and an investigation was held. The pastor was acquitted. Not much however has been accomplished this year.

MAGNOLIA reports 24 conversions and 28 accessions, \$787 paid on improvements and \$350 on Church debt, being the balance due on the mortgage. The whole property is now free of debt. \$75 has been raised for Morgan College and the Benevolent and Conference collections have been advanced. J. T. Wallace, pastor.

MERCHANTVILLE, with P. M. Shelton, pastor, has had 12 accessions, paid \$325 on old indebtedness, cancelling the mortgage on the parsonage and have advanced the Benevolent collections.

MONTCLAIR reports 33 accessions, \$425 paid for improvements, \$1200 paid on account of mortgage, the Benevolent collections increased and all Ministerial support advanced. F. J. Handy, pastor.

MOUNT HOLLY, with W. B. Perry, pastor, has taken on new life. This charge reports 28 conversions, 33 accessions, \$350 paid for improvements. This church has been renovated and beautified. The Benevolent collections have been advanced 100 per cent, and the pastors' salary increased by \$300, and \$500 has been raised towards building a parsonage.

NEWARK reports 34 accessions and \$1095 paid on improvements. Steam heating plant has been installed, the basement remodeled and refurnished and paid for, and the people trained to shoulder responsibilities and meet their obligation. The Benevolent collections have been advanced and all ministerial support increased. J. E. A. Johns, pastor.

OCEAN CITY, a summer appointment supplied by J. H. Wesley, has reduced the debt on the property and raised a fund to make needed repairs.

ORANGE reports 25 conversions, 75 accessions, \$657 paid on improvements, the Benevolent collections advanced and the pastor's salary increased by nearly \$200. The attendance on services here are increasingly large. R. G. Waters, pastor.

OSSINING, with E. H. Crampton, pastor, has taken on new life and the people have done more toward supporting their church than ever before. The Ministerial Support has been advanced and the Benevolent collections increased.

EAST CALVARY has had 366 conversions, 415 accessions, has paid \$6000 on indebtedness cancelling the mortgage on the parsonage and re-

ducing the debt on the Church; \$6000 besides has been paid on account for adjoining lots to build a greater East Calvary. This charge is in the Honor Class, raising in full all apportionments for Benevolent and Conference collections; \$412 has been raised for Endowment for Conference Claimants and \$400 for Morgan College. The pastor's salary has been advanced by \$200. Total amount of Benevolent and Conference collections \$2800. Raised for all purposes \$23,000. 500 tithers in this church. C. A. Tindley, pastor.

EAST CALVARY MISSION, a new appointment made last year, was served for nearly eight months by J. H. Edwards. The resident Bishop at the end of this time changed Bro. Edwards to Nanticoke, Md., and appointed J. L. Davis pastor. He reports 8 conversions, 40 accessions, and all the apportionments for Benevolent collections and Ministerial support raised in full. I firmly believe this Mission should continue.

FRANKFORD has had a great year. \$177 paid for improvement and \$450 on mortgages; the Benevolent collections have been greatly advanced, \$105 paid for Endowment for Conference Claimants, \$57 paid for Morgan College, and the pastor's salary increased by \$100. L. H. McArthur, preacher in charge.

GERMANTOWN reports 72 conversions, 75 accessions, \$380 paid for improvements, \$5000 paid on property for a new church site, \$2000 of which was raised this year. This charge continues where it has been during the whole six years that I have been related to it, in the Honor Class, raising in full all apportionments. Besides it has raised this year \$121 for War Council, \$60 for Temperance Building at Washington, \$140 for Africa and \$311 for Endowment for Conference Claimants. Further this charge has advanced the Centenary Campaign. It has 153 tithers. It has put on the every member canvass and has gone "over the top." Their quota was \$711. They subscribed \$1200 and the canvass is not over yet. J. T. Fletcher, pastor.

HAVEN, with J. R. Brown, pastor, has had 23 conversions and 51 accessions, has advanced the Ministerial support and raised in full the Benevolent collections and \$272 for Morgan College. This church is largely attended and grows by leaps and bounds. It is in the Honor Class.

JOHN WESLEY reports 23 conversions, 66 accessions, \$136 paid on improvements, \$350 on old indebtedness, \$55 for Morgan College; and advance in the Benevolent Collections. J. W. Jefferson, pastor.

ST. PAUL, supplied by J. E. Dennis, has had a successful year, with all apportionments met and 6 conversions and 7 accessions. This charge is in the Honor Class.

SOMERVILLE, with E. E. Parker, pastor, reports 8 conversions, 20 accessions, church renovated and reseeded. \$413 paid on improvements; \$100 on old debt; \$100 for Endowment for Conference Claimants. The Benevolent collections advanced.

ZOAR has had 130 accessions; \$2000 raised on Building Fund; \$300 for Morgan College; \$224 for Endowment Fund for Conference Claimants and all apportionments for Benevolent collections and Ministerial support raised in full. This charge goes into the Honor Class. F. H. Butler, pastor.

ZOAR MISSION, supplied by Wm. Goldsborough, reports 20 conversions, 34 accessions, \$200 raised for Building Fund; \$37 raised for Mor-

gan College, their full amount. Also this charge enters the Honor Class, raising in full every apportionment for the Benevolent collections.

PLEASANTVILLE has had 15 conversions, 36 accessions, \$300 paid on improvements and \$200 on indebtedness and the Benevolent and Conference collections advanced over last year. E. H. Morris, pastor.

SALEM, with W. A. T. Miles, pastor, reports 5 conversions, 14 accessions, \$108 paid on improvements and the Benevolent collections advanced. This charge is now thoroughly aroused about the building of a new church which is much needed. The people are determined and something will happen. They have \$600 in the Building Fund.

SALEM CIRCUIT has advanced the Benevolent collections and paid \$60 for Endowment Fund for Conference Claimants. R. A. F. Graham, pastor.

SPRING LAKE, a summer appointment, with W. B. Nelson, pastor, reports the debt on the property reduced and the Ministerial support increased.

SWAINTON, supplied by J. O. Griffin, has paid \$150 on parsonage debt, advanced the Benevolent collections and increased the Ministerial support.

WHITE PLAINS was somewhat retarded in its work when the pastor, F. H. Quinn, was relieved to enter war work as Y. M. C. A. Secretary. This occurred after the First Quarterly Conference. W. B. Nelson was appointed and took charge in September and has ably filled the place and paid \$220 on improvements and advanced the Benevolent collections.

WOODBURY has had a successful year; 16 conversions, 47 accessions, paid for improvements \$381; for Endowment for Conference Claimants \$40; \$10 for Morgan College, and goes to the Honor Class, with every apportionment for Benevolent collections and Ministerial support raised in full. E. B. Greene, pastor.

YONKERS, with A. G. Henry, pastor, reports 10 conversions and 8 accessions, and marked progress in organizing and training young people. This mission is in great need of a Church building.

JERSEY CITY is a new work and has in its membership some very earnest and enthusiastic Methodists. Its outlook is fair. It has been pastored since January by T. O. Johns.

Evangelism.

The statistical reports will show that this district has a net gain in membership. There have been 900 conversions and 1392 accessions. The evangelistic fire burns on this district. We believe the sore need of men and of nations is Jesus Christ. His spirit and principles must dominate individuals and nations if we are to have righteousness and peace pervade the earth. Some pastors sow by all waters. They do not neglect in the regular service on Sunday to make the gospel appeal, nor are they faithless in pastoral visiting. They are soul winners. Their churches send up the best reports. They purify the atmosphere where they live.

Young People's Societies.

There is a growing interest in the Sunday School and fair percent of gain in the total enrollment is maintained. 24 teacher training classes are kept up. Our great need is more and better equipped teachers. Here the harvest is truly great but the laborers are few. My prayer to the Lord of the harvest is, send more laborers. Emphasis on the Stewardship

of life is awakening some who ought to prepare to teach in the Sunday School.

Epworth Leagues are maintained in most charges, but lack much of the old enthusiasm. Here and there I find a chapter with all the departments working.

A District Epworth League Convention was held at Pleasantville, N. J., June 26th and 27th, 1918. This was an instructive and inspiring meeting and largely attended.

Junior League work is making commendable progress. Special stress is put on training the young people to worship and to serve. Here hope sees a star.

Benevolent Collections.

Nearly every charge has increased its giving to the Benevolent enterprises of the Church; 13 charges against 3 last year have raised all the apportionments in full and are in the Honor Class.

Morgan College.

We have not been unmindful of the needs and claims of Morgan College. It is our training camp for leaders. Our future is bound up with this institution. We must have efficient leaders. The district has not, I regret, come up to its apportionment for this cause. We have, however, raised this year over \$2500. Six charges have gone "over the top."

Endowment Fund For Conference Claimant.

The drive for Endowment Fund for Conference Claimants has been on. The agent, Dr. J. R. Waters, has kept the matter before the pastors and people. We organized the district into groups and started early in the year for a definite goal. We did not reach it, but we got somewhere. We raised for this cause over \$2300.

Ministerial Support.

It is gratifying to note that marked advance has been made in the amounts paid for Ministerial Support. The high cost of living demanded it. The charges have responded for the most part with commendable zeal. Still the pastors are inadequately supported. If Quarterly Conferences shall keep up the good work and make further advance for the coming year, steps to aid the efficiency of the pastors will have been taken in the right direction.

The reports from charges will show the amounts raised for support of Bishops, Conference Claimants and District Superintendent have been increased.

Centenary.

The Centenary movement has received much attention. The Annual District meeting gave considerable time to instructing and inspiring ministers and laymen to do their best. The surveys of the foreign and home fields have been presented. The plan of organization for the Local Church has been laid before every Quarterly Conference. Both pastors and people have been urged to fall in line and keep step to the music of progress. The area secretary, Dr. Bickly, has been in correspondence with every pastor and every charge has been furnished with literature. Minute men, lay spellbinders, are heard in the churches. People are talking, praying, and working for the "Centenary." The tide of interest is rising. Cam-

paigns for intercession, life service and stewardship have been on. Only a few charges lag behind. We are almost ready for the financial drive and then "over the top". Victory is coming; victory that means more life and brighter hope; victory that means so much toward the reconstruction of Europe, toward the Evangelization of Asia and Africa, toward the Christianizing of South America and the Isles of the sea; toward having our beloved America dominated by the principles and spirit of Jesus Christ. I see a great institutional church in South Philadelphia with an auditorium seating 2500, and a parish house adapted to Sunday School and Community needs, besides what is to be done for our other churches in the same city and elsewhere. We have come to the kingdom for such a time as this. We cannot now listen to doubters, kickers or shirkers. We must not come down. The work shall not cease. The goal shall be reached.

Summary.

During the last six years this district has made more than 50 percent gain in full membership, 20 percent gain in value of property, 100 percent in giving for apportioned Benevolences and 48 per cent. advance in Ministerial support. We have built or bought five churches and three parsonages. Nearly all of the churches have been renovated or beautified.

Conclusion.

The pastors and people have given me cordial support and co-operation. They have shown kindness and bestowed visible tokens of their appreciation. It has been a pleasure to serve my brethren both of the ministry and of the laity.

Now, with thanks to our Heavenly Father for His goodness, forbearance and mercy, and to my brethren for their kindness, patience and co-operation, I submit this, my sixth annual report.

JAMES H. SCOTT.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Bishop Berry and Brethren:

I count myself happy, indeed, to be permitted to stand here today and to make this, my fifth annual report of the work of the Wilmington District. Five years ago, in this city, I was appointed district superintendent, at which time I pledged my word to Bishop Quayle that I would endeavor to so conduct my life and work in such a manner that he would never have occasion to regret the appointment. Amid prophets and prophecies, with predictors and predictions, I have striven to keep my pledge to Almighty God and the Bishop. The district, at that time and now, is the smallest and reported that year the sum of 92 cents per member, reported last conference year the sum of \$1.82 and this year will go over the \$2.00 mark. This conference year has been one of unusual activity and interest, the wars, the mad rush for the mighty dollar, and the dreadful disease, but thanks be unto God for victory for the Church, for the state, the return of our sons from the battle front, and for the defeat of the kaiser and his house. Grateful indeed, am I that none of the shepherds have been called from the pastor field; some have had to sit down a few days in order to gain more strength for the battle namely, J. U. King, Nicholas Brown, P. W. Price, L. S. Moore and R. S. Johns, but in a few days they

were leading their flocks as before. Rev. Mrs. J. W. Bond sustained the loss of a loving mother on February 19 at the ripe old age of 90. Sickness has occurred in many of the families of the ministers, but all of them have recovered.

Review of Charges.

BARCLAY. Barclay has had a fair success this year. Engleside reports in full along all lines, but St. Daniel is satisfied with less; this keeps the charge from being in class first. The pastor, Nicholas Brown, has given undivided service in the work of the charge; accessions 3; collections \$98.

BUTTONWOOD. This is a mission circuit, with Rev. Lewis Hodgers as the pastor, the most happy one on the district. He has taken in 29 members at Buttonwood, paid off the indebtedness of \$150, and has received a fair support. This bids fair to become a strong charge if the business continues to grow.

CATLIN. This charge is determined to have the Gospel for a small sum. They have not increased the salary for ten years, and it was insufficient at that time; however the pastor serves them faithfully, but they see to it that he brings very little cash away from them. Accessions 7; collections \$80. K. S. Stewart, pastor.

CHESWOLD. The pastor, J. L. Taylor, continues to keep the altar fires burning, and as a result a good congregation, increase in salary and benevolences. This is a strong charge, and many very influential young men have been added to the church; the partial feeling of old is fast disappearing. Accessions 22; collections \$170.

COKESBURY. This charge is rapidly pushing her way to the front ranks. Three years ago it looked very doubtful of the wisdom of continuing it a station, but today they are giving a fairly comfortable support. The people are determined to prove to the conference that it is good for Cokesbury to be a station. They have raised the Morgan College Fund and are waiting for the Centenary drive. Accessions 3; collections \$109. R. B. Thompson, pastor.

COLEMAN. This is a strong station and Rev. W. C. Bowland is fully able to manage it. He has organized the forces and interested the young people in the work of the church. He has gone over the top in the benevolent causes and nearly all of the Morgan College Fund. He is a strong preacher and his sermons have had their effect resulting in a good revival of 40 accessions. Collections \$320.

CRUMPTON. W. T. B. Devron is a leader, and the people realize his ability and follow him; salary and benevolences increased and a large portion of it raised long before conference; this charge is alive to every cause and responds freely. Accessions 16; collections \$189.

DELAWARE CITY. This city is reforming rapidly since the saloons have been closed. It is glorious to see the improvements. The pastor, O. P. Dickerson, has served this charge for six years and is held in the highest respect by all the citizens, and a fair year's work has been accomplished. Accessions 8; collections \$119.

DOVER. This being the capital city, the church is fast becoming the leading Church; the salary increased to \$900, over the top for Morgan College Fund, the debt nearly cancelled, and a growing congregation with many working auxiliaries. This charge has lost some of its most influential

members, but it has one member worthy of mention, Samuel Moliston, who is now 86 years of age, active and responsive to every call. Accessions 13; collections \$345. L. S. Moore, pastor.

DOVER CIRCUIT. This charge has steadily advanced under the pastorate of I. J. Brittingham, the salary has been advanced, the benevolences increased and a greater portion of the Morgan College Fund raised. Accessions 4; collections \$149.

GALENA. Rev. T. E. Randal was appointed to this charge last conference, and he has proven to be the right man in the right place. The salary and benevolences have been increased, and the church is in a splendid working condition. Accessions 9; collections \$294.

MARYDEL. A great change has come over this place since a young active man was sent to them. The salary was raised to \$700 and paid, the benevolences increased 50 per cent and a greater portion of the Morgan College Fund raised, the parsonage repaired and painted, all of this without the campmeeting. It is amazing what our people can do when they have a mind to work. Accessions 26; collections \$130. F. H. Gillis, pastor.

MIDDLETOWN. This charge maintains its former record; the salary has been increased and paid, Morgan College nearly full, the benevolences equal to last year, and the people request the return of the pastor for another year. Accessions 4; collections \$280. J. L. Parker, pastor.

MILLINGTON. On this charge a veteran of the ministry is serving; he sets the pace for many of us; he entertains no other notion than the apportionments in full every year; this is the record he has maintained. By their fruits ye shall know them. Accessions 20; collections \$345. C. W. Moore, pastor.

NEW CASTLE. R. S. Johns was sent to this charge last year, and great has been his success. Salary raised to \$800, benevolences increased 50 per cent., parsonage renovated and paid for, floating bills paid off and the church in good working order. Accessions 14; collections \$179.

NEW PORT. For years this faithful band of loyal workers have been struggling for a new church, but the high cost of material has held them back, and not much relief is in sight. They have in hand about \$900; they have paid \$800 in salary and the benevolences are in advance of last year, and a very large congregation. Accessions 6; collections \$125. J. H. Stevenson, pastor.

ODESSA. The old saying that a new broom sweeps clean, can be applied to this charge. W. B. Whittington finished Princess Anne Academy last May and moved to this charge for work. Sinners are singing, "We have ceased from our wanderings and going astray since this man came to our town; we are so happy as happy as can be since Jesus came into our heart". Thirty-five souls resulted from the revival, and 35 per cent. increase in salary, 50 per cent. increase in benevolences, Morgan College over the top. In all points this charge leads the district. Accessions 40; collections \$198.

PORT DEPOSIT. The people in this town have learned well the word reciprocity, and of course like many pastors, they have shown their learning; they receive very little service and pay but very little for the same; they do very well for the trustees' cause, and say if the pastor will live with them more will be done for him. Collections \$30. G. B. Coleman, pastor.

PORT PENN. The Rev. L. T. Robbins deserves much credit for the success on this charge. This is a very hard charge to pastor, the people are scattered and poor church attenders; and unless he goes to their homes not much will be received; and this pastor has succeeded in raising all salaries and a large portion of the benevolences. Accessions 5; collections \$57.

SASSAFRASS. W. C. West has proven himself to be no less a leader than his predecessor, and reports the charge in full for all benevolences and the Morgan College Fund. This is a strong circuit and the people are loyal. Accessions 14; collections \$319.

SMYRNA. This charge knows no failure and desires none. The people are loyal and active. This charge sustains the loss of one, if not the most, influential members in it, Joshua Bell. This is quite a blow to the family and to the church. The benevolences are full, all debts paid off, and the charge ready for the great drive to begin. Accessions 5; collection \$145. M. H. Murphy, pastor.

STILL POND. The pastor reminds me of the name of the charge; he is quiet, deep and unassuming, but he knows how to stir the hearts of the people, both in the pulpit and out. This year's work shows that he has mastered the situation. Benevolences nearly full, and all debts paid. Accessions 7; collections \$185. P. W. Price, pastor.

TOWNSEND. Rev. Malachi Rasin has served this charge for three years with some measure of success. He has not accomplished what he hoped to, and for from what the charge is able to do; some are willing to measure up and others are not, hence the whole work fails. Haven has surpassed all of them, and is willing to do more. The pastor is a competent, untiring, patient leader and is deserving of better support. Accessions 6; collections \$169.

EZION. I need not attempt to tell you very much about this charge. If you wish to know, look about here; look up and behold the stars, and below and see the improvements; in the rear and see the parsonage; inside and see the furniture, and then inquire of the standing debt, and you will hear that \$2400 will pay off all claims and in hand over \$1000 that could be paid on that.

See the pastor with his new swagger and dangling from his chain and also from the speaker's the only crosses we have had, and they are gold, and therefore we have turned them into crowns; every auxiliary working in harmony; over \$8000 raised for all purposes. This could not have been accomplished without peace and harmony prevailing among the people and pastor.

These good people are sparing no pains to make your stay a pleasant one, both at the table and in the homes, and I ask that you give them the same consideration when the offering is asked, that they may be pleased after you have left them. Morgan College Fund over the top. Accessions 80; collections \$1420. J. U. King, pastor.

HAVEN. This is not solely a place of rest, as its name may indicate, although G. T. Fields has enjoyed much of it after a hard day's work, but he has made it a haven for souls to come and hear the Gospel, and many of them have decided to rest their minds as to a church home. Large congregations attend every Sunday, resulting in the benevolences increased 100 per cent., salary \$900. Morgan College Fund near the top, floating bills paid, the exterior of the church painted and plans made to paint the

interior and cancel the bonded debt of \$1500, and the pastor and wife given a purse of \$51, and the people shouting happy. Accessions 32; collections \$230.

MT. JOY. I am quite sure that the pastor's joy is equal to the name of the church, for the first time in 30 years has this church been free of debt; the basement has been made comfortable for service, the parsonage renovated inside and out, telephone installed and everything comfortable for the pastor. This charge has some very able laymen as its members, and they are interested in the church and see to it that the reports are in full. Chas. H. Coulbourne is the district chairman for the Centenary campaign. Collections \$414; accessions 16. J. W. Bond, pastor.

The Ladies' Aid.

This organization is a very valuable force to the church both spiritually and financially; it is true to its name, for it can be depended upon to aid the church in ever need, without a murmur or complaint; many of them raise over one-half of the salary; others furnish all the fuel; others have taken the burden of the church debt and pay off loans and mortgages; without these organizations, many of the charges would not be able to meet their obligations.

Morgan College Endowment Fund.

This campaign had to be closed this year instead of next, as was first planned, and an intense campaign was started in January with marked success, and when the reports are in I think this district will not be far from the top.

Conference Claimants.

This is the only cause that has been seriously affected by the influenza. When the campaign was to be launched by Drs. Hingely and Waters, the churches were closed for three weeks or more and nothing could be done, and as soon as the churches were opened attention had to be given to the fall rallies that were pending. Dr. J. R. Waters, our field agent, has wrought well and whatever the failure, if any, in our expectation, he should not be charged with it; he has gone far and near, and out late and early to gather a fund to comfort us in our declining days, for which I wish to express to him my hearty thanks.

Centenary Campaign.

Last June the district superintendents were called to Columbus, Ohio, to hear and if we agreed, to adopt a program for World-Wide Evangelism. After I heard the speeches and read the literature and saw and heard Dr. Earle Taylor's illustrated lectures of the actual conditions on the field and home land, I was ready to give my time, service and money to help save the world for The Risen Lord; and from that day until now I have not ceased to speak of the conditions and our duty in helping in such an undertaking. At every quarterly conference I have given long talks upon the subject and have interested the officials in this cause. I have also influenced many to attend the great celebration at Columbus in June to July 13th. I now make the same appeal to all who hear me today. Brothers and sisters, you cannot afford to stand idle and look on; it is your God-

given duty to bestir yourselves to action, and in the great canvass that will begin in May be determined to put the cause over the top; it must go. God helping me, it shall go over the top.

Patriotism.

It was hinted by some white men in this city that the Negro was not patriotic; it was an insult to our people, and they decided that the best way to resent it was to prove the statement false. A call was made for the leaders to meet and discuss some plan, and it was decided to have a parade; a fund was raised solely from Negroes to the amount of \$1500, and the day selected for this demonstration, and when it was over, it was conceded by the whole city that it was the best demonstration that had ever been given in the city or state. So much did it please them that they begged the leaders to repeat it at their expense, but they said no, we simply wanted to prove to you that your statement was not true. They readily acknowledged that they were mistaken.

Reconstruction.

I am hearing on every hand, what will be the result of the reconstruction? The President is in Paris working on the reconstruction plan; and when I think of the dissatisfaction of the Japanese in regards to their place in the new plan, I say to myself, where will the Negro appear? Unless the new plan grants the American Negro a place to work and live according to his ability and desires, regardless of his color, and wages commensurate to the cost of life's necessities, he can but think and ask, For what did he give his full share? to the Red Cross, War Chest, Liberty Bonds; made bare our breast; spilt our blood; offered our daughters for nurses, and lost our sons; if we shall in the new reconstruction be jimmied in trains and court houses and lynched without judge or jury? "Unless this country is made a good place for all of us to live in, it will not be a good place for any of us to live in." We have never scarred the old flag, and never waved the red rag. The Church and Sunday School must be reconstructed. No new theology is needed, no new doctrine is necessary, the faith of our Fathers is sufficient still; but in church buildings we must have it. I do not know of a church erected in the last 20 years that has given consideration for very little more than elaborate stone fronts, incline floor, circular pews and pipe organs.

Not one of them have made any effort for the Sunday School Departments. The lessons are taught as they were when I was a boy, and no place for innocent amusements under religious supervision, and we seem to think that the children should be satisfied; and too, we say they are the church of tomorrow, and make no provision for the church. Our boys are lured to the cheap movies, dance halls and the profane and vulgar pool rooms, which is sapping their life and ruining their morals. The remedy is to put your heart, soul, mind, strength and money in the Centenary campaign, in order that we may be able to reconstruct our churches and thereby save our young people today, ere they be gone.

On this district are 26 loyal pastors, who have worked like Trojans for the success of the Kingdom of God, and by the side of each the wife has stood and shared in his joys, sorrows, successes or failures, giving an encouraging word for his efforts. They have treated me royally in their

homes, and when I leave they bid me God speed you on your way; peace and harmony prevails, and only one charge has asked for a change of pastor, and not one pastor wants to leave the district. I have striven to be fair to all and partial to none; dealing with them as I would wish them to deal with me. It is a pleasure to serve in this Christian way, and Bishop, if you say may, am willing to serve another day.

W. A. HUBBARD, D. S.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE ENDOWMENT FUND.

By Joseph R. Waters, Agent.

From Charges by Districts:

Cambridge District	\$ 326.52
Centerville District	402.13
Philadelphia District	2351.74
Salisbury District	331.69
Wilmington District	355.66

Total from Charges

\$3767.74

From Pastors:

Cambridge District	\$ 61.00
Centerville District	124.00
Philadelphia District	117.00
Salisbury District	64.00
Wilmington District	69.50

Total from Pastors

\$ 435.50

From other sources

584.85

Total for the year

\$ 4788.09

Previously invested

6887.00

Grand total

\$11675.09

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE STEWARDS TO THE BOARD OF CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

Annuity Distribution, Based On Service.

Number of EFFECTIVE Full Members of the Conference who are Pastors or District Superintendents, 161.

Total Average Salary received by them (NOT including house rent or missionary money), \$700.

Legal Annuity Rate for each year of "Effective" service (1/70 of the Average Salary), \$10.

Years to be accounted for, INCLUDING ALL RELINQUISHED YEARS:

Retired Ministers: ("Effective" Years, plus two years on trial), 409. Widows: (Three-fourths of "Effective" Years served with Husband), 618. Children: (One-fifth of Father's "Effective" Years for each child), 70. Total

"Full" Years of Preachers, Widows and Children, 1097.

TOTAL OF ANNUITY CLAIMS figured at above rate: \$10 per year multiplied by 1097 "Full" years, \$10,970.

Rate Paid this year: \$4.70 per year, or 47 per cent of the Legal Rate.

Income

For Annuity Distribution:

Book Concern Dividend	\$1122.00
Part of Support Paid by the Churches	3669.00
Income from Conference Investments	332.50
Woman's Home Missionary Society	11.50

Total Available for Annuity Distribution\$5135.00

For Necessitous Distribution:

Board of Conference Claimants' Dividend	\$ 600.00
Womans' Home Missionary Society	38.50

Total Available for Necessitous Distribution\$ 638.50

Add Total Available for Annuity Distribution 5135.00

GRAND TOTAL\$5773.50

Summary of Distribution.

To Preachers: No. of Claimants Paid Annuity or Necessitous, 12; No. of their "Full" Years Counted or Allowed, 409; Total Annuity Claims at \$10 per year, \$4090; Total Annuities Paid at \$4.70 per year \$1922.

To Widows: No. of Claimants Paid Annuity or Necessitous, 43; No. of their "Full" Years Counted or Allowed, 618; Total Annuity Claims at \$10 per year, \$6180; Total Annuities Paid at \$4.70 per year, \$2904.

To Children: No. of Claimants Paid Annuity or Necessitous, 19; No. of their "Full" Years Counted or Allowed, 70; Total Annuity Claims at \$10 per year, \$700; Total Annuities Paid at \$4.70 per year, \$329.

Apportionment for Next Conference Year, 1920.

Amount necessary to pay full Legal Annuity Claims, \$10,970.

Estimate of amount required for Necessitous Cases, \$1000.

TOTAL: Amount required to meet all claims in full, \$11,970.

DEDUCT: Total income from Dividends, investments, and Preachers' Aid Society, figured on basis of this year's receipts from these sources, as given above, \$2055.

REMAINDER: Amount to be raised by Pastoral Charges in order to pay full claim, \$9915.

Add Apportionment made by Commission on Finance; for the maintenance and promotion of the work of the Board of Conference Claimants, \$259.

Total Amount necessary to be raised by the Pastoral Charges, \$10,174.

Names and Addresses of Officers of the Conference Board of Stewards.

President, Rev. J. E. A. D. Grigsby, Tunis Mills, Md.

Secretary, Prof. S. H. Long, Pocomoke City, Md.

Treasurer, Rev. L. E. Toulson, Hurlock, Md.

Distribution to Preachers.

NAME.	Year Received as Full Member	Year Retired	Supernum'y Years Counted	Annuit'y Claim	Annuit'y Paid	Special Aid	Total Paid
Rev. C. L. Anderson	1894	1917	23	\$230	\$108		\$108
L. Y. Cox	1867	1908	41	410	192		192
T. B. H. Coleman	1879	1918	41	410	192		192
C. J. Hall	1888	1918	30	300	142	42	184
J. H. Harmon	1884	1917	33	330	155	20	175
I. H. Johnson	1881	1916	35	340	160	40	200
F. J. Lee	1869	1914	45	450	211	14	225
A. W. Lowber	1876	1917	41	410	192	8	200
J. F. Molock	1892	1912	20	200	95	105	200
W. J. Moore	1886	1918	30	300	142		142
A. R. Shockley	1877	1916	35	350	164	11	175
E. H. Webb	1881	1916	36	360	169		169
Total			409	4090	1922	240	2162

Supernumerary (one year): I. H. Johnson.
Relinquished claim: G. B. Coleman.

Distribution to Widows.

NAME.	Years With Husband	Years Allowed	Annuit'y Claim	Annuit'y Paid	Special Aid	Total Paid
Mrs. P. J. Adams	28	21	\$210	\$ 98	\$ 2	\$100
Mrs. J. K. Adams	32	24	240	112		112
Mrs. A. S. Amos	14	9	90	41	9	50
Mrs. P. Burrough	32	24	240	112	13	125
Mrs. E. H. Bean	4	3	30	14	9	25
Mrs. W. I. Bean	12	9	90	41	9	50
Mrs. J. E. Cook	23	21	210	98	2	100
Mrs. J. W. Cook	27	21	210	98		98
Mrs. W. F. Cotton	20	15	150	70	5	75
Mrs. J. W. Cox	25	18	180	85	5	90
Mrs. C. E. Davis	14	9	90	41	9	50
Mrs. J. C. Dunn	16	12	120	57	8	65
Mrs. W. C. Dickerson	24	18	180	85		85
Mrs. A. F. Ennels	4	3	30	14	11	25
Mrs. J. W. Fenderson	12	9	90	41	34	75
Mrs. E. D. Haven	14	9	90	41		41
Mrs. S. J. Hammond	6	4	40	19		19
Mrs. W. H. Hopkins	24	18	180	85	5	90
Mrs. C. A. Horsey	30	21	210	98	2	100
Mrs. M. Horsey	8	6	60	28		28
Mrs. C. H. Hutchin	4	3	30	14		14
Mrs. Hooper Jolly	30	21	210	98	27	125
Mrs. S. S. Jolly	16	12	120	57		57
Mrs. J. H. Johnson	30	22	220	104	21	125

Distribution to Widows.

NAME.	Years With Husband	Years Allowed	Annuity Claim	Annuity Paid	Special Aid	Total Paid
Mrs. J. A. Jeffers	10	7	70	33	7	40
Mrs. N. W. Moore	18	13	130	61	14	75
Mrs. D. W. Martin	12	9	90	41	30	71
Mrs. W. J. Parker	16	12	120	56		56
Mrs. M. L. McKenney	24	18	180	85	20	105
Mrs. H. A. Monroe	22	16	160	75	20	95
Mrs. J. H. Price	33	27	270	127		127
Mrs. J. A. Scott	26	19	190	89	11	100
Mrs. P. T. Scott	16	12	120	56	4	60
Mrs. N. B. Snowden	28	21	210	98	27	125
Mrs. G. H. Water	20	15	150	70	20	90
Mrs. R. J. Waters	20	15	150	70	10	80
Mrs. Hamon Ward	6	4	40	18	17	35
Mrs. A. J. Wallace	28	21	210	98	2	100
Mrs. M. F. Wheeler	14	9	90	42	8	50
Mrs. I. H. White	32	24	240	112		112
Mrs. C. Wright	20	15	150	71	4	75
Mrs. J. H. Winters	28	21	210	98	2	100
Mrs. G. W. Young	14	9	90	42	33	75
Totals			6180	2904	250	3154

Distribution to Children.

NAME OF PARENT.	Father's Years	Years Allowed	Annuity Claim	Annuity Paid	Special Aid	Total Paid
Amos (1)	14	3	\$ 30	\$ 14		\$14.00
Dunn (1)	13	4	40	18	\$ 1.00	19.00
Haven (1)	14	3	30	14		14.00
Hemsley (3)	15	9	90	41	1.50	42.50
Fenderson (2)	12	6	60	28	12.00	40.00
Horsey (1)	31	6	60	28		28.00
Moore (4)	18	16	160	75	2.00	77.00
McKenney (2)	25	10	100	47	5.00	52.00
Riley (3)	20	12	120	58	7.00	65.00
Ward (1)	6	1	10	5	5.00	10.00
Total		70	700	329	33.50	362.50

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' ENDOWMENT CAMPAIGN,

One Per Cent. of Pastor's Salary for Salary of Agent of Conference

CAMBRIDGE DISTRICT.

	1%	Paid				
D. H. Hargis	\$15.25	\$15.25	E. H. Nichols	6.00	.....
Jose Angulo	6.75	6.75	W. E. Hilton	7.25	7.25	
J. M. Whittington	5.00	5.00	Alexander Reid	5.00	5.00	
J. L. Nichols	7.00	7.00	T. H. Woodley	9.00	9.00	
D. W. Henry	7.50	7.50	J. C. Bantum	8.00	8.00	
M. A. Thompson	9.00	9.00	Malachi Matthews	4.50	1.13	
W. G. Matthews	6.00	6.00	W. J. Helm	8.00	8.00	
E. F. Showell	5.75	5.75	R. R. Robinson	7.75	7.75	
D. S. Quillen	8.00	8.00	L. H. Martin	7.00	7.00	
Sol. Hammond	6.00	6.00	B. B. Carson	5.25	5.25	
R. H. Coleman	5.00	5.00	Lewis T. Robins	5.00	5.00	
L. E. Toulson	7.50	7.50	J. W. Parker	7.50	7.50	
C. W. Downs	7.00	7.00	E. H. Jolley	5.50	5.50	
T. A. Johnson	5.00	5.00				\$184.63
M. W. Clark	7.50	7.50	Nine Supplies exempted.			

CENTERVILLE DISTRICT.

J. N. Bullen	\$ 7.28	L. D. Beecham	7.00
S. J. Horsey	8.25	S. A. Waters	7.00
G. W. Downs	6.00	D. G. Waters	8.68
W. H. Johns	10.00	J. W. Gillis	9.00
I. D. Paine	7.25	T. B. H. Coleman	7.00
M. V. Waters	9.00	G. R. Hollis	7.00
J. R. Holland	10.00	J. H. Nutter	9.00
C. W. Winder	7.80	W. E. Waters	9.00
F. T. Johnson	7.60	A. Chase	7.75
J. H. Blake	9.00	J. O. Stanley	8.40
L. W. Deakins	3.00	M. P. Sterling	8.25
C. W. H. Briddell	7.00		
R. N. Davis	5.10	Total	\$184.77

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT:

J. H. Scott	\$ 21.00	R. G. Waters	12.00
A. L. Martin	15.00	E. H. Crampton	5.50
F. O. T. Laws	7.25	C. A. Tindley	20.00
F. G. Campbell	5.00	L. H. McArthur	9.00
J. H. Blackiston	5.00	J. T. Fletcher	14.00
J. A. T. Faust	10.50	J. R. Brown	14.00
H. T. Johnson	10.00	J. W. Jefferson	10.40
W. J. L. Hughes	13.50	E. E. Parker	6.00
Sydney Emptage	8.00	F. H. Butler	15.00
C. W. Shockley	6.00	W. A. T. Miles	9.50
J. I. Peaco	7.00	R. A. F. Graham	3.00
J. T. Wallace	10.00	W. B. Nelson	4.00
P. M. Shelton	9.60	A. G. Henry	1.00
F. J. Handy	15.60	J. R. Waters	12.00
W. B. Perry	9.00		
J. E. A. Johns	13.20	Total	\$301.05

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

W. A. Hubbard	\$ 13.00	W. C. West	7.68
K. S. Stewart	2.00	M. H. Murphey	5.00
J. L. Taylor	5.00	P. W. Price	5.25
R. B. Thompson	4.00	Malachi Rasin	5.75
W. C. Bowland	6.50	J. U. King	14.00
O. P. Dickerson	5.00	G. T. Fields	7.00
L. S. Moore	7.00	J. W. Bond	8.00
T. E. Randall	5.50	W. T. B. Devron	6.25
J. L. Parker	6.75	F. H. Gillis	3.25
C. W. Moore	7.00	W. B. Whittington	2.00
R. S. Johns	7.00		
J. H. Stevenson	7.00	Total	\$139.93

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

J. W. Jewett	\$18.00	J. L. Davis and J. H. Edwards	7.00
O. H. Spence	7.50	C. T. Covington	8.00
C. A. Norwood	6.00	W. R. A. Palmer	9.00
J. A. Kiah	7.00	E. O. Parker	10.00
C. S. Sprigg	9.00	T. L. McDonald	5.50
J. W. Bowling	6.50	L. B. Buchanan	7.00
H. R. Purnell	7.20	J. M. Dickerson	9.00
W. T. Spellman	8.25	C. W. Pullett	8.00
C. W. Johnson	6.50	S. T. Parker	7.50
J. H. Russum	5.25	G. T. Townsend	8.00
H. C. Snead	8.00	J. R. Purnell	5.25
T. W. Cooper	9.00	J. S. Coulbourne	10.00
E. E. Rogers	8.00	W. H. Turner	6.00
G. S. Jacobs	6.25	Roswell Waters	3.00
I. D. Pitts	6.00	J. G. Harris	7.50
D. A. Ridout	4.00		
R. C. Hughes	7.00	Total	\$240.20

MINUTE MONEY REPORT.

DISTRICTS.

	Collected.	Due.
Cambridge	\$115.00	\$6.00
Centerville	106.50	2.25
Philadelphia	139.50	1.25
Salisbury	117.25	5.25
Wilmington	98.75	4.62
Total	\$577.00	\$19.37
Last year	578.25	17.50
Seeming decrease		\$1.25
But there is an increase		2.12

CAMBRIDGE DISTRICT.

Charge and To Whom Sent:	Sent.	Due.	Paid.
Aireys, Md., Jose Angulo	28	\$7.00	\$6.75
Box Iron, Md., J. L. Nichols	25	6.25	6.00
Bridgeville, Del., D. W. Henry	32	8.00	7.75
Bridgeville Circuit, Del., R. W. Thomas	26	6.50	6.25
Cambridge, Md., M. A. Thompson	39	9.75	9.50
Cambridge, St. Luke, D. R. Shockley	5	1.25	1.00
Cambridge Circuit, W. G. Matthews	12	3.00	2.00
Church Creek, Md., E. F. Showell	10	2.50	2.25
Crapo, Md., J. H. Dredde .....	..	....	....
East New Market, Md., D. S. Qullen	6	1.25	1.25
East New Market Circuit, Md., H. J. Stewart	20	5.00	2.25
Franfort, Del., Solomon Hammond	12	3.00	2.75
Harrington, Del., R. H. Coleman	10	2.50	2.25
Hurlock, Md., L. E. Toulson	29	7.25	6.75
Laurel, Del., C. W. Downs	15	3.75	3.50
Lewes, Del., T. A. Johnson	2	.50	.50
Lincoln City, Del., M. W. Clark	15	3.75	3.50
Linkwood, Md., E. H. Nichols	25	6.25	6.00
Madison, Md., W. H. Saunders .....	..	....	....
Milford, Del., W. E. Hilton	5	1.25	1.00
Milton, Del., T. P. Carroll	7	1.75	1.50
Nassau, Del., C. H. Spencer	10	2.50	....
Newark, Del., Alex. Reed	20	5.00	4.75
North Berlin, T. H. Woodley	31	7.75	7.50
Seaford, Del., J. C. Bantom	12	3.00	2.75
Sinepuxent, Md., J. H. Harmon	12	3.00	....
Snow Hill, Md., W. J. Helm	21	5.25	5.00
Snow Hill Circuit, Md., N. M. Brown	5	1.25	....
South Berlin, R. R. Robinson	10	2.50	2.50
Stockton, Md., L. H. Martin	20	4.75	4.75
Stockton, Md., B. B. Carson	25	6.25	6.00
Trinity, Del., L. T. Robbins	7	1.75	1.50
Vienna, Md., J. W. Parker	21	5.25	5.00
Whaleyville, Md., E. H. Jolly	15	3.75	3.00
			\$113.25
			2.00
			\$115.25

CENTREVILLE DISTRICT.

Charge and To Whom Sent:	Sent.	Due.	Paid.
Carmichael, Md., J. N. Bullen	20	\$5.00	\$4.75
Centreville, Md., S. J. Horsey	16	4.00	3.75
Centreville Circuit, G. W. Downs	12	3.00	3.00
Chestertown, Md., W. H. Johns	20	5.00	4.75
Church Hill, Md., I. D. Paine	20	5.00	4.75
Cordova, Md., J. O. Lockman	10	2.50	2.25
Cox's Creek, Md., Zebulun Heath	6	1.50	1.50
Denton, Md., M. V. Waters	12	3.00	3.00

Denton Mission, Md., J. H. Cooper	10	2.50	2.50
Easton, Md., J. R. Holland	25	6.25	4.50
Easton Circuit, S. A. Earle	6	1.50	1.00
Fairlee, Md., C. W. Winder	15	8.75	3.50
Federalsburg, Md., F. T. Johnson	20	5.00	5.00
Greensboro, Md., J. H. Blake	15	3.75	3.00
Longwoods, Md., L. W. Deakins	12	3.00	2.75
McDaniel, Md., C. W. H. Briddell	25	6.25	6.00
Melltoto, Md., R. N. Davis	14	3.50	3.25
Oxford, Md., L. D. Beecham	10	2.50	...
Pomona, Md., S. A. Waters	15	3.75	3.75
Preston, Md., D. G. Waters	20	5.00	5.00
Ridgeley, Md., J. W. Gillis	10	2.50	2.25
Rock Hall, Md., G. R. Hollis	5	1.25	1.00
Royal Oak, Md., J. H. Nutter	32	8.00	8.00
St. Michaels, Md., W. E. Waters	10	2.50	2.25
Stevensville, Md., M. P. Sterling	28	7.00	6.50
Trappe, Md., Abraham Chase	25	6.25	6.00
Williston, Md., W. H. Hayman	12	3.00	2.75
Wittman, Md., J. O. Stanley	25	6.25	6.00
Woodland, Md., T. B. H. Coleman	18	4.50	3.75

\$106.50

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.

Charge and To Whom Sent:	Sent.	Due.	Paid.
Atlantic City, N. J., A. L. Martin	20	\$5.00	\$4.75
Bridgeton, N. J., Francis O. T. Laws	18	4.50	4.25
Brooklyn, N. Y., Alpha E. Anthony	6	1.50	1.25
Brooklyn, N. Y., J. R. H. Matthew	1	.25	....
Burlington, N. J., J. H. Blackiston	12	3.00	2.75
Camden, N. J., J. A. T. Foust	20	5.00	4.75
Camden, N. J., B. W. Berry	10	2.50	2.25
Cape May, N. J., Hampton T. Johnson	20	5.00	4.75
Chester, Pa., Wm. J. L. Hughes	45	11.25	11.00
Chester, Pa., Sydney Emptage	20	5.00	4.75
Delair, N. J., C. W. Shockley	20	5.00	4.75
Frankford, Pa., L. H. McArthur	13	3.25	3.00
Germantown, Pa., John T. Fletcher	35	8.75	8.50
Haddonfield, N. J., John I. Peaco	10	2.50	2.25
Hudson, N. Y., T. O. Johns	8	2.00	1.75
Merchantville, N. J., P. M. Shelton	30	7.50	7.25
Magnolia, N. J., J. T. Wallace	20	5.00	4.75
Newark, N. J., J. E. A. Johns	25	6.25	6.00
Philadelphia, Pa., Calvary, C. A. Tindley	75	18.75	18.50
Philadelphia, Pa., Zoar, F. H. Butler	75	18.75	18.50
Philadelphia, Pa., John Wesley, J. W. Jefferson...	15	3.75	3.50
Philadelphia, Pa., Zoar Mission, J. E. Dennis.....	6	1.50	1.25
Pleasantville, N. J., E. F. Morris	10	2.50	2.25
Salem, N. J., W. A. T. Miles	10	2.50	1.75
Salem, N. J., R. A. F. Graham	18	4.50	4.25
Somerville, Pa., E. E. Parker	10	2.50	1.50

Spring Lake, W. B. Nelson	3	.75	.50
Swainton, N. J., James O. Griffin	8	2.00	1.75
Woodbury, N. J., Charles Walker	14	3.50	3.25
Yonkers, N. Y., A. G. Henry	4	1.00	.75
Yonkers, N. Y., E. B. Greene	14	3.50	3.25

\$139.50

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

Charge and To Whom Sent:	Sent.	Due.	Paid.
Cottage Grove, Md., J. E. A. D. Grigsby	15	\$3.75	\$3.75
Crisfield, Md., C. S. Sprigg	15	3.75	3.50
Dames Quarter, A. A. McDowell	14	3.50	3.25
Deals Island, Md., O. H. Spencer	15	3.75	3.75
Fairmount, Md., Centennial, C. A. Norwood	11	2.75	2.50
Fairmount, Md., St. Andrews, J. A. Kiah	12	3.00	2.75
Friutland, Md., J. W. Bowling	25	6.25	6.00
Greenwood, Del., H. R. Purnell	12	3.00	2.75
Hebron, Md., G. W. Joynes	8	2.00	1.75
Hopewell, Md., W. T. Spellman	25	5.25	3.75
Horntown, Va., C. W. Johnson	15	3.75	3.50
Jamestown, Md., J. H. Russum	12	3.00	2.75
Keller, Va., H. C. Snead	10	2.50	2.25
Kingston, Md., I. H. Bivens	12	3.00	3.00
Lawsonia, Md., T. W. Cooper	15	3.75	3.50
Leemont, Va., E. E. Rogers	20	5.00	4.75
Liberia, Md., G. S. Jacobs	21	5.25	5.00
Mardela Springs, I. D. Pitt	10	2.50	2.25
Marion Station, D. A. Ridout	20	5.00	4.75
Mount Vernon, R. C. Hughes	15	3.75	3.50
Nanticoke, J. L. Davis	22	5.50	.....
Oriole, Md., J. W. Waters	15	3.75	3.50
Parsonsburg, Md., C. T. Covington	20	5.00	5.00
Pocomoke City, Md., W. R. A. Palmer	25	6.25	6.00
Princess Anne, Md., E. O. Parker	30	7.50	7.25
Princess Anne Circuit, T. L. McDonald	10	2.50	2.25
Salisbury, Md., John Wesley, J. M. Dickerson	15	3.75	3.50
Salisbury, Md., Whites Chapel, C. W. Pullett	9	2.25	1.75
Sharptown, Md., S. T. Parker	10	2.50	2.25
Wachapreague, Va., J. R. Purnell	12	3.00	2.75
Wattsville, Va., J. S. Colbourne	25	6.25	6.00
Wetipquin, Md., W. H. Turner	15	3.75	3.50
Withams, Va., J. G. Harris	15	3.75	3.50

\$117.25

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Charge and To Whom Sent:	Sent.	Due.	Paid.
Barclay, Nicholas Brown	12	\$3.00	\$2.75
Buttonwood, Del., Lewis H. Hodges	12	3.00	2.75
Cheswold, Del., J. L. Taylor	12	3.00	2.75
Coleman, Md., W. C. Bowland	24	6.00	5.00

Crumpton, Md., W. T. B. Devron	12	3.00	1.00
Delaware City, Del., O. P. Dickerson	13	3.25	3.00
Dover, Del., L. S. Moore	18	4.50	4.25
Dover Circuit, Del., I. J. Brittingham	20	5.00	4.00
Galena, Md., T. E. Randall	24	6.00	5.75
Marydel, Md., Frederick Gillis	15	3.75	2.50
Midletown, Del., J. L. Parker	12	3.00	2.75
Millington, Md., C. W. Moore	13	3.25	3.00
New Castle, Del., R. S. Johns	31	7.75	7.50
New Port, Del., J. H. Stevenson	12	3.00	2.75
Odessa, Del., W. B. Whittington	15	3.75	3.50
Port Deposit, Md., G. B. Coleman	10	2.50	2.25
Port Penn, Del., R. B. Thompson	12	3.00	2.75
Port Penn, Del., L. T. Robbins	15	3.75	2.75
Sassafras, Md., W. C. West	12	3.00	2.75
Smyrna, Del., M. H. Murphy	12	3.00	2.75
Still Pond, Md., P. W. Price	20	5.00	4.75
Townsend, Del., Malachi Rasin	24	6.00	5.75
Wilmington, Del., Ezion	60	15.00	14.75
Wilmington, Del., Haven, G. S. Fields	10	2.50	2.25
Wilmington, Del., Mt. Joy, J. W. Bond	20	5.00	4.75
	460	\$128.50	\$98.75

BOARD OF CHURCH AID AND HOME MISSIONS.

CAMBRIDGE DISTRICT.

Receipts.

Airey, \$12; Beckwith, \$5; Box Iron, \$12; Bridgeville, \$12; Bridgeville Circuit, \$10; Cambridge, Waugh, \$20; Cambridge, St. Luke, \$2; Cambridge Circuit, \$3; Church Creek, \$10; Crapo, \$10; East New Market, \$15; East New Market Circuit, \$5; Frankford, \$2; Golden Hill, \$8; Harrington, \$8; Hurlock, \$15; Laurel, \$15; Lewes, \$5; Lincoln, \$15; Linkwood, \$5; Madison, \$5; Milford, \$10; Milton, \$1; Nassau, \$8; North Berlin, \$12; Newark, \$8; Seaford, \$10; Sinepuxent, \$6; Snow Hill, \$15; Snow Hill Circuit, \$3; South Berlin, \$5; Stockton, \$8; Stockton Circuit, \$3; Trinity, \$8; Vienna, \$5; Whaleyville, \$12.

Expenditures.

Cambridge District, \$100; Beckwith, \$25; Milton, \$30; Harrington, \$25; Printing, \$10.80; Postage and Stationery, \$12.80; Water Rent, \$6; Extra traveling expense on the district, \$12.50; Donation to Salisbury District, \$25; Traveling expense to Council and special call meetings, \$18.16; Minor repairs to District Parsonage, \$7; Telegrams and telephone, \$16.50; Rev. C. H. Spencer's funeral and adjusting his work, \$7.50.
Total Receipts, \$308; Total Expenditures, \$296.06. Balance, \$11.94.

CENTREVILLE DISTRICT.

Receipts.

Greensboro, \$14; Preston, \$8; Ridgely, \$14; Church Hill, \$15; Denton, \$12; Denton Mission, \$10; Williston, \$3; Royal Oak, \$10; Trappe,

\$15; Carmichael, \$10; Centreville, \$9; Cordova, \$15; Woodland, \$12; Chestertown, \$20; Easton, \$20; Fairlee, \$12; McDaniel, \$8; St. Michaels, \$10; Wittman, \$12; Melitota, \$10; Rock Hall, \$10; Oxford, \$12; Easton Circuit, \$5; Williston, \$3. Total, \$269.

Expenditures.

District, \$100; J. H. Cooper, \$10; R. N. Davis, \$10; C. W. Pullett, \$10; S. A. Earle, \$5; Telephone, \$22.08; Printing, \$13; Postage, \$7.05; Extra traveling expenses, \$11.22; Entertaining the cabinet, \$13.40; Connecting up stove in parsonage, \$2.40; Expenses of committee on inquiry and investigation, \$10; Water rent, \$18.56; Moving from Centreville to Easton, \$19; Water rent, January 1st, \$18. Total \$266.63. To C. W. Pullett, \$15. Grand total, \$303.63. Balance, \$22.00 To W. H. Hubbard, \$22.

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.

Receipts.

Atlantic City, \$30; Bridgeton, \$10; Bridgeton Circuit, \$3; Brooklyn, Newman, \$5; Burlington, \$8; Camden, \$15; Camden Mission, \$3; Cape May, \$10; Chester, St. Daniels, \$35; Chester, Siloam, \$10; Delair, \$4; Grenloch & Rhodes, \$10; Magnolia, \$20; Merchantville, \$10; Montclair, \$25; Mount Holly, \$10; Newark, \$25; Orange, \$15; Ossining, \$4; East Calvary, \$110; East Calvary Mission, \$3; Frankford, \$7; Germantown, \$35; Haven, \$20; John Wesley, \$10; St. Paul, \$5; Somerville, \$5; Zoar, \$50; Zoar Mission, \$3; Pleasantville, \$8; Salem, \$20; Salem Circuit, \$8; Swainton, \$6; Woodbury, \$5; Yonkers, \$1. Total receipts \$548; Expended \$475.13. Cash to Board, \$72.87.

Expenditures.

Delair, \$50; East Calvary Mission for J. H. Edwards, \$67; East Calvary Mission for fuel, \$10; Brooklyn, Ebenezer, \$20; Hudson, \$85; North Jersey Mission, \$20; Bridgeton Circuit, \$10; Securing deed for Woodbury Ch. \$4.05; Hudson Investigation \$77.21; Telephone \$15.40; Expenses for Council meetings, conventions and other meetings, \$23.72; Postage, \$13.77; Stationery, \$8.24; Printing, \$10.50; Clerical help, \$3; Extra traveling expenses for the district, \$32.24; C. W. Pullett, \$25. Total, \$475.13.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Receipts.

Barclay, \$5; Cheswold, \$15; Cokesbury, \$10; Coleman, \$20; Crumpton, 18; Delaware City, \$15; Dover, \$22; Dover Circuit, \$11; Galena, \$20; Marydel, \$15; Middletown, \$20; Millington, 20; New Castle, \$11; New Port, \$18; Odessa, \$12; Port Deposit, \$2; Port Penn, \$5; Sassafras, \$18; Smyrna, \$12; Still Pond, \$20; Townsend, \$16; Ezion, \$40; Haven, \$18; Mt. Joy, \$22; Centerville District, \$22; Buttonwood Mission, \$150. Total, \$549.

Expenditures.

Delaware City, \$15; Buttonwood Mission, \$150; Printing, \$19.50; Stationery, \$12.25; Extra traveling, \$32.60; Phone and Telegrams, \$21.50; Cabinet meeting expense, \$19.70. Total \$270.55.

Received, \$549; Expended, \$270.55. Balance, \$278.45. Due District, 1918, \$236.48. Due District, 1919, \$150.00. Total, \$386.48. Balance in

hand, \$278.45. Total due District, \$386.48. Balance due District or to W. A. Hubbard, \$108.03.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

Receipts.

Crisfield, \$10; Dames Quarter, \$14; Deals Island, \$10; St. Andrew, \$5; Fruitland, \$12; Greenwood, \$12; Hebron, \$10; Hopewell, \$14; Jamestown, \$12; Keller, \$3; Kingston, \$15; Lawsonia, \$7; Leemont, \$10; Liberia, \$12; Mardela Springs, \$10; Marion Station, \$8; Mt. Vernon, \$8; Nanticoke, \$15; Oriole, \$14; Parsonsburg, \$15; Pocomoke City, \$16; Princess Anne, \$16; Princess Anne Circuit, \$5; Quantico, \$7; Salisbury, John Wesley, \$10; Salisbury, Whites Chapel, \$12; Sharptown, \$5; Unionville, \$10; Wachapreague, \$5; Wattsville, \$10; Wetipquin, \$5; White Haven, \$15; Withams, \$15. Total, \$347.

Expenditures.

Exmore Mission \$10; Westover Mission \$10; J. E. A. D. Grigsby \$10; Printing and sending out schedules, \$16.26; Extra Traveling on District, \$35.92; Telephone, \$18; Extra telephone calls, \$6.05; Water rent, \$19.20; Gas, \$18; Electric light, \$15; Printing and sending out circulars, \$12.50; Papering District Parsonage, \$13; Repairing and painting furniture, \$12; Plumbing and minor repairs, \$5.80; Philadelphia Area meeting, \$7.80; Centenary meetings, \$3.50; Cabinet meeting, \$5.70; Salisbury District, \$75. Total, \$291.73.

BOARD OF CHURCH AID AND HOME MISSIONS.

Receipts and Expenditures.

Districts.	Receipts.	Expended By D. S.	Paid Board.	Deficit.
Cambridge	\$ 308	\$ 296.06	\$ 11.94	.....
Centreville	269	303.63	.....	\$ 34.63
Philadelphia	548	475.13	72.87	.....
Salisbury	293	241.83	51.17	.....
Wilmington	549	657.03	.....	108.03
Totals	\$1967	\$1973.68	\$135.98	\$142.06
Balance in treasury, 1918, brought forward.....			.60	
			<u>\$136.58</u>	

Applied By Board.

Traveling Expense of Lay Members, H. S. Wilson, \$8.88; George L. Waters, \$5.23.

To Delaware Conference Trustees' traveling expense, \$29.47.

To Delaware Conference Examiners, \$6.25. To Statistician, \$4.98.

To Charles H. Coulbourne, \$21.50. To Revs. T. O. Johns, \$10; R. H. Boggs, \$8.35; J. H. Cooper, \$8.35; D. R. Shockley, \$8.35; K. S. Stewart, \$8.35; T. L. McDonald, \$4.91.

District Appropriations.

	Total.
Cambridge District and Mission Points	\$180
Centreville District and Mission Points	130
North Philadelphia District, \$200; Mission Point, \$250	450
South Philadelphia District for Mission Points	250
Salisbury District for District Parsonage, 75; Missions, \$150.....	225

J. H. SCOTT, President.

ABRAHAM CHASE, Treasurer.

H. S. WILSON, Secretary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

We, your Committee on Auditing the Conference Treasurer's Account, beg leave to submit the following report:

After careful examination, we find every account correctly reported by our proficient treasurer, Rev. J. W. Helm, so that the following errors were easily detected through the method of paying out at the seat of the Conference all sums for each cause in full, before all accounts are fully corrected. The Board of Conference Claimants overdraw their account by thirteen dollars and twenty-one cents (\$13.21); also, the account of the Agent of the Board of Conference Claimants was overdrawn to the amount of twelve dollars (\$12.00), making the sum total due to the Conference Treasurer twenty-five dollars and twenty-one cents (\$25.21).

The committee also wishes to call the attention of the Conference to the fact that under the present method of auditing the treasurer's account no provisions are made for the payment of the expenses of the treasurer. The amount due at this time is three dollars.

We respectfully submit the above for the action of the Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTHERFORD R. ROBINSON,
 J. H. BLACKISTON,
 J. W. BOND,
 D. G. WATERS,
 J. R. PURNELL.

COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

The Committee on Conference Relations desires to make the following report on the change of relations:

Rev. M. C. Jennigs came before the Committee and requested that his

relation to the church and conference cease in order that he might join the Congregational Church. He also asked that he be permitted to keep his credentials of the M. E. Church to carry over to the Congregational Church. The Committee so recommended.

Rev. A. F. Anthony appeared before the Committee and requested that after his ordination to Elder's Orders in the M. E. Church to be permitted to go to his home in Africa with the parchments of the M. E. Church. The Committee recommended that his request be granted.

The case of Bro. A. A. McDowell was presented to the Conference Relations Committee, and having given due deliberations in the case, the Committee recommended that he be changed from Effective to the Supernumerary relation.

Bro. G. B. Coleman's case came before this Committee and the Committee after having heard facts in the case recommended to the conference that Bro. G. B. Coleman's relation be changed from the Effective to the Supernumerary relation.

J. R. BROWN, Chairman.
L. S. MOORE, Secretary.

COMMITTEE TO VISIT PRINCESS ANNE ACADEMY.

Bishop and Brethren:

Your Committee to Visit Princess Anne Academy submits the following report:

The Academy, under the supervision of Prof. Thomas H. Kiah, was found to be at its usual high standing. The Principal and his corps of teachers are laboring zealously to efficiently instruct the young men and women under their care. These youths are being prepared for leadership as well as to meet the every-day duties of life.

The students coming from this school will not be one-sided. They are being taught to use the hand as well as the head.

Without speaking at length or in particular of any of the departments as domestic science, domestic arts, class room work, printing, carpentry, blacksmithing, etc., we would say in passing that these were all that might be expected, considering a few handicaps which we feel justified in making mention of.

Mechanic Building. The work in this building is carried on at a disadvantage. In this the printing and carpentry work are done. First of all, the building is too small. Secondly, the arrangements are poor. One-half of the printing machines are on the first floor; the same thing is true with the carpentry shop. Either the printing press ought to be on the first floor and the carpenter shop on the second floor, or vice versa. A new mechanic building is the proper remedy.

Lighting System. The old coal oil lamp is still in use. It does not furnish enough light. It is quite expensive.

Heating. The girls' dormitory is the only building on the grounds that is properly heated. Being heated by steam, these quarters are quite comfortable. All other buildings ought to have modern heating conveniences.

A new dormitory for the boys is another need.

The recitation rooms need new and more furniture.

Taking into consideration the few handicaps which surround the school, its work is first class. The spirit to go forward prevails. High standards are set. This is true spiritually as well as intellectually. During the revival period in January, forty-three students were converted.

One hundred and fifty-two were found seeking higher education. Principal Kiah is proud of them. He has a right to be.

The service flag displayed sixty-two stars. This was a fine representation from the Academy.

These are days of large undertakings. The small things of yesterday will not do today. This is just as true at Princess Anne Academy as anywhere else.

Our financial program for the five years just ahead is the largest that we have ever had before. Beyond the five years, What?

The needs of the Academy to which your attention is called ought to be met. Let us look forward to the time when we can do something for this needy cause.

We are making a greater Morgan College; let this mean a greater Princess Anne Academy also.

Date of visit, February 26, 27.

(Signed) E. F. SHOWELL, Chairman,
MAL. RASIN, Secretary,
T. E. RANDALL.

TEMPERANCE REPORT.

The rapid coming of the Kingdom of Jesus Christ is evidenced by the manner in which His people are having success in destroying evil institutions and making straight the Way of the Lord.

Autocracy is giving way to Democracy, and the voice of right is heard above the voice of might.

Prophecies of a better day for the oppressed are being fulfilled.

Three years ago, Mr. Hobson and Dr. Wilson prophesied that Congress would submit to the States a resolution for a National Prohibition Amendment to the Constitution. It was done. They also prophesied that the necessary thirty-six States would ratify the Amendment, and that the country would be dry by 1920. It was fulfilled. Thirty-six States ratified the Amendment and nine extra ones to show the rum advocates that we really mean business.

Among the 45 States which ratified the Amendment were four in which a large part of our Conference territory is located, namely, Virginia, Maryland, Delaware and Pennsylvania. For ratification by these States the members of this Conference deserve great credit, especially our presiding officer, Bishop Joseph F. Berry, D. D., LL. D. Few Men without the Church and certainly none within were more responsible for putting Pennsylvania in the ratifying column than was our resident Bishop. He braved the storm of criticism by the rum people and some politicians, risked being

misunderstood, and went on the platform and showed the men of his area, and of the Church, that a great churchman may also be a great Christian statesman, and especially in matters affecting the Kingdom of God.

Dr. Clarence True Wilson has also been ringing true on this question through the year and years. His speeches and editorials have helped to awaken the country and the world to a sense of the evils of alcohol, and have put the brewers and distillers to flight. His success has proven the wisdom of the Church in selecting him to lead our forces and the nation in the fight for temperance and morality.

We have made wonderful strides in the march for civilization. For years our slogan was, "The saloon must go." The saloon is going. It will soon be gone. The United States will shake off the incubus of the saloon, the tyrant that has for one hundred and fifty years mocked the Stars and Stripes and has destroyed much of the manhood and womanhood of our nation. We have done a great work and achieved a great victory, and there is glory enough in it for us all; no one church or organization can claim all of the praise. Credit must be given to all the temperance forces.

For the victory achieved we commend those societies that have so valiantly fought against this evil: The W. C. T. U., the Anti-Saloon League and the Board of Temperance and Public Morals of our own Church. We pledge them our support in their effort to raise funds to prevent the transfer of the manufacturing of alcohol to the Eastern world and for making the world dry by 1930.

The fight for ratification is won and our nation will go dry January 16, 1920. The fight for enforcement of the law to keep the nation dry has, however, just begun. It will require the same kind of courage and united effort to enforce the law as it has taken to win the fight for ratification. Our own Temperance Board purposes not only to fight for the enforcement of the law, but also for the destruction of the Tobacco Trust, Sabbath desecration, Lynch law and for putting the Bible back into our Public Schools.

We commend the Board, and pledge it our prayers and loyal support in putting to an end these destructive evils, and thus help to bring in a brotherhood that will make the world safe for mankind.

J. T. FLETCHER, President.

M. W. CLARK, Secretary.

STATE OF THE COUNTRY.

We, your Committee on the State of the Country, submit the following report:

This great country of ours has passed through its most crucial moments during the year, and we come with our hearts filled with praise and thanksgiving to our God that the World War has been gloriously won. We earnestly hope that the tremendous sacrifice in human life, the great devastation of property, the great expenditure of money, will not have been in vain. But that in the final adjustments, and in the establishment of a

Universal Peace; that this Universal Peace will be consistent with the teaching of Christ, for aside from a Christian Peace, no Peace can be substantial, or can long endure. There must be brought to exist between nations and peoples of all races the equal justice of all in equities, in civil and political rights, in order that each nation, large or small, weak or powerful, may work out its own destiny as it chooses, and as with nations so with peoples of all races.

These adjustments, to be effectual, should include religious tolerance, both in letter and in spirit, so as to meet the world conditions, for apart from such considerations, all Covenants would be in vain.

Our great country has distinguished itself and earned imperishable fame, that will be sung as long as history shall remain. In these heroic services to the nations allied in the indescribable conflict against Germany and her allies all races and all classes mingled in common their life blood to make the world safe for democracy. Then, all races and all classes should be perfectly protected in the enjoyment of those great principles of Democracy, and have equal rights before the law, with no unjust discrimination because of race or color.

We decry lynching. We pledge our support to any measures that will forever blot out this foul stain from our Christian land, and we hope, in the conclusion of the settlement of the World's Peace, that lynching shall be made punishable by law in State and Federal Courts, and that no criminal may escape just punishment from the fiendish crime, by any scheme or flimsy disguise when a helpless Negro happens to be the victim.

We heartily endorse the Governor of Texas in his recommending the State Legislature in the enactment of a drastic law on the subject of lynching.

Therefore, we, the Delaware Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, do place ourselves on record in favor of the adoption of this report as our sentiments as a religious body of men, that stands as a unit of this, one of the greatest nations of the earth, whose ideals and principles stand for equality in civil and religious life, between man and man, taking as our standard God our Father and man our brother, which we essay to believe and labor to effect.

Respectfully submitted,

S. HAMMOND, Chairman.

F. H. BUTLER, Secretary.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

He maketh the wrath of man to praise Him.

The great war has proved a revealer of secrets and sources of power. No single agency has been more prompt, more prolific, more efficient in supplying the first essential to success in arms than the American colleges. That first essential is trained men. We rejoice that Methodism has maintained the glorious record of all her history in magnificent contributions to the cause of liberty. Without Methodist money and Methodist men the story of the World War would be different.

We would hereby express our appreciation of what has been done by the schools and colleges and the Board of Education of our church. We urge the pastors to thoroughly acquaint themselves with these activities, that through them the people may be better informed of the vital relation between education and every vital interest of the nation. Appalling demands have been made and colossal obstacles have been overcome. But as we stand on the threshold of a new day the demand for service and the opportunity for service seem greater than in all the past.

Secretary Harris writes: "The victory of arms achieved,—it is ours to strive for that greater victory, failing which our armies will have fought in vain. We are face to face with opportunity, which if not welcomed will turn back, leaving us where we stood before we had spent our wealth and spilled our blood. The re-making of the world must be founded upon enlightenment and religion. To the centers of learning the world shall come and call for workers trained in mind and spirit.

"A new dawn is breaking upon a new world. Let us bring to the work hearts renewed in courage and zeal and a will unshakable to show all men justice and truth."

All doubt about the value of the Negro as an economic asset to the nation has long since disappeared, if it ever existed, from the Methodist Church. Nor has the church ever failed in the purpose to enhance that value by Christian education.

We therefore pledge ourselves to renewed efforts to promote the educational interests of our people in the Delaware Conference; first, by emphasizing the need of trained men and women, not alone for the pulpit and the school room, but for the pew, the shop, the farm and every civic and social relation to the end that the whole race may be lifted to a higher life; second, by making clear to all that this training cannot be obtained except by prayerful and persistent co-operation on the part of pastors and people with all the agencies and institutions devoted to the education of our people; third, by a hearty response to every call up to the limit of our resources, in time and strength and money, in support of Morgan College, Gammon Theological Seminary and all other of our denominational educational institutions.

W. C. JASON,
T. H. KIAH,
D. W. HENRY.

COMMITTEE ON PERIODICALS.

Your Committee on Periodicals earnestly recommends the careful attention of pastors and laymen and to remember that the Book Concern carries in stock such books from time to time as will give questioning minds the true and valuable information concerning the operations of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of which we all consider ourselves bona fide members and constituents. In the face of this fact, no pastor or layman of our great church can hope to reach the highest point of efficiency in grappling with the problems of these reconstruction days, after the World War, and this new day of the Centenary Movement in the church.

Therefore, we feel it our duty as your Committee to appeal to every brother pastor and leader to equip himself with knowledge for this herculean task which faces us at this point.

Such information may be found in the pages of the Southwestern Christian Advocate, The Foundation for Africa, The Centenary Manual, The Class Mate, The Christian Herald, The Crisis and such other books, pamphlets and papers, containing information on present-day problems which may not be found so easily in any other periodical than those furnished by the Book Concern of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Therefore, we suggest that such be read and studied in preference to so many daily newspapers, that our churches may become better informed upon the subjects of this "new day".

C. W. WINDER, President.

L. H. McARTHUR, Secretary.

COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Your Committee on the State of the Church most earnestly commend to the careful attention of the Conference the following considerations:

We greatly rejoice in the cessation of the great international war, with victory on the side of democracy, freedom and humanity. It now becomes the duty of mankind to seek a righteous and lasting peace—a reconstruction of the world upon Christian principles, demonstrating not only by a theoretical but by a practical acknowledgement the Fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man.

Since the churches of various denominations loyally and patriotically supported the United States and the allied nations in the defeat of autocracy and Prussian militarism, the churches must now continue to pray and work and give for the overthrow of the autocratic spirit in state and church at home and abroad, whether this spirit be manifested as individual, racial, national or international.

While we greatly rejoice in the victory secured by the friends of temperance in the adoption of the Constitutional Amendment, abolishing the liquor traffic in the United States, the church and nation must continue the fight to perpetuate the victories won, and to enlist all men, women and children everywhere in earnest endeavor to promote the cause of temperance and prohibition by instruction and total abstinence, and in the name of Almighty God work heroically for a triumphant and perpetual victory for legal prohibition that shall not only be state-wide, nation-wide, but sweep the death-dealing, soul-killing, infernal business, together with German militarism, Bolshevism, race prejudice and anarchy from the face of the earth, so that the world may be a fit place for all men, women and children, of all races and nationalities, to enjoy life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

We most heartily welcome the growing spirit of Christian Fraternity, and would gladly rejoice to see the organic union of the various Methodist Episcopal denominations. But we do not believe in any form of so-called organic union that would exclude from the reorganized church hundreds

of thousands of good and loyal members simply on account of race, color or nationality, or deny to any of them equal Christian rights and privileges; but we earnestly desire and pray for the kind of unity for which Jesus prayed (John 17:20-26), and which recognizes the Fatherhood of God and Brotherhood of Man.

More firmly than ever we believe the church must recognize that her divine commission is world-wide, embracing the whole human family of every race and clime, and ever remember and say with John Wesley, the founder of Methodism, "The world is my parish." So we most heartily approve the great Centenary program of the M. E. Church and the co-operation of the Federated Churches of America for a great forward missionary campaign for the reconstruction, evangelization and salvation of the whole world of mankind.

Most respectfully submitted,

J. H. NUTTER, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON THE SANCTITY OF THE SABBATH

The tendency of the masses seems to be drifting from the teaching of the Fourth Commandment. In many of the cities Sunday baseball and amusements of various kinds are allowed as harmless and needed recreation.

The Christian people in every city, town and community should rise in all of their might and protest against this growing evil, which is calculated to create in the minds of the young people a disrespect for the Holy Sabbath.

Again we call upon Christian men and women to instruct and advise against the desecration of the Sabbath.

W. C. BOWLAND, President,

W. H. JOHNS,

J. A. T. FOUST.

BIBLE.

We have occasion to give praise and thanksgiving to God for the marvelous opening of the Gospel through human agencies. The Church has had no better time in all its history than now to circulate the word of love and to impress the world of the principles of genuine brotherhood. Reports coming from reliable sources inform us that during the period of the great World War, just recently closed, that the Khaki Testament was much in evidence, and the Word of God found a lodging place in the hearts of many soldiers. We hope that the American Bible Society may have our support in its efforts to circulate the precious Word; that in the mighty task of rebuilding the world every heart will be gripped so mightily by the truth that everywhere real manhood will be exhibited, forming the only true essential basis for participation in the affairs of the kingdom.

L. B. BUCHANAN, Chairman.

I. D. PAINE, Secretary.

IX

MEMOIRS.

JOHN WESLEY BROWN.

The Rev. John Wesley Brown, the son of Horace and Elizabeth Brown, was born on Kent Island, Md., November 24, 1827, and died in Chestertown, Md., January 2, 1919, aged 91 years, 1 month and 9 days.

He was converted when a boy and joined the Methodist Church at his home. He was very anxious to learn to read and write and did so by applying himself to study, with what instruction he could get from any source. When the Civil War broke out he volunteered and was soon promoted to a sergeant in the army. On his return he was very well prepared for his day and became the first teacher in the Freedman School for the Eastern Shore.

Later he felt his call to the ministry, and having applied himself to study he was able to pass a creditable examination and was admitted to the Delaware Conference by Bishop Levi Scott at Mount Hope Church, in Salem, N. J. He served the following charges successfully: Lewes, Del., 2 years; Middletown, Del., 2 years; Smyrna, Del., 2 years; Fairlee, Md., 2 years; Denton, Md., 2 years, and was retired from 1888 until 1884, and was then restored to an effective elder again and served as follows: Green Hill and Kingston, 1 year; Greensboro, Md., 1 year; Deals Island, 3 years; Sassafras, Md., 1 year; Greensboro, Md., 1 year; Crumpton, Md., 2 years, and retired in 1892.

Bro. Brown was a shrewd man in his day and possessed some peculiarities for a minister which made him well known in the Delaware Conference. Much success attended his ministry and he done much good work for the people he served. Centennial M. E. Church in Smyrna owes much to this father and pioneer, because it was through his persistent efforts that we have a strong church there today.

His eyesight was wonderful and never failed him so he could not read until about 18 months ago. He was a great reader and could be found most any time reading God's Word. When his sight failed him he used to delight in hearing the family sing and would frequently rejoice when they were playing and singing around him.

He was indeed a patient sufferer and would often ask his daughter, who was so devoted to him, if he was not a lot of trouble, and she would reply in the negative; then he would say, "God gave you to me to care for me when I became old." He was once married and his companion preceded him to a better country.

He leaves to survive him one brother, two daughters, 22 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, two great great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews and distant relations.

It is not death to fling aside this sinful dust,

And rise on strong exulting wings to live among the just.

Jesus, thou prince of life, thy chosen cannot die;

Like thee, they conquer in the strife to reign with thee on high.

NICHOLAS B. SNOWDEN.

Nicholas B. Snowden was born in Mt. Zion, Montgomery County, Md., April 23, 1859. He was the son of the Rev. Lorenzo D. and Jemima Snowden; His father was an honored member of the Washington Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. His mother was a woman of deep piety. He became a Christian by profession when very young and joined Mt. Zion Methodist Episcopal Church.

In the county schools he was trained and afterwards took a special course under a private tutor and fitted himself and entered the medical department of Howard University. While a student there, he received what he believed to be an unmistakable call to the ministry. He began his ministry in the Delaware Conference in the year 1887, serving as a supply for one year at Skipton, Md., and was admitted on trial in 1888, and into full membership in 1890. He served the following appointments: Skipton, Church Hill and Chestertown, in Maryland; St. Daniels, Chester, Princess Anne, Md., Berlin, Md., and Leemont, Virginia.

In 1906, because of ill health, he requested and was granted a supernumerary relation. In 1911 he was made effective and served New Church, Virginia. In 1913 he was retired. In all of his appointments he was noted as an earnest, enthusiastic preacher and a faithful and diligent pastor. He was a man of amiable disposition, fiery zeal and intense devotion. He always showed great ability in bringing things to pass. He had a record of making a full report to the Annual Conference. He had an unswerving faith in the power of the Gospel to save.

After retiring he moved back to Western Maryland, in the bounds of the Washington Conference, where, after a brief illness, on May 15, 1918, he departed from the body to be present with the Lord when he heard his Master say, Well done, good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord.

In 1885, he married Miss Phoebe A. Waters, who still survives him. He also leaves nine children (three girls, six boys), one brother and one granddaughter. His funeral was preached by his son-in-law, Rev. T. P. Thomas, of the Washington Conference. The Revs. J. H. Beane, V. N. Hughes and L. L. Williams, of the same Conference, assisted in the service. His body rests in Mt. Zion Cemetery, in Mt. Zion, Montgomery, Md., to await the trumpet call of the archangel.

JAMES H. GRINNAGE.

The Rev. James Hezekiah Grinnage, the son of Asbury and Millie Grinnage, was born on Kent Island, Md., August 19, 1850, and died at Gouldtown, near Centerville, May 3, 1918.

Rev. Grinnage's father was an honored member of the Delaware Conference from 1866 until 1899, thirty-three years, which gave the late James of whom we are writing a Christian surrounding from early life. He secured his early training in public schools (with outside tutoring), and entered in a small business for himself in Wilmington, Del., many years ago. He succeeded very well for several years, but he felt his call to the ministry and could not be contented until he answered the call. We have not been able to secure the date that he entered th A. U. M. P. Con-

ference; however, he became a very strong man in that Conference and wrought well for several years as an elder in that connection. As the years went on somehow he felt and often said he wanted to end his days in the church of his father's choice from which he had gone out, and he came back to us, bringing his church and congregation that he was then serving. The Conference gladly accepted him and placed him on the supply list and gave him work and continued to do so until God called him from labor to reward.

He served well in his different appointments, considering his ability, and the people loved and respected him. He was highly spiritual and could stir the masses in his preaching, and was never satisfied until he had moved someone while delivering the word. On his return from Cape May from the seat of the Conference, where he had been assigned to Woodland Charge, he was taken sick and was not able to move and grew worse until the end.

Among his last words he announced the hymn "Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me; I once was lost but now I'm found was blind, but now I see," and asked his wife to sing it so he could understand it; he then preached from the text, "Quit yourselves like men; be strong," and in his own way delivered a message on his dying bed. Services were held in the church at Gouldtown, May 7, the District Superintendent, Rev. R. H. Wallace, presiding.

It is not death to fling
 Aside this sinful dust,
 And rise on strong exulting wings
 To live among the just.

Jesus, thou prince of life,
 Thy chosen cannot die;
 Like thee, they conquer in the strife
 To reign with thee on high.

CHARLES H. SPENCER.

The Rev. Charles H. Spencer was the son of S. W. and Eliza E. Spencer and was born in Cool Spring, Worcester County, Maryland, August 8, 1857, and fell asleep in Jesus at Wilmington, Del., Monday night, March 31, 1919. He was largely self educated and was a fair student, especially of the English Bible. He was converted at the age of 14 years and connected himself with what is now St. Matthews M. E. Church, Box Iron Charge, Girdle tree, Md.

He was licensed to preach by the St. Matthews Quarterly Conference in 1887. He served in the capacity of Trustee, Steward, Class Leader, Sunday School Superintendent, Exhorter and Local Preacher. He felt to be distinctly called of God to work in the church in the office of a minister, so that for the last twelve years he has served in the active work as pastor the following charges: Snow Hill Circuit, 5 years; Queponco, 4 years; Nassau, 3 years, less eight days.

On Monday, March 31, about the close of day, he was summoned by the Messenger Death to "arise and depart," for Nassau, the charge that he was serving, was not his rest. He obeyed the sudden command, arose, departed and entered into that rest that remaineth for the people of God.

He was married on February 26, 1878, to Miss Mary J. Collick. They were blessed with four children, only one of which survives her loving and indulgent father. On November 7, 1891, his companion was taken from him; thus he was alone until March 6, 1895, when Miss Amanda J. Tull, a sweet dispositioned young woman, came into his life. God blessed this holy union with nine children, all of whom survive their loving father.

He was a kind father and loving husband. He was a good friend and neighbor, always finding something good to say of everybody; and was always ready to help in every good cause. He was very congenial, kind and courteous, and well thought of by his many friends, both white and colored. He was very fond of singing; believed and preached the old doctrines of Methodist, which he loved and practiced.

As a preacher he was earnest forceful and convincing. The people, and especially those he served last, heard him gladly. Eternity waits to tell the number of souls brought to Christ under his powerful sermons. There are many present now who can bear testimony to the great power he had with the Lord in public prayer.

The funeral service was held in Ebenezer M. E. Church, Snow Hill, Md., April 3, 1919, Dr. D. H. Hargis, District Superintendent of Cambridge District, presiding. Brief addresses were made by Revs. D. H. Hargis, C. W. Pullett, J. H. Harman, T. H. Woodley, W. E. Hilton, J. W. Jewett, T. H. Kiah and Bro. J. C. Paynter. Others that took part in the service were W. J. Helm, R. H. Coleman, Alex Reed, M. W. Clark and J. L. Nichols. Resolutions were read from Cambridge District Preachers meeting and the Knights of Pythias of Snow Hill, Md.

He was laid to rest in the Ebenezer Cemetery, Snow Hill, Md., to await the resurrection morn.

MRS. MARY ROBERTA KIAH.

Mary Roberta Townsend, the daughter of the Rev. G. T. and Malinda Townsend, first saw the light of day at Stockton, Md., March 12, 1880. She was one of several children.

After attending the public schools of the various places where her father as an itinerant minister pastored, she determined to continue her studies, for she had developed a consuming desire to attend school where she could better prepare herself than she could in the public schools. Accordingly, in the spring of 1897 she entered Princess Anne Academy, at Princess Anne, Md., where the quality of her mind and the ease with which she mastered her most difficult lessons soon attracted the attention of her instructors. Her general deportment and scholarship won for her an admiration and respect which ever increased as the days went by. It was here at Princess Anne Academy that she met the Rev. Thomas H. Kiah. There developed between them a strong mutual friendship, which was destined to subsequently have an important effect upon her whole future career. In the year 1898 she graduated from Princess Anne Academy as valedictorian of her class of fourteen. The following year, 1899, she accepted the principalship of the Chestertown, Md., public school, which position she held with dignity and grace. In the year 1900 she entered Morgan College, Baltimore, Md., and here it was not long before the strength of

her mind with which God had so bounteously endowed her; her perseverance and close application to duty attracted the attention of the faculty, who discovered in her a strength of mind above mediocre. She graduated from the preparatory department in 1903 and from the college in 1905 without a peer, for she was the sole graduate in this year, making the exceptional average of 98 per cent.

In the summer of 1905 she was selected to travel in the west as leading soprano in a troupe led by Mr. T. R. Parker, A. B., in the interest of the Academy. Her deep, rich mezzo voice won many friends and admirers for her. At the same moment when she was selected to travel and sing in the west she was elected to the faculty of Princess Anne Academy. The impressions of her high moral and religious culture, and of her strong personality still survive in their effect upon her pupils. As time passed, the mutual friendship between her and the Rev. Thomas H. Kiah, who was a promising young pastor in the Delaware Conference, developed into an ardent and abiding love. Accordingly, they were united in holy matrimony by the late sainted Rev. Noah W. Moore. This was a happy marriage, and each fully supplied the deficiency in the other. With her husband, "Mame" was the ever brilliant star of his domestic hope; while with her, "Mr. Kiah" was ever the trellis around which the tendrils of an abiding love tenderly entwined themselves, and to them life was one joyous dream. This marriage, which took place in Baltimore City, June 27th, 1906, resulted in the blessing of five boys, Brewington, Lycurgus, Waldo, Gregory and Randolph, and an only daughter, Rodelia, all of whom survive their mother, many of whose qualities they inherit. As a mother she was sensible and kind; as a wife devoted and true, and entered whole heartedly and effectively into the work and interests of her devoted husband.

They were appointed by the Delaware Conference to St. Michaels (Md.) charge to be the spiritual leaders of the people. Here they established their first Christian home, of which she was the honored queen. They served here five years with dignity and fidelity. From here Rev. Kiah was called to the Principalship of Princess Anne Academy, where she occupied the chair of Latin with such rare dignity and efficiency that all her pupils were inspired by her spirit. She displayed such a familiarity with the old Latin celebrities that the raptured soul seemed transported through vast periods of time across magnificent expanses of space into the homes and by the firesides of these ancient masters, where the real Latin life was re-acted, and the otherwise cold and dull Latin sentences were vitalized by the re-incarnation of living men, and things about which they told.

She was a profound student of history, and the great scenes which stirred the world; which destroyed and constructed dynasties; which dethroned and enthroned rulers and customs, she so vividly portrayed that these scenes of a thousand years ago passed like a panorama before your wondering view. She was conversant with the live issue of the day, the wonderful present. The "world war"—its causes and possible consummate results; politics; science; religion, etc., were all subjects of her intelligent discussions. She was independent as a thinker, profound, conservative. She was the embodiment of high moral and religious ideals whose impress will ever survive.

Having been trained in a Methodist parsonage, the foundation for a Christian life was laid. Her profession of religion took place at Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church, Princess Anne, Maryland, under the min-

istry of her father, who survives her. In the passing of Mrs. Kiah a great woman has fallen; and an efficient educator has ended her labors. She was an ardent church lover, and her superb, clear, rich, deep, mezzo voice always announced the presence of this elect lady in the choir of which she was an honored memebre.

It was Monday evening at 6:45, October 7th, 1918, after her last lines in the drama of life were said; after her last role had been enacted; as the footlights were growing dim and the curtain of life was gradually falling; as the darkness of mystery was shrouding all in its ebon shades; when she had laid aside her terrestrial panoply of earth's conflicts, Mary Roberta Kiah passed off the stage of this life to appear more gloriously in the realities of the life which is eternal, of which the surrendered life is the merest prophecy.

E. OTHO PARKER.

MRS. HANNAH MARY WEBB.

Hannah Mary Webb, the oldest child of the late Mitchell and Mary G. Tyndale, first saw the light of day, September 1, 1847, and departed this life, September 15, 1918, in Westchester, Pa.

She was happily converted early in life and lived a consecrated and useful life. She found inexpressible joy in working and witnessing for her Lord and ours. Her class-room testimonials were the expressions of some deep spiritual experience with God. When she lifted her voice it was the shout of victory and the note of praise. She was gifted in song. Her voice was rich and resonant and when she was under the influence of the Holy Spirit her face was radiant with glory. She had sung many, many souls into the kingdom when she answered the summons from on high.

She was twice married. The first time to a Mr. Edward Frame, but the writer has no data of this first marriage. The second marriage was to the late Rev. J. E. Webb, a member of this Conference, February 23, 1882. It was a happy union. They were true companions in every sense of the word. She was his yoke-fellow in every trial. She was a great lover of young people. For those times she possessed unusual ability as a Sunday School teacher. She seemed to reflect the mind of the spirit in such a way as to interpret the word with power.

She was a long and patient sufferer, but she never lost the sweetness of her disposition; never lost the love of song. When alone she was often heard to sing out, "God Will Take Care of Me," "'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus," "Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine." When the end came it was so triumphant she simply stepped over into Beulah Land calmly and serene to receive the reward for which she had labored so long.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. H. Scott, District Superintendent of the Philadelphia District, assisted by Dr. Dunlap, pastor of Bethel A. M. E. Church, Westchester and the writer. The remains were laid to rest in Westchester cemetery to await the summons of the resurrection morning.

Prepared by J. R. Brown.

JESSIE ESTELL WATERS.

Jessie Estell Waters, the daughter of Mary and Hamilton Brackston, was born in Baltimore City, Maryland, February 25, 1875, and died at the age of 44 years, 9 months and 3 days.

She joined Sharp Street Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church in early childhood. To this church she was a loyal and faithful member, and never moved her membership. She attended school at Morgan College and graduated from same with high honors. She then taught school at Marion Station, Md. On May 8, 1895, she was married to Rev. Willmore E. Waters, and proved to be a loving faithful wife and mother and a great help to her husband in his ministerial work. Four children were born to this happy couple. During the year 1907 her health began failing and she was a long, patient sufferer, yet she told many that she trusted in God and had no fear of death, but, motherlike, she desired to see her oldest daughter graduate from Morgan College, which would be this year, and also to see her youngest son grown. But if it was the Lord's will to take her she was willing to go. She then called her children around her and requested that they would sing her favorite hymns, "Just as I am, without one plea, but that thy blood was shed for me," and "Abide with me."

On the morning of February 25, 1919, she quietly closed her eyes in death, leaving to mourn her loss a husband, four children, a mother, four brothers and two sisters, many relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held in the church at St. Michaels on Thursday, conducted by Rev. R. H. Wallace, District Superintendent, assisted by Rev. J. W. Jewett, J. H. Nutter and J. R. Holland. On Friday morning the body was moved to Baltimore, where the funeral services were continued in Sharp Street Memorial Church, conducted by Rev. Holmes and others.

J. R. HOLLAND.

XI

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 Wilmore 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	Centerville, 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 Philip 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	1865	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 Isajah 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.

NAME	REC'D	DIED	RESIDENCE AT DEATH
49 J. D. Elbert	1865	1896	Oxford, Md.
50 W. P. Purnell	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	1914	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.

NAME	REC'D	DIED	RESIDENCE AT DEATH
106 J. H. Pearce	1864	1915	Merchantsville, N. J.
107 A. F. Ennals	1895	1915	Carmichael, Md.
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	Centerville, Md.
124 N. B. Snowden	1888	1918	Mt. Zion, Md.
125 J. W. Brown	1871	1919	Chestertown, Md.

WIDOWS OF DECEASED MEMBERS.

Mrs. P. J. Adams
 Mrs. W. F. Butler
 Mrs. Peter Burroughs
 Mrs. E. H. Bean
 Mrs. W. J. Bean
 Mrs. C. E. Davis
 Mrs. W. H. Hopkins
 Mrs. C. A. Horsey
 Mrs. C. H. Hutchins
 Mrs. M. H. Horsey
 Mrs. J. H. Johnson
 Mrs. Hooper Jolley
 Mrs. N. W. Moore
 Mrs. D. W. Martin
 Mrs. W. J. Parker
 Mrs. J. A. Scott
 Mrs. P. T. Scott
 Mrs. G. H. Waters
 Mrs. R. J. Waters
 Mrs. J. E. Webb
 Mrs. F. F. Wheeler

Mrs. I. H. White
 Mrs. A. J. Wallace
 Mrs. Haman Ward
 Mrs. F. C. Wright
 Mrs. J. H. Pierce
 Mrs. G. W. Young
 Mrs. H. A. Monroe
 Mrs. M. L. McKinney
 Mrs. J. H. Winters
 Mrs. J. C. Dunn
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 Mrs. J. K. Adams
 Mrs. S. S. Jolley
 Mrs. A. F. Ennals
 Mrs. E. D. Haven
 Mrs. J. A. Jeffers
 Mrs. S. J. Hammond
 Mrs. J. E. Cook
 Mrs. J. W. Cook
 Mrs. W. F. Cotton
 Mrs. J. W. Fenderson

XII 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	Ezlon, 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	Ezlon, 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	Ezlon, 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	Ezlon, 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	J. 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, Salisbury	John W. Hamilton	John H. Blake
50	1913	Zoar Philadelphia, Pa.	J. F. Berry	John H. Blake
51	1914	Ezlon, 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
55	1918	Franklin St. Cape May, N.J.	Chas. Bayard Mitchell	J. M. Dickerson
56	1919	Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	J. F. Berry	J. M. Dickerson

XIII RESOLUTIONS.

RESOLUTIONS OF WELCOME TO BISHOP BERRY.

Whereas, In the wisdom of the Board of Bishops, we have had designated to preside over this the fifty-sixth sessions of the Delaware Annual Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, our resident and senior effective Bishop Joseph F. Berry, D. D., LL. D., and,

Whereas, In the Providence of Almighty God, his life has been spared and his health conserved, and he now comes to perform the duties and prerogatives that are his;

Resolved, That we extend to our chief pastors, the Bishops of our Great Methodism, our thanks for their profound wisdom in their selection of our presiding officer;

Resolved, Further, that we extend to Bishop Berry both for ourselves and on behalf of our lay-constituency a most cordial welcome;

Resolved, Finally, that we do hereby pledge to him our heartiest and most sympathetic co-operation in the transaction of all the business, and earnestly pray for him and the Conference the impartation of Divine wisdom and spiritual power while he shall preside over our deliberations.

(Signed) J. U. KING.

RESOLUTION FROM LAY ASSOCIATION.

Wilmington, Del., April 11, 1919.

Whereas, We as the Laymen of the Delaware Conference now in session, having considered the many important questions prescribed, beg leave to submit to the Delaware Conference the following resolutions:

Be it Resolved, That we heartily agree with the Centenary Program as presented to us and pledge the hearty support of the Laity of the Delaware Conference to the raising of the highest allotment.

Be it Further Resolved, That, whereas, the Centenary Movement, having originated in the mind of S. Earl Taylor, one of our most prominent Laymen, we feel that the greatest need of the Laymen's Association of the Delaware Conference is an "Old Folks' Home," and we petition this Conference to present this matter through a representative to the Joint Centenary Committee in New York City, that this "Home" be included in the Centenary Budget.

Be it Further Resolved, That it is the expectation of the Laity of the Delaware Conference that ministers of the Gospel receiving adequate support shall refrain from all indiscreet secular activities such as extensive farming, political activities for personal gain and other commercial pursuits; because we believe such activities will interfere with their efficiency as a Pastor.

Be it Further Resolved, That since the Negro, by his unquestioned loyalty to this country and to its flag, and his undying patriotism has demon-

strated his manhood and integrity, and since lynching has become rampant in this country and is not confined to any particular section, this Association pledges itself to exercise its every effort and energy to eradicate this evil and the kindred evils of the Jim Crow Car, Disfranchisement and Segregation of every kind, which are blighting the hopes of our youth and creating discord in their ranks rather than harmony.

Be It Further Resolved, That since the country has proclaimed Nation Wide Prohibition, we feel blessed that the great Methodist Episcopal Church, of which we are members, was the foremost of the active workers who brought grand victory to such a glorious cause, and since such victory is imperiled by pending Government legislation that might hinder the intentions of the original amendment, we wish to go on record as opposing any legislation that will annul or make ineffective the original amendment.

Be it Further Resolved, That we register ourselves desirous of such a system of education that will know no color.

Be it Further Resolved, That since the Laymen's Association of the Delaware Conference have raised \$1000.00 for a home for aged and infirm members of the Delaware Conference, without Conference recognition,

Be it Resolved, That we petition the Delaware Conference that the proposed "Home" be given a column in the Conference Benevolences, that all monies raised by the churches for the "Home" be included among the Conference Contributions of the church.

Be it Further Resolved, That we extend a vote of thanks to the Pastor and members of the A. U. M. P. Church of Wilmington, Delaware, for the use of their church for our meetings.

PROF. S. H. LONG,
H. W. JONES,
C. A. BROWN,
W. B. WATERS,
W. H. HAYMAN,
A. J. SELLARS,

GEORGE L. WATERS,
MRS. CLARICE WALKER,
PHADDEUS DESHIELDS,
MISS OLIVE A. HALL,
MRS. JULIA JOHNSON.
MRS. A. B. CLARK,

W. H. BARNES, M. D., Secretary.

H. S. WILSON, President of Laymen's Association.

D. MILLER, Secretary of Association.

RESOLUTIONS IN RE J. R. WATERS, AGENT CONFERENCE

CLAIMANTS' FUND.

Whereas, Bro. J. R. Waters has given two and a half years of special service as Agent for Conference Claimants' Fund with characteristic energy and conspicuous success;

Resolved, That we at this time express our thanks for service so ably rendered to a cause so important and so near our hearts.

W. C. JASON.

RESOLUTION ON INTER-CHURCH MOVEMENT.

Whereas, There is an effort on foot to organize an Inter-Church Movement among all the denominations of America for a great world redemption movement; therefore,

Resolved, That we, the members of the Delaware Conference, heartily endorse this movement and pledge our prayers and co-operation.

(Signed),

J. R. WATERS,
CHAS. H. TINDLEY,
W. C. JASON,
J. H. BLAKE.

RESOLUTION OF CONGRATULATION TO TRUSTEES OF STATE COLLEGE, DOVER, DEL.

We congratulate the trustees of the State College for Colored Students on the acquisition of a valuable farm in addition to former equipment, and express our appreciation of the effort of His Excellency Governor J. G. Townsend, Jr., for his interest in receiving from the State an appropriation of \$18,000 to complete payment for the same.

J. R. WATERS.

RESOLUTION RELATING TO GREECIAN TERRITORY.

For as much as it is reported that Greece is in danger of loss of territory, now held by the Turks but formerly belonging to the Greeks:

Resolved, That we, members of the Delaware Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church assembled at Wilmington, Delaware, on April 11th, respectfully represent to President Wilson and the American delegates to the Peace Conference our sincere wish that the just rights of Christian Greece will be fully protected in the Peace Treaty.

J. T. WALLACE,
CHAS. A. TINDLY,
DAVID H. HARGIS,
J. W. JEWETT,
C. W. PULLETT,
JNO. L. PARKER,
W. C. BOWLAND,
D. W. HENRY,
W. B. PERRY,

A. CHASE,
F. T. JOHNSON,
D. G. WATERS,
J. O. LOCKMAN,
W. H. HAYMAN,
M. P. STERLING,
J. H. HARMAN,
J. H. SCOTT,
F. H. BUTLER,
JOS. F. BERRY, President.

RESOLUTION ON CENTENARY APPORTIONMENTS.

Whereas, In the Centenary apportionments among the Conferences we have suggested the Colored Conferences take the smaller allotments

instead of the full pro rata taken by other Conferences of Methodism, and, Whereas, We are asking for a whole man's opportunity in the Church and State;

Resolved, therefore, That we, the members of the Delaware Conference, ask no letting down of the bars for us. We want a man's chance, and we will take a man's load.

Therefore, We will join with our Laymen's Association and take the full allotment of \$4,000,000.

(Signed),

J. R. WATERS.

C. A. TINDLY.

W. C. JASON.

RESOLUTION ON MISSIONARY SERMON.

Whereas, We have heard with profit and delight the thoughtful Gospel Missionary sermon preached by Rev. W. H. Johns.

Resolved, That we pray that the blessings of the Almighty may rest upon him and that he may live long to preach the tidings of the Blessed Lord for the uplift of all concerned.

J. H. BLAKE.

M. V. WATERS.

RESOLUTION ON MORGAN COLLEGE HALF CENTURY FUND.

The Bishop and District Superintendents have considered the matter of the uncollected portion of the Half Century Fund. In view of the extraordinary importance of this matter resulting from the obligations incurred, of the pledges made by the churches, and of the hope of larger gifts coming our way, we would recommend:

1. That all subscriptions and pledges of churches be collected by May 12, 1919, or by the earliest possible moment.
2. It is recommended that churches subscribe for Victory Bonds. Morgan College will accept such bonds at par on Half Century Fund.
3. That any deficiency after complying with the above be reserved until the Fall of 1919, after the Centenary Stewardship and Tithing Campaign be established.

W. A. HUBBARD.

T. H. KIAH.

RESOLUTION FOR EPWORTH LEAGUE INSTITUTE.

Resolved, That we endorse an official Epworth League Institute for the Delaware Conference and empower the Conference Epworth League Cabinet, acting with the District Superintendents; to constitute our Conference Committee on Epworth League Institutes.

(Signed),

J. R. WATERS.

W. C. JASON.

C. A. TINDLY.

RESOLUTION OF COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Whereas, The hour of the world conflict has passed, and great opportunities for the expansion of our Redeemer's Kingdom are open to us for the supreme task of the world's reconstruction, and,

Whereas, The great Centenary Movement is destined to meet the tremendous needs of the Methodist Episcopal Church as it deals with the Foreign Missionary Propaganda, and,

Whereas, As the Delaware Annual Conference, having raised this year for Foreign Missions \$4786;

Be it Resolved, That we, the members of the Delaware Conference, pledge ourselves to do all in our power to foster and develop the cause of Foreign Missions by preaching the Gospel and by pressing every interest that will hasten the day when the light of God's Kingdom shall fill the earth.

Humbly submitted,

E. E. PARKER, Chairman.
W. T. SPELLMAN, Secretary.
L. E. TOALSON,
M. V. WATERS.

THANKS.

Whereas, It has been our good pleasure and fortune to have held the fifty-sixth session of the Delaware Annual Conference in the magnificent building of Zion Methodist Episcopal Church, Wilmington, Delaware, and,

Whereas, Other churches and agencies have co-operated with the representatives of our church to make our stay here both pleasant and profitable;

Resolved, First, That we extend to the pastor, the Rev. Dr. J. U. King, our highest commendation and most sincere thanks for his untiring efforts and eminent success in the entertainment of our Conference. His affability, alertness and patience will not be soon forgotten.

Resolved, Second, That we thank the officers, members and friends of this church, who have rendered service either in financial contribution or in opening the doors of their rooms for our comfortable entertainment.

Resolved, Third, That we thank the choirs for the rendition of such beautiful music, and their promptness to serve us.

Resolved, Fourth, That we thank the sexton for his painstaking care of the building. We also suggest that a liberal collection be taken as a remuneration for his faithful services.

Resolved, Fifth, That we thank all pastors, officers, members and friends of all other churches who have in any way contributed to the success of our Conference session.

Resolved, Sixth, That we thank the public press for their space granted us in their columns, and the accuracy and cogency with which our business has been reported.

Finally, We pray God's richest blessings upon all, and trust that our meeting together may have been mutually helpful to all concerned.

J. T. WALLACE.

DELAWARE CONFERENCE RECORD OF SERVICE.

The date following the name at the top indicates the time when each person was received into full membership of the conference. The figure or figures at the end of the line indicates the term of service at that place.

Anderson, C. L. 1894.		Easton, Md.	3
Frankford, Del.	3	Pomona, Md.	3
Lincoln, Del.	4	Fairmount, Md., St. Andrew...	4
Stockton, Md.	7	Pocomoke City, Md.	4
Mardela Springs, Md.	7	Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	3
1917 retired.			
Angulo, Jose. 1905.		Bowland, W. C. 1900.	
Fordville, N. J.	2	Church Creek, Md.	1
Church Creek, Md.	2	McDaniel, Md.	3
Woodland, Md.	2	Nanticoke, Md.	2
Rock Hall, Md.	3	Quantico, Md.	5
Wittman, Md.	3	Fruitland, Md.	2
Aireys, Md.	3	New Castle, Del.	3
Madison	1	Coleman, Md.	2
Anthony, Alpha F.		Bowling, J. W. 1896.	
Brooklyn, N. Y.	2	Ridgely, Md.	4
Bantom, J. C. 1893.		Woodland, Md.	1
Carmichaels, Md.	1	Warwick, Del.	3
Aireys, Md.	1	Wigeon, Md.	1
Fair Oak, Va.	2	Fair Oak, Va.	2
Hurlock, Md.	2	Church Creek, Md.	3
Stockton, Md.	2	Hurlock, Md.	4
Oessa, Del.	2	Woodland, Md.	1
New Castle, Del.	2	1912 retired.	
Cheswold, Del.	3	Fruitland, Md.	2
Ridgely, Md.	3		
Williston, Md.	1	Bridgell, C. W. H. 1912.	
Stockton, Md.	1	Snow Hill Circuit, Md.	2
Seaford, Del.	4	Church Creek, Md.	1
Beecham, L. D. 1904.		Lewes, Del.	2
Exmore, Va.	5	McDaniel, Md.	2
Salisbury, Md.	7	Stevensville, Md.	1
Oxford, Md.	2		
Berry, B. W. 1893.		Bridgeman, J. M. 1914.	
Burlington, N. J.	1	Brooklyn, N. Y.	5
Salisbury Circuit, Md.	7	Hudson, N. Y.	1
Bridgeton, N. J.	6	Brittingham, I. J. 1919.	
Delair, N. J.	1	Dover Circuit, Del.	3
Supernumerary Relation	2		
Camden Mission, N. J.	4	Brown, J. R. 1889.	
Blake, J. H. 1890.		Queenstown, Md.	1
Lewes, Del.	2	Nanticoke, Md.	2
New Castle, Del.	3	Unionville, Md.	1
Dover, Del.	2	Salisbury, Md.	2
Haven, Philadelphia	1	Crisfield, Md.	2
Montclair, N. J.	2	Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	3
Salisbury, Md.	7	Middletown, Del.	2
Ridgely, Md.	1	Fairmount, Md.	1
Siloam, Chester, Pa.	3	District Superintendent of the Cam-	
Linkwood, Md.	1	bridge District 6 years.	
Centreville, Md.	3	St. Daniels	2
St. Michaels, Md.	3	Haven, Philadelphia	7
Greensboro, Md.	2	Butler, F. H. 1895.	
Blackiston, J. H. 1909.		Salisbury Circuit	2
Burlington, N. J.	10	Atlantic City, N. J.	4
Bond, J. W. 1887.		Centreville, Md.	4
Galena, Md.	4	Montclair, N. J.	10
St. Michaels, Md.	5	Zoar, Phila., Pa.	5
		Buchanan, L. B. 1913.	
		Easton Circuit	2
		South Berlin	1
		Quantico, Md.	3
		Delaware City, Del.	1

Bullen, J. N. 1914.

Woodland, Md.	2
Carmichaels, Md.	3
Fairlee, Md.	1

Campbell, F. G. 1919.

Bridgeton Circuit, N. J.	3
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Carson, B. B. 1919.

Stockton Circuit	2
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Chase, Abraham. 1892.

Townsend, Del.	3
Still Pond, Md.	4
Royal Oak, Md.	8
Greensboro, Md.	4
Fairlee, Md.	3
Trappe, Md.	4

Clark, M. W. 1905.

Catlin, Md.	2
New Castle, Del.	3
Church Hill, Md.	1
Lincoln City, Del.	6

Coleman, T. B. H. 1877.

Church Creek, Md.	1
Fruitland, Md.	2
McDaniel, Md.	2
Cottage Grove	1
Port Deposit, Md.	2
Mt. Zion, N. J.	2
Milford, Del.	1
Berlin, Md.	2
Pocomoke City, Md.	2
Chestertown, Md.	2
Queenstown, Md.	1
Centerville, Md.	1
Madison, Md.	1
Orloe, Md.	4
Oak Hall, Va.	3
Melltota, Md.	1
Church Hill, Md.	2
Delaware City, Del.	3
Crumpton, Md.	2
Jamestown, Md.	2
Wetpquin, Md.	5
Retired.	1

Coleman, R. H. 1888.

Woodbury, N. J.	1
Fair Oaks, Va.	2
Cokesbury, Md.	2
Newport, Del.	4
Delaware City, Del.	1
Bridgeton, N. J.	1
Wittman, Md.	1
Greensboro, Md.	3
Kent Island, Md.	2
Jamestown, Md.	1
Fairlee, Md.	5
Pomona, Md.	1
Carmichaels, Md.	2
Rock Hall, Md.	3
Hurlock, Md.	3
Harrington, Del.	2

Coleman, G. B. 1891.

Crapo, Md.	3
Millington, Md.	1
Cape May, N. J.	2
McDaniel, Md.	2
Bridgeville, Del.	2
New Castle, Del.	4
Watchapreague, Va.	1
Harrington, Del.	2
Salisbury Circuit	2
Port Deposit, Md.	2
1919 Retired.	

Cooper, T. W. 1901.

Seaford, Del.	8
Royal Oak, Md.	7
Lawsonia, Md.	4

Coulbourne, J. S. 1896.

White Haven, Md.	3
Quantico, Md.	3
Wattsville, Va.	18

Covington, C. T. 1913.

Liberia, Md.	1
Parsonburg, Md.	2
Delmar, Del.	1

Cox, L. Y. 1867.

Mt. Zion, N. J.	2
Milford, Del.	3
Harmony & Lewes	2
Dover, Del.	2
Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	2
Cambridge, Md.	1
Salem, N. J.	2
District Superintendent of the Cambridge District 4 years.	
Germantown, Pa.	1
Bainbridge St., Phila., Pa.	2
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.	2
Frankford, Pa.	1
District Superintendent of the Centerville District 6 years.	
Merchantville, N. J.	2
District Superintendent of the Cambridge District 6 years.	
Cape May, N. J.	1
Conference Evangelist	1
Fordsville, N. J.	1
1908 retired.	

Davis, J. L. 1900.

Wittman, Md.	1
Crumpton, Md.	3
Townsend, Del.	3
Dames Quarter, Md.	2
Parsonburg, Md.	6
Nanticoke, Md.	2
Phila., Pa., E. Calvary Mission	1

Davis, R. N. 1919.

Melltota, Md.	2
Parsonburg, Md.	1

Deakins, L. W. 1884.

Port Deposit, Md.	2
Middletown, Del.	3
New Castle, Del.	1
Salem, N. J.	1
Dover, Del.	2
Lewes, Del.	4
East New Market, Md.	3
Berlin, Md.	3
Deals Island, Md.	5
Snow Hill, Md.	3
Quantico, Md.	4
Odessa, Del.	4
Marydel, Md.	1
Longwoods, Md.	1
Townsend, Del.	1

Devron, Walter T. B.

Crumpton, Md.	2
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Dickerson, J. M. 1910.

McDaniel, Md.	4
Greensboro, Md.	5
Salisbury, Md.	2

Dickerson, O. P. 1905.

Odessa, Del.	2
Barclay, Md.	2
Delaware City	6
Jamestown, Md.	1

Downs, C. W. 1906.

Frankford, Del.	1
Seaford, Del.	4
Berlin, Md.	2
Laurel, Del.	5

Downs, G. W. 1897.

Catlin, Md.	1
Mardela Springs, Md.	8
Berlin, Md.	4
Linkwood, Md.	2
Box Iron, Md.	2
Woodland, Md.	2
Centreville Ct., Md.	2

Emptage, Sydney. 1914.

Asst. to E. Calvary, Phila., Pa.	1
Grenloch & Rhodes	2
Siloam, Chester	3

Foust, J. A. T. 1908.

Del. City & Kirkwood, Del.	1
Boston, Mass.	2
Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	4
Snow Hill, Md.	2
Camden, N. J.	3

Fields, G. T. 1897.

Siloam, Chester	1
Bridgetown Circuit, Md.	3
Marydel, Md.	7
Linkwood, Md.	3
Stevensville, Md.	5
South Berlin, Md.	2
Haven, Wilm., Del.	2

Fletcher, T. W. 1904.

Wittman, Md.	2
Denton, Md.	2
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	2
Germantown, Pa.	7
District Supt., Phila. Dist.	1

Gillis, J. W. 1905.

Trinity, Del.	1
Mardela Springs, Md.	2
Stockton, Md.	2
East New Market, Md.	4
Ridgely, Md.	4

Graham, R. A. F. 1919.

Salem Circuit, N. J.	3
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Grigsby, J. E. A. D. 1882.

Dover Circuit, Del.	1
Church Creek, Md.	2
Laurel, Del.	2
Harmony, Del.	4
Federalsburg, Md.	3
Trappe, Md.	3
Church Hill, Md.	2
Crumpton, Md.	2
Lincoln City, Del.	3
Jamestown, Md.	2
Leemont, Va.	4
Lewis & Harmony, Del.	1
Unionville, Md.	2
Withams, Va.	3
Cottage Grove, Md.	1
Longwoods, Md.	1

Hall, C. J. 1888.

Salisbury Circuit, Md.	3
Manokin, Md.	2
Rossville, N. Y.	2
New Castle, Del.	2
Bridgeville, Del.	2
Odessa, Del.	3
Hurlock, Md.	5
Carmichaels, Md.	5
Williston, Md.	3
Cordova, Md.	2
Liberia, Md.	1
Retired, 1918.	

Hargis, D. H. 1900.

Dames Quarter, Md.	1
Atlantic City, N. J.	2
St. Pauls, Phila., Pa.	1
Hudson, N. Y.	4
Centreville, Md.	2
Princess Anne, Md.	2
Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	2
Salem, N. J.	1
Cambridge, Md.	2
D. S. Camb. Dist.	3

Hammond Solomon. 1888.

Pocomoke City, Md.	1
Smyrna, Del.	2
Germantown, Pa.	1
Cape May, N. J.	1
1893 entered the New Jersey Conference of the A. M. E. Church and returned to the Delaware Conference of the M. E. Church, 1900.	
Federalsburg, Md.	1
Hudson, N. Y.	1
Bridgeton, N. J.	2
Nanticoke, Md.	2
Fruitland, Md.	2
Cheswold, Del.	2
Port Deposit, Md.	2
Trinity, Del.	1
1878 Washington Conference.	
Gettysburg, Pa.	1
Govenstown, Md.	2
Clarksburg, W. Va.	2
Cumberland, Md.	1
Lewisburg, W. Va.	1
Charleston, W. Va.	3
Trinity, Del.	2
Frankford, Del.	2

Handy, F. J. 1896.

Morgan College	2
Salem, N. J.	2
Newark, N. J.	4
Atlantic City, N. J.	3
Phila. Dist. Supt.	3
Zoar, Philadelphia	2
Montclair, N. J.	5

Harman, J. H. 1884.

Vienna, Md.	2
Madison, Md.	4
East New Market, Md.	2
Odessa, Del.	2
Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	2
New Castle, Del.	2
Merchantsville, N. J.	2
Crisfield, Md.	5
McDaniel, Md.	2
Oxford, Md.	2
Millford, Del.	2
Seaford, Del.	3
Vienna, Md.	1
Retired 1917.	

Harris, J. G. 1914.

Port Deposit, Md. 1
 Princess Anne Circuit, Md. .. 3
 Withams, Va. 2

Helm, William J. 1900.

Church Creek, Md. 2
 Lincoln City, Del. 3
 Hurlock, Md. 3
 Snow Hill, Md. 3

Henry, A. G. 1916.

Yonkers, N. Y. 3

Henry, D. W. 1913.

Cambridge Circuit 1
 Bridgeville, Del. 5

Hilton, W. E. 1880.

Preston, Md. 1
 Church Creek, Md. 2
 Nassau, Del. 3
 Berlin, Md. 3
 Delaware City, Del. 1
 Merchantsville, N. J. 2
 Newport, Del. 6
 Port Deposit, Md. 2
 Bainbridge, Phila., Pa. 1
 Maryland, Md. 1
 Milford, Del. 7

Holland, J. R. 1896.

Linkwood, Md. 1
 Whaleyville, Md. 2
 Wattsville, Va. 4
 Fruitland, Md. 2
 Chestertown, Md. 11
 Easton, Md. 4
 North Berlin 1

Hollis, G. R. 1896.

McDaniel, Md. 1
 Denton, Md. 2
 Mellitota, Md. 2
 Church Creek, Md. 1
 Oak Hall, Va. 2
 Wetpquin, Md. 1
 Harrington, Del. 2
 Frankford, Del. 2
 Aireys, Md. 1
 Bridgeville Circuit, Del. 2
 Centennial, Fairmount, Md. .. 2
 Rock Hall, Md. 3

Horsely, S. J. 1911.

Cokesbury, Md. 3
 Nassau, Del. 2
 Royal Oak, Md. 2
 Centreville, Md. 2

Hughes, R. C. 1912.

Beckwith, Md. 4
 Mt. Vernon, Md. 4

Hughes, W. J. L. 1899.⁹

Coleman, Md. 3
 Smyrna, Del. 1
 Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del. 8
 Dist. Supt. Salisbury District. 6
 St. Daniels, Chester 3

Hubbard, W. A. 1906.

Coleman, Md. 2
 Widgeon, Md. 4
 Dames Quarter, Md. 1
 Pomona, Md. 2
 Middletown, Del. 3
 Dist. Supt. Wilm. District.... 5
 Newark, N. J. 1

Jacobs, G. S. 1914.

Centreville Circuit, Md. 2
 Deals Island, Md. 2
 Liberia, Md. 2

Jason, W. C. 1893.

Probationer 2
 Orange, N. J. 1
 Bainbridge St., Phila. 1
 Janes, Germantown, Pa. 1
 State College, Del. 23

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. 4

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 3

Johnson, C. W. 1915.

Port Penn, Del. 1
 Barclay, Md. 2
 Horntown, Va. 2

Johnson, J. H. 1881.

Frankford, Pa. 2
 Stockton, Md. 1
 Salisbury Circuit, Md. 2
 Lewes, Del. 1
 Church Creek, Md. 3
 Leemont, Va. 1
 Seaford, Del. 2
 Fairlee, Md. 2
 Royal Oak, Md. 3
 Camden, Del. 2
 Kingston, Md. 2
 Deals Island, Md. 2
 Sassafras, Md. 1
 Odessa, Del. 3
 Port Deposit, Md. 3
 Burlington, N. J. 2
 White Haven, Md. 2
 Orlole, Md. 2
 Retired 1916. 2

Johnson, T. A. 1896.

Oak Grove, Del. 1
 Cape May, N. J. 1
 Denton, Md. 3
 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

Johnson, H. T. 1889.

Fair Oak, Va.	1
Salisbury Circuit, Md.	1
Ridgely, Md.	1
Greenwich, N. J.	1
Union, Md.	2
Mount Holly, N. J.	3
Orange, N. J.	4
Mount Joy, Del.	2
Jamestown, Md.	2
East New Market, Md.	2
Oxford, Md.	2
Newport, Del.	1
Greenock & Rhodes, N. J.	2
Hudson, N. Y.	2
Cape May, N. J.	6

Johns, J. E. A. 1896.

Bridgeton, N. J.	3
Mount Holly, N. J.	2
Salisbury, Md.	4
Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	4
District Superintendent of the Centreville District 6 years.	
Newark, N. J.	4
Germanstown, Pa.	1

Johnson, F. T. 1893.

Delaware City, Del.	1
Beckwith, Md.	2
Seaford, Del.	1
Leemont, Va.	2
Salem Circuit, N. J.	2
Still Pond, Md.	9
Denton, Md.	6
Federalsburg, Md.	4

Johns, W. H. 1904.

Barclay, Md.	2
Delaware City, Del.	2
Smyrna, Del.	2
Fairlee, Md.	3
Federalsburg, Md.	3
Chestertown, Md.	4

Johns, R. S. 1906.

Centreville Circuit, Md.	2
Orlole, Md.	2
Port Penn, Del.	4
Sinepuxent, Md.	1
Sassafras, Md.	2
New Castle, Del.	2

Johns, T. O. 1912.

Milton, Del.	1
Dover Circuit, Del.	1
Fordville, N. J.	1
Ossinning, N. Y.	2
Hudson, N. Y.	1
Conference Evangelist	1

Jolley, E. H. 1915.

East New Market Ct., Md.	1
Beckwith, Md.	2
Whaleyville, Md.	2

Klah, T. H. 1901.

Ocean City, N. J.	5
St. Michaels, Md.	4
Princess Anne Academy	9

Klah, J. A. 1908.

Ocean City, N. J.	2
Pleasantville, N. J.	5
Fairmount, Md.	4
Quantico, Md.	1

King, J. U. 1904.

New Haven, Conn.	1
Fordsville, N. J.	2
Oxford, Md.	2
Middletown, Del.	4
St. Michaels, Md.	2
Princess Anne, Md.	2
Ezlon, Wilm., Del.	3

Lankford, S. S. 1916.

Newark, Md.	1
Lewes, Del.	1
War Work	1
E. New Market Ct.	1

Laws, F. O. T. 1919.

Bridgeton, N. J.	3
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Lee, F. J. 1869.

Manokin, Md.	1
Salem, N. J.	3
Magnolia, N. J.	1
Middletown, Del.	2
Vienna, Md.	2
Pocomoke City, Md.	2
Middletown, Del.	1
Federalsburg, Md.	2
Lincoln City, Del.	2
Quantico, Md.	1
Royal Oak, Md.	3
Port Deposit, Md.	1
Deals Island, Md.	1
Nassau, Del.	5
Cheswold, Del.	1
Millington, Md.	3
Church Hill, Md.	4
Woodland, Md.	2
Retired 1914.	

Lockman, P. O. 1919.

Melltota, Md.	1
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Lowber, A. W. 1876.

Still Pond, Md.	3
Denton, Md.	2
Church Creek, Md.	2
Salisbury Circuit, Md.	2
Fruitland, Md.	1
Millington, Md.	2
Royal Oak, Md.	3
Newport, Del.	2
Townsend, Del.	1
Church Hill, Md.	3
Mardela Springs, Md.	3
Berlin, Md.	4
Dover Circuit, Del.	1
Sassafras, Md.	3
Barclay, Md.	2
Wetipquin, Md.	7
Retired 1917.	

Martin, L. H. 1891.

Skipton, Md.	1
Queenstown, Md.	3
Carmichaels, Md.	1
Kent Island, Md.	3
Church Hill, Md.	3
Orlole, Md.	4
Vienna, Md.	4
Frankford, Del.	6
Stockton, Md.	2

Martin, A. L. 1895.

Wattsville, Va.	3
Cambridge, Md.	12
Atlantic City, N. J.	10

Matthews, W. G. 1911.

Easton Circuit, Md. 2
 McDaniel, Md. 3
 Cambridge Circuit, Md. 4

McArthur, L. H. 1915.

Hudson, N. Y. 2
 Frankford, Pa. 2

McDonald, T. L. 1919.

Odessa, Del. 1
 Princess Anne Ct. 2

McDowell, A. A. 1917.

Dames Quarter, Md. 2
 Port Deposit, Md. 1

Miles, W. A. T. 1906.

Spring Lake 2
 Brooklyn, N. Y. 3
 Fairmount, Md. 4
 Salem, N. J. 5

Molock, J. F. 1892.

Odessa, Del. 2
 Salem, N. J. 2
 Germantown, Pa. 3
 Fairmount, Md. 3
 Berlin, Md. 9
 1912 retired.

Moore, L. S. 1911.

Port Penn, Del. 1
 Crumpton, Md. 2
 Townsend, Del. 3
 Dover, Del. 4

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.

Moore, C. W. 1896.

Fairlee, Md. 2
 Carmichaels, Md. 2
 Galena, Md. 4
 Federsburg, Md. 4
 Ridgely, Md. 5
 Millington, Md. 4

Murphy, M. H. 1912.

Dover Circuit, Del. 1
 Catlin, Md. 2
 Smyrna, Del. 4

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. 2

Nichols, J. L. 1912.

Taylor's Island, Md. 4
 Linkwood, Md. 2
 Box Iron 2

Norwood, C. A. 1895.

Cheswold, Del. 2
 Millington, Md. 1
 Centreville Circuit, Md. 3
 Catlin, Md. 2
 Delaware City, Del. 1
 Wittman, Md. 4
 Trappe, Md. 4
 Stevensville, Md. 1
 Centennial, Fairmount, Md. 2
 Dames Quarter 1

Nutter, J. H. 1881.

Leemont, Va. 1
 Royal Oak, Md. 2
 Professor in the Centenary Biblical Institute (Morgan College) 3 yrs. 3
 Pocomoke City, Md. 4
 Salisbury, Md. 3
 Crisfield, Md. 3
 Haven, Wilmington, Del. 1
 St. Michaels, Md. 1
 Bainbridge St., Phila., Pa. 3
 District Supt. of the Wilmington District 6 years. 3
 St. Daniels, Chester, Pa. 3
 Princess Anne, Md. 3
 Marion, Md. 4
 Royal Oak, Md. 2

Palmer, W. R. A. 1906.

St. Johns, Orange, N. J. 1
 Newark, N. J. 2
 Frankford, Pa. 2
 Siloam, Chester 1
 Mount Holly, N. J. 2
 Pocomoke, Md. 3

Palme, I. D. 1906.

Crapo, Md. 1
 Trinity, Del. 2
 Box Iron, Md. 3
 Beckwith, Md. 2
 Linkwood, Md. 1
 Church Hill, Md. 4
 Carmichael, Md. 1

Parker, E. E. 1879.

Talbot Circuit, Md. 2
 Millington, Md. 3
 Fairmount, Md. 2
 Salisbury, Md. 2
 Bainbridge St., Phila., Pa. 3
 Ezion, Wilmington, Del. 2
 D. S. Cambridge District 6
 Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J. 6
 Salem, N. J. 2
 Merchantsville, N. J. 3
 Cape May, N. J. 4
 Sommerville, Pa. 6

Parker, E. O. 1896.

Delaware City, Del. 1
 Bridgeton, N. J. 2
 Delaware City, Del. 2
 Smyrna, Del. 3
 Milford, Del. 2
 Haven, Wilmington, Del. 2
 Coleman, Md. 2
 Westmont, N. J. 1
 Camden, N. J. 4
 Princess Anne, Md. 3

Parker, J. W. 1904.

Greenlock, N. J.	1
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	3
Merchantsville, N. J.	4
Quantico, Md.	2
Stockton, Md.	2
Vienna, Md.	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.	2
Sharptown, Md.	1
Fairmount, St. Andrews	2

Parker, J. L. 1900.

Chincoteague, Va.	1
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	5
Salisbury Circuit, Md.	3
Still Pond, Md.	3
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	1
Oxford, Md.	4
Middletown, Del.	2

Peaco, J. I. 1918.

Grenlock and Rhodes	3
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Perry, W. B. 1915.

Mt. Holly, N. J.	2
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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
Federalburg, Md.	2
Fairmount, Md.	2
Marydel, Md.	2
Mardella, Md.	3

Price, P. W. 1896.

Newport, Del.	2
Lewes, Del.	3
Church Hill, Md.	1
Cambridge Circuit, Md.	1
Box Iron, Md.	2
Townsend, Del.	2
Millington, Md.	5
Cheswold, Del.	2
Still Pond, Md.	4

Pullett, C. W. 1891.

Quantico, Md.	3
Marlon, Md.	3
Snow Hill, Md.	2
Fairmount, Md.	2
Orange, N. J.	4
Princess Anne, Md.	2
Easton, Md.	4
District Superintendent	6
Cambridge, Md.	1
White's Chapel, Salisbury	2

Purnell, J. R. 1911.

Church Creek, Md.	3
Thomsontown, Md.	1
Cambridge Circuit, Md.	1
Wachapreague, Va.	4

Purnell, Henry R. 1909.

Somerville, Pa.	2
Salem, N. J.	2
Marydel, Md.	1
Longwoods, Md.	2
Greenwood, Del.	2

Quillen, D. S. 1910.

Madison, Md.	3
Vienna, Md.	3
East New Market, Md.	4

Quinn, F. H. 1915.

White Plains, N. Y.	2
Engaged in War Work	2

Randall, T. E. 1912.

Odessa, Del.	2
Greenwoody, Del.	3
Galena, Md.	2

Raisin, Malachi. 1909.

Bridgeville Ct., Del.	2
Nassau, Del.	3
Hudson, N. Y.	2
Townsend, Del.	4
Sharptown, Md.	1

Ridout, D. A. 1882.

Bridgeton, N. J.	1
Smyrna, Del.	2
Haven, Wilmington	3
Princess Anne, Md.	3
Cambridge, Md.	3
Middletown, Del.	1
Orange, N. J.	1
Merchantville, N. J.	2
Chestertown, Md.	3
Snow Hill, Md.	2
Nanticoke, Md.	2
Laurel, Del.	4
Fruitland, Md.	2
Millford, Del.	1
Oxford, Md.	3
St. Michaels, Md.	1
Centreville, Md.	3
Marion, Md.	2

Robbins, L. T. 1894.

Camden, Del.	1
Unionville, Md.	2
Crumpton, Md.	2
Bridgeville, Del.	2
Dames Quarter, Md.	3
Vienna, Md.	2
Wetpsquin, Md.	2
1910 Supernumerary	1
Effective 1911.	
Salem, N. J.	1
Brooklyn, N. Y.	1
Snow Hill, Md.	1
Bainbridge St., Phila.	1
Port Deposit, Md.	1
Port Penn, Del.	4

Robbins, Lewis T. 1913.

Millsboro, Del.	3
Alreys, Md.	1

Robinson, R. R. 1914.

White Plains, N. Y.	1
1915 Supernumerary	1
Box Iron, Md.	2
South Berlin, Md.	2

Rogers, E. E. 1898.

Harrington, Del.	1
Puncheon Landing, Md.	2
Parsonburg, Md.	3
Sharptown, Md.	2
Leemont, Va.	7

Scott, J. H. 1886.

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 Philadelphia District.	6
D. S. So. Phila. Dist.	1

Shelton, P. M. 1892.

Coleman, Md.	2
Denton, Md.	1
Cheswold, Del.	2
Laurel, Del.	4
Oxford, Md.	2
Greensboro, Md.	6
Centreville, Md.	3
Magnolia, N. J.	6
Merchantville, N. J.	2

Shockley, C. W. 1911.

Greenwood, Del.	3
Salem, N. J.	3
Mt. Holly, N. J.	1
Delair, N. J.	2

Sheckley, A. R. 1876.

Passaic, N. J.	1
Laurel, Del.	2
Germantown, Pa.	1
Bridgeville, Del.	1
Haven, Phila., Pa.	2
Transferred to the Newark Conference.	
Paterson, N. J.	1
Chestertown, Md.	1
Zoar, Phila., Pa.	2
Transferred to the New York East Conference.	
New Haven, Conn.	2
Dover, Del.	1
Easton, Md.	3
District Superintendent of the Salisbury District 6 years, and the Philadelphia District 6 years.	
Mt. Clair, N. J.	1
1905 retired.	
1908, Effective.	
Smyrna, Del.	2
Morrisville, N. J.	3
Retired 1916.	

Showell, E. F. 1915.

Church Creek, Md.	5
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Sneed, H. C. 1919.

Keller, Va.	3
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Spellman, W. T. 1907.

New Haven, Conn.	1
Burlington, N. J.	1
Catlin, Md.	1
Marydel, Md.	2
Coleman, Md.	3
Unionville, Md.	2
Hopewell, Md.	2

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.	3
Crisfield, Md.	2

Sterling, M. P. 1907.

White Haven, Md.	1
Jamestown, Md.	3
Pomona, Md.	4
Salisbury, Md.	1
Whites Chapel, McDaniel, Md.	1
Stevensville, Md.	2
Cottage Grove, Md.	1

Stevenson, J. H. 1906.

Morrisville, N. J.	6
White Plains, N. Y.	1
Sassafras, Md.	3
New Port, Del.	4

Stanley, J. O. 1912.

Delaware City, Del.	1
Smyrna, Del.	2
Preston, Md.	1
Wittman, Md.	4

Stewart, K. S. 1918.

Catlin, Md.	2
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Taylor, J. L. 1912.

Sassafras, Md.	1
Barclay, Md.	3
Cheswold, Del.	4

Thompson, M. A. 1913.

Cheswold, Del.	3
Middletown, Del.	2
Cambridge, Md.	2

Thompson, R. B. 1919.

Cokesbury, Del.	3
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Tindley, C. A. 1885.

South Wilmington, Del.	1
Cape May, N. J.	1
Odessa, Del.	2
Pocomoke Circuit, Md.	3
Fairmount, Md.	3
Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	2
D. S. Wilmington District	3
Calvary, Phila., Pa.	18

Toulson, L. E. 1886.

Orle, Md.	2
Leemont, Va.	2
Pomona, Md.	5
Royal Oak, Md.	4
Linkwood, Md.	4
Marion, Md.	6
Townsend, Del.	3
Galena, Md.	4
Hurlock, Md.	2

Townsend, G. T. 1883.

Milton, Del.	1
Bridgeville, Del.	3
Cape May Circuit, N. J.	1
Port Deposit, Md.	2
Preston, Md.	5
Princess Anne, Md.	3
Galena, Md.	5
Carmichaels, Md.	7
Alreys, Md.	4
Dames Quarter, Md.	4
Hopewell, Md.	4
Unionville	2

Turner, W. H. 1900.

Barclay, Md.	2
Cheswold, Del.	2
Nassau, Del.	1
Linkwood, Md.	3
Marydel, Md.	2
Catlin, Md.	1
Oak Hall, Va.	1
Oriole, Md.	2
Sharptown, Md.	2
Dames Quarter, Md.	2
Wetipquin, Md.	2

Wallace, R. H. 1904.

Cape May, N. J.	1
Denton, Md.	3
Laurel, Del.	3
Easton, Md.	4
Chestertown, Md.	1
Frankford, Pa.	2
1918, D. S. Centreville Dist.	2

Wallace, Jessie T. 1911.

Withams, Md.	3
Crisfield, Md.	2
Merchantville, N. J.	1
Magnolia, N. J.	2

Waters, M. V. 1894.

Wilgeon, Md.	2
Siloam, Chester, Pa.	2
Greenlock, N. J.	2
Mount Holly, N. J.	3
Merchantville, N. J.	3
Salem, N. J.	4
Magnolia, N. J.	2
Brooklyn, N. Y.	1
John Wesley, Phila.	3
Denton, Md.	4

Waters, J. R. 1879.

Snow Hill Circuit, Md.	1
Fruitland, Md.	3
Salisbury, Md.	2
Princess Anne, Md.	3
Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	3
Cape May, N. J.	1
Salem, N. J.	1
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.	1

District Superintendent of the Wilmington District 6 years, and of the Salisbury District 6 years.

Germantown, Pa.	7
Newark, N. J.	3
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.	2
Agent Conf. Claim End. Fund	2
Brooklyn, N. Y., Newman	1

Waters, S. A. 1912.

Deals Island, Md.	2
White Haven, Md.	5
Pomona, Md.	2

Waters, R. G. 1897.

Bridgeville, Del.	2
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	3
Milford, Del.	3
Crisfield, Md.	4
Salisbury, Md.	5
Orange, N. J.	5

Waters, D. G. 1910.

Whaleyville, Md.	2
Catlin, Md.	1
Still Pond, Md.	4
Preston, Md.	4

Waters, Roswell. 1906.

White Haven, Md.	2
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Waters, W. E. 1896.

Cheswold, Del.	1
Port Deposit, Md.	2
Milford, Del.	2
Chestertown, Md.	2
Middletown, Del.	3
Princess Anne, Md.	3
Coleman, Md.	1
Galena, Md.	1
Siloam, Chester, Pa.	1
Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	1
John Wesley, Salisbury, Md.	3
St. Michaels, Md.	3

Webb, E. H. 1881.

Horntown, Va.	2
Green Hill, Md.	3
Frankford, Pa.	3
Haven, Phila., Pa.	3
Germantown, Pa.	3
Ezlon, Wilmington, Del.	1
Camden, N. J.	3
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.	4
Haven, Wilmington, Del.	5
Dover, Del.	2
Odesa, Del.	1
Alreys, Md.	1
Newport, Del.	4
Retired in 1916.	

West, W. C. 1903.

Trinity, Del.	1
Vienna, Md.	1
Madison, Md.	4
Preston, Md.	5
Carmichaels, Md.	1
Pomona, Md.	2
Sassafras, Md.	2

Whittington, J. M. 1901.

Madison, Md.	1
Preston, Md.	3
Bridgeville, Del.	1
Sassafras, Md.	2
1910 Supernumerary Relation.	5
Stockton Circuit, Md.	6
Beckwith, Md.	2
1919 Supernumerary Relation.	1

Winder, C. W. 1906.

White Plains, N. Y.	2
Laurel, Del.	2
Middletown, Del.	1
Fairlee, Md.	3
McDaniel	1

Woodley, T. H. 1906.

Fordsville, N. J.	2
Hudson, N. Y.	2
Berlin, Md.	7
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STATISTICAL TABLES

Cambridge District

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88 Broad St., Princess Anne, Md.

Table with columns: CHARGES, PASTORS, Ministerial Support (Suprt of Pastor, Support of District, Support of Bishops, Support of Conf., Support of Clerg.), Total Delinquency, Church Membership (Prob'rs, Full Mem'rs, Deaths Dur., Non-Resident Members on Roll, Now on Roll, Received Dur., Local Preachers), Church Property (Estimated Value, Parsonages, Paid for Build'ngs and Im-provements, Paid on Old In-debtedness on Ch's and Pat'rs, Present Indeb-tedness on Ch'ch and Parsonages, Current Expens-es, Fuel, Light, etc.), and a final column for 1910-1915 totals and increase/decrease.

Total for 1910.....
Total for 1915.....

Increase.....
Decrease.....

CHARGES	Ministerial Support										Church Membership					Church Property										
	Sup't of Pastor		Support of District		Support of Bishops		Support of Conf. of Clam'ts		Total Paid for Support		Total Deficiency		Local Preachers		Probr's Full Mem's		Members on Roll		Paid for Build'gs and Im-provements		Paid on Old In-debitments		Present Indeb-tedness on Ch'rch and Parson-ages		Current Expen-ses, Section	
	Total	Includ-ing House Rent	Total	Includ-ing House Rent	Total	Includ-ing House Rent	Total	Includ-ing House Rent	Total	Includ-ing House Rent	Total	Includ-ing House Rent	Received Dur-ing Year	New on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident	Deaths Dur-ing Year	Ch'rch and Par-sonages	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Ch'rch and Par-sonages	Estimated Value	Ch'rch and Par-sonages	Estimated Value	Ch'rch and Par-sonages	Estimated Value
1 Cottage Grove.....	610	610	96	96	10	10	10	10	8	8	664	1	15	18	118	1	4000	1	1000	1	4000	76	50	1000	460	841
2 Crisfield.....	1080	1080	64	64	16	16	16	16	8	8	976	1	24	20	180	1	8000	1	2000	1	8000	24	1000	875	125	
3 Dames Quarter.....	900	900	60	60	10	10	10	10	18	18	882	1	6	14	823	1	8000	1	250	1	8000	6	375	825	83	
4 Dairs Island.....	610	610	60	60	10	10	10	10	35	35	575	1	6	67	68	41	4031	1	1000	1	4031	41	825	794	83	
5 Fairmount, Centennial.....	660	660	60	60	10	10	10	10	10	10	716	1	40	2	94	1	7120	1	850	1	7120	10	582	660	894	
6 Fruitland.....	770	770	720	48	14	5	49	10	15	40	819	1	89	12	335	7	5000	1	1600	1	5000	100	90	682	700	
8 Greenwood.....	770	820	50	86	28	2	42	2	42	2	715	1	5	4	10	125	12	4000	1	1200	1	4000	100	211	400	
9 Hebron.....	708	708	60	28	2	2	2	2	2	2	810	1	2	2	85	3	3700	1	1500	1	3700	100	100	285	90	
10 Hornetown.....	700	700	80	48	14	12	46	12	772	34	20	4	8	18	184	4	2	3300	1	1150	1	3300	80	267	200	35
11 Jantown.....	886	886	60	56	14	10	10	10	645	30	1	4	4	84	12	6	4000	1	750	1	4000	28	475	500	410	
12 Ketter.....	960	960	60	56	16	6	6	6	1020	59	6	1	6	148	8	1	4000	1	676	1	4000	676	950	637	60	
13 Kingston.....	700	700	60	44	10	10	10	10	734	6	4	4	8	160	5	8	7000	1	1800	1	7000	200	240	1400	200	
14 Landon.....	1030	1030	60	54	16	16	16	16	1086	28	1	2	30	18	94	5	3000	1	2900	1	3000	6	850	35	460	
15 Leconte, Va.....	869	869	60	41	18	18	18	18	809	28	2	2	30	30	490	12	2	7000	1	2900	1	7000	200	240	1400	200
16 Littleton.....	873	873	50	36	11	11	11	11	823	8	2	1	4	16	147	6	1	1000	1	850	1	1000	6	828	268	887
17 Liberia.....	650	650	50	36	11	11	11	11	600	34	2	1	1	102	6	1	1000	1	850	1	1000	60	70	180	35	65
18 Marion Station.....	940	940	100	64	16	10	16	16	827	82	1	50	50	50	156	40	2	3500	1	1000	1	3500	80	820	608	290
19 Mt. Vernon.....	760	760	60	54	12	10	12	10	706	1	1	6	6	18	40	2	6	2000	1	1500	1	2000	65	38	1460	275
20 Nanticoke.....	750	750	50	44	14	14	14	14	700	1	1	50	50	186	186	2	2	1500	1	1000	1	1500	95	38	96	194
21 P. W. Waters.....	720	720	60	52	12	10	12	10	660	1	1	6	6	45	35	2	6	3000	1	2500	1	3000	67	72	250	115
22 Priole.....	872	872	72	60	14	10	14	10	800	30	6	8	8	22	22	6	2	2000	1	1500	1	2000	30	278	592	76
23 Pocomoke City.....	1044	1044	144	64	16	16	16	16	1180	56	6	8	8	82	24	6	6	10000	1	2500	1	10000	76	534	1600	481
24 Princess Anne.....	1150	1150	150	64	16	16	16	16	1256	66	5	5	5	15	81	5	1	5000	1	3500	1	5000	100	224	1628	189
25 Princess Anne Circuit.....	550	560	50	32	8	8	8	8	688	38	4	6	6	4	100	28	6	4500	1	600	1	4500	100	224	1628	189
26 Quantico.....	760	760	60	54	14	7	14	7	706	14	1	2	2	1	40	4	1	2000	1	1500	1	2000	160	254	278	64
27 Salisbury—John Wesley.....	1020	1020	120	64	16	16	16	16	1038	1	1	3	3	185	185	8	1	6000	1	5000	1	6000	310	760	939	880
28 Salisbury—White's Chapel.....	884	884	88	48	12	12	12	12	952	1	1	17	17	17	121	1	1	3500	1	800	1	3500	57	228	274	82
29 Sharpstown.....	850	850	100	64	14	14	14	14	958	1	1	8	8	235	235	16	2	4000	1	1500	1	4000	628	178	76	450
30 Unionville.....	775	775	75	48	14	14	14	14	800	26	3	2	2	4	188	4	2	4000	1	1000	1	4000	325	76	450	45
31 Wachapreague, Va.....	700	786	60	48	14	8	48	20	860	26	3	2	2	4	188	4	2	4000	1	1000	1	4000	1185	64	1400	188
32 Watville, Va.....	1072	1072	72	64	16	16	16	16	1202	20	4	3	3	39	39	11	2	1400	1	2500	1	1400	307	171	60	100
33 Weymouth.....	400	400	40	24	2	2	2	2	429	20	2	2	2	26	26	2	2	4000	1	600	1	4000	87	140	184	100
34 Weymouth Mission.....	700	700	60	48	11	12	45	25	855	40	5	4	4	45	178	18	2	4000	1	1800	1	4000	372	140	184	100
35 White Haven.....	700	700	60	48	11	12	45	25	855	40	5	4	4	45	178	18	2	4000	1	1800	1	4000	372	140	184	100
36 White Haven.....	810	810	60	48	11	12	45	25	924	41	5	4	4	45	178	18	2	4000	1	1500	1	4000	259	259	259	156
37 W. H. Harris.....	810	810	60	48	11	12	45	25	924	41	5	4	4	45	178	18	2	4000	1	1500	1	4000	259	259	259	156
Total for 1918.....	29508	29603	2681	1840	1840	455	401	1580	977	87701	618	50	640	617	6598	320	240	62	43850	5747	9850	10007	43850	10007	9850	7019
Total for 1919.....	28661	28409	2680	1529	382	303	677	403	29167	463	74	640	641	1206	6803	279	161	63	42380	6182	9217	9612	42380	9612	9217	8068
Increase.....	2947	3194	51	304	811	78	96	908	604	8594	168	24	281	659	204	41	78	8	8000	1670	808	6670	808	6670	1047	

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS
E. OTHO PARKER, Statistician, 33 Broad Street, Princess Anne, Md.

CHARGES	Ministerial Support				Church Membership				Church Property				Con- Expenses.																						
	Total claim incl. House Rent	Support of Pastor	Support of District Supt	Support of Bishops	Support of Conf. of Bishops	Support of Clergy	Prob'ty Full Members	Prob'ty Junior Mem- bers	Prob'ty Senior Mem- bers	Churches	Probable Value	Parsonages	Probable Value	Bids and Imprv. Churches, &c.	Paid on Church Property Debt	Present Church Property Debt	Current Expens- see, Section Fuel, Libry, etc	Amt Appor'd for Quadr'm	Paid This Year	Bal. Due for Year															
Cambridge.....	24674	24654	2141	1507	1510	851	286	1183	474	26769	1147	67	700	621	5078	141	150	568	826	70	142382	81	125382	31	4906	7848	19306	5088	278	80	150				
Centreville.....	28657	23246	2048	1300	1530	533	318	160	602	26582	694	85	400	385	4189	177	139	605	675	57	122078	20	6934	20513	6034	20513	6034	20513	6034	20513	6034	20513	6034		
Philadelphia.....	41180	39838	6732	2392	2230	547	533	2308	2622	44027	1806	81	1137	2181	9908	278	184	1433	1194	87	624250	39	50285	11111	50285	11111	50285	11111	50285	11111	50285	11111	50285	11111	
Salisbury.....	29508	29603	2881	1840	1840	485	401	1580	367	32761	686	60	640	611	6300	320	240	1102	747	62	174743	49	48950	130007	48950	130007	48950	130007	48950	130007	48950	130007	48950	130007	48950
Wilmington.....	20678	20895	2716	1619	1819	524	303	463	434	23536	61	28	380	86	185	407	809	47	187263	21	20225	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815	6815
Totals for 1919.....	144601	137379	16338	10137	11658	3092	1830	4604	4108	154758	3694	264	3457	4410	29239	1995	811	4903	6008	278	1007047	228	208385	83145	49018	211692	48530	1105	681	491	800	333	800		
Totals for 1918.....	116948	117246	14950	8174	8104	1725	1540	3555	2706	131798	3756	258	3619	4659	28317	1852	649	4688	4094	236	1056177	126	181806	82807	45856	244444	45088	1236	333	800	333	800			
Increase.....	25043	20730	1349	663	894	336	830	2941	1798	22705	108	6	156	640	882	387	62	383	101	7	41865	8	21089	338	4562	22822	8402	41	245	18	245	18			
Decrease.....																																			

TREASURER'S REPORT BY DISTRICTS
REV. W. J. HELM, Treasurer, Snow Hill, Md.

DISTRICTS	Disciplinary Benevolences as Ordered by the General Conference										Benevol's Ordered by An. Conf.										Sunday Sch's																	
	Chrch.	Sundays	Special	Church	Foreign Missions & Ch. Ex.	Missions	Home	Chrch.	Sun Schs	Publ. Coll.	Children's	American Bible Fund	Board of Temp. Benevol.	General Deacon- penance	W. F. M. S.	Cash	Supplies	City Miss or Ch. Ex.	Total Disciplina- ry Benevolences	Semi-Annual	Hospital	Church Aid	Conf. Sup- port	District Parson- age	Domestic	Total Benevol- ences	An. Conf. n- Ar. for C. C.	Central Off. C. Expenses	Support Conf. Chairmen's	Grand Total	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment	In all Depts	Adults Baptized	Ch. Idren Baptize	Bap. Child under Instr. as Prob.		
Cambridge.....	838	125	10	254	56	66	10	18	10	88	48	88	76	41	25	68	25	1911	1911	2543	...	214	128	278	128	8391	886	39	485	8072	65	501	4089	19	419	312	19	419
Centreville.....	391	129	10	922	48	14	139	40	57	82	42	46	44	14	2	59	114	1548	1548	1639	...	924	114	...	147	2223	625	39	578	6018	54	401	3607	27	825	193	27	825
Philadelphia.....	1380	819	74	1400	611	28	578	88	83	153	20	200	43	153	81	67	67	6709	6709	2518	...	560	165	...	210	3502	2504	79	1618	17909	45	619	10608	44	404	493	44	404
Salisbury.....	410	227	81	451	144	11	226	76	82	115	48	80	68	27	23	126	40	2183	2183	2544	...	937	181	370	182	3624	449	49	954	9590	69	578	5164	6	217	90	6	217
Wilmington.....	718	188	184	688	184	11	116	44	57	116	44	57	116	16	107	116	116	2787	2787	1438	...	331	147	...	125	2091	350	42	465	5100	46	617	8091	9	217	90	9	217
Total 1919.....	9282	1477	118	3245	1185	68	1520	316	555	780	260	400	553	141	810	572	65	81	15138	10692	...	1915	735	618	851	14831	4093	248	4015	48908	279	2114	27499	186	1711	1447	186	1711
Total 1918.....	3438	1477	26	3804	121	570	248	416	418	258	276	234	89	800	592	120	15	11365	39016	...	1850	679	807	676	7228	2400	924	4706	39306	27	2137	28821	125	1668	1508	125	1668	
Increase.....	221	1477	98	56	1185	68	44	392	11	1185	780	260	400	553	141	572	65	3773	7586	...	85	56	159	176	7603	1633	24	1309	16000	8	49	822	61	48	61	48		