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of the

PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

1964 - 1965

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|------------------------|--|-------|-------------------|--|--|
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JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

FIRST SESSION

- 1. The Ninth Annual District Conference of Wisconsin Pilgrim Church convened at 9:00 A. M. July 18, 1964, General Superintendent, Dr. P.W. Thomas presiding.
- 2. The Conference was opened by singing "Blessed Assurance", after which Rev. R.C. Hawkins offered prayer.
 District Superintendent W. R. Dudley presented Dr. Hawkins to the Conference and then Dr. Hawkins introduced Dr. P. W. Thomas, General Superintendent, who then addressed the Conference on the subject "The End Time" based on Scripture read from Mathew 24, verses 1 thru 14.
 Following Dr. Thomas' address the Conference partook of Communion around the altar.
- 3. The Ninth Annual Conference, Wis. Dist. was called to order at 10:00 A. M. by General Superintendent, Dr. Thomas. The Secretary called the roll.

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- 4. Mr. William A. Blann read a Memorial to the late Rev. Paul H. Hollmann, after which Mrs. Blann sang "He'll Never Forget To Keep Me", the song Pastor Hollmann requested most often while pastoring the Milwaukee Church.
- 5. By common consent the Conference Bar was fixed as the first four rows on the North side of the church.
- 6. A motionwas made and carried that the first session be adjourned at noon for dinner and reconvene at 1:15 P. M. and continue to completion of business.
- 7. A motion was made and carried that Rev. and Mrs. James Johnston, pastor at Exeland, be invited into the Conference. A motion was made and carried that Rev. and Mrs. Beltz, and Mrs. Thomas be given honorary membership within the Conference Bar.
- 8. The District Superintendent read his report which was accepted with appreciation. The Treasurers report was read by Mr. Blann, who at the conclusion referred the chairman to the auditors report.
- 9. Dr. Thomas recognized Rev. R. A. Beltz to present The Pilgrim Pension Plan and Ministerial Benefit Association.
- 10..Upon expiration of time the first session was adjourned to 1:15 P.M.

SECOND SESSION

- Dr. Thomas called the second session of the Conference to order at 1:15 P.M.
 - Rev. Dudley led the Conference in singing "Showers of Blessing"

after which Rev. Darwin McKenzie offered prayer.

- 2. Rev. Dudley introduced Rev. McKenzie to the Conference and moved that he be admitted to the Conference Bar pending his transfer of drecentials from Northern Indiana Conference.
- 3. The following reports were read and accepted.

District Camp Treasurer
District Statistician
District Sun. School Secretary
District Missionary President (oral)

W. A. Blann Mrs. Paul Hollmann Rev. Clinton Woods Mrs. W. A. Blann

4. Dr. Hawkins reported the action of the General Board, that the following be appointed for the year.

District Superintendent District Secretary District Treasurer Rev. W. R. Dudley Rev. Clinton Woods Mr. W. A. Blann

- 5. Conference Action Committee Report was read by Mr. W.A. Blann, Sec.
- 6. The following Pastors Reports were read.

Hillsboro Exeland Rev. Clinton Woods Rev. James Johnston

7. Election of District Council

Rev. Darwin McKenzie

Mr. Duane Eastman

- 8. District Superintendent appointed Mrs. Blann as Dist. Missionary President.
- 9. Report of the Memorials Committee was read by Mrs. Clinton Woods, and adopted.
- 10. A motion was made and carried that any and all unfinised business of this conference be referred to the Dist. Council and further appear in the Conference Journal.
- 11. The Chairman spoke to the Conference concerning the CYC and PELT programs of the Sunday School and advised their use.
- 12. The Chairman spoke of appreciation for General Church Extension Secretary, Rev. Hawkins, and asked him to speak to the closing of the Conference session.

Upon completion of business the chairman declared this Ninth Wisconsin District Conference adjourned.

THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT TO THE EIGHTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE WISCONSIN DISTRICT OF THE PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH NOW IN SESSION IN THE FIRST FILGRIM CHURCH IN MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN JULY 18, 1964.

Greetings:

My heart is always warmed by the felicitations of Christian fellowship afforded by such a convocation as this. It is my happy privilege to welcome Dr. Paul W. Thomas, General Superintendent, and President of this Conference and Dr. R.C. Hawkins, Secretary of Church Extension. I welcome the ministers and lay delegates with a glad heart and rejoice with you that God has granted us another privilege to meet in the interest of kingdom business. The Milwaukee Church has tried to anticipate your needs, however if something has been missed please call it to our attention that we might be able to make your stay in Milwaukee a pleasant one.

My prayer for the Conference is: That as we sit together as a deliberate body we shall enjoy the direction of the Holy Spirit in our business and that God would endow us with His wisdom as we chart the course for the new Conference Year.

The blessings of God have been my portion to such a degree that I find it difficult within the confines of my limited vocabulary to give proper verbal expression to that that I feel in my heart. As I have scarched the anthologies, hymns, and songs that have been written about God, they seem to join in the theme "Mow Great Thou Art". This seems to be the most suitable note of praise to my God who, "is able to do the exceeding abundantly above all that we may ask or think, according to the Fower that worketh in us, Unto Him be glory in the Church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen". (Ephesians 3:20-21.)

The experiences of the year have brought about mixed emotions: Everything from deep grief to ecstatic joy. My heart was saddened by the death of Brother Paul H. Hollmann, pastor of the Sparta Church and District Secretary. I am grateful that I had the opportunity to know Brother Hollman, although it was for just a short period of time. I shall always remember the kind spirit of this fine Christian minister. Brother Hollmann was loved and respected by people in and outside of our church. This was demonstrated by the attendance of all the ministers of the Sparta Ministerial Association. These men expressed appreciation for the privilege of serving as pallbearers and honorary pallbearers and for having part in the funeral service. My heart is always saddened when the church is in danger or there is reason for a co-laborer to depart I thank God that in all these things there has been the assurance of God's presence. I thank God for honoring His servant in the District Camp Meeting last August and for giving us a special outpouring of His Spirit. There have been several times during the year that God has honored the Message through me and souls have sought God at the altar to be saved or sanctified. I appreciate the sincere effort of the churches over the District to carry out the necessary Gospel program to advance the work of

the Lord: The Church at Sparta lost their pastor on December.6, 1963, however they have carried on the work in a very courageous way. Special appreciation is due to the Reverand Miss Johnson for supplying the pulpit from December 16, 1963 to June 1964. We are happy that their new pastor has moved in and is present with us today. We welcome Rev. and Mrs. Darwin McKenzie and their family. The Hillsboro Church under the leadership of their pastor Rev. Clinton E. Woods have added eight new members to their number. They have, with the aid of their missionary society, redecorated several rooms in the parsonage. It is obvious that the Woods and their people are geared for advance.

The Exeland Church has enjoyed a good year under the leadership of their pastor Rev. James W. Johnston. They are to be congradulated on their participation in the District Budget. Their plans are to advance the work of God on every front.

The Pardeeville Church has had a good year and accomplished a good deal under the ministry of Rev. W. Don Richardson. Brother Richardson resigned this pastorate in order to return to school to do the necessary work to finish credits in education. His desire is to better qualify himself to do a better job in God's work. It is my prayer that proper pastor can be had for this church in the very near future.

The Sheboygan Church has had to put up with me as a supply pastor. This means that they have had to carry on by themselves many times. This is a good location and the church has a beautiful property. I believe that with the right man and enough money to get him off to a good start that there is a definite possibility for a church. The Milwaukee Church has suffered the change of pastors three times: in two years. The last change came about on Easter Sunday 1964. We are grateful for the brave people of the congregation who in faith and prayer have believed God for revival in our midst. God has answered their prayers and several times in the regular services there have been those hungry souls seeking God for salvation and going away happy finders.

I thank the members of the District Council for their untiring labors and cooperation in dealing with the business that has many times been weighty.

I appreciate the fine work of the District Young Peoples President and his staff.

My thanks to the District Sunday School Promotional Secretary for his work in behalf of District Sunday Schools.

I appreciate the fine work of the District Camp Meeting Staff. Many thanks to our District Missionary Society President of the local societies for their interest and contribution to the General Church and the District Camp Meeting.

Special thanks to the ladies of the Milwaukee Church for providing the meals for the Conference.

Thank you Dr. Thomas and Dr. Hawkins for your interest and prayers and your presence in our conference.

It would be an easy thing for God's people in the Wisconsin District to succomb to the many problems, trials, and burdens with which we are confronted, but being the God believing Christians we are we heed the advice of Paul and forget things past and press toward the goal of the future. Fellow Pilgrims of the Wisconsin

District I beseech you by the mercys of Christ that you put on the whole armor of God and stand tall for the things of God and the Church. Let us pray together, plan together, and work together, to gain certain definite goals for the advancement of the church and the glory of God.

By God's grace let us: Knit a bond of close fellowship among the ministers of the District; Search out and make available materials and information that will assist each church in their work; Committees and boards that assigned to do specific jobs are encouraged to carry out their projects to completion; defeat the defeatest attitude and turn the tide toward faith in God and victory; to facili tate with the District Treasurer; l. The meeting of the United Stewardship Fund 100%. 2. The meeting of the District 5% budget. 3. Participation in the Rally Day Offering for Sunday School and Youth Department. 4. Participation in the Self-Denial Offering for Church Extension. Facilitate with the pastor and his board an adequate financial program for the local church, and support for the pastor.

Dispose, by way of sale, of surplus properties.
Strive for a 10% gain in church membership. A 10% gain in Sunday School attendance, a bigger and better Youth Society including Youth Camp, New Year's Banquet and Qatch-night Service, District Rallies, and Youth Conference, a stronger and more active Miss-ionary Society. A bigger and better District Camp.

In order to gain the above objectives it will mean the sacrifice of time, means and personal interest. This coupled with a sincere faith in God will put us in a stronger position in every department one year from now if Jesus tarries. I call your attention to the attached "PATTERN FOR PROGRESS". I request that you review each item listed thereon and under God do your best to put it to practical use.

I pledge you my services to the full extent of my capacity and ask in return your prayerful cooperation in carrying out the work of God in this portion of His vineyard.

MY PERSONAL REPORT:

I have traveled:

For the District 28,016 Mi.
For the Church Extension 9,991 Mi.
To Frankfort Pilgrim College 2,474 Mi.
To the Church Leaders Conference 722 Mi.
TOTAL 41,123 Mi.

Preached 95 times
Conducted Prayer Services 17
Attended District Youth Rallies 2
Conducted Communion Services 3
Held Board Meetings 8
Held Quarterly Meetings 6
Held Annual Meetings 6
Held Council Meetings 6
Attended F.P.C. Board Meetings 2
Attended Michigan Youth in Action Day 1

Attended Church Leaders Conference 1
Attended Church Extension Leaders Conference 1
Assisted in the Youth Camp.
Attended the District Ministerial Meeting.
Assisted Dr. Hawkins in securing financial correspondence for the Church Extension Loan Fund. I have supplied the pulpit in Sheboygan and in Milwaukee. My salary is paid in full.

Respectfully submitted,

William R. Dudley
District Superintendent

PILGRIM CHURCH - WISCONSIN DISTRICT REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURY Conference year 1963-64

| OPERATING FUNDS SUMMARY Balance brought forward | | \$11.59 |
|---|---|--|
| Receipts: Allocation from Church Extension Dept. Notes and loans Sales of lots at Fond du Lac Rent: Menomonee Falls parsonage | \$816.00 | \$9713.85 10,297.00 1,224.80 |
| Fond du Lac house Total | 50.00 | 866.00 |
| District Budget: Pardeeville Exeland Sheboygan Sparta | 141.50 38.14 23.93 10.00 | 213.57 |
| Total Correction of 1962-63 books Dist. Superintendent's tithe Offerings for Dist. Supt.'s mileage Refund from C.E. Dept. for L.D. telephon Sale of stencils and stewardship materia Total Receipts | | 298.91 227.50 9.66 11.95 13.75 |
| Total Operating Funds available | | 22,888.58 |
| Insurance 1 Utilities and sewer repairs 7 Travel expense 1 | 88.85 71.18 80.73 45.44 47.00 | |
| Total Property payments, taxes, etc. District parsonage \$1,4 Middleton lot 7 Fond du Lac 2,7 Menomonee Falls 8,3 | 20.00 88.59 66.24 71.24 62.00 | 5 , 833 . 20 |
| Total Stationery, printing, and supplies Appliance loan payment Loan to Milwaukee Church Church Leaders' Conference pro-rated exp | | 15,308.07 207.60 198.00 126.00 119.61 91.13 70.95 21,954.56 934.02 |

SPECIAL FUNDS SUMMARY

| Balance on hand 7/1/63 | | | \$ 28.34 |
|---|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Receipts: World Missions: | | | |
| Exeland | \$32.10 | | |
| Hillsboro | 107.20 | | |
| Milwaukee | 27.17 | | |
| Pardeeville | 92.43 | | |
| Sheboygan | 34.73 | | |
| Sparta | 46.61 | | |
| Dist. Camp Mtg. Total | 39.26 | \$379 . 50 | |
| Church Extension | | \$377 6 30 | |
| Exeland | \$19 . 86 | | |
| Hillsboro | 6.00 | | |
| Sheboygan | 29.00 | | |
| Sparta | 16.14 | | |
| Total | | \$ 71.00 | |
| Sunday School Dept. Exeland | \$ 6.90 | | |
| Hillsboro | 11.19 | | |
| Pardeeville | 20.00 | | |
| Sheboygan | 5.00 | | |
| Sparta | 5.70 | | |
| Dist. Camp Mtg. | 7.49 | | |
| Total | | \$ 56 . 70 | |
| United Stewardship Fund | ¢40 50 | | |
| Exeland Milwaukee | \$40.50 11.20 | | |
| Sheboygan | 8.00 | | |
| Total | | \$ 59 . 70 | |
| Pilgrim Pension Plan | | | |
| Pardeeville Church | \$74.59 | | |
| W. Don Richardson | 28.69 | * 700 00 | |
| Total | 110 | \$103.28 13.00 | |
| Frankfort Pilgrim College, Pardeevi Total Receipts | .116 | 13.00 | 682,76 |
| Total Special Funds available | | | 711.10 |
| TO COLL DE COLLAGO CA CALLANDA | | | , |
| Expenditures | | | |
| J.D. Abbott, Gen. Treasspecified | funds | \$571.99 | |
| R. A. Beltz, Pension Plan Director | - 5 5 | 103.28 | |
| C. Woods, Dist. S.S. Secmileage to Total Expenditures Leaders | | 30.00 | 705 27 |
| Balance in Special Funds 6/30/64 | COLLV | | 705.27 5.83 |
| Landing all operate talled 0,00,04 | | | |
| | | | |
| Balance both funds 6/30/64 | | | \$939 . 85 |

PILGRIM CHURCH - WISCONSIN DISTRICT PROPOSED BUDGET Conference Year 1964-65

| INCOME: Allocation from Church Extension Dept. District 5% Budget Rent on Menomonee Falls Property District Superintendent's Tithe Anticipated Sale of Property Total: | \$9,600.00 500.00 1,224.00 420.00 3,042.59 | \$14,786.59 |
|--|--|-------------|
| EXPENDITURES: | | |
| District Superintendent's Support. District Superintendent's Salary Insurance Utilities Travel Expense Appliances For District Parsonage Total: | \$4,200.00 342.36 200.00 600.00 216.00 | \$ 5,558.36 |
| Property Payments, taxes, etc. District parsonage | \$1,320.00 | |
| Middleton lot | 788.59 | |
| Fond du Lac | 934.00 | |
| Menomonee Falls Sheboygan | 2,412.00 2,064.00 | |
| Total: | | \$ 7,518.59 |
| Stationary, printing and supplies. | 250.00 | |
| Shurch Leaders Conference Pro-rated expense '64 Interest on notes Miscellaneous items Total: | 65.00 900.00 494.64 | \$ 1,709.65 |
| Grand Total of All Expenses: | | \$14,786.59 |

If we are successful in selling the Middleton property and the Fond du Lac property anticipated net of \$3,042.59 in the District parsonage, Middleton lot and Fond du Lac property is the amount that would have been invested if the present monthly payments had to be carried for 12 months. It is possible that there will be some additional net after all mortgages and fees are satisfied. Such additional net would be very difficlut to ascertain prior to sale and settlement.

Budget prepared by:

W. R. Dudley, District Superintendent

PILGRIM CHURCH WISCONSIN DISTRICT EIGHTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE July 18, 1964

IN MEMORY OF REVERAND PAUL H. HOLLMANN

On September 13, 1904 in Curtis, Wisconsin Paul H. Hollmann was born to Marie and Deidrich Hollmann. Paul was the youngest of nine children. The family moved to Milwaukee, Wisconsin when Paul was nine years of age. He spent most of his young life in Milwaukee until he was twenty six years of age.

Paul was brought up in the German Lutheran Church, but always in his heart there was a longing for something better. At 26 he went to Michigan where he came in contact with some Holiness people and was saved on his 27th birthday. It was not long before he felt God's call to the Ministry and he attended God's Bible School, Spring Arbor and did some correspondence work at Owosso Bible Seminary.

On June 24, 1938 Paul Hollmann was married to Mary Elizabeth Kraft and to this union was born two sons, David and Jonathan, and one daughter Paula.

In the fall of 1941 the Hollmanns went to Munising, Michigan to start a Home Missionary Church for the Pilgrim Holiness Church. Rev. Hollmann spent his entire Ministry in Church Extension Work. In 1942 he was ordained at Owosso, Michigan.

During the years in Michigan Paul Hollmann never forgot his family in Wisconsin and he carried a heavy burden for them and longed that they might find the Lord as he had. In 1946 he felt a definite call to go to Milwaukee and pioneer a Pilgrim work in the city.

Through many hardships, sacrifices, and privations a home was built, and in 1950 a church was dedicated and the first convert was Paul Hollmann's brother-inlaw, husband of his sister Elsie, who had been converted while the Hollmanns were in Munising.

Rev. Hollmann pastored the Milwaukee church until June 1953 when he once more answered the call to pioneer a new Pilgrim Church in Wisconsin at Sparta. This was the parish where Paul Hollmann spent his last years. These ten and one-half years, while he continued to work and support his family, he built a congregation and erected a fine church bilding with a splendid parsonage for the Pilgrim Church. His final years were no easier than the previous ones in Munising and Milwaukee.

On December 6,1963, he answered the summons to "Come Home" and went to be with his Lord. Those of us who are left, are made to realize that we must "work while it is yet day, for the night cometh when no man can work."

The funeral service was conducted in Sparta by Rev. W. R. Dudley

assisted by Rev. Henry E. Buxton representing the Sparta Ministerial Association. Rev. W. D. Richardson and Rev. Clinton E. Woods and the nine members of the association served as pallbearers.

A memorial service for Pastor Hollman was conducted in the Milwaukee Church by Rev. R. C. Hawkins, Secretary of Church Extension. He was assisted by District Superintendent W. R. Dudley, former distrit superintendent, now Secretary of General Sunday Schools and Youth, Rev. O. D. Emery and Pastor Robert Evans.

The body was laid to rest in the Evergreen Cemetery in Milwaukee, Wisconsin where it awaits the first resurrection.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Kraft Hollmann, one daughter, Paula two sons, David and Jon at home; three sisters, Mrs. Grover Smythe Mrs. Otto Brossman and Mrs. Martin Mertz all of Milwaukee; five brothers, William of Graften, Wisconsin, Herbert of California, and George, Walter and Alfred all of Milwaukee.

In memory of Mr. William Schultz

Mr. William Schultz was a member of the Pardeeville Pilgrim Church foining shortly after the church started. He was very active in helping where needed in the duties necessary in operating the church.

His death a short time ago came very suddenly. His immediate family were all present on Father's Day in memory of their father, giving us all a lasting memory of him and his work for the Lord.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Clinton E. Woods Sec. of Memoirs Committee

"O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise Him all ye people.

For His merciful kindness is great toward us: and the truth of the Lord endureth for ever. Praise ye the Lord." Ps. 117

Whereas in the providence of God we are permitted to gather together in the 1964 Wisconsin Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church in service and fellowship, let us look ahead to the new year, with renewed courage, a deepening faith in our ever-faithful God, and a stronger determination to press ever onward for Him.

Whereas the district conference has been so honored by the presence of Dr. Paul W. Thomas, General Superintendent and President of this Conference.

Whereas the Conference has been honored by the presence and leadership of the Secretary of Church Extension Rev. R. C. Hawkins let the Conference give them both a rising vote of appreciation. Please stand. Whereas the Wisconsin district has experienced the capable and devout leadership of Rev. W.R. Dudley during the past year and whereas the Wisconsin District looks forward to a new year with Rev. Dudley's able leadership let this Conference stand and express its deep appreciation to him. In standing let the Conference pledge ourselves to earnest cooperation, faithful labor and prayerful support. Please stand.

Whereas the district has been so favored during the 1963-64 year with the presence of Dr. Hurtle; the King's Crusaders, the misses Esther Philippi, Pat Holdren and Marrion Donaldson and the Owosso College Chorlaires, under the direction of Proffessor Tromble let the Conference express its gratitude.

Whereas the Wisconsin District looks forward to a great camp under the able and Spirit-filled workers in the persons of Rev. Wm. Neff, camp evangelist, and Rev. David Keith, missionary.

Let the Conference pledge its whole-hearted and prayerful support.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Clinton E. Woods Sec. of Memoirs Committee

Church Financial Report

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|--------------------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|----------|----------|---------------------------|------------------|
| Receipts | EXELAND | H'LSBORO | M'WAUKEE | PD'VILLE | S'BYGAN | SPARTA | Tts. |
| Cash Forward | 245.98 | 76.71 | 13,724.02 | 291.14 | 131.30 | 10.05 | 14,479 |
| Regular Offerings | 1,113.13 | 2 ,7 57.89 | 5,300.42 | 2,647.32 | 633.70 | 1,571.55 | 14,024 |
| Special Offerings | | | 486.71 | 170.34 | 394.34 | 957.42 | 2,008. |
| Building Fund | | | | | | | |
| Rents | | | | | | | |
| Foreign Missions | | | | | | | |
| Property Sale | | | | | | | |
| Loans | | | 126.00 | | | 4 , @7 . 52 | 4,823. |
| Transfer from S.S. | | | | | | | |
| Dist. Allocation | | | | | <u>-</u> | | |
| Gifts | | | | | | | |
| Totals | 1,359.11 | 2,834.60 | 19,633.15 | 3,108.80 | 1,159.34 | 7236.54 | 31 , 548, |
| Disbursements | | | • | | | | |
| Pastor's Salary | 245.00 | 1 ,7 75.05 | 3,291.58 | 1,145.04 | 155.00 | 285.00 | 6,896 |
| Utilities | 483.71 | 469.81 | 1,489.35 | 445.33 | 445.42 | 613.21 | 3,946. |
| Rents | | 77.19 | 1 ,0 17.00 | | | | 1,094. |
| S.S. Literature | | | | | | | |
| Interest | | | | | | | |
| Improvements | 91.44 | | 684.22 | 105.46 | 91.41 | 111.36 | 1,127, |
| Taxes&Insurance | 85.39 | 49.38 | 533.61 | | | 102.20 | 770= |
| Indebtedness Pd. | | 425.32 | 11,614.16 | 786.12 | 395.02 | 5,798.10 | 19,110 |
| Revivals | | 50.00 | 35.00 | | | 115.00 | 200ء |
| Misc. | 203.40 | 45.00 | 102.37 | 20.00 | 14.50 | 102.31 | 488. |
| Advertising | | | 298.92 | 30.89 | | | 329。 |
| Pension Plan(Ch.) | | | | 65.59 | | 48.60 | 114 |
| Pen. Pl.(Pastor) | | | | 22.64 | | | 22 . |

| Church Financial | Report (Con EXELAND | t'd) H'LSBORO | M'WAUKEE | PD'VILLE | S'BYGAN | SPARTA | Tts. |
|-------------------------------|--|--|--|--|---|-------------|--------------------------|
| Dist. Budget | 53.11 | Mary Andrews Co. | 20.86 | 96.63 | 29.35 | 10.00 | 209。 |
| Frankfort P.C. | | | | 13.00 | | | 10. |
| Dist. Supt. | | | | | | | |
| U. S. F. | 54.00 | | | | 16.00 | | 70. |
| Missions | 42.10 | 82.19 | 22.17 | 68.43 | 7.00 | 13.61 | 235。 |
| College Fd. | | | | 47.58 | | 20.35 | 67. |
| Ch. Extension | 19.86 | | | | 22.00 | 16.14 | 58. |
| Gr. Total Exp. | 1,261.28 | 2,712.02 | 19,198.40 | 2,915.11 | 1,140.68 | 7,235.88 | 24 ,4 63 . |
| Cash on Hand | 91.23 | 45.87 | 254.02 | 193.69 | 18.66 | . 66 | 60 4. |
| Totals | 1,359.11 | 2,757.89 | 19,633.15 | 3,108.80 | 1,199.547 | ,236.54 | 35,295. |
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| S.S. Finan. Rpt. Cash Forward | 73 . 79 | | 71.47 | | , 98 | 2.90 | 149. |
| Reg. Off. | 295.30 | | | 429.61 | | | 1436. |
| Birth. Off. | 5 . 13 | | | 90.64 | | 14.61 | 189. |
| Rally Day | | | | | | | |
| Special | | | | | | | |
| Total Receipts | 374.22 | | 439.79 | 520,25 | 209.07 | 232.06 | 1,7 75. |
| Disbursements | termined Minimal and the State of America Marchinella Communication (Communication Communication Com | | TO THE RESIDENCE OF THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO IS NOT THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TO THE PERS | AND AND THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO | | | |
| Dist.S.S. Lit. | 116.53 | | 242.75 | 153.22 | 71.03 | 80.05 | 663. |
| Misc. | 13.81 | | 66.54 | 72.53 | | 3.40 | 96. |
| Transfer to Churc | :h | | | | | | |
| Utilities | | | | 187.71 | | 122.00 | 309, |
| Rally Day | 6.90 | | 15.00 | 20.00 | 5.00 | 15.70 | 52. |
| Cash on hand | 236.98 | | 115.50 | 76.79 | 133.04 | 20,91 | 583 。 |
| Gr. Total Exp. | 137.24 | | 324.29 | 443.46 | 76.03 | 211.15 | 1,192. |
| Totals | 374.22 | | 439.79 | 520.25 | 209.07 | 232.06 | 1,875. |
| Missionary Fin. Rpt. | | | | | | | |
| Cash Forward | N-Spen-front contracts | | | 28.57 | 12.81 | 4.00 | 45 . |

| _ | Sionary finan. R | pt_(Cont | 1d) | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|--------|------------------|-------|------|
| | Offerings | EXELAND | H'LSBORO | M'WAUKEE | 62.25 | S'BYGAN 11.00 | 39.72 | Tts. |
| | Other Income | | | | 45.00 | 23.60 | | |
| | Total Receipts | | | | 135.82 | 47.41 | 63.25 | |
| | Disbursements | | | | | | | |
| | Local | | | | 33,01 | | 6.89 | |
| | Church Extension | | | | | | | |
| | Foreign Missions | | | | 72.63 | 46.70 | 42.85 | |
| | Expenditures | | 205.97 | | 105.64 | .71 | 49.74 | : |
| | Cash On Hand | | | | 30.18 | 46.70 | 13.51 | |
| | Totals | | | | 135.82 | 47.41 | 63.25 | |
| | Value of Gift Boyes | • | | | | | | |

Value of Gift Boxes

EXELAND H'LSBRO M'WAUKEE PD'VILLE S'BOYGAN SPARTA Tts. Church Statistics Ĵ Members 1963 Total Removals Added by Faith Added by Letter Total Added Jr. & Prep. Members Full Members Ord. Ministers Total Members Preaching Services Prayer Services Other Services Total Services 1.42 115, Adv. Subscript's. Sunday School Statistics Teachers & Officers Enrollment Cradle Roll Ttl. Enrollment Average 1963 Average 1964

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Loss

Sessions

Converted

Joined Church

Books in Library

3.

Church Property Statement

| Churches | <u>Valuation</u> | Debt | Equity |
|-----------------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Exeland | \$ 10,000.00 | \$ 9,905.00 | \$ 95.00 |
| Hillsboro | 10,000.00 | o | 10,000-00 |
| Middleton | 4,750.00 | | 4,750.00 |
| Milwaukee | 42,000.00 | 12,500.00 | 29.500.00 |
| Pardeeville | 4,000.00 | | 4,000.00 |
| Sheboygan | 45,000.00 | 30,600.00 | 14,400.00 |
| Sparta | 30,000.00 | | 30,000.00 |
| Men. Falls | 55,000.00 | 38,600.00 | 16,400.00 |
| Green Bay | 1,500.00 | | 1,500.00 |
| Total | \$202,250.00 | \$ 91,605.00 | \$ 110,545.00 |
| Parsonages | | | |
| Exeland | \$ 4,000.00 | \$ | \$ 4,000.00 |
| Millsboro | 8,000.00 | 6,000.00 | 2,000.00 |
| Middleton | 16,500.00 | 14,500.00 | 2,000.00 |
| Pardeville | 8,000.00 | 3,850.00 | 4,150.00 |
| Sparta | 19,000.00 | 15,500.00 | 3,500.00 |
| Ford du Lac | 10,000.00 | 5,000.00 | 5,000 ₇ 99 |
| Total | \$ 65,500.00 | \$ <u>46,850.00</u> | 20,650.00 |
| Grand Total-All Prop. | \$267,750.00 | \$138,455.00 | \$ <u>131,195.00</u> |

Standing Rules Section I Sunday School and Youth 1. The offerings taken at District Sunday School Promotional Meetings shall be sent to the District Treasurer. It is to be expected that these offerings adequately cover the expenses involved (\$10. min. ave. per meeting.) (1962) 2. Each church in the District shall contribute one of its Sunday School offerings semi-annually to the expenses of the District Sunday School Board. This fund will cover the cost of the following items: A. Purchase of reference books and magazines subscriptions for the use of the District Sunday School Board. B. Correspondence, report forms, and mailing expense to the churches in the district. C. Travel and expenses of the promotional secretary to meetings of the National Sunday School Association within the State of Wisconsin, and to our National Sunday School Leader's Conference. (1961) Section II Camp Meeting 1. The Camp Mesting Board shall be composed of the District Council. (1958) 2. Retired Pilorim Ministers and their wives shall be given concessions due to the regular ministry; such as reduction of rates during camp meeting, etc. (1959) Section III District Sugerintendent and District Council 1. A meeting shall be held by the District Supt. each September to familiarize the ministers of the District with the thirrent program for the new year. (1959) 2. An installation service shall be conducted by the District Supt., or someone appointed by him, for each incoming pastor to a local church within the district. (1958) 3. The District Supt. shall appoint all committees. A list of appointments shall be submitted to the District Council for approval. (1958) 4. All evangelists within the church and also all Christian workers that represent works outside our denomination, shall be arproved by the District Council or the District Supt. before conducting services in our churches. (1956) The District Supt. shall be chairman of the Educational and Examining Board. (1958) ...27.-

6. An offering shall be received by the churches at the visits of the District Supt. This amount is to be sent by the local treasurer to the District Treasurer in addition to the budget. It is to be expected that these offerings adequately cover his traveling expenses. (1958) 7. All District Officials shall be paid travel expense at the rate of 3¢ per mile, plus meals when traveling for District work approved by the Council. (1958) 8. The District Treasurer shall pay the conference contribution to the Pilgrim Pension Plan for the District Supt. (1958) 9. The District Treasurer shall reserve 5% of the District Budget for covering the expenses of the Delgates to the General Conference. (1958) 10. No assessment shall be levied against the Churches without the consent of the District Conference or Council. (1958) Section IV Business Practice 1. Each church shall be required to have adequate insurance protection, including public liability. (1958) 2. Three members of the District Council shall be appointed by the Council to be the District Trustees. (1958) 3. The local church treasurers shall balance their books at the end of each month and forward all District and General funds immediately to the District Treasurer. (1958) 4. The District Supt. and the pastors of our churches shall be given two weeks vacation with pay. (1958) 5. Pastors shall be limited to 15 days away from their respective fields in revivals unless approved by the District Council. (1958)6. All plans for building, remodeling, or financing of any construction to cost in excess of \$500. shall be submitted to the District Council for approval before construction is begun. (1958) 7. Unorganized churches may form a Pilgrim Fellowship.(1958) 8. All unstationed ministers shall submit annual reports to the District Supt. and Statistician. (1958) 9. A Conference Action Committee of 5 members shall bring all matters of legislation and finance to the conference. They shall meet one month prior to conference and send a copy of all proposed action to Pastors to be presented at his local church. (1958) 10. All Committees and District leaders shall submit to the District Sec. by September 15, the dates of planned conventions, rallies, etc.; these and other dates of importance shall be included -22-

in the calendar of events to be compiled by the Secretary and distributed to each pastor. (1959) 11. The District Supt. shall appoint a District Reporter to provide news coverage regarding District and General Church activi-Articles shall be written in best form possible and shall be approved by the District Supt. Copies of news articles shall be given to each pastor for his local newspaper. (1959) 12. In the election of church delegates to the District Conferences, specific consideration shall be given the following: a. He shall be able to properly represent his local church in any conference action. The local church shall instruct the delegate with regard to any proposed conference action. (1959) 13. The District Treasurer shall be bonded. (1958) The Fiscal Year for the District shall be April 1, to March 31. Section V. Memorials and Memoirs 1. The Memorial committee whall be also the memoirs committee, and shall pay tribute to those of our membership who have deceased during the conference year. (1958) Section VI Conference Journal 1. All district resolutions shall become standing rules on year after their adoption, and the date shall be inserted parenthetically. (1958) 2. The Conference Action Committee shall meet before publishing the official minutes in order to advise with respect to the portion pertaining to the standing rules and the report of the said committee. (1960) Section VII Special Pastoral Duties Each pastor shall teach a chass in Manual for all new mombers or other members of his church who have not had the opportunity to attend such a class previously. This class is to be offered at least once a year. (1958) Section VIII Budget 1. The local church assessment for District expense shall be %% of all local church offerings. This amount shall not include Sunday School offerings, Building Funds, Evangelistic or other Special offerings raised for General Church purposes. (1960) The local church District assessment (5% of the regular offerings) and special offerings received for District operations, is not always adequate to cover all of the cost incurred; in order -23to distribute income equitably, be it resolved that the income from the these sources, be disbursed on the following percentage basis:

| District : | Superintendent', | s Mileage | 58% | |
|--------------------|------------------|------------------|------|--------|
| 11 | 77 | Telephone | 20% | |
| | | Delegate Expense | 5% | |
| | Council Members | Mileage | 12% | |
| In cid enta | l Expenses | - | _5% | |
| | | | 100% | (1962) |