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1820. 1361.	L.	Evins, William Elliot, Robert H	.Lewes, Del. .Federalsburgh, Md.
1833. 1858. 1849.	D. L. L.	Hazzard, Wm	.Cannons Ferry, Del.
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1838. 1861.	D. L.	Kenney, Jos. L	
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1830. 1846. 1851.	E. L. L.	Mann, Jos. H. Murray, James. Miller, James.	Newtown, Md.
1854.	L.	Nicholson, Elijah	Powellville, Md.
1850.	L.	Powell, Robert H	Snow Hill, Md.
1858.	D. L.	Reed, John T	Milton, Del. Sharpstown, Md.
1858.	E. L. L.	Straughn, C. P Sherman, Jas. N Sullivan, John P Steward, John	E. New Market, Md. Willis' X Roads, Md.
1850.	E. L.	Thompson, A. C	
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DAILY PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The Conference assembled in the M. E. Church, in West Chester, Chester County, Penn'a, on Wednesday, March 18th, 1863, at 9 o'clock, A. M. Bishop Simpson in the Chair.

The President opened the session by reading the 15th Chapter of the Gospel by St. John, followed by the singing of the 511th hymn; after which C. Cook and W. Barns led the Conference in prayer.

The roll was called, when 116 members answered to their names.

R. H. Pattison was elected Secretary, and G. W. Lybrand and A. M. Wiggins, Assistant Secretaries.

The following were appointed a Committee to prepare the Minutes for publication:—R. H. Pattison, G. W. Lybrand, W. J. Paxon, H. S. Thompson and J. O'Neill.

The Conference resolved to meet daily at 8 A. M., and adjourn at 12 M.

The rules of the last Conference were read and adopted for the present session.

J. R. Anderson, and G. W. Lybrand were appointed a Committee on Public Worship, with authority to add to their number.

The Presiding Elders were appointed a Committee on Missions.

The Conference Stewards were appointed a Committee on Necessitous Cases.

The Conference directed the appointment of the usual Standing Committees. (See Committees.)

A Committee was appointed to collect Statistics. (See Committees.)

The Stewards of the last Conference were re-appointed for the present session.

The Conference ordered a draft on the Chartered Fund for \$30; also one on the Book Concern for \$400.

Circulars were presented from the Sunday School Union, and Parent Tract Society, and appropriately referred. The Conference directed that the Special

Collection for the Wesleyan Female College, and the Education Collection should be reported separately.

J. Cunningham moved that a Committee be appointed of one from each dis-

trict, on the state of the country.

T. J. Quigley moved to amend, by inserting the word "Church" instead of "Country." The amendment was laid on the table.

P. Coombe offered a resolution as a substitute for the motion of J. Cunningham. (See Resolutions.)

The Conference refused to lay the substitute on the table, by a vote of 81 to 61. The substitute was received and adopted by a vote of, yeas, 168, nay, 1.

Sylvanus Townsend asked to be excused from voting. The Conference refused to excuse him. He still refused to vote, when A. Atwood, W. Kenney and J. D. Curtis were appointed a Committee to consider and report upon his case.

On motion of W. L. Gray, the Conference allowed the members who were absent at the time of taking the vote on the resolution affirming our loyalty to be permitted to record their votes at any time during the session.

Sundry accounts of the Western Book Concern were presented, and referred

to J. E. Kessler for collection.

The call of the Stewards was made the order for to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The Report of the President of Dickinson College was presented and referred to the Committee on Education.

Question 2d of the minutes was taken up. (See Disciplinary Questions.)

Rev. W. E. Moore, of the Presbyterian Church, and Rev. James Tricket, of the Baptist Church, were introduced to the Conference.

Adjournment, with benediction by W. Cooper.

SECOND DAY. THURSDAY MORNING.

Religious exercises by J. Hand.

The calling of the roll was dispensed with for the remainder of the session.

The Chair announced the Standing Committees. (See Committees.)

J. F. Chaplain, P. Coombe, W. Cooper, G. Quigley, and B. F. Price, were appointed a committee to nominate Trustees for the M. E. Preacher's Burial Ground, at Mt. Moriah Cemetery.

The Report of the Western Book Committee, and the Exhibit of the Western Book Concern, were presented and filed. Question 2d was resumed. (See

Order of Business.)

W. T. Tull, T. F. Plummer and J. Webb, were required to pass an examination on the studies of the third year at the next Conference.

Joseph Parrish, M. D., Superintendent of the Institution for training feeble minded children, at Media, was introduced to the Conference, and extended an

invitation to the Bishop and preachers to attend an exhibition by the pupils of that institution this evening; which was accepted with the thanks of the Conference.

The Stewards made their call, and received the amounts collected for Conference claimants.

A communication from J. W. Moore, Secretary of the Trustees of the Centenary Fund, authorizing the Conference to draw on the fund for \$454.83, was received, and the draft ordered. The Trustees of the Centenary Fund presented to the Conference the names of George Perkinpine and James Barber, one of whom to be elected by the Conference to fill a vacancy in the Board.

The Report of the Committee to Dickinson College was presented, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Obituary notices of W. H. Brisbane, L. C. Pettit, T. E. Skinner, E. Reed and E. F. Cooper, with some information in reference to J. Hargis, were presented by G. W. Lybrand, and referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

Question 4th was resumed. (See Order of Business.)

T. B. Killiam, and J. Slichter were required to pass an examination on the studies of the third year at the next Conference.

Adjourned, with benediction by J. D. Curtis.

THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY MORNING.

Religious exercises by William Urie.

W. M. Ridgway was appointed to assist the agent of the Book Concern in making his collections.

Those members of the class of the third year, who did not appear for examination, were required to pass examination on the studies of that year at the next Conference.

The Finance Committee was instructed to receive the collections taken for the Wesleyan Female College.

The Report of the Visiting Committee to Wesleyan Female College was presented and referred to the Committee on Education.

The Conference directed the appointment of a committee of three, to estimate the salary of the resident Bishop.

Question 5th was taken up. (See Order of Business.)

S. E. Stephens asked for a location, which was granted.

J. Brandreth and T. E. Bell, were required to pass examination on the fourth years' course of study at the next Conference.

T. J. Quigley announced the decease of T. E. Skinner.

Sylvanus Townsend's name being called, the committee appointed to consider his case reported, that he had "promised to vote when his name was called."

On motion of J. R. Anderson, the Conference required Sylvanus Townsend

to vote on the resolution of affirming our loyalty, by a vote of yeas, 160, nays, 14.

The case was then postponed until to-morrow morning.

Question 7th was then taken up. (See Order of Business.)

J. H. Wythes and T. S. Thomas, received an effective relation.

T. J. Quigley announced the death of E. F. Cooper, on the 28th of June, 1862.

F. Hodgson announced the death of Eliphalet Reed, on January 1st, 1863.

A letter was received and read from the private secretary of the President of the United States, acknowledging the receipt of an official copy of the resolutions passed at the last session, on the state of the country.

The Report of the Treasurer of the Education Fund was presented, and re-

ferred to the Committee on Education.

Rev. M. Newkirk, of the Presbyterian Church, and Rev. J. L. Sagebeer, of the Baptist Church, were introduced to the Conference.

T. J. Thompson and C. Cook offered a resolution appointing a committee to prepare an improved plan for Church Records; which was adopted. (See Resolutions.)

The recommendations of candidates for admission on trial, were presented by the Presiding Elders.

Adjourned, with benediction by J. B. Ayars.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY MORNING.

Religious exercises by J. Cunningham.

J. Mason presented the parchment of Silas W. Murray, a (colored) local deacon, lately expelled from the M. E. Church, which was filed.

The Report of the Committee on Temperance was presented, read and adopt-

ed. (See Report.)

J. R. Anderson presented the request of C. T. Lewis, for the restoration of his parchment. A recommendation to that effect from the Quarterly Conference of State St. Station, Troy, N. Y., was presented and read, when on motion, his credentials were restored.

The following Local Preachers were elected to Deacon's orders: James Hoey, Josiah C. Young, William H. Ware, Samuel S. Huff, Jesse Harding, George G. Boate, Philip H. Rawlins, James Murray, and John H. Connelly; also, the following colored Local Preachers: Henry Nelson, Stephen Johns, Stephen Whittington and Samuel Laws.

Townsend J. Miles, a Local Deacon, was elected to Elder's orders; also, the following colored Local Deacons, viz.: Alexander Lee and John H. Pearce.

The Conference recognized the ordination as Elders of G. A. Shryock, late of the Methodist Protestant Church, and John Klein, late of the United Evan-

gelical Synod of the United States, on condition that they shall assume our ordination vows.

F. Hodgson presented the appeal of Thomas Stewart, from the action of the Quarterly Conference of Union M. E. Church, Philadelphia, which was referred to a judicial committee of 13 members. (See Committees.)

J. Cunningham and T. J. Quigley offered a resolution for the appointment of a Committee to consider the subject of dividing the Conference at its present

session, which was adopted. (See Resolutions.)

Rev. Dr. Porter, Book Agent, was introduced, and briefly addressed the Conference with regard to the publishing interests of the Church.

A. Cather and N. M. Brown were appointed to assist the Book Agent in securing subscriptions to the Quarterly Review from the members of the Conference.

The hours of meeting and adjournment were changed to 81 and 121 o'clock.

The recommendation of the Mount Hedding Quarterly Conference, of Central Illinois Conference, for the restoration of the parchment of H. A. Hobbs, was presented; when on motion of W. Cooper, they were restored.

W. Kenney and H. M. Johnson offered a resolution respecting the Quarterly

Review, which was adopted. (See Resolutions.)

D. W. Bartine received leave of absence until Monday morning.

The case of Sylvanus Townsend was taken up, when he was informed of the action of the Conference in his case, by which he was required to vote on the resolution affirming the loyalty of the Conference. He, however, still refused to vote.

P. Coombe moved that the Conference refuse to elect him to Elder's orders. W. Cooper moved, as a substitute, that he be suspended for one year from the office of the ministry.

The Conference refused to lay the substitute on the table by a vote of year 70, nays 92.

On motion of T. J. Quigley, the case was referred to a Committee of 13 members for adjudication.

J. M. Wheeler received leave of absence.

Adjourned, with benediction by W. McCombs.

FIFTH DAY.

MONDAY MORNING.

Religious exercises by R. H. Pattison.

The Chair presented a certificate of the ordination of the candidates for Deacon's and Elder's orders, on yesterday.

The Conference proceeded to the examination of the character of Effective Elders, when those on the Reading District were examined and passed.

T. J. Thompson announced the death of L. C. Pettit. (See Memoirs.)

A communication was received from J. L. Heysinger withdrawing from the ministry and membership of the M. E. Church.

The characters of the Effective Elders of the Wilmington District were examined and passed.

J. Mason presented the report of the Committee, appointed by the last Conference, to consider the case of T. Newman. His character was then passed. The Conference refused to grant him a superannuated relation. J. Mason then presented a communication from T. Newman, withdrawing from the ministry and membership of the M. E. Church.

The characters of the Effective Elders of the Easton District were examined and passed.

- J. B. Ayars, W. T. Quinn and W. Bishop, asked and received a superannuated relation.
- J. S. McMurray, of the East Baltimore Conference, and H. R. Parmenter, of the New England Conference, were introduced to the Conference.

The characters of the Effective Elders of Snow Hill District were examined and passed.

W. W. Wythes and J. Cummins asked and received a superannuated relation.

A. Wallace announced the death of J. Hargis. (See Memoirs.)

On motion of A. Wallace, the Bishop was requested to re-appoint G. A. Phæbus, as principal of the Union Academy, at Snow Hill, Md.

On motion of T. C. Murphy, a Committee was appointed to address a fraternal letter to J. T. Gracey, Missionary to India.

The characters of the Effective Elders of the South Philadelphia District were examined and passed.

A charge of mal-administration was preferred against Noble Frame, and referred to a Committee of 13 members for adjudication. (See Committees.)

W. Kenney was appointed to conduct the case on the part of the Conference, and W. McCombs as alternate. W. Cooper was announced as the counsel for the accused. A. T. Scott was elected Assistant Secretary, to act with the Committee.

A. Manship, Tract Agent, presented his Annual Report, which was referred to the Committee on the Tract Cause.

A collection, amounting to \$25.46, was taken up to pay for stationery, &c., for the use of the Secretary and Conference.

The Conference received from Bro. T. W. Price, of Philadelphia, a present of a superior Minute Book, for which the unanimous thanks of the Conference were returned.

F. Hodgson presented the recommendation of J. Carroll for admission to the travelling connection.

The committee to estimate the salary of Bishop Scott, reported the sum of \$2,000 as necessary for his support; which was adopted. The committee to nominate Trustees for the Preachers' Burial Ground, reported the names of W. McCombs and M. D. Kurtz, for one year, and J. B. McCullough, C. Cooke.

J. S. Willis and J. H. Alday, ministers, and J. Alcorn, J. B. Townsend, C. B. Hare and C. W. Higgins, laymen, for three years.

The Conference proceeded to vote, when W. McCombs was elected for one year, and C. Cooke and J. B. McCullough, ministers, and C. W. Higgins and J. Alcorn, laymen, for three years.

The Conference proceeded to elect a Trustee of the Centenary Fund, G. Perkinpine and J. Barber having been nominated by the Board; when G. Perkinpine was elected.

G. A. Shryock and J. Klein appeared at the altar, and assumed the ordination vows of an elder in the M. E. Church.

On motion of J. Mason, permission was granted to G. W. Lybrand to examine and copy such parts of the Conference records as he may need in preparing a work on the early history of the Conference.

The case of Sylvanus Townsend was taken up, when the vote referring it to

a committee was reconsidered, and that motion withdrawn.

W. Cooper's substitute was rejected; when H. Colclazer offered a resolution as a substitute for that of P. Coombe, which was adopted. (See Resolutions.) The first part, censuring Sylvanus Townsend for his refusal to comply with the rules of the Conference, by a vote of 160 ayes to 8 nays; the second part, refusing to elect him to elder's orders, by 164 ayes, none in the negative. His character was then passed, and he was required to pass an examination on the 4th year's course of study at the next Conference.

Conference determined to meet at 3 o'clock, P. M., to hear the Annual Missionary sermon. J. P. Durbin was appointed to preside at the afternoon session

sion.

Adjourned, with benediction by A. Atwood.

MONDAY AFTERNOON.

The exercises were opened by singing the 234th hymn, after which C. Cooke offered prayer.

The 52d chapter of Isaiah was read, followed by the singing of the 723d hymn. H. Colclazer then preached the Annual Missionary sermon, from Luke xiv. 31.

Adjourned, with the singing of the doxology, and benediction by C. Cooke.

SIXTH DAY.

TUESDAY MORNING.

Religious exercises by J. Humphriss.

A communication was received from the Trustees of the Education Fund, nominating T. J. Thompson and J. F. Chaplain, one of whom to be elected a Trustee of said fund.

T. J. Thompson was elected by the Conference.

A telegraphic dispatch was received, announcing the sudden death of J. H

McFarland, in the city of Philadelphia, last evening; when W. L. Gray, G. D. Carrow and J. F. Chaplain were appointed to prepare a suitable expression of the feelings of the Conference.

The Report of the Committee on the Bible Cause was presented and adopted.

(See Reports and Resolutions.)

The characters of the Effective Elders of the North Philadelphia District were examined and passed.

D. W. Bartine announced the death of W. H. Brisbane. (See Memoirs.)

R. M. Greenbank was granted a superannuated relation.

The Committee appointed for the purpose reported a preamble and resolutions, expressing the sense of the Conference on the decease of J. H. McFarland, which were adopted. (See Reports and Resolutions.)

S. Higgins, J. F. Chaplain and T. S. Thomas were appointed to attend the

funeral.

The 956th hymn was sung, after which D. W. Bartine led in prayer.

Hon. W. Cannon, Governor of Delaware, was introduced to the Conference.

A communication was received from Col. Hyatt, inviting the Conference to attend a drill of the pupils of the Pennsylvania Military Academy, this afternoon, which was accepted.

Question 5th was resumed. (See Order of Business.)

W. O'Neill was elected to Elder's orders.

Question 7th was resumed. (See Order of Business.)

The relation of J. Turner was continued.

J. P. Durbin announced that the sum of \$39,402 had been collected within our bounds for Missions, during the past year.

The Report of the Committee on Education was presented and adopted. (See

Reports and Resolutions.)

A collection was taken up to defray the funeral expenses of J. H. McFar-

land, amounting to \$123.26.

R. W. Todd was appointed an Assistant Secretary, to act with the Committee on the appeal of T. Stewart. W. L. Gray was announced as his counsel.

Sylvanus Townsend received leave of absence.

A Committee was appointed to collect the names and residences of the Local Preachers within our bounds.

Adjourned, with benediction by T. J. Quigley.

SEVENTH DAY.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Religious exercises by T. J. Thompson.

The Committee on the charges against N. Frame presented their report, referring the case to his Presiding Elder, and recommending that his character pass. The recommendation was adopted.

J. H. Turner offered a resolution recommending the appointment of a Na-

tional Fast Day, which was adopted, and a copy directed to be forwarded to the President of the United States. (See Reports and Resolutions.)

On motion of J. A. Massey, the Conference resolved to observe the second Friday of May as a day of fasting and prayer in behalf of our country.

The Conference directed the publication of the resolution in the Christian Advocate and Journal.

The Steward's report was made the order for 11 o'clock, A. M.

The Conference directed that the statistics of our colored appointments be taken from their published minutes.

J. Dickerson and P. Coombe offered a resolution, directing the appointment of a Committee to prepare a plan for a Conference Educational Aid Society, to be reported at the next Conference, which was adopted.

The Chair announced the names of the lay-members of the Committee on

Education for the coming year.

The report of the Committee on Missionary Statistics was presented, and the papers referred to the Treasurer of the Conference Missionary Society, for publication.

The Committee on the appeal of Thomas Stewart presented their report, confirming the decision of the Quarterly Conference of Union M. E. Church.

Question 2d was resumed. J. Tindall was discontinued at his own request.

T. Myers, of the Baltimore Conference, and B. Crist, of the Minnesota Conference, were introduced to the Conference.

The Committee on Memoirs reported the Memoirs of L. C. Pettit, J. Hargis, E. F. Cooper, W. H. Brisbane and E. Reed, which were adopted. (See Memoirs.)

J. F. Chaplain offered a resolution for the appointment of a Committee on Memoirs for the next Conference.

J. Castle offered a substitute, which was adopted. (See Resolutions.)

S. Higgins, J. F. Chaplain and T. S. Thomas, were appointed to prepare a Memoir of J. H. McFarland, for publication in the General Minutes.

Question 1st was taken up.

W. Cooper moved to take up the recommendations of those who have been employed by the Presiding Elders, and have passed a satisfactory examination, which was adopted.

On motion of J. Cunningham, it was

Resolved, That the Bishop and Presiding Elders be requested to inform any members of the Conference, if such there be, in whose cases there exist insuperable difficulties in the way of giving them appointments.

J. R. Anderson moved the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That it is the judgment of this Conference, that no appointment of single men be made to Churches which are financially able to support married men, except it be as junior preachers. Pending the consideration of which, the order of the day was taken up, being the report of the Board of Stewards. The apportionment made by them was confirmed, and the funds distributed.

C. Karsner offered a preamble and resolutions respecting the bequest of E. F. Cooper, deceased, which was adopted and ordered to be published. (See Reports and Resolutions.)

Adjourned, with benediction by F. Hodgson.

EIGHTH DAY.

THURSDAY MORNING.

Religious exercises by J. Ruth.

J. Wilson, President of the Wesleyan Female College, was added to the Committee to prepare a plan for the organization of a Conference Educational Aid Society.

T. S. Thomas made a verbal report from the Committee on the funeral of J. H. McFarland.

The report of the Committee on Sunday Schools was presented and adopted. (See Reports and Resolutions.)

The report of the Committee on the Tract Cause was presented and adopted. (See Reports and Resolutions.)

The Committee on the Division of the Conference presented their report, which was read, amended and adopted. (See Reports and Resolutions.)

The final report of the Board of Stewards was presented, considered and adopted, after an address by Rev. T. T. Tasker, one of the lay stewards.

C. Karsner presented a paper respecting Missionary Appropriations to Conference claimants, which was laid over.

F. Moore received leave of absence.

The Finance Committee presented their report, which was adopted, and the funds ordered to be distributed as usual.

S. W. Thomas reported the sum of \$123.26 to have been raised to defray expenses of Bro. McFarland's funeral.

A collection was taken to aid H. Sanderson in liquidating a debt incurred in the erection of a Church.

Wilmington, Reading and Union Church, Philadelphia, were nominated as the place of our next session.

Adjourned, with benediction by C. Cooke.

NINTH DAY.

FRIDAY MORNING.

Religious exercises by. J. A. Massey.

The paper offered by C. Karsner, yesterday, on behalf of the Board of Stewards, was taken up.

The first resolution was amended and adopted. (See Resolutions.)

The remainder was withdrawn.

H. Colclazer announced that Mr. David Meconkey has presented the sum of \$30, to be appropriated by the Conference to some benevolent object, which, on his motion, was directed to be paid to the widow of Bro. McFarland.

J. R. Anderson called up his resolution respecting the appointment of single men to Churches able to support married men, when, after discussion, it was

withdrawn.

W. Cooper and C. Karsner offered a resolution recommending the German M. E. Church in Philadelphia to the sympathy of the Church, which was adopted. (See Reports and Resolutions.)

The Statistics were reported to the Conference.

W. Kenney offered a resolution requesting that the authorities of the Moravian Church will allow a copy to be taken of a portrait of Peter Boehler, in their possession, which was adopted.

The funds collected for the Wesleyan Female College were directed to be paid

to G. W. Sparks, Treasurer.

R. H. Pattison and J. F. Chaplain were elected Trustees of Wesleyan Female College, in place of T. J. Thompson and W. Urie.

Wilmington, Del., was selected as the place of meeting of the next Conference.

Leave of absence was granted to C. F. Turner.

T. J. Thompson offered a resolution, commending the Nesquehoning and Summit Mission to sympathy and aid, which was adopted. (See Resolutions, δc.)

The Report of the Committee on Missions was read and adopted. (See Reports and Resolutions.)

T. J. Quigley offered a resolution commending the Forest Mission to sympathy and aid, which was adopted. (See Reports and Resolutions.)

A superannuated relation was granted to C. Karsner and J. Smith.

A. W. Milby was located at his own request.

Question 1st was taken up. (See Disciplinary Questions.)

Those young men who have been employed by the Presiding Elders having been received, on motion of P. Coombe, the Conference, in view of the crowded state of the work, declined to admit any others.

A collection was taken for the Sexton, amounting to \$50.

The Chair announced the Sunday School Committee. (See Committees.)

The Conference fixed the time for taking the Conference collections.

C. Cooke having been appointed to preside at the afternoon session, the Conference adjourned to meet at 2 P. M. Benediction by W. McCombs.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

C. Cooke in the Chair.

Religious exercises by J. A. Massey.

The Conference passed, by an unanimous vote, resolutions returning thanks to the pastor and members of the West Chester M. E. Church, the families entertaining the preachers, and the Rail Road Companies who have reduced their fare to the preachers attending the Conference.

Leave was granted to H. M. Johnson to examine the Conference records, with regard to past action on the subject of Dickinson College.

A resolution was adopted, returning thanks to the pastors and members of our sister Churches of this borough. Rev. W. E. Moore, of the Presbyterian Church, responded in an eloquent and fraternal address; after which the Conference united in singing the 712th Hymn.

A Manship offered a resolution, which was adopted, recommending the John

Wesley Colored Church to the sympathy and aid of our people.

The 221st Hymn was sung, followed by prayer by Rev. W. Moore and P. Coombe.

P. Coombe offered a resolution of thanks to Bishop Simpson, which was adopted by a rising vote. (See Resolutions.)

The Chair announced the Committees of Examination, and the Visiting Com-

mittees to our literary institutions.

The journal was read, and after an address by the Bishop, the appointments were announced, and the Conference adjourned with the benediction.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

Question 1st .- What Preachers are admitted on trial?

John S. J. McConnell, Robert W. Jones, Wm. P. Hewell, Samuel McBurney, David C. Ridgway, Samuel Lucas, Charles P. Masden, Clement T. Frame.

Question 2d .- Who remain on trial?

A. Rittenhouse, C. J. Little, J. W. Weston, N. D. McComas, W. Swindells, G. S. Connaway, J. Todd, D. W. Gordon, J. A. Cooper, T. S. Hodson.

Question 3d .- Who are admitted into full connection?

None.

Question 4th-Who are the Deacons?

Answer 1. Ordained in 1861 .- J. Brandreth, T. E. Bell, Sylvanus Townsend.

- 2. Ordained in 1862.—J. Mast, T. Stevens, D. D. Hudson, N. M. Brown, J. O. Sypherd, T. L. Tomkinson, W. S. Pugh, D. McKee, W. T. Tull, T. F. Plummer, M. Barnhill, J. Webb, W. Mathias, T. B. Killiam, G. L. Schaffer, J. T. Van Burkalow, J. Slichter.
- 3. Local Preachers Ordained Deacons.—James Hoey, Josiah C. Young, Wm. H. Ware, Samuel S. Huff, Jesse Harding, Geo. G. Boate, Philip H. Rawlins, James Murray, John H. Connelly.
- 4. Colored Local Preachers.*—Henry Nelson, Stephen Johns, Stephen Whiltington, Samuel Laws.

Question 5th—Who have been elected and ordained Elders this year?

Answer 1. Travelling Preachers.—A. T. Scott, J. F. Reynolds, J. Welch, W. J. Stevenson, W. H. Formosa, A. A. Fisher, W. Trickett, J. F. Crouch, C. H. McDermond, N. B. Durell, J. M. Purner, C. F. Shepherd, S. N. Chew, J. E. Elliott, S. B. Best, J. R. Bailey, S. T. Kemble, J. H. McLaughlin, W. O'Neil.

^{*} To be ordained at the Colored Conference.

- 2. Local Preachers.-Townsend J. Miles. G. A. Shryock, * J. Klein. *
- 3. Colored Local Preachers. +- Alex. Lee, John H. Pearce.

Question 6th .- Who have located this year?

S. E. Stephens, A. W. Milby.

Question 7th .- Who are the Superannuated or worn out Preachers?

G. Barton, D. Lambdin, H. Sutton, W. Quinn, J. Hubbard, D. Titlow, C. Schock, J. Lednum, I. T. Cooper, R. E. Kemp, M. Sorin, P. Hallowell, J. D. Long, T. S. Childs, R. W. Todd, J. B. Ayars, W. T. Quinn, W. Bishop, W. W. Wythes, J. Cummins, J. Turner, R. M. Greenbank, C. Karsner, J. Smith.

Question 8th .- Who have been expelled from the Conference this year?

None.

Question 9th .- Who have withdrawn from the Conference this year?

J. L. Heysinger, T. Newman.

Question 10th.—Were the characters of the Preachers examined?

They were.

Question 11th .- Who have died this year?

E. Reed, W. H. Brisbane, L. C. Pettit, T. E. Skinner, E. F. Cooper, J. Hargis, J. H. McFarland.

Question 12th .- What are the Conference Statistics?

See Statistical Tables.

Question 13th.—What amounts are necessary for superannuated Preachers and the widows and orphans of Preachers?

See Report of the Conference Stewards.

Question 14th.—What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

See Report of the Conference Stewards.

Question 15th.-When and where shall our next Conference be held?

Wilmington, Del.

Question 16th .- Where have the Preachers been stationed?

See List of Appointments.

STANDING COMMITTEES,

- 1. ON PUBLIC WORSHIP-J. R. Anderson, G. W. Lybrand.
- 2. To PREPARE MINUTES FOR PUBLICATION-R. H. Pattison, G. W. Lybrand, W. J. Paxson, H. S. Thompson, John O'Neill.
- 3. To COLLECT GENERAL STATISTICS-J. M. Hinson, R. J. Carson, C. Walters, D. George, W. H. Formosa, C. F. Sheppard.

^{*} Orders recognized by the Conference.

[†] To be ordained at the Colored Conference.

- 4. To Collect Missionary Statistics—Jos. Cook, G. G. Rakestraw, J. A. Brindle, J. France, W. Hammond, J. M. Purner.
- 5. To Collect Statistics of Circuit and Station Contributions—W. T. Magee, J. E. Kessler, S. B. Best, D. McKee, J. O. Sypherd, T. F. Plummer.
- 6. EDUCATION—J. Cunningham, J. F. Chaplain, J. W. Mecaskey, H. M. Johnson, J. Castle, G. Heacock, T. C. Murphy, G. Quigley, J. D. Curtis, W. W. Wythes, J. Dickerson, J. Hough, C. Hieskill, Amos Phillips, J. I. Boswell, Hon. A. O. Heister, W. J. Spencer, Giles J. Wilson, F. A. Ellis, J. F. Williamson, Hon. S. M. Harrington, Col. Edwin Wilmer, Gov. Wm. Cannon, Col. Jas. Wallace.
 - 7. Bible Cause—A. W. Milby, F. Moore, J. F. Boone, J. W. Arthur, J. Dyson.
- 8. SUNDAY SCHOOLS-J. S. Willis, J. W. Jackson, W. Major, J. L. Houston, W. F. Talbot, W. H. Elliot.
- 9. TRACT CAUSE-W. Kenney, C. Cooke, C. F. Turner, W. Urie, J. Aspril, E. G. Irwin.
- 10. TEMPERANCE-A. John, A. Atwood, W. L. Gray, J. Flannery, S. M. Cooper, J. W. Pierson.
- 11. MEMOIRS-M. D. Kurtz, G. D. Carrow, C. I. Thompson, R. W. Todd, J. E. Smith, V. Smith.
- 12. Finance—G. Cummins, A. Howard, J. B. Dennison, T. Montgomery, T. Bell, T. S. Williams.
- 13. Post Offices—M. Barnhill, Jos. Gregg, S. N. Chew, G. L. Schaffer, N. M. Brown, J. W. Hammersley.
 - 14. Missions-The Presiding Elders.
 - 15. NECESSITOUS CASES-The Conference Stewards.

VISITING COMMITTEES.

Wesleyan Female College.—F. Moore, J. E. Meredith, W. J. Stevenson. Dickinson College.—T. C. Murphy, G. D. Carrow, Col. A. Cummings, of Philadelphia, Hon. B. Haywood, of Pottsville.

COMMITTEES OF EXAMINATION.

First year.—T. C. Murphy, W. C. Robinson, J. H. Alday, J. B. Quigg, C. Walters. Second year.—G. D. Carrow, J. F. Chaplain, Wm. J. Paxson, H. F. Huro, J. H. Lightburn.

Third year .- M. D. Kurtz, J. Aspril, C. Hill, C. F. Turner, J. S. Cook.

Fourth year.—F. Hodgson, F. Moore, C. I. Thompson, J. Dickerson, Wm. B. Walton. To examine Candidates for Admission on Trial.—C. Cooke, P. J. Cox, J. E. Meredith.

To examine Local Deacons for Elder's Orders .- G. Orum, G. W. Maclaughlin, J. W. Pierson.

To examine Local Preachers for Deacon's Orders -B. F. Price, J. Hand, Wm. Rink.

TO PREACH THE MISSIONARY SERMON.

Wm. Barns. Alternate, J. D. Curtis.

COMMITTEE TO COLLECT INFORMATION ON THE SUBJECT OF A DIVISION OF THE PHILADELPHIA ANNUAL CONFERENCE.—P. Coombe, T. J. Thompson, J. Cunningham.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

N. PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.	Number of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Volumes in Library.	Number of Bible Classes.	Scholars in Infant Classes.	Expenses of the schools this year.	Raised for S. S. Union.	S. S. Advocates	Conversions.
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St. George's	1	32	325	886	15	112	\$100 00	12 61	125	2
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Green Street	2	73	791	1202	5	295	82 36	17 00	200	3
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St. John's	1	59	453	975	8	200	149 00	7 90	220	
Kensington	1	62	650	1231	55	250	477 62	1 90		8
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Rising Sun		36	235	600	4	-	140 00	2 50	295	1
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Doylestown		20	130	380	6	40	75 00		25	1
Frankford		89	568	1550	43	166	325 00	7 83	180	1
Bridesburg	. 1	21	181	630	4	28	117 36	2 50	40	1
Bustleton		27	159	530	2		40 00		30	1
Somerton		27	156	600	4		26 00	4 30	26	1
Holmesburg	. 1	10	50	677	3			1 25	55	1
Bristol	. 1	31	215	556	6	45	54 32	5 80	30	1
Attleborough	. 3	42	279	900	3	14	70 00	1 23	17	1
Morrisville	. 1	20	75	470	1		39 59		88	1
Newtown		52	270	1458	17	90	70 00		00	
Lumberville		25	104	500	3	30	30 00	1 60	11-96	1
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Allentown and Catasauqua		51	304	808	5	100	14 67	3 00	1	1
Bethlehem		33	125	1356	2	18	100 00	3 00	31	
Easton		49	182	1661	9	19	23 01	50	40	1
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Cherry Valley		69	289	980	1	43	50 10	1 51	24	1
Monroe		20	235	400	10	40	16 35	1 01	42	1
Tannersville		49	223	679	1 ,	25	23 25	1 1 1 1 1	12	1
Naglesville		15	45	250	1	20	20 20			1
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S. PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.	Number of Sunday-Schools	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Volumes in Library.	Number of	Scholars in Infant Classes.	Expenses of the Schools this year.	Raised for Sunday- School Union.	Sunday-School Advocates taken.	Conversions.
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EASTON DISTRICT.	Number of Sunday-Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Volumes in Library.	Number of Bible Classes.	Scholars in Infant Classes,	Expenses of the Schools this year.	Raised for Sunday- School Union.	Sunday-School Advocates taken.	Conversions.
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SNOW HILL DISTRICT.	Number of Sunday-Schools	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Volumes in Library.	Number of Bible Chases.	Scholars in Infant Classes.	Expenses of the Schools this year.	Raised for Sunday- School Union.	Sunday-School Advocates taken.	Conversions.
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WILMINGTON DISTRICT.	Number of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars,	Volumes in Library.	Number of Bible Classes.	Scholars in Infant Classes.	Expenses of the Schools this year	Raised for Sunday School Union.	Sunday-School Advocate taken.	Conversions.
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" E. Zion	1	16	140	450					24	
" Brandywine	î	24	110	700	2	40	00	1 62	75	1
" Mt. Salem	î	13	140	500	3	30	75 00	2 35	10	•
Newport	1	10	100	150	1		22 00	2 00	25	
New Castle	2	32	185	600	4	30	75 00 15 00	2 00	75	6
Delaware City	1	20	150	700	6	30	43 00	8 00		4
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Elkton····	1	42	150	400	4	24	19 10	5 00	1 300	3
Bethel	2	19	130	177	1 4	20	12 00	9 18	40	7
North East	1	21	86	150	*	20	30 00	4 10		2
Charlestown	4	38	215	600	5	69	72 90	2 96	41	
Port Deposit	1	42	198	824	9	133	124 50	14 00	23	3
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Oxford Circuit	7	64	336	750	1 '	1	15 00		50	
New London and Elk Ridge	2	24	120	680		25	20 00	2 00	30	3
Fulton Circuit	6	75	390	800	1	20	12 00	3 11	20	
Mt. Nebo Circuit	6	76	350 130	550	4	60	63 00	1 59	12	
St asburg	2	20	287	1500	3	00	79 60	2 50	64	9
Enterprise Circuit	5	50 101	512	1783	14	84	111 25	6 88	110	25
Cochranville	8	19	110	515	î	25	45 00		75	
Coatesville	5	59	318	1566	14	50	118 50	1 16	48	3
Guthrieville Circuit		30	300	600	3	-	50 00	1	89	6
Marshallton and Kennet Square.	4 2	72	400	800	5	75	1 90	3 45	00	
Chester Circuit		48	249	1122	8	17	30 00	5 60	32	3
Village Green Circuit		53	408	1234	10		56 00	8 00	80	12
Media		15	140	300		60	1		100	5
Crozierville		40	240	450	8	40		3 31	32	17
Mt. Lebanon and Siloam		30	243	100	3			4 85	40	17

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Number of Sunday-Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Volumes in Library.	Number of Bible Classes.	Scholars in Infant Classes.	Expenses of the Schools this year.	Raised for Sunday- School Union.	Sunday School Advocates taken.	Conversions.
North Philadelphia South Reading Wilmington Easton Snow IIII	83 70 83 114 115 127	1837 1523 1512 1561 1738 1145	13,554 10,691 8.517 9,155 7,320 5,965	38,551 33,393 28,606 26,012 22,433 13,860	307 203 172 210 110 46	3,626 2,960 1,971 1,382 1,209 180	\$4,371 60 3,492 84 2,342 12 1,856 29 965 71 414 66	\$214 00 159 49 112 31 136 69 131 45 67 70	4197 1932 2224 1524 245 84	265 305 186 198 174 111
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SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

			MINISTERIAL.	LAY.
North Phile	adelphia	District	A. Atwood,	T. Sappington.
South		"	F. Moore,	E. J. Kenney.
Reading			C. F. Turner,	J. C. Harper.
Wilmington		"	J. D. Curtis,	C. B. Lore.
Easton		"	J. E. Smith,	T. B. Coursey.
Snow Hill		"	C. F. Shepherd,	Charles Tunnell.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

North Philadelphia Distr	South Philadelphia District.				
Lehman's Chapel,	\$100 00	Pitman Chapel,	100 00		
Naglesville,	50 00	Eleventh Street,	100 00		
South Easton,	150 00	Scott Church,	100 00		
Doylestown,	100 00	Darby,	50 00		
Allentown,	50 00	Radnor,	50 00		
Bethlehem,	100 00	Dauphin,	50 00		
Centreville,	150 00	Middletown,	100 00		
		Connestoga,	100 00		
Total,	700 00	Ridge Avenue, Harrisburg,	100 00		
,		St. Paul's, Lancaster,	150 00		
		Total,	900 00		
Reading District.		Wilmington District.			
Conshohocken,	\$100 00	Brandywine,	\$100 00		
De Kalb St., Norristown,	100 00	New Castle,	150 00		
Oak St., "	100 00	Mt. Nebo,	50 00		
Falls of Schuylkill,	50 00	Marshalton and Kennett Square,	100 00		
Perkiomen,	50 00	Delaware City,	100 00		
St. Clair,	100 00	Oxford,	50 00		
Montgomery Square,	50 00	Newport and Centreville,	150 00		
Tremont,	50 00	Guthrieville,	50 00		
Berk's County Mission,	100 00				
Lebanon,	100 00	Total,	\$750 00		
Nesquahoning and Summit,	100 00				
Cressona and Orwigsburgh,	100 00				
Total,	\$1000 00				
Snow Hill Distr	ict.	Easton District.			
Newtown,	150 00	Forest Mission,	\$150 00		
Berlin,	150 00				
Sussex Mission,	100 00				
Worcester,	100 00				
Total,	\$500 00				

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS.

The Board of Stewards, in presenting their Annual Report to the Conference, and through it to the Church, would express their unfeigned gratitude to the Author of all good, that, notwithstanding the agitated state of the country, and the almost unparalleled condition of the roads and the weather during the past winter, He has put it into the hearts of the people to send up for distribution among our Conference Claimants one of the largest collections that has ever been taken for this purpose.

The exact amount of the collection itself was \$6058 69, or \$646 09 in advance of last year. This, in connection with the interest on the Chartered and Centenary Funds, the dividend on the profits of the Book Concern, and the kind bequest of one lately deceased brother, Rev. E. F. Cooper, has put at the disposal of the Stewards the handsome sum of \$7092 03,—an amount approximating the wants of the many worthy claimants upon this fund, and evincing a determination on the part of the people to stand by those who have worn themselves out in the service of the Church, and the families of such as have fallen at their posts.

The above amount, as will be seen in the following tables, has been distributed among the several claimants in accordance with their respective necessities, so far as these could be ascertained.

The number of claimants among those in the effective ranks, as will be seen, is larger than usual. This is attributable partly to the disastrous results of the war, certain parts of the Conference, and partly to the policy of the Church, at the present time, of cutting up the work into petty Stations and Circuits, which, after doing the best they can, are wholly unable to give their Ministers a comfortable support. The Board would express the hope that, in view of the injustice done both to the effective and non-effective men thereby, this injurious practice may be discontinued.

With many thanks, on behalf of the claimants for the zeal and liberality of both Ministers and people, in bringing up the collections the past year, the Board would renew the request made in former years, that this collection may have due prominence given it in all our charges, and that it be taken up, especially in the country charges, in the autumn, rather than in the winter months.

They recommend also the adoption of the following Resolutions, viz. :

Resolved, 1st. That we recommend the collection for our superannuated preachers and their families, as one having the strongest claims upon the sympathy and benevolence of our people, and that we will use our utmost efforts to raise the amounts apportioned to our respective charges.

Resolved, 2d. That the Conference and Necessitous Collections be hereafter merged into one, which shall be known as the "Collection for Necessitous Claimants," and that those in charge of Circuits and Stations be earnestly requested to raise the amounts apportioned to their respective charges, whenever practicable, by collections and subscription in the public congregation.

COLLECTIONS.

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Reddings	Troit St			46	50 40						75 00	
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Falls of Schuylkill			5 00		00	5	00	" E. Zion					5 00
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RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Conference Collection.		Total Re- ceived.	Apportionment for next year.
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Total Interest on Centenary Fund do Chartered Fund Dividend on Book Concern Bequest of Rev. E. F. Cooper			\$6058 69 454 83 30 00 400 00 148 51	\$6990 (0)
Total			\$7092 03	

DISTRIBUTION OF CONFERENCE FUNDS, MARCH, 1863.

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Date of Claim.	CLAIMANTS.	Quarterly Conference Estimates.	charte ed Fur and Bo Concer	nd, ook			Center Fun	ary	Total ceive each Clain	d by
1843	M. Sorin	\$200	\$17	50	\$97	-50	\$10	00	\$125	00
1841	George Barton	300	26	25		75		00	225	00
1849	J. D. Long.	400	35			00		00	1 1 1 0	00
1004	P. Hallowell	200	17	50	82			00	110	00
1850	John Lednum	150	13	12		88			100	
1860	Henry Sutton	275	22	06	187			00		
1861	R. M. Greenbank	300	26	25	168			00	2.0	
1862	Thomas S. Childs	250	26	00 25	113	1000		00	125	
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**	R. W. Todd	250	22	00	93			00	260	
1863	Charles Schock	200	17	50	97			00	125	
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**	J. B. Dennison	140	12	25	62					00
**	H. S. Thompson	82		38	53				61	
"	N. W. Bennum	237	20	75	79	25			100	-
"	W. W. Redman	210	18	37	106	63			125	
**	II. S. Williams	238	20	75	104	25			125	
**	T. B. Killiam	96	8	40	51	60			60	00
"	G. S. Conaway	50	4	37	45	63			50	00
1819	Mrs. Vanschoick	125	11	00	104	00	10		125	0.0
1034	" Finley	150	13	12	131	88	15	100	160	00
1838	" Potts	100	8	75	81	25	10		100	00
	Rusning	150	13	12	101	88	10		125	00
1842	Dest	300	26	25	133	75	15		175	00
1844	nenderson	100		75	66	25	10	00	85	00
1845	Willet	100	8	75	61	25				00
11	Drain	100		75	61	25	10	00	70	
"	Connelly	175	15	100	144 103		15			00
1847	" Foulks	130		37	81	63	10 10			00
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"	" Gardiner	250		75	81	25	10			00
"	" Wiggins	100 125		00	104		10	- 1	100 125	
1851	" Harmer	150		12	121	88	15		150	
1852	" Shields	500		75	211	25	20		275	
"	" Allen	160		00	141	00	15		170	
1856	" Gerry	100		75	41	25			50	
"	" Williams	175		31	129	69	15	00	160	
"	" Dailey	200		50	122	50	10	00	150	
1857	" Henry	100		75	41	25			50	
11	" Hazzard	250		00	138	00	15		175	
859	" Palmiter	200	17	50	212	50	20	00	250	00
"	" Grace	75		56	43	44			50	00
"	" King	150	7.00	12	101	88		00	125	
"	" Bell	200		50	147	50		00		00
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MEMOIRS.

Rev. EZEKIEL F. COOPER.

The subject of this memoir was born near Willow Grove, Kent county, Delaware, May 18th, 1830, and departed this life at the residence of Mr. Rogers, in Galens, Kent county, Md., June 28th, 1862.

Being blest with the moral training of Methodist parents, he was sober-minded, thoughtful and upright from childhood. Brother Cooper was a second nephew of the late venerable Ezekiel Cooper, of this Conference. At thirteen years of age, he gave his heart to God at a Camp-Meeting near Camden, Delaware, conducted by Revs. I. T. Cooper and J. Carlisle, and shortly afterwards united with the Church, in whose service he lived, labored and died.

He was licensed to preach in October, 1854, and was received on trial by the Philadelphia Annual Conference in the spring of 1855; ordained a deacon by Bishop Waugh, 1857, and an elder by Bishop Scott, 1859. The Minutes will show his different fields of labor.

His health, never very robust, gave early indications of failure, and gradually declined until the spring of 1860, when he was granted a supernumerary relation, and in 1861, under the new rule, he became superannuated.

Brother Cooper's early educational advantages were limited; but having a natural thirst for learning he acquired a considerable fund of solid and useful knowledge. His prominent mental trait was the power of investigation, analysis and reasoning. As a preacher, he was concise, clear and fervent. His sermons were short, systematic, and instructive; and but few young ministers have acquired a more general popularity in and out of the Church than he possessed on his different fields of labor. His religious experience was calm, clear and abiding. His labors were faithful and successful. His day of opportunity was brief, but was well improved in constant and untiring devotion to the Church and all her great interests. He lived and died in all the faith, experience and life of a young evangelist.

From the place of his decease his remains were accompanied by his friends to Dover, Delaware, and consigned to the grave in the Minister's lot of Wesley Cemetery. Rev. S. M. Cooper preached a funeral discourse from Acts iv. 14—a text chosen by the deceased—and was assisted in the solemn services of the occasion by Revs. J. D. Curtis and W. Bishop. The deceased provided by will for the erection of a suitable square column of marble over his grave, to be inscribed as follows: On the east side, "Rev. Ezekiel F. Cooper, born May 18th, 1830. Died, June 28th, 1862;" on the north side, "I was born, I lived, I died;" on the south side, "I sinned, but I repented; I believed in Jesus, and went to heaven."

He also bequeathed to the Conference Stewards, for the benefit of the Conference Claimants, the sum of \$148.51. The remainder of his property, amounting to \$297.02, was ordered to be divided between the "Missionary Society of the M. E. Church" and the "Methodist General Biblical Institute" at Concord, N. H.

In the death of Brother Cooper, this Conference has lost an intelligent, faithful, successful and beloved member, but the Church in Heaven has gained a saint.

Rev. WILLIAM H. BRISBANE.

Rev. William H. Brisbane was born in the city of New York, Aug. 5th, 1824. His parents were respectable, but too limited in their circumstances to afford him the advantages of a liberal education. At the tender age of ten he was thrown upon his own resources, and was employed in the office of a lawyer as a messenger boy, where, having access to books, he first attained a fondness for study.

When yet but a boy he found his way to the city of Philadelphia, and apprenticed himself to the business of a chairmaker. Here he at once sought religious association and counsel, and attached himself to the Sabbath School of the Mariner's Bethel M. E. Church, where he became marked for his serious and orderly deportment. At this church he gave his heart to God, and was soundly converted Feb. 14th, 1843. Three years afterwards he received license to preach, and in 1848 he was recommended to, and received on trial, in Philadelphia Annual Conference and appointed to Delaware City Circuit; in 1849, to Elkton; 1850, to Kelly South City Mission; 1851—52, to Allentown and Bethlehem Mission; 1853—54, to Chester Circuit; 1855—56, to Easton, Md.; 1857—58, to Smyrna Station; 1859—60, to St. Paul's, Wilmington; 1861—62, to Green Street, Philadelphia; where, on the 29th of April, 1862, in the hope of a glorious immortality, he ceased to work and live.

From the first entrance of Brother Brisbane upon the work of the ministry he began to make his mark. He combined devoted piety, industrious and studious habits with a mind of great clearnesss and power, consequently he not only filled every appointment with unexceptionable acceptability, but he grew in knowledge and wisdom every successive year, until he could already take his position among linguists and men of science, conversant with the topics upon which they might dwell.

He always ranked in the first class in his Conference studies, though in the beginning his appointments did not seem to accord with his abilities, yet he was never known to complain that he did not receive a better, nor to use any influence to control them, but as an obedient son in the gospel willingly resorted to his fields of labor, and patiently and faithfully toiled to advance the great work in which he was engaged. He rose not as the effort of favor, but by the force of merit.

His habits of study, doubtless, laid the foundation of the disease which led to the early death of our brother. Before leaving the charge of St. Paul's, in Wilmington, his physical appearance gave evidence that his constitution was beginning to give way under the pressure of too great application, but though his friends cautioned him, he neither relaxed his studies nor his labors while in Green Street Charge, Philadelphia, until, in the close of his first year, he was attacked with hemorrhage of the lungs.

It was thought at first that his case was not one of danger, and that rest would soon restore him; but his disease was more deeply seated than was anticipated, for suddenly, on the evening of the 29th of April, his symptoms assumed an alarming character; and at 12 o'clock, P. M., he exchanged mortality for immortality.

Cut down in the prime and vigor of manhood, the Conference has lost one of its most excellent and promising members, and the Church one of its most useful laborers. Though we look and wonder at what seems to us one of God's strange providences, and feel that to us it seems inscrutable, yet we would bow in submission to His will, and say, "Whatsoever thou doest is right."

Brother Brisbane has left behind him an excellent wife, and two children, to mourn, to them, an irreparable loss.

Rev. THOMAS E. SKINNER.

On the 26th of April, 1838, was born on Kent Island, Queen Anne county, Md., ev. Thomas E. Skinner, the subject of this brief notice. Possessed of a susceptible nature, he yielded readily to the religious influences which from his earliest childhood were thrown around him; and in his sixteenth year, while at school in Baltimore, he gave his heart to God and became a new creature in Christ Jesus. From that time the purity of his life and the constancy of his devotion gave a living demonstration of the power of the blood of Jesus to save from sin. It was the ambition of his father to see this his oldest son located near him in the practice of medicine, and for this purpose, after spending some time at Dickinson College, he attended the ectures, and finally graduated at the Maryland University of Baltimore. Soon after he commenced practice on his native island. But it soon became evident that whatever might be his natural adaptation for this profession, it was not designed by Provdence to be the business of his life. The impression that he must preach the Goepel haunted him continually, deepening with each successive month, until, in an agony of spirit, he cried out "Wo is me if I preach not the Gospel." Unwilling to lose him from their midst, his friends held out before him the prospect of a lucrative employment, the comforts of home and the associations of the loved upon the one side; and the arduous labors and perpetual self-denial to which the ministry would inevitably subject him, on the other. And for a time he wavered before the truthful picture. But he soon found that willingness to obey the mandates of God is the measure of religious enjoyment. His soul was canopied with gloom more dense than midnight darkness, through which no star of hope sent its consoling radiance. With emotions bordering on frenzy he assured his father that his salvation depended on his submission. Instantly every objection was withdrawn. He abandoned his profession and entered the Conference in 1859. His first appointment was Camden Circuit; the following year he travelled Denton, and in 1861 he found his home amid the warm sympathies and genial hospitalities of the people of Easton Circuit. There it became painfully evident that the increasing demand which his growing popularity made upon his mental and physical energies was fast hastening him to a premature grave. Emaciated by disease and exhausted by labor, he was compelled in midsummer to seek in the rural quiet of his father's house that repose which he fondly hoped would prepare him for years of coming toil.

This hope, had he been content to rest a sufficient period, might possibly have been realized; but such was his burning zeal for the conversion of souls, that ere he had entirely recovered, he was again proclaiming from the pulpits of his circuit the glad tidings of salvation and peace. As a consequence his disease, like a baffled foe, came upon him with redoubled vigor. That insidious disease, consumption, had seized him as its prey and was rapidly, but stealthily dragging him down to the grave. Too feeble to attend the Conference at its last session, he was granted a nominal appointment and connected with Kent Island. For a time he hoped to recover; but a succession of hemorrhages blighted every hope, and on the 14th of June, 1862, his happy spirit calmly took its departure for the land of rest.

As a man, Dr. Skinner was amiable, attractive and lovely. As a minister of Jesus, he was, for one so young, both able and eloquent. Few men of his age came nearer rivalling the simple grandeur of Summerfield than the subject of this memoir. Even

when unfolding the most abstruse subjects, his words flowed forth as a rippling stream,

not unfrequently enchanting his audience as if spell-bound.

Wherever he has gone preaching the Gospel his name will long be as ointment poured forth. But above all, Dr. Skinner was a Christian. The religion of Jesus was to him no unmeaning theory. In life it circled his brow as an eternal garland, with all the fruits and graces of the spirit, and in death it became the triumphal car by which he escaped from his sufferings to a world of glory.

Rev. ELIPHALET REED.

Rev. Eliphalet Reed was born near Queenstown, Queen Anne's county, Md., in the year 1792, and died at Mount Joy. Pa., Jan. 1st, 1863. He was converted while a youth, and in his twenty-fifth year was admitted on trial in the Philadelphia Annual Conference. At the close of his first year's ministry he returned home, and remained there two years. In 1821 he offered himself again to the Conference and was re-admitted. From that date he ceased to be a travelling preacher only when he ceased to live.

The appointments he filled during his laborious and honored ministry were as follows: 1818, Annamessex; 1821, Trenton; 1822, Freehold: 1823-24, Cumberland; 1825-26, Gloucester; 1827, New Mills; 1828, Chester; 1829-30, Dauphin; 1831-32, Strasburg and Columbia, 1833-34, Cecil; 1835-36, Smyrna; 1837-38, Dover; 1839-40, Caroline; 1841-42, Halifax; 1843, Susquehanna Mission; 1844, supernumerary in Centreville Circuit; 1845, Nottingham; 1846, Dauphin; 1847, Halifax; 1848, Strasburg; 1849, Christiana Mission; 1850, Susquehanna; 1851, Springfield; the year following, supernumerary in the same circuit; 1853-54, Bethel and E vansburg. This was the last charge to which he sustained an effective relation. The remaining years of his life (except 1859-60, when he was supernumerary) he appears on the Minutes as superannuated. Our lamented father (according to the worlding's standard) was in no sense a great man; but, judged by the Christian's better standard, he was, in every sense, a great man of God. Religious devotion was the element of his life. It is perfectly safe to say that not less than a third of each day was spent on his knees. Every step of his life was taken as seeing the Invisible. The constant intimacy of his communion with God, gave to the very tones of his voice, in prayer or preaching-especially when repeating the name of Deity-a tremulous tenderness, and a pathetic reverence, that invariably softened and solemnized the minds of all devout hearers.

As a preacher, he was remarkable for clearness, simplicity, brevity, and power of illustration from scripture and the incidents of daily life. While his acquaintance with general literature was very limited, he was thoroughly conversant with the theological standards of his own denomination. So far as giving offense with the tongue is concerned, he may be said to have been a perfect man. Were it proper to speak of his sermons specifically, it might be shown that in their diction, and general outline, they bore a striking resemblance to those of the founder of Methodism.

During six of the last eight years of his life he was reported superannuated; but through the whole of this period he was abundant in labors, preaching once every Sabbath, frequently twice, and exhibited much of the earnestness and fervor that were distinguishing characteristics of his early ministration. The sufferings of his last illness were very great, as has been frequently noticed in the cases of many of God's most favored sons. Like many, too, of the brightest and bravest Christians, his utterances were few as he approached the gates of death. What he did say, however, was in perfect harmony with his spotless character and triumphant life. When asked by his daughter what she should read for him, he replied, "The 14th chapter of John." While she repeated those precious words—"In my father's house are many mansions, I go to prepare a place for you "-he became exceedingly happy, and exclaimed, "O, blessed be the name of the Lord!" That was a favorite exclamation with him, when happy in preaching, and many of the readers of these lines, will, doubtless, remember it with tears in their eyes. To a friend he said, "Pray that I may have a little relief from my pain;" and to his wife, "Oh, I am so happy, happy, happy!" Yes, happy then in the midst of pain, and now supremely blest, where not one pang of toil, or sickness, or sorrow shall ever be known.

The writer was once the colleague of Father Reed, and knew him intimately for the last twenty years. During the whole of that time, such was the reverence which he cherished for the sanctity of his spirit, the purity of his character and the unselfish devotion of his life to the one great work of his ministry, that he could never approach him without uncovering, and feeling that it would be a pleasure to kaeel down and kiss his feet. Yet, far as he was above us in holiness; far as he has ascended beyond our vision, we follow him in his flight, expecting to be washed in the same atoning blood of the Lamb, and to be with him forever, "Where they shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; neither shall the sua light on them, nor any heat. For the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall feed them, and shall lead them unto living fountains of waters, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes."

REV. JAMES HARGIS.

It is impossible in the short space allowed us, to do justice to his remarkable ministry of twenty-six years; each of which being marked by the results which

ever attend the faithful preaching of the Gospel.

Brother Hargis, was not noted for more than ordinary intellectual force, and was deprived by circumstances of early educational advantages, yet the whole course of his ministry proved the Gospel as preached by him to be "the power of God unto the salvation of hundreds who even now rise up and call him blessed." His life was consistent and pure. His piety was uncompromising, even his enemies respecting him for the tenacity with which he adhered to the doctrines of his faith and denominational peculiarities. He spent his whole ministerial life on the Snow Hill District. He was born near Lewes, Del., Feb. 2d, 1803, of Presbyterian parentage, but was induced to seek "forgiveness of sin" under the powerful preaching of the Rev. Henry White, at a Camp Meeting, at Cool Spring, Sussex Co., Del., and there obtained "the knowledge of salvation by the remission of sin."

He served the Church at Ebenezer, near Lewes, as a leader, subsequently received authority to exhort, was licensed as a Local Preacher, in the spring of 1836 was admitted on trial, and travelled that year the Dorchester Circuit with Daniel Lambdin. During the year 1857 he served the Snow Hill Circuit; 1838, Accomac; 1839—40, Indiantown Mission; 1841, Salisbury; 1842, Laurel; 1843—4, Princess Ann; 1845—6, Accomac; 1847—8, Annamessex: 1849—50, Seaford; 1851, Church Creek; 1853—4, Dorchester; 1855—6, Laurel; 1857, Lewes; 1858—9, Quantico; 1860, Worcester; and in 1861—2, Princess Anne, where he laid down his body and his charge on the 19th of February, 1863, in the 60th year of his age. "His last end was peace," praising God "for supporting grace; in calm confidence "he laid his head on the

Redeemer's breast and breathed his life out sweetly there."

His character and faithfulness in his high and holy office may be summed up in the language of inspiration, "He was a good man and full of the Holy Ghost and of faith, and much people was added unto the Lord."

Rev. LEWIS C. PETTIT.

Rev. Lewis C. Pettit, the subject of this brief notice, was born in New Hope, Bucks County, Pa., June 21st, 1821, and through infinite mercy was born again, in the Union M. E. Church, Philadelphia, during the month of March, 1844. Soon thereafter he was received into that church on probation, and gave abundant evidence to his brethren and associates of his Christian deportment and faithfulness. In January, 1849, he was licensed to preach, and during the following April was chosen to fill a vacancy on Marietta Circuit. In the spring of 1850, he was admitted on trial in the Philadelphia Conference, and sent to Frederica Circuit. In 1851, he was stationed on Kent Circuit; 1852-3, on Denton; 1854-5, Merion Square; 1856-57, Springfield; 1858, Pottstown, and 1859-60, on Salem Circuit. In 1861 he was sent to Cressona Mission, and in 1862, at the earnest and unanimous request of the people, he was returned to the same field of labor, when he departed this life on the 4th day of June.

He suffered much during his brief and severe illness, but was mercifully sustained by the God of all grace. From the beginning he was impressed with the conviction that his sickness would be unto death. His presiding Elder, Rev. T. J. Thompson says, "I saw him twenty-four hours before his death, and in one of several interviews with him, he said, 'this is a hard struggle.' I replied, 'nature is struggling with disease, and we are praying that she may be strengthened to overcome;' he said, 'I have looked over the whole ground, and have come to the conclusion that, all things considered, this is probably the best time for me to go.' On my repeating the sentence,

'I the chief of sinners am, But Jesus died for me,'

he replied with carnest emphasis, 'I fully realize it; often have I pointed it to others.' 'Now,' said I, 'you are to claim it for yourself.' He bent forward his head in assent. Very soon afterward, calling for his beloved wife, the last adien was taken; and while we all knelt at his bedside, and in prayer commended him to God,

he calmly slept in Jesus."

Brother Pettit was a man of undoubted piety, and singularly devoted to the work of the ministry. He was respectable as a preacher, and appreciated and esteemed by the people, among whom he labored. He was zealous in the performance of his duties, uncompromising in his opposition to sin, bold and fearless in his utterances, faithful and persevering in his pastoral duties, abundant in labors for the salvation of man, and honored with more than ordinary ministerial success. His body sleeps in the Conference lot of Mount Moriah Cemetery, Philadelphia, and his soul rests in the mansions above. "He was a good man and full of the Holy Ghost and of faith, and much people was added unto the Lord."

REV. JAMES H. McFARLAND.

Rev. James Hunter McFarland was born in Harrisburg, Penn., March 10th, 1809. When quite young he removed to Newark, N. J., and at the age of eighteen, on the 1st of December, 1827, he was born of God. Soon after he was licensed to exhort by Rev. J. Kennedy, D. D., and in April, 1830, was admitted into the itinerant ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in the Philadelphia Conference; a member of the same class with Bishop Janes.

His pastoral charges were Trenton Circuit, Essex, Bergen Neck Mission, Plainfield, West Chester, Bustleton, Dover, Elkton, Agency for Dickinson College, New Castle, Columbia, Eighth St., Philadelphia, Presiding Eldership of Reading District, Frankford,

Bordentown, Haverstraw, N. Y.

In 1852, while a member of the New Jersey Conference, his health failed, and he was transferred to the Philadelphia Conference as a supernumerary. He continued to serve the Church as well as his enfeebled health would allow, up to June, 1862, when he was appointed Chaplain of the U. S. Hospital, in Philadelphia. In this relation he

prosecuted his ministry to the close of his life.

During the session of the Conference at West Chester he was present, and left in the evening train for his home in Philadelphia, on Monday, March 23d, 1863. He was in more than usual health and spirits. That night he sat up with his family and conversed cheerfully, and retired before 11 o'clock. A few minutes afterwards he was taken suddenly ill, and at twenty-five minutes after eleven he breathed his last. His last words were addressed to his wife, "Mother, I am dying; Lord Jesus, take me."

Bro. McFarland was a great lover of the natural sciences. For more than twenty years he was a corresponding member of the Academy of Natural Sciences, in Philadelphia, and made many valuable contributions. He was also a member of the

Entomological Society.

He was a very faithful and devoted minister of Christ, and did the work of an evangelist successfully. He was warm in his friendships, reliable in his demands of duty, and above everything that looked like a compromise of Christian principle.

APPOINTMENTS.

North Philadelphia District. D. W. BARTINE, P. E.

St George's D. H. D. H's
St. George's
Trinity
Thirty-Eighth Street
Green St
Spring Garden StJ. S. Willis.
Fifth StF. Hodgson.
St. John's
KensingtonJ. H. Alday.
SiloamW. T. Magee.
Hancock StG. Heacock.
Sanctuary W. McCombs.
Front St
Twelfth St
HeddingA. Manship.
Nineteenth St
CalvaryTo be supplied.
TabernacleP. Coombe.
CohocksinkD. L. Patterson.
Emory
North Penn To be supplied.
SummerfieldJ. Allen.
Port RichmondJ. M. Hinson.
Rising SunJoseph Welch.
ZoarTo be supplied.
MilestownC. W. Ayars.
St. James
Cheltenham G. W. Lybrand.
Lehman's Chapel and FairviewS. G. Hare.
Doylestown
Frankford
Bridesburg
Bustleton and Holmesburg W. B. Wood.
Somerton
Bristol
Attleboro'
Centreville Mission
MorrisvilleL. B. Hughes.
NewtownG. T. Hurlock, J. Todd.
LumbervilleL. D. McCliutock.

New Hope	To be supplied.
Allentown and Catasaugu	aE. T. Kenney.
Bethlehem	J. Humphriss.
Easton	J. H. Lightbourne.
South Easton	N. D. McComas.
Richmond	Joseph Cook.
Stroudsburg	T. A. Fernley.
Cherry Valley	A. A. Fisher.
Monroe	E. Townsend.
	W. Mathias.
Naglesville	James Webb.
	To be supplied.
S. Higgins, Sunday School	Agent, member of Twelfth St. Quarterly Conference.
J. P. Durbin, Correspon	ding Secretary of Missionary Society, member of Trinity

Quarterly Conference.

J. Flannery, Tract Agent, member of Hedding Quarterly Conference.

South Philadelphia District.—Joseph Castle, P. E.

Union	F. Moore.
Nazareth	C. Hill.
Arch St	A. Rittenhouse.
Ebenezer	.T. C. Murphy.
Salem	W. Major.
St. Paul's	S. W. Thomas.
Wharton St	J. F. Chaplain.
Mariners' Bethel	
Western	W. Urie.
Broad St	J. Thompson
Central	B. F. Price.
Pitman Chapel	
Young Men's Central Home Mission	
Second St	
Eleventh St	
Scott	E. I. D. Pepper.
West Federal St	
Asbury	J. W. Mecaskey.
Centennial	
John Wesley	
Haddington	
Hestonville	
Radnor and Bethesda	
Darby and Mt. Pleasant	A. Howard.
Paschalville	
Lancaster, First Church	G. D. Carrow.
do. St. Paul's	
Safe Harbor and Manor Mission	
Columbia	

MariettaJ. Gregg.
Mt. JoyO. W. Landreth.
Bainbridge To be supplied.
HarrisburgJ. W. Jackson.
do. Vine StJ. E. Kessler.
do. Ridge Avenue
Dauphin
Hummelstown Mission
Midddletown J. M. Wheeler.
Halifax
Wiconisco
To be supplied
S. L. Gracey, Chaplain United States Army, member of Union Quarterly Conference.
H. M. Johnson, President of Dickinson College, member of Harrisburg Quarterly
Conforman
W. L. Boswell, Professor in Dickinson College, member of Vine Street, Harrisburg
J. S. Lame, Chaplain United States Army, member of Broad Street Quarterly Con-
ference.
Reading District.—W. L. GRAY, P. E.
Reading, EbenezerJ. Cunningham.
do. St. PetersJ. F. Meredith.
Manayunk, Mt. Zion
do. EbenezerJ. R. Anderson.
Falls of Schuylkill
RoxboroughIsaac Mast.
Germantown, Haines StG. W. Maclaughlin.
do St. Stephen'sW. Kenney.
Chestnut Hill
ConshohockenJ. O'Neill.
Merion SquareJ. L. Taft.
Morristown, DeKalb StS. Irwin.
do. Oak StJ. W. Arthur.
Perkiomen
Montgomery Square J. C. Gregg.
PhœnixvilleJ. Pastorfield.
SalemJ. Hand.
West Chester
Grove and DowningtownV. Smith.
PottstownJ. Lindamuth, D. W. Gordon.
SpringfieldW. M. Ridgway.
WaynesburgJ. Y. Ashton.
ChurchtownN. B. Durell.
Birdsboro'
Berks County, Mission
LebanonJ. B. Dennison.

Cornwall
Cressona and OrwigsburgS. B. Best.
Pottsville
Minersville
TremontG. T. Barr.
Port Carbon
New PhiladelphiaW. Swindells.
St. Clair and New Castle
TamaquaH. A. Cleveland.
Mauch ChunkJ. Aspril.
ParryvilleS. Powers.
Nesquehoning and Summit
Rev. T. S. Thomas, Chaplain to U. S. A., member of Haines Street Quarterly Con-
ference.
Wilmington District.—Jos. Mason, P. E.
Wilmington, AsburyW. C. Robinson.
do. St. Paul's
do. UnionJ. A. Brindle.
do. ScottA. Cather.
do. E. ZionTo be supplied.
BrandywineT. W. Maclary.
Mt. SalemW. S. Pugh.
Newport and Centreville MissionJ. N. Magee.
NewcastleM. H. Sisty.
do. Circuit for Colored PeopleTo be supplied.
Delaware City
St. George's F. B. Harvey, G. L. Schaffer-
Newark
Elkton
BethelJ. B. Quigg.
North East
- CharlestownJ. Dyson.
Port DepositG. Oram.
ZionW. J. Paxson.
OxfordT. Sumption.
New London and Elk Ridge
FultonJ. Carlisle.
Mt. Nebo
StrasburgJ. A. Watson.
Enterprise
Cochranville
CoatesvilleS. N. Chew.
GuthrievilleN. W. Bennum.
Marshallton and Kennet SquareS. W. Kurtz.
ChesterJ. E. Meredith.
do. CircuitG. Quigley.
Village GreenJ. L. Houston.

Media	D. George.
Crozierville	J. France.
Mt. Lebanon	W. Smith.
W. H. Fries, Chaplain U. S. A., member	of Union Wilmington Quarterly Conference.
E. J. Way, Chaplain U. S. A., member of	Delaware City Quarterly Conference.

Easton District .- T. J. QUIGLEY, P. E.

Smyrca	C. Cooke.
do. Circuit	J. F. Boone, T. E. Bell.
do. Circuit for Colored People	To be supplied.
Middletown	A. T. Scott.
Odessa	W. H Elliott.
do. Circuit for Colored People	To be supplied.
Dover	T. J. Thompson.
do. Circuit for Colored People	To be supplied.
Camden	
Frederica and Barret's Chapel	T. W. Simpers.
Felton	W. Hammond.
Milford	E. Miller.
do. Circuit for Colored People	To be supplied.
Harrington	H. Sanderson, M. Barnhill.
	S. R. Gillingham, D. C. Ridgway
Greensborough	
Hillsborough	J. Brandreth, J. A. Cooper.
Talbot	H. Colclazer, J. W. Weston.
Easton	J. B. Merritt, N. M. Brown.
Centreville	J. S. Cook.
Queenstown	W. H. Formosa.
Kent Island	W. Merrill.
Sudlersville	W. M. Warner, J. E. Elliott.
Kent	J. E. Smith, S. McBurney.
Millington	S. Townsend, S. T. Gardiner.
-Woodville	To be supplied.
Forest Mission	To be supplied.
Wm. O'Neill, Chaplain U. S. A., mem	ber of Talbot Quarterly Conference.

Snow Hill District .- A. WALLACE, P. E.

Seaford	J. A. Massey, T. F. Plummer.
Laurel	J. Edwards, T. S. Hodson.
Laurel Circuit for Colored People	To be supplied.
Dorchester	W. Rink.
Federalsburg	W. B. Walton.
Church Creek	T. H. McLaughlin, D. D. Hudson.
Aries	
Cambridge	
do. Circuit	H. S. Thompson.

Salisbury	A. M. Wiggins, C. P. Masden.
	To be supplied.
	J. M. Purner.
	S. M. Cooper, T. L. Tomkinson.
	J. W. Pierson.
	E. G. Irwin, G. S. Connoway.
	J. E. Bryan.
	T. S. Williams, C. T. Frame.
	W. W. Redman.
	J. W. Hammersley.
	Joseph Dare.
	C. F. Shepherd.
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G. A. Phœbus, Principal of terly Conference.	of Union Academy, Snow Hill, member of Snow Hill Quar
T. L. Poulson, Chaplain U	. S. A., member of Salisbury Quarterly Conference.

- J. T. Van Burkalow, Chaplain U. S. A., member of Seaford Quarterly Conference.
- J. H. Wythes, transferred to California Conference.

RESOLUTIONS AND REPORTS.

ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Whereas, We are as ever deeply impressed with the importance of the Sabbath School as a great reforming and Christianizing agency, and an indispensable auxilliary to the Church, therefore,

Resolved, 1. That we will, as pastors of the flock of Christ, earnestly and prayerfully continue our efforts to promote its interest by this powerful means.

Resolved, 2. That we will introduce the Catechism into all our schools, as far as practicable, and endeavor to carry out the 16th article of the 12th section of the Discipline.

Resolved, 3. That we attach great importance to the circulation in our schools, of the "Sunday School Advocate," and the "Teacher's Journal," and renew our recommendation of the books published by the Sunday School Union of the M. E. Church unqualifiedly, over all others for the use of our schools.

Resolved, 4. That we recommend the formation, when practicable, of Pastor's Bible Classes in our schools, and that at each appointment at least one sermon be preached on the subject of Sabbath School Instruction.

The Committee recommend Rev. Joseph Mason as Vice-President of the S. S. Union, and Rev. S. Higgins as Agent.

ON TEMPERANCE.

Whereas, The public interest on the subject of Temperance has, in these later times, greatly subsided, and intemperance has proportionally increased, therefore,—

Resolved, First, That our official position and relation to society require of us to

use our utmost efforts towards successfully resisting this great evil.

Resolved, Secondly, That the Gospel and divine institutions are the principal permanent and efficient correctives; and, believing this, we will do our utmost to bring them to bear in building up the cause and practice of temperance in the communities among whom we may be called to minister the Word of life.

ON THE BIBLE CAUSE.

Whereas, The Bible is the only full and complete revelation given to man touching his duty and destiny, and is indeed a "lamp unto his feet and a light unto his path;" and, whereas, it becomes a vital necessity that every member of the human family should have access to its precious truths, therefore,—

Resolved, 1. That we reverently and thankfully recognize the hand of God, dealing in tender mercy with sinful men, in the organization of societies whose sim is to so circulate the Holy Scriptures over these lands and throughout the world, that all

may learn the way of life eternal.

Resolved, 2. That we rejoice in the vast practical results which have been achieved by the agency of the American Bible Society, and that we heartily commend it to the sympathies of the churches under our care.

Resolved, 3. That we will preach in behalf of the Bible Cause, take up collections at each of our appointments to sustain it; and that, as far as practicable, we will attend the meetings of County and State Bible Societies.

DAY OF FASTING AND PRAYER.

Whereas, Our country is now suffering severely under the blighting effects of a rebellion against the Government; and whereas, God has promised to do much for us in answer to faithful prayer, which He does not on any other condition, therefore.—

Resolved, 1. That we, the members of the Philadelphia Annual Conference of the M. E. Church, now in conference assembled, do most respectfully request the President of the United States to designate a day of fasting and prayer, in which all Christians of this entire country may unite in fervent prayer to Almighty God that He will terminate this rebellion, and restore all portions of our country to permanent loyalty and peace.

Resolved, 2. That we hereby pledge ourselves to observe said day, and to use our influence to induce the people within our respective charges to unite with us, should the President appoint a day for this purpose.

ON EDUCATION.

Resolved, 1. That the cause of Christian Education is one of the great benevolent enterprises of the Church, and, with the Missionary and Bible Causes, ought to be recognized as an indispensable auxiliary in reclaiming the world from sin, and as such should share in the contributions of the Church.

Resolved, 2. That each Pastor is expected to preach in each congregation on Christian Education, and is hereby requested to impress upon the minds of parents the importance of educating their children, and of encouraging our own literary institutions.

Resolved, 3. That we request from the several Circuits and Stations at least five cents per member for the Educational Collection, and that the apportionment to each charge be published in the published minutes; and that ten per cent. of the amount realized be applied to a fund for the benefit of indigent young men preparing for the ministry.

Resolved, 4. That to secure the interest and the concurrence of our members in raising the Educational Gollection, the Presiding Elders be requested to see that a committee be appointed, at the first Quarterly Conference of each charge, to co-operate with the Preacher in devising such measures as in their judgment will ensure success.

Resolved, 5. That we appeal to the Christian conscience of our wealthy members for liberal donations and bequests toward the endowment of our literary institutions, and express the belief that this will be, under God, one of the most blessed of all their benevolent appropriations.

Resolved, 6. That President Johnson be requested to prepare a Tract on the subject of Education, for general circulation among our people.

Resolved, 7. That we specially recommend to our people the Grammar School at Carlisle, as the best place to prepare their sons for College.

Resolved, 8. That we highly appreciate the industry and economy exhibited by President Wilson, of the Wesleyan Female College, and his assistants in the literary, financial and demestic departments, and that we urge upon our friends everywhere increasing efforts in its behalf.

Resolved, 9. That we have undiminished confidence in the President and Faculty of Dickinson Gollege, and commend that institution to their confidence and continued patronage.

Resolved, 10. That we carnestly recommend our people to observe the customary annual concert of prayer for colleges, held on the last Thursday of February.

Resolved, 11. That the Committee on Education for the next Conference shall consist of two members of the Conference, and two lay-members from each District; that the Bishop appoint the lay-members at the present session, and that the Committee fill the places of absentees.

Resolved, 12. That the Educational Collection be taken up not later than September or October.

Resolved, 13. That after ten per cent. be deducted from the Educational Collection, to be set apart for the "Beneficiary Fund of Dickinson College," the remainder be equally divided between Dickinson College and the Wesleyan Female College.

Resolved, 14. That the Presiding Bishop be requested to appoint the usual Visiting Committees to Dickinson College and the Wesleyan Female College.

MEMOIRS OF DECEASED PREACHERS.

Resolved, That in the event of any Preacher dying during the year, the Presiding Elder be requested to prepare, or appoint some one to prepare, a memoir, to be read at the next Annual Conference.

THANKS.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference be and hereby are presented to the Pastor and Trustees of this Church, together with the families who have so liberally provided for, and so generously entertained us during our Session.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference be and hereby are tendered to the Pastors and congregations of our sister Churches of this borough for their kind and

fraternal attentions during our stay among them.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference be tendered to the Pennsylvania, the Philadelphia and West Chester, the Reading, and the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Delaware Rail Roads, for the liberal terms on which they have conveyed its members to and from the seat of its Session.

TRACT CAUSE.

The Committee on the Tract Cause have had the subject under consideration and present the following, as their

REPORT.

We have carefully examined the papers referred to us by the Conference, and consulted with intelligent laymen of the Board of Managers and have reached the following facts and conclusions:

1. Though last year the collections were \$1327.13 less than the preceding year,

they are now \$612.83 more than last year.

2. That, as provision was made last year by the Board, for the support of the agency, without drawing on the public collections, and that provision has fallen but a fraction short of meeting the exigency, a similar provision has been made for the present year, with equal promise of success.

3. The condition of the Depository is now, by about \$2000.00, more favorable than it was a year ago. Its resources, or property, may be regarded as worth \$10,200.00,

its liabilities are \$8438.00, leaving a balance in its favor of \$1766.00.

4. Though the Board a year ago hoped to be able to remove the Depository to a more favorable locality,—in Arch or Chestnutstreet,—they have not succeeded, owing chiefly to that prudent care, which we are happy to believe has hitherto characterized their administration. They have not, however, relinquished the purpose to effect such a change at as early a period as practicable.

5. We are pleased to report, that the Agent has sustained his reputation as an untiring laborer in the cause, and has succeeded in his collections beyond the most

sanguine hopes of the Board at the beginning of the year.

6. We are not less pleased to remind the members of Conference, and through them the friends of a purely religious literature—that all the books of the Sunday School, and general catalogues in our publishing houses, are for sale at the Depository on the same terms on which they may be had at New York and Cincinnati.

7. We present to the Conference for adoption, the following

RESOLUTIONS.

1. Resolved, That the necessity for such an institution in the city of Philadelphis as the Tract Depository, and for a special agent to promote the interests of the cause, is as urgent now, as at any previous period.

2. Resolved, That as the services of our late Agent,—the Rev. Andrew Manship,—are urgently called for in another department of the Church, and therefore may not

be available in the relation he has for years sustained, we hope those of Rev. Samuel W. Thomas may be procured. We therefore request the Bishop to appoint him as Tract Agent for the ensuing year.

- 3. Resolved, That we desire, and hereby invite the Agent to visit our charges during the year and take up the tract collections. But, if it be not practicable for him to do so, the collections shall be taken in each charge.
- 4. Resolved, That we appreciate the labors of the Agent, and Board of Managers, and pray that each at last, in giving an account of his stewardship, may hear the Master say: "Well done, good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make the ruler over many: enter thou into the joys of thy Lord."

ON DECEASE OF REV. JAS: H. McFARLAND.

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to call our fellow-laborer, Rev. James H. McFarland, very suddenly from labor to reward, he having been in our midst, in the assembled Conference, in more than his usual health and spirits as late as yesterday, and to-day a companion with the saints in glory. Therefore,

Resolved, 1st. That we recognize the hand of God in this startling event, and, in view of the Christian faithfulness of our dear departed brother, express the belief that our loss of his personal and ministerial influence and presence is his infinite gain.

Resolved, 2d. That we appreciate the value of the services he has rendered the cause of God, and rejoice that he has left the assurance that he has heard the Master say, "Come up higher."

Resolved, 3d. That we express our Christian condolence with his stricken family, and offer prayer in their behalf that God may deal with them most tenderly in this hour of their great bereavement.

Resolved, 4th. That a deputation of three members of the Conference be sent to his late home, to make such arrangements with reference to the funeral of our brother as they may deem best.

Resolved, 5th. That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the family, and to the Christian Advocate and Journal and Methodist, for publication.

ON THE DIVISION OF THE CONFERENCE.

Resolved, 1st. That we are of the opinion that it is inexpedient to divide the Conference at this time.

Resolved, 2d. That it is our judgment that a division should take place at our next session, provided the condition of the country and the Church does not render it impracticable.

Resolved, 3d. That for the purpose of preparing for such a division as is recommended in the former resolution, we recommend the appointment of a committee of three members of the Conference, who shall be a Committee of Correspondence, to obtain all necessary information on the subject, and report the result at the next Conference.

RECOMMENDATIONS-JOHN WESLEY CHURCH.

Whereas, The John Wesley M. E. Church (colored), in Philadelphia, is in great financial distress, and the Pastor, Rev. James Davis, is a respectable minister of the Gospel, appointed by Bishop Scott; therefore,

Resolved, That we recommend him and the Church of which he is Pastor, to the favorable consideration of our friends and members, especially in Philadelphia.

FORREST MISSION.

Resolved, That the Missionary at Forrest Mission be commended to the liberality of our people for aid in the erection of Churches on said Mission.

TIME OF TAKING CONFERENCE COLLECTIONS.

1. Bible, in August. 2. Sunday School, in September. 3. Collection for Conference Claimants, in October and November. 4. Missionary, in December and January. 5. Education, as per Report. 6. Tract as per Report. 7. General Conference Collection, in February and March.

ALPHABETICAL ROLL OF MEMBERS.

WITH THEIR POST-OFFICE ADDRESS.

[The letters designate the present relation. P, Probationer; D, Deacon; E, Elder; and S, Superannuated. The place mentioned is the post-office address, as far as known. The figures in the last column indicate either the first or second year of appointment. Those in the first column the time of admission on trial.]

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1850. 1841. 1844. 1840. 1841.	Alday, John H	E. E. E.	1116 Palmer St., Phila	1
1840. 1825. 1822. 1856.	Aspril, Joseph	E. S. E.	Pottstown, Pa	1
1859. 1860. 1817. 1856. 1832.	Bailey, John R Barnhill, Matthias Barns, William Barr, Gideon T Bartine, David W	D. E. E.	Cornwall, Pa	$\frac{1}{2}$
1835. 1859. 1855. 1857. 1859.	Barton, George Bell, Thos. E. Bennum, N. W. Best, Wesley C. Best, Silas B.	E. E.	Sudlersville, Md Smyrna, Del Guthrieville, Pa 1834 Poplar St., Phila Cressona, Pa	2
1841. 1854. 1850. 1849.	Bishop, William Bodine, H. H Boone, John F Boswell, W. L	S. E. E.	Mt. Nebo, Lanc. Co., Pa Smyrna, Del Carlisle, Pa Hillsborough, Md	1
1859. 1843. 1860. 1857. 1849.	Brandreth, John. Brindle, James A. Brown, Nicholas M. Bryan, Jas. E. Burrell, W. H.	E. D. E.	Wilmington, Del	1 2 2
1843. 1835. 1843. 1857. 1823. 1857. 1852.	Calloway, Henry R	E. E. E. E. E. E. E.	Columbia, Pa	1 1 2 1
1853. 1857.	Chew, Sylvester N	. S.	Tamaqua, Pa	

1828.	describer, memy,	E. St. Michael's, Md 1
1862. 1835.	Coombe, Pennell	. Newtown, Md 1
1820.	Cooke, Charles	Smyrna Del1
1851. 1856.	Cook, Joseph S	E. Centreville, Md 1
1835.	Cook, Joseph	
1828.	Cooper, William	. Manayunk, Pa 1
1844. 1862.	Cooper, Sol. M	Princess Anne, Md 1
1841.	Cooper, J. A P. Cox, Peter J	Frankford Pa 1
1833. 1859.	Crouch, C. J	. New London, Pa 1
1846.	Crouch, John F E Cummins, John	Morris St. hel Second Phila 2
1857.	Cummins, Geo E	Bridesburg Pa 2
1834. 1837.	Cunningham, James E Curtis, John D E	. Mauch Chunk, Pa 1
1853.		
1854.	Dalrymple, Wm. M E Dare, Jos E	. Millersville, Lancaster Co., Pa 1
1852.	Day, Michael A E	Newark Del
1852. 1848.	Dennison, John B E	. Lebanon, Pa 2
1859.	Dickerson, Jacob E Durell, Nathan B. E	. Mantua, West Philadelphia, Pa Churchtown, Pa
1820. 1854.	Durbin, John P	. 200 Mulberry St., N. Y
	Dyson, John E.	Charlestown, Cecil Co., Md
1831. 1839.	Edwards, John E.	Laurel, Del
1859.	Elliott, William H E. Elliott, John E E.	Odessa, Del
1845.	England, William E E.	North East, Md
1845.	Fernley, Thomas A E.	Strondsburg, Monroe Co., Pa 2
1859. 1836.	Fisher, Alfred A. E. Flannery, James. E.	Cherry Valley, " " 1
1859.	Formosa, Wm. H E.	119 north Sixth Street, Philadelphia1 Queenstown, Md2
1855. 1863.	Frame, Noble E. Frame, Clement T P.	Doylestown, Bucks Co., Pa
1856.	France, John E.	Berlin, Md
1843. 1857.	Freed, Abraham E.	Roachville, Md
1856.	Fries, Wm. H E.	U. S. Army1
1858.	Gardner, Saml. T. E. George, Daniel E.	Galena, Kent Co., Md
1848.	Gillingham, S. R E.	Denton, Caroline Co., Md 1
1840. 1862.	Gilroy, Henry E E. Gordon, D. W P.	110 Almond St., Phila., Pa 2
1852.	Gracey, John T E.	Pottstown, Pa
1858. 1841.	Gracey, Samuel L E.	U. S. Army 1
1839.	Gray, William L E. Gray, Valentine E.	Reading, Pa1 Birdsboro', Berks Co., Pa1
1829.	Greenbank, R. M	1524 Wallace St., Phila
1851. 1855.	Gregg, Joseph E. Gregg, John C. E.	Marietta, Pa 1
1857.	Gregg, Wm. B E.	Montgomery Square, Pa
1845.	Hallowell, Peter	
1851. 1855.	Hammersly, J. W. E. Hammond, Wm E.	Lewes, Delaware 2
1837.	Hand, James E	Felton, Delaware
1843. 1852.	Hare, Samuel G E.	Hatboro', Pa
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1854. 1857.	Irwin, Samuel E. Irwin, Ed. G E.	Norristown, Pa
1850. 1832. 1845. 1850. 1863.	Jackson, John W E. John, Allen E. Johnson, Herman M E. Jones, John J E. Jones Robert, W P.	Harrisburg, Pa 1 Bristol, Pa 1 Carlisle, Pa 1 St. Clair, Pa 1 Cochranville, Pa 2
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1843.	Mauger, Henry B	E	Cochranville, Pa 1
1863.	McBurney, Samuel		Chestertown, Md
1862.	McComas, N. D		Easton, Pa1
1863.	McConnell, John S. J.		Falls of Schuylkill, Pa
1839.	McCombs, William		985 North 5th St
1856.	McClintook Lorenze D	E.	Lumberville, Bucks Co., Pa
1846.	McClintock, Lorenzo D		Lumberville, Bucks Co., Fa
1859.	McCullough, J. B.		1009 North Front St., Phila2
	McDermond, Chas. H		Wiconisco, Dauphin Co. Pa 1
1860.	McKee, David	D.	Newark, Del 1
1859.	McLaughlin, Jas. H	E.	Church Creek, Md2
1837.	McMichael, William W	Ε.	Enterprise Pa
1844.	Mecaskey, John W	Ε.	Park below Market St., West Phila 2
1845.	Meredith, J. E	E.	Chester Pa
1851.	Meredith, John F	E.	Reading Pa
1841.	Merrill, Isaac R	E.	Camden Del
1849.	Merrill, William	E.	Kent Island Md.
1853.	Merritt, James B	E.	Easton Talbot Co., Md
1834.	Miller, Elijah	E	Milford, Del
1852.	Miller, Thomas B	E	Haddington, Pa1
1855.	Montgomery, Thos	G.	Delaware City, Del
1845.	Moore, Franklin	E.	224 North 5th St 1
1842.	Mullen William	E.	1404 Ellsworth St., Phila
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1836.	Neill, James	Ε.	Box 1278, Phila
1852.	O'Neill, John	Ε.	Conshohocken, Montgomery Co., Pa 1
1859.	O'Neill, Wm	Ε.	II S Army
1838.	Orum, Gasway	Ε.	Port Deposit Md
1850.	Owen, Reuben	E.	Centre Square, Montgomery Co., Pa 1
1848.	Pastorfield, Jeremiah	E.	Phænixville, Pa
1842.	Patterson, Daniel L	E.	1603 North 5th St., Phila
1844.	Patterson, Stearns	E.	West Haverford, Del. Co., Pa
1846.	Pattison, Robert H		226 Crown St., Phila 1
1856.	Paxson, Wm. J	E.	Brick meeting-house, Md
1856.	Pepper, E. I. D	E.	1525 South 5th St., Phila
1853.	Phœbus, George A	E	Snow Hill, Md2
1836.	Pierson, John W	E.	Princess Ann, Md
1860.	Plummer, Thomas F		Seaford, Del
1857.	Poulson, Thos. L	E.	U. S. Army
1855.	Powers, Samuel	E.	Parryville, Pa2
1836.	Price, Benjamin F		1333 Vine St., Phila
1860.	Pugh William S	E.	1335 VIDE St., Phila
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1850.	Quigg, John B	E	Chesapeake City, Md2
1836.	Quigley, Thomas J	E.	Denton, Caroline County, Md 3
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1856.	Rakestraw, Geo. G	E	Harrisburgh, Pa1
1858.	Redman, W. W		Frankford, Del
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1863.	Reynolds, James F		Chestnut Hill, Philada. Co., Pa
1856.	Ridgway, David E	P.	Denton, Caroline Co., Md
	Ridgeway, Wm. M	E.	Blue Rook, Chester Co., Pa
1845.	Rink, William	E.	East New Market, Md
1862.	Rittenhouse, A.,	P.	N. W. Corner 12th and Arch, Phila 2
1851.	Robinson, William C	E.	Wilmington Del
1837.	Ruth, John	E.	2041 Wallace St., Phila 3

1845. 1860.	Sanderson, Henry Schaffer, George L	E.	Harrington, Del	2
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1858.	Scott, Alfred T	Е.	Middletown Del	1
1859.	Shepherd, Chas. F	Е.	Georgetown Del	
1844.	Shields, John	Е.	Humeville, Bucks Co., Pa	1
1851.	Simpers, Thomas W	E.	Frederica, Del	1
1839.	Sisty, Mahlon H	Е.	New Castle, Del	1
1859.	Slichter, Jacob	D.	Hamburgh, Berks Co., Pa West Whiteland, Pa	i
1840.	Smith, Vaughan	E.	West Whiteland, I a	
1853.	Smith, Joseph	D.	Chestertown, Md	2
1857. 1856.	Smith, Jos. E	E.	Booth's Corner, Pa	2
1823.	Sorin, Matthew	S.	Red Wing, Min,	
1860.	Stevens, Theodore	D.	Hestonville, Pa	1
1859.	Stevenson, William J	E.	Wilmington, Del	1
1838.	Sumption, Thomas	E.	Oxford, Chester Co., Pa	1
1835.	Sutton, Henry	S.	Dover Del	
1862.	Swindells, W	Ρ.	New Philadelphia, Pa	1
1860.	Sypherd, Jacob O	D.	Hummelstown, Pa	1
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1833. 1857.	Taft, John L	E.	Onantico. Md	1
1851.	Thomas, T. Snowden	E	Chestnut Hill, Pa	1
1851.	Thomas, Samuel W	E.	623 Catharine St., Philada	1
1826.	Thompson, Thomas J	E.	Dover, Del	1
1848.	Thompson, Charles I	E.	Pottsville, Pa	2
1858.	Thompson, Henry S	Ε.	Connersville, Dorchester Co., Md	1
1849.	Thompson, John	Ε.	1403 Christian St., Philada	1
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1862.	Todd, J	Ρ.	Yardleyville, Pa Denton, Md	4
1853.	Todd, Robert W	S.	Princess Ann, Md	2
1860. 1835.	Tomkinson, T. L Townsend, Stephen	F.	Galena, Md	ī
1852.	Townsend, Edward	E	Canadensis, Monroe Co., Pa	1
1859.	Townsend, Sylvanus		Hicksburgh, Md	1
1859.	Trickett, William	D.	Somertown, Pa	1
1860.	Tull, William T	D.	Camden, Del	1
1846.	Turner, Jonathan	S.		
1845.	Turner, Joshua H	Ε.	Minersville, Pa	1
1848.	Turner, Curtis F	Ε.	West Chester, Pa	4
1832.	Urie, William	E.	2008 Sansom St., Philada	
1859.	Van Burkalow, Jas. T	E,	U. S. Army	
1848.	Wallace, Adam	E.	Laurel, Delaware	3
1856.	Walters, Christian	Ε.	Port Carbon, Pa	2
1848.	Walton, William B	E.	Federalsburgh, Md	1
1853.	Warner, Wm. M	E.	Sudlersville, Md Strasburgh, Lanc. Co., Pa	1
1837.	Watson, John A	E.	Delaware City, Del. (U. S. A.)	î
1840.	Way, Elon J	D.	Naglesville Pa	. 2
1860. 1859.	Webb, James Welch, Joseph	E.	Rising Sun, Pa	. 1
1862.	Weston, J. W		Royal Oak, Md	. 1
1856.	Wheeler, John M		Middletown, Pa	. 1
1857.	Wiggins, Alex. M		Salisbury, Md	. 2
1857.	Williams, Thos. S	E.	Berlin, Md	. 2
1854.	Willis, Jonathan S	E.	2202 Mt. Vernon Street, Philada	. 2
1850.	Wood, William B	E.	Bustleton, Pa	. 1
1852.	Wythes, W. W	Ε,	U. S. Army	. 1

LOCAL PREACHERS.

NORTH PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.

Date of License.	Standing.	NAMES.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
	L.	Arndt, Abraham	Williams Township, Northampton Co., P
		Barnes, Joseph	Morrisville, Bucks Co., Pa.
1850.	L.	Beck, Wm. P. Beck, Samuel Beck, F. A.	Philadelphia. Philadelphia.
1845.	L. D.	Bell, Abraham	No. 1 Becker Avenue, Philadelphia. Milestown, Philadelphia.
1856. 1862.	L.	Bickley, George H Brinkley, C. W	Fitzwater, Montgomery Co., Pa. Philadelphia.
1860. 1854.	L.	Broad, G. S Brooks, C. J	.Canadensis, Monroe Co., Pa.
1860.	L.	Butler, Jas	.415 Vine St., Philadelphia.
1858. 1842.	L. L.	Carey, John J	Port Richmond, Philadelphia. Palmer St., Philadelphia. 329 N. 4th St., Philadelphia.
1857.	L.	Detrick, Jacob Dobson, Leonidas	Cherry Valley, Monroe Co., Pa. 156 N. 5th St., Philadelphia.
1816.	D.	Elliott, Frederick	.447 N. 13th St., "
1862. 1859. 1857.	L. L. D.	Felton, S. K. Fetter, George. Field, John.	Holmesburg, Philadelphia.
1848. 1860. 1859.	L. L.	Gill, Jas. M	
i	D.	Hagerman, R. M. 'Haner, William	Easton, Northampton Co., Pa. Somerton, Philadelphia.

1843.	E.	Holt, Richard
1846. 1841.	D. D.	Howell, Jas. H. Stroudsburg, Monroe Co., Pa. Hubbard, Benjamin 170 Laurel St., Philadelphia. Hull, Thos. 1308 Thompson St., Philadelphia. Hunter A. E. Rising Sun, Philadelphia.
	L.	Hydrick, Wm. WBridesburg, Philadelphia.
	L . L.	Jackson, RobertFrankford, " James, David M. D1013 Green St., Philadelphia.
1836. 1845.	L. E. D. E.	Kensill, R. S. 4th and Spruce St., " King, J. N. 129 S. 5th St., " Kingsbury, Chas. A. 1119 Walnut St., " Klein, John N. E. Cor. 8th & Noble, Philadelphia.
1855. 1847.	L. D. E. L. D.	McCormick, Jas. P. Holmesburg, Philadelphia. Miles, Thos. H. Frankford, Philadelphia. Moore, James 610 Wood St., Philadelphia. Muff, Isaac 3d and Coates St., " Mullen, Thomas Trenton Av., and Aramingo Sts., Philada.
1861. 1861. 1859.	L. L. L. D.	Palen, G. E
1849.	D. L.	Peterson, T. K. 1005 Vine St., Philadelphia. Peterson, Peter 119 N. 6th St., " Poulson, A. U. S. Hospital, 6th and Master Philadelphia.
1860. 1862.	L. L.	Raeder, J. B
1845.	L. D. L.	Sebring, John
1830.	L. E.	Smith, William, M. D
1853.*	E. D.	Stevens, George
1856.	D. D. D.	Thorney, Timothy
1858.	L.	Turner, J. SCohocksink, Philadelphia.
1861.*	D.	Unkle, Geo. W532 East North St. Philadelphia.
	D.	Walton, Jacob S
	L.	Wilkinson, J. E
	D.	Wilson, Stacey "
10	-	Woodfield, Jas
1841.	D.	Woodfield, JasFrankford, Philadelphia.
1843.	D. 1	Young, WilliamCherry Valley, Monroe Co., Pa.

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.

Date of License.	Standing.	NAMES. POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
1863. 1824.	L. E.	Armstrong, George
1846.* 1842.	D. L. L. L.	Barnes, Joseph
	D. L. D. L.	Clark, Wm. P
1842.	L. L. D.	Derr, Henry
	L. E.	Evans, Edward Helmuth St., above 17th, "Ewing, J. W Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
1862. 1840. 1862.	L. L. E. L.	Flansbury, John D
1863. 1860. 1860. 1852. 1863.* 1857. 1854. 1832.	L. D. D.	Harris, J. B
1859.	D.	Ingraham, Wm. J. BVine St. above 11th St., Philadelphia.
1859.	Ε.	Jermon, George WMarriott St. near 3d, "Jones, Thomas LF. St. above 22d, "
1849. 1856. 1826. 1855.	D. D. D. L.	Kaufman, Abraham H Washington, Lancaster Co., Pa. Kenney, Ed. J 237 Pine St., Philadelphia. Kline, John 419 Enterprise St., " Kollock, Burton J 716 S. 2d St., " Kulp, John 20th and Fitzwater Sts., Philadelphia.
1863. 18 5 5.	L. L.	Landis, S. M246 N. 9th St., Livezly, JamesPhiladelphia.
	L.	Manlove, William

1863.*	L. L. D. E. D. L.	McWilliams, R. S Miles, T. J Miller, Benj. R	Juniper above Pine, Philaciphia. Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., Pa. Blockley, Philadelphia. Perry & Vine Sts., Philadelphia.
	L. L.	Moore, M. M	u u
1839.	L. L.	Orr, John	107 Shippen St., Philadelphia.
1835. 1861. 1843.	E. D. D. L.	Pearson, Francis C Pedrick, Washington F Perrins, John	West Philadelphia, Philadelphia. 17 Citron St., "
1860.	L. E. L. L. D.	Rammel, J. G	U. S. Army. 1903 Vine St., Philadelphia.
1858.	L. E.	Saxton, WmScoffin, Francis	615 Carpenter St., "
1846. 1839.	L. L. E. E. L.	Shannon, Henry Singer, Henry Smith, John Stanger, Christian Street, John Styles, Jesse	Halifax, Dauphin Co., Pa. "Oak Dale, Delaware Co., Pa. 334 Federal St., Philadelphia. 812 Brown St., "
	E. L.	Tasker, Thos. T Tripple, Geo. A	S. 5th & Tasker, Sts., Philadelphia. Safe Harbor, Lancaster Co., Pa.
1863.*	L. D. D. D.	Vickroy, T. R	Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
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### READING DISTRICT.

Date of License.	Standing.	NAMES.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
	D.	Beck, Samuel	Germantown, Philadelphia Co., Pa.
	E	Beckley Levi B	Schuvkill Haven, Schuvlkill Co., Pa.
	L.	Berks, Thomas	Centre Square, Montgomery Co., Pa. Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia.
1861.	L.	Bessan, R. C	Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia.
	L.	Bingaman, Wm. L	Pughtown, Chester Co., Pa.
1848.	D.	Boat, George C	Loag's, "
	L.	Brown, George	Tamaqua, Schuylkill Co., Pa.
1862		Callen, A	
1861	L	Clarkson, Samuel	Minersville " "
	L.	Coburn	Tamaqua, " "

1862.* D. Frame, John	1858	L L L L	Cook, E. P
1856. L. Gleim, George. Lebanon, Lebanon Co., Pa.  1842. L. Harper, J. C. Pottsville, Schuylkill Co., Pa. L. Harrison, Thomas. Conshohocken, Montgomery Co., Pa. L. Haywood, Benjamin Pottsville, Schuykill Co., Pa. L. Hean, John. Lebanon, Lebanon Co., Pa. L. Herbert, E. Saint Clair, Schuylkill Co., Pa. D. Hunter, George. Morgantown, Berks Co., Pa. L. James, J. Saint Clair, Schuykill Co., Pa. L. Jones, Wm. Manayunk, Philadelphia. L. Kupp, Isaac H. Douglassville, Berks Co., Pa. E. Mann, Wm. Germantown, Philadelphia. L. Marshall, Edwin " " L. McArthur, W. " " D. McCurdy, Jno. W. Warren Tavern, Chester Co., Pa. L. Minker, Jos. R. Birdsboro', Berks Co., Pa. L. Parvin, Enoch Broadaxe, Montgomery C., Pa., L. Pike, John Manayunk, Philadelphia. L. Preston, Jared Freeland, Montgomery Co., Pa. L. Preston, Jared Freeland, Montgomery Co., Pa. L. Reigner, F. C. Phœnixville, " " L. Korke, John Birdsboro', Berks Co., Pa. L. Rowland, M. S. Gwynnedd, Montgomery Co., Pa. L. Scholfield, Benjamin Manayunk, Philadelphia. L. Smith, William Norristown, Montgomery Co., Pa. D. Swindells, James " " L. Trevarrow, David Nesquehoning, Carbon Co., Pa. L. Weidner, Uriah Broadaxe, Montgomery Co., Pa.		* D.	Frame, John
L. James, J	1842.	L. L. L. L.	Gleim, George
L. Parvin, Enoch Broadaxe, Montgomery C., Pa., L. Pike, John Manayunk, Philadelphia. L. Preston, Jared Freeland, Montgomery Co., Pa.  1862. L. Preston, William H Downingtown, Chester Co., Pe. L. Reigner, F. C. Phænixville, " L. korke, John Birdsboro', Berks Co., Pa. L. Rowland, M. S. Gwynnedd, Montgomery Co., Pa. L. Scholfield, Benjamin Manayunk, Philadelphia. L. Smith, William Norristown, Montgomery Co., Pa. D. Swindells, James " L. Trevarrow, David Nesquehoning, Carbon Co., Pa. L. Weidner, Uriah Broadaxe, Montgomery Co., Pa. L. Wells, Jas. E. Joanna, Furnace, Berks Co., Pa.	1827.	L. E. L. D.	James, J. Saint Clair, Schuykill Co., Pa. Jones, Wm. Manayunk, Philadelphia.  Kupp, Isaac H. Douglassville, Berks Co., Pa.  Mann, Wm Germantown, Philadelphia.  Marshall, Edwin " "  McArthur, W " "  McCurdy, Jno. W Warren Tavern, Chester Co., Pa.  Minker, Jos. R Birdsboro', Berks Co., Pa.
L. Scholfield, Benjamin Manayunk, Philadelphia. L. Smith, William Norristown, Montgomery Co., Pa. D. Swindells, James " L. Trevarrow, David Nesquehoning, Carbon Co., Pa. L. Weidner, Uriah Broadaxe, Montgomery Co., Pa. L. Wells, Jas. E. Joanna, Furnace, Berks Co., Pa.	1862.	L. L. L. L.	Parvin, Enoch
		L. D. L. L.	Scholfield, Benjamin

### WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Date of License.	Standing.	NAMES.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
1860.	L.	Baldwin, Alvin	Booth's Corner, Delaware Co., Pa.
	L.	Blake, Charles W	Wilmington, New Castle Co., Del.
	D.	Barrett, Andrew	North East, Cecil Co., Md.
	D.	Barton J Hervey	, Village Green, Delaware Co, Pa.

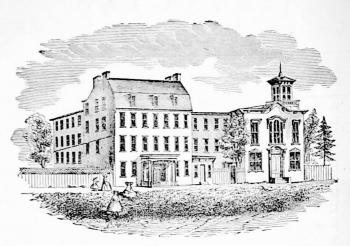
1843.	L. E.	Black, AdamGreen, Lancaster Co., Pa.
1861.	L. L. D.	Carlisle, Stewart
1860.	L.	Crozier, Andrew J
1856.	L.	Dawson, Ezekiel, M. D. " " "
	L. L.	Ford, John
	L. L.	Godfrey, J. N
1822.	D. L.	Hance, Samuel
	D.	Jennis, David
	D. L. L.	Kemble, Alex. M. Penningtonville, Chester Co., Pa. Kennedy, Wm New London, "" Kershaw, Wm Elkton, Cecil Co., Md. Kirk, Elim Strasburg, Lancaster Co., Pa.
	D. L.	Lefevre, Christian
1861.	L. D. L. L. L. L. L.	Mendenhall, Eli Brandywine, New Castle Co., Del. Merry, Jas. D. North East, Cecil Co., Md. Miller, William T. South Milford, Cecil Co., Md. Miller, Hugh E Cambride, " Miller, Joseph Cherry Hill, " Morgan, Jesse J. Penningtonville, Chester Co., Pa. Mulford, R. W. Summit Ridge, New Castle Co., Del. McNamee, Nellans North East, Cecil Co., Md.
	L. L. L.	Parrish, Jos., M. D. Media, Delaware Co., Pa. Perry, John Lewisville, Chester Co., Pa. Pyle, Israel Thornton, Delaware Co., Pa.
	L. L.	Quigley, John
1856.	L. E.	Reynolds, Wesley
	L. L. L.	Simpers, Henry G
	L. L.	Thompson, M. D., John WCoatesville, "Trimble, Jas. RWoodland, Cecil Co., Md.
	L.	Vansant, Abram Chester, Delaware Co., Pa.
	L.	Wilson, EliOxford, Chester Co., Pa.
	L.	Yarnall, Norris LMedia, Delaware Co., Pa.
1856.	L. D. D.	Zebley, Thomas W Booth's Corner, Delaware Co., Pa. Zell, Isaac Oak Shade, Lancaster Co., Pa. Zimmerman, Wm Wilmington, New Castle Co., Pa.

#### EASTON DISTRICT.

Date of License.	Standing.	NAMES.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
1861. 1857. 1858. 1861.	L. L. L.	Ayars, Joseph D S Baker, Charles H C Benson, Thomas R Burk, George W S	hestertown, Kent Co., Del. oyal Oak, Talbot Co., Md.
1850. 1860. 1850. 1836.	L. L. D. L. E.	Cahoon, W. R.         D           Chatham, F.         S           Clark, John M.         S           Clements, Joel         L           Collins, S. M.         M           Curtis, John         D	myrna, " " " ong Marsh, Queen Ann's Co., Md. lilford, Kent Co., Del.
1853. 1856.	E. L.	Dobson, SamuelG Downbam, John	reensborough, Caroline Co., Md. azlettville, Kent Co., Del.
1845. 1858.	L. L.	Germ, Nathan M Gooding, James H	elville, Caroline Co., Md. illsborough, Caroline Co., Md.
1861. 1861. 1856.	L. L. L.	Hand, J. T	aston, Talbot Co., Md.
	E.	Jackson, C. WSt	idlersville, Queen Ann's Co., Md.
1858.	L.	Kendall, JamesR	oger's Store, Kent Co., Del.
1837. 1826. 1831. 1825. 1861. 1856. 1848.	D. D. L. E. L. L. L. L.	Leary, George	rederica, "" reensborough, Caroline Co., Md. ilford, Kent Co., Del. myrna, "" ilford, "" rernon, ""
1845.	D.	Numbers, ThomasD	enton, Caroline Co., Md.
1856. 1860. 1848.	L. L. L.	Perkins, Alfred, M. DCl Plummer, J. LEs Price, David AMi	aston, Talbot Co., Md.
1834.	L.	Rich, James HHs	ninesville, " "
1854. 1859. 1850. 1843.	L. L. L. L. D.	Sharp, Clement F. Mi Shilling, John Fe Sipper, John Sollaway, A. P. Te Sparks, Risdon Lo Straughan, Thomas Mo	empleville, Queen Ann's Co., Md.
1861.	L.	Townsend, William FRo	
1850.	D.	Webb, SamuelHe	ead of Sassafaas, Kent Co., Md.

# SNOW HILL DISTRICT.

Date of License.	Standing.	NAMES. POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
1828.	D.	Adkins, IsaacMilsboro', Sussex Co., Del.
1860. 1861. 1850.	L. L. D.	Beauchamp, John
1856. 1855. 1846.	L. L. D.	Connelly, John H
1860.	L.	Davis, EdwardPreston, Dorchester Co., Md.
1820	L.	Evins, WilliamLewes, Sussex Co., Del.
1862.	L.	Foxwell, B. HPrincess Anne, Somerset Co., Md.
1863. 1858. 1862. 1838. 1849.	L. D.	Hall, Houston
1855.	L.	Jones, Jer " " "
1838. 1861.	-	Kenney, Jos. LFederalsburg, Dorchester Co., Md. Kenney, James T
1856. 1861. 1855.	L.	Lewis, Joseph
1830. 1851. 1862. 1846.	L. L.	Mann, Jos. H. Federalsburg, Dorchester Co., Md. Miller, James. Princess Anne Somerset Co., Md. Molray, Alfred. Cambridge, Dorchester Co., Md. Murray, James. Newtown, Worcester Co., Md.
1854.	L.	Nicholson, Elijah Powelville Maryland.
1850 1856 1850	D. D.	Powell, Robert H
1858. 1858		Sherman, Jas. N. E. New Market, Dorchester Co., Md. Steward, John Bishop's Head, " " Stickney, E. W. Roachville, Maryland, Straughn, C. P. Cambridge, Dorchester Co., Md. Straughn, L. E. " " "
1862 1850		Tilghman, J. HSalisbury, Somerset Co., Md.
1840 1850 1852 1836 1862	. L. . L.	Webster, Zacharias



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