SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

OF THE

Wesleyan Methodist Connection or Church of America



Central, South Carolina November 18 - 22, 1919

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OF THE

South Carolina Conference

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HELD AT

CENTRAL, SOUTH CAROLINA NOVEMBER 18-22, 1919

Officers Before Conference:

REV. W. D. CORRELL, President. REV. L. B. SMITH, Secretary. PROF. H. A. WEST, Treasurer.

Officers After Conference:

REV. W. D. CORRELL, President. REV. L. B. SMITH, Secretary. PROF. H. A. WEST, Treasurer.

The South Carolina Conference

OFFICERS.

President	 W.	D.	Correll
Vice-President	 J.	R. (George
Secretary	 . I	B.	Smith
Treasurer	 . H	[. A	West

STANDING COMMITTEES.

- Committee on Itineracy and Orders.—L. B. Smith, 4 years; S. I. Keeler, 3 years; W. D. Correll, 2 years; S. W. Wright, 1 year; J. P. Hollis and R. W. Bruce, lay members.
- Committee on Sunday Schools—Sunday School Board: A. F. Connor, J. R. George and W. M. Harris. Sunday School Secretary as supply, A. F. Connor.
- Missionary Board-D. O. Powers, W. M. Harris.
- Judiciary Committee—D. F. Taylor, L. B. Smith, D. O. Powers and J. R. George.
- Advisory Board-D. O. Powers and T. Evett.
- Trustees-D. O. Powers, J. R. Davis and J. R. George.
- Committee on Vacancy—L. G. Clayton, J. R. Davis, Elders, and W. M. Harris and J. C. Carroll, lay members.

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

CONFERENCE ROLL.

Elders.

L. G. Clayton	Central, S. C.
J. T. Cary	Calhoun, S. C.
C. A. Dunwoody	Central, S. C.
D. O. Powers	Mooers, S. C.
J. R. Davis	Central, S. C.
S. I. Keeler	Central, S. C.
W. D. Correll	Central, S. C.
J. R. George	Easley, S. C.
L. B. Smith	Central, S. C.
S. W. Wright	Central, S. C.
C. C. Churchill	Glenville, N. C.
L. L. Folger	Central, S. C.
Anna Kirk Folger	Central, S. C.
G. D. Watson	Los Angeles, Calif.

Licentiates.

J. M. Hames	Belton, S. C.
Lawrence Kelly	
J. R. Garrett	. Central, S. C.
Levi Rigdon	. Pickens, S. C.
Miss Dora Weibens	. Westminster, S. C.
R. C. Kendrick	. Greer, S. C.
R, G. Cudd	Spartanburg, S. C.
W. L. Miller	Piedmont, S. C.
C. E. Crenshaw	Central, S. C.
C. E. Toney	Central, S. C.
J. C. Nunnally	Mayo, S. C.
E. L. Ruark	.Spartanburg, S. C.
M. R. Harvey	.Tuckeseigee, N. C.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CONNECTION

Lay Delegates.

W. S. Presley	Central, S. C.
Lizzie Rose Lawrence	Central, S. C.
Talmage Evett	
W. M. Crimes	
C. J. Chandler	
H. A. West	
D. F. Taylor	
B. J. Johnson	
Miss Ino Sanders	
Mrs. L. G. Clayton	
J. B. Hollis	
W. M. Harris	
J. M. Medlin	
T. E. Henderson	Landrum, S. C.
C. C. Baldwin	
R. W. Bruce	
Miss Nannie Moss	
Mrs. Monty Seay	
T. Stephens	
Jasper Leslie	
Andrew West	

DAILY PROCEEDINGS

Pursuant to call, the twenty-seventh session of the South Carolina Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection, or Church, of America met in the Church at Central, S. C., November 18, 1919, at 7:30 P. M.

The introductory sermon was preached by Rev. W. D. Correll.

Morning Meeting-November 19, 1919.

Worship was conducted by Rev. W. D. Correll.

The Conference was called to order by Rev. W. D. Correll, the President of the Conference, at 8:30.

The Roll was called and the following named Committees were elected:

J. T. Cary and W. M. Harris, a Committee on Credentials.

A resolution was adopted making the President of the Conference, the Pastor, and Delegate of the charge in which the Conference is held the Committee on Public Worship. (See Resolutions.)

The Committee for this Conference now stands as follows:

W. D. Correll, L. L. Folger, and B. J. Johnson.

Rev. D. O. Powers and Rev. L. L. Folger, a Committee to suggest the Conference Bar.

The Committee on Credentials reported.

The Committee to suggest the Conference Bar reported, suggesting the first four seats on each side of the aisle. By motion the report was adopted.

Rev. S. I. Keeler was elected a Committee on Courtesy.

Rev. W. L. Miller and E. L. Ruark were elected a Committee on Statistics.

Rev. J. R. George was made a Committee on Thanks.

L. B. Smith was re-elected on the Committee on Itineracy and Orders. The Committee now stands as follows: S. I. Keeler, 3 years; W. D. Correll, 2 years; S. W. Wright, 1 year; and L. B. Smith, 4 years.

The time for holding the business sessions of the Conference was fixed as follows: To meet at 8:00 A. M. for worship. Business

to begin at 8:30 and close at 11:45. To meet at 1:00 P. M., and close by vote.

Rev. T. P. Baker, the General Missionary Secretary, was introduced to the Conference and said a few words. By vote he was made an honorary member of the Conference, with the privilege to speak on questions.

Rev. I. F. McLeister, the Connectional Sunday School Secretary, was introduced to the Conference. He addressed the Conference, and was made an honorary member, with the privilege to speak on questions.

Miss Cleo Young and E. L. Ruark were introduced to the Conference. They were made honorary members of the Conference, with the privilege to speak on questions.

Rev. J. R. Davis and T. Evett were elected a Committee on Ministerial Character.

Rev. S. I. Keeler, Rev. D. O. Powers, Rev. J. T. Cary, Elders, and T. Evett, W. G. Pressley and D. F. Taylor, lay members, were elected a Committee on Pastoral Relations.

W. D. Correll and J. M. Hames were elected a Committee on State of the Work.

W. D. Correll and L. B. Smith were elected a Committee on Apportionment.

Rev. L. L. Folger was elected a Committee on Moral Reform. Rev. I. F. McLeister, Rev. M. R. Harvey and A. L. Connor were elected a Committee on Sunday Schools.

Prof. S. W. Wright was elected a Committee on Education.

Mrs. L. L. Folger, the District Organizer for the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society, was introduced to the Conference.

The order of the day for the election of officers was fixed for Thursday morning, November 20th, immediately after roll call.

By motion, the fixing of the salaries of the Treasurer and Secretary was left in the hands of the Committee on Pastoral Relations.

By motion, the Conference adjourned for Committee work till called by the Chair.

Afternoon Session-November 19, 1919.

Conference met at 1:00 P. M. Réligious worship was conducted by Rev. J. M. Hames. The Conference was called to order by the President. The Roll was called.

It was moved and seconded that the minutes be read only at the morning meeting.

The Committee on Credentials made a further report.

The Committee on Pastoral Relations gave their first reading.

Rev. W. L. Miller made his statistical report.

W. D. Correll, the President of the Conference, made his report. By motion the report was adopted.

The time for Rev. T. P. Baker, the Missionary Secretary, to make his official address was set for November 20th at 2:30 P. M.

By motion the matter of sending a Sunday School Secretary in the field and another Evangelist was left in the hands of the Committee on Pastoral Relations.

By motion, the Conference adjourned for Committee work till called by the Chair.

The Conference was called to order at 4:00 P. M.

The Committee on Credentials made a further report.

It was moved and seconded that all reports that are to go in the Minutes be handed in by the time Conference closes.

By motion Conference adjourned.

Morning Meeting-November 20, 1919.

Worship was conducted by Rev. L. L. Folger.

The Conference was called to order by the President.

The Roll was called and the minutes of the preceding day were read and corrected.

The Committee on Credentials made a further report.

The order of the day was called for and the Conference entered into the election of officers.

W. M. Harris and T. Evett were appointed tellers.

The officers of the Conference were elected as follows:

President-W. D. Correll.

Vice-President-J. R. George.

The President was authorized by the Conference to cast a ballot for Secretary, and L. B. Smith was elected.

The Secretary was authorized to cast a ballot for Treasurer, and H. A. West was elected.

Committee on Vacancy—L. G. Clayton, J. R. Davis, Elders, and W. M. Harris, J. C. Carroll, lay members.

Judiciary Committee—L. L. Folger, D. O. Powers, J. R. George, and L. B. Smith.

Missionary Board-D. O. Powers and W. M. Harris.

Moved and carried that the President nominate the Advisory Board.

Sunday School Board—Allen Connor, J. R. George, and W. M. Harris.

Allen Connor Sunday School Secretary, as supply.

The Lay Members of the Committee on Itineracy and Orders were appointed as follows: J. P. Hollis and R. W. Bruce.

By motion the present Trustees were re-elected. The Trustees are D. O. Powers, J. R. Davis and J. R. George.

Moved and carried that the Conference adjourn November 21st, at 11:15 A. M., for the purpose of visiting the school.

The following named brethren made their statistical reports: J. T. Cary, J. C. Nunnally, R. C. Kendrick, R. G. Cudd and Laurence Kelly.

Moved and carried that the President appoint the Chairman of each of the following Committees: Moral Reform, Sunday School, and Education.

Moved and carried that we adopt the report on Moral Reform of 1918.

J. M. Hames, the Conference Evangelist, made his report. By motion his report was adopted.

By motion the Conference adjourned.

Afternoon Meeting-November 20, 1919.

The worship was conducted by Rev. R. C. Kendrick.

The roll was called.

The unfinished business was taken up.

The resolution concerning the endowment was adopted.

Moved and carried that W. D. Correll present the resolution to the Georgia and North Carolina Conferences.

G. E. Crenshaw made his statistical report.

C. E. Toney made his statistical report.

The report of Dr. G. D. Watson was read and adopted.

Moved and carried that the matter of assisting Rev. C. C. Churchill be left in the hands of the Committee on Pastoral Relations.

The matter of paying Rev. G. E. Crenshaw \$100 for the Liberty Church was left in the hands of the Committee on Pastoral Relations.

By motion the Conference took a recess till called by the Chair.

The Conference was called to order at 2:30 P. M.

Rev. T. P. Baker, the Missionary Secretary, made his official report.

Rev. L. L. Folger and Rev. M. R. Harvey made their statistical reports.

The time for Rev. I. F. McLeister to address the Conference was set at 10 o'clock A. M., November 21st.

The time for S. W. Wright to address the Conference was set at 2:30 P. M., November 21st.

The Committee on Itineracy and Orders made a further report. By motion the Conference adjourned.

Morning Meeting-November 21, 1919.

Worship was conducted by Rev. E. L. Ruark.

Conference was called to order by the President.

The roll was called.

The minutes of the preceding day were read and approved.

Moved and carried that the order of the day for November 21st, 2:30 P. M., be rescinded.

Moved and carried that Prof. S. W. Wright address the Conference at 7:30 o'clock P. M., November 21st, 1919.

Moved and carried that the Budget consist of all the money to be raised, except the Sunday School Fund.

Moved and carried that the resolutions regarding the change of circuits adopted 1917 be rescinded.

The following named brethren made their statistical reports: J. R. George and D. O. Powers.

The Committee on Education made its report.

It was moved and carried that the report be adopted and a copy sent to the Wesleyan Methodist.

Moved and carried that the order of the day for 10 A. M., November 22nd, be rescinded.

Moved and carried that the same Trustees of last year be re-elected. The Trustees are D. O. Powers, J. R. George and J. R. Davis.

Afternoon Meeting, November 21, 1919.

Worship was conducted by J. R. Davis.

The roll was called.

Moved and carried that Rev. L. L. Folger become the Chairman of the Committee on Fifth Sunday Holiness Conventions. The other members of the Committee are as follows: A. F. Connor, R. C. Kendrick, and C. E. Toney.

Moved and carried that we have recess till called by the Chair.

Conference was called to order at 2:30 P. M. by the President. Rev. I. F. McLeister made his Connectional Sunday School address.

Report of Committee on Sunday Schools was read and adopted. Rev. Levi Rigdon made his statistical report.

The collection for Miss Mary Elred, taken November 20, 1919, was \$18.25.

By motion the Conference adjourned.

Morning Meeting-November 22, 1919.

The worship was conducted by Rev. J. R. George.

The Conference was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the minutes of the preceding day were read and approved.

M. R. Harvey read the report of the Glenville Training School. (See the Minutes of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society.)

The Committee on Statistics made their report.

Moved and carried that T. Evett and C. Boggs be appointed to assist the Committee on Statistics.

C. C. Baldwin was elected on the Committee of Pastoral Relations in place of D. F. Taylor.

By motion the Conference took a recess.

Afternoon Meeting-November 22, 1919.

Worship conducted by C. E. Toney.

Conference was called to order by Rev. J. R. George, the Vice-President.

The roll was called.

The Treasurer, H. A. West, made his report.

The Committee on Pastoral Relations gave the second reading of their report.

The Auditing Committee were elected as follows: L. L. Folger, G. E. Crenshaw, and T. Evett.

By motion the Conference took a recess till called by the Chair.

The Conference was called to order at 4:20.

The Committee on Itineracy and Orders made their report.

By motion their report was adopted.

Committee on Pastoral Relations gave a third reading of their report. By motion their report was adopted.

Moved and carried that the Conference pay C. C. Churchill \$5.00 per month for one year, beginning December 1, 1919.

Rev. D. O. Powers and T. Evett were elected the Advisory Board.

The Trustees made the annual report.

By motion their report was adopted.

The Conference elected the following Committee to see what could be done for an Orphanage: S. I. Keeler, Lawrence Kelly, W. D. Correll and C. E. Toney.

Committee on Thanks reported.

By motion the report was adopted.

The time and place of the next Conference was left in the hands of the President and Advisory Board.

The opening sermon for the next Conference will be preached by Rev. W. D. Correll.

The minutes of the preceding day were read and approved.

By motion the Conference adjourned.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

To South Carolina Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church:

Dear Brethren:—During the past Conference year the following items of business came before me and were acted upon with the consent of the Advisory Board:

- 1. Received the transfers of Rev. M. R. Harvey of the North Carolina Conference and the Revs. L. L. and Anna K. Folger of the Illinois Conference.
- 2. Granted to Rev. H. C. Bedford a transfer to the Indiana Conference.
- 3. The resignation of Rev. W. E. McEntire, of the Golden Grove Circuit, was accepted May 12, 1919.
- 4. The Golden Grove church was added to the Greenville circuit, and Tucapau to the Gaffney circuit.
- 5. Rev. S. W. Wright was assigned to the Central charge as supply at last Conference. When he became President of the school he was unable to keep the work. Rev. Allen Connor was appointed supply until a pastor could be secured. He served until the middle of October, when Revs. L. L. and Anna K. Folger came and took charge of the work.
 - 6. There were two churches organized during the year:

At Liberty, S. C., July 27, 1919, a class of eight members were received. Rev. G. E. Crenshaw was appointed pastor of this work.

At Tuckaseigee, N. C., on October 11, 1919, a class of seven members was organized. This was the fruit of the labor of the Revs. M. R. Harvey and C. C. Churchill. This class was added to the Glenville circuit. We raised \$493.00 in cash and pledges for a church building. This mountain work is one of the most prospective fields in the South Carolina Conference.

7. In August we sold the Oneal church property for \$425.00. By virtue of its being deeded to the Connection it took it out of our control. With the consent of the Connectional Treasurer, Rev. J. S. Willett, we were granted permission to use the money in erecting new church buildings.

Of this amount Whitmire received \$100.00, Liberty church received \$100.00; \$200.00 was loaned to G. E. Crenshaw for six months at 8 per cent interest. I promised \$125.00 to the Tuckaseigee church, to be paid when the note for \$200.00 was due. Balance of this amount, \$100.00, on hand.

I have traveled the Conference over about three times, holding Quarterly Meetings and assisting in the work in general.

I have conducted six revivals, attended Fifth Sunday Conventions, preached 330 times, had about 100 professions, organized three Y. M. W. B.s and two W. H. & F. M. Societies.

I have gotten 22 renewals to the Wesleyan Methodist. I have also sent in 47 subscriptions to the Wesleyan Missionary.

Raised in cash and pledges on Conference Budget... \$3969.08 Raised in cash and pledges on Conference Budget... 469.65

Raised in cash and pledges on church buildings..... \$4438.73 2500.00

Salary, \$1050.00.

W. D. Correll.

\$6938.73

COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY AND ORDERS.

The following brethren have been recommended by their respective Quarterly Conferences to study or take work, and we recommend them: C. T. Lusk, J. W. Miller, O. L. Clayton, Talmadge Evett, J. E. Markee.

These brethren have passed the required number of books for the year of the Course of Study: J. M. Hames, R. C. Kendrick, C. E. Toney, and R. G. Cudd.

> S. W. Wright, W. D. Correll, S. I. Keeler, L. B. Smith, R. W. Bruce, J. P. Hollis,

> > Committee.

COMMITTEE ON PASTORAL RELATIONS.

Central Station—Revs. L. L. and Anna K. Folger. Central Circuit, Second Church and Golden Grove—Rev. C. E. Toney.

Greer and Bethany-Rev. R. C. Kendrick.

Landrum and Tucapau-Rev. R. G. Cudd.

Mt. Olivet, Martin Grove and Pickens View-Rev. Levi Rigdon.

Whitmire and Fountain Inn-Rev. D. O. Powers.

Easley, Greenville and Reedy River-Rev. J. R. Davis.

Anderson, Iva and Fellowship-Rev. J. R. George.

Gaffney, Davis Chapel and Union-Rev. E. L. Ruark.

Carlisle, Graham, Eden and Providence-Rev. J. C. Nunally.

Piedmont, Williamston and Pelzer-Rev. S. I. Keeler.

Spartanburg and Glendale-Rev. W. L. Miller.

Westminster, Oakway and Smith Chapel-Rev. L. H. Kelley.

Liberty-Rev. G. E. Crenshaw.

Walhalla, Mt. View, Welcome, Rock Hill-Rev. J. T. Carey.

Glenville, Victory Hill and Tuckaseigee—Rev. M. R. Harvey. S. W. Wright, President of Central College.

L. B. Smith, Teacher in Central College.

G. D. Watson, General Evangelist.

- C. A. Dunwoody and Dr. L. G. Clayton, to choose their own fields of labor.
 - J. M. Hames, Conference Evangelist.

W. D. Correll, President of the Conference.

C. C. Churchill, Mountain Mission work.

J. W. Miller, C. T. Lusk, F. H. Pressley, J. E. Merck, O. L. Clayton, Dora Weibens and Talmage Evatt to study and do missionary evangelistic work.

The Committee makes the following recommendations.

First. That Brother Crenshaw be paid \$100.00 of the Oneal Church money.

Second. That the Conference Evangelist sign the same contract as last year, and that he be paid \$1,200.00 salary, with permission to retain all his collections, provided he give one service in each meeting to the presenting of the Budget.

Third. That the President of the Conference be paid \$1,250.00. Fourth. That the Conference pay Brother Churchill \$25.00.

Fifth. That the Conference Secretary and Conference Treasurer be paid \$25.00 each per year.

Sixth. That the Sunday School Secretary visit the Local Sunday

Schools and carry on work as provided by the Discipline, and that his salary be raised by free-will offerings.

W. D. Correll, S. I. Keeler, D. O. Powers, J. T. Carey, W. G. Pressley, C. C. Bowling, Talmage Evatt,

STATE OF THE WORK.

Your Committee begs leave to submit the following report:

We entered our work at the close of the Conference and continued throughout the year. We found some of the churches in low spirit, but they expressed their desire for a revival. We found others with a good degree of grace and with a spirit of enthusiasm, who are still looking, praying, believing and receiving the outpoured blessings of the Lord.

There are many homes without the Church paper and book of Discipline. We deplore the fact that some of our people are still asleep to many of the vital interests of the Church, yet there is an increase in the enrollment of subscriptions to the Wesleyan; also a ready response to our new missionary magazine, the Wesleyan Missionary. It is through these publications that our people will be enlightened.

The revivals throughout the Conference have been great, and as a result of these good meetings our membership has increased 108 during the year.

The Church met her financial obligations more easily than ever before. The interest of tithing is growing, and when a call for money is made there is always a ready response. There has also been an increase in the salaries of our pastors, yet there is still a much needed increase.

We are delighted to report that through Divine help the Camp Meeting Committee has been successful in locating a permanent camp site at Greer, S. C., where our Conference camp meeting will be held annually, the last of August. A tabernacle 80 x 110 feet is being erected. The leading preacher for the coming year is Rev. Will H. Huff.

Respectfully submitted.

W. D. Correll, J. M. Hames,

Committee.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CONNECTION

APPORTIONMENTS.

	Budget.	Salary.	Gen. Conf. Ex.	Minutes.	Sunday School Scholars.	Total.	Members.
Anderson Central, First Church Central Circuit Carlisle Easley Greer Glenville Gaffney Landrum Liberty Mt. Olivet Piedmont Spartanburg Walhalla Whitmire Westminster	\$300.00 400.00 375.00 544.00 555.00 200.00 200.00 25.00 200.00 25.00 280.00 400.00 375.00 210.00 325.00	\$60.00 70.00 70.00 75.00 75.00 35.00 35.00 61.00 60.00 65.00 55.00	\$9.10 10.80 16.60 22.80 16.00 12.20 6.20 6.60 10.60 13.30 5.00 5.10 6.40	\$5.00 6.00 5.50 7.00 6.00 3.00 2.00 6.00 3.75 5.50 6.00 4.00	*	\$374.10 486.80 467.10 454.80 642.00 648.20 25.00 244.60 52.80 354.35 478.80 275.10 390.40	91 1088 1666 2288 160 1222 199 622 666 8 1700 1066 1333 50 51 64
Total	\$5129.00	\$885.00	\$158.50	\$74.75	\$92.10	\$6247.25	1604

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE TRUSTEES.

November 22, 1919.

- 1. Report of D. O. Powers in regard to selling the Oneal church: Owing to it being Connectional property, and deed had to be by its Connectional Agent, Rev. W. D. Correll, our Conference President, sold said property to the Oneal School Trustees for four hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- 2. Owing to the fact that Williamston church has paid her indebtedness, the lots were not sold by said Trustees.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. Davis, J. R. George,

D. O. Powers.

Trustees.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

There is no channel of church work through which greater good can be done than the Sunday School. It is designed for no special class, but for all. By the use of the literature or lesson materials, it is made possible to reach all, from the Cradle Roll to the Bible class, and by a working Home Department it also reaches those confined to their homes.

The Sunday School affords boundless opportunities for both old and young, but especially the child. In a regular religious service, where the pastor or some one else delivers a sermon, the mind of the child is sometimes drawn to consider his spiritual need; but when he is placed in a Sunday School class, under the influence of a good child teacher, and direct questions are asked it, then it begins to feel that it has a part in the school, consequently it becomes interested.

Again, the Sunday School is co-operative with the home, in "bending the twig" while tender; which characterizes the form of the tree, when full grown.

Some impressions abide forever. So the fundamentals of true religion can be deeply impressed on the mind and heart of the child in the Sunday School, which will make a lasting impression.

The pastors who take a special interest in their Sunday Schools and seeks to promote their highest interests, will in a short time see every arm of the church work advancing. For by the Sunday School can be easily determined the spiritual condition of the church.

Every Sunday School should be a missionary Sunday School. If it is, it is in possession of two great advantages, viz., in raising missionary funds in the school, in which the children will most gladly participate, and at the same time creating an interest in the hearts of the children for this great work; then, the children having received early Christian training, hear the call of the Lord to the whitened harvest fields, and by His help they can say, "Here am I, Lord; send me."

May the Lord deeply stir our hearts to be more loyal to this great arm of the Church, and seek earnestly to promote its greatest interest.

Respectfully submitted,

I. F. McLeister, M. R. Harvey, Allen Connor,

Committee.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Without doubt the youth of this generation are facing the most strenuous days, the most tremendous problems, calling for the most indomitable faith, the most thorough training, that have ever confronted the young manhood and womanhood of any generation since the beginning of time.

The cause for all this is not far to seek. The conditions of the times in which we live are unparalleled in history. The world has become one great neighborhood community. With the present developments of rapid transportation and communication, in only the early stages of which we probably find ourselves today, New York, San Francisco, Hong Kong, and Liverpool are brought closer together than were Boston, Philadelphia and Charleston in the days of our Revolutionary fathers. Such terms in daily usage as "world war," "world peace," "League of Nations" give one an idea of the changing conditions. He who cannot see in terms of a world vision and think in terms of world problems will not serve the present age nor his calling fulfill as he ought to do.

And along what lines are these great problems to be solved? It seems that every plan and device of human wisdom has been tried and still the world faces a terrible unrest. Then supposing we try for once Divine wisdom. The Word of God that alone offers hope to the weary earth is so assailed on almost every hand that one wonders still if when the Son of Man cometh will He find faith in the earth. What, then, is the problem that faces us as a Church in relation to these problems? Is it not this, to give to the world a generation of our young people who are able to see the problems just as they are and then to apply to those very problems the Word of God?

This brings us, then, squarely to our obligation to provide for our young people a thoroughly efficient and thoroughly Christian education. In order that this education be thoroughly Christian, it will require that the work in our educational centers be in the hands of those who stand four square for the rugged, vital truths of the Word of God and who will give no place nor quarter to the destructive teachings that would sap its life, put God in the background, and exalt man as the wonderfully evolved monarch of all he surveys. I feel that I am fully within the bounds of truth when I say that the faculty of the Wesleyan Methodist College fully meets these conditions and esteem it a great privilege to take this very stand on these matters. In order that this education may be thoroughly efficient, it will require that our facilities must be of the highest possible order. In this we seem to have caught the vision. It can hardly be questioned that the goal of efficiency for us lies in the higher ranks of accredited colleges. Neither are we unmindful of the task that faces us as we climb toward this goal. We feel that the obligation that the General Conference has laid upon us in the raising of \$100,000 during the next four years for education is a reasonable requirement, and we are determined to take up the matter with zest and enthusiasm according to the well-laid plans that will be handed down to us at the proper time. Nor are we unmindful that the work of the Church is an indissoluble unit. All the other requirements are as vital and reasonable and as essential to our educational work. Hence we feel that our quarter million share of the great Forward Movement Fund is a challenge to the metal of which we are believed to be made and of which we believe ourselves to be made. Our answer lies stretched out over the next four years, it is true, but by faith we bring it nigh.

S. W. Wright.

COMMITTEE ON MORAL REFORM.

Your Committee on Moral Reform respectfully submits the

following report:

Having had a thorough knowledge of the Wesleyan Methodist Church for over sixty years, we are fully convinced that it is an organization that God has chosen to teach and spread Bible holiness in the earth, by taking an aggressive stand against every form of sin and error.

We present the following as some of the most dangerous poput-

lar evils against which we as a Church stand opposed, namely:

Intoxicating liquors of every kind, one of the greatest curses of humanity and most destructive of human life. Published statistics give a statement of a cost of over a billion dollars each year, and a loss of a hundred thousand lives from this one curse; aggregating the enormous total of fifty billion dollars, and five million deaths in the last half century.

Tobacco and snuff, chewed, eaten or smoked, at a cost of six hundred thousand dollars a year, and causing twenty-five thousand deaths annually, aggregating a total of thirty billion dollars, and a loss of one million two hundred and fifty thousand lives in the past fifty years.

Cards and baseball, and all games of chance played only with a motive to outdo or beat others, scripturally termed "emulation,"

and positively forbidden.

The theatre and moving picture shows, which always produce a debasing influence on old and young, ruinous to soul and body.

The dance, which allows an intimacy and liberty between the sexes that leads to the ruin of more girls and boys than any other one public and popular evil.

The immodest and indecent fashion of wearing low-neck and short-skirt dresses, indulged in by girls and encouraged or permitted by parents, and often leading girls to shame and ruin.

Secret societies of every kind, the spirit of them all a system of clannishness and selfishness, compelling the candidates to foreswear themselves to do what they as yet have no knowledge of, and what many or most of the candidates never would if they were not solemnly foresworn to do it. Hence we are compelled to see the whole secrecy business as a systematic snare of the devil.

Church fairs, suppers, raffles and parties for the purpose of raising money for church purposes, we cannot but regard it all as ungodly and an unscriptural method of doing God's business.

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We regard God's financial plan as given in the Bible as systematic and cheerful giving of tithes and offerings; which will always be sufficient for church needs.

Believing that all these evils should be denounced in strong and unmistakable terms, therefore be it

Resolved, That every minister and member of the church should be urged to do all in their power to correct these evils of the day by example, precept, circulation of literature and any other means in their power, and that they seek the co-operation of all Christians in the effort. Be it further

Resolved, That we cannot see how any one can be a Christian and not use his ballot against the manufacture and sale of all alcoholic beverages in our country, and to take an active interest in all law enforcement.

C. C. Churchill, Committee.

REPORT FROM DR. WATSON.

1707 Third Avenue.

Los Angeles, Calif, Oct. 27, 1919.

Rev. W. D. Correll, Central, S. C.

Dear Brother:—I learned that your Conference will meet November 18th in Greenville, S. C. I have failed to make my report for some years, and I now wish to make a report of my work to be read to your Conference, as I cannot be there myself.

I hold my credentials from the South Carolina Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, signed by W. H. Kennedy. I have been living at the above address for several years past. In 1914 I made an evangelistic trip to Japan and Korea to give Bible instruction to the young preachers in the Oriental Missionary Society. I have been evangelizing in various places in Canada and the United States for four or five years past. In the winter time I rent a hall in this city and give Bible expositions every Sunday afternoon, and the Lord has graciously blessed my ministry in gathering out a good congregation from the various churches to hear the subjects expounded concerning the deeper Christian life and the things in connection with the coming of the Lord.

Last March, April, May and June I spent in the East, holding evangelistic meetings in Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina and Illinois. I had an urgent invitation to go to New Zealand the last of August and spend a year there in evangelistic work. I got my passport from Mr. Lansing, the Secretary of State, and made all my plans to sail September 8th, but when I reached San Francisco I could not get a permit from the British Ambassador at Washington to go to New Zealand, so all my plans were upset and I returned here and opened my work again in the Berean Hall in this city.

I have issued two books during this year, one volume called "God's Eagles," published by the Revivalist of Cincinnati, Ohio, and the other volume called "God's First Words," published by Fleming H. Revell Co. of New York. These books are having a rapid sale and God is wonderfully blessing them to all who read them.

I expect to remain here until next March and then will likely make another evangelistic tour in the East, and I am hoping to hold some meetings in the South next fall—in Greensboro, N. C.; Greer, S. C.; Lumberton, N. C., and other places as the doors may open.

A year ago I held a ten days' meeting with the Wesleyan Methodist pastor at Durham, N. C., and I want to plan for several meetings among our Wesleyan Methodist pastors in the South for next fall. I would like for the brethren of the Conference to put my name on the ministerial list in the minutes as a General Evangelist.

I pray God to give you great blessings at your Conference this year, and would be very glad to be with you if it were possible.

Your brother in Christian love,

Geo. D. Watson.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORSHIP.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted by Conference: Be it Resolved, That the Committee on Public Worship consist of the President of the Conference, the pastor of the charge where the Conference is held, and the pastor's delegate.

RESOLUTIONS

Resolutions Adopted in 1898.

Resolved, 1st, That as a body in Conference assembled, we will not allow our pulpits or churches to be used by those who do not give evidence of being sound in the doctrines of the Wesleyan Methodist Church and true to our polity.

2nd, That as ministers and laymen we will use our best endeavors to prevent the promulgation of doctrines or usages not in accord with the Wesleyan Methodist faith.

Resolutions Adopted in 1905.

Resolved, 1st, That the law with regard to complaints or violations of orders and resolutions found on page 37 of our Discipline, and beginning with the words, "When the President," shall apply to all cases of the violators of our Discipline, and no charges shall be entertained by the Judiciary Committee without said previous investigation and labor.

2nd, That no member of the Conference shall have his character passed who fails to carry out all the rules and orders of this Conference, unless providentially hindered, except upon a three-fourths vote of the body.

Resolutions Adopted in 1907.

Resolved, 1st, That we affirm our faith in the soundness of the position taken by the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in denying any of its members membership in any secret society.

2nd, That we believe that the preaching of Holiness that does not include a clear and distinct opposition to all secret societies is seriously lacking in the essential elements and must be more or less displeasing to God.

- 3rd, That we believe that the right type of Holiness preaching and teaching is the most effective means by which to induce men to separate themselves from all lodge entanglements; therefore, we will do our best to double our diligence in this line of effort.
- 4th, That we affectionately admonish our people to avoid all compromise with secrecy. Hence we as a Conference require that our pastors and churches shall not elect, or suffer to be elected, superintendents or teachers of any Sunday Schools that are held in our churches if they hold membership in secret societies; furthermore, those belonging to secret orders shall not be allowed to hold services in our churches.

5th, That we seriously urge upon all our brethren and sisters that they may be careful to maintain a consistent, but radical, attitude of opposition to all organizations, secret or open, which are opposed to Jesus Christ and His doctrine and principles of right-eousness.

Resolutions of 1914.

Resolved, 1st, That all of our Licentiates not receiving any appointment to pastoral or evangelistic work be required to preach at least once a month, or twelve times during the Conference year.

- 2nd, That in addition to the above resolution we earnestly request all preachers not receiving a regular appointment by the Conference, except those attending school preparatory to the ministry, to hold, if possible, a two weeks' revival during the year.
- 3rd, That all preachers unemployed by the Conference during the coming year be urged to select a fellow-laborer with whom they can work harmoniously, and go out and try to build up new works as they may have opportunity, and revive the desert places.
- 4th, That in order that the foregoing resolutions may have the greatest effect possible, and that each preacher may have a higher estimation of the dignity of his calling, and that the burden for souls may be increased, and that they may feel the sympathy of the Church to which they belong, we urge each charge to pass like resolutions.
- 5th, That it is not only the duty, but binding on each circuit preacher of our Conference, to receive whomsoever the Conference may designate as Quarterly Meeting Evangelist, and give him their hearty support and co-operation.

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

REPORT OF STATISTICAL COMMITTEE.

	Time Employed (Months)	Appointments	No. of Church Societies	No. Wesleyans Taken	S. S. Banners Taken	Teacher's Quarterlies	Scholar's Quarterlies	Junior Quarterlies	Primary Class Papers	Our Little Folks Cards
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station Easley Circuit Gaffney Circuit Glenville Circuit Greenville Circuit	12 12 12 12 12 12 12	4 3 1 4 3 4	4 3 1 4 3 3	15 9	65 30 12 12	18 12 6 17 13 6	79 104	18 48 12 136 60	12 100	75 50 32 90 60 10
Greer Circuit Mt. Olive Circuit Piedmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit Walhalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Whitmire Circuit Central Circuit	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	3 3 4 2 2 2 2	3 3 3 4 12 2 2	30 25 10 15 16 50 8 16	30 10 196 45 15 15	21 18 100 18 16 25	140 66 368 60 40 3	58 53 128 86 30 23	41 256	66 80 396 60 50
Total	161	42	51	215	430	330	1557	722	1346	1284

	Members Received	Expelled	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	No. Reported Last Year	No. at Beginning of Year	Present Numbers	Loss	Gain	Associate Members	Baptized
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station Easley Circuit Gaffney Circuit Glenville Circuit Greenville Circuit	14 25 3 29 14 7	1	6 3 1 21 4	1 1 4	2 1 4 13	224 110 192 67 12	224 70 110 192 67 12	228 91 108 186 92 19	2 6	25 7	8	5 9 1 3 7 5
Greer Circuit Mt. Olive Circuit Piedmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit Walhalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Whitmire Circuit Central Circuit Liberty Circuit	12 10 21 17 31 17 53	3	6 4 2 6 3 3 3 3 3	1 1 2 1 1 1 1	2 3 6 4 2 3 1 2	137 168 96 144 77 40 92	137 168 96 144 77 71 40 92	142 170 106 153 50 64 51 140 8	7	5 2 10 9 11 48 8	1 4 2	4 8 6 12 5 14
Total	228	17	57	16	180	1500	1500	1608		108	15	79

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	Unstationed Elders	Licentiates	Members Tithing.	No. of Sabbath Schools	Officers not Teachers or Scholars	No. of Teachers	Scholars in Home Dept.	Scholars in Cradle Roll	Scholars in Main School
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station Lasley Circuit Gaffiney Circuit Glenville Circuit Greenville Circuit Mt. Olive Circuit Piedmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit Walhalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Westminster Circuit Central Circuit Liberty Circuit Liberty Circuit	1 1 4	1 3 2 6 3 1 2 1 5 2 6	38 8 30 16 11 8 2 19 70	3 1 3 3 3 3 3 4 4	9 6 9 6 8 10 9	15 11 5 6 2 15 15 14 18 14	10 11 10	14 13	
Total	6	32	202	34	84	120	31	27	1790

WESLEYAN METHODIST CONNECTION

	Total No. in Sunday Schl.	Average Attendance	No. Scholars Converted	No. Schol. Joining Church	No. Departmental Supt.	No. in Teach. Train. Class	Adult Bible Class	No. of Books in Library
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station	266 142	195 150 120	5 20	4 20			90	
Easley Circuit Gaffney Circuit Glenville Circuit	189	195 18	121 1	3	3		8	
Greenville Circuit Greer Circuit Mt. Olive Circuit Piedmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit Walhalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Whitmire Circuit	209 265 224 244 150	135 145 160 105 85 79	5 5 5 3 5	5 2 5 2 4	3		50	
Central Circuit Liberty Circuit	200	150	25	25	2			
Total	1849	1537	195	70	8		148	3

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

	No. of Church Buildings	Value of	Amount of Indebtedness	No. of Parsonages	Value of	Amount of Indebtedness
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station Easley Circuit Gaffney Circuit Glenville Circuit	4 3 1 4 3 1	\$3250.00 4000.00 1800.00 6500.00 2100.00 650.00	\$30.00	1 1 1	\$15.00 2500.00 1500.00	400.00 652.42
Greenville Circuit Greer Circuit Mt Olive Circuit Piedmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit Walhalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Whitmire Circuit Central Circuit Liberty Circuit	3 3 2 3 3 2 2 2	5000.00 3500.00 3000.00 8000.00 4300.00 6000.00 5500.00 2000.00	1500.00 810.00 1000.00	1 1	1500.00 1500.00	. 1007.98
Total	35	\$55600.00	\$3391.00	5	\$7015.00	\$2060.40

	Cash or Other Values On Hand	Pastors' Salary	Parsonage Rents	Fees, Marriage and Funeral	Gifts
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station Easley Circuit Gaffney Circuit Glenville Circuit	\$339.00 75.00 200.00 34.00 96.86	\$587.03 418.86 578.00 905.69 385.96 770.07	\$96.00 12.00 30.00	\$2.00 5.00 15.00	\$224.63 59.25 31.00 205.00 65.57 36.11
Greenville Circuit Greer Circuit Mt Olive Circuit Piedmont Circuit	495.45	747.55 950.00 859.10		2.00 4.00	404.84 65.50 1.00
Spartanburg Circuit Wahalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Whitmire Circuit	9.75	782.15 522.43 341.00 576.00		1.00	47.00 21.19 15.60 29.00
Central Circuit Liberty Circuit	386.68 1000.00	725.15	54.00	5.00	807.85
Total	\$2636.74	\$9213.99	\$192.00	\$35.00	\$1809.48

	Total Pastor's Receipts	Conf. President's Salary	Evangelistic Help	Sabbath School Expense	Buildings and Repairs
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station Easley Circuit Gaffney Circuit Glenville Circuit Greenville Circuit Mt. Olive Circuit Piedmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit Walhalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Westminster Circuit Central Circuit Liberty Circuit	\$909.66 546.11 578.00 1152.69 451.47 806.18 1154.39 815.15 931.10 899.15 544.62 367.60 605.00 1561.90 75.00	\$60.00 57.72 50.00 93.20 28.85 27.50 88.19 60.60 55.00 50.16 42.51 50.00 25.00	\$285.74 150.66 105.00 291.00 95.07 20.00 170.69 791.85 265.79 270.37 116.43 50.00 250.00 980.80	\$63.28 48.50 109.05 149.31 40.95 80.00 94.00 70.86 185.20 149.35 73.64 103.24	\$527.66 46.00 676.72 626.84 59.35 1500.00 122.76 550.00 75.00 108.00 850.00 2718.89
Total	\$12398.02	\$773.73	\$3518.33	\$1374.00	\$7320.33

	Incidental Expense	Total for Church	Undivided Budget	Missions	Education
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station Easley Circuit Gaffney Circuit Glenville Circuit	\$68.90 60.00 80.00 318.70 82.95 8.00	\$1005.58 316.88 390.05 1530.36 874.66 122.85	\$325.00 390.05 296.99 178.15	\$67.27 150.00 191.53 72.51 70.00	\$41.60 232.29 149.80 24.70 3.00
Greenville Circuit Greer Circuit Mt. Olive Circuit Piedmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit Walhalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Whitmire Circuit Central Circuit Liberty Circuit	119.25 50.45 99.65 127.00 55.00 40.00 15.00 162.35	1972.13 973.76 728.40 1146.88 362.58 351.24 1130.00 4048.84	495.05 339.25 131.75 205.60 302.07 166.00 103.20 106.45	440.49 366.55 119.05 116.35 531.32 40.25 58.01 431.65	117.36 74.20 29.50 15.00 51.00
Total	\$1831.14	\$14182.50	\$3039.56	\$654.98	\$2545.00

	Minute Fund	Superanuated Min. Fund	Other Benevolent Objects	Total for Benevolences
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station Easley Circuit Gaffney Circuit Glenville Circuit Green Circuit Greer Circuit Ht. Olive Circuit Piedmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit Walhalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Whitmire Circuit Central Circuit Liberty Circuit	\$13.00 10.00 7.00 11.00 10.00 16.00 4.50 16.50 10.00 8.50 6.75 9.00	\$6.52 3.10 9.76 8.00 7.00 2.75 2.95 10.00 4.50 15.11	\$77.35 8.89 176.07 128.57 3.50 127.05 287.50 95.13 186.00 15.00 118.00 701.00	\$430.74 759.03 840.15 414.93 76.50 1197.95 1090.40 358.18 556.45 1131.29 460.25 301.07
Total	\$122.25	\$78.69	\$2187.06	\$8975.94

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	Total for Pastor	Total for Church	Total for Benevolences	Total for All Purposes
Carlisle Circuit	\$909.66	\$1005.58	\$430.74	\$2345.98
Central Station	546.11 578.00	316.88 390.01	355.03	1217.96
Easley Circuit	1152.69	1530.56	723.03 840.15	1441.04 3523.40
Gaffney Circuit	451.47	874.66	414.93	1740.06
Glenville Circuit Greenville Circuit	806.18	122,85	76.50	1005.53
Greer Circuit	1154.39	1972.13	1197.95	4434.47
Mt. Olive Circuit	815.50	973.76	1090.40	2879.66
Predmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit	931.10 829.15	728.40 1146.88	358.18	2017.68
Walhalla Circuit	544.63	362.58	127.00 1131.29	2103.03 2038.49
Westminster Circuit	367.60	251.64	460.25	1079.09
Whitmire Circuit	605.00	1130.00	276.27	989.87
Central Circuit Liberty	1561.90	4038.84	1329.00	6239.74
Total	\$11352.24	\$14937.77	\$9510.72	\$32057.00

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

	Undivided Budget	Missions	Education	Conference	Totals
Carlisle Circuit Anderson Circuit Central Station Easley Circuit Gaffney Circuit Glenville Circuit Greenville Circuit	\$302.61 175.75 390.05 296.99 178.15	\$89.66 160.22 150.00 191.53 72.51 70.00	\$41.60 11.00 232.29 149.80 24.70 3.00	\$13.00 9.25 10.00 17.00 11.00	\$446.87 356.22 2164.67 655.32 286.36 73.00
Greer Circuit Mt. Olive Piedmont Circuit Spartanburg Circuit Walhalla Circuit Westminster Circuit Whitmire Circuit Central Circuit Liberty Circuit	495.05 339.25 131.75 205.60 302.07 166.00 103.20 106.45	440.49 366.55 119.45 116.35 531.22 40.25 58.01 431.65	117.36 74.20 29.50 15.00 51.00	10.00 16.00 5.00 16.53 10.00 8.50 6.75 9.00	1062.90 794.00 253.30 367.95 858.29 265.75 167.97 6924.74
Total	\$3192.92	\$2847.89	\$831.45	\$142.03	\$14677.26

MINUTES OF THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL
SESSION OF THE WOMAN'S HOME
AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY
SOCIETY

OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY.

President—Miss Ina Gaines, Greer, S. C.
Vice-President—Mrs. L. G. Clayton, Central, S. C.
Secretary—Mrs. S. W. Wright, Central, S. C.
Treasurer—Mrs. C. W. Boggs, Calhoun, S. C.
Organizer—Miss Ina Gaines, Greer, S. C.
Conference Superintendent Y. M. W. B.—Miss Estelle Gaines,
Greer, S. C.

MEMBERSHIP.

Mrs. Ed. West, Miss Estelle Gaines. Mrs. S. W. Wright, Mrs. P. L. Jones. Mrs. Lucia Shirley, Miss Lillie Carroll. Mrs. B. J. Johnston, Mrs. H. H. Chapman, Mrs. Anna K. Folger, Mrs. J. C. Clubb. Mrs. J. R. George, Mrs. R. V. Davis. Mrs. L. G. Clayton, Mrs. S. I. Keeler, Miss Ina Gaines. Miss Nannie Moss, Mrs. W. D. Correll, Miss Dora Weibens, Mrs. Smalley. Mrs. Claude Boggs, Mrs. J. R. Bell, Mrs. W. L. Mullinix,

Mrs. Sarah Cox.

DAILY PROCEEDINGS.

First Meeting-Thursday, November 20, 1919.

The thirteenth annual session of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of South Carolina met at Central, S. C., Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

After Scripture reading and a brief praise service, led by the President, prayer was offered by Sister Folger. The session was

then declared open for business.

The official roll was called, after which the Chair appointed as Credentials Committee, Mrs. B. J. Johnston and Mrs. J. R. George. This Committee reported sixteen delegates present.

The following Committees were then elected:

Membership-Mrs. W. D. Correll.

Statistics-Mrs. Shirley, Mrs. Correll.

Auditing Accounts-Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Clayton.

Courtesies-Mrs. Correll.

Resolutions-Mrs. Chapman.

Program-Miss Ina Gaines, Mrs. Folger.

Reporter to Magazine-Miss Ina Gaines.

Mrs. Anna K. Folger, District Superintendent, was introduced. She gave assurances of fellowship and co-operation.

Reports were read from the following Local Societies: Greer, Glendale, Issaqueena Mill, Easley, Westminster and Fountain Inn.

It was voted that each Local Society pay at least six dollars annually for Home Mission work, thus doing their part toward the support of the mountain missionary and also the mountain mission teacher.

The time for the next meeting was fixed for 1:30 P. M. Adjourned by motion. Benediction by Mrs. Nalley.

First Day-Afternoon Meeting.

Pursuant to adjournment, Conference assembled at 1:30 o'clock. Scripture quotations were given by the members, and the Conference was led in prayer by Mrs. S. W. Wright.

The roll was called and minutes of morning meeting read and

adopted as corrected.

Committee on Credentials reported other names of Delegates and local Presidents, which were placed on the roll.

The Organizer's report was read and adopted.

Reports from Local Societies were resumed, the following being read: Union, Greenville, Spartanburg, Central, Oakway, Landrum, Glenville, Carlisle, Anderson, Piedmont.

Motion was sustained that the order of the day immediately after devotionals at the next meeting be the election of officers.

Adjourned by limitation.

Second Day-Morning Meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the President.

Opening devotions were conducted by Miss Dora Weibens, followed by prayer by Sister Keeler.

After roll call the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved as corrected.

The order of the day was called for, and Mrs. G. McElrath and Mrs. H. Chapman were appointed tellers for the election of officers. The result of the election was as follows:

President-Miss Ina Gaines.

Vice-President-Mrs. L. G. Clayton.

Secretary-Mrs. S. W. Wright.

Treasurer-Mrs. Claude Boggs.

Organizer-Miss Ina Gaines.

Superintendent of Y. M. W. Bands-Miss Estelle Gaines.

Rev. M. R. Harvey, Mountain Missionary, rendered report of his year's work.

By motion, the name of Sister Folger was added to the Board of Managers of Glenville Mission School.

Adjourned by motion.

Second Day-Afternoon Meeting.

Conference convened at 9:30 o'clock.

The devotions were conducted by Mrs. Boggs.

Roll was called and minutes read and approved.

The Committee on Statistics reported. Report adopted. (See report.)

The Treasurer read her report, which was adopted. (See report.)

The Auditing Committee rendered a verbal report, stating that the Treasurer's books had been correctly balanced.

Adjourned by limitation.

Third Day-Morning Meeting.

Meeting was called to order at 9:30 o'clock.

Opening devotions by Sister Folger.

The roll was called and minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Report from the Conference Superintendent of Y. M. W. B.

was read and approved.

It was moved and carried that the amount of one hundred dollars be added to the salary of our mountain missionary.

The report from the mountain school was read and adopted. (See

report.)

A vote was carried that an offering of ten dollars be sent from our Conference to Rev. C. C. Churchill.

Motion was sustained that every member of our Locals pay tencents annually for the purpose of defraying Delegate's and President's expenses to General Conference, and also that the same amount be paid annually into the General Fund for the District Superintendent's expenses.

Report from the Committee on Thanks was read and adopted. (See report.)

"Blest Be the Tie" was sung, and benediction by Sister Keeler.

REPORT OF GLENVILLE TRAINING SCHOOL,

Glenville, Jackson County, N. C.

Number of average attendance	30
Amount of tuition received	\$32.00
Amount of donations by others	105.00
Total receipts	\$137.00
Total expenses	49.50
Total receipts for the Building Fund	\$15.00

M. R. Harvey,

Chairman of Board of Managers.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS.

Resolved, That we, the members of the W. H. & F. M. S. of the South Carolina Conference, express our gratitude and appreciation to the friends at Central who have so cordially entertained us in their homes. We also extend thanks to the members of the Baptist church for their courtesy in giving us the use of their building. May the Lord of the harvest reward abundantly all those who have ministered to His servants.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. V. E. Chapman, Committee.

TREASURER'S REPORT

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE W. H. & F. M. S. SOCIETY. For the Conference Year of 1918-1919.

Local Society.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	General Fund.	Membership Dues.	Other Objects.	As Conference Directs.	Totals.
Easley Spartanburg Central, First Church Central, Second Ch. Greer	\$28.56 5.00 12.00 25.00 14.25	\$5.00 12.84 12.00	\$3.00		\$10.65 12.30	\$12.00	\$42.21 17.30 32.00 37.84 26.25
Westminster	41.45 8.00	5.00 3.00 11.75	1.00 3.00		11.00 3.00	20.00	42.45 39.00 14.00 11.75
Landrum		17.25			6.00	4.65	10.65 17.25
Fountain Inn Glendale Conference Society		6.44		10.10		10.00	8.00 10.00 6.44
Membership dues Offering	25.00			12.50	5.00	8.59 55.00	12.50 13.59 80.00

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	Total cash received for all objects	\$419.23 239.72
	Disbursed by Treasurer	\$658.95 324.39
	Balance on deposit	\$334.56

For amounts received and disbursed by Local Societies this Conference year, see Statistical Report.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Agnes Boggs,

Conference Treasurer S. C. W. H. & F. M. Society.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA W. H. & F. M. SOCIETY

Name of Society.	Date of Organization.	Name of President.
Greer Glendale Issaqueena Mill, Central Union Greenville Spartanburg Piedmont Central Easley Oakway Westminster Landrum Fountain Inn Anderson Glenville Carlisle	March 12, 1906	Miss Estelle Gaines

WESLEYAN METHODIST CONNECTION

STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Name of Society.	Name of Secretary.	No. Members.	Active.	Honorary.	Use Missionary Programs
Greer Glendale Issaqueena Mill, Central Union Greenville	Miss Ina Gaines, Greer, S. C Mrs. Ella Weathers, Glendale, S. C Mrs. Talmage Evatt, Central, S. C Mrs. W. W. Cobb, Union, S. C Mrs. V. E. Chapman, Greenville, S. C.	27 12 9 19	20 8 23 7 13	7 4 2 6	Yes. No. Yes. No. No.
Spartanburg Piedmont Central Easley	Mrs. W. D. Correll, Central, S. C Mrs. Lola Harris, Easley, S. C	22 20	14 20	8	No. Yes.
Oakway Westminster Landrum Fountain Inn Anderson	Mrs. M. Mason, Oakway, S. C Miss Ino Sanders, Westminster, S. C Ethel Forester, Landrum, S. C	21 27 11 15 33	14 21 11 8 19	7	No. Yes. No.
Glenville	C. C. Churchill, Glenville, N. C	00		17	No.

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STATISTICAL REPORT-Continued

	Amount Raised During Year.	Amount Paid Out for Local Work.	Home Work.	Foreign Work.	Education.	General Fund.	Medical.
Greer Glendale Issaqueena Mill Union Greenville Spartanburg Piedmont Central Easley Oakway Westminster	\$93.35 22.00 567.85 10.65 53.90 34.65 40.75 143.47 43.61 274.15 146.00	\$32.10 25.00 28.40 53.50 12.05	\$35.00 5.00 10.00 25.70 8.50 14.00	\$12.00 8.75 42.77	\$10.00 201.90	\$1.25 1.00 1.25 3.00 3.00	
Anderson Landrum Glenville Fountain Inn Carlisle	26.10 25.83 11.25 8.00 11.10	5.00 9.95	4.00	8.00	11.10		\$4.00
Total	\$1512.66	\$166.00	\$123.30	\$61.52	\$211.90	\$9.50	\$4.0

STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

	Other Objects.	Amount Sent to Conference Society.	Ноше.	Foreign.	Medical.	General Fund.	Total.
Greer Glendale Issaqueena Mill Union Greenville Spartanburg Piedmont Central Easley Oakway Westminster Anderson Landrum Glenville Fountain Inn Carlisle	\$12.00 327.91 6.00 5.00 8.20 18.50 15.00 4.13 3.25	\$26.25 10.000 7.84 4.65 36.45 5.000 12.00 28.56 6.00 35.00	36.45 5.00	\$12.00 7.84 2.00	\$5.0		\$93.25 22.00 567.85 10.65 53.90 34.65 40.75 143.47 43.61 274.15 146.00 26.10 25.83 11.25 8.00 11.10
Total	\$396.74	\$148.48	\$84.26	\$21.84	\$6.6	5	\$1512.66

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE Y. M. W. B. STATISTICAL REPORT.

Name of Band.	Superintendents.	No. of Members.	Dues.	Offerings.	Education,	Total.
Greer, S. C	Miss Ina Gaines, Greer, S. C	73 86 146 42	\$38.23 29.85 106.75 23.17 9.68	\$156.66 11.25 54.60 8.03 3.88	\$69.36 55.00 33.00	\$264.25 41.10 216.35 31.20 46.49
Greenville, S. C. Spartanburg, S. C. Calhoun, S. C. Piedmont, S. C. Central, S. C. Easley, S. C. Oakway, S. C. Westminster, S. C. Glenville, N. C. Fountain Inn, S. C.	Mrs. Carrie Mason Mrs. C. W. Boggs, Calhoun, S. C. Mrs. Leila Huff, Piedmont, S. C. Mr. Leon Gunby, Central, S. C. Mrs. J. R. George, Easley, S. C. Mrs. E. A. Mason, Westminster, S. C. Miss Dora Wiebens, Westminster, S. C. Mrs. M. R. Harvey, Glenville, N. C. Mrs. T. C. Clubb, Fountain Inn, S. C.	45 66 70 50	21.60 43.00 20.66	7.88 25.00 17.40	112.72 51.00	48.00 55.69 172.20 186.00 68.00 89.06 62.00 25.21
Anderson, S. C. Golden Grove, S. C. Walhalla, S. C. Bethany (Moore, S. C.) Tucapau, S. C. Welcome (Walhalla, S. C.) Davis' Chapel Landrum, S. C.	Mrs. L. C. Garrison, Anderson, S. C. Mrs. Ella Brooks, Liberty, S. C., R. 1. Mrs. D. E. Good, Walhalla, S. C. Mrs. R. C. Kendrick, Greer, S. C. Mrs. Mae Evans, Tucapau, S. C. Miss Lille Pressley, West Union, S. C. Miss M. Mathis	55	29.11	12.00	7.20	9.19 526.00 116.10 41.10 73.00 48.31
	Grand total	•				\$1618.25

Only a partial report. Figures from some of the above not in hand, and several Bands not yet reported,