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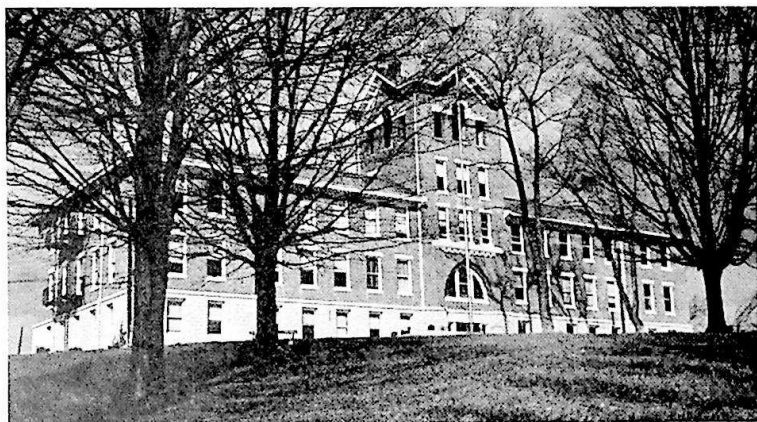
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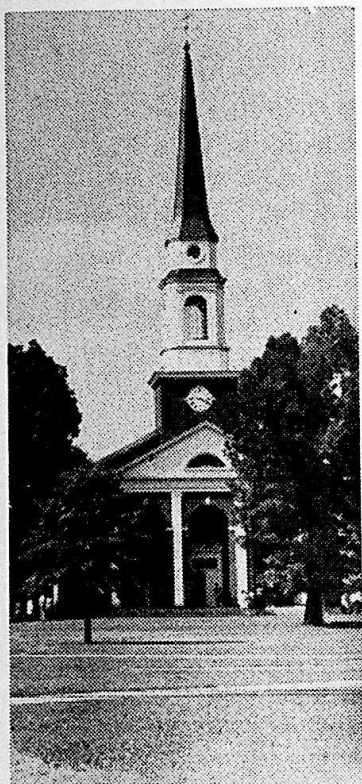
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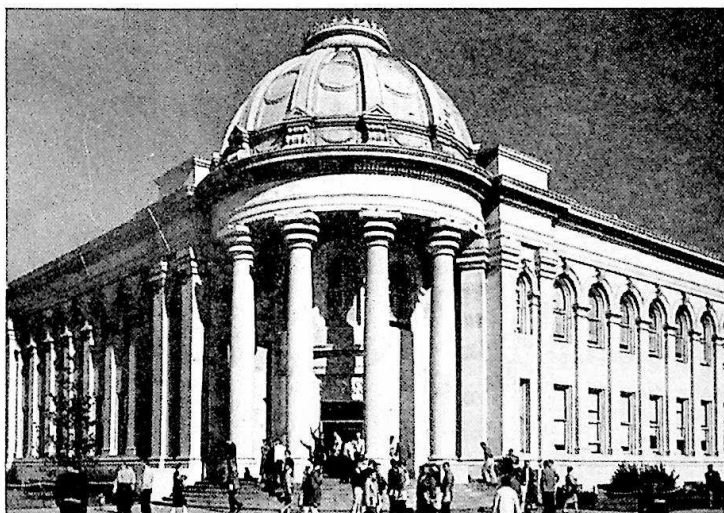
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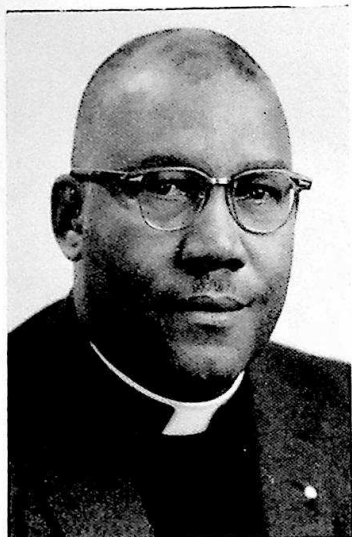
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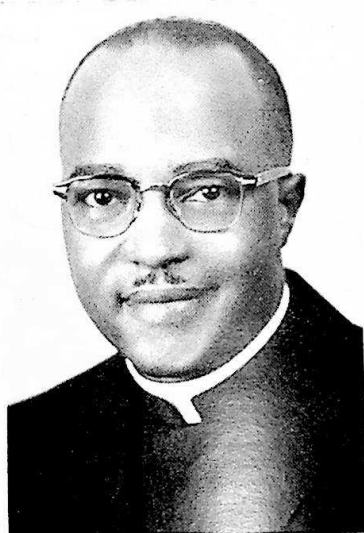


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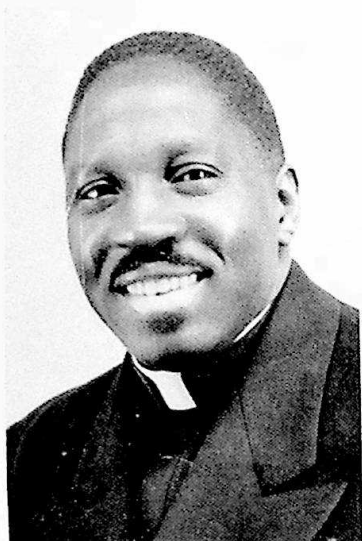
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**33. PUBLIC RELATIONS AND METHODIST INFORMATION (1590)**

D. L. Ridout, Chairman; C. E. Jordan, F. D. Arnold, W. G. Brown, W. C. Jason, T. H. Pendleton, E. T. Hawkins.

**34. COMMITTEE ON STUDY OF CONFERENCE ENTERTAINMENT**

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**35. COMMITTEE ON STUDY OF DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS SALARIES AND EXPENSES**

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**36. GOLDEN CROSS SOCIETY (1559)**

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**38. HISTORICAL SOCIETY (663)**

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**39. DELAWARE COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Ministers: W. L. D. Lyght, L. L. Hamilton.

Laymen: Mrs. Cleo Henry, T. A. Jeter.

Superintendents of Dover and Wilmington Districts.

**40. NEW YORK AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION**

C. L. Carrington, H. M. Deas, R. L. Cordery, W. R. Hazzard, Hugo Haydorn.

**41. GREATER PHILADELPHIA COUNCIL OF CHURCHES**

Henry H. Nichols, Joshua E. Licorish.

**42. COMMITTEE ON PUBLISHING INTERESTS (1158)**

Ex-officio: Bishop Edgar A. Love, Daniel L. Ridout.

Members-at-Large: C. A. Edmonds, H. D. Brown.

District Representatives: Mrs. Isaac Crippen, Mrs. Hester Opher, Mrs. Harrilese Miles, Carrol Scott, Miss Florence G. Wilson.

**43. COMMITTEE ON CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION**

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**44. COMMITTEE ON STUDY OF MINIMUM SALARY**

D. W. Briddell, Chairman; G. H. Outen, Elmer T. Hawkins, Mrs. H. C. Waters, W. L. D. Lyght, Mrs. Beatrice Kiah.



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The letters indicate: D, Deacon; DS, District Superintendent; E, Elder; R, Retired; Sy, Supernumerary. The date indicates the year of admission on trial into the ministry of The Methodist Church or from the ministry of another church.

1956	Adams, Rupert A. ....	E	7540 Pleasant Ave., Delair, N. J.
1938	Anderson, Howard E. ....	E	203 S. Queen St., Chestertown, Md.
1949	Arnold, Frederick D. ....	E	47 Fountain Ave., Trenton 8, N. J.
1938	Bagwell, Clarence W. ....	E	768 Ferry Ave., Camden 4, N. J.
1933	Bailey, Howard A. ....	E	111 Elder Ave., Yeadon, Pa.
1951	Baker, Lester V. ....	E	1133 Lincoln Place, Brooklyn 13, N. Y.
1931	Ballard, Marion O. ....	E	6115 Columbia Ave., Philadelphia 51, Pa.
1945	Bishop, John E. ....	E	22 South Ave., Bridgeton, N. J.
1947	Blakley, Malachi C. ....	E	3058 Limekiln Pike, Glenside, Pa.
1946	Booth, Theodore M. ....	E	260 Meeker Ave., Newark 12, N. J.
1947	Bowdoin, James R. ....	R	5832 Arch St., Philadelphia 39, Pa.
1954	Briddell, David W. ....	E	2344 N. 17th St., Philadelphia 32, Pa.
1947	Brown, Willard G. ....	E	36 Fulton St., Montclair, N. J.
1952	Cannon, Charles W. ....	E	530 W. Isabella St., Salisbury, Md.
1960	Carey, Abraham R. ....	E	Lincoln, Delaware
1932	Carrington, Charles L. ....	E	139-19 111th Ave., Jamaica 35, N. Y.
1944	Chancy, Augustus ....	E	455 Townsend St., Wilmington 1, Del.
1952	Commodore, George O. ....	E	Jersey Road, Rt. 2, Salisbury, Md.
1960	Cooper, Quincy D. ....	E	329 Park Ave., Lewes, Delaware
1918	Crampton, Earl H. ....	R	6231 Homer St., Philadelphia 44, Pa.
1933	Crosse, S. Winston C. ....	E	409 W. Sixth St., Laurel Delaware
1953	Cuff, George W. ....	E	811 Newport Gap Pike, Wilmington 4, Delaware
1944	Davis, Hooker D. ....	E	745 Sewell Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.
1950	Deas, Henri M. ....	E	625 McDonough St., Brooklyn 33, N. Y.
1928	Derrickson, Cyrus W. ....	E	5307 Haverford Ave., Philadelphia 39, Pa.
1950	DeShields, Harrison ....	E	Alabama State College, Montgomery 1, Ala.
1922	Dix, Seldon G. ....	R	P. O. Box 222, Bridgeville, Delaware
1950	Dredden, Albert J. ....	E	Flower Street, P. O. Box 12, Berlin, Maryland
1922	Dunn, Joseph E. ....	E	4715 Duffield St., Philadelphia 24, Pa.
1956	Edmonds, Claude A. ....	E	4 Pine St., Cambridge, Maryland
1929	Elbert, James W. ....	DS	319 Poplar Hill Ave., Salisbury, Md.

1938	Elder, Curtis A. ....	E	136 Hickory St., Orange, N. J.
1954	Ellis, Edwin L. ....	E	1315 Cleveland St., Philadelphia 46, Pa.
1945	Fisher, Randolph ....	E	36 Ann St., Ossining, N. Y.
1934	Fletcher, Dennis R. ....	E	867 N. 50th St., Philadelphia 39, Pa.
1925	Geddis, George E. ....	E	5015 Chapel Ave., Merchantville, N. J.
1928	Gerald, Charles D. ....	E	804 E. Third St., Seaford, Delaware
1926	Gibson, Elmer P. ....	E	Morristown College, Morristown, Tenn.
1917	Graham, Robert A. F. ....	R	Rt. 1, Box 390B, Crisfield, Md.
1958	Greene, Walter H. ....	E	16 S. Higgins St., Easton, Md.
1919	Griffin, James O. ....	R	111 S. Hanson St., Easton, Md.
1959	Hackshaw, Ewart C. ....	E	R.F.D. 1, Rock Hall, Md.
1956	Hamilton, Leroy L. ....	E	47 S. Queen St., Dover, Delaware
1959	Hammond, Clayton E. ....	E	209 Mulberry St., Darby, Pa.
1942	Handy, John W., Jr. ....	E	Office of the Staff Chaplain, Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver 30, Colo.
1928	Harewood, William A. ....	R	105 N. 16th St., East Orange, N. J.
1942	Hazzard, Walter R. ....	E	1451 N. 56th St., Philadelphia 31, Pa.
1945	Holmes, Edward H. ....	E	378 Nostrand Ave., Brooklyn 16, N. Y.
1911	Horsey, Samuel J. ....	R	2605 11th St., N. W., Washington 1, D. C.
1912	Hughes, Royal C. ....	R	805 E. 27th St., Wilmington, Del.
1946	Jackson, George T. ....	R	102 N. Ross St., Snow Hill, Md.
1952	Jenkins, Amos P. ....	E	P. O. Box 111, Greensboro, Maryland
1889	Johnson, Hampton T. ....	R	2343 N. College Ave., Philadelphia 21, Pa.
1926	Johnson, William P. ....	E	647 S. 6th Ave., Mt. Vernon 10, N. Y.
1937	Jones, F. Donald ....	E	1421 W. 3rd St., Chester, Pa.
1954	Jones, Omar C. ....	E	P. O. Box 80, Marion Station, Md.
1939	Jones, Sercy L. ....	E	6700 Cresheim Rd., Philadelphia 19, Pa.
1943	Jones, Trevor C. ....	E	681 Communipay Ave., Jersey City 4, N. J.
1952	Jordan, C. Edgar ....	E	5 Wyanoke St., White Plains, N. Y.
1919	Jordan, Lucius E. ....	R	226 E. 27th St., Los Angeles 11, Calif.
1937	Kiah, Charles E. ....	E	30½ Eakin Street, Salem, N. J.
1947	Kiah, McQuay R. ....	E	112-31 178th Place, St. Albans 12, N. Y.
1920	Kincade, Charles E. ....	R	532 Flower St., Chester, Pa.
1940	Licorish, Joshua E. ....	E	3849 N. 18th St., Philadelphia 40, Pa.
1930	Lyght, William L. D. ....	E	200 E. 9th St., Wilmington 1, Del.
1926	Marks, William E. ....	R	Route 1, Box 104, Lewes, Del.
1951	Mayberry, William R. ....	E	77 Girard Place, Newark 8, N. J.
1925	McBride, John E. ....	R	P. O. Box 84, Fruitland, Md.

1952	McClendon, James L.	E	107 S. Collins St., Snow Hill, Md.
1917	McDowell, Abraham A.	R	P. O. Box 206, Vienna, Maryland
1923	McKenney, Martin L.	R	222 N. Lincoln St., Wilmington, Delaware
1938	McMurray, George H.	E	1718 Arctic Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.
1932	Mickle, Joshua W.	E	Box 52, Marion Station, Md.
1928	Milbourne, O'Connell	E	120 White Horse Pike, Lawnside, N. J.
1921	Miles, Clemon B.	R	210 Talbot St., St. Michaels, Md.
1906	Miles, William A. T.	R	115 E. 4th St., New Castle, Del.
1958	Miller, Nathaniel L.	E	RFD 3, Box 231, Berlin, Maryland
1946	Mills, William C. R.	E	Rt. 1, Worton, Maryland
1946	Molock, Charles H.	R	5116 Merion Ave., Philadelphia 31, Pa.
1945	Moody, Herman T.	E	1707 W. 3rd St., Wilmington 5, Del.
1940	Nichols, Henry H.	E	328 W. Earham Terrace, Philadelphia 44, Pa.
1956	Outen, George H.	E	3526 N. 18th St., Philadelphia 40, Pa.
1947	Parker, Samuel E.	E	1509 N. 20th St., Philadelphia 21, Pa.
1916	Peaco, John I.	R	1804 W. 8th St., Wilmington 5, Del.
1950	Pendleton, Thomas H.	E	55 South Ave., Bridgeton, N. J.
1929	Perry, Cyrus W.	E	121 W. Bayview Ave., Pleasantville, N. J.
1910	Quillin, Daniel S.	R	Rt. 2, Spring Hill Rd., Salisbury, Md.
1925	Redmond, John B.	E	1310 Lovering Ave., Wilmington 6, Del.
1916	Reid, Alexander	R	Route 2, Eden, Maryland
1924	Ridout, Daniel L.	E	828 N. Carrollton Ave., Baltimore 17, Md.
1960	Riley, Martin U.	E	1709 S. 20th St., Philadelphia 45, Pa.
1916	Russum, John H.	R	1216 Tatnall St., Wilmington 1, Del.
1947	Sanders, Samuel P.	E	214 W. Maryland Ave., Crisfield, Md.
1960	Scott, Carrol	E	Rt. 2, Box 209, Pocomoke City, Md.
1952	Sherman, Gilbert A.	E	RFD, Queenstown, Maryland
1937	Shockley, John R.	DS	412 N. Clayton St., Wilmington 5, Del.
1948	Snead, Harry R.	E	425 Bethune Drive, Wilmington 1, Del.
1918	Spence, Oliver H.	R	58 S. Queen St., Dover, Delaware
1934	Spencer, Charles P.	E	407 E. Madison Ave., Magnolia, N. J.
1912	Stanley, James O.	R	RFD 2, Cambridge, Maryland
1919	Stanley, Walter E.	DS	880 Forest St., Dover, Delaware
1922	Stewart, Thomas D.	R	6 St. Nicholas Terrace, New York 27, N. Y.
1932	Strother, William C., Jr.	DS	6119 Ellsworth St., Philadelphia 43, Pa.
1945	Tasco, William M.	E	R.F.D. 7, Fordville Rd., Bridgeton, N. J.
1951	Tatem, Samuel S.	E	33 Broad St., Princess Anne, Md.
1929	Thomas, Charles C.	SY	3401 Gwynn Falls Parkway, Baltimore 16, Md.

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1930	Thomas, William C. ....	E	P. O. Box 126, Cheswold, Delaware
1917	Thompson, Ralph B. ....	E	1828 N. Camac St., Philadelphia 22, Pa.
1901	Thompson, William C. ....	R	5837 Race St., Philadelphia 39, Pa.
1934	Trader, Crawford L. ....	DS	420 E. Dover St., Easton, Md.
1927	Wallace, Isaac W. ....	E	R.F.D. 1, Millington, Md.
1957	Watkins, Readus J. ....	E	108 Guion Place, New Rochelle, N. Y.
1954	Whye, DePriest W. ....	E	6102 Carpenter St., Philadelphia 43, Pa.
1950	Wilkins, Samuel L. ....	E	229 S. 58th St., Philadelphia 39, Pa.
1935	Williams, Carson J. ....	R	Peels Apts., No. 6, Rigby Avenue, Cambridge, Md.
1945	Williams, Joseph I. ....	E	323 Broad St., Salisbury, Md.
1947	Willis, Charles L. ....	E	Bank St., Nanticoke, Maryland
1940	Wimberly, Edgar V. ....	E	922 Lombard St., Wilmington 1, Del.

## PROBATIONERS

1961	Coleman, John W. ....	D	1912 W. Godfrey Ave., Philadelphia 41, Pa.
1962	Day, John M. ....	D	318 S. Commerce St., Centreville, Md.
1961	Harris, Robert L. ....	E	5539 Morton St., Philadelphia 44, Pa.
1961	Hicks, Richard R. ....	D	South St., Townsend, Del.
1961	Palmer, Herbert E. ....	LP	1960 W. Sparks St., Philadelphia 41, Pa.
1960	Robinson, Frank W. ....	D	Preston, Maryland
1962	Snowden, Thomas G. ....	D	5532 Poplar St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1961	Waters, Floyd E. ....	D	515 Vandever Ave., Wilmington, Del.

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## APPROVED SUPPLY PASTORS

## DOVER DISTRICT

1944	Browne, Charles W. D.	D	852 N. Moss St., Philadelphia 39, Pa.
1951	Bryant, Commander R.	E	R.F.D. 3, Chestertown, Maryland
1955	Conway, James A.	D	Tyaskin, Maryland
1962	Frisby, Gilbert	LP	P. O. Box 68, Greenwood, Delaware
1945	Gee, William M., Jr.	D	306 North St., Milford, Delaware
1942	Hackett, Thaddeus	E	114 Milby St., Harrington, Delaware
1955	Henry, Phillip A.	E	R.F.D. 2, Chestertown, Maryland
1952	Hilton, Paul R.	E	Box 57, Millington, Maryland
1949	James, Ophelia O. (Mrs.)	E	Route 1, Golts, Maryland
1942	Jones, Lewis R.	E	R.F.D. 2, Mardela, Maryland
1961	Nichols, Houx H.	D	P. O. Box 191, Sharptown, Md.
1956	Parker, Carlton H.	D	29 Church St., Bridgeville, Delaware
1942	Taylor, George W.	E	Clarksville, Delaware
1944	Wallace, Rayfield T.	E	P. O. Box 48, Still Pond, Maryland
1960	White, Mildred E. (Mrs.)	D	206 N. Kirkwood St., Dover Delaware
1961	Young, Haswell G.	LP	Pine Street, Delmar, Delaware

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1955	Chase, Harvey G.	E	Route 1, Box 119, Cordova, Maryland
	Coltrane, Leslie W.		P. O. Box 455, Ridgely, Maryland
1956	Cooke, Edgar E.	LP	409 Gay St., Denton, Maryland
1944	Cottingham, C. H.	R	Church Creek, Maryland
1949	Dennis, Robert Wayne	E	Vienna, Maryland
1947	Farrare, Alfred F.	R	Route 3, Cambridge, Maryland
1942	Hall, Harvey T.	E	150 Main St., Trappe, Md.
1940	Hughes, Edward A.	E	P. O. Box 334, Oxford, Maryland
1960	Hundley, Mary D. (Mrs.)	E	Wittman, Maryland
1948	Jackson, Edward H.	E	Route 1, Box 63, Church Hill, Md.
1955	Lee, Jeremiah R.	E	304 Catherine St., Salisbury, Md.
1951	Murray, Theasdar M.	E	R.F.D. 3, Cambridge, Maryland
1955	Opher, Hester R. (Mrs.)	E	Route 1, Box 153, Easton, Maryland
1958	Pinder, Carvilla M. (Mrs.)	E	R.F.D. 2, Box 8, Hurlock, Maryland
1961	Roberts, James H.	LP	32 Aurora St., Easton, Maryland
1945	Slacum, Albert H.	D	Box 93, Trappe, Maryland
1955	Stafford, Cyrus M.	E	Chester, Maryland
1955	Stanley, George L.	E	Federalsburg, Maryland
1949	Stanley, Nelson C.	E	East New Market, Maryland
1959	Staten, William M.	LP	Route 1, Box 41, Hurlock, Maryland

## PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT

1943	Bellamy, Samuel A.	E	22 St. Charles Pl., Brooklyn 16, N. Y.
1949	Brown, Amy Redfield (Mrs.)	E	1257 Dean St., Brooklyn 16, N. Y.
1957	Landrum, Clifford E.	E	1311 Fitzwater St., Philadelphia 47, Pa.
1962	Miller, C. Leonard	LP	111-54 132nd St., South Ozone Park 20, N. Y.



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- 1954 Randolph, Eugene T. . . . . D 1836 Christian St., Philadelphia 46,  
Pa.  
1955 Slade, Mary L. (Mrs.) . . . . . D 395 Kosciusco St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

## SALISBURY DISTRICT

- 1959 Barclay, Howard F. . . . . D Horntown, Virginia  
1962 Dennis, Nathaniel . . . . . LP R.F.D., Eden, Maryland  
1961 Dennis, Roland Wilmore . . . . . D 9 Truman Ave., Cambridge, Maryland  
1960 Greene, Kenneth H. . . . . LP P. O. Box 16, Dames Quarter, Md.  
1954 Handy, Clarence E. . . . . E Tyaskin, Maryland  
1954 Hickman, Jessica W. (Mrs.) E P. O. Box 47, Temperanceville, Va.  
1943 Johnson, Ernest J. . . . . R 311 W. Martin St., Snow Hill, Md.  
1957 Jolly, Emerson M. . . . . E P. O. Box 26, Stockton, Maryland  
1940 Jones, Grover N. . . . . R Route 1, Salisbury, Maryland  
1959 Lambert, Harvey J. . . . . E Wachapreague, Virginia  
1955 Lee, Edward W. . . . . E Route 1, Salisbury, Maryland  
1952 Lewis, David T. . . . . E 311 North St., Seaford, Delaware  
1941 Mills, Walter J. . . . . E Route 2, Box 229, Onancock, Virginia  
1960 Molock, Olen L. . . . . D Wattsville, Virginia  
1945 Purnell, Levin H. . . . . E Box 45, Girdletree, Maryland  
1947 Spencer, Hori W. . . . . E R.F.D. 1, Quantico, Maryland  
1945 White, Isaac H. . . . . E R.F.D., Box 74A, Crisfield, Maryland  
1950 Wilson, George B. . . . . E Fruitland, Maryland

## WILMINGTON DISTRICT

- 1957 Berry, Adolphus A. . . . . D 712 Lafayette Ave., Cape May, N. J.  
1942 Brooks, Milton D. . . . . E 1498 Princess Ave., Camden 3, N. J.  
1949 Brown, Lawrence C. . . . . E 122 E. Lake St., Middletown, Del.  
1961 Cameron, Thomas E. . . . . D 453 Bradley St., Chester, Pa.  
1951 Caulk, Jacob C. . . . . E 53 W. Fourth St., New Castle, Del.  
1950 Fisher, Horace J. . . . . E 15 Emlen Ave., Lawnside, N. J.  
1928 Fullman, Stephen G. . . . . E 408 Mantua Ave., Woodbury, N. J.  
1962 Gray, Walter L. . . . . LP 45 Burt St., Bridgeton, N. J.  
1953 Webster, Joseph J. . . . . E 108 Milburn St., Elkton, Md.  
1961 Wilcher, John H. . . . . LP R.F.D. 1, Bridgeton, New Jersey  
1948 Young, Charles I. . . . . E 135 N. 9th St., Darby, Pa.

## PART TIME APPROVED SUPPLY PASTORS

- 1956 Amey, Woodrow L. . . . . D 1911 W. Ingersoll St., Philadelphia 21,  
Pa.  
Carter, Thomas E. . . . . LP 1927 Spencer St., Philadelphia 41, Pa.  
Gibson, Douglas . . . . . D 1517 Park Ave., Philadelphia 21, Pa.  
1959 Simpson, Irene S. (Mrs.) . . . . . D 128 Remington Pl., New Rochelle,  
N.Y.

## RETIRED SUPPLY PASTORS

- 1942 Armstrong, Samuel E. . . . . Box 58, Trappe, Maryland  
1923 Ayers, John T. . . . . 1451 N. 56th St., Philadelphia 31, Pa.



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1943	Bell, Gertrude V. (Mrs.)	Box 4, Berlin, Maryland
1937	Boggs, Alexander L.	2136 N. 7th St., Philadelphia 22, Pa.
1950	Brown, Rachel C. (Mrs.)	Route 1, Golts, Maryland
1942	Caldwell, Robert S.	Queenstown, Maryland
1943	Coffey, Adah W. (Mrs.)	P. O. Box 225, Berlin, Maryland
1941	Hyland, Marion V.	321 Delaware Ave., Salisbury, Md.
1947	Jackson, John R.	1938 N. Warnock St., Philadelphia 22, Pa.
1946	Jones, Lewis H.	R.F.D. 2, Mardela Springs, Md.
1939	Nichols, William A.	P. O. Box 351, Oxford, Maryland
1943	Whittington, Robert C.	

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Mrs. Gladis Hall, Millsboro, Delaware  
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 Townsend: \* Mrs. Hattie Caulk, Townsend, Delaware

\*Mrs. Mary Demby, Route 1, Worton, Maryland

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 Mrs. Amy Thompson, RFD 2, Cambridge, Maryland  
 Beckwith: \* Mrs. Ella Johnson Route 3, Box 39, Cambridge, Maryland  
 Mrs. Nancy Chester, RFD 3, Cambridge, Maryland  
 Cambridge: \* John L. Coleman, 121 Pine Street, Cambridge, Maryland  
 Melvin Kiah, 228 High Street, Cambridge, Maryland  
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 Mrs. Elaine Farrare, RFD 3, Cambridge, Maryland  
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 Mrs. Elizabeth Chester, Church Creek, Maryland  
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 Miss Marie Bailey, P. O. Box 611, Easton, Maryland  
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 Mrs. Marian Johnson, Federalsburg, Maryland  
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 \* Mrs. Izetta M. Benson, Ridgely, Maryland  
 Hurlock: \* Mrs. Minnie Lake, RFD 1, Box 143, Hurlock, Maryland  
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 \* Mrs. Edith Green, Macks Lane, Box 141, McDaniel, Maryland  
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 Mrs. Viola Warrick, RFD 2, Easton, Maryland  
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 Miss Emma Curtis, Oxford, Maryland  
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 Mrs. Madaline Fountain, Ridgely, Maryland  
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 \* Mrs. Lutetia Lawrence, St. Michaels, Maryland  
 St. Michaels: \* Elwood S. Jewett, Fremont St., St. Michaels, Maryland  
 Mrs. Lena Nichols, St. Michaels, Maryland

- Stevensville: Mrs. Nettie Jobs, Box 35, Chester, Maryland  
 Mrs. Lucy Meredith, Chester, Maryland  
 Taylor's Island: Miss Bernice Stanley, Taylor's Island, Maryland  
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 Mrs. Ella Eason, RFD 50, Trappe, Maryland  
 Vienna: \* Mrs. Helena Murray, RFD 1, Box 192, Vienna, Maryland  
 Thomas Robinson, Vienna, Maryland  
 Wittman: \* Mrs. Catherine Johnson, Wittman, Maryland  
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- Bethel: \* Mrs. Martha Gary, 1223 Pacific Street, Brooklyn 16, N. Y.  
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- Bethsaida: James A. Showell, 601 South 11th Street, Phila. 47, Pa.  
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 Frankford: Mrs. Leona Presley, 1530 Overington St., Phila. 24, Pa.  
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 Dames Quarter-Deals Island: \* Mrs. Mary Beckett, Chance, Md.  
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Manokin: \* Agnes Horey, Route 1, Westover, Md.  
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 Marumsco-Kingston: \* Thomas E. Logan, Marion Station, Md.  
 Mt. Vernon: \* Mrs. Veda V. Pinkett, Route 1, Princess Anne, Md.  
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Stockton: \* Hargis Fletcher, Route 3, Pocomoke City, Md.

Unionville: Mrs. Juanita Teagle, RFD 2, Pocomoke City, Md.

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Wachapreague: \* John A. Elliott, Wachapreague, Md.

Shirley Burton

Wattsville: \* Mrs. Mary E. Savage, Horsey, Va.

Mrs. Matilda White, Atlantic, Va.

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Withams:

\* Katie E. Polk, Route 2, Eden, Md.

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Mrs. Edna Graves, 54 Orange St., Bridgeton, N. J.

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Mrs. Agnes James, 17 Holcomb Lane, Buttonwood, Del.

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Eighth Street: James H. Glenn, 328 N. 10th St., Camden, N. J.

\* Mrs. Josephine E. Gantt, 738 Berkley St., Camden 3, N. J.

Ferry Avenue: Mrs. Louise Vanderhurst, 107 Branch Village, Camden, N. J.

Mrs. Annie Mae Milbourne, 939 Morton St., Camden, N. J.

Cape May-Swainton: William Deakins, Shunpike, RFD 2, Cape May, N. J.

Albert Gray, Swainton Rd., Cape May, N. J.

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Grace: \* Mrs. Erma Goldsborough, 2320 Booker Ave., Twin Oaks, Chester, Pa.

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Mrs. Theresa Lake, Volde Ave., Delair, N. J.
- Elkton: Mrs. Martha Dorsey, 226 E. High St., Elkton, Md.  
Mrs. Harriett McCade, Elkton, Md.
- Fordville: Mrs. Lillian R. Pierce, RFD 2, Bridgeton, N. J.  
Mrs. Alice Sammons, Route 7, Bridgeton, N. J.
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Mrs. Rebecca Cogger, 116 E. 4th St., New Castle, Del.
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Mrs. Josephine Covington, 309 Kiamensi Rd., Wilmington 4, Del.
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Mrs. Ethel Hall, Port Penn, Del.
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Mrs. Annie Jefferson, 208 W. Wright St., Pleasantville, N. J.
- Port Norris: \* Mrs. Cora Gray, 140 Warren St., Port Norris, N. J.  
Miss Gladys Whittington, Port Norris, N. J.
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Mrs. Clara Scott, St. Georges, Del.
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Mrs. Margaret Black, 471 Robinson Dr., Wilmington, Del.
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Mrs. Henrietta Ridout, 32 Oakmont Dr., Wilmington, Del.
- Mt. Joy: Mrs. Lavinia Starks, 908 S. Claymont St., Wilmington, Del.  
\* Mrs. Anna Brown, 304 E. 13th St. & Savage Ave., Wilmington, N. J.
- Woodbury: \* Isaiah Kersey, Cattell Rd., Wenonah, N. J.  
Mrs. Phyllis Lyons, Foundary Rd., Wenonah, N. J.

### III. Journal of Daily Proceedings

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TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1962, 8:00 P.M.

The one hundredth session of the Delaware Conference was opened with the service of Holy Communion. Bishop Edgar A. Love, assisted by the district superintendents and host pastor, Walter R. Hazzard, administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper using the order from the Proposed Revisions for The Book of Worship.

Bishop Shot K. Mondol of the Delhi, India Area was scheduled to deliver the meditation, but because of the illness of his son was unable to be present. In his absence, Bishop Love delivered the meditation based on the Scripture, Luke 24:13-50. Music was rendered by the choir of Zoar Methodist Church under the direction of J. Russell Robinson. The ushers of Zoar Church also served.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23—MORNING SESSION, 9:00 A.M.

Devotions were led by James L. McClendon. Meditation was based on the Scripture I Corinthians 13.

Organization: The first business session of the one hundredth session of the Conference was called to order by Bishop Love.

Resolution of Organization was presented by the Conference Secretary.

1. The conference area shall consist of first eleven rows of seats across the three center sections.
2. Assistant secretaries shall be DePriest W. Whye, E. A. Hughes, Cyrus W. Perry, Frederick D. Arnold, Mrs. Helen H. Dobson, Mrs. Harrilese D. Miles, Mrs. Matilda M. Jackson, Herbert A. Wise, and Randolph Fisher.
3. The Treasurer and Statistician shall name their assistants.
4. A member desiring to be excused from sessions should inform his Superintendent and give the information to the Secretary in writing.
5. The printed conference program shall be the official program with necessary changes.
6. The Courtesy Committee, composed of one minister and one layman from each district, be named by the superintendents.
7. The Secretary be requested to send telegrams to ministerial and lay members absent due to uncontrollable circumstances; and to annual conferences in session.
8. Roll call to be by card registration with the exception of those persons on the honor roll of the Conference, having served fifty years or more.
9. The Precentor shall be Ralph B. Thompson.
10. The pianist shall be Mrs. C. B. White.
11. The postmaster shall be James O. Stanley.

Resolution of Organization adopted.

Roll Call of Honor Roll—Hampton T. Johnson, 73 years, present; W. C.

Thompson, 61 years, present; W. A. T. Miles, 56 years, present; D. S. Quillin, 52 years, absent; S. J. Horsey, 51 years, absent; R. C. Hughes, 50 years, present; J. O. Stanley, 50 years, present.

Roll of ministerial and lay members was taken by card registration, and the following ministerial members registered their attendance. (Lay attendance registration will be found in Section II, Lay and Reserve Lay Members Roll.)

R. A. Adams, H. E. Anderson, F. D. Arnold, C. W. Bagwell, M. O. Ballard, J. E. Bishop, M. C. Blakley, T. M. Booth, J. R. Bowdoin, D. W. Briddell, W. G. Brown, C. W. Cannon, A. Chancy, G. O. Commodore, E. H. Crampton, S. W. C. Crosse, G. W. Cuff, H. D. Davis, C. W. Derrickson, S. G. Dix, A. J. Dredde, J. E. Dunn, C. A. Edmonds, J. W. Elbert, C. A. Elder, R. Fisher, D. R. Fletcher, G. E. Geddis, C. D. Gerald, W. H. Greene, J. O. Griffin, E. C. Hackshaw, L. L. Hamilton, C. E. Hammond, W. R. Hazzard, E. H. Holmes, G. T. Jackson, A. P. Jenkins, H. T. Johnson, W. P. Johnson, F. D. Jones, O. C. Jones, S. L. Jones, T. C. Jones, C. E. Jordan, C. E. Kiah, M. R. Kiah, C. E. Kincade, J. E. Licorish, W. L. D. Lyght, W. E. Marks, W. R. Mayberry, J. E. McBride, J. L. McClendon, A. A. McDowell, G. H. McMurray, J. W. Mickle, O. Milbourne, C. B. Miles, W. A. T. Miles, N. L. Miller, W. C. R. Mills, C. H. Molock, H. T. Moody, H. H. Nichols, G. H. Outen, S. E. Parker, J. I. Peaco, T. H. Pendleton, C. W. Perry, J. B. Redmond, A. Reid, D. L. Ridout, T. L. Ross, J. H. Russum, S. P. Sanders, G. A. Sherman, J. R. Shockley, O. H. Spence, C. P. Spencer, J. O. Stanley, W. E. Stanley, W. C. Strother, S. S. Tatem, R. B. Thompson, W. C. Thompson, C. L. Trader, I. W. Wallace, D. W. Whye, J. I. Williams, E. V. Wimberly.

Excused: C. L. Carrington, Roland Grant, J. W. Handy, W. A. Harewood, M. L. McKenney.

Probationers: J. M. Day, R. R. Hicks, H. E. Palmer, F. W. Robinson, C. Scott, T. G. Snowden. Excused: J. W. Coleman, Q. D. Cooper.

Approved Supply Pastors: Dover District—C. W. D. Browne, C. R. Bryant, J. A. Conway, T. Hackett, P. A. Henry, P. R. Hilton, O. O. James, L. R. Jones, G. W. Taylor, R. T. Wallace, M. E. White. Excused: H. G. Young. Easton District—H. G. Chase, L. W. Coltrane, C. H. Cottingham, Robert W. Dennis, A. F. Farrare, H. T. Hall, E. A. Hughes, M. D. Hundley, E. H. Jackson, J. R. Lee, O. L. Molock, T. M. Murray, H. R. Opher, C. M. Pinder, J. H. Roberts, A. H. Slacum, C. M. Stafford, G. L. Stanley, W. M. Staten. Philadelphia District—A. Redfield Brown, C. E. Landrum. Salisbury District—H. F. Barclay, K. H. Greene, E. M. Jolly, H. J. Lambert, E. W. Lee, D. T. Lewis, W. J. Mills, L. H. Purnell, G. B. Wilson. Wilmington District—A. A. Berry, M. D. Brooks, L. C. Brown, T. E. Cameron, J. C. Caulk, H. J. Fisher, S. G. Fullman, C. H. Parker, J. J. Webster, C. I. Young. Retired: W. A. Nichols.

Telegrams Authorized: The Secretary was requested to send greetings to Bishop and Mrs. Charles F. Golden, Nashville-Birmingham Area, on the occasion of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary; and an expression of sympathy to Bishop Prince A. Taylor, Jr., Monrovia, Liberia Area, on the death of his father, the Rev. Prince A. Taylor, Sr.

Announcement made by Bishop Love that Miss Florence Wilson would be



in charge of receiving subscriptions for the *Central Christian Advocate* and *Baltimore Area Messenger*.

**Resolution of Welcome**, read by C. B. Miles, was approved. (See Resolution 1.)

**Selective Patronage Resolution**: On motion of H. H. Nichols, Rule 8 was suspended for the presentation of a resolution in support of The Negro Preachers of Philadelphia Selective Patronage program against the Philadelphia Evening and Sunday Bulletin Company. Resolution, read by H. H. Nichols, was adopted. Official copy to be sent by messenger to the officials of the Bulletin Co. (See Resolution 2.)

**Composite Report of the District Superintendents** was read by C. L. Trader. (See Report VI. A.)

**Committee on Courtesy**, named by Cabinet, as follows: **Dover District**—E. C. Hackshaw, W. G. Hamilton; **Easton District**—W. H. Greene, Mrs. Agnes Washington; **Philadelphia District**—W. G. Brown, H. D. Brown; **Salisbury District**—G. O. Commodore, Mrs. Kathleen Purnell; **Wilmington District**—J. E. Bishop, Mrs. Erma Goldsborough. **Chaiman**—W. H. Greene.

**Motion to Suspend Rule 8** by E. H. Crampton in order to consider a resolution in support of the recommendations of the Cincinnati Study Conference was denied. Bishop Love suggested that the resolution be mimeographed and distributed to delegates for study before voting.

The Communion Service offering was announced—\$218.19.

**Assistant Treasurers** were named by Treasurer as follows: Miss Florence Wilson, Augustus Chancy, Roland Grant, Omar C. Jones, H. R. Snead.

**Assistant Statistical Secretaries** were named as follows: C. A. Edmonds, E. L. Ellis, W. E. Marks, E. T. Hawkins, Mrs. H. C. Waters, W. R. Mayberry, L. C. Brown, Hyland Frisby, D. W. Briddell, G. W. Taylor, H. W. Spencer, Mrs. Kathleen Purnell, Mrs. D. J. Townsend, S. G. Fullman.

**Privilege** was granted H. H. Nichols to present the Reverend Leon H. Sullivan, pastor of Zion Baptist Church, who spoke in the interest of the Selective Patronage Movement, especially the current boycott of the *Bulletin*. He lauded the several Delaware Conference ministers in Philadelphia who have been among the leaders of the movement.

**Resolution to Declare Christ Church, Greenwood Circuit as Abandoned Property** from Salisbury District Committee on Church Location and the Cabinet, presented by J. W. Elbert, was adopted. (See Resolution 3.)

**Memorial Service**: W. C. Strother, chairman of Board of Pensions, presided. Roll of the deceased was read by Conference Secretary as follows: **Ministers**—Isaac B. Bivens, Douglas M. Collins, Eric G. George, William A. Hubbard, William H. Johns, James O. Lockman, Malachi Rasin; **Approved Supply Ministers**—Emmons N. Foster, Van B. Wright; **Wives of Ministers**—Mrs. Amos P. Jenkins, Mrs. Robert S. Johns, Mrs. Hampton T. Johnson, Mrs. W. C. R. Mills, Mrs. Rayfield T. Wallace; **Layman**—Milton T. Young. The sermon was delivered by Edwin L. Ellis; subject, "The Relevance of Change"; text, Acts 17:6-7. Assisting in the service were O'Connell Milbourne and Samuel S. Tatem.

## AFTERNOON SESSION—2:30 P.M.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Hester R. Opher. Subject of meditation was, "Jesus Christ Is Lord."

Welcome Service: W. R. Hazzard, host pastor, presided. Greetings were extended on behalf of the community by Mr. Milton H. Washington, executive secretary of the Christian Street Branch, Y.M.C.A.; on behalf of Tindley Temple, Mr. Otho H. James; and response on behalf of the Conference was given by Samuel S. Tatem. Service was closed with singing of the hymn, "Jesus, United by Thy Grace."

Business Session was called to order by Bishop Love.

Letter from Governor of Maryland to Mrs. Helen C. Waters, read by Bishop Love, stated that Mrs. Waters had been appointed to the Board of Education of Dorchester County for a term of six years.

Flowers were presented by the Stephen Smith Home for the Aged in memory of Mrs. Ella Thompson, member of Zoar Church for fifty-seven years, who passed on May 18, 1962.

Report of the Board of Education was presented by J. R. Shockley. Recommendations were read and adopted. In accordance with the action of the Annual Conference, May 26, 1961, the Board of Education was incorporated in the State of Delaware and board of directors elected for 1962-63. Ministerial members—M. O. Ballard, C. D. Gerald, S. L. Jones, J. B. Redmond, J. R. Shockley; lay members—Mrs. Alberta Browne, William Hudson, Mrs. Lenora Robins, and James R. Webb were approved. (See VI. B-7.)

James C. Harcastle, chairman of the Committee on Family Life, presented Dr. Ruth M. Laws who gave the report of the advance study conducted in connection with the Fourth National Conference on Family Life to be held in October, 1962. Recommendations were read and adopted on motion of H. A. Bailey that they be subject to the perusal of the Board of Education. (See VI. B-7.) Recommendations, from Study of Local Church Programs to Serve Families.

The new conference director of youth work, Edwin L. Ellis, was presented. He announced the program of summer activities that have been planned for youth.

Report of Committee on Christian Vocations was read by Miss Florence Wilson. Recommendation 6 was referred to the Commission on World Service and Finance. Other recommendations were adopted. (See VI. B-14.)

Credentials accrediting Trevor C. Jones as minister of Christian education were presented by Bishop Love.

Board of Hospitals and Homes report was submitted by C. B. Miles, E. A. Hughes and J. C. Harcastle. Recommendations 1, 2, 3, and 6 were adopted. Directors, as nominated, were elected. Recommendation 5 was referred to Commission on World Service and Finance. (See VI. B-11.) The Reverend George H. Purgen, Peninsula Conference, was guest speaker.

Golden Cross Enrollment was conducted by Mrs. L. Beatrice Dorsey, director of the Society.

After announcements, Benediction was pronounced by C. B. Miles, and the afternoon session was adjourned.

## EVENING SESSION—7:30 P. M.

Devotions were led by Amos P. Jenkins.

Films of former sessions of the Delaware Conference were shown by Mr. Charles Long of Tindley Temple with narration by David W. Briddell.

Sermon was delivered by Claude A. Edmonds. Subject, "Hearing God Speak"; text, 1 Samuel 3:10. Ushers of John Wesley Methodist Church, Philadelphia served and the choir rendered music for the evening. Benediction was pronounced by C. A. Edmonds.

## THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1962—MORNING SESSION

Lay Delegates' Meeting at First Colored Wesley Methodist Church was called to order and devotions were led by Miss Florence Wilson. Hally P. Johns, lay leader, presided over the business session. Information was presented on the Study Conference held in Cincinnati, Ohio, March 26-28, 1962.

Executive Session: Devotions were led by C. W. D. Browne. Psalms 19 was read and the hymns, "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee" and "O Master, Let me Walk With Thee," were sung.

Report of Board of Ministerial Training was presented by D. R. Fletcher, registrar, and adopted. (See IV. The Disciplinary Questions, Part II, 21-33.)

The Registrar urged the district Boards of Ministerial Training to deal honestly with problems of qualifications before candidates are referred to the Conference Board. An approved supply pastor must be a high school graduate and under 35 years old when placed on the list. An approved supply pastor must have six years of consecutive service before being admitted on trial into the Conference.

D. R. Fletcher, on behalf of the Board of Ministerial Training offered the following recommendation: We recommend that all ministerial candidates receiving aid from the Inter-board Scholarship Committee be required to give three years of ministerial service to the Delaware Conference. If the recipient desires not to enter the Delaware Conference or fails to give three full years of service thereto, the grant becomes a loan, and is to be repaid. Recommendation was defeated by vote of 40 aye; 41 no.

Report of Committee on Conference Relations, presented by C. E. Kiah, was adopted. (See IV. The Disciplinary Questions, II. 34-43 and VI. B-1.)

Conference Session: Devotions, led by W. R. Mayberry, chairman of the Board of Evangelism, marked the beginning of the presentation of the Board of Evangelism. Dr. Harry Denman, general secretary of the Board of Evangelism, was presented by C. W. Derrickson, conference secretary of evangelism. The subject of Dr. Denman's sermon was, "I Am the Bread of Life"; text, John 6:34-39.

Dr. Denman was requested to convey congratulations from the Delaware Conference to Bishop and Mrs. Charles F. Golden on the occasion of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary celebration in Nashville, Tennessee.

Resolution requesting the Conference to affirm its adherence to the statement of principles and adopt the recommendations of the Cincinnati Study Conference was read by E. H. Crampton on behalf of the Board of Christian

Social Concerns. Resolution was discussed and would be presented for action on Friday morning, May 25. (See Resolution 4.)

**Visitors Presented:** Thomas H. Burress, executive secretary, and Mrs. Regina B. Hewlett, general membership chairman, of the Philadelphia Branch of the NAACP were introduced by H. H. Nichols. Both spoke regarding the work of the NAACP in Philadelphia in seeking to solve problems facing the Negro.

**Committee on Courtesy** presented the following visitors: From the Washington Conference—J. B. A. Dyson, F. L. Williams, F. D. Foy, E. P. Clark, K. L. Jackson, R. C. Williams, C. E. Briggs, C. E. Queen, W. E. Bishop, T. H. Brooks, R. E. White, E. G. Carroll, W. E. Williams, and H. E. Dixon. Others presented were: G. E. Davis, R. Collier, G. Davis, G. E. Lipson, J. H. Larkins, and J. H. Powell.

**Noon Message** was delivered by J. B. A. Dyson, district superintendent of the North Baltimore District, Washington Conference.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION—2:30 P.M.

**Missionary Service:** H. D. Davis presided, assisted by Mrs. Clarissa D. Walker, O. H. Spence, W. R. Mayberry, and R. L. Cordery. The Missionary Sermon was delivered by Edward H. Holmes; subject, "The Mission of the Church in an Age of Crisis." Music was rendered by the Ministers' Wives.

**Board of Evangelism:** C. W. Derrickson was re-elected secretary of evangelism. Recommendations, read by W. R. Mayberry, were adopted. (See Report VI. B-8.)

**Proposed Conference Rules XXXV and XXXVI** were read by W. C. Strother, in accordance with rule XIX. Copies were distributed to members for study before voting on Friday.

**Report of Golden Cross Society**, read by Mrs. L. Beatrice Dorsey, director, was adopted. (See Report VI. B-12.) She reported \$166 collected on the previous day for Golden Cross enrollments.

**Report of Commission on World Service and Finance** was read by F. D. Jones. Motion by D. R. Fletcher to adopt the report section by section was approved.

On motion of D. R. Fletcher, the chairman of the Commission on World Service is to interview each treasurer of the various boards and agencies receiving funds from the conference treasurer to see if they are properly bonded and report to the Commission.

On request of H. D. Davis, Board of Missions was removed from section III and placed under section I.

On request of C. L. Carrington, action on item 10, section I, was suspended until the report of Board of Christian Social Concerns has been heard.

Section I was adopted with exception of item 10.

Bishop Love stated that a directive was passed in 1949, recorded in Journal of that year, for the use of the conference treasurer in disbursement of receipts.

On motion of A. Chancy, action on item 22, section III was deferred until the report of Town and Country Commission has been presented.



On request of Bishop Love, action on item 27, section III was deferred until Committee on Emancipation Proclamation Celebration reports.

On motion of H. H. Nichols, action on item 29, section III, was deferred until report of Board of Pensions has been heard.

W. C. Jason moved that \$200 be appropriated for the Historical Society.

Request of H. D. Davis that \$500 be appropriated for study team of the Conference Board of Missions was referred to Commission on World Service and Finance.

**Corrections:** Section I, item 8, M instead of E; Section III, item 30, requested budget for 1962-63, \$425 instead of \$300; Section IV, item 7, 5% of pastor's cash salary.

**Added Items:** Section III, item 37, Methodist Center Project, \$15,000 over two years period; item 38, Matching Fund Drive, \$30,000; item 39, Historical Society, \$200. (See VI. B-2.)

On motion of D. R. Fletcher, the order of the day for Saturday, 10:30 A.M. will be reception of ministerial members on trial and into full connection.

Benediction was pronounced by F. D. Jones and afternoon session was adjourned.

#### EVENING SESSION—7:15 P.M.

**Anniversary of the Woman's Society of Christian Service:** Mrs. Carrie W. Henry, presided. Mrs. Beatrice Conway presented Miss Theressa Hoover, associate secretary of the Department of Christian Social Relations, Woman's Division of Christian Service. The subject of Miss Hoover's address was, "Our Mission Today." Music was rendered by the Wesleyan Service Guild Chorus of Tindley Temple.

**Anniversary of the Board of Missions:** Brief reports, including showing of slides, were presented by H. H. Nichols and C. L. Carrington who had participated in the Visitation-Evangelism Mission to Alaska in February. This Mission was sponsored by the Division of National Missions and General Board of Evangelism.

**Mortgage Burning Ceremony** was conducted by Bishop Love for churches having burned mortgages during the past year.

The ushers of Emmanuel Methodist Church served and the choir rendered music for the evening.

Benediction was pronounced by C. L. Carrington.

#### FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1962—MORNING SESSION—9:00 A.M.

Devotions were led by L. H. Purnell.

Conference Session was called to order by the Bishop.

Committee on Journal report, made by F. D. Arnold, that minutes for Wednesday and Thursday were perused and necessary corrections made, was accepted.

Report of the Committee to Study Minimum Salary was read by D. W.

Briddell. After discussion, report was adopted on motion of D. R. Fletcher with the following additions and deletions to recommendations: delete from #4, "in an instance wherein the spouse is gainfully employed or"; add #11. That a local church shall be reapportioned the next conference year any unpaid amount for minimum salary within a conference year. We further recommend that the provisions of paragraph 823, Methodist Discipline, regarding minimum salary as an essential part of the proportional payment of ministerial support, be practiced by all pastoral charges. Add a third possible solution: #2 being, speed our efforts wherever possible and feasible, to effect mergers and consolidation of churches that are unable to give adequate support to a minister. Change amount for pension purposes from \$3,101 to \$3,398. Under recommendations 1 and 2, add "a minimum" before per annum. (See VI. B-19.)

**Report of the Minimum Salary Fund**, read by Miss F. G. Wilson, was adopted. (See VI. B-18.)

**Board of Missions report** read by R. L. Cordery and H. D. Davis. Error under Loans and Donations noted by G. O. Commodore. Correction—change amount of loan from \$12,000 to \$15,000 and amount of donation from \$7,500 to \$4,500 for Mt. Zion Church, Pocomoke City. On motion of H. H. Nichols, the Conference-wide Week of Missions was set for October 8-12, 1962. On motion of H. H. Nichols, the request from the Board of Missions for \$500 for Conference Study Team was referred to Commission on World Service and Finance with instructions to approve. Report and recommendations were adopted. (See VI. B-5.) H. D. Davis was nominated and re-elected conference missionary secretary.

Visitors were introduced by Bishop Love. Dr. Charles B. Copher, professor at Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Ga., and Dr. William H. Smith, vice-president of Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D.C., spoke in the interest of their respective seminaries after being presented, Rev. George M. Curry, representing The Methodist Publishing House, urged increased use of the facilities provided for meeting the needs of Methodists.

**Telegram**, received from John W. Handy, Jr. stating his inability to attend Conference due to duties as chaplain, was read.

On motion of D. R. Fletcher, the afternoon session would begin at 2 o'clock today as requested by the Bishop.

**Report of Area Administrative Secretary:** D. L. Ridout requested the Conference to read his report on Group Insurance in the Daily Bulletin. (See VI. C-2.) He then read a tribute to Bishop and Mrs. Edgar A. Love on the occasion of tenth anniversary of tenure in the Episcopacy and as resident Bishop of the Baltimore Area. The members of the Conference stood in honor of their Bishop and his wife. (See VI. C-3.)

**Report of the Ministers' Wives Association for Conference Claimants Fund:** W. C. Strother presented Mrs. H. A. Bailey, president of the Association. Mrs. Bailey expressed appreciation to ministers' wives, ministers and laymen for wholehearted cooperation. The report was presented as follows by district superintendents' wives:

	<i>Conference Claimants</i>	<i>Reserve Pension Fund</i>
Dover District, Mrs. W. E. Stanley .....	\$ 2,000	\$ 200
Easton District, Mrs. C. L. Trader .....	2,500	250
Philadelphia District, Mrs. W. C. Strother .....	3,000	800
Salisbury District, Mrs. J. W. Elbert .....	2,000	200
Wilmington District, Mrs. J. R. Shockley .....	2,500	800
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Totals .....	\$12,000	\$2,250

Mrs. Edgar Love was presented and expressed high praise for the work of the ministers' wives in raising funds for pensions.

Orchids were presented to Mrs. Love, Mrs. Bailey and wives of the district superintendents by W. C. Strother on behalf of the Board of Pensions.

W. C. Strother gave a brief eulogy to the late Rev. J. W. Parker who gave dedicated leadership as chairman of the Board of Pensions to advancing the cause of pensions.

Rev. Kenneth F. Thompson of the General Board was presented. He spoke briefly of the progress of the pension program of The Methodist Church and of our Conference in entering into the general pension plan.

Noon Message was delivered by the Reverend Dr. Robert A. Raines, pastor of First Methodist Church, Germantown, Philadelphia. He spoke on the Grace of God.

Benediction was pronounced by Rev. Robert Raines.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION—2:00 P.M.

Devotions were led by Carlton H. Parker.

Business Session was called to order by Bishop Love.

Treasurer's Report, read by J. E. Dunn, was adopted subject to the report of the auditor. (See Statistical Tables.)

On motion of F. D. Arnold, the treasurer's report is to be mimeographed and distributed to conference members next year in order to follow report as read by Treasurer.

Motion was approved for strict observance of Conference Rule XXV on ending of fiscal year and sending of pastors' reports to treasurer and statistician.

List of pastors sending late reports was requested by Bishop.

Statistician's Report, read by S. E. Parker, was adopted. (See Statistical Tables.) Statistician stated that next year's report blanks will include additional information, namely, number of people over 65 years and number of tithers.

The Bishop urged pastors to be more accurate in making reports.

Bishop complimented the Secretary on the compiling of an excellent Conference Journal.

Board of Pensions report was made by J. H. C. Kelly and W. C. Strother. Adopted. (See VI. B-6.) A check for \$3,285.79 from The Methodist Publishing

House for pensions was acknowledged. W. C. Strother announced that the first two hundred Reserve Pension Fund stamps have been distributed, one hundred each to Bishop Love and Rev. Kenneth Thompson. The stamps are to be sold by local churches to help raise the deficit needed to enter the Reserve Pension Plan.

Rev. Kenneth Thompson greeted the Conference and spoke briefly of the group insurance plan sponsored by the General Board of Pensions.

**Meritorious Service Awards** were presented by Elmer P. Gibson, president of Morristown College, to the Delaware Conference for support of higher education and to Daniel L. Ridout for significant contribution in the field of music. On motion of Elwood Jewett, the certificate presented to the Conference is to be framed and hung in the church which will be the seat of the Annual Conference session.

**Board of Christian Social Concerns:** Rev. Richard Stazesky, chairman of the Peninsula Conference Board of Christian Social Concerns, was introduced and brought greetings. C. L. Carrington also presented Rev. Lloyd Durean, who spoke briefly, Rev. Levi B. Miller and Mr. Gloster B. Current of the New York East Conference. Dr. A. Dudley Ward, General Board of Christian Social Concerns, was presented and addressed the Conference briefly on making The Methodist Church an inclusive church.

**Report of the Board** was read by E. H. Crampton. (See VI. B-13.)

Recommendations were read. Numbers 1 and 4 were adopted.

On motion of J. W. Elbert, Number 2 was referred to Commission on World Service and Finance. On request of D. R. Fletcher, action on number 3 was deferred until action was taken on the resolution to adopt the recommendations of the Central Jurisdiction Study Committee.

**Resolution to Approve the Statement of Principles and Recommendations of the Central Jurisdiction Study Committee** was adopted, 161-27, (See Resolution 4.) Recommendation 3 was adopted.

**Town and Country Report**, read by Augustus Chancy, was adopted. Recommendations, read by E. A. Hughes, were adopted. The financial request of \$1,525 for the Commission for 1962-63 was referred to the Commission on World Service and Finance. (See VI. B-15.)

On motion of Augustus Chancy, Nathaniel Miller, Roland Henry and Kenneth Cottman were added to the Commission.

At the request of Bishop Love, on motion of H. H. Nichols a business session would be held from 7 to 8 P.M.

**Benediction** was pronounced by J. E. Licorish and afternoon session was adjourned.

#### EVENING SESSION—7:00 P.M.

**Devotions** were led by John W. Coleman. This period of meditation was conducted with brief talks, songs and music based on the theme, "Jesus Christ Is Lord." Mrs. Marilyn Coleman was soloist with J. Russell Robinson at the organ.

**Business Session** was called to order by Bishop Love.



**Report of the Committee to Study the Feasibility of Reducing the Number of Districts in the Delaware Conference** was read by M. O. Ballard. After much discussion, the motion to adopt the report was defeated.

**Report of Board of Trustees** was read by M. O. Ballard. The report with recommendations were adopted. (See VI. B-10.) Motion that the money received from sale of abandoned property at Camden, Delaware, be used within the Dover District for other church property was approved.

The death of Roland Grant, pastor at Bridgeville, Del. who became ill during afternoon session, was announced. On motion of H. H. Nichols, moments of silent prayer for the family of the late Rev. Grant, were observed.

**Anniversary of Board of Education:** A drama was presented by the Conference Council of Children's workers. Participants were Mrs. Emma W. Strother, Rev. E. L. Ellis, Mrs. Pearl Spence, Mrs. Alberta Brown, Mrs. Louise Purnell, Miss Elsie Young, Mrs. Pauline LeCompte, and Mrs. Anna N. Elzey. Music was rendered by the Junior Choir of Janes Methodist Church, Germantown under the direction of Mrs. Delores Carter.

Address delivered by Dr. P. G. Gould of the Alaska Methodist University. Music was rendered by choir of Janes Church, Germantown. Ushers of Janes also served.

**Benediction.**

**SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1962—MORNING SESSION—9:00 A.M.**

Devotions were led by Kenneth H. Greene.

Conference Session was called to order by Bishop Love.

**Committee on Journal** report made by F. D. Arnold. Minutes of previous day had been perused and corrections made. Motion to adopt was approved.

**Proposed Rules of Order**, presented by W. C. Strother for action. Proposed rule regarding election to elders orders was adopted. (See Rule XXXII.) Proposed rule regarding membership on boards, commissions, and committees of ministers in retired relation was adopted with amendment—"those retired ministers who are serving on a quadrennial committee upon entering retired relation may complete the term for which they were elected." (See Rule XXXIII.)

**Proposed Changes and Additions to Rules of Order**, presented by D. R. Fletcher. Adopted. (See Rules VII, XVII, XXVIII and XXXI.)

**Vote on Transfer of Washington Conference** from the Central Jurisdiction to Northeastern Jurisdiction—25 aye, 172 no, 13 abstentions.

**Vote on Transfer of North Carolina Conference** from Central Jurisdiction to Northeastern Jurisdiction—23 aye, 121 no, 66 abstentions.

**Report on Christian Higher Education**, W. R. Hazzard presided. Rev. David Seymour, director of Wesley Foundation, University of Pennsylvania and Drexel Institute, gave a brief resume of Foundation activities at these institutions. Samuel S. Tatem, director of Wesley Foundation, Maryland State College, reported on the activities at that institution. His report included a recommendation that a representative delegation from the Foundation would

appear at a reasonable hour during the day at a session of the Conference to report on the foundation and its mission at Maryland State College.

**Transfer of Gilbert A. Sherman** from East Tennessee Conference, effective May 23, was announced by Bishop Love. G. A. Sherman had transferred from Delaware Conference to East Tennessee Conference, Sept. 15, 1961.

**Offering for widow of Roland Grant** was given, amount \$222. Secretary requested to send letter of sympathy and Rev. Stanley, superintendent of Dover District, was requested to represent the Conference at the funeral.

**Telegrams** received from Louisiana, New York and Central West Annual Conferences, in session, were read. Bishop Love requested telegrams be sent to these conferences.

**Reception of Members:** Board of Ministerial Training presented John M. Day and Thomas G. Snowden to be received on trial; Abraham R. Carey, Qunicy D. Cooper, Carrol Scott and Martin U. Riley to be received into full connection. Bishop Love conducted the Service.

**Recognition of Retiring Ministers:** Names of W. A. Harewood, G. T. Jackson, M. L. McKenney, J. O. Stanley, C. J. Williams, R. T. Caldwell and J. R. Jackson were announced and given recognition.

**Privilege ganted** Mrs. H. C. Waters to give information regarding the progress being made by the Commission on Church Union involving the Evangelical United Brethren and The Methodist Churches.

**Nominations for Board, Commission and Committee Changes:** Read by W. E. Stanley. Trustees—Carl Still in place of M. T. Young, M. O. Ballard, C. W. Derrickson, Kermit Cottman (Class of 1965).

**Board of Church Location—Dover District.** Thaddeus Hackett in place of Roland Grant and add J. C. Hardcastle; **Easton District,** C. A. Edmonds in place of S. L. Jones; **Wilmington District,** Cooper Comyges in place of Calvin Matthews.

**Board of Pensions—Class of 1968,** C. E. Landrum in place of W. A. Harewood.

**Board of Evangelism—add** C. A. Edmonds.

**Town and Country—add** N. L. Miller, Roland Henry, Kermit Cottman.

**Committee on Codifying the Laws and Rules—W. P. Johnson** in place of D. M. Collins.

**District Committees on Ministerial Qualifications—Dover,** E. C. Hackshaw in place of D. M. Collins; **Easton,** W. H. Greene, F. W. Robinson, J. M. Day in place of S. L. Jones, J. I. Williams, H. R. Snead, T. C. Jones.

**Officers of Reserve Pension Campaign—Easton Distict,** C. M. Stafford in place of S. L. Jones.

**TRAFECO—Add** C. L. Trader.

**Delaware Council of Churches—W. L. D. Lyght** and L. L. Hamilton in place of G. H. McMurray, C. W. Bagwell.

All persons nominated were elected.

Motion by D. L. Ridout that complete roll of deceased ministerial members be printed each year in the Journal, was adopted.

**New York Area Metropolitan Planning Commission:** C. L. Carrington presented Rev. George W. Kaslow, executive director, who spoke briefly. (See VI.C-5.)

**Centennial Celebration Committee** report presented by D. R. Fletcher. Motion that the committee be given authority to select the place where the Centennial will be held was approved. Bishop Love was asked to set date of the 1964 session of the annual conference as soon as possible. Report adopted. (See VI. B-20.)

**Committee on Resolutions**, read by W. P. Johnson, was adopted.

**Invitation** for the Conference to convene at Tindley Temple in 1963 was extended by W. R. Hazzard. Motion to accept invitation was approved.

**Emancipation Celebration** report, presented by W. C. Jason, was adopted. (See VI. B-23.)

**Historical Society** report presented and adopted. (See VI. B-22.)

**Report of Editors of Conference History** was presented and adopted. (See VI. B-21.)

**Commission on World Service and Finance:** Item 29, section III—adopted. Motion by E. A. Hughes that a voluntary offering be taken in the local churches to help defray the expenses of Henri M. Deas on tour of Europe and Russia, was adopted. On motion of E. A. Hughes, the total report of Commission was adopted. (See VI. B-2.)

**Commission on Worship** report, read by C. E. Jordan, was adopted. (See VI. B-17.)

**State of the Church** report, read by R. L. Harris, was adopted. (See VI. B-24.)

**Commission on Promotion and Cultivation** report, presented by J. E. Licorish, was adopted. (See VI. B-4.)

**TRAFICO** report, read by G. H. Outen, was adopted. (See VI. B-16.)

**Nominations** for officers of Board of Lay Activities and recommendations, read by Miss F. G. Wilson. Officers were elected. Recommendations 2 and 3 adopted. No. 1 regarding entertainment was referred to Committee on Rules. (See VI. B-9 and X. Directory.)

**Board of Evangelism:** Recommendations, read by C. W. Derrickson, were adopted. (See VI. B-8.)

**Greater Philadelphia Council of Churches:** Recommendation, read by J. E. Licorish, was adopted. (See VI. C-6.)

**Central Christian Advocate** subscriptions received—228.

Bishop Love announced that Emmanuel Church, Philadelphia has been selected for the pilot project of the Board of Missions.

Motion by C. L. Trader that minutes of the Saturday session be approved on Sunday was approved.

Motion that after the Ordination Service and reading of appointments, the Conference would stand adjourned, was approved.

Quiet Moments of Meditation were directed by Bishop Love.

Benediction.

#### EVENING SESSION—7:30 P.M.

Devotions were led by Ewart C. Hackshaw.

Anniversary of Board of Lay Activities: Roy L. Cordery presided. A dramatic discussion of the role of the layman in the local church was presented followed by question and answer period.

Board of Christian Social Concerns Anniversary: C. L. Carrington presided. E. H. Crampton, director, presented Mr. Roger Burgess, associate secretary, General Board of Christian Social Concerns, who addressed the Conference. The address centered about three basic questions—Why should the Church be concerned? What are we concerned about? What are we doing about our concerns?

C. A. Edmonds, chairman of Temperance and General Welfare, urged that more workshops be held for increased activity in this area. H. M. Deas, chairman of Peace and World Order, gave an itinerary of the coming trip with other Methodists to Europe and Russia. Music was furnished by the choir of Haven Methodist Church. Ushers of Haven served.

Benediction was pronounced by Mr. Burgess.

#### SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1962

The Testimonial Service, beginning at 9 A.M. was under the leadership of R. B. Thompson, J. O. Stanley, O. H. Spence, J. H. Russum, W. A. T. Miles, A. A. McDowell and J. O. Griffin.

Morning Service of Worship, beginning at 10:30, was conducted by W. R. Hazzard, host pastor, and the district superintendents. The sermon was delivered by Bishop Edgar A. Love. Music was rendered by the choir of Tindley Temple under the direction of J. Edward Hoy. The ushers of Tindley Temple served.

Ordination Service began at 2:30 P.M. with Henry H. Nichols, vice-chairman of the Board of Ministerial Training, presiding. The ordination sermon was delivered by Marion O. Ballard, pastor of Camphor Memorial Methodist Church, Philadelphia. His subject was, "The Gospel We Preach."

Bishop Love, assisted by the district superintendents and several elders, ordained as deacons, John M. Day, Paul Dorsey, Rosa L. Robbins, Thomas G. Snowden and Henry Wolfe. Ordained as elders were Abraham R. Carey, Quincy D. Cooper, Mary D. Hundley, Carvilla M. Pinder, Martin U. Riley and Frank W. Robinson.

The orders of William Harrellston from the Reformed Episcopal Church as local deacon were recognized.

Lay Speakers who had satisfactorily met requirements of course during the conference year were consecrated by Bishop Love.



**Recognition of Those Retiring:** Conference Members—W. A. Harewood, G. T. Jackson, M. L. McKenney, J. O. Stanley, C. J. Williams; Approved Supply Pastors—R. S. Caldwell and J. R. Jackson. Bishop Love commended them for their years of active service in the ministry of The Methodist Church. Retired service pins were presented to those able to be present. Recognition was given to all retired ministers of the Conference.

**Prospective Ministerial Candidates**—Omega D. Brown, Richard Bryant, Frank Curry, Gilbert Frisby, Howard Franklin, James Furrow and Earl S. Pierce were presented and received words of encouragement from the Bishop.

Music for the Ordination Service was rendered by the choir of Camphor Memorial Church, Philadelphia.

**Conference Session:** Bishop Love presided.

Committee report on perusing the minutes of the previous day was made by F. D. Arnold and accepted.

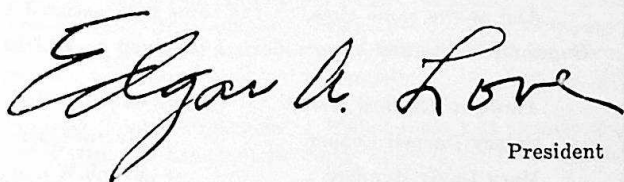
Resolution of Appreciation was read and approved. (See Resolution 5.)

Resolution on the Journal, read by J. E. Licorish, was approved. (See Resolution 6.)

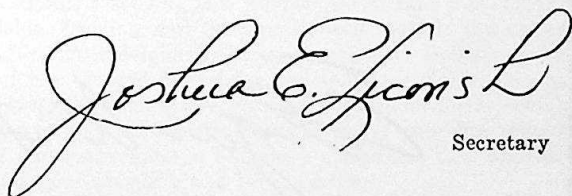
Appointments of ministers to pastoral charges, special appointments, and special conference assignments were read by Bishop Love. (See V.)

District Stewards' Meetings were announced by district superintendents.

**Adjournment:** Following the singing of the Doxology, Bishop Love pronounced the Benediction and the Conference stood adjourned sine die.



President



Secretary

**CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that, at Tindley Temple Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on Sunday, May 27, 1962, in accordance with the action of the Delaware Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, I ordained as DEACONS:

John Minor Day

Rosa L. Robbins

Paul Dorsey

Thomas Gayle Snowden

Henry Wolfe

And at the same time, on the same day, assisted by the District Superintendents and other elders, I ordained as ELDERS:

Abraham Richard Carey

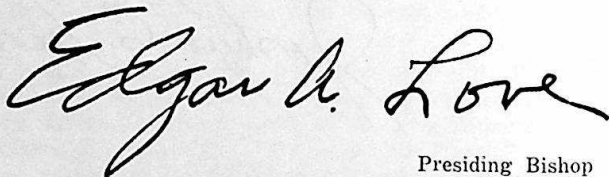
Carvilla Mae Pinder

Quincy Darnell Cooper

Martin Upshur Riley

Mary Davis Hundley

Frank Watson Robinson

A large, handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Edgar A. Love". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the title "Presiding Bishop".

Presiding Bishop



## RESOLUTIONS

## 1. WELCOME

Whereas, The Delaware Conference has again been convened by our resident Bishop E. A. Love with his rich and sagacious ability, and,

Whereas, World conditions and Church responsibilities call for the best that men can bring forth; be it

Resolved, That we extend to the Bishop and Mrs. Edgar A. Love a hearty welcome; and be it also

Resolved, that we cooperate heartily with our Bishop in the promotion of the work of this Conference and the continued advancement of the Kingdom of God.

Committee on Resolutions:

C. B. MILES, Chairman

CLAYTON HAMMOND, Secretary

## 2. SELECTIVE PATRONAGE—Re: Philadelphia Evening and Sunday Bulletin

Whereas, four hundred Colored Preachers of Philadelphia and vicinity representing all denominations have launched a massive Selective Patronage Program against industries that have practiced discrimination in the employment opportunities for our people, and

Whereas, the four hundred Colored Preachers of Philadelphia and vicinity have been amazingly successful in opening doors of employment opportunity in such companies as Tasty Baking Company, Bond Baking Company, Friehofer Baking Company, Coca-Cola Bottling Company, Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company, Seven-Up Bottling Company, Gulf Refining Company, Atlantic Refining Company, Esso Standard Oil Company, Mobil Oil Company, City Service Oil Company, Sun Oil Company and Breyers Ice Cream Company, and

Whereas, four hundred Colored Preachers of Philadelphia and vicinity are engaged in a Selective Patronage Program currently against the Philadelphia Evening and Sunday Bulletin; be it

Resolved, that all delegates attending this Conference refrain from buying or reading the Philadelphia Evening and Sunday Bulletin during the course of this Session, and until the Philadelphia Evening and Sunday Bulletin meets the minimum requests of the Colored Preachers and that this Conference go on record endorsing the program of Selective Patronage based on the following premise: "That we cannot in good conscience as ministers of churches remain silent while members of our congregations patronize companies that discriminate in the employment of our people"; and be it further

Resolved, that when the second phase is announced on Sunday, June 3, 1962, all churches in cities, towns and hamlets where the Bulletin is sold or read will give special emphasis to the Selective Patronage against the Bulletin; and be it further

Resolved, that delegates attending this Conference from other cities join with other interested ministers in organizing the SELECTIVE PATRONAGE PROGRAM in their respective communities.

H. H. NICHOLS, W. R. HAZZARD, W. C. STROTHER, JR., M. O. BALLARD, D. R. FLETCHER, D. W. BRIDDELL, G. H. OUTEN, C. W. DERRICKSON, S. L. JONES, D. W. WHYE, C. E. LANDRUM, T. C.

JONES, M. C. BLAKLEY, J. O. STANLEY, R. B. THOMPSON, J. W. COLEMAN, E. H. CRAMPTON, J. E. LICORISH, S. E. PARKER

### 3. TO ABANDON PROPERTY

Whereas, The Churches composing the Greenwood Charge were combined with Mt. Zion Church, Pocomoke City in 1961 with the direction that pastor and congregations work together to bring about a merger, and

Whereas, The Tindley Church of the Greenwood Circuit has been merged with the Church at Pocomoke City, and

Whereas, The Christ Church of the Greenwood Circuit is left with few members and no financial resources for reconditioning the building; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Christ Church be declared abandoned property and sold; and be it further

Resolved, That the proceeds of the sale of said property, when consummated by the trustees, be remitted to Mt. Zion Church, Pocomoke, which is now composed of members of the former Greenwood Circuit and Mt. Zion Church, for the modernization of the parsonage in Pocomoke City.

### SALISBURY DISTRICT COMMITTEE ON CHURCH LOCATION AND THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

### 4. CENTRAL JURISDICTION STUDY CONFERENCE

Whereas, the College of Bishops of the Central Jurisdiction, upon the request of the Central Jurisdiction Study Committee, convened a Study Conference in Cincinnati, Ohio, on March 26-28, 1962, and

Whereas, the purpose of said Study Conference was to assist the Committee of Five to (1) determine where The Methodist Church is today in the matter of readjusting the jurisdictional structure of the church so as to abolish the racially segregated Central Jurisdiction; (2) identify possible alternatives that are available to The Methodist Church in general and the Central Jurisdiction in particular; and (3) explore the procedures for seeking consensus within the Central Jurisdiction with respect to achieving the goal of an inclusive Methodist Church at all levels of church life, and

Whereas, the said Study Conference formulated a statement of guiding principles and adopted basic recommendations regarding the abolition of the Central Jurisdiction as a racially segregated unit of Methodism; therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Delaware Annual Conference hereby affirms its adherence to the statement of principles and its adoption of the recommendations of the Study Conference; and be it further

Resolved, that the Delaware Annual Conference hereafter shall regard the said statement of principles and the recommendations of the Cincinnati Study Conference as definitive criteria for the consideration of any proposal or proposals for transferring a local church or an annual conference from the Central Jurisdiction under Amendment IX.

EARL H. CRAMPTON  
H. H. NICHOLS  
C. L. CARRINGTON

## 5. APPRECIATION

Whereas, the 100th session of the Delaware Conference and visitors have been royally entertained by the pastor, officials and members of Tindley Temple, and

Whereas, Bishop Edgar A. Love has presided over the Conference with dignity and administrative ability, and

Whereas, Mrs. Edgar A. Love has again graced our session with her presence and pleasing personality, and

Whereas, the choirs, organists, pianists and Rev. R. B. Thompson have inspired us with their musical talents in our worship services, and

Whereas, Mr. Charles Long, the Chef with his helpers, dining hall personnel, parking lot attendants, custodians, ushers, hostesses, and others have graciously served us at the church and in their homes; be it

Resolved, that we express our sincere appreciation and thanks to all who have enriched the conference program and ministered to our needs.

Committee on Resolutions  
C. B. MILES, Chairman  
W. P. JOHNSON, Secretary

## 6. THE CONFERENCE JOURNAL, 1962

I move the adoption of the following:

1. That the Conference Secretary be authorized to edit and publish the proceedings of this session of the Annual Conference, including all reports and resolutions;
2. That three thousand (3000) copies of the Journal be ordered for distribution and that The Methodist Publishing House shall be the agency to print the same;
3. That all corrected material shall be in the hands of the Secretary by June 9th;
4. That the printed Journal signed by the President and the Secretary be made the Official Journal of the Conference;
5. That the Secretary shall be further authorized to publish a Pre-Conference Report booklet which shall contain all reports and resolutions coming from boards, commissions and agencies of the Conference for action by said body. The Pre-Conference Report booklet to be in the hands of the pastors and lay delegates ten days prior to the Annual Conference.

JOSHUA E. LICORISH, Secretary

# IV. Disciplinary Questions

## THE METHODIST CHURCH

### THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the Delaware Annual Conference held in Tindley Temple Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa. from May 22, 1962, through May 27, 1962, Bishop Edgar A. Love, presiding. Date when organized, July 29, 1864. Number of this session, one hundredth.

#### PART I. ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Who are elected for the quadrennium (§§ 629, 803):  
Secretary? Joshua E. Licorish, 3849 N. 18th St., Philadelphia 40, Pa.  
Statistician? Samuel E. Parker, 1509 N. 20th St., Philadelphia 21, Pa.  
Treasurer? Joseph E. Dunn, 4715 Duffield St., Philadelphia 24, Pa.
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? (§ 625.)  
Yes.
3. Bonding and auditing:
  - (a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts? (§§ 640, 729, 807.)  
J. E. Dunn, Treasurer, \$50,000.00.
  - (b) Have the books of said officers or persons been audited? (§§ 640, 729, 803, 807.)  
Yes.
4. Have the conference boards, commissions, and committees been appointed or elected (§§ 666-80, 695, 721):
  - (a) Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications?  
Yes.
  - (b) Committee on Conference Relations?  
Yes.
  - (c) District Committees on Ministerial Qualifications?  
Yes.
  - (d) Committee of Investigation?  
Yes.
  - (e) District Boards of Church Location and Building?  
Yes.
  - (f) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference?  
Yes.
  - (g) Commission on World Service and Finance?  
Yes.
  - (h) Commission on Town and Country Work?  
Yes.
  - (i) Deaconess Board?  
No.

(j) Board of Missions?

Yes.

(k) Board of Education?

Yes.

(l) Board of Christian Social Concerns?

Yes.

(m) Board of Lay Activities?

Yes.

(n) Board of Hospitals and Homes?

Yes.

(o) Board of Evangelism?

Yes.

(p) Board of Pensions?

Yes.

(q) Commission on Christian Vocations?

Yes.

(r) Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service?

Yes.

(s) Commission on Minimum Salaries?

Yes.

(t) Commission on Promotion and Cultivation?

Yes.

(u) Television, Radio and Film Commission?

Yes.

(v) Committee on Publishing Interests?

Yes.

(w) Optional commissions and committees?

Yes.

5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church? (§ 662.)  
Yes.
6. What is the report of the statistician?  
(See Statistical Tables.)
7. What is the report of the treasurer?  
(See Statistical Tables.)
8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts?  
(See VI-A.)
9. What is the schedule of minimum salaries for pastors? (§ 826.)  
Married, \$1,800; single, \$1,600.
10. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? (§§ 801-2.)  
Salary, \$6,000; travel and office expense, \$2,500 each; paid through conference treasurer.



11. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants? (§§ 1623, 1645 § 4.)  
An amount equal to 12% of the pastor's cash salary.
12. What are the apportionments to this conference:
- (a) For the World Service Fund?  
\$55,067.
  - (b) For the Episcopal Fund?  
2% of the total cash salaries paid to pastors and associate pastors.
  - (c) For the General Administration Fund?  
\$3,187 and deficit.
  - (d) For the Interdenominational Co-operation Fund?  
\$1,992.
  - (e) For the Jurisdictional Administration Fund?  
\$630.
  - (f) For the maintenance of our institutions of higher learning?  
\$1.50 per member.
13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year: (§ 795.)  
World service? 65% Conference benevolences? 35%
14. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the conference agencies:
- (a) What is the report of the Board of Pensions and what appropriations for conference claimants are reported and approved? (§ 1623.) See VI. B-6.)
  - (b) What is the report of the Board of Missions of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference? (§ 1303.) (See VI. B-5.)
  - (c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance? (§§ 791-812.) (See VI. B-2.)
  - (d) What is the report of the Commission on Christian Vocations? (§§ 675-77.) (See VI. B-14.)
  - (e) What are the other reports? (See Section VI.)
15. What Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for annuity responsibility? (§ 1618 § 2c, 9.)  
None.
16. What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday? (§ 1559.)  
Second Sunday in November.
17. Conference lay leader (§ 1507):
- (a) Name? Hally P. Johns, 2450 W. Columbia Ave., Philadelphia 21, Pa.
  - (b) What is his report? (See VI. B-9.)
  - (c) Who are district and associate district lay leaders? (§ 1510.) DOVER: J. R. Webb, Joseph Bedford, E. T. Hawkins, Alphonso Young, Charles Gosley. EASTON: Dewey Townsend, Mrs. H. C. Waters, Mrs. Elaine DeShields, Mrs. Helena Murray, Perry Ringgold, James Thomas. PHILADELPHIA: R. L. Cordery, Otho James, R. L. Simpson, Charles Parrish, T. M. Smith. SALISBURY: W. T. Kiah, R. L. Pinkett, Benjamin



Waters, Andrew Evans, Fred Wise. WILMINGTON: Carl Still, Miss F. G. Wilson, H. A. Wise, Mrs. Helen Dobson, Mrs. Helen Loatman.

18. What local churches have been:

(a) Organized? (§ 155.) None.

(b) Merged? (§§ 186-87.)

Mt. Zion, Pocomoke City, Maryland and Greenwood Circuit (Tindley and Christ Churches), Maryland.

(c) Discontinued? (§§ 126, 188, 354.) None.

(d) Relocated, and to what address?

Butler Memorial, Philadelphia District: 3920 Paulding Ave., New York City.

PART II. PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS

19. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration?

Yes.

20. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? (§ 931.)

C. H. Molock, O. C. Jones, R. A. Adams, J. O. Stanley. (Reserves) J. I. Williams, H. T. Moody, C. A. Elder.

21. Who are the approved supply pastors:

(a) Student approved supply pastors? (§§ 317 § 1, 318), and in what schools are they enrolled?

Kenneth H. Greene, Maryland State College; Roland W. Dennis, Maryland State College; C. Leonard Miller, Cheyney State Teachers College; Carlton H. Parker, Cheyney State Teachers College; Haswell G. Young, Maryland State College.

(b) Part-time approved supply pastors (§§ 317 § 3, 318), and what progress has each made in the course of study?

Woodrow L. Amey, completed 4th yr.; Thomas E. Cameron, completed 1st yr.; Thomas E. Carter, completed 1st yr.; Gilbert Frisby, college graduate; William M. Gee, Jr., completed course; Douglas Gibson, none; John R. Jackson, exempt; Houx H. Nichols, exempt, no annuity; Irene S. Simpson, completed course; William M. Staten, completed 1st yr.; James Ward, high school graduate and local deacon.

(c) Full-time approved supply pastors (§§ 317 § 2, 318), and what progress has each made in the course of study?

DOVER: C. W. D. Browne, C. R. Bryant, J. A. Conway, T. Hackett, P. A. Henry, P. R. Hilton, O. O. James, L. R. Jones, G. W. Taylor, R. T. Wallace—completed course of study. M. E. White, no progress for 3 yrs., to take course by correspondence. EASTON: H. G. Chase, L. W. Coltrane, Robert Wayne Dennis, H. T. Hall, E. A. Hughes, M. D. Hundley, E. H. Jackson, J. R. Lee, T. M. Murray, H. R. Opher, C. M. Pinder, A. H. Slacum, C. M. Stafford, G. L. Stanley, N. C. Stanley—completed course of study. C. H. Cottingham and A. F. Farrare, retired. J. H. Roberts must take 4 yr. course. E. P. Cooke, no progress for 3 yrs., must attend Pastor's school. PHILADELPHIA: S. A. Bellamy, A. Redfield Brown, C. E. Landrum—completed course. E. T. Randolph and M. L. Slade, exempt. SALISBURY: R. T. Crosswell (de-

ceased), C. E. Handy, Jessica W. Hickman, E. M. Jolly, E. W. Lee, D. T. Lewis, W. J. Mills, L. H. Purnell, H. W. Spencer, I. H. White, G. B. Wilson—completed course. E. J. Johnson and G. N. Jones—retired. H. F. Barclay, in 2nd yr., no progress. H. J. Lambert, completed 1st yr.; O. L. Molock, completed 1st yr.; Nathaniel Dennis, high school graduate. WILMINGTON: M. D. Brooks, L. C. Brown, J. C. Caulk, H. J. Fisher, S. G. Fullman, J. J. Webster, C. I. Young—completed course. A. A. Berry, completed 3rd yr.; W. L. Gray, A.B., additional study on graduate level, recommended course of study to be taken at N. J. Conference Approved Supply Pastor's School or through correspondence. John H. Wilcher—no report.

22. What approved supply pastors are credited with annuity claim on account of full-time service during the past year? (§§ 1631, 1632.10.)

DOVER: G. W. Taylor, P. A. Henry, T. Hackett, L. R. Jones, P. R. Hilton, C. W. D. Browne, J. A. Conway, C. R. Bryant, O. O. James, M. E. White, R. T. Wallace. EASTON: E. P. Cooke, T. M. Murray, R. S. Caldwell, E. H. Jackson, H. G. Chase, C. M. Pinder, N. C. Stanley, A. H. Slacum, G. L. Stanley, H. R. Opher, E. A. Hughes, O. L. Molock, L. W. Coltrane, C. M. Stafford, J. R. Lee, Robert W. Dennis, Mary D. Hundley. PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT: A. Redfield Brown, M. L. Slade, S. A. Bellamy, C. E. Landrum, E. T. Randolph. SALISBURY: E. W. Lee, L. H. Purnell, I. H. White, H. J. Lambert, J. W. Hickman, W. J. Mills, H. F. Barclay, C. E. Handy, H. W. Spencer, E. M. Jolly, G. B. Wilson, D. T. Lewis, R. T. Crosswell. WILMINGTON: H. J. Fisher, J. C. Caulk, C. I. Young, A. A. Berry, J. J. Webster, M. D. Brooks, S. G. Fullman.

23. What preachers, coming from other evangelical churches, have had their orders recognized (§ 411.2):

(a) As local deacons?

William Harrellston—from Reformed Episcopal Church.

(b) As local elders? None.

24. Who have been admitted from other evangelical churches as traveling preachers: [See note under question 33.] (§ 411.3-5.)

(a) As members on trial: Deacons?

None.

Elders? None.

(b) As members in full connection: Deacons?

None.

Elders? None.

25. Who are admitted on trial: [List alphabetically. See note under question 33.]

(a) With degrees from approved colleges and credits from approved schools of theology? (§§ 323-24.)

John Minor Day, A.B., Morgan College; Wesley Seminary. Thomas Gayle Snowden, A.B., Payne College; School of Religion, Howard University, 1 year.

(b) With degrees from colleges not accredited by the University Senate and credits from approved schools of theology? (§ 325 § 1.)

None.

- (c) With degrees from approved colleges and completion of the introductory studies for the ministry and the first year course of study? (§ 325 § 2.)  
None.
- (d) With partial college credit, completion of the four-year course of study, and six years' service as approved supply pastors? (§ 325 § 3.)  
None.
26. Who are continued on trial; and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies (§ 330):
- (a) As students in approved schools of theology?  
John W. Coleman, Richard R. Hicks and Herbert E. Palmer—Crozier School of Theology.
- (b) As graduates of approved schools of theology?  
None.
- (c) In the four-year course of study?  
Frank W. Robinson.
- (d) In the four graduate courses of study? (§ 343 § 2.)  
Robert L. Harris and Floyd E. Waters.
27. Who on trial are discontinued?  
None.
28. Who are admitted into full connection? [List alphabetically. See note under question 33.]  
Abraham R. Carey, Quincy D. Cooper, Martin U. Riley, and Carrol Scott.
29. Who have been elected deacons (§ 393): [See note under question 33.]
- (a) Theological students?  
John M. Day and Thomas G. Snowden.
- (b) Members on trial in the course of study?  
None.
- (c) Approved supply pastors?  
None.
- (d) Other local preachers?  
Paul Dorsey, Rosa L. Robbins, Henry Wolfe.
- (e) Missionaries?  
None.
- (f) Chaplains?  
None.
30. Who have been ordained deacons? [See note under question 33.]  
John M. Day, Paul Dorsey, Rosa L. Robbins, Thomas G. Snowden, Henry Wolfe.
31. Who have been elected elders (§ 403): [See note under question 33.]
- (a) Theological graduates?  
Abraham R. Carey, Gammon Seminary; Martin U. Riley, Drew Seminary.
- (b) Course of study graduates?  
Quincy D. Cooper, Frank W. Robinson.
- (c) Approved supply pastors?  
(Mrs.) Mary D. Hundley, (Mrs.) Carvilla M. Pinder.

- (d) Other local preachers?  
None.
  - (e) Missionaries?  
None.
  - (f) Chaplains?  
None.
32. Who have been ordained elders? [See note under question 33.]  
Abraham R. Carey, Quincy D. Cooper, (Mrs.) Mary D. Hundley,  
(Mrs.) Carvilla M. Pinder, Martin U. Riley, Frank W. Robinson.
33. Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conferences:
- (a) Admitted: On trial?  
None.  
Into full connection?  
None.
  - (b) Ordained after election by this conference: Deacons?  
None.  
Elders?  
None.
  - (c) Ordained after election by other conferences: Deacons?  
None.  
Elders?  
None.

[NOTE: Members of this conference who were admitted or ordained through the accommodation of other conferences during the year should be listed under Questions 24-32, whichever are appropriate, along with their fellow members who were admitted or ordained at the current session. In each case the date and accommodating conference should be recorded. Under Question 33 should be listed persons, now members of other conferences, who were members of this conference only during the period necessary for their admission or ordination, if at all. In each case the conference of which the person is now a member, and any other conference involved, should be recorded. Transfers preceding or following actual service in this conference should be listed under Questions 36-37.]

34. Who are readmitted:
- (a) As deacons?  
None.
  - (b) As elders?  
None.
35. What retired members have been made effective?  
None.
36. Who have been received by transfer? [List alphabetically. If probationer, so indicate. See note under question 33.]  
Gilbert A. Sherman, East Tennessee, May 23, 1962.
37. Who have been transferred out? [List alphabetically. See note under question 33.]  
Gilbert A. Sherman, East Tennessee, September 15, 1961.
38. Who have had their conference membership terminated:
- (a) By voluntary location?  
Thomas L. Ross.
  - (b) By involuntary location?  
None.



(c) By withdrawal?

None.

(d) By judicial procedure (expelled)?

None.

39. Deceased: [List alphabetically.]

(a) What ministerial members have died during the year?

Effective:

Douglas M. Collins, b., Feb. 15, 1896; d., July 3, 1961; f.c., 1937.

Eric G. George, b., Oct. 20, 1926; d., March 19, 1962; Probationer, Received on Trial—1960.

Roland Grant, b., Aug. 7, 1904; d., May 25, 1962; f.c., 1933.

Inactive:

Isaac B. Bivens, b., June 6, 1883; d., March 20, 1962; f.c., 1946.

William A. Hubbard, b., March 31, 1870; d. Dec. 21, 1961; f.c., 1902.

William H. Johns, b., Jan., 1877; d., Jan. 21, 1962; f.c., 1906.

James O. Lockman, b., Oct. 15, 1885; d., Nov. 6, 1961; f.c., 1919.

Malachi Rasin, b., Oct. 3, 1870; d., April 4, 1962; f.c., 1911.

(b) What approved supply pastors have died during the year?

Emmons N. Foster, Van Buren Wright.

(c) What deaconesses have died during the year?

None.

40. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? (§ 365.)

Charles C. Thomas—1.

41. Who are granted sabbatical leave? (§ 364.)

None.

42. What ministerial members have been retired: [List alphabetically.]

(a) This year?

William A. Harewood, George T. Jackson, Martin L. McKenney, James O. Stanley, Carson J. Williams.

(b) Previously?

Earl H. Crampton, James R. Bowdoin, Seldon G. Dix, Royal C. Hughes, Robert A. F. Graham, James O. Griffin, Samuel J. Horsey, Hampton T. Johnson, Lucius E. Jordan, Charles E. Kincade, John E. McBride, Abraham A. McDowell, William E. Marks, Clemon B. Miles, William A. T. Miles, Charles H. Molock, John I. Peaco, Daniel S. Quillin, Alexander Reid, John H. Russum, Oliver H. Spence, Thomas D. Steward, W. C. Thompson.

43. What approved supply pastors have been retired:

(a) This year?

Robert S. Caldwell, John R. Jackson.

(b) Previously?

S. E. Armstrong, J. T. Ayers, Mrs. G. V. Bell, A. L. Boggs, Mrs. R. C. Brown, Mrs. A. W. Coffey, C. H. Cottingham, A. F. Farrare, M. V. Hyland, G. N. Jones, E. J. Johnson, L. H. Jones, W. A. Nichols, R. C. Whittington.

44. Who are appointed to attend school? [List alphabetically.]

McQuay R. Kiah, Thomas G. Snowden.



## 45. What is the number of:

## (a) General Information:

Pastoral charges? 163. Approved supply pastors? 76. Received on trial? 2. Received into full connection? 4. Transferred in? 1. Transferred out? 1. Received from other evangelical churches? 0. Readmitted? 0. Discontinued? 0. Withdrawn? 0. Expelled? 0. Located? 1. Deceased? 8 and 2 approved supply pastors. Local preachers? 209. Women under appointment? 8 as supply pastors. Retired made effective? 0. Retired serving as supply pastors? 9. District parsonages: No. 5. Value \$111,000. Indebtedness, \$9,000.

## (b) Number of ministers:

(1) On trial: (a) As pastors? 7. (b) Under special appointment? 0. (c) Appointed to attend school? 1. Total on trial? 8.  
 (2) In full connection: (a) Effective: (i) As pastors and district superintendents? 81. (ii) Under special appointment? 7. (iii) Appointed to attend school? 1. (iv) On sabbatical leave? 0. Total effective? 89. (b) Retired? 28: (c) Supernumerary? 1. Total ministerial members: [Add total on trial, effective, retired, and supernumerary.] 126.

## 46. What other personal notation should be made?

None.

## PART III. CONCLUDING BUSINESS

## 47. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year?

(See supplementary report.)

## 48. Where shall the next conference session be held?

Tindley Temple, Philadelphia, Pa.

## 49. Is there any other business? (See III and VI.)

## 50. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session?

See reports of district superintendents.

## 51. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year?

(See list of appointments.)

## V. Appointments

Names in parentheses are approved supply pastors.  
 Parentheses and \* denote retired serving as supply pastors.  
 Figures indicate number of years appointed to charge.

### DOVER DISTRICT

Walter E. Stanley, Superintendent (4), 880 Forest St., Dover, Delaware  
 (Appointments in Delaware, except as otherwise noted.)

Bridgeville—(C. H. Parker) . . . . .	1	Millsboro-Harmony—	
Bridgeville Ct.—C. P. Spencer . . . . .	6	(C. W. D. Browne) . . . . .	11
Chestertown, Md.—H. E. Anderson . . . . .	2	Nassau—(W. E. Marks)* . . . . .	3
Cheswold—W. C. Thomas . . . . .	6	Newark, Md.—(J. A. Conway) . . . . .	5
Clarksville—(G. W. Taylor) . . . . .	7	North Berlin, Md.—A. J. Dredde . . . . .	6
Coleman, Md.—W. C. R. Mills . . . . .	6	Pomona, Md.—(C. R. Bryant) . . . . .	5
Crumpton, Md.—I. W. Wallace . . . . .	5	Port Deposit, Md.—H. E. Palmer . . . . .	2
Delmar—(H. G. Young) . . . . .	2	Rock Hall, Md.—E. C. Hackshaw . . . . .	4
Dover—L. L. Hamilton . . . . .	2	Sassafras-Galena, Md.—	
Fairlee, Md.—(P. A. Henry) . . . . .	8	(Mrs. O. O. James) . . . . .	14
Harrington—(Thaddeus Hackett) . . . . .	14	Seaford—C. D. Gerald . . . . .	6
Laurel—S. W. C. Crosse . . . . .	1	Seaford Ct.—(Gilbert Frisby) . . . . .	1
Lewes—Q. D. Cooper . . . . .	5	Sharptown, Md.—	
Lincoln City—A. R. Carey . . . . .	1	(Houx H. Nichols) . . . . .	2
Mardela, Md.—(L. R. Jones) . . . . .	11	Smyrna—(Mrs. M. E. White) . . . . .	3
Milford—(W. M. Gee) . . . . .	3	South Berlin, Md.—N. L. Miller . . . . .	3
Millington, Md.—(P. R. Hilton) . . . . .	3	Still Pond, Md.—(R. T. Wallace) . . . . .	3
		Townsend—R. R. Hicks . . . . .	2

Secretary of Evangelism—A. J. Dredde  
 Secretary of Missions—S. W. C. Crosse  
 Director of Stewardship—Robert Young  
 Director of Christian Social Concerns—L. L. Hamilton  
 Director of Wills and Legacies—Mrs. Elsie C. Briddell

### EASTON DISTRICT

Crawford L. Trader, Superintendent (6), 420 E. Dover St., Easton, Maryland  
 (All appointments in Maryland)

Aireys—(J. O. Stanley)* . . . . .	1	Hurlock—(W. M. Staten) . . . . .	2
Beckwith—(A. F. Farrare) . . . . .	6	Linkwood—(N. C. Stanley) . . . . .	2
Cambridge—C. A. Edmonds . . . . .	2	Marydel—(J. H. Roberts) . . . . .	2
Cambridge Ct.—(T. M. Murray) . . . . .	7	McDaniel—(A. A. McDowell)* . . . . .	3
Carmichaels—G. A. Sherman . . . . .	1	Miles River-Staton Chapel—	
Centreville—J. M. Day . . . . .	1	(Mrs. H. R. Opher) . . . . .	3
Church Creek—(C. H. Cottingham) . . . . .	3	Oxford-Bellevue—(E. A. Hughes) . . . . .	7
Church Hill—(E. H. Jackson) . . . . .	9	Preston—F. W. Robinson . . . . .	1
Cordova-Earls Chapel—		Ridgely—(L. W. Coltraine) . . . . .	2
(H. G. Chase) . . . . .	8	St. Michaels-Royal Oak—	
Crapo-Golden Hill—		(C. B. Miles)* . . . . .	2
(Mrs. C. M. Pinder) . . . . .	3	Stevensville—(C. M. Stafford) . . . . .	6
Denton-Williston—(E. P. Cooke) . . . . .	1	Taylor's Island—(J. R. Lee) . . . . .	2
East New Market—(N. C. Stanley) . . . . .	6	Trappe—(H. T. Hall) . . . . .	10
Easton-John Wesley—W. H. Greene . . . . .	2	Vienna-Reids Grove—	
Easton Ct.—(A. H. Slacum) . . . . .	3	(Robert W. Dennis) . . . . .	3
Federalburg—(G. L. Stanley) . . . . .	3	Wittman-Sherwood—	
Greensboro—A. P. Jenkins . . . . .	9	(Mrs. M. D. Hundley) . . . . .	3

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(Mrs. A. R. Brown)	7	Camphor—M. O. Ballard	4
Grace Mission—		Christ Mission—(E. T. Randolph)	7
(Mrs. M. L. Slade)	8	Community—D. W. Whye	4
John Wesley—E. H. Holmes	2	E. Germantown—M. C. Blakley	3
Newman Memorial—H. M. Deas	8	Emmanuel—D. W. Briddell	6
Redeemer—L. V. Baker	3	Frankford—R. L. Harris	6
Jamaica, N. Y.—C. L. Carrington	22	Janes—H. H. Nichols	16
Associate—(C. L. Miller)	1	Haven—S. L. Jones	2
Jersey City, N. J.—T. C. Jones	1	John Wesley—C. W. Derrickson	3
Montclair, N. J.—W. G. Brown	1	Mt. Zion—R. B. Thompson	9
Newark, N. J.:		Peniel—S. E. Parker	3
St. Johns—T. M. Booth	3	St. Barnabas—E. L. Ellis	1
St. Matthews—W. R. Mayberry	12	Tindley Temple—W. R. Hazzard	3
New Rochelle, N. Y.—R. J. Watkins	1	Tioga—G. H. Outen	3
New York, N. Y.:		Zoar—J. E. Licorish	6
Butler Memorial—W. P. Johnson	21	Associate—J. W. Coleman	2
Shaw Chapel—(S. A. Bellamy)	19	Spring Lake, N. J.—M. U. Riley	5
Orange, N. J.—C. A. Elder	5	Trenton, N. J.—F. D. Arnold	5
Ossining, N. Y.—Randolph Fisher	4	Trevoise, Pa.—(E. H. Crampton)*	1
		White Plains, N. Y.—C. E. Jordan	2

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Crisfield:		Pocomoke City—G. O. Commodore	3
Shiloh—S. P. Sanders	5	Powellville-Hutts Memorial—	
Union-Asbury—(E. W. Lee)	3	(E. J. Johnson)	2
Dames Quarter-Deal Island—		Princess Anne—S. S. Tatem	3
(K. H. Greene)	3	Quantico—(H. W. Spencer)	8
Fruitland—(G. B. Wilson)	1	St. Andrews—(Alexander Reid)*	5
Girdletree—(L. H. Purnell)	15	Salisbury:	
Hopewell—(I. H. White)	2	John Wesley—J. I. Williams	2
Hornstown, Va.—(H. F. Barclay)	1	White Temple—C. W. Cannon	1
Keller-Exmore, Va.—		Snow Hill—J. L. McClendon	1
(Mrs. J. W. Hickman)	5	Stockton-Shiloh—(E. M. Jolly)	2
Leemont, Va.—(W. J. Mills)	2	Unionville—Carroll Scott	1
Manokin—(Nathaniel Dennis)	1	Wachapreague, Va.—	
Marion Station—J. W. Mickle	7	(H. J. Lambert)	1
Marumsc-Kingston—O. C. Jones	5	Wattsville, Va.—(O. L. Molock)	1
Mt. Vernon—(D. S. Quillin)*	3	Wetipquin—(John E. McBride)*	2
Nanticoke—C. L. Willis	3	Whaleyville—(D. T. Lewis)	3
Oakville-Cottage Grove—		White Haven—(Roland W. Dennis)	2
(C. E. Handy)	9	Withams, Va.—(R. T. Crosswell)	15
Oriole-Venton—(G. N. Jones)	2		

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Hamilton Memorial—H. D. Davis . . . 9	(L. C. Brown) . . . . . 6
Bridgeton, N. J.—T. H. Pendleton . . . 7	Mt. Holly, N. J.—(W. L. Gray) . . . . 2
Burlington, N. J.—(H. J. Fisher) . . . 13	New Castle, Del.—
Buttonwood-Christiana, Del.—	(W. A. T. Miles)* . . . . . 9
(J. C. Caulk) . . . . . 2	Newport, Del.—G. W. Cuff . . . . . 5
Camden, N. J.:	Odessa-Port Penn, Del.—
Eighth St.—(C. I. Young) . . . . . 2	F. E. Waters . . . . . 2
Ferry Avenue—C. W. Bagwell . . . . 1	Pleasantville-Ocean City, N. J.—
Cape May-Swainton, N. J.—	C. W. Perry . . . . . 12
(A. A. Berry) . . . . . 2	Port Norris, N. J.—J. E. Bishop . . . 17
Chester, Pa.:	Quinton, N. J.—(J. H. Wilcher) . . . 1
Grace—S. L. Wilkins . . . . . 3	St. George-Kirkwood, Del.—
Siloam—J. B. Redmond . . . . . 1	(T. E. Cameron) . . . . . 2
St. Daniels—F. D. Jones . . . . . 12	Salem, N. J.—C. E. Kiah . . . . . 3
Darby, Pa.—C. E. Hammond . . . . . 3	Wilmington, Del.:
Delair, N. J.—R. A. Adams . . . . . 4	Coleman Memorial—H. R. Snead . . . 2
Elkton, Md.—(J. J. Webster) . . . . . 4	Ezion—W. L. D. Lyght . . . . . 2
Fordville, N. J.—W. M. Tasco . . . . 14	Haven—H. T. Moody . . . . . 6
Grenloch-Rhodes, N. J.—	Mt. Carmel—E. V. Wimberly . . . . 2
(M. D. Brooks) . . . . . 2	Mt. Joy—Augustus Chaney . . . . . 3
Lawnside, N. J.—	Woodbury, N. J.—(S. G. Fullman) . . 7
O'Connell Milbourne . . . . . 2	

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## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

Howard A. Bailey—Executive Secretary, Board of Education . . . . .	19
Harrison DeShields—Professor, Alabama State College, Montgomery, Ala. . . . .	3
Joseph E. Dunn—Treasurer and Director of Stewardship . . . . .	3
Dennis R. Fletcher—Director of Special Fields, Division of National Missions . . .	16
Elmer P. Gibson—President, Morristown College, Morristown, Tennessee . . . . .	3
John W. Handy, Jr.—Chaplain, U. S. Army . . . . .	19
Daniel L. Ridout—Administrative Secretary, Baltimore Area . . . . .	10
Left without appointment to attend school: McQuay R. Kiah, 3; Thomas G. Snowden, 1	

## Special Conference Assignments:

Secretary of Missions—Hooker D. Davis  
 Secretary of Evangelism—C. W. Derrickson  
 Director of Christian Social Concerns—E. H. Crampton  
 Director of Wills and Legacies—J. C. Hardcastle



## VI. The Reports

### A. The District Superintendents' Reports

#### COMPOSITE REPORT

Bishop Love, Ministers and Laymen:

In accordance with legislation enacted at the 1958 Session of the Delaware Conference, we, your District Superintendents, are delighted to present our fourth composite report.

While it falls my lot to read this report, it is not mine, rather it represents the essence of information secured by your District Superintendents. Further it sets forth ideals and goals which each of us cherish and under which we render our services.

As we attempt to highlight the achievements of the past year our hearts beat with humility and gratitude. Humility, because we have missed the mark and fallen short of God's design for our lives. Gratitude, in that despite all of our failures God has blessed our efforts and "the gospel is bearing fruit and expanding throughout the civilized world."

#### Evangelism

Evangelism is the heart of the Christian Church. It is vital to her strength and progress. Jesus stated His purpose for coming into the world "I am come to seek and to save that which is lost." Those who profess to be His faithful followers can do no less. We need to proclaim God's redemptive power to our sin sick world today. The church must evangelize or lose its power and fail in its true mission.

All around us are homes which do not have a single Christian within their walls. Numerous young couples attempt to establish homes in which God's presence is unknown. Multitudes slumber in darkness while others experience emptiness in their lives and are unable to find reality and meaning in life. We face the rivalry of ancient pagan faiths, the mad race for space supremacy, military might, the gods of science, fall out shelters. Some turn to antibiotics, some seek tranquilizers, but we affirm that evangelism is the answer. People need to learn that they need God. They need a personal acquaintance with Him.

We have done well, but not quite well enough. There are signs of growing enthusiasm and stronger efforts in the area of evangelism. Reports show that there have been convocations, workshops, mass evangelism, Youth Christian Witness Missions, Prayer Vigils, Conferences on Discipleship, Spiritual Life Missions, on district, sub-district and local church levels. Many local churches have organized "The Twelve."

The Bishop's Evangelistic Crusade failed to reach the proposed goal. We are happy to report that during the Crusade 3,891 non-



Christians were contacted. 726 were received on profession of faith 224 were transferred and 229 were restored. The total members added to our churches were 1,223.

We recommend and strongly urge every local church Commission on Membership and Evangelism to see that the membership rolls and records are properly kept. Accurate records are desirable, however, we suggest that no name be dropped from a membership roll, except by death or transfer until every possible effort has been made to find the person, invite and seek to revitalize his life in the Christian fellowship of the local church. Let us put renewed emphasis upon caring for rather than neglecting and dropping members by action of Quarterly Conferences.

We urge our ministers to know God through personal involvement. Preach for a verdict. Proclaim the glad tidings that Jesus Christ is Lord. Select, train and inspire more laymen to be effective evangelists. Keep ever before our people that the business of the church is to seek souls and help them toward God. "The fields are white unto harvest but the laborers are few, pray to the Lord of the harvest that He will send more laborers into His harvest."

### Christian Education

"The work of Christian education undergirds the total program of The Methodist Church. The church school, which is the whole local church at its educational task, serves every facet of the life and work of the church. Its teaching program deals with all areas of Christian living."

The problem of educating our children, youth and adults in the moral and spiritual values of life still challenges us and remains our unfinished task. We seek to come to grips with every area of Christian living in such a way that all persons for whom we are responsible shall develop such spiritual maturity that ultimately they may become informed and responsible members of our churches.

Checking available records it appears that our Conference has more than 260 church schools. That they have an enrollment of around 25,000 pupils. While this is a slight decrease in members, there is an increase in average attendance. The adult enrollment and attendance appears to be on the increase. There is a decrease in the number of church school pupils, who join church on profession of faith. There is room for improvement in the fourth Sunday offerings for World Service and Conference Benevolences. We also see the need for more pastors' membership training classes.

Through the untiring efforts of Brother Howard A. Bailey, our Conference is exposed to many helpful in-service-training opportunities. The conference and district staffs, directors, and consultants have stood by whenever called. There have been assemblies, rallies, Christian workers and leadership training schools, institutes, workshops, music clinics, Bible conferences with such leaders as Dr. Lowell Hazzard of Wesley Seminary, seminars, dealing with pastoral counseling, and with Christian higher education.

While we have contributed to Bennett and Morristown Colleges; Morgan Christian Center, Maryland State College, and other Wesley Foundations, our support has been all too meagre. If we want Christian higher education we must dig down in our pockets and pay the cost.

We promised to pay at the rate of \$1.50 per year per member. Our Conference needs to back up our promise with cash. If we fail our Methodist institutions of Christian higher education, then we must drift upon the sea of secularism where men have no awareness of the greater values of life.

### Church Property

Throughout the long history of man he has felt an inner compulsion to erect a place where he might meet and commune with his God. Today we no longer believe that God is contained in edifices built by the hands of men. But we do feel that a physical structure is important as a place for worship, education, Christian fellowship, and administration.

The time has come when we must re-evaluate our church buildings. We can no longer build to meet the needs of our fathers. It is important that when we build a new church, restore or remodel an older building, that we consult the proper authority in planning our church building program. Make sure that the proposed building meets our needs, that the financial obligations incurred do not exceed our ability to pay, and that the project will offer the kind of experience that will make its communicants more spiritual minded.

During the year at least two new churches have been erected. One congregation is ready to start construction as soon as legal matters are cleared. Other churches have renovated their buildings that better services may be rendered.

"I love thy church, O God! Her walls before Thee stand.  
Dear as the apple of Thine eye, and graven on Thy hands."

### Christian Social Concerns

The implementation of the Christian gospel demands Christian social action. The Methodist Church has never been more aware of this fact than it is now. The purpose of the Board of Christian Social Concerns, is "to lift up before the members of the church and also the secular world, the Christian concern for personal, social and civic righteousness, to analyze the issues which confront the nation and the world as well as the local community and the person, and to propose Christian lives of action." This is our newest Commission and was made mandatory at the last General Conference.

The Conference Board of Social Concerns has been active this year. A significant joint meeting with leaders of the Peninsula and the Delaware Conferences was held at St. Marks Methodist Church, Easton, Md., November 4, 1961. This meeting was approved and supported by the two resident Bishops John Wesley Lord and Edgar

A. Love. All district superintendents from the two Conferences attended. Of the 72 representatives present, 31 were from the Delaware and 41 from the Peninsula Conference.

Tioga Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa., was host to a meeting on Christian social concerns in March. There was a lively discussion on "The Moral Implications of the Housing Problem."

The districts at their various conferences and meetings have held panel discussions, presented speakers, used audio visuals and distributed literature relating to Christian social concerns.

Records show that the number of organized and functioning Commissions on Christian Social Concerns is on the increase. Nearly one hundred ministers from the state of Delaware marched from Whatcoat Church in Dover to the State Legislature and offered prayer in the interest of human freedom, justice and dignity. There is a growing number of inter-racial ministerial associations, inter-racial church services, inter-racial cultural programs as well as inter-racial recreational activities and choral groups. More extensive use is being made of World Peace Sunday, Commitment Sunday and Race Relations Day. Some of the local church commissions are dealing constructively with such issues as the alcohol problem, juvenile delinquency and crime, problems of the aging, mental health, planned parenthood, migratory laborers, housing and race relations.

We urgently appeal to every local church Commission on Christian Social Concerns to become more active in its community.

### Stewardship

We insist that there shall be in every local church a Commission on Stewardship and Finance. The Discipline and the Handbook on the Commission of Stewardship and Finance gives detailed information as to how the Commission is to be organized and its function. The superintendents found that wherever this Commission is organized and performs its duty, there are less financial problems and misunderstandings and no one person dominates the financial life of the church.

The organization and proper function of this Commission in each local church, constitute a must.

If time permitted, we would march before you the heroic deeds of every man on the five districts. Truly every man has wrought well in one or more concerns. The upholding of the vows of membership— ". . . loyal to the Methodist Church and uphold it by your attendance, your prayers, your gifts, and your service."

Some of our fellow churchmen have not remembered their stewardship. They still expect to run God's Church by the way of camp meetings, supper, bakes, rummage sales, pageants, fashion shows, popularity contests, mock trials, mock weddings, mock conferences, rallies and raffles.

We rejoice that where stewardship education has been tried that more of our churches are lifting their sights and their stand-

ards. More and more churchmen are seeing their church offerings as being not apart from but as an act of worship and as a means of grace. What some churches have accomplished is almost unbelievable. Stewardship demands that "we must first give ourselves unto the Lord."

"Love so amazing so divine, demands my soul my life my all."  
 "Jesus Christ is Lord" Lord over all of life.

### Ministerial Support

It is not charity when the Church ordains a man to the work of the ministry, she says, "Separate yourself from the sources of worldly gain. Minister to us in spiritual things and we will minister to you in material things." Judge Beaver well says: "When a minister has been solemnly ordained and thereby adopted by the Church, and has, by his ordination vows, voluntarily closed the avenues by which other men acquire a competency . . . it is the duty of the Church to provide for him."

Let us look at ourselves for a few moments: There are 165 charges in our conference. From the 1961 Conference Journal, we get figures like these. Ten charges paid from \$5,000.00 to \$7,000.00; nine charges from \$4,000.00 to \$4,999.00; thirty from \$3,000.00 to \$3,999.00; sixty-nine from \$2,000.00 to \$2,999.00; thirty-five from \$1,000.00 to \$1,999.00; seven under \$1,000.00, and two with no salary at all. We wonder after a study of these figures. Have we done as well as we could have done. Let us take care of our ministers.

We wish to call our attention to the misunderstanding that many of us have. We call all claims of the church and conference, BENEVOLENCES. Under Ministerial Support, we have these items: Pastor's Salary and Expense Fund; Episcopal Fund; District Superintendents' Salary; District Superintendents' Travel and Expense Fund; Conference Claimants (12% of Pastor's Salary); Conference Claimants (Pastor's); Conference Permanent Fund; and Minimum Salary. When we divide ministerial support from our Benevolence asking, we often find that we do little for ourselves and in many instances less for others. Let us join hands and support the total program of the Church. Jesus Christ is Lord.

### Christian Vocations

No occupation is automatically a Christian vocation. It becomes a Christian vocation as one brings to his work Christian attitudes, purposes, and principles. The essential characteristics of a Christian vocation as listed in Methodist Service Projects are: (1) It calls forth and makes use of the best gifts God has given you. (2) It meets real human need and serves the physical, intellectual, social and spiritual concerns of society. (3) Its motivations rise above particular attention to status, security, and salary, to consider sacrifice, suffering, and service. (4) It builds fellowship and enables one to respect all people as children of God, thus enlarging the areas



of community. (5) It provides for Christian witness through the work performed. (6) It has within it the sense of mission with the overtones of dedication. An occupation is Christian to the degree it meets positively these tests.

Our churches must proclaim the sacredness of all useful work; but faced as we are with an acute shortage of ministers, Christian teachers in the local churches, and missionaries for home and abroad; we must of necessity challenge the finest youth of the church into its leadership. Our desperate need gives new urgency to this call.

The church must have a ministry adequate for the demands not only for today, but for the future as well. The Quadrennial Emphasis Committee of the Council of Bishops has addressed all Methodists to serve by recruiting youth and adults to listen for, and heed, God's call to the ministries of the church. What we do now in the area of recruitment will greatly determine the course of the future. Ministry Sunday which is to be observed the Sunday of or preceding May 24th (Aldersgate Sunday) offers us a glorious opportunity to emphasize the recruitment needs of The Methodist Church, and our own Delaware Conference needs in particular.

We are at work in this business of recruitment, but what we are doing is not enough. Too many churches are listed "to be supplied." Too many churches are unable to provide a full church program. This year the call has been given at all conference and district youth meetings for those who will commit themselves to Christian service through a church related vocation. In some instances, a few responded. Through the interest and concern of our beloved Bishop Edgar A. Love, Cabinet, and Commission on Christian Vocations, the Sixth Annual Conference on the Christian Ministry and Missions was held during the year. It enables us to develop a broader fellowship among the young people entering the Christian ministry and the mission field. It gives the young people an opportunity to become better acquainted with the men serving in the ministry and related fields. It also gives us an opportunity to provide counsel and guidance in preparation for the ministry and missions.

What more can be done? The district superintendents attempt to see that there is a functioning Committee on Christian Vocations in each local church. This committee should interpret to the congregation "The Call" using as a guide and manual, "The Local Church Committee on Christian Vocations." This committee should also distribute Methodist Service Projects booklets and other vocational literature to youth and adults. The cooperation of parents and the home are needed, if our recruitment labors are to bear much fruit. We solicit your prayers and your concern.

### Worship

At the heart of worship lies a fundamental human need . . . the need of God. At the heart of living lies this same fundamental



need . . . the need for courage to face the realities of life, for inner peace and harmony to enable us to live life confidently, the need for vitality to live the creative life, and a need for the companionship of the spirit, that we may not live alone.

Since we feel this need for God in the midst of life, and since in worship this need struggles to express itself; perhaps we ought to ask what is worship? Worship is fellowship with God. It is a time when one communes with the loving Father as he is revealed in Jesus Christ our Lord. It is an experience when the highest and best in one communes with the highest and best in the universe. All stand in need of the experience of worship, for it reveals higher values for which to live. It aids us in finding a solution to many of our problems. It renews the zest for life and unifies life around a central purpose.

The activity most characteristic of Christians as a group is to engage in worship. Not only does the assembly of the congregation center around worship; but rarely does a church committee or organization assemble for business or edification without invoking God's presence and guidance. This is as it should be, for the church's unique contribution is its effort on behalf of centering men's lives around the purpose, power and love of God. It is very important then, that both leader and people develop the art of group worship. In too many instances the leaders of worship in our churches do not have even a remote understanding of, or skills in the art which they are seeking to practice. This is called quackery in medicine. However, we condone it in the church because these faithful workers are doing their best. The best in this case is not enough.

Hence, does it not follow that education in the art of group worship should hold a position of primary importance in the church's program of Christian education. The program sponsored this year by the Conference and District Boards of Lay Activities for the training of lay speakers is commendable. We urge its continuation until all lay speakers possess understanding and skill in the art of group worship.

Some few churches are experimenting with the Methodist Book of Worship and doing a fine job. We urge that there be a functioning commission on worship in each local church. This commission should seek to cultivate beauty, dignity, and meaning in the worship experience of the church. It should also foster the use of the best resources for worship, such as the Holy Bible, Methodist Book of Worship, and the Methodist Hymnal.

### Missions

We have boasted that our mission is a world mission. We seek to teach all nations and to baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. But oddly enough we discover that our own country is becoming "the most crucial, urgent, and needy mission field in the world." The non-Christian religions

—Islam, Buddhism, Hinduism and others—consider America to be a fertile field for their missionary activities. They are among our most aggressive rivals.

As we review our missionary endeavors, it pleases us to note an increasing number of our leaders attending classes and schools of missions in our own conference, and in those of the Northeastern and Southeastern Jurisdictions. We are happy to report that on all districts there have been missionary institutes, rallies, and general promotion of missions by district secretaries.

Church-wide schools of missions have been conducted in several local churches. Leaflets, pamphlets, study books, various kinds of missionary literature and audio visuals are finding their way into more and more of our local churches.

Great strength has also come to the local churches through the relentless efforts of the Woman's Societies of Christian Service. These faithful women of our church have rendered valuable services in helping to keep missions alive through the constant cultivation of minds for missions by means of officers' training courses, quarterly meetings on district and sub-district levels, study courses, cooperation in church-wide mission studies, seminars, group discussions and presentation of timely inspirational messages by returned missionaries and foreign students. Through their splendid cooperation we have seen transformations take place in local church after local church.

Wherever the leaders of our churches have dramatized the nature and validity of missions, promoted sound missionary education and missionary giving by children, youth and adults, growth has been stimulated and missions have been fulfilled.

We face difficult times but we dare not retreat. The factors confronting us must not cause us to become dispirited. Neither can we afford to turn deaf ears to the frontiers that call us. We must develop a program which will unite us whether we are among the teeming multitudes of the inner city, or the declining membership in the church in the valley of the Wildwood. There must not be a retreat, we must not falter, we have no option in this matter. Ours is a Divine mission. The voice has spoken. Listen! the echoes are resounding loud and clear "go, preach, make disciples, Lo I am with thee."

Christians, awake! Arise! Shine! Give God the glory—through reactivating our slumbering Commissions on Missions, increased World Service Giving, advance specials, and loyal support of the entire mission program. Then let us live by faith in Him who long ago proclaimed, "Whatsoever ye shall ask in my name that will I do." Truly the times are dangerous and difficult, but empowered by an unflinching faith our church can advance with the assurance of victory.

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

This report gives only in part the accomplishments of this conference year. Looking at the achievements made we become suddenly aware of the great debt we owe this Conference.

Our hearts are filled with gratitude to the faithful pastors who have responded to our leadership, and to their gracious wives who have walked with them through sunshine and storms. We appreciate you lay members gathered here, as well as the unseen multitudes back home whom you represent. Your prayers, loyalty, generosity, and the warm welcome extended to us in your parsonages, homes and churches have given us courage to press toward the mark of the high calling in Jesus Christ.

And to you, Bishop Love, we thank you for the opportunity to serve as members of your Cabinet. We wish that the entire Conference could know you as we do. We have found you to be unselfish, kind, sympathetic, brotherly and Christlike. Your sermons, addresses and presence have been an inspiration to us and a benediction upon us. These things we cherish and they shall linger in our memories till life's little day shall end.

WALTER E. STANLEY  
 JAMES W. ELBERT  
 WILLIAM C. STROTHER, JR.  
 JOHN R. SHOCKLEY  
 CRAWFORD L. TRADER

#### DOVER DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Fellow Ministers and Laymen:

It is with profound gratitude to God for his abounding grace, and sincere appreciation to the ministers, their wives, and loyal laymen of the District that I present my third annual report of our stewardship.

#### Survey of Charges

**BRIDGEVILLE:** Rev. Roland Grant, minister. Sunday morning worship services attendance has increased. 11 conversions reported. Raised for world service and conference benevolence, \$200; for trustees, \$1,616; Reserve Pension Fund, \$93; for all causes, \$7,800.

**BRIDGEVILLE CT.:** Rev. C. P. Spencer, pastor. This charge presents another good report. A new parsonage in Bridgeville with all modern conveniences has been purchased. Raised for world service and Conference benevolence, \$420; ministerial support in full; total for all causes, \$6,916.

**CHESTERTOWN:** Rev. Howard Anderson, pastor. This charge plans extensive parsonage and church renovation. Church attendance has increased. Raised for world service and conference benevolence, \$200; total for all purposes, \$5,685.

**CHESWOLD:** Rev. William C. Thomas, pastor. This church plans expansion. A lot adjacent to the church property has been purchased. The church basement has been renovated and paid for. World service and conference benevolence raised; for trustees, \$3,186; total, \$5,695.

CLARKSVILLE: Rev. George Taylor, pastor. A beautiful new brick church was completed this year at Clarksville. At Zoar Church a community hall is being completed. Conversions 8. Raised for world service, \$395 in full; for trustees' expenses, \$7,859; total, \$12,100.

COLEMAN: Rev. W. C. R. Mills, pastor. This charge needs and is preparing to build a new church. Conversions 22. Total raised for all purposes, \$5,000.

CRUMPTON: Rev. I. W. Wallace, pastor. Conversion 7, world service and conference benevolence, \$165; for trustees \$450; total raised \$7,460.

DELMAR: Rev. Haswell Young, pastor. This charge shows advancement in church attendance and contributions. World Service and conference benevolence, \$138. Grand total, \$3,388.

DOVER: Rev. L. L. Hamilton, pastor. Dover makes a great report. Pastor's salary increased \$600. A new church building is planned. Pledges of over \$30,000 have been received and \$5,000 collected on the project. Church attendance greatly increased. Total for all purposes, \$19,611.

FAIRLEE: Rev. P. A. Henry, pastor. This charge continues to advance. The Mt. Pisgah Church has a financial system in which nearly every one in the community supports the church. The Asbury church plans to remodel the parsonage. Raised for world service, \$92; for trustees, \$496. Grand total, \$4,574.

HARRINGTON: Rev. Thaddeus Hackett, pastor. This small, but faithful charge does well. Raised for world service \$100; for trustees, \$700; total, \$4,505.

LAUREL: Rev. Winston C. Crosse, pastor. The present pastor finished out the year's work following Rev. C. W. Bagwell. A remarkable job has been done. Conversions 13. A new communion table and pulpit furniture costing over \$1,300 have been purchased and paid for and pastor's salary increased \$400. \$288 raised for reserve pension fund; total for all purposes \$11,259.

LEWES: Rev. Quincy D. Cooper, pastor. This charge has had another great year. The Bishop's Evangelistic Crusade was outstanding. 12 conversions and 26 persons restored to the church roll. A new piano for Israel Church, cost of \$1,200, and new robes for the choir at St. Paul Church were purchased. All claims in full, total raised, \$10,810.

LINCOLN: The late Rev. J. O. Lockman served as pastor nearly 32 years. His accomplishments here were many. Since his passing, the lay leader, Mr. R. A. Young and I have carried on. This charge is outstanding in organization and church attendance. Raised for world service, \$390. Grand total, \$5,500.

MARDELA: Lewis R. Jones, Pastor. The Bishop's Evangelistic Crusade was very successful, with 14 conversions and 3 restored to the church roll. Money is being raised to build a new parsonage. Paid for world service and conference benevolences, \$200; trustees, \$1,465; total for all causes, \$5,784.

MILFORD: Rev. William Gee, pastor. A community survey was conducted resulting in 68 persons becoming activated in the life of the church. The church auditorium has been beautified. Raised for world service and conference benevolence, \$192; for trustees, \$1,860; grand total \$6,448.

MILLINGTON: Rev. Paul R. Hilton, pastor. This charge is moving for-



ward. The parsonage has been beautifully renovated including a new bath room. Union church services are held and attendance increased. Raised for world service and conference benevolence, \$153; trustees, \$1,860; total raised, \$6,444.

MILLSBORO: C. W. D. Browne, pastor. The loyal people and pastor of this charge presents another good report of their Christian stewardship. The debt on the new parsonage is being reduced. Raised for world service and conference benevolence, \$300; for trustees, \$2,419; total raised, \$5,981.

NASSAU: Rev. W. E. Marks is the pastor. This charge presents another good report. The balance on Reserve Pension Fund, \$110, paid in full. Union communion services are held by the two churches. Raised for world service and conference benevolence, \$142; total raised, \$8,063.

NEWARK: Rev. James A. Conway is the pastor. This charge has had a good year. A successful Revival was carried on resulting in 25 conversions and 15 accessions. Raised for world service and conference benevolence, \$100. A new piano has been purchased and floors replaced in St. Peters Church. The young people are active. Grand total \$4,594.

NORTH BERLIN: Rev. A. J. Dredde, pastor. This charge presents another fine report. A new site has been purchased for a parsonage and \$1,036 has been raised on this project. All conference obligations have been fully met. Total raised for all purposes, \$12,311.

POMONA: Rev. C. R. Bryant, pastor. This charge presents a good report. Conversions 2, full members added 8. World service and conference benevolence, \$395, in full. Raised for trustees \$4,199; grand total, \$7,248.

PORT DEPOSIT: Rev. Herbert E. Palmer, pastor. This charge does well with its small but loyal membership. The young adults' work is outstanding. Raised for World service and conference benevolence, \$155; total raised, \$2,049.

ROCK HALL: Rev. E. C. Hackshaw, pastor. This charge makes another fine report. Renovations of both the church and parsonage has been done at a cost of \$3,000 and paid. World service and conference benevolence raised in full; total raised, \$6,874.

SASSAFRAS-GALENA: Rev. Ophelia James, pastor. Galena and Sassafras were combined last year. They have worked well together. The parsonage has been beautifully renovated with a new bathroom. All apportionments paid in full. Total raised, \$8,008.

SEAFORD: Rev. C. D. Gerald, pastor. This charge makes a good report considering the size of its membership. \$500 has been raised on a new carpet for the church. Conversions 3. Raised for world service and conference benevolences, \$200; Reserve Pension Fund, \$100; grand total, \$6,663.

SEAFORD CT.: Rev. C. J. Williams, pastor. The pastor has not been well this year. Report not in time for publishing.

SHARPTOWN: Rev. Houx H. Nichols, pastor. This charge under the leadership of its new pastor makes a very good report. World Service and conference benevolence, \$420 in full. The parsonage debt has been greatly reduced and the bathroom beautifully tiled. Total raised, \$6,916.



**SOUTH BERLIN:** Rev. Nathaniel Miller, pastor. The charge presents a good report. The church in Berlin has made much needed renovations. There has been an increase in church attendance. World service and conference benevolence, \$430, raised in full; total raised, \$9,081.

**SMYRNA:** Rev. Mildred White, pastor. This charge presents another fine report. The choir has been enlarged and beautifully robed. New brick steps at the church and other improvements made. World Service, \$225, in full; total raised, \$3,908.

**STILL POND:** Rev. Rayfield Wallace, pastor. The charge presents a good report. The people have shown an increased interest in the church program. World service and conference benevolence, \$246, trustees, \$2,335; total for all purposes, \$6,283.

**TOWNSEND:** Rev. Richard R. Hicks, pastor. This charge has done well under the leadership of its new pastor. Union Communion services for the three churches are held. Raised for world service, \$117; for trustees, \$2,234; total, \$8,654.

#### Summary and Conclusion

The charges report 170 conversions and 190 accessions of new members. They report \$1,773 for the Reserve Pension Fund; world service and conference benevolences, \$8,216; total raised for all causes \$227,323.

For a true picture of the District in detail, read the Statistical Tables.

We are very grateful for the splendid cooperation of both ministers and laymen.

Mrs. Stanley is very appreciative of the fine support given the ministers' wives in raising a little over \$2,200 for Conference Claimants.

Jesus Christ is Lord. We humbly pray that he will guide, sustain and empower us to further extend his kingdom in us and around the world.

W. E. STANLEY

#### EASTON DISTRICT

##### Achievements of Charges

**AIREYS:** E. P. Cooke, Minister. This is a rural charge which has latent possibilities. The pastor has worked hard, and makes a fairly good report.

**BECKWITH:** A. F. Farrare, Minister. While this is considered a small charge numerically there is none larger in heart and spirit. Because of the pastor and people's mind to work, wonderful improvements have been made on all church properties, and every claim has been met in full.

**CAMBRIDGE:** C. A. Edmonds, Minister. Phenomenal success has been achieved at Waugh this year. Her enviable record has been maintained. Multitudes attended the revival. The Twelve are active. Twenty-five souls have been won. The Church and parish hall have been redecorated, new furnishings have been placed in the parsonage. Church attendance has increased. The overdue Reserve Pension Fund of \$1,300 has been paid. Recently a Jurisdictional Rally was held toward the liquidation of the mortgage on the parish hall—the people placed \$4,248.45 on the table that night. All apportionments are paid in full.

**CAMBRIDGE CIRCUIT:** T. M. Murray, Minister. Another good year's work has been done. The membership is increasing. St. Luke painted the exterior of its church, erected a beautiful bulletin board, purchased one hundred steel folding chairs for its all purpose room and voted a \$500 increase in pastor's salary for the coming year.

**CARMICHAEL:** R. S. Caldwell, Minister. Protracted illness has prevented the pastor from serving his church this year. But because of the remarkable cooperation of the churches, excellent work has been done. The charge teems with activities of youth and young adults. Church attendance has greatly increased. The financial and spiritual condition have been good. The pastor received his salary in full. All apportionments paid in full. The District Superintendent worked with the fine people of this charge and simply followed the excellent forward program which Brother Caldwell left when he entered Henryton State Hospital.

**CENTREVILLE-GOULDSTOWN:** C. C. Thomas, Minister. Though greatly handicapped by the unavailability and inactivity of its pastor, this charge has done some splendid work. A new electric organ has been purchased and dedicated.

**CHURCH CREEK:** C. H. Cottingham, Minister. The shepherd and the small flock on this charge have struggled to maintain their previous record. Improvements have been made at St. Paul and John Wesley. The parsonage has been redecorated and new furnishings installed.

**CHURCH HILL:** E. H. Jackson, Minister. The church buildings at Mt. Zion and Mt. Olive have been improved. Mt. Vernon has raised \$8,617.00 on its building fund. As soon as some legal matters regarding title to land are cleared a new church edifice will be built.

**CORDOVA-EARLES CHAPEL:** H. G. Chase, Minister. Wonders never cease on this charge. A strong evangelistic program is in operation. Church attendance is growing, children and youth participate well. A central heating system has been installed at Earles Chapel at a cost of \$1,400, cash. New Zion purchased beautiful new carpet at \$500, put new floor in choir area, installed running water, and gas range in parish hall. New tile floor, cabinets and new door put in the parsonage. The Richard Asbury Church was given the Stan Methodist Church and parish hall property by the Peninsula Conference. This property has been completely renovated at a cost of \$1,800, of which \$1,300 has been paid. This is a one hundred percent charge on benevolences.

**CRAPO AND GOLDEN HILL:** Mrs. C. M. Pinder, Minister. Two of the churches on this charge suffer by the decline in population. Not more than three families live in either of these church communities. The John Wesley Church still thrives. An extension has been built so as to enlarge the choir area and the interior of the church has been painted at the cost of \$1,700 of which \$1,043 has been paid.

**DENTON-WILLISTON:** John H. Wilcher, Minister. Brother Wilcher came to us from another denomination and was appointed as a student supply. He enrolled in the American University, Washington, D. C., in the second semester. He had little time to spend on his charge. This of course is reflected in the report. We hope for brighter tomorrows.

**EASTON:** W. Hayward Greene, Minister. A fine year's work has been done. Twenty-six members have been added. Church attendance is increasing. The church school is growing and new life throbs within the church organization. Improvements have been made on the church building and a new \$4,600 Allen electric organ has been installed upon which \$1,000 has been paid.

**EASTON CIRCUIT:** A. H. Slacum, Minister. The small congregation here does exceedingly well. Church attendance is increasing. The youth are active. Both the interior and exterior of the church have been redecorated. Beautiful new carpet has been placed on the aisles and great improvements made on the parish hall.

**EAST NEW MARKET:** N. C. Stanley, Minister. There seems to be great possibilities on this charge, but in spite of the courageous efforts of the pastor to make progress the charge falls below its record of previous years.

**FEDERALSBURG:** G. L. Stanley, Minister. Progress seems to be the motto of this charge. A Boy Scout Troop has been organized, a children's choir has been formed and robes purchased for them. Pastor and people are happy over the newly erected ranch style parsonage. It is a thing of beauty. The people rejoice to have their pastor and his family living in their community.

**GREENSBORO:** A. P. Jenkins, Minister. This pastor was saddened early in the conference year by the loss of his life long companion. He faced his task with determination and achieved a good record despite all discouragements.

**HURLOCK:** Wm. Staten, Minister. Splendid work has been done on this charge. Improvements have been made on all churches. The parsonage has been decorated on the interior, new breakfast set, new rug, oil burner and the front porch screened. Best of all, Union Grove has liquidated its long standing mortgage.

**LINKWOOD:** Rev. Van B. Wright was appointed to this charge last year. He expired August 3, 1961. Rev. N. C. Stanley was appointed to this work. The people are still rejoicing in the fact that they have erected a new concrete block church to replace the old Mt. Pleasant Church which was destroyed by fire.

**MARYDEL:** James Roberts, Minister. The new pastor and people have labored together in harmony. Some accomplishments have been made. Everyone is happy.

**McDANIEL:** A. A. McDowell, Minister. An excellent year has been witnessed on this little charge. It is a beehive of activity. Unusual cooperation exists between pastor and people. The church has been renovated at a cost of \$1,500 of which \$1,200 has been paid. New furnishings have been put in the parsonage.

**MILES RIVER—STATENS CHAPEL:** Mrs. H. R. Opher, Minister. Improvements on this charge include the addition of a kitchen to the Dashield's parish hall. The church has been painted on the interior and a piano has been purchased. New carpet was bought at McGee Church. New pumps have been installed in both of the community halls and the parsonage. A church-wide school of missions has transformed this charge.

**OXFORD-JOHN WESLEY:** E. A. Hughes, Minister. This has been an excellent year for this charge. Every phase of the church program has been presented. The Methodist Men sent a delegate to Purdue University. Upon his return he brought new inspiration and has been instrumental in influencing the total program for good. A new lighting system has been installed at John Wesley, Oxford, and new office equipment purchased.

**PRESTON:** Olen Molock, Minister. The Mt. Pleasant Church building was recently destroyed by fire along with its parish hall. This has been a great blow and setback for the charge.

**RIDGELY:** L. W. Coltrane, Minister. The prolonged illness of the pastor's wife has put him to a great test. However, the work of the church advances. An extensive renovation job has been done at the parsonage and the charge has been greatly revitalized.

**ROYAL OAK-BELLEVUE:** The Rev. Eric George was appointed to this charge last year. He graduated with a B.D. degree from Howard University, Washington, D. C., last June. He was happily married to Geneva Stafford, December 9, 1961, and had met all requirements for citizenship in this country. On March 19, 1962, he was fatally stricken and died almost instantly. Great improvements have been made at the parsonage. Running water and modern rest rooms have been installed in St. Paul Church. All claims have been met in full.

**ST. MICHAELS:** C. B. Miles, Minister. This has been a great year for pastor and people. Thirty-two new souls have been won to the church. Church attendance has increased. The quality of the music is richer. The church and parsonage properties have been put in good style and the financial record exceeds by far the previous year's report.

**STEVENSVILLE:** C. M. Stafford, Minister. This charge maintains its record of previous years. The organizations are active. A good promotion job has been done on all phases of the church program. Modern rest rooms have been installed at Ezion at a cost of \$1,950. The interior of John Wesley has been re-decorated, new roof on parish hall. Union has raised \$1,800 toward the building of a new church edifice. All claims paid in full.

**TAYLORS ISLAND:** Experienced a setback due to the illness and death of the Rev. E. N. Foster, who passed October 9, 1961. The Rev. Jeremiah R. Lee was appointed to this charge in the fall. A glorious spiritual tide has swept through the charge. The parsonage, unoccupied for years, has been completely renovated. The people are wild with excitement that the pastor is willing to live on the Island with them. They are pleading for his return.

**TRAPPE:** H. T. Hall, Minister. There is not a more active church on the district than Scott's Methodist. This church entertained the District Conference in an excellent manner. A new roof has been put on the church and the exterior of the church has been painted. A new living room suite has been added to the parsonage.

**VIENNA-REIDS GROVE:** R. W. Dennis, Minister. Another wonderful year's work has been done on this charge. The church organizations are working in a magnificent way. Conference askings are almost one hundred percent.



Construction on the proposed new parsonage has been delayed due to legal matters which are in the process of adjustment.

**WITTMAN-SHERWOOD:** Mrs. M. D. Hundley, Minister. The parsonage has been completely renovated at a cost of \$5,000. An interested citizen matched dollar for every dollar raised by this charge on the parsonage project. The St. James parish hall has been painted and other fine improvements made. The children and youth are very active in the program of both churches.

C. L. TRADER

### PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Fellow Ministers, and Laymen:

I count it a great honor to have this privilege to present my second report as Superintendent of the Philadelphia District.

During the year 1961-62 there have been many evidences of material progress among the churches. We are mindful that the Church progresses only as the soul prospers and we seek to keep first things first.

The Superintendent is ever grateful for the faithfulness of the pastors and the loyalty of the laymen.

#### Rest Comes at Last

Mrs. T. Elizabeth Johns, widow of the Rev. Robert S. Johns, was called to her eternal home December 7, 1961.

Mrs. Mattie M. Johnson, wife of Rev. Hampton T. Johnson, was called to her eternal home December 17, 1961.

Rev. William A. Hubbard was called to his rest December 21, 1961.

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord henceforth." "Blessed indeed," says the Spirit, "that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them." (Revelation 14:13.)

#### Of Such Is the Kingdom

Two little strangers came to our parsonage homes this year. Frederick, son of Rev. and Mrs. Frederick D. Arnold, May 23, 1961, and Mark David, a son of Rev. and Mrs. David W. Briddell, December 22, 1961. As these children grow in years may they grow in grace and in the knowledge and love of God.

#### Ye Visited Me

The Statistician's report shows an increase of 497 members on the district during the year. This is a net gain of a little over 2%. In view of the increasing population in our area, it behooves us to go out into the highways and byways to visit the people. We need to tell them what it means to be a Christian and persuade them to share in the fellowship of the Church. Every Commission on Membership and Evangelism should be organized for effective visitation.

#### Bishops' Evangelistic Crusade

Number of prospects at the beginning of Crusade 1,485; number of evangelistic teams for visitation 146; number of visits made 855; number of persons contacted 1,373; number of churches reporting 26. Received on Profes-



sion of Faith 216; by transfer 68; from other denominations 68; restored to roll 43. A total of 395 and 195 in pastors' classes. The harvest is white and the workers are few.

#### Farewell

Two of our most beloved brethren retired this year—James O. Stanley and William A. Harewood. How wonderful have been their lives and witness, and substantial service. May God bless them through the years to come.

#### Consider These Things

The churches of the district reported a total of 20,422 members for 1961-62. At the same time we gave for World Service and Conference Benevolences \$22,041.00. The total paid for pastors' salaries was \$125,637.00. On the basis of our church membership our giving was not what it should have been. These things ought not to be. In this day when we should strengthen the Christian witness at home and abroad, we need to consider the stewardship opportunities which are presented to us.

#### The District Staff

I am very grateful for the service rendered by the members of our various boards, committees, and commissions for fine leadership. The Board of Lay Activities, Methodist Men, Woman's Society of Christian Service, Wesleyan Service Guild, Young Adult Fellowship, Methodist Youth Fellowship, and Board of Education leaders carried out their assignments excellently.

#### Gratitude

We offer our sincere thanks to Mrs. Myrtle Hoskins, president of the district Woman's Society of Christian Service, and her officers for the excellent work being done to organize new societies and promote the interest of the women of the church.

To Mr. Roy L. Cordery and the associate lay leaders of the district we express our gratitude for their untiring efforts to enlist the men in the work of the church.

To Mrs. William C. Strother, Jr., and the officers of the Ministers' Wives' Association we express gratitude for their untiring efforts in enlisting the wives and widows in pensions cause of our Conference.

#### District Activities

All district meetings were held, all well attended, and much interest was manifested in the total program of the Church. Mention must be made of the fine Monthly Preachers' Meetings. All were well attended and thanks to the officers for the fine planned programs.

#### Emphases

During the coming year there should be a continued emphasis upon Church worship. The percentage of members who attend Sunday worship does not make exciting reading. Our aim should be a 50% increase in attendance. Secondly, in these days we need to give heed to our teaching. Every church

should strengthen its educational program through enlisting the most capable teachers and using Methodist literature.

Our third emphasis should be upon youth. The church needs to give greater consideration to the organization and program for youth. We should make a larger place for these young Christians in the life of the church.

With singleness of purpose let us all seek first the kingdom of God through prayer, fellowship, the study of the Word, and service of mankind.

#### Statement Concerning the Charges

**BETHEL (Brooklyn)**—The charge continues to advance. The faithful members have maintained the high standards. The future is great.

**GRACE MISSION (Brooklyn)**—This mission is in need of an adequate place of worship. In spite of the handicap the small group is moving on. We hope to find a better place of worship for this mission. The people are there.

**JOHN WESLEY (Brooklyn)**—Better than fifty per cent increase in church attendance. The church is growing spiritually and contributions to the church have increased. This church conducted an intensive program of stewardship, education and cultivation.

**NEWMAN MEMORIAL (Brooklyn)**—This year there has been an increase in membership and total interest in the general work of the Church. Projects have included the purchase of more than \$50,000 worth of real estate, including property adjacent to the church edifice. The church school membership has increased under the direction of the new director of religious education. Under the leadership of the Methodist Men, the interior decoration of auxiliary rooms, involving the services of the men of the church at an estimated value of \$3,000.00, was completed.

**REDEEMER (Brooklyn)**—A growing church, improvements shown along all lines. Plans on foot to rebuild, as they have outgrown their present building.

**BROOKS MEMORIAL (Jamaica)**—Another great year for Brooks Memorial. On Sunday, May 13, 1962, at the 11:00 a.m. worship service, the burning of the mortgage and the dedication of the church building were conducted. The edifice was erected in 1952. The church participated in the Evangelistic Mission to Alaska by sending their pastor.

**CLAIR MEMORIAL (Jersey City)**—This church has given a good account of its stewardship. The renovation of the social hall was a highlight this year.

**ST. MARK'S (Montclair)**—A great year in the history of St. Mark's. On Sunday, March 11, 1962, the mortgage burning and the dedication of the Church by Bishop Edgar A. Love were carried out. A good job and well done by the pastor, officers, and members of this great church.

**ST. JOHN'S (Newark)**—This church purchased a new parsonage last year, 260 Meeker Avenue. Another banner year, new heights in stewardship achieved. Great plans for tomorrow in the making.

**ST. MATTHEW'S, Newark**, is a growing church showing increases in all departments of the church. Well organized and working.

**ST. LUKE'S (New Rochelle)**—A fine year, all activities moving along in great stride. Plans on foot to build a parsonage.

**BUTLER MEMORIAL** (New York City)—“. . . the deepening of a congregational and membership faith, that would neither complain, nor shrink, though pressed by many trying situations.” Erection of a new church edifice, at a cost of \$178,566.00 plus. Plans on foot to move in the next few weeks. The payment of all conference apportionments in full. Under most adverse circumstances, there was a 20 per cent increase in membership, and a 40 per cent increase in attendance.

**SHAW CHAPEL** (New York City)—There are signs of growth. A small, but great group of people. The future looks brighter.

**ST. JOHN'S** (Orange)—A better year. The interior of the church is beautiful. Plans are in store for renovation of the basement of the church building.

**ST. MATTHEW'S** (Ossining)—A fine year, purchased and renovated a new parsonage at 36 Ann Street. Installed a new four zone hot water heating system in the church. Fine results realized from the Bishop's Evangelistic Crusade.

**BETHSAIDA** (Philadelphia)—A fine year, improvements all along the line. The benevolence program is above last year's and there has been an increase of 50 per cent in giving.

**CAMPBOR MEMORIAL** (Philadelphia)—Another banner year. All commissions active and working. The church school and youth department are tops. A church of great choirs. Moved into a new parsonage this year—6115 W. Columbia Ave.

**COMMUNITY** (Philadelphia)—“There have been many achievements so far this conference year, but paramount has been the continuous growth, dedication, and industry of our membership. We lack the necessary facilities to perform our program; but, nevertheless, we are giving ourselves to the building of the kingdom of God. Not only has the financial situation in the church improved, but new members are being won to Christ and His Church. The greatest desire of all is the hope that an adequate church building is secured in the near future.”

**CHRIST'S MISSION**, Philadelphia, has the disadvantage of inadequate space and facilities. Nevertheless, it has taken on new life this year.

**TRINITY**, Philadelphia, is a church with all commissions and organizations working at top speed, another great year.

**EMMANUEL**, Philadelphia, is a church with a call to service. This church has been selected for the pilot project in the Baltimore Area. (Joint project with the Boards of Education and Missions. A carefully and well organized church, with all commissions working.

**ST. THOMAS**, Frankford, has completed the work on the basement of the church and is now able to use the basement for many occasions. Reduced the outstanding debts by a considerable amount. The future looks brighter.

**HAVEN MEMORIAL** (Philadelphia)—A fine year. Joined with Emmanuel, Mt. Zion, Tioga, and Peniel Churches in launching a revival at the beginning of the calendar year. Conducted a successful church-wide School of Missions. The church-wide every member visitation was successful. Raised this year \$14,831.00 towards the erection of a new church.

**JANES MEMORIAL** (Germantown)—Another fine year, all financial obligations paid in full. Has no rallies and working toward a non ticket selling church. Have 51 full tithers and 77 who tithe on the first Sunday of each month. The church participated in the Evangelistic Mission to Alaska by sending their pastor. The church continues to support their church in Japan and several mission causes in Africa, as well as special donations to many of the churches of our conference. The educational building painted by the men of the church, sponsored by the Methodist Men, and further improvements made on the parsonage and church. All commissions functioning and seeking to assimilate all members.

**JOHN WESLEY** (Philadelphia)—Each commission is well organized and functioning. New wiring and lighting system has been installed in the church at a cost of \$4,000.00

**MT. ZION** (Philadelphia)—Completion of the purchase of land for community center, \$10,000.00 paid in full. On hand for building purposes, \$6,500.00. Church attendance increased over 30 per cent.

**PENIEL** (Philadelphia)—Church is in fine condition spiritually and financially. Peniel is now above the water line. The future is bright.

**ST. BARNABAS** (Philadelphia)—The Bishop's Evangelistic Crusade was well supported. The principal on the mortgage is paid up-to-date. Ten persons have been added to the church. The Sunday morning worship services attendance increased. New water pipes installed in the parsonage.

**TINDLEY TEMPLE** (Philadelphia)—Another great year for a great Church. All claims taken care of. Many improvements have been made. In a few weeks ground breaking and work will begin on the new educational building.

**TIOGA** (Philadelphia)—Still growing by leaps and bounds. A well organized church with Christian stewardship at its heart. A young church, but a great church.

**ZOAR** (Philadelphia)—Mother Zoar is still acting like a Mother—leading the way in all activities of the church and its work. A church with a missionary outlook. "Where Mother Zoar leads, we follow."

**ST. JOHN'S** (Spring Lake)—A great Church, a unique Church, a summer appointment. People from all parts of the country and many different denominations come together to worship God. Jesus Christ is Lord. The property will be improved this summer with a donation from the Board of Missions and local aid.

**ASBURY** (Trenton)—A Church of Christian stewardship. All commissions organized and working. The interior of church has been painted. The work on the parsonage will soon be completed. A junior high choir and usher board have been formed. There is growing among the membership a genuine evangelistic spirit and fervor.

**ST. MATTHEW'S** (Trevose)—There has come an awakening to the entire program of the church. Folding doors to divide the class rooms, piano, and gas range for the kitchen have been purchased. Trees and shrubberies have been planted to beautify the grounds of this beautiful church. The Corner Stone was laid Sunday, October 8, 1961.



TRINITY (White Plains)—A great year, renovation of church at a cost of \$11,600.00 and \$6,200.00 has been paid. Thirty-one members received this year. Average attendance per Sunday 160. Proportionate giving increased 25 per cent.

#### A Final Word

For a fuller picture of the District make a careful study of the Statistical Tables—Philadelphia District. However, we may state that the district sent to the Conference Treasurer this year over \$95,197.00, Woman's Society of Christian Service remitted \$5,333.33, and the Wesleyan Service Guild remitted \$1,051.67.

May I say to the ministers, their families, officers, and members of the district, you have been most gracious and kind to us in every possible manner. I wish it were possible for me to express just how much I really do appreciate the kindness shown us by each of you.

Bishop Love, again, I thank you for trusting me with the leadership of the Philadelphia District. I consider it one of the best districts in The Methodist Church.

WILLIAM C. STROTHER, JR.

#### SALISBURY DISTRICT

Bishop Love:

Members of the Annual Conference, I do hereby wish to present this report as a record of my stewardship on the Salisbury District for the conference year. We have been blessed in that our District has not had fatalities in our ministerial ranks. There has been some sickness among our ministers' families. Mrs. G. T. Jackson was hospitalized due to an accident, Brother Levin Purnell, after a long convalescence, is back on his work. Mrs. Hickman was hospitalized for surgery in which she lost her right foot. Mrs. Omar C. Jones was hospitalized and is recovering. We are happy to say that our son, Vance, after a serious operation is well again.

Our District has been completely organized on the commission operated procedure. More than 3,000 pieces of church material have been distributed across the district, as a means of enlightening the members of our churches in the procedure in which our present day church operates. Our lay speakers held two institutes at Maryland State College. On Saturday, May 12, 1962, fifty (50) men and women were certified as lay speakers.

The lay leaders, under the leadership of Prof. Waldo Kiah, are responding to his professional leadership.

In our survey of the charges, there is no report as to the figures on finance or statistics. For this information, please consult Statistical Tables.

May I take this opportunity to thank the ministers, their wives, laymen of the district, for their loyal support in advancing the total program of the district.

#### Survey of Charges

COTTAGE GROVE-OAKVILLE-FLOWER HILL PARISH. This parish under the leadership of Rev. C. L. Handy makes an excellent report for this



conference year. The total program of the church is duly emphasized. All church properties have been renovated and the cost is paid in full.

CRISFIELD-SHILOH. This charge continues to make a fair report. The pastor, Rev. S. P. Sanders, is an outstanding leader for social justice.

UNION ASBURY and the LIBERIA PARISH has made a fair report for this conference year. There are many economic and social factors in this area that leave much to be desired. Rev. Edward Lee, pastor.

DAMES QUARTER-CHANCE-DEALS ISLAND PARISH reports a good year. The pastor, Rev. Kenneth Greene, has worked hard between school and church. The church properties have been modernized.

FRUITLAND and ALLEN PARISH. The report of this charge is equal to last year. The pastor, Rev. T. L. Ross, makes a fair report under the nature of the circumstances. The parsonage and the church plants are being modernized.

GIRDLETREE-MT. WESLEY-BOX IRON PARISH. This continues to be the leading parish of the District. Each preaching unit has a parish hall which includes adequate facilities for Christian education and recreational activities. Rev. Levin H. Purnell is the pastor.

HOPEWELL-MT. WESLEY PARISH. This parish has been rejuvenated. Both church plants, the parsonage and parish house at the Wesley Church have been modernized. Brother I. H. White, pastor.

HORNTOWN-NEW CHURCH PARISH. Both churches in the parish have been re-beautified. The pastor, Rev. Harvey J. Lambert, has given an excellent account of his stewardship.

KELLER-RED HILL-EXMORE PARISH. The parish is capable of giving a greater service in kingdom building than this report represents. The pastor, Rev. Mrs. Jessica Hickman, while handicapped by sickness, makes a fair report. The potential is here.

SALISBURY-JOHN WESLEY. Rev. Joseph I. Williams, pastor. Brother Williams was received warmly by the members. This is a small congregation, but they are willing to serve for the best interests of their church. Brotherly love is being exemplified.

MANOKIN-WESTOVER-REBELS NECK PARISH. Rev. H. F. Barclay has done well this year. The parish has grown materially as well as spiritually. The Manokin Church has built a new parish house and has beautified their church.

MARION STATION-MT. PEER PARISH. This charge is very strong potentially but the achievements from year to year do not represent its true worth. Rev. J. W. Mickle is the pastor.

MARUMSCO-KINGSTON PARISH. The parish continues to grow under the leadership of its pastor. All departments of the church are well organized and are working smoothly. Rev. O. C. Jones, pastor.

MT. VERNON-POLKS ROAD PARISH. The two church plants in this parish have been modernized. The membership in each church is growing. Rev. D. S. Quillin, pastor.

ORIOLE-VENTON PARISH. The parish has been greatly strengthened by its pastor, Rev. G. N. Jones. The parish house and church at Venton have been repaired.

POCOMOKE CITY—Rev. G. O. Commodore, pastor. This charge is one of the most strategic appointments on the District. On the first Sunday in November, Bishop Love led the congregation into their new church. This was the most historic event in the history of the Salisbury District. Rev. G. O. Commodore, Rev. G. B. Wilson, and Rev. L. H. Purnell were the builders of this new church. The charge deserves the grade, excellent, for this year's work.

PRINCESS ANNE—This charge is so situated that it is gradually becoming a college church. The pastor, S. S. Tatem, has justified every expectation of his leadership.

QUANTICO-ROCKAWALKING PARISH. Rev. Hori W. Spencer, pastor. This is a very capable three point circuit. Brother Spencer has been able to get some things accomplished—such as repairs to the parsonage. The churches at Hebron and Quantico have been beautified.

NANTICOKE—Rev. Charles L. Willis, pastor. This is our largest and strongest rural station. The results of this report are not adequate to their ability.

WHITE HAVEN-NEW TOWN PARISH. There are some very loyal and capable members in this small rural parish. Brother Roland Dennis is organizing this church in such a way as to lay a foundation for the future.

UPPER HILL and CENTENNIAL PARISH. Rev. Alexander Reid continues to give this charge a most excellent service and leadership. The parsonage has been completely modernized.

SALISBURY-WHITE TEMPLE. Rev. Charles W. Cannon began his ministry here September 15th. Since that time the church has been growing spiritually as well as financially. Brother Cannon makes a very good report.

SHILOH-HUTS PARISH. Rev. Ernest J. Johnson, pastor. Rev. Johnson, one of our retired ministers, has given faithful service to this rural parish. His report is good.

SNOW HILL. After ten years of very effective service, Pastor George Jackson is retiring with much praise from this charge. His record for the past decade has been excellent.

UNIONVILLE-ST. JAMES PARISH. Rev. Carrol Scott began his ministry here September 15th. The work has continued to grow and to prosper. He has had a good year's work.

WACHAPREAGUE-BURTON PARISH. Rev. Frank Robinson has wrought well in this small rural parish. His parish is well organized. Rev. Robinson is one of our most promising young ministers.

WATTSVILLE-ATLANTIC PARISH. Rev. George B. Wilson, pastor, has modernized the parsonage and has beautified the two churches. Rev. Wilson has had an excellent year.

WITHAMS-MONSANGO PARISH. This is a very strong parish. Both churches have been modernized and beautified. Rev. Crowell, pastor, continues to make a good report.

WETIPQUIN-JESTERVILLE PARISH. Brother McBride was appointed to this charge on September 15, 1961. Rev. McBride, one of our veteran ministers, has had a good year. The new parish house at the Jesterville charge has been finished. The interior of the Wetipquin church has been beautified. This is a good rural parish.

WHALEYVILLE-PARSONSBURG-BISHOPS PARISH. Rev. David T. Lewis, pastor. This three point charge is well organized. Rev. Lewis is one of our most successful pastors in the District. The church departments are fully organized and functioning smoothly. A new Hammond Organ has been installed at the Parsonsburg Church. The church and parish house at Bishops have been repaired and beautified. Plans are being prepared to modernize the church at Whaleyville.

LEEMONT-WHITESVILLE PARISH. The pastor, Rev. W. H. Mills has wrought well for his first year in this parish. The parsonage has been modernized. All departments of the church are working smoothly.

STOCKTON-SHILOH PARISH. This parish has had a good year. The parsonage has been refurnished and beautified. The church mortgage has been paid in full. Rev. Emerson Jolly, pastor.

J. W. ELBERT

### WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Members of the One Hundredth Session of the Delaware Conference and Friends:

It is with gratitude to God for His sustaining grace, and with sincere appreciation to the loyal and faithful ministers, their wives, and the laymen for the hearty cooperation and support given in all areas of our district program; that I present this, my first annual report. This report cannot by any means give an account of all of our achievements, but will indicate some of them.

#### Sickness and Death

The following persons have experienced sickness this year: The Rev. and Mrs. William Tasco, Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Waters, Rev. H. R. Snead, Mrs. Elizabeth Black, Mrs. W. H. Johns, Mrs. Evelyn Wimberly, Mrs. Elizabeth Parker, Mrs. Jacob Caulk, Mrs. Augustus Chancy, Mrs. W. L. D. Lyght, and Rev. M. L. Kenney who is still very ill and therefore cannot attend this session of the Annual Conference.

In the midst of life we have also had to face death in our ministerial ranks. They are: The Rev. D. M. Collins, pastor of Ferry Avenue, in Camden, N. J. and the Rev. W. H. Johns, retired minister residing in Bridgeton, N. J.

#### Births

Born to the Rev. and Mrs. Carlton Parker, a daughter. To Rev. and Mrs. Clayton Hammond also a daughter; and the Rev. and Mrs. Thomas E. Cameron increased their family with a son.

#### District Meetings

Our district meetings and other activities were well attended and provided much inspiration and information which enabled us to keep on "keeping

on." The following are some of them: District Stewards' Meeting, District Youth Institute held at Haverford College with the Philadelphia District; District Conference, Sub-district Christian Workers' Schools, Sub-district rallies where emphasis was given to Methodist Men's work, lay speaking, stewardship and evangelism. District Lay Retreat, Missionary Institute, Youth Missionary Rally, Woman's Society of Christian Service meetings, Wesleyan Service Guild programs, Monthly Preachers' Meetings and meetings of the Ministers' Wives' Association.

#### Survey of Charges

**ASBURY, ATLANTIC CITY:** Rev. G. H. McMurray, pastor. This charge has excelled in many areas of church work. Extensive improvements have been made to the community center. World Service, ministerial support and all district askings are paid in full. Plans are being made to construct a new parsonage. The pastor and people are happy. Conversions 10. Accessions 19. Raised for all causes, \$24,529.00.

**HAMILTON MEMORIAL:** Rev. H. D. Davis, pastor. Hamilton has continued to move forward. All phases of the church life are alive and smoothly functioning. A total of \$1,500 has been raised toward the purchasing of the property adjoining the church, which will be needed for future expansion. Conversions 8. Accessions 17. Total disbursed \$12,000.00.

**BRIDGETON:** Rev. T. H. Pendleton, pastor. The pastor and people have enjoyed another successful year. The church is making its influence felt in the life of the community. Four choirs offer the opportunity for musical expression to all age levels. The spiritual life of the church is full and rich. Twenty new members have been added. The present plant is not adequate to meet the needs of the expanding program. Plans are being made to build larger facilities. Total disbursements \$12,020.00.

**BURLINGTON:** Rev. H. J. Fisher, pastor. Burlington continues to make advances. The physical plant has been completely renovated. A warm cooperative fellowship characterizes this church. A sincere effort is made to meet all askings in full. Conversions 10. Accessions 4. Disbursed for all causes \$5,880.00.

**BUTTONWOOD AND CHRISTIANA:** Rev. Jacob Caulk, pastor. Extensive improvements have been made to the churches. The people are cooperative, faithful and loyal. Raised for all purposes \$5,414.00. Conversions 5. Accessions 7.

**EIGHTH STREET, CAMDEN, N. Y.:** Rev. Charles I. Young, pastor. This church has taken on new life. The interior of the church has been redecorated. The Woman's Society of Christian Service is purchasing new carpet for the sanctuary. New members are joining. The response for connectional askings has been remarkable. Pastor and people are happy. Accessions 4, disbursed for all purposes \$4,861.00.

**FERRY AVENUE:** Rev. C. W. Bagwell, pastor. The work of this charge was interrupted in late July by the death of their beloved pastor, Rev. D. M. Collins. The local preacher, Mrs. Marion Washington, under the supervision of the District Superintendent kept things together in a marvelous manner until the appointment of a new pastor. The Rev. C. W. Bagwell was appointed



as pastor in September. The potential of the charge is slowly beginning to be realized. Church attendance is increasing. The organizations are active. Support of the connectional program has increased. Conversions 2, accessions 6. Total disbursed \$9,392.00.

CAPE MAY AND SWAINTON: The Rev. A. A. Berry, pastor. This charge reports an increase along all lines. The mortgage on the Franklin Street Church has been liquidated. Improvements have been made on the parsonage. Church attendance has increased. A children's choir has been organized. Disbursed for all purposes, \$5,102.00.

GRACE, CHESTER, PA.: Rev. S. L. Wilkins, pastor. This church makes another good report. A new outside bulletin board has been purchased and installed. The payments on mortgage are kept up to date. World Service and ministerial support are paid in full. Accessions 1. Total disbursements \$8,726.00.

SILOAM: Rev. M. L. McKenney, pastor. The serious illness and absence of the pastor was an unexpected and telling blow to this congregation, but in spite of it, the Church has had a good year. Much credit is due the local preachers, lay leader, officers and members who have carried on in a marvelous way. Since April 8th, Rev. J. B. Redmond in cooperation with the local preachers has had supervision over the work. This he has done without salary. His big heartedness is deeply appreciated. Pastor's salary has been paid in full. Connectional interest have been carried forward. Accessions 3. Total disbursed \$12,000.00. Our prayers shall go with Rev. and Mrs. McKenney, who have served so faithfully through the years, as they retire at this session of the Annual Conference.

ST. DANIELS: Rev. F. D. Jones, pastor. St. Daniels continues to grow. The effectiveness of the program carried on in the Center is reflected in increased church school enrollment and attendance, as well as increased financial support for the church. The church reaches families through this program that it might not reach otherwise. The interior of the church has been beautifully renovated. All claims have been met. Disbursed for all causes \$40,480.00. Conversions 11, accessions 54.

DARBY: Rev. C. E. Hammond, pastor. A significant interest in the spiritual fellowship of the church is being exemplified by the young adults in the community. This charge has realized the fulfillment of their ambition, that of dedicating their church to God. This was done on April 8, 1962. The pastor and people work harmoniously together and have had some great accomplishments. Conversions 15, accessions 21. Total disbursed \$11,009.00.

DELAIR: Rev. Rupert A. Adams, pastor. There seems to be a marked interest in the growth and outreach of the church under the leadership of an energetic pastor. Church and church school attendance has increased. Major repairs continued on the parsonage. Furnishings have been added to both the church and parsonage. Conversions 5, accessions 23. Total raised \$6,600.00.

ELKTON: Rev. Joseph Webster, pastor. Elkton is holding her own as she seeks to bring Christ to the people in her reach. She has responded to many of the district askings. Number of accessions 4, conversions 2. Total raised \$3,363.00.

FORDVILLE: Rev. William Tasco, pastor. Fordville has not reached its



potential this year. Many members withheld their support. However, those who lend their support are most loyal and sacrificing. 31 are tithers. Conversions 2, accessions 10. Total raised \$7,569.00. The improvements include the altar and pulpit redecorated and storm windows for the parsonage.

**GRENLOCK-RHODES-BERLIN:** Rev. M. D. Brooks, pastor. The people of this charge carry on in an heroic manner. They are very few in number, but are determined to keep striving. Some district askings have been met. Conversions 4, accessions 6. Total disbursed \$2,221.00.

**LAWNSIDE:** Rev. O'Connell Milbourne, pastor. Lawnside has responded like magic to the touch of a "Master." Church attendance has increased. Several church symbols of worship have been installed in the church. An increase in the pastor's salary has been made. Conversions 20, accessions 5. Total disbursed \$15,000.00.

**MERCHANTVILLE:** Rev. G. E. Geddis, pastor. Merchantville has had a good year. An Every-Member Canvass was successfully conducted. Conversions 3, accessions 10. The church has been beautifully redecorated on the interior. 100 chairs purchased for church dining room. Gas stove installed in the parsonage and many other improvements are evidenced. Total disbursements \$9,360.00.

**MIDDLETOWN-DELAWARE CITY:** Rev. L. C. Brown, pastor. This charge is progressing in several areas of church life. Some physical improvements on the church property include the installation of an oil furnace in Dales, at a cost of \$1,170.000. District askings have been met. Conversions 2, accessions 2. Total disbursements \$7,068.58.

**MT. HOLLY:** Rev. Walter L. Gray, pastor. Mt. Holly suffered the transfer of their pastor in September to the Tennessee Conference. This was a sudden blow to them and they were rather discouraged for a period. Rev. Walter L. Gray was appointed in the fall and succeeded in leading the congregation forward. Harmony and Christian fellowship prevail. Conversions 2, accessions 2.

**NEW CASTLE:** Rev. W. A. T. Miles, pastor. New Castle reports continued growth along all lines. Connectional interests of the church are cared for and the church is making itself felt in the life of the community. The congregation is planning the construction of a parish house. Conversions 10, accessions 10. Disbursements \$9,000.00.

**NEWPORT:** Rev. G. W. Cuff, pastor. Many achievements have been made this year, both spiritually and financially. Thirteen persons united with the church on *one* Sunday morning. Parsonage improvements include new porch and living room furniture. Church improvements are: new altar set, coat racks, sink for the kitchen, mimeograph machine and an offering box. Conversions 14, accessions 16. Disbursements \$6,000.00.

**ODESSA-PORT PENN:** Rev. Floyd Waters, pastor. Odessa and Port Penn continue to move forward in spite of their small congregations. Many inactive members have been reclaimed. Connectional obligations have been presented. Conversions 4. Total disbursements \$4,000.00.

**PLEASANTVILLE-OCEAN CITY:** Rev. C. W. Perry, pastor. The Ocean City church sustained a great loss as a result of the March tidal wave. With

some financial assistance they are back in operation. Pleasantville still carries on. Spiritual fervor is high. Conversions 4, accessions 4. Raised for all purposes \$7,638.00.

**PORT NORRIS:** Rev. J. E. Bishop, pastor. Port Norris marches on. They sing as they march, "Don't Let Nobody Turn You Around." The spiritual condition is good. The pastor will give full time to his work next year. After 16 years of labor among these good people; the pastor and congregation request his return. Love and harmony prevail. Conversions 5, accessions 6. Disbursed for all causes \$6,662.00.

**QUINTON-SPRINGTOWN:** Rev. Calton Parker, pastor. The Springtown Church has just about been abandoned. The Quinton Church has great potential which has not yet been realized. A vigorous program of stewardship cultivation should help tap the resources available. Improvements include new roof on church, liquidation of organ debt, and a new water well, which serves both church and parsonage. Conversions 12, accessions 4. Disbursed for all purposes \$7,103.00.

**ST. GEORGES AND KIRKWOOD:** Rev. T. E. Cameron, pastor. The people on this charge are few, but faithful and loyal. The pastor has worked hard to promote the total program of the church. Youth work has been organized. The Sunday school meets regularly. The debt on the parish house has been liquidated and the sanctuary has been painted. Accessions 6. Total disbursed \$2,162.00.

**SALEM:** Rev. C. E. Kiah, pastor. This charge has had another good year. The church and church school attendance have increased. A Methodist Men's group has been organized. The exterior of the parsonage has been painted. Extensive improvements are being made on the church building. Conversions 8, accessions 8. Total for all purposes \$12,279.00.

**COLEMAN MEMORIAL, WILMINGTON:** Rev. H. R. Snead, pastor. Under the leadership of their new pastor, Coleman has taken on new life. Church attendance and youth work are gratifying. District askings have been met. Payments on mortgage are up to date. There has been an increase in giving for connectional purposes. Conversions 7. Raised for all purposes \$10,000.00.

**EZION:** Rev. W. L. D. Lyght, pastor. This charge maintains its former record of supporting the total program of the Church. There has been an increase in all special offerings. Church property improvements include the installation of self-service communion equipment, sidewalks repaired, parsonage redecorated, and new bathroom equipment installed. Conversions 20, accessions 20. Total disbursements \$30,000.00.

**HAVEN:** Rev. H. T. Moody, pastor. Haven, under the dynamic leadership of their pastor continues to improve its status each year. They have seen many dreams come true. The exterior and interior of the church building have been redecorated; new carpeting for the floor has been installed, a new piano purchased by the Woman's Society of Christian Service, and a cross and candle-lighting set for the altar have been given by individuals. Permanent awnings have been added to the parsonage. Total raised \$12,058.00. Conversions 6, accessions 16.

**MT. CARMEL:** Rev. E. V. Wimberly, pastor. Under the leadership of

the new pastor, the charge continues to manifest signs of growth and development. Ministerial support has been increased. The organizations are working hard and trying to cooperate with the general program of the Church. Conversions 2, accessions 6. Total disbursed \$13,114.00.

**MT. JOY:** Rev. A. Chancy, pastor. This church is increasingly becoming one of the better appointments on the district under the leadership of a very conscientious pastor. The membership has increased. World service and conference benevolences are paid in full. A young adult group has been organized. A campaign for a building improvement fund has been initiated. The sum \$400.00 has been raised for this cause to date. Conversions 5, accessions 3. Total disbursed \$8,966.00.

**WOODBURY-JERICHO:** Rev. S. G. Fullman, pastor. Pastor and people make a good team. Ministerial support has been increased. A new oil heating system and vinyl floor covering have been installed in the parsonage. Extensive improvements have been made to both church buildings. Conversions 1, accessions 6. Total disbursed \$8,341.00.

### Conclusion

It has been a glorious experience serving the Wilmington District this year. Wherever I have gone over the district, the pastors and people have been kind, congenial, loving and most cooperative.

Some of the outstanding accomplishments include the following: Fifteen charges reported that they observed the Bishop's Evangelistic Crusade. Twenty-six pastors have committed themselves to give at least one tenth (a tithe) of their income to help realize Christ's mission in the world. Reports indicate that there have been 220 conversions and 322 accessions to the Church.

Bishop Love, thank you for the opportunity you have given me to serve as superintendent of the Wilmington District. I have sought to execute the duties of the office faithfully. I am grateful for the privilege that has been mine to work with the many pastors and people in seeking to help bring the Kingdom a little nearer to reality. I solicit your prayers and continued blessings of Almighty God.

J. R. SHOCKLEY

## B. Boards, Commissions, Committees

### 1. COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS

#### Retired Relations

The Committee recommends that:

James O. Stanley be automatically retired.

George T. Jackson be retired at his request.

William A. Harewood be granted retired relation because of illness.

Carson J. Williams be granted retired relation because of illness.

Martin L. McKenney be granted retired relation because of illness.

Robert S. Caulwell, approved supply pastor, having reached the age of 65, be placed in retired relation because of illness.

John R. Jackson, part time approved supply pastor, having reached the age of 65, be placed in retired relation as he requests.

### Other Actions

The Committee recommends that:

Charles C. Thomas be placed in supernumerary relation.

Thomas L. Ross have conference membership terminated by voluntary location.

### Transfers

Gilbert A. Sherman transferred to the East Tennessee Conference, effective September 15, 1961.

Gilbert A. Sherman transferred from the East Tennessee Conference to the Delaware Conference, effective May 23, 1962.

SERCY L. JONES, *Chairman*  
CHARLES E. KIAH, *Secretary*

## 2. COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

The Commission on World Service and Finance humbly submits this its twenty-first annual report and recommends its adoption. We are grateful to God for His loving care and to our Bishop, ministers and laymen, whose spirit of cooperation has made this report possible.

### General Items

The treasurers of all Conference boards and agencies have not been bonded in companies approved by Commission. The books of all Conference boards and agencies have not been properly audited for the past fiscal year.

The Conference Treasurer's books have been audited by Certified Public Accountants, Walter P. Harris and Robert Bonner, Jr., and a satisfactory audited report has been filed with the Commission. This is the audited report filed with the Commission for the past fiscal year.

The list of other conference funds, the names of treasurers of each, and the approved depositories are as follows: Board of Education, Rev. C. D. Gerald, Treasurer, Citizens Southern Bank and Trust Co., Philadelphia, Pa.; Board of Lay Activities, J. R. Webb, Treasurer, People's National Bank, Laurel, Delaware; Board of Hospitals and Homes, Rev. C. E. Kiah, Treasurer, Salem National Bank and Trust Company, Salem, N. J.; Board of Evangelism, Helen Loatman, Treasurer, Wilmington Trust Company, Wilmington, Delaware.

### Recommendations

1. We recommend that EACH LOCAL CHURCH shall faithfully observe the Days as follows: (a) WORLD SERVICE SUNDAYS, (b) CHURCH SCHOOL RALLY DAY, (c) RACE RELATIONS DAY, (d) METHODIST STUDENT DAY, (e) GOLDEN CROSS, (f) LAYMAN'S DAY (g) ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING.

2. We recommend that the Conference treasurer shall continue to give priority to (a) District Superintendents' Salary and Expense Fund, (b) Ministerial Training School, (c) Delaware Conference Youth Assembly, (d) Salaries of Board of Education, (e) Baltimore Area Leadership School, (f) Director of Stewardship—Treasurer, and (g) Christian Social Concerns.



3. We recommend that Children's Service Fund and the M.Y.F. Fund be remitted monthly.
4. We recommend that the Board of Pensions plan to continue Reserve Pension Fund Campaign be approved.
5. We recommend that the campaign for Camp Development be continued.
6. We recommend that the \$30,000 Golden Age Investment Drive be continued.

**WORLD SERVICE AND CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCE BUDGET  
FOR THE YEAR MAY 1962 TO MAY 1963**

Amount to be raised for Ratio Budget

65% A. World Service Apportionment .....	\$55,067
35% B. Conference Benevolences on Apportionment .....	29,280
TOTAL RATIO BENEVOLENCES .....	\$87,597

I. Ratio Benevolences Itemized

Board and Agencies	Budget 1961-62	Budget Requested 1962-63	Budget Approved 1962-63
1. World Service .....	\$55,067	\$55,067	\$55,067
2. Board of Education .....	11,980	11,980	11,980
3. Conference Secretary—300 of which is for supplies, etc. ....	400	700	700
4. Conference Statistician .....	100	200	200
5. Conference Treasurer and Director of Steward- ship (Salary and Expense) .....	8,000	8,000	8,000
6. Conference Board of Evangelism .....	2,500	3,400	3,000
7. Friendship House .....	2,500	2,500	2,500
8. Scholarships (M) .....	700	700	700
9. Student Aid Fund .....	700	700	700
10. Board of Christian Social Concerns .....	1,200	3,000	3,000
11. Board of Missions .....	1,750	1,750	1,750
Total .....		\$87,997	\$87,597

II. General and Conference Benevolences (not Apportioned)

1. Fellowship of Suffering .....	Special Offering
2. Methodist Student Day (E) .....	Special Offering
3. Methodist Youth Fund (E) .....	Special Offering
4. Race Relations Day (E) .....	Special Offering
5. Rally Day (E) .....	Special Offering
6. One Great Hour of Sharing .....	Special Offering
7. Children's Service Fund .....	Special Offering
8. Methodist TV Ministry .....	Special Offering
9. Golden Cross Society .....	Special Offering
10. Camp Development .....	Special Offering



## III. Non Ratio Askings

1. a. Church Aid and Missions	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000
b. Board of Missions Study	—	500	500
c. Promotion Advance	35,000	35,000	35,000
d. Migrant Work	500	500	500
2. Commission on Summer Agencies	1,500	2,000	2,000
3. Ministerial Training	2,700	2,700	2,700
4. Publication of Conference History	1,300	1,300	1,300
5. Board of Lay Activities	3,725	3,725	3,725
6. Schools, Colleges and Wesley Foundations		\$1.50 per member	
7. Annual Conference Support	2½% of the Pastor's Salary		
8. General Administration Fund		3,187 and Deficit	
9. Jurisdictional Fund	630	630	630
10. Publication of Conference Journal	4,200	4,000	4,000
11. Young Adult Conference Support (E)	¾% of Pastor's Salary		
12. Youth Conference Support (E)	1% of Pastor's Salary		
13. District Parsonage Upkeep		Apportioned by Dist. Supts	
14. Conference Trustees Expense	300	300	300
15. Area Expense	6,800	6,800	6,800
16. Interdenominational Cooperation Fund	1,992	1,992	1,992
17. Board of Hospitals and Homes	5,000	5,000	5,000
18. Commissions on Christian Vocations (E)	500	500	500
19. Baltimore Area Leadership School	880	880	880
20. World Service and Finance Commission Expense	400	400	400
21. Reserve Fund (To be put in Savings Account)	10,000	10,000	10,000
22. Town and Country Work	300	1,525	1,525
23. Cheasp. Area Inter-Conf. Methodist Student Movement	1,000	1,000	1,000
24. Conference Publicity Fund	350	300	300
25. Certified Public Accountant	950	950	950
26. Wills and Legacies	200	200	200
27. Emancipation Proclamation	200	200	200
28. Pre-Conference Booklet	500	500	500
29. Group Insurance	8,000	10,000	10,000
30. Conference Radio & TV (TRAFCO)	425	425	300
31. Del. Council of Churches to be paid by Churches in State	1,100	1,100	1,100
32. Conference Program	300	300	300
33. New York Met. Area Planning Commission app. to churches in that Area	2,000	500	500
34. Philadelphia Methodist Hospital	500	500	500
35. Committee on Urban Life	300	300	300
36. Centennial Celebration	2,500	2,500	2,500
37. Methodist Centre Project	\$7,500	each year for two years	
38. Matching Fund Drive	—	30,000	30,000
39. Historical Society	—	200	200

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## IV. Ministerial Support

1. District Superintendent's Salary (Each) .....	6,000	6,000	6,000
2. District Superintendent's Travel and Office Ex- pense (Each) .....	2,500	2,500	2,500
3. Episcopal Fund .....	2% of the Pastor's Salary		
4. Conference Claimants Fund .....	12% of the Pastor's Salary		
5. Conference Claimants (Pastor's) .....	1½% of the Pastor's Salary		
6. Conference Permanent Fund .....	8,333	8,333	8,333
7. Minimum Salary Fund .....	8,500	5% of Pastor's Cash Salary	
8. Pension Reserve Fund .....	—	—	—

## Distribution of the Budget to Districts

1. Dover .....	14%	14%	14%
2. Easton .....	15%	15%	15%
3. Philadelphia .....	34%	34%	34%
4. Salisbury .....	17%	17%	17%
5. Wilmington .....	20%	20%	20%
6. Area Expenses .....			34%

F. D. JONES, *President*MRS. CLEO HENRY, *Secretary*

## Auditor's Report

September 10, 1961

Dear Members:

Attached you will find the Annual Receipts and Disbursements Reports covering May, 1960 through April, 1961.

Letters for certification went out to all of the charges in the Conference and in the same manner Disbursements were audited.

These findings and all of the Conference books were turned over to a Certified Public Accountant.

A certificate from the Certified Public Accountant has been mailed to the Chairman of the Commission on Finance.

I remain your trusted servant,

ROBERT BONNER, JR., *Accountant*

## SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DEPOSITS

## 1960-61 AUDIT

RECEIPTS	Phila.	Wilmington	Salisbury	Easton	Dover	Total
District Supt. Salary .....	\$ 13,641.00	\$ 8,116.46	\$ 5,374.50	\$ 5,875.10	\$ 5,437.60	\$ 38,444.66
Episcopal Fund .....	2,250.00	1,553.00	1,079.40	1,531.50	1,409.50	7,829.40
Conference Claimants .....	12,782.00	10,161.00	4,998.50	7,483.00	7,094.25	42,518.75
World Service and Conference Benevolences	22,101.14	12,931.00	5,997.60	9,407.00	8,962.50	59,399.24
General Administration ..	727.00	401.00	155.00	320.00	360.00	1,963.00
Jurisdictional Fund .....	274.00	146.00	69.20	107.00	89.00	685.20
Promotion—Advance .....	4,915.00	3,297.00	534.00	2,122.50	2,222.76	13,141.26
Area Expense .....	1,364.00	664.00	179.00	447.00	362.00	3,016.00
Board of Lay Activities ..	741.00	445.50	163.00	360.00	270.00	1,979.50
Civilian Service .....	136.00	30.00	26.00	110.00	40.00	342.00
Colleges and Seminary .....	2,718.35	2,806.66	482.00	1,123.85	955.15	8,086.01
Conference Permanent Fund .....	1,645.00	870.00	241.00	583.00	418.00	3,737.00

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Conference Permanent Fund (Pastor's 1½%)	2,231.00	1,755.50	813.00	941.00	872.00	6,612.50
Annual Conference Support	2,675.00	1,985.50	1,911.50	1,761.65	1,869.25	10,202.90
Fellowship of Suffering	509.07	234.00	153.50	249.00	142.00	1,287.57
Methodist Student Day	590.75	346.00	210.20	361.50	255.00	1,763.45
Methodist Youth Fund	761.37	236.50	291.00	351.00	258.50	1,898.37
Methodist Youth Institute	466.00	222.00	74.00	150.00	149.00	1,061.00
Minimum Salary Fund	2,040.00	1,190.00	378.50	714.00	644.50	4,976.00
Ministerial Training	600.00	584.00	192.00	284.00	313.00	1,973.00
Race Relations Day	884.90	409.00	261.06	329.00	286.80	2,170.76
Rally Day	1,317.85	672.25	409.00	564.00	623.15	3,586.25
Week of Dedication	563.70	234.00	131.86	263.00	201.67	1,394.23
Young Adult Support	476.00	482.00	218.00	284.00	244.50	1,704.50
Youth Conference Support	743.00	533.00	183.50	478.50	354.00	2,292.00
Conference Minutes	1,151.00	659.25	441.50	543.00	438.00	3,232.75
Church Aid and Missions	832.00	440.00	246.00	705.00	260.50	2,483.50
Hospitals, Homes and Golden Cross	1,255.61	990.00	206.45	629.00	322.00	3,403.06
Interdenominational Co-op.	446.00	172.00	61.00	151.00	130.00	960.00
Conference Trustees	88.00	71.00	31.00	32.00	46.00	268.00
Pension Reserve Fund	2,791.00	1,627.00	560.00	991.00	2,278.25	8,247.25
Commission on Evangelism	183.00	107.00	17.85		13.00	320.85
Promotion—Advance Expense Fund	413.00	5.00	34.00	240.00	103.50	795.50
Migrant Work	116.00	49.00	56.00	47.00	50.00	318.00
Commission on Christian Vocation	106.00	38.00	42.00	42.00	39.00	267.00
Radio Program	150.00	57.00	42.50	84.00	40.50	374.00
Baltimore Area Leadership School	279.75	96.00	57.00	75.00	70.50	578.25
Group Insurance	2,158.00	1,665.00	773.60	1,052.00	957.00	6,605.60
Conference Reserve Fund	696.00	530.00	65.00	205.00	127.00	1,623.00
District Parsonage Upkeep	2,286.00	55.00	60.00	10.00	116.00	2,527.00
Publication of Conference History	199.62	52.00	39.00	20.00	87.50	398.12
Conference Publicity Fund	216.00	98.00	45.00	78.00	76.00	513.00
Higher Education	43.00	27.00	11.00	17.00	23.00	121.00
World Service and Finance Commission	172.70	261.00	244.34	15.00	67.00	760.04
Chesapeake Area	44.00	20.82	14.00	16.00	22.00	116.82
Commission on Promotion and Cultivation	95.00	26.00	12.00	31.00	34.00	198.00
Wills and Legacies	186.00	19.00	5.00	10.00	46.00	266.00
Emancipation Celebration	33.00	12.00	2.00	13.00	2.00	62.00
Town and Country	25.00	16.26	2.00	16.00	13.00	72.26
New Church—Advance Special	129.00	62.00	36.00	26.00	57.00	310.00
District Promotion and Cultivation	1,572.50			3.00	5.00	1,580.50
District Register	626.00	1.00			60.00	687.00
Certified Public Accountant	53.00	5.00				58.00
World Wide Communion	114.00	68.00	19.00	47.00	69.00	317.00
District Promotional Fund			15.00		44.50	59.50
Wesleyan Foundation	125.00	404.00	5.00	56.00	70.50	660.50
District Emergency Fund	22.00	30.00				52.00
District Conference Support	75.00	1.00		8.50	10.00	94.50
Pre-Conference Report	123.00	57.00	17.00	66.00	22.00	285.00
Ministers' Wives	3,392.10	2,500.00	2,000.00	2,500.00	2,000.00	12,392.10
Board of Social and Economic Relations	266.87	80.00	13.00	4.00	6.00	369.87
Camp Development	555.36	410.00	192.50	471.00	386.08	2,014.94
Bishops' Appeal for Africa	907.38	552.94	332.00	312.84	567.78	2,672.94
District Advance Cultivation	36.00					36.00
American Bible Society	47.00			5.00		52.00
Bishop Moore's Reception	122.00	2.00				124.00
Publication of Pre-Conference Booklets	3.00			2.00	7.00	12.00
Conference Offering	300.00					300.00
Chile Relief	126.35	155.45	19.00	25.00	116.00	441.80
Freedom Riders	183.55					183.55
Publishing House	2,966.85					2,966.85
Liberian Teachers		5.00				5.00
Delaware Council of Churches		158.00			28.20	186.20
Miscellaneous Income		10.00	50.00	30.00	27.00	117.00
UNICEF			12.00			12.00
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$102,870.77</b>	<b>\$61,900.09</b>	<b>\$30,364.06</b>	<b>\$44,758.94</b>	<b>\$42,671.94</b>	<b>\$282,565.80</b>

Philadelphia	.....	\$102,870.77
Wilmington	.....	61,900.09
Salisbury	.....	30,364.06
Easton	.....	44,753.94
Dover	.....	42,671.94
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		\$282,565.80
Bishop's Reception	.....	775.10
Trans. Rev. Strothers	.....	50.00
Sale—Lot Linconia	.....	1,778.80
Refund Lucknow	.....	25.00
Maintenance	.....	8,120.00
Redeposit Checks	.....	3,433.49
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		\$296,748.19

## DISBURSEMENTS

## I.

1. World Service	.....	\$ 26,500.00
2. Board of Education	.....	11,918.00
3. Conference Secretary	.....	803.02
4. Conference Statistician	.....	175.00
5. Conference Treasurer	.....	8,000.00
6. Conference Board of Evangelism	.....	1,204.00
7. Friendship House	.....	1,241.28
8. Scholarships	.....	500.00
9. Student Aid Fund	.....	545.00
10. Board of Social Concerns	.....	1,486.25

## II.

1.		
2. Fellowship of Suffering	.....	1,100.00
3. Methodist Student Day	.....	1,250.00
4. Methodist Youth Fund	.....	1,800.00
5. Race Relations Day	.....	1,250.00
6. Rally Day	.....	3,500.00
7. One Great Hour of Sharing (Dedication)	.....	2,300.00
8. Children's Service	.....	125.00
9. Methodist TV	.....	382.71

## III.

1. Church Aid	.....	2,930.50
2. Methodist Youth Institute	.....	1,575.00
3. Ministerial Training	.....	2,000.00
4. Publication of Conference History	.....	31.99
5. Board of Lay Activities	.....	1,634.18
6. Promotional Advance	.....	27,360.29
7. Schools and Colleges	.....	7,659.25
8. Annual Conference Support	.....	9,506.49
9. General Administration Fund	.....	3,000.00
10.		
11. Publication of Conference Journal	.....	3,889.07
12. Young Adult Conference	.....	800.00
13. Youth Conference Support	.....	1,500.00
14. District Parsonage Upkeep	.....	2,812.00

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15. Conference Trustee Expense .....	125.00
16. Area Expense .....	7,080.00
17. Interdenominational Cooperation Fund .....	9,000.00
18. Hospital and Homes .....	1,979.25
19. Christian Vocation .....	275.00
20. ....	
21. Baltimore Leadership School .....	637.00
22. World Service and Finance Commission Expense .....	455.67
23. Reserve Fund .....	4,000.00
24. Town and Country .....	516.10
25. Chesapeake Area .....	300.00
26. Conference Publicity Fund .....	261.82
27. Certified Public Accountant .....	950.00
28. ....	
29. ....	
30. Pre-Conference Booklets .....	430.00
31. Group Insurance .....	8,458.02
32. TRAFCO .....	85.50
33. ....	
34. Commission on Promotion and Cultivation .....	1,533.00

## IV.

1. District Superintendent .....	39,837.00
2. Travel .....	8,075.04
3. Episcopal Fund .....	7,224.00
4. Conference Claimants .....	43,320.00
5. Conference Claimants—Pastor's .....	5,893.00
6. Conference Permanent Fund .....	3,868.00
7. Minimum Salary Fund .....	4,800.00
8. Pension Reserve Fund .....	7,346.00

## V.

1. Bishop Moore's Reception .....	832.02
2. Minister's Wives .....	13,500.10
3. Camp Site .....	1,050.00
4. Bishops' Appeal for Africa .....	2,926.58
5. Conference Offering .....	581.33
6. Sale Lot—Linconia .....	1,778.80
7. Freedom Riders .....	183.55
8. Methodist Book Room .....	13.99
9. Dunlieth Promotion .....	156.00
10. Lucknow Relief .....	50.00
11. Dr. Frank Laubach .....	233.00
12. Transfer to Savings .....	4,000.00
13. Over Deposit .....	12.00
14. Methodist Publishing House .....	2,966.85
15. District Conference Support .....	110.00
16. Chile Relief .....	300.00

Total Disbursements ..... \$305,682.65



### 3. DIRECTOR OF STEWARDSHIP

**STEWARDSHIP** is partnership with Christ through the Holy Spirit in fulfilling the purpose of God in the world.

**CHRISTIAN ECONOMICS** is defined as God's eternal ownership of property and the temporary possession of it by men dealing with one another as sons of God and as brothers among themselves.

**PROMOTION OF CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP:** The practice of stewardship of time, talents and possessions is the highest earthly manifestation of the Christian life. The program of stewardship cultivation is a cooperative endeavor in which both laymen and ministers share. Tithing and proportionate giving are the most fruitful and Christian of all methods of church financing. People give beyond the tithe as they more fully understand their partnership with God as Christian stewards.

**TEACHING CHILDREN AND YOUTH TO SHARE:** Dedication of self and gifts is an inseparable part of the Christian life. Every child and young person should make a pledge to the church from his allowance. The example of parents and church school teachers help to bring the best results. The expression of the Christian stewardship pattern early in life will bring infinite dividends in **SERVICE** and **GIFTS** through the years.

**PLANNING THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL CAMPAIGN:** Write the Board of Lay Activities, 1200 Davis St., Evanston, Illinois for information.

Mastery of the **MANUAL ON FINANCE** is essential. Success will be directly proportional to the intelligent preparatory work. Definite goals must be set. The raising of the budget ranks high among the religious services a church renders to God and humanity.

**STIMULATING NEEDED PUBLICITY:** The ultimate purpose of all publicity is to persuade to action. The spoken word of the minister in sermons and of laymen in discussions is an excellent form of publicity. Money spent for radio, newspaper and other sensible channels of communication such as attractively illustrated printing and mimeographing pays amazing dividends.

**INCREASING STEWARDSHIP AND FINANCIAL MORALE:** Enroll stewards at a Stewardship Service as the climax of cultivation, education, reading and preaching.

Information relative to the financial policy and condition of the church must be presented to the congregation. Members should be told how their gifts are being used and the results of their use.

The books of each treasurer should be audited annually by a competent public accountant.

**STEWARDSHIP AND EVANGELISM:** In the acceptance of partnership with Christ, Christians become the elect agency of God for carrying forward His redemptive purpose. Evangelism thus becomes a method of stewardship, the primary expression of God's stewardship to and for all of us.

JOSEPH E. DUNN

## 4. COMMISSION ON PROMOTION AND CULTIVATION

## Recommendations

We recommend:

1. That the elective course, "World Service in The Methodist Church," be used for church-wide study.
2. That the filmstrip, "Fantastic Journey," be utilized as a follow-up to "The Future Is Now," audio-visual filmstrip series.
3. That the use of "World Outlook" magazine be encouraged as a supplementary source for mission study.
4. That "The Methodist Story Book" which contains human interest stories illustrating World Service be circulated in each local church.

JOSHUA E. LICORISH, *Chairman*

## 5. BOARD OF MISSIONS

It has been said by someone that World Service and the Advance belong together, that together they represent the heart of Methodism in giving.

This leads us to believe that the record of the growth in increased giving for World Service and the Advance is proof of the close relationship of these two interests, and relieves our minds of the idea of competitive relationship. They stand side by side in the proposed goal of \$15,000,000.00 for each cause each year for the quadrennium.

Furthermore, I believe that second mile giving gives us our greatest joy and most lasting rewards. Unfortunately, the cold record does not prove that we in the Central Jurisdiction believe it. The report of the General Board for 1961, states that our Baltimore Area gave to World Service during the year, twenty-one cents per person and to the Advance three cents per person, making a total of twenty-four cents per capita to these great causes of our Church. This is over three times lower than the lowest per capita giving in the entire Methodist Church. Being a low income group cannot always be an excuse for not doing our part as God has blessed us.

It is also interesting to note that the fifteen Methodist churches giving the most to World Service and the Advance come from our southern conferences. I wonder if our southern brothers are better Methodists than we of the North?

It is important that the Conference Board of Missions, through its secretaries help to keep the blood stream of the Church flowing. If we falter here, the whole structure is in danger and this must not happen.

In this brief foreword to the report of our secretaries, the Board wishes to thank these men for their loyalty and zeal in carrying the message of our connectional program to every corner of our Conference. Working without compensation, or proper support from the Conference, their only thought has been to hear the Master's, "Well done thou good and faithful servant."

The thanks of the Board also goes to our District Superintendents who have attended all of our meetings and co-operated in every phase of our program.

To those of you who made requests to the Board for assistance and did not receive it, it was because the churches of the Conference did not meet their connectional responsibilities. May we always remember the work of our Conference can only be done through consecrated team work.

ROY L. CORDERY, *Chairman*

## DELAWARE CONFERENCE

## LOANS AND DONATIONS

APPLICATIONS FOR LOANS AND DONATIONS  
PROCESSED, APPROVED AND SUBMITTED  
TO THE DIVISION OF NATIONAL MISSIONS

March 31, 1961 to March 31, 1962

<i>Districts</i>	<i>Loans</i>	<i>Donations</i>	<i>Projects</i>
Philadelphia	\$ 5,000.00		Butler Memorial, New York. New Church to cost \$178,566.00. W. P. Johnson, Pastor. No. 4. Approved May 17, 1961.
Easton	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 3,500.00	Salem, Mount Vernon. Church had fire. New Church needed. E. H. Jackson, Pastor. No. 5. Approved October 23, 1961.
Salisbury	\$15,000.00	\$ 4,500.00	Mt. Zion Methodist Church. New Church: cost—\$32,000.00, Pocomoke City, Md. G. O. Commodore, Pastor. No. 6. Approved September 9, 1961.
Dover		\$ 800.00	Lee's Chapel, Townsend, Del. Remodel Church. R. R. Hicks, Pastor. No. 6. Approved December 26, 1961. Exploratory information.
Wilmington	\$ 6,000.00		Hamilton Memorial, Atlantic City, N. J. Acquisition of property adjacent to Church. H. D. Davis, Pastor. No. 7. Approved January 31, 1962.
TOTAL	\$30,000.00	\$ 8,800.00	
GRAND TOTAL		\$38,800.00	

DIVISION OF NATIONAL MISSIONS CONTINGENT FUND  
APPLICATION PROCESSED AND APPROVED

October 7, 1961: Easton District—Rev. R. S. Caldwell, hospital bill—\$293.70. Sent to Rev. C. L. Trader, District Superintendent, to give to Rev. R. S. Caldwell.

## PROMOTION—ADVANCE FUND ALLOCATIONS

For Conference Year (1961-1962)

<i>District</i>	<i>Charge</i>	<i>Minister</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Dover, Sassafra	.....	Rev. (Mrs.) O. O. James	\$ 300.00
Easton, no allocations made	.....		
Philadelphia, Butler Memorial	.....	W. P. Johnson	1,000.00
Philadelphia, St. John's, Newark, N.J.	.....	T. M. Booth	1,000.00
Philadelphia, Community	.....	D. W. Whye	1,600.00

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Philadelphia, Tioga .....	G. H. Outen .....	1,200.00
Philadelphia, Trevoise .....	J. L. McClendon .....	1,600.00
Salisbury, Mt. Zion, Pocomoke .....	G. O. Commodore .....	4,500.00
Wilmington, Coleman Memorial .....	H. R. Snead .....	624.00
Wilmington, 8th Street, Camden .....	C. I. Young .....	500.00
TOTAL .....		<u>\$12,324.00</u>

(All checks ordered by the treasurer, payable to the church involved, and sent through the district superintendent, to be presented to the church.)

DIVISION OF NATIONAL MISSIONS  
MISSION AID PROGRAM

Year Ending, May 31, 1962

*DOVER DISTRICT*

1. Crumpton .....	\$ 150.00
2. Port Deposit .....	150.00
3. Seaford Circuit .....	300.00
Total .....	
\$ 600.00	

*EASTON DISTRICT*

1. Beckwith .....	\$ 300.00
2. Crapo-Golden Hill .....	300.00
Total .....	
\$ 600.00	

*PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT*

1. Bethsaida .....	\$ 500.00
2. Jersey City .....	200.00
3. Emmanuel .....	300.00
4. Frankford .....	300.00
5. East Germantown .....	200.00
6. Shaw Chapel .....	200.00
7. St. Barnabas .....	200.00
8. Trevoise .....	800.00
9. Ossining .....	200.00
10. Tioga .....	800.00
11. Mt. Zion .....	1,200.00
12. Community .....	600.00
Total .....	
\$5,500.00	

*SALISBURY DISTRICT*

1. Keller—Exmore .....	\$ 300.00
2. Manokin .....	300.00
3. Oriole and Venton .....	100.00
4. Stockton—Shiloh .....	100.00
Total .....	
\$ 800.00	



*WILMINGTON DISTRICT*

1. Buttonwood and Christiana .....	\$ 200.00
2. Cape May and Swainton .....	300.00
3. Eighth Street, Camden .....	360.00
4. Mt. Holly .....	250.00

Total ..... \$1,110.00

Grand Total ..... \$8,610.00

## EXPENSE ACCOUNT OF CONFERENCE BOARD OF MISSIONS

March 31, 1961 to March 31, 1962

(Bills Rendered)

Chairman: Roy L. Cordery .....	\$ 55.88
Conference Missionary Secretary—H. D. Davis .....	368.95
Five District Missionary Secretaries .....	48.14
Travel—Members to meetings of Board .....	267.45
Delegates—Jurisdictional Meeting, Lay Activities .....	200.00
Registration fees, Nine delegates, Conference on Missions, Maryland State College .....	54.00
Delegates—Appalachian Missionary Conference, Buck- hannon, West Virginia .....	146.37
Telephone, tape recordings, films .....	8.90
Executive Secretary, O. H. Spence (Clerical, etc.) .....	118.28
Mimeographing and postage .....	30.00

Total ..... \$1,296.97

(Receipts From Treasurer)

Balance, March 31, 1961 .....	\$ 40.77
Received July 24, 1961 .....	100.00
Received September 21, 1961 .....	200.00
Received February 10, 1962 .....	131.79
Received March 17, 1962 .....	166.00

Total received by executive secretary ..... \$ 638.56

Balance paid by treasurer and members of Board ..... \$ 658.41

Total ..... \$1,296.97

ROY L. CORDERY, *Chairman*H. D. DAVIS, *Conference Missionary Secretary*O. H. SPENCE, *Executive Secretary*J. E. DUNN, *Treasurer*



## CONFERENCE MISSIONARY SECRETARY

In order that we might have an "informed people" as well as a "participating people," an active Commission on Missions in every local church is a must. Every pastor has the responsibility to see that this commission is at work in his local church as an agency of promotion, cultivation and education in all phases of work of missions and church extensions.

## General Recommendations

1. In order that an effective program of missions might be projected, it is necessary that the Executive Committee meet with the district superintendents and the district missionary secretaries in a planning conference during the month of June.
2. That members of the board, district missionary secretaries and interested persons endeavor to attend the missionary conferences in order to receive inspiration and information as to render larger service; Appalachian Missionary Conference, West Virginia Wesleyan College, August 6-10, and Delaware-Washington Conference on Missions, Camphor Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa., August 14-16.
3. That every local church set up and maintain a functioning Commission on Missions.
4. That every local church in the Conference plan and conduct a Church-Wide School of Missions.
5. That every effort be made to increase attendance and interest in the District Missionary Institutes.
6. That every local church plan a "Missionary Sunday" and invite a missionary or scholarship student as speaker.
7. That every minister and lay member of our churches assume personal responsibility for the recruitment of young men and women for the ministry at home and the world mission fields.
8. That every local church endeavor to meet its World Service apportionment in full.
9. That churches in urban areas establish outpost Sunday schools in re-located and newly developed areas.
10. That churches in farm and seasonal areas become more concerned in our ministry to the migratory and seasonal laborers.

## Specific Recommendations

We further recommend:

I.—That the Delaware Conference wholeheartedly endorse and support the nation-wide study program for 1960-1964. Over-all theme: "Jesus Christ Is Lord"; specific theme: "Our Mission Today." Quadrennium Emphasis: 1—The Faith That Compels Us; 2—The Factors That Confront Us; 3—The Frontier That Calls Us; 4—The Program That Unites Us.

II.—(a) That during 1962, the Bishop, district superintendents, Conference Missionary Secretary, chairman of the Board of Missions and the district missionary secretaries plan for and promote a CONFERENCE-WIDE WEEK OF MISSIONS, allowing one day for each district. Suggested date, October 8-12. (b) That qualified personnel on the work and program of missions and members of the Conference study team be engaged to give leadership for this

week. (c) That the quadrennial emphasis, and the missionary concern of the Delaware Conference be projected and interpreted at these rallies. (d) That the Woman's Society of Christian Service be invited to share in the planning and promotion of the WEEK OF MISSIONS.

III.—(a) That each district missionary secretary under the guidance of the district superintendent shall make special effort to get more local churches to voluntarily adopt conference initiated specials and general advance specials. (b) That our Annual Conference Specials shall be such projects that are currently met by the Promotion-Advance Fund.

- (1) That the Conference Board of Missions shall continue as the agency through which such projects are accepted, classified, and funds administered.
- (2) That every pastor and local church shall make special effort to meet the Promotion-Advance Fund asking in full during this conference year.
- (3) That each District Superintendent emphasize the importance of the Promotion-Advance Fund, and receive reports of remittance at each session of the Quarterly Conference.

(c) That every local church shall voluntarily accept to share in a General Advance Special. (1) That the following shall be accepted as "suggested" projects: Teacher's salary in Liberia—\$840.00; Books for Alaska Methodist University Library—\$200.00; Salary, Indian Mission preacher—\$640.00; Peoples Methodist Community Center, New Orleans, La.—\$400.00; LaCour Mission, Japan—\$200.00; Support hospital bed in Angola, India, Sarawak—\$100.00; Pay for an operation in a Mission hospital—\$25.00.

We are grateful to our conference board chairman, Mr. Roy L. Cordery, to the district missionary secretaries: Rev. Rupert Adams, Rev. J. I. Williams, Rev. W. H. Greene, Rev. R. B. Thompson, and Rev. W. R. C. Mills, and to the District Superintendents. It is because of their untiring efforts that the MISSIONARY STORY has been told on each district.

HOOVER D. DAVIS

#### CONTRIBUTIONS FOR JEEP FOR INDIA (Delhi)

(Dr. Ivy Frey Nelson)

Tindley Temple, Phila. (W. R. Hazzard)	\$100.00
James Church, Germantown (H. H. Nichols)	100.00
Brooks Memorial, Jamaica (C. L. Carrington)	100.00
Camphor, Phila. (M. O. Ballard)	75.00
Haven, Phila. (S. L. Jones)	75.00
Asbury, Atlantic City (G. H. McMurray)	75.00
St. John, Newark (T. M. Booth)	50.00
John Wesley, Phila. (C. W. Derrickson)	50.00
Montclair (W. A. Harewood)	50.00
White Plains, N. Y. (C. E. Jordan)	50.00
St. Daniels, Chester (F. D. Jones)	50.00
Butler Memorial, N. Y. (W. P. Johnson)	25.00
Peniel, Phila. (S. E. Parker)	25.00
Trenton (F. D. Arnold)	25.00
Total	\$850.00

## 6. BOARD OF PENSIONS

## Recommendations

## 1. PASTORS' ONE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT

We recommend:

- a. That the district superintendents stress the importance of the 1½% payments and urge all pastors who are in arrears to pay the amount due this fund.
- b. That in planning the appointments of the ministers, the question of their relation to the fund be taken into consideration.
- c. That in order to reduce the immense amount of 1½% due, ministers receiving \$5,000 or more cash salary should pay in full; those receiving \$2,000 to \$2,999 cash salary pay 80% of indebtedness; and those receiving less than \$2,000 cash salary pay 60% of indebtedness.
- d. That the suggested arrangements for delinquent payments be made for the conference year 1962-63.
- e. That the roll of 1½% payments be called at the Conference Executive Session.

## 2. PERMANENT FUND

We recommend:

That the payment of \$8,333 be made to the Permanent Fund this year and continue until we enter the Reserve Pension Fund.

## 3. HEALTH AND WELFARE

We recommend:

- a. That the same asking of \$500 be requested this year for the Philadelphia Methodist Hospital.
- b. That all ministers be enrolled in Health and Hospitalization policies that are available through state and local Councils of Churches.

## 4. RESERVE PENSION FUND

We recommend:

That the Board conduct a conference wide CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS STAMP SALE for the Reserve Pension Fund. Stamps are to be sold in sheets of one hundred for \$1.00 per sheet.

WILLIAM C. STROTHER, JR., *President*  
 JAMES H. C. KELLY, *Executive Secretary*  
 FLORENCE G. WILSON, *Assistant Secretary*

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT  
 CONFERENCE BOARD OF PENSIONS

RATE PAID \$32.00

RECEIPTS: during 1961-62 to be distributed during 1962-63  
 Annual Conference Sources

Balance Previous Year .....	\$ 352.92
Pastoral Charges on Apportionment .....	43,260.00

## INCOME FROM CONFERENCE INVESTMENTS:

Held by General Board of Pensions:

(a) Illinois Corporation ..... \$ 9,850.38

Total Investment Income ..... \$ 9,850.38

## General Board of Pensions

Chartered Fund ..... \$ 80.00

Appropriation—Illinois Corporation ..... 1,000.00

Receivable from Clearinghouse ..... 1,141.00

## Other Items

Methodist Publishing House ..... \$ 3,285.79

Pastor's Per Cent of Salary Perm. Fd. .... 6,051.00

Ministers' Wives ..... 14,250.00

Transfer from Stabilization Fund ..... 12,000.00

Charges Perm. Fd. .... 1,247.00

Reserve Pension Fund ..... 4,513.00

Total ..... \$97,031.09

## PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS: during 1962-63 of funds collected during 1961-62

## Regular Conference Claimants

## On Basis of Service

Retired Ministers ..... \$31,623.00

Widows ..... 35,776.00

Children ..... 1,358.00

Total Regular Conference Claimants ..... \$68,757.00

## Special Conference Claimants

On Basis of Service ..... \$12,721.00

Total Special Conference Claimants ..... \$12,721.00

## Other Items

Emergency Relief ..... \$ 1,300.00

Pastor's % Perm. Fd. .... 6,051.00

Ministers' Wives R.P.F. .... 2,250.00

Charges Perm. Fd. .... 1,247.00

Reserve Pension Fund ..... 4,513.00

Expenses, Conference Board of Pensions ..... 800.00

Prospective Balance ..... 607.91

Total ..... \$97,031.09



## Prospective Distribution

## RETIRED MINISTERS

Annuity Rate \$32.00

Conference Year 1962-63. Delaware Annual Conference

Name	Total Approved Years	MRPF Years	Delaware Years	Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity
Bowdin, James R. ....	11		11	\$ 352			\$ 352
Crampton, Earl H. ....	43¼	4	39¼	1,256			* 1,256
Dix, Seldon G. ....	37¼		37¼	1,192			1,192
Graham, Robert A. ...	37		37	1,184			1,184
Griffin, James O. ....	36		36	1,152			1,152
Harewood, William A..	34		34	1,088			1,088
Horsey, Samuel J. ....	31		31	992			992
Hughes, Royal C. ....	48¼		48¼	1,544			1,544
Jackson, George T. ...	16		16	512			512
Johnson, Hampton T. .	53		53	1,696			1,696
Jordan, Lucius E. ....	30¼	5¼	9	288	16	\$ 442	* 730
Kincade, Charles E. . .	34		34	1,088			1,088
McBride, John E. ....	33¼		33¼	1,064			1,064
McDowell, Abraham A..	41¼		41¼	1,320			1,320
McKenney, Martin L. .	39¼		21¼	680	18	576	1,256
Marks, William E. ....	34	2	32	1,024			* 1,024
Miles, Clemon B. ....	40¼		40¼	1,288			1,288
Miles, William A. ....	45		45	1,440			1,440
Molock, Charles H. ...	23		23	736			736
Peaco, John I. ....	34		34	1,088			1,088
Quillen, Daniel S. ....	45		45	1,440			1,440
Reid, Alexander ....	41		41	1,312			1,312
Russum, John H. ....	41		41	1,312			1,312
Spence, Oliver H. ....	43¼		43¼	1,384			1,384
Stanley, James O. ....	50¼		50¼	1,608			1,608
Stewart, Thomas D. . .	11½	3	5½	176	3	45	* 221
Thompson, W. C. ....	46		25	800	21	672	1,472
Williams, Carson J. . .	27¼		27¼	872			872
	1,006¼	14¼	934	\$29,888	58	\$1,735	\$31,623

\* Additional Pensions Paid from MRPF.



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## WIDOWS

Annuity Rate \$22.40  
 Conference Year 1962-63. Delaware Annual Conference

Name	Widow's Approved Years	Delaware Years	Delaware Annuity	Other Years	Annuity	Total Annuity
Anderson, Clarence L.	10	10	\$ 224			\$ 224
Bivens, Isaac B. ....	10	10	224			224
Black, Austin L. ....	17¾	17¾	398			398
Bolden, Richard A. ...	30	14¼	319	15%	\$ 573	892
Brown, William W. ...	33½	33½	750			750
Butler, Frederick H. ...	49¾	49¾	1,114			1,114
Cheers, Robert W. ....	12	12	269			269
Clark, Marion W. ....	18¾	18¾	420			420
Coffey, William H. ....	10	10	224			224
Collins, Douglas M. ...	26¼	26¼	588			588
Cooper, Thomas W. ...	33¼	33¼	745			745
Covington, Charles T. ...	32	32	717			717
Davis, Joseph L. ....	42¼	42¼	946			946
Davis, Joseph N. C. ...	10	10	224			224
Davis, Ross N. ....	12	12	269			269
Dean, Elmer W. ....	28¾	24¾	554	4	48	602
Deveron, Walter T. ...	10	10	224			224
Dickerson, James M. ...	20¾	20¾	465			465
Elzey, Irving R. ....	34	34	762			762
Fletcher, John T. ....	10	10	224			224
George, Eric G. ....	10	10	224			224
Grant, Roland ....	10	10	224			224
Handy, Frederick J. ...	10	10	224			224
Hargis, David H. ....	41	41	918			918
Havens, Edward D. ...	12	12	269			269
Helm, William J. ....	41¾	41¾	935			935
Henry, David W. ....	34¾	34¾	778			778
Hill, John W. ....	14½	14½	325			325
Holland, John R. ....	38¾	38¾	868			868
Hubbard, John H. ....	18¾	18¾	420			420
Hutchins, Charles H. ...	10	10	224			224
Ingram, Joshua ....	10	6	134	4	39	173

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Jackson, Paul C. ....	10	10	224			224
Jeffers, Jacob A. ....	11	11	246			246
Jefferson, John W. ....	46¼	46¼	1,036			1,036
Jewett, James W. ....	37½	37½	840			840
Jones, Harry N. ....	16	16	358			358
Jones, Oliver W. ....	22½	17¼	386	5¼	44	430
Kershaw, Frederick C. ....	27¾	27¾	622			622
Kiah, James A. ....	10	10	224			224
King, Walter N. ....	10	10	224			224
Laws, Francis O. T. ....	29	29	650			650
Lockman, James O. ....	42	42	941			941
McArthur, L. H. ....	10	10	224			224
McGill, Abram L. ....	24¼	5¾	129	18½	194	323
McKenzie, A. A. ....	10½	10½	235			235
Martin, A. E. ....	16¾	16¾	375			375
Martin, Adam L. ....	14¾	14¾	330			330
Martin, Lewis H. ....	28	28	627			627
Matthews, Wilbert G. ....	14	14	314			314
Moore, Leon S. ....	10	10	224			224
Nichols, Jeremiah L. ....	10	10	224			224
Parker, Eugene O. ....	44¼	44¼	991			991
Parker, John W. ....	44	44	986			986
Perry, Lawrence S. ....	18½	18½	414			414
Price, William R. ....	15	15	336			336
Pruett, Jesse W. ....	10	10	224			224
Purnell, Jacob R. ....	34	34	762			762
Randall, Thomas E. ....	10	10	224			224
Reed, John H. ....	37½	27¼	610	10¼	99	709
Richardson, F. R. ....	10	10	224			224
Robinson, Perry E. ....	10	10	224			224
Shockley, Caleb W. ....	16	16	358			358
Stevenson, James H. ....	37½	37½	840			840
Stewart, King S. ....	10	10	224			224
Stewart, William L. ....	10	10	224			224
Thomas, Robert W. ....	27	27	605			605
Tomlinson, Floyd L. ....	14¾	14¾	330			330
Warner, Lillie ....	20½	20½	459			459
Waters, Daniel G. ....	31¼	31¼	700			700
Waters, Martin V. ....	32½	32½	728			728
Waters, Roswell ....	10	10	224			224
Waters, William E. ....	10	10	224			224
Watson, James U., Sr. ....	21	13	291	8	123	414
White, Cornelius B. ....	14½	14½	325			325
Winder, Charles W. ....	22	22	493			493
	1,613	1,547¼	\$34,656	65¾	\$1,120	\$35,776

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## CHILDREN

Annuity Rate \$8.00

Conference Year 1962-63. Delaware Annual Conference

Name	Age	Father's Approved Years	Delaware Years	Delaware Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity
Black, Mrs. Austin L. Carol Ann .....	16	17%	17%	\$ 142			\$142
Grant, Mrs. Roland Roland B. ....	07	31%	31%	250			250
Pruett, Mrs. J. W. Willie M. ....	17	10	10	80			80
Watson, Mrs. James U., Sr. James U., Jr. ....	13	21	13	104	8	\$44	148
White, Mrs. C. B. Charles C. ....	20	29%	29%	238			238
		172%	164%	\$1,314	8	\$44	\$858

## SPECIAL CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

Annuity Rates: Ministers \$32.00; Widows \$22.40; Children \$8.00

Conference Year 1962-63. Delaware Annual Conference

Name	Years	Annuity	Relief
<i>Ministers</i>			
Armstrong, Samuel E. ....	18	\$ 576	
Ayers, J. T. ....	18	576	
Bell, Gertrude V. ....	11	352	
Boggs, Alexander L. ....	14%	472	
Brown, Rachel C. ....	11	352	
Caldwell, Robert S. ....	20	640	
Coffey, Mrs. Ada W. ....	18	576	
Cottingham, Charles H. ....	15	480	
Farrare, A. Frank .....			\$300
Hyland, Marion V. ....	15	480	
Jackson, John R. ....	5	160	
Johnson, Ernest J. ....	13	416	
Jones, Grover N. ....	20	640	
Nichols, William A. ....	21	672	
Whittington, Robert C. ....	16	512	
	215%	\$6,904	\$300

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*Widows*

Collins, John S. ....	14	314
Foster, Emmons N. ....	10	224
Henry, Noble N. ....	11	246
Hodges, Elizabeth ....	12	269
Holden, Lois W. ....	10	224
Johnson, George W. ....	16	358
Morris, E. F. ....	30	672
Pinkett, L. W. ....	28	627
Thompson, Isaac H. ....	15	336
Townsend, Robert S. ....	10	224
Turner, W. O. ....	10	224
Washington, Edward ....	10	224
White, Elisha ....	17½	392
Whittington, Aaron ....	10	224
Wright, Van B. ....	38	851
	<u>241½</u>	<u>\$5,409</u>

*Children*

Foster, Sara E. ....	25½	204
Foster, Sandra J. ....	25½	204
	<u>51</u>	<u>\$ 408</u>

MINISTERS 1½ PER CENT

DOVER DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
W. E. Stanley	\$ 13.00	\$ 90.00	\$103.00	
Roland Grant	270.00	41.00	46.00	265.00
C. P. Spencer	261.00	33.00	33.00	261.00
H. E. Anderson	15.00	42.00	42.00	15.00
W. C. Thomas	252.00	30.00		282.00
G. W. Taylor	1.00	39.00	45.00	
W. C. R. Mills	345.00	33.00		378.00
I. W. Wallace	169.00	30.00	30.00	169.00
H. G. Young		36.00	15.00	21.00
L. L. Hamilton	85.00	57.00	45.00	97.00
P. A. Henry	132.00	44.00	43.00	133.00
Thaddeus Hackett	374.00	30.00		404.00
S. W. C. Crosse	120.00	47.00	12.00	155.00
Q. D. Cooper	68.00	38.00	37.75	68.25
L. R. Jones	282.00	30.00		312.00
W. M. Gee	114.00	36.00		150.00
P. R. Hilton	207.00	30.00		237.00
C. W. D. Browne	272.00	24.00		296.00

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J. A. Conway	150.00	33.00	20.00	163.00
A. J. Dredden	82.00	50.00	75.00	57.00
C. R. Bryant	157.00	33.00	34.00	156.00
H. E. Palmer	—	24.00	24.00	—
E. C. Hackshaw	50.00	37.00	36.00	51.00
O. O. James	—	41.00	10.00	31.00
C. D. Gerald	44.00	39.00	59.25	7.00
H. H. Nichols	—	41.00	40.00	1.00
M. E. White	27.00	27.00	—	54.00
N. Miller	42.00	42.00	—	84.00
R. T. Wallace	176.00	33.00	72.00	137.00
R. R. Hicks	—	32.00	30.00	2.00
C. J. Williams	235.00	27.00	—	262.00

## EASTON DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
C. L. Trader	\$ —	\$ 90.00	\$ 90.00	\$ —
E. P. Cooke	91.00	32.00	31.00	92.00
C. A. Edmonds	113.00	60.00	60.00	113.00
T. M. Murray	70.00	38.00	—	108.00
R. S. Caldwell	26.00	39.00	39.00	26.00
C. C. Thomas	193.00	48.00	—	241.00
E. H. Jackson	40.00	38.00	38.00	40.00
H. G. Chase	9.00	50.00	49.00	10.00
C. M. Pinder	—	24.00	—	24.00
J. W. Wilcher	—	45.00	—	45.00
N. C. Stanley	—	30.00	30.00	—
W. H. Greene	225.00	57.00	57.00	225.00
A. H. Slacum	187.00	29.00	11.00	205.00
G. L. Stanley	167.00	48.00	—	215.00
A. P. Jenkins	—	35.00	—	28.00
W. M. Staten	2.00	43.00	42.00	3.00
J. Roberts	—	21.00	14.00	7.00
H. R. Opher	1.00	33.00	—	34.00
E. A. Hughes	—	52.00	50.00	—
O. L. Molock	9.00	41.00	52.00	—
L. W. Coltrane	—	36.00	34.00	2.00
C. M. Stafford	—	44.00	42.00	—
J. R. Lee	130.00	30.00	—	160.00
H. T. Hall	117.00	35.00	39.00	113.00
Robert W. Dennis	62.00	33.00	34.00	61.00
M. D. Hundley	—	36.00	36.00	—
N. C. Stanley	—	28.00	30.00	—



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## PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
W. C. Strother, Jr. ....	\$—	\$ 90.00	\$ 90.00	\$—
Amy N. Redfield .....	10.00	17.00	17.00	10.00
C. E. Landrum .....	95.00	32.00	32.00	95.00
E. H. Holmes .....	—	68.00	68.00	—
H. M. Deas .....	60.00	68.00	17.50	110.50
L. V. Baker .....	69.00	45.00	45.00	69.00
C. L. Carrington .....	579.00	105.00	105.00	579.00
E. L. Ellis .....	—	68.00	68.00	—
W. G. Brown .....	146.00	56.00	—	202.00
W. A. Harewood .....	—	68.00	68.00	—
T. M. Booth .....	—	78.00	78.00	—
W. R. Mayberry .....	37.00	41.00	70.00	8.00
W. P. Johnson .....	29.00	32.00	32.00	29.00
C. A. Elder .....	179.00	53.00	26.00	206.00
Randolph Fisher .....	208.00	55.00	55.00	208.00
M. O. Ballard .....	—	78.00	78.00	—
E. T. Randolph .....	—	4.00	5.00	—
D. W. Whye .....	20.00	9.00	—	29.00
M. C. Blakley .....	117.00	33.00	33.00	117.00
D. W. Briddell .....	51.00	53.00	36.00	68.00
R. L. Harris .....	73.00	27.00	—	100.00
H. H. Nichols .....	—	96.00	96.00	—
S. L. Jones .....	—	75.00	75.00	—
C. W. Derrickson .....	—	75.00	75.00	—
R. B. Thompson .....	—	69.00	68.00	1.00
S. E. Parker .....	197.00	60.00	60.00	197.00
J. O. Stanley .....	38.00	30.00	76.00	2.00
W. R. Hazzard .....	—	105.00	105.00	—
T. C. Jones .....	—	53.00	53.00	—
G. H. Outen .....	147.00	44.00	55.00	136.00
J. E. Licorish .....	—	75.00	75.00	—
J. W. Coleman .....	—	36.00	36.00	—
M. U. Riley .....	—	6.00	—	6.00
F. D. Arnold .....	—	74.00	74.00	—
J. L. McClendon .....	202.00	8.00	3.00	207.00
C. E. Jordan .....	87.00	75.00	75.00	87.00
S. A. Bellamy .....	7.00	6.00	—	13.00
H. A. Bailey .....	—	75.00	75.00	—
D. L. Ridout .....	—	90.00	90.00	—
J. E. Dunn .....	—	72.00	72.00	—
M. L. Slade .....	—	—	—	—

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## SALISBURY DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
J. W. Elbert	\$—	\$ 90.00	\$ 90.00	\$—
S. P. Sanders	339.00	39.00	—	378.00
E. W. Lee	153.00	27.00	—	180.00
K. H. Greene	23.00	44.00	—	67.00
T. L. Ross	—	36.00	36.00	—
L. H. Purnell	17.00	35.00	36.00	16.00
I. H. White	299.00	30.00	—	329.00
H. J. Lambert	89.00	31.00	25.00	95.00
J. W. Hickman	37.00	15.00	10.00	42.00
W. J. Mills	46.00	45.00	46.00	45.00
H. F. Barclay	23.00	19.00	22.00	20.00
J. W. Mickle	280.00	36.00	36.00	280.00
O. C. Jones	151.00	36.00	—	187.00
C. L. Willis	18.00	39.00	—	57.00
C. E. Handy	16.00	44.00	73.00	—
G. O. Commodore	234.00	60.00	177.00	117.00
S. S. Tatem	136.00	53.00	5.00	184.00
H. W. Spencer	60.00	33.00	31.00	62.00
J. I. Williams	67.00	48.00	—	115.00
C. W. Cannon	160.00	45.00	12.00	193.00
G. T. Jackson	177.00	47.00	47.00	177.00
Carrol Scott	117.00	42.00	90.50	68.50
F. W. Robinson	27.00	27.00	—	54.00
G. B. Wilson	289.00	36.00	—	325.00
D. T. Lewis	193.00	34.00	40.00	187.00
Roland W. Dennis	—	19.00	—	19.00
E. M. Jolly	—	33.00	33.00	—
R. T. Croswell	352.00	—	—	—

## WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
J. R. Shockley	\$—	\$ 90.00	\$ 90.00	\$—
G. H. McMurray	85.00	65.00	145.00	5.00
H. D. Davis	107.00	60.00	67.00	100.00
T. H. Pendleton	63.00	47.00	47.00	63.00
H. J. Fisher	72.00	38.00	38.00	72.00
J. C. Caulk	—	30.00	29.00	—
C. I. Young	115.00	12.00	26.00	101.00
C. W. Bagwell	180.00	45.00	82.00	143.00
A. A. Berry	2.00	30.00	63.00	—
S. L. Wilkins	30.00	50.00	—	80.00
M. L. McKenney	45.00	45.00	45.00	45.00
F. D. Jones	—	75.00	75.00	—

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C. E. Hammond	49.00	51.00	20.00	80.00
R. A. Adams	20.00	41.00	61.00	
J. J. Webster	13.00	26.00	26.00	13.00
W. M. Tasco	82.00	42.00	52.00	72.00
M. D. Brooks	123.00	21.00		144.00
O'Connell Milbourne	64.00	60.00	45.00	79.00
G. E. Geddis	54.00	45.00	45.00	54.00
L. C. Brown	76.00	43.00	38.00	81.00
W. L. Gray		11.00		11.00
G. W. Cuff	118.00	41.00		159.00
F. E. Waters	32.00	24.00		56.00
C. W. Perry	51.00	38.00	10.00	79.00
J. E. Bishop		27.00	27.00	
C. H. Parker	119.00	35.00		154.00
T. E. Cameron		17.00		17.00
C. E. Kiah	215.00	53.00	53.00	215.00
H. R. Snead	192.00	51.00	50.00	193.00
W. L. D. Lyght		75.00	75.00	
H. T. Moody	203.00	48.00	48.00	203.00
E. V. Wimberly	137.00	51.00	51.00	137.00
Augustus Chancy	67.00	56.00	56.00	67.00
S. G. Fullman	291.00	44.00	46.00	289.00
G. A. Sherman	52.00			

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

DOVER DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
Roland Grant	\$372.00	\$324.00	\$288.00	\$ 408.00
C. P. Spencer	12.00	264.00	244.00	32.00
H. E. Anderson	125.00	336.00	376.00	85.00
W. C. Thomas	271.00	240.00	180.00	331.00
G. W. Taylor	41.00	312.00	257.00	96.00
W. C. R. Mills	742.00	264.00		1,006.00
I. W. Wallace	900.00	240.00	10.00	1,130.00
H. G. Young		288.00		288.00
L. L. Hamilton	44.00	458.00	405.00	97.00
P. A. Henry	200.00	355.00	348.00	207.00
Thaddeus Hackett	118.00	240.00	240.00	118.00
S. W. C. Crosse	50.00	372.00	325.00	97.00
Q. D. Cooper	96.00	300.00	300.00	96.00
L. R. Jones	80.00	240.00	190.00	130.00
W. M. Gee		288.00	288.00	
P. R. Hilton	600.00	240.00	160.57	679.43
C. W. D. Browne	140.00	192.00	192.00	140.00
W. E. Marks	10.00	288.00	288.00	10.00
J. A. Conway	400.00	264.00	125.00	539.00

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A. J. Dredde	28.00	396.00	408.00	16.00
C. R. Bryant	130.00	264.00	264.00	130.00
H. E. Palmer	—	192.00	216.00	—
E. C. Hackshaw	—	294.00	294.00	—
O. O. James	—	327.00	76.00	251.00
C. D. Gerald	50.00	312.00	312.00	50.00
Houx H. Nichols	—	324.00	45.00	279.00
M. E. White	196.00	216.00	50.00	362.00
N. Miller	—	336.00	336.00	—
R. T. Wallace	388.00	264.00	265.00	387.00
R. R. Hicks	—	255.00	16.00	239.00
C. J. Williams	600.00	216.00	—	816.00

## EASTON DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
E. P. Cooke	\$ 12.00	\$252.00	\$252.00	\$ 12.00
A. F. Farrare	—	132.00	132.00	—
C. A. Edmonds	244.00	480.00	480.00	244.00
T. M. Murray	450.00	302.00	204.00	548.00
R. S. Caldwell	—	312.00	312.00	—
C. C. Thomas	562.00	384.00	160.00	786.00
C. H. Cottingham	400.00	168.00	168.00	400.00
E. H. Jackson	—	300.00	300.00	—
H. G. Chase	—	396.00	406.00	—
C. M. Pinder	192.00	192.00	14.00	370.00
J. H. Wilcher	—	344.00	43.00	301.00
N. C. Stanley	98.00	240.00	175.00	163.00
W. H. Greene	360.00	456.00	396.00	420.00
A. H. Slacum	384.00	237.00	275.00	346.00
G. L. Stanley	500.00	381.00	193.00	688.00
A. P. Jenkins	150.00	276.00	242.00	184.00
W. M. Staten	32.00	343.00	344.50	31.00
James Roberts	—	169.00	110.00	59.00
A. A. McDowell	—	192.00	192.00	—
H. R. Opher	500.00	264.00	111.00	653.00
E. A. Hughes	1.00	415.00	412.00	4.00
O. L. Molock	—	324.00	348.00	—
L. W. Coltrane	—	288.00	270.00	18.00
C. B. Miles	—	387.00	343.00	44.00
C. M. Stafford	27.00	356.00	374.00	9.00
J. R. Lee	494.00	240.00	70.00	664.00
H. T. Hall	8.00	276.00	274.00	10.00
Robert W. Dennis	—	264.00	270.00	—
M. D. Hundley	200.00	288.00	10.00	478.00
N. C. Stanley	—	—	—	—

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## PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
Amy N. Redfield	\$—	\$ 132.00	\$ 132.00	—
C. E. Landrum	700.00	252.00	52.00	900.00
E. H. Holmes	—	540.00	540.00	—
H. M. Deas	750.00	540.00	400.00	890.00
L. V. Baker	—	360.00	335.00	25.00
W. G. Brown	440.00	444.00	222.00	662.00
W. A. Harewood	—	540.00	520.00	20.00
T. M. Booth	84.00	624.00	624.00	84.00
W. R. Mayberry	430.00	324.00	155.00	609.00
E. H. Crampton	—	240.00	240.00	—
C. L. Carrington	—	1,380.00	1,380.00	—
W. P. Johnson	—	252.00	252.00	—
C. A. Elder	101.00	420.00	412.00	109.00
Randolph Fisher	74.00	437.00	437.00	74.00
M. O. Ballard	—	624.00	624.00	—
E. T. Randolph	24.00	30.00	10.00	44.00
D. W. Whye	31.00	78.00	25.00	84.00
M. C. Blakley	294.00	264.00	367.00	191.00
D. W. Briddell	81.00	420.00	410.00	91.00
R. L. Harris	230.00	218.00	—	448.00
Henry H. Nichols	—	766.00	766.00	—
S. L. Jones	—	600.00	600.00	—
C. W. Derrickson	—	600.00	600.00	—
R. B. Thompson	24.00	549.00	520.00	53.00
S. E. Parker	374.00	480.00	480.00	374.00
J. O. Stanley	—	240.00	300.00	—
W. R. Hazzard	1.00	1,260.00	1,260.00	1.00
G. H. Outen	—	348.00	297.00	51.00
J. E. Licorish	—	888.00	864.00	24.00
M. U. Riley	—	48.00	—	48.00
F. D. Arnold	14.00	588.00	588.00	14.00
J. L. McClendon	322.00	62.00	13.00	371.00
C. E. Jordan	700.00	600.00	650.00	650.00
M. L. Slade	—	—	—	—
S. A. Bellamy	64.00	48.00	6.00	106.00

## SALISBURY DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
S. P. Sanders	\$120.00	\$312.00	\$100.00	\$332.00
E. W. Lee	630.00	219.00	—	849.00
K. H. Greene	19.00	348.00	35.00	332.00
T. L. Ross	78.00	288.00	—	366.00
L. H. Purnell	108.00	276.00	276.00	108.00



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I. H. White	526.00	240.00	132.00	634.00
H. J. Lambert	178.00	251.00		429.00
J. W. Hickman	52.00	120.00	35.00	137.00
W. J. Mills	83.00	360.00	360.00	83.00
H. F. Barclay	87.00	148.00	39.00	196.00
J. W. Mickle	340.00	288.00	288.00	340.00
O. C. Jones	350.00	288.00	288.00	350.00
D. S. Quillin	200.00	192.00	10.00	382.00
C. L. Willis		312.00	185.00	115.00
C. E. Handy	200.00	348.00	246.00	302.00
G. N. Jones	84.00	216.00	240.00	60.00
G. O. Comodore	310.00	480.00	300.00	490.00
S. S. Tatem	130.00	420.00	100.00	450.00
H. W. Spencer		262.00	262.00	
Alexander Reid		234.00	78.00	156.00
J. I. Williams		382.00	160.00	222.00
C. W. Cannon	80.00	360.00	360.00	80.00
E. J. Johnson	580.00	121.00	45.00	656.00
G. T. Jackson		374.00	374.00	
Carrol Scott	650.00	336.00	77.00	909.00
F. W. Robinson	77.00	216.00		293.00
G. B. Wilson	488.00	288.00	100.00	676.00
J. E. McBride	150.00	264.00	33.00	383.00
D. T. Lewis	520.00	270.00	260.00	530.00
Roland W. Dennis		149.00		149.00
E. M. Jolly	278.00	192.00	42.00	428.00
R. T. Crosswell	338.00			

## WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Name	Previous Balance	Due	Paid	Balance
G. H. McMurray		\$516.00	\$516.00	
H. D. Davis	\$ 48.00	480.00	480.00	\$ 48.00
T. H. Pendleton		372.00	372.00	
H. J. Fisher	40.00	300.00	180.00	160.00
J. C. Caulk		240.00	203.00	37.00
C. I. Young	53.00	99.00	43.00	109.00
C. W. Bagwell		360.00	300.00	60.00
A. A. Berry	14.00	239.00	264.00	
S. L. Wilkins		396.00	396.00	
M. L. McKenney	140.00	360.00	400.00	100.00
F. D. Jones		600.00	600.00	
C. E. Hammond	21.00	405.00	405.00	21.00
R. A. Adams	144.00	324.00	324.00	144.00
J. J. Webster	190.00	204.00	204.00	190.00
W. M. Tasco	300.00	336.00	336.00	300.00
M. D. Brooks	362.00	152.00	12.00	502.00
O'Connell Milbourne	335.00	480.00	360.00	455.00

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G. E. Geddis	—————	360.00	360.00	—————
L. C. Brown	230.00	335.00	209.00	356.00
W. L. Gray	—————	84.00	25.00	59.00
W. A. T. Miles	150.00	228.00	216.00	162.00
G. W. Cuff	475.00	324.00	314.00	485.00
F. E. Waters	49.00	192.00	87.00	154.00
C. W. Perry	600.00	300.00	100.00	800.00
J. E. Bishop	—————	216.00	216.00	—————
C. H. Parker	121.00	276.00	149.00	248.00
T. E. Cameron	130.00	132.00	178.00	84.00
C. E. Kiah	125.00	424.00	449.00	100.00
H. R. Snead	—————	406.00	405.00	1.00
W. L. D. Lyght	—————	600.00	600.00	—————
H. T. Moody	12.00	384.00	396.00	—————
E. V. Wimberly	—————	408.00	408.00	—————
Augustus Chaney	100.00	444.00	420.00	124.00
S. G. Fullman	629.00	348.00	398.00	579.00

RESERVE PENSION: \$4,513.00 was raised for this cause last year. Many charges have not raised their original quota and there seems little inclination on their part to do so. Credit must be given to those charges who have raised their quota and who have tried to help the others by raising additional amounts in excess of their quotas.

There are many who have not paid their pledges in full to this fund. Many seem to feel that since they did not pay their pledges in the first four years, they were excused from completing their payments. There are some who have not paid at all on their pledges for one reason or another.

The total amount in this fund as of May 31, 1962 is \$251,500.63. We are still \$68,500 short of the original goal.

A beautiful stamp has been provided to boost this fund. It is an inexpensive way for you to help this fund along. We trust you will buy and use them. If these stamps are sold in large numbers and the pledges as well as the charge apportionment is paid, we should reach our goal by next conference.

JAMES H. C. KELLY, Secretary  
Conference Board of Pensions

## 7. BOARD OF EDUCATION

The basic concept in the process of Christian education is that of growth and development. Our chief concern is to help persons to grow and develop in the likeness of Christ. This report calls attention to the items in our

program which have been designed to help persons to grow in Christ's likeness.

*Children's Work:* Under the leadership of Mrs. Emma W. Strother, Conference Director, work with children continues to make progress.

We are pleased that our Conference has been chosen as one in which experimental work will be carried on in the development of the new curriculum for children. Miss Elsie Young, Lincoln, Del.; Mrs. Alberta Brown, Centreville; and Miss Lucy Wricks, Chester, Pa. will conduct experimental classes in their respective churches.

We have a deep concern about the loss of church school enrollment in the children's division. According to the report of the statistician we lost 2,250 children from our rolls during the conference year 1960-1961. We also suffered a loss of 699 enrollment in vacation church schools in 1961 as compared with 1960.

*Youth Work:* After five years of effective work as Conference director of youth work, C. Leonard Miller, terminated his services with our staff as of August 31, 1961. The youth and adult workers with youth who have worked with Mr. Miller regret very much that he is no longer serving us. Since September 1, I have been acting as youth director with the loyal support of the district directors. I wish to make special mention of Rev. George Outen and Rev. Edwin Ellis who have been especially helpful.

*Youth Assembly:* Our first experience in holding a summer assembly at Haverford College, Haverford, Pa., was a good one. There were 102 youth, 11 adult workers enrolled and a staff of 22. The general spirit of the assembly was high. The association with the college staff was pleasant. We look forward to returning to Haverford July 22-28, 1962.

*Progress in Junior High Work* is steadily growing as evidenced by the large number of this age group served at the district assembly during the summer. We regret we were unable to carry out junior high camping last August. The campsite was not ready. We look forward to having a camp for this group August 6-11, 1962.

Missionary Rallies were well attended on all districts, Friday, November 23. On the Philadelphia District two rallies were held; the second was held on Saturday, November 24. According to the report of the Conference Treasurer, \$1,388.00 had been raised in the Methodist Youth Fund as of January 31, 1962.

*Higher Education:* Our Committee on Higher Education is seeking to be more effective in our ministry to students. Dr. W. R. Hazzard, the chairman, has given fine leadership. We are in the midst of a study of our student responsibility by seeking to determine the number of students who are attending colleges from the churches in our Conference. Partial reports reveal that we have 295 students. We are aware that this does not represent a true picture as many churches have not reported. With the Philadelphia Conference, we held a Convocation of Methodist Students in Philadelphia at The University of Pennsylvania, April 1.

We must take seriously our financial responsibility for student work. The Wesley Foundation at Maryland State College and Christian Center at Morgan State College, where hundreds of our Methodist students are enrolled, must have our financial support. Rev. S. S. Tatem at Maryland

State College, and Rev. Howard Cornish at Morgan State College are doing excellent work.

*National Scholarship Awards:* The following students from our conference received the National Methodist Scholarships this school year. Elizabeth Ann Riggs, 1367 Kenwood Ave., Camden, N. J., Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C.; Robert E. Glover, 633 N. 40th St., Philadelphia, Pa., Clark College, Atlanta, Ga.

*Methodist Students Enrolled in State Colleges:* Of the 588 students enrolled at Maryland State College, Princess Anne, Maryland, 237 or 40.4 per cent are Methodist. Of the 2,791 students enrolled at Morgan State College, Baltimore, Md., 686 or 24.5 per cent are Methodist.

*Adult Work:* Rev. Ewart C. Hackshaw and Rev. Clayton Hammond came to the Dover and Wilmington Districts respectively, as new directors during the year. They, with the Executive Secretary, spent a week at Rolling Ridge, North Andover, Mass. in a seminar on Understanding Adults. This was a most stimulating experience under the leadership of Dr. Malcolm Knowles, of Boston University.

*Young Adult Work:* Rev. David W. Briddell, Conference Director of Adult Work, is chairman of a joint committee composed of members of the Philadelphia and Delaware Conferences. The committee is making an extensive study of the older youth—young adult situation in Philadelphia. The General Board of Education is cooperating with us in this study under the leadership of Rev. Charles E. Mowry.

*General Church School Work:* The Dover, Philadelphia and Wilmington Districts carried on successful church school workers' conferences during the year. The Easton district with Dr. Lowell B. Hazzard, Wesley Seminary, Washington, D. C. as the resource leader, conducted a successful Bible Conference. A Bible Conference was held in Philadelphia, April 6-8 with Dr. Clinton Armstrong as leader.

*Family Life:* Perhaps we have no greater need in Christian education than that in family life. As a result, our family life committee has been reorganized with Mr. James C. Hardcastle as chairman. The committee is currently making a study of the family life work carried on in the churches of our Conference. While the questionnaires which were sent have not all been returned, many interesting trends are revealed. When the study is completed, the findings will be made available to our churches and also to the General Board of Education.

*Camping:* We are hopeful that we will be able to do at least a modest amount of camping this summer. Due to the faithful services of a number of young adults from Philadelphia, we have been able to do a great deal in getting the campsite ready for use. Our development is progressing slowly due to lack of funds.

*Certified Directors of Christian Education:* At the last session of the Annual Conference we presented our first certified directors of Christian education, Miss Phyllis Henry and Rev. Edwin Ellis; Rev. Ellis being certified as minister of education. Miss Henry has since been transferred to the East Wisconsin Conference where she serves as an associate executive secretary. The application of Rev. T. C. Jones is being processed.



*Incorporation of the Board of Education:* In accord with the directive of the 1961 session of the Annual Conference, the Board of Education has become incorporated in the State of Delaware. A Board of Directors, as required, is now being set up within the Board of Education.

*Appreciation:* Space will not permit adequate expression of appreciation to the persons who have contributed to the progress of the work of Christian education. These include Bishop Love, district superintendents, pastors, members of conference and district staffs and countless workers in the local churches. We are grateful to every one.

#### Recommendations

##### A. Higher Education

1. That we continue the asking of \$1.50 per member for the support of work with schools and colleges.

2. That the amount for this cause be placed in the regular budget of the local church with the suggestion that Layman's Day and Student Recognition Day be observed as a means of helping to raise these funds. (\$1.50 per member.)

3. That we use the amount raised for schools and colleges (\$1.50 per member) to support the following institutions on the percentage basis as indicated: Morristown College, 20 percent; Bennett College, 20 percent; Wesley Theological Seminary, 20 percent; Gammon Theological Seminary, 5 percent; Wesley Foundation, Md. State College, 10 percent; Wesley Foundation, Howard University, 3 percent; Allen High School, 2 percent; Morgan Christian Center, to support the Associate Director, 15 percent—with the understanding that there will be a priority on \$1,200.00 to develop new work within the conference territory, 5 percent—total, 100 percent.

4. That we support Morgan Christian Center with our Race Relation Day offering. Should this offering go beyond \$2,500.00 the remainder is to be given to other institutions in the area.

5. That we urge our churches to make every effort to increase the number of students attending colleges, with special consideration given to attending Methodist Schools.

6. That we give full support to all efforts to supply student aid and scholarships to students both on the conference and local church levels.

7. That we give full support to the Chesapeake Area and New Jersey Methodist Student Movements.

##### B. General Recommendations

1. That we make a study of the causes involved in the decreased enrollment in the Children's division of our church schools, and seek to remedy the same.

2. That we put forth every effort to complete our campaign of \$30,000.00 for campsite development.

3. That we increase our emphasis on family life education and seek to send our full quota to the Fourth National Family Life Conference, Chicago, Ill., October 19-21, 1962.

4. That a committee be set up to study the financial support of all phases of Christian education work in the Conference, and to recommend improvement.

HOWARD A. BAILEY, Executive Secretary  
JOHN R. SHOCKLEY, President



## COMMITTEE ON FAMILY LIFE

## Recommendations

We recommend:

1. That district workshops or institutes on Christian family life be instituted for ministers and leading representatives of the various commissions and organizations of the churches as a means of developing appreciation, understanding and knowledge relative to this area of religious education, and promoting the program in churches.

2. That essential instruction be given to church school teachers through organized classes or conferences to prepare them for home visitation.

3. That more emphasis be placed on counseling in the schools of theology and that they institute in-service workshops and conferences for ministers already in the field in order to prepare them to meet the increasing demands of individuals in need of such service.

4. That instructional programs in family life education be provided for youth through the youth organizations of the church and through specialized classes.

5. That guidelines be established for developing better coordination between the church, school and other community resources which might strengthen family life activity.

6. That more emphasis be placed on activities in the church with father, mother, sons and daughters together as a means of playing up the "oneness" of the family unit.

7. That consideration be given to the promotion of such activities as: (1) sponsoring "neighborhood circles," (2) pooled transportation, (3) more Sunday morning services related to programs of family life for those communities which have difficulty in getting attendance at Sunday afternoon or evening services.

8. That the Conference promote the use of the Basic Christian Books Series to bring families together in a study of their faith and their responsibilities in helping youth develop a faith for living.

9. That provision be made for a larger ministry to the one-parent family.

JAMES C. HARDCASTLE, Chairman  
DR. RUTH M. LAWS  
CLAUDE A. EDMONDS  
MRS. CAMILLE JACOBS

## INTER-BOARD SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

May 10, 1962

## Nora C. Harley Scholarship

		<i>School</i>	<i>Attended</i>	<i>Awarded</i>	<i>Paid</i>
Ernest S. Lyght . . . . .	200 E. 9th St. Wilmington, Del.	Morgan State College	...	\$175.	\$175
Martha G. George . . . . .	P. O. Box 24 Sherwood, Md.	A & T College Greensboro, N. C.	...	125	125

## DELAWARE CONFERENCE

		<i>School Attended</i>	<i>Awarded</i>	<i>Paid</i>
Earl S. Pierce	474 Burlington Ave. Burlington, N. J.	Delaware St. College Dover, Delaware	100	100
Robert W. Batson	Rhodesdale, Md.	Md. State College Princess Anne, Md.	75	75
John W. Mosley	5736 N. 20th St. Philadelphia, Pa.	Howard University Washington, D.C.	50	50
Wayne M. Magee	Bicer Road Federalsburg, Md.	Md. St. College Princess Anne, Md.	50	50
Sadie E. Watkins	Rt. #1, Box 45 Melfa, Va.	Va. State College Norfolk, Va.	50	25
Total			\$625	\$600

## Theological Scholarships

Quincy Cooper	329 Park Ave. Lewes, Delaware	Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D.C.	\$200	\$200
Richard Hicks	Townsend, Delaware	Crozer, Theological Chester, Pa.	200	100
Thomas Snowden	5532 Poplar St. Philadelphia, Pa.	Howard University Washington, D.C.	200	200
Total			\$600	\$500

Note: Sadie W. Watkins and Richard Hicks did not enter school in the first semester.

## Student Aid

Clifford Landrum	1219 Fitzwater St. Philadelphia, Pa.	Temple Univ.	\$200	\$200
Haswell Young	Pine St., Delmar, Md.	Md. State College Princess Anne, Md.	200	200
Roland Dennis	Truman St. Cambridge, Md.		200	
Total			\$600	\$400

Note: Roland Dennis has not requested his award.

## Financial Statement as of May 10, 1962

## Nora C. Harley and Graduate Fund

Brought forward May 1, 1961	\$ 8.50
Received from M.Y.F.	350.00
Received from Commission on Summer Agencies	250.00
Total Receipts	\$608.50
Paid in awards	600.00
Amount available	\$ 8.50

*Theological Scholarships and Student Aid**Disbursements*

Theological Scholarship .....	\$500.00
Student Aid .....	400.00
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Total .....	\$900.00

Note: The Treasurer of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications has a balance in hand as of May 1, 1962 .....

\$402.30

HOWARD A. BAILEY, Registrar  
Interboard Scholarship Committee

## CONFERENCE TREASURER—FROM MAY 16, 1962

Brought Forward .....	\$	364.26
From Conference Treasurer for work of Board of		
Education .....	\$12,000.00	
Rally Day .....	2,100.00	
Transferred from savings (Camp Development) .....	2,333.15	
Summer Agencies (For Scholarships) .....	250.00	
Higher Education .....	300.00	
Refund from Board of Pensions .....	10.63	
Refund from Bowie State College .....	8.40	
Methodist Publishing House (Book sale commission) ..	4.83	
From MYF (Nora Calhoun Scholarship) .....	350.00	
From M.Y.F. Treasurer (For support of Youth		
Director) .....	178.00	
Refund—Bill paid for M.Y.F. ....	72.30	
Refund—Bill paid to Cokesbury .....	42.00	
Refund—Commission on Christian Vocations .....	12.50	
Refund—Lumber Co. ....	1.98	
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Total .....	\$18,027.95	

## Disbursements:

*Administrative**Executive Secretary*

Salary .....	\$ 4,999.92
House Rent .....	1,010.72
Travel .....	1,200.00
Telephone and Telegrams .....	258.54
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Total .....

\$ 7,466.24

## Youth Director:

Salary .....	\$ 746.68
Travel .....	176.30
Office Secretary .....	458.60
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Total .....

\$ 1,381.50

**Promotional Expense:**

Expense of Board President .....	\$ 100.00
Expense of Treasurer .....	100.00
Committee and Board Meeting .....	252.56
Promotion of Higher Education .....	221.85
Camp Development .....	2,325.87
Promotion of Children's Work .....	348.50
Scholarships (MYF and Commission) .....	537.50
Cooperative Projects with other Boards .....	100.00
Area, National and Regional Meetings .....	726.79
Conference Projects (Christian Workers' Schools, etc.) .....	247.48
Board of Education Year Book .....	134.69
Miscellaneous .....	131.28
Publishing Informer .....	31.85
Equipment .....	502.65
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$ 5,866.53</b>

**Office Expense:**

Office Rent .....	\$ 300.00
Office Secretary .....	1,300.00
Office Supplies .....	538.36
Mailings .....	414.16
Bell Telephone Co. ....	151.54
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$ 2,904.06</b>

<i>M.Y.F. Advance</i> .....	\$ 93.55
<i>Total Disbursements</i> .....	\$17,618.33

**Recapitulation:**

Receipts .....	\$18,027.95
Disbursements .....	17,618.33
<b>Balance</b> .....	<b>\$ 411.62</b>

*Campsite (Savings Account)*

Brought Forward .....	\$ 901.16
Received from Conference Treasurer .....	1,700.00
Interest on Account .....	1.60

<b>Total Brought Forward and Receipts</b> .....	<b>\$ 2,602.76</b>
<b>Disbursements</b> .....	<b>2,333.15</b>
<b>Balance</b> .....	<b>\$ 269.61</b>

C. D. GERALD, *Board Treasurer*

## METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

May 1, 1961 to May 14, 1962

## Receipts:

Balance as of May 1, 1961 .....	\$ 243.96
Youth Conference Support .....	1,120.00
Rebate, Methodist Youth Fund .....	162.48
Miscellaneous .....	34.50
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$1,560.94</b>

## Disbursements:

Nora C. Harley Scholarship .....	\$ 250.00
Youth Conference Meetings .....	284.60
Support of the Youth Conference Director .....	187.00
Regional, Jurisdictional, and National Meetings .....	137.50
District Promotion .....	50.00
M.Y.F. Fund (collected July, 1961) .....	112.48
Commission work and Special Projects .....	209.43
Publicity and Fraternal Delegates to Assembly .....	141.15
Bank Charges .....	5.10
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$1,377.26</b>

## Recapitulation

Receipts .....	\$1,560.94
Disbursements .....	1,377.26
<b>Balance .....</b>	<b>\$ 183.68</b>

ELEANOR MCKOY, *Treasurer*HOWARD A. BAILEY, *Acting Youth Director*

## YOUNG ADULT FELLOWSHIP

May 5, 1961 to May 5, 1962

## Receipts:

Brought forward .....	\$ 726.12
Receipts from Adult Summer Conference (1961) .....	1,565.30
Refund from Board of Education (Nashville, Tenn.) .....	13.00
Received from Conference Treasurer:	
6/14/61 .....	\$300.00
8/24/61 .....	200.00
11/ 3/61 .....	350.00
3/ 9/62 .....	300.00
5/ 2/62 .....	300.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$3,754.42</b>



## Disbursements:

Summer Adult Conference Expense (1961) .....	\$1,737.41
Delegates to Area Leadership School .....	171.50
Delegates to Eastern Regional Workshop .....	76.00
Stationery and Stamps .....	9.50
Council Meetings .....	186.70
Delegates to Adult Convocation .....	60.50
Phila. District Delegate to Washington Convocation .....	50.00
Delegate to Methodist Conference on Christian Education .....	132.82
Contribution to Miki Mission, Japan .....	53.66
Contribution to Camp Development Fund .....	200.00
Bank Service Charge (for checks) .....	5.06
Easton District Workshop Expense .....	50.00
Flowers for L. Bivens .....	7.28
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$2,740.43</b>

## Recapitulation:

Receipts 5/5/61 to 5/5/62 .....	\$3,754.42
Disbursements 5/5/61 to 5/5/62 .....	2,740.43
	<u>\$1,013.99</u>

Balance on Deposit C and S Bank .....

\$1,013.99

JOHN W. COLEMAN, *Treasurer*

## COMMISSION ON SUMMER AGENCIES

May 6, 1961-December 8, 1961

## Receipts:

Brought Forward May 6, 1961 .....	\$ 219.23
From Conference Treasurer .....	800.00
Registration—Youth Assembly .....	3,120.21
Sale of books .....	110.00
Refund from Insurance .....	5.50
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$4,254.94</b>

## Expenditures:

*Youth Assembly:*

Insurance .....	\$ 34.50
Publishing House .....	163.09
Haverford College .....	3,163.00
Scholarship .....	125.00
Life Guards .....	12.00
Pictures (Rev. Crampton) .....	7.00
Honorarium (Rev. Parker) .....	25.00
Travel .....	263.39
	<u>\$3,892.98</u>

## DELAWARE CONFERENCE

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## Recapitulation:

Receipts .....	\$4,254.94
Expenditures .....	3,892.98

Balance on hand Dec. 8, 1961 ..... \$ 361.96

## Supplementary Report—February 1, 1962

Brought forward December 31, 1961 .....\$ 361.96

## Disbursements:

Commission Meeting .....	\$ 92.44
Scholarship .....	125.00

Total disbursed .....\$ 217.44

## Recapitulation:

Receipts .....	\$ 361.96
Disbursements .....	217.44

Balance on hand ..... \$ 144.52

## Supplementary Report—May 15, 1962

Brought forward (February 1, 1962) ..... \$ 144.52  
 From Conference Treasurer ..... 700.00

Total .....\$ 844.52

## Disbursements:

Commission Meeting .....	\$ 100.84
Board of Education for Scholarships .....	125.00
Pre-Assembly staff Meeting, Dean—Materials and Travel .....	30.30
Other Travel and Meals .....	67.50
Camp Training Workshops .....	109.22
Promotion .....	62.23

Total .....\$ 395.09

## Recapitulation

Receipts .....	\$ 844.52
Disbursements .....	395.09

\$ 449.43

C. D. GERALD, *Treasurer*

## DELAWARE CONFERENCE

## COMMITTEE ON CHRISTIAN WITNESS MISSION

May 8, 1961 to May 8, 1962

Brought Forward May 8, 1961 .....	\$ 343.41
<b>Disbursed:</b>	
Travel to Committee Meeting April 21, 1962 .....	17.00
Balance on Hand .....	\$ 326.41

Note: There were no receipts as no Mission was held during the year.

HOWARD A. BAILEY

## WESLEY FOUNDATION

Maryland State College  
Princess Anne, Maryland

May 14, 1962

Brought forward from 1960-1961 .....	\$ 0.38
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**Receipts:****Conference Treasurer:**

October 20, 1961 .....	\$ 215.00
February 3, 1962 .....	100.00
March 21, 1962 .....	69.00

Total .....	\$ 384.38
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**Disbursements:**

Director's travel expense to Convocation for College Ministers, Cincinnati, Ohio .....	\$ 110.00
Books and Periodicals .....	77.00
Office Supplies .....	48.00
Social Activities .....	72.00
Honorarium for Assembly Speaker .....	10.00
Delegates to 14th Annual M.S.M. Conference .....	49.00
Travel to Churches on Salisbury District .....	16.00

Total .....	\$ 382.00
Balance .....	\$ 2.38

S. S. TATEM, *Director*  
T. W. KIAH, *Treasurer*

## 8. BOARD OF EVANGELISM

As a Board, let us call your attention to the "aim" of evangelism as it is expressed in the 1960 *Discipline*. "The aim of evangelism is to bring all men into living, active fellowship with God through Jesus Christ as divine Saviour

and through the regenerating power of the Holy Spirit; to gather them into the fellowship of the Church; to lead them to express their Christian discipleship in every area of human life that the Kingdom of God may be realized."

With this in mind, the Board has endeavored to create such enthusiasm within its members, district committees, local churches and other leaders in evangelism, that there will come a new awakening in the emphasis of evangelism.

The Board has endeavored to give particular emphasis to a well rounded program of evangelism throughout the Conference. The response has not been as expected but it is gratifying to state that there is an increase in spirit and in activity.

We live in an era of greatness. We have a great Church with great memberships, great buildings, great budgets and great programs. In this time of greatness, the demand is to launch a great program of evangelism that will challenge and match the hour of greatness. It is imperative that we as leaders in evangelism create a new image of ourselves and have again this strange heart-warming of the Holy Spirit.

John Wesley said, "I am not afraid that the people called Methodists should ever cease to exist, but I am afraid lest they should exist only as a dead sect, having the form of religion without the power."

Evangelism is challenged at this point. If we are to have that regenerating power of the Holy Spirit, we must return once more to the "Upper Room" and there remain until the Holy Spirit has filled every heart. We believe, not only as Methodists, but as representatives of Jesus Christ, that to do His work, we must be equipped with the one thing that is so essential, "the Holy Spirit." Jesus believed this was essential to his early followers. He commanded them to "tarry" until they had received this all important element in their lives. This hundred and twenty persons who comprised the first Church, waited until the Holy Spirit came and filled the whole house "where they were." Dr. William D. Longstaff has so well expressed this need in the hymn, "Take time to be holy, Speak oft with thy Lord."

The National Council of Evangelism of The Methodist Church, in session at Kingston, Okla., set forth some objectives for the remainder of 1962 and the Aldersgate Year of 1963. These years are to be a time of spiritual awakening in Methodism throughout the world. Achieving this awakening will require prayer, Bible study, repentance, theological insight, preaching, witnessing, evangelistic meetings and personal experience. These, with others will become our objectives for the coming year.

The Delaware Conference was honored by having two ministers, C. L. Carrington and Henry H. Nichols, invited by the Board of Evangelism and Division of National Missions to share in the Visitation Evangelism Mission to Alaska. The other Negro minister was R. E. Harrington of the Louisiana Conference. These three were sharing with a group of thirty-one other ministers and laymen in this Mission. It should be stated that these men were invited by our National Boards, but they assumed the financial obligations and their local churches accepted the indebtedness. We say to the local churches, "God bless you." The time has come when other churches of the Delaware Conference should enable the minister or laymen to participate in similar endeavors in order to have a part in witnessing for Christ and His Church.



### Recommendations

We recommend:

1. That the conference secretary of evangelism serve as convenor for "The Twelve." This group will subsequently elect its chairman.
2. That the conference secretary of evangelism will act as adviser to "The Twelve" and as a liaison between "The Twelve" and the Board of Evangelism in accordance with the provision of paragraph 1479, Methodist Discipline.
3. That the district secretaries of evangelism will serve in a similar capacity as the conference secretary in relation to "The Twelve" on each district.
4. That inasmuch as "The Twelve" are working in cooperation with and within the general framework of the program of evangelism, their expenses shall be borne by the Board of Evangelism.
5. That the 225th Aldersgate Year Celebration open with the observance of *Family Prayer Sunday* (the first Sunday in January); and that daily family devotions be encouraged and promoted for every Christian home.
6. That Aldersgate Sunday, May 19, 1963 be used by each local church as a day for spiritual enrichment.
7. That Pentecost Sunday, 1963 which is also Methodist Student Day, be used by the local churches as a day of spiritual enlistment and enlightenment for youth and children leading toward a decision for Christ.

W. R. MAYBERRY, *Chairman*

C. W. DERRICKSON, *Secretary of Evangelism*

### 9. BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES

The purpose of the Board of Lay Activities is to deepen the spiritual life of the lay members of the church and to cultivate among them an increasing loyalty and interest that they may become an active working force in each local church. In seeking to fulfill this purpose, the Mid-year Workshop was held again in September in Atlantic City, N. J. Many delegates from local churches were in attendance. We are hoping to have increased attendance for the Conference Workshop this year which will be held at the Ambassador Hotel, Atlantic City, N. J., November 16-18. Workshops on the work of the Official Board and Christian Social Concerns will be included.

At the beginning of last conference year, a meeting was held in Salisbury, Maryland to set up an organization on the district level for the major areas of the work of lay activities. A district director and two associate directors were elected for each district for the areas of lay speaking, Christian stewardship and Methodist Men.

Study courses for lay speakers, workshops on stewardship and increased emphasis on work of Methodist Men on the district level proved to be quite fruitful. One hundred fifty-six persons passed the course on lay speaking and were consecrated by Bishop Love at the Annual Conference. Many local churches were organized, with assistance of district directors of stewardship, for the every member visitation. We shall not be satisfied, however, until every local church annually carries out an every member visitation so that every member will come to understand the total program of the church.

I wish to pay tribute to Mr. Larrie Jones, conference director, and as-



sociates for the fine work they have done in the area of Methodist Men's work; to Mr. T. A. Jeter, conference director, and associates for effective leadership in lay speaking; and to Rev. J. E. Dunn, conference director, and associates for excellent work in Christian stewardship.

I want also to thank Bishop Love, district superintendents, ministers and laity for their untiring support given during this past conference year.

HOLLY P. JOHNS, *Chairman and Conference Lay Leader*

#### 10. BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The trustees of the Delaware Conference submit the following report:

The Annual Conference is incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware. 28 South Queen Street is listed as the address to which all legal papers pertaining to the corporation are to be sent. The requirement that the charter be renewed each year has been met, having been renewed in January of 1962.

The trustees hold the deeds to the following properties: Tioga Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.; St. Matthew's Methodist Church, Trevoise, Pa.; and Coleman Memorial Methodist Church, Wilmington, Del. The titles held for the property on which the proposed home for the aged is to be built and for the camp site are in the process of being transferred to the trustees of the home for the aged and the camp site respectively.

The insurance policies for the Tioga Church and the Community Church are kept in the safe deposit box at the Delaware Trust Company in Dover, Delaware. The Tioga Church is covered by \$250,000 and the Community Church by \$13,000 in insurance.

The trustees sold for the sum of \$500.00 the abandoned church property at Camden, Delaware. This sum has been deposited with the conference treasurer.

The list of abandoned church property is as follows:

Dover District—Portsville, Delaware and Mt. Zion Church, Lincoln, Delaware.

Easton District—Church property near Beckwith, Maryland; church property Antioch, Maryland; and Dickenson Chapel, near Cambridge, Maryland.

Salisbury District—St. Luke's Church, at Punching Landing and Lutherbury Chapel, near Salisbury, Maryland.

Wilmington District—Church property at Absecon, New Jersey.

District Superintendent J. W. Elbert reports that the St. Luke's Church of the Tindley Chapel Charge, which was abandoned church property, was illegally sold by persons described as the remaining trustees of the property.

#### Recommendations

We recommend:

1. That the trustees be authorized to take legal action necessary to recover St. Luke's Church property or the sum of money for which it was sold.

2. That the trustees be given authority to sell the abandoned church property at Lincoln, Delaware, Dover District.

C. W. DERRICKSON, *Vice Chairman*

M. O. BALLARD, *Secretary*

## 11. BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

The \$30,000 Golden Age Investment Drive has been launched. Edward A. Hughes, Sr. has been appointed conference director, assisted by the following district directors, Mrs. Mable Cropper, Mrs. Helen Crippen, Edwin L. Ellis, Omar C. Jones, and M. L. McKenney.

The Board of Directors of the Home for the Aged, led by the chairman, James C. Hardcastle, is progressing in processing a loan of \$569,000 from the Home and Housing Finance Corporation.

The General Board of Hospitals and Homes, administrators of the Kendall Fund, has given the Board of Directors during 1961-62 the sum of \$41,000. Future grants will be made to the Board depending upon the interest and support that our Conference gives and the progress made toward the building and operating of the Home for the Aged.

### Recommendations

We recommend:

That every effort be made to complete the raising of \$30,000 by November, 1962.

That each local church hospitals and homes steward or stewards and all lay members of the Annual Conference work closely with the district directors and district superintendents in promotion of the drive.

That a roll call be made at each District Conference.

That the Commission on World Service and Finance approve a budget of \$5,000 to be assessed to the charges; and that each charge make every effort to raise the assessment in full.

That all Golden Cross enrollment funds be held in a separate account by the Board of Hospitals and Homes for health and welfare as recommended by the Golden Cross Society of the Conference.

That the 1962 class of directors be elected.

Nominations: Charles E. Kiah, Mrs. Anna H. Jones, Clemon B. Miles and James C. Waters.

C. B. MILES, *Chairman*

E. A. HUGHES, *Secretary*

## 12. GOLDEN CROSS SOCIETY

Another year passes and it is through our Lord and loyal members of our churches that I make this report.

The Golden Cross Society stimulates a realistic attitude toward aging. A broad understanding of the aging process and the special needs of older people is of primary importance. The resources of the Board of Hospitals and Homes and the Golden Cross Society can help us gain this needed understanding. We must be concerned not only with the immediate problems of older people, but also with the solution of such problems as they affect persons of all ages. We strive to make clear the importance of preparation in younger years for the seniorship now being attained by more and more people. We also emphasize the primary responsibility of each individual in meeting the needs of the aging population.

The Golden Cross Society activity aims at full recognition of the capabilities of older persons and the contribution they can make to themselves and so-

ciety. We cannot isolate the aged! This concept must be recognized and acted upon by every major group in our society. Each of us should face the realities, possibilities and responsibilities which accompany the new era of aging. All age groups should re-study their attitude toward the aging process and the opportunities which the new status of aging provides. We must realize that each of us is aging from the day he is born and that we, in our earlier years, may help to determine in large measure, security after retirement. Problems of the aged are due primarily to the decreased income at retirement, making it less easy to meet every day needs and difficult to meet large expenses.

The National Board of Hospitals and Homes reports the greater growth to be in service for the aging. There are one hundred twelve homes for the aged today as compared to sixty in 1950.

Every local church should have a hospitals and homes steward or stewards, to represent institutional care. The Golden Cross Society considers one of its vital tasks to be that of informing Methodists of the contribution of creative group living and loving care to the meeting of needs of the aging. Persons contemplating admission to the proposed Delaware Conference Home for the Aged should have available a counselor in the hospital and homes steward. This steward, on request of the pastor, shall be in charge of the Golden Cross enrollment and the dissemination of literature to assist in relating the congregation not only to the greater philanthropy of the church, but also to the social welfare organizations.

It was a high privilege to represent the Delaware Conference at the National Convention of the Board of Hospitals and Homes in Chicago, Illinois during February and participate in the study, "Our Church's Health and Welfare Concern." It has also been my privilege to speak at local churches and district meetings concerning our cause.

We are grateful for the support given by the leaders of the Conference and local churches, and for the work of the district directors of the Society. Progress has been reported. Ours is a rich heritage and can be made more meaningful through our service in the future.

#### Recommendations

We recommend:

1. That our goal for 1962-63 should be: Every local church seeking to enroll every member in the Golden Cross Society with the contribution of \$1.00 per year.
2. That annual enrollment day be observed on the second Sunday in November.
3. That the Golden Cross enrollment receipts be labeled, Golden Cross Society when remitted to Conference treasurer.
4. That we observe "Help Educate a Nurse Sunday."

MRS. L. BEATRICE DORSEY, *Director*

#### 13. BOARD OF CHRISTIAN SOCIAL CONCERNS

The responsibility for administering the policies of the Board of Christian Social Concerns rests with the director, chairman, three vice-chairmen and district directors.

The Board has been active in the interest of temperance and general welfare, peace and world order, and human relations and economic affairs. By means of films, books, panels, lectures, and displays, we have tried to stimulate local churches, pastors and other leaders to fruitful thinking and action in the area of social concerns. The program of Christian Social Concerns is a real challenge to every Methodist Church and pastor. The effectiveness of our endeavors will depend upon our ministers and lay members.

We call the attention of the Conference to three significant meetings during this conference year. A meeting with leaders of the Peninsula and Delaware Conferences was held at Easton, Md. We were called together to discuss the major existing problems which separate us and with which we must deal if we are to bring about merger and integration; and some practical, concrete, specific things that can be done now on local, district, and conference levels that will help in meeting these problems. There were seventy-two in attendance (Delaware Conference, 30; Peninsula Conference, 41; General Board, 1). We are most grateful to Bishop Love and Bishop Lord for their strong support, presence and participation. They have shown their deep concern in the total program of Christian social action.

Our concern about new patterns in housing led us to hold a meeting in Philadelphia for the purpose of exploring the extent, causes and efforts of new patterns in housing in the Philadelphia area and to seek wholesome solutions.

At the invitation of Rev. J. W. Reynolds, chairman of the Virginia Annual Conference Board, your director met with representatives from the Virginia, Washington and North Carolina Conferences to converse on our common concerns in regard to territorial overlapping.

The question is being asked, "Is this the time to abolish the Central Jurisdiction?" Varying opinions are being expressed. One thing is certain and clear, the consciences of large sections of the Church, of both races, are troubled because the Central Jurisdiction exemplifies segregation within The Methodist Church. It was my privilege to be a delegate to the Jurisdictional Exploratory Meeting in Cincinnati, Ohio, March 26-29 to explore the problems involved in the proposed merger of the Central Jurisdiction with the geographical jurisdictions. The Board has appointed a committee to present a resolution at this session expressing the thinking of our Board of Christian Social Concerns. (See Resolution 4.)

A number of resources to help in carrying on the activities of the local church commissions are available through our office. Films, filmstrips, books, and turnover charts are included for your use. Each district has a director available for teaching, speaking and guidance, and we urge our churches to make use of these resources in an effort to make the people aware of the problems and dangers that are found in our present day society and the consequent results upon the home, the community, and the individual.

Miss Evelyn Waters, director of Philadelphia district reports attending three local church conferences held across racial lines for mutual understanding, conducted four schools and mission study courses related to peace, and sent 500 telegrams reflecting the feeling of the Philadelphia District churches to State and National legislators when issues were being decided.

Rev. LeRoy Hamilton, director of the Dover District, reports 10 churches participating in interracial meetings and other gatherings, and that through-



out the Dover District Christian Social Concerns is making itself felt. The pastor and people of Whatcoat Church joined with the legislative committee of the Peninsula Conference in a march to the State Capitol to petition the legislators to enact a bill assuring to all citizens of the State equal accommodations.

The Board wishes to express its appreciation for the support of Bishop Love, district superintendents, pastors, and lay leadership for their interest and concern for the quadrennial program on temperance, world order, and social and economic affairs.

### Recommendations

We recommend:

1. That the Boards of Education and Christian Social Concerns work together in setting up coaching conferences for those who would prepare to teach the course on Christian social concerns in district training schools for Christian workers.

2. That the invitation of Dr. Carl D. Soule, executive secretary of the Division of Peace and World Order, to send a member of our Board to Europe, including Russia, with other Methodists, be accepted. Further, that the selection of Henri M. Deas, chairman of Division on Peace and World Order, be approved. We further recommend that the Conference authorize the district superintendents to ask each church to make a free will contribution to help finance the trip and send to the Conference Treasurer not later than July 1, 1962.

3. That in accordance with the recommendation of the Central Jurisdictional Study Conference that each Annual Conference be requested to designate its Board of Christian Social Concerns, or a special committee, as the agency to serve in setting standards for the transfer of churches under Amendment IX; we recommend that our Board will serve as the agency of the Delaware Conference in joint enterprises of study, discussion and planning with conference agencies in other Jurisdictions in preparation for contemplated local church transfers.

4. In order to give needed guidance to local churches and carry forward the urgently suggested activities from the General Board, we recommend that the Commission on World Service and Finance and the Conference approve an increase of \$1,800 in our budget, making a total of \$3,000 for the year. The increase would be used for administrative work, office equipment, district activities, including training for division chairmen and district director, and joint study courses sponsored by Boards of Education and Social Concerns.

C. L. CARRINGTON, *Chairman*

E. H. CRAMPTON, *Director*

### REPORT OF TREASURER

April 29, 1961 to April 30, 1962

Brought forward .....	\$ 482.42
Received from Conference Treasurer .....	1,200.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$1,682.42</b>



**Disbursements:**

To Director—Administration and promotion . . . . .	\$ 800.00
Convocation expense . . . . .	48.56
Program planning, Conference speaker, Inter-Conference meetings . . . . .	140.80
Expenses of Board Members . . . . .	218.94
Petty cash, postage, telephone, clerical service—Treasurer . . . . .	56.42
Mimeograph machine repair . . . . .	47.00
Check returned—lack of signature . . . . .	2.00

**Division of Temperance and General Welfare**

C. A. Edmonds—Adult School, Cleveland, Ohio . . . . .	76.25
Temperance Board—advanced and refunded . . . . .	24.72
Robert Bonner—Audit of Treasurer's Books . . . . .	22.88

**Division of Peace and World Order**

Henri M. Deas—Meeting, Buck Hill Falls, Pa. . . . .	70.00
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Total disbursed . . . . .	\$1,507.42
Balance on hand, April 30 . . . . .	\$ 175.00

O. H. SPENCE, *Treasurer*

**14. COMMISSION ON CHRISTIAN VOCATIONS**

The responsibility of the Commission on Christian Vocations is the task of helping young people to discover the gifts with which they have been endowed by God and in light of the world's needs, make their commitment as a Christian in their life's work. We have sought to help youth understand that such a commitment carries with it a willingness to prepare for their chosen fields. "A call to serve is a call to prepare."

We recognize that counseling is most necessary in helping youth choose vocations. Names of young people who have chosen Church related vocations have been sent to our commission. Counseling has been done in local churches and on the districts at youth meetings. Following the Youth Missionary Rallies, names of youth with their chosen vocations, came from the Salisbury and Wilmington districts. As usual, the Summer MYF Assembly was a source from which we received commitments.

Much more needs to be done to help parents, pastors, church school teachers and others to become more skilled in counseling in order to help youth in the local church and in the home. The need to help youth to have a sense of mission in choosing a life work is very important in this day when so much emphasis is placed upon material gain. We are confident that our young people will rise to the challenge of service under the guidance of mature counselors who are skilled in working with them and who themselves have a sense of social concern.

Our task is two-fold: (1) Helping adult leaders to become effective counselors, and (2) Helping youth to discover God's call to service. For this task we must seek to be of greater assistance.

We are encouraged by the continued interest which our young people show in the annual conference on The Ministry and Missions held during the Christmas season. Dr. Earl Furgerson of Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D. C., was our guest this year.

While we carry quite a list of names of young people on our files, we are aware that it needs revising. Any help which pastors and others may give in bringing our records up to date, would be greatly appreciated.

#### Recommendations

1. That the district superintendents lift up the matter of Christian vocations in Quarterly Conferences, Preachers' Meetings and all district meetings.
2. That the district committees organize for more effective work.
3. That each local church seek to organize a committee on Christian vocations in accord with the provision of the 1960 Discipline.
4. That the local church committee help the home to become aware of its opportunity in vocational counseling.
5. That every church observe Ministry Sunday using this as an opportunity to acquaint the church with the needs of the Christian ministry, as well as to challenge young men and women to serve Christ through the church.

We are grateful for the help which has been available as we have sought to serve the conference. Bishop Love has personally worked with our youth especially in choosing the ministry. His contribution to our Christmas meeting is always helpful. The District Superintendents likewise have been active in promoting this cause. Many teachers, counselors, and parents have given guidance in many ways. For all of this we are thankful.

HOWARD A. BAILEY, *Chairman*  
FLORENCE G. WILSON, *Secretary*

#### 15. TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION

It is with thanks to God, Bishop Love, and other co-workers that we give account of the stewardship of the Commission on Town and Country Work.

Rev. E. A. Hughes was selected as representative to a school for Town and Country pastors, held in Washington, D. C., February 26-March 10, but insufficient funds prevented his attending.

##### DOVER DISTRICT . . .

1. Cooperating with the Commission, Superintendent W. E. Stanley held consultations with the Galena and Sassafra charges, Maryland, with the results that both charges are now one, working under the leadership of Pastor Ophelia James.

2. Superintendent Stanley is keeping close observation of the churches of his district with a view to uniting churches wherever and whenever it seems wise.

3. Chairman Chancy attended the District Conference at Dover, November 8, 1961, and addressed the meeting.

##### EASTON DISTRICT . . .

1. On October 12, 1961, this district held its second successful Convocation on the Church in Town and Country at Oxford, Md. Superintendent C. L.

Trader, Executive Secretary E. A. Hughes, and Missionary Secretary W. H. Greene did a great job in team work.

2. Bishop Love attended this Convocation, and delivered an impressive address.

#### *SALISBURY DISTRICT . . .*

1. At Princess Anne, Md., September 30, 1961, Superintendent J. W. Elbert held an inspiring Laymen's Conference. Your chairman attended, and addressed the Conference, explaining the effects of population changes on Town and Country churches, and some things to do to strengthen the churches.

2. A series of consultations have been planned by Superintendent Elbert, at Shiloh and Lawsionia charges, Crisfield; and with John Wesley and White Temple, Salisbury, looking toward some changes in the organizational structure on these charges.

#### *WILMINGTON DISTRICT . . .*

1. Superintendent J. R. Shockley discussed mergers and uniting with Mt. Holly and Burlington charges. He endeavored to point out ways of improving the work of those charges by some united work. No agreement could be reached at that time.

2. Consultation will be held with Glenloch and Rhodes, March 24.

**INTER-BOARD COMMITTEE ON RECRUITMENT, TRAINING AND COMMITMENT TO THE RURAL MINISTRY** (see recommendation No. 5, page 158, 1961 Journal). Scholarship Committee: J. R. Shockley, Marie Dashields; Board of Missions: H. D. Davis, Lenora Robinson; Town and Country Commission: Augustus Chancy, Dewey Townsend; Board of Ministerial Training: C. L. Carrington, S. S. Tatum (At Large), H. A. Bailey.

#### **Recommendations**

1. That Rural Life Sunday be observed in every local church, May 27, or most suitable date.

2. That the churches of the Conference hold Harvest Festivals in connection with Thanksgiving.

3. That the Town and Country Commission organize Farm and Home Committees (1960 Dis. Par. 145:11).

4. That the Town and Country Commission meet at least once during conference year on each predominately rural district, at the time and place arranged by respective district superintendents; for the purpose of hearing debates on suggested mergers or other problems peculiar to the rural ministry or church.

5. That a conference-wide Town and Country Convocation be held in an available rural area in 1962.

#### **Report of Treasurer**

##### **Receipts:**

June 8, 1961 to March 7, 1962 ..... \$ 186.65

## Disbursements:

Travel—A. Chancy .....	\$57.63
Postage, telephone, display materials .....	17.85
Travel—Board members .....	79.97
Meals—Board meetings .....	22.50
	\$ 177.95
Balance .....	\$ 8.70

## Budget—1962-1963:

1. Commission meetings .....	\$ 200.00
2. Four district hearings .....	400.00
3. Advance work on Convocation .....	200.00
4. Partial support for 4 rural district in-service training (\$50 each) .....	200.00
5. Inter-Board Committee Work (Recruiting, training of persons dedicated to rural leadership) .....	500.00
6. Postage, phone calls and communication .....	25.00
Total .....	\$1,525.00

AUGUSTUS CHANCY, *Chairman*  
E. A. HUGHES, *Secretary*

## 16. TELEVISION, RADIO AND FILM COMMISSION

The primary area of work for TRAFCO this coming year will be to provide audio-visual training for our Conference. Some members of TRAFCO will attend the Audio-Visual Seminar at Williamsport, Pa. this summer. These persons will then provide leadership for our proposed district workshops.

The Conference Audio-Visual Library will be established this year. We are requesting now that local churches, conference boards and agencies, and other persons having filmstrips of value to place their materials with us for distribution. TRAFCO does not have funds available to purchase filmstrips. However, boards and agencies should consider purchasing those filmstrips that are important to their work and place them with us for effective distribution to local churches.

Many groups have sought our aid in helping them to find a movie projector for use in meetings throughout the Conference. A survey has revealed that very few movie projectors are available. We are confident that several agencies, because of their need, are so desirous of having this important equipment, that we are recommending that we purchase a movie projector. It will be the task of TRAFCO to care for and make available upon request, the projector to the boards and agencies of our Conference. We feel that the equipment may be used in a local church if two conditions are met: (1) an experienced operator to be responsible for projection and (2) the payment of a small fee to cover possible repairs. To assist local churches in using audio-visual equipment, we feel that audio-visual equipment should be standard equipment for the office of



every district superintendent. We strongly encourage district groups to assume the responsibility of providing this equipment as a special project.

The new children's television series, "Breakthru" has been released. Several members of our Conference attended the meetings sponsored by General TRAFCO to train persons in communities to serve as leaders in the placement, promotion, and use of this series. We are confident that "Breakthru" will appear in the Philadelphia area. Approval has been given by the Philadelphia Council of Churches to use this series. The organization is being perfected to do this. Members of our TRAFCO will be included in this cooperative work with other conferences and with councils of churches. Other television areas in our conference will be following the same pattern.

The Methodist Television-Radio Ministry merit the best financial support that we can give. Many of our churches made no report last year to this asking. Consequently, our giving as a conference to this fund has been meager, even smaller than other conferences of our jurisdiction. Our giving per member last year was \$.01. The minimum goal should be \$.10 per member.

Our recommendations are:

1. That each district shall have this year a workshop for the purpose of training in audio-visual aids.
2. That we purchase a movie projector for use by our conference boards and agencies. The financing of this equipment shall be by voluntary contributions by the boards and agencies.
3. That each local church shall conduct a special offering for the Methodist Television-Radio Ministry and send to the Conference Treasurer no later than the first Sunday of September. We further recommend that our minimum goal for giving by local churches shall be 10 cents per member.

DAVID W. BRIDDELL, *Chairman*  
 CLAUDE EDMONDS, *Vice-Chairman*

## 17. COMMISSION ON WORSHIP

The Commission on Worship is promoting the trial use of the Proposed Revisions for *The Book of Worship* in all of the churches of the Delaware Conference. The Commission recommends:

1. That the pastors will urge all officials to purchase the book that is published in compliance with the order of the General Conference of 1960.
2. That the two Orders of Worship will be tried by both small and large churches because the orders can be adapted for use by both. The first order is being adapted from John Wesley's Sunday Service for the Methodist Societies in America. The second order follows the pattern of the Wesley service and has all of the basic elements of Christian worship.
3. That the pastors will interpret to the people the meaning of the other General Services: The Sacrament of Baptism; the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper; the Service of Marriage; and the Order for the Burial of the Dead—so that they may not be mere "tokens" of the Christian's profession.
4. That section two, Services for the Christian Year, will be used to provide variety and change in the services. All materials follow the traditional year, beginning with Advent and concluding with Thanksgiving.
5. That section three, the General Aids to Worship for Personal and Public



Worship, can be used in several ways. It is intended to offer pastors and people a portion of the heritage which is ours in the Christian worship of God. It will provide prayers, sentences, versicles (a short verse in a service that is spoken by the minister), canticles, and litanies.

6. That the suggestions for improvements for the Proposed Revisions for *The Book of Worship* will be mailed not later than December, 1962, to the office of the Book Editor of The Methodist Church, 201 Eighth Avenue, South, Nashville 3, Tennessee.

7. That the pastors and other leaders of worship will study the great hymns of faith, and that they will use them to enrich the worship experiences of their congregations.

8. That workshops be held in every local church to acquaint the members with the meaning of public and private worship.

C. EDGAR JORDAN, *Chairman*

ALEXINA A. HAZZARD, *Secretary*

#### 18. MINIMUM SALARY FUND

Balance on Hand, May, 1961 .....	\$ 252.95
Deposited—June, 1961 .....	4,883.00
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Total—Philadelphia National Bank (Chester-Cambridge Office) .....	\$5,135.95

#### CHECKS WITHDRAWN

1. J. A. Conway .....	\$ 100.00
2. Carvilla Pinder .....	100.00
3. Rachel Brown .....	100.00
4. Ophelia James .....	100.00
5. A. H. Slacum .....	100.00
6. L. R. Jones .....	100.00
7. C. J. Williams .....	100.00
8. Floyd Waters .....	100.00
9. Crawford L. Trader .....	100.00
10. I. W. Wallace .....	150.00
11. Amy Redfield .....	150.00
12. Mary Slade .....	150.00
13. E. T. Randolph .....	150.00
14. Samuel Bellamy .....	150.00
15. A. A. Berry .....	200.00
16. E. J. Johnson .....	200.00
17. Carlton Parker .....	200.00
18. A. F. Farrare .....	200.00
19. C. H. Cottingham .....	200.00
20. Robert L. Harris .....	200.00
21. William Staten .....	200.00
22. C. E. Landrum .....	200.00
23. R. T. Wallace .....	200.00
24. J. J. Webster .....	200.00
25. M. D. Brooks .....	200.00

26. Jacob Caulk .....	200.00
27. Thomas Cameron .....	200.00
28. Frank Robinson .....	200.00
DINNER	
29. Florence G. Wilson .....	20.00
	\$4,470.00
Total in Bank—June, 1961 .....	5,135.00
Checks Withdrawn .....	4,470.00
	\$ 665.95

FLORENCE G. WILSON, *Secretary-Treasurer*

### 19. COMMITTEE TO STUDY MINIMUM SALARY

In accordance with the action of the 1961 Annual Conference, "that a committee be formed to study minimum salary and its distribution and present its plans for approval to the next Conference Session . . ." (see Conference Journal of 1961, p. 39), we submit this report for your consideration.

We have studied the records of past proceedings of the Commission on Minimum Salary. An investigation of minimum salary plans of other Annual Conferences was conducted. A request was made to each district of our Conference to submit information regarding ministerial support and employment of ministers. Reports were received from four districts. We deeply appreciate this splendid cooperation.

#### I. Evaluation of Present Plan

- (1) *It is not a minimum salary plan as provided by our Methodist Discipline* (see Par. 826). It represents merely a system of donations to some ministers. The funds are collected during the year and at the beginning of a conference year distribution is made to various ministers. Because of meager funds, no minister is assured that he will receive the amount needed to bring his salary to the minimum salary schedule adopted by the Annual Conference. Gifts have ranged from \$25.00 to \$300.00, depending upon the decision of the Commission on Minimum Salary. The amount that the minister receives is hardly ever equal to his need, or our approved minimum salary scale of \$1,800.00. For example: Minister A received from his church a salary of \$1,400.00; he received from the Minimum Salary Fund \$125.00; total salary was \$1,525.00; thus, total salary is \$275.00 less than the approved scale. Until we provide some reasonable assurance that each eligible minister will receive the basic minimum salary as approved by the Annual Conference, we cannot claim that we have a minimum salary plan as recommended by the Discipline of the Church. Our present plan may only be termed a donation to *some* ministers.
- (2) The Commission that is responsible for the distribution of minimum salary is often in need of information regarding the applicants. The lack of information regarding the applicant's income prevents the Commission from

making a fair evaluation of his need. Furthermore, some criteria are needed by the Commission to determine whether an applicant is eligible to receive minimum salary. Under the present plan, distribution has been made to:

- (a) retired ministers (without regard to pensions received);
- (b) ministers who had "low salaries" but their salaries exceeded the minimum salary scale;
- (c) ministers who received income from other occupations;
- (d) students serving as part-time supplies;
- (e) ministers who had emergency needs.

In fact, any minister receiving a low salary from the church he served could receive support from minimum salary, without regard to other factors that may determine his need or eligibility. In some cases minimum salary has been used as a fund to meet emergency needs of ministers. The *Discipline* provides a basic distinction between a Sustentation Fund and a Minimum Salary Fund. We have sometimes used the same fund for both purposes. Until some standards are provided for proper distribution of funds, we shall not be fulfilling what we regard as the basic intent of a minimum salary plan—which is, *to give adequate support to the full-time pastor of a church*. Such standards are needed to guide the Commission in its work.

- (3) Our minimum salary plan has not been growing through the years to provide ministers with adequate income to meet rising costs of living. In 1954 the minimum salary schedule was \$1,800.00. In 1961 the minimum salary schedule was \$1,800.00. In 1954 the Annual Conference budget for minimum salary was \$8,500.00. In 1961 the Annual Conference budget for minimum salary was \$8,500.00. In 1954 we received from churches for minimum salary \$4,724.00. In 1961 we received from churches for minimum salary \$5,108.00. Certainly, our scale was inadequate in 1954. Since then, no significant advance has been made in raising the scale, or appropriating and receiving additional money for this purpose.

## II. Ministerial Salaries—Delaware Conference

The salaries which our churches pay are below by districts:

Salary	Dover	Easton	Phila.	Salisbury	Wilmington	Total
0-999	1	0	5	1	0	7
1,000-1,999	4	6	4	13	8	35
2,000-2,999	24	15	6	14	10	69
3,000-3,999	3	8	6	5	11	33
4,000-4,999	0	1	6	0	2	9
5,000-5,999	0	0	7	0	2	9
6,000-6,999	0	0	1	0	0	1
Over 7,000	0	0	2	0	0	2
Total	32	30	37	33	33	165

111 churches (67%) pay a salary of less than \$3,000.00. 42 churches (25%) pay a salary of less than \$2,000.00. There are not twenty ministers in the entire Delaware Conference who receive a salary that is equivalent to the starting salary of a young teacher in the public school system of Philadelphia.

For pension purposes, the average salary of our Conference is \$3,398.00.

The highest average salary of a Conference in The Methodist Church is \$6,931.00. However, the computation of the average salary for our Conference for pension purposes, includes an evaluation of parsonage rent and allowances. Without this inclusion, *the average cash salary paid to the ministers of our Conference is \$2,566.00 (less than \$50.00 per week).*

### III. Other Related Concerns

1. There is a relationship, we feel, between our salary scale and the number of ministers who consider it necessary to seek employment in occupations other than the ministry. Employed men by districts are:

Dover .....	6 *
Easton .....	8
Philadelphia .....	7
Salisbury .....	8
Wilmington .....	14
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Total .....	43

\* Estimated

Approximately 25% of our ministers are employed. We simply raise the question, would it make any real difference in the vitality and quality of the local churches which these men serve, if they were able to give full-time service? An adequate salary would enable some of these ministers to give full-time service.

2. We feel that there is a definite relationship between the salaries paid in our Conference and the recruitment of men to serve the pastoral charges. Many seminarians are reluctant to accept membership in a Conference where there is no assurance that they will receive a salary that is adequate for a minimal standard living. The adoption of an adequate salary plan could serve to attract more trained men to the ministry. The different scale for supply pastors and full members of the conference is being proposed with the hope that it will serve as an incentive for all of our ministerial candidates to receive their formal training and accept full membership in our Conference as pastor of a church.

### IV. Recommendations

1. That all ministers who are members of the Annual Conference (probationers included) serving a pastoral charge and not gainfully employed in any other occupation, shall receive \$3,000.00 minimum per annum.
2. That all approved supply pastors giving full-time service to a pastoral charge and not gainfully employed in any other occupation shall receive \$2,600.00 minimum per annum.
3. That the minimum salary plan of our Conference shall not include retired ministers, student approved supply pastors and part-time approved supply pastors.
4. That the minimum salary of a minister shall include the amount paid for salary by the local church and the amount received for salary from any other source of The Church (*e.g.*, Division of National Missions, Promotional Fund). The Committee discourages persons from asking



- for consideration who receive an income from other sources whereby they attain the minimum salary level.
5. That the apportionment for minimum salary for each pastoral charge be equal to 5% of the pastor's salary, paid by that charge.
  6. That the Minimum Salary Commission administer and distribute the funds for minimum salary.
  7. That payments be made to ministers quarterly (September, December, March and May).
  8. That the Commission on Minimum Salary shall recommend to the Conference each year, the proposed schedule of minimum salary.
  9. That no pastor be granted minimum salary who does not submit to the Commission on Minimum Salary the information that is required to determine his eligibility. We further recommend that the request of each minister shall be made to the Commission not later than 30 days following the beginning of the conference year.
  10. That the proposed apportionment for minimum salary shall be paid this coming conference year, but that the distribution of the funds as proposed in these recommendations begin the conference year of 1963-1964.
  11. That a local church shall be reapportioned the next conference year any unpaid amount for minimum salary within a conference year. We further recommend that the provisions of paragraph 823, Methodist Discipline, regarding minimum salary as an essential part of the proportional payment of ministerial support be practiced by all pastoral charges.

We are grateful for the privilege of working on this study and preparing this report for your consideration. Our labors have made more firm our convictions that every minister of the Delaware Conference serving as a full-time pastor of a charge should be given the means whereby he may faithfully perform his tasks with some reasonable assurance that he will receive an adequate salary.

There is one unresolved issue that is related to minimum salary that needs our attention. Five churches in our Conference pay extremely low salaries. Two churches reported that they pay no salary at all to their minister. If other conditions are met, these ministers may justifiably make a claim upon the minimum salary plan under the present rules. This could cause a considerable drain upon the funds available for minimum salary distribution. We regard minimum salary as the means to supplement the salary of the full-time pastor, rather than to provide the basic salary. To be responsible for the basic salary of a minister would seriously impair the true functions of the Minimum Salary Fund.

*The solution that is possible is not within the province of this committee to make.* However, two lines of action will help. First, that new church situations shall continue to be a responsibility of the Board of Missions and Promotional Fund.

Second, speed our efforts wherever possible and feasible, to effect mergers and consolidations of churches that are unable to give adequate support to a pastor.

Third, that more emphasis be placed upon the distinctions between a minister serving as a full-time supply pastor and a part-time supply pastor. If an approved supply pastor does not devote his entire service to the charge



that he is appointed, and if he does not receive a salary that is equivalent to the minimum salary established by the Annual Conference, he should be assigned to the category of part-time approved supply pastors (See par. 317 and par. 1631, *The Methodist Discipline*, 1960). We are convinced that greater care in assigning ministers to these categories, would help to reduce the disproportionate amounts that minimum salary may find it necessary to contribute. This will help considerably in the minimum salary plan as well as in our pension plans.

DAVID W. BRIDDELL, *Chairman*  
W. L. D. LYGHT  
GEORGE H. OUTEN

MRS. HELEN WATERS  
ELMER HAWKINS  
MRS. BEATRICE KIAH

## 20. CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION COMMITTEE

This report deals with the changes, additions and progress of the report presented at the 1961 session of the Conference.

### COMMITTEE ENLARGED

The following persons have been added:

Mrs. Thelma Alford  
Charles L. Carrington  
Harvey Chase  
C. H. Chipman  
Mrs. Helen Crippen  
Leroy L. Hamilton

Mrs. Cleo Henry  
J. E. Licorish  
W. L. D. Lyght  
William C. Jason  
Carl Still  
J. I. Williams

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The following persons were elected: Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer, J. E. Licorish, Cleo Henry and C. L. Trader.

The Committee will have power to develop and execute the program along the lines outlined in the 1961 report and to appoint the necessary committees. The list of committees will be made available at the seat of the Conference.

### CHANGES

1. The reception honoring the retirement of Bishop and Mrs. Edgar Love will be held on Tuesday evening of the 1964 session of the Conference, instead of the 1963 session.
2. The Holy Communion will be on Wednesday morning.

### PLACE OF THE CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

The Committee unanimously recommended Tindley Temple Methodist Church.

### GUESTS TO BE INVITED

1. College of Bishops, or a representative.
2. A representative from each Jurisdiction.
3. A Bishop from the A.M.E., C.M.E. and A.M.E.Z. Denominations.
4. A representative from the local Baptist Conference.
5. A General Board representative.
6. A representative from each of the sixteen Annual Conferences of the Central Jurisdiction.

## SOME SUGGESTED SPEAKERS

1. A representative of the United Nations.
2. A representative of the World Council of Churches.
3. A representative of the Board of Missions for Youth Night.

## PROGRESS REPORT

A. *Places for New Congregations*

1. Philadelphia District: Northeast Germantown.
2. Wilmington District: (a) West Side, (b) East Lake Section.

B. *Churches Becoming Self-Supporting*

1. Dunleith, Wilmington, Delaware, has assumed the full payments of mortgage on church.
2. Tioga, Philadelphia, Pa. was able to make its first full payment on its mortgage without outside help, and will be able to make future payments.

## C. Dover District is emphasizing parsonages and hopes to build a new church in excess of \$75,000 at Dover, Delaware.

D. *\$5,000 appointments on the Easton, Dover and Salisbury Districts*

1. Dover District—one
2. Easton District—possibly two
3. Salisbury District—one

## SOUVENIR PROGRAM

Will contain no commercial ads but there may be compliments from the local churches.

## PROMOTION

1. There will be a special committee on promotion which will keep the churches informed. This Committee will begin to function following the Annual Conference.
2. The Chairman is to plan, in consultation with the district superintendents and District Missionary Secretaries, a series of district meetings to raise the Promotional Advance Fund.

DENNIS R. FLETCHER, *Chairman*  
FLORENCE G. WILSON, *Secretary*

## 21. EDITORS OF DELAWARE CONFERENCE HISTORY

The efforts to accumulate pertinent data and finish up the research have continued through another year. It is the determination of the editors, as reflected by a ballot taken by mail during the month of April, to present the 1964 session of the Annual Conference the completed manuscript of the history of the Delaware Conference.

It is the feeling of the staff that this is a fitting manner to salute the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of the Delaware Conference.

JOSHUA E. LICORISH, *Editor-in-Chief*  
WILLIAM C. JASON, JR., *Secretary*

## 22. HISTORICAL SOCIETY

As chairman of the Historical Society, I availed myself of the opportunity to attend the annual meeting of the Association of Methodist Historical Societies of the Northeastern Jurisdiction, held at Drew University, Madison, N. J., April 24-26, 1962. The contact with the Association is valuable for the future work of the Conference Historical Society, as it is presently concerned with research and publication of historical facts about Methodism. Slides of historical data are being prepared for teaching purposes and will be available to member conferences.

## Recommendations

We recommend:

1. That each delegate read paragraph 663 of the 1960 Discipline.
2. That a budget of two hundred dollars (\$200) be approved for the work of the Historical Society.
3. That the Delaware Conference become a financial member of the Northeastern Jurisdictional Historical Society.
4. That in 1963, the 225th Anniversary of John Wesley's Aldersgate experience be observed throughout the Conference, in every local church; and further, that studies in the areas of (a) Life of John Wesley, (b) History of Methodism, (c) The Negro in Methodism, and (d) Methodist Beliefs, be encouraged.
5. That an organized effort be made to gather historical data and documents on Methodism in the Delaware Conference.
6. That the Historical Society assume the initiative to circulate historical data of the Conference in Methodist historical circles and publications.
7. That the Society become the Conference agency responsible for the sale and distribution of the Conference History to be published in 1964.
8. That congregations be encouraged to make colored pictures, slides, and cards of their local churches for distribution.

WILLIAM C. JASON, JR., *Chairman*  
JOSHUA E. LICORISH, *Secretary*

## 23. COMMITTEE ON EMANCIPATION CELEBRATION

In an effort to meet the responsibility which is mine, I submit these remarks in lieu of a report. In fact I feel very much alone in the suggestions that I make because of the fact there has been no committee meeting and limited communication with a few of the members of the Committee.

It is assumed that this committee would complete its obligation, thereby being dissolved at the 1963 annual conference; that its final action would be some kind of public ceremony properly planned for local church utilization throughout the conference and/or presentable to the conference at its annual session.

It is my personal impression that there is limited enthusiasm and budget for the preparation and/or presentation of anything elaborate. I wish to also make the observation that the general interest for the Emancipation Proclamation Celebration seems now to be limited to the thinking of those of us who were in early years personally in touch with one or more people

who lived through the experience of the Civil War. For this reason, I am inclined to suggest that the effort of this committee be limited (1) to working out a program of not more than two hours for presentation to an evening session of the 1963 annual conference; (2) that great effort be made to make it an impressive registration of our gratitude to Almighty God for deliverance that will also serve as a vehicle for teaching those who are younger the enlarged opportunities that bless their lives; and finally, as an inspiration to all, to be more consciously motivated by the spiritual as we seek to make the most of our lives in an unselfish way.

WILLIAM C. JASON, JR., *Chairman*

#### 24. STATE OF THE CHURCH

The church is challenged today to meet the needs of a rapidly changing social order. She is deeply conscious of the scientific progress which is being unfolded in our so-called "space age" and of the increased opportunities that these media present. Ninety-five percent of the householders in the United States have radios and ninety-nine percent of the people are in reach of at least one television station. Men in all walks of life are being challenged.

Even with all of these media and opportunities at our command we still find men who are confused and frightened. The possibility of a nuclear explosion is causing men to run to the rocks in search of a hiding place. Fallout shelters are becoming a reality in our day. With the coming of the "Spy Satellites" men are able to explore the darkest corners of the world. The Church cannot become content until it penetrates the darkest reaches of the souls of men and until they turn to the secret places of the pavilion of God for safety rather than their fallout shelters.

The world watched in awesome wonder a few days ago as one man proclaimed the wonders of God as he watched "four glorious sunsets and sunrises in one day." We must not become contented to let the world take the witness which should be ours and twist and slant it to give to themselves a false sense of security.

Sensitivity to world events is a prerequisite to the victories which the Church seeks. Let us not repeat the mistakes of the past when so often the Church missed the great chance by ignoring the uncomfortable realities of the world which was its parish.

Let the Church know the world it is to serve, and go forth to serve in the consciousness of its nature, its authority, its mission, and its power.

To this age the Church is expected to minister with a firm and steady hand and to speak with a clear and commanding voice. An artificial climate of authority has been created by the external pressures of coercion and persecution designed to shatter the inner compulsions of life on which all valid authority is based.

The disciples of Jesus met successfully the resistance to their new religious experience because they knew what they were commissioned to do.

#### Recommendations

1. One area which commands our immediate attention is the Christian education of young people. The total educational program of the Church



cannot be overemphasized. If we are to go forward in this age we must be prepared.

2. We live in a world whose very existence is threatened by group tensions, misunderstanding, and incited hostilities. We therefore urge every church to exert all of its energy to create real brotherhood which will transform tension into participation, misunderstanding into appreciation, and hostility into cooperation.

3. We urge every church to speak with authority on all matters of social concern and especially those where neglect and injustices are evident.

4. That we endeavor to have a spiritual reawakening throughout the Church.

5. That we strive to become ". . . doers and not hearers only."

6. That we reevaluate our mission in today's troubled world in relation to the teachings of Jesus.

The road ahead is a long one, but it is no longer than that which our Lord walked on the way to Calvary. The burden may be heavy, but He never puts more on us than we can bear.

Rise up, O men of God! Have done with lesser things;

Give heart and soul and mind and strength to serve the King of kings.

L. H. PURNELL, *Chairman*

R. L. HARRIS, *Secretary*

## C. Other Reports

### 1. WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

For the privilege and honor of serving such a cooperative, sacrificial, kind and helpful group of women for four years, I am grateful to Almighty God. This has been a rich experience.

Many activities have been carried on, and I mention a few: The burning of the mortgage of Friendship House; renovation of the same including modernizing of the kitchen by the Wesleyan Service Guild at a cost of \$1,500 and upholstering of furniture; and the annual fall luncheons planned and conducted by experts to a crowded house.

Close grows the bond between the Wesleyan Service Guild and the Women's Society of Christian Service. I always attend their weekends and conduct the Bible Hour.

The districts under the efficient presidents have done a marvelous piece of work, i.e.—training programs, educational seminars, district and sub-district meetings held, along with the presentation of the work at the District Conferences and visitations to the local societies. Last, but not least, "budgets are paid in full." A tribute to our Treasurer is the poem, "A Treasurer Has Sense." Responsibility, stewardship, humor, values, duty and willingness to spend time and energy in detailed work, accompanied by joy, are the characteristics conveyed.

We are proud of the continued growth of the School of Missions. More women are taking advantage of this means of learning, through study classes, the interpretation of the work and how to apply the message, "Go ye." The team, "Miss Theressa Hoover and Mrs. W. C. Strother" did a great job last summer.



During these four years, Miss Dorothy Barnett, field worker of the Woman's Division of Christian Service, brought inspiration and information to the Conference for two years.

The officers and secretaries have been untiring in their efforts to do a good job. They have had the privilege of attending Jurisdiction and Conference Schools of Missions, and other meetings to which their respective offices entitled them.

The support of our Division member, Mrs. W. C. Strother, Jr., and Jurisdiction member, Mrs. William A. Henry, has been most gratifying.

The committees of extra curricular activities have accomplished the following outstanding work: the first Year Book, Revision of Rules and Regulations for Friendship House, and Policy revision for the Conference.

I would indeed be ungrateful if I didn't mention the Board of Trustees and Managers of Friendship House who have served cooperatively, never tiring, always willing to assume responsibilities.

After such a rich experience, I close with these words:

God bless the women of the Delaware Conference as you go forward in His name, may there be a continual growth, and a greater enthusiasm for *spiritual values*. May our spirits be quickened and our lives more keen in understanding, "The Church in the World."

MRS. CARRIE W. HENRY, *President*

## 2. AREA ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY

Bishop Love, Father, Brothers, Sisters, Friends:

This is my 10th annual report to the Conferences of the Baltimore Area. It is not a report in the sense that it attempts to detail my activities over the past twelve months. Briefly, I will say that I have been privileged to serve in all our Annual Conferences—the Delaware, Washington, and North Carolina. I have attended Annual Conference Sessions, district meetings, workshops, convocations, institutes, and have preached in many pulpits. On many of these occasions, I have substituted for Bishop Love; on others, I have responded to personal invitations. But these things, as important as they are, do not constitute my major responsibility, which is to help the bishop carry the heavy administrative load which is his, in office routine and in executing the program of the General Church. These have been happy and challenging years, and, with all members of the Baltimore Area family, I anticipate the sorrow which will be ours on the bishop's retirement two years hence. No one could work for a more understanding, tolerant and companionable person.

This report will deal essentially with one vital responsibility of our office, that of caring for our pastors' group insurance plan. It is a great responsibility, requiring much of our time, and for which we receive no compensation. We recommended the plan to the Conference because we know of its great need. We have had some 15 deaths among the insured members of our Conference in the last two years and nine months since the plan became effective on September 1, 1959. Every one of these claims has been paid. The money was a veritable God-send to the widows of the deceased brethren. It was practically all some of them had. There is desperate need

for this type of insurance for us. Many of us could not possibly get similar insurance so cheaply, if indeed at all. The thing that distresses us is the fact that many of our men still do not pay their insurance premiums. In many cases of the deaths among us, the insurance was not paid in full, if at all, either year. Happily, we can report that in every case, however, the widow did reimburse the Conference treasurer, who advances the premium each month for the entire Conference.

I am making this appeal to my fellow workers: Brothers, please support this plan. None of us like to anticipate death; we all want to live as long as possible. But we must face facts: Life is uncertain, and we owe it to those whom we love to leave them as much protection as possible for the time when they will need it most, probably.

Our insurance happens to be with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. This is a good plan, but there are others as good, doubtless some better. *Which* plan is not important to us, except the one most practicable. Until we can find a better plan, let us support the one that we have. Our Conference treasurer reports that this has been our best year in receipts from the charges on the group insurance. But the response is far from 100%, and we simply cannot expect to burden our treasury much longer carrying a load that we should carry ourselves. Let us review the facts:

The cost of the insurance is only \$39.00 a year. The benefits are \$2,000.00 payable to the beneficiary at death; \$4,000.00 in accidental death. All full-time employees, lay as well as ministerial, of our churches are likewise eligible for the insurance. The church is asked to pay the premiums for the pastor and/or lay employees. At age 70, the accidental death and dismemberment clause automatically ceases, but full natural death benefits are effective until age 72 (or retirement, if a member retires before age 72). The benefits are then reduced one-half, or to \$1,000.00. It should be remembered that the Conference voted two years ago to pay the premiums for all retired men. (Note: Men already retired at Conference session of 1959 were not insurable.)

We have kept the policies on file in our Area Office, on advice of the company, if the policy holders so consent. However, we have brought all policies to this session, and those desiring them may have them, or they may examine them and return them to us, if they desire us to keep them on file in our office. Let me repeat our plea: BROTHERS, PLEASE SEE THAT YOUR GROUP INSURANCE IS PAID, for it is being paid for you otherwise. If you do not desire this protection, kindly inform us.

**RETREAT:** This next word is to our pastors' wives regarding the 1962 Ministers Wives Retreat, which will be held at Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C., July 3-5. All wives of ministers, or widows of ministers, or women pastors are eligible to attend. The Retreat is always a rich spiritual and fellowship experience for the women attending; it will be especially so this year, for the North Carolina Conference women want to be our hostesses and plan many fine things for us in the way of entertainment.

**WORKSHOP:** I would like to call attention of pastors to our workshop on Church Music which will be held at Camphor Church, Philadelphia, August 14-16, concurrently with the Delaware-Washington Conferences Conference on Missions. This will be a great opportunity for your organists

and choir directors and singers to get help and directions which they may need to improve the music of your churches.

I wish to thank Bishop Love for the confidence he imposes in me in entrusting to me responsibilities of major proportions: to the district superintendents, pastors and laymen of all our Conferences for their cooperation and help and, above all, to give thanks to Almighty God, who has preserved my health and who has safely guided my feet through these ten years of service in my present work.

May the peace of God be with you all, now and evermore. Amen.

DANIEL LYMAN RIDOUT

### 3. APPRECIATION TO THE LOVES

By Daniel Lyman Ridout

Bishop Love, Fathers, Brethren and Sisters of the Conference:

It was Lord Bacon who said, "Reading maketh a full man, writing an exact man, and conference a ready man." I want to be exact, so I am writing what I wish to attempt to say at this time. I want to be full, so I am reading. I want to be ready, so I am conferring with you on this important matter.

I am free to confess that the words I am about to speak sound for all the world like a first-class eulogy. Such, however, is not the case, for I come not to bury a friend, but to praise him. I see nothing wrong, however, about paying eulogistic encomiums to the living. Perhaps if we did more of that sort of thing, we would all live longer.

"If you have a friend worth loving, love him—

Yes, and let him know that you love him,

Ere life's evening tinge his brow with sunset glow

Why should good words ne'er be said

Of a friend until he's dead?"

We are on the eve of a very significant anniversary—one that means much and is close to the hearts of us all. It was ten years ago that two of Methodism's ablest sons were elevated to the episcopacy of The Methodist Church by the vote and through the wise choice of the delegates to the Fourth Central Jurisdictional Conference. One of those sons was assigned to the Baltimore Area, and for ten years, we have been blest with the able leadership of Edgar Amos Love. No one was more deserving than he of the honor which came to him; no one could have graced the office with more dignity and with greater efficiency. Wherever he has worked, and wherever he has gone, he has commanded the confidence and respect of all whose lives he has touched—for he has evidenced dedication of purpose, keenness of intellect, sagacity of mind, and immaculacy of heart, coupled with the common touch, which has made him the friend of all, both great and small.

After having worked intimately with him for ten years as his most unworthy administrative assistant, I want to give you a true picture of what I think of him.

1. He is capable. He knows the church. He is a great administrator. He leaves a profound impression upon the Annual Conferences of the church

over which he presides outside his own Area. Some have been in the South, among our own people of color; some have been in the North, among people of fairer skin. They all join in one accord in saying: "His name is Love; his manner bespeaks love."

2. He is honest. Some well meaning Christians fall short of the mark of the high calling of God in Christ through some so-called minor sinning, committing such "little sins" as falsifying their ages to get insurance or jobs, or to have a year or five longer to remain effective. Any of us who travel on expense accounts without too much compunction of conscience may pad them a little—or much—to make sure that we come out all right. When Edgar makes his monthly expense account and sends it to the World Service treasurer, if there is doubt in his mind about an expenditure, he cuts it out. I am in position to know that the church owes him hundreds of dollars that he failed, indeed refused, to include in a perfectly legitimate statement of expense.

3. He is courageous. His name has been associated by his enemies with that of another Methodist bishop, G. Bromley Oxnam, both of whom have been called Communist sympathizers and fellow travelers of those martyrs of the faith who refuse to bow to bigotry and who dare to defend liberty and justice and equality with honor and truth. Thank God, all of us who may have been so labeled by the conservatives, the recalcitrants, the die-hards and the enemies of social change count it an honor so to be called. For they are the enemies of democracy. They are the traitors to the ideals and principles of the founders of the American Republic.

As president of the controversial, all-but-outlawed Methodist Federation of Social Action, and of the even more controversial and pinkly labeled Southern Conference Educational Fund, Bishop Love has for many years championed the cause of the underprivileged, the down-trodden, the oppressed, and the disenfranchised. He has done this where it might hurt his personal reputation and prestige most—in the deep South. On last April 13—Friday, the 13th, of all days!—he went to the citadel of American bigotry and brutality—Birmingham, Alabama—and presided over a meeting of the Southern Conference Educational Fund—the first integrated meeting in Birmingham in 25 years.

4. He is a big man—not physically, no, no—but morally and spiritually. You can differ with him vigorously and remain his friend. I have written some strong editorial comments in THE BALTIMORE AREA MESSENGER the last ten years. He has never read a line of anything before it appeared in print. He has not once said, "Dan, this is a little too strong. I am not so sure that you should be so critical of our Methodist Church." . . . I have known pastors literally to insult him as he sat in the chair presiding over an Annual Conference. He has yet to get ruffled, or upset, nor has used vengeance as a weapon in dealing with any man. I have known men to malign him and lie on him, but he has dealt with them, in the making of appointments, on the basis of what they have done and can do to promote the interests of the Kingdom of God. That, my friends, is an evidence of true religion, pure and undefiled.

5. And finally, he is compassionate, as any bishop or priest or minister or lay Christian must be. He is touched by the feeling of the infirmities



of his brethren. I thought, until I went to work with him, that I was the world's softest touch, but not so, Brethren. Edgar is softer. Where there is destitution, or emergency, or mental anguish, or distress of any kind, he helps. (Don't anybody get destitute or distressed before you go home, please, or he'll go home broke!) It can be said of him, as it was said of our Master, "He looketh upon the multitudes, and He was moved with compassion."

It is a cliché to say that behind every good man there is a woman—a mother or sister, or especially a wife. And what shall we say of Virgie? Blessed with the graces of charm and beauty, Virginia Ross Love is the kind of woman who Shakespeare describes as having "a voice, gentle, soft and low—an excellent thing in woman." Time does not permit us to pay her the tribute that she highly deserves.

I only need to say that I wonder how Edgar fooled her into marrying him. I have always said that however good a man is, he is undeserving of the good wife he has. Perhaps he quoted poetry to her. Indeed, he must have quoted to the love he sought this greatest of love poems, LOVE'S APOTHEOSIS, by Paul Laurence Dunbar:

"Love me, I care not what the circling years to me may do,  
If, but in spite of time, and tide, and tears, you prove but true.

"Love me. Albeit grief dim mine eyes, and tears bedew,  
I shall not e'en complain, for then my skies shall still be blue.

"Love me, and though the winter's snows shall pile and leave me chill,  
Thy passion's warmth shall make for me, meanwhile, a sunkissed hill.

"Love me, and when the days have lengthened into years, and I grow old,  
O spite of pains, and griefs, and cares, and fears, grow thou not cold.

"Then hand in hand we shall pass up the hill—I say not down,  
That twain go up of love, who've loved their fill, to gain love's crown.

"Love me, and let my life take up thine own, as sun the dew,  
Come, sit my Queen, for in my heart a throne awaits for you."

And so, Edgar and Virgie, we take this time to congratulate you on your 10th anniversary in the bishopric of The Methodist Church. You have maintained the nobility and integrity of the office, and you have honored it, as the church has honored you. We have not attempted to canonize you, or to deify you, or to immortalize you. The length of days and the record of history will determine that. We offer you no material gift, but we give you renewed assurance of our love and of our devotion and our appreciation for your safe and consecrated leadership. May God give you length of years, health of body, ever-increasing wisdom of mind, and strength of spirit, that you may continue to serve him with vigor and with fruitfulness.

#### 4. DELAWARE STATE COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

I am pleased to report that the Delaware State Council of Churches has had another successful year in its effort to render greater service in Delaware and nearby Maryland areas.



During the past year, the Council was successful in getting the following service departments organized and functioning: Departments of Pastoral Ministry, Migrant Ministry, United Church Women, Administration, Christian Education, and Church and Community. Each department has a chairman and has set out to perform the duties as prescribed by the General Assembly of the Council.

The most significant action taken by the General Assembly at its Annual Meeting on January 25, 1962, was the approval of plans and recommendations for the employment of a full time executive secretary. Duties of the executive secretary were presented and approved.

Another important action taken by the General Assembly was the approval of a pilot school for the children of migrant workers. This program is in cooperation with the Delaware State Board of Education and the Department will finance it.

I, your lay representative, was re-elected for a second three year term on the executive committee.

The financial asking from the Delaware Conference this year is \$1,000.

#### Proposed Budget

#### Delaware State Council of Churches, 1962-63

##### INCOME

##### Dept. of Pastoral Ministry

	1962	1963
A. Institutions Chaplains .....	\$	\$
B. Scout Chaplaincies .....		
C. Radio-TV .....		
Dept. of United Church Women .....	10,000	10,000
Dept. of Migrant Work .....		
Dept. of Administration .....		3,000
Maryland Council .....		
Judicatories .....	5,000	8,000
Other Sources .....		5,350
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	\$15,000	
Balance carried over from 1961 .....	4,900	

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\$19,900 \$26,350

##### DISBURSEMENTS

	1962	1963
Dept. of Pastoral Ministry		
A. Institutions Chaplains .....	\$ 100	\$ 500
B. Scout Chaplaincies .....	1,200	1,200
C. Radio-TV .....	100	100
Dept. of United Church Women .....	50	150
Dept. of Migrant Work .....	10,000	10,000
Dept. of Administration		
Office Salary .....	1,800	1,800
Office Expenditure .....	1,000	2,000

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Travel Allowance .....	300	1,500
Executive Secretary .....	1,850	6,500
Parsonage .....	500	2,000
Pension & Blue Cross		
Giving Fund .....	3,250	
<i>Dept. of Christian Education</i> .....	100	500
<i>Christian Social Relations</i> .....	50	250
	\$16,650	\$27,350

T. AUBREY JETER, SR.

*Conference Lay Representative*

## 5. NEW YORK METROPOLITAN AREA PLANNING COMMISSION

After nearly two years of meetings and preliminary work by the New York Metropolitan Area Planning Commission of The Methodist Church, its activities in the fall of 1961 were marked by the establishment of an office in the Inter-Church Center in New York City and staff began its task of study and planning.

Since then, The Commission through its staff has completed 10 projects which related to 96 local churches; in addition, evaluations of several church extension sites were made. Presently, an additional 11 projects involving 46 local churches are in process. Several other projects have been scheduled to be started either in late May or early fall. These studies—completed, in process, or scheduled—have been made in line with a set of priorities determined at a meeting involving all of the district superintendents. To date, the studies have been spread among churches in the Newark, New York, and New York East Conferences. A study which will have particular reference for the Delaware Conference will be started in the fall.

The projects which have been completed or are at present being made, in many ways reflect the whole spectrum of concerns facing Methodism in the region. From studies and planning consultations involving inner city churches to concerns of strengthening Methodist witness in the Town and Country areas, from relocations to new church extension sites, from mergers to major program adaptations has been the involvement of The Commission.

Also, one major study was produced for the Department of City Work of the Newark Conference which outlined proposed investment areas for the urban funds from the Faith-In-Action Crusade.

The above projects have been basically considered as short-term. Work has been initiated on a long-range area study which is constantly being developed. Part of the work on this long-range project was utilized in preparing the *URBAN HIGHLIGHTS* book for the New York Area Urban Convocation held in Stamford, Connecticut, during April. Completion of Phase I of this study is anticipated within the year. This study will provide an understanding of factors at work in the area and the resources with which Methodism moves to meet these forces. At the same time, it will provide the basic framework for indicating the needs and present the basic foundation for planning for inner city, suburban, town and country areas.

The Commission is grateful to all who have invested their time and efforts in co-operating with its work.

ROBERT FISHER OXNAM, *Chairman*

GEORGE W. KASLOW, JR., *Executive Director*

## 6. GREATER PHILADELPHIA COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

### 1961 in Retrospect

The following is a month-to-month glimpse of some of the results of the cooperation of nearly 600 churches of 24 denominations. Their support made possible a balanced budget in 1961, a fact gratefully acknowledged to all who helped make this possible.

**JANUARY:** The Council year began with an activity which brought it into close touch with its full membership, through the annual SUPPORT PLAN. The second Sunday in January was designated as "Council of Churches Sunday."

**FEBRUARY:** In more than 110 worship centers over 14,000 people, young and old, gathered to observe WORLD DAY OF PRAYER. The worshipers participated in a world-wide program, the purpose of which was "to unite all Christians in a bond of prayer and Christian Fellowship around the world and to make an offering for interdenominational projects at home and abroad." Almost \$10,000 was received in offerings.

**MARCH:** The first sessions of the series of EDUCATION FOR MARRIAGE seminars drew an enrollment of 35 young people already engaged to be married. Practical problems of marriage as budgeting, insurance, installment buying, inter-personal adjustments, and the like were discussed. This series is unique in that it emphasizes the paramount importance of spiritual values undergirding the whole marriage experience. Designed as a preparatory course, it makes possible more effective marriage counseling by clergymen.

**APRIL:** The completion of a LISTENING AREA SURVEY was conducted by Council staff for Station WRCV-TV. We discovered a potential of over nine million viewers of religious programs sponsored by the Council.

**MAY:** MAY FELLOWSHIP DAY was the occasion for the women of the Church to hear Margaret E. Kuhn, of the United Presbyterian Board of Christian Education, speak on the subject, "Our Churches—Free and Responsible." Representatives from several churches led discussions on the impact the Church has on the community.

**JUNE:** CHURCH-COMMUNITY COOPERATION in the field of recreation received recognition at a program honoring volunteers who had participated in bringing wholesale recreation to crisis areas devoid of community facilities.

**JULY:** The annual VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS were arranged for over 1,000 Junior and Junior High youngsters to tour Fellowship House and Fellowship Farm and historic churches in Philadelphia. Following the theme, "Personal and Group Relationships," the tours gave the young

people fellowship experience across national and racial lines, through worship, work, group singing and folk games.

**AUGUST:** In cooperation with Scout councils, full-time CHAPLAINS were assigned to summer BOY SCOUT CAMPS. The Chaplains made arrangements for midweek and Sunday worship services, gave advice and counsel to the sick and homesick, and stimulated interest in Scouting's religious awards. During the 1961 summer season, over 1,300 Scouts indicated their interest in beginning work for the religious awards in their local churches.

**SEPTEMBER: THE SUNDAY SCHOOLS FOR MENTALLY RETARDED CHILDREN** operating in the Philadelphia area began their new classes. New teaching materials have been developed, for radically different levels of comprehension. Working under the sponsorship of the Council, the Rev. T. C. Cooke, Chaplain for the Philadelphia Youth Study Center, has been responsible for recommending curriculum materials and for organizing special Sunday Schools for the Mentally Retarded.

**OCTOBER:** A Host Family Tea highlighted the beginning of another season for the Council-sponsored HOME HOSPITALITY PROGRAM FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS. Over 2,000 students from 85 foreign countries, who are enrolled in colleges, universities and other educational institutions in the Greater Philadelphia area, are given an opportunity through this program to experience the hospitality of a Christian home. Upwards of 500 Protestant hostesses are participating in the program.

**NOVEMBER:** "An Effective Church for an Urban Society" is the name of a pilot course being added to the curriculum of the Conwell School of Theology. The Council's COOPERATION WITH CONWELL on this project is assured by the appointment of staff and departmental board members to the Administrative and Advisory Committees. This program will emphasize In-Service Training Seminars for ministers in active pastorates. Students will be given special work in modern sociological and scientific disciplines outside the church. The emphasis will be to challenge and train the ministers in the techniques of change, so that they can lead their churches into becoming positive influences in their own rapidly changing communities.

**DECEMBER:** City Hall was host to a contingent of 25 Protestant ministers new to the Philadelphia area. The occasion was the POLICE BRIEFING FOR CLERGY designed to acquaint them with the work of the Police Department.

Other many services which the Council provides to help the local clergy to be more effective in their ministry include: preparation of the "Pastor's Information and Referral Guide," training seminars in communication skills, Income Tax and Social Security Clinic, audio-visual workshops, Blue Cross group coverage not only for ministers but for full-time church staff as well.

The Reverend Henry H. Nichols has been representing the Delaware Conference of The Methodist Church on our Board of Directors in 1961.

WILLIAM D. POWELL, *Executive Secretary*



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## Recommendation

We recommend that the Churches of the Delaware Conference located in the Philadelphia area will include in their budget financial support for the Greater Philadelphia Council of Churches.

HENRY H. NICHOLS  
JOSHUA E. LICORISH  
*Conference Representatives*

## 7. CHURCH AID AND MISSIONS

## Dover District

Received from the Conference Treasurer ..... \$150.00

## Disbursements:

To assist ministers ..... \$ 55.00  
To churches on improvements ..... 50.00  
Telephone and telegrams ..... 45.00

Total ..... \$150.00

W. E. STANLEY, *Superintendent*

## Easton District

Received from Conference Treasurer ..... \$400.00

## Disbursements:

Telephone and telegrams ..... \$200.00  
Assistance to ministers ..... 145.00  
Assistance to Churches ..... 55.00

Total ..... \$400.00

CRAWFORD L. TRADER, *Superintendent*

## Philadelphia District

Received after conference for 1960-61 from Conference Treasurer .... \$327.00

Received from Conference Treasurer for 1961-62 ..... 500.00

..... \$827.00

## Disbursements

Telephone and telegrams ..... \$380.00  
Donations to ministers ..... 85.00  
Donations to churches ..... 252.00  
Extra travel ..... 110.00

..... \$827.00

WILLIAM C. STROTHER, JR., *Superintendent*

## Salisbury District

Received from Conference Treasurer ..... \$213.00

## Disbursements

Deficit—District Stewards' Report ..... \$ 25.00  
 Methodist Publishing House—Materials for Charges ..... 75.00  
 Railroad fare—delegates to Purdue University ..... 100.00  
 Printing ..... 38.00

Total disbursed ..... \$238.00

Deficit ..... 25.00

J. W. ELBERT, *Superintendent*

## Wilmington District

Received from Conference Treasurer ..... \$300.00

## Disbursements

Aid to ministers ..... \$125.00  
 Telegrams and telephone ..... 65.25  
 Secretarial services ..... 75.00  
 Office supplies ..... 34.00

\$299.25

J. R. SHOCKLEY, *Superintendent*

## 8. STATEMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE CENTRAL JURISDICTION STUDY CONFERENCE

Sheraton-Gibson Hotel, Cincinnati, Ohio

March 26-28, 1962

### Introduction

This Study Conference was called by the College of Bishops of the Central Jurisdiction upon the request of the Central Jurisdiction Study Committee (Committee of Five), which was established by the 1960 Central Jurisdictional Conference. The participants attending the conference consist of a representative group of lay and clerical leaders of the annual conferences of the Central Jurisdiction.

The purpose of the conference is to counsel with and assist the Committee of Five in its efforts to (1) determine where The Methodist Church is today in the matter of readjusting the jurisdictional structure of the church so as to abolish the racially segregated Central Jurisdiction; (2) identify possible alternatives that are available to The Methodist Church in general and the Central Jurisdiction in particular; and (3) explore the procedures for seeking consensus within the Central Jurisdiction with respect to achieving the goal of an inclusive Methodist church at all levels of church life.

We, the participants in this conference, having been requested by the Committee of Five to give our counsel and prayerful reflections on the important

matters with which the committee is concerned, respectfully make the following statements of convictions and recommendations:

#### Statement of Purpose

We endorse the statement of the 1960 Central Jurisdictional Conference recognizing "the inevitability of the abolition of the Central Jurisdiction as a racial unit in the structure of The Methodist Church." Similarly, we endorse that Jurisdictional Conference's expression of a "willingness and intention to help develop satisfactory plans and procedures to abolish the Central Jurisdiction with as much speed as sound and satisfactory planning may permit."

We believe that progressive movement toward the goal of the abolition of the Central Jurisdiction should proceed in an atmosphere of prayerful concern that is free from any pressures except those exerted by the imperatives of our Christian faith.

We regard the Central Jurisdiction as both a fact and a symbol of racial segregation in The Methodist Church. But it is also obvious to us that this racially segregated administrative structure is only one of a number of unmistakable manifestations of racialism within the fellowship and polity of The Methodist Church.

We are confident that we articulate the genuine aspirations, desires, and concerns of a great majority of Negroes who are members of The Methodist Church when we affirm our dedication to the principle of the achievement of an inclusive Methodist Church. Lest there be some misunderstanding, we must indicate here what we mean by an inclusive Methodist Church.

For us an inclusive Methodist Church is one whose life and practice are based upon the great Christian affirmation of unity. It is a church composed of persons who respond to the call of Christ in love and obedience and who are, therefore, members of a new kind of fellowship which transcends all ethnic, racial, and class barriers.

We believe that all Methodists ought to be reminded continuously that this conception of inclusiveness is both implicit and explicit in the 1956 and 1960 pronouncements of the General Conference on "The Methodist Church and Race."

We believe that all Methodists must be led to understand that the ultimate and fundamental objective to which we are committed in seeking to abolish the Central Jurisdiction is the achievement of an inclusive Methodist Church.

We believe that it is of decisive importance that abolition of the Central Jurisdiction must be sought by The Methodist Church as a whole within a framework of over-all planning, procedures, programs and Christian understanding designed to promote in demonstrable and concrete ways ultimate achievement of an inclusive Methodist Church.

We are agreed in principle on the realignment of annual conferences of the Central Jurisdiction in order to facilitate transference to geographical jurisdictions.

There is not agreement, however, on the transfer of the North Carolina Conference to the Northeastern Jurisdiction, on the grounds that the North Carolina Conference is outside the geographical boundary of the Northeastern Jurisdiction. This would cause the Northeastern Jurisdiction, which is geographical, to overlap the Southeastern Jurisdiction, which is also geographi-

cal. It is also the feeling of this Study Conference that the North Carolina Conference should remain within the Central Jurisdiction until such time as it might transfer with other Central Jurisdiction Conferences into the South-eastern Jurisdiction.

It is the feeling of this body that the first report of the Commission on Interjurisdictional Relations, dated April 29, 1961, did not allow sufficient time for appropriate action by the several annual conferences of the Central Jurisdiction. This has resulted in some unfortunate criticism of the Jurisdiction. We believe that the Commission on Interjurisdictional Relations will recognize that the letter accompanying its first report was embarrassing to the Central Jurisdiction. We are all involved in the total program of the church and should be treated accordingly. It is our conviction that the principle of voluntarism should be operative in the case of the Central Jurisdiction as in all other jurisdictions.

### Recommendations

We recommend that:

- (1) With regard to the matter of transfer of annual conferences under Amendment IX, no annual conferences of the Central Jurisdiction be transferred into a regional jurisdiction in which it is not located geographically.
- (2) The period between now and the 1964 General Conference be one of intensive study and preparation to create a suitable climate for the transfer of local churches and annual conferences from the Central Jurisdiction to the five regional jurisdictions. This should include:
  - (a) The sponsoring of preparatory inter-conference and inter-area meetings to study and make specific recommendations regarding the problems that may be involved in the transferring of local churches and annual conferences.
  - (b) The further implementation of the Quadrennial Emphasis on Race through the 39 Regional Consultative Committees.
  - (c) The development of a definite plan of action for presentation to the 1964 General Conference by the Committee of Five in consultation with the Commission on Interjurisdictional Relations. This plan of action will take into account the decisions reached at this Study Conference. Further, this plan of action will involve the preparation of proposals for General Conference legislation.
- (3) The 1964 Central Jurisdictional Conference realign the boundaries of its annual conferences so that each conference will be located within the boundary of not more than one regional jurisdiction. In preparation for this action the Committee of Five, in consultation with the College of Bishops and selected leaders of the Central Jurisdiction, should develop a proposal for presentation to the 1964 Jurisdictional Conference.
- (4) Following the 1964 Central Jurisdictional Conference, the realigned annual conferences and remaining local churches of the Central Jurisdiction be transferred to the Northeastern, North Central, South Central, Southeastern and Western Jurisdictions with all deliberate speed; and wherever possible, the transfer of Central Jurisdiction churches, confer-



ences, institutions, etc., be consummated in terms of merger with the existing geographic units.

- (5) Each annual conference be requested to designate the Conference Board of Christian Social Concerns, or a special committee, as the conference agency to:
  - (a) set up the standards or criteria for the transfer of all churches under Amendment IX;
  - (b) receive, study, and make recommendations to the conference on all matters relating to local church transfers on which the conference must act;
  - (c) serve as the agency of the conference to engage in joint enterprises of study, discussion and planning with conference agencies in other jurisdictions in preparation for the local church transfer contemplated.
- (6) The Committee of Five be urged to work out criteria for the guidance of the respective conferences of the Central Jurisdiction, with a view to establishing some degree of uniformity in the transfer of local churches under Amendment IX; and that such criteria or standards be made available to the agency of each annual conference charged with responsibility for its information and guidance.
- (7) The 1964 General Conference be memorialized to declare in unequivocal terms that the entire Methodist Church and all of the institutions related to it, such as educational institutions, homes, hospitals, assembly grounds, etc., should be desegregated and that no person should be denied admission or employment because of color or racial identity.
- (8) The 1964 General Conference raise an Interjurisdictional Commission for the 1964-1968 quadrennium to:
  - (a) encourage further integration on conference and local church levels.
  - (b) develop programs for communication, understanding, and co-operation.
  - (c) indicate specifics to protect minority rights.

The Study Conference presents this report with full awareness that the magnitude and complexity of the problems faced have not been fully explored. These explorations and confrontations must be continued in order to progressively move toward our goal of an inclusive church.

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## 9. "THE PROBLEM OF THE NEGRO IN THE METHODIST CHURCH"

Address by Charles L. Carrington, Pastor,  
Brooks Memorial Methodist Church, Jamaica, N. Y.,  
To the Genesee Annual Conference in Session at  
Christ Methodist Church, Buffalo, N. Y., June 7, 1962

Bishop Lord, members and friends of the Genesee Conference, we are very pleased to be with you in your consideration of one of the gravest problems of our time—the race problem—and its peculiar manifestation in the structure and life of The Methodist Church—the Central Jurisdiction.

We are particularly gratified for your interest in the issue of the Central Jurisdiction, for we do not believe that your conference territory overlaps any part of the Central Jurisdiction. We can appreciate your concern, however, for the bi-racial structure of American Methodism is a blight on the whole Church, and as such, should be of vital concern to every Methodist, every Conference and every deliberative body in the denomination. Though somewhat removed from the core of the problem geographically, your involvement and your vote on certain aspects of the issue will be required before the matter is resolved. But what is more, being somewhat removed, it may be your privilege to be less emotional, and thus to give much more sober leadership to the entire Church as it seeks to see and pursue a Christian path through the morass of emotionally-charged issues as we make our way toward the high ground of a truly Christian fellowship.

Before God, and before mankind, The Methodist Church cannot long remain where it now stands with respect to its Constitution and its practices on the issue of race. The Church's bold and often-quoted *pronouncements* on race will not suffice. The social ferment of our time—in America—all over the world—demands that these bold pronouncements be speedily supported by the structural, spiritual, and social changes within our fellowship which will bring our practices on race into harmony with our preachments concerning brotherhood and love. To do less is to risk the effectiveness of our whole Christian witness.

We are grateful, therefore, that you are concerned, and that seeking an honest and fair solution, you have asked a member of the Central Jurisdiction to speak to you. Let me hasten to say that we speak only as a person, not as an official representative of the Central Jurisdiction. We do speak, however, out of a background of long concern over the issue before us, and of some involvement with the efforts across many years within the Central Jurisdiction to seek a more equitable solution than as yet has been attained by our Church. It was also my privilege to be a part of the committee which planned the one meeting held by the Central Jurisdiction in all the 23 years since Union, to assess its thinking on the myriad issues involved in the projected dissolution of the Central Jurisdiction. The reports of this meeting, held in Cincinnati, Ohio, March 26-28 of this year, are being circulated. In what we have to say here, we shall try to reflect as fairly as possible the substance and the spirit of that meeting, and of the dominant attitude of the Central Jurisdiction as nearly as we have been able to assess it.

Before proceeding further, let me point out that your interest in trying

to find a better solution than the Church has as yet attained is not shared by all. It really needs not be said that there is a considerable "hard core" group who apparently believe that separation—segregation in the Church as well as in the schools and other areas of our society is not only desirable, but right. Some, we gather, sincerely believe that this position is ordained of God. They vigorously promote this point of view, and, like Shakespeare's Devil, they "quote Scriptures for their purpose."

Believing, as we must, that in time—perhaps "God's good time"—such bigotry will pass away, we fret not so much about these who, "though they have eyes, see not; and ears, hear not." It is disturbing, however, that touted liberals—some nationally known—join the reactionaries in effect by parroting the phrase: "It's up to the Central Jurisdiction." They hold that in Amendment IX the Church has acted sufficiently, and that the Central Jurisdiction should avail itself of the privilege offered under Amendment IX, and speedily move to dissolve itself. They maintain that the General Church can do no more, and that the burden of any further action leading to the dissolution of the bi-racial structure of The Methodist Church rests with the Central Jurisdiction.

I feel confident that you do not agree with this position. It is true that Amendment IX has been offered, and Amendment IX has some possibilities. It is an over-simplification, however, to assume that the problem of race in The Methodist Church would be solved—or significantly improved—by the mere transfer of churches, conferences, areas and the like, under the provisions of Amendment IX.

Even if this were true, it seems to be a callous brushing aside of one's own responsibility as a Methodist, to say, in the light of the Negro's hesitance to use the provision, that Amendment IX is the one and only way—there is nothing further needed—take it or leave it—it's up to you.

Frankly, even more harsh things are said. The impression has been spread that the abolition of the Central Jurisdiction is being delayed by certain ambitious and politically astute leaders in the group who are influencing the rest of the Jurisdiction to hold back because they are hopeful of becoming bishops. This argument is a bit absurd. Of the 360,000 Negro Methodists in the Central Jurisdiction, several thousand of them are eligible for election. It would be the most consummate of faith for several thousands of men to hold back the wave of the future because they were hopeful of a job to which over a period of many years only six men could possibly be elected.

In a serious vein, however, the argument that the Negroes of the Church want to keep the Central Jurisdiction is not consistent with the record. From the start, the Central Jurisdiction was not to the Negro's liking. Because of its segregating features, 36 of the 47 Negro delegates to the General Conference of 1936 voted against the Plan of Union. For the same reason, when the plan was submitted to the 19 Negro Annual Conferences several months later for ratification, the vote was heavily negative. Throughout all the years since, the Central Jurisdictional Conference sessions have consistently produced pronouncements condemning the structural arrangement of their jurisdiction based on race.

The most recent meeting in Cincinnati echoed all other pronouncements of policy and attitude expressed by responsible persons and groups within the Central Jurisdiction when it said:

"We endorse the statement of the 1960 Central Jurisdictional Conference recognizing 'the inevitability of the abolition of the Central Jurisdiction as a racial unit in the structure of The Methodist Church.' Similarly, we endorse the Jurisdictional Conference's expression of a 'willingness and intention to help develop satisfactory plans and procedures to abolish the Central Jurisdiction with as much speed as sound and satisfactory planning may permit.'"

The failure of large segments of the Central Jurisdiction to move under Amendment IX has perhaps given rise to some question as to its motives and intentions. There is one over-lying issue in which, in our opinion, the major part of the answer is to be found. The Cincinnati Convocation summarized it very well. Taking its cue from the General Conference pronouncements of 1956 and 1960, it said:

"We believe that all Methodists must be led to understand that the ultimate and fundamental objective to which we are committed in seeking to abolish the Central Jurisdiction is the achievement of an inclusive Methodist Church."

The statement continues:

"We regard the Central Jurisdiction as both a fact and a symbol of racial segregation in The Methodist Church. But it is also obvious to us that this racially segregated administrative structure is only one of a number of unmistakable manifestations of racialism within the fellowship and polity of The Methodist Church."

The Central Jurisdiction is not exactly naïve. It is certain that it does not want to be structurally set apart as now. Yet, it is equally certain that the mere transfer of churches, conferences and the like, as provided for in Amendment IX, is only a part of the answer. In some things it is willing to move forward in reasonable faith, but it feels that it is in the interest of all that it be clearly evident that the entire Church understand the implications of its basic aim: *inclusiveness in structure and practice* at all levels of the Church's life. The Negroes of the Church feel that they have something to offer, and that their status after dissolution should be that accorded any man on the basis of merit.

It is felt that in the interest of long-range out-working of many problems, movement should largely be "en masse" so that the danger of being "swallowed up" might be lessened, and that a mere "token" integration of a few churches might not be permitted to suffice for a forthright handling of the whole of the problem. The *whole* of the problem must be dealt with—not simply an area, or a few churches here and there.

There are certain "advantages" which the Negro has judged that he has culled out of the segregated mold into which he has been forced for these 23 years. Of these he is quite conscious—and the most important of these he does not wish to lose.

One of these "advantages" is his right to be represented at the highest policy-making levels of the Church's life. By his membership as a representative of his Jurisdiction on general boards and agencies of the Church he has been able to share in the plans for his Church. His presence and participation in many of the programs of the Church are guaranteed by his right of jurisdictional representation.



Secondly, and quite frankly, he has been able to elect bishops whose rank placed them on par with other bishops of The Methodist Church. This is a different thing from personal position-seeking mentioned above. While the episcopate would be a desirable achievement which the least apt of us would not spurn if we thought we could win it, the Negro's pride in this matter is a pride of *group* achievement. Considering his history and the odds against it, this particular pride might quite understandably be judged pardonable.

These are things which the Negro frankly considers he may lose. He does not want to lose them, not merely because he has a selfish personal or group ambition, but because he feels that through these two avenues of high-level participation and respected leadership, he has much to offer The Methodist Church. The Methodist Church needs his involvement at these levels as it works its way through the long period of adjustment through which the Church must go as it dissolves the Central Jurisdiction and gropes its way toward true inclusiveness. The issue of high-level representation and authoritative leadership in the transition period is as important for the "white" section of the Church as it is for the Negro. Such of these things as can be salvaged should be. Though it is not usually openly expressed, it would not be unreasonable to conclude that wisdom would dictate an election of two Negro bishops to replace the two retiring in 1964. These men would be available to the entire Church for a type of understanding leadership the Church will need to best plan and promote the program of post-Central Jurisdictional adjustments.

Whether these two "advantages" are retained or not, it is of record that the Central Jurisdiction is committed to dis-member itself, if in the spirit of true inclusiveness The Methodist Church can move to a more tenable position on race.

Certain other factors are in the picture of the dissolution of the Central Jurisdiction. They are more psychological and emotional than the two mentioned above, but no less real.

An illustration of what we have in mind is such a thing as the pain involved in giving up an Annual Conference alignment. You in this Conference, now on the verge of being split up and re-aligned with several other conferences, can easily understand how emotionally tedious the prospect of such an experience can be.

An Annual Conference relationship is so packed with nostalgic memories of events, of years, even of lifetimes of common sharing, that the natural reticence to part with these experiences is easily understood. Yet, this has been faced up to by the members of the Central Jurisdiction. Some have admitted the difficulty of making the adjustment, and others have asked, "Why do we have to make all the sacrifices?"; and still others have proposed that integration in the Church should be a "two-way street"—with "white" Annual Conferences joining a jurisdiction with Negro Annual Conferences, and "white" churches joining Negro Annual Conferences. The Cincinnati meeting has made the over-all position clear: This, too, the Negro would yield as he has often done in the past—that American Methodism might purge itself of the horrible picture it paints for all the world to see in its version of "The Body of Christ." I think of that picture sometimes, and see it as a picture of a body with one heart, but with two vascular systems, one pumping white blood, the other black!

Just one other emotional psychological factor is in the picture, and it might just as well be admitted. There is to some degree an underlying mistrust of the white man by the Negro in the matter of his promises of brotherly treatment should he give up the "colored" but in a sense the solid sovereignty of his own jurisdiction for proffered "fellowship" within the geographical jurisdictions. This lack of confidence is perhaps not altogether unwarranted.

The Negro is quite conscious of the ill-concealed attitudes of rejection toward him in the total American scene. Attitudes toward, and treatment of the Negro are better by far than they have been at times in the past. But, the Negro is not blind to the fact that every inalienable right granted to him by the Constitution for nearly 100 years has had to be bitterly fought for, and in many areas of his day-to-day living, the battle is not nearly won.

The Negro is conscious of his gains: his general acceptance in the field of sports, the arts, and in the markets of the common laborer. In far too many areas of his life, however, he has had to cry like the Prophet of old: "How long, O Lord, how long?" as he views the plodding pace of the "deliberate speed" with which the public schools across the Southland are being desegregated; or, how little fair employment practices are being observed; or, how in housing—even federally-supported housing—he finds himself proscribed into ghettos in the North as well as in the South.

He is conscious that even in church circles these attitudes of questionable brotherly conduct leak over. It is a mystery to him that the Christian consciences of his fellow church members in such groups as The Methodist Circuit Riders seem not to be disturbed over the race-baiting they espouse. He hears—as I myself heard, *and shall ever hear*—the harsh howl of derision on the part of some 600 delegates to the 1960 Methodist General Conference in Denver shouting a raucous "No!" at the reading of a resolution by the eminent Dr. Harold Case calling upon that Conference to take steps leading toward the dissolution of the Central Jurisdiction by 1968. He understands the jabbing implications behind the urging of a certain General Board executive that the Negro use Amendment IX to dismember the Central Jurisdiction, while warning that "mergers of Central Jurisdictional conferences and areas with the geographical jurisdictions will mean one thing in the Northeastern Jurisdiction and perhaps in the North Central Jurisdiction, but an entirely different thing in the Southeastern and South Central Jurisdictions."

The Negro, I say, is aware of the common attitudes of rejection which he experiences every day—both in the life of the American community, and too often in the church community of which he is a part. He is willing, even so, to yield himself to a great Christian experiment. Basically, he has little reason to trust mere promises. He is encouraged, however, by such friends as you have proven yourselves to be in this Conference.\* Indeed, the Negro is certain that there are at least a few persons in all sections of the Church who are genuinely interested in making the Church a truly inclusive fellowship—persons whose interest is not only in removing the stain from the outward appearance of American Methodism, but who, as Jesus suggested, would like to "cleanse the *inside* of the cup." It is with faith that the spirit of such as these who seek a truly inclusive fellowship will prevail, that we move forward hopefully in this great and challenging experience.

Lest, however, the whole movement be aborted, the Central Jurisdiction

would like to suggest several actions which, if viewed realistically, would not only seem reasonable, but essential to sound planning and progress toward the goal of an inclusive Methodist fellowship.

The first of its proposals, in the words of the Cincinnati Convocation, is that the 1964 General Conference make a firm, declarative statement "in unequivocal terms that the entire Methodist Church and all of the institutions related to it, such as educational institutions, homes, hospitals, assembly grounds, etc., should be desegregated, and that no person should be denied admission or employment because of color or racial identity." It is heartening to note that Duke University decided it need not wait on such a pronouncement.

Secondly, in order that the Central Jurisdiction may move orderly and with strength, that the Jurisdictional Conference meet in 1964, elect the episcopal leaders and other administrative officers which the several areas will need during the transitional period, and realign conference and area boundaries to make for easier transfer of large units. (This action does not suggest the preclusion of transfer of individual churches in the interim where such transfers are desired.) These larger units—conferences, areas, etc.—are then to be transferred to the geographical jurisdictions with all deliberate speed, and, whenever possible, these units should be "merged" with existing geographical units—conferences, districts, etc., to make *all* Methodist work in a given geographical area *one* work.

Thirdly, intensive study and program planning and action seeking to create a suitable climate for union and an inclusive fellowship at all levels of the Church's life should begin now and should proceed with all vigor. The Quadrennial Program on Race and its study-action materials, "We Can and We Will," would be helpful at this point.

In conclusion, one other thing needs to be said here. As we envision a new and "inclusive" life in the Church, the changes needed are not purely structural. In the Church—and indeed, in all of us—the changes most needed are spiritual.

We must come to see each other in a new spiritual light. Negroes might search for a new sincerity in his white brother. The white Methodist can begin to see the Negro in a new light, too—not as one *for* whom something must be done, but as a contributor *with* whom to work in the building of a better kingdom and a better Methodism. As we move together in creative Christian enterprise following the mergers which are sure to come, it is certain we will have a better base from which to move toward a deeper understanding and appreciation of each other, and by the grace of God and the spirit of Christ which we pray shall ever mark our attitudes, we may even learn to love one another.

Challenged by so great a Christian experiment, and inspired by so great a faith, the Central Jurisdiction looks forward with happy anticipation of our common life together in His Church that the long-sought dream might come true, when we shall not be known as "Jew nor Gentile, bond nor free," but brothers all in Christ—not only in American Methodism, but throughout the whole wide earth.

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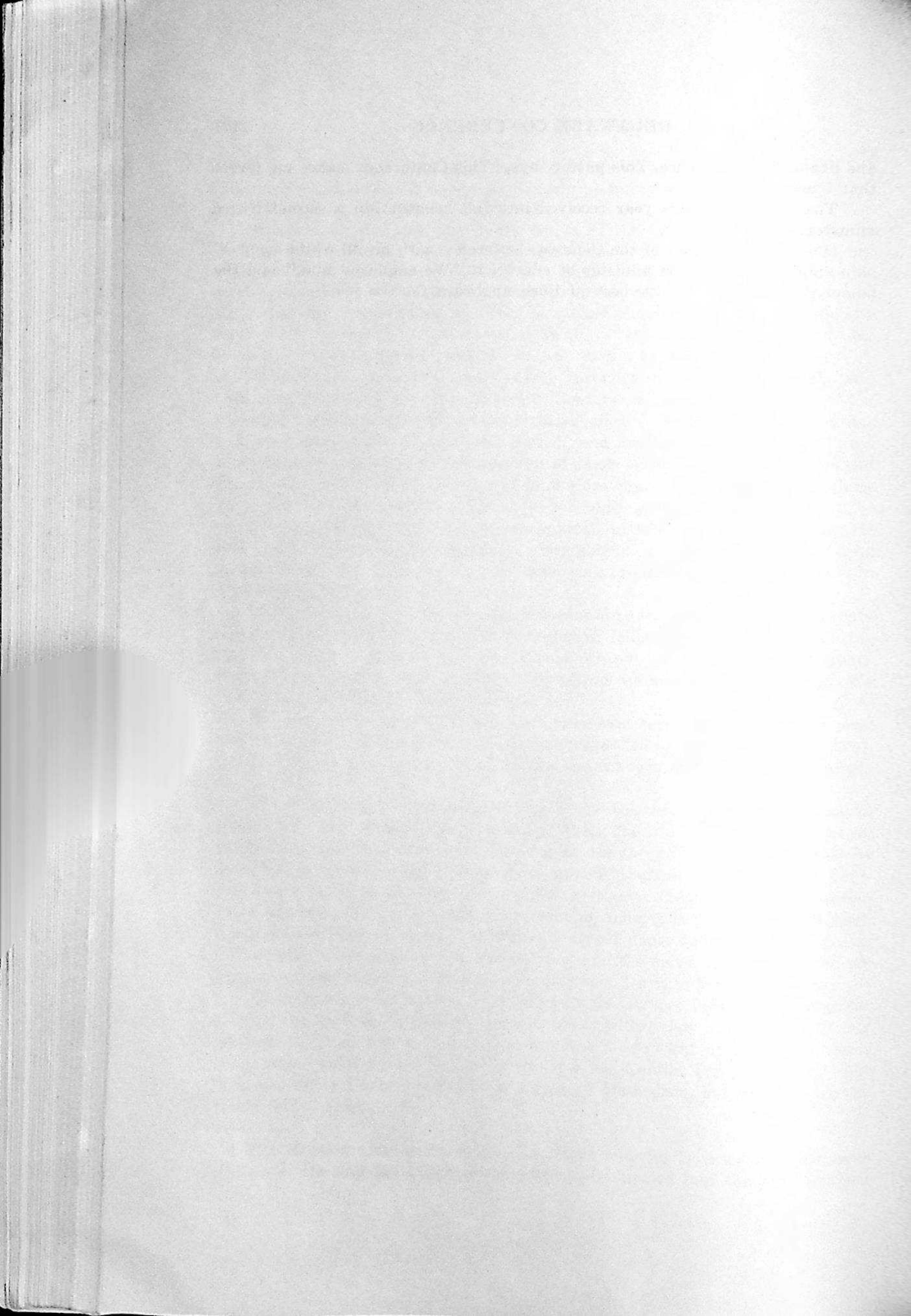
\* The Genesee Conference has had a Negro minister as a member for over 30 years. He and his congregation are well-integrated into the organization

and life of the conference. This pastor says, "This Conference makes me forget that I am a Negro."

The Conference this year received into full membership a second Negro minister.

One of the churches of the Genesee Conference with an all-white membership employs a Negro as minister of education. "We employed him," said the pastor, "because he was the best-qualified applicant for the job."





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***D. STATISTICAL TABLES***

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STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2.—DOVER DISTRICT

CHURCH AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				PASTORS AND ASSOCIATE PASTORS							MINISTERIAL SUPPORT				CONNECTIONAL FUND						
		Pd. on Princ. and Int.	Pd. for Building and Improvmt (Not incl. drink loans, mites, etc.)	Pd. Other Incidentals, etc.	Pd. for Ch. School Lesson Matri's, Sup. Pl's, Admin's, etc.	Salary: Claim: Pastor, Associate	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Associate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid Travel and Exp. (and Associate(s))	Dist. Supr's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conf. Clams' Fund		Minimum Sal. Fund	Gen. Admins- tration Fund	Jurts. Area Admins. Funds	Int'ional Cooperat'n Fund				
										51a	51b	52a	52b	53a	53b					54a	54b	55	56
Bridgville	Roland Grant	\$ 44	\$ 45	\$ 46	\$ 47	\$ 48	\$ 49a	\$ 49b	\$ 49c	\$ 50	\$ 51a	\$ 51b	\$ 52a	\$ 52b	\$ 53a	\$ 53b	\$ 54a	\$ 54b	\$ 55	\$ 56	\$ 57a	\$ 57b	
Bridgville	H. E. Anderson	1509	367	1509	401	2727	2200	2200	2200	2200	2200	210	210	44	244	244	244	244	55	55	3	4	
Chesterdown	H. E. Anderson				1789	150	2800	2800	2800	2800	200	210	56	25	336	378	17			3	3	4	4
Chesterdown	W. C. Thomas	2050	50	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	50	160	166	40	227	87	26	20	4	3	9	9	
Clarksville	G. W. Taylor	1750	1948	1724	182	2700	2000	2000	2000	2000	200	195	195	51	324	324	45	23	6	4	9	9	
Coleman	W. C. R. Mills	4000	950	4000	60	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	200	170	40	35	210	210	35	40	2	2	2	2	
Crumpton	J. W. Wallace	1214	600	127	300	3800	2000	2000	2000	2000	200	158	40	90	240	240	35	40	10	10	10	10	
Delmar	H. G. Young	1282	900		425	2060	2000	2000	2000	2000	200	238	238	60	360	360	35	50	14	0	10	10	
Dover	L. L. Hamilton				150	550	2000	2000	2000	2000	200	180	40	37	240	240	40	30	10	2	4	2	
Harrington	T. H. Henry	35	150		425	2060	2000	2000	2000	2000	200	238	238	60	360	360	35	50	14	0	10	10	
Leaves	T. H. Henry	356	3506	1408	328	2700	2000	2000	2000	2000	112	190	100	58	348	348	45	45	16	2	4	2	
Leaves	S. W. C. Cresse	999	3100	1100	155	2500	2000	2000	2000	2000	548	180	40	62	240	240	40	30	10	2	4	2	
Lincoln City	J. O. Lockman				450	56	2500	2500	2500	2500	161	150	50	60	300	300	35	35	10	5	5	8	
Mardela	L. R. Jones	283	450	645	82	2400	2000	2000	2000	2000	850	190	20	20	240	240	49	20	4	4	8	4	
Millford	W. M. Gee	1000	2000	475	40	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	600	194	194	48	288	288	35	35	7	4	7	7	
Millington	P. R. Hilton	918	500	1000	600	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	75	166	166	40	25	240	210	35	7	4	9	9	
Millboro-Harmony	C. W. D. Browne	1000	300	400	340	2400	2000	2000	2000	2000	200	210	48	48	288	288	40	45	12	4	9	9	
Nassau	W. E. Marks	350	647	851	35	2400	2000	2000	2000	2000	60	68	68	68	125	125	15	15	6	6	6	6	
Newark	J. A. Conway	500	2000	330	195	3300	2000	2000	2000	2000	400	238	238	68	368	408	63	63	15	6	6	6	
North Berlin	A. J. Dredden	200	200	200	200	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	112	190	100	58	348	348	45	45	10	10	10	10	
Northampton	C. E. Bryant	236	236	236	236	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	160	160	30	30	240	240	40	40	10	10	10	10	
Northampton	E. F. Bryant	515	2974	602	310	2450	2450	2450	2450	2450	300	197	107	40	49	291	201	45	15	10	10	10	
Rock Hill	E. C. Heckshay	1600	1431	300	2728	2728	2728	2728	2728	2728	180	205	55	55	328	328	30	30	10	13	8	8	
Sassafras-Galeana	Mrs. O. O. James	426	1072	568	373	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	250	185	185	52	312	312	32	32	5	4	4	4	
Seaford	C. D. Gerald	No Rep. report																					
Seaford Ct.	C. J. Williams	800	1000	2000	170	2700	2700	2700	2700	2700	150	210	210	20	45	50	50	50	10	10	10	10	
Shartown	Houx H. Nichols	817	160	475	45	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	100	135	40	36	184	184	30	30	7	7	7	7	
Smayma	Mrs. M. E. White	767	1692	1258	100	2800	2800	2800	2800	2800	600	213	56	56	336	336	50	44	10	10	10	10	
South Berlin	N. L. Miller	1355	125	875	125	2200	2200	2200	2200	2200	190	190	40	40	265	265	36	45	17	4	4	4	
Still Pond	R. T. Wallace	700	1519	15	15	2125	2125	2125	2125	2125	75	165	165	42	255	16	35	35	8	4	8	8	
Townsend	R. R. Hicks																						
Total		\$ 14201	\$ 31349	\$ 30615	\$ 4943	\$ 50163	\$ 64180	\$ 64180	\$ 75114	\$ 8078	\$ 4761	\$ 5490	\$ 1088	\$ 1200	\$ 6609	\$ 7223	\$ 874	\$ 745	\$ 208	\$ 140	\$ 111	\$ 131	
Total Last Year		16921	33791	34557	4103	61010	70373	70373	72573	8729	4633	5433	1192	1276	6871	6955	903	702	192	862	129	124	
Increase		\$ 1600	\$ 2442	\$ 3942	\$ 840	\$ 1847	\$ 6193	\$ 6193	\$ 2511	\$ 57	\$ 57	\$ 104	\$ 70	\$ 202	\$ 238	\$ 238	\$ 110	\$ 43	\$ 9	\$ 722	\$ 18	\$ 7	
Decrease																							









STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2—EASTON DISTRICT

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				PASTORS AND ASSOCIATE PASTORS				DIST. SURT'S FUND				EPISCOPAL FUND		CONF. CLARKS' FUND		MINISTRY SAL. FUND		CONNECTIONAL FUND				
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50	51a	51b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58	59
Aireys	E. P. Cooke	\$ 180	\$ 900	\$ 698	\$ 45	\$ 2100	\$ 1100	\$ 1100	\$ 2141	\$ 2033	\$ 2033	\$ 42	\$ 42	\$ 225	\$ 252	\$ 31	\$ 31	\$ 21	\$ 6	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 4	\$ 5	\$ 5
Beckwith	A. F. Ferrare	1100	185	1000	35	1100	4000	4000	256	113	113	22	22	132	132	71	71	50	18	18	25	25	25	
Cambridge	C. A. Edmonds	820	875	1036	600	2600	2517	2517	73	203	155	51	32	308	200	38	10	9	5	5	9	9	9	
Cambridge C.	T. M. Murray	4678	460	1344	226	3300	2004	2004	160	208	203	52	52	312	312	38	10	14	14	14	14	14	14	
Centerville	C. C. Thomas	200	179	381	33	1400	3200	3200	300	263	263	60	60	148	108	33	8	6	6	6	6	6	6	
Church Creek	C. H. Cottingham	111	1252	363	34	2500	2500	2500	125	203	203	28	28	306	306	46	85	11	12	11	12	11	14	
Church Hill	H. G. Chase	430	3241	1294	160	3300	3300	3300	400	288	163	00	32	32	396	27	28	10	8	8	11	11	6	
Cordova-Earle's	Mrs. W. M. Pinner		143	663	50	2888	2868	1000	100	266	117	57	15	57	175	46	10	10	10	17	2	9	2	
Crapo-Golden Hill	Mrs. W. M. Pinner		364	956	120	2888	2868	3000	200	284	284	76	76	456	456	61	61	10	10	17	2	9	2	
Denton	A. H. Green	400	1235	2152	501	3800	3800	3800	200	163	163	37	37	225	225	23	23	20	5	5	5	5	9	
East New Market	V. C. Stanley		5241	1250	145	1975	3172	3172	200	216	216	42	42	381	282	46	35	20	7	15	12	12	12	
Easton C.	A. H. Slaum		800	100	100	2860	2860	2800	256	216	216	57	57	344	344	46	35	20	7	15	12	12	12	
Freshburg	G. L. Stanley		539	617	43	1600	1415	1600	150	163	163	32	32	192	110	38	38	7	6	10	6	10	6	
Greensboro	A. P. Jenkins		963	351	32	1600	1600	1600	200	204	120	48	48	292	186	46	46	10	6	10	6	10	6	
Hurlock	James Roberts		278	963	351	32	1600	1600	200	204	120	48	48	292	186	46	46	10	6	10	6	10	6	
Marydel	A. A. McDowell		1231	1097	38	2400	2700	2700	23	218	218	56	56	348	348	46	46	10	6	10	6	10	6	
McDaniel	Mrs. H. R. Opler		800	1648	924	200	2600	2700	200	234	234	60	60	348	348	46	46	10	6	10	6	10	6	
Miles River	E. A. Hughes		841	1326	1097	38	2400	2700	200	234	234	60	60	348	348	46	46	10	6	10	6	10	6	
Oxford	O. W. Coltrane		1100	1873	1127	163	3000	3000	224	244	244	54	54	324	324	45	23	15	9	11	11	11	11	
Preston	E. A. Hughes		800	1648	924	200	2600	2700	200	234	234	60	60	348	348	46	46	10	6	10	6	10	6	
Ridgely	Eric G. Lee		400	800	2114	78	2964	2964	200	206	216	54	54	324	374	45	23	15	9	11	11	11	11	
Royal Oak	C. B. Miles		400	800	2114	78	2964	2964	200	206	216	54	54	324	374	45	23	15	9	11	11	11	11	
St. Michaels	J. R. Lee		360	800	105	2300	2300	2300	200	204	95	46	46	276	276	41	41	15	13	11	11	11	11	
Stevensville	H. T. Hall		800	1600	1535	300	2300	2300	200	174	174	44	44	254	270	41	41	15	13	11	11	11	11	
Troyans Island	R. W. Dennis		800	1600	684	85	2400	2400	100	191	90	48	48	288	288	46	25	13	5	10	8	8	8	
Virginia	Mrs. M. D. Humdley		900	1710	684	85	2400	2400	100	191	90	48	48	288	288	46	25	13	5	10	8	8	8	
Wittan	N. C. Stanley		800	540	136	2000	1850	1850	10	190	45	40	8	8	240	91	28	8	8	3	3	3	3	
Linkwood	N. C. Stanley		800	540	136	2000	1850	1850	10	190	45	40	8	8	240	91	28	8	8	3	3	3	3	
Total		\$ 21368	\$ 33847	\$ 36096	\$ 4768	\$ 70856	\$ 65810	\$ 77010	\$ 6155	\$ 62415	\$ 5887	\$ 1387	\$ 1320	\$ 8049	\$ 7384	\$ 1000	\$ 741	\$ 293	\$ 711	\$ 293	\$ 258	\$ 253	\$ 182	
Total Last Year		17269	30913	33420	4249	69727	70024	72224	5613	6150	5935	1314	1301	8258	7477	1222	336	323	323	248	248	167	167	
Increase		\$ 4117	\$ 2934	\$ 2076	\$ 500	\$ 1129	\$ 4814	\$ 4786	\$ 543	\$ 65	\$ 48	\$ 73	\$ 41	\$ 200	\$ 103	\$ 162	\$ 30	\$ 43	\$ 67	\$ 67	\$ 10	\$ 5	\$ 15	
Decrease																								





STATISTICAL TABLE No. 1—PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT (Continued)

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS (Continued)										W.S.C.S.				PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS					Number Male Members	Number Female Members	Family Units																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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		Av. Att. Adults	Ch. Sch. Meetings	Other than S. S.	Nursery Home Members	Youth Home and Adult Home and Ext. Members	Number of Church Schools on Charge	Metn. Pupils and Constituents in Vacation Ch. Schs.	Ch. Sch. Mem. Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	No. Chs or Gps. Using Meth. Appor.	Ch. Sch. Offgng and Conf. Benev's for World Service	Membership (Including Gps. or Cr.)	Amount Paid for Local Church and Community Work	Number Char-ter Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Equipment, Buildings, and Land	Estimated Value of Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of (Incl. Cash, Bonds, etc.)				Indeb't. on Bldgs., Equipment, Farnasages	Indeb't. on Expenses																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
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STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2—PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT

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		Pd. on Princ. and Int. Loans, Mortgages, etc.		Pd. Bldg. Improve-ments (Not Including loans, mortgages, etc.)		Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.		Pd. for Ch. Sch. Lg. Materials, Supplies, Administration, etc.		Salary Claim: Pastor, Associate		Salary: Pastor		Salary: Paid Pastor(s)		Total Paid Travel and Exp. Fund, Paid Pastor and Associate(s)		Dist. Surv.'s Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conf. Clarks' Fund		Minimum Sal. Fund		General Admins-tration Fund		Jurts., Area, Comf., tration Fund		Int. Dem., Cooperat' N Fund																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
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STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2—PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT (Continued)

BENEVOLENCES

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	WORLD SERVICE AND CONF. BENEVOLENCES			OTHER CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES													Grand Total Paid (Not Total Raised) and 49-77								
		Appointed	Accepted	Paid	World Service	Special Gifts	General Advance	Specials	Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television-Radio Ministry Fund	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Operational Exp.: Colleges, Univ., Seminars	Oper. Expenses: Wes. Foundations	Capital Exp.: Col. Univ., Seminars, Wes. Foundations		Hospitals	Homes for Children, Youth and Aged	Conference Advances	Church School	Italy Day	W.S.C.S. (Inc. W. S.G.) Cash Sent to Dist., Conf., Treas.	W.S.C.S. (Inc. W. S.G.) Cash Sent to Dist., Conf., Treas.	All Other Benevolences
		\$ 75	\$ 75	\$ 75	\$ 58	\$ 59	\$ 60	\$ 61	\$ 62	\$ 63	\$ 64	\$ 65	\$ 66	\$ 67	\$ 68	\$ 69	\$ 70	\$ 71	\$ 72	\$ 73	\$ 74	\$ 75	\$ 76	\$ 77	\$ 78	
Brooklyn: Bethel	Mrs. A. N. Redfield	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	
Grace	M. I. Slade	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	1050	
John Wesley	F. H. Holmes	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	
Newman Mens.	H. M. Deas	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	
Refugee	L. V. Baker	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	
Januar City	C. L. Carrington	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	
St. Barnabas	W. G. Brown	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	
Montclair	W. A. Harewood	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	
Newark: St. John	T. M. Booth	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	
St. Matthew	W. P. Mayberry	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	
New Rochelle	E. H. Crampton	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	
New York: Butler	W. P. Johnson	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	
Shaw Chapel	S. A. Bellamy	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	
Orange	S. A. Bellamy	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	
Community	D. W. Whye	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	
E. Germantown	M. C. Blakeley	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	
Emmanuel	L. W. Bridgell	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	
Frankford	D. H. Harris	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	
Janes	H. H. Nicols	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	
John Wesley	C. W. Derrickson	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	1375	
Mt. Zion	R. B. Thompson	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	1080	
St. Barnabas	J. E. Parker	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	
St. James	S. O. Stanley	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	
St. Mark	W. R. Hazard	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	3050	
Timley Temple	G. H. Outen	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	
Toga	J. E. Licorish	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	1525	
Zoar	M. U. Kiley	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
Spring Lake	F. D. Arnold	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	
Trenton	F. L. McClelland	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	
White Plains	C. E. Jordan	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	
Total		\$ 24065	\$ 21295	\$ 21727	\$ 22213	\$ 22127	\$ 75	\$ 1084	\$ 527	\$ 656	\$ 11	\$ 6775	\$ 788	\$ 845	\$ 2607	\$ 2702	\$ 1025	\$ 1060	\$ 2808	\$ 1098	\$ 7848	\$ 29481	\$ 813013	\$ 20481	\$ 813013	
Total Last Year		\$ 23790	\$ 21915	\$ 22213	\$ 230	\$ 2462	\$ 608	\$ 594	\$ 117	\$ 589	\$ 716	\$ 801	\$ 2667	\$ 234	\$ 1451	\$ 1060	\$ 3010	\$ 1317	\$ 8242	\$ 1317	\$ 8242	\$ 26855	\$ 675677	\$ 26855	\$ 675677	
Increase		\$ 275	\$ 620	\$ 486	\$ 155	\$ 878	\$ 81	\$ 62	\$ 89	\$ 72	\$ 46	\$ 33	\$ 1012	\$ 229	\$ 394	\$ 104	\$ 137036									

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 1—SALISBURY DISTRICT

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP													CHURCH SCHOOLS										ATTENDANCE			
		Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Received This Year on Profession of Faith or Restored	Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Action or Conference	Withdrawn	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Baptisms			Preparatory Members Now on Roll (Baptized Children)	Total Officers, Teachers, and Other Leaders	Total Children (0-11 years) in entire Church School	Total Youth (12-21 Years) in entire Church School	Total Adults (22 and Older) in entire Church School	Church School Membership	Average Attendance (All Ages)	Average Attendance (Meth. Sun. Evening School (All Ages)	Average Attendance (Meth. Sun. Evening Fellowship (All Ages)	Additional Sessions of Children	Average Attendance M.Y.F.	Average At-Sunday Eve-Meetings		
												Infants Presented by Parents or Guardians	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Youth, Adults														
Crisfield: Shiloh	S. P. Sanders	176	2							1	176	6	11	12	18	8	35	15	20	78	30	5	5	20	21	10		
Union Asbury	F. W. Lee	108	2							1	109	12	12	12	54	21	30	23	16	65	47	16	16	10	12			
Dames Quarter	K. H. Greene	280	1							6	281	5	5	5	56	21	33	23	31	99	49	12	12	10				
Fruitland	T. L. Ross	250	1							8	251	6	6	6	67	58	170	116	84	437	200	78	37	46				
Girdletree	L. H. Purnell	199	13							10	194	10	10	10	77	12	44	45	13	114	60	30	37	46				
Hopewell	L. H. White	199	10							1	177	3	2	2	66	16	28	26	15	85	50	12	8	20				
Hornstown, Va.	H. J. Lambert	136	23							10	149	12	10	135	10	125	65	60	160	280	150	35	35	166				
Keller, Va.	Mrs. Velma Hickman	136	23							2	338	8	13	92	20	95	57	46	218	156	128	50	45					
Leemont, Va.	W. F. Barclay	323	18							2	80	8	8	32	6	23	21	21	21	50	35	35	30	30				
Manok Station	H. W. Mickle	91	5							6	111	8	8	28	37	37	32	24	78	23	18	18	18					
Marussco-Kingston	O. C. Jones	274	11							3	282	8	8	60	23	41	48	124	238	200	80	80	80					
Mt. Vernon	D. S. Quillin	92	2							3	91	2	2	32	14	14	24	6	58	40	40	40	40					
Nanticoke	C. L. Willis	103	18							6	116	2	17	44	6	41	28	14	28	147	75	10	15	20				
Oakville-Cottage Grove	C. E. Handy	192	12							7	200	10	10	177	12	65	50	20	20	147	75	10	15	20				
Oriole	G. N. Jones	127	3							13	127	3	3	53	10	40	30	11	11	58	30	15	15	20				
Pocomoke City	G. O. Commodore	290	6							11	284	11	11	50	15	70	51	52	190	141	100	30	12	15				
Princess Anne	S. S. Faten	284	13							8	338	15	1	159	11	143	73	120	347	200	30	20	20					
Quantico	H. W. Spencer	371	0							4	144	10	2	68	8	46	24	14	78	35	35	14	8					
St. Andrews	A. Williams	169	0							4	101	2	2	26	14	26	36	18	130	60	15	15	15					
Salisbury, John Wesley	C. W. Crisman	205	8							3	219	3	3	30	6	12	16	10	11	49	18	15	15					
White Temple	F. J. Johnson	31	7							1	38	2	2	6	12	16	10	11	49	18	15	15	15					
White Plains	G. B. Wilson	258	9							5	263	9	2	59	10	34	35	168	79	22	40	40	18					
Snook Hill	G. T. Jackson	258	9							5	263	9	2	59	10	34	35	168	79	22	40	40	18					
Stockton-Shiloh	E. M. Jolly	133	1							4	133	8	8	145	8	30	30	20	71	30	11	11	11					
Unionville	C. Scott	192	4							4	192	8	8	145	10	25	15	21	71	30	11	11	11					
Wachapreague, Va.	F. W. Robinson	98	10							1	108	5	5	30	8	30	30	20	88	40	45	45	45					
Wattsville, Va.	G. B. Wilson	265	4							2	269	5	53	65	10	48	34	26	118	76	22	22	52					
Wetqueam	J. E. McBride	185	1							2	184	7	67	120	11	57	80	70	133	301	40	38	31					
Whaleyville	D. T. Lewis	203	18							3	210	6	6	25	4	12	9	15	25	15	15	15	15					
White Haven	Roland Dennis	88	4							1	80	70	133	301	40	38	31											
Withams, Va.	R. T. Croswell	315	6							6	314	2	2	80	15	25	43	45	129	119	119	119	119					
District Parsonage																												
Total.....		6001	236	18	17	4	143	15	129	5981	177	171	2076	445	1711	1295	1008	4519	2277	834	446	713						
Total Last Year		6082	196	21	15	18	189	20	86	6001	205	56	2072	447	1486	1202	1048	4153	2179	776	353	604						
Increase			40		2		46	5	43	20	28	115	4	225	93	30	20	336	98	59	92	109						
Decrease																												





STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2—SALISBURY DISTRICT

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH										MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CONVENTIONAL FUND			
		Pd. on Princ. and Int. on Old Indebtedness, etc.		Pd. Bldg. Improvements (Not Including loans, mortgages, etc.)		Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.		Pd. for Ch. Sch. Lab. Materials, Supplies, etc.		PASTORS AND ASSOCIATE PASTORS		DIST. STAFF'S FUND		EPISCOPAL FUND		CONF. CLERGY FUND		MINIMUM SAL. FUND		General Administ. (ration Fund)		Jurs. Area, Conf. and Dist. Administ. (ration Funds)		LIT. DENOM. COOPERAT'N FUND	
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50	51a	51b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58	59	60
Crisfield: Shiloh	S. P. Sanders	\$ 354	203	771	70	2000	2600	\$ 2600	\$ 900	100	260	125	52	52	312	100	82								
Union Asbury	E. W. Lee	1381	171	104	34	2400	1823	1823	1823	35	288	40	10	10	288	40	40								
Dames Quarter	A. W. Greene	400	2552	759	72	2400	2000	2000	2400	400	280	35	66	66	288	61	100								
Fruitland	J. H. Pugh	437	2000	2115	1546	2300	2300	2300	2300	200	276	46	46	46	276	55	55								
Gardetree	J. H. Pugh	620	1178	360	63	2000	2000	2000	2000	184	240	117	40	35	240	132	58								
Hopewell	H. J. Lambert	916	700	945	95	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	250	150	42	251	251	55	25								
Hometown	Mrs. Jessica Hickman	200	700	2000	35	3000	3000	3000	3000	274	360	60	60	60	360	82	38								
Keller	W. J. Mills	1355	2395	1157	48	1500	1235	1235	1235	225	192	35	31	31	24	39	31								
Marion	H. F. Barclay	330	1700	248	136	2400	2400	2400	2400	200	300	200	48	48	288	288	55								
Marion Station	J. W. Mickle	330	1700	248	136	2400	2400	2400	2400	200	300	200	48	48	288	288	55								
Marunso-Kingston	O. C. Jones	1651	2332	309	15	1600	1600	1600	1600	400	400	260	52	52	160	30	55								
Nanticoke	D. S. Quillin	500	1700	771	48	2000	2000	2000	2000	300	348	241	60	60	348	246	5								
Oakville-Cottage Grove	C. E. Handy	749	6119	2819	275	4200	1800	1800	1800	1600	165	165	40	40	216	240	10								
Pocomoke City	G. N. Jones	2112	1000	921	140	3500	3500	3500	3500	500	420	300	70	21	420	100	82								
Princess Anne	C. L. Willis	450	150	312	141	2000	1854	1854	1854	1000	1000	400	40	40	160	85	5								
Quantico	A. Reid	464	273	100	30	2000	3180	3180	3180	1000	1000	200	61	61	360	20	10								
St. Andrews	J. L. Williams	490	224	1421	202	3150	3000	3000	3000	250	300	60	60	60	360	20	10								
Salisbury	C. W. Cannon	300	350	1800	350	1150	1010	1010	1010	60	115	35	23	13	338	4	5								
White Temple	E. T. Jackson	100	275	318	318	3120	3120	3120	3120	200	362	362	62	62	374	62	14								
White Hills	G. T. Jackson	280	rep. ort.	2871																					
Stonington-Shiloh	E. M. Jolly	700	500	1000	25	3000	2800	2800	2800	200	300	120	60	60	77	3	2								
Unionville	C. Scott	150	676	170	938	1800	1800	1800	1800	200	120	56	10	10	200	5	1								
Wachapreague	F. W. Robinson	1775	500	810	75	2200	2400	2400	2400	578	300	219	30	30	265	33	82								
Watsville	J. E. McBride	1434	750	1100	175	2250	2250	2250	2250	500	250	15	40	40	240	200	55								
Whaleyville	J. T. Lewis	374	578	922	48	1800	1240	1240	1240	200	288	200	48	48	25	288	185								
White Haven	Roland Dennis	1800	3549	922	125	2400	2400	2400	2400	200	288	200	48	48	25	288	185								
Withams	R. T. Crosswell																								
Total		\$ 18810	35533	27644	5162	70800	71087	71087	71087	\$ 72087	9216	7308	5423	1272	1100	\$ 8270	\$ 4836	\$ 1281	\$ 389	\$ 204	\$ 202	\$ 108	\$ 77		
Total Last Year		18311	38156	29881	4740	72360	70790	70790	70790	73830	7759	7630	5477	1887	1102	7001	5052	1295	379	177	646	187	61		
Increase		\$ 3499	2523	2237	422	1470	287	287	287	\$ 1743	\$ 1477	\$ 211	54	15	2	\$ 369	\$ 216	\$ 17	\$ 10	\$ 27	\$ 384	\$ 49			
Decrease																									



STATISTICAL TABLE No. 1—WILMINGTON DISTRICT

CHURCH AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOLS											
		Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Received This Year in Profession of Faith or Restored from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarter Conference Action or Withdrawn	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	BAPTISMS			Total Officers, Teachers, and Other Leaders	Total Children (0-11 Years) in entire Church School	Total Youth (12-21 Years) in entire Church School	Total Adults (22 and Older) in entire Church School	Church School in entire Church School	Total Church Membership	ATTENDANCE			
											Infants Presented by Parents or Guardians	All Others: Youth, Adults	Preparatory Members Now on Roll (Baptized Children)							Average Attendance (All Ages) School (All Ages)	Average Attendance (All Ages) School (All Ages)	Average Attendance (All Ages) School (All Ages)	
Atlantic City, N. J.: Asbury.	G. H. McMurray	692	10	6	6	3	17	18	8	9	662	10	2	119	67	70	40	207	118	27	51	22	
Hamilton, Mem.	H. D. Davis	257	19	6	2	3	17	18	6	257	6	3	44	12	58	14	7	91	35	15	15	7	
Bridgton, N. J.	H. H. Pendleton	168	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	168	2	4	56	10	64	24	14	112	55	0	0	11	
Burlington, N. J.	H. J. Fisher	100	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	100	2	4	45	6	35	30	6	67	40	9	12	11	
Buttwood, Del.	J. C. Caulek	86	4	2	2	2	2	2	2	86	4	2	52	6	30	30	6	58	30	3	33	11	
Camden, N. J.: 8th St.	C. L. Young	157	3	2	2	3	3	3	3	157	3	2	10	15	13	15	2	154	25	10	22	11	
Ferry Ave., N. J.	C. W. Barwell	85	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	85	2	2	10	18	11	10	2	47	32	10	22	12	
Cape May, N. J.	A. A. Wilby	117	7	2	2	2	2	2	2	117	2	2	32	19	23	10	5	40	30	12	25	12	
Chester, Pa.: Grace	M. T. McKenney	223	12	2	2	2	2	2	2	223	4	4	45	10	83	44	20	163	40	15	15	15	
St. Daniels	F. D. Jones	1060	31	11	11	5	4	4	4	1060	16	13	200	41	214	163	52	470	101	37	68	53	
Delmar, N. J.	R. A. Adams	312	13	4	4	4	4	4	4	312	5	5	63	13	40	32	3	85	60	15	15	17	
Elkton, Md.	J. J. Webster	151	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	151	5	18	82	7	55	16	3	81	41	29	12	12	
Fortville, N. J.	R. A. Adams	186	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	186	10	9	102	26	54	62	53	195	171	21	17	20	
Grenloch-Rhodes, N. J.	W. M. Taso	178	2	5	5	5	5	5	5	178	11	9	20	31	11	11	24	238	75	8	5	24	
Merchantville, N. J.	O. M. Courie	144	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	144	8	8	107	14	48	46	26	131	72	20	35	28	
Middletown, Del.	G. C. Brown	144	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	144	11	9	93	15	39	39	77	62	188	30	24	25	26
N. T. Only, N. Del.	W. J. Gray	56	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	56	7	7	30	18	8	11	8	24	24	8	8	8	
Newport, Del.	G. W. T. Miles	126	5	2	2	2	2	2	2	126	1	1	122	11	57	40	18	80	48	40	40	10	
Ocean, Del.	W. W. Cuff	93	15	2	2	2	2	2	2	93	4	4	24	12	30	36	18	96	35	8	10	10	
Pleasantville, N. J.	F. E. Waters	184	5	2	2	2	2	2	2	184	4	4	20	10	16	30	30	86	60	12	12	12	
Port Norris, N. J.	J. E. Bishop	174	16	3	3	3	3	3	3	174	26	24	76	10	53	9	9	72	31	31	31	31	
Quinton, N. J.	C. H. Parker	45	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	45	14	2	36	6	35	47	10	98	55	40	40	35	
Salem, N. J.	C. E. Cameron	247	8	2	2	2	2	2	2	247	1	1	80	16	130	41	2	130	40	16	18	14	
Wilmington, Del.: Coleman Mem	H. T. Speck	203	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	203	13	13	27	42	129	27	6	165	120	23	12	23	
Haven	H. T. Speck	681	25	5	5	5	5	5	5	681	19	21	155	32	47	25	30	212	98	32	15	38	
Wilmington, Del.	H. T. Speck	158	6	7	7	7	7	7	7	158	3	3	5	53	47	25	8	80	65	25	22	14	
Wilmington, Del.	H. T. Speck	396	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	396	1	1	2	3	11	65	40	147	50	12	10	10	
Wilmington, Del.	E. V. Wimberly	300	5	2	2	2	2	2	2	300	5	2	30	11	65	72	10	148	40	14	14	14	
Wilmington, Del.	A. Chaney	88	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	88	2	2	49	9	30	15	4	68	35	12	27	8	
Wilmington, Del.	S. G. Fullman	429	275	41	56	18	103	34	120	7391	238	111	1973	456	1902	1262	485	4105	1826	467	411	429	
Wilmington, Del.	W. T. D. Lyght	7333	272	33	28	32	194	63	80	7297	231	91	2055	427	1969	1271	532	4190	1795	385	200	427	
Wilmington, Del.	W. T. D. Lyght	36	3	8	28	14	91	10	30	97	7	7	20	20	67	0	47	31	82	121	1	1	
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STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2—WILMINGTON DISTRICT

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH										MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CONNECTIONAL FUND				
		Pd. on Princ. and Int. on Old Indebtedness, etc.		Pd. Bldg., Improvment (Not Including loans, mortgages, etc.)		Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidental, etc.		Pd. for Ch. Sch. Les. Materials, Supplies, Administration, etc.		Pastors and Associate Pastors		Dist. Supp.'s Fund		Emissarial Fund		Cong. Clarks' Fund		MINIMUM SAL. FUND		General Admins- tration Fund		Juris. Area, Con. and Dist. Admins- tration Funds		Int' Beroom Confer- ence's Fund		
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50	51a	51b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58	59	60	
Atlantic City: Asbury.	G. H. McMurray	\$ 6500	\$ 8000	\$ 8751	\$ 6115	\$ 4300	\$ 4300	\$ 4300	\$ 4300	\$ 600	\$ 4861	\$ 386	\$ 86	\$ 510	\$ 510	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 35	\$ 9	\$ 15	\$ 15	\$ 16	\$ 16	\$ 16	
Hamilton Mem.	H. D. Davis	895	2415	2680	96	4000	4000	4000	4000	960	380	380	380	480	480	65	10	20	7	7	16	16	5	5	5	
Bridgeton.	P. J. Pendleton	2000	1800	3100	400	3100	3100	3100	3100	500	300	300	300	372	372	75	75	3	3	2	2	16	4	4	4	
Burlington.	H. C. Frank	1000	400	750	31	2000	2000	2000	2000	300	165	165	165	250	250	25	25	1	1	1	1	10	6	6	6	
Buttonwood.	H. C. Canik	125	1375	1500	72	1600	1600	1600	1600	2000	200	160	160	38	38	68	68	20	20	15	15	10	6	6	6	
Camden: 8th St.	C. Y. Young	500	1600	1850	300	3000	3000	3000	3000	825	900	900	900	60	60	300	300	60	60	16	16	10	10	10	10	
Ferry Ave.	C. W. Baagw.	1400	500	3500	533	3000	3000	3000	3000	1994	900	900	900	44	44	264	264	50	50	9	9	15	10	10	10	
Chesler: Grace.	A. A. Berry	1000	500	2000	533	3000	3000	3000	3000	640	300	300	300	60	60	360	360	60	60	12	12	22	22	22	22	
Darby.	S. L. Wilkins	1035	551	4100	597	5000	5000	5000	5000	620	600	600	600	100	100	600	600	100	100	22	22	25	13	13	13	
Delar.	M. L. McKenney	2973	4408	19279	1231	2446	2446	2446	2446	3375	360	260	260	52	52	324	324	40	40	7	7	17	17	17	17	
Elkton.	F. D. Jones	880	1400	2301	126	2700	2700	2700	2700	1700	700	260	260	56	56	336	336	3	3	5	5	13	13	13	13	
Fordville.	R. A. Adams	1200	1488	2842	1020	1900	1900	1900	1900	2800	225	140	1367	80	80	480	480	75	75	25	25	13	13	13	13	
Grenloch-Rhodes	W. W. Bisher	3417	2000	600	85	3000	3000	3000	3000	4000	200	260	260	60	60	360	360	300	300	10	10	22	22	22	22	
Lawnside	M. D. Brooks	493	1430	1584	214	2800	2800	2800	2800	700	100	100	100	50	50	300	300	25	25	3	3	11	11	11	11	
Mechanville	G. E. Geddis	1057	1057	3500	175	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	500	250	250	54	54	324	324	40	40	8	8	12	3	3	3	
Middletown	W. L. Gray	264	264	1944	1731	2700	2700	2700	2700	700	170	185	185	36	36	216	216	46	46	18	18	10	10	10	10	
New Castle	W. A. T. Miles	2400	2700	1800	240	2000	2000	2000	2000	2500	400	150	150	50	50	300	300	95	95	15	15	10	10	10	10	
Oakton	C. E. Waters	500	500	1500	38	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	400	210	210	36	36	216	216	40	40	50	50	12	12	12	12	
Pleasantville.	F. E. Perry	300	3000	2388	65	2300	2300	2300	2300	1100	100	100	100	34	34	224	224	15	15	6	6	12	12	12	12	
Port Norris	C. L. Bishop	600	1995	400	75	1700	1700	1700	1700	400	316	71	71	425	425	50	50	15	15	7	7	12	12	12	12	
Quinton.	C. E. Carneron	1200	1200	3475	300	3350	3350	3350	3350	5000	200	260	260	68	68	408	408	60	60	15	15	8	8	8	8	
Salem.	C. E. Kiah	1588	167	5323	303	3300	3300	3300	3300	5000	720	480	480	100	100	600	600	100	100	15	15	27	27	27	27	
Wilmington: Coleman Mem.	H. R. Sneed	4500	6000	6000	1500	3200	3200	3200	3200	3200	480	300	300	64	64	308	308	75	75	25	25	16	16	16	16	
Esion.	W. L. D. Lyght	3146	3146	2873	516	3400	3400	3400	3400	3400	350	310	310	68	68	408	408	50	50	6	6	13	13	13	13	
Haven	H. T. Moody	721	350	1350	60	3700	3700	3700	3700	450	300	300	300	74	74	70	70	420	420	20	20	6	6	6	6	
Mt. Joy	E. V. Wimberly	350	350	1350	60	2900	2900	2900	2900	100	200	110	110	58	58	348	348	50	50	4	4	13	13	13	13	
Woodbury.	A. Chaney	1655	1655	1027	106	2900	2900	2900	2900	915	773	7019	1703	1781	10761	8890	1328	1047	428	428	172	282	374	374	374	
Woodsboro.	S. G. Fullman	2008	53423	100103	8465	86412	86412	86412	86412	88580	10146	7765	7688	1077	1560	10372	9120	1000	1168	4	4	379	288	188	188	
Total	Total Last Year	\$ 2577	\$ 3503	\$ 19171	\$ 663	\$ 650	\$ 13965	\$ 5905	\$ 1091	\$ 33	\$ 201	\$ 20	\$ 204	\$ 401	\$ 275	\$ 111	\$ 207	\$ 30	\$ 14	\$ 4	\$ 4	\$ 207	\$ 30	\$ 14	\$ 14	
Increase.	Increase.																									
Decrease.	Decrease.																									

# STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2—WILMINGTON DISTRICT (Continued)

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	WORLD SERVICE AND CONF. BENEVOLENCES			OTHER CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES															Grand Total Paid (Not Total Raised) Add Lines 44-47 and 49-77						
		Appointed	Accepted	Paid	World Service	Special Gifts	General Advance	Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television-Radio Ministry-Fund	Methodist Sunday	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Hospitals	Homes for Children, Youth and Aged	Conference Advance Specials	Church School Rally Day	W.S.C.S. (Inc. W. S.C.) Cash Sent to Dist., Conf. Treas.	All Other Benevolences							
		58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78		
Atlantic City: Asbury	G. H. McMurray	\$ 2030	\$ 2030	\$ 2030	\$ 75	\$ 30	\$ 25	\$ 25	\$ 25	\$ 25	\$ 15	\$ 35	\$ 500	\$ 5	\$ 10	\$ 205	\$ 40	\$ 619	\$ 1507	\$ 35057						
Hamilton Mem.	H. D. Davis	542	542	375	10	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	10	10	10	25	20	150	13244	532	404					
Bridgeton	H. I. Pendleton	542	542	542	10	5	2	2	10	2	2	10	10	3	15	25	20	150	5921	155	64					
Burlington	H. J. Fisher	199	160	160	10	10	10	10	10	10	17	17	20	20	20	24	13	62	5444	230	230					
Buttonwood	J. C. Cauley	271	271	271	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	28	3	32	15	10	46	4975	15	15					
Camden: 8th St.	C. W. Young	123	123	123	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	6	6	6	10	85	828	9893	828	828					
Ferry Ave.	C. W. Bagwell	300	300	100	100	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	12	189	5366	189	5366					
Cape May	A. A. Berry	246	246	246	246	246	246	246	246	246	246	246	27	25	100	100	88	616	9016	616	9016					
Chester Grace	S. L. McVeeney	520	400	400	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	1100	3	100	750	100	537	2603	42574	2603	42574				
Siloam	R. D. Stensness	2100	2100	2100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	15	15	20	42	12	166	8230	400	400					
St. Daniels	C. E. Adams	220	220	220	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	40	40	29	11	68	471	4496	471	4496					
Darby	V. A. Adams	295	295	295	145	145	145	145	145	145	145	145	4	4	5	4	13	386	11091	386	11091					
Delair	J. J. Webster	431	431	145	145	145	145	145	145	145	145	145	2	2	3	3	3	2251	40	2251	40	2251				
Elkton	W. M. Tasco	185	185	185	10	10	3	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	35	801	11480	801	11480				
Fordville	M. D. Brooks	185	492	492	10	10	15	15	2	25	25	20	50	60	95	60	600	455	9918	455	9918					
Grenloch-Rhodes	O. Milbourne	492	492	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	17	17	20	20	15	114	7230	114	7230					
Lawsdale	C. E. Geddis	369	369	369	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	5	5	5	5	5	889	3172	889	3172					
Merchantville	I. C. Brown	246	246	246	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	20	20	1	6	69	183	6498	183	6498					
Middletown	W. L. Gray	246	246	196	196	196	196	196	196	196	196	196	6	6	1	6	6	472	7933	472	7933					
Nt. Holly	W. A. T. Miles	246	246	379	379	379	379	379	379	379	379	379	1	1	1	1	1	187	4429	187	4429					
New Castle	G. W. Cuff	308	308	308	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	5	5	5	5	5	52	10492	52	10492					
Newport	F. E. Waters	300	300	300	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	10	10	10	10	10	120	5209	120	5209					
Pleasantville	G. W. Perry	300	300	300	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	5	5	5	5	5	203	8073	203	8073					
Pleasantville	J. E. Bishop	421	369	369	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	2	2	2	2	2	311	3048	311	3048					
Port Norris	C. H. Parker	369	369	369	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	6	6	6	6	6	688	10905	688	10905					
Quinton	T. E. Cameron	173	173	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	40	40	40	40	40	608	12905	608	12905					
St. George	C. E. Kiah	221	221	110	110	110	110	110	110	110	110	110	25	25	25	25	25	2600	32265	2600	32265					
Salem	H. R. Snead	2125	2125	2125	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	80	80	80	80	80	966	12559	966	12559					
Wilmington: Coleman Mem.	H. R. D. Lyght	2125	2125	2125	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	40	40	40	40	40	882	13114	882	13114					
Faton	H. T. Moody	435	435	435	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	2	2	2	2	2	124	978	124	978					
Heaven	E. V. Wimberly	578	578	479	479	479	479	479	479	479	479	479	10	10	10	10	10	261	7116	261	7116					
Mt. Carmel	A. Chaney	479	479	479	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	1	1	1	1	1	60	103	50	60					
Mt. Joy	S. G. Fullman	296	296	296	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	8	8	8	8	8	10	10	10	10					
Woodbury	S. G. Fullman	\$ 15952	\$ 13070	\$ 12930	\$ 175	\$ 100	\$ 107	\$ 316	\$ 472	\$ 70	\$ 395	\$ 273	\$ 472	\$ 3107	\$ 115	\$ 921	\$ 2725	\$ 728	\$ 4144	\$ 20280	\$ 366846					
Total		15998	11676	12587	225	282	282	55	393	251	391	472	3469	1080	850	2949	708	5527	14901	363992						
Total Last Year		\$ 17	\$ 1394	\$ 243	\$ 28	\$ 34	\$ 15	\$ 26	\$ 10	\$ 81	\$ 71	\$ 234	\$ 20	\$ 302	\$ 975	\$ 71	\$ 234	\$ 20	\$ 1383	\$ 5359	\$ 254					
Increase																										
Decrease																										



# STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2—RECAPITULATION

District	SUPERINTENDENT	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH										MINISTERIAL SUPPORT				CONNECTIONAL FUND									
		Pd on Princ. and Int. on Old Indebts Lns. Mortgages, etc.	Paid for Building and Improvmt (Not inc. dining loans mltg. etc.)	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidental, etc.	Paid for Ch. School Lesson Mats, Sup Pls. Adm'n. etc.	Pastor, Associate Pastor, Salary	Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Associate(s)	Salary: Pastor	Total Paid	Travel and Exp. (and Associate(s))	Appointed	Dist. Surr't's Fund	Appointed	Episcopal Fund	Appointed	CONF. CLARKS' FUND	Appointed	MINIMUM SAL. FUND	Paid	IST'DENOM COOPERAT'N FUND	Appointed	Paid		
Dover.....	W. E. Stanley.....	\$ 44	\$ 44	\$ 44	\$ 44	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499	\$ 499
Easton.....	C. L. Truder.....	\$ 21386	\$ 33847	\$ 36015	\$ 4919	\$ 53103	\$ 64189	\$ 77010	\$ 86758	\$ 92701	\$ 10088	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200	\$ 1200
Philadelphia.....	W. C. Strother, Jr.....	\$ 62417	\$ 191720	\$ 289576	\$ 17951	\$ 124435	\$ 153212	\$ 183137	\$ 193944	\$ 23944	\$ 14631	\$ 2385	\$ 1976	\$ 791	\$ 218	\$ 387	\$ 449	\$ 177	\$ 252	\$ 174	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013
Salisbury.....	J. W. Elbert.....	\$ 16810	\$ 35533	\$ 27644	\$ 5162	\$ 70890	\$ 71087	\$ 73087	\$ 92116	\$ 7398	\$ 5123	\$ 1272	\$ 1100	\$ 8270	\$ 4836	\$ 1281	\$ 359	\$ 202	\$ 108	\$ 77	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013
Wilmington.....	J. R. Shockley.....	\$ 30083	\$ 53438	\$ 100103	\$ 9118	\$ 89412	\$ 94516	\$ 91515	\$ 11237	\$ 7732	\$ 1784	\$ 10761	\$ 9890	\$ 1825	\$ 1047	\$ 428	\$ 172	\$ 252	\$ 174	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013
Total.....		\$ 144987	\$ 334577	\$ 484034	\$ 41971	\$ 411756	\$ 411331	\$ 411975	\$ 446903	\$ 539019	\$ 398232	\$ 7512	\$ 7747	\$ 48320	\$ 43305	\$ 6025	\$ 4908	\$ 1024	\$ 1048	\$ 1111	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013	\$ 1013
Total Last Year.....		\$ 126515	\$ 249499	\$ 472807	\$ 41128	\$ 409365	\$ 405121	\$ 41890	\$ 428597	\$ 47327	\$ 39624	\$ 38052	\$ 7732	\$ 7555	\$ 46889	\$ 42051	\$ 7713	\$ 5108	\$ 1363	\$ 2660	\$ 1324	\$ 950	\$ 63	\$ 63	
Increase.....		\$ 19472	\$ 96378	\$ 11227	\$ 843	\$ 2391	\$ 5713	\$ 3489	\$ 18296	\$ 6279	\$ 605	\$ 180	\$ 142	\$ 1431	\$ 1255	\$ 788	\$ 210	\$ 39	\$ 1612	\$ 213	\$ 63	\$ 63	\$ 63	\$ 63	
Decrease.....																									

# STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2—RECAPITULATION (Continued)

District	SUPERINTENDENT	OTHER CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES										WORLD SERVICE AND CONF. BENEVOLENCES				Grand Total Paid (Add Lines 44-47 and 49-71)										
		Operational Exp. Colleges, Univ., Seminars	Oper. Expenses: Wes. Foundations	Capital Exp.: Col. Univ., Seminars	Wes. Foundations	Hospitals	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference (Advance)	Church School	W.S.C.S. (Inc. W. S.G.) Cash Sent to	Dist. Com. Treas.	All Other Benevolences	Appointed	Accepted	World Service Special Gifts		One Hour of Sharing and Service	Television-Radio Ministry Fund	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday					
Dover.....	W. E. Stanley.....	\$ 10130	\$ 8423	\$ 8192	\$ 60	\$ 124	\$ 263	\$ 20	\$ 320	\$ 226	\$ 353	\$ 1152	\$ 6018	\$ 2387	\$ 477	\$ 3692	\$ 15841	\$ 13320	\$ 13320	\$ 13320	\$ 13320	\$ 13320	\$ 13320	\$ 13320	\$ 13320	\$ 13320
Easton.....	C. L. Truder.....	\$ 20852	\$ 9390	\$ 9774	\$ 95	\$ 225	\$ 274	\$ 62	\$ 318	\$ 207	\$ 331	\$ 1361	\$ 30	\$ 709	\$ 2019	\$ 478	\$ 3724	\$ 19339	\$ 234004	\$ 234004	\$ 234004	\$ 234004	\$ 234004	\$ 234004	\$ 234004	\$ 234004
Philadelphia.....	W. C. Strother, Jr.....	\$ 24065	\$ 21295	\$ 21727	\$ 75	\$ 1581	\$ 527	\$ 656	\$ 111	\$ 675	\$ 788	\$ 2702	\$ 63	\$ 1025	\$ 2898	\$ 1068	\$ 7848	\$ 29481	\$ 813613	\$ 813613	\$ 813613	\$ 813613	\$ 813613	\$ 813613	\$ 813613	\$ 813613
Salisbury.....	J. W. Elbert.....	\$ 11272	\$ 8653	\$ 5739	\$ 103	\$ 169	\$ 207	\$ 265	\$ 232	\$ 222	\$ 472	\$ 578	\$ 31	\$ 608	\$ 395	\$ 3793	\$ 1572	\$ 20791	\$ 20791	\$ 20791	\$ 20791	\$ 20791	\$ 20791	\$ 20791	\$ 20791	\$ 20791
Wilmington.....	J. R. Shockley.....	\$ 16952	\$ 13070	\$ 12830	\$ 175	\$ 160	\$ 197	\$ 316	\$ 70	\$ 395	\$ 273	\$ 3107	\$ 115	\$ 921	\$ 2725	\$ 728	\$ 4144	\$ 20290	\$ 306846	\$ 306846	\$ 306846	\$ 306846	\$ 306846	\$ 306846	\$ 306846	\$ 306846
Total.....		\$ 73471	\$ 60861	\$ 58981	\$ 250	\$ 1859	\$ 1176	\$ 1678	\$ 208	\$ 1925	\$ 1850	\$ 8900	\$ 239	\$ 3577	\$ 10537	\$ 3166	\$ 23171	\$ 100483	\$ 1885074	\$ 1885074	\$ 1885074	\$ 1885074	\$ 1885074	\$ 1885074	\$ 1885074	\$ 1885074
Total Last Year.....		\$ 78367	\$ 61460	\$ 58468	\$ 323	\$ 2072	\$ 1267	\$ 1490	\$ 313	\$ 1837	\$ 1803	\$ 8462	\$ 317	\$ 8462	\$ 317	\$ 26260	\$ 26260	\$ 26260	\$ 26260	\$ 26260	\$ 26260	\$ 26260	\$ 26260	\$ 26260	\$ 26260	\$ 26260
Increase.....		\$ 1806	\$ 595	\$ 377	\$ 73	\$ 813	\$ 91	\$ 168	\$ 15	\$ 88	\$ 56	\$ 8	\$ 8462	\$ 317	\$ 852	\$ 351	\$ 3008	\$ 21201	\$ 167227	\$ 167227	\$ 167227	\$ 167227	\$ 167227	\$ 167227	\$ 167227	\$ 167227
Decrease.....																										



## VII. Memoirs

### A. Ministerial Members

#### ISAAC BENJAMIN BIVENS

Isaac Benjamin Bivens, son of the late Hampton and Mary Bivens was born at Deal Island, Maryland, June 6, 1884. After spending his early years in Deal Island, he was joined in holy wedlock to the late Mrs. Minnie Bell Bivens and lived a happy married life until her death. This marriage was blessed with three children, Flora, Claude and Gladys.

As a young man he heard the call to the Christian ministry. He was obedient to the call. He answered and responded to the sacred call. His first charge was Queen Esther A.M.E. Church, Ivytown, Maryland. He joined the Delaware Conference in 1946 and served faithfully and well at Centreville Circuit, 4 years and Wittman, 6 years. He retired in 1956, then served at Church Creek 3 years until declining health forced him to give up. He was a good preacher, liking nothing better than preaching and the church work.

On June 6, 1944, he was married to Mrs. Hester T. Demby, with whom he lived a happy and prosperous married life until the end. He was a loving and devoted husband and father. Though confined to his bed for around four years he was patient in his suffering. He sang and prayed much. He had the assurance that God cared for him. Often when his loving wife would enter his room he waved his hand and sang "Let Jesus fix it for you." He departed this life, March 20, 1962, at Matthewstown, Md.

He is survived by a wife Mrs. Hester Bivens; sister, Mrs. Maggie Dobson; brothers, Elmer and Gillis; daughter, Gladys; grandsons, Claude, Wade and Melvin; step-children, Minnie and Percy, granddaughters, great-grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

He loved everybody. We loved him, but God loved and took him away. Sleep on, dearly beloved and take your rest.

"Servant of God, Well done! Rest from thy love employ  
The battle's fought, the Victory won, Enter Thy Master's joy  
The pains of death are past, Labor and sorrow cease;  
And life's long warfare closed at last, His soul is found in peace."

THE FAMILY

## DOUGLAS MONTIQUE COLLINS



Douglas Montique Collins, son of the late Lillian and Frank Collins, was born in Boynton, Va., February 15, 1896 and departed this life Monday, July 31, 1961 at the Veterans' Hospital in Philadelphia, Pa.

At a very early age he went to Brooklyn, N. Y. where he received his elementary and high school education. He was a veteran of World War I and served his country well. Upon his return from service he went to Boston, Mass., accepted the position of a postal clerk, entered Suffolk Law School in Boston and graduated with the degree of LL.B. He practiced law for a few years before receiving the call to the ministry. He entered Lincoln University, Oxford, Pa., for his theological training and in 1935 graduated with

a degree of S.T.B.

In 1935 he became a member of the Delaware Conference and served the following charges: Englewood, N. J., 1 yr.; Deal Island, Md., 3 yrs.; New Castle, Del., 1 yr.; Elkton, Md., 4½ yrs.; Jersey City, N. J., 4½ yrs.; Orange, N. J., 3 yrs.; Ossining, N. J., 7 yrs.; Dover, Del., 2 yrs.; and Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J.

Rev. Collins had an undaunted conviction of his divine calling and gave his best to God, his church and community. He was a former director of race relations at the U. S. Munitions Plant at Elkton, Md., during World War II. His ministry, his friendships and civic activities were far reaching to advance the cause of Christ and brotherhood. It was a great inspiration to observe his loyalty to the teaching of Jesus Christ and he will always be remembered as a conscientious Christian leader.

In 1935 he married Isabelle Crews of Philadelphia, Pa., who worked faithfully with him to the end. Rev. Collins is survived by his wife, Isabelle Collins; two sons, Douglas, Jr., and William A.; three daughters, Mrs. Mabel Fletcher, Mrs. Evelyn Butler, and Mrs. Ruth Smith; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Farrington and Mrs. Annabelle Campbell; a brother, James; several grandchildren, one great-grandchild and a host of other relatives and friends.

"Lord, when Thou seest that my work is done,  
Let me not linger on;  
With falling powers adorn the weary hours,  
A workless worker in a world of work;  
But with a word just bid me home, and I will come  
Yea, right gladly will I come."

THE FAMILY

## DELAWARE CONFERENCE

## ERIC GERALD GEORGE

Eric Gerald George was born in Tobago, British West Indies, October 20, 1926. He suddenly passed to his eternal rest in Cambridge, Md., Monday, March 19, 1962. He was the son of Irenius and the late Margaret George. He spent his earlier years in his native country where he became a public school teacher.

He entered the United States of America, August 24, 1952, for the purpose of attaining a college education. Upon graduation from Oakwood College, a Seventh Day Adventist institution, he felt the urge to enter the Christian ministry in The Methodist Church. He then matriculated at the School of Religion, Howard University, Washington, D. C., and was awarded the B.D. degree June, 1961.

He entered the Delaware Conference as student supply pastor in 1959 and was admitted on trial in 1960. He served well and was appreciated by charges as follows: Crapo-Golden Hill, Md.; Linkwood, Md.; and was coming near the close of his first year at Royal Oak, Md.

He was happily united in holy wedlock with Miss Geneva Elizabeth Stafford of Church Creek, Md., on December 9, 1961 and was a devoted husband and a Christian gentleman.

He loved everybody and was loved by all, children, youth and adults. He was a great inspiration to youth. He is survived by his widow, Geneva; father, Irenius; three sisters, Mrs. Wilhemina Small, Edna and Olive George; five brothers, Clarence, Alexander, Arthur, Wilford, and Conrad; many nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Today my heart is heavy, my thoughts are all of thee,  
 Oh! how I miss you, Eric dear, none but God in Heaven can see.  
 Why did you go when life seemed fair and no dark clouds were near,  
 To dim the brightness of our lives or start a bitter tear?  
 We thought not at the close of day, When night veiled earth and sky,  
 That one so full of life and hope would breathe his last good-bye.  
 But God was walking in His garden, One He made with His own hand,  
 The sun was shining on each blossom, Young and old through all the land,  
 In our Church He walked, still searching for a lovely full grown flower,  
 Pausing here, He found one ready to be taken at that hour.

THE WIDOW

## WILLIAM ALPHIEUS HUBBARD



William Alphieus Hubbard, son of the late Thomas and Lidea Hubbard, was born in Preston, Maryland on March 31, 1870. God called him to his eternal reward on Thursday morning, December 21, 1961, in the University of Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, at the age of 91.

He, with his two brothers and one sister, grew up in Preston where they attended the public schools. After entering the ministry he attended Princess Ann Academy, now Maryland State College, where he received his diploma on May 28, 1908. On May 28, 1914, he completed his work at Howard University, School of Theology.

In 1892 he was married to Cassie Jane Johns. Shortly afterward, they moved to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and joined Janes Methodist Church. Janes Methodist Church recommended him for admission to the Delaware Conference on trial in 1899. He was ordained an elder in 1904.

He served the following charges with distinction—Rossville, N. Y.; Sharptown, Md.; Coleman, Md.; Middletown, Del.; St. John's, Newark, N. J.; John Wesley, Brooklyn, N. Y.; John Simmons, Philadelphia; John Wesley, Philadelphia and as superintendent of the Wilmington District.

He retired from the active ministry after serving John Wesley Church in Philadelphia, and then served Eighth Street Church, Camden, N. J., and St. Thomas Church, Philadelphia.

Perhaps, his most effective work was done at John Wesley, Philadelphia, where he served 14 years. He received over 680 persons in the church, married 110 couples, baptized 134 persons, paid off the mortgage on the church, purchased the present parsonage and paid for it, developed an enthusiastic young peoples group, and upon retirement, left several thousands of dollars in the treasury for the purchase of the present church. After retirement, he joined the John Wesley Quarterly Conference and continued in the Christian fellowship that he had helped to establish.

In 1953 his first wife passed to life immortal, after sixty years of marital bliss. In 1954 he was married to Mrs. Sara Alston, who met with a fatal accident.

In 1956 he was married to Mrs. Oshia Carsley, who was a devoted and faithful wife. Nothing was left undone for his happiness and comfort.

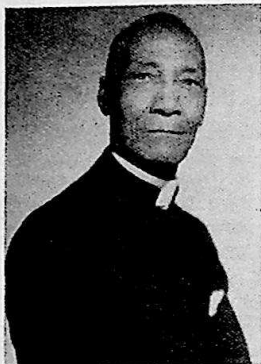
Reverend Hubbard was blessed with a long and fruitful life, many friends, and a great sense of humor. He was faithful in his duty to his conference, his church, and his beloved wife.

Most of his relatives preceded him into life immortal. He leaves to mourn, his wife, several cousins, and a large number of friends.

"Servant of God, well done!  
Thy glorious war-fare's past;  
The battle's fought, the race is won,  
And thou art crowned at last."



## WILLIAM HOWARD JOHNS



William Howard Johns, son of the late Solomon and Rhoda Arzemma Johns was born in Dorchester County, Maryland in January, 1877. He received his early education in the public schools of Maryland and later attended Delaware State College.

He was converted at an early age in Washington Church, Hurlock, Maryland. He diligently pursued his religious training until he was called to make Christ known. The subject of his first sermon was, "We shall all stand on one platform." He was joined in holy wedlock to Clara Jefferson in 1904. She passed to her eternal reward in September 1948. He later married Fannie Davis Owens, October 17, 1951.

He successfully served the following charges during his ministry: Barclay, Md.; Delaware City, Del.; Smyrna, Del.; Fairlee, Md.; Federalsburg, Md.; Chestertown, Md.; Cape May, N. J.; Ridgely, Md.; Port Norris, N. J.; Siloam, Chester, Pa.; Quinton and Springtown, N. J. During his ministry, a new church building at Federalsburg and new parsonage at Cape May were erected. He became an ardent worker for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. He broadcasted over Station W.S.N.J. in Bridgeton, New Jersey for a period of twenty years. He was a member of the Ministerial Alliance. In 1948, he retired from active service.

Succeeding his retirement he successfully pastored in Newport, Delaware for a period of three years. All apportionments were raised in full. He also assisted in the pastorate of Mt. Joy Methodist Church during the illness of the late Rev. J. U. Watson.

He passed from labor to reward at his home, 58 S. Pine Street, Bridgeton, New Jersey on January 21, 1962. He leaves to mourn their loss a devoted wife, Mrs. Fannie Johns, one brother, Ollie Johns, Atlantic City; nephews: Hally P. Johns, conference lay leader, Rev. R. B. Thompson, pastor, Mt. Zion Church, Rev. Houx Nichols, other nephews, nieces and other relatives, dear to his heart.

There's an open gate  
 At the end of the road  
 Through which each must go alone,  
 And there in a light we cannot see  
 Our Father claims His own:  
 Beyond the gate our loved one  
 Finds happiness and rest  
 And there is comfort  
 In the thought  
 That a loving God knows best.

Sorrowfully,  
 THE FAMILY

## JAMES OLLIE LOCKMAN



James Ollie Lockman, son of the late Arthur and Martha Lockman, was born on October 15, 1885 in Lattenville, Md. After years of effective pastoral leadership in the Delaware Conference of The Methodist Church, he departed this life on Monday, Nov. 6, 1961 in the Memorial Hospital, Wilmington, Delaware.

In addition to his elementary education, he completed courses of study at Princess Anne Academy. He taught school on Deal Island, Md. for five years.

He was converted in 1912 at Deal Island, Maryland and called to the ministry in 1914. He was very successful in the Christian ministry not only because he was studious, but also because he loved people. He planned his work and worked

his plan. He was an optimistic, dynamic pastor whose spirit and ability were always evident in the Lord's work.

On April 28, 1911 he and Miss Jaal Deshields were united in holy wedlock. To this union were born five children. He was a faithful husband and a devoted father.

Rev. Lockman served the following charges: Melitota, Md., 1 yr.; Cordova, Md., 3 yrs.; Rock Hall, Md., 11 yrs.; and Lincoln, Del., 32 yrs. As an active member of the Delaware Conference, he was chairman of the Board of Evangelism and secretary of Evangelism for a number of years. He was also a faithful and loyal member of several other conference and district boards and committees.

Among his surviving relatives are his wife, Mrs. Jaal Lockman; one son, Lycurgus Lockman and wife; two daughters, Mrs. Claudia Handy and husband and Mrs. Novella Shockley and husband; four grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Mosin and Mrs. Grace Taylor, and other relatives and friends.

Dear as thou wert, and justly dear  
 We would not weep for thee.  
 One thought shall check the starting tear,  
 It is that thou art free.

Gently the passing spirit fled,  
 Sustained by grace divine.  
 Oh may such grace on us be shed,  
 And make our end like thine.

THE FAMILY

## MALACHI RASIN

Malachi Rasin, son of the late Perry Walley Rasin and Mary Elizabeth Wilson Rasin, was born near Easton, Md. on October 3, 1870. He attended the public schools of Easton and worked to help support his twelve brothers and sisters.

In 1888, young Mr. Rasin joined the Asbury Methodist Church in Easton and was appointed assistant class leader. His pastor, the late Rev. James H. Mason, recognized unusual qualities in him and urged him to undertake the work of the ministry. Having not yet yielded to the call to preach, Malachi prepared himself for the teaching profession. He earned teaching certificates in Maryland and Delaware and worked in those states first as a teacher, later as a principal. He was also active in the church and civic life of the communities where he lived serving as Sunday School superintendent, Epworth League president and president of the Delaware State Teachers Association.

On October 12, 1904, he was united in holy wedlock to Alice Lillian Doram of Baltimore, Md., who was the first grade teacher of the school in Dover, Del., where he was serving as principal. To this union were born four children: Mary Elizabeth, George Tennyson, Alice Priscilla and Malachi Albert.

Soon after marriage, he surrendered to God's call and entered the Delaware Conference in 1909. He gave dedicated Christian service as the minister of charges in Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey and New York for 38 years. In addition to his pastoral work he was a member of the Conference Board of Ministerial Training and one of the assistant conference treasurers.

After retiring in 1943, Rev. Rasin continued in the active ministry until 1947, when failing eyesight caused him to resign his pastorate. For the last fifteen years, he had resided with his late wife and children in Richmond, Va. He was happy to assist the pastors of the Leigh Street Methodist Church (now Wesley Memorial) where he was a faithful member until the end, serving as president of the Henry-Williams Bible Class and a member of the Commission on Membership and Evangelism. On several occasions he was invited to preach for Baptist as well as Methodist ministers in the city.

His great aim during his entire life was to let his light shine that others might be blessed. He said concerning his funeral, "It is my desire that the service be conducted not to glorify me, but to teach and inspire others to continue to walk in the light."

On April 4, 1962, Rev. Rasin joyfully entered into the eternal rest which he had sincerely desired since he was first stricken with a heart ailment on May 6, 1961. He leaves to mourn their loss a loving daughter and son, Mrs. Priscilla R. Evans and Malachi Albert Rasin both of Richmond; one son-in-law, one daughter-in-law, four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

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

**B. Approved Supply Pastors****EMMONS NELSON FOSTER**

Emmons Nelson Foster, son of the late Albert N. and Sarah Jane Foster, was born February 12, 1900, at Christ Rock, Md. He departed this life October 9, 1961, at Golden Hill, Md.

Emmons received his early education in the public schools of Dorchester County, Md. Later, in preparation for his life work, he completed the prescribed course of study at the Ministerial Training School at Morristown College.

At an early age he was converted and became a member of Rock Methodist Church. He served faithfully in this church, and in Orchard Street Methodist Church, Baltimore, Md., until he accepted the call to the Christian ministry, to which he gave twenty-six years. He was a powerful preacher. He was kind, thoughtful, generous and always willing and ready to help anyone in need or distress. He served faithfully, earnestly, and courageously in charges as follows: McDaniel, 2 years; Easton Ct., 4½ years; Carmichaels, 2½ years; Wittman, 6 years; Millsboro, Delaware, 1 year; Linkwood, 1 year; Crapo-Golden Hill, 3 years; Preston, 1½ years; Miles River, 4 years; and Taylor's Island, 2 years.

In 1922 he was united in holy wedlock to Miss Estella Stevens, who served faithfully with him in the ministry until her untimely passing in 1956. In 1957 he was joined in matrimony to Miss Hazel Chester of Golden Hill, with whom he lived happily until death.

Blest with a vibrant spirit, and a winsome personality he made and cultivated many friends wherever he went. He was a devoted husband, a loving father, a loyal and true friend, a Christian brother. He loved his family, his parishioners, people in general, and was loved and respected in turn. Above all, he loved and served his God.

He leaves to mourn his passing, a wife, Mrs. Hazel Foster; three daughters, Mrs. Lottie Keene, Sarah and Sandra Foster; son, Anthony; step-daughter, Mrs. Barbara Robinson; two sisters, Mrs. Viola McPherson and Mrs. Monica Holomon; brother, William K. Foster; an uncle, nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of friends.

Rest comes at last though life be long and dreary

The day must dawn, and darksome night be past;

All journeys end in welcome to the weary,

And heaven, the heart's true home, will come at last.

Sorrowfully,

THE FAMILY

**VAN B. WRIGHT**

Van B. Wright, son of Frances and John Wright, was born at Jesterville, Maryland. He departed this life Thursday, August 3, 1961.

His youth was spent in his community where he grew to be the church school superintendent as well as the president of the Epworth League.

In 1914 he married Alverta Hull of Wetipquin. Soon afterwards, his as-



pirations for the ministry became evident even though he had been called earlier in life.

In 1923 he was ordained. He served the charges as follows: Taylor's Mission, 1 year; Portsville, Delaware, 3 years; Hebron, Md., 3 years; Taylor's Island, Md., 6 years; Aireys, Md., 14 years; Ridgely, Md., 5 years; and Linkwood, Md., 2 months.

His family includes a wife, two sons, a daughter, four sisters, a brother, two aunts, and an uncle, thirteen grandchildren and a host of other relatives.

His life was characterized by kindness, devotion, patience, service to God and to his fellowman. He always found something good and worthwhile about everyone. He was never too busy to listen, hear your problem, and lend a helping hand.

His loyalty and devotion to his family was like that of Job. His family respected his wisdom and understanding. He gave stability to them. In turn, his family loved him deeply and will miss him greatly. They parted with him, sorrowfully, but, they saw his misery and suffering, and knew that God does all things for good. They've had their burden made light, for they know that his life has been well spent and God is pleased with his work.

We shall always remember him and be guided by his example.

With fondest memories,  
THE FAMILY

### C. Ministers' Wives

#### MRS. AMOS P. JENKINS

Mamie Livonia Jenkins, the loving daughter of the late John and Amanda Gunnings, was born in York, South Carolina, where she spent the early years of her life.

She was joined in holy matrimony to the Rev. Amos P. Jenkins, and served with him during his pastorate wherever he was sent. This happy union was blessed with five children, Marcellus, Wilbert, Elenora, Juanita and Sidney. As a wife and mother she was tender and kind. The comfort of all in the home was her chief concern always.

She professed faith in Christ many years ago and continued faithful to her blessed Lord until the end. Wherever she lived, she won many dear friends. She was admired, loved and respected by all who knew her.

Sister Jenkins endured ill health for twenty years. She was a radiant soul, continuously joyful. Whenever she was asked how she felt, one answer was given always, "Fine." During her long illness she was lovingly and patiently cared for by her devoted husband.

On the morning of August 9, 1961 she quietly slipped away into that land where pain and suffering are unknown.

She leaves to mourn her passing her husband, five children, one brother, nieces, nephews, and many other relatives and friends.

"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep  
From which none ever wake to weep;  
A calm and undisturbed repose  
Unbroken by the last of foes."

THE FAMILY

## MRS. HAMPTON T. JOHNSON

On Sunday, December 17, 1961, Mrs. Hampton T. Johnson fell asleep in Jesus at Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia. She and her husband had served long and faithfully in the Christian ministry—for 64 years.

Mattie M. Johnson, the daughter of the late Lee and Mary J. Kenney, was born in Lexington, Virginia, March 10, 1875. She became a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church at her home at the age of eleven and was regarded all her life by all who knew her as an ideal Christian: a faithful wife, a devoted mother, a "saint on earth."

On October 28, 1897, she was united in marriage to the Rev. Hampton T. Johnson, the Rev. H. A. Monroe, late member of the Delaware Conference, and then presiding elder of the Philadelphia District, officiating. Fifty-five years of the life of this devoted couple were spent in Delaware Conference pastorates, nine and a half in retirement. But wherever her husband was, there Sister Johnson was content. She was the embodiment of Christian perfection—in home, church and community.

She is survived by her husband, the Rev. Hampton T. Johnson, who holds the record for service in the Delaware Conference, having answered seventy-three roll calls; two sons, Cornelius and Clarence; a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy J. Dean; a brother, John M. Kenney, three grandchildren and two great grandchildren, together with a host of more distant relatives and countless friends.

She died peacefully, as she had lived, in her sleep, a fitting close to a serene life that had been a benediction to many.

"You, who have faith to see  
Beyond this vale of tears;  
You, to whom God has given  
The memory of happy years—

"Look up, and trust God's wisdom:  
He understands your care;  
There is no loss nor sorrow  
He does not know—and share.

"Hold high your head with courage,  
Smile, for a dear one's sake,  
And know that, after darkness,  
You'll see the morning break!"

Written for the Family by  
DANIEL LYMAN RIDOUT

## D. Widow of Minister

## MRS. ROBERT S. JOHNS

T. Elizabeth Johns, daughter of the late John and Martha McCray, was born in Frankford, Delaware, May 22, 1888. She was educated in the public schools of Frankford, Delaware. She was christened as a small child in the Antioch A.M.E. Church, in Frankford, where she later re-affirmed and became

a full member. In the spring of 1903, she married the late Rev. Robert S. Johns who was a widower, and father of one son, Hally P. Johns. To this union, one daughter was born who died in 1944.

Mrs. Johns was brought to Philadelphia in 1944 by her son where she spent the remaining days under his care. She joined the Haven Methodist Church and was a member of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Golden Age Club and Bible Class. She was a lover of music, and served as organist for her husband at his various charges for 38 years. She also served as treasurer for 18 years of the Ministers Wives Association of the Eastern District, and taught in the Church School at all the charges they served.

She was a faithful wife, devoted and loving mother to her children and nephew. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family.

Friday, December 1st, her son carried her to the Methodist Hospital where she quietly passed on Thursday, December 7th.

She is survived by one son, Hally P. Johns, who knew her as his mother since he was seven years of age, Rev. Ralph B. Thompson, nephew, who spent his life in her home until he entered college; daughter-in-law, Mrs. Delsie B. Johns; two grandsons, great-grandchildren and cousins.

THE FAMILY

## E. Layman

### MILTON THOMAS YOUNG



Milton Thomas Young, son of the late John O., Sr., and Julia Young, was born in Philadelphia, Pa., September 16, 1905 and departed this life on Monday, February 26, 1962.

He received his education in the public schools of Philadelphia and was a graduate of Central High School. In September, 1921 he and Miss Bessie Kelly were united in holy wedlock.

Milton Young was a life long member of Zoar Methodist Church, having been nurtured through childhood in the Church School. As a youth, he was a charter member of Boy Scout Troop 191, which was affiliated with this institution. At the time of his death, he was church lay leader, trustee and steward.

He served the Delaware Annual Conference of The Methodist Church as president of the Trustees and as a member of the Commission on World Service and Finance. He also served the Philadelphia District of the Conference as director of stewardship, associate lay leader and trustee.

Mr. Young was a Mason (Prince Hall), 32nd degree, being a member of Pyramid Temple No. 1 (The Shrine), DeMolay Consistory No. 1, and Campbell-Joppa-Washington No. 37.

He had been employed by the United States Post Office Department as a mailman since 1936 and was fatally stricken while on duty. He was a member of the National Alliance of Postal Employees.

He leaves to mourn their loss, Mrs. Bessie K. Young; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Eleanor Young; nieces, Mrs. Eleanor Y. Polite, Mrs. Mercedes Y. McClendon, Harriett, Julia, Myrna and Brenda Young; nephews, John T. and James Young; great-nephews, great-nieces, other relatives and a host of friends.

Embosomed deep in Thy great love,  
Held in Thy law, I stand;  
Thy hand in all things I behold,  
And all things in Thy hand;  
Thou ledest me by unsought ways,  
And turn'st my mourning into praise.

THE FAMILY



## VIII. Roll of Deceased Ministerial Members of the Conference

### 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."—Revelation 14:13.

Name	Rec'd.	Died	Resident at Death
1 Wilmore S. Elzey.....	1864	1867	Cambridge, Md.
2 James Davis.....	1964	1871	Philadelphia, Pa.
3 Frost Pullett.....	1864	1872	Salisbury, Md.
4 Samuel Dale.....	1864	1872	Middletown, Del.
5 George W. Freeland.....	1871	1873	Chestertown, Md.
6 Harrison Smith.....	1864	1874	Wilmington, Del.
7 Solomon Cooper.....	1869	1877	Wilmington, Del.
8 John G. Manluff.....	1864	1879	Centreville, Md.
9 Stephen Johns.....	1867	1879	Berlin, Md.
10 Handy Long.....	1867	1879	Pocomoke City, Md.
11 Perry W. Pipes.....	1875	1879	Germantown, Pa.
12 James R. Webb.....	1869	1880	Fairmount, Md.
13 John Tilghman.....	1877	1881	Bridgeton, N. J.
14 David Eaves.....	1877	1880	Cambridge, Md.
15 Samuel P. Marshall.....	1869	1881	Burnetville, Md.
16 Simon Taylor.....	1864	1882	Townsend Inlet, N. J.
17 Vincent B. Wallace.....	1881	1882	Philadelphia, Pa.
18 George H. Waters.....	1874	1882	Smyrna, Del.
19 Isaac Hinson.....	1864	1883	Haddonfield, N. J.
20 Harrison D. Webb.....	1883	1883	Preston, Md.
21 William Phillips.....	1865	1884	Fowling Creek, Md.
22 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	Federalburg, 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 Isaiah Broughton.....	1864	1890	Camden, N. J.
33 Joshua Brinkley.....	1864	1890	New Castle, Del.
34 Abraham Brown.....	1864	1891	Philadelphia, Pa.
35 Arthur W. Hamilton.....	1878	1891	Wilmington, Del.
36 William T. Cole.....	1886	1891	Preston, Md.
37 W. J. Parker.....	1864	1892	Philadelphia, Pa.
38 John H. Reddick.....	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.

Name	Rec'd.	Died	Resident at Death
45 Harrison T. Rich	1866	1895	Linkwood, Md.
46 William M. Webb	1875	1895	Newport, Del.
47 W. B. Green	1864	1895	Lewes, Del.
48 Hooper Jolly	1867	1896	Vienna, Md.
49 J. D. Elbert	1865	1896	Oxford, Md.
50 W. P. Tunnell	1894	1896	Merchantville, N. J.
51 S. P. Whittington	1864	1896	Camden, N. J.
52 Thomas S. Als	1884	1897	Wilmington, Del.
53 John B. Lewis	1895	1897	Wilmington, Del.
54 Aaron J. Handy	1871	1898	Philadelphia, Pa.
55 Daniel E. Brown	1897	1898	Salisbury, Md.
56 Jas. A. Richardson	1888	1899	Philadelphia, Pa.
57 Asbury Grinnage	1866	1899	Starr, Md.
58 Daniel J. Waters	1872	1899	Seaford, Del.
59 James H. Mason	1879	1900	Fruitland, Md.
60 John W. Lankford	1884	1900	Dover, Del.
61 Charles H. Hutchins	1881	1900	Trappe, Md.
62 Geo. H. Washington	1872	1900	Chester, Pa.
63 Nathan Young	1864	1901	Milford, Del.
64 Peter Burrows	1865	1901	Aireys, Md.
65 Henry Morris	1865	1901	Salisbury, Md.
66 John S. Wills	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. McKinney	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.

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104 G. M. Landin.....	1877	1915	Lincoln City, Del.
105 J. C. Dunn.....	1895	1915	Orange, N. J.
106 J. H. Pearce.....	1864	1915	Merchantville, N. J.
107 A. F. Ennals.....	1895	1915	Carmichael, Md.
108 A. L. Henry.....	1891	1915	New Castle, Del.
109 S. S. Jolly.....	1899	1915	Cambridge, Md.
110 W. S. Brown.....	1890	1915	Philadelphia, Pa.
111 J. A. Jeffers.....	1893	1915	Middletown, Del.
112 W. C. Dickerson.....	1870	1915	Smyrna, Del.
113 J. K. Adams.....	1880	1915	Mount Vernon, Md.
114 A. S. Amos.....	1892	1916	Camden, N. J.
115 J. W. W. Cox.....	1892	1916	Nassau, Del.
116 D. R. Dunn.....	1875	1916	Worton, Md.
117 H. T. G. Jennings.....	1910	1916	Cokesbury, Md.
118 W. T. Hemsley.....	1893	1917	Wilmington, Del.
119 L. J. Waters.....	1904	1917	Fruitland, Md.
120 J. F. Cook.....	1889	1917	Philadelphia, Pa.
121 J. W. Cook.....	1888	1917	Lewes, Del.
122 W. F. Cotton.....	1893	1918	Coleman, Md.
123 J. W. Fenderson.....	1897	1918	Centreville, Md.
124 N. B. Snowden.....	1888	1918	Mt. Zion, Md.
125 J. W. Brown.....	1871	1919	Chestertown, Md.
126 D. A. Ridout.....	1882	1919	Marion, Md.
127 I. H. Johnson.....	1881	1920	Unionville, Md.
128 J. H. Harmon.....	1884	1920	East New Market, Md.
129 F. J. Lee.....	1869	1920	Townsend, Del.
130 L. E. Toulson.....	1885	1921	Hurlock, Md.
131 I. D. Paine.....	1906	1921	Salisbury, Md.
132 L. T. Robbins.....	1915	1921	Aireys, Md.
133 A. R. Shockley.....	1877	1921	Philadelphia, Pa.
134 B. W. Berry.....	1893	1922	Atlantic City, N. J.
135 A. W. Lowber.....	1876	1921	Camden, N. J.
136 J. W. Bowling.....	1896	1922	Mardella Springs, Md.
137 C. W. Downs.....	1906	1922	St. Michaels, Md.
138 F. C. Gillis.....	1919	1922	Marydel, Md.
139 P. W. Price.....	1896	1923	Greensboro, Md.
140 James C. Finney.....	1924	1924	Spring Lake, N. J.
141 Roswell Waters.....	1916	1924	Liberia, Md.
142 L. W. Deakins.....	1884	1925	Cape May, N. J.
143 W. T. Purnell.....	1919	1925	Seaford, Del.
144 E. F. Showell.....	1915	1926	Royal Oak, Md.
145 J. H. Blake.....	1890	1926	Trappe, Md.
146 C. J. Hall.....	1888	1926	Concord, Del.
147 J. W. Gillis.....	1905	1926	Smyrna, Del.
148 L. Y. Cox.....	1867	1926	Cape May, N. J.
149 J. E. A. D. Grisby.....	1882	1926	Cheswold, Del.
150 R. H. Wallace.....	1904	1926	Nanticoke, Md.
151 C. W. Moore.....	1896	1927	Dover, Del.
152 J. F. Molock.....	1892	1927	Berlin, Md.
153 W. L. Stewart.....	1924	1927	Bridgeville Ct., Del.
154 H. R. Purnell.....	1909	1928	Berlin, Md.
155 I. J. Brittingham.....	1915	1928	Pocomoke City, Md.
156 G. W. Downs.....	1899	1928	Philadelphia, Pa.
157 J. C. Bantom.....	1893	1929	New Castle, Del.
158 Solomon Hammond.....	1900	1929	Dover, Del.
159 J. R. Brown.....	1889	1929	Wilmington, Del.
160 J. M. Wittington.....	1899	1929	Philadelphia, Pa.
161 F. H. Quinn.....	1915	1930	St. Michaels, Md.
162 R. N. Davis.....	1918	1930	Philadelphia, Pa.

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163 Pezavia O'Connell.....	1893	1930	Baltimore, Md.
164 W. C. Bowland.....	1900	1931	Philadelphia, Pa.
165 G. R. Hollis.....	1896	1932	Chapel, Md.
166 M. H. Murphy.....	1911	1931	Millington, Md.
167 W. B. Perry.....	1918	1931	Brooklyn, N. Y.
168 W. H. Turner.....	1900	1931	Philadelphia, Pa.
169 M. A. Thompson.....	1913	1931	Philadelphia, Pa.
170 J. H. Reed.....	1891	1932	Cottage Grove, Md.
171 L. D. Beecham.....	1904	1932	Centreville, Md.
172 W. J. L. Hughes.....	1899	1932	Salisbury, Md.
173 E. H. Webb.....	1881	1932	Philadelphia, Pa.
174 C. A. Tindley.....	1885	1933	Philadelphia, Pa.
175 E. E. Parker.....	1879	1933	Philadelphia, Pa.
176 P. W. Shelton.....	1892	1933	New Port, Del.
177 W. N. King.....	1921	1933	Philadelphia, Pa.
178 J. L. Nichols.....	1921	1933	Delmar, Del.
179 F. G. Campbell.....	1917	1934	Marion Station, Md.
180 J. W. Bond.....	1887	1934	Chester, Pa.
181 P. E. Edwards.....	1923	1934	Beckwith, Md.
182 J. R. Holland.....	1896	1935	Centreville, Md.
183 E. E. Rogers.....	1898	1935	Hurlock, Md.
184 W. R. A. Palmer.....	1886	1934	Delair, N. J.
185 H. C. Snead.....	1917	1934	Melfa, Va.
186 F. L. Tomlinson.....	1920	1934	Oakville, Md.
187 J. F. Deshields.....	1928	1935	Crumpton, Md.
188 C. A. Norwood.....	1895	1935	Greenwood, Del.
189 C. W. Johnson.....	1915	1935	Mt. Holly, N. J.
190 Wardie E. Rogers.....	1928	1936	Parsonsburg, Md.
191 James E. Waters.....	1920	1935	Fruitland, Md.
192 Levin W. Molock.....	1924	1936	Seaford, Del.
193 Thomas H. Kiah.....	1900	1936	Princess Anne, Md.
194 J. A. T. Foust.....	1908	1937	Mt. Holly, N. J.
195 W. T. B. Devron.....	1916	1937	Townsend, Del.
196 A. Chase.....	1892	1938	Cambridge, Md.
197 P. E. Robinson.....	1923	1938	Elkton, Md.
198 G. T. Fields.....	1897	1938	Chester, Pa.
199 L. S. Perry.....	1920	1938	New Castle, Del.
200 James M. Dickerson.....	1909	1938	Atlantic City, N. J.
201 M. P. Sterling.....	1907	1938	Quantico, Md.
202 K. S. Stewart.....	1916	1939	Lewes, Del.
203 G. S. Jacobs.....	1914	1939	Manokin, Md.
204 E. H. Jolley.....	1915	1939	Miles River, Md.
205 J. A. Kiah.....	1908	1939	Crisfield, Md.
206 R. A. McCarthy.....	1931	1939	Jamaica, N. Y.
207 S. A. Waters.....	1913	1939	Preston, Md.
208 T. A. Johnson.....	1896	1940	Cambridge, Md.
209 Wm. M. Coffey, Jr.....	1930	1940	Stevensville, Md.
210 T. H. Woodley.....	1907	1940	Elkton, Md.
211 C. L. Anderson.....	1894	1940	Mardella Springs, Md.
212 Emory H. Nichols.....	1895	1940	Bridgeville, Del.
213 G. T. Townsend.....	1883	1940	Preston, Md.
214 J. H. Scott.....	1886	1941	Philadelphia, Pa.
215 J. S. Coulbourn.....	1896	1941	Easton, Md.
216 J. L. Davis.....	1899	1941	Still Pond, Md.
217 W. T. Spellman.....	1907	1941	Royal Oak, Md.
218 R. S. Johns.....	1906	1941	Centreville, Md.
219 S. T. Parker.....	1897	1941	Upper Hill, Md.
220 E. O. Parker.....	1896	1942	Denton, Md.
221 T. W. Cooper.....	1901	1943	Marion Station, Md.



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Name	Rec'd.	Died	Resident at Death
222 L. H. Martin	1891	1943	Hurlock, Md.
223 J. T. Wallace	1911	1943	Philadelphia, Pa.
224 W. C. Jason	1891	1943	Dover, Del.
225 T. B. H. Coleman	1877	1943	Wilmington, Del.
226 R. W. Cheers	1923	1943	Philadelphia, Pa.
227 J. H. Stevenson	1906	1943	St. Michaels, Md.
228 C. L. Jones	1927	1943	Berlin, Md.
229 J. W. Jewett	1904	1944	Philadelphia, Pa.
230 L. H. McArthur	1915	1944	Philadelphia, Pa.
231 W. A. Mulley	1923	1944	Wilmington, Del.
232 A. L. Martin	1895	1944	Atlantic City, N. J.
233 A. W. McBride	1924	1944	Preston, Md.
234 R. H. Coleman	1888	1944	Philadelphia, Pa.
235 S. R. Miles	1938	1944	Stevensville, Md.
236 A. L. McGill	1919	1945	Still Pond, Md.
237 E. M. Neals	1923	1945	Philadelphia, Pa.
238 W. E. Hilton	1889	1945	Merchantville, N. J.
239 C. T. Covington	1913	1945	Fruitland, Md.
240 J. L. Parker	1900	1945	Townsend, Del.
241 W. A. Johnson	1914	1945	Jacksonville, Fla.
242 O. P. Dickerson	1908	1946	Cambridge, Md.
243 F. O. T. Laws	1917	1946	Lawnside, N. J.
244 J. R. Waters	1879	1946	Lawnside, N. J.
245 C. W. Winder	1906	1946	Clayton, Del.
246 W. B. Whittington	1919	1947	Marion, Md.
247 J. S. Coard	1922	1947	Greensboro, Md.
248 M. V. Waters	1894	1947	Philadelphia, Pa.
249 S. M. Emptage	1914	1948	Orange, N. J.
250 C. W. Pullett	1891	1948	Philadelphia, Pa.
251 I. D. Pitts	1894	1949	Wilmington, Del.
252 T. E. Randall	1912	1949	Wilmington, Del.
253 D. W. Henry	1913	1949	Philadelphia, Pa.
254 F. H. Butler	1895	1949	Philadelphia, Pa.
255 F. T. Johnson	1893	1949	Philadelphia, Pa.
256 J. H. Nutter	1881	1949	Pocomoke City, Md.
257 W. E. Waters	1896	1950	Wilmington, Del.
258 J. H. Blackiston	1909	1949	Philadelphia, Pa.
259 C. S. Spriggs	1894	1949	Philadelphia, Pa.
260 A. A. McKenzie	1940	1950	Englewood, N. J.
261 J. R. Purnell	1911	1950	Deals Island, Md.
262 W. J. Helm	1909	1951	Atlantic City, N. J.
263 O. S. Edwards	1934	1951	Fairlee, Md.
264 D. H. Hargis	1900	1951	Chance, Md.
265 W. G. Matthews	1911	1951	Brooklyn, N. Y.
266 W. R. Price	1924	1952	Delair, N. J.
267 J. E. A. Johns	1896	1952	Mt. Holly, N. J.
268 R. W. Thomas	1924	1952	Philadelphia, Pa.
269 H. R. Coleman	1923	1952	Wilmington, Del.
270 F. C. Kershaw	1921	1952	Upper Hill, Md.
271 J. W. Jefferson	1894	1952	Pleasantville, N. J.
272 J. W. Parker	1904	1953	Philadelphia, Pa.
273 F. J. Handy	1896	1953	Atlantic City, N. J.
274 Ramson E. Hamilton	1934	1954	Cambridge, Md.
275 Marion W. Clark	1905	1954	Philadelphia, Pa.
276 Maurice C. Anderson	1921	1954	Laurel, Del.
277 William W. Brown	1920	1954	Clarksville, Del.
278 Richard A. Boulden	1911	1954	Cheswood, Del.
279 Oliver W. Jones	1931	1954	Montclair, N. J.
280 William H. Mears	1925	1954	Wilmington, Del.

Name	Rec'd.	Died	Resident at Death
281 Jose Angulo . . . . .	1905	1954	Quantico, Md.
282 George B. Coleman . . . . .	1891	1954	Harrington, Del.
283 Joseph W. Hayman . . . . .	1946	1955	Manokin, Md.
284 John L. Taylor . . . . .	1911	1955	Pennsauken, N. J.
285 James A. Fassett . . . . .	1921	1956	Cambridge, Md.
286 Jesse W. Pruett . . . . .	1948	1956	Upper Hill, Md.
287 Joseph N. Bullen . . . . .	1914	1956	Barbados, B. W. I.
288 John H. Hubbard . . . . .	1925	1956	Harrington, Del.
289 John T. Fletcher . . . . .	1904	1956	Philadelphia, Pa.
290 James U. Watson . . . . .	1934	1956	Wilmington, Del.
291 James C. Whittington . . . . .	1956	1957	Deal Island, Md.
292 Caleb W. Shockey . . . . .	1911	1957	Wildwood, N. J.
293 Benjamin A. Arnold . . . . .	1927	1957	Darby, Pa.
294 Robert G. Waters . . . . .	1897	1957	Brooklyn, N. Y.
295 Daniel G. Waters . . . . .	1910	1957	Bridgeville, Del.
296 Luther M. Fuller . . . . .	1947	1957	West Virginia
297 Paul C. Jackson . . . . .	1957	1958	Mt. Holly, N. J.
298 Leon S. Moore . . . . .	1911	1958	Merchantville, N. J.
299 James F. Henry . . . . .	1950	1958	Quinton, N. J.
300 Joseph N. C. Davis . . . . .	1919	1959	Chester, Pa.
301 Joshua O. Ingram . . . . .	1933	1959	Nassau, Del.
302 William C. West . . . . .	1903	1959	Cambridge, Md.
303 Cornelius B. White . . . . .	1930	1960	Wattsville, Va.
304 Argalious E. Martin . . . . .	1918	1960	Brooklyn, N. Y.
305 Austin L. Black . . . . .	1932	1960	Chester, Pa.
306 Irving R. Elzey . . . . .	1933	1960	Philadelphia, Pa.
307 Frederick R. Richardson . . . . .	1930	1960	Greenwood, Del.
308 Archie L. Scriber . . . . .	1941	1960	Crisfield, Md.
309 Elmer W. Dean . . . . .	1919	1960	Lawnside, N. J.
310 Douglas M. Collins . . . . .	1935	1961	Camden, N. J.
311 James O. Lockman . . . . .	1916	1961	Lincoln, Del.
312 William A. Hubbard . . . . .	1899	1961	Philadelphia, Pa.
313 William H. Johns . . . . .	1904	1962	Bridgeton, N. J.
314 Eric G. George . . . . .	1960	1962	Royal Oak, Md.
315 Isaac B. Bivens . . . . .	1946	1962	Matthewstown, Md.
316 Malachi Rasin . . . . .	1909	1962	Richmond, Va.
317 Roland Grant . . . . .	1931	1962	Bridgeville, Del.

## IX. Historical

### SESSIONS OF THE DELAWARE CONFERENCE

Organized July 29, 1864

Ses.	Year	NAME OF CHURCH	BISHOP	SECRETARY
1	1864	John Wesley, Phila.	Edmund S. Janes	W. S. Elzey
2	1865	Ezion, Wilmington	Levi Scott	J. G. Manluff
3	1866	John Wesley, Salisbury	Matthew Simpson	W. J. Parker
4	1867	Janes, Chestertown	Edmund S. Janes	W. J. Parker
5	1868	Zoar, Philadelphia	Edmund S. Janes	W. Phillips
6	1869	St. Paul's, Milford	Edmund S. Janes	W. Phillips
7	1870	Waugh, Cambridge	Levi Scott	W. J. Parker
8	1871	Mt. Hope, Salem	Levi Scott, E. R. Ames	W. J. Parker
9	1872	Whatcoat, Dover	L. Scott, E. G. Andrews	Hooper Jolly
10	1873	Asbury, Easton	Edmund S. Janes	Hooper Jolly
11	1874	Ezion, Wilmington	Matthew Simpson	Hooper Jolly
12	1875	Ebenezer, Snow Hill	Edmund S. Janes	W. J. Parker
13	1876	Zoar, Philadelphia	Edmund S. Janes	W. J. Parker
14	1877	Janes, Chestertown	Levi Scott	G. H. Waters
15	1878	Union, St. Michaels	William L. Harris	G. H. Waters
16	1879	Waugh, Cambridge	Levi Scott	G. H. Waters
17	1880	Whatcoat, Dover	Thomas Bowman	G. H. Waters
18	1881	Ebenezer, Snow Hill	William L. Harris	G. H. Waters
19	1882	C. Wesley, Centreville	Randolph S. Foster	A. R. Shockley
20	1883	Ezion, Wilmington	E. G. Andrews	A. R. Shockley
21	1884	Asbury, Easton	C. H. Fowler	H. A. Monroe
22	1885	J. Wesley, Salisbury	Randolph S. Foster	H. A. Monroe
23	1886	Bainbridge St., Phila.	S. M. Merrill	H. A. Monroe
24	1887	Janes, Chestertown	John F. Hurst	D. A. Ridout
25	1888	Whatcoat, Dover	Cyrus D. Foss	D. A. Ridout
26	1889	St. Daniels, Chester	Thomas Bowman	J. R. Waters
27	1890	Zoar, Philadelphia	D. A. Goodsell	Jas. H. Scott
28	1891	Waugh, Cambridge	W. F. Mallalieu	Jas. H. Scott
29	1892	J. Wesley, Salisbury	E. G. Andrews	Jas. H. Scott
30	1893	Whatcoat, Dover	J. M. Walden	Jas. H. Scott
31	1894	Ezion, Wilmington	C. H. Fowler	Jas. H. Scott
32	1895	Bainbridge St., Phila.	John P. Newman	Jas. H. Scott
33	1896	St. Daniels, Chester	Isaac W. Joyce	Jas. H. Scott
34	1897	Asbury, Easton	W. X. Ninde	Jas. H. Scott
35	1898	St. John's, Orange, N. J.	John F. Hurst	J. H. Nutter
36	1899	St. Paul's, Milford, Del.	Cyrus D. Foss	J. H. Nutter
37	1900	Zoar, Philadelphia	Henry W. Warren	J. H. Nutter
38	1901	Asbury, Atlantic City	D. A. Goodsell	J. H. Nutter
39	1902	Janes, Germantown	S. M. Merrill	J. H. Nutter
40	1903	Mt. Zion, Pocomoke	C. H. Fowler	F. H. Butler
41	1904	Bainbridge St., Phila.	E. G. Andrews	F. H. Butler
42	1905	Whatcoat, Dover	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

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50	1913	Zoar, Philadelphia, Pa.	J. F. Berry	John H. Blake
51	1914	Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	W. A. Quayle	John H. Blake
52	1915	Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J.	T. S. Henderson	J. W. Fenderson
53	1916	Calvary, Phila., Pa.	R. J. Cooke	J. W. Jewett
54	1917	St. Paul's, Berlin, Md.	J. F. Berry	J. W. Jewett
55	1918	Franklin St., Cape May, N. J.	Chas. Bayard Mitchell	J. M. Dickerson
56	1919	Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	J. F. Berry	J. M. Dickerson
57	1920	E. Calvary, Phila., Pa.	M. S. Hughes	J. M. Dickerson
58	1921	J. Wesley, Salisbury, Md.	J. F. Berry	J. M. Dickerson
59	1922	Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J.	R. E. Jones	J. M. Dickerson
60	1923	John Wesley, Phila., Pa.	J. F. Berry	J. M. Dickerson
61	1924	E. Calvary, Phila., Pa.	M. W. Clair	J. M. Dickerson
62	1925	St. Johns, Newark, N. J.	J. F. Berry	J. M. Dickerson
63	1926	St. Daniel's, Chester, Pa.	W. P. Thirkield	J. M. Dickerson
64	1927	Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J.	L. B. Wilson	J. M. Dickerson
65	1928	Tindley Temple, Phila.	R. E. Jones	J. M. Dickerson
66	1929	Tindley Temple, Phila.	E. G. Richardson	J. M. Dickerson
67	1930	Waugh, Cambridge, Md.	M. W. Clair	J. M. Dickerson
68	1931	Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	E. H. Hughes	J. M. Dickerson
69	1932	Tindley Temple, Phila.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
70	1933	Janes, Germantown, Pa.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
71	1934	Tindley Temple, Phila.	Edgar Blake	C. S. Sprigg
72	1935	Haven, Phila., Pa.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
73	1936	Tindley Temple, Phila.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
74	1937	Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
75	1938	Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	Wallace E. Brown	C. S. Sprigg
76	1939	Zoar, Phila., Pa.	E. G. Richardson	C. S. Sprigg
77	1939	(Special) Zoar, Phila., Pa.	R. E. Jones	C. S. Sprigg
78	1940	Tindley Temple, Phila.	R. E. Jones	C. S. Sprigg
79	1941	Haven, Phila., Pa.	A. P. Shaw	C. S. Sprigg
80	1942	Tindley Temple, Phila.	R. E. Jones	C. S. Sprigg
81	1943	Tindley Temple, Phila.	A. P. Shaw	D. L. Ridout
82	1944	Camphor, Phila., Pa.	A. P. Shaw	D. L. Ridout
83	1945	Tindley Temple, Phila.	A. P. Shaw	D. L. Ridout
84	1946	Newman, Brooklyn, N. Y.	A. P. Shaw	D. L. Ridout
85	1947	Tindley Temple, Phila.	A. P. Shaw	D. L. Ridout
86	1948	Tindley Temple, Phila.	Fred P. Corson	D. L. Ridout
87	1949	Tindley Temple, Phila.	A. P. Shaw	A. E. Martin
88	1950	Tindley Temple, Phila.	A. P. Shaw	A. E. Martin
89	1951	Tindley Temple, Phila.	A. P. Shaw	A. E. Martin
90	1952	Tindley Temple, Phila.	A. P. Shaw	A. E. Martin
91	1953	Tindley Temple, Phila.	E. A. Love	A. E. Martin
92	1954	Janes, Germantown, Pa.	E. A. Love	A. E. Martin
93	1955	Tindley Temple, Phila.	E. A. Love	J. E. Licorish
94	1956	Tindley Temple, Phila.	Edgar A. Love	J. E. Licorish
95	1957	Tindley Temple, Phila.	Edgar A. Love	J. E. Licorish
96	1958	Tindley Temple, Phila.	Edgar A. Love	J. E. Licorish
97	1959	Tindley Temple, Phila.	Edgar A. Love	J. E. Licorish
98	1960	Tindley Temple, Phila.	Edgar A. Love	J. E. Licorish
99	1961	Tindley Temple, Phila.	Edgar A. Love	J. E. Licorish
100	1962	Tindley Temple, Phila.	Edgar A. Love	J. E. Licorish



## CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL OF MINISTERS

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The name of each member of the Conference is listed under the year in which he entered the ministry of The Methodist Church on trial or from the ministry of another church.

1889 Hampton T. Johnson	1932 Joshua W. Mickle
1901 W. C. Thompson	1932 William C. Strother, Jr.
1906 William A. T. Miles	1933 Howard A. Bailey
1910 Daniel S. Quillen	1934 Dennis R. Fletcher
1911 Samuel J. Horsey	1934 Charles P. Spencer
1912 Royal C. Hughes	1934 Crawford L. Trader
1912 James O. Stanley	1935 Carson J. Williams
1916 John I. Peaco	1937 F. Donald Jones
1916 Alexander Reid	1937 Charles E. Kiah
1916 John H. Russum	1937 John R. Shockley
1917 Robert A. F. Graham	1938 Howard E. Anderson
1917 Abraham A. McDowell	1938 Clarence W. Bagwell
1917 Ralph B. Thompson	1938 Curtis A. Elder
1918 Earl H. Crampton	1938 George H. McMurray
1918 Oliver H. Spence	1939 Sercy L. Jones
1919 James O. Griffin	1940 Joshua E. Licorish
1919 Lucius E. Jordan	1940 Henry H. Nichols
1919 Walter E. Stanley	1940 Edgar V. Wimberly
1920 Charles E. Kincade	1942 John W. Handy, Jr.
1921 Clemon B. Miles	1942 Walter R. Hazzard
1922 Seldon G. Dix	1943 Trevor C. Jones
1922 Joseph E. Dunn	1944 Augustus Chancy
1922 Thomas D. Stewart	1944 Hooker D. Davis
1923 Martin L. McKenney	1945 John E. Bishop
1924 Daniel L. Ridout	1945 Randolph Fisher
1925 George E. Geddis	1945 Edward H. Holmes
1925 John E. McBride	1945 Herman T. Moody
1925 John B. Redmond	1945 William M. Tasco
1926 Elmer P. Gibson	1945 Joseph I. Williams
1926 William P. Johnson	1946 Theodore M. Booth
1926 William E. Marks	1946 George T. Jackson
1927 Isaac W. Wallace	1946 William C. R. Mills
1928 Cyrus W. Derrickson	1946 Charles H. Molock
1928 Charles D. Gerald	1947 Malachi C. Blakley
1928 William A. Harewood	1947 James R. Bowdin
1928 O'Connell Milbourne	1947 Willard G. Brown
1929 James W. Elbert	1947 McQuay R. Kiah
1929 Cyrus W. Perry	1947 Samuel E. Parker
1929 Charles C. Thomas	1947 Samuel P. Sanders
1930 William L. D. Lyght	1947 Charles L. Willis
1930 William C. Thomas	1948 Harry R. Snead
1931 Marion O. Ballard	1949 Frederick D. Arnold
1932 Charles L. Carrington	1950 Henri M. Deas

1950 Harrison DeShields	1956 Leroy L. Hamilton
1950 Albert J. Dredde	1956 George H. Outen
1950 Thomas H. Pendleton	1957 Readus J. Watkins
1950 Samuel L. Wilkins	1957 Stevenson Winston C. Crosse
1951 Lester V. Baker	1958 Walter H. Greene
1951 William R. Mayberry	1958 Nathaniel L. Miller
1951 Samuel S. Tatem	1959 Ewart C. Hackshaw
1952 Charles W. Cannon	1959 Clayton E. Hammond
1952 George O. Commodore	1960 Abraham R. Carey
1952 Amos P. Jenkins	1960 Quincy D. Cooper
1952 C. Edgar Jordan	1960 Martin U. Riley
1952 James L. McClendon	1960 Frank W. Robinson
1952 Gilbert A. Sherman	1960 Carrol Scott
1953 George W. Cuff	1961 John W. Coleman
1954 David W. Briddell	1961 Robert L. Harris
1954 Edwin L. Ellis	1961 Richard R. Hicks
1954 Omar C. Jones	1961 Herbert E. Palmer
1954 DePriest W. Whye	1961 Floyd E. Waters
1956 Rupert A. Adams	1962 John M. Day
1956 Claude A. Edmonds	1962 Thomas G. Snowden

#### HONOR ROLL

These have served fifty years or more.

1889 Hampton T. Johnson	1911 Samuel J. Horsey
1901 W. C. Thompson	1912 Royal C. Hughes
1906 William A. T. Miles	1912 James O. Stanley
1910 Daniel S. Quillen	

## 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 C. Wilson, George L. Waters and Charles H. Coulbourne.
1916. Ministerial: Charles A. Tindley, James H. Scott and Thomas H. Kiah. Lay: Herbert S. Wilson, George L. Waters and Horatio W. Jones.
1920. Ministerial: C. A. Tindley, T. H. Kiah, D. H. Hargis, J. W. Jewett. Lay: Herbert S. Wilson, Horatio W. Jones, Mary E. Jackson and George L. Waters.
1924. Ministerial: C. A. Tindley, T. H. Kiah, F. H. Butler, J. E. A. Johns. Lay: William M. Henry, Herbert S. Wilson, Frederick S. Jewett, James H. Lewis.
1928. Ministerial: D. H. Hargis, C. A. Tindley, F. H. Butler, T. H. Kiah. Lay: Herbert S. Wilson, Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor, Miss Olive A. Hall, Dr. William W. M. Henry.
1932. Ministerial: D. H. Hargis, D. W. Henry, C. A. Tindley, F. H. Butler. Lay: Herbert S. Wilson, Miss Olive A. Hall, Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor, Mr. W. H. Staten.
1936. Ministerial: D. H. Hargis, J. T. Fletcher, D. W. Henry. Lay: H. S. Wilson, Hally P. Johns, W. H. Staten.

## DELEGATES TO THE UNITING CONFERENCE

1939. Ministerial: D. H. Hargis. Reserve: D. W. Henry. Lay: Herbert S. Wilson. Reserve: Mrs. Clarissa D. Walker.

GENERAL CONFERENCE AND JURISDICTIONAL  
CONFERENCE DELEGATES

1940. Ministerial: D. H. Hargis, D. W. Henry. Lay: Herbert S. Wilson, Wm. Staten.

- Jurisdictional: Ministerial: J. W. Jewett, Elmer P. Gibson, Leon S. Moore. Lay: Herman D. Brown, Mrs. Clarissa D. Walker, Hally P. Johns.
- Reserves: Ministerial: E. H. Crampton, Clemon B. Miles. Lay: Mrs. A. P. Camphor, Mrs. Lavina B. Jewett.
1944. Ministerial: D. W. Henry, L. S. Moore.  
Jurisdictional: Ministerial: D. H. Hargis, W. C. Thompson, W. L. D. Lyght.  
Reserve: Ministerial: D. R. Fletcher, C. D. Gerald, W. H. Mears. Lay: Herman D. Brown, Herbert S. Wilson.  
Jurisdictional: Lay: Mrs. Clarissa D. Walker, Wm. H. Staten, J. R. Webb. Reserves: Mrs. L. B. Jewett, Mrs. M. A. R. Camphor, Elwood S. Jewett.
1948. Ministerial: D. W. Henry, L. S. Moore.  
Jurisdictional: Ministerial: C. D. Gerald, W. L. D. Lyght, D. R. Fletcher, Reserves: N. W. Moore, Jr., W. H. Mears. Lay: Hally P. Johns, James R. Webb.  
Jurisdictional: Lay: Mrs. Helen C. Waters, Mrs. Clarissa D. Walker, Elwood S. Jewett. Reserves: Mrs. Ella Bailey, James Hardcastle.
1952. Ministerial: L. S. Moore, N. W. Moore, Jr. Lay: Hally P. Johns, James R. Webb.  
Jurisdictional: Ministerial: D. L. Ridout, W. L. D. Lyght, R. B. Thompson. Lay: James Hardcastle, Helen Waters, Ella Bailey.  
Reserves: Ministerial: W. H. Mears, D. R. Fletcher, E. H. Crampton. Lay: W. H. Hayman, Gilbert Griffin.
1956. GENERAL CONFERENCE:  
Ministerial: N. W. Moore, Jr., L. S. Moore.  
Laymen: Mrs. Helen C. Waters, James R. Webb.  
JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE:  
Ministerial: W. L. D. Lyght, D. R. Fletcher, M. O. Ballard.  
Laymen: W. H. Hayman, Elmer T. Hawkins, James C. Hardcastle.  
Ministerial Reserves: W. R. Hazzard, C. L. Carrington.  
Lay Reserves: Howard Miles, Hally P. Johns.
1960. GENERAL CONFERENCE:  
Ministerial: N. W. Moore, Jr., W. R. Hazzard.  
Ministerial Reserves: D. R. Fletcher, M. O. Ballard.  
Laymen: Mrs. Helen C. Waters, H. P. Johns.  
Lay Reserves: J. C. Hardcastle, E. T. Hawkins.  
JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RESERVES  
Ministerial: W. L. D. Lyght, H. A. Bailey.  
Lay: J. R. Webb, Mrs. Helen F. Loatman.



# X. Miscellaneous

## RULES OF ORDER

### DELAWARE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

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#### **RULE I.—Decisions**

The president shall decide all questions of order subject to appeal to the Conference. The appeal shall be taken without debate. The appellant and the Chair may state the reason for their position. In case of a tie vote, the Chair is sustained.

#### **RULE II.—The Appointment of Committees and Commissions**

The bishop shall nominate all committees and commissions, unless the Discipline, the Charter, or the Conference specifically orders otherwise.

#### **RULE III.—Securing the Floor**

The member shall respectfully address the presiding officer as "Mr. Chairman." The member shall not proceed to speak until he has been recognized by the presiding officer. He shall give his name before beginning to speak.

#### **RULE IV.—Interruption of Speaker**

No member who has the floor shall be interrupted, except for a breach of order or misrepresentation, arrival of time for special order, or urgent question of high privilege. The speaker may explain if he thinks he is misrepresented.

#### **RULE V.—Speaking More Than Once; Length of Speech**

No member shall speak twice on the same question, if any member, who has not spoken, desires the floor; or more than twice on the same subject under the same motion; nor longer than FIVE minutes, unless the time be extended.

#### **RULE VI.—Attendance Upon Sessions**

No lay or ministerial member shall be absent from the Conference Sessions without its consent, unless ill; and no reserve lay delegate shall be seated until he has been certified by the district superintendent to the Conference secretary.

#### **RULE VII.—Voting**

No member shall be permitted to vote or speak who is not within the legal limits of the Conference.

#### **RULE VIII.—Reports and Resolutions**

All reports and resolutions, except those noted below, shall be mimeographed and distributed a day in advance of consideration. The following reports and resolutions are not subject to this rule:

Resolution of Welcome; Resolution of Appreciation; Report from the Board of Ministerial Training and other reports that are to be considered in the Executive Session. These reports must be presented in triplicate.

**RULE IX.—Tabling Motions**

A motion may be laid on the table any time prior to the vote is taken. A motion to lay on the table takes with it all motions to which it adheres and which adheres to it.

**RULE X.—Non-Debatable Questions**

1. To adjourn, when unqualified, except to adjourn to the Conference finally.
2. To suspend the rule.
3. To lay on the table, providing a representative of the committee shall have the right to speak.
4. To take from the table.
5. To call for a previous question.
6. To reconsider a non-debatable question.
7. To limit or extend the time of debate.
8. To call for order of the day.

**RULE XI.—Precedence of Secondary Motions**

When one or more motions are pending, the order of a precedence in relation to each other shall be:

1. To fix the time to adjourn (subject to amendment, or may be laid on the table).
2. To adjourn.
3. To take recess.
4. To order a previous question.
5. To lay on the table.
6. To limit or extend limits of debate.
7. To postpone to a given time.
8. To commit or refer.
9. To amend or substitute (one amendment being allowed to an amendment).
10. To postpone indefinitely.

**RULE XII.—Motion to Adjourn**

A motion to adjourn when unqualified 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 and before it is finally decided.
3. When the previous question has been ordered and action thereunder is pending.
4. When a motion to adjourn has been lost and no business or debate has intervened.
5. When a motion to fix the time for the Conference to adjourn is pending.

**RULE XIII.—Reconsideration**

A motion to reconsider an action of the Conference shall be in order if offered by a member voting with the prevailing side. If the motion it is proposed to reconsider is non-debatable, the motion to consider is non-debatable.

**RULE XIV.—The Previous Question**

The previous question shall be taken without debate when ordered by two-thirds of those present and voting. If any secondary motion, or motions are pending, the mover shall indicate to what he intended the motion to apply. If he does not, the motion shall be regarded as applying only to the immediately depending question. The previous question shall not apply in cases where the character of a member is pending, or on matters of conference relations.

**RULE XV.—Written Motion**

All motions shall be in writing when requested by the presiding officer or secretary.

**RULE XVI.—Unlawful Motions After Speech**

It shall not be lawful for a member, after discussing a pending question and before he has relinquished the floor, to make a motion whose adoption would limit or stop the debate.

**RULE XVII.—Division of Question**

Before the vote is taken, any member shall have the right to call for a division of any question if it is subject to such division as he indicates.

**RULE XVIII.—Suspension of Rules**

These rules may be suspended by a two-thirds vote of those present and voting.

**RULE XIX.—Amendment of the Rules**

Rules may be amended by a two-thirds vote of those present and voting, providing the amendment has been presented one day in advance of voting.

**RULE XX.—Robert's Rules of Order**

In any parliamentary situation not clearly covered by these rules, the Conference shall be governed by the current edition of the Robert's Rules of Order.

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**MISCELLANEOUS LEGISLATION****RULE XXI.—Admitted on Trial**

A person may be admitted on trial who meets the Disciplinary requirements and who, on the opening day of the Conference, has not reached his fifty-third (53rd) birthday.

**RULE XXII.—Retirement of Ministers**

Ministerial members shall be retired according to the Discipline. In cases where two or more ages have been given, the age first given shall be the retirement age.

**RULE XXIII.—Fifty Years of Service**

The Conference shall take special recognition of those ministers serving fifty (50) years.

**RULE XXIV.—Appointment of Assistant and Associate Pastors**

Assistant and associate pastors shall be appointed by the Bishop and his Cabinet from the ranks of the ministers upon request of a local church. The appointment must be satisfactory to the regular pastor.

**RULE XXV.—Fiscal Year**

The Conference fiscal year shall end twenty (20) days prior to the opening of the Annual Conference. Pastors' reports shall be in ten (10) days prior to the opening day of the Conference.

**RULE XXVI.—Conference Entertainment Fund**

The amount for conference entertainment shall be determined by the Conference upon the recommendation of the Commission on World Service and Finance. This amount shall cover the cost of entertaining the ministers and their wives, lay delegates, special Conference guests, members of the Commission on World Service and Finance, widows and two assistants on the Daily Bulletin staff.

**RULE XXVII.—The Conference Program Committee**

The Conference Program Committee shall be composed of one minister and one layman elected by each of the District Conferences, the district superintendents, the host pastor, the Conference lay leader and the president of the Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service.

**RULE XXVIII.—Program Planning**

The Board of Ministerial Training, the Board of Pensions and the Board of Missions shall have authority to plan respectfully the Ordination Service, Memorial Service and the Missionary Sermon, including the selection of respective speakers without regard to district lines. In each instance the program must be approved by the presiding bishop.

**RULE XXIX.—Board of Education**

The Board of Education shall consist of two (2) ministers, two (2) laymen from each district, six (6) members at large and such other members as the Discipline may direct.

**RULE XXX.—Pictures in the Journal**

Pictures in the Conference Journal shall be limited to: deceased ministers, newly appointed district superintendents, host pastor and the presiding bishop.

**RULE XXXI.—Organization of Conference**

The secretary shall prepare the resolution of organization for the Delaware Annual Conference after consultation with the Bishop and the Cabinet with the exception of quadrennial officers. The same to be printed in the Pre-Conference Report booklet. Other nominations may be made from the floor.



**RULE XXXII.—Elders Orders**

Only those persons shall be elected to local elders orders, either man or woman, whose appointment to a charge as a preacher in charge has been requested by the district superintendent.

**RULE XXXIII.—Ministers in Retired Relations—Membership on Boards, Commissions and Committees**

A minister holding a position on a quadrennial board, commission or committee upon entering the retired relation, may complete the term for which he was elected.

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Trenton: Henry Lyons, 338 Walnut Ave., Trenton 9, N. J.

Trevoze: Johnnie Jackson, 4348 Somerton Rd., Trevoze, Pa.

White Plains: James Gibson, 71 Winthrop Ave., White Plains, N. Y.

#### Salisbury District

Crisfield: Walton Gray, 108 South St., Crisfield, Md.

Union Asbury-Liberia: Glenwood Whittington, Marion, Md.

Dames Quarter: Michell Beckett, Chance, Md.; Jack Wigfall, Dames Quarter, Md.; Louis Anderson, Deal Island, Md.

Girdletree: James Stevenson, Girdletree, Md.; Wilson Smith, Snow Hill, Md.;

Alonza Parker, Girdletree, Md.

- Hopewell: Leonard Cuttingham, Marion, Md.  
 Horntown: Clyde Cannon, Horntown, Va.; John Waters, New Church, Va.  
 Keller-Exmore: Levi Addison, Melfa, Va.  
 Leemont: Lesly Trent, Accomac, Va.; Fred Wise, Onancock, Va.  
 Manokin: Kenneth Fountain, Manokin, Md.  
 Marion Station: Sidney Whittington and Melvin Turpin, Marion, Md.  
 Mt. Vernon: Brisco Pinkett and James Bailey, Rt. 1, Princess Anne, Md.  
 Nanticoke: Thomas Barkley, Nanticoke, Md.  
 Oakville: Frank Cornish, Eden, Md.; Ballard Milbourne, Westover, Md.;  
 William Stewart, Rt. 2, Princess Anne, Md.  
 Quantico: Roland Johnson, Quantico, Md.  
 Salisbury-John Wesley: Anthony Burris, 128 Second St., Salisbury, Md.  
 Upper Hill: George K. Waters and Harold Waters, Fairmount, Md.  
 Hutts-Friendship: Alexander Hardy, Ross St., Snow Hill, Md.  
 Snow Hill: Hugh Carey, Sr., 106 Ross St., Snow Hill, Md.  
 Stockton: David Leonard Tull, 714 6th St., Pocomoke, Md.; Hargi Fletcher,  
 Rt. 2, Pocomoke, Md.  
 Unionville: Moses Wilson and Hurley Dashiell, Rt. 2, Pocomoke, Md.  
 Wachapreague: Leonard Shields, Melfa, Va.  
 Wattsville: Dennis Scarborough, New Church, Va.; William Matthews, Modes-  
 town, Va.  
 Wetipquin: James Cornish, Wetipquin, Md.

#### Wilmington District

##### Atlantic City—

- Asbury: Paul Jones, 15 N. Indiana Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.  
 Hamilton: Elmer Brown, 509 N. Kentucky Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.  
 Bridgeton: Percy Smith, 123 Central Ave., Bridgeton, N. J.  
 Burlington: Alfonso Williamson, 448 Washington Ave., Burlington, N. J.  
 Buttonwood-Christiana: Lester Gordy, Railroad Ave., Buttonwood, New  
 Castle, Del.; William Harris, Neurys Lane, Christiana, Del.

##### Camden—

- Eighth Street: Grover James, 1026 S. 6th St., Camden, N. J.  
 Ferry Avenue: Rufus Wharton.

##### Cape May-Swainton: Howard Wing, RFD 1, Cape May, N. J.

##### Chester—

- Grace: Melvin Kennedy, 1619 W. 3rd St., Chester, Pa.  
 Siloam: James Carroll, 319 Yarnall St., Chester, Pa.  
 St. Daniels: Samuel T. Swiggett, 924 Central Ave., Chester, Pa.  
 Darby: Murray Spencer, 1009 Burnside Rd., Sharon Hill, Pa.  
 Delair: Douglass King, 7508 Pleasant Ave., Delair, N. J.  
 Elkton: William Thompson, 122 Collins St., Elkton, Md.  
 Grenloch-Rhodes & Berlin: Edwin Davis, Blackwood, N. J.  
 Lawnside: I. B. Bryant, Emleon Ave., Lawnside, N. J.  
 Merchantville: Gerald Walker, 6207 Clayton Ave., Merchantville, N. J.  
 Middletown-Delaware City: Harry Todd, Middletown, Del.; Leslie Carter,  
 Delaware City, Del.  
 Mt. Holly: Joseph Yancy, 279 Holman St., Mt. Holly, N. J.  
 New Castle: Jasper Coger, 116 E. 4th St., New Castle, Del.

## DELAWARE CONFERENCE

- Newport: John Gardner, 409 Talladega Drive, Wilmington 1, Del.  
 Odessa-Port Penn: Preston Stigar, Port Penn, Del.  
 Port Norris: George Robinson, Port Norris, N. J.  
 Quinton-Springton: Frank Harris, RFD 1, Bridgeton, N. J.  
 St. Georges-Kirkwood: Herbert Brown, Kirkwood, Del.; Nicholas Scott, St. Georges, Del.  
 Salem: Nelson Saunders, 264 Sinnickson St., Salem, N. J.  
 Wilmington—  
   Coleman Memorial: Rudolph Congo, 412 Talladega Dr., Wilmington, Del.  
   Ezion: Harrison R. Hamilton, 204 E. 5th St., Wilmington, Del.  
   Haven: Samuel Peterson, 3101 W. 4th St., Wilmington, Del.  
   Mt. Carmel: George Harris, 402 E. 11th St., Wilmington, Del.  
   Mt. Joy: Lorenzo Harris, 619 W. 7th St., Wilmington, Del.  
 Woodbury-Jericho: Thomas Cooper, 71 Carpenter St., Woodbury, N. J.; Isiah Kersey, Cattell Rd., Wenonah, N. J.

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- President—Leotia Carroll, 319 Yarnall St., Chester, Pa.  
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## Philadelphia District

## Brooklyn—

John Wesley: Mrs. Zethea Gordon, 109-31 Ditmars Blvd., E. Elmhurst, N. Y.

Newman: Mrs. Elsie Holder, 438 Madison St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Redeemer: Mrs. Geneva Davidson, 98 Brooklyn Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Montclair: Albert Harris, 1 Cloverhill Pl., Montclair, N. J.

## Newark—

St. John's: Robert Wimbush, 98 Amherst St., Newark, N. J.

St. Matthew's: Mrs. Miriam Marshall, 257 So. 6th St., Newark, N. J.

New York-Butler: William Pike, 3008 Grace Ave., New York 69, N. Y.

## Philadelphia—

Community: Mrs. Ruth Thomas, 6203 Spruce St., Phila. 43, Pa.

East Germantown: Luther Gibson, Jr., 124 W. Sharpnack St., Phila. 38, Pa.

Emmanuel: George Cooper, 1625 W. Cumberland St., Phila. 32, Pa.

Frankford: Miss Dorothy Grier, 4818 Hawthorne St., Phila. 24, Pa.

Haven: Wymer Stewart, Jr., 1613 N. 30th St., Phila. 21, Pa.

Germantown: Miss Natalie Banks, 120 W. Sharpnack St., Phila. 19, Pa.

John Wesley: Miss Sallye Derrickson, 5307 Haverford Ave., Phila. 39, Pa.  
 Mt. Zion: Mrs. Myrtle Moore, 1523 N. Camac St., Phila., Pa.  
 Peniel: Willie Nimmons, 2556 N. Dover St., Phila. 32, Pa.  
 Tindley Temple: Miss Reba Frances, 620 S. 57th St., Phila. 43, Pa.  
 Tioga: Mrs. Margaret K. Outen, 3526 N. 18th St., Phila., Pa.  
 Zoar: Ernest Moody, 6641 Sprague St., Phila. 19, Pa.  
 Trevoese: Neil Stewart, 4432 Somerton Rd., Trevoese, Pa.  
 White Plains: Wilmer Smith, 58 Chatterton Ave., White Plains, N. Y.

## Salisbury District

Crisfield: Blancia Cottman, Chesapeake Ave., Crisfield, Md.  
 Union Asbury-Liberia: Mary Bishop, Marion, Md.  
 Girdletree: Charles Dennis, Rt. 1, Snow Hill, Md.  
 Horntown: Elizabeth Cannon, Horntown, Va.; Granville Waters, New Church, Va.  
 Keller-Exmore: Marion Matthew, Melfa, Va.  
 Leemont: Olivia White, Parksley, Va.; Fred Wise, Onancock, Va.  
 Mt. Vernon: James Bailey, Rt. 1, Princess Anne, Md.  
 Nanticoke: Martha H. Nutter, Nanticoke, Md.  
 Oakville: Dorothy Mae Barkley, Eden, Md.; Hattie Cottman, Westover, Md.; George Stewart, Rt. 2, Princess Anne, Md.  
 Quantico: Louise Dutton, Quantico, Md.; Benjamin Morris, Chestnut St., Hebron, Md.  
 Upper Hill: Mary Witlow, Upper Hill, Md.  
 Snow Hill: Albert J. Allen, Dieghton St., Snow Hill, Md.  
 Stockton: David L. Tull, 714 6th St., Pocomoke, Md.; Rosie Manuel, Stockton, Md.  
 Wachapreague: George Smith, Wachapreague, Va.  
 Wattsville: Viola Douglas, New Church, Va.; Beatrice Miller, Atlantic, Va.  
 Wetipquin: Wilson Jones, Jesterville, Md.

## Wilmington District

Burlington, N. J.: Mrs. Edith Allen, 456 Washington Ave., Burlington, N. J.  
 Camden—  
 Eighth Street: Mrs. Berkeloie Shockley, Camden, N. J.  
 Ferry Avenue: Mrs. Edith Curley, 2126 Van Buren St., Camden, N. J.  
 Chester—  
 St. Daniels: Miss Natalie Hunt, 310 Central Ave., Chester, Pa.  
 Delair: Mrs. Alma White 1816 Deroose Ave., Delair, N. J.  
 Fordville: Albert N. Street, RFD 2, Bridgeton, N. J.  
 Middletown-Delaware City: Mrs. L. Womack, Middletown, Del.  
 New Castle: Mrs. Bertha Gatewood, 405 Williams St., New Castle, Del.  
 Newport: Clifford Cooper.  
 Odessa-Port Penn: Preston Stigars.  
 Wilmington—  
 Coleman Memorial: Miss Gwendolyn West, 2622 Bowers St., Wilmington, Del.  
 Haven: Mrs. Olga Street, 1701 W. 2nd St., Wilmington, Del.  
 Mt. Carmel: Mrs. Mary Gray, 402 N. Cleveland Ave., Wilmington, Del.



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Mt. Joy: Miss Victoria Randolph, 605 Buttonwood St., Wilmington, Del.  
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 Coleman: Serena Brooks, Rt. 1, Worton, Md.  
 Dover: Gloria Morris, Rt. 2, Dover, Del.  
 Delmar: Barbara Wilson, Delmar, Md.  
 Fairlee: Shirley Black, Fairlee, Md.  
 Laurel: Vernon Cottman, Laurel, Del.  
 Lewes: Mary E. Miller, Lewes, Del.  
 Lincoln: Evelyn Young, Lincoln, Del.  
 Milford: Druscilla Mosley, Milford, Del.  
 Millington: Isaac Wilson, Millington, Md.  
 Nassau: Janie Waples, Rehoboth, Del.  
 Newark: Helen Purnell, Berlin, Md.  
 North Berlin: Sylvia Tunnell, Berlin, Md.  
 Pomona: Brenda Lively, Queen St., Chestertown, Md.  
 Rock Hall: Mary Washington, Rock Hall, Md.  
 Seaford: Nora L. Bowden, Seaford, Del.  
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Aireys: Rebecca Montgomery, RFD 2, Cambridge, Md.  
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- Carmichaels: Miriam Wright, Queenstown, Md.; Carolyn Washington, Queenstown, Md.
- Centreville: Vivian Malone, 106 Holten St., Centreville, Md.; Anna Hawkins, RFD 3, Centreville, Md.
- Church Hill: Melvin Dobson, RFD 2, Centreville, Md.; Catherine Cheers, RFD 2, Centreville, Md.; Shirley Wilson, RFD 1, Centreville, Md.
- Cordova: Brenda Wilmer, Queen Anne, Md.; James Hawkins, RFD 3, Centreville, Md.; Edith Harris, Queen Anne, Md.
- Denton-Williston: Alethia Stanford, Hillsboro, Md.; Lillian Potts, RFD, Hillsboro, Md.
- East New Market: Alverta Scott, East New Market, Md.
- Easton: James Poney, Port St., Easton, Md.
- Easton Circuit: Freddie Roberts, RFD 2, Trappe, Md.
- Federalsburg: Geraldine Stanley, Federalsburg, Md.
- Greensboro: Allusia Johnson, Goldsboro, Md.
- Hurlock: Ola Mae Hopkins, Hurlock, Md.; Barbara Tabron, Hurlock, Md.
- Linkwood: Barbara Young, RFD 2, Cambridge, Md.
- Marydel: Alice Cain, Marydel, Md.
- Miles River: Ruth Gibson, RFD 2, Easton, Md.
- Oxford: Joyce Taylor, Oxford, Md.
- Preston: Curtis Jenkins, RFD 1, Box 165, Hurlock, Md.
- Ridgely: Reginal Downs, Ridgely, Md.
- Royal Oak: Leslie Hill, Royal Oak, Md.; Susie K. Moore, Bellevue, Md.
- St. Michaels: Delores Palmer, St. Michaels, Md.
- Taylor's Island: Doris Wheatly, Taylor's Island, Md.; Patricia Jones, Taylor's Island, Md.
- Trappe: Patricia Chase, Trappe, Md.
- Wittman: Harry Allen, Sherwood, Md.; Martha Reed, Sherwood, Md.

#### Philadelphia District

##### Brooklyn—

- Bethel: Stephen Brown, 1129 Dean St., Brooklyn 16, N. Y.
- John Wesley: Priscilla Larrier, 60 Kosciusko St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
- Newman: Stanley Johnson, 587 A Lexington Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
- Redeemer: Naomi Licorish, 7 Albany Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Montclair: George Meredith, 16 Lexington Ave., Montclair, N. J.

##### Newark—

St. John's: Edward Skipper, 484 Hunterdon St., Newark, N. J.

New Rochelle: Nabitt Fisher, 56 Morris St., New Rochelle, N. Y.

##### New York City—

Butler: Dorothy Smith, 812 E. 222nd St., New York 67, N. Y.

Orange: Douglas Riley, 191 Main St., Orange, N. J.

Ossining: Robert Everett, 21 Ann St., Ossining, N. Y.

##### Philadelphia—

Camphor: Ruth Harding, 524 N. Conestoga St., Phila., Pa.

Community: Ronald Campbell, 144 N. Salford St., Phila., Pa.

East Germantown: Esther Frisby, 6126 N. Lambert St., Phila. 38, Pa.

Emmanuel: Roger Barker, 2356 N. Gratz St., Phila. 32, Pa.

Frankford: Ophelia Harris, 5539 Morton St., Phila. 44, Pa.

## DELAWARE CONFERENCE

- Haven: Melvin Newsome, 2312 W. Oxford St., Phila. 21, Pa.  
 Germantown: Vincent Young, 264 E. Johnson St., Phila. 44, Pa.  
 John Wesley: Eleanor McKoy, 865 N. 42nd St., Phila., Pa.  
 Mt. Zion: Arlene Bryant, 1341 N. 8th St., Phila., Pa.  
 Peniel: Juanita Richards, 2511 W. Oxford St., Phila. 21, Pa.  
 St. Barnabas: Frances Dixon, 1222 S. Bucknell St., Phila., Pa.  
 Tindley Temple: Audrey Williams, 2630 Federal St., Phila., Pa.  
 Tioga: Fred Mitchell, 3622 N. 18th St., Phila., Pa.  
 Zoar: Donald Henderson, 1756 N. 26th St., Phila. 21, Pa.  
 Trenton: Diane Givens, 107 Hilcrest Rd., Trenton 8, N. J.  
 Trevose: Jerry Dawkins, 2415 Linconia Ave., Trevose, Pa.  
 White Plains: Robin Green, 9 Washington Pl., White Plains, N. Y.

## Salisbury District

- Union Asbury-Liberia: Rosemont Hull, Crisfield, Md.; Faye Outen, Marion, Md.  
 Dames Quarter: Richard White, Deal Island, Md.  
 Girdletree: Beatrice Wharton, Girdletree, Md.; Carolyn Purnell, Newark, Md.; Earnest Bishop, Snow Hill, Md.  
 Hopewell: Attrue Johnson, Marion, Md.  
 Horntown: Geneva Cannon, Horntown, Va.; Elizabeth Marshall, New Church, Va.  
 Keller-Exmore: Mary Lee Matthews, Melfa, Va.  
 Leemont: Faye Cuttler, Parksley, Va.; Myrtle Poston, Onancock, Va.  
 Manokin: Beatrice Fountain, Manokin, Md.  
 Marion Station: Esther Handy, Marion, Md.  
 Mt. Vernon: Anna Mae Doane and Helen Pinkett, Rt. 1, Princess Anne, Md.  
 Nanticoke: Richard Waters, Nanticoke, Md.  
 Oakville: Frances Brooks, Eden, Md.; Dorothy Hayward, Westover, Md.; Ida Wells, Princess Anne, Md., Rt. 2.  
 Quantico: Unice Larence, Quantico, Md.  
 Salisbury-John Wesley: Mary J. Alexandra, 509 Booth St., Salisbury, Md.  
 Upper Hill: Helen Johnson, Upper Hill, Md.  
 Snow Hill: Hugh Carey, Jr., 106 N. Ross St., Snow Hill, Md.  
 Stockton: Roland Lee Allen, Jr., Stockton, Md.  
 Unionville: Gardena Matthews and Densar Teagle, Rt. 2, Pocomoke, Md.  
 Wachapreague: Wallace Smith, Rt. 1, Wachapreague, Va.  
 Wattsville: Jerry Christopher, Wattsville, Va.; Caroline Marshall, Atlantic, Va.  
 Wetipquin: Bernice Deshields, Jesterville, Md.; Cynthia Camphor, Quantico, Md.  
 Whaleyville: Priscilla Johnson, Bishop, Md.; Jacqueline Major, Whaleyville, Md.

## Wilmington District

## Atlantic City—

- Asbury: Brenda Torrence, 32 Lake St., Pleasantville, N. J.  
 Hamilton: Charles H. Davis, 745 Sewell Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.  
 Burlington, N. J.: Edith Peaker, 537 York St., Burlington, N. J.

Buttonwood-Christiana: Ernest Tunner, Railroad Ave., Buttonwood, Del.

Camden—

Eighth Street: Willa M. Pruitt, 126 Mechanic St., Camden, N. J.

Ferry Avenue: Herbert Pheonel, Jr., 2028 S. 7th St., Camden, N. J.

Chester—

Siloam: Carol Ann Davis.

St. Daniels: La Mar Turner, 610 Kerlin St., Chester, Pa.

Darby: Shirley Sharpe.

Delair: Dianne Clark, 7318 Forrest Ave., Delair, N. J.

Fordville: Lilia Cuff, 6 Budd St., Bridgeton, N. J.

Middletown-Delaware City: Penola Bunkley, Middletown, Del.; Vivian Lee,  
Delaware City, Del.

New Castle: Brenda Coger, 111 E. 4th Street, New Castle, Del.

Newport: William Pierce, 106 Kiamensi Rd., Wilmington 4, Del.

Pleasantville: Allen Harmon.

Quinton: Marcella Moore, RFD 1, Bridgeton, N. J.

St. Georges-Kirkwood: Carolyn Anderson, Kirkwood, Del.

Salem: Donald Brown, 404 Keasley St., Salem, N. J.

Wilmington—

Coleman Memorial: Clara Thomas.

Ezion: William Butcher, 1501 W. 3rd St., Wilmington, Del.

Haven: John Shockley, Jr., 412 N. Clayton St., Wilmington, Del.

Mt. Carmel: Pamela Wimberly, 922 Lombard St., Wilmington, Del.

Mt. Joy: Thomas Chancy, 455 Townsend St., Wilmington, Del.

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# XI. Pastoral Records

## CONFERENCE MEMBERS

The date following the minister's name indicates the year he entered the ministry of The Methodist Church on trial or from the ministry of another church. The numbers indicate years of service at each appointment.

<b>Adams, Rupert A. 1956.</b>		<b>Left without appointment to attend school</b>	<b>1</b>
Wattsville, Va. ....	3	East Germantown, Pa. ....	3
Delair, N. J. ....	4		
<b>Anderson, H. E. 1938.</b>		<b>Booth, Theo. M. 1946.</b>	
Oriole, Md. ....	4	John Wesley, Salisbury, Md. ....	2
Fruitland, Md. ....	1	Haven, Wilmington, Del. ....	3
Wattsville, Va. ....	6	White Plains, N. Y. ....	9
Leemont, Va. ....	6	St. Johns, Newark, N. J. ....	3
Easton, Md. ....	3		
John Wesley, Salisbury, Md. ....	3	<b>Bowdoin, J. R. 1947.</b>	
Chestertown, Md. ....	2	McDaniel, Md. ....	1
		Crapo and Golden Hill, Md. ....	3
<b>Arnold, Frederick. 1949.</b>		Church Creek, Md. ....	1
<b>Left without appointment to attend school</b>	<b>2</b>	Retired 1952.	
Centreville, Md. ....	2	Grenloch & Rhodes	1
Preston, Md. ....	2	Conference Evangelist	2
White Temple, Salisbury, Md. ....	3½	Keller & Exmore, Va. ....	1
Trenton, N. J. ....	5	Retired, 1958	
		<b>Bridgell, David.—1954.</b>	
<b>Bagwell, C. W. 1938.</b>		<b>Left without appointment to attend school</b>	<b>1</b>
Keller, Va. ....	1	Shiloh, Crisfield, Md. ....	2
Clarksville, Del. ....	1	Emmanuel, Phila. ....	6
Pomona, Md. ....	3		
Naassau, Del. ....	5	<b>Brown, W. G. 1947.</b>	
Eighth St., Camden, N. J. ....	2	Sharptown, Md. ....	2
Centreville, Md. ....	1	North Berlin, Md. ....	8
Greensboro, Md. ....	3	Jersey City, N. J. ....	5
Laurel, Del. ....	7½	Montclair, N. J. ....	1
Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J. ....	1½		
		<b>Carey, Abraham R. 1960.</b>	
<b>Bailey, Howard A. 1933.</b>		White Haven, Md. ....	3 mos.
Grenloch and Rhodes, N. J. ....	2	In School	1 yr., 9 mos.
Atlantic City, Hamilton Memorial	3	Lincoln, Del. ....	1
Newport, Del. ....	4		
Salem, N. J. ....	1	<b>Cannon, Charles. 1951.</b>	
Executive Secretary, Christian Education Delaware Conference	19	Cottage Grove, Md. ....	1
		Unionville, Md. ....	8½
<b>Baker, Lester V.—1951.</b>		White Temple, Salisbury, Md. ....	1½
East Calvary, N. Y. C. ....	2		
New Rochelle, N. Y. ....	5	<b>Carrington, Charles L. 1932.</b>	
Redeemer, Brooklyn, N. Y. ....	3	West Texas Conference, 1932-1937	
		Transferred to Delaware Conference, 1937	
<b>Ballard, M. O. 1931.</b>		Butler, New York City	4
Fairlee, Md. ....	3	Brooks, Jamaica, N. Y. ....	22
Millington, Md. ....	4		
Nassau, Del. ....	3	<b>Chancy, Augustus. 1944.</b>	
North Berlin, Md. ....	4	Chestertown, Md. ....	4
Zoar, Phila., Pa. ....	8	Bridgeton, N. J. ....	2
Supt. Dover District	4	Easton, Md. ....	5
Camphor Mem., Phila., Pa. ....	4	Salem, N. J. ....	5
		Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del. ....	3
<b>Bishop, J. E. 1945.</b>			
Port Norris, N. J. ....	17	<b>Commodore, George O. 1952.</b>	
		Unionville, Md. ....	1
<b>Blakely, Malachi C. 1947.</b>		Nanticoke, Md. ....	7
Shipside Mission, Philadelphia	1	Pocomoke, Md. ....	3
Nassau, Del. ....	5		
Bridgeton, N. J. ....	3	<b>Cooper, Quincy D. 1960.</b>	
Delair, N. J. ....	3	Student Supply Pastor, 1958-60	
		Lewes, Del. ....	5

Crampton, E. H. 1918.		New Rochelle, N. J.	1
Ossining, N. Y.	1	Delair, N. J.	1
Transferred to New England Conference, 1919.		Delmar, Del.	1
Worcester, Mass.	4	Camphor, Phila., Pa.	4
Transferred to Del. Conf. 1923.		Newport, Del.	6
White Plains, N. Y.	1	Brooklyn, N. Y., John Wesley	3
Pleasantville, N. J.	3	Orange, N. J.	3
Lawnside, N. J.	8	White Plains, N. Y.	4
Brooklyn, N. Y., Newman	6	John Simmons, Phila.	2
Edion, Wilm., Del.	3½	Peniel, Phila., Pa.	2
Supt. Philadelphia District	6	St. Thomas, Frankford, Pa.	2
Haven, Phila., Pa.	10½	East Germantown, Pa.	8
Retired, 1961	2½	Conf. Treasurer, Director of Stewardship	3
New Rochelle, N. Y.	1	Edmonds, Claude, A. 1956.	
Trevoise, Pa.		Aireys, Md.	1
Crosse, S. Winston C. 1933.		Denton-Williston, Md.	4
British Methodist Church, 1933-1957		Cambridge, Md.	2
Transferred to Delaware Conference, 1957		Elbert, J. W. 1931.	
Shiloh, Crisfield, Md.	1	Englewood, N. J.	2
White Temple, Salisbury, Md.	3½	Oriole, Md.	3
Laurel, Del.	1½	Unionville, Md.	4
Cuff, G. Wayne. 1953.		Salisbury, Md., John Wesley	2
Left without appointment to attend school	2	Dover, Del.	3
Grenloch and Rhodes	3	Newark, N. J.	4
Newport, Del.	5	Peniel, Phila., Pa.	10
Davis, H. D. 1944.		Supt., Salisbury Dist.	3
Townsend, Del.	3	Elder, C. A. 1938.	
Laurel, Del.	4	East Tennessee Conference:	
White's Temple, Salisbury, Md.		Hurst Memorial, Chattanooga, Tenn.	2
Hamilton Memorial, Atlantic City, N. J.	9	Morristown, Tenn.	5
Deas, H. M. 1950.		Transferred to Delaware Conference, 1945	
Lewes, Del.	1½	Stockton, Md.	2½
New Rochelle, N. Y.	5	John Wesley, Salisbury, Md.	10
Newman, Brooklyn, N. Y.	8	Orange, N. J.	5
Derrickson, C. W. 1928.		Ellis, Edwin. 1954.	
McDaniel, Md.	4	Middletown & Delaware City	3
Church Hill, Md.	7	Princess Anne, Md.	3
Preston, Md.	5	Associate Pastor,	
Easton, Md.	7	Brooks, Jamaica, N. Y.	2
Mt. Zion, Phila., Pa.	6	St. Barnabas, Phila., Pa.	1
Supt. Salisbury District	3	Fisher, Randolph. 1945.	
John Wesley, Phila., Pa.		Cheswold, Del.	3
Deashields, Harrison. 1952.		Trappe, Md.	2
Frankford, Phila, Pa.	2	Milford, Del.	6
Left without appointment to attend school	3	Orange, N. J.	1
Supernumerary	3	Easton, Md.	4
Professor, Alabama State College		Ossining, N. Y.	
Dix, Seldon G. 1922.		Fletcher, D. R. 1934.	
Oriole, Md.	4	Spring Lake, N. J.	1
Wittman, Md.	2	Bethsaida, Phila., Pa.	2
Quinton & Springtown	1	Centreville Ct., Md.	1
On leave of absence	1	Peniel, Phila., Pa.	9
Supernumerary	1	Board of Missions	16
Galena, Md.	6	Geddes, G. E. 1925.	
Cambridge Ct., Md.	2	South Carolina Conf., Claflin College	2
Townsend, Del.	5	Wesley College, McBee, S. C.	1
Bridgeville Ct., Del.	1	Charleston, S. C., Old Bethel Church	2
Milford, Del.	6	Seneca, S. C., Wesley Church	3½
Mardela Springs, Md.	6	Kingston, S. C., Wilson Chapel	3 yrs., 3 mo.
Newman, Brooklyn, N. Y.	5	Delaware Conf., S. Berlin, Md.	2
Federalburg, Md.		Chestertown, Md.	3
Retired, 1960		Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	3
Dredden, A. J. 1950.		John Wesley, Brooklyn, N. Y.	2
Lewes, Del.	3	Snow Hill, Md.	3
Seaford, Del.	4	Orange, N. J.	2
North Berlin, Md.	6	Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J.	3
Dunn, Joseph E. 1922		Merchantville, N. J.	6
Ocean City, N. J.	1	Gerald, C. D. 1928.	
		Keller, Va.	4
		Parsonburg, Md.	2
		Pomona, Md.	4

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Cambridge, Md. ....	5	Hackshaw, Ewart C. 1959.	
Supt., Dover District .....	6	British Methodist Church	
Camphor, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	3	Transferred to Delaware Conf., 1959	
Princess Anne, Md. ....	5	Rock Hall, Md. ....	4
Seaford, Del. ....	6		
<b>Gibson, Elmer P. 1926.</b>		<b>Hamilton, Leroy L. 1956.</b>	
Grace & Darby, Pa. ....	3	Newark, Md. ....	2
Camphor Mem., Phila., Pa. ....	4	Sharptown, Md. ....	3
John Wesley, Salisbury, Md. ....	8	Dover, Del. ....	2
Chaplain U. S. Army .....	16		
Sabbatical Leave .....	1	<b>Hammond, Clayton E. 1959.</b>	
Left without appointment to attend		Student Supply Pastor, 1957-59	
school .....	2	Port Deposit, Md. ....	3
President, Morristown College .....	3	Darby, Pa. ....	3
		<b>Handy, J. W., Jr. 1942.</b>	
<b>Graham, R. A. F. 1917.</b>		Oriole, Md. ....	2
Salem Circuit, N. J. ....	3	Chaplain, U. S. Army	19
Oasining, N. Y. ....	1	New Rochelle, N. Y. ....	2
Cambridge Ct. ....	2		
Chincoteague, Va. ....	1	<b>Harewood, W. A. 1928.</b>	
Swainton & Woodbine, N. J. ....	3	Cambridge Ct., Md. ....	4
Springtown, N. J. ....	1	East New Market, Md. ....	6
Clarksville, Del. ....	5	Denton, Md. ....	2
Galena, Md. ....	2	Snow Hill, Md. ....	8
Kingston, Md. ....	4	Supt. Easton District	5½
Hopewell, Md. ....	2	Montclair, N. J. ....	8½
Withams, Va. ....	2	Retired, 1962	
Girdletree, Md. ....	2	<b>Hazzard, Walter. 1942.</b>	
Quantico, Md. ....	1	Odessa, Del. ....	3
Parsonsborg, Md. ....	3	Hamilton Mem., Atlantic City, N. J. ....	9
Unionville, Md. ....	1	Supt. Easton District	3
Manokin, Md. ....	2	Supt. Phila. Dist. ....	3
Mt. Vernon, Md. ....	2	Tindley Temple, Phila. ....	3
Greenwood, Del. ....	1		
Retired, 1954		<b>Holmes, Edward H. 1945.</b>	
Greenwood, Del. ....	2	S. Berlin, Md. ....	4
		Trenton, N. J. ....	9
<b>Grant, Roland. 1931.</b>		Transferred to Liberia Conference, 1958	
Deals Island, Md. ....	3	First Church, Monrovia, Liberia,	
Leemont, Va. ....	1	West Africa	3
Federalburg, Md. ....	3	Transferred to Delaware Conf., 1961	
McDaniel, Md. ....	1	John Wesley, Brooklyn, N. Y. ....	2
Fairlee, Md. ....	2		
Mardela Springs, Md. ....	2	<b>Horsley, S. J. 1911.</b>	
Sabbatical Year	1	Cokesbury, Md. ....	3
Lewes, Del. ....	1	Nassau, Del. ....	2
Newark, Md. ....	5	Royal Oak, Md. ....	2
Seaford, Del. ....	3	Centreville, Md. ....	5
Coleman, Md. ....	4	Middletown, Del. ....	2
Milford, Del. ....	1	Mt. Holly, N. J. ....	3
Delmar, Del. ....	2	Delair, N. J. ....	1½
Bridgeville, Del. ....	2	Dover, Del. ....	3½
Deceased, May 25, 1962		Newark, N. J. ....	2
		Supt., Wilmington Dist.	6
<b>Greene, Walter H. 1958.</b>		Brooklyn, N. Y., Newnan	1
Approved Supply pastor, 1951-58		Retired, 1942	
Stevensville, Md. ....	4	<b>Hughes, R. C. 1912.</b>	
Upper Hill, Md. ....	1	Beckwith, Md. ....	4
St. Andrews Larger Parish, Md. ....	1	Mt. Vernon, Md. ....	6
Leemont, Va. ....	3	Greenwood, Del. ....	3
Easton, Md. ....	2	Berlin & Sinepuxent, Md. ....	3
		Leemont, Va. ....	6
<b>Griffin, J. O. 1919.</b>		Princess Anne, Md. ....	4
Swaintown, N. J. ....	1	Chestertown, Md. ....	1
Oakville, Md. ....	2	Shiloh, Crisfield, Md. ....	3
White Haven, Md. ....	2	Pocomoke City, Md. ....	5
Keller, Va. ....	2	Salem, N. J. ....	8
Cambridge Ct., Md. ....	2	Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del. ....	5
Aireys, Md. ....	3	Retired, 1960	
Hornstown, Va. ....	2	<b>Jackson, G. T. 1946.</b>	
Withams, Va. ....	4	Ossining, N. Y. ....	6
Greensboro, Md. ....	8	Snow Hill, Md. ....	10
St. Michaels, Md. ....	4	Retired, 1962	
Retired 1949.		<b>Jenkins, A. P. 1951.</b>	
Middletown, Del. ....	3	Newark, Md. ....	2
Nassau, Del. ....	3	Greensboro, Md. ....	9
Retired, 1956.			

Johnson, H. T. 1889.		Asbury, Lexington, Ky. ....	2
Fair Oak, Va. ....	1	Dist. Supt. ....	4
Salisbury Circuit, Md. ....	1	Germantown Ct. ....	1
Ridgely, Md. ....	1	Eleventh St., Columbus, Ohio .....	1
Greenwich, N. J. ....	1	Southern California Conference .....	
Union, Md. ....	2	Wesley, Los Angeles .....	5
Mount Holly, N. J. ....	2	New York Conference .....	
Orange, N. J. ....	5	Mt. Calvary, N. Y. C. ....	3
Mount Joy & Wilm., Del. ....	2	Delaware Conference .....	
Jamestown, Md. ....	2	John Simmons, Philadelphia .....	1
East New Market, Md. ....	2	1941, Sabbatical year .....	1
Oxford, Md. ....	2	Shiloh, Crisfield, Md. ....	1
Newport, Del. ....	1	In school .....	1
Grenloch & Rhodes, N. J. ....	2	Supernumerary .....	1
Hudson, N. Y. ....	2	1945, made effective .....	
Cape May, N. J. ....	12	Mt. Holly-Burlington .....	2
Newman, Brooklyn, N. Y. ....	4	Retired, 1948 .....	
Pleasantville, N. J. ....	1	1953, Left without appointment to .....	
White Plains, N. Y. ....	11	attend school .....	4
Retired 1942. ....		Retired, 1957 .....	
New Castle, Del. ....	5	Kiah, C. E. 1937. ....	
Elkton, Md. ....	4	Millington, Md. ....	5½
Johnson, W. P. 1926		Harrington, Del. ....	3½
Southwest Conference,		Bridgeville, Del. ....	13
1926-1938		Salem, N. J. ....	3
Associate Pastor, Calvary, N. Y. ....	4	Kiah, McQuay, R. 1947. ....	
Transferred to Delaware Conf., 1946		Left without appointment to attend .....	
Butler Mem., New York .....	21	school .....	5
Jones, F. Donald. 1937.		Morgan College .....	5
Clarksville, Del. ....	3	Assoc. Pastor, Brooks, Jamaica, N. Y. ...	2
Lewes, Del. ....	3	Left without appointment to .....	
South Berlin, Md. ....	3	attend school .....	3
Elkton, Md. ....	1	Kincade, Charles E. 1920. ....	
Dover, Del. ....	5	Easton Ct. ....	1
St. Daniels, Chester, Pa. ....	12	Sewell, N. J. ....	3
Jones, Omar C. 1954.		Warren, Phila., Pa. ....	1
Wachapreague .....	4	Ossining, N. Y. ....	6
Marumscó-Kingston .....	5	Jersey City, N. J. ....	1
Jones, Sercy L. 1939.		Ocean City, N. J. ....	2
1939-42 W. Tex. Conf.		Buttonwood, Del. ....	7
1943 Transferred to Delaware Conf.		Mt. Holly and Burlington, N. J. ....	2
Woodbury, N. J. ....	1	Townsend, Del. ....	1
Delair, N. J. ....	2	Wilmington City Missionary Society .....	7
Fordville, N. J. ....	2	Delaware City, Del. ....	1
Silom, Chester, Pa. ....	6	Sabbatical leave .....	1
Cambridge, Md. ....	6	Retired, 1954 .....	
Haven, Phila., Pa. ....	2	Licorish, Joshua E. 1940. ....	
Jones, Trevor C. 1943.		Left without appointment to attend .....	
Upper Mississippi Conference		school .....	2
West Point Crt. ....	2	Denton, Md. ....	1
Smithville .....	2	Redeemer, Brooklyn, N. Y. ....	6
Holly Springs Crt. ....	2	Jersey City, N. J. ....	8
Okolona .....	2	Zoar, Phila., Pa. ....	6
Eupora .....	1	Lyght, W. L. D. 1930. ....	
Belzoni .....	1	Spring Lake, N. J. ....	3
Left without appointment to attend .....		Smyrna, Del. ....	5
school .....	3	Harrington, Del. ....	3
Transferred to Delaware Conference,		Princess Anne, Md. ....	6
1956 .....	3	St. Daniels, Chester, Pa. ....	4
Preston, Md. ....	1	Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J. ....	4
Easton, Md. ....	1	Supt., Wilmington District .....	6
Associate Pastor, Tindley Temple		Ezion, Wilmington, Del. ....	2
Phila., Pa. ....	2	Marks, W. E. 1926. ....	
Jersey City, N. J. ....	1	Transferred from New England Con-	
Jordan, C. Edgar. 1952.		ference—1928 .....	
Denton, Md. ....	2	Lincoln City, Del. ....	3
Stevensville, Md. ....	2	Rock Hall, Md. ....	3
Centreville, Md. ....	4	Mardela Springs, Md. ....	6
White Plains, N. Y. ....	2	Seaford, Del. ....	5
Jordan, Lucius E. 1919.		North Berlin, Md. ....	4
Upper Mississippi Conference .....	1	Crisfield, Md. ....	4
Transferred to Lexington Conference		Dover, Del. ....	6
Barnes, Indianapolis .....	2	Smyrna, Del. ....	1
Oberlin, Ohio .....	1	Retired, 1960 .....	
		Nassau, Del. ....	3



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Mayberry, Wm. R. 1951.		Transferred to Delaware Conference,	
St. Matthews, Newark, N. J. ....	12	1946	
McBride, J. E. 1925.		Ridgely, Md. ....	3
Melitota, Md. ....	1	St. Michaels, Md. ....	1
Burlington, N. J. ....	2	Nanticoke, Md. ....	2
Taylor's Island, Md. ....	4	Coleman, Md. ....	1
Cordova, Md. ....	6	Woodbury, N. J. ....	1
Linkwood, Md. ....	5	Newark, Md. ....	7
Taylor's Island, Md. ....	5	Marion Station	
Hurlock, Md. ....	5	Milbourne, O'Connell. 1923.	
Ridgely, Md. ....	2	Cambridge Ct., Md. ....	1
Fruitland, Md. ....	2	Fairlee, Md. ....	2
Retired, 1958	3	Odessa, Del. ....	4
Fruitland, Md. ....	175	Elkton, Md. ....	2
Wetipquin, Md. ....		Chester, Pa., Grace and Darby	2
McClendon, James. 1952.		East New Market, Md. ....	2
Spring Lake, N. J. ....	2	East New Market and Thompson, Md. ....	4 1/2
Associate Pastor, Tindley Temple,		Bridgeton, N. J. ....	2 1/2
Philadelphia, Pa. ....	4	Mt. Carmel, Wilmington, Del. ....	7
Trevoise, Pa. ....	4	John Wesley, Brooklyn, N. Y. ....	8
Snow Hill, Md. ....	1	Lawnside, N. J. ....	2
McDowell, A. A. 1917.		Miles, Clemon B. 1921.	
Dames Quarter, Md. ....	2	Oakville, Md. ....	1
Port Deposit, Md. ....	1	Nanticoke, Md. ....	2
Townsend, Del. ....	2	Quantico, Md. ....	2
Sassafras, Md. ....	2	Carmichael, Md. ....	5
Millington, Md. ....	2	Federalburg, Md. ....	6
Linkwood, Md. ....	1	Centreville, Md. ....	1
Church Creek, Md. ....	2	Nassau, Del. ....	6
Dames Quarter, Md. ....	3	Camden, N. J. ....	9
Wetipquin, Md. ....	5	John Wesley, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	3
Vienna, Md. ....	1	St. Johns, Newark, N. J. ....	3
Supernumerary	25	White Plains, N. Y. ....	1
Vienna, Md. ....	1	Retired, 1961	
Retired, 1959	1	St. Michaels, Md. ....	2
Vienna, Md. ....	3	Miles, W. A. T. 1906.	
McDaniel, Md. ....		Spring Lake, N. J. ....	2
McKenney, M. L. 1923.		Brooklyn, N. Y. ....	3
Washington Conference:		Fairmount, Md. ....	4
Point Pleasant, W. Va. ....	1	Salem, N. J. ....	5
Buckhannon, W. Va. ....	2	Marion Station, Md. ....	4
Catonville, Md. ....	2	Easton, Md. ....	2
Osom Hill, Md. ....	2	Orange, N. J. ....	2
Pamonkey, Md. ....	4	Haven, Wilmington, Del. ....	1
Fairmont Heights, Md. ....	3	Middletown, Del. ....	3
Churchton, Md. ....	2	Laurel, Del. ....	3
Centennial, Baltimore, Md. ....	1	Ridgely, Md. ....	6
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	2	Withams, Md. ....	1
Delaware Conference: 1941		Trenton, N. J. ....	4
Unionville, Md. ....	3	Lawnside, N. J. ....	2
John Wesley, Salisbury, Md. ....	3	White Plains, N. Y. ....	3
Bridgeton, N. J. ....	1	Retired, 1961	
Merchantville, N. J. ....	4	Elkton, Md. ....	3
Haven, Wilmington, Del. ....	6	New Castle, Del. ....	9
Ferry Ave., Camden, N. J. ....	4	Miller, Nathaniel L. 1958.	
Siloam, Chester, Pa. ....	1	Left without appointment to attend	
Retired, 1962		school	2
McMurray, G. H. 1938.		South Berlin, Md. ....	3
North Carolina Conference		Mills, W. C. R. 1946.	
Asheville	2	Denton, Md. ....	3
Delaware Conference 1942		Royal Oak, Md. ....	2
McDaniel, Md. ....	1	Supernumerary	1
Denton, Md. ....	2	Cambridge Ct. ....	2
Stevensville, Md. ....	3	Townsend, Del. ....	8
Chestertown, Md. ....	3	Coleman, Md. ....	6
Pocomoke City, Md. ....	3	Molock, C. H. 1946.	
Mt. Carmel, Wilmington, Del. ....	8	Approved Supply Pastor, 1938-1946	
Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J. ....	2	Seaford, Del. ....	4
Mickle, J. W. 1934. (North Carolina Conf.)		Chestertown, Md. ....	11
Newport News, Va. ....	2	Retired, 1961	
Greensboro, N. C. ....	2	Moody, H. T. 1945.	
Asheville, N. C. ....	1	Bridgeville Ct., Del. ....	12
Wilkesboro, N. C. ....	1	Haven, Wilmington, Del. ....	6
Forest City, N. C. ....	1		
Lincolnton, N. C. ....	1		
Kings Mountain, N. C. ....	1		

Nichols, Henry. 1940.		Y.M.C.A., Trenton, N. J.	1
Bethsada, Phila., Pa.	1	Transferred to Delaware Conf., 1936	
Frankford, Phila., Pa.	6	Port Deposit, Md.	1
Germantown, Pa.	16	Phila., Pa., Bethsada	1
Outen, George H. 1956.		Sec'y Y.M.C.A., Princeton, N. J.	4
Spring Lake, N. J.	2	Sec'y Y.M.C.A., Montclair, N. J.	2
Associate pastor, Tindley Temple, Phila.	2	Sec'y Y.M.C.A., Wilmington, Del.	8
Tioga, Philadelphia, Pa.	3	Field Secretary, Y.M.C.A.	3
Parker, Samuel E. 1947.		Associate Pastor, Emmanuel, Phila.	1
Deal Island, Md.	2	Associate Pastor, Mt. Carmel, Wilmington, Del.	6
Fruitland, Md.	7	Associate, Pastor, Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	1
Pocomoke City, Md.	4	Siloam, Chester, Pa.	1
Peniel, Philadelphia, Pa.	3	Reid, Alexander. 1916.	
Peaco, J. I. 1914.		St. Paul, Phila., Pa.	1
Swainton, N. J.	3	Nassau, Del.	3
Grenloch and Rhodes, N. J.	3	Newark, Del.	2
Pleasantville, N. J.	2	Stockton, Md.	3
Bridgeton, N. J.	2	Sharptown, Md.	4
Camphor Memorial, Phila., Pa.	2	So. Berlin & Sinepuxent, Md.	5
Nanticoke, Md.	3	Union Asbury, Crisfield, Md.	4
Quinton and Springtown	5	Wetipquin, Md.	7½
Odessa and St. Georges, Del.	2½	Marumsco and Kingston, Md.	10½
Mt. Holly, N. J.	1½	Retired, 1957	
Mt. Holly and Burlington, N. J.	2	Marumsco-Kingston	1
Cape May and Swainton, N. J.	5	St. Andrews Larger Parish	5
Middletown, Del.	3	Ridout, Daniel L. 1924.	
Retired 1948		Princess Anne Academy	3
New Castle, Del.	5	St. Peters, Wilm., Del.	2
Newport, Del.	2	Hamilton Memorial, Atlantic City, N. J.	3
Pendleton, Thomas. 1952.		St. Michaels, Md.	2
Delair, N. J.	4	Bridgeton, N. J.	7
Bridgeton, N. J.	7	Phila., Pa., Camphor Mem.	8
Perry, Cyrus W. 1929.		Supt. Dover District	4
North Carolina Conference:		Secretary, Baltimore Area	10
Professor, Clark University	2	Riley, Martin U. 1960.	
Rowland-Salem	1	Student Supply Pastor, 1958-60	
Gastonia	2	Spring Lake, N. J.	5
Hickory	2	Ross, Thomas L. 1947.	
Charlotte	4	Left without appointment	2
Lexington	1	Sharptown, Md.	1
Lexington Conf. Dir. Rel. Education.	1	Still Pond, Md.	1
1942, Trans. to E. Tennessee Conference		Nanticoke, Md.	2
Chaplain, U. S. Army	4	8th St., Camden, N. J.	1
In School	1	Clarkville, Del.	1
1948, Received in Dela. Conf.		Supernumerary	4
1948, Trans. to New York East Conference		Delmar, Del.	1
Janes, Brooklyn	2	Fruitland, Md.	1
1951, Trans. to Delaware Conf.		Voluntary Location, 1962	
Pleasantville, N. J.	12	Russum, J. H. 1916.	
Quillen, D. S. 1910.		Sinepuxent, Md.	1
Madison, Md.	3	Jamestown, Md.	2
Vienna, Md.	3	Church Hill, Md.	1
East New Market, Md.	5	McDaniel, Md.	2
Snow Hill, Md.	4	Cheswold, Del.	1
Crisfield, Md.	5	Delaware City, Del.	9
Camden, N. J.	12	Middletown, Del.	7
Newport, Del.	3	Mt. Joy, Wilmington, Del.	5
John Simmons, Phila., Pa.	1	Delair, N. J.	1
Townsend, Del.	1	Buttonwood, Del.	2
Milford, Del.	2	Frankford, Phila., Pa.	1
Sharptown, Md.	5	Newport, Del.	3
Retired 1955		Quinton, N. J.	3
Sharptown	3	Elkton, Md.	3
Seaford Ct.	2	Retired, 1957	
Mt. Vernon, Md.	3	Sanders, Samuel P. 1947.	
Redmond, John B., Jr. 1925.		New Rochelle, N. Y.	3
Lexington Conference		So. Berlin, Md.	2
Assistant: St. Marks, Chicago, Ill.	1	Pocomoke City, Md.	2
In school	3	Leemont, Va.	3
South Bend, Ind.	2	Shiloh, Crisfield, Md.	6

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<b>Scott, Carrol. 1960.</b>			<b>Stewart, T. D. 1923.</b>	
Approved Supply Pastor, 1955-60			South Carolina Conference	1
Horntown, Va. ....	4		Pendleton, S. C. ....	2
Wetipquin, Md. ....	2 $\frac{1}{3}$		Greenwood, S. C., at school	2
Unionville, Md. ....	1 $\frac{2}{3}$		Delaware Conference	
<b>Sherman, Gilbert A. 1952.</b>			Syracuse, N. Y. ....	2
Left without appointment to attend			New Rochelle, N. Y. ....	3
school	2		Cheswold, Del. ....	4 mo.
Eighth St., Camden, N. J. ....	2		Transferred to New England	
Newport, Del. ....	2		Conference	
Mt. Holly, N. J. ....	3 $\frac{1}{3}$		St. Andrew's, Worcester, Mass. ....	4
Transferred, Tenn. Conference, 1961			Transferred to Del. Conference	
Morristown College	3 $\frac{2}{3}$		Manokin, Md. ....	1 mo.
Transferred, Dela. Conference, 1962			Delmar, Del. ....	5 mo.
Carmichaels, Md. ....	1		Hudson, N. Y. ....	1
<b>Shockley, J. R. 1938.</b>			Retired, 1935	
Wachapreague, Va. ....	1		<b>Strother, W. C., Jr. 1932.</b>	
Upper Hill, Md. ....	4		South Carolina Conference	
Crisfield, Shiloh	6		Mullins Ct., S. C. ....	1
Cambridge, Md. ....	6		Walhalla Ct., S. C. ....	2
Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	6		St. Andrew's, Greenville, S. C. ....	3
Supt., Wilmington Dist. ....	2		Seneca, S. C. ....	1
<b>Snead, Harry R. 1948.</b>			Summerville, S. C. ....	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
Cheswold, Del. ....	4		Chaplain, U. S. Army	4
St. Michaels, Md. ....	9		Transferred to Delaware Conference,	
Coleman Mem., Wilmington, Del.	2		1946	
<b>Spence, O. H. 1918.</b>			Darby, Pa. ....	14
Deals Island, Md. ....	2		Supt., Philadelphia Dist. ....	3
Horntown, Va. ....	6		<b>Tasco, Wm. M. 1945.</b>	
Royal Oak, Md. ....	3		Smyrna, Del. ....	2
Milford, Del. ....	4		Harrington, Del. ....	2
Dover, Del. ....	6		Fordville, N. J. ....	14
Montclair, N. J. ....	3		<b>Tatem, Samuel S. 1951.</b>	
Supt., Salisbury Dist. ....	6		Tennessee Conf. ....	3
Ezion, Wilmington, Del. ....	7		Central West Conf. ....	3
Asbury, Atlantic City, N. J. ....	6		Transferred to Delaware Conf., 1957	
Retired, 1961			South Berlin, Md. ....	3
<b>Spencer, C. P. 1934.</b>			Princess Anne, Md. ....	3
Keller, Va. ....	1		<b>Thomas, Charles C. 1929.</b>	
Dames Quarter, Md. ....	7		Swanton, N. J. ....	1
Fairlee, Md. ....	7		Dover Ct., Del. ....	2
Woodbury, N. J. ....	4		Port Deposit, Md. ....	1
South Berlin, Md. ....	4		Carmichaels, Md. ....	8
Bridgeville Ct., Del. ....	6		Chaplain, U. S. Army	2
<b>Stanley, J. O. 1911.</b>			Sabbatical Year	1
Delaware City, Del. ....	1		Withdrew, 1945.	
Smyrna, Del. ....	2		Reinstated, 1946.	
Preston, Md. ....	1		Supernumerary	1
Wittman, Md. ....	5		Pomona, Md. ....	11
Cordova, Md. ....	3		Witman, Md. ....	2
Vienna, Md. ....	3		Supernumerary	1
Church Hill, Md. ....	5		Centreville, Md. ....	1
McDaniel, Md. ....	1		Supernumerary	1
Rock Hall, Md. ....	6		<b>Thomas, W. C. 1930.</b>	
Sharptown, Md. ....	7		Cottage Grove, Md. ....	1
Coleman, Md. ....	4		McDaniel, Md. ....	2
Merchantville, N. J. ....	6		Chapel, Md. ....	5
St. Barnabas, Phila. ....	5		Centreville Circuit, Md. ....	1
Retired, 1962			Centreville, Md. ....	4
Aireys, Md. ....	1		Sabbatical Year	1
<b>Stanley, W. E. 1919.</b>			Nanticoke, Md. ....	3
Melitota, Md. ....	2		Townsend, Del. ....	5
Centreville Ct., Md. ....	1		Upper Hill, Md. ....	1
McDaniel, Md. ....	3		Deal Island, Md. ....	1
Oxford, Md. ....	4		Retired, 1956	
East New Market, Md. ....	2		Effective, 1957	
Denton, Md. ....	2		Cheswold, Del. ....	6
Leemont, Va. ....	6		<b>Thompson, R. B. 1919.</b>	
Laurel, Del. ....	6		Cokesbury, Del. ....	3
Princess Anne, Md. ....	5		Cheswold, Del. ....	2
Camphor Mem., Phila. ....	7		St. Michaels, Md. ....	6
Supt., Dover District	4		Waugh, Cambridge, Md. ....	6
			Mt. Joy, Wilm., Del. ....	2
			Dover, Del. ....	5
			Newark, N. J. ....	2
			John Wesley, Phila., Pa. ....	2

Supt. Salisbury District	6	Teacher, Achimota School, Achimota, Ghana, West Africa	2
Mt. Zion, Phila., Pa.	9	New Rochelle, N. Y.	1
<b>Thompson, W. C. 1901.</b>		<b>Whye, DePriest, 1954.</b>	
Washington Conference, 1901.		Left without appointment to attend school	2
Wheatco & Mt. Zion, Baltimore	2	Union-Asbury, Crisfield, Md.	1
Lexington, Va.	3	Transferred to Washington Conf., 1957	2
Lynchburg, Va.	2	Lexington Larger Parish	2
P. E. & D. S.	6	Transferred to Delaware Conf., 1959	4
Mt. Zion, Washington, D. C.	3	Community, Phila., Pa.	4
Charlestown, W. Va.	3		
Annapolis, Md.	3		
Transferred to Del. Conf. 1922.		<b>Wilkins, Samuel L. 1950.</b>	
Ezion, Wilmington, Del.	3	Grenloch and Rhodes, N. J.	4
Supt., Phila District	6	Buttonwood, N. J.	6
Atlantic City, N. J.	4	Grace, Chester, Pa.	3
Newark, N. J.	6		
Supt., Wilmington Dist.	6	<b>Williams, Carson J. 1935.</b>	
Retired, 1947	1	Keller, Va.	3
Delair, N. J.	7	Federalsburg, Md.	5
St. Barnabas, Phila., Pa.	7	Chaplain, U. S. Army	3
		White Plains, N. Y.	2
<b>Trader, C. L. 1934.</b>		St. Thomas, Frankford, Phila.	2
Manokin, Md.	2	East Germantown, Pa.	2
Delmar, Del.	3	Bethsaida, Phila., Pa.	4
Trenton, N. J.	3	Cape May-Swainton, N. J.	1
Orange, N. J.	2½	Delmar, Del.	1
Cambridge, Md.	4½	Millington, Md.	2
John Wesley, Brooklyn, N. Y.	4	Seaford Ct., Del.	2
Zoar, Phila., Pa.	4	Retired, 1962	
Supt., Easton Dist.	6		
		<b>Williams, J. I. 1945.</b>	
<b>Wallace, Isaac W. 1927.</b>		Marydel, Md.	2½
Oakville, Md.	1	Greensboro, Md.	2½
Wachapreague, Va.	1	Federalsburg, Md.	5
Parsonburg, Md.	1	Royal Oak & Bellevue, Md.	6
Cottage Grove, Md.	1	John Wesley, Salisbury, Md.	2
Taylor's Island, Md.	1		
Chapel, Md.	2	<b>Willis, Charles L. 1947</b>	
Dover Circuit, Del.	1	East Tennessee Conference	
Port Deposit, Md.	1	Trans. to Delaware Conf., 1960	
Golden Hill, Md.	2	Nanticoke, Md.	3
1938, Withdrew			
1955, Readmitted		<b>Wimberly, E. V. 1940.</b>	
Centreville Ct.	2	Jersey City, N. J.	1
Aireys, Md.	1	Phila., Pa., John Simmons	4
Crumpton, Md.	5	Newport, Del.	1
		Milford, Del.	2
<b>Watkins, Readus J. 1957.</b>		Lawnside, N. J.	11
Left without appointment to attend school	3	Siloam, Chester, Pa.	2
		Mt. Carmel, Wilmington, Del.	2

PROBATIONERS

<b>Coleman, John W. 1961.</b>		<b>Robinson, Frank W. 1960.</b>	
Student Supply Pastor, 1960-61		Student Supply Pastor, 1958-60	
Port Deposit, Md.	1	Wachapreague, Va.	4
Associate Pastor, Zoar, Phila., Pa.	2	Preston, Md.	1
		<b>Snowden, Thomas G. 1962</b>	
<b>Day, John M. 1962</b>		Left without appointment to attend school	1
Centreville, Md.	1		
		<b>Waters, Floyd E. 1961.</b>	
<b>Harris, Robert L. 1961.</b>		Approved Supply Pastor, 1946	
Student Supply Pastor, 1957-61		Deal Island, Md., 1946	4 mos.
Frankford, Phila., Pa.	6	Oakville, Md., 1953	6 mos.
		Buttonwood, Del., 1960	1
<b>Hicks, Richard R. 1961.</b>		Odessa-Port Penn., Del.	2
Townsend, Del.	2		
<b>Palmer, Herbert E. 1961.</b>			
Port Deposit, Md.	2		

APPROVED SUPPLY PASTORS

<b>Armstrong, S. E. 1942.</b>		Centreville Ct., Md.	1
Port Deposit, Md.	1	Newark, Md.	1
Lewes, Del.	1	Deal Island, Md.	1
Mardela, Md.	2	Cottage Grove, Md.	1
Still Pond, Md.	4	Church Creek	2



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Wittman, Md. ....	2	Coltraine, Leslie W. Approved Supply Pastor, Washington Conference	
Chapel, Md. ....	2	Approved Supply Pastor, N. Carolina Conference	
Retired, 1960		1958—Oxford Ct.	
<b>Barclay, Howard F. 1959.</b>		1961—Delaware Conference	
Manokin, Md. ....	4	Ridgely, Md. ....	2
Hornstown, Va. ....	1		
<b>Bell, Mrs. Gertrude. 1943</b>		<b>Conway, James. 1955.</b>	
Withams, Va. ....	5	Easton Ct., Md. ....	3
Mt. Vernon, Md. ....	4	Seaford Circuit	5
Oriole & Venton, Md. ....	2	Newark, Md. ....	
Retired, 1957			
<b>Bellamy, S. A. 1943.</b>		<b>Cooke, E. P. 1956.</b>	
Shaw Chapel, New York, N. Y. ....	19	Chapel, Md. ....	2
		Aireys, Md. ....	4
<b>Berry, Adolphus. 1957.</b>		Denton-Williston	1
Mt. Holly, N. J. ....	3 mos.		
Grenloch & Rhodes, N. J. ....	1	<b>Cottingham, C. H. 1943.</b>	
St. George & Kirkwood, N. J. ....	2	Easton Ct., Md. ....	1
Cape May, N. J. ....	2	Oakville, Md. ....	5
		Wetipquin, Md. ....	4
<b>Boggs, Alexander. 1937.</b>		Linkwood, Md. ....	5
Bethanida, Phila., Pa. ....	1	Retired, 1958	
Frankford, Phila., Pa. ....	8 mos.	Linkwood, Md. ....	2
Golden Hill and Crapo, Md. ....	2	Church Creek, Md. ....	3
Carmichaels, Md. ....	4		
Oriole and Venton, Md. ....	5	<b>Croswell, R. T. 1942.</b>	
White Haven, Md. ....	3	Mt. Vernon, Md. ....	7
Retired, 1955		Withams, Va. ....	14
<b>Brooks, M. D. 1950.</b>		<b>Dennis, Nathaniel. 1962.</b>	
Chapel, Md. ....	6	Manokin, Md. ....	1
Eighth St., Camden, N. J. ....	5		
Grenloch-Rhodes, N. J. ....	2	<b>Dennis, Robert Wayne. 1949.</b>	
<b>Brown, Mrs. Amy Redfield 1956.</b>		Parsonsburg, Md. ....	9
Bethel Mission, Brooklyn, N. Y. ....	7	Whaleville, Md. ....	2
		Vienna-Reids Grove, Md. ....	3
<b>Brown, L. C. 1950.</b>		<b>Farrare, Alfred F. 1947.</b>	
Emmanuel, Phila., Pa. ....	7	Beckwith, Md. ....	4
Middletown, Del. ....	6	Cordova, Md. ....	4
		Easton Ct., Md. ....	1
<b>Brown, Mrs. Rachel. 1950.</b>		Retired, 1956	
Galena, Md. ....	11	Easton Ct., Md. ....	1
Retired, 1961.		Beckwith, Md. ....	6
<b>Browne, C. W. D. 1944.</b>		<b>Fisher, Horace J. 1950.</b>	
New Rochelle, N. Y. ....	3	Burlington, N. J. ....	13
Ocean City, N. J. ....	2		
Grenloch and Rhodes, N. J. ....	1	<b>Fullman, S. G. 1928.</b>	
Ocean City, N. J. ....	1	Buttonwood, Del. ....	6
Port Deposit, Md. ....	1	Delaware City, Del. ....	12
Millsboro, Del. ....	11	Woodbury and Jericho, N. J. ....	3
		Cape May, N. J. ....	7
<b>Bryant, Commander R. 1948.</b>		Woodbury, N. J. ....	7
Newark Mission (St. Matthews), N. J. ....	2		
Crumpton, Md. ....	7	<b>Gray, Walter L. 1962.</b>	
Pomona, Md. ....	5	Mt. Holly, N. J. ....	13½
<b>Caldwell, R. S. 1942.</b>		<b>Hackett, Thaddeus. 1942.</b>	
McDaniel, Md. ....	3	Galena, Md. ....	3
Church Creek, Md. ....	3	Millsboro, Del. ....	4
Carmichaels, Md. ....	14	Harrington, Del. ....	14
Retired, 1962			
<b>Cameron, Thomas E. 1960.</b>		<b>Hall, H. T. 1942.</b>	
Grenloch-Rhodes, N. J. ....	1	Linkwood, Md. ....	3
St. George-Kirkwood, Del. ....	1	Preston, Md. ....	8
		Trappe, Md. ....	10
<b>Caulk, Jacob. 1952.</b>		<b>Handy, Clarence. 1954.</b>	
St. George and Kirkwood, N. J. ....	7	Oakville, Md. ....	9½
Odessa & Port Penn, N. J. ....	2		
Buttonwood-Christiana, Del. ....	2	<b>Henry, Phillip. 1955.</b>	
		Fairlee, Md. ....	8
<b>Chase, Harvey. 1955.</b>		<b>Hickman, Mrs. Jessica. 1954.</b>	
Cordova, Md. ....	8	Exmore Mission, Va. ....	3
		Keller & Exmore, Va. ....	5
<b>Coffey, Mrs. Adah W. 1943.</b>			
Marion Station, Md. ....	4		
Stockton, Md. ....	13		
Retired, 1961.			

<b>Hilton, Paul. 1952.</b>		<b>Lee, Jeremiah. 1956.</b>	
Buttonwood .....	2	Keller, Va. ....	1
Still Pond, Md. ....	6	White Haven, Md. ....	2
Millington, Md. ....	3	Hopewell, Md. ....	2
		Taylors Island, Md. ....	2
<b>Hughes, E. A. 1940.</b>		<b>Lewis, David. 1953.</b>	
Church Hill, Md. ....	4	Scaford Circuit .....	3
Oriole, Md. ....	2	Oriole, Md. ....	5
Unionville, Md. ....	3	Whaleyville, Md. ....	3
Wattsville, Va. ....	7		
Oxford, Md. ....	7	<b>Mills, W. J. 1941.</b>	
<b>Hundley, Mrs. Mary D. 1960</b>		Deal Island, Md. ....	2
Wittman-Sherwood, Md. ....	3	White Haven, Md. ....	5
		Stevensville, Md. ....	3
<b>Hyland, M. V. 1942.</b>		Hurlock, Md. ....	10
Laurel Ct., Del. ....	2	Leemont, Va. ....	2
Upper Hill, Md. ....	2	<b>Molock, Olen L. 1960</b>	
Wachapreague, Va. ....	2	Preston, Md. ....	2
White Haven, Md. ....	2	Wattsville, Va. ....	1
Newark, Md. ....	1	<b>Murray, Theasdar. 1951.</b>	
Rock Hall, Md. ....	3	Miles River, Md. ....	5
Delmar, Del. ....	3	Cambridge Ct., Md. ....	7
Retired, 1957		<b>Nichols, W. A. 1939.</b>	
<b>Jackson, Edward. 1948.</b>		Laurel Ct., Del. ....	2
Hooperville, Md. ....	1	Oxford, Md. ....	6
Taylors Island and Hooperville, Md. ....	5	East New Market, Md. ....	5
Church Hill, Md. ....	9	Linkwood, Md. ....	1
<b>James, Mrs. Ophelia. 1949.</b>		Wotipquin, Md. ....	6
Sassafras, Md. ....	14	Retired, 1959	
		Preston, Md. ....	6 mo.
<b>Johnson, E. J. 1943.</b>		<b>Opher, Mrs. Hester. 1955.</b>	
Cottage Grove, Md. ....	5	Crapo & Golden Hill, Md. ....	2
Wachapreague, Va. ....	5	Easton Ct., Md. ....	3
Union Asbury and Liberia, Crisfield, Md. ....	3	Miles River-Statens Chapel, Md. ....	3
White Haven, Md. ....	1	<b>Pinder, Mrs. Carvilla M. 1960</b>	
Greenwood, Md. ....	4	Crapo-Golden Hill, Md. ....	3
Retired, 1961		<b>Purnell, Levin. 1945.</b>	
Powellville-Hutts Mem., Md. ....	1	Dames Quarter, Md. ....	3
<b>Jolly, Emerson M. 1957.</b>		Girdletree, Md. ....	15
Shiloh & Hutts Chapel, Md. ....	4	<b>Roberts, James 1961.</b>	
Stockton-Shiloh, Md. ....	2	Marydel, Md. ....	2
<b>Jones, Grover N. 1940.</b>		<b>Randolph, Eugene T. 1956.</b>	
Keller, Va. ....	3	Christ Mission, Philadelphia .....	7
Manokin, Md. ....	7	<b>Slacum, A. H. 1945.</b>	
Hopewell, Md. ....	8	Church Hill, Md. ....	2
Deal Island, Md. ....	1	Church Creek, Md. ....	3
Retired, 1959		Centreville Ct., Md. ....	2
Deal Island, Md. ....	2	McDaniel, Md. ....	7
Oriole, Md.-Venton, Md. ....	2	Easton Ct., Md. ....	3
<b>Jones, Lewis H. 1942.</b>		<b>Slade, Mrs. Mary L. 1955.</b>	
Snow Hill Ct., Md. ....	6	Grace Mission, Brooklyn, N. Y. ....	8
Keller, Va. ....	1	<b>Spencer, H. W. 1947.</b>	
Oakville, Md. ....	2	Stockton Ct., Md. ....	3
Shiloh & Hutts Chapel, Md. ....	3	Keller, Va. ....	3
Retired, 1954		Deal Island	2
<b>Jones, Lewis R. 1946.</b>		Quantico, Md. ....	8
Laurel Circuit, Del. ....	2	<b>Stafford, Cyrus M. 1955.</b>	
Millington, Md. ....	3	Denton, Md. ....	2
Mardela Springs, Md. ....	11	Stevensville, Md. ....	6
<b>Lambert, Harvey J. 1958.</b>		<b>Stanley, George L. 1955.</b>	
Hopewell, Md. ....	1	Taylors Island, Md. ....	5
Hortown, Va. ....	3	Federalsburg, Md. ....	3
Wachapreague, Va. ....	1	<b>Stanley, Nelson C. 1949.</b>	
<b>Landrum, Clifford E. 1957.</b>		Williston, Md. ....	7
Townsend, Del. ....	3	East New Market, Md. ....	4
Bethsaida, Phila., Pa. ....	3	East New Market & Linkwood, Md. ....	2
<b>Lee, Edward. 1955.</b>			
Mt. Vernon, Md. ....	5		
Union-Asbury, Crisfield, Md. ....	3		

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<b>Staten, William. 1960.</b>		<b>Dames Quarter</b> .....	<b>3</b>
Marydel, Md. ....	1	Cottage Grove, Md. ....	4
Hurlock, Md. ....	2	Hopewell, Md. ....	2
<b>Taylor, George W. 1942.</b>		<b>White, Mildred E. (Mrs.) 1960</b>	
Bethsaida, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	4	Smyrna, Delaware .....	3
Oriole, Md. ....	2	<b>Whittington, R. Crafton. 1943</b>	
Marion Station, Md. ....	8	Easton Ct., Md. ....	2
Clarksville, Del. ....	7	McDaniel, Md. ....	2
<b>Wallace, R. T. 1944.</b>		Miles River, Md. ....	4
Keller, Va. ....	2	Beckwith, Md. ....	4
Williston, Md. ....	4	Centerville Ct. ....	2
Denton, Md. ....	4	Retired, 1959	
Middletown, Del. ....	1	<b>Wilson, G. B. 1950.</b>	
Cottage Grove, Md. ....	3	Port Deposit, Md. ....	1
Dames Quarter, Md. ....	2	Still Pond, Md. ....	3
White Haven, Md. ....	1	Rock Hall, Md. ....	5
Still Pond, Md. ....	3	Nassau, Del. ....	1
<b>Webster, Joseph J. 1953.</b>		Wattsville, Va. ....	2
Smyrna, Del. ....	6	Fruitland, Md. ....	1
Elkton, Md. ....	4	<b>Young, Charles I. 1947.</b>	
<b>White, Isaac. 1945.</b>		Marydel, Md. ....	12½
Keller, Va. ....	3	Sth St., Camden, N. J. ....	2
Greenwood, Del. ....	6		

## STUDENT APPROVED SUPPLY PASTORS

<b>Greene, Kenneth H. 1960.</b>		<b>Parker, Carlton H. 1956.</b>	
Dames Quarter, Md. ....	1	Odessa-Port Penn., Del. ....	3
Dames Quarter—Deal Island, Md. ....	2	Quinton & Springtown, N. J. ....	3
<b>Dennis, Roland, Wilmore. 1961.</b>		Bridgeville, Del. ....	1
White Haven, Md. ....	2	<b>Wilcher, John H. 1961.</b>	
<b>Miller, C. Leonard. 1962.</b>		Denton-Williston, Md. ....	1
Associate Pastor, Brooks, Jamaica, N. Y. ....	1	Quinton-Springtown, N. J. ....	1
		<b>Young, Haswell G. 1961.</b>	
		Delmar, Delaware .....	2

## PART TIME APPROVED SUPPLY PASTORS

<b>Cameron, Thomas E. 1960.</b>		Sth St., Camden, N. J. ....	3
Grenloch-Rhodes, N. J. ....	1	Milford, Del. ....	3
St. George-Kirkwood, Del. ....	2	<b>Jackson, John R. 1953.</b>	
<b>Frisby, Gilbert. 1962.</b>		Linconia, Pa. ....	5
Seaford Ct., Del. ....	1	Assistant Pastor, Mt. Zion, Phila. ....	4
<b>Gee, William M. Jr. 1945.</b>		Retired, 1962	
Lewes, Del. ....	5	<b>Nichols, Houx H. 1961.</b>	
		Sharptown, Md. ....	2

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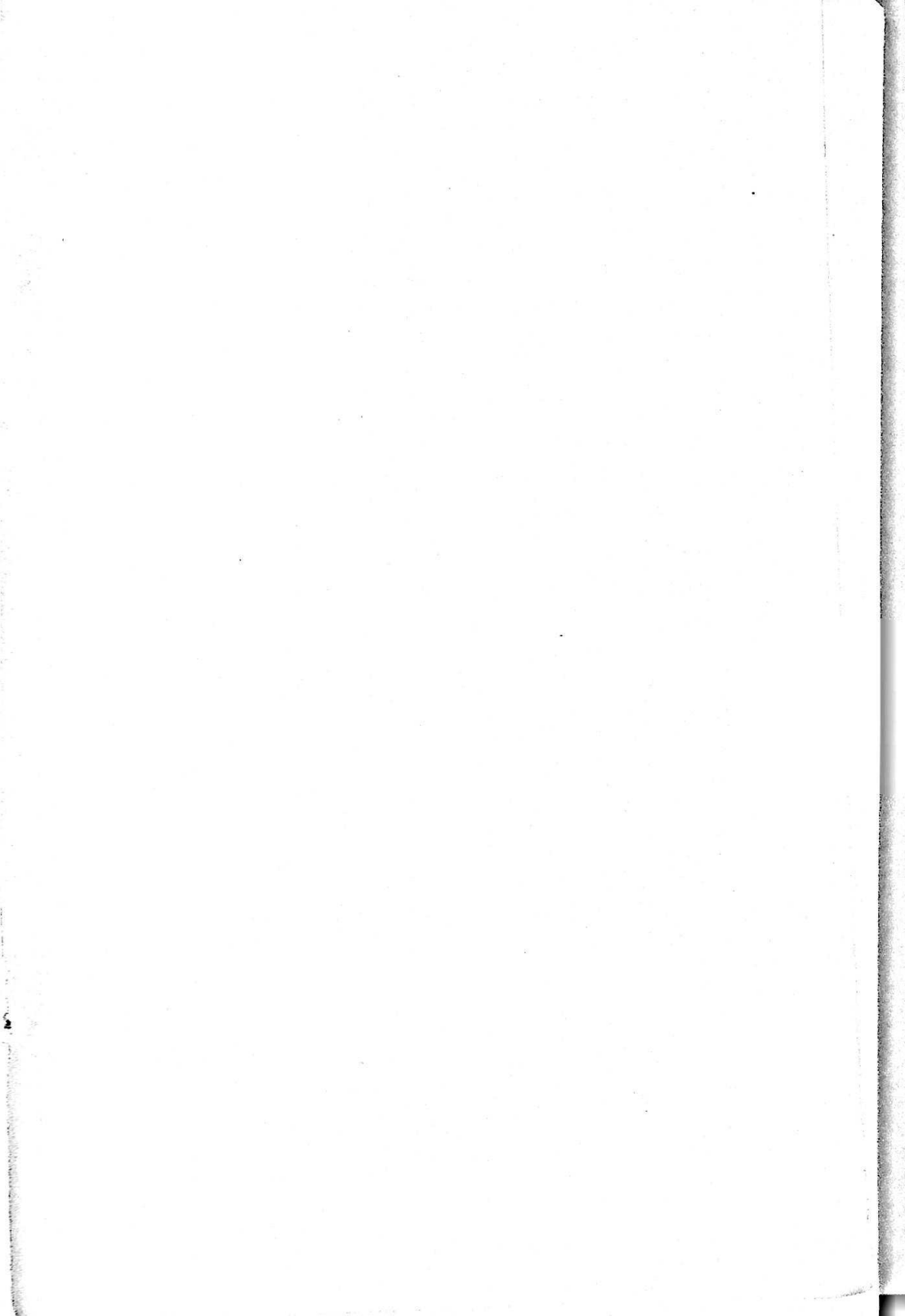
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## IMPORTANT REMINDER

**B**EHOLD, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!"  
Psalms 133:1.

Please be advised that the reports, recommendations and resolutions contained in this booklet *are not the official pronouncements of the Conference*. They are the opinions and recommendations of the initiating groups prepared for consideration by the Annual Conference.

It is the belief of the Conference that advance study of these reports will make possible more enlightened discussions as well as more intelligent decisions by the participants. Be sure to study these reports.

*Any reports which are to come before the Annual Conference for action, the results of which are to be included in the Conference Journal, 1962, MUST BE in the hands of the secretary PRIOR TO PRESENTATION, THAT IS, BY TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1962.*

Corrected reports must be in the secretary's hand by *Saturday, June 2nd*. This is the *deadline*. When in doubt or in need of help contact the secretary.

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The Pastor must see that the Reserve Lay Member receives this booklet if the regular Lay Member cannot attend the Annual Conference. No duplicates will be available at the Conference.

The Secretary wishes to express sincere thanks for the cooperation of the District Superintendents, the boards and agencies and their representatives who have made this booklet possible.

JOSHUA E. LICORISH, *Conference Secretary*



# CONFERENCE PROGRAM

THEME: JESUS CHRIST IS LORD  
"Where Cross the Crowded Ways"

TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1962

- 10:30 A.M. Committees  
12:30 P.M. Luncheon ✓  
2:00 P.M. Registration ✓  
3:00 P.M. Exhibits by the Boards, Commissions, Committees and Agencies of the Annual Conference  
5:30 P.M. Dinner ✓  
8:00 P.M. Opening Session of the Conference  
Holy Communion — Bishop Edgar A. Love, Presiding ✓  
Music: Zoar Methodist Church  
Ushers: Zoar Methodist Church

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1962

- 9:00 A.M. Devotions — Rev. James L. McClendon  
9:15 A.M. Roll Call  
Organization  
District Superintendents' Composite Report  
11:00 A.M. Memorial Service  
Presiding: Rev. William C. Strother, Jr.  
Sermon: Rev. Edwin L. Ellis

## In Memoriam

### Ministers

ISAAC B. BIVENS  
DOUGLAS M. COLLINS  
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MRS. ROBERT S. JOHNS  
MRS. HAMPTON T. JOHNSON  
MRS. RAYFIELD T. WALLACE  
*Layman*  
MILTON T. YOUNG

- 1:00 P.M. Lunch  
2:30 P.M. Conference Session  
Devotions — Rev. (Mrs.) Hester R. Opher  
2:45 P.M. Welcome Service  
Presiding: Dr. Walter R. Hazzard  
Response: Rev. Samuel Tatem  
3:10 P.M. Business Session  
Board of Education  
Christian Vocations  
3:40 P.M. Board of Hospitals and Homes  
4:10 P.M. Discussion  
5:30 P.M. Dinner  
7:15 P.M. Devotions — Rev. Amos P. Jenkins  
7:30 P.M. Films of Previous Annual Conference Sessions  
Mr. Charles Long  
8:30 P.M. Preaching Service  
Sermon: Rev. Claude A. Edmonds, Sr.  
Music: John Wesley Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Ushers: John Wesley Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1962

- 9:00 A.M. Conference Executive Session  
Devotions — Rev. Charles W. D. Browne  
Lay Delegates will meet in First Colored Wesley Methodist Church,  
17th and Fitzwater Streets
- 10:15 A.M. Conference Session  
Reports  
    Statistician  
    Treasurer  
    Commission on World Service and Finance
- 12:00 Noon Message: Bishop Shot K. Mondol
- 1:00 P.M. Lunch
- 2:30 P.M. Missionary Sermon — Rev. Edward H. Holmes  
Music: The Ministers' Wives Choir
- 3:30 P.M. Board of Evangelism — Report and Anniversary  
Address: Dr. Harry Denman
- 5:30 P.M. Dinner *met 6:30 p.m.*
- 7:15 P.M. Anniversary of the Woman's Society of Christian Service  
Mrs. Carrie W. Henry, Presiding  
Music: Wesleyan Service Guild Chorus of Tindley Temple
- 8:30 P.M. Anniversary of the Board of Missions  
Mr. Roy L. Cordery, Presiding  
Mortgage Burning  
Music: Emmanuel Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Ushers: Emmanuel Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1962

- 9:00 A.M. Conference Session  
Devotions — Rev. Levin H. Purnell
- 9:15 A.M. Board of Missions
- 9:30 A.M. Minimum Salary Commission
- 10:00 A.M. Committee on Redistricting
- 10:15 A.M. Town and Country Commission
- 10:45 A.M. 100th Anniversary Committee
- 11:00 A.M. Report of Ministers' Wives' Association on Conference  
Claimants Fund
- 12:00 Noon Message: Bishop Shot K. Mondol
- 1:00 P.M. Lunch
- 2:30 P.M. Conference Session  
Devotions — Rev. Carlton H. Parker
- 2:45 P.M. Board of Pensions
- 3:15 P.M. TRAFCO
- 3:30 P.M. Conference Trustees
- 3:45 P.M. Board of Christian Social Concerns
- 5:30 P.M. Dinner
- 7:15 P.M. Devotions — Rev. John W. Coleman
- 7:30 P.M. Anniversary of the Board of Education  
Rev. John R. Shockley, Presiding  
Presentation: Conference Council of Children's Workers
- 8:30 P.M. Address — by returned Missionary *Alan [unclear]*  
Music: Janes Memorial Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Ushers: Janes Memorial Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1962

- 9:00 A.M. Conference Session  
Devotions — Rev. Kenneth H. Greene
- 9:15 A.M. Higher Education
- 9:30 A.M. State of the Country
- 9:45 A.M. Commission on Worship
- 10:00 A.M. Committee on Urban Life
- 10:15 A.M. State of the Church
- 11:00 A.M. Ministers' Wives Association Annual Meeting  
Wesley A.M.E. Zion Church, 15th and Lombard Streets
- 12:00 Noon Message: Bishop Shot K. Mondol
- 1:00 P.M. Lunch  
Ministers' Wives Association Luncheon  
Wesley A.M.E. Zion Church, 15th and Lombard Streets
- 2:30 P.M. Conference Session  
Devotions — Rev. Milton D. Brooks
- 2:45 P.M. Business Session
- 5:30 P.M. Dinner
- 7:15 P.M. Devotions — Rev. Ewart C. Hackshaw
- 7:30 P.M. Board of Lay Activities
- 8:30 P.M. Anniversary of the Board of Christian Social Concerns  
Music: Haven Memorial Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Ushers: Haven Memorial Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1962

- 9:00 A.M. Testimonial Service  
Leaders: Rev. Ralph B. Thompson, Rev. James O. Stanley, Rev. Oliver  
H. Spence, Rev. John H. Russum, Rev. William A. T. Miles, Rev.  
Abraham A. McDowell, Rev. James O. Griffin
- 10:30 A.M. Worship Service  
Sermon: Bishop Edgar A. Love  
Music: Tindley Temple Methodist Church  
Ushers: Tindley Temple Methodist Church
- 2:30 P.M. Ordination Service  
Rev. Henry H. Nichols, Presiding  
Sermon: Rev. Marion O. Ballard  
Music: Camphor Memorial Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Ushers: Camphor Memorial Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Consecration of Certified Lay Speakers  
Reading of the Appointments  
Adjournment

# COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

The Commission On World Service and Finance humbly submits this its twenty-first annual report and recommend its adoption. We are grateful to God for His loving care over us, and to our Bishop, ministers and laymen, whose spirit of cooperation has made this report possible.

## GENERAL ITEMS

The treasurers of all Conference boards and agencies have not been bonded in companies approved by Commission. The books of all Conference boards and agencies have not been properly audited for the past fiscal year.

The Conference Treasurer's books have been audited by Certified Public Accountants, Walter P. Harris and Robert Bonner, Jr., and a satisfactory audited report has been filed with the Commission. This is the audited report filed with the Commission for the past fiscal year.

The list of other conference funds, the names of treasurers of each, and the approved depositories are as follows: Board of Education, Rev. C. D. Gerald, Treasurer, Citizens Southern Bank and Trust Co., Philadelphia, Pa.; Board of Lay Activities, J. R. Webb, Treasurer, People's National Bank, Laurel, Delaware; Board of Hospitals and Homes, Rev. C. E. Kiah, Treasurer, Salem National Bank and Trust Company, Salem, N. J.; Board of Evangelism, Helen Loatman, Treasurer, Wilmington Trust Company, Wilmington, Delaware.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

1. We recommend that EACH LOCAL CHURCH shall faithfully observe the Days as follows: (a) WORLD SERVICE SUNDAYS, (b) CHURCH SCHOOL RALLY DAY, (c) RACE RELATIONS DAY, (d) METHODIST STUDENT DAY, (e) GOLDEN CROSS, (f) LAYMAN'S DAY, (g) ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING.

2. We recommend that the Conference treasurer shall continue to give priority to (a) District Superintendents' Salary and Expense Fund, (b) Ministerial Training School, (c) Delaware Conference Youth Assembly, (d) Salaries of Board of Education, (e) Baltimore Area Leadership School, (f) Director of Stewardship—Treasurer, and (g) Social and Economic Relations.

3. We recommend that Children's Service Fund and the M.Y.F. Fund be remitted monthly.

4. We recommend that the Board of Pensions plan to continue Reserve Pension Fund Campaign be approved.

5. We recommend that the campaign for Camp Development be continued.

6. We recommend that the \$30,000 Golden Age Investment Drive be continued.

## WORLD SERVICE AND CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCE BUDGET FOR THE YEAR MAY 1962 TO MAY 1963

Amount to be raised for Ratio Budget

65%	A.	World Service Apportionment . . . . .	\$55,067
35%	B.	Conference Benevolences on Apportionment . . . . .	29,280

**TOTAL RATIO BENEVOLENCES                    84,347**

### I. RATIO BENEVOLENCES ITEMIZED

	<i>Budget</i>	<i>Budget</i>	<i>Budget</i>	<i>Disbursements</i>
	<i>1961-62</i>	<i>1962-63</i>	<i>1962-63</i>	<i>1960-61</i>
<i>Board and Agencies</i>				
1. World Service	\$55,067	\$55,067	\$55,067	\$26,500.00
2. Board of Education	11,980	11,980	11,980	11,918.00
3. Conference Secretary—300 of which is for supplies, etc.	400	700	700	803.02

4. Conference Statistician	100	200	200	175.00
5. Conference Treasurer and Dir. of Stewardship (Salary & Expense)	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000.00
6. Conference Board of Evangelism	2,500	3,400	3,000	1,204.00
7. Friendship House	2,500	2,500	2,500	1,241.28
8. Scholarships (E)	700	700	700	500.00
9. Student Aid Fund	700	700	700	545.00
10. Board of S. & E. Relations	1,200	3,000	1,500	1,486.25

Total

86,247 84,347

## II. GENERAL AND CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES (not Apportioned)

1. Fellowship of Suffering	Special Offering			1,100.00
2. Methodist Student Day (E)	Special Offering			1,250.00
3. Methodist Youth Fund (E)	Special Offering			1,800.00
4. Race Relations Day (E)	Special Offering			1,250.00
5. Rally Day (E)	Special Offering			3,500.00
6. One Great Hour of Sharing	Special Offering			2,300.00
7. Children's Service Fund	Special Offering			125.00
8. Methodist TV Ministry	Special Offering			382.71
9. Golden Cross	Special Offering			
10. Camp Development (E)	Special Offering			

## III. NON RATIO ASKINGS

1. Board of Missions:				
a. Church Aid and Missions	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 2,930.50
b. Board of Missions	1,750	1,750	1,750	
c. Promotion Advance	35,000	35,000	35,000	27,360.29
d. Migrant Work	500	500	500	
2. Commission on Summer Agencies	1,500	2,000	2,000	1,575.00
3. Ministerial Training	2,700	2,700	2,700	2,000.00
4. Publication of Conf. History	1,300	1,300	1,300	31.99
5. Board of Lay Activities	3,725	3,725	3,725	1,634.18
6. Schools and Colleges and Wesleyan Foundation	\$1.50 per member			7,659.25
7. Annual Conference Support — 2½% of the Pastor's Salary				9,506.49
8. General Administration Fund — 3,187 and Deficit				3,000.00
9. Jurisdictional Fund	630	630	630	
10. Publication of Conf. Journal	4,200	4,000	4,000	3,889.07
11. Young Adult Conf. Support (E) ¾% of Pastor's Salary				800.00
12. Youth Conference Support (E) 1% of Pastor's Salary				1,500.00
13. District Parsonage Upkeep — Apportioned by Dist. Supts.				2,812.00
14. Conference Trustees Expense	300	300	300	125.00
15. Area Expense	6,800	6,800	6,800	7,080.00
16. Interdenominational Cooperation Fund	1,992	1,992	1,992	9,000.00
17. Hospitals, Homes, Golden Cross	5,000	5,000	5,000	1,979.25
18. Conference Commission On Christian Vocations (E)	500	500	500	275.00
19. Baltimore Area Leadership School	880	880	880	637.00
20. World Service and Finance Commission Expense	400	400	400	455.67
21. Reserve Fund (To be put in Savings Account)	10,000	10,000	10,000	4,000.00
22. Town and Country Work	300	1,525	500	516.10
23. Cheasp. Area Inter Conf. Methodist Student Movement	1,000	1,000	1,000	300.00



24. Conference Publicity Fund	350	300	300	261.82
25. Certified Public Accountant	950	950	950	950.00
26. Wills and Legacies	200	200	200	
27. Emancipation Proclamation	200	200	200	
28. Pre-Conference Booklet	500	500	500	430.00
29. Group Insurance	8,000	10,000	10,000	8,458.02
30. Conf. Radio & TV (TRAFCO)	425	300	300	85.50
31. Del. Council of Churches (to be paid by Churches in State)	1,100	1,100	1,100	
32. Conference Program	300	300	300	
33. N. Y. Met. Area planning Commission app. to Churches in the Area.	2,000	2,000	2,000	
34. Phila. Methodist Hospital	500	500	500	
35. Committee on Urban Life	300	300	300	
36. Centennial Celebration	2,500	2,500	2,500	
37. Commission on Promotion and Cultivation	300			1,533.00

IV. MINISTERIAL SUPPORT

1. District Superintendent's Salary (Each)	6,000	6,000	6,000	39,837.00
2. District Superintendent's Travel & Office Expense (Each)	2,500	2,500	2,500	8,075.04
3. Episcopal Fund	2% of the Pastor's Salary			7,224.00
4. Conference Claimants Fund	12% of the Pastor's Salary			43,320.00
5. Conference Claimants (Pastor's)	1½% of the Pastor's Salary			5,893.00
6. Conference Permanent Fund	8,333	8,333	8,333	3,868.00
7. Minimum Salary Fund	8,500	8,500	8,500	4,800.00
8. Pension Reserve Fund				7,346.00

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1. Bishop Moore's Reception				832.02
2. Minister's Wives Association				13,500.10
3. Camp Site				1,050.00
4. Bishops Appeal for Africa				2,926.58
5. Conference Offering				581.33
6. Sale Lot — Linconia				1,778.80
7. Freedom Riders				183.55
8. Methodist Book Room				13.99
9. Dunlieth Promotion				156.00
10. Lucknow Relief				50.00
11. Dr. Frank Laubach				233.00
12. Transfer to Savings				4,000.00
13. Over Deposit				12.00
14. Methodist Publishing House				2,966.85
15. District Conference Support				110.00
16. Chile Relief				300.00

Total Disbursements

\$305,682.65

DISTRIBUTION OF THE BUDGET TO DISTRICTS

1. Dover	14%	14%	14%
2. Easton	15%	15%	15%
3. Philadelphia	34%	34%	34%
4. Salisbury	17%	17%	17%
5. Wilmington	20%	20%	20%
6. Area Expenses			34%

F. D. JONES, *President*  
MRS. CLEO HENRY, *Secretary*

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

Dear Members:

Attached you will find the Annual Receipts and Disbursements Reports covering May, 1960 through April, 1961.

Letters for certification went out to all of the charges in the Conference and in the same manner Disbursements were audited.

These findings and all of the Conference books were turned over to a Certified Public Accountant.

A certificate from the Certified Public Accountant has been mailed to the Chairman of the Commission on Finance.

I remain your trusted servant,

ROBERT BONNER, JR.

Accountant

September 10, 1961

### SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DEPOSITS

#### 1960-61 AUDIT

RECEIPTS	Phila.	Wilmington	Sallsbury	Easton	Dover	Total
District Supt. Salary .....	\$13,641.00	\$ 8,116.46	\$ 5,874.50	\$ 5,875.10	\$ 5,437.00	38,444.60
Episcopal Fund .....	2,250.00	1,553.00	1,079.40	1,531.50	1,409.50	7,829.40
Conference Claimants .....	12,782.00	10,181.00	4,998.50	7,488.00	7,094.25	42,518.75
World Service and						
Conference Benevolences ..	22,101.14	12,931.00	5,097.00	0,407.00	8,062.50	50,390.24
General Administration .....	727.00	401.00	155.00	320.00	360.00	1,963.00
Jurisdictional Fund .....	274.00	146.00	69.20	107.00	89.00	685.20
Promotion — Advance .....	4,915.00	3,297.00	684.00	2,122.50	2,222.70	13,141.20
Area Expense .....	1,864.00	664.00	179.00	447.00	362.00	3,079.50
Board of Lay Activities .....	741.00	446.50	163.00	360.00	270.00	1,819.50
Civilian Service .....	136.00	30.00	20.00	110.00	40.00	342.00
Colleges and Seminary .....	2,718.35	2,806.66	482.00	1,123.85	955.15	8,080.01
Conference Permanent Fund	1,045.00	870.00	241.00	563.00	418.00	3,737.00
Conference Permanent Fund						
(Pastor's 1½%) .....	2,231.00	1,755.50	813.00	941.00	872.00	6,612.50
Annual Conference Support ..	2,675.00	1,985.50	1,011.50	1,701.65	1,860.25	10,202.00
Fellowship of Suffering .....	509.07	234.00	153.50	240.00	142.00	1,287.57
Methodist Student Day .....	590.75	346.00	210.20	361.50	255.00	1,763.45
Methodist Youth Fund .....	761.37	236.50	291.00	351.00	258.50	1,898.37
Methodist Youth Institute ..	466.00	222.00	74.00	150.00	149.00	1,061.00
Minimum Salary Fund .....	2,040.00	1,190.00	378.50	714.00	644.50	4,978.00
Ministerial Training .....	600.00	584.00	192.00	284.00	313.00	1,973.00
Race Relations Day .....	884.50	409.00	261.00	829.00	286.80	2,170.70
Rally Day .....	1,317.85	672.25	400.00	564.00	623.15	3,580.25
Week of Dedication .....	563.70	234.00	131.86	263.00	201.07	1,394.23
Young Adult Support .....	475.00	482.00	218.00	284.00	214.50	1,704.60
Youth Conference Support ..	743.00	533.00	183.50	478.50	354.00	2,292.00
Conference Minutes .....	1,151.00	650.25	441.50	543.00	438.00	3,232.75
Church Aid and Missions .....	832.00	440.00	246.00	705.00	260.50	2,483.50
Hospitals, Homes and						
Golden Cross .....	1,255.61	990.00	206.45	629.00	322.00	3,403.06
Interdenominational Co-op. ..	446.00	172.00	61.00	151.00	130.00	960.00
Conference Trustees .....	88.00	71.00	31.00	32.00	46.00	268.00
Pension Reserve Fund .....	2,791.00	1,027.00	560.00	991.00	2,278.25	9,247.25
Commission on Evangelism ..	183.00	107.00	17.85		13.00	320.85
Promotion — Advance						
Expense Fund .....	413.00	5.00	34.00	240.00	103.50	795.50
Migrant Work .....	116.00	49.00	56.00	47.00	50.00	318.00
Commission on Christian						
Vocation .....	100.00	38.00	42.00	42.00	30.00	207.00
Radio Program .....	150.00	57.00	42.50	84.00	40.50	374.00
Baltimore Area Leadership						
School .....	279.75	96.00	57.00	75.00	70.50	578.25
Group Insurance .....	2,158.00	1,065.00	773.60	1,052.00	957.00	6,605.60
Conference Reserve Fund .....	696.00	530.00	65.00	205.00	127.00	1,623.00
District Parsonage Upkeep ..	2,286.00	55.00	60.00	10.00	116.00	2,627.00
Publication of Conference						
History .....	199.62	52.00	30.00	20.00	87.50	398.12
Conference Publicity Fund ..	216.00	98.00	45.00	78.00	76.00	513.00
Higher Education .....	48.00	27.00	11.00	17.00	23.00	121.00
World Service and Finance						
Commission .....	172.70	261.00	244.34	15.00	67.00	700.04
Chesapeake Area .....	44.00	20.82	14.00	16.00	22.00	116.82
Commission on Promotion						
and Cultivation .....	95.00	26.00	12.00	31.00	34.00	198.00
Wills and Lxacles .....	186.00	19.00	5.00	10.00	46.00	266.00
Emancipation Celebration ..	33.00	12.00	2.00	13.00	2.00	62.00
Town and Country .....	25.00	16.26	2.00	16.00	13.00	72.26

New Church — Advance	120.00	02.00	30.00	20.00	57.00	310.00
Special .....						
District Promotion and				3.00	5.00	1,580.50
Cultivation .....	1,572.50					
District Register	026.00	1.00			00.00	687.00
Certified Public Accountant .	53.00	5.00				65.00
World Wide Communion . . .	114.00	08.00	10.00	47.00	69.00	317.00
District Promotional Fund .			15.00		44.50	50.50
Wesleyan Foundation . . . .	125.00	404.00	5.00	56.00	70.50	660.50
District Emergency Fund . . .	22.00	30.00				52.00
District Conference Support.	75.00	1.00		8.50	10.00	94.50
Pre-Conference Report .....	123.00	57.00	17.00	06.00	22.00	285.00
Minister's Wives .....	3,392.10	2,500.00	2,000.00	2,500.00	2,000.00	12,392.10
Board of Social and						
Economic Relations .....	266.87	80.00	13.00	4.00	6.00	369.87
Camp Development .....	555.36	410.00	102.50	471.00	386.08	2,014.94
Bishops' Appeal for Africa .	907.38	552.94	332.00	312.84	567.78	2,672.94
District Advance Cultivation .	30.00					30.00
American Bible Society . . . .	47.00			5.00		52.00
Bishop Moore's Reception . .	122.00	2.00				124.00
Publication of Pre-						
Conference Booklets .....	3.00			2.00	7.00	12.00
Conference Offering .....	300.00					300.00
Chile Relief .....	120.35	155.45	10.00	25.00	110.00	441.80
Freedom Riders .....	183.55					183.55
Publishing House .....	2,966.85					2,966.85
Liberian Teachers .....		5.00				5.00
Delaware Council of						
Churches .....		153.00			28.20	186.20
Miscellaneous Income .....		10.00	50.00	30.00	27.00	117.00
UNICEF .....			12.00			12.00
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$102,870.77</b>	<b>\$01,900.09</b>	<b>\$30,364.00</b>	<b>44,758.94</b>	<b>\$42,071.94</b>	<b>\$282,565.80</b>

Philadelphia	\$102,870.77
Wilmington	61,900.09
Salisbury	30,364.00
Easton	44,758.94
Dover	42,671.94

	<b>\$282,565.80</b>
Bishop's Reception	775.10
Trans. Rev. Strothers	50.00
Sale — Lot Lincolnton	1,778.80
Refund Lucknow	25.00
Maintenance	8,120.00
Redeposit Checks	3,433.49
	<b>\$290,748.19</b>

## DISBURSEMENTS

### I.

1. World Service	\$26,500.00
2. Board of Education	11,918.00
3. Conference Secretary	803.02
4. Conference Statistician	175.00
5. Conference Treasurer	8,000.00
6. Conference Board of Evangelism	1,204.00
7. Friendship House	1,241.28
8. Scholarships	500.00
9. Student Aid Fund	545.00
10. Board of Social Concern	1,486.25

### II.

1.		
2. Fellowship of Suffering		1,100.00
3. Methodist Student Day		1,250.00
4. Methodist Youth Fund		1,800.00
5. Race Relations Day		1,250.00
6. Rally Day		3,500.00
7. One Great Hour of Sharing (Dedication)		2,300.00
8. Children's Service		125.00
9. Methodist TV		382.71

## III.

1.	Church Aid	2,930.50
2.	Methodist Youth Institute	1,575.00
3.	Ministerial Training	2,000.00
4.	Publication of Conference History	31.99
5.	Board of Lay Activities	1,634.18
6.	Promotional Advance	27,360.29
7.	Schools and Colleges	7,659.25
8.	Annual Conference Support	9,506.49
9.	General Administration Fund	3,000.00
10.		
11.	Publication of Conference Journal	3,889.07
12.	Young Adult Conference	800.00
13.	Youth Conference Support	1,500.00
14.	District Parsonage Upkeep	2,812.00
15.	Conference Trustee Expense	125.00
16.	Area Expense	7,080.00
17.	Interdenominational Cooperation Fund	9,000.00
18.	Hospital and Homes	1,979.25
19.	Christian Vocation	275.00
20.		
21.	Baltimore Leadership School	637.00
22.	World Service and Finance Commission Expense	455.67
23.	Reserve Fund	4,000.00
24.	Town and Country	516.10
25.	Chesapeake Area	300.00
26.	Conference Publicity Fund	261.82
27.	Certified Public Accountant	950.00
28.		
29.		
30.	Pre-Conference Booklets	430.00
31.	Group Insurance	8,458.02
32.	TRAFICO	85.50
33.		
34.	Commission on Promotion and Cultivation	1,533.00

## IV.

1.	District Superintendent	\$ 39,837.00
2.	Travel	8,075.04
3.	Episcopal Fund	7,224.00
4.	Conference Claimants	43,320.00
5.	Conference Claimants — Pastor's	5,893.00
6.	Conference Permanent Fund	3,868.00
7.	Minimum Salary Fund	4,800.00
8.	Pension Reserve Fund	7,346.00

## V.

1.	Bishop Moore's Reception	832.02
2.	Minister's Wives	13,500.10
3.	Camp Site	1,050.00
4.	Bishops Appeal for Africa	2,926.58
5.	Conference Offering	581.33
6.	Sale Lot — Linconia	1,778.80
7.	Freedom Riders	183.55
8.	Methodist Book Room	13.99
9.	Dunlieth Promotion	156.00
10.	Lucknow Relief	50.00

11	Dr. Frank Laubach	233.00
12.	Transfer to Savings	4,000.00
13.	Over Deposit	12.00
14.	Methodist Publishing House	2,966.85
15.	District Conference Support	110.00
16.	Chile Relief	300.00
	Total Disbursements	\$305,682.65

## STEWARDSHIP AND FINANCE

STEWARDSHIP is partnership with Christ through the Holy Spirit in fulfilling the purpose of God in the world.

CHRISTIAN ECONOMICS is defined as God's eternal ownership of property and the temporary possession of it by men dealing with one another as sons of God and as brothers among themselves.

PROMOTION OF CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP: The practice of stewardship of time, talents and possessions is the highest earthly manifestation of the Christian life. The program of stewardship cultivation is a cooperative endeavor in which both laymen and ministers share. Tithing and proportionate giving are the most fruitful and Christian of all methods of church financing. People give beyond the tithe as they more fully understand their partnership with God as Christian stewards.

TEACHING CHILDREN AND YOUTH TO SHARE: Dedication of self and gifts is an inseparable part of the Christian life. Every child and young person should make a pledge to the church from his allowance. The example of parents and church school teachers help to bring the best results. The expression of the Christian stewardship pattern early in life will bring infinite dividends in SERVICE and GIFTS through the years.

PLANNING THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL CAMPAIGN: Write the Board of Lay Activities, 1200 Davis St., Evanston, Illinois for information.

Mastery of the MANUAL ON FINANCE is essential. Success will be directly proportional to the intelligent preparatory work. Definite goals must be set. The raising of the budget ranks high among the religious services a church renders to God and humanity.

STIMULATING NEEDED PUBLICITY: The ultimate purpose of all publicity is to persuade to action. The spoken word of the minister in sermons and of laymen in discussions is an excellent form of publicity. Money spent for radio, newspaper and other sensible channels of communication such as attractively illustrated printing and mimeographing pays amazing dividends.

INCREASING STEWARDSHIP AND FINANCIAL MORALE: Enroll stewards at a Stewardship Service as the climax of cultivation, education, reading and preaching.

Information relative to the financial policy and condition of the church must be presented to the congregation. Members should be told how their gifts are being used and the results of their use.

The books of each treasurer should be audited annually by a competent public accountant.

STEWARDSHIP AND EVANGELISM: In the acceptance of partnership with Christ, Christians become the elect agency of God for carrying forward His redemptive purpose. Evangelism thus becomes a method of stewardship, the primary expression of God's stewardship to and for all of us. JOSEPH E. DUNN, *Director of Stewardship*

## BOARD OF MISSIONS

It has been said by someone that World Service and the Advance belong together, that together they represent the heart of Methodism in giving.

This leads us to believe that the record of the growth in increased giving for World Service and the Advance is proof of the close relationship of these two interests, and relieves our minds of the idea of competitive relationship. They stand side by side in the proposed goal of \$15,000,000.00 for each cause each year for the quadrennium.

Furthermore, I believe that second mile giving gives us our greatest joy and most



lasting rewards. Unfortunately, the cold record does not prove that we in the Central Jurisdiction believe it. The report of the General Board for 1961, states that our Baltimore Area gave to World Service during the year, twenty-one cents per person and to the Advance three cents per person, making a total of twenty-four cents per capita to these great causes of our Church. This is over three times lower than the lowest per capita giving in the entire Methodist Church. Being a low income group cannot always be an excuse for not doing our part as God has blessed us.

It is also interesting to note that the fifteen Methodist churches giving the most to World Service and the Advance come from our southern conferences. I wonder if our southern brothers are better Methodists than we of the North?

It is important that the Conference Board of Missions, through its secretaries help to keep the blood stream of the Church flowing. If we falter here, the whole structure is in danger, and this must not happen.

In this brief foreword to the report of our secretaries, the Board wishes to thank these men for their loyalty and zeal in carrying the message of our connectional program to every corner of our Conference. Working without compensation, or proper support from the Conference, their only thought has been to hear the Master's, "Well done thou good and faithful servant".

The thanks of the Board also goes to our District Superintendents who have attended all of our meetings and co-operated in every phase of our program.

To those of you who made requests to the Board for assistance and did not receive it, it was because the churches of the Conference did not meet their connectional responsibilities. May we always remember the work of our Conference can only be done through consecrated team work.

ROY L. CORDERY, *Chairman*

**LOANS AND DONATIONS**  
**APPLICATIONS FOR LOANS AND DONATIONS**  
**PROCESSED, APPROVED AND SUBMITTED**  
**TO THE DIVISION OF NATIONAL MISSIONS**  
 March 31, 1961 to March 31, 1962

<i>Districts</i>	<i>Loans</i>	<i>Donations</i>	<i>Projects</i>
Philadelphia	\$ 5,000.00		Butler Memorial, New York. New Church to cost \$178,566.00. W. P. Johnson, Pastor No. 4. Approved May 17, 1961.
Board Action			
Easton	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 3,500.00	Salem Mount Vernon. Church had fire. New Church needed. E. H. Jackson, Pastor. No. 5. Approved October 23, 1961.
Board Action			
Salisbury	\$12,000.00	\$ 7,500.00	Mt. Zion Methodist Church. New Church: cost—\$32,000.00, Pocomoke City, Md. G. O. Commodore, Pastor. No. 6. Approved September 9, 1961.
Board Action			
Dover		\$ 800.00	Lee's Chapel, Townsend, Del. Remodel Church. R. R. Hicks, Pastor. No. 6. Approved December 26, 1961. Exploratory information.
Board Action			
Wilmington	\$ 6,000.00		Hamilton Memorial, Atlantic City, N. J. Acquisition of property adjacent to Church. H. D. Davis, Pastor. No. 7. Approved January 31, 1962.
Board Action			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$27,000.00</b>	<b>\$11,800.00</b>	
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>\$38,800.00</b>	

DIVISION OF NATIONAL MISSIONS CONTINGENT FUND  
APPLICATION PROCESSED AND APPROVED

October 7, 1961: Easton District—Rev. R. S. Caldwell, hospital bill—\$293.70. Sent to Rev. C. L. Trader, District Superintendent, to give to Rev. R. S. Caldwell.

PROMOTION — ADVANCE FUND ALLOCATIONS  
For Conference Year (1961-1962)

<i>District</i>	<i>Charge</i>	<i>Minister</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Dover, Sassafras		Rev. (Mrs.) O. O. James	\$ 300.00
Easton, no allocations made			
Philadelphia, Butler Memorial		W. P. Johnson	1,000.00
Philadelphia, St. John's, Newark, N. J.		T. M. Booth	1,000.00
Philadelphia, Community		D. W. Whye	1,600.00
Philadelphia, Tioga		G. H. Outen	1,200.00
Philadelphia, Trevoise		J. L. McCleendon	1,600.00
Salisbury, Mt. Zion, Pocomoke		G. O. Commodore	4,500.00
Wilmington, Coleman Memorial		H. R. Snead	624.00
Wilmington, 8th Street, Camden		C. I. Young	500.00
		TOTAL	\$12,324.00

(All checks ordered by the treasurer, payable to the church involved, and sent through the District Superintendent, to be presented to the church.)

DIVISION OF NATIONAL MISSIONS  
MISSION AID PROGRAM  
Year Ending, May 31, 1962

DOVER DISTRICT

1.	Crumpton	\$ 150.00
2.	Port Deposit	150.00
3.	Seaford Circuit	300.00

Total \$ 600.00

EASTON DISTRICT

1.	Beckwith	\$ 300.00
2.	Crapo-Golden Hill	300.00

Total \$ 600.00

PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT

1.	Bethsaida	\$ 500.00
2.	Jersey City	200.00
3.	Emmanuel	300.00
4.	Frankford	300.00
5.	East Germantown	200.00
6.	Shaw Chapel	200.00
7.	St. Barnabas	200.00
8.	Trevoise	800.00
9.	Ossining	200.00
10.	Tioga	800.00
11.	Mt. Zion	1,200.00
12.	Community	600.00

Total \$5,500.00

SALISBURY DISTRICT

1.	Keller — Exmore	\$ 300.00
2.	Manokin	300.00

3. Oriole & Venton .....	100.00	
4. Stockton — Shiloh .....	100.00	
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Total		\$ 800.00

**WILMINGTON DISTRICT**

1. Buttonwood & Christiana .....	\$ 200.00
2. Cape May & Swainton .....	300.00
3. Eighth Street, Camden .....	360.00
4. Mt. Holly .....	250.00
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Total	\$1,110.00	
Grand Total		\$8,610.00

**EXPENSE ACCOUNT OF CONFERENCE BOARD OF MISSIONS**  
 March 31, 1961 to March 31, 1962  
 (Bills Rendered)

Chairman: Roy L. Cordery .....	\$ 55.88
Conference Missionary Secretary—H. D. Davis .....	368.95
Five District Missionary Secretaries .....	48.14
Travel—Members to Meetings of Board .....	267.45
Delegates—Jurisdictional Meeting, Lay Activities .....	200.00
Registration Fees, Nine Delegates, Conference on Missions, Maryland State College .....	54.00
Delegates—Appalachian Missionary Conference, Buchannon, West Virginia .....	146.37
Telephone, Tape Recordings, Films .....	8.90
Executive Secretary, O. H. Spence (Clerical, etc.) .....	118.28
Mimeographing and Postage .....	30.00
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Total		\$1,296.97
	(Receipts From Treasurer)	

Balance, March 31, 1961 .....	\$ 40.77
Received July 24, 1961 .....	100.00
Received September 21, 1961 .....	200.00
Received February 10, 1962 .....	131.79
Received March 17, 1962 .....	166.00
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Total Received by Executive Secretary	<hr/>	\$ 638.56
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Balance paid by Treasurer and Members of Board	<hr/>	\$ 658.41
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Total		\$1,296.97
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ROY L. CORDERY, *Chairman*  
 H. D. Davis, *Conference Missionary Secretary*  
 O. H. SPENCE, *Executive Secretary*  
 J. E. DUNN, *Treasurer*

**CONFERENCE MISSIONARY SECRETARY**

In order that we might have an "informed people" as well as a "participating people", an active Commission on Missions in every local church is a must. Every pastor has the responsibility to see that this commission is at work in his local church as an agency of promotion, cultivation and education in all phases of work of missions and church extensions.

**GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS**

1. In order that an effective program of missions might be projected, it is necessary that

- the Executive Committee meet with the district superintendents and the district missionary secretaries in a planning conference during the month of June.
2. That members of the board, district missionary secretaries and interested persons endeavor to attend the missionary conferences in order to receive inspiration and information as to render larger service; Appalachian Missionary Conference, West Virginia Wesleyan College, August 6-10, and Delaware-Washington Conference on Missions, Camphor Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa., August 14-16.
  3. That every local church set up and maintain a functioning Commission on Missions.
  4. That every local church in the Conference plan and conduct a Church-Wide School of Missions.
  5. That every effort be made to increase attendance and interest in the District Missionary Institutes.
  6. That every local church plan a "Missionary Sunday" and invite a missionary or scholarship student as speaker.
  7. That every minister and lay member of our churches assume personal responsibility for the recruitment of young men and women for the ministry at home and the world mission fields.
  8. That every local church endeavor to meet its World Service apportionment in full.
  9. That churches in urban areas establish outpost Sunday schools in relocated and newly developed areas.
  10. That churches in farm and seasonal areas become more concerned in our ministry to the migratory and seasonal laborers.

### SPECIFIC RECOMMENDATIONS

We further recommend:

I. — That the Delaware Conference wholeheartedly endorse and support the nationwide study program for 1960-1964. Over-all theme: "Jesus Christ is Lord"; specific theme: "Our Mission Today". Quadrennium Emphasis: 1—The Faith That Compels Us; 2—The Factors That Confront Us; 3—The Frontier That Calls Us; 4—The Program That Unites Us.

II. — (a) That during 1962, the Bishop, district superintendents, Conference Missionary Secretary, chairman of the Board of Missions and the district missionary secretaries plan for and promote a CONFERENCE-WIDE WEEK OF MISSIONS, allowing one day for each district. Suggested dates, September 24-28, or October 8-12. (b) That qualified personnel on the work and program of missions and members of the Conference study team be engaged to give leadership for this week. (c) That the quadrennial emphasis, and the missionary concern of the Delaware Conference be projected and interpreted at these rallies. (d) That the Woman's Society of Christian Service be invited to share in the planning and promotion of the WEEK OF MISSIONS.

III. — (a) That each district missionary secretary under the guidance of the district superintendent shall make special effort to get more local churches to voluntarily adopt conference initiated specials and general advance specials. (b) That our Annual Conference Specials shall be such projects that are currently met by the Promotion-Advance Fund.

- (1) That the Conference Board of Missions shall continue as the agency through which such projects are accepted, classified, and funds administered.
- (2) That every pastor and local church shall make special effort to meet the Promotion-Advance Fund asking in full during this conference year.
- (3) That each District Superintendent emphasize the importance of the Promotion-Advance Fund, and receive reports of remittance at each session of the Quarterly Conference.

(c) That every local church shall voluntarily accept to share in a General Advance Special. (1) That the following shall be accepted as "suggested" projects: Teacher's salary in Liberia—\$840.00; Books for Alaska Methodist University Library—\$200.00; Salary, Indian Mission preacher—\$640.00; Peoples Methodist Community Center, New Orleans,

La.—\$400.00; LaCour Mission, Japan—\$200.00; Support hospital bed in Angola, India, Sarawak—\$100.00; Pay for an operation in a Mission hospital—\$25.00.

We are grateful to our conference board chairman, Mr. Roy L. Cordery, to the district missionary secretaries: Rev. Rupert Adams, Rev. J. I. Williams, Rev. W. H. Greene, Rev. R. B. Thompson, and Rev. W. R. C. Mills, and to the District Superintendents. It is because of their untiring efforts that the MISSIONARY STORY has been told on each district.

HOOKER D. DAVIS, *Conference Missionary Secretary*

## TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION

It is with thanks to God, Bishop Love, and other co-workers that we give account of the stewardship of the Commission on Town and Country Work.

Rev. E. A. Hughes was selected as representative to a school for Town and Country pastors, held in Washington, D. C., February 26-March 10, but insufficient funds prevented his attending.

### DOVER DISTRICT . . .

1. Cooperating with the Commission, Superintendent W. E. Stanley held consultations with the Galena and Sassafras charges, Maryland, with the results that both charges are now one, working under the leadership of Pastor Ophelia James.
2. Superintendent Stanley is keeping close observation of the churches of his district with a view to uniting churches wherever and whenever it seems wise.
3. Chairman Chancy attended the District Conference at Dover, November 8, 1961, and addressed the meeting.

### EASTON DISTRICT . . .

1. On October 12, 1961, this district held its second successful Convocation on the Church in Town & Country at Oxford, Md. Superintendent C. L. Trader, Executive Secretary E. A. Hughes, and Missionary Secretary W. H. Greene did a great job in team work.
2. Bishop Love attended this Convocation, and delivered an impressive address.

### SALISBURY DISTRICT . . .

1. At Princess Anne, Md., September 30, 1961, Superintendent J. W. Elbert held an inspiring Laymen's Conference. Your chairman attended, and addressed the Conference, explaining the effects of population changes on Town and Country churches, and some things to do to strengthen the churches.
2. A series of consultations have been planned by Superintendent Elbert, at Shiloh and Lawsionia charges, Crisfield; and with John Wesley and Whites Temple, Salisbury, looking toward some changes in the organizational structure on these charges.

### WILMINGTON DISTRICT . . .

1. Superintendent J. R. Shockley discussed mergers and uniting with Mt. Holly and Burlington charges. He endeavored to point out ways of improving the work of those charges by some united work. No agreement could be reached at that time.
2. Consultation will be held with Glenloch and Rhodes, March 24.

INTER-BOARD COMMITTEE ON RECRUITMENT, TRAINING AND COMMITMENT TO THE RURAL MINISTRY (see recommendation No. 5, page 158, 1961 Journal). Scholarship Committee: J. R. Shockley, Marie Dashields; Board of Missions: H. D. Davis, Lenora Robinson; Town & Country Commission: Augustus Chancy, Dewey Townsend; Board of Ministerial Training: C. L. Carrington, S. S. Tatum (At Large), H. A. Bailey.



## RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That Rural Life Sunday be observed in every local church, May 27, or most suitable date.
  2. That the churches of the Conference hold Harvest Festivals in connection with Thanksgiving.
  3. That the Town and Country Commission organize Farm and Home Committees (1960 Dis. Par. 145:11).
  4. That the Town and Country Commission meet at least once during conference year on each predominately rural district, at the time and place arranged by respective district superintendents; for the purpose of hearing debates on suggested mergers or other problems peculiar to the rural ministry or church.
  5. That a conference-wide Town and Country Convocation be held in an available rural area in 1962.
- The Commission has elected Mrs. Carrie W. Henry as treasurer.

## BUDGET

### RECEIPTS

June 8, 1961 to March 7, 1962 ..... \$186.65

### DISBURSEMENTS

Travel — A. Chancy .....	\$57.63	
Postage, telephone, display materials .....	17.85	
Travel — Board members .....	79.97	
Meals — Board Meetings .....	22.50	
	\$177.95	
Balance		\$ 8.70

### ASKINGS 1962-1963:

1. Commission Meetings .....	\$ 200.00
2. Four District Hearings .....	400.00
3. Advance Work on Convocation .....	200.00
4. Partial support for 4 Rural District In-service Training (\$50 each) .....	200.00
✓ 5. Inter-Board Committee Work (Recruiting, Training of persons dedicated to Rural leadership) .....	500.00
6. Postage, Phone Calls and Communication .....	25.00
Total	\$1,525.00 ✓

AUGUSTUS CHANCY, *Chairman*  
E. A. HUGHES, *Secretary*

## BOARD OF EDUCATION

The basic concept in the process of Christian education is that of growth and development. Our chief concern is to help persons to grow and develop in the likeness of Christ. This report calls attention to the items in our program which have been designed to help persons to grow in Christ's likeness.

*Children's Work:* Under the leadership of Mrs. Emma W. Strother, Conference Director, work with children continues to make progress.

We are pleased that our Conference has been chosen as one in which experimental work will be carried on in the development of the new curriculum for children. Miss Elsie Young, Lincoln, Del.; Mrs. Alberta Brown, Centreville; and Miss Lucy Wricks, Chester, Pa. will conduct experimental classes in their respective churches.

We have a deep concern about the loss of church school enrollment in the children's division. According to the report of the statistician we lost 2,250 children from our rolls

during the conference year 1960-1961. We also suffered a loss of 699 enrollment in vacation church schools in 1961 as compared with 1960.

*Youth Work:* After five years of effective work as Conference director of youth work, C. Leonard Miller, terminated his services with our staff as of August 31, 1961. The youth and adult workers with youth who have worked with Mr. Miller regret very much that he is no longer serving us. Since September 1, I have been acting as youth director with the loyal support of the district directors. I wish to make special mention of Rev. George Outen and Rev. Edwin Ellis who have been especially helpful.

*Youth Assembly:* Our first experience in holding a summer assembly at Haverford College, Haverford, Pa., was a good one. There were 102 youth, 11 adult workers enrolled and a staff of 22. The general spirit of the assembly was high. The association with the college staff was pleasant. We look forward to returning to Haverford July 22-28, 1962.

*Progress in Junior High Work* is steadily growing as evidenced by the large number of this age group served at the district assembly during the summer. We regret we were unable to carry out junior high camping last August. The campsite was not ready. We look forward to having a camp for this group August 6-11, 1962.

Missionary Rallies were well attended on all districts, Friday, November 23. On the Philadelphia District two rallies were held; the second was held on Saturday, November 24. According to the report of the Conference Treasurer, \$1,388.00 had been raised in the Methodist Youth Fund as of January 31, 1962.

*Higher Education:* Our Committee on Higher Education is seeking to be more effective in our ministry to students. Dr. W. R. Hazzard, the chairman, has given fine leadership. We are in the midst of a study of our student responsibility by seeking to determine the number of students who are attending colleges from the churches in our Conference. Partial reports reveal that we have 295 students. We are aware that this does not represent a true picture as many churches have not reported. With the Philadelphia Conference, we held a Convocation of Methodist Students in Philadelphia at The University of Pennsylvania, April 1.

We must take seriously our financial responsibility for student work. The Wesley Foundation at Maryland State College and Christian Center at Morgan State College, where hundreds of our Methodist students are enrolled, must have our financial support. Rev. S. S. Tatem at Maryland State College, and Rev. Howard Cornish at Morgan State College are doing excellent work.

*Adult Work:* Rev. Ewart C. Hackshaw and Rev. Clayton Hammond came to the Dover and Wilmington Districts respectively, as new directors during the year. They, with the Executive Secretary, spent a week at Rolling Ridge, North Andover, Mass. in a seminar on Understanding Adults. This was a most stimulating experience under the leadership of Dr. Malcum Knowles, of Boston University.

*Young Adult Work:* Rev. David W. Briddell, Conference Director of Adult Work, is chairman of a joint committee composed of members of the Philadelphia and Delaware Conferences. The committee is making an extensive study of the older youth—young adult situation in Philadelphia. The General Board of Education is cooperating with us in this study under the leadership of Rev. Charles E. Mowry.

*General Church School Work:* The Dover, Philadelphia and Wilmington Districts carried on successful church school workers' conferences during the year. The Easton district with Dr. Lowell B. Hazzard, Wesley Seminary, Washington, D. C. as the resource leader, conducted a successful Bible Conference. A Bible Conference was held in Philadelphia, April 6-8 with Dr. Clinton Armstrong as leader.

*Family Life:* Perhaps we have no greater need in Christian education than that in family life. As a result, our family life committee has been reorganized with Mr. James C. Hardcastle as chairman. The committee is currently making a study of the family life work carried on in the churches of our Conference. While the questionnaires which were sent have not all been returned, many interesting trends are revealed. When the study is completed, the findings will be made available to our churches and also to the General Board of Education.

*Camping:* We are hopeful that we will be able to do at least a modest amount of camping this summer. Due to the faithful services of a number of young adults from Philadelphia, we have been able to do a great deal in getting the campsite ready for use. Our development is progressing slowly due to lack of funds.

*Certified Directors of Christian Education:* At the last session of the Annual Conference we presented our first certified directors of Christian education, Miss Phyllis Henry and Rev. Edwin Ellis; Rev. Ellis being certified as minister of education. Miss Henry, has since been transferred to the East Wisconsin Conference where she serves as an associate executive secretary. The application of Rev. T. C. Jones is being processed.

*Incorporation of the Board of Education:* In accord with the directive of the 1961 session of the Annual Conference, the Board of Education has become incorporated in the State of Delaware. A Board of Directors, as required, is now being set up within the Board of Education.

*Appreciation:* Space will not permit adequate expression of appreciation to the persons who have contributed to the progress of the work of Christian education. These include Bishop Love, district superintendents, pastors, members of conference and district staffs and countless workers in the local churches. We are grateful to every one.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

### A. Higher Education

1. That we continue the asking of \$1.50 per member for the support of work with schools and colleges.

2. That the amount for this cause be placed in the regular budget of the local church with the suggestion that Layman's Day and Student Recognition Day be observed as a means of helping to raise these funds. (\$1.50 per member.)

3. That we use the amount raised for schools and colleges (\$1.50 per member) to support the following institutions on the percentage basis as indicated: Morristown College, 20 percent; Bennett College, 20 percent; Wesley Theological Seminary, 20 percent; Gammon Theological Seminary, 5 percent; Wesley Foundation, Md. State College, 10 percent; Wesley Foundation, Howard University, 3 percent; Allen High School, 2 percent; Morgan Christian Center, to support the Associate Director, 15 percent—with the understanding that there will be a priority on \$1,200.00 to develop new work within the conference territory, 5 percent—total, 100 percent.

4. That we support Morgan Christian Center with our Race Relation Day offering. Should this offering go beyond \$2,500.00 the remainder is to be given to other institutions in the area.

5. That we urge our churches to make every effort to increase the number of students attending colleges, with special consideration given to attending Methodist Schools.

6. That we give full support to all efforts to supply student aid and scholarships to students both on the conference and local church levels.

7. That we give full support to the Chesapeake Area and New Jersey Methodist Student Movements.

### B. General Recommendations

1. That we make a study of the causes involved in the decreased enrollment in the Children's division of our church schools, and seek to remedy the same.

2. That we put forth every effort to complete our campaign of \$30,000.00 for campsite development.

3. That we increase our emphasis on family life education and seek to send our full quota to the Fourth National Family Life Conference, Chicago, Ill., October 19-21, 1962.

4. That a committee be set up to study the financial support of all phases of Christian education work in the Conference, and to recommend improvement.

HOWARD A. BAILEY, *Executive Secretary*

JOHN R. SHOCKLEY, *President*

# COMMISSION ON CHRISTIAN VOCATIONS

The responsibility of the Commission on Christian Vocations is the task of helping young people to discover the gifts with which they have been endowed by God and in light of the world's needs, make their commitment as a Christian in their life's work. We have sought to help youth understand that such a commitment carries with it a willingness to prepare for their chosen fields. "A call to serve is a call to prepare."

We recognize that counseling is most necessary in helping youth choose vocations. Names of young people who have chosen Church related vocations have been sent to our commission. Counseling has been done in local churches and on the districts at youth meeting. Following the Youth Missionary Rallies, names of youth with their chosen vocations, came from the Salisbury and Wilmington districts. As usual, the Summer MYF Assembly was a source from which we received commitments.

Much more needs to be done to help parents, pastors, church school teachers and others to become more skilled in counseling in order to help youth in the local church and in the home. The need to help youth to have a sense of mission in choosing a life work is very important in this day when so much emphasis is placed upon material gain. We are confident that our young people will rise to the challenge of service under the guidance of mature counselors who are skilled in working with them and who themselves have a sense of social concern.

Our task is two-fold: (1) Helping adult leaders to become effective counselors, and (2) Helping youth to discover God's call to service. For this task we must seek to be of greater assistance.

We are encouraged by the continued interest which our young people show in the annual conference on The Ministry and Missions held during the Christmas season. Dr. Earl Ferguson of Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D. C., was our guest this year.

While we carry quite a list of names of young people on our files, we are aware that it needs revising. Any help which pastors and others may give in bringing our records up to date, would be greatly appreciated.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the District Superintendents lift up the matter of Christian vocations in Quarterly Conferences, Preachers' Meetings and all district meetings.
2. That the district committees organize for more effective work.
3. That each local church seek to organize a committee on Christian vocations in accord with the provision of the 1960 discipline.
4. That the local church committee help the home to become aware of its opportunity in vocational counseling.
5. That every church observe Ministry Sunday using this as an opportunity to acquaint the church with the needs of the Christian ministry, as well as to challenge young men and women to serve Christ through the church.
6. That the financial support of the commission be increased in order to be of greater service to pastors and others who need resources.

We are grateful for the help which has been available as we have sought to serve the conference. Bishop Love has personally worked with our youth especially in choosing the ministry. His contribution to our Christmas meeting is always helpful. The District Superintendents likewise have been active in promoting this cause. Many teachers, counselors, and parents have given guidance in many ways. For all of this we are thankful.

HOWARD A. BAILEY, *Chairman*  
FLORENCE G. WILSON, *Secretary*

## BOARD OF EVANGELISM

As a Board, let us call your attention to the "aim" of evangelism as it is expressed in the 1960 Discipline. "The aim of evangelism is to bring all men into living, active fellowship with God through Jesus Christ as divine Saviour and through the regenerating power of the Holy Spirit; to gather them into the fellowship of the Church; to lead them to express their Christian discipleship in every area of human life that the Kingdom of God may be realized."

With this in mind, the Board has endeavored to create such enthusiasm within its members, district committees, local churches and other leaders in evangelism, that there will come a new awakening in the emphasis of evangelism.

The Board has endeavored to give particular emphasis to a well rounded program of evangelism throughout the Conference. The response has not been as expected but it is gratifying to state that there is an increase in spirit and in activity.

We live in an era of greatness. We have a great Church with great memberships, great buildings, great budgets and great programs. In this time of greatness, the demand is to launch a great program of evangelism that will challenge and match the hour of greatness. It is imperative that we as leaders in evangelism create a new image of ourselves and have again this strange heart-warming of the Holy Spirit.

John Wesley said, "I am not afraid that the people called Methodists should ever cease to exist, but I am afraid lest they should exist only as a dead sect, having the form of religion without the power."

Evangelism is challenged at this point. If we are to have that regenerating power of the Holy Spirit, we must return once more to the "Upper Room" and there remain until the Holy Spirit has filled every heart. We believe, not only as Methodists, but as representatives of Jesus Christ, that to do His work, we must be equipped with the one thing that is so essential, "the Holy Spirit". Jesus believed this was essential to his early followers. He commanded them to "tarry" until they had received this all important element in their lives. This hundred and twenty persons who comprised the first Church, waited until the Holy Spirit came and filled the whole house "where they were". Dr. William D. Longstaff has so well expressed this need in the hymn, "Take time to be holy, Speak oft with thy Lord".

The National Council of Evangelism of The Methodist Church, in session at Kingston, Okla., set forth some objectives for the remainder of 1962 and the Aldersgate Year of 1963. These years are to be a time of spiritual awakening in Methodism throughout the world. Achieving this awakening will require prayer, Bible study, repentance, theological insight, preaching, witnessing, evangelistic meetings and personal experience. These, with others will become our objectives for the coming years.

The Delaware Conference was honored by having two ministers, C. L. Carrington and Henry H. Nichols, invited by the Board of Evangelism and Division of National Missions to share in the Visitation Evangelism Mission to Alaska. The other Negro minister was R. E. Harrington of the Louisiana Conference. These three were sharing with a group of thirty-one other ministers and laymen in this Mission. It should be stated that these men were invited by our National Boards, but they assumed the financial obligations and their local churches accepted the indebtedness. We say to the local churches, "God bless you". The time has come when other churches of the Delaware Conference should enable the minister or layman to participate in similar endeavours in order to have a part in witnessing for Christ and His Church.



## RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend:

1. That we continue the quadrennial program of evangelism as it applies to the needs of our Conference.
2. That we shall fully participate in the Aldersgate program of 1962 and 1963.
3. That in October, 1962, or at a time that is more suitable, the Bishop shall set a day for a Spiritual Life Retreat for ministers.

WILLIAM R. MAYBERRY, *Chairman* MRS. HELENA MURRAY, *Secretary*  
CYRUS W. DERRICKSON, *Conference Secretary*

## BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

The \$30,000 Golden Age Investment Drive has been launched. Edward A. Hughes, Sr. has been appointed conference director, assisted by the following district directors, Mrs. Mable Cropper, Mrs. Helen Crippen, Edwin L. Ellis, Omar C. Jones, and M. L. McKenny.

The Board of Directors of the Home for the Aged, led by the chairman, James C. Hardcastle, is progressing in processing a loan of \$569,000 from the Home and Housing Finance Corporation.

The General Board of Hospitals and Homes, administrators of the Kendall Fund, has given the Board of Directors during 1961-62 the sum of \$41,000. Future grants will be made to the Board depending upon the interest and support that our Conference gives and the progress made toward the building and operation of the Home for the Aged.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend:

1. That every effort be made to complete the raising of \$30,000 by November, 1962.
2. That each local church hospitals and homes steward or stewards and all lay members of the Annual Conference work closely with the district directors and district superintendents in promotion of the drive.
3. That a roll call be made at each District Conference.
4. That the Annual Conference approve the revised Constitution and By-laws.
5. That the Commission on World Service and Finance approve a budget of \$5,000 to be assessed to the charges; and that each charge make every effort to raise the assessment in full.
6. That all Golden Cross enrollment funds be held in a separate account by the Board of Hospitals and Homes for health and welfare as recommended by the Golden Cross Society of the Conference.
7. That the 1962 class of directors be elected.

Nominations: Charles E. Kiah, Mrs. Anna H. Jones, Clemon B. Miles and James C. Waters.

C. B. MILES, *Chairman*  
E. A. HUGHES, *Secretary*

## GOLDEN CROSS SOCIETY

Another year passes and it is through our Lord and loyal members of our churches that I make this report.

The Golden Cross Society stimulates a realistic attitude toward aging. A broad understanding of the aging process and the special needs of older people is of primary importance. The resources of the Board of Hospitals and Homes and the Golden Cross Society can help us gain this needed understanding. We must be concerned not only with the immediate problems of older people, but also with the solution of such problems as they affect persons of all ages. We strive to make clear the importance of preparation in younger years for the

seniorship now being attained by more and more people. We also emphasize the primary responsibility of each individual in meeting the needs of the aging population.

The Golden Cross Society activity aims at full recognition of the capabilities of older persons and the contribution they can make to themselves and society. We cannot isolate the aged! This concept must be recognized and acted upon by every major group in our society. Each of us should face the realities, possibilities and responsibilities which accompany the new era of aging. All age groups should re-study their attitude toward the aging process and the opportunities which the new status of aging provides. We must realize that each of us is aging from the day he is born and that we, in our earlier years, may help to determine in large measure, security after retirement. Problems of the aged are due primarily to the decreased income at retirement, making it less easy to meet every day needs and difficult to meet large expenses.

The National Board of Hospitals and Homes reports the greatest growth to be in service for the aging. There are one hundred twelve homes for the aged today as compared to sixty in 1950.

Every local church should have a hospitals and homes steward or stewards, to represent institutional care. The Golden Cross Society considers one of its vital tasks to be that of informing Methodists of the contribution of creative group living and loving care to the meeting of needs of the aging. Persons contemplating admission to the proposed Delaware Conference Home for the Aged should have available a counselor in the hospital and homes steward. This steward, on request of the pastor, shall be in charge of the Golden Cross enrollment and the dissemination of literature to assist in relating the congregation not only to the greater philanthropy of the church, but also to the social welfare organizations.

It was a high privilege to represent the Delaware Conference at the National Convention of the Board of Hospitals and Homes in Chicago, Illinois during February and participate in the study, "Our Church's Health and Welfare Concern". It has also been my privilege to speak at local churches and district meetings concerning our cause.

We are grateful for the support given by the leaders of the Conference and local churches, and for the work of the district directors of the Society. Progress has been reported. Ours is a rich heritage and can be made more meaningful through our service in the future.

### RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend:

1. That our goal for 1962-63 should be: Every local church seeking to enroll every member in the Golden Cross Society with the contribution of \$1.00 per year.
2. That annual enrollment day be observed on the second Sunday in November.
3. That the Golden Cross enrollment receipts be labeled, Golden Cross Society when remitted to Conference treasurer.
4. That we observe "Help Educate a Nurse Sunday".

MRS. L. BEATRICE DORSEY, *Director*

## BOARD OF CHRISTIAN SOCIAL CONCERNS

The responsibility for administering the policies of the Board of Christian Social Concerns rests with the director, chairman, three vice-chairmen and district directors.

The Board has been active in the interest of temperance and general welfare, peace and world order, and human relations and economic affairs. By means of films, books, panels, lectures, and displays, we have tried to stimulate local churches, pastors and other leaders to fruitful thinking and action in the area of social concerns.

We call the attention of the Conference to three significant meetings during this conference year. A meeting with leaders of the Peninsula and Delaware Conferences was held at Easton, Md. We were called together to discuss the major existing problems which separate us and with which we must deal if we are to bring about merger and integration; and some practical, concrete, specific things that can be done now on local, district, and conference levels that will help in meeting these problems. There were seventy-two in

attendance (Delaware Conference, 30; Peninsula Conference, 41; General Board, 1). We are most grateful to Bishop Love and Bishop Lord for their strong support, presence and participation.

Our concern about new patterns in housing led us to hold a meeting in Philadelphia for the purpose of exploring the extent, causes and efforts of new patterns in housing in the Philadelphia area and to seek wholesome solutions.

At the invitation of Rev. J. W. Reynolds, chairman of the Virginia Annual Conference Board, your director met with the executive committee of the Virginia Conference and representatives from the Washington and North Carolina Conferences to converse on our common concerns in regard to territorial overlapping.

The question is being asked, "Is this the time to abolish the Central Jurisdiction?". Varying opinions are being expressed. One thing is certain and clear, the consciences of large sections of the Church, of both races, are troubled because the Central Jurisdiction exemplifies segregation within The Methodist Church. The Board has appointed a committee to present a resolution at this session expressing the thinking of our Board of Christian Social Concerns.

The Board wishes to express its appreciation for the support of Bishop Love, district superintendents, pastors, and lay leadership for their interest and concern for the quadrennial program on temperance, world order, and social and economic affairs.

### RECOMMENDATIONS

1. In the light of many calls for help and guidance and the urgently suggested activities from the General Board, we recommend an increase in our budget of \$1,800, making a total of \$3,000 for the year. The increase is to be used for administrative work and district activities, including training for division chairmen and district directors at conferences and workshops; donations to official Christian action groups and the new Methodist Building at the United Nations in New York City.

2. We further recommend that the Commission on World Service and Finance approve and the Conference endorse an increase of \$1,800 for our expanded budget to be used as indicated above.

3. We recommend that the invitation of Dr. Carl D. Soule, executive secretary of the Division of Peace and World Order, to our Conference to send a member of our Board with him and thirty other Methodists to Europe, including Russia, in July be accepted. Further, that the selection of Henri M. Deas, chairman of Division on Peace and World Order, be approved. We further recommend that the Commission on World Service and Finance approve and the Conference endorse and authorize the district superintendents to present this opportunity to the pastors and congregations and ask for a free will contribution to finance the tour which will cost approximately \$1,700.

CHARLES L. CARRINGTON, *Chairman*  
EARL H. CRAMPTON, *Director*

## BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES

### RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend:

1. That Rule 26 be amended to include the entertainment of the following members of the Board of Lay Activities: Five district lay leaders; vice-president; and two directors, Lay Speaking and Men's Work.

2. That the business of the Conference be completed before adjournment and that no legislative transaction be executed on Sunday morning.

3. That the names and street addresses of churches be printed in the Journal.

HALLY P. JOHNS, *Lay Leader*

# BOARD OF PENSIONS

## RECOMMENDATIONS

### 1. PASTORS' ONE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT

We recommend:

- a. That the district superintendents stress the importance of the 1½% payments and urge all pastors who are in arrears to pay the amount due this fund.
- b. That in planning the appointments of the ministers, the question of their relation to the fund be taken into consideration.
- c. That in order to reduce the immense amount of 1½% due, ministers receiving \$5,000 or more cash salary should pay in full; those receiving \$2,000 to \$2,999 cash salary pay 80% of indebtedness; and those receiving less than \$2,000 cash salary pay 60% of indebtedness.
- d. That the suggested arrangements for delinquent payments be made for the conference year 1962-63.
- e. That the roll of 1½% payments be called at the Conference Executive Session.

### 2. PERMANENT FUND

We recommend:

That the payment of \$8,333 be made to the Permanent Fund this year and continue until we enter the Reserve Pension Fund.

### 3. HEALTH AND WELFARE

We recommend:

- a. That the same asking of \$500 be requested this year for the Philadelphia Methodist Hospital.
- b. That all ministers be enrolled in Health and Hospitalization policies that are available through state and local Councils of Churches.

### 4. RESERVE PENSION FUND

We recommend:

That the Board conduct a conference wide CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS STAMP SALE for the Reserve Pension Fund. Stamps are to be sold in sheets of one hundred for \$1.00 per sheet.

WILLIAM C. STROTHER, JR., *President*

JAMES H. C. KELLY, *Executive Secretary*

FLORENCE G. WILSON, *Assistant Secretary*

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The trustees of the Delaware Conference submit the following report:

The Annual Conference is incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware. 28 South Queen Street is listed as the address to which all legal papers pertaining to the corporation are to be sent. The requirement that the charter be renewed each year has been met, having been renewed in January of 1962.

The trustees hold the deeds to the following properties: Tioga Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.; St. Matthew's Methodist Church, Trevoese, Pa.; and Coleman Memorial Methodist Church, Wilmington, Del. The titles held for the property on which the proposed home for the aged is to be built and for the camp site are in the process of being transferred to the trustees of the home for the aged and the camp site respectively.

The insurance policies for the Tioga Church and the Community Church are kept in the safe deposit box at the Delaware Trust Company in Dover, Delaware. The Tioga Church is covered by \$250,000 and the Community Church by \$13,000 in insurance.

The trustees sold for the sum of \$500.00 the abandoned church property at Camden, Delaware. This sum has been deposited with the conference treasurer.

The list of abandoned church property is as follows:

Dover District—Portsville, Delaware and Mt. Zion Church, Lincoln, Delaware.

Easton District—Church property near Beckwith, Maryland; church property Antioch, Maryland; and Dickenson Chapel, near Cambridge, Maryland.

Salisbury District—St. Luke's Church, at Punching Landing and Lutherbury Chapel, near Salisbury, Maryland.

Wilmington District—Church property at Absecon, New Jersey.

District Superintendent J. W. Elbert reports that the St. Luke's Church of the Tindley Chapel Charge, which was abandoned church property, was illegally sold by persons described as the remaining trustees of the property.

### RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend:

1. That the trustees be authorized to take the legal action necessary to recover St. Luke's Church property or the sum of money for which it was sold.
2. That the trustees be given authority to sell the abandoned church property at Lincoln, Delaware, of the Dover District.

C. W. DERRICKSON, *Vice Chairman*  
M. O. BALLARD, *Secretary*

### STATE OF THE CHURCH

The church is challenged today to meet the needs of a rapidly changing social order. She is deeply conscious of the scientific progress which is being unfolded in our so-called "space age" and of the increased opportunities that these media present. Ninety-five percent of the householders in the United States have radios and ninety-nine percent of the people are in reach of at least one television station. Men in all walks of life are being challenged.

Even with all of these media and opportunities at our command we still find men who are confused and frightened. The possibility of a nuclear explosion is causing men to run to the rocks in search of a hiding place. Fallout shelters are becoming a reality in our day. With the coming of the "Spy Satellites" men are able to explore the darkest corners of the world. The Church cannot become content until it penetrates the darkest reaches of the souls of men and until they turn to the secret places of the pavillion of God for safety rather than their fallout shelters.

The world watched in awesome wonder a few days ago as one man proclaimed the wonders of God as he watched "four glorious sunsets and sunrises in one day." We must not become contented to let the world take the witness which should be ours and twist and slant it to give to themselves a false sense of security.

Sensitivity to world events is a prerequisite to the victories which the Church seeks. Let us not repeat the mistakes of the past when so often the Church missed the great chance by ignoring the uncomfortable realities of the world which was its parish.

Let the Church know the world it is to serve, and go forth to serve in the consciousness of its nature, its authority, its mission, and its power.

To this age the Church is expected to minister with a firm and steady hand and to speak with a clear and commanding voice. An artificial climate of authority has been created by the external pressures of coercion and persecution designed to shatter the inner compulsions of life on which all valid authority is based.

The disciples of Jesus met successfully the resistance to their new religious experience because they knew what they were commissioned to do.

Recommendations:

1. One area which commands our immediate attention is the Christian education of young people. The total educational program of the Church cannot be over emphasized. If we are to go forward in this age we must be prepared.
2. We live in a world whose very existence is threatened by group tensions, misunderstanding, and incited hostilities. We therefore urge every church to exert all of its energy to create real brotherhood which will transform tension into participation, misunderstanding into appreciation, and hostility into cooperation.
3. We urge every church to speak with authority on all matters of social concern and especially those where neglect and injustices are evident.
4. That we endeavor to have a spiritual reawakening throughout the Church.
5. That we strive to become ". . . doers and not hearers only".



6. That we reevaluate our mission in today's troubled world in relation to the teachings of Jesus.

The road ahead is a long one, but it is no longer than that which our Lord walked on the way to Calvary. The burden may be heavy, but He never puts more on us than we can bear.

Rise up, O men of God! Have done with lesser things;  
Give heart and soul and mind and strength to serve the King of Kings.

L. H. PURNELL, *Chairman*  
R. L. HARRIS, *Secretary*

## COMMISSION ON PROMOTION AND CULTIVATION RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend:

1. That the elective course, "World Service in The Methodist Church", be used for church-wide study.

2. That the filmstrip, "Fantastic Journey", be utilized as a follow-up to "The Future Is Now" audio-visual filmstrip series.

3. That the use of "World Outlook" magazine be encouraged as a supplementary source for mission study.

4. That "The Methodist Story Book" which contains human interest stories illustrating World Service be circulated in each local church.

JOSHUA E. LICORISH, *Chairman*

## MINIMUM SALARY FUND

Balance on Hand, May - 1961 .....	\$ 252.95
Deposited — June - 1961 .....	4,883.00
	\$5,135.95

### CHECKS WITHDRAWN

1. J. A. Conway .....	\$ 100.00
2. Carvilla Pinder .....	100.00
3. Rachael Brown .....	100.00
4. Ophelia James .....	100.00
5. A. H. Slacum .....	100.00
6. L. R. Jones .....	100.00
7. C. J. Williams .....	100.00
8. Floyd Waters .....	100.00
9. Crawford L. Trader .....	100.00
10. I. W. Wallace .....	150.00
11. Amy Redfield .....	150.00
12. Mary Slade .....	150.00
13. E. T. Randolph .....	150.00
14. Samuel Bellamy .....	150.00
15. A. A. Berry .....	200.00
16. E. J. Johnson .....	200.00
17. Carlton Parker .....	200.00
18. A. F. Farrare .....	200.00
19. C. H. Cottingham .....	200.00
20. Robert L. Harris .....	200.00
21. William Staten .....	200.00
22. C. E. Landrum .....	200.00
23. R. T. Wallace .....	200.00

24. J. J. Webster .....	200.00
25. M. D. Brooks .....	200.00
26. Jacob Caulk .....	200.00
27. Thomas Cameron .....	200.00
28. Frank Robinson .....	200.00

DINNER

29. Florence G. Wilson .....	20.00
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	\$4,470.00
Total in Bank — June, 1961 .....	5,135.00
Checks Withdrawn .....	4,470.00

Balance in Bank, March 15, 1962 .....	\$ 665.95
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FLORENCE G. WILSON, *Secretary-Treasurer*

## COMMISSION ON WORSHIP

The Commission on Worship is promoting the trial use of the Proposed Revisions for *The Book of Worship* in all of the churches of the Delaware Conference. The Commission recommends:

1. That the pastors will urge all officials to purchase the book that is published in compliance with the order of the General Conference of 1960.
2. That the two Orders of Worship will be tried by both small and large churches because the orders can be adapted for use by both. The first order is being adapted from John Wesley's Sunday Service for the Methodist Societies in America. The second order follows the pattern of the Wesley service and has all of the basic elements of Christian worship.
3. That the pastors will interpret to the people the meaning of the other General Services: The Sacrament of Baptism; the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper; the Service of Marriage; and the Order for the Burial of the Dead—so that they may not be mere "tokens" of the Christian's profession.
4. That section two, Services for the Christian Year, will be used to provide variety and change in the services. All materials follow the traditional year, beginning with Advent and concluding with Thanksgiving.
5. That section three, the General Aids to Worship for Personal and Public Worship, can be used in several ways. It is intended to offer pastors and people a portion of the heritage which is ours in the Christian worship of God. It will provide prayers, sentences, versicles (a short verse in a service that is spoken by the minister), canticles, and litanies.
6. That the suggestions for improvements for the Proposed Revisions for *The Book of Worship* will be mailed not later than December, 1962, to the office of the Book Editor of The Methodist Church, 201 Eighth Avenue, South, Nashville 3, Tennessee.
7. That the pastors and other leaders of worship will study the great hymns of faith, and that they will use them to enrich the worship experiences of their congregations.
8. That workshops be held in every local church to acquaint the members with the meaning of public and private worship.

The Commission on Worship will have on display in the prayer room at Tindley Temple appropriate symbols representing the special seasons and services of the Christian Year. The display will be in the church from Wednesday, May 23, to Saturday, May 26, 1962.

ALEXINA A. HAZZARD, *Secretary*

C. EDGAR JORDAN, *Chairman*

## COMMITTEE ON EMANCIPATION CELEBRATION

In an effort to meet the responsibility which is mine, I submit these remarks in lieu of a report. In fact I feel very much alone in the suggestions that I make because of the fact there has been no committee meeting and limited communication with a few of the members of the Committee.

It is assumed that this committee would complete its obligation, thereby being dissolved at the 1963 annual conference; that its final action would be some kind of public ceremony properly planned for local church utilization throughout the conference and/or presentable to the conference at its annual session.

It is my personal impression that there is limited enthusiasm and limited budget for the preparation and/or presentation of anything elaborate. I wish to also make the observation that the general interest for the Emancipation Proclamation Celebration seems now to be limited to the thinking of those of us who were in early years personally in touch with one or more people who lived through the experience of the Civil War. For this reason, I am inclined to suggest that the effort of this committee be limited (1) to working out a program of not more than two hours for presentation to an evening session of the 1963 annual conference; (2) that great effort be made to make it an impressive registration of our gratitude to Almighty God for deliverance that will also serve as a vehicle for teaching those who are younger the enlarged opportunities that bless their lives; and finally, as an inspiration to all, to be more consciously motivated by the spiritual as we seek to make the most of our lives in an unselfish way.

WILLIAM C. JASON, JR., *Chairman*

## HISTORICAL SOCIETY

As chairman of the Historical Society, I availed myself of the opportunity to attend the annual meeting of the Association of Methodist Historical Societies of the Northeastern Jurisdiction, held at Drew University, Madison, N. J., April 24-26, 1962. The contact with the Association is valuable for the future work of the Conference Historical Society, as it is presently concerned with research and publication of historical facts about Methodism. Slides of historical data are being prepared for teaching purposes and will be available to member conferences.

### RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend:

1. That each delegate read paragraph 663 of the 1960 Discipline.
2. That a budget of two hundred dollars (\$200) be approved for the work of the Historical Society.
3. That the Delaware Conference become a financial member of the Northeastern Jurisdictional Historical Society.
4. That the Conference Historical Society be authorized to invite the Northeastern Jurisdictional Historical Society to hold its 1964 annual session in Philadelphia with the Delaware Conference as host, as a part of the Centennial celebration.
5. That in 1963, the 225th Anniversary of John Wesley's Aldersgate experience be observed throughout the Conference, in every local church; and further, that studies in the areas of (a) Life of John Wesley, (b) History of Methodism, (c) The Negro in Methodism, and (d) Methodist Beliefs, be encouraged.
6. That an organized effort be made to gather historical data and documents on Methodism in the Delaware Conference.
7. That the Historical Society assume the initiative to circulate historical data of the Conference in Methodist historical circles and publications.
8. That the Society become the Conference agency responsible for the sale and distribution of the Conference History to be published in 1964.
9. That congregations be encouraged to make colored pictures, slides, and cards of their local churches for distribution.

WILLIAM C. JASON, JR., *Chairman*  
JOSHUA E. LICORISH, *Secretary*

## EDITORS OF DELAWARE CONFERENCE HISTORY

The efforts to accumulate pertinent data and finish up the research have continued through another year. It is the determination of the editors, as reflected by a ballot taken by mail during the month of April, to present the 1964 session of the Annual Conference the completed manuscript of the history of the Delaware Conference.

It is the feeling of the staff that this is a fitting manner to salute the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of the Delaware Conference.

JOSHUA E. LICORISH, *Editor-in-Chief*  
WILLIAM C. JASON, JR., *Secretary*

## CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION COMMITTEE

This report deals with the changes, additions and progress of the report presented at the 1961 session of the Conference.

### COMMITTEE ENLARGED

The following persons have been added:

Mrs. Thelma Alford	Mrs. Cleo Henry
Charles L. Carrington	J. E. Licorish
Harvey Chase	W. L. D. Lyght
C. H. Chipman	William C. Jason
Mrs. Helen Crippen	Carl Still
Leroy L. Hamilton	J. I. Williams

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The following persons were elected: Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer, J. E. Licorish, Cleo Henry and C. L. Trader.

The Committee will have power to develop and execute the program along the lines outlined in the 1961 report and to appoint the necessary committees. The list of committees will be made available at the seat of the Conference.

### CHANGES

1. The reception honoring the retirement of Bishop and Mrs. Edgar Love will be held on Tuesday evening of the 1964 session of the Conference, instead of the 1963 session.
2. The Holy Communion will be on Wednesday morning.

### PLACE OF THE CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

The Committee unanimously recommended Tindley Temple Methodist Church.

### GUESTS TO BE INVITED

1. College of Bishops, or a representative.
2. A representative from each Jurisdiction.
3. A Bishop from the A.M.E., C.M.E. and A.M.E.Z. Denominations.
4. A representative from the local Baptist Conference.
5. A General Board representative.
6. A representative from each of the sixteen Annual Conferences of the Central Jurisdiction.

### SOME SUGGESTED SPEAKERS

1. A representative of the United Nations.
2. A representative of the World Council of Churches.
3. A representative of the Board of Missions for Youth Night.

### PROGRESS REPORT

#### A. Places for New Congregations

1. Philadelphia District: Northeast Germantown.
2. Wilmington District: (a) West Side, (b) East Lake Section.

## B. Churches Becoming Self-Supporting

1. Dunleith, Wilmington, Delaware, has assumed the full payments of mortgage on church.
  2. Tioga, Philadelphia, Pa. was able to make its first full payment on its mortgage without outside help, and will be able to make future payments.
- C. Dover District is emphasizing parsonages and hopes to build a new church in excess of \$75,000 at Dover, Delaware.
- D. \$5,000 appointments on the Easton, Dover and Salisbury Districts
1. Dover District — one
  2. Eastern District — possibly two
  3. Salisbury District — one

## SOUVENIR PROGRAM

Will contain no commercial adds but there may be compliments from the local churches.

## PROMOTION

1. There will be a special committee on promotion which will keep the churches informed. This Committee will begin to function following the Annual Conference.
2. The Chairman is to plan, in consultation with the district superintendents and District Missionary Secretaries, a series of district meetings to raise the Promotional Advance Fund.

DENNIS R. FLETCHER, *Chairman*  
FLORENCE G. WILSON, *Secretary*

## WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

For the privilege and honor of serving such a cooperative, sacrificial, kind and helpful group of women for four years, I am grateful to Almighty God. This has been a rich experience.

Many activities have been carried on, and I mention a few: The burning of the mortgage of Friendship House; renovation of the same including modernizing of the kitchen by the Wesleyan Service Guild at a cost of \$1,500 and upholstering of furniture; and the annual fall luncheons planned and conducted by experts to a crowded house.

Close grows the bond between the Wesleyan Service Guild and the Women's Society of Christian Service. I always attend their weekends and conduct the Bible Hour.

The districts under the efficient presidents have done a marvelous piece of work, i.e.—training programs, educational seminars, district and sub-district meetings held, along with the presentation of the work at the District Conferences and visitations to the local societies. Last, but not least, "budgets are paid in full." A tribute to our Treasurer is the poem, "A Treasurer Has Sense." Responsibility, stewardship, humor, values, duty and willingness to spend time and energy in detailed work, accompanied by joy, are the characteristics conveyed.

We are proud of the continued growth of the School of Missions. More women are taking advantage of this means of learning, through study classes, the interpretation of the work and how to apply the message, "Go ye". The team, "Miss Thressa Hoover and Mrs. W. C. Strother" did a great job last summer.

During these four years, Miss Dorothy Barnett, field worker of the Women's Division of Christian Service, brought inspiration and information to the Conference for two years.

The officers and secretaries have been untiring in their efforts to do a good job. They have had the privilege of attending Jurisdiction and Conference Schools of Missions, and other meetings to which their respective offices entitled them.

The support of our Division member, Mrs. W. C. Strother, Jr. and Jurisdiction member, Mrs. William A. Henry, has been most gratifying.

The committees of extra curricular activities have accomplished the following outstanding work: the first Year Book, Revision of Rules and Regulations for Friendship House, and Policy revision for the Conference.

I would indeed be ungrateful if I didn't mention the Board of Trustees and Managers



of Friendship House who have served cooperatively, never tiring, always willing to assume responsibilities.

After such a rich experience, I close with these words:

God bless the women of the Delaware Conference as you go forward in His name, may there be a continual growth, and a greater enthusiasm for *spiritual values*. May our spirits be quickened and our lives more keen in understanding, "The Church in the World."

MRS. CARRIE W. HENRY, *President*

## DELAWARE STATE COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

I am pleased to report that the Delaware State Council of Churches has had another successful year in its effort to render greater service in Delaware and nearby Maryland areas.

During the past year, the Council was successful in getting the following service departments organized and functioning: Departments of Pastoral Ministry, Migrant Ministry, United Church Women, Administration, Christian Education, and Church and Community. Each department has a chairman and has set out to perform the duties as prescribed by the General Assembly of the Council.

The most significant action taken by the General Assembly at its Annual Meeting on January 25, 1962, was the approval of plans and recommendations for the employment of a full time executive secretary. Duties of the executive secretary were presented and approved.

Another important action taken by the General Assembly was the approval of a pilot school for the children of migrant workers. This program is in cooperation with the Delaware State Board of Education and the Department will finance it.

I, your lay representative, was re-elected for a second three year term on the executive committee.

The financial asking from the Delaware Conference this year is \$1,000.

### PROPOSED BUDGET

#### DELAWARE STATE COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, 1962-63

##### INCOME

##### *Dept. of Pastoral Ministry*

	1962	1963
A. Institutions Chaplains	\$	\$
B. Scout Chaplaincies		
C. Radio-TV		
<i>Dept. of United Church Women</i>	10,000	10,000
<i>Dept. of Migrant Work</i>		
<i>Dept. of Administration</i>		3,000
Maryland Council		
Judicatories	5,000	8,000
Other Sources		5,350

Balance carried over from 1961

\$15,000  
4,900

\$19,900 \$26,350

##### DISBURSEMENTS

	1962	1963
<i>Dept. of Pastoral Ministry</i>		
A. Institutions Chaplains	\$ 100	\$ 500
B. Scout Chaplaincies	1,200	1,200
C. Radio-TV	100	100
<i>Dept. of United Church Women</i>	50	150

<i>Dept. of Migrant Work</i>	10,000	10,000
<i>Dept. of Administration</i>		
Office Salary	1,800	1,800
Office Expenditure	1,000	2,000
Travel Allowance	300	1,500
Executive Secretary	1,850	6,500
Parsonage	500	2,000
Pension & Blue Cross		
Giving Fund	3,250	
<i>Dept. of Christian Education</i>	100	500
<i>Christian Social Relations</i>	50	250
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	\$16,650	\$27,350

T. AUBREY JETER, SR.  
*Conference Lay Representative*

## GREATER PHILADELPHIA COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

### 1961 IN RETROSPECT

The following is a month-to-month glimpse of some of the results of the cooperation of nearly 600 churches of 24 denominations. Their support made possible a balanced budget in 1961, a fact gratefully acknowledged to all who helped make this possible.

**JANUARY:** The Council year began with an activity which brought it into close touch with its full membership, through the annual SUPPORT PLAN. The second Sunday in January was designated as "Council of Churches Sunday."

**FEBRUARY:** In more than 110 worship centers over 14,000 people, young and old, gathered to observe WORLD DAY OF PRAYER. The worshipers participated in a world-wide program, the purpose of which was "to unite all Christians in a bond of prayer and Christian Fellowship around the world and to make an offering for interdenominational projects at home and abroad." Almost \$10,000 was received in offerings.

**MARCH:** The first sessions of the series of EDUCATION FOR MARRIAGE seminars drew an enrollment of 35 young people already engaged to be married. Practical problems of marriage as budgeting, insurance, installment buying, inter-personal adjustments, and the like were discussed. This series is unique in that it emphasizes the paramount importance of spiritual values undergirding the whole marriage experience. Designed as a preparatory course, it makes possible more effective marriage counseling by clergymen.

**APRIL:** The completion of a LISTENING AREA SURVEY was conducted by Council staff for Station WRCV-TV. We discovered a potential of over nine million viewers of religious programs sponsored by the Council.

**MAY:** MAY FELLOWSHIP DAY was the occasion for the women of the Church to hear Margaret E. Kuhn, of the United Presbyterian Board of Christian Education, speak on the subject, "Our Churches—Free and Responsible". Representatives from several churches led discussions on the impact the Church has on the community.

**JUNE:** CHURCH-COMMUNITY COOPERATION in the field of recreation received recognition at a program honoring volunteers who had participated in bringing wholesome recreation to crisis areas devoid of community facilities.

**JULY:** The annual VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS were arranged for over 1,000 Junior and Junior High youngsters to tour Fellowship House and Fellowship Farm and historic churches in Philadelphia. Following the theme, "Personal and Group

Relationships," the tours gave the young people fellowship experience across national and racial lines, through worship, work, group singing and folk games.

**AUGUST:** In cooperation with Scout councils, full-time CHAPLAINS were assigned to summer BOY SCOUT CAMPS. The Chaplains made arrangements for midweek and Sunday worship services, gave advice and counsel to the sick and homesick, and stimulated interest in Scouting's religious awards. During the 1961 summer season, over 1,300 Scouts indicated their interest in beginning work for the religious awards in their local churches.

**SEPTEMBER:** THE SUNDAY SCHOOLS FOR MENTALLY RETARDED CHILDREN operating in the Philadelphia area began their new classes. New teaching materials have been developed, for radically different levels of comprehension. Working under the sponsorship of the Council, the Rev. T. C. Cooke, Chaplain for the Philadelphia Youth Study Center, has been responsible for recommending curriculum materials and for organizing special Sunday Schools for the Mentally Retarded.

**OCTOBER:** A Host Family Tea highlighted the beginning of another season for the Council-sponsored HOME HOSPITALITY PROGRAM FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS. Over 2,000 students from 85 foreign countries, who are enrolled in colleges, universities and other educational institutions in the Greater Philadelphia area, are given an opportunity through this program to experience the hospitality of a Christian home. Upwards of 500 Protestant hostesses are participating in the program.

**NOVEMBER:** "An Effective Church for an Urban Society" is the name of a pilot course being added to the curriculum of the Conwell School of Theology. The Council's COOPERATION WITH CONWELL on this project is assured by the appointment of staff and departmental board members to the Administrative and Advisory Committees. This program will emphasize In-Service Training Seminars for ministers in active pastorates. Students will be given special work in modern sociological and scientific disciplines outside the church. The emphasis will be to challenge and train the ministers in the techniques of change, so that they can lead their churches into becoming positive influences in their own rapidly changing communities.

**DECEMBER:** City Hall was host to a contingent of 25 Protestant ministers new to the Philadelphia area. The occasion was the POLICE BRIEFING FOR CLERGY designed to acquaint them with the work of the Police Department.

Other many services which the Council provides to help the local clergy to be more effective in their ministry include: preparation of the "Pastor's Information and Referral Guide," training seminars in communication skills, Income Tax and Social Security Clinic, audio-visual workshops, Blue Cross group coverage not only for ministers but for full-time church staff as well.

The Reverend Henry H. Nichols has been representing the Delaware Conference of the Methodist Church on our Board of Directors in 1961.

WILLIAM D. POWELL, *Executive Secretary*

#### RECOMMENDATION

We recommend that the Churches of the Delaware Conference located in the Philadelphia area will include in their budget financial support for the Greater Philadelphia Council of Churches.

HENRY H. NICHOLS  
JOSHUA E. LICORISH,  
*Conference Representatives*

## CHANGES IN CONFERENCE RULES

Rule XIX: Changes in Conference Rules, p. 222, Conference Journal, 1960.

XXXII: *Inter Agency Committee* composed of one representative from each board or agency be raised, whose responsibility shall be to clear dates of the respective Conference groups for the succeeding year. The Committee shall convene three months prior to the Annual Conference Session. Each agency shall defray the expense of its representative to said meeting.

XXXIII: *The Annual Missionary Service* shall be planned by the Board of Missions. The Board shall have the privilege to select the speaker.

Presented by Board of Missions  
May 23, 1961

XXXIV: *Organization of the Annual Conference:*

The Secretary shall prepare the resolution of organization for the Delaware Annual Conference after consultation with the Bishop and the Cabinet. The same to be printed in the Pre-Conference Report Booklet. Other nominations may be made from the floor.

JOSHUA E. LICORISH

ACTION: May 24, 1961

Referred to Committee on Codifying Laws and Rules  
Page 32, 1961 Journal

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