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**Minutes**  
of the  
**One Hundred Thirteenth Annual Session**  
of the  
**Allegheny Conference**  
of the  
**Wesleyan Methodist Church of America**  
held at  
**Stoneboro, Pennsylvania**  
on the  
**Wesleyan Methodist Campground**  
**June 5—10, 1956**

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# In Memoriam

"Oh, how sweet it will be in that beautiful land,  
So free from all sorrow and pain,  
With songs on our lips and harps in our hands,  
To meet one another again."

## Our Honored Dead

William J. Coon, Dec. 6, 1848  
Street Humiston, May 1, 1849  
Solomon Hendrickson, Sept. 20, 1851  
Jarvis C. Bacon, ——— 1854  
Jesse McBride, March, 1856  
Reuben S. Ensign  
Edward Smith, June 6, 1856  
First President Allegheny Conference  
John L. Moore, Oct. 1, 1861  
David Hotchkiss, March 31, 1871  
William Crooks, Feb. 13, 1874  
Adam Crooks, Dec. 15, 1874  
John Gilbert Norris, May 16, 1875  
Aaron Goodwill, Feb. 16, 1876  
Cyrus G. Palmer, Feb. 7, 1877  
Samuel J. Nolan, July 11, 1878  
Ephraim Wyllis, 1878 or 1879  
Thomas Savage, Feb. 28, 1880  
Thomas Lamb, Feb. 12, 1881  
Austin Hamlin ——— 1881  
Caleb M. Preston, Dec. 9, 1883  
William Sewell, April 29, 1885  
Jonathan Benn, May 13, 1885  
W. P. Martin, June 21, 1885  
Hiram Williams, May 17, 1888  
H. G. March, Feb. 2, 1889  
Rouse E. Gardner, Feb. 12, 1889  
Jacob Smith, Oct. 4, 1889  
Dennison S. Kinney, Jan. 8, 1890  
Levi M. Wright, Jan. 21, 1890  
Joshua Robb, Feb. 9, 1890  
Benj. W. Laughead, Mar. 20, 1890  
Richard W. Hawkins, Jan. 13, 1892  
Thomas W. Stephens, Aug. 5, 1892  
Mary E. Depew, Oct. 9, 1892  
Austin Davis, Feb. 7, 1894  
Erasmus Johnson  
James Christian  
Calvin D. Rockwell  
Harvey C. Jackson, Oct. 23, 1894  
Gershon Fairchild, March 20, 1889

Joseph Campbell, Aug. 4, 1900  
George Savage, Sept. 20, 1900  
George W. Turner, Aug. 10, 1901  
George Ritchie, Jan. 30, 1902  
Robert Perring, June 24, 1904  
Almira Ellet, Nov. 17, 1904  
William A. Stanfield, Feb. 21, 1905  
Jno. W. Snively, Oct. 30, 1905  
A. Marie Stephens, Jan. 1, 1906  
Missionary to Africa  
Cora M. Cutshall, Jan. 4, 1906  
Sara Kennedy, Feb. 22, 1908  
John H. Ellet, Oct. 30, 1900  
Linus W. Krah, Feb. 1, 1909  
Mary C. Cordner, Apr. 6, 1910  
Etta M. Hayward, Sept. 11, 1910  
Grace E. Chadwick, May 5, 1911  
Henry W. Hampe, Dec. 2, 1911  
John E. Martin, Jan. 15, 1913  
Thomas K. Doty, Oct. 13, 1913  
H. E. Bryner, Apr. 26, 1917  
Mary E. Buell, Jan. 3, 1918  
Missionary to Africa  
Ethiel Hickok, Feb. 21, 1921  
P. D. Cutshall, Apr. 8, 1921  
Sarah E. Schultz, July 24, 1921  
Edith B. Hill, Apr. 9, 1922  
L. B. Strong, Oct. 24, 1923  
G. W. Galbraith, Dec. 13, 1924  
L. H. McLeister, Oct. 23, 1926  
Vanus Smith, June 17, 1928  
Missionary to Africa  
John Case, Sept. 25, 1928  
W. S. Coder, Dec. 25, 1928  
Ira A. Grise, Oct. 13, 1932  
Mary E. McLeister, Feb. 11, 1933  
William H. Williams, May 17, 1934  
A. T. Vestal, Sept. 8, 1934  
Thomas Struthers, Oct. 20, 1935  
A. L. White, Dec. 20, 1935  
Conf. President died in office

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

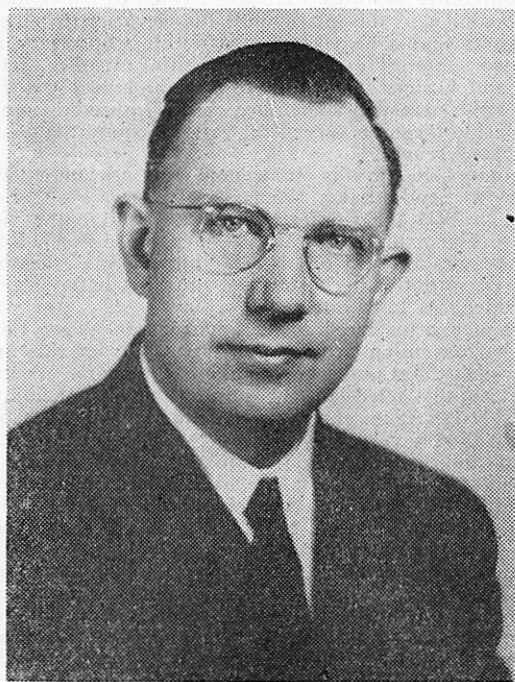
Clara T. Williams, July 1, 1937	Gerald Rodgers, Nov. 8, 1944
P. B. Campbell, Apr. 6, 1938	Jesse Whitecotton, Dec. 10, 1944
President Emeritus, Allegheny Conf.	F. P. Kerst, Aug. 4, 1947
Charles Williams, Aug. 2, 1938	C. D. Patterson, Feb. 22, 1948
F. J. Davis, May 10, 1939	E. L. Dongell, May 26, 1948
Clinton Bard, Oct. 12, 1939	Elsie E. Moyer, June 26, 1948
Florence E. Salisbury, Jan. 3, 1940	W. H. Marvin, Nov. 22, 1950
W. A. Lawrence, Apr. 20, 1940	Sarah E. Redding, Dec. 7, 1950
Albert D. Fero, Jan. 4, 1942	Mildred Mae Barris, Jan. 7, 1953
A. E. Kerst, Dec. 3, 1942	D. B. Hampe, Aug. 25, 1954
C. B. Pugh, March 7, 1943	J. Robert Swauger, Sept. 23, 1955
G. W. Richardson, April 29, 1944	Fred DeCost, Oct. 2, 1955

Note: Two of the earliest Record Books having been lost, this record is incomplete.

# In Memoriam

of

## Dr. J. Robert Swauger



During the Conference year of 1927-28 there appeared in the Conference circle a young man who had just completed his work at Asbury College. Evidently he was dissatisfied with his church affiliation because of the drift toward liberalism prevailing in the denomination where he had pastored during his time of schooling, and was looking for a more congenial atmosphere wherein to pitch his spiritual tent. Having found a group of kindred spirit he joined the Sandy Lake church and from it received a recommendation to the Annual Conference of March 1928. This Conference was held at Templeton, Pennsylvania, where Sister Florence E. Heath (later Salisbury) was hostess pastor. Rev. Swauger had previously held a meeting for Sister Heath who had been favorably impressed, and hurried to proclaim this young man's worth to all and sundry.

Rev. Swauger was accepted by the Conference as readily as he had

been by Sister Heath. It seemed to be a case of 'Love at first sight' for both Rev. Swauger and the Conference. He had found his desired haven, and the spiritual fellowship for which he longed, and there he pitched his tent. The Conference of 1928 gladly accepted Rev. Swauger's recommendation and he was appointed as pastor to the Titusville church where he remained until 1932. His next appointment was the New Castle church where he served from June 1932 to December 1935 when he concluded his pastoral life to assume the presidency of the Conference.

Pointing up the completeness of Rev. Swauger's acceptance by the Conference and his devotion to duty we refer to these facts gleaned from the files of Conference Minutes. He was elected to the Conference Mission Board in 1929 and held this place until his elevation to the presidency in 1935. At this time also he was elected Tithing Secretary and filled this position for two years. He served as a faithful member of the Committee on Itineracy and Orders from 1931 to 1936 and held the Trustee's office from 1933 to 1944. He was a member of the Judiciary Committee for the year 1935. Beside these he served on various committees and other capacities of the Conference.

At the annual Session is June 1930 Rev. Swauger was elected to Elders Orders at Sandy Lake, Pennsylvania, Rev. F. R. Eddy preaching the Sermon. In 1931 the Conference elected him to the vice presidency. This also gave him a place on the President's Advisory Board. In both these offices he was serving on that fateful day in December 1935 when he was ushered into the highest office of the Conference by the tragic death of President A. L. White.

Rev. Swauger transferred his residence from New Castle to Sandy Lake soon after assuming presidential duties. From this quiet little borough he traveled the Conference, holding Quarterly meetings and diligently and faithfully filled all the duties and responsibilities devolving upon the president. At an early date he established the "Conference Messenger" which filled a very definite need in the Conference and continues still, enlarged and expanded. He initiated the "Pastor's Monthly Report" and other plans and efforts for advancement which are still bearing fruit. One of these was the establishment of the "Aid Fund." Under the Spirit led ministry of Rev. Swauger the Conference took on a spirit of advancement from which it has never lapsed.

At the General Conference of 1943 the Denomination recognized the faithfulness, fidelity and usefulness of Allegheny's president and elected him to the office of Home Missionary Secretary. With reluctance he resigned the presidency to assume the duties of the denominational office. He had faithfully served Allegheny from December 1935 to July 1943 as its president.

His work in the office of Home Missionary Secretary from 1943 to 1955 is a matter of official record and speaks as loudly of loyalty, fidelity and steadfastness to responsibility and duty as does his record of service within the Conference of his adoption. Though he was called to denominational labors he maintained his ministerial membership in the Conference unbroken and attended every session his official duties allowed. Allegheny owes a huge debt of gratitude to her adopted son, Dr. J. Robert Swauger, and delights to honor him with all honor worthy of a stalwart Servant of God.

Honorable mention is also due to our departed brother, Rev. Fred DeCost, who served faithfully in the pastorate of the Olive Hill church, West Virginia, from 1945 to 1955.

# Conference Roll

## CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL OF ELDERS WITH DAYS ATTENDED

I. F. McLeister	0	Claude Eshelman	1	Ada Chess	11
James F. Merrifield	5	William Leyshon	1	Delmar R. Kaufman	3
W. H. Armstrong	5	Clifford A. Hoiem	1	L. B. Owens	3
Alice J. McMillen	0	Ruth A. Hoiem	5	John J. Coon	3
Verna A. Clinefelter	0	Andrew J. West	0	C. R. McPherson	5
Jos. B. Markey	5	W. G. Steele	3	Lorman J. Elliott	5
Georgia Markey	5	W. N. Saunders	0	George Hawthorne	0
H. A. Markell	5	Donald P. Jones	2	Donald W. St. Clair	5
Oneida J. Gleason	5	William Plants	0	H. E. Yount	0
H. E. Robertson, Sr.	5	Gracia L. Fero	3	H. B. West	0
Charles C. Cross	5	Ivan B. Van Wormer	5	E. K. Himes	3
Edna Patterson	5	D. L. Robertson	1	H. E. Robertson, Jr.	5
C. E. Zike	0	E. DeWeerd Lupton	4	R. Willard Dunn	5
H. C. Van Wormer	5	I. D. Swinehart	2	B. C. Pollock	5
T. W. Comadoll	5	H. E. Schmul	5	Silas West	1
T. A. Robertson	5	Elizabeth Pugh	5	Sherman J. Beers	3
Charles A. West	5	Harry T. Reid	5	J. W. Hersman	2
Rex Brickell	1	E. Dale Brannon	2	Harry A. Kastle	0
C. H. Campbell	2	Harry A. Trimble	5	Francis E. Mansell	5
Ethel Enty	1	Winifred Trimble	5	Dr. Robert Benninger	0
H. N. Robinson	5	Charles Baker	4	John I. Rambo	0
T. O. McCracken	5	Walter R. Kopp	5	G. K. Donaldson	0
John L. Landrey	0	Guy E. Terpe	5	Frank B. Miller	5
Beulah K. Laundry	0	F. E. Satterfield	5	Roy J. Wade	5
Cecil E. Huntsman	5	R. L. Kuhn	5	Earl Smith	4
Mary Huntsman	5	J. C. Himes	2	Evangeline DeHass	4
Clyde A. Blair	5	C. L. Chess	5	Maurice L. Moore	4
J. W. Dentler	4	W. Henry Ortlip	0	Olive M. West	5
Catherine Carlson	5	D. M. Stonebraker	4	A. G. Carlson	5
Harold R. Waite	5	E. R. Barris	4	A. Mark Larson	5
Howard L. Speas	1	Eunice Comadoll	5	Reed Bennett	5
Ruth P. Saunders	0	Burton Golden	5	William C. Cessna	0
W. A. Robbie	4	Neva Golden	5	A. H. Elsey	5
Helen Dentler	0	Olin M. Pfautz	5	Marjorie Jones	0
Mamie Blankenship	5	George C. Kopp, Jr.	5	Charles Lincoln	5
Henry W. LeLear	4	Jack Benninger	5	Alberta Finnicum	5
Dale Holley	3	J. H. Cyphers	5	James Hogg	5
Robert F. Miller	1	H. Erwin Enty	1	Paul Betz	5
Paul D. Stonebraker	5	L. S. Burchfield	5	Steve Letoneck	5
C. L. Boston	5	Robert Cherry	4	Helen Letoneck	5
Wayne A. Spangler	5	Paul Rexrode	4		

## CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL OF CONFERENCE PREACHERS WITH DAYS ATTENDED

Hazel Jones	0	Ray Yoder	2	William Shank	4
Cecil Clifton	0	Frank Hicks	5	Roscoe Wilson	5
Alice Clifton	0	George Adamson	1	Elwood E. Hannold	5
J. Orlando Yount	0	June Adamson	1	Harry Gough	2
E. W. Brooks	3	Joseph Stephens	1	Constance Gough	2

Richard Terpe	1	Kenneth O. Brown	2	Glenn Elsey	5
Murray M. Maley	2	Raymond Huey	1	Robert Gordon	1
Harry L. Strait	2	Dean McIntire	3	David Robertson	5
C. A. Yarnell	5	Martin L. Wambach	1	Hazel Brannon	1
Irene Yount	0	Tresa Markel	1	Donald Harriff	5
Kenneth A. Brannon	2	Harold Markel	1	Donald Chess	1
Leona Speas	0	Ruth Giles	3	Richard Grubbs	0
Kenneth J. Hartley	2	Carl Johnston	0	Names Added this year:	
Paul Hetrick	4	George Christy	5	B. G. Blackburn	
Paul Halman	2	William Mydock	3	Olive M. Stonebraker	
Aletha Mae Cain	1	Sheridan Rainey	5	Josephine Patterson	
Ellis Yarnell	5	William Baker	4	William M. Cornell	
Willis Muir	4	Phyllis Kuhn	1	James J. McVey	
Paul West	0	Priscilla Kuhn	1		

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 ✓ Blankenship, Minnie, English, West Virginia  
 ✓ Boston, C. L. Cooperstown, Pa.  
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 ✓ Chess, Clarence L., Stoneboro, Pa.  
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 Comadoll, Eunice, R. D. 2, Utica, Pa.  
 Comadoll, T. W., R. D. 2, Utica, Pa.  
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 9.60



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- West, Charles A., Arcadia, Pa.
- West, Olive M., Arcadia, Pa.
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- ✓ Maley, Murray M., Shinnston, West Virginia
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- ✓ McVey, James J., New Waterford, Ohio
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- ✓ Patterson, Josephine, Clarksburg, West Virginia
- ✓ Rainey, Sheridan, 1119 Wilbeth Road, Akron, Ohio
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- ✓ Strait, Harry L., Robertsville, Pa.
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### CONFERENCE ROLL: DELEGATES WITH ADDRESSES

	Days present	Delegate	Delegate's Address
Akron, First .....	2	Louis Zaveson, 388 Theodore St., Akron, Ohio	
Akron, Grace .....	2	Hedwig Roan, 677 Sanford Ave., Akron 5, Ohio	
Akron, Kenmore .....	2	Mrs. Madge Fogle, 4017 East State Road, R. D. 10, Akron, Ohio	
Akron, Maple Valley ..	3	Pearl Hazel, 1490 Stimson St., Akron 20, Ohio	
Akron, McLeister ....	2	Mrs. Claudia Spurlin, 750 Hogue Avenue, Akron 10, Ohio	
Allida Smith Mem. ....	5	Robert Randall, R. D. 2, Meadville, Pa.	
Annandale .....	5	Mrs. Hugh Hickok, R. D. 4, Slippery Rock, Pa.	
Alliance .....	3	Mrs. Evelyn Gandee, 2083 Blenkeim Avenue, Alliance, Ohio	
	4	Martha Moore, R. D. 2, Alliance, Ohio	
Apollo .....	1	Shirley Aukerman, 706 Oak Hill Avenue, Apollo, Pa.	

	1	Mrs. Mildred Aukerman, 706 Oak Hill Avenue, Apollo, Pa.
Ashtabula .....	4	Loretta Carpenter, Ashtabula, Ohio
Ashville .....	3	Bertha Hilton, Ashville, New York
Barberton .....	5	Mrs. Ruth Humbel, 1107 Central Avenue, Barberton, Ohio
Barkley .....	5	Sam Green, Belsano, Pa.
Bethany .....	3	Eugene Guntrum, R. D. 3, Rimersburg, Pa.
Bethel .....	4	Mrs. Ella Wilson, R. D. 2, Fairview, W. Va.
Blue Eye Chapel .....	1	Kathryn Spoon, R. D. 1, Columbus, Pa.
Bluefield .....	5	Mrs. Stephen Hurt, Bluefield, W. Va.
Brown Hill .....	1	James Anthony, R. D. 1, Youngsville, Pa.
Brownsville .....	5	Lewis Hartman, R. D. 1, Fayette City, Pa.
Cabin Run .....	5	Miss Betty Wolfe, R. D. 1, New Creek Drive, Keyser, W. Va.
Canal .....	4	Grace Rough, R. D. 4, Cochran, Pa.
	4	Gladys Boughner, R. D. 2, Utica, Pa.
Canton, First .....	5	L. E. Ramsburg, 2003 St. Elmo Street, N. E., Canton, Ohio
Canton, Second .....	5	Myrtle Clow, 3035 Root Ave., N. E., Canton, O.
Carrollton .....	4	Mrs. Bessie Eckley, 332 2nd Street, N. E., Carrollton, Ohio
Cecil .....	2	Harley Maley, R. D. 3, Moatsville, W. Va.
Cleveland, First .....	5	George Kopp, Sr., 1750 Catalpa, Cleveland, O.
Cooperstown .....	0	E. J. Deeter, Cooperstown, Pa.
Cottage Hill .....	2	Hazel Burdard, Rimersburg, Pa.
Dixonville .....	5	Thankful Clawson, Marion Center, Pa.
East Clarksburg .....	5	Isea Armstrong, 14 Bailey St., Clarksburg, W. Va.
East Conneaut .....	5	Miss Evelyn Cole, R. D., Conneaut, Ohio
	1	W. C. Greenfield, 265 East Main Road, Conneaut, Ohio
English .....	5	Althea Blankenship, English, W. Va.
Erie .....	3	Mrs. Margaret Boyd, 845 East 29th Street, Erie, Pa.
Falconer .....	4	Mrs. Kenneth Norman, 225 Forest Avenue, Jamestown, N. Y.
Franklin .....	5	Jay Lour, R. D., Warren Road, Franklin, Pa.
	1	Ethel Robertson, R. D. 1, Franklin, Pa.
Greenfield .....	1	Kenneth Lindsey, R. D. 3, North East, Pa.
Greenville .....	3	Mrs. Mary Hobler, 141½ West Main Street, Greenville, Pa.
Greenwood-N. Salem ..	5	Mrs. Marion Barstow, R. D. 2, Cochran, Pa.
	5	Bernice Youngblood, R. D. 1, Greenville, Pa.
	5	Andrew Youngblood, R. D. 1, Greenville, Pa.
Hadley .....	4	Mrs. Evata McKean, R. D. 1, Hadley, Pa.
Hampe Memorial .....	5	Mrs. Edith Wilson, 856 Perry Rd., Tallmadge, Ohio
	5	Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, 1474 Southeast Avenue, Tallmadge, Ohio
Harbor .....	3	William Crosby, R. D. 1, Corry, Pa.
Hillsdale .....	2	Mrs. Margaret Huey, Gipsy, Pa.
Hartville .....	1	Luella Nichols, P. O. Box, Hartville, Ohio
Hillville .....	1	Joseph Rettig, R. D. 1, West Monterey, Pa.
Hooversville .....	3	Clarabelle Gindlesperger, Hooversville, Pa.
Indiana .....	5	Mrs. Mary Fetterman, Olive Street Ex., In-

		diana, Pa.
	1	Ney Brickell, Indiana, Pa.
Isabella	5	J. L. Stevenson, Isabella, Pa.
Johnstown	5	Arthur Miller, 164 Garfield St., Johnstown, Pa.
Keepville	5	Gladys Whippo, Conneautville, Pa.
Loyal Oak	5	Mrs. Don Frase, 3344 Hametown Road, Barberton, Ohio
Luciusboro	5	Mrs. Audrey Whitehair, R. D. 2, Homer City, Pa.
Massillon	5	W. E. DeHass, 723 Tremont Avenue, S. W., Massillon, Ohio
	5	Simon Glick, R. D. 1, Massillon, Ohio
	5	Matilda Spicker, 111 Lincoln Way, West, Massillon, Ohio
Meadville	5	Edwin Randall, Dunham Road, R. D., Meadville, Pa.
Mechanicsburg	5	Mrs. Carl Minich, R. D. 1, Hookstown, Pa.
Mentcle	5	Mary Thornton, Mentcle, Pa.
	5	Anita Foresi, Mentcle, Pa.
Merrifield Memorial	4	Mrs. Bessie Robbie, 310 Belleview Avenue, Fairmont, W. Va.
Middlefield	5	Mrs. Elizabeth Kohler, R. D. 3, Middlefield, O.
	1	D. B. Murphy, Burton, Ohio
Mount Calvary	5	Mrs. Gertrude Wingert, 307 W. Line Street, Minerva, Ohio
New Castle	5	Margret Vogan, New Castle, Pa.
Niles	4	Armia Brown, R. D., Warren, Ohio
	4	Edna Gifford, Robbins Avenue, Niles, Ohio
North Springfield	4	Geraldine Boughner, R. D. 2, Utica, Pa.
Nu Mine	5	Almeda Harkleroad, Rural Valley, Pa.
Oak Grove	2	Willis Rose, R. D. 1, Fredonia, Pa.
Oil City	5	Mary Neil, R. D. 4, Oil City, Pa.
	5	Marion Greenlee, R. D. 1, Hadley, Pa.
Olive Hill	2	Carol Croston, R. D. 1, Moatsville, W. Va.
Penn Run	4	Daniel Zack, R. D. 1, Blairsville, Pa.
Pine Grove	3	Wilma Spicher, Cherry Tree, Pa.
	5	Mamie Rank, Arcadia, Pa.
Pittsburgh, First	5	Mrs. Florence Luther, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Pittsfield	4	Janice Hazeltine, Pittsfield, Pa.
Pleasant View	5	Mary Shaner, Cherry Tree, Pa.
Princeton	2	Jack Kraft, Princeton, W. Va.
Punxsutawney	2	Mrs. Ethel Lott, R. D. 3, Punxsutawney, Pa.
Riverview	3	John Dye, R. D. 1, Rochester, Pa.
Robertsville	2	Florence Irwin, R. D. 1, East Canton, Ohio
Rochester	5	Dorothy Tuttle, 455 Penney St., Rochester, Pa.
	0	Dr. Lucile McMahan, 154 Monroe Street, Rochester, Pa.
Rock Run	4	Mrs. Bernice Gum, R. D. 2, West Union, W. Va.
Sagamore	3	Ralph Rummel, Plumville, Pa.
Sandy Lake	5	Nell Barker, Sandy Lake, Pa.
	3	Alma McDowell, Sandy Lake, Pa.
	5	Francis Stoops, Jackson Center, Pa.
Sarver	3	W. R. Smith, Sarver, Pa.
Smithport	4	Mrs. Ralph Lucas, R. D. 1, Glen Campbell, Pa.
Soldier	0	Enoch Yohe, Sykesville, Pa.
	0	Mrs. Enoch Yohe, Sykesville, Pa.

<b>Spruce Grove</b> .....	2	Robert Marsh, R. D. 1, Penn Run, Pa.
<b>Stewart Run</b> .....	0	John Handy, R. D. 1, Pleasantville, Pa.
	3	Rachel Dreyer, Tionesta, Pa.
<b>Tarentum</b> .....	1	Mrs. Edna Bouch, 726 Anchor St., Bracken- ridge, Pa.
<b>Tazewell</b> .....	3	Mrs. K. O. Brown, North Tazewell, Virginia
<b>Templeton, Col.</b> .....		No Delegate.
<b>Templeton, Zion</b> .....	5	Lillian Slagle, R. D. 1, Templeton, Pa.
<b>Titusville</b> .....	5	George Stone, 725 W. Spring Street, Titus- ville, Pa.
	5	Glenn Gifford, R. D. 2, Titusville, Pa.
	5	Ruth <sup>a</sup> Muir, R. D. 1, Tryonville, Pa.
	5	Frank Christy, R. D. 2, Spartansburg, Pa.
<b>Vanport</b> .....	1	Mrs. Carl Walker, R. D., Beaver, Pa.
	1	Mrs. Beulah Dorminey, R. D. 1, Beaver, Pa. West View
<b>Warren</b> .....	1	Dorothy Dunstan, 2026 N. Project Drive, War- ren, Ohio
<b>West Fairfield</b> .....	5	Mrs. Retta Stahlsmith, R. D. 1, Hadley, Pa.
<b>West Hill</b> .....	2	Leota Maley, R. D. 1, Simpson, W. Va.
<b>West Middlesex</b> .....	5	Mrs. Edith Sweesy, 431 Chestnut Street, West Middlesex, Pa.
<b>White Memorial</b> .....	5	W. H. Rosensteel, 547 Fourth Street, Struth- ers, Ohio
<b>Wilgus</b> .....	5	Mrs. Elizabeth Shields, R. D. 1, Glen Campbell, Pa.
<b>Wolf Summit</b> .....	3	Arlena Cummins, R. D. 1, Wolf Summit, W. Va.

# WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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Church Name	Location	Pastor's Phone Number
Nu Mine	Nu Mine, Pa. 13 miles west of Kittanning.	Rural Valley 2382
Oak Grove	Six miles west of Stoneboro, Pa., east of Fairview, one mile off Route 19. R. D. 4, Mercer, Pa.	Fredonia 2401
Oil City	40 Plummer Street, Oil City, Pa.	Oil City 64-352
Olive Hill	Phillipi, W. Va. Maridon Road to Chestnut Ridge Road at end of pavement keep right to church.	
Penn Run	Penn Run, Pa.	Indiana 57-705
Pine Grove	One mile east of Arcadia, Pa. (Indiana Co.)	
Pittsburgh, First	Ross and Center Streets (904 Center)	Wilkinsburg, Pittsburgh 21, Pa. Freemont 1-1611
Pittsfield	Pittsfield, Pa. On Route 27.	Youngsville 42-721
Pleasant View	Two and one-half miles from Barnesboro, Pa.	Barnesboro 8867R12
Punxsutawney	Lincoln and Cleveland Streets, Punxsutawney, Pa.	Punxsutawney 1300
Princeton	Highway Addition off Athens Road, Princeton, W. Va.	
Riverview	1820 West 8th Street, off Darlington Road, Beaver Falls, Pa.	Beaver Falls 8047
Robertsville	Robertsville, Ohio	Paris UN 23967
Rochester	New York Avenue and Webster Street, Rochester, Pa.	Spruce 5-3928
Rock Run	One mile east of West Union, W. Va., on Route 50, one mile left.	West Union 5841
Sagamore	Third Street, Sagamore, Pa. (Armstrong County)	Rural Valley 4088
Sandy Lake	Lake St., (Franklin Road) Sandy Lake, Pa.	Sandy Lake 3563
Zion	Three and one-half miles south of Sandy Lake, Pa. on Route 78	
Sarver	Sarver, Pa.	FL 32050
Smithport	Smithport, Pa. Near Glen Campbell, Indiana County	Glen Campbell-Viking 57881
Soldier	Two miles from Sykesville on Sykesville-Reynoldsville Road.	Sykesville-Twin Oaks 45296
Stewart Run	Five miles northeast of Tionesta, Pa., on Route 327	Tionesta 109R3
Tarentum	528 East 8th Avenue, Tarentum, Pa.	Tarentum AC4322
Tazewell	Hotel Avenue, Tazewell, Va.	Tazewell 454W1
Templeton Colored	Templeton, Pa.	Templeton 2244
Templeton, Zion	Templeton, Pa.	Titusville 39005
Titusville	106 Spruce Street, Titusville, Pa.	
Vanport	Vanport, Pa. Three Miles west of Rochester on Route 68	Spruce 4-6135
Warren	Corner Clermont and Elm Streets, N. E. Warren, Ohio.	State Route 5. Warren 57-962
West Fairfield	Four and one-half miles north of Sheakleyville, Pa., on Route 19, two miles east on gravel road.	Sheakleyville 2452
West Hill	Route 119, five miles south of Grafton, W. Va., one mile north on dirt road.	Shinnston 870J3
West Middlesex	South Street, West Middlesex, Pa.	West Middlesex 9420
White Memorial	Fifth and Lincoln Streets, Struthers, Ohio	Youngstown-Plaza 5-4820
Wilgus	Wilgus, Pa. 3 miles northwest of Hillsdale, Indiana County.	Glen Campbell-Viking 5-7644
Wolf Summit	Wolf Summit, W. Va.	Clarksburg 2-2920

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

## PIONEER MISSION CHURCHES

Church Name	Location	Pastor's Phone Number
<b>Butler</b>	North Butler, Pa. East Brady Street to N. Butler.	Butler 32-984
<b>Ebenezer</b>	Abb's Valley, W. Va.	Tazewell, Virginia 454W1
<b>Hubbard</b>	9 East Liberty Street, Hubbard, Ohio	
<b>Jamestown</b>	Jamestown, Pa.	Jamestown 2587
<b>Lakeview</b>	Corner Old Home and Ewart Roads, Akron, Ohio.	
		Akron ST 4-8582
<b>North Canton Tabernacle</b>	Charlotte Street, North Canton, Ohio	
		Canton-HY 95969
<b>Salem</b>	545 West Pershing, Salem, Ohio	Edgewood 7-6818
<b>Sherrodsville</b>	Sherrodsville, Ohio	
<b>Conference President's Telephone Number</b>		Titusville 34-271
<b>Conference Vice President's Telephone Number</b>		Titusville 5-1391
<b>Conference Pioneer Secretary's Telephone Number</b>		Damascus, Ohio
		Jerome 7-3364
<b>Stoneboro Campgrounds Office</b>		Stoneboro 4135
<b>Stoneboro Camp Caretaker's Telephone Number</b>		Stoneboro 4502



# Journal of Daily Proceedings

## THE OFFICIAL RECORD

**First Day—June 5, Tuesday A. M.**

The Allegheny Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America convened for its one hundred thirteenth annual session at the Campgrounds of the Wesleyan Methodist Camp Meeting Association, Stoneboro, Pennsylvania, at 9:00 a.m., June 5, 1956. The session was called to order by president H. C. Van Wormer. Singing led by Jos. B. Markey. Prayer by T. O. McCracken. Devotional by Clyde A. Blair, closed by prayer around the altar led by T. W. Comadoll and F. E. Mansell.

**Roll Call**—Credentials Chairman reported receiving 111 Delegate's. Credentials from 86 charges. (9 Charges unreported.) Response to roll call was 56 Elders, 18 Conference Preachers and 61 Delegates.

**Bar of Conference determined**—The Platform and first twelve seats in two center sections.

**Report**—Conference Nominating Committee read and adopted. (See Report No. 26.)

**Conference Pages appointed**—Sheridan Rainey and Frank Miller.

**Reporters appointed**—Francis Mansell and R. Willard Dunn.

**Time of Meetings determined**—Open at 8:00 a. m. and close at 11:45 a. m. Open at 1:15 p. m. and close by vote.

**Report**—Conference Nominating Committee read and adopted. (See Religious Services.)

By motion the price of Minutes for sale on the Conference floor set at 25 cents each.

**Report**—Nominating Committee, correctional, read and adopted. (See Report No. 26.)

Motion carried to elect a Committee on Recognition to consider appropriate recognition of 25 years service record of the Secretary. Referred to Committee on Nominations.

**Order of Day determined**—Election of Conference Officers to be at 10:00 a. m. Wednesday.

**Report**—Credentials Committee roll correction read and adopted. Names placed on roll and called. Four of five responded.

Vice President called to the chair. Name of President, H. C. Van Wormer called, character passed and report read. Financial Item XI referred to the Auditing Committee. Item VIII referred to the Boundaries Committee. Balance of report approved by vote. (See Report No. 1.)

The President returned to the chair.

**Report**—Vacancy Committee read and approved. (See Report No. 24.)

Names Called, character passed and reports given—W. H. Armstrong, (Vice President called to the chair.) C. C. Cross, James F. Merrifield, W. A. Robbie, Guy E. Terpe, W. G. Steele, F. B. Miller, A. Mark Larson, H. A. Trimble, Sheridan Rainey, Harry T. Reid, T. W. Comadoll, Clyde A. Blair, Maurice L. Moore.

**Report**—Pension Treasurer read and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 19)

Adjourned by limitation. Benediction by Steve Letonek.

**First Day—June 5, Tuesday P. M.**

Opened at 1:15 p. m. with singing led by Jos. E. Markey. Prayer by



A. Mark Larson. Devotional Message by C. C. Cross. Prayer by H. R. Waite.

**Roll Call**—59 Elders, 18 Conference Preachers, 74 Delegates.

**Report**—Credentials Committee, correctional and additional, read and adopted. Names placed on roll and called. Two of three responded.

**Report**—Conference Treasurer read and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 30)

**Report**—Mission Board Nomination Committee read nominations for Mission Board which were approved. (See Report No. 6)

**Report**—Board of Trustees read and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 16)

Petition read by G. E. Terpe for appointment of a Committee to study the Foreign Mission situation, discussed, and by motion was passed by ballot vote. H. E. Schmul, Sheridan Rainey, L. S. Burchfield and Robert Cherry were appointed tellers. The ballot was 109 yes and 30 no. (See Report No. 25)

**Report**—Aid Fund Treasurer read and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 17)

Name called, character passed and report given—C. E. Huntsman.

Vice President called to the chair.

**Report**—Stoneboro Camp Meeting President read and accepted. (See Report No. 23)

**Report**—Publications Committee read and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 21)

Names called, character passed and reports read—H. E. Schmul, L. J. Elliott, Ellis Yarnell, H. A. Markell, H. E. Robertson, Sr., C. A. West.

**Report**—Sunday School Secretary read and adopted by vote. (See Report No. 9)

Names continued—Edna Patterson, H. N. Robinson, Roy J. Wade, H. E. Robertson, Jr., A. H. Elsey, Mamie Blankenship, Jos. B. Markey, Georgia Markey, T. O. McCracken.

Minutes read and approved.

Adjourned by motion. Benediction by C. R. McPherson.

### Second Day—June 6, Wednesday, A. M.

Singing led by David Robertson. Prayer by Sheridan Rainey. Devotional message by R. Willard Dunn.

**Roll Call**—67 Elders, 24 Conference Preachers, 79 Delegates.

**Report**—Credentials Committee, correctional and additional read and accepted. Names placed on roll and called. Six responded.

**Presentation**—Dr. Roy S. Nicholson, Denominational President and Representative. He was accorded an honorary seat within the Conference Bar.

**Report**—Group Life Insurance and Blue Cross Secretary-Treasurer read and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 18)

**Report**—Sale of Conference Minutes read and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 22)

**Report**—Boundaries Committee (Princeton Church) read and adopted. (See Report No. 8)

**Report**—Pioneer Secretary read and financial item referred to the Auditing Committee. Balance of report accepted. (See Report No. 10)

**Report**—Secretary of Evangelism read and accepted. (See Report No. 11)

Name of Vice President, T. A. Robertson, called, character passed

and report read. Financial Item referred to the Auditing Committee and the balance of report adopted. (See Report No. 1-B)

**Report**—Conference Mission Board read and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 5)

**Presentation**—Dr. Stephen W. Paine, Houghton College President. and Rev. J. Walter Tysinger, Houghton Academy President.

**Report**—N. A. E. Delegate, Rev. Charles C. Cross, read and accepted. (See Report No. 7)

By motion election of Delegate to the next N. A. E. Convention at Buffalo, New York, was authorized.

Names called, character passed and reports read—Paul Halman, George Adamson, June Adamson.

**Order of Day**—10:00 a. m. Election of Conference Officers—Tellers appointed; First team—H. E. Schmul, Captain, Sheridan Rainey, Paul Halman, Robert Cherry. Second team—Jack Benninger, Captain, Glenn Elsey, C. L. Boston, Charles Lincoln. Ballot cast for President.

By common consent tellers retired to tally while Conference continued with routine business.

Names called, character passed and reports given—Constance Gough, Harry Gough, L. S. Burchfield, F. E. Satterfield, Steve Letonek, Helen Letonek.

**Report**—Nominating Committee, additional, (Recognition Committee) read and accepted. (See Report No. 26)

**President Elected**—H. C. Van Wormer, 165 of 168 ballots on first voting.

Ballot cast for Vice President.

Names Continued—Alberta Finnicum, John J. Coon, Roscoe Wilson.

**Vice President Elected**—T. A. Robertson, 154 of 167 ballots, first voting.

Ballot cast for Secretary.

Names Continued—Glenn Elsey, R. L. Kuhn, A. G. Carlson, Reed Bennett.

**Secretary Elected**—Jos. B. Markey, 163 of 168 ballots, first voting.

Ballot cast for Pioneer Secretary, the name of C. R. McPherson having been placed in nomination by the Mission Board.

Assistant Secretary F. B. Miller, nominated by Secretary-elect and approved by acclamation.

Names Continued—John J. Coon, D. L. Robertson, Ethel Enty, H. Erwin Enty.

**Pioneer Secretary Elected**—C. R. McPherson, 144 of 158 ballots, first voting.

Ballot cast for Lay Trustee.

Recessed to the call of the Chair.

### Second Day—June 6, Wednesday, P. M.

Singing led by David Robertson. Prayer by Roy J. Wade. Devotional message by H. A. Markell.

**Roll Call**—Omitted by common consent.

**Order of Day**—To hear Educational Representative. Singing "Sweet Hour of Prayer," led by David Robertson. Dr. Paine presented Rev. J. Walter Tysinger, Houghton Academy President, who spoke to the Conference of Academy interests. Dr. Paine spoke of Houghton College interests and closed by prayer.

**Lay Trustee Elected**—Homer Waid, 145 of 153 ballots, first voting.

Names called, character passed and reports given—Wayne A. Spangler, Howard L. Speas, Leona Speas, J. H. Cyphers, Paul Stonebraker, E. W. Brooks, Henry LeLear, Olin M. Pfautz, Willis Muir, (The Vice President was called to the chair.) Earl Smith, Evangeline DeHass, Elizabeth Pugh, (President returned to the Chair.) J. C. Himes.

By motion recessed at 3:15 p. m. to the call of the chair.

### Third Day—June 7, Thursday A. M.

Singing led by David Robertson. Prayer by H. A. Trimble, Devotional message by A. G. Carlson.

**Roll Call**—65 Elders, 26 Conference Preachers, 91 Delegates.

**Report**—Credentials Committee, additional and correctional, read and adopted. Names placed on roll and called. Two of four responded.

Ballot cast for Ministerial Trustee.

**Report**—Religious Services Committee amending Order of Day read and approved. (See Religious Services)

**Appointed**—Committee to study Foreign Mission Situation—Guy E. Terpe, Chairman, C. A. Blair, T. O. McCracken, R. Willard Dunn to represent the Conference. Dr. Robert Benninger, Oneida J. Gleason, Eunice Comadoll to represent the Missionary Society.

**Report**—Holiness District Chairmen—Indiana District, New Castle District, Akron District and West Virginia District read and accepted. (See Report No. 27)

**Report**—Secretary of Education read and accepted. (See Report No. 12)

**Trustee Elected**—A. G. Carlson, 163 of 168 ballots first voting.

Names called, character passed and reports given—Jack Benninger, William Shank, K. J. Hartley, Burton Golden, Frank Hicks, Dale Holley, E. Dale Brannon.

**Presentation**—Rev. and Mrs. Ferdinand Witthuhn, Haiti Missionaries and Rev. James J. McVey, Emmanuel Missionary who is Pioneering in East Liverpool, Ohio.

Names continued—Charles Baker, J. W. Hersman, Claude Eshelman, H. R. Waite, Wm. Leyshon, D. M. Stonebraker, M. M. Maley, F. E. Mansell, Paul Betz, James Hogg, (Vice President called to the chair.) E. D. Lupton, D. P. Jones, Marjorie Jones, L. B. Owens.

Appreciation for W. H. Armstrong who is superannuating, expressed by T. O. McCracken. Conference joined in this by a rising vote.

**Order of Day**—To hear the Conference Sermon. (See notes in Religious Services.)

### Third Day—June 7, Thursday, P. M.

David Robertson led singing. Devotional message by E. D. Lupton who closed by prayer.

**Roll Call**—Omitted by common consent.

**Report**—Auditing and Finance Committee on Treasurer's Report read and approved. (See Report No. 4)

Ballot cast for Treasurer.

**Report**—Holiness District Chairman Titusville District read and accepted. (See Report No. 27)

**Report**—Child Evangelism Secretary read and accepted. (See Report No. 13)

Name called, character passed and report given—J. W. Dentler.

**Treasurer Elected**—A. G. Carlson, 149 of 151 ballots, first voting.

Willis Muir appointed to teller's team to fill vacancy.

Ballot cast for Ministerial Representative of Houghton College Board, the Committee having placed in nomination the name of Guy E. Terpe.

Name continued—B. C. Pollock.

**Houghton College Representative Elected**—Guy E. Terpe, 140 of 155 ballots, first voting. Term of four years (1960).

The name of R. W. Dunn was placed in nomination by the Committee for Alternate Representative on Houghton College Board, and ballot cast.

The Vice President was called to the chair, the President retiring for Committee work.

Names continued—Ada Chess, C. L. Boston, Gracia L. Fero.

**Alternate Ministerial Representative for Houghton College Elected**—

R. Willard Dunn, 148 of 166 ballots, first voting. Term of four years (1960.)

W. E. DeHass nominated by Committee for Alternate Representative on Houghton College Board. Ballots cast of Alternate Lay Representative.

Names continued—Aletha Mae Cain, W. R. Kopp, Silas West.

**Report: Dining Hall Superintendent**—read and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 20)

**Alternate Lay Representative Elected**—W. E. DeHass, 142 of 144 ballots, first voting. Term of two years (1958.)

Names continued—E. O. Hannold, William Mydock, Robert Cherry, E. R. Barris, Kenneth O. Brown. (On motion Mrs. K. O. Brown was seated as delegate from Tazewell) Ruth Giles, W. L. Baker, Paul Rex-rode, Sherman J. Beers, Paul Hetrick, C. A. Yarnell, D. R. Kaufman.

Minutes read and approved.

Adjourned by motion. Benediction by special prayer in behalf of Rev. C. A. Yarnell and wife.

#### Fourth Day—June 8, Friday, A. M.

Devotional in charge of ladies of the W.M.S. Singing led by Erma Blair. Devotional message by Harold Markel, Kentucky Mountain missionary. Prayer by Catharine Carlson.

**Roll Call**—68 Elders, 31 Conference Preachers, 92 Delegates.

**Report**—Credentials Committee, additional, adopted. Name placed on roll and called.

**Order of the Day**—To hear the Denominational Representative, Dr. Roy S. Nicholson, President of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America, speak on "Wesleyan Methodism's Major Problems," stressing the need of Brother Love among us. Prayer around the altar led by H. R. Waite.

Name called, character passed and report given—Oneida J. Gleason.

**Presentation**—Rev. McCreary, Pastor New Castle Free Methodist Church.

**Report: Committee on Foreign Missions**, partial, read and adopted. (See Report No. 28)

**Report**—Resolutions Committee read and approved by vote. (See Report No. 23)

**Report**—Credentials Committee additional. Adopted. Name placed on roll and called.

Motion by R. W. Dunn carried, that the Conference Stationery Order be awarded by the Publications Committee to Gene Swinehart for delivery as soon after Conference as possible.

Names called, character passed and reports given—R. W. Dunn, C. R. McPherson, Ruth Hoiem, Clifford A. Hoiem, E. K. Himes, Catharine Carlson, Ivah B. Van Wormer, Winifred Trimble, Eunice Comadoll. (The

vice president took the chair.) Neva Golden, Olive West, C. H. Campbell, Harold Markel, Tresa Markel, I. D. Swinehart.

Adjourned by limitation. Benediction by H. A. Markell.

#### Fourth Day—June 8, Friday, P. M.

Singing led by David Robertson. Prayer by William Mydock. Tithing message by Tithing Secretary F. E. Mansell.

**Roll Call**—Omitted by common consent.

**Report**—Credentials Committee, additional, read and adopted. Name placed on roll and called.

**Report**—Committee on Itineracy and Orders recommending to Elders (Orders, Adopted by Disciplinary vote. (See Report No. 2)

The Vice President was called to the chair.

Names called, character passed and reports given—Martha L. Wambach, George Christy, Harvey E. Yount, Irene Yount, reported by Delegate George C. Kopp, Sr. (The President returned to the chair.) Dean McIntire.

**Report**—Pastoral Relations Committee, first reading. (See Report No. 3)

By motion recessed by Re-organization of Holiness Districts.

Recalled to order by the Chair.

**Report**—Re-organization of Holiness Districts—All Districts reported re-organization which was approved. (See Report No. 27)

**Sunday School Secretary**—T. O. McCracken nominated and elected.

**Tithing Secretary**—F. E. Mansell nominated and elected.

**Secretary of Evangelism**—H. E. Schmul nominated and elected.

**Secretary of Education**—R. Willard Dunn nominated and elected.

**Secretary of Child Evangelism**—Ruth Giles nominated by Sunday School Board and elected.

**Burial Association Secretary**—E. R. Barris nominated and elected.

**Sunday School Board**—Nominated by Sunday School Secretary-elect, C. A. Blair for two years, H. E. Schmul for one year. Nominations approved.

**Advisory Board**—T. A. Robertson, Elder, Eber Messner, Layman, nominated by President and approved by vote.

**Vacancy Committee**—I. D. Swinehart, C. C. Cross, H. N. Robinson, Elders nominated and elected. Layman Robert Randall and Eber Messner nominated and elected.

**Judiciary**—Elders, T. A. Robertson, T. W. Comadoll, H. R. Waite, R. W. Dunn nominated and elected.

**Elders Orders Committee Member**—nominated by Committee, C. A. Blair. Nomination approved. Term of four years.

**Auditing and Finance Committee**—E. D. Lupton, R. W. Dunn, T. O. McCracken nominated and elected.

**Sale of Conference Minutes**—Lorman J. Elliott, nominated and elected.

**Statistical Chairman**—Jack Benninger and George Christy nominated. Benninger's name withdrawn. George Christy elected.

**Pension Plan Committee**—T. W. Comadoll nominated and elected.

**Sub-Treasurers**—nominated by Districts and elected as follows: **Akron District**—W. H. Garrett. **Indiana District**—Thankful Clawson. **New Castle District**—Edith Sweesy. **Titusville District**—Donald W. St. Clair. **West Virginia District**—Helen Spencer.

**Group Insurance Secretary-Treasurer**—E. D. Lupton nominated and elected.

**Pension Fund Treasurer**—T. W. Comadoll, nominated and elected.

**Delegate to N.A.E. Convention**—Charles C. Cross nominated and elected.

**Report**—Recognition Committee read and approved by vote. (See Report No. 29)

**Report**—Tithing Secretary read and accepted. (See Report No. 15)

R. W. Dunn presented interests of Houghton Academy and Salem Bible School.

Names called, character passed and reports given—Phyllis Kuhn, Priscilla Kuhn, Robert Miller, K. A. Brannon, Hazel Brannon, David Robertson, B. G. Blackburn, Rex Brickell, C. L. Chess.

Minutes read, corrected and approved. Benediction by I. D. Swinehart.

**Fifth Day—June 9, Saturday, A. M.**

Singing led by David Robertson. Prayer by H. E. Robertson, Sr. Devotional message by Harold E. Schmul.

**Roll Call**—71 Elders, 37 Conference Preachers, 73 Delegates.

**Report**—Burial Association Secretary read and approved. (See Report No. 14)

**Report**—Pastoral Relations Committee second reading. Advanced to third reading and adopted. (See Report No. 3)

**Report**—Auditing and Finance Committee, first reading, partial. (See Report No. 4)

**Report**—Statistics read and adopted by rising vote of thanks. (See Report No. 31)

**Report**—Committee on Itineracy and Orders read. Item 12 returned to the Committee and balance of report adopted. (See Report No. 2)

Names called, character passed and reports given—Donald Chess, Donald Hariff, Robert Gordon, Ray Yoder, Charles Lincoln, Harry Strait.

Motion offered by W. G. Steele requiring every Minister to fill character blanks in duplicate, lost.

Motion that Character Committee be made a Standing Committee ruled out of order.

The Secretary read the names of 14 Elders and 5 Conference Preachers reporting to the Conference by letter. By vote the Secretary was instructed to make proper reply to the same.

**Delegate to N.H.A. Convention**—H. N. Robinson nominated and elected.

Adjourned by motion. Benediction by Jack Benninger.

**Fifth Day—June 9, Saturday, P. M.**

Singing led by C. A. Hoiem. Kenneth O. Brown prayed. Burial Association Secretary, E. R. Barris spoke in interest of the Association.

**Roll Call**—Omitted by common consent.

**Report**—Auditing and Finance Committee final reading. Adopted by vote. (See Report No. 4)

By motion all unfinished or overlooked business left in the hands of the President and Advisory Board.

Sine Die adjournment by motion. Benediction by H. R. Waite.

H. C. Van Wormer, President  
Jos. B. Markey, Secretary

# Religious Services

The Committee on Religious Services outlined a program of worship for the entire session. Programs were prepared, mimeographed and mailed to the pastors. The following Orders of the Day were recommended:

1. The Conference Sermon, 10:30 a. m. Thursday, Dr. Roy S. Nicholson to be the speaker.
2. The Educational Representative to be heard immediately after Roll Call Wednesday afternoon.
3. The Denominational Representative to be heard Thursday afternoon after Roll Call.
4. The Order of the Day for Thursday afternoon be advanced to Friday morning after Roll Call.

H. C. Van Wormer, Chairman

Each meeting of the session was preceded by a devotional period. An early morning Prayer Session was observed each morning from 6:15 a. m. to 7:00 a. m. Rev. A. H. Elsey was Prayer Meeting leader and Rev. David L. Robertson was Conference Song Leader.

**Monday 7:30 p.m.**—Singing led by Jos. B. Markey. A stirring message by Rev. Harry T. Reid, Punxsutawney pastor.

**Tuesday 7:30 p.m.**—Singing led by David Robertson. Sermon by Rev. H. E. Robertson, Sr., General Evangelist of the Conference.

**Wednesday 7:30 p. m.**—Message of Rev. Henry W. Lelear, General Evangelist. A good response to an altar call.

**Thursday 10:30 a.m.**—The Conference Sermon. Singing, "I Will Praise Him," led by David Robertson. Prayer by H. N. Robinson. Sermon by Dr. Roy S. Nicholson, Denominational President. Scripture cited, Exodus 14:13-15. Text, "Go ye into ALL the world." Subject, "The Church's Expansion Program." This was a challenging message for advancement. Benediction by F. E. Satterfield.

**Thursday 7:30 p.m.**—Singing led by David Robertson, Prayer by layman Lester Chess. Message by Donald P. Jones, Conference General Evangelist.

**Friday 7:30 p.m.**—Meeting in charge of the ladies of the Woman's Missionary Society. (See their Minutes for notes.)

**Saturday 7:30 p.m.**—Sunday School Secretary T. O. McCracken was in charge of this service. Singing led by R. L. Kuhn. Prayer by C. A. Blair. Solo by Shirley Albright. Offering. Solo by Richard Lupton. Short message by Jack Benninger, Isabella Pastor. R. L. Kuhn led Choruses. H. E. Robertson, Jr., Oak Grove pastor, spoke. Duet, Myra and Louise Lupton. C. L. Boston, Cooperstown pastor brought the closing message.

**Sunday 9:00 a.m.**—Sunday School in the Young People's Tabernacle in charge of Conference Sunday School Secretary, T. O. McCracken.

**Sunday 9:00 a.m.**—Love Feast in large tabernacle in charge of E. K. Himes.

**Sunday 10:00a.m.: Ordination**—Singing led by Jos. B. Markey. Prayer by Charles C. Cross. Evangelists and Special Workers were presented to the Conference by vice president T. A. Robertson. Duet, "More of this Love," Jos. B. Markey and Marilyn Baker. Sermon by Dr. Roy S. Nicholson who used I Corinthians 9:16 as a basis for the message, "The Burden of the Lord, The Minister's True Credentials."

President H. C. Van Wormer officiated at the Ordination, being assisted by Elders R. W. Dunn, C. E. Huntsman, Catharine Carlson, H. A.

Markell, T. O. McCracken and T. W. Comadoll. Secretary Jos. B. Markey read the Roll of Candidates, presenting them to the president for the Ordination Service. Those to be ordained were: L. S. Burchfield, Robert Cherry, Paul Rexrode, Charles Lincoln, Alberta Finnicum, James Hogg, Paul Betz, Steve Letonek, and Helen Letonek. The President gave the "Charge," and Dr. Nicholson conferred the "Authority." The President offered the "Right Hand of Fellowship," and the Secretary presented "Parchments." Wives and husband of the candidates were consecrated as "Help meets" in this service.

**Sunday 2:15 p.m.**—Pioneer Service in charge of Rev. C. R. McPherson, Pioneer Secretary.

**Sunday 6:00 p.m.**—Memorial Service directed by the Committee on Memoirs, Charles C. Cross, Chairman. Jos. B. Markey and E. D. Lupton spoke in memory of Rev. J. R. Swauger. D. W. St. Clair and Georgia Markey spoke for Rev. Fred DeCost. Honorable mention was made of Sister Bernice Davis.

**Sunday 7:00 p.m.**—Young People's Service in charge of Conference W.Y.P.S. President, H. E. Schmul, featuring speaking by several of the young preachers of the Conference.



# Standing Resolutions

1. A Committee on Auditing and Finance, consisting of three ministerial members, the Chairman being an Elder, shall be elected each year, the duties of which shall be to examine and report on the Treasurer's books and all the financial reports, except the W.M.S. and Y.M.W.B., and to be a Standing Committee to advise on financial plans.

2. All persons received into membership in the churches of our Conference excepting those whose life of Christian fidelity has been of sufficient long standing, shall be received at first as associate members only.

3. When it becomes necessary for a church to call a pastor, it shall be the duty of the calling church to make provision for the expense incurred by the pastor in removing to the new field of labor. Money raised for this purpose shall NOT be applied on the pastor's salary. When an Elder is elected to the Conference Presidency, expenses incurred in moving to the Conference Parsonage, shall be paid from the Conference Treasury.

4. The Conference Sunday shall be the closing Sunday of Conference year, and the out-going pastor shall be paid his salary for that Sunday by the charge he is leaving.

5. At the beginning of the Conference session the president shall appoint a Nominating Committee of not less than three members, two Elders and one Layman to bring to the Conference a slate of Nominations for Committees, etc., for the Conference Temporary Organization. Delegates Credentials shall be mailed to the Secretary not later than ten days before the convening of Conference. The Secretary shall be Chairman of the Credentials Committee and shall compile the Roll of Delegates from the regularly filled Credentials received.

6. No person shall be received into membership in Allegheny Conference until he shall have properly filled out an application blank, which application together with recommendations of his references must pass the approval of the President and his Advisory Board. Exceptions to this rule may be made by the President and his Advisory Board when they deem best.

7. The pastor of any church in the Conference shall be free to hold at least one revival meeting during the year, wherever he sees fit, and it is recommended that his salary be paid to him while he is absent.

8. Each pastor shall send a monthly report on the blank provided, to the Conference President showing the progress and the state of the work under his care.

9. Each church may elect a Nominating Committee whose duty it shall be to nominate candidates for church officers for presentation to the church at the time of the annual election of officers. Such nominations shall not exclude other nominations at the time of the business meeting.

10. Churches having business with the Conference Board of Trustees requiring a visit of that body to their church, shall be responsible for the expense attached to such calls, unless released by the board.

11. Inasmuch as trial sermons are hardly fair to the church or candidate and since the practice of having trial sermons is contrary to the usual manner of locating preachers, we recommend that no preacher shall accept any such invitation, if given. Exceptions to this rule may be granted by the Conference President upon request of any church.

12. Since considerable expense of transferring automobile title and license attends the moving of a pastor from one state to another, we recommend that where possible the calling church bear this expense.

13. We recommend that all districts emphasize Sunday School activity, and that Conventions be arranged for in conjunction with the visitation of the Conference Sunday School Secretary, who shall visit one Convention of each District during the year, at Convention expense.

14. We recommend that no one be elected to Elders Orders who does not have an abiding sense of divine call to give himself wholly to the function and ministry of an Elder in the WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH, and that no one shall be ordained to this office and work who is not applying himself wholly to this one thing in cares and studies, and clearly determining by God's grace to give himself wholly to this holy ministry, if possible, long before the appointed day of ordination, and manifesting such a determination of faithful Christian service to the church or congregation whom he was called to serve during his years of preparation, so that as much as lieth in him, he has and will apply himself wholly to the work of the ministry, except in all cases of absolute necessity of such diversions to a legitimate avocation for livelihood which neither jeopardizes the Lord's work nor blames the ministry.

15. We recommend that each church equip its parsonage with the necessary heating and cooking equipment, because of the variation of requirements in this equipment for the individual parsonage.

16. We recommend that in election of local Church Advisory Committee each church permit the pastor to nominate the members of this Committee.

17. The Conference Secretary, as Chairman, with the Conference President shall be a Standing Committee on Publications, whose duty it shall be to examine all matters pertaining to Conference printing and publications, and let contracts for same.

18. All churches shall have a systematic means of keeping records, as required by Discipline, Paragraph No. 74. The "Ideal Church Record" published by the Bethel Publishing Company, Elkhart, Ind., is a suggested form.

19. Local church treasurer's books shall close April 30, thus making the Conference fiscal year from May 1, to April 30. All funds received after this date shall be counted in the following year. Funds will be credited on Sub-Treasurer's books if received by May 5.

To meet the requirements of Paragraph 164 of the Discipline regarding revision of the Roll of membership, April 30, may be considered the close of the Conference year for Statistical purpose.

20. Minister's Pocket Credentials shall be issued annually to Elders and Conference Preachers who are eligible.

21. Since the use of the wedding ring is not in accord with the standards of our church, we therefore, as a Conference, disapprove of our ministers performing or taking part in the ring ceremony.

22. The pastoral vote shall be taken on each charge on the second Sunday in April. When it is the desire of the church to vote on a week night, it will be done sometime during the week previous to the designated Sunday. Permission to vote on another Sunday may be obtained from the President and the Advisory Board.

23. Each church shall allow their pastor a reasonable vacation with pay to be taken at his convenience. Two weeks is suggested.

# Reports

## Report No. 1

### THE CONFERENCE PRESIDENT

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

To the members of the 113th Annual Session of the Allegheny Conference here assembled, Greetings in the name of Him who said, "Fear not; behold I am the First and the Last; I am He that liveth, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive forevermore, Amen; and have the keys of hell and of death." (Rev. 1:17b, 18.)

"Up from the grave he arose,

With a mighty triumph o'er His foes;

He arose a victor from the dark domain,

And He lives forever with His saints to reign—

He arose! He arose! Hallelujah, Christ arose!"

What a message this is to people who are wondering what is going to happen in this weary and sin-cursed earth! Only Christ has the answer! Again, the time of our meeting together on this sacred hill-top is in a perilous and troublesome age. We live in a difficult and hectic time. We live in the tensest, fastest, noisiest and yet in some ways the most enlightened period of the world's history. Everything is stepped up to a frenzied, jet-propelled pace.

Then, it is a serious age because of the vast movements and counter-movements of power-politics, the discoveries and advancements of science, the intellectualism and spiritual retrogression in the field of scholarship, and the selfishness and godlessness of the common man. When we consider how Christ is blasphemed openly, when we glance at our morning papers and see the headlines which portray a drink-dulled, sex-obsessed, dope-crazed civilization bent on destroying itself as fast as it can, when we observe how the vulnerable youth of our land subjected to godlessness and filth in their schooling and recreation and when we detect the rapidly growing apostasy of the church, we realize the seriousness of our age. The phenomena that are described in the third chapter of Paul's second letter to Timothy, peculiarities that will attend the last days, are prominent in every day's news: blasphemy, disobedience, unholiness, false accusations, cruelty, hatred of good, love of pleasure, godliness in form but void of power, and the like.

It is a time of terrible Satanic opposition. "A growing number of mission board executives are becoming concerned at the Satanic opposition to the Gospel on the field. Sickness, mental breakdowns, outbreaks of violent nationalism are one form of harassment. Accidents, professional jealousies, doctrinal disputes, misunderstandings among personnel crop up with alarming regularity. The intensity of the attacks is the alarming part. Then, at home, pastors and Christian leaders report that a strange wave of frustration and discouragement is afflicting some of the most spiritual people." (Taken from Christian Life.)

Trends of future events are serious and critical. The December Intelligence Digest said, "No generation has ever lived at a more critical time. None has even seen anything approaching what this one will shortly witness. . . . Watch, watch at all cost—the Middle East; for in that area events without historic precedent are about to occur. For those events it would be wise to make preparation. The climax will come in the Middle East."

At the 1955 International Congress on Prophecy held in New York

City, Dr. Wilbur Smith of the Fuller Theological Seminary, a profound Bible scholar and expositor and noted author, in a keenly discerning sermon on the theme: "The Kings of the East," outlined five significant movements that today are converging simultaneously and rapidly toward the consummation of our present age of grace. These are: (1) The movement toward the establishment of a World Government; (2) the establishment of the State of Israel; (3) the aggressive and onward sweep of Russia toward her declared goal of world domination; (4) the rapid deepening apostacy within the professing church; (5) the awakening of the backward peoples of the East to nationalistic consciousness and aspiration toward liberty and self determination; the beginning of the predicted onward march toward Armageddon, of the kings of the East." There is a yet more startling portent—together with all these foregoing portents there is yet another more startling one—one which now appears to be taking rapid and definite shape. This is the clearly defined movement toward the fulfillment of the predicted Word of God: ". . . All nations . . . Against Jerusalem." (Zech. 12:9; 14:2, 6)

When we consider the seriousness of our day, the Master's prophetic warning speaks to us with particular significance, "The night cometh, when no man can work" (John 9:4). The hour grows late! The night is upon us! These words of the Saviour have a definite application to the end-time, the closing of the age.

We are now faced with a spreading apostacy that, in spite of all that has been said and written to awaken the people, is engulfing millions in the stifling folds of godless ecclesiasticism. "For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; and they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables." (II Tim. 4:3, 4)

Among many believers there is a marked decline of deep piety and interest in spiritual things. The popularity of certain forms of evil has had a noticeable effect upon large segments of the churches that remain fundamental in teaching. "Because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall wax cold." (Matt. 24:12)

The unbelief spawned by our whole system of secular education, the devotion given by a pleasure-mad public to the shrines of amusement and sport, and the barren conquests of fleshly lusts, have created a psychology not unlike the days of Noah. There are souls, particularly among the young, that may be reached now, who will soon be swept away, far from the church and the Kingdom.

Do we understand our times? Herein lies the secret—Understanding our times—Knowing the Word of God. We must learn what He has to say about our civilization. We must recognize that as we near the end of the age we are not to expect moral and spiritual improvements to keep pace with the scientific discoveries, mechanical inventions, or even the intellectual advancement of our day. God is not taken by surprise by our times, and neither will we be, if we look into His Book. We must also realize that the Lord is not unaware of or indifferent to what is happening. Because He is God, He has infinite patience, and He is waiting for His time when He will step in and take over and thus bring an end to this headlong plunge of our civilization to destruction. Such long-suffering on His part (as in the days of Noah) is due to His mercy and love which is extended to sinners. As long as final judgment is withheld, there is hope for the lost. The Holy Spirit is still here to convict the world of sin, of righteousness and judgment. God will save those who come to Him through Christ and we Christians must be about our Father's busi-

ness, praying for those who know Him not, and witnessing to them, while it is day and we can work for our Lord.

We do not believe that Jesus spoke these words about the coming night to discourage effort, but rather to urge the church to prompt and effective action in preaching the Gospel to the lost. There must be no delay! We cannot wait for others around us to get ready to do something, we must move on with those who are ready to go; and, if necessary, to go alone—to lead the way. Certainly we believe in collective effort; much is gained when many hands unite in drawing the net. But the Saviour's command "Go ye" is to our own hearts—yours and mine. The spirit of evangelism is the crying need of the church today.

To cope with these times we must live closer than ever to the Lord and take from Him ever-increasing grace, strength and power required for such pressures as spirit, mind and body are called upon to endure. Our times are not beyond our God, and so they are not beyond us. The darkness only shows up the brilliancy of the light. He has asked us "that ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world" (Phil 2:15); "For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lust, we should live soberly, righteously and godly, in this present world; looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour, Jesus Christ." (Titus 2:11-13)

To cope with these times, we must understand: (1) The age old sin problem—its nature and extent; (2) the selfishness of this age—selfishness in business, in politics, in society, even in religious circles; (3) The shallowness of this day—Dr. Will H. Houghton once said, "We are so highly civilized now we do not read books anymore. We look at pictures. If we become any more civilized, we shall come down to blocks." (4) The problem of senselessness—the attempt by man-made schemes to save ourselves.

To cope with these times we will have to re-discover the value of intercessory prayer. The spiritual awakening in Korea is due mainly to the abandonment of the church to the Holy Ghost in the ministry of ceaseless intercession. The Holy Spirit has had full sway in the hearts of believers and a full tide of prevailing prayer has followed. In Seoul they can get 2,500 out for an all night of prayer. The churches and halls are crowded with people for the 4:30 to 5:30 a.m. prayer meeting. As a result of these prayer meetings the hosts of darkness have retreated in confusion. With us, the leakage of power is mainly in the secret place. Quenchless zeal, sacrificial giving, fearless witnessing, uncompromising preaching, triumphant living and diligent Bible study are more dependent upon the life of prayer than most of us dream.

To cope with these times we must be alert to Satan's policy with reference to our church, which is two fold: (1) To corrupt its doctrine and break down its separation from the world; (2) To sow discord and strife among the brethren. If he succeeds at either point, he will have nullified our witness for holiness, if not fully destroyed our communion.

Today, as in former days, there is unrest and censure if not open persecution. And who knows, as the conflict between God and Satan sharpens before the age's end, but that oppression for Christ's sake will intensify! Today, also, there is disagreement as to methods and procedures, and disputes on doctrinal matters as God's people contend earnestly for the faith. On the one hand we must beware of compromise and apostasy but on the other hand we need to be careful about our love for one another. Let it never be remarked of us that we do not love one an-

other but, rather, May it be said: "Behold, how they love one another!"

Six times in the Epistle of John the words "love one another" appears as a command. By such love for our brethren we know that we have passed from death unto life (I John 3:14). Such love is a witness to ourselves of the reality of our profession. It is also a witness to the world that we have been saved. It is travesty to talk about loving one another if we do not manifest that love daily. For the kind of love that Christians bear mutually is the love of God which is shed abroad in our hearts; and God's love is perfect, and it is operative. "My little children," says the beloved Apostle, "Let us not love in word, neither in tongue, but in deed and in truth" (I John 3:18). To love one another is the Eleventh Commandment: "A new commandment I give unto you," our Lord declared to His own, "that ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another" (John 13:34).

In these serious days, we who love the Lord who first loved us, can demonstrate that affection by loving one another. Such an attitude, not in word or tongue only but in deed and in truth, will go a long way toward encouraging our brethren and in bearing testimony to the Light in this world of darkness.

To cope with these times we must maintain expectancy and watchfulness. Without doubt this is the day of greatest opportunity for the soldier of the Cross as well as his day of greatest responsibility. It is a thrilling age for the Christian, the real soldier of the Cross. Yet, it is one of extreme peril. When the Christian perceives all these evils and the deepening of the apostasy about him, growing in intensity year by year, he knows that the coming of the Lord draws very near. One generation of believers in Christ will never die, but will be caught up, living, to meet the Lord in the air, when His glad rapture-shout will be voiced. Are we among that generation? It may be that we are. And so we must live day by day in constant expectancy. What an age in which to have been born if we keep in mind: "Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be counted worthy to escape all these things about to come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man."

Throughout the year we have continued in the work assigned to us by the last annual conference. To the best of our limited knowledge and ability, through much waiting upon God in prayer, we have sought the guidance of the Holy Spirit in every action taken. Following is a report of our actions.

## OFFICIAL ACTS

### ITEM I. AUTHORIZATIONS:

1. GRANTED: As recommended by the Committee on Itineracy and Orders: David Robertson, Dean McIntire, Paul Betz, Paul Hetrick, Charles Lincoln, Steve Letonek, Alberta Finnicum, Roscoe Wilson, L. S. Burchfield, Ray Yoder, Ellis Yarnell, Glen Elsey, Elwood Hannold, Sheridan Rainey, Frank Hicks, James Hogg, Robert Gordon, Kenneth Brannon, Kenneth O. Brown, George Christy, Donald Hariff, William Mydock, Constance Gough, Harry Strait, Dec. 19, 1955 to Carl Johnson.

2. The Pioneer Secretary as follows: (With Advisory Board approval)

1. October 1, 1955, to organize the work coming to us in Princeton, W. Va., into a Wesleyan Methodist Church.
2. October 1, 1955, to appoint Rev. B. G. Blackburn as the continuing pastor of the new Princeton Church.

# ITEM II. RESIGNATIONS ACCEPTED: (With Advisory Board approval.)

1. January 11, 1956: Elder James Hersman from General Evangelism on account of supplying Mineral Wells Nazarene Church.

2. January 25, 1956: Mr. Paul Lindquist from the Conference Board of Trustees on account of his health. This vacancy was referred to the Chairman of the Vacancies Committee to be filled.

# ITEM III. APPOINTMENTS: (With Advisory Board Approval.)

1. July 1, 1955: Elder H. Erwin Enty to General Evangelism.

2. October 3, 1955: Conference Preacher B. G. Blackburn to the newly organized work at Princeton, W. Va.

3. October 6, 1955: Conference Preacher Murray Maley to supervisory pastor of the Olive Hill church. He was granted the privilege to use his local preachers to carry on the work.

4. February 2, 1956: Elder Charles C. Cross delegate to the N.A.E. Convention to be held at Cleveland, Ohio.

# ITEM IV. PERMISSIONS GRANTED:

1. June 14, 1955, to Elder C. A. Hoen to use Rev. O. L. King as evangelist.

2. July 9, 1955, to Elder Lorman J. Elliott to use Rev. O. L. King as evangelist.

3. July 9, 1955, to Elder Lorman J. Elliott to use the Christianaires.

4. July 9, 1955, to Elder C. L. Boston to use the Christianaires.

5. July 23, 1955, to Elder Harry A. Trimble to use the Christianaires.

6. August 9, 1955, to Elder C. E. Huntsman to use Evangelist O. L. King.

7. August 18, 1955, to Elder A. H. Elsey to use the Stookey Trio.

8. August 18, 1955, to Elder T. W. Comadoll to use the Stookey Trio.

9. August 24, 1955, to Elder Maurice L. Moore to use the Stookey Trio.

10. August 25, 1955, to Conference Preacher Glenn Elsey to use the Williamsons as song evangelists.

11. August 25, 1955, to Conference Preacher Glenn Elsey to use Rev. F. B. Whisler for a service.

12. September 12, 1955, to Conference Preacher Frank Hicks to use Rev. Dale Duval as evangelist.

13. September 26, 1955, to Conference Preacher Harry Strait to use Rev. Dale Duval as evangelist.

14. November 14, 1955, to Elder Delmar Kaufman to use Rev. Harry Ferguson as evangelist.

15. November 14, 1955, to Elder F. E. Satterfield to use Rev. Ray Williams as evangelist.

16. December 29, 1955, to Conference Preacher George Christy to use Rev. L. E. Royse as evangelist.

17. January 7, 1956, to Elder Reed Bennett to use Rev. H. L. Runkle as evangelist.

18. January 28, 1956, to layman Ed Rhodes, Youth President New Castle Y. P. Society, to use the Christianaires.

19. February 2, 1956, to Elder A. J. West to use Rev. Don Isenberg as evangelist.

20. March 17, 1956, to Elder Jack Benninger to use Rev. Clarence Shaw as evangelist.

21. March 20, 1956, to Conference Preacher Kenneth Brown to use Rev. F. W. Nason, as evangelist.

22. April 5, 1956, to Conference Preacher Willis Muir to use the Musical Messengers.

## ITEM V. DEDICATIONS:

1. September 25, 1955, Merrifield Memorial Wesleyan Methodist Church.
2. October 9, 1955, Pleasant View Wesleyan Methodist Church.
3. October 31, 1955, Cleveland First Wesleyan Methodist Church.
4. November 6, 1955, Barkley Wesleyan Methodist Church.
5. May 13, 1956, re-dedicated the Bethany Wesleyan Methodist Church.
6. May 27, 1956, Rochester Wesleyan Methodist Church.

## ITEM VI. CHANGES IN THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CONFERENCE:

1. Transfer received:
  1. July 1, 1955, Elder H. Erwin Enty from the Lockport Conference.
  2. October 1, 1955, received Conference Preacher B. G. Blackburn from the International Holiness Tabernacle Association.
  3. Deaths: In His wisdom our Heavenly Father saw fit to remove from our midst on September 23, 1955, Elder Dr. J. R. Swauger, the Home Missionary Secretary, and on October 2, 1955, Elder Fred DeCost. We recommend that the Committee on Nominations be authorized to nominate a Committee on Memoirs to hold a suitable memorial service at 6:00 p.m., Sunday June 10, 1956.

ITEM VII. NOTE BURNING: Franklin Church, November 20, 1955.  
ITEM VIII. CHURCH ORGANIZED. (With approval of the Advisory Board.)

1. October 3, 1955, Princeton Wesleyan Methodist with 13 full members.

## ITEM IX. COMMITTEES APPOINTED:

1. March 28, 1956, Committee on Religious Services—The Conference Advisory Board.
2. May 3, 1956, Statistical Committee (with the approval of the Statistical Committee Chairman, Conference Preacher Steve Letonek)—Conference Preachers: William Shank, Jack Benninger, Glenn Elsey, Roscoe Wilson, George Christy, Robert Miller, and Martin Wambach.
3. May 16, 1956, Committee to bring in Nominations for Conference Temporary Organizations: ELDERS: T. W. Comadoll, Chairman, (Titusville District), J. W. Dentler, (New Castle District), L. J. Elliott, (Indiana District). CONFERENCE PREACHERS: Roscoe Wilson, (Akron District), Frank Hicks, (West Virginia District). LAYMEN: Robert Randall, (Titusville District), Thankful Clawson, (Indiana District), George Kopp, Akron District).

## ITEM X. ACTIVITIES OF THIS CONFERENCE YEAR:

1. Quarterly Meetings—55.  
 Long week ends given—4.  
 Other services conducted—25.  
 Times taught S. S. Class—4.  
 Calls made on the sick—23.  
 Extra Trips made—97.  
 Funerals—4.  
 Pieces of Mail sent out—6,190.
2. Engaged worker at the following: Ohio Conference Camp, July 29-August 7, 1955; Tennessee Ministerial Institute, November 15-17, 1955; Revival, Knoxville First Church, February 22-March 4, 1956.
3. Attended the following—General Conference, June 22-29, 1955; and was chairman of the Committee on Evangelism; one Youth for Christ Service, Homer City, Pa.; the Conference W.Y. Convention, July 7-10,



1955; one service Pleasantville Free Methodist Camp; one meeting of the Ohio Conference; the I. H. Convention at Kansas City, Kansas, Oct. 25, 26, 27, 1955; two services of the W.Y. Congress held in Canton, Ohio, Dec. 29, 1955; Houghton College Board Meetings, Oct. 14, 1955, and June 1, 1956; the Development Committee Meetings, Oct. 15, 1955 and June 2, 1956; Leaders' Conference, Central, S. C., April 17-19, 1956 and took part on a Panel Discussion; some of the Conference Sunday School Convention held on May 10, 11, 1956 at Sandy Lake, Pa.

4. Preached—once at the I. H. Convention, Kansas City; once at General Conference; once in the chapel of the Kansas City Bible School and College; once at the Punxsutawney Ministerial Association Meeting; twice at the W.Y. Zone Rally in Knoxville, Tenn.; once at the Indiana Zone W.Y. Rally; once at the Titusville District W.Y. Rally; once at the combined Akron and Canton Zones W.Y. Rally; once at the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Brown Hill Church; spoke at the prayer meeting, Struthers, Ohio; three times over WAND, Canton, Ohio; four times over WTIV, Titusville, Pa.; preached the ordination sermon at the Ohio Conference in 1955, had both the baccalaureate and commencement exercises at God's Bible School, May 20, 22, 1956; preached twice at the Vine Street Wesleyan Methodist Church, Cincinnati, Ohio.

5. Had oversight of the Stoneboro Camp Meeting, the Ministerial Institute and edited the CONFERENCE MESSENGER. Took care of many other things which cannot be enumerated in a report.

6. Miles traveled for all purposes—35,000; 30,000 for Conference and its related interests; 5,000 for conventions, revivals, etc.

#### ITEM XI. FINANCIAL REPORT:

1. Salary Received .....	\$3,640.00
Travel Allowance .....	1,100.00
Parsonage Rent .....	540.00
Vacation pay .....	100.00
Revivals and Extra Services .....	690.00
Funeral fees .....	15.00
Gifts .....	122.00
TOTAL .....	\$6207.00
2. Received for office supplies, box rent, telephone bill, toll calls, postage, mimeograph supplies, insurance for car, etc. \$451.63.	

#### ITEM XII. SOME PROPOSED RECOMMENDATIONS: We recommend:

1. That in the Annual Journal for 1956 one or two pages be made a memorial to Dr. J. R. Swauger, consisting of a picture of him and a write-up as to his conference and denominational activities.

2. That the Conference do all in its power to press Evangelism this quadrennium as proposed by the General Conference.

3. That each Zone do its best to revive the Preacher's Prayer meetings.

4. That the Conference continue to have a week of prayer as proposed by the Denomination which will be the first week in January.

5. That the pastors do all they can to interest their people in supporting the Stoneboro Camp with their finances.

#### ITEM XIII. SOME CONFERENCE AIMS FOR 1956-1957: Let each church strive:

1. To awaken our people to a new reverence for the house of God. Let us have a greater reverence for the sanctuary. Silent prayer upon entering the place of worship is a good practice.

2. To awaken our people to a new awareness of God. We need a

new sense of the conscious presence of God.

3. To awaken our people to the absolute necessity of the walk of victory in Christ Jesus.

4. To awaken our people to a new deepening of their spiritual lives. Dr. Nicholson stated: "This quadrennium's principle objective is the deepening of the spiritual life of each member of the Church . . ."

5. To awaken our people to the desperate need of the reviving of the old fashioned family altar in the home. The breakdown of our national morality begins in the home and its restoration must begin in the same place. We must urge our people to keep the fire burning on their family altars. "The fire shall ever be burning upon the altar, it shall never go out." Lev. 6: 13.

6. To awaken our people to our world-wide debtorship of taking the gospel to every creature. Many doors are closing which have been open for years but others are opening.

7. To awaken our people to the tremendous debt we owe our community through our local church.

8. To awaken our people to the need of a greater loyalty to the Bible Standards held by the church. The church which wishes to remain Christian, with Christians in control, must take a position against popular sins and worldliness. Neglect here means a lowered standard of conduct. Remember that no church which has departed from God and which has become dominated by worldliness has ever found its way back to spirituality.

9. To awaken every church member to his responsibility of being an evangelist in his surroundings. Our main business is soul winning. The theme for the quadrennium is Evangelism.

10. To awaken our people to the need of prayer for a continuous revival. Our barrenness ought to inspire intercessory prayer.

#### CONCLUSION:

Your prayers have been appreciated; your co-operation has been helpful; your understanding and patience have been beyond what we deserved. We are grateful for your help, elated over your victories, but humbled at our failures. For the part we have had in those failures we sincerely beg your forgiveness. Let us look forward to 1956-1957 in full confidence of His help and direction.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. H. C. Van Wormer, President

#### Report No. 1-A

#### CONFERENCE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE 1955-1956

Date	Charge	Date	Charge
June 16, 17	Butler	Sept. 1, 2	Apollo
June 23, 24	Pleasant View	Sept. 8, 9	Barberton
June 30-July 1	Riverview	Sept. 15, 16	Reserved
July 5-8	WYPS Convention	Sept. 22, 23	Akron First
July 14, 15	Reserved	Sept. 29, 30	Vanport
July 21, 22	Isabella	Oct. 6, 7	Loyal Oak
July 28, 29	Carrollton	Oct. 12, 14	Smithport
Aug. 4, 5	Tarentum	Oct. 13, 14	Wilgus
Aug. 11, 12	Reserved	Oct. 20, 21	Barkley
Aug. 14-23	Stoneboro Camp	Oct. 26, 28	Keepsville
Aug. 25, 26	Kenmore	Oct. 27, 28	Ashtabula

Date	Charge	Date	Charge
Nov. 3, 4	Rock Run	Mar. 16, 17	Punxsutawney
Nov. 6	Bluefield	Mar. 22, 24	Hartville
Nov. 7	Princeton	Mar. 23, 24	Alliance
Nov. 8	Ebenezer	Mar. 30, 31	Hooversville
Nov. 9	Tazewell	April 6, 7	Templeton Zion
Nov. 10, 11	English	April 9-11	Ministerial Institute
Nov. 17, 18	Reserved	April 13, 14	Maple Valley
Nov. 24, 25	N. Springfield	April 17, 21	Clarksburg
Dec. 1, 2	Mt. Calvary	April 20, 21	West Hill, Cecil
Dec. 8, 9	Falconer	April 22	Olive Hill
Dec. 15, 16	Reserved	April 27, 28	Pine Grove
Dec. 22, 23	Titusville	May 4, 5	Pittsburgh
Dec. 29, 30	Meadville	May 10, 11	Sherrodsville
Jan. 5, 6	Oil City	May 11, 12	Salem
Jan. 12, 13	White Memorial	May 18, 19	W. Middlesex
Jan. 19, 20	Sandy Lake	May 24, 26	Jamestown
Jan. 21-Feb. 3	Vacation	May 25, 26	Stewart Run
Feb. 8, 10	W. Fairfield	June 1, 2	Cottage Hill
Feb. 9, 10	Hadley	June 3-9	Conference
Feb. 16, 17	Reserved	If you need to have your date changed, be sure to let the president know in plenty of time so that the necessary changes may be made.	
Feb. 23, 24	Erie		
Mar. 2, 3	Rochester		
Mar. 9, 10	Nu Mine		

## Report No. 1-B

## VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Dear Brothers and Sisters In Christ:

Another year has past and gone as far as our Conference is concerned. One cannot help but wonder if we have really done our best in the field of labor that God has called us to labor in.

We are living in a machine age, and I am afraid that even the church is succumbing to its influence. There is nothing wrong in considering, or as we would commonly say, to think on with care, to trust with consideration, or even esteem this machine age. But I am sure that God never intended, that His church and His ministry would become as this age in which we are now living.

We read in Rom. 12:2—"And be not conformed to this world." We are aware that this refers to outward fashion, but I am sure that it can mean this as well. God wants His followers to be different.

Sometime ago I read an article from our daily newspaper, which was as follows, "Ministers who substitute wit, music, and movies for old-fashioned Gospel preaching, drew sharp criticism at the Southern Baptist Pastor's Conference. This article went on to say that preachers are praised as administrators, book reviewers, organizational wizzards, after dinner speakers, program pushers, good mixers, psychologists, conciliators, and what have you." "Sin is rampant," the writer asserted. "Sensualism turns the hands of America's timepiece to six o'clock. Humanity with all its needs pleads for revitalized pulpits."

Fellow Ministers of Allegheny Conference, I appeal to you, let us as individuals, carefully and honestly consider where we stand as Spiritual Leaders in our Churches.

Instead of me trying to state where you and I stand, and to say

as to what condition or state I believe our churches of the Allegheny Conference to be in, let us as individuals ask ourselves the question, "Have I faithfully insisted in having a Spiritual Church? And have I, by the example of holy living, led my people in the holy way?"

Please do not think that I am taking this opportunity to find fault with you, I am not offering this as criticism, but I am deeply concerned about the religious trend that we can see on every hand today. We still have the Gospel of Jesus Christ to be preached. And, thank God, it is yet: "The power of God unto Salvation to everyone that believeth." And beloved, it has no substitute even in this day.

I beg of you brothers and sisters of the ministry, never let it be said, that any of us have offered, or suggested that we need anything else but the eternal God and His message to offer as a cure for the spiritual ills of this dying world.

I thank God for the privilege of working with you again this Conference year just closing. Every church and pastor has been better to me than I deserve. Thank God for what He has done for me.

And lest I forget, I want to again thank you for all of your prayers, and expressions of sympathy you offered me and my family during the days of sorrow that we passed through. I have tried to tell you before, but I just wanted to tell you face to face. May God bless each and every one of you. I shall never forget you.

I would like to have you join with me, and make the words of the poet our prayer for the coming year; where he said:

"Remember, Lord, the ancient days;  
Renew thy work; thy grace restore;  
And while to Thee our hearts we raise,  
On us Thy Holy Spirit pour."

#### ITEM I. FINANCIAL REPORT:

Salary received .....	\$3,380.00
Traveling expense .....	1,100.00
Parsonage rent .....	540.00
Vacation pay .....	100.00
Special Meetings .....	270.00
Insurance for car .....	101.00

Total ..... 5,491.00

ITEM II. Work done in the Conference: Number of Quarterly Meetings: Two hundred and twenty-two; other service, twenty; extra trips made on other Committees, four; number of miles traveled, 39,000.

T. A. Robertson, Vice President

#### Report No. 1-C

#### VICE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE 1956-1957

Date	Charge	Date	Charge
June 15, 17 .....	Cottage Hill	July 7, 8 .....	W. Hill, Cecil
June 16, 17 .....	Hillville	July 12, 13 .....	Falconer
June 21, 22 .....	Hooversville	July 14, 15 .....	Ashville
June 23, 24 .....	Cabin Run	July 19, 20 .....	Loyal Oak
June 26, July 5 .....	Bluefield Camp	July 21, 22 .....	Hartville
July 6, 8 .....	Clarksburg	July 26, 27 .....	Punxsutawney

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

Date	Charge	Date	Charge
July 28, 29	Soldier	Jan. 4, 6	Akron First
Aug. 2, 3	Massillon	Jan. 5, 6	Barberton
Aug. 4, 5	Middlefield	Jan. 11, 13	Tarentum
Aug. 9, 10	Keepville	Jan. 12, 13	Pittsburgh
Aug. 11, 12	Pittsfield	Jan. 17, 18	Mt. Calvary
Aug. 14, 23	Stoneboro Camp	Jan. 19, 20	Niles
Aug. 25, 26	Indiana	Jan. 24, 25	Sandy Lake
Aug. 31, Sept. 2	W. Middlesex	Jan. 26, 27	Oak Grove
Sept. 1, 2	White Memorial	Jan. 29	Princeton
Sept. 5	Hubbard	Jan. 30	Bluefield
Sept. 7, 9	Sherrodsville	Jan. 31	Ebenezer
Sept. 8, 9	Salem	Feb. 1	Tazewell
Sept. 12, 13	Conneaut	Feb. 2, 3	English
Sept. 14, 16	Greenfield	Feb. 9, 17	Vacation
Sept. 15, 16	Erie	Feb. 23, 24	Franklin
Sept. 19, 20	Rochester	Feb. 28, Mar. 1	Greenville
Sept. 21, 23	Fairmont	Mar. 2, 3	Canton Second
Sept. 22, 23	Bethel	Mar. 8, 10	Jamestown
Sept. 25, 26	Oil City	Mar. 9, 10	Warren
Sept. 27, 28	New Castle	Mar. 13, 14	Titusville
Sept. 29, 30	Mechanicsburg	Mar. 15, 17	Maple Valley
Oct. 4, 5	Templeton Zion	Mar. 16, 17	Kenmore
Oct. 6, 7	Bethany	Mar. 21, 22	Barkley
Oct. 10	Olive Hill	Mar. 23, 24	Penn Run
Oct. 11, 12	Rock Run	Mar. 27, 28	Riverview
Oct. 13, 14	Wolf Summit	Mar. 30, 31	Greenwood
Oct. 18, 19	Butler	Apr. 4, 5	Smithport
Oct. 20, 21	Johnstown	Apr. 6, 7	Sagamore
Oct. 26, 28	Hadley	Apr. 9, 11	Ministerial Ins.
Oct. 27, 28	W. Fairfield	Apr. 13, 14	Robertsville
Nov. 1, 2	Pleasant View	Apr. 18, 19	Apollo
Nov. 3, 4	Luciusboro	Apr. 20, 21	Sarver
Nov. 6, 7	Vanport	Apr. 23, 24	Carrollton
Nov. 8, 9	Isabella	Apr. 25, 26	Alliance
Nov. 10, 11	Brownsville	Apr. 27, 28	Canton First
Nov. 13, 14	Ashtabula	May 1, 2	Nu Mine
Nov. 16, 18	Mentcle	May 3, 5	Hillsdale
Nov. 17, 18	Spruce Grove	May 4, 5	Dixonville
Nov. 23, 25	Allida Smith Mem.	May 9, 10	Lakeview Comm.
Nov. 24, 25	Meadville	May 11, 12	McLeister Mem.
Nov. 30, Dec. 2	Harbor	May 25, 26	Wilgus
Dec. 1, 2	Blue Eye	May 18, 19	Pine Grove
Dec. 6, 7	Hampe Memorial	May 25, 26	Cleveland
Dec. 8, 9	Akron Grace	June 1, 2	Brown Hill
Dec. 13, 14	N. Springfield	June 3-9	Conference
Dec. 15, 16	Cooperstown		
Dec. 20, 21	Stewart Run		
Dec. 22, 23	Annandale		
Dec. 29, 30	Canal		

Any desired change be sure to let the Vice Presidents know in plenty of time so it can be worked out.

## Report No. 2

## COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY AND ORDERS

Your Committee on Itinerary and Orders reports as follows:

ITEM I. We recommend the following to be received to study and travel:

1. Josephine Patterson recommended by Indiana Church
2. William Cornell recommended by Brownsville Church
3. James McVey recommended by Rochester Church

ITEM II. We recommend the following be received to study preparatory to travel:

1. Joseph Finnicum recommended by Harbor Church
2. Edwin Alexander recommended by Greenville Church
3. Donald Boyd recommended by Barberton Church
4. Lillian Slagle recommended by Templeton Zion Church
5. Dorothy Mae Colby recommended by Pittsburgh Church
6. Shirley May Albright recommended by Pittsburgh Church

ITEM III. We recommend the following be elected to Elders Orders, they having satisfactorily met the requirements of the Discipline:

1. Steve Letonek graduated from Marion College with a Major in Religious Education and has completed the required period of service.
2. Helen Letonek graduated from Marion College with a Major in Religious Education and has completed the required period of service.
3. Paul Betz graduated from Marion College with a Major in Religious Education and has completed the required period of service.
4. James Hogg passed Business Administration, History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, Theology I, II, III, and All About the Sunday School.

5. Charles Lincoln passed Pastoral Theology. This completes his course of study.

6. Alberta Finnicum finished her reading course. This completes her course of study.

7. Robert Cherry passed Church History I, II, General Ethics, Theology III, Business Administration, and Christian Evidences.

8. Paul Rexrode.

9. Leonard Burchfield passed Rules of Order, English and Business Administration. This completes his course of study.

ITEM IV. We recommend that the following be received to travel as Song Evangelist: Children's Worker and Chalk Artist:

1. Olive Stonebraker, credited with Bible III, IV, Galilean Fisherman, Applied Song-directing, Studies in Hymnology, Gospel in Hymns, and Essentials in Elementary Theory.

ITEM V. We recommend credit in the Course of Study as follows:

SECOND YEAR:

1. Donald Chess credited with Business English, Perfect Love, Theology I, II, III, Foundations of Doctrine, Bible I, II, and IV. Passed Wesleyan Methodist Discipline.

2. Constance Gough passed Rules of Order and the Superlative Book.

3. Robert Gordon passed Bible I and Perfect Love.

4. Donald Harrieff passed History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church and the Superlative Book.

5. Elwood Hannold passed Bible II and Foundations of Doctrine. Credited with Business English.

6. Carl Johnston passed Rules of Order and History of Wesleyan Methodist Church.

7. Ellis Yarnell passed Bible I and IV.

8. William Shank passed Theology I and Homiletics.

9. William Mydock passed Binney's Compend and Discipline.

10. Shirley May Albright credited with Bible I, II, III, IV, English Homiletics, Church History I, II, General Ethics, the Superlative Book, and Business Administration.

**THIRD YEAR:**

1. Glenn Elsey passed Christian Evidences.
2. Kenneth Hartley passed Bible IV and Theology III.
3. Ray Yoder passed Theology I and History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.
4. Josephine Patterson credited with Bible I, II, III, IV, Binney's Compend, Theology I, II, III, Business English, Homiletics, Church History I and II.

**FOURTH YEAR:**

1. C. A. Yarnell passed Theology III.
2. Roscoe Wilson passed Principles of Teaching, Homiletics, Bible III, Business Administration.
3. Martin Wambach passed Rules of Order, Bible IV, Bible Geography and Christian Evidences.
4. Joseph Stephens Credited with Binney's Compend, Perfect Love, Bible I, II, Bible Geography and Christian Evidences.
5. Dean McIntire passed Perfect Love and Bible III.
6. Willis Muir passed Rules of Order and Perfect Love.
7. George Adamson passed Foundations of Doctrine.
8. William Cornell graduated from Marion College with a Major in Religious Education which gives him full credit in the course of study.
9. Paul Halman passed History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.
10. Frank Hicks passed Theology II, Church History I and General Ethics.
11. James McVey credited with Bible I, II, III, IV, Binney's Compend, Rules of Order, English, Perfect Love, Theology I, II, III, Foundations of Doctrine, Principles of Teaching, Homiletics, All about the Sunday School, General Ethics, The Superlative Book, Psychology, Business Administration and Christian Evidences.

**LOCAL PREACHER'S COURSE:**

1. Robert Chess passed Binney's Compend.
2. Don Ellenberger passed Perfect Love.
3. Ruby Brickell passed Bible I.
4. Joseph Finnicum passed Binney's Compend, Rules of Order, Discipline and History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.
5. C. L. Hamilton passed History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church and The Superlative Book.
6. Ann Hartley passed Bible IV and Theology III.
7. Clair Taylor passed Perfect Love.
8. Ruby Stonebraker passed Homiletics.
9. Clifton Reece passed Bible IV.
10. Ralph Rummel passed Discipline and Bible III.
11. Arthur Pleuddeman passed Discipline, All About the Sunday School, and Bible IV.

**ITEM VI.** Authorizations recommended: David Robertson, Ray Yoder, Ellis Yarnell, Roscoe Wilson, Martin Wambach, William Shank, Sheridan Rainey, William Mydock, Dean McIntire, Glenn Elsey, Constance Gough, Robert Gordon, Elwood Hannold, Donald Harrieff, Frank Hicks, Harry Strait, Paul Hetrick, B. G. Blackburn, Willis Muir, Kenneth Brown, William Baker, and William Cornell.

**ITEM VII.** We recommend that credit for no book in the Course of Study be allowed for more than one quadrennium after that book has been officially dropped from the course.



ITEM VIII. We will not recommend to the Pastoral Relations Committee any person who has not compiled with Paragraph 170, sub-paragraph 1 of the Discipline. We further insist that recommendations to Study and Travel with transcript of grades for which credit is desired will be in the hands of the Committee on the first day of the Annual Conference, also that with each transcript the Committee shall be furnished a copy of the School catalogue from which the Transcript comes.

ITEM IX. We require that students who are ready to take an examination in any book shall designate an acceptable member of the Wesleyan Methodist Church outside their immediate family, to whom Authorized Examiner shall mail the selected list of questions, and in whose presence the examinations shall be taken in accordance with the rules and general instructions for examinations. Such person shall certify that the examination was taken in his presence in an honorable manner, and shall return examination paper to examiner with self-addressed stamped envelope to return to the student.

ITEM X. We place in nomination the name of Rev. Frank B. Miller for election to the office of Custodian of Conference Books. We recommend that no books be mailed from the library unless sufficient postage accompanies application for the same and that this library be reserved for the use of those who are pursuing the Course of Study as Conference Preachers and Song Evangelists. We also insist that no study book or reading book be kept by one individual longer than forty five days. In case of necessity, upon application to the Custodian an extension of thirty days may be granted.

ITEM XI. We urge that in writing examinations special attention be given to neatness, spelling and composition. The Committee cannot give the same credit to papers that lack neatness and are poorly composed, as to those that have received proper attention in this respect. We require papers to be typewritten or written in ink.

Guy E. Terpe, Chairman

### Report No. 3

### COMMITTEE ON PASTORAL RELATIONS

Your Committee on Pastoral Relations submits the following report:

#### ITEM I. PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS:

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|------------------------------------|---|
| ✓ Akron First—I. D. Swinehart      | Blue Eye Chapel—David L. Robertson                              |
| ✓ Akron, Grace—Oneida J. Gleason   | Bluefield—J. H. Cyphers   |
| ✓ Akron, Kenmore—Sheridan Rainey   | ✓ Brown Hill—Dean McIntire                                      |
| ✓ Akron, Maple Valley—W. G. Steele | ✓ Brownsville—F. E. Mansell                                     |
| SS Akron, McLeister M.—C. A. Blair | ✓ Cabin Run—Paul Betz   |
| ✓ Alliance—Willis Muir             | Canal—T. W. and Eunice Comadoll                                 |
| ✓ Allida Smith Mem.—C. C. Cross    | ✓ Canton First—T. O. McCracken                                  |
| ✓ Annandale—H. A. Markell          | ✓ Canton Second—R. Willard Dunn                                 |
| ✓ Apollo—A. Jack West              | ✓ Carrollton—E. D. Lupton                                       |
| ✓ Ashtabula—Sherman Beers          | ✓ Cecil Charge (Knottsville, Mount View, Prichard)—Murray Maley |
| ✓ Ashville—Elizabeth Pugh          | ✓ Cleveland First—H. E. and Irene Yount                         |
| ✓ Barberton—D. L. Robertson        | ✓ Cooperstown—C. L. Boston                                      |
| ✓ Barkley—Wayne Spangler           |   |
| ✓ Bethany—J. C. Himes              |   |
| ✓ Bethel—Maurice Moore             |   |



- Cottage Hill—Paul Hetrick  
 Dixonville—F. B. Miller  
 East Clarksburg—James F. Merri-  
 field  
 East Conneaut—J. B. and Georgia  
 Markey  
 English—Mamie Blankenship  
 Erie—H. R. Waite  
 Falconer—Claude Eshelman  
 Franklin—F. E. Satterfield  
 Greenfield—Charles Lincoln  
 Greenville—A. Mark Larson  
 Greenwood, N. Salem—L. S. Burch-  
 field  
 Hadley—E. W. Brooks  
 Hampe Memorial—Roscoe Wilson  
 Harbor Charge, (Cottage Hill)—Al-  
 berta Finnicum  
 Hartsville—Martin Wambach  
 Hillsdale—E. K. Himes  
 Hillville—Ray Yoder  
 Hooversville—Dale Holley  
 Indiana—Guy E. Terpe, Assistant  
 Richard Terpe  
 Isabella—Jack E. Benninger  
 Johnstown—B. C. Pollock  
 Keepville—Ellis L. Varnell  
 Loyal Oak—G. D. Elsey  
 Luciusboro—Lorman J. Elliott  
 Massillon—Cecil and Mary Hunts-  
 man  
 Meadville—R. L. Kuhn  
 Mechanicsburg Charge (Pleasant  
 Hill, Shippingport)—Reed Ben-  
 nett  
 Mentcle—A. G. and Catharine Carl-  
 son  
 Merrifield Memorial—W. A. Robbie  
 Middlefield—C. A. and Ruth Hoiem  
 Mt. Calvary—Charles Baker  
 New Castle—Olin M. Pfautz  
 Niles—Harry and Winifred Trimble  
 North Springfield—E. R. Barris  
 Nu Mine—Roy Wade  
 Oak Grove—H. E. Robertson, Jr.  
 Oil City—Burton and Neva Golden  
 Olive Hill—Murray Maley Supervi-  
 sor Pastor, Oscar Frum Assistant  
 by President's Appointment  
 Penn Run—Robert Cherry  
 Pine Grove—C. A. and Olive West  
 Pittsburgh First—Paul Stonebraker  
 Pittsfield—Donald W. St. Clair  
 Pleasant View—Elwood Hannold  
 Princeton—B. G. Blackburn  
 Punxsutawney—Harry T. Reid  
 Riverview—Wm. Shank  
 Robertsville—Harry Strait  
 Rochester—H. E. Schmul  
 Rock Run—Frank C. Hicks  
 Sagamore—James Hogg  
 Sandy Lake Charge (Zion)—H. N.  
 Robinson  
 Sarver—Wm. Leyshon  
 Smithport—Earl Smith  
 Soldier—George C. Kopp, Jr.  
 Spruce Grove—A. G. and Catharine  
 Carlson  
 Stewart Run—Robert Gordon  
 Tarentum—E. Dale Brannon  
 Tazewell—Kenneth Brown  
 Templeton Colored—In the Hand of  
 the President  
 Templeton Zion—J. J. Coon  
 Titusville—A. H. Elsey  
 Vanport—William L. Baker  
 Warren—Delmar Kaufman  
 West Fairfield—Steve and Helen  
 Letonek  
 West Hill—Murray Maley  
 West Middlesex—J. W. and Helen  
 Dentler  
 White Memorial—W. R. Kopp  
 Wilgus—William H. Cornell  
 Wolf Summit—L. B. Owens.

## ITEM II. PIONEER MISSION CHURCH APPOINTMENTS:

- Butler—William Mydock  
 Ebenezer (Abb's Valley)—Kenneth  
 Brown  
 Hubbard—Donald Harriff  
 Jamestown—Robert F. Miller  
 Salem—Harry and Constance Gough  
 Sherrodsville—George Christy

## ITEM III. OTHER APPOINTMENTS:

1. President, H. C. Van Wormer, to travel the Conference.
2. Vice President, T. A. Robertson, to travel the Conference.
3. W.M.S. President, Ivah B. Van Wormer, (Ass't to the President).
4. General Evangelists: Howard L. Speas, Herbert Robertson, Sr., David Stonebraker, Silas West, C. L. Chess, Henry W. LeLear, James W.

Hersman, H. Erwin Enty.

- ✓5. **Pioneer Secretary:** C. R. McPherson
6. **Conference Evangelists:** Evangeline De Hass, C. A. Yarnell, Joseph Stephens, Paul West and Kenneth Brannon
7. **Representative in the field for the Card Call:** George Hawthorn
8. **Radio Evangelism:** Cecil and Alice Clifton
9. **Evangelist to the Indians:** William Plants
10. **Missionaries:**
  1. **To Japan:** William Cessna
  2. **Mountain Missionaries:** Harold and Tresa Markel
  3. **To Haiti:** Henry Ortlip
  4. **To Africa:** W. N. and Ruth Saunders
  5. **On Furlough:** Dr. Robert Benninger, J. L. and Beulah Landrey, Hazel Jones and Raymond Huey
11. **Denominational Editor of the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY:** Gracia L. Fero
12. **Song Evangelists:** Priscilla Kuhn, Phyllis Kuhn, Donald Chess, and Richard Grubbs.
13. **Song Evangelists and Children's Workers:** Aletha Mae Cain, Leona Speas, Hazel Brannon, and Olive Stonebraker.
14. **Musician and Chalk Artist:** J. Orlando Yount.
15. **Musician, Children's Worker and Song Evangelist:** Ruth Giles.
16. **Teacher in Houghton College:** Alice J. McMillen.
17. **Teacher in Christian Day School, Colorado Springs:** Ethel Enty
18. **Serving North Canton Tabernacle:** Paul Rexrode.
19. **Serving Lakeview Community Church:** Paul Halman.
20. **Serving Iselim Community Church:** Carl Johnston.
21. **Serving Hiller Free Methodist Church:** Geo. and June Adamson.
22. **Serving the South West Sharon Church:** Kenneth Hartley.
23. **Serving the Lexington Church:** H. B. West
24. **Serving under American Sunday School Union:** Josephine Patterson
25. **Serving as a pioneer missionary worker:** James J. McVey
26. **Reserve list:** C. H. Campbell, Rex Brickell, Ada Chess
27. **Superannuated:** Dr. I. F. McLeister, J. I. Rambo, C. E. Zike, Verna Clinefelter, Edna Patterson, Harry W. Kastle, W. H. Armstrong.
28. **Deceased:** Dr. J. R. Swauger, Fred Decost
29. We recommend that Joseph Stephens and C. A. Yarnell be carried on the roll of conference evangelists for another year.
30. **Transfers Received:** Elder H. Erwin Enty from the Lockport Conference. Conference Preachers B. C. Blackburn from the International Holiness Tabernacle Association.

H. C. Van Wormer, Chairman

#### Report No. 4

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON AUDITING AND FINANCE

Your Committee on Auditing and Finance submits the following report and recommendations:

#### ITEM I. WHAT SHALL THE CHURCHES PAY?

1. The following Denominational Budget items: Foreign Missions, \$2.00; Education, \$2.50; Pension, \$1.25; Home Missions, \$1.25; Hephzibah Orphanage, \$.25; Administrative Budget, \$.60; General Conference

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Travel and Entertainment, \$.20; Australia, \$.25; (These assessments are per church member per year.)

2. Undivided Conference Budget (Conference work) shall be equal to ten per cent of the sum obtained by adding the three following items: Pastor's salary, parsonage rent, and church incidental expenses. (To be remitted monthly). Included in church incidental expenses are: Parsonage taxes, all kinds of insurance on church and parsonages, janitor services and supplies, church utilities and fuel, parsonage utilities, and fuel when paid by the church, pastor's car expense when provided by the church, all other items which are similar to or comparable with the above. Not included are repairs, replacements, improvements, evangelistic help and special projects, church and parsonage furnishings, Sunday School and Church literature and similar items.

3. Conference Group Life Insurance, \$.35 per member.

4. Conference Entertainment, \$.35 per member.

5. The Pioneer self-denial envelopes for remittances of \$.30 or more monthly (above tithe) shall be given our continued support.

6. General Church Extension shall be encouraged through the use of the Card Call Plan in our churches.

7. The pastor of person responsible for the sale of the Conference Minutes in the local church shall remit \$.75 per copy to the chairman of the Committee on the Sale of Conference Minutes, by March 31. The Chairman of said committee shall mail statements to all who have not paid for their Minutes by March 31, thus enabling the report of the Committee to be prepared by April 30.

8. The above financial items, with the exception of those mentioned in paragraph 6 and 7, shall be sent to the District Sub-Treasurers. Church Treasurers are to make monthly remittances to the credit of conference work, Conference Missions and Pioneer Fund.

9. Church Treasurers' reports to Quarterly Conference shall be made as of the close of the month preceding the Quarterly Conference. All church treasurers' records for the Conference year shall close April 30. The Conference fiscal year is from May 1, to April 30.

10. Church treasurers' monthly remittances are to be made to the sub-treasurer by the 5th of each month.

#### ITEM II. WHAT SHALL THE SUNDAY SCHOOL PAY?

1. The first Sunday School offering of the month to Conference Missions for the use of churches not self-supporting, etc., according to the recommendations of the Conference Mission Board.

2. Sunday school Birthday offerings to Conference Missions.

3. Denominational Sunday School Budget of \$.15 per Sunday School member.

4. The three items above mentioned are to be paid to the local church treasurer for remittance to Sub-treasurer.

#### ITEM III. WHAT SHALL THE CONFERENCE TREASURER PAY?

1. To the Conference President:

1. \$3,640.00 annual salary

2. \$100.00 annual vacation bonus

3. All utilities up to \$250.00

4. \$1,100.00 traveling expenses

5. The cost of providing \$100,000.00 liability insurance on his car.

2. To the Conference Vice President:

1. \$3,380.00 annual salary

2. \$100.00 annual vacation bonus
3. All utilities up to \$250.00
4. \$1,100.00 traveling expenses
5. The cost of providing \$100,000.00 liability insurance on his car.
3. \$1.00 per hour for Secretarial Aid.
4. All expense incurred by Conference officials, Board and committee members in the pursuit of the duties of their respective offices, upon presentation of such expense accounts.
5. The following sums from the Conference Budget, in appreciation for their services: Conference Secretary, \$125.00; Conference Treasurer \$125.00; each sub-treasurer, except West Virginia, \$60.00; West Virginia sub-treasurer, \$30.00; Group Insurance Secretary-Treasurer, \$25.00; Conference Pension Plan Treasurer, \$25.00; Superintendent of Rooms for services at conference, \$25.00; Statistical Chairman, \$25.00; Aid Treasurer, \$25.00.
6. The expenses of the Sunday School Secretary to the National Sunday School Convention annually, and the expenses of any others whom the conference may elect to represent the Conference at the other bodies, such as the NHA or NAE.

#### ITEM IV. REPORTS APPROVED:

1. Item XI of the Conference President's report.
2. Financial item of the Conference Vice-president's report.
3. Conference Treasurer's report.
4. Report of Certified Public Accountant, Clarence O. Swanson of Warren, Pa., on audit of Conference Treasurer's Books.
5. We have examined the Sub-treasurer's books and find them to be in agreement with the Conference Treasurer's books.
6. The financial item of the Pioneer Secretary's report.
7. Report of the Group Insurance Secretary-Treasurer.
8. Report of the Aid Fund Treasurer.
9. Report of the Conference Trustees.
10. Report of the Conference Missions Board.
11. Report of the Pension Plan Treasurer.
12. Report of the Dining Hall Superintendent.
13. Report of Committee on Sale of Conference Minutes.
14. Report of Committee on Publications.

#### ITEM V. AUTHORIZATIONS OF PAYMENTS:

1. July 21, 1955, \$79.70 for Liability Insurance on Campgrounds for summer of 1955.
2. August 25, 1955, approved Conference President's recommendation that the special Sunday School Easter offering of 1956 be raised toward the purchase of the new Conference Vice President's Parsonage.
3. September 27, 1955, \$100.00 to Union Protestant Hospital, Clarksburg, W. Va., for M. M. Maley.
4. September 27, 1955, approximately \$140.00 for adding machine for Titusville District Sub-Treasurer.
5. September 29, 1955, \$100.00 gift to Swauger Memorial Fund in memory of J. R. Swauger.
6. October 14, 1955, \$25.00 to Rev. Spencer Moon for our portion of the expenses of the Houghton Area Ministerial Institute for fall of 1956.
7. November 14, 1955, \$8.00 for ad in Houghton College year book, "The Boulder."
8. December 8, 1955, \$100.00 to Burton Golden from Assistance Fund for medical needs.

9. December 8, 1955, to pay Louise Elsey \$1.00 per hour for secretarial services to Conference President.

10. April 11, 1956, mailed letter of appeal to pastors to solicit aid in the heavy expenses connected with the illness and death of Sister Bernice Davis.

11. May 14, 1956, authorized payment of equal portions from Conference Budget and Conference Missions to pay balance of approximately \$2,000 due on Conference Vice President's parsonage.

12. May 29, 1956, authorized evening offering at Conference 1956 to be used toward cooler for the dining hall.

ITEM VI. SPECIAL RECOMMENDATIONS: We recommend that:

1. The record blanks of Budget distribution and monthly payments which are distributed through the Pastoral Relations Committee, be used by the church treasurers and that an extra copy be posted in each church so that the church members can see the progress being made in payment of the Budget.

2. The price of meals at Conference to those visitors not having official business with the Conference be as follows: Breakfast, \$.40; Dinner, \$.75; Supper, \$.50; or \$1.50 per day; and that the Superintendent of the Dining Hall have these prices posted in the dining hall in a conspicuous place, indicating to whom they apply. Meals shall be given visiting ministers and their families for two days without cost.

3. The Superintendent of the Dining Hall shall receive \$110.00 for his services plus \$100.00 for telephone, postage, and traveling expense to be paid from the Conference Entertainment Fund.

4. The Conference President or Vice President shall, when necessary, by previous arrangement, meet the Board of Stewards or Finance Committee of each local church in the course of his Quarterly Meeting schedule, for the purpose of discussing the church's financial needs or abilities, and making suggestions as would tend to expedite the financial program of the church.

5. The Conference Tithing Secretary be authorized to draw on the Conference Treasury to the amount of \$25.00 annually, for supply and distribution of tithing literature among the churches.

6. A source of income for the Ministers' Aid Fund be provided as follows: When payments are made on loans from the Conference Funds and said payments are placed in the Church Aid Fund, 10% of said payments shall be diverted to the Ministers' Aid Fund.

7. The Conference Missions Board and the Pastoral Relations Committee shall annually investigate the subsidies being paid to pastors from the Conference Missions Fund. Subsidies are not to be paid to any pastor longer than six years. Appeals from this regulation may be made to the Conference Missions Board which shall have authority to make exceptions in special cases. Exceptions, however, shall be known as Special Cases.

8. Any special offerings which may be taken for emergency needs of pastors, etc., shall be sent to the Conference Aid Treasurer and not directly to the pastor.

9. When the Conference President or Vice President pay their annual visit to the churches, an offering be taken to apply on his salary and should be reported on the annual Statistical forms as "Conference President's Salary." These offerings to be sent through the regular channels of the church and conference.



10. \$1,000.00 annually be paid toward the support of the Campground caretaker.

11. A special authorization form (in triplicate) be used for the authorizing of all expenditures from the Conference Treasury. This is in compliance with a recommendation by Certified Public Accountants Swanson and Company who audit our books annually. These authorizations are to be signed by the Auditing and Finance Committee. One copy will be held by the Auditing and Finance Committee, one by the Treasurer and one by the President.

12. A petty cash fund be established with a maximum of \$200.00 from the Conference Budget Fund. From this fund the Treasurer may pay small bills and minor expenses without having to wait for special authorization. The activity of this fund will be reported annually the same as all other funds.

13. That all financial statements and reports be patterned after the Treasurer's annual report as to form. They shall be typewritten if possible and bear the signature of the person or committee submitting same. After the report has been referred, the original or official copy shall at once be placed in the hands of the Conference Secretary.

#### ITEM VII. BUDGET APPORTIONMENTS:

1. The Conference Undivided Budget Apportionment shall be as follows: Conference Budget, 89 per cent; Assistance Fund, 2 per cent; Pension Plan, 9 per cent.

—E. D. Lupton, Chairman

### Report No. 5

#### CONFERENCE MISSION BOARD

The Conference Mission Board met in the office at Stoneboro, Pa., on June 7, 1955, and transacted the following business:

Voted to place in nomination the name of C. R. McPherson for Pioneer Secretary for coming conference year.

Voted to place names of the following churches for financial help from offering on Sunday afternoon of Conference: (1) Jamestown, Pa., (2) Project for new church.

June 11, 1955. The Conference Mission Board met in the office at Stoneboro, Pa., at the request of the chairman. The following members were present: H. C. Van Wormer, T. A. Robertson, H. N. Robinson, A. G. Carlson, T. W. Comadoll, Frank Hicks, and Willard Dunn. After prayer the following business was transacted:

Willard Dunn elected secretary of Mission Board.

Voted to pay the expense of moving pastors to the following churches:

Soldier .....	George Kopp .....	\$88.71
Punxsutawney .....	Harry Reid .....	168.94
Fairmount .....	W. A. Robbie .....	168.94
Keepville .....	Ellis Yarnell .....	180.76
Hubbard .....	Donald Harriff .....	83.09

Blue Eye .....
 David L. Robertson ..... |  |

Voted to loan amount of moving bill to following churches:

Mentcle .....	A. G. Carlson .....	245.11
Johnstown .....	Bernard Pollock .....	236.38

Voted to loan half amount of moving bill to Wolf Summit.

Voted to place moving in hands of R. W. Dunn.

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Voted to give aid to the following churches in specified amounts:

Merrifield Memorial	W. A. Robbie	\$100.00 per month
Clarksburg	James Merrifield	100.00 per month
Hooversville	Dale Holly	75.00 per month
Vanport	Joseph Dentler	35.00 per month
Cabin Run	Paul Betz	70.00 per month
Luciusboro	Elwood Hannold	65.00 per month
Punxsutawney	Harry Reid	45.00 per month
Barkley	Robert Cherry	30.00 per month
Butler	William Mydock	40.00 per month
Soldier	George Kopp	40.00 per month
Greenfield	Charles Lincoln	30.00 per month

Voted to pay Bluefield, West Virginia \$50.00 per month for four months.

Voted to pay Hubbard, Ohio, \$50.00 per month for three months.

Voted to give \$100.00 to pioneer work in Salem, Ohio, to help on rent of building.

Voted aid from Pioneer Fund as follows: Warren—Delmar Kaufman, \$50.00 per month for six months.

Voted to pay Pioneer Secretary's salary and expense allowance as follows: Salary, \$60.00 per week; house rent, \$35.00 per month; all telephone expenses, and \$1,100.00 per year travel allowance from which he shall provide adequate liability insurance.

October 17, 1955, by correspondence: Voted to give Rev. Martin Wambach \$75.00 per month until he is able to secure a job.

January 25, 1956, by correspondence: Voted to give Rev. Willis Muir \$75.00 per month until he returns to work.

March 16, 1956. Discontinued payment to Rev. Dale Holly at his request.

R. Willard Dunn, Secretary

## Report No. 6

## MISSIONARY BOARD NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Your Nominating Committee for the Conference Missionary Board submits the following nominations:

Ex-officio Honorary Member, T. A. Robertson; Akron District, R. W. Dunn; Indiana District, A. G. Carlson; New Castle District, H. N. Robinson; Titusville District, C. C. Cross; West Virginia District, Frank Hicks.  
Charles C. Cross, Chairman

## Report No. 7

## DELEGATE TO THE CONVENTION OF NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF EVANGELICALS

The Annual Convention of the National Association of Evangelicals was held in Cleveland, Ohio, April 12th to 14th inclusive with the largest attendance on record. The addresses of Dr. Henry W. Savage, Dr. Paul S. Ries, Dr. George L. Ford, and other leaders were intensely inspiring and held a gripping challenge for all who have a heart burden for the work of the Kingdom of God. It is the writer's opinion, from all indications at the Convention, that this was the greatest year of growth and service the Association has experienced. While growth is not always an indication of the blessing of the Lord on a movement, the atmosphere

of genuine spiritual devotion and enthusiastic endeavor for the salvation of the souls of the lost and the promotion of God's glory were certainly indicative of the blessing of the Lord on the N.A.E. I believe that we, Wesleyans, could well afford to take some lessons from some other denominations and associations in enthusiastically putting our all, as individuals, into the service of our blessed Master. If there is any cause in all the universe that should gender enthusiasm and challenge us to labor, with all that labor—WORK—mans in the service of the Lord, it seems to me it should be—"laying ourselves out" for; first a REVIVAL, and then all the ramifications of the service of the Lord in our church. From all indications this seemed to be the very life of the leaders of this convention.

The 1956 Convention was one of the busiest times one could imagine. There were meetings of the various commissions and departments at almost all hours, from early morning till late at night. All business was cared for with precision yet with perfect freedom and an absence of any strain. The Commission meeting that probably drew the largest attendance of all was that of the Commission on Evangelism and Church Extension.

The officers elected for the coming year were: Paul P. Petticord, President; Howard W. Ferrin, First Vice President; C. C. Burnett, Secretary; Robert C. Van Kampen, Treasurer; and George L. Ford, Executive Director.

As is generally known, the N.A.E. is not an organization that makes or dictates church doctrines or policies, but an organization for service to the affiliated churches and its opportunities in the field are constantly becoming more and more apparent and enlarged.

It has served our own denomination in a number of instances and, especially in the field of Foreign Missionary Service, we are finding this service becoming more necessary. However, individual churches are the recipients of services that they could not otherwise enjoy. This has been graphically illustrated in a certain city where pressure was placed upon the officials to force a certain church to remove a sign that read, I believe, "Jesus Saves". This would have been accomplished had not the N.A.E. come into the picture and used their influence, where it did the most good, and the sign was allowed to stay.

The N.A.E. has now come to the place where its voice is recognized in the national capitol and is fast coming to the front in international services. I return from this convention to solicit for this association your heartfelt prayer.

Charles C. Cross, Delegate

#### Report No. 8

#### COMMITTEE ON BOUNDARIES

Your Committee on Boundaries reports the following recommendation:

1. Recognition of the new organization at Princeton, West Virginia, and that this church be known as the Princeton Wesleyan Methodist Church, to be included in the West Virginia Holiness District.

Harry T. Reid, Chairman

#### Report No. 9

#### CONFERENCE SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY

To the Members of Allegheny Conference: Greetings!



God in His infinite mercy has brought us together for another Conference. It makes us feel we need to pause and give Him praise, and with the song writer we can truly say, "Through many dangers, toils and snares, we have already come; 'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead us home."

All have been concerned about souls, but not with enough concern. There is not a doubt or question that multitudes of Christians never stop to think, therefore, never come to realize how great a responsibility is ours. All we need to do to discover this is to soberly think upon some of the facts of this our time, and it will awaken us to some degree, at least. God give us a greater concern for our Sunday School!

The Scripture that seems to me to sum up what is needed is Gal. 5:6. "Faith which worketh by love." In this verse we have three of the elements so necessary in Sunday school work: Faith, Love and Work. It is needless to say, where we have these three essentials, we have Prayer. Thus we have four suggested steps that will lead to success in the Sunday School. Prayer, Faith, Love and Work—they go hand in hand. The Holy Spirit is being resisted, grieved and quenched, and in many instances crowded out and the plans and resources of man substituted. Souls are languishing, starving and weak for lack of true spiritual nourishment; while many are perishing without hope in Christ and the blessed knowledge of sins forgiven. Who cares? Who really takes these things to heart? Millions of boys and girls never attend Sunday School and never hear Father or Mother pray; there is cursing and drinking, carousing and fighting their lot from day to day. Are they not important enough? Is it not worth while? We dare not play Sunday School any more than we dare not play church. Some one has said that one of the most powerful factors in a Christians life is "Prayer." My life in the Sunday School, your life as well, will never be as effective unless it is wrapped up in earnest prayer. Prayer that is inspired and indited by the Holy Ghost and that moves the very depth of the soul to "strong crying and tears." We need prayer that is born in a deep passion, prayer that is prompted by a real sense of need. We need to strive in prayer and to agonize. This is the kind of prayer that moves to intercession and soul agony. We need the kind of prayer that moves our hearts and also the heart of God. This will help us to reach the lost through the Sunday School. Another has said of prayer, "Prayer moves the heart that moves the arm that moves the world."

Progress has been made throughout the conference during the past year. Some have shown rapid and marked gains, others have had a steady growth. Some of our pastors have reported real victories in their Sunday School. Others have stated it was a real up-hill battle, but praised God for His unfailing help. We observed gains in nearly every school in the Conference for the month of April. This was due perhaps to more interest on the part of non-church going folk at Easter time. While many will not return until next Easter, we need to take advantage of each special occasion to reach as many as possible. We may gain just one family, but thank God for that one family. These special days can be well worth while if we use them to make new contacts and new friends for the church.

It was our happy lot to labor in the interest of the Sunday School at Greenville and at Cooperstown with these good pastors and their good people. The Akron District had a one day Sunday School convention. The missionary convention at Massillon gave time and place to the interest of the Sunday School. The object lessons of Sister Lelear were greatly appreciated. The Conference Sunday School convention at Sandy Lake

was blessed and owned of the Lord. To many this Convention was one of the bright spots of the year. We feel it went a long way in meeting the need that has been felt for sometime. More interest was manifested than we anticipated. No one who attended the Thursday night service will forget the wonderful presence of the Holy Spirit and the good message Dr. Reisdorph brought. We appreciated the ministry of both Dr. Reisdorph and Rev. Failing. The work shops were very helpful and encouraging to all interested in Sunday School work. The Superintendents Hour and Sister Larson's excellent demonstration of the value of the Object Lessons were also greatly appreciated.

Sunday School work is not a tiresome duty, an irksome task, a lifeless, ritualistic performance or a burdensome drudge, but a real pleasure and delight. To everyone who loves the Sunday School and Sunday School work there is inspired spiritual energy, moved by a Divine and Spiritual impulse. Let us pray that God will give us this Faith that Worketh by Love.

T. O. McCracken, S. S. Secretary

#### Report No. 10

#### THE PIONEER SECRETARY

To the Members of the One Hundred Thirteenth Annual Session of the Allegheny Conference: Christian Greetings!

This occasion once again affords me opportunity to bear witness to the mercy, goodness, and faithfulness of our God. More and more He holds our deepest affections and constantly lures us on to know Him better. All our hopes for time and eternity are in Him. I believe I can say that He has been enlarging my soul towards the lost, and increasingly drawing out my heart to ask for the planting of new Gospel centers in the unoccupied populated areas. The Lord has been helping me by prayer to enter more truly into the needs and problems which the Pioneer Pastors and churches face. The courage and heroism that has characterized our Pioneer Pastors is an example to us all. I am sure the Lord is looking on and will not be unmindful of those who venture all for Him and His Kingdom. Many of them have not drawn back from the suffering occasioned by holding to the old paths, but have joyfully borne their cross.

Some plans of the Pioneer Department for the past Conference year did not work out. The Mission Board's decision to center the Pioneer work in the New Castle area, could not be carried through to reality because of some intricate problems involved.

Two other suggested possibilities made by pastors of our Conference at the time of the last report, came to no actuality. Each pastor reported later that some disappointing turn of events had made a consideration of a Pioneer project in co-operation with them unwise.

Considerable time was spent looking over the Youngstown area. The Pioneer Secretary spent several days with Brother Delmar Kaufman and Brother Harold Schmul searching for a suitable Church Project location in the new housing developments. In every case it was discovered that the Catholics were already on the ground with their own new church building and parochial school plant. The contractors and salesmen were loyal Catholics. The whole set-up was slanted toward the sale of new completed homes to young Catholic couples and families. Where lots were available, the price made them out of our reach. In every case, we had no assurance of any substantial nucleus with which to begin such a costly project. In a Catholic center so strong, such a costly investment

would never be justifiable.

There are some basic problems involved in launching a new work. Most of the difficulties that confront pioneering are spiritual, primarily, and must be overcome largely in the realm of the spirit. One of the first problems is to find men who can and will qualify. Men who are so sufficiently given to God and His cause as to undertake such a sacrificial and devil-contested enterprise are not so easy to find as one might suppose. The second basic problem is to find the Lord's providential openings. So often one finds in the beginning of a new work disgruntled people with soured holiness, who prove to be the dross of silver. They just cannot be used in the new work. The process of sifting them out requires time, and often loss through offence, turning others away. In this way the enemy often hinders and where the worker is not skilled the whole project may be lost. The work which was started at Conference over a year ago did not prove to be substantial and disintegrated shortly after Conference. The third basic limitation is a financial one. Even with the closest economy the funds are always limited. They never reach around. I am inclined to think, however; that this is the least of our problems. It is easier to raise money than to beget spiritual regeneration. I believe where there is found God's man and the Providential opening, there will also be found the adequate supply to execute God's purpose. Those churches and individuals, nevertheless, who are entrusted with financial increase should be careful in distributing the same, thus laying up in store a good foundation for the Judgment to come. In this way no part of God's work would suffer.

There have been some bright spots in the Pioneer work of this year. The labor and assistance of godly evangelists such as Brother H. E. Robertson, Sr., as been of untold worth to the young Pioneer pastors. By example they have been taught the use of the prayer route in solving their problems, and in waging holy warfare.

Continued revival fires have rested upon the usual services of the English church. God's steady visitation upon the unsaved of the community has dug out raw sinners and brought them into the clear. This has been a mighty force of encouragement to the young churches of that area.

The Tazewell and Abb's Valley churches have been manifesting new life. Bluefield has had some sifting, but is on better spiritual ground than it has ever been. A spirit of prayer and heavenly consolation rests upon the people there. The young church at Princeton has been making satisfactory progress.

God continues to honor the pastors and the faithful one at Butler with an occasional conversion worthy of the name of our God. The pastors and the group at the Salem Church continue to make good progress. The presence of the Spirit attends the services and encourages them to believe for good things to come. Through the sacrifice of the pastors, and help from the II Canton Church, this church has been making real progress on their building fund. The Sherrodsville Pioneer Church has purchased property adjoining their church for their parsonage location. The late revival at Hartville revealed that there is sifting going on. God's people are getting their feet down and there is every evidence of spiritual deepening. Brother Robert Miller and his people at Jamestown continue to move forward with their plans for building. The Hubbard Church has suffered a series of losses occasioned by former friends of the work moving away or going elsewhere. The pastors, in order to save expenses, held all meetings in their own house during the winter and early spring months. They have now moved to a hall on Highway 62 between Hubbard

and Youngstown. The cost of the hall has largely been borne by the pastors. It has been a hard pull for them.

The outstanding moving of God in the Pioneer field during the past year was the inception of the new Wesleyan Methodist Camp Meeting of the Southern District of Allegheny Conference which ran from June 28-July 7 inclusive. Night campers averaged 40. Attendance at the day services was swelled by those who came in from the outside. The night services went far beyond all expectations. Interest continued to grow throughout the Camp. A wonderful spirit of gravity and fear prevailed on the grounds. God gave some unusual altar services and some abiding victories in this Camp.

The meals were excellent and served efficiently. Through the generous giving of faithful ones in that area, plus the added giving of other attenders, all expenses were adequately cared for. The Lord wonderfully used the ministry of Brother T. A. Robertson and Brother Henry Lelear during this encampment.

Plans for the second Wesleyan Methodist Camp Meeting of the Southern District, Princeton, W. Va., have already been advertised. It will be held June 26-July 5. Evangelist Robb French, Brother T. A. Robertson, and Brother H. C. Van Wormer will be the workers. The Camp has two attractive log dormitories with modern facilities with a capacity for caring for 220 campers. Meals will be served on the free-will-offering plan. Every camper is required to take his own sheets and blankets. All the churches of the Southern District are praying and planning for the Camp. There is the prayer of expectancy on the part of many. They are looking to God for His moving on the people, and for the kindling of revival fires in the hill country.

Out of last year's Camp meeting came the organization of the new Wesleyan Church at Princeton, W. Va. On Monday night, October 3, 1955 this class with 13 full members was received. This group had been gathered together by the pastoral labors of Rev. B. G. Blackburn. Brother Blackburn continues the pastoral oversight of this new organization under Conference appointment. The organization has a partially completed cinder block church building 30' x 40'. The building has a full basement with unfinished auditorium above, with a total value of \$4,000, free of debt. They are completing the building paying as they go.

The map which hangs before us, drawn by Mrs. McPherson for our united study, sets forth the boundary of Allegheny Conference. Upon this map are pointed out over fifty cities without a single Wesleyan church. These cities range in population from 5,000, more or less, to 120,000. There is one city of 120,000 (Youngstown, Ohio), one of 75,000, one of 50,000, nine of 20,000, thirteen cities of 10,000 each, and twenty-seven cities of 5,000, more or less.

These startling facts make us realize that there is much land yet to be possessed. As I have studied these facts, they have troubled me. I have sought the Lord for direction in this matter that involves so many souls. In the face of this tremendous opportunity and awful responsibility, the pastors and churches of Allegheny Conference should be utterly committed to some part, parts, or all of the following policy:

First, our total membership should be committed to basic united participation in the 30¢ per month offering each, in the support of the pioneer work.

Second, every church of the Conference should stand responsible for a substantial gift in cash and pledges toward the special Pioneer project approved by our Mission Board.

Third, those established churches which are in strategic centers of

population should be encouraged by their pastors to adopt the Mission Plan. This plan is that of the established church acting as a mother church to a Pioneer (Mission) Church in another part of the city. This plan has been used effectively in every age. It affords an outlet of expression in teaching, ministering, and financial giving on the part of the matured Christians of the established church. It also will prove the promise, "Give, and it shall be given unto you." One can think of scarcely any churches now in existence in our Conference, which did not come about by using some phase of this plan.

Fourth, a plan which might be called the "Volunteer Plan" should be encouraged by effectual Prayer. It is promoted by voluntary enlistment on the part of any truly qualified man who has the call of God upon him and is strong in faith. He moves into an unoccupied center under the approval of the Pioneer Department. Such an one takes the responsibility of self support. From this point, prayer meetings are opened up and God's providence followed toward a permanent home for the young Pioneer Church.

Fifth, the suggested Lupton Plan, which was explained by letter, could be used by any congregation that desires to do something special toward Pioneer work. The plan proposed by Brother E. D. Lupton and his church was that each of ten churches should pay for one year, an additional 10% of the Pastor's salary, which should go toward the support of a Pioneer pastor. The pioneer pastor and project to receive this help would be determined by the Conference President and the Mission Board.

In the light of the increased difficulty encountered these days in establishing new churches, it is the judgment of the Pioneer Department that as a Conference we should concentrate our resources this year in a special Pioneer project. The Pioneer Department has been making its plans with this in mind. In view of the manifest favor of God upon the opening of the W. Va. Camp meeting and the Princeton Wesleyan Church, we are persuaded to believe that the time has come to move into Beckley West Virginia, the next strategic center of population.

Beckley, W. Va., the county seat of Raleigh County, has a population of over 20,000. Its rich coal operations make it a center of wealth. This city is located some 35 miles north of Princeton, W. Va. We already have a small nucleus here who are interested in the Camp, and who have committed themselves to assist in this new project. The Rev. Emmett Coble, who is 30 years of age, is married and has two children, has inquired for entrance into our Conference. He is an elder in the North Carolina Conference and was an associate at Central College of Brother William Mydock and Brother James H. Cyphers. Brother Coble has given his word to come to Allegheny Conference and to pioneer in the Beckley field. These providential signs point toward this new door of conquest. After the Princeton Camp Meeting, it is the plan of the Pioneer Department to use Brother Kenneth O. Brown in launching a tent meeting in Beckley, W. Va. The new project will be carried on from this beginning.

A qualified man who seeks entrance into this Conference has asked permission of this department to open a new work in East Liverpool, Ohio, under the Wesleyan Banner. He has asked no financial assistance. He informs me that they have been having prayer meetings with 25 in attendance. They have also been conducting Saturday night Street Meetings. East Liverpool is a city of more than 24,000. This is a center that should engage our prayers.

Every pastor and church will do well to safeguard themselves from the spirit of self-centeredness and the lust for things, by promoting true

Holy Ghost revival. Such holy fires will kindle love for God and express itself in mission, home and abroad.

**SUMMARY OF LABORS:** I was in oversight of the Wesleyan Methodist Camp Meeting, Southern District, June 28-July 7; held four-day week-end services at Wilgus; attended Stoneboro Camp Meeting, Aug. 16-25; Conducted four-day week-end services at Stewart Run; a ten day revival at the Greenfield Church; attended the Kansas City Holiness Convention, October 25, 26, 27; labored in a 12 day revival at English, W. Va., Jan. 1-15; at Abb's Valley, March 6-17; attended the Ministerial Institute at Erie, Pa., 4, 5; conducted an eight day revival at Fairmont, W. Va., April 8-15; attended the Holiness Convention at Cincinnati, April 24, 25, 26; assisted in Yount religious survey; held eleven Quarterly Conferences; preached 152 times; travelled 29,000 miles.

#### Financial Report

Salary .....	\$3,120.00
House Rent .....	420.00
Travel Allowance .....	1,100.00
Revival Offerings .....	607.00
Special Gifts .....	145.00

**TOTAL** ..... \$5, 392.00

Paid by Conference for Telephone Tolls ..... 107.27

#### **AUTHORIZATION BY CONFERENCE PRESIDENT:**

1. October 1, 1955, by phone to organize the Princeton Wesleyan Methodist Church with 13 full members.
2. October 1, 1955, by phone to appoint Rev. B. G. Blackburn pastor of the Princeton Wesleyan Church.

#### **OFFICIAL ACTS:**

1. October 3, 1955, organized the Princeton Wesleyan Methodist Church with 13 full members.
2. October 3, 1955, appointed B. G. Blackburn pastor of the Princeton Wesleyan Methodist Church.

C. R. McPherson, Secretary

#### Report No. 11

#### **EVANGELISM SECRETARY**

Evangelism is Sick. A sick, anemic Evangelism is the patient of denominational leaders, preachers, and Doctors of Divinity. Likewise, she is the parent of a weak, spineless, believism. Her bobbed haired, jewel bedecked, worldly minded converts belie her diseased constitution. It is apparent that something besides vaseline or Cloverine is needed. This condition is the topic most frequently discussed in conference and conventions. Innumerable resolutions, programs, plans and promises are passed or made to revive her former enthusiasm and health. Needless to say no expenses has been spared in the effort to save her. The latest methods, means, and measures known to the Ecclesiastical Doctors have been employed, specialists from the fields of education and promotion have been called in for consultation. The Specialists have analyzed, criticized, and prescribed without success. Numerous treatments, transfusions, and adjustments have been tried, but the patient fails to rally.

For instance, a steady transfusion of propaganda and publicity is tried to bring back that certain atmosphere she has carried, but the results are more like a carnival than Calvary. The crowd technique has been tried

times without number, only for the Chief of Staff to find they have the masses without the Master. Dr. Enter Tain Em and his aid, Sr. Dish Rattler, have tried repeated shots of religious movies, refreshments, and recreation, but no improvement has been noticed. It appears that it will take more than food, fun, and fellowship to restore her former vigor. Dr. I am Neutral, specialist in nauseating neutrality, has placed Evangelism on a steady diet of positive preaching with disappointing results. Dr. Crack Em has suggested a series of adjustments in doctrine, standards and attitudes, also a special course in psychology; but these have been dead rods. They have given no life. These Quack Doctors and their remedies have been a waste of time and money. The question naturally comes, if these eminent ones, with their know-how, machinery and resources have failed to restore Evangelism to health and vigor, what will she respond to?

A minority have called for a menu of fasting, prayer and obedience, and old fashioned Gospel preaching. Dr. A. W. Tozer seems to understand her need when he says, "Too many religious leaders are overlooking the fact that the faith of Christ makes no concessions, accepts no compromise, allows no terms and makes no deals. Christ offers Himself to men as Lord and Saviour and receives returning sinners only when they turn against themselves and come fully to God's side. Fallen man escapes the judgment of the world as Lot escaped the destruction of Sodom; by forsaking it altogether, not by adjusting to it. The current vogue in religion never says "Thou shalt not"; that would be negative thinking and contrary to best psychology. It does not command men; it smiles, cajoles and suggests, and ends by letting man have his own way."

To better understand this, let us review evangelism's early beginnings. Evangelism is the child of Revival. It is a misconception of the highest magnitude to believe that evangelism is to get the church to be a little busier. Evangelism is more than action, it is unction; it is more than activity, it is Holy Ghost anointing. As L. W. Northrup, Free Methodist Chairman of the Committee of Evangelism, observed, "We must be revived. A forward movement without a revival at the center is a backward movement. It is a delusion—it contradicts divine revelation. We will have clamour without conviction, feasting without fasting, planning without prayer. Trying to put a church together without a revival is working with a rope of sand. Without a revival a church will be dead, carnal, blind and stubborn. This latent incapacity for spiritual things persists in a church which has been formed by the art of men, rather than born of the Spirit in revival fires. Only the revival church bears the stamp of God. Only the revival church loves revival—but on it she thrives, she thrills, she lives." (Unquote) Revival alone will give Evangelism that dynamic strength to fulfill her mission. "Evangelism, the activity of making Christ known and loved" is the primary occupation of the church; in fact it is the only justification for her existence. "Winning men to Christ is not a part of the program of the church, it is the only activity of the church. To accomplish this mission in the world, the fires of revival must be kindled here. Individual and congregational revival must precede world Evangelism. The fire of Evangelism does not start at the top, planned and programmed; it begins spontaneously in the grass roots and goes up. It is useless to criticize the head, arms, and legs for immobility when the heart is nigh dead. Orders issued and resolutions on church extension will be feebly carried out by the various arms of the church until the heart beats strong and true. The size of the brain and the brawn of the arms are of no use when the heart is weak or dead. The heart is everything. Intercessory Prayer and unquestionable obedience is the heart of

Revival Evangelism. This sickness is unto Death unless we find a remedy.

The remedy will not come out of denominational apothecaries, or from the bulging brief cases of professional pill-pushers. The formula will never be compounded in educational dispensaries, Conference or Convention X-ray rooms. It will take more than a little soothing syrup. Hadacol, or One-a-day Vitamins. There is no patent medicine, handy tablets or self help exercises that will invigorate sick Evangelism.

If evangelism ever recovers her health, vision, and vigor we must follow the directions of the Divine Physician carefully. The tried and true prescription is hundreds of years old, but careful application of the patient to the directions is guaranteed to restore youthfulness and health. It is not difficult to find. The pages of Holy Writ give the same prescription over and over again. Take II Chronicles 7:14 for instance. "If my people which are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways: then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their Land." Joel gave Israel the cure for them in their day, "Sanctify ye a fast, call a solemn assembly, gather the elders, and all the inhabitants of the land into the house of the Lord your God, and cry unto the Lord . . . Blow ye the trumpet in Zion, and sound an alarm in my holy mountain . . . turn ye even unto me with all your heart, and with fasting, and with weeping, and with mourning; rend your heart and not your garments, and turn unto the Lord your God . . . Gather the people, sanctify the congregation, assemble the elders, gather the children, and those that suck the breasts: let the bridegroom go forth of his chamber, and the bride out of her closet. Let the priests, the ministers of the Lord, weep between the porch and the altar." Here is the promised cure, "And I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions: And I will restore to you the years that the locust hath eaten the cankerworm, and the caterpillar, and the palmerworm. And ye shall eat in plenty, and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God that hath dealt wondrously with you."

It appears that the main ingredients in the prescription necessary to restore a healthy vibrant Evangelism are: A. Humility of spirit; B. Tears of contrition; C. Confession of sins; D. Fasting of sleep and food; E. Expectancy of faith.

Brethren, we are in no place to fix responsibility for this condition. Who among us can point a finger or cast a stone? Our own fruitlessness stands as a silent witness against us. The question is not, who is to blame—the question is, Brethren, will we take our medicine? Will we take it long enough, strong enough, and often enough to do us good? Are we going to: Prescribe for others what we will not take ourselves, put the medicine back in our theological medicine chests to gather dust, or practice what we preach? Brethren, will we take our medicine?

H. E. Schmul, Secretary

## Report No. 12

### THE EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

In Deuteronomy 6:7, we read three words which constitute one of the great commands of the Old Testament, "teach thy children." We note that God did not ordain that the children of the Hebrew homes be



taught and instructed by tutors from among the heathen, but by the Israelites themselves. In the early history of these people this commission was considered very important, and to obey the Divine instruction became a vital part of the life of the nation. Never has there been a time, however, when this responsibility was of more importance than today. I should like to give three reasons why we should give diligent and constant consideration to and interest in a spiritual program of education.

In the first place, this is a definite and direct command of God. The word does not obligate those who are outside of grace to teach our sons and daughters. We are not commanded to shift this great task upon those who are not acquainted with our God. God is concerned first about the spiritual life of our children. They must first be taught about God, and such teaching must come from those who know God. "Teach thy children," God says, such a simple command so clearly stated demands our most careful attention.

On the other hand, this command is especially important when we consider the position educational program plays in the work of the church. Some one has said during this Conference, "For Wesleyan Methodist to survive, we must maintain Wesleyan Methodist School." On this same principal we may say that if we continue as a spiritual organization, we must maintain spiritual schools. A study of denomination reveals that before churches apostasize the schools drift into a state of liberalism, compromise, and worldliness. It is in the schools and colleges that young people are prepared for the leadership in the churches. If the graduates are not properly taught in the Word, how can we expect them to maintain a spiritual ministry? When men with carnal ambitions, worldly desires, and sensual appetites fill our pulpits, we can only expect, sooner or later, to have an apostate church. If we want to keep our churches spiritual we must first maintain a spiritual program of education.

Finally, the importance of this is seen when we consider the influences of evil which is associated with secular education today. In the elementary and high schools we see the tremendous effect this influence is having upon our youth. Regardless of how much spiritual help we have given them up to this time, it is here that we lose them. We need Christian day schools, and colleges that are holiness not only in principle, but also in practice. Recently, in one holiness school operated by a leading holiness denomination, the professor was teaching the sermon on the mount. As he taught some portions of Matthew 5, he informed his students that this standard is not given for us today, but that this is the standard by which people shall live during the millennium. Such teaching only opens the door to carnal living among prospective leaders, and soon breeds carnal practices in the churches. A church will seldom rise higher than the leadership of that organization. Then we have the influence of outbroken sin. Today much of the fundamental teaching has been crowded out in order to make room for movies, dancing, and a vast program of sports and entertainment. Almost every influence both in the classroom and on the playground is demoralizing, detrimental, and destructive. In some circles of education immorality is taught by precept and by practice, and our young people find it difficult to resist these tremendous influences of evil. Our only hope of saving the youth of this generation is to provide for them a system of education that will honor the Holy Spirit, give place for God's Word, and teach them the principles of Holy living.

In conclusion, let us seek to maintain spiritual institutions of learning, in which our young people can find God, become indoctrinated in His Word and be directed into His will for their lives. Willard Dunn, Sec.

## Report No. 13

## CHILD EVANGELISM REPORT

The need for Child Evangelism is greater than ever before in our modern history. Juvenile Delinquency and crime among the children is on the increase. Not petty crimes or the usual expected acts of disobedience found in the average child that is not a Christian, but crime in the nth degree, murder, theft, immorality. It is shocking, but true. The newspapers and juvenile courts prove these facts. It is not unusual anymore to read in the paper and find where a child has killed his parents, perhaps a friend or a playmate for apparently no reason at all.

Is the child to blame? Never!!!

In many instances, he is the helpless victim of circumstances over which he has no control. Television placed in the home, before which he spends hours gazing at all kinds of scenes that play upon his emotions and fire his imaginations until his tender feelings and finer instincts are replaced by a hardness and shrewdness that would put a seasoned criminal to shame.

A recent newspaper account told of a certain boy who killed some members of his family, ate his supper and stayed all night in the same house with those dead bodies before he told his neighbors about it the next day. Hardened criminals would have paled at this experience.

If the children are lost then all is lost. The future would look gloomy indeed, but thank the Lord—the children can be evangelized, providing the churches are willing to do the evangelizing. That is the number one problem.

Child Evangelism does cost tremendously. Money is the least part of the price. It costs in time, work and strength above all in prayer and waiting upon God. On the other side, it costs more not to try to evangelize the child—it costs in heartbreak in the home, often our nation a crime bill, and it costs in the reproach it brings upon the church for being so complacent and unconcerned. Finally it costs the soul of the child.

Are we doing our part to try to evangelize the children? Are we willing to sacrifice mostly our time and effort to win them to Christ—or do we have this attitude assumed by even many so-called Christians: I'm glad the Lord hasn't called me to do Children's Work, they get on my nerves. Well, the Lord can help your nerves if you let Him. (Maybe it's not your nerves, but your carnality!)

Nervous, irritable people aren't much of an inspiration to children. They are won by kindness, patience and love.

I sent out 96 letters of inquiry. Received 62 replies. 38 reported D. V. B. Schools. 20 have Junior Church, 12 Bible Clubs. As far as I can ascertain over 2,000 children have been contacted through these various meetings.

Ruth Giles, Secretary

## Report No. 14

## BURIAL ASSOCIATION REPORT

We appreciate the interest shown in the association this year and as a result there has been an increase in membership. We are sorry to report a number of churches have not as yet elected a Burial Association Secretary. We suggest this be done as soon as possible.

Membership is open to all members of the Wesleyan Methodist

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Church, also to the husband of wife and minor children of members. The age limits are from six months to sixty, and the dues are as follows: Between the ages of:

Six months and twenty years .....	\$1.00
Twenty years and thirty years .....	2.00
Thirty years and forty years .....	5.00
Forty years and forty-five .....	10.00
Forty-five years and fifty .....	25.00
Fifty years and fifty-five years.....	50.00
Fifty-five years and sixty years .....	75.00

Dues: The assessment for each death is \$.20; an assessment is made each time five deaths have occurred. Thus each assessment is for \$1.00.

E. R. Barris, Secretary

## Report No. 15

## TITHING SECRETARY'S REPORT

In the conference year 1955-1956, the Conference had a per capita giving, based on the contributed totals for all purposes, of \$216 plus. God's blessing always follows our obedience to His plan for our church finances. God has advocated the storehouse, which is the church (Mal. 3:10), as the treasury for our tithes and offerings and any people, any church, who will follow the teachings and commandments of God in this matter will, according to God's promise, be blessed beyond measure in the financial aspects of their church program as well as deepening the spiritual atmosphere of the church and lives of the believers. In these days, however, our people are pressed by many demands for financial support from religious broadcasters, publishers and editors of periodicals, and other religious enterprises, thus it has become mandatory that we teach the rudiments of scriptural giving. Giving is a grace and as such must be practiced as a part of our worship of God. The tithe is the foundation of our giving, and it is the Lord's. The tithe is rendered to the storehouse and then the Christian is free to give of his remaining prosperity to the other causes which may be presented to him. Unless, however, we launch a program of teaching the essentials of giving as they are rendered to us in the Scriptures, our next generation may not be as obedient to this important part of their worship.

Of the 3,534 members of the Conference, 2,529 are reported as tithers. This figure does not represent the number of storehouse tithers. Let us by the grace and help of God launch an endeavor to enlist all of our people as storehouse tithers in the year 1956-57.

F. E. Mansell, Secretary

## Report No. 16

## BOARD OF CONFERENCE TRUSTEES

The Conference Board of Trustees report of business transacted during the Conference Year 1955-1956:

1. June 11, 1955. The President's office, Stoneboro, Pa. Present: Rev. H. C. Van Wormer, Rev. T. W. Comadoll, Rev. A. G. Carlson, Homer Waid and P. J. Lindquist. Also present, Rev. Jos. B. Markey. Rev. H. C. Van Wormer was elected Chairman and A. G. Carlson,

Secretary for the new year. Rev. J. B. Markey was elected the Aid Fund Treasurer for the year 1955-1956.

Recommended that the McLeister Memorial Fund be transferred to the Church Aid Fund in charge of Rev. J. B. Markey.

Motion made and carried to renew Notes carried by the Churches when requested.

Aid Treasurer requested to write to ministers in regard to renewal of Notes to save addition of 5%, and when extensions requested, they be granted.

Rent of Vice President's house to be \$45.00 per month.

Move and carried that house No. 521 N. Washington St., Titusville, Pa., be purchased as a residence for the Vice President for \$13,500.00.

Motion to adjourn carried.

2. July 6th, 1955. Trustees met at Brown Hill Wesleyan Methodist Church, Rev. Dean McIntire, Pastor, to consider plans for a basement to the church.

It was moved and supported that the plans for the basement and entrance be approved as per plans. It was recommended by a unanimous vote of the Trustees, that the building be moved back ten feet, and to one side of the lot to provide ample parking space.

Expenses of the trip: Homer Waid, \$11.36; Paul J. Lindquist, \$13.40; and Rev. T. W. Comadoll, \$3.00.

3. July 14, 1955. Board of Trustees met at Indiana, Pa., to consider the matter of purchasing another parsonage for the Indiana Wesleyan Methodist Church, Indiana, Pa. Rev. Guy E. Terpe, Pastor.

After inspecting the house located at 20 South 13th St., Indiana, it was moved and approved to purchase said property at a price of \$12,000.

The Trustees of the Indiana Wesleyan Methodist Church were authorized to dispose of their present parsonage located at 1296 School St., Indiana, Pa., to the best advantage.

They were also authorized to secure a loan to the best advantage to make up the difference between the two properties.

Motion made and carried to purchase the lot at the corner of Church and 12th St., Indiana, Pa., for the sum of \$1,000.00 to be used for a parking lot.

Expenses of the trip: Homer Waid, \$19.36; P. J. Lindquist, \$21.40; and Rev. T. W. Comadoll, \$3.00.

4. August 17, 1955. Board met at President's office, Stoneboro, Pa. Granted the request of Rev. R. L. Kuhn, Meadville, Pa., for a loan of \$200.00 from the Ministers Aid Fund.

5. August 22, 1955. Board met at President's office, Stoneboro, Pa. to consider the request of the Tarentum Wesleyan Methodist Church, Tarentum, Pa., Rev. E. D. Brannon, Pastor; to secure a loan and place a mortgage on the property.

Whereas that the Tarentum Wesleyan Methodist Church of Tarentum, Pa., desires to place a mortgage on its property for needed improvements:

Therefore, whereas the Allegheny Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church is willing to co-operate by transferring title to the local church of the said property to the local Board of Trustees of said church for the nominal sum of \$1.00; and the proper officials are authorized to execute and deliver the necessary deed of transfer to carry out said transfer.

Granted the request of the Mentcle Wesleyan Methodist Church, Mentcle, Pa., Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Carlson, Pastors, for a loan of \$1,000.00 from the Church Aid Fund to put a basement under the parsonage at Heilwood.

Approved the plans of the Bethel Wesleyan Methodist Church, R. D.

2, Fairview, W. Va., Rev. Maurice Moore, Pastor, for an addition to the church, and other needed improvements, provided two thirds of the members of the church agree.

Approved the request of the West Fairfield Wesleyan Methodist Church, Rev. Steven and Helen Letonek, Pastors, to put a basement under the church.

6. August 27, 1955. By correspondence. Granted the request of Rev. Elwood Hannold, R. D. 2, Homer City, Pa., for a loan of \$100.00 from the Ministers Aid Fund.

7. September 2, 1955. Board met at Cottage Hill Wesleyan Methodist Church to look at a house located on Route No. 661, on New Bethlehem-Rimersburg Road, as a parsonage for the Cottage Hill Church.

Motion was made and carried that Rev. Paul Hetrick and the Cottage Hill Trustees secure the property for \$4,400.00, or to the best advantage, provided satisfactory financial arrangements could be made.

Expenses of the trip: Rev. T. W. Comadoll, \$4.50; A. G. Carlson, \$12.24; and Homer Waid, \$12.86.

8. September 13, 1955. Board met at Titusville, Pa., to look at a house at 530 W. Elm St., Titusville, Pa., as a residence for the Vice President.

After looking over this property, it was moved and carried to buy this property as a residence for the Vice President at a price of \$14,000.00, with a down payment of \$1,000.00; the balance to be paid when the deed was ready.

It was moved and carried to take \$1,500.00 from the Conference Budget, and \$1,500.00 from the Conference Missions Fund, and to borrow \$2,000.00 from the Assistance Fund to apply to the purchase of this property.

The \$2,000.00 borrowed from the Assistance Fund to be paid back when funds are available.

Rev. T. A. Robertson to borrow \$2,000.00 to the best advantage to finish payment.

Expenses of the Trip: Homer Waid, \$22.72; Rev. T. W. Comadoll, \$3.00; and A. G. Carlson, \$12.48.

9. September 13, 1955. Board met at Titusville, Pa., and granted the request of Rev. David Robertson, R. D. 2, Spring Creek, Pa., for a loan of \$125.00 from the Minister Aid Fund.

10. September 28, 1955. By correspondence. Board granted the request of the Tarentum Wesleyan Methodist Church, Tarentum, Pa., Rev. Dale Brannon, pastor, for a loan of \$1,000.00 from the Church Aid Fund.

The Board also agreed to underwrite a Note for \$4,000.00, the amount the Tarentum Wesleyan Methodist Church owes the Marion Center Lumber Co., at Marion Center, Pa.

11. November 5, 1955. The Board met at Emigh, Pa., to look over a building for a parsonage for the Pleasant View Wesleyan Methodist Church, Rev. Sheridan Rainey, Pastor.

After looking over the property at Emigh, a house of ten rooms and bath, with attached garage, it was moved and carried that the church go ahead and secure this property for the sum of \$5,000.00. Financial matters to be taken care of by the church.

Expenses of the trip: Homer Waid, \$16.00; Rev. T. W. Comadoll, \$16.14; A. G. Carlson, \$1.94, and Sheridan Rainey, \$4.00.

12. November 9, 1955. By correspondence. Board granted the request of Punxsutawney Wesleyan Methodist Church, Punxsutawney, Pa., Rev. Harry Reid, Pastor, for a loan of \$275.00 from the Church Aid Fund.

Board also granted the request of W. Fairfield Wesleyan Methodist

Church, Rev. Steve Letonek, Pastor, for a loan of \$600.00 from the Church Aid Fund.

13. December 27, 1955. By correspondence. Board granted and authorized the Vice President to secure a desk and chair for his office. The President to give him his typewriter as he needed a larger one. The President to secure the size typewriter desired.

14. January 24, 1956. By correspondence. Board granted the request of the Luciusboro Wesleyan Church, Rev. E. O. Hannold, Pastor, for a loan of \$250.00 from the Church Aid Fund to install new seats in the auditorium of their church.

15. February 21, 1956. Board met at Canal Wesleyan Methodist Church, Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Comadoll, Pastors, to consider plans for an addition to the church.

Board granted the request of the Canal Wesleyan Methodist Church and passed the plans for the proposed addition to the church.

16. February 13, 1956. By correspondence. Board granted the request of Rev. Robert Miller, Pastor of the Pioneer Wesleyan Methodist Church at Jamestown, Pa., for a loan of \$200.00 from the Minister's Aid Fund.

17. February 21, 1956. Board met at Niles Wesleyan Methodist Church, Niles, Ohio, Rev. and Mrs. Harry Trimble, Pastors, to consider plans for a new church.

After inspecting the plans presented for the church, the Board decided the outlay would be too great for the size of the congregation, and referred the plans back to the Church Trustees for study and adjustment.

Expenses of the trip: Homer Waid, \$16.00; Rev. T. W. Comadoll, \$2.40.

18. February 21, 1956. Mr. P. J. Lindquist, a member of the Board of Trustees, having resigned because of poor health, Mr. Ernest F. Rough was appointed to fill the vacancy.

19. February 21, 1956. By correspondence. Board granted the request of Rev. Burton Golden, Pastor of the Oil City Wesleyan Methodist Church, for a loan of \$100.00 from the Minister's Aid Fund.

20. April 10, 1956. Board met at the President's home at Titusville, Pa., to consider various matters to be brought before the Board.

Examined the plans submitted by the Isabella Wesleyan Methodist Church, Rev. Jack Benninger, Pastor, for an addition to their church, consisting of a basement and first floor. The Board passed the plans and gave permission to proceed with the addition as outlined.

Examined the plans submitted by the Jamestown Pioneer Wesleyan Methodist Church, Jamestown, Pa., Rev. Robert Miller, Pastor. It was the decision of the Board not to approve the present plans due to the cost. The Church was requested to draw plans for a smaller building and again submit them to the Board for approval.

The First Wesleyan Methodist Church of Akron, Ohio, Rev. I. D. Swinehart, Pastor, submitted plans for a new church to be erected on their new lot located at Corner of South Main St. and Swartz Road, Akron, Ohio.

After inspection of the plans submitted, they were passed by the Board, and permission given to proceed with the building.

The Board of Trustees of the First Wesleyan Methodist Church of Akron, Ohio, were authorized to secure the needed loan to the best advantage.

The Thanksgiving offering was taken for a new work which was to be established at New Castle. This work never materialized. The Board of Trustees recommended that this amount, \$1,891.46, be turned over to the

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work at Jamestown, Pa., Pioneer Church, Rev. Robert Miller, Pastor.

Expenses of the Board on this trip: Rev. T. W. Comadoll, \$1.81; Homer Waid, \$21.22; E. F. Rough, \$24.53; and A. G. Carlson, \$14.46.

21. May 5, 1956. By correspondence. Board granted the request of Rev. H. C. Van Wormer, Conference President, to paint and refinish the woodwork, walls and ceiling of the President's house, as nothing has been done to it for ten years.

22. May 14, 1956. By correspondence. Board granted the request of Templeton Wesleyan Methodist Church, Templeton, Pa., Rev. Kenneth Brannon, Pastor, for a loan of \$500.00 from the Church Aid Fund, as the parsonage has to be treated for termites, and a new floor put in on the first floor as a result.

A. G. Carlson, Secretary

## Report No. 17

## AID FUND TREASURER'S REPORT

## CHURCH AID ACCOUNT:

Balance on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$1,809.41	
Loan Repayments .....	5,008.00	
McLeister Mem. Fund (Note \$1,730.00) cash ....	501.49	
<b>Total Receipts .....</b>		<b>\$7,318.90</b>
Disbursements: Loans .....	3,525.00	
10% of Non-aid loans to Minister's Aid .....	138.50	
<b>Total Disbursements .....</b>		<b>\$3,663.50</b>
Balance on hand May 15, 1956 .....		<b>\$3,655.40</b>

## MINISTER'S AID ACCOUNT:

Balance on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$ 519.80	
Loan Repayments .....	1,100.00	
Aid Offerings (Gleason) .....	51.00	
10% of Non-aid Funds from Church Aid .....	138.50	
<b>Total Receipts .....</b>		<b>\$1,809.30</b>
Disbursements: Loans .....	725.00	
Aid Offerings (Reid, 104.66, Gleason, 51.00) ....	155.66	
<b>Total Disbursements .....</b>		<b>\$ 880.66</b>
Balance on hand May 15, 1956 .....		<b>\$ 928.64</b>

## NOTES OUTSTANDING: TO CHURCHES:

Loan to	Original Face	Balance 1955	Payments	Balance 1956
Akron, Grace	\$ 2,000.00	\$2,000.00		\$2,000.00
Ashville	250.00	250.00	115.00	135.00
Blue Eye Chapel	1,300.00	150.00		150.00
Bluefield	4,000.00	4,000.00		4,000.00
Cleveland, First	2,000.00	270.00		2,000.00
Carrollton	300.00	200.00	200.00	
East Conneaut	2,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00
Johnstown	1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00
Kenmore	2,700.00	1,500.00		2,200.00
Loyal Oak	2,000.00	1,900.00	100.00	1,800.00

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Luciusboro	250.00			250.00
Mentcle	1,000.00			1,000.00
Middlefield	700.00	500.00		500.00
Mount Calvary	250.00	250.00	250.00	
Niles	1,300.00	700.00	700.00	
N. Springfield	400.00		150.00	250.00
Nu Mine	2,600.00	1,376.00	276.00	1,100.00
Oil City	1,800.00	1,435.00	72.00	1,363.00
Penn Run	2,000.00	1,175.00	625.00	550.00
Pittsburgh	4,000.00	1,500.00	300.00	1,200.00
Pittsfield	1,500.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Punxsutawney	3,125.00	2,850.00	100.00	3,025.00
Smithport	2,500.00	2,220.00	605.00	1,615.00
Soldier	2,000.00	1,950.00	375.00	1,575.00
Tarentum	2,000.00	1,000.00	375.00	2,000.00
Vanport	2,500.00	2,440.00		2,440.00
Warren	1,650.00	1,650.00		1,650.00
West Fairfield	600.00			600.00
Wolf Summit	2,500.00	2,240.00	110.00	2,230.00

Total Loans Outstanding:

\$36,533.00

## NOTES OUTSTANDING TO MINISTERS:

Loan to	Original Face	Balance 1955	Payments	Balance 1956
Paul Betz	\$200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
E. Dale Brannon	150.00	40.00	40.00	
K. A. Brannon	200.00	100.00		100.00
E. W. Brooks	200.00	200.00		200.00
William C. Cessna, Jr.	275.00	275.00	75.00	200.00
C. V. Earnhart	200.00	200.00		200.00
Lorman J. Elliott	100.00	60.00	10.00	50.00
Gracia L. Fero	200.00	165.00	45.00	120.00
Harold Garvin	300.00	50.00	50.00	
Burton Golden	100.00		100.00	
Elwood Hannold	100.00			100.00
James W. Hersman	200.00	200.00		200.00
James W. Hersman	120.00	120.00		120.00
J. C. Himes	350.00	50.00	50.00	
C. E. Huntsman	300.00	300.00	50.00	250.00
Harry W. Kastle	100.00	100.00	50.00	50.00
Verner J. Kerr	150.00	145.00		145.00
Dwight N. Kopp	200.00	200.00		200.00
George C. Kopp, Jr.	85.00	65.00		65.00
George C. Kopp, Jr.	200.00	200.00		200.00
R. L. Kuhn	200.00		50.00	150.00
F. E. Mansell	100.00	35.00	35.00	
Harold McIntire	175.00	175.00	175.00	
Robert F. Miller	200.00			200.00
Willis Muir	100.00	50.00		50.00
Willis Muir	290.00	290.00		290.00
Harry T. Reid	50.00	40.00		40.00
Harry T. Reid	100.00	100.00		100.00
Harry T. Reid	75.00	75.00		75.00
David L. Robertson	125.00		70.00	55.00
Dwight L. Robertson	300.00	50.00		50.00
H. E. Robertson	150.00	135.00	10.00	125.00



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T. A. Robertson	240.00	90.00		90.00
F. E. Satterfield	300.00	300.00	130.00	170.00
John Scott	175.00	175.00		175.00
William Shank	100.00	100.00		100.00
Paul D. Stonebraker	200.00	150.00	60.00	90.00
Ray Yoder	200.00	200.00		200.00

## TOTALS

\$4,260.00

Jos. B. Markey, Treasurer

## Report No. 18

## CONFERENCE GROUP INSURANCE REPORT

**LIFE INSURANCE:** Number of insured reported last year, 147. Number of contracts terminated, 9. One was by death, the others were through termination of Conference membership. New members enrolled this year, 9. They are: Hazel Brannon, Donald Chess, Erwin Enty, Robert Gordon, Richard Grubbs, Donald Harrieff, Paul Hetrick, Helen Leton-ek and David Robertson. Present number insured, 147.

One death claim was paid to the beneficiary of J. R. Swauger. This is a total of 8 death claims since the formation of the group on June 10, 1938. They are: C. B. Pugh, A. E. Kerst, Gerald Rodgers, F. P. Kerst, C. D. Patterson, Sarah Redding, D. B. Hampe and J. R. Swauger.

From the 1955 Conference Minutes it is disclosed that the following churches failed to pay anything on their Group Insurance assessment for the preceding year: Kenmore, Bluefield, Cabin Run, Canal, Cecil Charge, Greenfield, Harbor, Hartville, Hooversville, Indiana, Loyal Oak, Luciusboro, Mentcle, N. Springfield, Olive Hill, Soldier, Spruce Grove, Tazewell, W. Fairfield, West Hill, and West Middlesex. This is more than 22% of our churches. It is apparent that it needs to be emphasized that all churches of the Conference are to pay the 35¢ per member assessment for the Group Insurance.

## FINANCIAL REPORT:

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Balance on hand Apr. 30, 1955	\$4,996.63		
From Insured	1,218.15		
From Churches	1,040.58		
Dividend	1,226.00		
Refunds		6.00	
Annual Premium		2,846.37	

## TOTALS:

\$8,481.36 \$2,852.37 \$5,628.99

**BLUE CROSS HOSPITALIZATION:** Number of contracts reported last year, 82. Number of contracts terminated, 4. (One by death, one by request, one by termination of Conference membership, and one by transfer.) Number of new contracts, 16. Present number of contracts, 94.

All subscribers should report promptly the addition of new children, husbands or wives for whom coverage is desired.

All who may be joining the Conference at this time are eligible for coverage as of July 1st. Applications must be in my hands before the close of Conference.

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	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Balance on April 30, 1955 — Deficit	\$13.05		

Received from Insured	4,675.00		
Annual Premium		\$4,634.95	
Refund		1.80	
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TOTALS:	\$4,661.95	\$4,636.75	\$ 25.00
INSURANCE EXPENSE ACCOUNT:			
Balance April 30, 1955—Deficit	\$ 1.58		
From Insured	20.85		
Postage		4.61	
Bank Service Charge		1.25	
Toll Call		.83	
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TOTALS:	\$19.27	\$ 6.69	\$12.58

E. D. Lupton, Secretary-Treasurer

## Report No. 19

## PENSION PLAN TREASURER

Baalnce on hand from last year	\$19.55	
Balance received for this year	787.94	
Assessments	907.28	
Budget	4,886.70	
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TOTAL:		\$6,581.92
DISBURSEMENTS:		
Assessments	\$907.28	
Paid out on Budget	5,777.00	
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TOTAL:		\$6,184.28
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Balance:		\$397.64

T. W. Comadoll, Treasurer

## Report No. 20

## THE DINING HALL SUPERINTENDENT

Paid out the following:		
L. E. Peden for turkeys	\$52.80	
Armour & Co.	113.15	
Holsum Bakery	82.24	
Mowry's Market	178.51	
Keebler Biscuit Co.	84.61	
S. M. Flickinger Co.	1,322.53	
Meadow Gold Dairies	224.25	
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TOTAL paid out for groceries		\$1,958.09
TOTAL paid out for labor		640.00
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TOTAL paid out for all purposes		\$2,598.09
Money received:		
From A. G. Carlson	\$1,247.29	
Elda Bence W.M.S.	437.15	
From churches for fruit and vegetables	242.55	
Offering and meals	265.78	

From Camp for groceries	792.09	
TOTAL cash received		\$2,984.84
Credit for canned goods		63.10
TOTAL for all purposes received		\$3,047.90
Returned to A. G. Carlson		\$386.75
W. R. Kopp, Dining Hall Superintendent		

### Report No. 21

#### PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

1. Authorized publication of the Conference Messenger: Five cents per copy in clubs to one address, \$1.00 per year single copy to one address. Conference to pay extra for issues larger than eight pages. West Publishing Co.
2. Secured 1100 copies Conference Minutes from West Publishing Co. at cost of \$868.36 for printing and delivery.
3. Sept. 26, 1955. 2M Sub-Treasurer Forms (No. 5) 40 pads, 50 sheets to pad, \$21.20. By Printcraft.
4. Sept. 30, 1955. 300 "Instruction" Cards, 100 "Course of Study" Record cards, \$16.50.
5. Nov. 17, 1955. Conference Stationery: 2,900 letter heads, 1,475 6¾ envelopes, 2,325 No. 10 Envelopes, at \$71.24.
6. July 15, 1955. Envelopes for Sub-treasurers, 2,500 6¾ at \$25.00.

Jos. B. Markey, Chairman

### Report No. 22

#### COMMITTEE ON SALE OF CONFERENCE MINUTES

Your committee on Conference Minutes submits the following report:

Total received from church for 1955 Minutes and late 1954 payments, \$540.80; paid to Rev. A. G. Carlson, Conference Treasurer, \$524.30; Balance on hand May 3, 1956, \$16.50; Churches not yet paid by May 3, 1956, 5. Lorman J. Elliott, Committee

### Report No. 23

#### STONEBORO CAMP MEETING PRESIDENT'S REPORT

In compliance with the duty imposed upon the president by the Camp Meeting Association, the following report is herewith submitted:

Again, we had some damage done on the Campground. This time it was a wind storm which damaged the dining hall, the old worker's cottage, blew down some trees and limbs and did some damage to other buildings. We appreciate the interest Brother Elsey took in getting the old worker's cottage and dining hall repaired. He spent several days working on the buildings. We also appreciate the others who worked with him to repair this damage. We appreciate Bro. Comadoll coming over and laying up the blocks to repair the damage to the dining hall wall.

We were able to build another dormitory which has been a great help

in making more room for the long waiting list. Several cottages are being built which will also help relieve the housing situation. Several from the Titusville Church are building a dormitory for themselves. The more individuals build the better it is for the Camp Meeting Association, for the camp is at the place where it cannot afford to do much more building. The expense of keeping up the present buildings is becoming increasingly heavy.

We wish to express our appreciation to the Titusville Church for cancelling the \$1,000 note which was held against the Association on the Caretaker's home. They had loaned the money to us without interest. Then, we desire to thank the churches and individuals who helped, so that we could pay the interest and another \$1,000 on the principle of the Caretaker's home. We now owe \$4,500 on this property.

We feel that we should thank God for all His goodness to us. Some have stated that it seems harder to raise money for the Camp than heretofore. When one takes into consideration that last year over \$24,000 was spent for building material, caretaker, evangelists, equipment, payment on loan, etc., one is made to realize that it takes much more money to make things go than ever before.

The Association opened a section where one story cottages may be built. Several plan to build here.

The attendance at the last camp was large from beginning and held up well to the end. The last few years the camp has been having larger attendance at the close than ever before. We believe this is a very good sign. As late as it was after the last one prayed through, several hundred stayed for the Hallelujah March.

The workers proved to be used of God and there were some great services. The prayer meetings were good and well attended. We wish to thank all the workers, superintendents, etc., who have labored so diligently to make the camp possible and to make the campers comfortable. To all who have labored and to all who have given to make the camp a success, we say a big, "Thank you."

We urge each pastor to try to get his people behind the camp as much as possible and to urge them to help the camp with their finances. There are many other interests taking the people's attention, but this is our camp and we need to give it our support.

If Jesus tarries, let us come to make this year's camp the very best. We need to keep Stoneboro Camp deeply spiritual, old-fashioned, God-controlled, Christ-centered and Holy Spirit anointed. Stoneboro Camp must be a place where the Holy Spirit is honored and is allowed to have His way, where God's glory rests and where God's presence is manifested. The whole burden rests with us. Let us pray, hope, believe, and expect a real outpouring of the Spirit upon the camp this year.

—H. C. Van Wormer, President

#### Report No. 24

#### COMMITTEE ON VACANCY

The Committee on Vacancy met on the Stoneboro Campgrounds during Camp meeting in Aug. 1955, and appointed Mr. Eber Messner as lay representative on the Houghton College Board of Trustees for two years. By correspondence that Committee appointed Earnest Rough to fill

the vacancy on the Conference Board of Trustees made by the resignation of Paul Lindquist.

—C. A. Blair, Chairman

### Report No. 25

### RESOLUTIONS AND PETITIONS

#### PETITION:

We, the undersigned, do hereby move that a committee be appointed to study with the Board of Administration the possibility of the Allegheny Conference appointing and supporting missionaries to Foreign Missionary service. We move further that this committee consist of seven members, appointed by the Chair, four of which shall be selected from the Elder and three from the Missionary Society.

Signed: Guy E. Terpe  
Clyde A. Blair  
R. Willard Dunn  
C. E. Huntsman

**RESOLUTIONS:** Your Committee on Resolutions submits the following Report:

#### BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That by adopting this report, we, as a Conference, re-affirm the historic stand of the church in matters of Christian doctrine and practice. Thus may we encourage our people to adhere, not from sense of staid, cold duty, but from a heart abounding in fervent love for God and a passion for holiness, to the General and Special Rules of our Discipline, especially as they regard the matters of dress, Sabbath observance, parental authority, and holy things. In as much as these things are important to the maintaining of our witness, may our ministry give itself to the preaching of the doctrine of holiness to maintain the heart relationship of our people to God in these matters.

2. That we re-affirm our love and our loyalty to our beloved denomination by praying for its leaders; and that we resolve to express our appreciation for the officials of our conference and the standard they maintain by praying for them, standing with them, and not burdening them with non-essential problems.

3. That we engage ourselves earnestly in the task of reaching and leading our youth into a definite experience of salvation, and further that we encourage them, as soon as it's practical and wise, to unite with the church. Since the losses to our church are tremendous among our teen age young people, let us endeavor by all proper means to engage their talents and abilities in the service of God and the church, thus creating in them a feeling of responsibility for the church.

4. That since the divorce evil is one of the great curses of our land, a corruption to the morals of our youth, and a destroyer of our homes, therefore we deem it essential to preach against this great evil, and that we go to the head of the stream and instruct our youth in the sanctity of marriage.

5. That since we recognize the many hazards of military life, and that many young men and women who have left our Sunday Schools and churches for the armed services were unsaved, we recommend that our churches have special times of prayer for their salvation and protection, and we further recommend that the churches, through their pastors main-

tain correspondence with them, and that each name be registered with the Wesleyan Commission for Servicemen to maintain the contact for Wesleyan Methodism.

6. That we continue to exhort our young people to refrain from the purchase of television sets since we recognize the television as an influence to evil, a destroyer of the sanctity of our homes, and a hindrance to the spiritual life and growth of our people. We, therefore, urge our preachers to be an example unto our people by refusing to view television as well as to refrain from the purchase and possession of such.

7. That we urge our people, through the preaching and example of our ministry, to maintain the family altar as a spiritual institution in our homes, to practice the grace of systematic fasting, and to engage themselves in deeper prayer lives issuing forth in bleeding intercession, motivated by fervent love for God and a burning passion for souls.

8. That since we recognize Communism to be a subtle, Godless influence, and that the present trends to a welfare state are opening wedges in our nation to its supplanting our democratic way of life—be it resolved:

a. That our ministers and church leaders warn our people through the preached Word and the printed page of the subtle approach, Satanic origin, and destructive results of this political philosophy.

b. That we recognize our solemn obligation to pray for the President of our Nation and the committees of Congress who are engaged in exposing this Communistic infiltration in our American system, and further, that God will grant them wisdom and courage to fight this evil.

9. That since there is a rapid population shift to some of the industrial areas of our conference from the farm and coal regions, we recommend that our pastors keep each other informed of those who move from area to area from our Sunday Schools and churches.

10. That since we recognize the religious motion picture to be an influence to evil and not consistent with God's divine plan for the presentation and propagation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, we urge our churches and pastors to refuse to endorse them and to refrain from using them in the churches of our conference.

11. That since we recognize the Revised Standard Version of the Bible to have many changes in text which are an injustice to the Holy Scriptures, and further, that it projects the theological bias of the translators and revisers, we recommend that our people be discouraged from its use and that our ministers refrain from its employment in public services.

12. That since we recognize the newly published and much publicized "Interpreter's Bible" as an instrument to undermine the Gospel of Jesus Christ by calling into question the historical characters of the Scriptures, the inerrancy of the Holy Word, and the inspiration of the inspired writers of the Scriptures by the Holy Ghost, we deem it advisable that our people be warned that its use as a commentary on the Holy Scriptures is dangerous and may lead to the destruction of their faith.

13. Whereas we recognize the continued advancement of the Roman Catholic system in numerical strength and political power in our nation, schools, and local governments, and that since we recognize this constitutes a menace to free government, freedom of worship and conscience if it should gain a majority position, be it therefore resolved:

a. That the ministry of the conference instruct our people in the practices of the Roman church.

b. That we resist, with Christian grace, by zealous evangelism in our communities, to glean the unsaved lest they fall into this great error.

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c. That we endeavor, by the persuasion of the Gospel and godly lives, to lead as many adherents of this spurious faith to Christ as possible.

d. That we warn the youth of our churches about the disadvantages of marriage with those who are adherents to the Roman church.

F. E. Mansell, Chairman

## Report No. 26

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Your Committee on Nominations for the Conference Temporary Organization submits the following list of nominations:

1. Delegates Credentials—J. B. Markey, Chairman; Jack Benninger, Roscoe Wilson.
2. Committee on Ministerial Character—T. O. McCracken, W. E. DeHass.
3. Courtesy—E. Deweerd Lupton, H. E. Schmul.
4. Pastoral Relations—Elders: Conference President, H. C. Van Wormer, T. A. Robertson, Bernard Pollock, W. H. Armstrong; Laymen: George Kopp, Sr., Jay Lour, Robert Randall.
5. Committee on Resolution—F. E. Mansell, H. A. Trimble Laymen: Thankful Clawson.
6. Committee to Nominate Mission Board—Elders: C. C. Cross, H. A. Markell; Laymen: L. E. Ramsburg.
7. Boundary Committee—Elders: Harry Reid, H. R. Waite; Laymen: Andrew Youngblood.
8. Committee on Revising Church Directory—H. E. Robertson, Jr., Robert Cherry.
9. Committee of Memoirs—C. C. Cross, Donald St. Clair, Jos. B. Markey.
10. Representative to Houghton College—Ministerial Trustee—Guy E. Terpe; Alternate Ministerial—R. W. Dunn; Alternate Lay—W. E. De Hass.
11. Recognition Committee—H. N. Robinson, E. Deweerd Lupton.  
T. W. Comadoll, Chairman

## Report No. 27

## HOLINESS DISTRICTS—CHAIRMAN'S REPORT AND REORGANIZATION

AKRON: The Akron Holiness District held three one day Conventions, at Alliance, Loyal Oak, and Lakeview, the latter being a Sunday School Convention and Youth Rally. A three day missionary convention was held at Massillon with Sister Irene Hanley as speaker.

The Young People carried on monthly Zone Rallies. The district has helped support the Pioneer work at Salem.

C. A. Blair, Chairman

REORGANIZATION: Chairman, C. A. Blair; Vice-Chairman, E. D. Lupton; Secretary, Mrs. Erma Blair; Treasurer, Mrs. Ruby Dunn; Sunday School Secretary, T. O. McCracken; Missionary Secretary, Mrs. Oneida Gleason; Pioneer Secretary, R. W. Dunn; Canton Zone Youth Chairman, Paul Rexrode; Akron Zone Youth Chairman, Glenn Elsey.

Motion passed to hold the first convention at Carrollton on July 27.

W. H. Garrett nominated for subtreasurer.

Ruth Hoiem, Secretary

INDIANA: The Indiana district held four holiness conventions during the year. The first one was a two-day missionary convention with Rev. Robert Crosby, one day each at Hillsdale and Templeton. The second one was a four night convention at Indiana with Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Banker. The other two were one day conventions, one at Mentcle and the other at Smithport. The day services were not too largely attended, but the night services were well attended.

The Youth Rallies were held monthly during the school year. The Indiana-Dixonville Zone held a Youth Week revival with the Rev. F. E. Mansell as evangelist. The youth services were always packed out. God has blessed this year for which we thank Him.

Guy E. Terpe, Chairman

RE-ORGANIZATION: The Indiana District wishes to report as follows: Chairman, Guy Terpe; Vice-Chairman, J. C. Himes; Secretary-Treasurer, L. J. Elliott; Sunday School Secretary, Wayne Spangler; Missionary Secretary, Catharine Carlson; Pioneer Secretary, J. C. Himes; Assistant Pioneer Secretary, Bernard Pollock; Prayer Secretary, Elwood Hennold; Song Leader, George Kopp, Jr.; Pianist, Evangeline Hannold; Young People's Chairman, Dixonville Zone, Frank Miller; Young People's Chairman, Templeton Zone, Roy Wade; Motion made to have co-chairman for Y. P. Nomination for Subtreasurer, Thankful Clawson.

L. J. Elliott, Secretary

NEW CASTLE: The New Castle District enjoyed the blessing of God throughout the year. A number of excellent conventions were held with good attendance at most of them. The Chairman appreciated the co-operation of the pastors of the District. An offering of \$100.00 was sent to the Stoneboro Camp Treasurer to express our appreciation for a fine Camp and to assist in the great task of maintaining the grounds in good condition.

H. E. Schmul, Chairman

RE-ORGANIZATION: Chairman, Rev. H. E. Robertson, Jr.; Vice-Chairman, F. E. Mansell; Secretary, Dorothea Pfautz; Treasurer, A. Mark Larson; Missionary Secretary, Mrs. Edna Patterson; Pioneer Secretary, Rev. Paul Stonebraker; Sunday School Secretary, Rev. H. E. Schmul; New Castle Zone Youth Chairman, Rev. Olin M. Pfautz; Pittsburgh Zone Youth Chairman, Rev. William Shank; New Castle Subtreasurer, Mrs. Edith Sweesy. First convention to be held at Annandale on July 26, 1956.

Dorothea Pfautz, Secretary

TITUSVILLE DISTRICT: The Titusville District held four one-day conventions during the year. They were held in the following churches: Canal, Keepville, Greenfield, and Meadville. Irene Hanley was the speaker at the Canal convention.

Some of the convention services were well attended, but some were not. However, the Lord met with us and every convention was a blessing to those who attended.

Youth Rallies were held under the good leadership of the Youth



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Chairman, Rev. Satterfield. Rev. H. C. Van Wormer was the speaker at the Rally held at Titusville, and there were more than 350 in attendance.

R. L. Kuhn, Chairman

**RE-ORGANIZATION:** Chairman, A. H. Elsey; Vice-Chairman, C. C. Cross; Secretary, David L. Robertson; Y. P. Chairman, Frederick Satterfield; Missionary Secretary, Elizabeth Pugh; Pioneer Secretary, R. L. Kuhn; Sunday Secretary, D. W. St. Clair.

Dean McIntire, Secretary

**WEST VIRGINIA:** The West Virginia District held seven Holiness Conventions during this conference year. Three in the Southern Zone, Rev. J. H. Cyphers writes, "God has given us three fine Holiness Conventions this year." We had four Holiness conventions in the Northern Zone. The presence of the Lord was manifested in a wonderful way in all the conventions. The last convention was held at the Merrifield Memorial Church in Fairmount, W. Va., with Rev. T. A. Robertson as our speaker. The afternoon service was a missionary service which was crowned with two seekers at the altar. The next convention to be held at the Cabin Run Church.

F. C. Hicks, Chairman

**RE-ORGANIZATION:** Chairman, Rev. W. A. Robbie; Vice Chairman, Rev. Kenneth Brown; Secretary, Rev. L. B. Owens; Treasurer, Rev. M. L. Moore; Missionary Solicitor, Mrs. M. L. Moore; Missionary Secretary, Mrs. Frank Hicks; Pioneer Secretary, Rev. Frank Hicks; Y. P. Secretary, Rev. Paul Betz; S. S. Secretary, Arlena Cummings; Sub-treasurer, Helen Spencer. First convention being held in the Cabin Run Church July 14, 1956.

L. B. Owens, Secretary

## Report No. 23

**SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON MISSIONARY POSSIBILITIES****Partial Report:**

The above named Committee met in the office at Stoneboro, June 7, at which time Dr. Nicholson was asked to attend the meeting. After some lengthy discussion it was recommended by Dr. Nicholson that the Committee send a delegate to visit the Secretary of Foreign Missions to discuss, in a wholesome and constructive manner, some problems and conditions which exist in the Foreign Missionary Department. In the light of the results of this visit the Committee will endeavor to meet with the executive Committee of the Wesleyan Methodist Church rather than the Board of Administration to give further consideration to the purpose and work of this Missionary Committee.

Willard Dunn, Secretary

## Report No. 29

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RECOGNITION**

On behalf of the Allegheny Annual Conference, your Committee wishes to express appreciation to Reverend and Mrs. W. H. Armstrong for the long years of service which they have rendered to the Conference. Mrs. Armstrong has been a most gracious parsonage lady and an untiring

worker in every interest of the church. Brother Armstrong's presence in this body with his radiant countenance, wise counsel, and victorious testimony will long be remembered and cherished in the hearts of all of us. Much as we shall miss them, we bid them God-speed in their retirement and pray that health, happiness, and the rich blessing of the Lord will be theirs to the end of their journey.

Rev. Harry Kastle retires from active service this year. We express our appreciation for the service which he has rendered, bid him God-speed and extend our best wishes to him for many happy days ahead and an abundant entrance into the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

To our beloved Rev. Joseph B. Markey, who for twenty-five years has been the faithful and efficient secretary of our Conference, we extend our sincere congratulations. We deeply appreciate the service which he has rendered to the Conference and to the Cause of Christ in the offices in which he has served. His patient spirit and untiring devotion is an example to us all. It is our hope and prayer that he may be spared in health and vigor to carry on in this office for another twenty-five years.

H. N. Robinson, Chairman

A gift of appreciation consisting of a splendid wallet containing five five-dollar bills was presented to the Secretary with the adoption of the above report.

## CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

### Statement of Account

May 1, 1955 to April 30, 1956

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Conference Budget .....	\$33,435.27	\$23,208.61	\$10,226.66
Conference Missions .....	20,065.17	11,952.87	8,112.30
Pioneer, Regular .....	9,327.08	5,870.30	3,456.78
Pioneer, Special .....	2,045.94		2,045.94
Pension Fund .....	5,873.88	5,873.88	
Ministers' Assistance Fund .....	2,901.47	2,175.00	726.47
Insurance Fund .....	1,057.19	1,057.19	
Conference Entertainment Fund .....	1,516.17	1,516.17	
McLeister Memorial Fund .....	501.49	501.49	
Educational Fund .....	3,431.67	3,431.67	
Hephzibah Orphanage .....	420.76	420.76	
General Conference Administration .....	1,372.27	1,372.27	
General Conference Travel & Ent. ....	622.12	622.12	
Denominational Dues, Sunday School ..	1,124.25	1,124.25	
Young People & S. S. Fund .....	419.14	280.29	138.85
Thanksgiving Offering .....	1,896.96	5.50	1,891.46
Home Missions .....	273.25	273.25	
Foreign Missions .....	475.77	475.77	
Stoneboro Camp Meeting .....	100.00	100.00	
Caretaker's Home, Stoneboro .....	10.00	10.00	
Rev. T. M. Anderson Fund .....	8.17		8.17
Rev. Oneida Gleason Account .....	325.00	325.00	
Card Call .....	61.90	61.90	
Vice President's House Account .....	14,000.00	14,000.00	
	<u>\$101,264.92</u>	<u>\$74,658.29</u>	<u>\$26,606.63</u>

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Cash on Hand:		
Farmers Bank and Trust Co.,		
Indiana, Pa. ....	\$8,919.41	
Firestone Bank, Akron, Ohio .....	11,321.39	
Firestone Bank, Akron, O., Savings ....	4,100.80	
Cummings Bank of Carrollton, O.		
Savings .....	2,265.03	
Year's Expenditures .....		74,658.29
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	\$101,264.92	\$101,264.92
	A. G. Carlson, Treasurer	

## CONFERENCE BUDGET

Report in detail:

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Cash on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$9,026.29		
Receipts .....	24,409.08		
Rev. H. C. Van Wormer .....		\$5,323.25	
Rev. Mrs. H. C. Van Wormer .....		269.50	
Rev. T. A. Robertson .....		5,051.51	
Rev. J. B. Markey .....		285.29	
Rev. T. O. McCracken .....		64.92	
Rev. Charles C. Cross .....		27.00	
Rev. C. L. Chess .....		595.00	
Rev. E. D. Lupton .....		50.97	
Rev. Guy E. Terpe .....		32.35	
Rev. Walter R. Kopp .....		210.00	
Rev. Edwin B. Wallace .....		69.00	
Rev. Dale Holley .....		35.00	
Rev. Burton Golden .....		10.00	
Rev. T. W. Comadoll .....		62.21	
Rev. Clyde Blair .....		15.00	
Rev. H. E. Robertson, Jr. ....		10.00	
Rev. A. H. Elsey .....		25.00	
Rev. E. R. Barris .....		2.50	
Rev. Sheridan Rainey .....		4.00	
Rev. Olin Pfautz .....		25.00	
Rev. Wayne Spangler .....		21.50	
Rev. Frank Hicks .....		28.80	
Rev. R. L. Kuhn .....		3.36	
Rev. H. E. Schmul .....		10.56	
Rev. Spencer Moon .....		25.00	
Rev. Harold R. Waite .....		10.00	
Rev. L. J. Elliott .....		5.36	
Rev. A. G. Carlson .....		204.96	
Miss Luella Adams .....		70.87	
Miss Thankful Clawson .....		86.58	
Mrs. Edith Sweesy .....		80.30	
Mrs. Chloe Shriver .....		47.00	
Walter H. Garrett .....		38.13	
Mrs. William Baker .....		35.00	
Clyde Taylor .....		1,720.70	
Larry Spurlin .....		2.50	
Dr. F. R. Eddy .....		154.50	
Dr. T. M. Anderson .....		175.00	

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	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Dr. R. D. Reisdorph .....		150.00	
Homer Waid .....		1,105.53	
P. J. Lindquist .....		57.38	
Ernest F. Rough .....		24.53	
Paul Chess .....		50.00	
Ellinda Bradford .....		83.30	
Pauline Andrews .....		31.50	
Linda Andrews .....		38.70	
Louise Elsey .....		388.00	
J. E. Jack .....		181.99	
Mildred Simson .....		190.86	
Paul C. Woolweaver .....		16.23	
Mrs. Lois Swauger .....		100.00	
Carl Johnston .....		38.17	
Sara Nevins .....		172.58	
Swanson and Co. ....		50.00	
A. R. Wanchison .....		48.32	
Emil Long .....		42.80	
Mrs. Alma McDowell .....		1,250.00	
Mamie Rank .....		6.00	
West Publishing Co. ....		1,492.10	
Dunn Stationery and Supply Co. ....		105.12	
McColl Co. ....		42.82	
1956 Boulder, Houghton .....		8.00	
The Park Press .....		28.61	
Rowe's Flower Shop .....		10.76	
Frew and Jackson .....		11.85	
Printcraft Inc. ....		31.70	
Union Protestant Hospital .....		100.00	
Royal Typewriter Co. ....		204.05	
Victor Adding Maching Co. ....		140.00	
Dermitt Typewriter Center .....		12.05	
First Wesleyan Methodist Church, Vineland		58.35	
Erie Wesleyan Methodist Church .....		15.00	
Farmers Bank and Trust Co. ....		2.50	
Titusville Trust Co. ....		43.98	
The Bachlett Smith Agency .....		26.88	
C. C. Mitchell Ins. Co. ....		96.00	
Nationwide Mutual Ins. Co. ....		50.50	
Farm Mutual Auto Ins. ....		50.45	
Wesleyan Methodist Publishing Ass'n. ....		50.07	
Vice President's House Account .....		1,704.30	
Cash on hand April 30, 1956 .....			10,226.66
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			\$33,435.27 \$23,208.61 \$10,226.66

## CONFERENCE MISSIONS

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Cash on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$7,656.21		
Receipts .....	12,408.96		
Rev. W. R. Dunn .....		357.97	
Rev. James Merrifield .....		1,200.00	
Rev. Dale Holley .....		825.00	
Rev. Roy Wade .....		37.50	

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Rev. Robert Cherry .....	367.50	
Rev. Charles Lincoln .....	375.00	
Rev. W. A. Robbie .....	1,200.00	
Rev. Harry Reid .....	472.50	
Rev. Paul Betz .....	840.00	
Rev. J. W. Dentler .....	427.50	
Rev. Elwood Hannold .....	787.50	
Rev. George Kopp, Jr. ....	420.00	
Rev. William Mydock .....	440.00	
Rev. Donald Harrieff .....	150.00	
Rev. E. W. Brooks .....	35.00	
Rev. Martin Wambach .....	525.00	
Rev. Paul Hetrick .....	60.00	
Rev. Frank Hicks .....	30.00	
Rev. Willis Muir .....	375.00	
Rev. Kenneth O. Brown .....	37.50	
Rev. Steven Letonek .....	67.50	
Rev. J. Hubert Cyphers .....	200.00	
Rev. David Robertson .....	45.92	
Masterson Transfer Co. ....	245.11	
Clymer Transfer Co. ....	88.71	
M. V. Irving Moving and Storage .....	221.32	
F. A. Bossard and Son .....	180.76	
A. N. Rohleder .....	236.28	
Vice President's House Account .....	1,704.30	
Cash on hand April 30, 1956 .....		8,112.30
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	\$20,065.17	\$11,952.87
		\$8,112.30

## PIONEER

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Cash on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$2,436.99		
Receipts .....	6,890.09		
Rev. C. R. McPherson .....		\$4,813.30	
Rev. R. W. Dunn .....		100.00	
Rev. J. Hubert Cyphers .....		50.00	
Rev. William Mydock .....		40.00	
Rev. Delmar Kaufman .....		300.00	
Rev. Harry Gough .....		10.00	
Swinehart Printing Co. ....		202.00	
Fairmount Wesleyan Methodist Church ..		125.00	
Butler Wesleyan Methodist Church .....		200.00	
Salem Wesleyan Methodist Church .....		30.00	
Cash on hand April 30, 1956 .....			3,456.78
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	\$9,327.08	\$5,870.30	\$3,456.78

## SPECIAL PIONEER

Receipts .....	\$2,045.94	\$2,045.94
Cash on hand April 30, 1956 .....		
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	\$2,045.94	\$2,045.94

**PENSION FUND**

Receipts .....	\$5,873.88	
Rev. T. W. Comadoll .....		\$5,873.88
	<u>\$5,873.88</u>	<u>\$5,873.88</u>

**MINISTERS' ASSISTANCE FUND**

Cash on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$2,409.33		
Receipts .....	492.14		
Rev. James Hersman .....		75.00	
Vice President's House Account .....		2,000.00	
Rev. Burton Golden .....		100.00	
Cash on hand April 30, 1956 .....			726.47
	<u>\$2,901.47</u>	<u>\$2,175.00</u>	<u>\$726.47</u>

**INSURANCE FUND**

Receipts .....	\$1,057.19	
Rev. E. D. Lupton .....		\$1,057.19
	<u>\$1,057.19</u>	<u>\$1,057.19</u>

**CONFERENCE ENTERTAINMENT FUND**

Receipts .....	\$1,516.17	
Rev. Walter Kopp .....		\$1,516.17
	<u>\$1,516.17</u>	<u>\$1,516.17</u>

**McLEISTER MEMORIAL FUND**

Cash on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$501.49	
Rev. J. B. Markey .....		\$501.49
	<u>\$501.49</u>	<u>\$501.49</u>

**EDUCATIONAL FUND**

Receipts .....	\$3,431.67	
Houghton College .....		\$3,431.67
	<u>\$3,431.67</u>	<u>\$3,431.67</u>

**HEPHZIBAH ORPHANAGE**

Receipts .....	\$420.76	
Dr. J. R. Swauger .....		\$56.62
Department of Home Missions .....		\$364.14
	<u>\$420.76</u>	<u>\$420.76</u>

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

## GENERAL CONFERENCE ADMINISTRATION

Receipts .....	\$1,372.27	
Dr. F. R. Eddy .....		\$1,372.27
	<u>\$1,372.27</u>	<u>\$1,372.27</u>

## GENERAL CONFERENCE TRAVEL AND ENTERTAINMENT

Cash on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$34.90	
Receipts .....	587.22	
Dr. F. R. Eddy .....		\$622.12
	<u>\$622.12</u>	<u>\$622.12</u>

## DENOMINATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL DUES

Receipts .....	\$1,124.25	
Dr. R. D. Reisdorph .....		\$1,124.25
	<u>\$1,124.25</u>	<u>\$1,124.25</u>

## YOUNG PEOPLES CONFERENCE FUND

Cash on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$280.29		
Receipts .....	138.85		
Rev. Dean McIntire .....		\$280.29	
Cash on hand April 30, 1956 .....			\$138.85
	<u>\$419.14</u>	<u>\$280.29</u>	<u>\$138.85</u>

## THANKSGIVING OFFERING

Receipts .....	\$1,896.96		
Dr. R. D. Reisdorph .....		5.50	
Cash on hand April 30, 1956 .....			\$1,891.46
	<u>\$1,896.96</u>	<u>\$5.50</u>	<u>\$1,891.46</u>

## HOME MISSIONS

Receipts .....	\$273.25	
Miss Elda Bence .....		\$273.25
	<u>\$273.25</u>	<u>\$273.25</u>

## FOREIGN MISSIONS

Receipts .....	\$475.77	
Miss Elda Bence .....		\$475.77
	<u>\$475.77</u>	<u>\$475.77</u>

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## STONEBORO CAMP MEETING

Receipts .....	\$100.00	
Mrs. Alma McDowell .....		\$100.00
	<u>\$100.00</u>	<u>\$100.00</u>

## CARETAKER'S HOME—STONEBORO

Receipts .....	\$10.00	
Mrs. Alma McDowell .....		\$10.00
	<u>\$10.00</u>	<u>\$10.00</u>

## REV. T. M. ANDERSON ACCOUNT

Receipts .....	\$8.17	
Cash on hand April 30, 1956 .....		\$8.17
	<u>\$8.17</u>	<u>\$8.17</u>

## REV. ONEIDA GLEASON ACCOUNT

Receipts .....	\$325.00	
Rev. J. B. Markey .....		\$325.00
	<u>\$325.00</u>	<u>\$325.00</u>

## CARD CALL

Receipts .....	\$61.90	
Rev. George Hawthorn .....		\$61.90
	<u>\$61.90</u>	<u>\$61.90</u>

## VICE PRESIDENT'S HOUSE ACCOUNT

Cash on hand May 1, 1955 .....	\$7,000.00	
Receipts .....	7,000.00	
Friend Kerr .....		1,000.00
J. E. Jack, Attorney .....		11,000.00
Titusville Trust Co. ....		2,000.00
	<u>\$14,000.00</u>	<u>\$14,000.00</u>
	A. G. Carlson, Treasurer	



## STATISTICAL REPORT

## Item I. Pastor's Labors.

## Item II. Periodicals

Charge	Pastor	Time Employed (Months)	Appointments	Organized Church Societies	Wesleyan Methodists Taken	Wesleyan Missionaries Taken	Wesleyan Youths Taken	Sunday School Banner	Junior Class Paper	Children's Friend	Adult Teacher's Quarterly	Intermediate Teacher's Quarterly	Junior-Primary Teacher's Quarterly	Senior Quarterly	Intermediate Quarterly	Junior Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Home Department Quarterly	Lesson Leaflet	Other
Akron, First	I. D. Swinehart	12	1	1	45	41	43	90	50	75	6	5	7	55	45	50	35	5	65	22
Akron, Grace	Oneida J. Gleason	12	1	1	26	22	12	90	15	20	10	1	2	80	15	15	25	5	35	65
Akron, Kenmore	Sherman J. Beers	12	1	1	8	10		30	10	15	9	3		40					50	20
Akron, Maple Valley	W. G. Steele	12	1	1	26	27	15	80	30		4	2	5	75	15	12		8	30	
Akron, McLeister Mem.	Clyde A. Blair	12	1	1	35	20	10	100	60	50	8	2	12	60	12	35	30	6	25	54
Alliance	Willis Muir	12	1	1	15	8	1	15	10		6	1	1	15		5		6	10	
Allida Smith Memorial	W. H. Armstrong	12	1	1	52	16	10	68	60	24	14		1	15		3		25	20	
Annapdale	Olin M. Pfautz	12	1	1	19	16	8	40	20	8	36		1	60	35	24		30		
Apollo	A. I. West	12	1	1	1	10	1	40	40	20	10		1	15		11		12	9	
Ashita'ula	Earl Smith	12	1	1	8	15		25	12	15	3			40		15				
Ashville	Elizabeth Pugh	12	1	1	31	20		10	45	15			1	40			12		10	27
Barberton	Dwight L. Robertson	12	1	1	60	37	33	140	40	15	14	5	4	140	25	25	25	10	13	5
Barkley	Robert Cherry	12	1	1	7	8	2	25	20	20	4		2	40		25		30		1
Bethany	J. C. Himes	12	1	1	2	15	14	95	20	18	15			100	15			24		3
Bethel	Maurice L. Moore	12	1	1	29	18		35	15	15	9	2	2	50	12	12		20		37
Blue Eye Chapel	David L. Robertson	12	1	1	2		2	24	15	13	4		2	30		15				13
Bluefield	J. H. Cyphers	12	1	1	4	2					2	2	2	20	6	12		10		10
Brown Hill	Dean McIntire	12	1	1	20	10	6	15	15	15	4	4	2	20	10	15		5		1
Brownsville	F. E. Mansell	12	1	1	27	24	2	70	20	25	12	1	7	45	12	23	8			
Cabin Run	Paul Betz	12	1	1	11	8	1	25	10	6	4	2	1	13	18	16	2			10
Canal	T. W. and Eunice Comadell	12	1	1	44	29		75	20	30	10	4	8	90	35	25		30		23
Canton, First	T. O. McCracken	12	1	1	109	63	48	130	130	80	17		18	137	30	55	25	12	65	66
Canton, Second	R. Willard Dunn	12	1	1	37	37	16	75	15	20	5	4	5	65	25	20	20	5	30	1
Carrollton	E. DeWeerd Lupton	12	1	1	41	14	9	42	22	12	3	1		40				25		42
Cecil Charge	Murray M. Maley	12	3	3	5	2		25	15	15	12			28	20	15	10	30		
Cleveland, First	H. E. and Irene Yount	12	1	1	39	39	24	60	15	15	4		5	125	10	19				34
Cooperstown	C. L. Boston	12	1	1	14	17	2	50	10	10	3			45	15	10		3		20
Cottage Hill	Paul Hetrick	12	1	1	6	8	6	25	15	15	3	2	3	40	20	15	20			1
Dixonville	Frank B. Miller	12	1	1	43	46	19	80	25	15	8	2	6	110	25	22	16	6		
East Clarksburg	J. F. Merrifield	12	1	1	17	13	2	20	15	10	5	1		25	15		12			11
East Conneaut	Jos. B. and Georgia Markey	12	1	1	37	19	9	55	15	30	22			67	8	21	17	5	3	30
English	Mamie Blankenship	12	1	1	28	13	18	45	20		2	2	2	36	32	26				40
Erie	H. R. Waite	12	1	1	46	39	2	75	30	30	7	2	3	75	15	15		12		40
Falconer	Claude Eshelman	12	1	1	80	37	15	50	10	15	6	2	1	40	10	8	12	6	6	
Franklin	F. E. Satterfield	12	1	1	24	20	7	50	15	15	5			60		14		3	5	16
Greenville	A. Mark Larson	12	1	1	37	21		50	25		8	2	6	55	12	15	12	5	10	
Greenfield	Charles Lincoln	12	1	1	19	15	1	36	12	16	3	1		32	12	12				27
Greenwood, N. Salem	L. S. Burchfield	12	2	2	20	30		90	32	8	16	1	2	110	10	33	6		16	18
Hadley	Steve and Helen Letoneck	12	1	1	5	13	7	32	15	4	4			30		12	6	3	10	22
Hampe Memorial	Roscoe Wilson	12	1	1	21	14	12	25	20	7	7	4		50	25			2	15	23
Harbor	Alberta Finnicum	12	2	1	11	9	2	28	25	11	3	1		20	8				4	37
Hartsville	Martin L. Wambach	12	1	1	12						1			25	15	15				15
Hillsdale	E. K. Himes	12	1	1	7	22	3	45	15	12	9			60	20	15		6		3
Hillville	Ray Yoder	12	1	1	1	5		25	25	10	3		2	20		15		3		21
Hooversville	Dale Holley	12	1	1	5	4	2	15	15	7	4	1	2	15	15	4	7		12	9

		12	1	1	93	53	13	160	60	50	15	3	4	215	65	65	45	12	66
Indiana	Guy E. Terpe	12	1	1	27	11	7	48	30	20	4	6	6	48	15	24	20	12	22
Isabella	Jack Benninger	12	1	1	17	15	5	20	10	10	5	1	2	30	6	8	12	25	16
Johnstown	B. C. Pollock	12	1	1	13	12		20	10	10	2	1	2	25	10	10		5	10
Keppville	Ellis Yarnell	12	1	1	12	12	1	40	20		6		3	35		20		15	32
Loyal Oak	Glenn Elsey	12	1	1	8	12		25	20	30	4	2	6	17	18	26		8	2
Luciusboro	E. O. Hannold	12	1	1	110	46	3	100	40		16	4	8	125	25	25	20	15	12
Massillon	C. E. and Mary Huntsman	12	1	1	36	29	4	50	40	30	5	2	4	60	20	25		15	7
Meadville	R. L. Kuhn	12	2	3	7	20	2	43	31	22	16	1	1	40	33		14	10	14
Mechanics' urg	Reed Bennett	12	1	1	13	10	1	50	30		10	4	2	60	15	15	2	10	14
Mentcle	A. G. and Catharine Carlson	12	1	1	9			18	6	10	5			25	1		5	6	
Merrifield Memorial	W. A. Robbie	12	1	1	16	13	8	23	11	18	7	2	6	28	6	16	12	19	10
Middlefield	C. A. and Ruth A. Hoiem	12	1	1	25	15		35	15	15	8		3	50		50		2	2
Mount Calvary	Charles Baker	12	1	1	43	39	17	95	60	50	12	12		100		50		6	24
New Castle	H. A. Markell	12	1	1	33	12		55	10	15	6		3	50		14	15		2
Niles	H. A. and Winifred Trimble	12	1	1	10	6	4	20	20	12	8			36	8	10	14	10	4
North Springfield	E. R. Barris	12	1	1	19	9		30	12	10	6	1	1	35		12		4	36
Nu Mine	Roy J. Wade	12	1	1	27	19		50	15	18	14	2	2	70		19	5	12	20
Oak Grove	H. E. Robertson, Jr.	12	1	1	37	8		40	15	24	6	1	4	40	13	15	12	15	25
Oil City	Burton and Neva Golden	12	1	1							3			15		10		10	
Olive Hill	M. M. Maley	12	1	1	25	15		50	20	12	5	6		60	15			15	35
Penn Run	John J. Coon	12	1	1	13	13	4	40	15	8	6			30	7	6	6	10	17
Pine Grove	C. A. and Olive M. West	12	1	1	33	18	15	45	20	10	6	1	3	45	10		10	4	15
Pittsburgh, First	C. C. Cross	12	1	1	26	20	13	75	25	20	10	3	2	75		18	20	20	36
Pittsfield	D. W. St. Clair	12	1	1	32	15		30	25	7	4	2	1	55		18	12	4	8
Pleasant View	Sheridan Rainey	12	1	1							12	1		12	12	12			
Princeton	B. G. Blackburn	8	1	1	12	10	2	25	15	10	2	2	2	25	15	10		6	10
Punxsutawney	Harry T. Reid	12	1	1	21	9	3	35	15	20	3	1	2	25	10	16	1	10	21
Riverview	William Shank	12	1	1	19	9	3	25			6	30	2	55	30	25	30	50	
Robertsville	Harry L. Strait	12	1	1	34	16	26	80	40	25	11	4	6	65	15	35		35	

**Totals**

## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item III. Membership

Charge	Full Membership Reported Last Year	Full Members Received This Year	Add Lines 1 and 2	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	Members Lost	Present Full Membership	Associate Membership	Junior Members	Total Present Membership	Total Membership Reported Last Year	Gain in Total Membership	Gain in Full Membership	Loss in Total Membership	Loss in Full Membership	Baptized	Infants Dedicated	Local Preachers	No. of Family Altars	Membership Tithing	Card Call Subs.
Akron, First	75	1	76	6	2	...	8	68	6	...	74	79	...	5	7	...	3	1	25	60	24	
Akron, Grace	32	6	38	...	1	2	3	35	5	...	40	39	...	3	...	...	...	15	35	7	...	
Akron, Kenmore	34	2	36	...	...	...	1	35	2	...	37	39	...	1	2	...	2	1	15	19	3	
Akron, Maple Valley	40	...	40	...	...	...	...	40	4	...	44	44	...	1	...	...	6	...	30	13	...	
Akron, McLeister Memorial	51	...	51	...	1	...	1	50	2	...	52	51	...	1	...	1	2	...	38	25	...	
Alliance	31	2	33	12	...	...	12	21	4	...	25	33	...	...	8	...	2	1	7	16	...	
Allida Smith Memorial	30	2	32	...	1	3	4	28	...	...	28	30	...	...	2	...	7	...	22	7	...	
Annandale	40	1	41	2	1	...	3	38	4	...	42	46	...	...	4	...	1	15	28	7	...	
Apollo	31	1	32	...	...	...	...	32	7	...	39	38	...	1	1	...	1	19	31	3	...	
Ashtabula	11	5	16	...	...	...	...	16	10	1	27	19	...	8	5	...	8	...	11	...	...	
Ashville	40	5	45	...	1	...	1	44	2	...	46	43	...	3	4	...	4	11	22	9	...	
Barberton	132	10	142	1	3	3	7	135	...	1	136	146	...	3	10	...	2	50	80	25	...	
Barkley	19	1	20	...	1	1	1	19	4	...	23	25	...	...	2	...	...	8	16	1	...	
Bethany	52	1	53	1	...	...	1	52	...	...	52	52	...	2	...	...	...	15	37	2	...	
Bethel	23	4	27	...	2	2	2	25	1	...	26	24	...	2	...	...	1	10	13	2	...	
Blue Eye	13	8	21	...	1	2	3	18	...	...	18	16	...	2	5	...	...	6	16	1	...	
Bluefield	14	...	14	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	14	14	...	...	...	...	...	7	13	...	...	
Brown Hill	24	...	24	1	4	5	5	19	1	...	20	25	...	...	5	5	...	3	11	2	...	
Brownsville	48	...	48	3	2	5	...	43	...	1	44	49	...	...	5	5	...	16	20	7	...	
Cabin Run	15	3	18	...	...	...	...	18	6	...	24	25	...	3	...	...	3	8	14	2	...	
Canal	66	...	66	...	...	...	...	66	...	...	66	66	...	...	1	...	17	2	18	59	16	
Canton, First	114	8	122	1	2	4	7	115	15	...	130	130	...	1	...	...	5	45	103	35	...	
Canton, Second	57	7	64	2	1	...	3	61	6	...	67	63	...	4	5	...	1	5	3	24	7	
Carrollton	28	9	37	...	4	...	3	33	6	...	39	36	...	3	4	...	5	24	47	9	...	
Cecil Charge	90	1	91	...	...	...	...	91	...	...	91	90	...	1	...	...	17	2	11	32	7	
Cleveland, First	59	1	60	1	2	3	6	54	3	...	57	62	...	...	5	...	1	20	18	...	...	
Cooperstown	25	1	26	...	1	1	25	7	...	...	32	28	...	...	5	...	2	37	44	19	...	
Cottage Hill	28	3	31	1	...	1	30	...	...	...	30	28	...	2	...	...	4	12	19	...	...	
Dixonville	69	3	65	...	1	1	64	4	...	...	68	69	...	2	2	...	4	5	23	...	...	
East Clarksburg	10	...	10	...	1	2	8	...	...	...	8	10	...	...	1	...	...	19	51	7	...	
East Conneaut	47	2	49	...	...	...	49	...	...	...	49	47	...	2	2	...	6	1	8	...	...	
English	50	2	52	2	1	...	3	49	9	9	67	63	...	4	...	...	1	2	15	32	3	
Eric	83	5	88	11	2	2	13	75	...	...	75	84	...	...	9	8	...	20	38	...	...	
Falconer	55	3	58	...	2	4	54	9	...	...	63	55	...	8	...	1	...	15	50	8	...	
Franklin	45	4	49	...	1	...	1	48	...	...	48	45	...	3	3	...	...	2	49	16	...	
Greenville	56	3	59	1	...	2	56	3	...	...	59	59	...	...	...	...	1	2	14	38	3	
Greenfield	27	...	27	...	...	...	27	1	...	...	28	29	...	...	1	...	...	1	21	50	4	
Greenwood-Salem	73	11	84	1	...	2	81	7	...	...	88	85	...	3	8	...	7	1	25	50	40	
Hadley	17	1	18	...	...	3	15	...	...	...	15	17	...	...	2	...	...	7	7	...	...	
Hampe Memorial	28	4	32	1	1	...	2	30	3	...	33	31	...	2	2	...	6	4	12	30	11	
Harbor	10	4	14	...	1	1	13	...	...	...	13	10	...	3	3	...	5	2	7	13	...	
Hartville	14	...	14	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	14	14	...	...	...	5	4	...	...	...	...	
Hillsdale	33	...	33	1	2	...	3	30	2	...	32	33	...	...	1	3	...	25	26	2	...	
Hillville	8	...	8	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	8	8	...	...	...	4	...	1	7	...	...	
Hooversville	15	...	15	...	1	1	14	5	...	...	19	15	...	4	...	1	...	1	2	6	...	

Indiana	89	6	95			6	6	89		89	89				12		4	23	76	30		
Isabella	18	5	23					23	2	25	20	5	5		3	15		8	19	2		
Johnstown	28	6	34					34	5	39	36	3	6					9	25			
Keepville	23	2	25	1		3	4	21	5	26	23	3		2				5	15			
Loyal Oak	16	2	18			2	2	16	6	22	22							4	9			
Luciusboro	16	3	19			2	2	17	4	21	24		1	3		4	2	8	10			
Massillon	86	6	92	1	3	3	7	85	13	98	99		1	1	1	1		32	75	24		
Meadville	42	2	44	12		2	14	30	1	31	42			11	12		5	2	18	30		
Mechanicsburg	48	1	49					49		49	48	1	1						42			
Mentle	45	2	47			4	4	43	3	48	45	3			2		2	1	14	30		
Merrifield Memorial	10	4	14					14		14	13	1	4					2	10	4		
Midfield	29		29					29	4	33	34			1		5	1	1	9	22		
Mount Calvary	42		42		1	3	4	38	3	41	45			4	4			3	28			
New Castle	76		76		2			74	2	76	78			2	2	4		1	15	35		
Niles	32	3	35	1				34		34	33	1	2			5			15	33		
North Springfield	17		17		1		1	16	4	20	22			2	1		2		7	11		
No Mine	23	4	27			1	1	26		26	23	3	3					1	5	21		
Oak Grove	52		52		1		1	51	3	54	55			1	1		2		15	38		
Oil City	22	3	25			1	1	24	2	27	22	5	2			2	6	1	8	16		
Olive Hill	17		17					17		17	17									5		
Penn Run	49	2	51		1		1	50	22	72	71	1	1				3	2	18	33		
Pine Grove	24	2	26					26	1	27	25	2	2									
Pittsburgh, First	33	8	41	5		7	34	7	10	51	41	10	1			5	2	2	23	24		
Pittsfield	32	9	41		1			40	6	52	37	15	8			17			21	43		
Pleasant View	25		27	4		2	6	21		21	25			4	4				9	15		
Princeton		18	18					18		18	18	18							6	13		
Punxsutawney	21	2	23			3	3	20		20	25			5	1				9	16		
Riverview	25	3	28					28		28	27	1	2	3			3	2	8	19		
Robertsville	24	4	28	2			2	26	9	35	33	1	2	2					10	14		
Rochester	58	5	63	5		5		58	3	72	63	9				1	5		28	47		
Rock Run	27	1	28					28	9	37	30	7	1			2			7	16		
Sagamore	48		48		1	3	4	44	2	46	51			5	4		1	2	12	25		
Sandy Lake, Zion	73		73	4	1		5	68	3	71	76			5	5			24	52			
Sarver	45	3	48			6	6	42		42	45			3	3			1	12	34		
Smithport	29		29	1			1	28		28	29			1	1				13	2		
Soldier	16	4	20					20	6	26	22	4	4			4	1	2	10	20		
Spruce Grove	18	2	20					20	1	21	18	3	2			3			6	11		
Stewart Run	12		12		1			12		12	12							7	7	3		
Tarentum	41	1	42		1	3	4	38	4	42	41	1			3	9	2	1	40	2		
Tazewell	20		20		2			16		16	22			6	4				12			
Templeton, Colored	4		4					4		4	4											
Templeton, Zion	55		55			3	3	52		52	55			3	3			4	25	32		
Titusville	62	9	71			3	3	68	9	77	65	12	6					2	25	52		
Vanport	16		16					16	3	19	19						2		14	14		
Warren	14	3	17			2	2	15		15	14	1	1			7	2		5	11		
West Fairfield	14	1	15			2	2	13		13	14			1	1			3	4	2		
West Hill	28		28			2	2	26	4	30	32			2	2			2	10	8		
West Middlesex	27	2	29					29	6	35	39		2	4					8	20		
White Memorial	40	1	41	3	1			37	3	40	43			3	3	1		3	23	34		
Wilgus	21		21		1		1	20		20	21			1	1			1	5	12		
Wolf Summit	31	7	38		1	2	3	35	1	40	31	9	4						10	26		
Pioneer Churches:																						
Butler																8	6		5	9		
Ebenezer																						
Hubbard																						
Jamestown																						
Salem																						
Sherrodsville																						
Totals	3518	262	3780	86	45	107	238	3542	294	46	3882	3834	181	138	133	115	179	159	97	1169	2529	53

## Item IV. Sunday Schools

Charge	No. Sunday Schools	Whole No. Officers and Teachers	Whole No. Scholars in Main School	Total No. in Main School	No. in Home Dept.	No. on Cradle Roll	Total No. in Sunday School	Average Attendance	No. Schol. Converted	No. of Scholars Joining Church	No. of Departmental Superintendents	No. in Teacher's Training Course	No. of Organized Classes	No. of Books in Library	Enrollment, V.B.S.	Average Attendance, V.B.S.	No. W.Y. Locals	Total Mem. of Locals
Akron, First	1	18	200	218	5	17	240	197	3	3	3		3	235	115	94	1	28
Akron, Grace	1	10	131	141	16	20	176	97	6						80	75		
Akron, Kenmore	1	14	104	118		18	136	79	6					7	29	26		10
Akron, Maple Valley	1	12	210	222	8	120	350	179	2					65	100	79		12
Akron, McLeister Mem.	1	23	148	171		20	191	122	3			10	1	70	84	59		17
Alliance	1	7	46	53	1	8	62	48		1								
Allida Smith Mem.	1	11	70	81		7	88	78						80				10
Annandale	1	6	54	60		14	74	51		1								
Apollo	1	18	109	127		6	133	83	5					58				16
Ashtabula	1	9	59	68	1	21	90	54	8	6					61	36		
Ashville	1	14	56	70	10	18	78	49	10					150				
Barberton	1	16	230	246	14	27	287	191	1	3				250				38
Barkley	1	9	121	130		15	145	91	4	1				15	139	110		9
Bethany	1	15	171	186	6	25	217	138		1				125	110	110		17
Bethel	1	9	117	126		17	145	87	10	2				8	110	85		
Blue Eye	1	6	55	61		8	69	46	7	3				4				
Bluefield	1	5	30	35			35	26						1				
Brown Hill	1	6	59	64		13	64	49	1					5	8	60	53	
Brownsville	1	20	89	109	5	31	144	83	12	1				120	101	91		11
Cabin Run	1	12	75	87		12	99	58	8	3				5	72	70		
Canal	1	12	140	152		23	175	158							118	97		
Canton, First	1	19	318	337	12	179	528	259	27	8			14	235				40
Canton, Second	1	21	157	178	4	20	202	121	7	6				7	105	76		21
Carrollton	1	7	104	111		35	146	72	10	2								18
Cecil Charge	3	12	90	102	3	6	111	62										15
Cleveland, First	1	13	127	140		33	173	96	6	1								25
Cooperstown	1	10	100	110	4	25	139	96	8	6				6	50	43		
Cottage Hill	1	8	96	104	2	18	104	70						6				
Dixonville	1	21	125	146	8	24	178	109		3				113				14
East Clarksburg	1	7	34	45		4	49	28	1									
East Conneaut	1	19	82	101	5	18	124	83	6	2				50	47	43		18
English	1	8	164	172			172	121	3					49	168	85		14
Erie	1	12	108	120	12	18	150	95	4	2				9	60			13
Falconer	1	9	77	86	4	7	97	62	9	9				6	153			16
Franklin	1	9	83	92	1	13	106	75	5	4		2						13
Greenville	1	24	105	129	5	19	153	83	6	3				9	48			14
Greenfield	1	10	50	60	14	11	85	56						7	75	44		
Greenwood, N. Salem	2	21	140	161		18	179	124		11								
Hadley	1	7	41	48	3	7	58	45	2					5	38	29		6
Hampe Memorial	1	11	109	120	1	18	139	88	9	2				130	71	69		18
Harbor	2	9	58	67		11	68	44	4	3				6	50	35		
Hartsville	1						48											
Hillsdale	1	13	62	75	6	14	95	75	2	2				15	65	59		11
Hillville	1	6	24	30	3	9	42	25	1					4				
Hooversville	1	7	42	49		24	73	34	5					4	12			

Indiana	1	16	301	318	46	36	400	221	5	2	2	106	1	25				
Isabella	1	10	99	109	13	109	104	6	5	1	7	1	12					
Johnstown	1	12	88	100	2	12	100	70	2	6	3	36	1					
Keepville	1	7	53	60	4	2	66	40	2	2	5	1	1					
Loyal Oak	1	9	67	76	5	76	72	1	1	1	12	80	75					
Luciusboro	1	12	78	90	7	97	71	3	3	2	6	1	1					
Massillon	1	20	194	214	37	251	142	6	3	3	14	75	120	106	1	30		
Meadville	1	11	92	103	16	119	90	10	2	2	38	1	19					
Mechanicsburg	2	24	89	113	19	132	103	3	3	66	1	1						
Mentcle	1	8	83	91	24	115	78	5	5	3	15	45	43	1	15			
Merrifield Memorial	1	6	24	30	6	30	20	3	3	56	74	57	1	15				
Middlefield	1	9	94	103	18	17	138	64	3	3	10	260	1	22				
Mount Calvary	1	5	70	75	15	90	57	3	3	65	1	10						
New Castle	1	10	160	170	16	186	134	3	3	65	1	10						
Niles	1	13	150	161	26	189	102	3	3	6	55	44	1	20				
North Springfield	1	12	60	72	13	56	54	3	3	8	70	51	45	1	5			
Nu Mine	1	8	56	64	21	85	54	3	3	6	55	44	1	20				
Oak Grove	1	10	102	112	6	15	133	88	4	2	2	6	51	45	1	5		
Oil City	1	12	85	97	30	127	64	2	2	2	6	51	45	1	5			
Olive Hill	1	4	32	36	17	126	101	2	2	35	30	1	12					
Penn Run	1	14	95	109	6	21	64	47	8	16	4	37	48	31	1	18		
Pine Grove	1	9	55	64	6	21	64	47	8	16	4	37	48	31	1	18		
Pittsburgh, First	1	15	106	121	4	7	132	67	8	16	4	7	96	54	48	1	10	
Pittsfield	1	11	107	118	20	19	137	93	14	18	4	7	96	54	48	1	10	
Pleasantview	1	13	63	76	4	11	91	67	4	3	7	54	48	1	10			
Princeton	1	6	35	39	4	43	30	1	1	4	50	50	45	1	10			
Punxsutawney	1	8	63	71	19	90	49	10	1	1	6	50	50	45	1	16		
Riverview	1	8	70	78	17	84	60	2	2	1	6	50	11	1	29			
Robertsville	1	9	142	151	19	151	111	4	4	2	6	50	50	1	28			
Rochester	1	17	140	158	29	187	120	25	13	1	250	50	50	1	25			
Rock Run	1	16	84	100	14	114	95	5	1	3	65	50	50	1	28			
Sagamore	1	12	138	150	17	167	109	7	2	1	65	50	50	1	28			
Sandy Lake, Zion	2	19	87	108	1	22	131	95	8	8	35	58	52	1	25			
Sarver	1	9	83	92	4	96	81	5	3	7	58	52	1	20				
Smithport	1	14	100	114	4	40	158	81	3	2	7	58	52	1	20			
Soldier	1	10	90	100	7	107	69	4	2	2	32	32	1	20				
Spruce Grove	1	7	43	50	10	60	34	5	3	4	75	70	1	1				
Stewart Run	1	3	7	10	1	11	10	5	5	6	70	1	1					
Tarentum	1	16	110	120	15	70	20	5	5	6	70	1	1					
Tazewell	1	8	56	56	45	56	45	5	5	5	1	1						
Templeton, Colored	1	13	80	93	4	10	107	72	1	1	125	34	61	58	1	34		
Templeton, Zion	1	13	131	144	13	31	160	118	5	5	2	125	34	61	58	1	34	
Titusville	1	10	75	85	15	100	53	6	3	3	34	61	58	1	34			
Vanport	1	9	97	102	14	116	66	15	2	1	4	37	29	1	34			
Warren	1	7	38	45	2	10	57	31	2	1	4	37	29	1	34			
West Fairfield	1	4	90	96	3	5	104	68	3	2	1	40	30	28	1	15		
West Hill	1	10	55	65	16	81	55	3	2	1	125	30	28	1	20			
West Middlesex	1	18	90	108	32	140	67	3	3	2	7	10	16	55	1	10		
White Memorial	1	6	39	45	27	72	43	3	2	2	7	10	16	55	1	10		
Wilgus	1	16	120	136	10	146	86	5	4	2	7	10	16	55	1	10		
Wolf Summit	1	6	41	47	13	60	42	4	4	4	110	100	1	1				
Pioneer Churches:	1	4	41	45	11	56	36	8	3	3	33	23	1	1				
Sherrodsville	1	5	37	24	22	18	18	1	1	5	25	1	1					
Butler	1	2	20	22	22	18	18	1	1	5	25	1	1					
Ebenezer	1	6	47	53	53	39	39	2	2	5	25	1	1					
Hubbard	1	7	63	70	25	95	55	2	2	1	5	25	1	1				
Jamestown	1	7	63	70	25	95	55	2	2	1	5	25	1	1				
Salem	1	7	63	70	25	95	55	2	2	1	5	25	1	1				
Totals	107	1114	9291	10373	2751	1810	11930	7936	483	207	194	26	240	3834	2921	2420	52	925

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### Item V. Church Property

Charge	No.	Church Buildings		Value of Buildings		Amount of Indebtedness		Amount of Insurance		No. of Parsonages		Value of Parsonages		Amount of Indebtedness		Amount of Insurance	Cash or Other Values on Hand
Akron, First	1			\$26,000.00				\$26,000	1			\$12,500				\$10,000	\$22,556.67
Akron, Grace	1			60,000.00	\$4,000.00			52,000	1			8,000	\$1,500.00			6,000	800.00
Akron, Kenmore	1			15,000.00	2,200.00			13,500	1			7,500	5,556.50			5,000	202.00
Akron, Maple Valley	1			17,500.00				16,000	1			15,000				10,000	3,680.41
Akron, McLeister Mem.	1			25,000.00				23,000	1			15,000				10,000	14,807.00
Alliance	1			16,000.00				15,000									114.78
Allida Smith Mew.	1			10,500.00				6,100	1			3,500				5,000	
Annapdale	1			8,000.00				6,000	1			6,000				4,000	
Apollo	1			9,704.93	2,116.21			3,000									1,833.50
Ashtabula																	
Ashville	1			6,000.00				6,000	1			6,000				6,000	
Barberton	2			121,000.00	32,100.00			80,000	1			14,000	7,000.00			8,000	16,059.44
Barkley	1			5,000.00													40.38
Bethany									1			6,000				3,000	
Bethel	1			7,500.00	2,227.83			5,000	1			7,000				5,000	9.78
Blue Eye	1			2,500.00				3,000	1			2,500	150.00			2,550	204.98
Blufffield	1			15,000.00	5,000.53			12,000									63.87
Brown Hill	1			4,000.00				5,000	1			4,000				5,000	700.00
Brownsville	1			5,000.00				5,000	1			5,000				5,000	4,644.06
Cabin Run	1			4,000.00													
Canal	1			18,000.00				18,000	1			10,000				10,000	2,271.65
Canton, First	1			75,000.00				44,000	1			12,000				7,500	6,119.00
Canton, Second	1			24,000.00	6,000.00			12,000	1			7,000				7,000	
Carrollton	1			17,000.00	1,129.00			15,000									138.62
Cecil Charge	3			7,500.00													
Cleveland, First	1			48,000.00	13,284.36			48,000	1			15,000	8,650.39			15,000	3,182.73
Cooperstown	1			7,500.00				4,000	1			3,500				3,500	383.32
Cottage Hill	1			10,500.00				8,000									423.31
Dixonville	1			12,000.00				9,000	1			6,000				4,500	3,422.68
East Clarksburg	1			3,000.00				3,000	1			4,500				5,000	4.13
East Conneaut	1			30,000.00	6,500.00			20,000	1			6,000				6,000	1,990.00
English	1			14,000.00				10,000									846.39
Erie	1			75,000.00				63,000	1			12,000				5,000	111.79
Falconer	1			50,000.00				40,000	1			12,000				7,500	1,259.79
Franklin	1			28,000.00				27,000	1			4,500				5,500	1,236.98
Greenville	1			20,000.00	4,550.00			12,000	1			8,000				8,000	248.19
Greenfield	1			10,000.00				4,000	1			5,000				3,500	131.07
Greenwood, No. Salem	2			15,000.00				12,000	1			8,000				7,500	1,850.00
Hadley	1			12,000.00				6,500									1,309.52
Hampe Memorial	1			8,300.00				8,000	1			8,000				7,000	1,827.60
Harbor	2			4,000.00													35.00
Hartville																	
Hillsdale	1			15,000.00				12,000	1			3,400	1,025.00			4,000	
Hillville																	
Hooversville																	186.49

Indiana	1	20,000.00		16,000	1	12,000	2,000.00	3,000	
Isabella	1	4,500.00		3,000	1	2,500		3,000	
Johnstown	1	10,000.00	1,525.00	6,000	1	10,000	500.00	6,000	150.98
Keepville	1	2,000.00			1	2,000		2,000	39.50
Loyal Oak	1	10,000.00	4,110.00	5,000					172.52
Luciusboro									
Massillon	1	70,000.00	9,033.08	55,000	1	7,000		5,000	2,317.97
Meadville	1	5,000.00		7,500	1	6,000		6,000	1,873.51
Mechanicsboro	2	3,000.00		7,000	1	4,500		4,200	2,809.13
Mentcle	1	10,000.00		10,000	1	2,000		2,000	1,863.81
Merrifield Memorial	1	9,000.00	4,194.63	8,000					
Middlefield	1	17,000.00	3,769.64	5,000	1	8,750	500.00	6,550	500.00
Mount Calvary	1	2,500.00		10,500	1	4,500		4,500	600.00
New Castle	1	15,000.00		5,000	1	12,000		7,500	7,000.00
Niles	1	9,500.00		7,000	1	7,000		3,000	2,257.20
North Springfield				1,500	1	4,000	250.00	3,000	182.36
Nu Mine	1	8,000.00	1,100.00	4,500	1	3,500		2,000	23.26
Oak Grove	1	6,000.00		4,500	1	8,000		3,000	989.91
Oil City	1	7,000.00	1,363.00	7,000	1	4,000		4,000	105.00
Olive Hill	1	2,500.00							
Penn Run	1	15,000.00	1,250.00	4,000	1	2,500		2,500	443.00
Pine Grove	1	6,000.00		6,000	1	5,000	500.00	5,000	421.54
Pittsburgh, First	1	16,000.00	1,200.00	33,000	1	4,000			916.30
Pittsfield	1	14,000.00		7,000	1	6,500		6,500	1,115.11
Pleasant View	1	5,000.00		3,000	1	5,000	3,000.00	5,000	355.75
Princeton	1	5,000.00							96.00
Punxsutawney	1	15,000.00	3,025.00	12,000	1	8,000	2,118.07	6,000	100.38
Riverview	1	5,000.00		4,000	1	9,000	5,250.00	7,000	80.00
Robertsville	1	8,000.00		8,000					418.76
Rochester	2	90,000.00	40,544.00	65,000	1	8,000		5,000	13,600.00
Rock Run	1	2,500.00		1,500					1,383.54
Sagamore									
Sandy Lake-Zion	2	60,000.00	2,856.95	46,000	1	10,000		7,000	
Sarver	1	18,000.00		15,000	1	8,000		8,000	4,716.44
Smithport	1	20,000.00	1,615.00	10,000	1	1,500		2,500	77.09
Soldier	1	15,000.00	1,575.00	10,000					138.60
Spruce Grove	1	1,000.00							603.40
Stewart Run	1	2,500.00							
Tarentum	1	11,000.00		6,500	1	15,500	5,300.00	3,500	
Tazewell	1	13,000.00							
Templeton, Colored					1	2,000			
Templeton, Zion	1	5,000.00		3,500	1	3,500		3,000	51.19
Titusville	1	18,000.00		15,000	2	18,000		16,000	4,430.76
Vanport	1	15,000.00	2,400.00	5,000	1	10,000	3,300.00	7,000	23.74
Warren	1	12,000.00	1,890.00	10,000					9,580.00
West Fairfield	1	5,000.00	600.00	3,000					181.84
West Hill	1	2,000.00							
West Middlesex	1	25,000.00		20,000					597.35
White Memorial	1	42,000.00		34,000	1	8,500	1,000.00	6,000	634.19
Wilgus	1	3,000.00		2,000	1	2,300		1,500	47.83
Wolf Summit	1	12,500.00	2,130.00	8,000	1	2,000		2,000	200.00
Conference Parsonages					2	24,000		24,000	
Pioneer Churches:									
Butler	1	2,200.00	425.00	2,200					387.14
Ebenezer	1	3,600.00	2,600.00						92.50
Hubbard									
Jamestown	1	1,000.00							2,149.87
Salem									336.20
Sherrodsville	1	5,000.00	1,600.00	7,000	1	4,500	2,940.00	6,000	
Totals	99	\$1,545,804.93	\$189,514.23	\$1,150,400	69	\$492,450	\$50,579.96	\$392,800	\$157,750.30



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## Item VI. Disbursed for Pastor

Charge	Salary	Parsonage Rent	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts	Total Pastor's Receipts
Akron, First	\$4,240.00	\$600.00	\$35.00	\$60.00	\$4,935.00
Akron, Grace	2,600.00	420.00	30.00	350.00	3,400.00
Akron, Kenmore	3,110.00	600.00	25.00	28.00	3,763.00
Akron, Maple Valley	3,900.00	600.00	30.00	100.00	4,630.00
Akron, McLeister Memorial	3,640.00	600.00	36.00	100.00	4,376.00
Alliance	1,079.68	250.00	20.00	300.00	1,649.68
Allida Smith Memorial	2,815.00	480.00	60.00	210.00	3,565.00
Annandale	3,120.00	420.00	10.00	329.75	3,879.75
Apollo	1,705.00				1,705.00
Ashtabula	440.00	600.00		41.00	1,081.00
Ashville	3,195.00	216.00	55.00	54.00	3,520.00
Barberton	4,680.00	600.00	87.00	291.32	5,658.32
Barkley	2,350.00	360.00	15.00	350.00	3,075.00
Bethany	2,400.00	360.00	30.00	35.00	2,825.00
Bethel	2,600.00	300.00	26.00	389.44	3,314.44
Blue Eye	1,683.63	180.00		137.78	2,001.41
Bluefield	835.00			275.00	1,110.00
Brown Hill	1,612.00	240.00	10.00	220.00	2,084.00
Brownsville	3,640.00	480.00	85.00	250.00	4,455.00
Cabin Run	1,300.00	300.00	25.00	20.00	1,645.00
Canal	3,510.00	560.00	25.00	50.00	4,145.00
Canton, First	4,145.00	600.00	39.00	100.00	4,884.00
Canton, Second	3,120.00	600.00	20.00	50.00	3,790.00
Carrollton	2,957.00	360.00	18.00	120.00	3,455.00
Cecil Charge	1,266.00		20.00	100.00	1,386.00
Cleveland, First	4,215.00	600.00	25.00	489.98	5,329.98
Cooperstown	2,600.00	360.00	15.00	125.00	3,100.00
Cottage Hill	1,485.00	121.61	15.00	86.51	1,708.12
Dixonville	3,415.00	240.00	15.00	75.00	3,745.00
East Clarksburg	780.00	300.00	32.00		1,112.00
East Conneaut	2,860.00	480.00	10.00	350.00	3,700.00
English	1,800.00			131.51	1,931.51
Erie	3,380.00	600.00	40.00	1,008.00	5,028.00
Falconer	3,380.00	600.00	17.00	208.50	4,205.50
Franklin	3,180.00	600.00	30.00	464.10	4,274.10
Greenville	3,180.00	600.00	5.00	350.00	4,135.00
Greenfield	2,003.09	420.00	25.00	90.00	2,538.09
Greenville, N. Salem	3,380.00	420.00	30.00	200.00	4,030.00
Hadley	682.00			45.00	727.00
Hampe Memorial	2,652.44	600.00	10.00	103.03	3,365.47
Harbor	1,070.51	300.00		40.73	1,411.24
Hartsville	1,081.50		15.00	169.00	1,265.50
Hillsdale	2,600.00	264.00	30.00	300.00	3,194.00
Hillville	348.00	264.00	5.00		617.00
Hooversville	624.00	240.00		10.00	874.00

Indiana	3,900.00	600.00	50.00	139.75	4,689.75
Isabella	1,810.00	240.00	35.00	266.44	2,351.44
Johnstown	2,600.00	600.00	5.00	128.00	3,333.00
Keepville	1,560.00	120.00	15.00	251.00	1,946.00
Loyal Oak	2,075.00	520.00	12.00	250.00	2,857.00
Luciustoro	1,560.00	150.40	15.00	250.00	1,975.40
Massillon	3,215.00	600.00	15.00	396.00	4,226.00
Meadville	2,600.00	420.00	20.00	240.00	3,280.00
Mechanicsburg	2,767.00	400.00	.....	535.00	3,702.00
Mentcle	2,305.00	240.00	30.00	68.11	2,643.11
Merrifield Memorial	780.00	480.00	6.00	35.00	1,301.00
Middlefield	2,342.00	420.00	20.00	161.00	2,943.00
Mount Calvary	3,120.00	360.00	.....	359.00	3,839.00
New Castle	3,380.00	600.00	60.00	30.00	4,070.00
Niles	3,065.00	480.00	200.00	233.00	3,798.00
North Springfield	2,120.00	420.00	45.00	680.00	3,265.00
Nu Mine	1,895.00	360.00	5.00	125.00	2,385.00
Oak Grove	2,960.00	330.00	30.00	175.00	3,495.00
Oil City	2,063.75	300.00	20.00	300.00	2,683.75
Olive Hill	280.00	.....	.....	.....	280.00
Penn Run	3,120.00	180.00	20.00	295.00	3,615.00
Pine Grove	2,245.00	200.00	5.00	110.00	2,560.00
Pittsburgh, First	2,825.00	360.00	45.00	240.05	3,470.05
Pittsfield	2,600.00	216.00	65.00	411.00	3,292.00
Pleasant View	2,375.00	300.00	20.00	550.80	3,245.80
Princeton	250.00	.....	.....	.....	250.00
Punxsutawney	2,245.00	480.00	15.00	300.00	3,040.00
Riverview	2,220.00	360.00	3.00	600.00	3,183.00
Robertsville	2,820.00	.....	.....	125.00	2,945.00
Rochester	3,640.00	600.00	20.00	825.00	5,085.00
Rock Run	2,287.50	288.00	47.50	848.26	3,471.26
Sagamore	2,210.00	230.00	5.00	52.00	2,497.00
Sandy Lake-Zion	3,900.00	600.00	35.00	250.00	4,785.00
Sarver	3,445.00	600.00	15.00	140.00	4,200.00
Smithport	2,724.00	144.00	10.00	250.00	3,128.00
Soldier	1,870.00	250.00	15.00	110.00	2,245.00
Spruce Grove	618.61	.....	10.00	173.00	801.61
Stewart Run	235.00	.....	.....	60.00	295.00
Tarentum	3,380.00	600.00	.....	780.00	4,760.00
Tazewell	1,500.00	.....	.....	.....	1,500.00
Templeton, Colored	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Templeton, Zion	2,385.00	300.00	10.00	75.00	2,770.00
Titusville	3,450.00	420.00	20.00	220.00	4,110.00
Vanport	2,100.00	480.00	25.00	154.00	2,759.00
Warren	950.00	650.00	10.00	40.55	1,650.55
West Fairfield	742.45	.....	.....	27.00	769.45
West Hill	425.00	.....	5.00	30.00	460.00
West Middlesex	2,315.00	300.00	5.00	275.00	2,895.00
White Memorial	3,290.00	600.00	10.00	285.00	4,185.00
Wilgus	1,768.00	240.00	15.00	350.00	2,373.00
Wolf Summit	2,340.00	240.00	33.00	413.00	3,026.00
Pioneer Churches:					
Butler	530.00	.....	10.00	206.20	746.20
Ebenezer	150.00	.....	.....	.....	150.00
Hubbard	354.68	.....	.....	53.00	407.68
Jamestown	.....	540.00	.....	50.00	590.00
Salem	.....	.....	10.00	110.00	120.00
Sherrodsville	.....	350.00	20.00	100.00	470.00
Totals	\$224,367.84	\$33,904.01	\$2,105.50	\$21,331.61	\$281,708.96

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## Item VII. Disbursed for Church

Charge	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building	Repairs	Amount Paid on Indebtedness	Amount Paid on Expense of Indebtedness	Church Incidental Expense	Total for Church
Akron, First .....	\$290.00	\$717.42	\$889.05	\$386.39			\$2,680.75	\$4,963.61
Akron, Grace .....	663.00	383.19		82.43	\$5,935.00	\$200.00	1,022.41	8,286.03
Akron, Kenmore ..	295.00	494.82		195.00	684.00		1,519.34	3,188.16
Akron, Maple Valley	295.00	1,312.86		733.02			1,292.51	3,633.39
McLeister Memorial	650.00	738.00		390.00			1,865.00	3,643.00
Alliance .....	400.00	164.40	801.40				686.35	2,052.15
Allida Smith Mem.	600.25	359.55		743.26			513.21	2,216.27
Annandale .....	356.40	194.01		24.84			470.42	1,045.67
Apollo .....		163.16					421.34	584.50
Ashtabula .....	169.00	195.64		18.41			271.44	654.49
Ashville .....	296.95	509.40		82.45			676.85	1,565.65
Barberton .....	990.00	796.50	17,383.58		15,210.95		1,759.61	36,140.64
Barkley .....		404.69	351.57		850.00		150.22	1,756.48
Bethany .....	500.00	469.23	1,190.48	394.48			904.51	3,458.70
Bethel .....	374.47	387.09		77.62	1,145.00		444.46	2,428.64
Blue Eye .....	110.00	105.94	258.60	16.28			81.45	572.27
Bluefield .....	350.00	64.00		45.64	1,400.00	60.75	185.65	2,106.64
Brown Hill .....	502.00	258.01	1,206.22	25.03			381.14	2,372.40
Brownsville .....	575.65	594.42		465.07			947.87	2,583.01
Cabin Run .....	200.00	205.08	25.00				94.74	524.82
Canal .....	970.00	1,001.44	2,137.45	61.39			1,479.80	5,650.08
Canton, First .....	1,050.00	1,366.00	1,043.73				1,628.12	5,087.60
Canton, Second ..	580.00	656.67	3,253.26				1,647.78	6,137.71
Carrollton .....	360.00	288.85	708.16	371.18			1,385.69	3,113.88
Cecil Charge .....	150.00	90.00		200.00			75.00	515.00
Cleveland, First ..	280.00	340.16		912.87	1,177.14	1,262.46	1,475.27	5,447.90
Cooperstown .....	475.51	549.45		353.61			422.51	1,801.08
Cottage Hill .....	122.01	200.12	190.35				498.65	1,011.13
Dixonville .....	1,007.00	795.65	704.90	77.59			1,013.96	3,599.10
East Clarksburg ..	21.00	160.29	173.25	26.05			113.00	493.59
East Conneaut .....	226.50	375.00	5,867.00	213.00	500.00	250.00	1,400.00	8,831.50
English .....	511.30	390.86		1,872.53			491.44	3,266.13
Eric .....	637.50	773.80		1,952.23			1,370.91	4,734.44
Falconer .....	388.50	502.32	990.00	95.89			828.17	2,804.88
Franklin .....	583.00	312.02		557.21	1,000.00	16.67	1,021.04	3,489.94
Greenville .....	284.50	751.83		146.50	12,000.00	172.00	1,874.51	15,229.34
Greenfield .....	305.00	265.39		880.00			176.24	1,626.63
Greenwood, N.Salem	875.00	636.01		1,373.19			1,568.99	4,453.19
Hadley .....	188.70	140.05					205.02	533.77
Hampe Memorial ..	700.53	671.03		1,407.03			677.63	3,456.22
Harbor .....	210.00	126.49					70.41	406.90
Hartville .....	364.27	116.85					877.58	1,358.70
Hillsdale .....	570.00	404.01		69.96	775.00	69.61	303.48	2,192.06
Hillville .....		159.43		48.45			104.59	312.47
Hooversville .....	407.21	143.32	42.51				75.90	668.94

Indiana	578.75	1,261.98	11,383.99	304.69	1,000.00	68.79	1,268.27	14,866.47
Isabella	475.00	330.29	69.29	227.98	575.00		483.29	2,160.85
Johnstown	376.95	133.53			844.46	37.50	952.06	2,344.50
Keepville	88.00	159.57		114.52			222.36	584.45
Loyal Oak	642.17	238.98	178.15	6.05	1,190.00		440.15	2,695.50
Luciusboro	145.00	282.99		354.25	30.00		127.67	939.91
Massillon	1,182.00	697.52		409.91	1,200.00	2,398.55		5,887.98
Meadville	275.00	335.05	151.75	29.60			1,354.36	2,145.76
Mechanicsburg	697.25	685.32		37.00			142.67	1,564.24
Mentcle	247.43	363.68	52.24	19.96			1,255.10	1,938.41
Merrifield Mem.	145.00	47.24			980.00		1,125.60	2,297.84
Middlefield	417.95	289.07		2,095.94	436.27	163.73	801.62	4,204.58
Mount Calvary	390.00	329.51		1,778.00			785.13	3,482.64
New Castle	375.00	633.32	2,396.87	522.25			1,111.65	5,039.09
Niles	230.00	206.21	1,631.05	62.53	2,320.00		961.29	5,411.08
North Springfield	145.00	304.76		800.00	150.00		232.49	1,632.25
Nu Mine	232.00	206.62		464.91	276.00		437.55	1,617.08
Oak Grove	252.00	461.68		233.63			458.83	1,406.14
Oil City	216.00	409.50		93.10	72.00		543.25	1,333.85
Olive Hill	60.00	28.00					40.00	128.00
Penn Run	405.00	419.15	724.66	42.02	950.00		458.50	2,999.33
Pine Grove	302.80	360.44		475.47	2,500.00	32.37	624.51	4,295.59
Pittsburgh, First	450.00	344.27	741.91	1,064.47	300.00		1,235.91	4,136.56
Pittsfield	691.95	370.46		685.19	1,000.00		1,575.88	4,323.48
Pleasant View	215.00	176.45		2,183.55		346.15	346.15	3,267.30
Princeton		55.95	534.00				609.00	1,198.95
Punxsutawney	220.00	172.27		430.84	303.69		466.97	1,593.77
Riverview	766.00	161.05		96.21	450.00	253.75	359.15	2,086.16
Robertsville	592.00	744.58	1,057.74				28.05	2,422.37
Rochester	730.00	515.00	45,000.00	150.00	1,056.00	1,472.00	935.00	49,858.00
Rock Run	292.75	264.06					41.55	598.36
Sagamore	280.00	409.28					573.21	1,262.49
Sandy Lake-Zion	605.00	322.98		287.64	3,400.00	194.00	1,260.00	6,071.62
Sarver	285.00	375.29	3,692.50				1,130.61	5,483.40
Smithport	160.68	628.79		180.10	605.00		383.58	1,958.15
Soldier	400.00	165.58	248.06		300.00		279.84	1,393.48
Spruce Grove	185.50	123.33					190.26	499.09
Stewart Run	28.11	85.99		200.09			24.90	339.09
Tarentum	190.00	353.24	7,897.00	200.00	100.00		1,076.00	9,816.24
Tazewell	100.00	378.20						478.20
Templeton, Colored								
Templeton, Zion	394.19	397.98		688.89			1,799.09	3,280.15
Titusville	1,040.00	454.85		525.15			2,851.66	4,871.66
Vanport	236.34	136.92		1,009.83	480.00		347.69	2,210.78
Warren	140.00	291.10	179.85	27.98	1,530.00		498.92	2,667.85
West Fairfield	306.30	89.46	1,241.86	25.00			95.60	1,758.22
West Hill	140.00	50.00		30.00			60.00	280.00
West Middlesex	274.00	140.47					618.38	1,032.85
White Memorial	671.30	274.38		2,297.24			1,091.95	4,334.87
Wilgus	225.65	233.56		217.93	225.59		237.71	1,140.44
Wolf Summit	555.00	1,234.00		528.95	120.00		568.34	3,006.29
Pioneer Churches:								
Butler	125.00	135.56		95.51	300.00		272.77	928.84
Ebenezer	200.00	21.00						228.00
Hubbard	160.00	58.17					531.45	749.62
Jamestown	75.00	196.53		112.74			77.70	461.97
Salem	201.25	164.32	900.00	15.13			550.00	1,830.70
Sherrodsville	432.00	130.00	50.00	50.00	2,560.00		75.00	3,297.00
Totals	\$38,359.50	\$37,573.93	\$115,347.43	\$33,474.85	\$65,931.10	\$6,998.33	\$71,168.63	\$368,853.77

## Item VIII. Contributed for General Budget

Charge	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Pension Plan	Orphanage	Australia	Administrative Budget	General Conference Travel and Entertainment	General Sunday School Work	Total General Budget
Akron, First	\$1,189.02	\$301.17	\$188.16	\$93.75	\$18.75	\$70.19	\$39.25	\$11.25	\$24.70	\$1,936.24
Akron, Grace	149.86	36.58	124.46	40.00	13.00	8.00	20.50	4.80	33.20	430.40
Akron, Kenmore	59.95	27.75	1.30	.....	5.00	10.00	3.75	.....	.....	107.75
Akron, Maple Valley	151.25	66.25	95.00	64.00	10.00	10.50	26.00	6.00	33.30	462.30
Akron, McLeister Memorial	1,142.38	519.79	107.00	116.50	32.75	12.75	30.75	10.20	25.65	1,997.77
Alliance	306.63	13.00	24.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	343.63
Allida Smith Memorial	355.71	99.88	10.79	37.50	12.50	7.50	28.16	4.50	8.00	564.54
Annandale	106.00	67.00	80.00	50.00	10.00	10.00	20.00	8.00	12.45	363.45
Apollo	100.00	24.00	15.00	38.75	7.50	24.50	.....	.....	.....	209.75
Ashtrabula	139.16	49.12	26.24	12.50	7.25	2.00	5.00	1.50	10.20	252.97
Ashville	112.75	8.05	12.00	50.00	.....	1.95	16.00	6.00	11.25	218.00
Barl erton	1,621.12	855.21	292.62	165.00	105.00	100.00	94.20	26.50	33.90	3,293.55
Barkley	70.00	43.75	20.00	23.75	4.75	4.75	7.60	4.85	.....	179.45
Bethany	188.25	34.75	60.00	70.00	14.00	14.00	22.40	8.40	22.50	434.30
Bethel	57.75	51.92	20.12	10.00	11.25	6.25	15.75	5.00	13.05	191.09
Blue Eye	21.81	5.58	.....	.....	.....	2.95	.....	.....	.....	30.34
Bluefield	42.69	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	52.69
Brown Hill	121.50	34.61	48.00	30.00	5.00	.....	9.60	3.60	6.40	258.71
Brownsville	812.35	347.62	123.00	60.00	17.00	12.00	24.00	7.20	16.25	1,419.52
Cabin Run	27.00	36.00	4.00	18.75	13.75	3.75	8.25	2.25	13.50	127.25
Canal	1,029.14	857.00	142.00	105.60	21.50	41.50	26.40	9.90	.....	2,233.04
Canton, First	2,639.90	2,308.98	333.85	142.50	80.00	50.00	54.10	17.10	.....	5,626.43
Canton, Second	773.50	595.70	119.00	71.25	24.16	14.25	28.30	8.55	17.40	1,652.90
Carrollton	374.25	35.25	27.00	35.00	7.00	7.00	14.95	4.20	20.25	524.90
Cecil Charge	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cleveland, First	218.00	90.88	115.59	73.75	14.14	32.50	33.77	17.30	11.10	607.03
Cooperstown	252.25	225.25	78.00	30.00	31.00	41.00	9.60	3.60	10.00	680.70
Cottage Hill	108.06	151.00	70.00	35.00	7.00	7.00	14.00	5.60	18.00	415.66
Dixonville	619.80	481.00	161.00	77.50	15.50	35.50	31.00	12.40	21.45	1,455.15
East Clarksburg	222.32	137.82	20.00	12.50	6.00	.....	10.40	1.50	3.70	414.24
East Conneaut	99.64	11.25	20.00	58.00	16.75	11.75	18.80	7.05	12.50	255.74
English	117.33	62.50	100.50	62.50	12.50	17.50	52.00	27.00	17.20	469.03
Erie	910.28	479.82	216.00	103.75	30.75	108.06	41.50	16.60	24.15	1,930.91
Falconer	597.51	417.75	125.00	68.75	18.75	13.75	27.50	11.00	11.40	1,291.41
Franklin	362.01	96.05	126.30	84.24	20.64	11.28	18.00	6.84	11.20	736.54
Greenville	277.80	211.10	70.00	70.00	14.00	14.00	22.40	8.40	10.50	740.20
Greenfield	117.68	49.32	5.00	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	177.00
Greenwood, North Salem	690.45	355.25	100.00	55.00	55.00	.....	30.40	10.40	13.70	1,310.20
Hadley	70.25	31.25	33.00	18.75	5.00	3.75	6.00	2.25	4.80	175.05
Hampe Memorial	392.25	182.28	15.00	32.50	11.50	.....	17.50	3.90	17.25	672.18
Harbor	50.25	42.28	10.00	12.50	.....	.....	.....	1.95	4.40	121.38
Hartville	31.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.11	.....	.....	42.11
Hillsdale	239.14	55.00	5.00	43.25	13.25	8.25	13.20	4.95	7.50	389.54
Hillville	27.00	16.25	.....	11.25	2.25	.....	3.60	.....	4.50	64.85
Hooversville	83.65	4.75	.....	5.00	10.00	3.50	5.00	2.10	7.20	121.20

Indiana	2,235.15	394.25	172.00	117.50	22.00	25.00	72.80	27.30	86.00	3,152.00
Isabella	151.74	28.75	65.00	22.50	9.50	4.50	10.80	3.60	15.90	312.29
Johnstown	130.46	38.05	2.25		7.00	7.00	11.20	4.20	11.20	211.36
Keepville	61.46	16.61	11.23	11.50			5.00			110.80
Loyal Oak	114.07	48.25		20.00	4.00	4.00	6.40	2.40	16.20	215.32
Luciusboro	64.40	3.00	3.00		10.00			6.30		86.70
Massillon	2,767.70	715.00	172.00	107.50	22.00	22.00	34.40	12.90	31.20	3,884.70
Meadville	429.26	183.50	84.00	52.50	15.75	65.75	17.20	7.45	15.40	870.81
Mechanicsburg	262.30	172.64	91.04	46.23	19.39	9.39	18.46	7.46	11.30	638.21
Mentle	177.91	60.00	117.50	67.50	11.25	11.25	22.50	6.75	17.50	492.21
Merrifield Memorial	8.50			17.50						26.00
Middlefield	188.57	22.55	9.00	36.25	5.00	3.00	15.35	8.10	13.80	301.62
Mount Calvary	182.73	100.25	5.00	52.50	10.50		23.90	8.40	12.75	396.03
New Castle	1,642.90	485.25	179.50	95.00	5.00	19.00	30.40	11.40	22.00	2,490.45
Niles	163.55	17.75	10.00	37.50	5.00		12.00	4.50	20.70	271.00
North Springfield	53.50	15.00	61.50		5.00					135.00
Nu Mine	164.81	9.01	1.20	32.50	6.50	6.50		3.90	9.60	234.02
Oak Grove	180.42	204.25	104.00	65.00	33.00	13.00	20.80	7.80	18.80	647.07
Oil City	61.80	42.97	2.00		5.50	5.50	8.80	3.30	8.00	137.87
Olive Hill				1.50						1.50
Penn Run	84.77	32.50		61.25	17.25	12.20	24.50	9.80	19.00	261.32
Pine Grove	125.39	88.25	52.00	32.50	6.50	25.25	11.40	3.90	4.50	349.69
Pittsburgh, First	248.66	115.25	105.00	41.25	10.00	20.00	16.50	11.55	15.75	583.96
Pittsfield	162.88	51.50	71.50	40.00	13.00	8.00	12.80	4.80	17.70	382.88
Pleasant View	48.75	22.50	28.00	31.25	11.25	6.25	10.00	10.00	14.70	182.70
Princeton										
Punxsutawney	35.00	35.00	7.00	3.00	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	6.00	100.00
Riverview	79.00	42.00			50.43					171.43
Robertsville	198.41	122.60	52.50	26.25	15.25	5.25	10.50	3.15	12.00	445.91
Rochester	417.50	78.00	10.00	72.50	19.50		23.20	8.70	14.00	643.40
Rock Run	158.34	86.66	54.00	33.75	11.75	26.75	15.30	4.05	16.50	407.10
Sagamore	75.15	78.00	17.00	10.00	17.00	6.00	1.00	1.00	21.75	226.90
Sandy Lake-Zion	257.63	285.59	118.76	82.75	62.50	22.50	35.00	28.75	15.40	908.88
Sarver	383.75	303.75	100.00	56.25	16.25	11.25	18.00	11.25	15.00	915.50
Smithport	89.21	123.61	19.90	35.00	10.50	17.41	14.00	6.00	10.00	325.63
Soldier	48.26	49.39		22.50						120.15
Spruce Grove	84.00	34.00								118.00
Stewart Run	35.00	17.50	10.59	12.50	8.61		4.00	6.00		94.20
Tarentum	134.97	99.00	1.21	61.25	15.25	10.25	16.40	6.15	10.00	354.48
Tazewell	64.00									64.00
Templeton, Colored										
Templeton, Zion	193.00	85.00	110.00	68.75	13.75	13.75	27.00	8.25	11.25	530.75
Titusville	1,434.92	1,010.75	245.00	88.75	120.05		25.20		19.50	2,944.17
Vanport	45.94	17.48	2.75	4.00	5.00	2.90	6.40	1.47	7.50	93.44
Warren	128.10	48.40	4.62	18.90	9.05	3.78	6.02	2.40	6.60	227.87
West Fairfield	22.90	13.75	7.00		5.00	2.75		2.10	6.75	60.25
West Hill										
West Middlesex	179.77	55.35	45.00	33.75	11.75	6.75	10.80	4.05	9.75	365.97
White Memorial	549.50	407.00	80.00	60.00	25.00	56.50	16.00	6.00	11.20	1,211.20
Wilgus	75.90	634.00	9.32	26.25	5.25	12.25	8.40	3.15	9.15	783.67
Wolf Summit	224.00	110.00		40.00	5.00		12.80	4.80	18.00	414.60
Pioneer Churches										
Butler	50.00	25.00							7.20	82.20
Ebenezer				2.00						2.00
Hubbard	2.75	2.75								5.50
Jamesstown										
Salen	61.64	11.66								73.30
Sherrrodsville										
Totals	\$31,841.37	\$16,163.08	\$5,768.85	\$3,841.47	\$1,410.47	\$1,192.36	\$1,497.97	\$567.72	\$1,122.10	\$63,405.39

## Item VIII. Disbursed for Conference Budget

Charge	President's Salary	Conference Work	Conference Missions	Pioneer	Insurance	Conference Entertainment	Total Conference Budget	Total Budget
Akron, First		\$737.20	\$200.65	\$74.89	\$26.25	\$41.05	\$1,080.04	\$3,016.28
Akron, Grace		406.74	66.16	75.45	11.20	23.15	582.70	1,013.10
Akron, Kenmore		60.00	65.51	20.80		6.00	152.31	260.06
Akron, Maple Valley		571.00	191.70	33.35		27.90	823.95	1,286.25
Akron, McLeister Mem.		589.76	266.71	186.19	17.85	26.25	1,086.76	3,084.53
Alliance		68.00	49.16	192.00			309.16	652.79
Allida Smith Memorial		480.00	160.46	56.95	10.50	15.30	723.21	1,287.75
Annandale	\$10.00	306.67	79.36	18.80	102.93	14.00	531.76	895.21
Apollo		13.00	22.00	13.00	10.85	10.00	68.85	278.60
Ashtabula		144.46	73.78	37.40	3.50	12.80	271.94	524.91
Ashville		230.00	70.00	34.70	14.00	14.00	362.70	580.70
Barberton		780.00	196.08	116.47	50.00	67.00	1,209.55	4,503.10
Barkley		60.00	108.00	30.40	6.65	13.45	218.50	397.95
Bethany		337.26	243.95	111.39	19.60	25.60	737.80	1,172.10
Bethel		90.00	109.44	102.88	8.05	13.95	324.32	515.41
Blue Eye		14.84	50.34	23.87			89.05	119.39
Bluefield		60.00	12.00	12.00		2.00	86.00	138.69
Brown Hill		204.00	72.72	135.00	8.40	13.20	433.32	692.03
Brownsville		513.31	162.52	110.79	16.80	24.15	827.57	2,247.09
Cabin Run	10.00	110.00	61.23	24.00		5.25	210.48	337.73
Canal		467.32	240.70	329.57		36.70	1,074.29	3,307.33
Canton, First	42.70	632.34	600.00	603.12	39.90	53.50	1,971.57	7,598.00
Canton, Second		491.14	225.48	413.00	19.95	28.75	1,178.32	2,886.93
Carrollton		416.85	121.56	57.36	9.80	15.80	621.37	1,146.27
Cecil Charge		24.00	19.50	11.00			54.50	54.50
Cleveland, First		583.82	236.56	91.00	20.65	29.80	961.83	1,568.86
Cooperstown		200.00	141.74	162.25	8.40	17.15	529.54	1,210.24
Cottage Hill		160.66	163.81	41.08	9.80	20.45	395.80	811.46
Dixonville	25.00	432.43	180.95	243.27	21.70	33.70	937.05	2,392.20
East Clarksburg		72.00	62.89	38.45	3.50	4.00	180.84	595.08
East Conneaut		360.00	91.25	98.55	16.45	16.45	582.70	838.44
English		199.10	104.24	54.00	17.50	17.50	392.34	861.57
Erie		594.68	233.58	322.37	29.05	41.05	1,220.73	3,151.64
Falconer	13.76	498.33	131.72	93.75	19.25	31.25	788.06	2,079.47
Franklin		451.93	116.73	103.00	15.72	20.92	708.30	1,444.86
Greenville		466.52	118.00	184.17	19.60	28.40	816.69	1,556.89
Greenfield		22.00	101.73	27.84			151.57	328.57
Greenwood, North Salem	34.30	433.32	173.28	444.75	26.60	43.40	1,155.65	2,465.85
Hadley		82.78	62.04	40.05	5.25	14.85	204.97	380.02
Hampe Memorial	17.53	373.61	265.82	80.02	58.10	15.30	810.38	1,482.56
Harbor	5.00	130.00	37.40	15.90	3.50	7.35	199.15	320.53
Hartsville			36.33	19.21			55.54	97.65
Hillsdale		303.02	275.98	77.56	11.55	19.15	687.26	1,076.80
Hillville		60.00	44.04	27.30	3.15	3.15	137.64	202.49
Hooversville		40.06	66.66	35.36	2.10	10.50	154.68	275.88

Indiana		576.93	482.80	250.92	63.70	82.15	1,456.50	4,608.50
Isabella		209.41	117.07	93.74	6.30	11.90	438.42	750.71
Johnstown		378.16	112.49	25.18	9.80	20.60	546.23	757.59
Keepville		24.00	44.84	33.45	6.00	11.55	119.84	230.64
Loyal Oak		60.00	60.00	71.60	5.60	5.60	202.80	418.12
Luciusboro		25.00	25.00	41.75		3.00	94.75	181.45
Massillon		580.09	275.61	249.81	30.10	62.00	1,197.61	5,082.31
Meadville		420.00	139.87	120.19	15.00	27.05	722.11	1,592.92
Mechanicsburg	17.00	263.60	161.60	23.43	13.07	30.53	509.23	1,147.44
Mentcle	5.05	264.20	146.07	57.47	15.75	16.25	504.79	997.00
Merrifield Memorial		38.00	37.85	51.95	4.90	4.90	137.60	163.60
Middlefield		149.00	77.00	77.65	10.15	16.15	329.95	631.57
Mount Calvary		386.45	111.80	90.56	14.70	22.70	626.21	1,022.24
New Castle	19.45	470.63	260.81	129.14	26.60	40.60	947.23	3,437.68
Niles		389.89	157.13	46.16	10.50	18.50	622.18	893.18
North Springfield		180.00	71.90	21.75		9.95	283.60	418.60
Nu Mine		280.00	66.76	62.92	9.10	12.30	431.07	665.09
Oak Grove	20.00	460.34	101.94	98.40	17.60	28.80	727.08	1,374.15
Oil City		30.00	30.00	44.60	7.70	9.10	121.40	259.27
Olive Hill		28.75	20.00	17.80			66.55	68.05
Penn Run	10.00	361.86	236.59	45.17	17.15	24.75	695.52	956.84
Pine Grove		294.00	85.32	45.95	9.10	15.90	450.27	799.96
Pittsburgh, First		419.20	184.94	42.59	11.55	17.55	675.83	1,259.79
Pittsfield	33.80	382.01	165.27	85.63	11.20	24.00	701.91	1,084.09
Pleasant View	10.00	258.91	129.56	79.50	12.00	13.50	503.12	685.82
Princeton		24.00	8.00				32.00	32.00
Punxsutawney	5.00	16.00	52.58	22.80	7.50	11.70	115.58	215.58
Riverview		183.10	94.70	39.00			316.80	488.23
Robertsville		120.00	194.46	85.56	6.30	7.35	413.67	859.58
Rochester		300.00	216.58	77.05	20.30	35.70	649.63	1,293.03
Rock Run		72.00	163.52	52.00	9.45	16.65	313.62	720.72
Sagamore		70.00	52.38	61.96	8.00	22.30	214.64	441.54
Sandy Lake-Zion		487.90	157.63	132.65	8.75	40.65	827.58	1,736.46
Sarver		471.00	126.54	91.20	15.75	25.35	729.84	1,645.34
Smithport	5.00	56.00	200.61	82.41	9.05	9.80	362.87	688.50
Soldier		30.00	43.89	139.70	6.30	4.40	224.29	344.44
Spruce Grove	3.15	36.00	65.18	16.90		11.35	132.58	250.58
Stewart Run		24.00	17.50		4.20		45.70	139.90
Tarentum		220.00	157.59	42.50	14.35	25.35	459.79	814.27
Tazewell	10.50	12.00	12.00	40.10			74.60	138.60
Templeton, Colored								
Templeton, Zion		387.24	98.39	59.57	19.25	24.25	588.70	1,119.45
Titusville	30.00	542.33	165.07	412.85	22.05	46.35	1,218.65	4,162.82
Vanport		38.00	56.33	27.70	3.00	8.40	133.43	226.87
Warren		12.00	12.13	27.80	4.95	5.32	62.20	290.07
West Fairfield		86.00	50.10	23.45		7.40	166.95	227.20
West Hill		18.00	17.50	9.00			44.50	44.50
West Middlesex		303.34	57.85	65.55	9.45	16.65	452.84	818.81
White Memorial		484.22	203.22	177.69	14.00	22.40	901.53	2,112.73
Wilgus		215.43	57.21	34.78	7.35	9.85	324.62	1,108.29
Wolf Summit		120.00	234.26	19.46	11.20	11.20	376.12	810.72
Pioneer Churches:								
Butler		12.00	49.31	19.35			80.66	162.86
Ebenezer	3.67	7.00	7.00	8.00			25.67	27.67
Hubbard				8.00			8.00	13.50
Jamestown	4.00	28.39	26.00	14.83			73.22	134.48
Salem		13.20	19.58	27.90			61.18	134.48
Sherrordsville		42.00	45.00	42.00			130.00	130.00
Totals		\$334.91	\$24,628.23	\$12,077.99	\$8,793.33	\$1,196.87	\$1,755.92	\$48,774.00
								\$11,895.63



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### Item IX. Disbursed for Benevolences

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Indiana	680.14	497.67	5.00	172.89	937.21	2,292.91
Isabella	148.28	49.85			19.35	131.73
Johnstown					27.00	100.02
Keepville						154.97
Loyal Oak						25.00
Luciusboro	10.00	5.00			80.59	95.59
Massillon	551.51	249.20		19.50	2,946.79	3,767.00
Meadville	54.00	215.00			348.72	617.72
Mechanicsburg	119.17	12.80			113.29	243.26
Mentle	54.48	76.50			353.44	484.42
Merrifield Memorial					50.87	50.87
Middlefield		23.00		30.00	234.89	287.89
Mount Calvary					193.88	193.88
New Castle					400.00	400.00
Niles					412.19	412.19
North Springfield					125.00	125.00
Nu Mine	97.50	10.00		113.21	45.00	265.71
Oak Grove		192.25			85.00	108.64
Oil City	9.00	6.25			10.00	156.55
Olive Hill						60.00
Penn Run		65.54				608.55
Pine Grove						237.02
Pittsburgh, First	65.00	140.20	15.00		16.50	432.55
Pittsfield	73.00	78.00	14.96	33.35	22.50	46.00
Pleasant View	60.00	20.00			10.00	58.97
Princeton						40.25
Punxsutawney			5.00	18.47		150.00
Riverview						33.78
Robertsville						67.45
Rochester	156.00	174.00	5.00	5.00	65.00	36.00
Rock Run		20.00				485.89
Sagamore						149.07
Sandy Lake-Zion	105.00	32.75				449.28
Sarver						2,007.48
Smithport					25.00	38.82
Soldier	58.48	15.00		18.00	20.00	165.19
Spruce Grove		35.00				73.63
Stewart Run						34.39
Tarentum	110.15	110.15			60.00	309.05
Tazewell						
Templeton, Colored						99.63
Templeton, Zion	116.51	56.00				272.14
Titusville	181.10	66.50	18.70		66.00	1,538.88
Vanport						24.75
Warren	36.00	18.27	83.09	24.97		156.09
West Fairfield	3.00					44.05
West Hill				18.00		40.00
West Middlesex	152.45	85.00	5.00		102.04	311.66
White Memorial	25.00	75.00			20.00	963.64
Wilgus	53.74	25.00		4.03		20.73
Wolf Summit						182.30
Pioneer Churches:						
Butler						41.71
Ebenezer						
Hubbard						76.52
Jamestown	25.00	50.00				75.00
Salem						
Sherrodsville	5.00					15.00
Totals	\$4,316.83	\$6,513.03	\$327.89	\$268.32	\$444.90	\$1,018.81
						\$31,533.91
						\$44,638.85

## Item X. Disbursed Totals

Charge	Total for Pastor	Total for Church	Total for Budget	Total for Benevolences	Total for All Purposes
Akron, First	\$4,935.00	\$4,963.61	\$3,016.28	\$881.64	\$13,796.53
Akron, Grace	3,400.00	8,286.03	1,013.10	722.25	13,421.38
Akron, Kenmore	3,763.00	3,188.16	260.06	31.50	7,242.72
Akron, Maple Valley	4,630.00	3,633.39	1,286.25	1,503.30	11,052.94
Akron, McLeister Memorial	4,376.00	3,643.00	3,084.53	1,248.00	12,351.53
Alliance	1,649.68	2,052.15	652.79	390.00	4,734.62
Allida Smith Memorial	3,565.00	2,216.27	1,287.75	273.00	7,342.02
Annandale	3,879.75	1,045.67	895.21	419.45	6,240.08
Apollo	1,705.00	584.50	278.60	14.75	2,582.85
Ashtabula	1,081.00	654.49	524.91	317.34	2,577.74
Ashville	3,520.00	1,565.65	580.70	197.40	5,863.75
Barberton	5,658.32	36,140.64	4,503.10	1,054.42	47,356.48
Barkley	3,075.00	1,756.48	397.95	158.47	5,387.90
Bethany	2,825.00	3,458.70	1,172.81	408.81	7,865.32
Bethel	3,314.44	2,428.64	515.41	390.01	6,648.49
Blue Eye	2,001.41	572.27	119.39	17.37	2,710.44
Bluefield	1,110.00	2,106.64	138.69	.....	3,355.33
Brown Hill	2,084.00	2,372.40	692.03	155.77	5,302.20
Brownsville	4,455.00	2,583.01	2,247.09	394.40	9,679.50
Cabin Run	1,645.00	524.82	337.73	22.00	2,529.55
Canal	4,145.00	5,650.00	3,307.33	825.00	13,927.33
Canton, First	4,884.00	5,087.60	7,598.00	266.78	17,837.38
Canton, Second	3,790.00	6,137.71	2,830.43	750.30	13,508.44
Carrollton	3,455.00	3,113.88	1,146.27	549.33	8,264.48
Cecil Charge	1,386.00	515.00	54.00	100.00	2,955.50
Cleveland, First	5,329.98	5,447.90	1,568.86	1,261.79	13,608.03
Cooperstown	3,100.00	1,801.08	1,210.24	519.17	6,630.49
Cottage Hill	1,708.12	1,071.13	811.46	147.36	3,738.67
Dixonville	3,745.00	3,599.10	2,392.20	867.68	10,603.98
East Clarksburg	1,112.00	493.59	595.08	.....	2,200.67
East Conneaut	3,700.00	8,831.50	838.44	474.17	13,844.11
English	1,931.51	3,266.13	861.37	810.15	6,869.16
Erie	5,028.00	4,734.44	3,151.64	1,850.96	14,765.04
Falconer	4,205.50	2,804.88	2,079.47	1,076.05	10,165.90
Franklin	4,274.10	3,489.94	1,444.86	124.78	9,333.68
Greenville	4,135.00	15,229.34	1,556.89	355.97	10,477.20
Greenfield	2,538.01	1,626.63	328.57	893.75	5,387.04
Greenwood-Salem	4,030.00	4,453.19	2,465.85	1,417.25	12,366.29
Hadley	727.00	533.77	380.02	22.50	1,663.29
Hampe Memorial	3,365.47	3,456.22	1,482.56	115.59	8,419.84
Harbor	1,411.24	406.90	320.53	145.78	2,364.06
Hartsville	1,265.50	1,358.70	97.65	.....	2,721.85
Hillsdale	3,194.00	2,192.06	1,076.80	1,021.21	7,484.07
Hillville	617.00	312.47	202.49	18.00	1,149.96
Hooversville	874.00	668.94	275.88	12.50	1,831.32

Indiana	4,689.75	14,866.47	4,608.50	2,292.91	27,457.63
Isabella	2,351.44	2,160.85	750.71	349.21	5,612.21
Johnstown	3,333.00	2,344.50	757.59	127.02	6,562.11
Keepville	1,946.00	584.45	230.64	154.97	2,916.06
Loyal Oak	2,857.00	2,695.50	418.12	25.00	5,995.62
Luciusboro	1,975.40	939.91	181.45	95.59	3,192.35
Massillon	4,226.00	5,887.98	5,082.31	3,767.00	18,963.29
Meadville	3,280.00	2,145.76	1,592.92	617.72	7,636.40
Mechanicsburg	3,702.00	1,564.24	1,147.44	245.26	6,658.94
Mentelc	2,643.11	1,938.41	997.00	484.42	6,062.94
Merrified Memorial	1,301.00	2,297.84	163.60	50.87	3,813.31
Middlefield	2,943.00	4,204.58	631.57	287.89	8,067.04
Mount Calvary	3,839.00	3,482.64	1,022.24	193.88	8,537.76
New Castle	4,070.00	5,039.09	3,437.68	400.00	9,019.33
Niles	3,798.00	5,411.08	893.18	412.19	10,514.45
North Springfield	3,265.00	1,632.25	418.60	125.00	5,440.85
Nu Mine	2,385.00	1,617.08	665.09	265.71	4,932.88
Oak Grove	3,495.00	1,406.14	1,374.15	385.89	6,661.18
Oil City	2,683.75	1,333.85	259.27	181.80	4,458.67
Olive Hill	280.00	128.00	68.05	60.00	536.05
Penn Run	3,615.00	2,999.33	956.84	674.09	8,245.26
Pine Grove	2,560.00	4,295.59	799.96	237.02	7,892.57
Pittsburgh, First	3,470.05	4,136.56	1,259.79	669.25	9,535.65
Pittsfield	3,292.00	4,323.48	1,084.09	326.78	9,026.35
Pleasant View	3,245.80	3,267.30	685.82	130.25	7,329.17
Princeton	250.00	1,198.95	32.00	.....	1,480.95
Punxsutawney	3,040.00	1,593.77	215.58	150.00	4,999.35
Riverview	3,183.00	2,086.16	488.23	57.25	5,814.64
Robertsville	2,945.00	2,422.37	859.58	67.45	6,294.40
Rochester	5,085.00	49,858.00	1,293.03	441.00	56,677.03
Rock Run	3,471.26	598.36	720.72	505.89	5,296.23
Sagamore	2,497.00	1,262.49	441.54	149.07	4,350.10
Sandy Lake-Zion	4,785.00	6,071.62	1,736.46	587.03	13,180.11
Sarver	4,200.00	5,483.40	1,645.34	2,007.48	13,336.22
Smithport	3,128.00	1,958.15	688.50	63.82	5,838.47
Soldier	2,245.00	1,393.48	344.44	276.67	4,259.91
Spruce Grove	801.61	499.09	250.58	108.63	1,659.91
Stewart Run	295.00	339.09	139.90	34.39	808.29
Tarentum	4,760.00	9,816.24	814.27	589.35	15,879.86
Tazewell	1,500.00	478.20	138.60	.....	2,116.80
Templeton, Colored	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Templeton, Zion	2,770.00	3,280.15	1,119.45	272.14	7,441.74
Titusville	4,110.00	4,871.66	4,162.82	1,871.18	15,015.66
Vanport	2,759.00	2,210.78	226.87	24.75	5,221.38
Warren	1,650.55	2,667.85	290.07	318.42	4,926.89
North Fairfield	769.45	1,758.22	227.20	47.05	2,801.90
West Hill	460.00	280.00	44.00	40.00	824.50
West Middlesex	2,895.00	1,032.85	818.81	656.15	5,402.81
White Memorial	4,185.00	4,334.87	2,112.73	1,083.64	11,716.24
Wilgus	2,373.00	1,140.44	1,108.29	103.50	4,723.23
Wolf Summit	3,026.00	3,006.29	810.72	182.30	7,025.31
Pioneer Churches:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Butler	746.20	928.84	162.86	41.71	1,879.61
Ebenezer	150.00	228.00	27.67	.....	405.67
Hubbard	407.68	749.62	13.50	76.52	1,247.32
Jamestown	590.00	461.97	73.22	75.00	1,200.19
Salem	120.00	1,830.70	134.48	.....	2,085.18
Sherrodsville	470.00	3,297.00	130.00	20.00	3,917.00
Totals	\$281,708.96	\$368,853.77	\$111,895.63	\$44,638.75	\$807,097.11

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Item XI. Table of Information Showing Distribution of Benevolence

Charge	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Specially for India	Specially for Africa	Pension Fund	Education	General S. S. Work	Orphanage	Conference Work	Australia
Akron, First	\$481.17	\$1,204.93			\$93.75	\$188.16	\$24.70	\$58.25	\$737.20	\$70.19
Akron, Grace	77.58	149.86			40.00	124.46	33.20	13.00	406.74	8.00
Akron, Kenmore	27.75	59.95				1.30		5.00	60.00	10.00
Akron, Maple Valley	199.25	156.25			64.00	95.00	33.30	10.00	571.00	10.50
Akron, McLeister Memorial	845.79	1,142.38			116.50	107.00	25.65	32.75	589.76	12.75
Alliance	13.00	306.63				24.00			68.00	
Allida Smith Memorial	190.13	449.21			37.50	10.79	8.00	12.50	480.00	7.50
Annandale	145.00	117.00			50.00	80.00	12.45	10.00	306.67	10.00
Apollo	24.00	100.00			38.75	15.00		7.50	13.00	24.50
Ashtabula	59.12	149.16			12.50	26.24	10.20	7.25	144.46	2.00
Ashville	8.05	112.75			50.00	12.00	11.25		230.00	1.95
Barberton	855.21	1,621.12			165.00	292.62	33.90	105.00	780.00	100.00
Barkley	43.75	20.00			23.75	20.00		4.75	60.00	4.75
Bethany	34.75	188.25			70.00	60.00	22.50	14.00	337.26	14.00
Bethel	61.92	77.75		\$13.50	10.00	20.12	13.05	11.25	90.00	6.25
Blue Eye	5.58	21.81							14.84	2.95
Bluefield		34.59		8.10					60.00	
Brown Hill	39.61	124.50		7.00	30.00	48.00	6.40	10.00	204.00	
Brownsville	452.62	914.65			60.00	126.00	16.35	5.00	513.31	12.00
Cabin Run	36.00	27.00			18.75	4.00	13.50	22.00	110.00	3.75
Canal	857.00	1,029.14			105.60	142.00		21.50	467.32	41.50
Canton, First	2,308.98	2,639.90			142.50	333.85		80.00	632.35	50.00
Canton, Second	1,029.30	773.50			71.25	119.00	17.40	24.16	491.14	14.25
Carrollton	65.85	370.25	\$15.00		35.00	32.00	20.25	32.00	416.85	7.00
Cecil Charge									24.00	
Cleveland, First	138.88	218.00			73.75	125.59	11.10	14.14	583.82	37.50
Cooperstown	225.25	227.25		25.00	30.00	78.00	10.00	31.00	200.00	41.00
Cottage Hill	151.00	108.06			35.00	70.00	18.00	7.00	160.66	7.00
Dixonville	481.00	619.50			77.50	161.00	21.45	15.50	432.43	243.27
East Clarksburg	137.82	222.32			12.50	20.00	3.70	6.00	72.00	
East Conneaut	96.40	158.32			58.00	25.00	12.50	66.75	376.45	11.75
English	62.50	117.33			62.50	100.50	17.20	12.50	119.10	17.50
Erie	829.05	1,268.39			103.75	304.20	24.15	30.73	594.68	108.06
Falconer	534.69	597.51			68.75	125.00	11.40	38.75	498.33	13.75
Franklin	106.05	373.01			84.24	126.30	11.20	20.64	451.93	11.28
Greenville	303.85	302.80			70.00	112.00	10.50	28.00	466.52	14.00
Greenfield	945.57	142.68				5.00		5.00		6.00
Greenwood-Salem	355.25	690.49			55.00	100.00	13.70	55.00	433.32	
Hadley	34.25	70.25			18.75	33.00	4.80	5.00	82.17	3.75
Hampe Memorial	182.28	392.25			32.50	15.00	17.25	11.50	373.61	
Harbor	42.28	50.25			12.50	10.00				
Hartville		31.00								
Hillsdale	341.34	282.52		6.00		106.82	7.50	13.25	364.25	27.19
Hillville	16.25	27.00			11.25		4.50	2.25	60.00	
Hooversville	4.75	83.65			5.00		7.20	10.00	40.06	3.50

Indiana	891.92	3,085.04			117.50	172.00	86.00	22.00	749.82	81.82
Isabella	78.60	300.02			22.50	65.00	15.90	9.50	209.41	4.50
Johnstown	38.05	130.46				2.25	11.20	7.00	378.16	7.00
Keepville	16.61	61.46			11.50	11.23		5.00	24.00	
Loyal Oak	48.25	114.07			20.00		16.20	4.00	60.00	4.00
Luciusboro	8.00	74.40				3.00		10.00	25.00	
Massillon	964.20	3,319.21			107.50	172.00	31.20	22.00	580.09	22.00
Meadville	398.50	483.26			52.50	84.00	15.40	15.75	420.00	65.75
Mechanicsburg	185.44	381.47			46.23	91.04	11.30	19.39	263.60	9.39
Mentcle	136.50	232.39			67.50	117.50	17.55	11.25	264.20	11.25
Merrifield Memorial		8.50			17.50				38.00	
Middlefield	45.55	198.57			36.25	9.00	13.80	5.00	179.00	3.00
Mount Calvary	100.25	182.73			52.50	5.00	12.75	10.50	386.45	
New Castle	483.25	1,642.96			95.00	179.50	22.00	5.00	470.63	19.00
Niles	17.75	163.55			37.50	10.00	20.70	5.00	389.89	
North Springfield	15.00	53.50				61.50		5.00	180.00	
Nu Mine	9.01	164.81			32.50	1.20	9.60	6.50	280.00	6.50
Oak Grove	396.50	180.42			65.00	104.00	18.80	33.00	460.34	13.00
Oil City	54.72	54.75				2.00	8.00	5.50	30.00	
Olive Hill					1.50				28.75	
Penn Run	98.04	84.77			61.25		19.00	17.25	361.86	12.25
Pine Grove	88.25	125.39			32.50	52.00	4.50	6.50	294.00	25.25
Pittsburgh, First	255.45	313.66			41.25	105.00	15.75	10.00	419.20	20.00
Pittsfield	129.50	235.88			40.00	86.46	17.70	46.35	404.51	8.00
Pleasant View	42.50	103.75	5.00		31.25	28.00	14.70	11.25	258.91	6.25
Princeton									24.00	
Punksutawney	35.00	35.00			3.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	16.00	5.00
Riverview	42.00	79.00							50.43	
Robertsville	122.60	198.41			26.25	52.50	12.00	15.25	120.00	5.25
Rochester	143.00	747.50			72.50	15.00	14.00	24.50	300.00	
Rock Run	106.60	158.34			33.75	54.00	16.50	11.75	72.00	26.75
Sagamore	78.00	75.15			10.00	17.00	21.75	17.00	70.00	6.00
Sandy Lake-Zion	318.34	362.63			82.75	118.76	15.40	62.50	487.90	22.50
Sarver	303.75	383.75			56.25	100.00	15.00	16.25	471.00	11.25
Smithport	123.61	89.21			35.00	19.90	10.00	10.50	56.00	17.41
Soldier	49.39	48.26			22.50				30.00	
Spruce Grove	69.00	84.00							36.00	
Stewart Run	17.50	35.00			12.50	10.59		8.61	24.00	
Tarentum	209.15	245.12	9.05		61.25	1.21	10.00	15.25	220.00	10.25
Tazewell		64.00							12.00	
Templeton, Colored				4.00	68.75	110.00	11.25	13.75	387.25	13.70
Templeton, Zion	141.00	305.51			88.75	263.70	19.50	120.05	542.33	
Titusville	1,077.25	1,472.42	6.00	137.60		4.00	2.75	5.00	38.00	2.90
Vanport	17.48	45.94				87.71	6.60	9.05	12.00	3.78
Warren	66.67	134.10		30.00	18.90	7.00	6.75	5.00	86.00	2.75
West Fairfield	13.75	25.90								
West Hill					33.75	59.00	9.75	11.75	303.34	31.75
West Middlesex	90.35	307.22			60.00	80.00	11.20	25.00	484.22	56.50
White Memorial	407.00	549.50			26.25	9.32	9.15	5.25	215.43	12.25
Wilgus	634.00	75.90			40.00		18.00	5.00	120.00	
Wolf Summit	110.00	224.00								
Pioneer Churches:							7.20		12.00	
Butler	25.00	50.00							7.00	
Ebenezer					2.00					
Hubbard	2.75	2.75							20.39	
Jamestown	50.00	25.00							13.70	
Salem	11.66	61.64							43.00	
Sherrodsville		5.00								

Totals \$21,616.56 \$35,358.73 \$21.00 \$245.25 \$3,793.24 \$5,776.07 \$1,117.85 \$1,602.32 \$24,759.71 \$1,506.44

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Item XI. Table of Information Showing Distribution of Benevolence—Continued

Charge	Conference Missions	Conference President's Salary	Wesleyan Youth	Administrative Budget	General Conference Entertainment	Other Benevolent Objects	Pioneer	Insurance	Conference Entertainment	Total
Akron, First	\$200.65		\$29.50	\$39.25	\$11.25	\$616.73	\$74.89	\$26.25	\$41.05	\$3,897.92
Akron, Grace	66.16		15.00	20.50	4.80	666.25	75.45	11.20	23.15	1,735.35
Akron, Kenmore	65.51			3.75		31.50	20.80			291.56
Akron, Maple Valley	191.70		6.00	26.00	6.00	1,359.30	33.35		27.90	2,789.55
Akron, McLeister Memorial	266.71			30.75	10.20	922.00	186.19	17.85	26.25	4,332.53
Alliance	49.16					390.00	192.00			1,042.79
Allida Smith Memorial	160.46		69.25	28.16	4.50	20.00	56.95	10.50	15.30	1,560.75
Annandale	79.36	\$10.00	36.00	20.00	8.00	294.45	102.93	14.00	18.80	1,314.66
Apollo	22.00			3.75		11.00	13.00	10.85	10.00	293.35
Ashtabula	73.78			5.00	1.50	297.34	37.40	3.50	12.80	842.25
Ashville	70.00			16.00	6.00	197.40	34.70		14.00	778.10
Barberton	196.08			94.20	26.50	961.32	116.47	50.00	67.00	5,464.42
Barkley	108.00			7.60		158.47	30.40	6.65	13.45	556.42
Bethany	243.95			22.40	8.40	408.81	111.39	19.60	25.60	1,580.91
Bethel	109.44			15.75	5.00	320.51	128.88	8.05	13.95	905.42
Blue Eye	50.34		3.50			13.87	23.87			136.76
Bluefield	12.00						12.00		2.00	138.69
Brown Hill	72.72			9.60	3.60	140.77	135.00	8.40		857.80
Brownsville	162.52		16.50	24.00	7.20	162.50	110.79	16.80	24.15	2,641.49
Cabin Run	61.23	10.00		8.25	2.25	22.00	24.00		5.25	359.73
Canal	240.70			26.40	9.96	825.00	329.57		36.70	4,132.33
Canton, First	600.00	42.70		54.10	17.10	266.78	603.12	39.90	53.50	7,828.00
Canton, Second	225.48			28.30	8.55	316.70	413.00	19.95	28.75	3,580.73
Carrollton	121.56			14.95	4.20	477.73	57.36	9.80	15.80	1,695.60
Cecil Charge	19.50					100.00	11.00			154.50
Cleveland, First	236.56			33.77	17.30	1,248.29	91.00	20.65	29.80	2,830.15
Cooperstown	141.74			9.60	3.60	519.17	162.25	8.40	17.15	1,729.41
Cottage Hill	163.81		19.50	14.00	5.60	127.86	41.08	9.80	20.40	958.82
Dixonville	180.95	25.00		31.00	12.40	867.68	243.27	21.70	33.70	3,259.88
East Clarksburg	62.89			10.40	1.50		38.45		4.00	595.08
East Conneaut	91.25		32.00	18.80	7.05	243.34	98.55	16.45		1,312.61
English	104.24			52.00	27.00	807.15	54.00		17.50	1,671.52
Eric	233.58			49.00	16.60	1,047.92	322.37	29.05	41.05	5,002.60
Falconer	131.72	13.76		27.50	11.00	939.11	93.75	19.25	31.25	3,155.52
Franklin	116.73		40.20	18.00	6.84	63.58	103.00	15.72	20.92	1,569.64
Greenville	118.00			27.90	8.40	218.72	184.17	19.60	28.40	1,912.86
Greenfield	101.73			3.50		46.00	36.84			1,222.32
Greenwood-Salem	173.28	34.30		30.40	10.40	1,417.25	444.75	26.60	43.40	3,883.10
Hadley	62.04		9.00	6.00	2.25	10.50	40.05	5.25	14.85	402.52
Hampe Memorial	265.82	17.53		17.50	3.90	115.59	80.02	58.10	15.30	1,598.15
Harbor	36.33	5.00	1.95			116.75	15.90			466.31
Hartsville				11.11			19.21			97.65
Hillsdale	275.98			13.20	4.95	147.55	77.56	11.55	19.50	2,098.01
Hillville	44.04			3.60		18.00	27.30	3.15	3.15	220.49
Hooversville	66.66			5.00	2.10	12.50	35.36	2.10	10.50	288.38

Indiana	482.80			72.80	27.30	71.64	250.92	63.70	82.15	6,901.41
Isabella	117.07	19.35		10.80	3.60	131.73	93.74	6.30	11.90	1,099.92
Johnstown	112.49			11.20	4.20	127.02	25.18	9.80	20.60	884.61
Keepville	44.84			5.00		154.97	33.45	6.00	11.55	385.61
Loyal Oak	60.00			6.40	2.40	25.00	71.60	5.60	5.60	443.12
Luciusboro	25.00			4.80	6.30	75.71	41.75		3.00	277.04
Massillon	275.61	19.50		51.65	12.90	2,879.54	299.81	30.10	62.00	8,849.31
Meadville	139.87			17.20	7.45	348.72	120.19	15.00	27.05	2,210.64
Mechanicsburg	161.60	17.00		18.46	7.46	113.29	23.43	13.07	30.53	1,392.70
Mentle	146.07	5.05	15.00	22.50	6.75	338.44	57.47	15.75	16.25	1,481.42
Merrifield Memorial	37.85					50.87	51.95		4.90	214.47
Middlefield	77.00	24.00		15.35	8.10	200.89	77.65	10.15	16.15	919.46
Mount Calvary	111.80			23.90	8.40	193.88	90.56	14.70	22.70	1,216.12
New Castle	260.81	19.45		30.40	11.40		129.14	26.60	40.60	3,437.68
Niles	157.13			12.00	4.50	412.19	46.16	10.50	18.50	1,305.37
North Springfield	71.90					125.00	21.75		9.95	543.60
Nu Mine	66.75				3.90	265.71	62.92	9.10	12.30	930.80
Oak Grove	101.94	20.00	85.00	20.80	7.80	108.64	98.40	17.60	28.80	1,760.04
Oil City	30.00			8.80	3.30	182.60	44.60	7.70	9.10	441.07
Olive Hill	20.00					60.00	17.80			128.05
Penn Run	236.59	10.00		24.50	9.80	608.55	45.17	17.15	24.75	1,635.93
Pine Grove	85.32			11.40	3.90	237.02	45.95	9.10	15.90	1,036.98
Pittsburgh, First	184.94		16.50	16.50	11.55	447.55	42.59	11.55	17.55	1,929.04
Pittsfield	165.27	33.80	40.00	12.80	4.80	58.97	85.63	11.20	24.00	1,410.87
Pleasant View	129.56	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	40.25	79.50	12.00	13.15	816.07
Princeton	8.00									32.00
Punxsutawney	52.58	5.00		2.00	2.00	150.00	22.80	7.50	11.70	365.58
Riverview	94.70						39.00			488.23
Robertsville	194.46			10.50	3.50	67.45	85.56	6.30	7.35	927.03
Rochester	216.58			34.20	8.70	25.00	77.05	20.30	35.70	1,734.03
Rock Run	163.22			15.30	4.05	485.89	52.00	9.45	16.65	1,226.61
Sagamore	52.38			1.00	1.00	149.07	61.96	8.00	22.30	590.61
Sandy Lake-Zion	157.63			35.00	28.75	449.28	132.65	8.75	40.65	2,323.49
Sarver	126.54			18.00	11.25	2,007.48	91.20	15.75	25.35	3,652.82
Smithport	200.61	5.00	25.00	14.00	6.00	38.82	82.41	9.05	9.80	752.32
Soldier	43.89					276.67	139.70	6.30	4.40	621.11
Spruce Grove	65.18	3.15		5.75		67.88	16.90		11.35	359.21
Stewart Run	17.50			4.00	6.00	34.39		4.20		174.29
Tarentum	157.59			16.40	6.15	360.00	42.50	14.35	25.35	1,403.62
Tazewell	12.00	10.50				40.10				138.60
Templeton, Colored										
Templeton, Zion	98.39			27.00	8.25	99.63	59.57	19.25	24.25	1,391.59
Titusville	165.07	30.00	66.00	25.20		1,538.88	412.85	22.05	46.35	6,034.00
Vanport	56.33			6.40	1.47	24.75	27.70	3.00	8.40	251.62
Warren	12.13			6.02	2.40	176.77	32.09	4.95	5.32	608.49
West Fairfield	50.10				2.10	44.05	23.45		7.40	274.25
West Hill							9.00			84.80
West Middlesex	57.85	16.20		15.30	4.05	418.00	90.55	9.45	16.65	1,474.96
White Memorial	203.22	20.00		16.00	6.00	1,063.64	177.69	14.00	22.40	3,196.37
Wilgus	57.21			8.40	3.15	103.50	34.78	7.35	9.85	1,211.79
Wolf Summit	234.26			12.80	4.80	182.00	19.46	11.20	11.20	993.02
Pioneer Churches:										
Butler	49.31					41.71	19.35			204.57
Ebenezer	7.00	3.67					8.00			27.67
Hubbard						76.52	8.00			90.02
Jamestown	26.00	4.00					14.83			148.22
Salem	19.58						27.90			134.48
Sherrodsville	45.00					15.00	42.00			150.00
Totals	\$12,060.28	\$334.91	\$640.95	\$1,561.52	\$561.27	\$32,740.95	\$8,991.75	\$1,090.44	\$1,707.67	\$155,925.14



Item XII. Table of Information Showing Sources of Benevolence

Charge	Sunday School	Y. M. W. B.	W. M. S.	Wesleyan Youth	Other Sources	Totals
Akron, First	\$276.99	\$726.33	\$1,176.43	\$260.66	\$1,457.51	\$3,897.92
Akron, Grace	716.08	55.32	296.95	117.00	550.00	1,735.35
Akron, Kenmore	159.31	10.50	114.75	7.00	.....	291.56
Akron, Maple Valley	1,290.28	110.00	435.95	35.05	918.27	2,789.55
Akron, McLeister Memorial	392.36	102.09	1,948.71	391.19	1,498.18	4,332.53
Alliance	219.16	45.13	487.43	.....	461.07	1,042.79
Allida Smith Memorial	8.00	99.88	445.96	.....	1,006.91	1,560.75
Annandale	166.29	11.00	294.18	225.18	619.01	1,314.66
Apollo	117.35	.....	176.00	.....	.....	293.30
Ashtabula	342.94	126.77	79.70	.....	292.84	842.25
Ashville	91.25	25.00	143.30	136.55	382.00	778.10
Barberton	1,576.58	1,147.33	2,644.41	50.00	46.10	5,464.42
Barkley	141.00	106.00	143.42	28.10	137.90	556.42
Bethany	265.07	42.68	210.93	37.52	1,024.71	1,580.91
Bethel	433.20	32.80	278.51	.....	160.91	905.42
Blue Eye	57.71	14.56	22.28	27.37	14.84	136.76
Bluefield	.....	.....	52.69	.....	86.00	138.69
Brown Hill	94.12	15.11	141.31	.....	606.86	857.80
Brownsville	37.10	40.00	1,333.12	157.29	1,073.98	2,641.49
Cabin Run	255.73	46.00	48.00	.....	10.00	359.73
Canal	240.70	52.00	2,691.74	87.50	1,060.39	4,132.33
Canton, First	2,460.49	1,746.35	1,893.46	1,527.70	200.00	7,828.00
Canton, Second	1,564.22	143.00	1,186.50	687.01	.....	3,580.73
Carrollton	20.25	.....	707.55	111.07	856.73	1,695.60
Cecil Charge	.....	.....	.....	.....	154.50	154.50
Cleveland, First	477.94	31.33	494.78	337.81	1,488.29	2,830.15
Cooperstown	151.74	36.00	926.16	10.00	605.51	1,729.41
Cottage Hill	505.43	50.11	311.75	91.53	.....	958.82
Dixonville	271.21	353.84	1,191.43	304.67	1,138.73	3,259.88
East Clarksburg	106.04	.....	583.14	.....	105.90	595.08
East Conneaut	108.75	158.75	363.31	32.00	649.80	1,312.61
English	156.44	16.24	181.26	58.82	1,258.76	1,671.52
Erie	257.73	263.11	2,698.16	79.96	1,703.64	5,002.60
Falconer	306.58	88.88	1,135.65	213.17	1,411.24	3,155.52
Franklin	127.93	74.31	462.56	108.75	796.09	1,569.64
Greenville	10.50	269.40	534.86	60.21	1,037.89	1,912.86
Greenfield	153.97	65.00	182.10	25.00	796.25	1,222.32
Greenwood-North Salem	186.98	561.50	742.20	.....	2,392.42	3,883.10
Hadley	66.84	41.00	86.55	32.75	175.38	402.52
Hampe Memorial	946.82	35.00	482.33	134.00	.....	1,598.15
Harbor	58.25	1.75	43.28	.....	363.03	466.31
Hartville	72.65	.....	25.00	.....	.....	97.65
Hillsdale	661.82	135.79	561.57	110.75	628.08	2,098.01
Hillville	48.54	.....	43.25	.....	128.70	220.49
Hooversville	73.86	17.00	97.40	.....	100.12	288.38

Indiana	741.69	1,743.19	2,811.90	335.70	1,268.93	6,901.41
Isabella	150.90	51.04	299.46	60.71	537.81	1,099.92
Johnstown	123.69	66.21	181.52	27.00	486.19	884.61
Keepville	168.02	38.14	174.45	5.00	.....	385.61
Loyal Oak	316.30	45.60	71.22	10.00	.....	443.12
Luciusboro	10.00	50.78	118.21	.....	98.05	277.04
Massillon	356.81	310.20	5,130.82	249.50	2,801.98	8,849.31
Meadville	224.07	200.67	871.01	52.00	862.89	2,210.64
Mechanicsburg	11.30	114.83	329.50	.....	937.07	1,392.70
Mentcle	94.13	116.17	518.28	30.00	722.84	1,481.42
Merrifield Memorial	37.85	.....	.....	.....	176.62	214.47
Middlefield	126.90	28.00	311.06	68.50	385.00	919.46
Mount Calvary	30.75	71.84	386.02	10.00	717.51	1,216.12
New Castle	282.81	970.40	1,255.25	470.63	458.59	3,437.68
Niles	177.83	22.10	586.39	.....	519.05	1,305.37
North Springfield	128.68	.....	73.50	75.00	266.42	543.60
Nu Mine	600.08	123.52	172.20	35.00	.....	930.80
Oak Grove	120.74	.....	622.92	183.40	832.98	1,760.04
Oil City	38.00	57.05	215.92	18.00	112.10	441.07
Olive Hill	.....	.....	.....	.....	128.05	128.05
Penn Run	305.59	56.06	637.36	.....	636.92	1,635.93
Pine Grove	103.09	37.36	262.50	29.78	604.25	1,036.98
Pittsburgh, First	329.88	154.83	589.17	248.61	686.55	1,929.04
Pittsfield	17.70	55.88	383.10	114.68	839.51	1,410.87
Pleasant View	24.70	45.00	105.75	10.00	630.62	816.07
Princeton	.....	.....	.....	.....	32.00	32.00
Punxsutawney	91.58	.....	139.20	.....	109.80	365.58
Riverview	367.23	29.00	62.00	30.00	.....	488.23
Robertsville	569.38	50.00	307.65	.....	.....	927.03
Rochester	230.58	260.00	621.50	65.00	556.95	1,734.03
Rock Run	491.98	.....	482.63	.....	252.00	1,226.61
Sagamore	74.13	29.15	174.50	30.65	282.18	590.61
Sandy Lake-Zion	369.33	177.72	799.66	.....	976.78	2,323.49
Sarver	156.94	107.61	2,222.82	68.15	1,097.30	3,652.82
Smithport	458.27	35.08	233.97	25.00	.....	752.32
Soldier	218.83	40.98	162.80	.....	198.50	621.11
Spruce Grove	8.20	.....	218.43	.....	132.58	359.21
Stewart Run	42.89	13.83	56.76	.....	60.81	174.29
Tarentum	10.00	9.05	220.30	60.00	1,104.27	1,403.62
Tazewell	12.00	.....	.....	.....	126.60	138.60
Templeton, Colored	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Templeton, Zion	6.45	95.00	361.18	15.00	913.96	1,391.59
Titusville	19.50	395.10	2,278.70	564.22	2,836.48	6,034.00
Vanport	63.83	13.82	85.00	.....	86.17	251.62
Warren	98.70	.....	341.32	.....	168.47	608.49
West Fairfield	62.35	18.40	84.45	.....	109.05	274.25
West Hill	.....	.....	.....	.....	84.00	84.50
West Middlesex	84.68	94.05	522.87	192.96	580.40	1,474.96
White Memorial	298.36	324.25	1,315.90	36.00	1,221.86	3,196.37
Wilgus	120.40	123.46	702.25	.....	265.68	1,211.79
Wolf Summit	641.22	5.00	346.80	.....	.....	993.02
Pioneer Churches:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sherrodsville	135.00	.....	.....	.....	15.00	150.00
Butler	204.57	.....	.....	.....	.....	204.57
Ebenezer	7.00	.....	.....	.....	20.67	27.67
Hubbard	37.25	.....	34.77	.....	18.00	90.02
Jamestown	51.00	.....	.....	50.00	47.22	148.22
Salem	51.18	83.30	.....	.....	.....	134.48
Totals	\$25,010.54	\$13,360.53	\$55,642.99	\$8,663.10	\$53,405.20	\$155,925.52

EVANGELISTS' REPORT				
General Evangelists	Offerings	Gifts	Traveling	Net Receipts
Howard L. Speas .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Herbert Robertson, Sr. ....	\$3,137.00	\$108.80	\$125.00	\$3,120.80
David Stonebraker .....	1,330.16	141.85	664.44	807.57
D. P. and Marjorie Jones .....	3,248.22	233.65	456.00	3,025.87
G. K. Donaldson .....	15.00	.....	.....	15.00
Silas West .....	2,025.00	25.00	1,277.45	772.55
C. L. Chess .....	1,382.00	10.00	.....	1,392.00
J. W. Hersman .....	351.50	.....	.....	351.50
Henry Lelear .....	3,571.50	82.50	431.00	3,223.00
Conference Evangelists	.....	.....	.....	.....
E. W. Brooks .....	5.00	.....	3.00	2.00
Joseph Stephens .....	795.00	10.00	.....	805.00
Kenneth Hartley .....	623.00	10.00	172.90	460.10
Ruth Giles .....	1,699.00	250.00	517.53	1,431.47
Donald Chess .....	1,595.35	192.00	180.00	1,607.35
Priscilla and Phyllis Kuhn .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals .....	\$20,082.23	\$1,063.80	\$3,827.32	\$17,318.71

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<b>Titusville District</b> —Mrs. Elizabeth Pugh, Ashville, New York
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Names	Sessions Present	Names	Sessions Present
Neva Golden .....	8	Donna Lee Alter .....	8
Lois Ewing .....	8	Eleanor Gourley .....	8
Eunice Comadoll .....	8	Ruth Campbell .....	8
Muriel Terpe .....	8	Beverly Campbell .....	6
Elsie Rosensteel .....	8	Ruby Dunn .....	7
Ivah Van Wormer .....	8	Estella Van Auker .....	7
Louise Robertson .....	2	Ruth Hoein .....	2
Helen Kuhn .....	8	Elizabeth Pugh .....	0
Elsie Alexander .....	0	Oneida Gleason .....	1
Mabel McClure .....	0	Bernice Davis .....	0
Erla Hoobler .....	8	Estella Coon .....	6
Ethel Kopp .....	8	Mae Burchfield .....	1
Beatrice Lelear .....	5	Helen Waite .....	4
Faye Casey .....	7	Lillian Merrifield .....	2
Marie Baker .....	6	Madalyn Starkey .....	0
Audrey Cornell .....	5	Elda Bence .....	2
Edith Sweesy .....	1	Inez Gundy .....	8
Lucille Rentz .....	1	Anna Finnicum .....	6
Mary Rose St. Clair .....	4	Dorothy Larson .....	1
Pauline Swinehart .....	4	Bertha Himes .....	1

## LIST OF SOCIETIES, PRESIDENTS AND DELEGATES

Society	President	Sessions Present	Delegate	Sessions Present
Akron, First .....	Alice Mansell	0	Elsie Stalnaker	4
Grace, Wesleyan .....	Estelle Adams	4	Frances Hibbs	6
Kenmore .....	Dorothy Beers	0	Lenora Wrestler	4
Maple Valley .....	Dorothy Staats	6	Ethel Ray	8
McLeister Mem. ....	Erma Blair	8	Jessie Hales	8
Alliance .....	Roberta Muir	6	Mary Shutler	6
Allida Smith .....	Emma Armstrong	6	Esther Wade	6
Annandale .....	Dorothea Pfautz	5	Mae Martin	8
Apollo .....	Barbara Sayers	0	Betty West	1
Ashtabula .....	Mary Colby	6	Dorothy Colby	6
Ashville .....	Florence Butts	8		
Barberton .....	Vera Minick	8	Dorothy Wotring	8
Barkley .....	Alma Rhine	6	Cora Campbell	6
Bethany .....	Flora Preister	0	Kathleen Centorcelli	2
Bethel .....	Ethel Wilson	8	Snowy Moore	8
Blue Eye .....	Avis Woodard	0		
Bluefield .....	Melster Stiltner	8	Edith Cyphers	8
Brown Hill .....	Virginia McIntire	4	Annabelle Chase	2
Browsville .....	Ruth Hickey	8	Mary Koon	8
Cabin Run .....	Mae Reeves	8	Helen Betz	6
Canal .....	Donna Shrenckengost	8	Vera Deets	8
Canton, First .....	Alma Roberts	6	Inez Gundy	8
Canton, Second .....	Helen Polley	0	Louise Spangler	8
Carrollton .....	Anna Finnicum	6	Myra Lupton	6
Cleveland .....	Irene Yount	0	Jessie Gosch	2
Cooperstown .....	Janet Boston	1	Iva Deeter	1
Cottage Hill .....	Alberta Evans	0	Mabel Hetrick	1
Dixonville .....	Majorie Edwards	8	Ida Burnheimer	8
East Clarksburg .....	Lilly Merrifield	2		
East Conneaut .....	Thelma Atkins	0	Eleatha Butts	8
English .....	Ethel Shortt	8	Blanche Marshall	8
Erie .....	Helen Waite	4	Irene McGaha	6
Falconer .....	Luella Adams	0	Ethel Pearson	8
Franklin .....	Bertha Satterfield	0	Sara Conrath	6
Greenfield .....	Katherine Lincoln	2		
Greenville .....	Elma Patterson	8	Shirley Alexander	8
Greenwood .....	Winifred Williams	6	Laura Hennigan	8
Hadley .....	Evata McKean	4	Elnora Peters	6
Hampe Memorial .....	Esther Butler	8	Dorothy Cockerham	8
Harbor .....	Myrtle Crosby	1	Mae Reynolds	6
Hillsdale .....	Vae Cessna	0	Alline Rank	6
Hillville .....	Dorothy Horner	0		
Hooversville .....	Janet Holley	8	Ada Shroyer	4
Hubbard .....	Dorothy Harriff	8		
Indiana .....	Marie Stonebraker	6	Cora Brown	8
Isabella .....	Ellen Benninger	6	Lillian Shaw	8
Johnstown .....	Nettie Pollock	5	Ruth Stonebraker	4
Keepville .....	Gladys Whippo	0	Arlene Yarnell	8
Lakeview .....	Ardella Halman	0		
Loyal Oak .....	Marthella Elsey	0	Berneda Arnott	8
Luciusboro .....	Evangeline Hannold	8	Maxine Smith	8
Massillon .....	Mary Huntsman	8	Wanda Knight	8

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

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Meadville .....	Ruby Gurnee	0	Iva Peterson	8
Mentcle .....	Catharine Carlson	8	Elizabeth Snyder	8
Middlefield .....	Lillian McHugh	6	Grace White	8
Mount Calvary .....	Margaret Huddleston	6	Naomi Walter	8
New Castle .....	Lillian Markell	8	Mary Marks	8
Niles .....	Winifred Trimble	8	Oneida Nelson	8
North Salem .....	Kathryn Chess	8	Eleanor Osborn	8
N. Springfield .....	Helen Pratt	0	Alice Siders	6
Nu Mine .....	Mary Craft	6	Margaret Wade	8
Oak Grove .....	Mabel McClure	0	Beulah Pears	8
Oil City .....	Neva Golden	8	Ruth Reed	8
Olive Hill .....	Ethel Croston	0		
Penn Run .....	Elvie Putt	7	Mary Zack	8
Pine Grove .....	Olive West	3	Louise Duck	2
Pittsburg .....	Beatrice Tyson	8	Margaret Manners	8
Pittsfield .....	Mary Rose St. Clair	4	Josephine Durlin	8
Pleasant Hill .....	Eva Cain	8	Fay Halstead	8
Pleasant View .....	Marie Swenk	6	Hannah Shepherd	8
Pritchard & Mt. View ..	Mildren Mayle	0		
Punxsutawney .....	Miriam Reid	8	Wilma Jean Manner-	
			burg	8
Riverview .....	Marybelle Dye	2	Nellie Lee Radcliff	2
Robertsville .....	Florence Irwin	4	Elizabeth Myers	8
Rochester .....	Faye Casey	6		
Rock Run .....	Beatrice Hicks	0	Deloris Spencer	8
Sagamore .....	Elizabeth Hogg	1	Naomi Gaul	6
Sandy Lake .....	Cora Jones	8	Lyda Walker	6
Sarver .....	Ruth Leyshon	6	Frances Edwards	6
Shippingport .....	Gladys Nash	0		
Smithport .....	Ruby Stonebraker	0	Susie Bartlebaugh	7
Soldier .....	Gladys Kopp	8		
Spruce Grove .....	Mary Weiserman	8	Annie Detwiler	8
Stewart Run .....	Viola Handy	0	Patsy Gordon	8
Tarentum .....	Thelma Brannon	0	Edna Bouch	8
Templeton .....	Hazel Brannon	0	Ethel Preteroti	8
Titusville .....	Nellie Elsey	8	Marie Langdon	8
Vanport .....	Viva Shane	0	Katharine Hamilton	2
Warren .....	Viola O'neil	8	Edith Owens	4
West Middlesex .....	Edith Sweesy	1		
White Memorial .....	Almira Taylor	0	Eva Brabant	8
Wilgus .....	Louise Conner	0	Geraldine Tyger	7
Wolf Summit .....	Sylvia Freeman	0	Marietta Owens	4
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 Greenville—Mrs. Elma Patterson, R. D. 1, Greenville, Penna.  
 Greenwood—Mrs. Winifred Williams, R. D. 1, Atlantic, Penna.  
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 Hillville—Mrs. Dorothy Horner, R. D. 1, West Monterey, Penna.  
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Pine Grove—Mrs. Olive West, Arcadia, Penna.  
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Robertsville—Florence Irwin, Box 241, R. D. 2, East Canton, Ohio.  
Rochester—Mrs. Lois Schmul, 383 Ohio Ave., Rochester, Penna.  
Rock Run—Mrs. Beatrice Hicks, 303 Columbia Street, West Union, W. Va.  
Sagamore—Mrs. Elizabeth Hogg, Box 34, Sagamore, Penna.  
Sandy Lake—Mrs. Cora Jones, R. D., Jackson Center, Penna.  
Sarver—Mrs. Ruth Leyshon, Sarver, Penna.  
Shippingport—Mrs. Margery Houser, R. D. 1, Aliquippa, Penna.  
Smithport—Mrs. Perle Smith, R. D. 1, Glenn Campbell, Penna.  
Soldier—Mrs. Gladys Kopp, R. D. 2, Reynoldsville, Penna.  
Spruce Grove—Annie Detwiler, R. D. 1, Penn Run, Penna.  
Stewart Run—Mrs. Viola Handy, R. D. 1, Pleasantville, Pa.  
Tarentum—Edna Bouch, 726 Anchor St., Brackenridge, Penna.  
Templeton, Zion—Mrs. Ethel Preteroti, Box 115, R. D. 1, Templeton, Pa.  
Titusville—Mrs. Nellie Elsey, 416 E. Main St., Titusville, Penna.  
Vanport—Mrs. Mary Baker, 445 State St., Vanport, Penna.  
Warren—Mrs. Viola O'Neill, R. D. 1, Leavittsburg, Ohio.  
West Fairfield—Mrs. Elsie Stallsmith, Box 66, Sheakleyville, Penna.  
West Hill—Mrs. Retha Maley, Shinnston, W. Va.  
West Middlesex—Mrs. Helen Dentler, 305 Main St., West Middlesex, Pa.  
White Memorial—Mrs. Almira Taylor, 170 E. Wilson St., Struthers, Ohio.  
Wilgus—Mrs. Geraldine Tyger, R. D. 1, Glen Campbell, Penna.  
Wolf Summit—Mrs. Marietta Owens, Wolf Summit, W. Va.  
Zion—Miss Clara Campbell, 329 Bessemer Ave., Grove City, Penna.

# Journal of Daily Proceedings

## Tuesday Morning

On June 5, 1956 the fiftieth annual session of the Allegheny Woman's Missionary Society convened on Stoneboro Campgrounds. The Devotions for the opening session were held in conjunction with the Main conference body. When convened in the Missionary Tabernacle the president, Ivah Van Wormer, declared the assembly to be in session. Erma Blair led in singing "Welcome, welcome, Holy Ghost we welcome Thee." The president read Deut. 10: 12, 13 then led in prayer.

**Roll Call**—Society presidents called. 37 present.

**Report of Executive Committee**—The Executive Committee submitted nominations for the temporary committees. Temporary committees elected. (See Report No. 1)

**Credentials**—The Committee on Credentials read the delegates names with the delegates responding at this reading. 59 delegates present.

**Conference Society Members**—Opportunity was given to join the conference society. 13 responded.

**Bar of Conference**—The first eight seats in the left and center tiers.

**Time of Meeting**—Motion passed to have Morning devotions in this Body at eight o'clock. The afternoon session to open at 1:30, omitting roll call. Those not present in the morning session to notify the secretary if present in the afternoon session. Likewise those not present in the afternoon to notify the secretary.

**Orders of the Day**—The public service to be on Friday Evening. Y.M.W.B. service to be Saturday afternoon. The assembly to adjourn to hear the conference, the Denominational, and the Educational addresses. Election of officers Wednesday morning. "Wesleyan Missionary" tag day to be on Thursday. Golden Jubilee service to be held on Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Memorial service for Bernice Davis to follow.

**President's Report**—The vice president called to the chair. The president submitted an interesting and encouraging report. Accepted with an expression of appreciation. (See Report No. 2)

**Bulletin Board**—Attention was called to the new bulletin board. Appreciation expressed to Brother Chess, Brother Golden, and Brother Betz.

**Jubilee Posters**—Attractive Posters designed by Edwin Wallace presenting the Jubilee Goals were distributed to the societies.

**Communications**—Letters were read from the Cessnas, the Saunders, the Ortlips and Sister Plants. Several responded to answer. Sister Annie Hampe will also receive communications from this body.

**Book Marks**—Golden Jubilee Book Marks made by Paul Woolweaver were distributed. These were also used in this conference as badges celebrating our fiftieth year.

Adjourned by Motion. Prayer by Ethel Pearson.

## Tuesday Afternoon

**Opening**—Lois Schmul led in singing choruses. A heart searching message from Isa. 58 was given by Erma Blair. Prayer by Lillian Markell. Minutes read and corrected.

**Report**—Prayer Partner Secretary submitted her report. Report accepted. (See Report No. 7)

**Societies Reported**—Grace Wesleyan, Hampe Mem., McLeister Mem., Ashville, Barkley, Bethel, Bluefield, Brownsville, Oil City, Cabin Run, Canal, Canton First, Canton Second, Dixonville, East Conneaut, English, Falconer, Franklin, Greenville, Sagamore.

**Report: Y.M.W.B. Supt.**—Mary Huntsman submitted her report, providing memographed copies. Report referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 9)

**Report**—Corresponding Secretary, Helen Kuhn reported for the Literature Fund. (See Report No. 6) Report referred to the Auditing Committee.

Adjournment prayer by Oneida Gleason.

### Wednesday Morning

**Devotions**—The appointed song leader, Marjorie Edwards, led in singing with Fay Halstead at the piano. Appropriate Scripture for the election of conference officials found in Acts 1-7 was given by our president, emphasizing the main requirements—being filled with the Holy Ghost. Prayer by Marie Langdon and Ruth Chess.

Minutes read and approved. Roll Call: Presidents—45, Delegates—59, conference society members—14.

**Orders of the Day**—Election of the Conference Officials.

Motion passed to proceed with routine business while voting.

Appointed tellers: First Team—Mary Huntsman, Ethel Ray, Sara Conrath, Margaret Manners, Elvie Putt.

Second Team—Cora Jones, Winifred Trimble, Myra Lupton, Janet Holley, Francis Edwards.

Election Results as follows:

President—Ivah Van Wormer, 120 of 123 ballots

Vice President—Erma Blair, 105 of 116 ballots

Recording Secretary—Eunice Comadoll, 124 of 127 ballots

Prayer Partner Secretary—Mary Huntsman, 117 of 124 ballots

Reading Course Secretary—Muriel Terpe, 120 of 121 ballots

**Report**—Reading Course Secretary, Muriel Terpe, gave an excellent report. Report accepted. (See Report No. 8)

**Societies Reported**—Robertsville, Meadville, Greenwood, Hadley, Indiana, Isabella, Johnstown, Keepville, Loyal Oak, Massillon, Mentcle, Middlefield, Mt. Calvary, North Salem, New Castle, Niles, Oak Grove, Nu Mine, Spruce Grove, Rochester.

**Report**—Magazine Solicitor, Evangeline Hannold, submitted a splendid report. Report accepted. (See Report No. 5)

Adjourned by Chair. Prayer by Ruth Leyshon.

### Wednesday Afternoon

**Opening**—Following the Educational Address in the main conference Body, the afternoon session convened. Marjorie Edwards led in singing, "There's Nothing too Hard for Thee". Prayer was offered by Erma Blair.

**Courtesies**—The Courtesy Committee introduced Dr. Nicholson, Dr. Paine, and Rev. Tysinger. Each of these brought words of greeting.

Muriel Terpe sang a solo, "The Saviour Can Solve Every Problem."

**Child Evangelism**—Orders of the Day called for the presentation of Child Evangelism. Ruth Giles, Child Evangelism Secretary, introduced Beatrice Lelear. Sister Lelear opened her work-shop by reading Mark 10: 13. After passing mimeographed workshop sheets she presented her attractive display of songs, Bible Lessons, Flannelgraph, Flash Card Stories, Memory work, Object Lessons and general ideas.

**Report**—The Auditing Committee read the following report: "We the Auditing Committee have examined the books of the W.M.S. treasurer, the Y.M.W.B. Supt., and the Corresponding Secretary and have found

them to be correct and in good condition.

Adjourned by motion. Prayer by Audrey Cornell.

### Thursday Morning

**Devotions**—Myra Lupton led in singing a medley of choruses. Devotional message by Ruth Chess. Sister Chess read the one hundredth Psalm, admonishing us to be joyful in the Lord. Josephine Durlin and Helen Waite led in a good season of prayer.

Minutes read and approved. Roll Call: 53 presidents, 70 delegates, 17 conference society members.

Motion prevailed for the continuation of the election of officials to be postponed until Friday morning following the treasurer's report.

**Report**—The Committee on Resolutions read their report. Report accepted. (See Report No. 4)

**Report**—The Reading Course Secretary, Muriel Terpe, gave an additional report.

**Societies Reported**—Penn Run, Warren, Pine Grove, West Fairfield, Erie, Wilgus, Sarver.

**Courtesies**—Rev. and Mrs. Markell who have been doing Missionary work in the Kentucky Mts. were introduced. They spoke briefly of their work.

Adjourned by Limitation of time.

### Thursday Afternoon

**Opening**—Singing directed by Myra Lupton. Brother Robbie led the assembly in singing some new choruses. Lois Ewing and Lillie Merrifield led in prayer.

**Courtesies**—Ruth Stearns, elected worker to Brainerd was introduced. Miss Stearns testified briefly of her experience and call.

**Report**—The Committee on Program and Work read their report. Report accepted. (See Report No. 3)

**Courtesies**—Rev. and Mrs. Ferdinand Witthuhn were presented. They brought greetings from Haiti. Rev. Miss Gracia Fero was introduced and spoke briefly.

A letter of appreciation for the memorial Offering for Bernice Davis was read by the president.

**Study Book**—A very interesting review of the study book, "The Unchanging Commission", was given by Dorothea Pfautz.

**Societies Reported**—Smithport, Apollo, Vanport, Ashtabula, Blue Eye, Pittsfield, Templeton, Pittsburgh, Luciusboro, Pleasant Hill, Shippingport, Pleasant View, Riverview, Rock Run, North Springfield, White Mem., Alliance, Hooversville, Allida Smith.

Adjourned by limitation of time.

### Friday Morning

**Devotions**—The W.M.S. conducted devotions with the main conference body. Erma Blair presided, leading the singing. Rev. Markel read Eph. 4: 1-7 emphasizing the need of the unity of the Spirit. Prayer by Catharine Carlson. The W.M.S. delegation remained in the large tabernacle to hear the Denominational Address. The morning session came to order by singing choruses directed by Margaret Wade. Prayer by Mary Zack.

Minutes read and approved. Roll Call: 47 presidents, 70 delegates 21 conference society members.

**Report**—The Statistical Committee gave the report on statistics. Report accepted with a hearty vote of thanks.

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

**Societies Reported**—Hillsdale, Stewart Run, Akron First, Kenmore, Carrollton, Cleveland, Cottage Hill, Brown Hill, West Middlesex.  
Adjournment prayer by Arlene Yarnell.

## Friday Afternoon

**Opening**—Margaret Wade led in the singing. Prayer by Willard Dunn. The conference Educational Secretary, Willard Dunn, was given time to present the Salem Bible College.

**Golden Jubilee Service**—Orders of the Day called for the Golden Jubilee service. Lillian Markell was the appointed song leader. Prayer by Erma Blair. Solo rendered by Myra Lupton. The Secretary gave some items of interest gleaned from the Minutes. A comparison of statistics was given by the statistician. Emma Armstrong read a report of the 1907 conference. A poem entitled "Fifty Years Of Memories" was read by Verna Vogan. Poem on the Goals was read by Muriel Terpe. The following, Rachel Dreyer, Verna Vogan, Oneida Gleason, Sister Williamson, Myrtle Crosby, and Lillie Merrifield, who were the older members of the society present, were honored by receiving a yellow rose presented by the president.

**In Memoriam**—The memorial service for Bernice Davis, a former Y.M.W.B. Supt., opened with a duet by Erma Blair and Eunice Comadoll. The following spoke of different phases of her life: Catherine Carlson, Frances Hibbs, T. O. McCracken, and Gracia Fero. This service closed by presenting a white rose to Sister Gleason and taking the offering for the Bernice Davis memorial.

A motion prevailed to telegraph greetings to Sister Fero, Sister Hampe, and Clara McLeister, conveying some of the Golden Jubilee service to them.

A motion prevailed that we petition the publication committee requesting that the July issue of the Messenger be made the "Golden Jubilee" Number.

**Societies Reported**—Greenfield, Sandy Lake, Titusville, Tarentum, Cooperstown, Annandale, Wolf Summit, Zion, Punxsutawney, Bethany.

**Appraisal of Posters**—The first place was given to the poster on "Giving" by Burl Otto from the Barberton church. Second place: "Gathering Sheaves", by Howard Dunkerly, New Castle. Third Place: "Gathering Sheaves" from the Indiana Church. Honorable Mention was given to "Sacrificial" by Donna Scherkengost, Canal.

**Report**—The Magazine Chairman submitted the following report of the Conference Magazine campaign: Renewals: 39; New Subscriptions, 7; Wesleyan Methodists, 3; Wesleyan Youth, 1; Making a total of 50 subscriptions.—Evangeline Hannold.

**District Solicitors**—The chair announced a recess to assemble in districts to elect the district magazine solicitors. Election as follows:

**Akron District**—Mrs. Betty Jones, 1474 Southeast Ave., Tallmadge, O.  
**New Castle District**—Mrs. Elma Patterson, Route 1, Box 4, Greenville, Pa.

**Indiana District**—Mrs. Marie Swenk, Route 1, Barnesboro, Pa.

**Titusville District**—Mrs. Virginia McIntire, Route 1, Youngsville, Pa.

**West Va. District**—Mrs. Arlena Cummins, Wolf Summit, W. Va.  
(Northern District)

Minutes read and approved. Adjourned Sine Die.

Mrs. Ivah Van Wormer, president  
Mrs. Eunice Comadoll, secretary

# Public Missionary Service

The public Missionary service was held in the large tabernacle. Mrs. Ivah Van Wormer presided with Rev. Jos. Markey in charge of the singing. Rev. Clyde Blair led the congregation in prayer. A vocal solo, "Give Me a Passion for Souls," was sung by Miss Ruth Stearns. A vocal duet "The Yielded Life" was sung by Erma Blair and Eunice Comadoll.

The engaged speakers for this service were Rev. and Mrs. Witthuhn from Haiti. Rev. Witthuhn spoke first reading from Psa. 107. He gave several instances of deliverance from demon possession. Mrs. Withuhn spoke of answered prayer. She reminded us that we are co-workers in prayer. She said "God has given us over 700 souls this year." "And God has given over 40 souls at the new work at La Gonave this year."

Dr. Nicholson made the appeal for the annual offering. The amount of \$28,670.00 was raised in this service in cash and pledges.

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## TREASURER'S REPORT OF CASH AND PLEDGES RECEIVED AT CONFERENCE 1956

	Cash Pledges and Offerings	Unpaid Pledges	Total
<b>HOME MISSIONS:</b>			
General	\$40.00	\$4,705.00	\$4,745.00
Brainerd, General	5.00	25.00	30.00
Offering for Markels	82.42		82.42
<b>JEWISH</b>		100.00	100.00
<b>FOREIGN MISSIONS:</b>			
General	90.00	6,750.00	6,840.00
Africa, Saunders' Support		50.00	50.00
Haiti, General	2.00	145.00	147.00
Haiti Bible School (Davis Mem.)	307.25	383.00	690.25
Haiti, Ortlips' Support		25.00	25.00
Haiti, Offering for Wittuhns	64.11		64.11
Japan, General		25.00	25.00
Japan, Opal Cessna's Support		600.00	600.00
<b>MISSIONS, UNSPECIFIED SOURCE</b>		11,575.00	11,575.00
<b>MISCELLANEOUS SOURCES:</b>			
Children's Tabernacle	109.08	215.00	324.08
Jubilee Book Marks	87.38		87.38
Space in Conference Messenger	18.77		18.77
Conference Members Dues	20.50		20.50
<b>LOOSE OFFERING</b>	176.28		176.28
<b>TOTAL FOR W.M.S.</b>	\$1,002.79	\$24,598.00	\$25,600.79
<b>TOTAL FOR Y.M.W.B.</b>	5.00	2,675.00	2,680.00
<b>TOTAL FOR W.Y.S.</b>		390.00	390.00
<b>Grand Total for All Societies</b>	<b>\$1,007.79</b>	<b>\$27,663.00</b>	<b>\$28,670.79</b>

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## Report No. 1

### TEMPORARY COMMITTEES

**Credentials**—Louise Duck, Ruth Hickey

**Courtesy**—Catharine Carlson, Emma Armstrong.

**Program and Plan of Work**—Elsie Stallsmith, Martha Stoops, Margaret Wade, Esther Wade, Melster Stiltner.

**Resolutions**—Mary Huntsman, Louise Spangler, Bertha Himes, Dorothy Beers, Margaret Huddleston.

**Statistics**—Neva Golden to be chairman for the coming year, Ruth Reed, Ellen Benninger, Elma Patterson, Audrey Cornell.

**Auditing**—Thankful Clawson, Edith Sweesy.

**Magazine Solicitors**—Evangeline Hannold to be chairman for the coming year. Wilma Jean Mannerburg, Shirley Alexander, Berneda Arnott, Wanda Knight, Beulah Pears, Fay Halstead, Frances Hibbs, Dorothy Colby, Jessie Gosch, Miriam Reid, Virginia McIntire.

**Posters**—Dorothy Wotring, Myra Lupton, Helen Betz, Lyda Walker, Janet Holley.

## Report No. 2

## THE W. M. S. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the 50th Annual Session of the Allegheny Conference Woman's Missionary Society, greetings in Jesus' Precious Name!

This is an especially important session as it marks the 50th year of the existence of our Woman's Missionary Society. Such an occasion always calls for a two-fold consideration of our work to promote the advancement of missions. First, we want to know what has been the extent of our growth during these years of effort; and, second, we want to estimate the possibilities of achievement for our Lord in the future and at least set forth a goal toward which we may strive and which we hope not only to attain but to double or triple in the near future if Jesus tarries.

First, we will retrospect and compare our first year of existence with our 50th year report:

Membership:

	1906	1907	1955	1956	Gain
Active	15	16	1684	1775	91
Honorary	7	2	689	734	45
No. of Societies		11	95	96	1
Subscriptions			1575	1638	63
Receipts	\$525.68	\$67659.46	\$70309.29	\$2649.83	

Truly these gains have been made only by much prayer, faith and effort upon the part of the officials and W.M.S. members from the conference down to the local societies, none of whom may see their rewards here in this life.

Nevertheless, the love of Christ constrains us to push the battle for souls in this critical and fast closing time of seed sowing. May we as earnestly and wholeheartedly put our shoulders to the wheel and sacrifice and labor at this eleventh hour as our precious sisters did when they first caught the vision 50 years ago to do their best to make Christ known to those who had never heard. May we never shirk; may we never get discouraged; may we never lose the value and worth of a soul's salvation by becoming enamored with the paltry, perishing things of this fleeting, selfish life so that we fail our Blessed Master and miss His "Well done . . . thou hast done it unto Me."

As a working goal or definite aim we submit the following Golden Jubilee Goals:

1. 2,500 W.M.S. Members in 1956-1957.
2. A "Wesleyan Missionary" in every W. M. S. and Wesleyan home.
3. More sacrificial giving to Missions.
4. Every W.M.S. member an intercessor.
5. Every W.M.S. member a soul winner.
6. Prevailing prayer in each W.M.S. service.
7. A prayer partner in every society.
8. Gathering sheaves for His coming.

Let us do our best by God's help to go way beyond these goals the coming year for "all things are possible to him that believeth." "Ask largely that your joy may be full."

Next, we wish to give you a resume of the work of this conference year—1955-56. Our Standard of Efficiency rating is 94%.

In carrying on the work of the year we have sent out 6 circular letters and separate cards and letters totaling over 700 pieces. We had Rev. Edwin Wallace make Golden Jubilee Posters to help present and promote



interest in the work for the coming year. Besides, we had Golden Jubilee bookmarks made by Bro. Paul Woolweaver also to increase and extend the work of the W.M.S.

Two weeks after annual conference last June your president and duly elected delegates (in two instances alternates) attended the General Conference W.M.S. Session held at Fairmount, Indiana, June 21-28. Because of the length of time that has transpired since, this session it is difficult to give a fresh interesting report, for the Minutes have been published and the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY has given the inspirational high lights of the services.

Some changes were made in our discipline. A few items in the Standard of Efficiency have been changed. One new rule which shall definitely effect our Conference Quadrennial report is that the 4 late conferences before General Conference can report only their first 3 years of the quadrennium so as to do away with the last minute rush the committee has to go through to add our reports before General Conference.

Only one new society was added this conference year. July 27, Mrs. Ethel Kopp was authorized by the President to organize a W. M. S. at Hubbard, Ohio, with 7 active and 3 honorary members.

Our missionary day at Stonebore Camp, August 23rd, was again owned of God. Rev. and Mrs. Robert Crosby, missionaries from Puerto Rico, brought the morning message for the youth service; Dr. Roy S. Nicholson, General Conference President, gave a stirring appeal in the afternoon and Dr. Robert Benninger, returned missionary from Africa, presented a spirit-filled informative message on Africa in the evening service. Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Newcomb and their son represented the Indian work at one of the afternoon prayer services. Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Landrey from India and Mrs. Robert Benninger from Africa spoke with enthusiasm in the afternoon services. Dr. S. I. McMillen spoke Thursday to the whole camp on the alarming immoral conditions of this day.

Rev. and Mrs. William Cessna who were first elected to go as missionaries to Haiti were finally sent by General Board to Japan where they are studying the language and endeavoring to serve the Lord in their chosen field of service.

The fall missionary tour of the conference was made by Bro. Melvin Welch, returned missionary from Africa, beginning September 25-December 11, except for the two weeks he had to go to the Ohio Conference. This time was filled in by Rev. Price Stark, former missionary to Africa. We greatly appreciated Rev. Stark's kindness in taking 2 weeks from his busy pastoral duties to fill the break in Rev. Welch's schedule.

October 12-28—Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Banker, furloughed missionaries from India, held convention services in the Akron, New Castle, Titusville and Indiana Districts.

Dr. Benninger also gave one Sunday per month to the churches near enough for him to commute in one day.

April 4th at the Ministerial Institute held at Erie, Pa., Mrs. Ruby Reisdorph, General Conference W.M.S. President, spoke to a fine group of women assembled. At this service Miss Ruth Stearns, missionary elect to teach music at Brainerd Indian Training School, was introduced and her list of equipment presented to the Societies.

On the day of this service the earthly form of our dear former Y.M.W.B. Superintendent, Bernice Davis, was laid to rest to await the resurrection morning. Her triumphant home going Easter morn is an encouragement to those of us who remain. A memorial missionary offer-

ing is to be taken at this session as a lasting memorial and appreciation of our self sacrificing sister.

In a special service Friday afternoon of this week we will commemorate the 50th year of the existence of Allegheny Conference W.M.S.

Following this service will be a memorial service for Miss Bernice Davis, former Y.M.W.B. Superintendent.

Rev. and Mrs. Ferdinand Witthuhn, furloughed missionaries from Haiti have been secured to speak at our missionary service Friday P.M., June 8th.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Ortlip are expected home on furlough from Haiti in the near future.

Also, Rev. and Mrs. Saunders and girls are expected home from Africa soon.

Though it has been a very busy and sometimes difficult year, the Lord has definitely answered prayer and helped us time and again when we could see no way through. Not all the accomplishments and victories can be tabulated nor even mentioned by us nor by the local presidents. We are reminded again of the words of the Master "Without me, ye can do nothing." So we recognize what is favorably done the Lord has accomplished; what is bungled or a failure is the work of the human. May His precious Blood cover it all and help us to do better in the future year!

Finally, we wish to thank you every one, for your faithfulness, for your splendid co-operation and your fervent missionary zeal.

God help us each one to be faithful to the very end!

Yours in Christian love,

Mrs. H. C. Van Wormer

### Report No. 3

## COMMITTEE ON PROGRAM AND PLAN OF WORK

### WE RECOMMEND:

1. That the first meeting after conference each local society hold an installation service which includes the outline of the work and consecration to their office.

2. a. That the program and plan of work be read and discussed as soon as the minutes are received.

b. That we urge the president of each society to refer to those as a reminder during the year.

3. a. That each society endeavor to hold a public monthly prayer meeting, praying for the requests found in the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY and stress be placed upon personal evangelism including children, adolescents, the aged, and with special emphasis upon the Jew. That each one feel a personal responsibility to bring at least one soul to Christ during the year.

b. That our District Holiness Convention, where possible observe a missionary service.

4. a. That we urge our societies to carry out the Prayer Partner Plan, and keep in touch with our Home and Foreign Mission fields, thereby bringing first hand knowledge to our societies. Reports to be sent to Conference Prayer Partner Secretary, Mrs. Mary Huntsman, 838 Green Ave. S.W., Massillon, Ohio, by Nov. 1.

b. That a service, early in the conference year, be given to the local Prayer Partner Secretary for enlisting prayer partners and encouraging prayer.

5. a. That each society have an aggressive solicitor for the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY, whose duty it shall be to report all subscriptions to the district solicitor and strive to place the magazine in each home of the church and Sunday School. January to be observed as subscription month.

b. When sending in subscriptions always be sure to identify your church by its number and conference letter, A1, as published in the Conference Minutes.

6. a. That all society officers and delegates to annual conference be members of the Wesleyan Methodist Church. We also recommend that Conference Society members be members of the Wesleyan Church and their local Wesleyan Missionary Society.

b. That each local society have a nominating committee if possible.

c. That since the retiring president is Acting President during the Conference Session, we suggest that the society send her to the Conference and elect the new president as delegate, assuming the expense for transportation.

d. That each society instruct their delegate how much to pledge at the public missionary service. Unless otherwise specified pledges will be divided one third for Home and two thirds for Foreign Missions.

7. a. That each society use the designated study book, also urge the use of the program calendar and other helps. That we encourage our members to follow the Missionary Reading Course as recommended by General Conference. All literature to be obtained from the W.M.S. Literature Dept., Houghton, New York.

b. That each society have a program committee varying once a quarter. We suggest that the president act as chairman of said committee.

8. That each society be urged to respond to the Card Call Plan and thus assist in the extension Program of the Church. All Card Call money to be sent to: "Home Missionary Department, Rev. H. K. Sheets, Sec'y., 124 W. 39th. St., Marion, Indiana, and stubs to be sent to Mrs. Neva Golden with the statistical blank. This not to apply on budget.

9. That we send program suggestions, Sunday School Literature, flannelgraph materials and used Christmas Greetings cards to our Foreign Missions, Mountain Missions, Hephibah Orphanage and Indian Missions. Also bandages for home and foreign, when required. These to be held, until a new address at Marion, Indiana is established. (Note: Bandages should be cut two to four inches wide, sewed twice in a flat seam in ten yard lengths and tightly rolled. Rolls should not exceed 3 inches in diameter. Number of pounds to be reported as Items of Interest on Annual Statistical Blank.)

That the number of boxes of used clothing sent to home missions be reported on the Statistical Blanks under Items of Interest. No monetary value to be placed thereon.

10. That the Red Letter Days as given in the Program Calendar be observed where possible. That Easter and April Self-Denial offerings be used for Home Missions, and Penny-a-meal offerings be used for Foreign Missions.

11. a. That, where possible, each society have a Mercy and Help Committee, whose duty it shall be to visit the sick and needy and give aid where necessary, and send flowers and greeting cards to shut-ins.

b. That we encourage the giving of special remembrance gifts as recommended by General Conference for the promotion of definite missionary work as living tribute to the memory of deceased loved ones, instead of the usual extravagant floral tribute.

12. a. That we put forth a special effort to secure every woman in the church as a member of the society, or bring about a 10% gain in membership.

b. That the month of September be designated as membership month.

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13. That the delegates credentials be sent at least two weeks before Conference to the Conference Wesleyan Missionary Secretary, Mrs. Eunice Comadoll, R. D. 2., Utica, Penna.

14. That Statistical Blanks with all vouchers not sent to the Sub-Treasurer, and statements, both for local church work, and "Other Objects" grouped together be sent with an itemized list attached to receipts, at least two weeks before Conference to the Statistical Chairman, Mrs. Neva Golden, 40 Plummer St., Oil City, Pa.

15. That local missionary treasurers keep a record of all money paid in pledges and report the amount paid on each pledge, at least two weeks before Conference, to the Conference W. M. S. Treasurer, Miss Elda Bence, Marion Center, Pa.

16. That the report of the Reading Course Secretary be sent to Mrs. Muriel Terpe, 20 South 13th. St., Indiana, Pa., Conference Secretary of the Mission Reading Course, at least two weeks before Conference.

#### Financial

17. That forty cents be raised for each active member for Conference entertainment and sent to the Sub-Treasurer before the books close, April 30.

18. That each society be assessed .25 per active member for General Conference Administrative Fund. This is not a budget item.

19. That each society contribute five dollars or more annually for the support of Hepzibah Home, the same to be applied on budget.

20. That each society contribute three dollars or more annually to the Medical Student Fund. This not to apply on budget.

21. That we endeavor to raise one-quarter of the church educational budget. This is to include the L.S.U. pledges.

22. That one dollar dues be paid by all members, active and honorary. That said dues be sent, UNDIVIDED, through the local church treasurer, to the subtreasurer. The subtreasurer shall divide them thus: .25 Foreign Missions and .50 dues. All monies to be sent in at least quarterly.

26. That each society give the delegate an appropriate amount of money for the purchasing of literature for the society and for small offerings taken during conference.

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT THE STATISTICAL BLANK**  
Fill out the ENTIRE REPORT, but beginning with DISBURSEMENTS, Item 12, use a pencil. Follow instruction sheet sent to the local president with statistical blank. Do this as early in May as you can get your books closed and officers elected.

Send all vouchers (or receipts) not sent to your subtreasurer, and also statements, with itemized list attached to receipts, properly signed by your president and treasurer for "local work", to Mrs. Neva Golden, 40 Plummer St., Oil City, Pa. See Item 14 in Program and Plan of Work.

Elsie Stallsmith, Chairman

## Report No. 4

## COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

## BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That, since the theme of our Annual Conference is "True Evangelism," our Woman's Missionary Society adopt this theme for the coming year.
2. That we give ourselves to Bible study, systematic fasting, and intercessory prayer, and that we be "doers of the Word;" going out two by two in home visitation, believing that "Prayer and a holy purpose plus faith in Jesus Christ can accomplish anything."
3. a. That we do not by our indifference neglect our missionary work at home and abroad; and that we be faithful in attending our missionary services.  
b. That we strive to obtain as many of our men as possible as honorary members.
4. That we give ourselves to prayerful study of the "Wesleyan Missionary" and other helpful material, and that we do our best to interest our people in getting the "Wesleyan Missionary" into other homes and institutions.
5. That we adhere to Scriptural methods of raising funds for missions, and out of sacrificial hearts and lives, give heartily as unto the Lord and His holy cause; for the "Lord loveth a cheerful giver."
6. a. That we faithfully hold to the Biblical standards of our Discipline in creating a wholesome atmosphere in our homes.  
b. That we stress the maintenance of a family altar in every home, with the children having a part. That we, as parents, faithfully instruct our children concerning the plan of salvation, urging them to obtain a personal experience, knowing that this will create in them the desire to follow Bible standards.  
c. That we encourage our children to use their own Bibles, and have a regular system of memorizing scripture in the Home. Psalms 119:11.  
d. That we pray faithfully for our children in school, that they may reject any erroneous teachings presented and be careful in choosing their friends and associates.
7. a. That we abstain from all worldly amusements, including the theater, the dance, cards, etc. That we abstain from reading or allowing our children to read comic books and other unwholesome magazines and books, and that we provide wholesome literature for our children.  
b. That since modern mixed bathing is conducive to loose morals, we urge parents not to participate in, nor permit their children to participate in such unwholesome activity.  
c. That we abstain from listening to unwholesome radio programs; buying Sunday newspapers, and other Sabbath desecrations, such as pleasure riding, visiting, buying, etc. Isaiah 58:13, 14.  
d. That we urge our people to refrain from buying television sets, realizing that television in its present operation is an evil influence, and will mean the loss of the soul if one indulges in looking at it.
8. a. That we who are mothers tell our children the true story of life and instruct them in the care of their bodies, in order that they hold these truths sacred and be prepared to withstand the low moral standards of this day.  
b. That we parents be companions to our children, and provide for them wholesome recreation frequently.

c. That we as mothers guard well our children and, as far as possible, know where they are and what they are doing at all times.

d. That mothers carefully select their "baby-sitters" since there is so much immorality prevalent today.

9. a. That we uphold by precept and example modesty of dress, as becometh holiness, by which we mean wearing dresses half-way between the knee and ankle, with long sleeves and modest neckline, which things accompany purity and deep spirituality. I Tim. 2:9, 10. Also that we adhere to Deut. 22:5, "The woman shall not wear that which pertaineth unto a man—for all that do so are an abomination unto the Lord thy God."

b. That we refrain from the wearing of jewelry, which includes brooches and other ornaments. Isa. Chapter 3. Also that we do not wear nude shades of hose, toeless and heelless shoes, or hats which display flowers, veiling, and other superfluous adornments. Furthermore we urge our women to wear hose and dress modestly in the home, that we may be examples of modesty to those who approach our doors.

c. That we do not adhere to the worldly style of cutting or curling the hair, or the long bob. I Cor. 11:15. Also we believe with John Wesley on the Scripture, I Tim. 2:9 that "broided hair" means curled hair.

d. That we also dress our boys and girls modestly. Not permitting our boys to go without shirts, to wear shorts or sheer shirts. And that our girls wear long hose, and not be allowed to wear sheer blouses, shorts, or slacks.

10. That we urge the avoidance of unnecessary debts, and neglecting long-standing bills.

11. a. That, as far as possible, we refrain from patronizing establishments selling intoxicating beverages, and also discourage the use of tobacco in all its forms since we greatly detest the use and effects of both. II Cor. 7:1. Also that we refrain from patronizing establishments open on the Sabbath Day.

b. That we be patriotic by displaying the American Flag in observing national holidays, thereby honoring God who gives us freedom and liberty.

12. That these resolutions be read in each society semi-annually, that all members may be kept informed by the proposed attainments and requirements.

Mary Huntsman, Chairman

### Report No. 5

#### MAGAZINE SOLICITOR'S REPORT

Number of Missionaries taken last year .....	1,614
Number of Missionaries taken this year 1955-1956 ....	1,675
Gain .....	61

#### REPORT OF DESK FUND:

Balance on hand from last year .....	\$ 1.68	
Received from Elda Bence .....	12.00	
Total .....		\$ 13.68
Disbursements:		
Mary Rose St. Clair .....	2.20	
Bertha Himes .....	1.90	
Elma Patterson .....	2.00	

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

Betty Jones .....	2.00	
Imogene Chisler .....	1.00	
Desk Fund .....	3.53	
Total .....		12.63
Balance .....		1.05
Evangeline Hannold, Solicitor		

## Report No. 6

## LITERATURE FUND REPORT

Old balance May 1, 1955 .....	\$ 54.45	
Receipts:		
Literature at Conference .....	281.08	
Literature at Camp .....	50.30	
Total .....		\$ 385.83
Disbursements:		
Miss Boyd .....	112.50	
Miss Boyd .....	100.50	
Miss Boyd .....	50.50	
National Book Room .....	5.50	
Glad Tidings Pub. Co. ....	15.70	
Postage and M. O. ....	.75	
Total .....		285.55
New Balance May 1, 1956 .....		100.28
Total .....		\$ 385.83

## Report No. 7

## PRAYER PARTNER REPORT

	Prayer Partners	Y.M.W.B.
Akron, First .....	28	
Akron, Kenmore .....	17	1
Akron, Maple Valley .....	22	
Allida Smith .....	19	
Bethel .....	9	
Brownsville .....	29	
Canal .....	70	
Cooperstown .....	27	
Cottage Hill .....	16	3
Dixonville .....	25	
English .....	10	
Falconer .....	26	6
Greenfield .....	11	3
Greenville .....	30	
Greenwood .....	22	
Hillsdale .....	27	
Hooversville .....	19	10
Indiana .....	45	
Isabella .....	24	16
Luciusboro .....	20	
Massillon .....	70	
Mentcle .....	23	
Middlefield .....	17	

New Castle .....	41	
North Springfield .....	10	
Nu Mine .....	22	
Oak Grove .....	23	
Pine Grove .....	22	
Pittsburgh .....	23	13
Pittsfield .....	18	
Rochester .....	26	
Sagamore .....	37	13
Sarver .....	39	
Spruce Grove .....	32	
Titusville .....	102	22
Warren .....	17	
West Middlesex .....	26	
White Memorial .....	15	20

Thirty-eight societies reported 1,059 Prayer Partners, and 107 Y.M.  
W.B. Prayer Partners. Allowing that these are duplicated, they prayed  
for 350 Home Missionaries and 1,180 Foreign Missionaries.

Ruth Hoiem, Prayer Partner Secretary

## Report No. 8

## W.M.S. READING COURSE SECRETARY'S REPORT, 1955-1956

Society	Books Read							Total	Study Book
	6	5	4	3	2	1			
Akron, First .....	1	2	1	2	6	2	30	Yes	
Akron, Grace .....	1	1	1	2	3	7	29	Yes	
Akron, Hampe Memorial .....	1	2	3	2	8	5	55	Yes	
Akron, Kenmore .....	2	1	2	2	4	5	39	Yes	
Akron, Maple Valley .....	3	1	1	1	1	1	18	Yes	
Akron, McLeister Memorial .....	2	3	3	2	3	11	62	Yes	
Alliance .....	2	1	1	1	1	2	23	Yes	
Allida Smith Memorial .....	7	1	1	1	1	1	45	Yes	
Annandale .....	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	Yes	
Ashtabula .....	1	1	1	3	3	2	23	Yes	
Ashville .....	4	1	1	1	1	1	33	Yes	
Barberton .....	9	1	1	5	3	21	96	Yes	
Bethel .....	1	1	1	3	2	2	19	Yes	
Brown Hill .....	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	Yes	
Brownsville .....	7	3	2	2	2	4	79	Yes	
Cabin Run .....	1	1	1	1	1	3	10	Yes	
Canal .....	9	5	2	2	3	2	101	Yes	
Canton, First .....	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	Yes	
Canton, Second .....	6	1	2	1	6	3	59	Yes	
Carrollton .....	1	1	1	1	4	3	21	Yes	
Cleveland .....	4	1	1	1	2	3	38	Yes	
Cooperstown .....	1	1	1	2	2	4	14	Yes	
Dixonville .....	22	2	4	1	3	3	167	Yes	
East Conneaut .....	7	1	1	1	1	1	42	Yes	
English .....	4	1	1	1	1	1	29	Yes	
Erie .....	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	Yes	
Falconer .....	8	1	1	1	2	3	59	Yes	
Franklin .....	7	1	1	1	1	1	45	Yes	
Greenville .....	6	1	1	1	3	4	49	Yes	
Greenwood .....	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	Yes	
Hadley .....	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	Yes	
Hillsdale .....	1	1	2	2	2	2	25	Yes	



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Hooversville										Yes
Hubbard										Yes
Indiana	9	1	1	1	1	5				Yes
Isabella						5	4			14
Johnstown	1	1	2			4	1			28
Keepville	7	1	1				3			54
Loyal Oak				1	3	3				19
Luciusboro										Yes
Massillon	8		3							60
Meadville	3		1	1	1	1				28
Mentle	5	1	1	2	6	3				60
Middlefield	4	1	1							33
Mount Calvary										Yes
New Castle	21		1	6	3	7				161
Niles		1	2	3	2	4				30
North Salem			1	2						17
North Springfield						3	3			9
Nu Mine	7	1		4	4	1				68
Oak Grove	4	1		1	3	7				45
Oil City	2									12
Pine Grove	11									66
Pittsburgh	2	4	2	1	3	1				50
Pittsfield	1	1	4	2	3	4				43
Pleasant Hill	1	1								Yes
Pleasant View										Yes
Punxsutawney										Yes
Rochester										Yes
Rock Run			1	4	5	3				29
Sagamore					1	16				18
Sandy Lake		2	3	1		7				32
Sarver										Yes
Soldier	2	1		3	1	7				35
Spruce Grove										Yes
Stewart Run			1	1		7				Yes
Templeton, Zion										Yes
Titusville	9		1		1					60
Vanport						6				6
Warren	1	1	3	1		10				36
West Fairfield										Yes
West Middlesex	6				3	4				46
White Memorial	6	1	2							49
Wilgus		5								25
Wolf Summit	4		1	2	4	4				46
Totals	226	43	60	74	118	200	2469			60

56 Societies reported a total of 2469 books read.

60 Societies reported using the Study Book in some manner.

Muriel H. Terpe, Secretary

## Report No. 9

YOUNG MISSIONARY WORKER'S BAND  
Conference Year, 1955-56

	Received	Disbursed	Vouchers	Grand Total
<b>FOREIGN:</b>				
General	\$7,699.31	\$7,699.31		
Africa	23.68	23.68		
Saunders	105.00	105.00		
Benninger	16.76	16.76		
Binkola Church	411.78	411.78		
Bulldozer	297.22	297.22		
Japan				
Bible School	80.00	80.00		
Cessna	529.29	529.29	16.00	
Haiti	26.50	26.50		
Calhoon	20.23	20.23		
Ortlip	203.74	203.74		

	Received	Disbursed	Vouchers	Grand Total
Hospital .....	9.74	9.74		
Mission Home .....	96.26	96.26		
Church .....	12.33	12.33		
Bible School .....	40.00	40.00		
South America .....	15.05	15.05		
Jeep .....	412.94	412.94		
Launch .....	292.75	292.75		
Missionary Children .....	40.00	40.00		
Cuba .....	12.93	12.93		
Total .....				\$10,351.51

<b>Home:</b>				
General .....	\$1,564.32	\$1,564.32	\$175.00	
Australia .....	33.81	33.81		
Brainerd .....	301.00	301.00	65.00	
Matron's Home .....	21.84	21.84		
Winslow .....	296.72	296.72		
Blue Ridge Mts. ....	9.34	9.34		
Church Builders' League .....	4.65	4.65		
Newcomb .....	10.42	10.42		
Orphanage .....	93.00	93.00		
Jewish .....	41.60	41.60		
Total .....				\$2,376.70
EDUCATION .....	\$514.47	\$514.47	\$45.00	
Houghton Chapel .....	38.20	38.20		

TOTALS ..... \$13,285.88 \$13,280.88 \$301.00 \$13,581.88  
 Balance —\$5.00, Bernice Davis Memorial Fund.

**Desk Fund**

	Received	Expense
Balance, May, 1955 .....	\$68.16	
From Bands .....	53.78	
Postage, Telephone, Stationery .....		\$15.59
Adding Machine Repair .....		5.44
Bank Expense .....		2.98
Conference Supt. Service (2 yrs) .....		50.00
	\$121.00	74.01
Balance, May, 1956 .....		\$47.93

Number of Bands ..... 84  
 Honor Bands ..... 21  
 Gain in funds, '55-56 ..... \$70.02  
 Mary Huntsman, Conf. Supt.

**SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS, ITEM 12, ON ANNUAL STATISTICAL REPORT BLANKS OF THE LOCAL W.M.S.****1. Missions:**

(a.) Home—Total the following:

1. Home, General
2. Self-denial (Unless specified for other sources.)
3. Brainerd Indian School
4. Brainerd Indebtedness

5. Brainerd, Matron's Home
6. Brainerd, Gifts to missionaries and students
7. Kentucky Mts.
8. Ozark Mts.
9. Newcombs, Onondaga Mission
10. Card Call
- (b.) Foreign—Total the following:
  1. Foreign, General
  2. Penny-A-Meal
  3. Africa, General
  4. Africa, Saunders' Support, Equipment, and Gifts
  5. Africa, Leper Colony
  6. Africa, Hospital and Equipment
  7. Formosa, General
  8. Formosa, Wagers
  9. Haiti, General
  10. Haiti, Calhoons' Support and Gifts
  11. Ortlips' Support and Gifts
  12. Haiti, Hospital and Furnishings
  13. Haiti, Missionaries' Homes and Electric Plant
  14. Haiti, Troyers
  15. Haiti, Port Margot Bible School
  16. India, General
  17. Japan, General
  18. Japan Bible School
  19. Japan, Student Fund
  20. Japan, Cessnas' Support, Equipment and Gifts
  21. Mexico, General
  22. Puerto Rico, General
  23. Puerto Rico, Church
  24. South America, General
  25. South America, Church at Nare
  26. Mission Equipment Fund (Mile of Dimes)
  27. White Christmas Gift
- (c.) Medical Student
2. Hephzibah
  - a. Cash—Include all budget money for the orphanage.
  - b. Provision—Include all gifts and donations.
3. Education
  - a. Cash—Includes all money which receives budget credit.
  - b. Provisions—Gifts and Honorary Registrations.
4. Local Church Work—Total the following: Mercy and Help, Cash for local needy, Donations to pastors.
5. Membership Dues—50¢ of every dollar sent to subtreasurer, specified as **Dues**.
6. Administrative Fund—25¢ per active member for General Conference Officers' support, etc.
7. Other Objects:
  - a. Australia—Total the following: Australia General, Bible School, Student Fund, and Churches.
  - b. Jewish and Miscellaneous—Total the following: Pioneer, Church Extension, Conference Entertainment, Delegates' Expenses, Postage, Missionary traveling expenses within the Conference, Cash receipts for gifts and provisions to Home Mission Fields, All non-Wesleyan Gifts.

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## TREASURER'S REPORT

Conference Year 1955-56

	Receipts	Dis' ursements
<b>FOREIGN MISSIONS</b>		
General .....	\$13,969.00	\$13,969.00
Penny-A-Meal .....	44.75	44.75
Foreign General Total .....	\$14,013.75	\$14,013.75
<b>AFRICA:</b>		
General .....	\$366.74	\$366.74
Saunders:		
Support .....	\$613.50	
Car .....	10.00	
Total .....	623.50	623.50
Hospital .....	125.00	125.00
Welch .....	10.00	10.00
Africa Total .....	\$1,125.24	\$1,125.24
<b>FORMOSA:</b>		
Wagers .....	\$100.00	\$100.00
<b>HAITI:</b>		
General .....	\$536.00	\$536.00
A. J. Calhoun's Support .....	990.00	990.00
Alice Calhoun's Support .....	577.50	577.50
Ortlips' Support .....	306.50	306.50
Hospital .....	25.00	25.00
Missionaries Homes .....	100.00	100.00
White Christmas Gift .....	1,150.50	1,150.50
Electric Plant .....	500.00	500.00
Troyers' Support .....	175.00	175.00
Troyers' Work .....	160.00	160.00
Haiti Total .....	\$4,520.50	\$4,520.50
<b>INDIA:</b>		
General .....	\$16.00	\$16.00
Hospital .....	10.00	10.00
India Total .....	\$26.00	\$26.00
<b>JAPAN:</b>		
General .....	\$614.50	\$614.50
Bible School Building .....	25.00	25.00
Bible School .....	1,193.50	1,193.50
Cessnas .....	89.00	89.00
Opal Cessna's Support .....	500.00	500.00
Cessna's Equipment .....	239.00	239.00
Scroll Paintings .....	216.00	216.00
Japan Total .....	\$2,877.00	\$2,877.00
<b>PUERTO RICO:</b>		
Church .....	\$35.00	\$35.00

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

	Receipts	Disbursements
<b>SOUTH AMERICA:</b>		
General .....	\$415.00	\$415.00
Colombia .....	200.00	200.00
River Boat .....	27.71	27.71
South America Total .....	\$642.71	\$642.71
<b>MEXICO:</b>		
General .....	\$5.00	\$5.00
<b>MEDICAL STUDENT FUND</b> .....	\$217.75	\$217.75
<b>MISSION EQUIPMENT FUND</b> .....	32.20	32.20
<b>FOREIGN GRAND TOTAL</b> ...	\$23,595.15	\$23,595.15
<b>HOME MISSIONS:</b>		
General .....	\$9,698.99	\$9,698.99
Brainerd Indian School:		
General .....	1,865.95	1,865.95
Matron's Home .....	1,457.38	1,457.38
Mrs. DeMille, Gift .....	15.00	15.00
Indebtedness .....	20.00	20.00
Worker's Fund .....	18.00	18.00
Ruth Stearns .....	160.00	160.00
Brainerd Total .....	\$3,536.33	\$3,536.33
<b>ONONDAGA:</b>		
General .....	\$5.00	
Rev. Newcomb .....	587.37	
Onondaga Total .....	\$592.37	\$592.37
<b>MOUNTAIN MISSIONS</b> .....	\$17.00	\$17.00
Means, Kentucky .....	5.00	5.00
Hope, Kentucky .....	5.00	5.00
<b>CARD CALL</b> .....	\$1.00	\$1.00
Home Total .....	\$13,855.69	\$13,855.69
<b>AUSTRALIA:</b>		
General .....	\$1,247.60	\$1,247.60
Student Fund .....	30.00	30.00
April Self-Denial .....	418.17	418.17
Building Program .....	25.00	25.00
Australia Total .....	\$1,720.77	\$1,720.77
<b>HEPHZIBAH ORPHANAGE</b> .....	\$822.50	\$822.50
<b>JEWISH WORK</b> .....	\$724.61	\$724.61
<b>EDUCATION:</b>		
General .....	\$874.29	
Hon. Registrations .....	85.00	
Education Total .....	\$959.29	\$959.29
<b>PIONEER</b> .....	\$288.10	\$288.10
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b> .....	\$18,370.96	\$18,370.96

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	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance
<b>GENERAL FUND:</b>			
Old Balance .....	\$500.15		
Offering .....	475.83		
Membership Dues .....	1,249.50	624.76	
Gen. Administrative Fund .....	407.50	454.35	
<b>CONFERENCE ENTERTAINMENT:</b>			
Fund for 1955 .....	\$9.25		
Fruits & Veg. for '55 .....	2.75		
Fund for 1956 .....	635.15		
Total .....	\$647.15	\$647.15	
<b>WORKERS:</b>			
Mrs. Irene Hanley .....	\$125.00		
Rev. R. S. Nicholson, Jr. ....	100.00		
Rev. & Mrs. Crosby .....	50.00		
Dr. R. S. Nicholson, Sr. ....	50.00		
Dr. S. I. McMillen .....	25.00		
Rev. & Mrs. J. L. Landrey ...	52.00		
Mrs. Reisdorph .....	25.00		
Total .....		\$427.00	
<b>EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:</b>			
Ivah Van Wormer, Pres. ....	\$50.00		
Eunice Comadoll, Sec. ....	25.00		
Elda Bence, Treas. ....	75.00		
Helen Kuhn, Cor. Sec. ....	25.00		
Neva Golden, Stat. ....	50.00		
Total .....		\$225.00	
<b>DESK FUND:</b>			
Ivah Van Wormer, Pres. ....	\$21.76		
Eunice Comadoll, Sec. ....	3.00		
Elda Bence, Treas. ....	24.65		
Neva Golden, Stat. ....	2.75		
Ruth Stonebraker .....	2.50		
Reading Sec., 1954-55 .....			
Muriel Terpe .....	2.40		
Reading Sec., 1955-56 .....			
Evangeline Hannold .....	12.00		
Magazine Solicitor .....			
<b>MISSIONARY COTTAGE:</b>			
Old Balance .....	\$97.73		
Painting of Cottage .....		\$85.00	
Balance on Hand for cottage .....			\$12.73
<b>MISCELLANEOUS:</b>			
Gift for James Ridgway .....	\$32.00	\$32.00	
Exp. of Y.M.W.B. Supt. to Gen. Conf. ...		32.00	
Conf. Members Dues .....	15.00		
Stoneboro Camp Assoc. ....	125.00	125.00	
N.A.E. World Relief .....	50.00	50.00	
Gen. Conf. Entertainment .....	7.00	7.00	
Kamalu Church, Africa .....		20.00	

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance
Printing: Minutes, Letterheads, Checks, etc. ....		143.02	
Boarding of Missionaries & ....			
Families at Camp .....		24.40	
Refund to Subtreasurer .....		20.00	
Jubilee Book Marks .....		67.83	
Cash in General Fund .....			540.56
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$3,606.86</b>	<b>\$3,053.57</b>	<b>\$553.29</b>

**SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS:**

	Disbursed	Vouchers	Totals	Balance
Foreign Missions .....	\$23,595.15	56.00	\$23,651.15	
Home Missions .....	13,855.69	907.57	14,763.26	
Australia .....	1,720.77	5.00	1,725.77	
Hephzibah Orphanage .....	822.50	50.00	872.50	
Jewish Work .....	724.61	82.80	807.41	
Education .....	959.29	73.70	1,032.99	
Pioneer .....	288.10		288.10	
General Funds .....	3,053.57		3,053.57	553.29
<b>TOTAL OF TOTALS</b> .....	<b>\$45,019.68</b>	<b>\$1,175.07</b>	<b>\$46,194.75</b>	<b>\$553.29</b>

Elda Bence, W.M.S. Treasurer

## W.M.S. STATISTICAL REPORT

## Membership and Receipts

Society	Active Members	Honorary Members	Members Gained	Members Lost	Total No. Meetings Held	Wesleyan Missionaries Taken	Efficiency Standard Rank %	No. Missionaries Supported	Membership Dues	Offerings	From Labor	"Memorials"	Voucher Receipts	Other Sources	Total Receipts for Year	Old Balance from Last Year	Grand Total
Akron, First	49	18	6		23	41	85		\$59.00	\$1,053.18			\$59.50		\$1,171.68		\$1,176.43
Akron, Grace Wesleyan	19	2			25	22	85		21.00	275.95				\$70.50	367.45	\$4.75	367.45
Akron, Hampe Memorial	18	11	1		13	14	90		29.00	408.74			100.00	138.01	675.75		675.75
Akron, Kenmore	15	7	1		25	7	80		22.00	278.00				6.00	306.00		306.00
Akron, Maple Valley	36	9		4	18	32	90		45.00	262.49				35.00	342.49		342.49
Akron, McLeister Memorial	21	11		1	26	20	90		32.00	1,578.92				171.00	1,781.92	204.76	1,986.63
Alliance	16	5			14	8			21.00	489.70					510.70	12.12	522.82
Allida Smith Memorial	12	10		4	24	17	80		22.00	367.71			863.19	82.05	1,334.95	8.05	1,343.00
Annandale	12	12	1		21	16			24.00	250.33				25.29	324.62	1.00	325.62
Apollo	14	2		2	13	10			16.00	310.78				8.00	422.42	4.15	426.57
Ashtabula	18	3			32	15	75		21.00	370.69	\$24.50	2.00	27.00		445.19	7.08	452.27
Ashville	13	2	3		22	20	90		15.00	128.30					143.30		143.30
Barberton	68	60	8		36	37	80		128.00	2,375.54					2,503.54	70.59	2,574.13
Barkley	17	6	8		15	8	91		23.00	417.46			23.71		464.17	4.29	468.46
Bethany	15	8			25	15			23.00	179.04					202.04		202.04
Bethel	13	2	3		15	18			15.00	233.53				7.00	255.53	15.82	271.35
Blue Eye	5	4		5	12	6			9.00	13.28					22.28		22.28
Bluefield	5			3	13	1			5.00	73.19					78.19		78.19
Brown Hill	13	8	3		21	11			18.00	67.71			47.00	111.63	244.34		244.34
Brownsville	17	3		2	27	7	80		20.00	1,105.55				3.95	1,129.50	152.79	1,282.29
Cabin Run	9	2		3	19	24			11.00	56.27			50.00	13.75	131.02	5.86	136.88
Canal	34	18	4		27	29	85		32.00	2,647.05			30.00	26.50	2,755.55	.45	2,756.00
Canton, First	34	16	6		37	63	80		53.00	2,037.74			40.00	223.83	2,354.57	153.51	2,508.08
Canton, Second	22	21	9		32	37	100		43.00	1,604.49			35.00	16.20	1,698.69	10.44	1,709.13
Carrollton	15	6	4		24	14	85		21.00	232.94			55.00	448.85	757.79	16.61	774.40
Cleveland	33	11	7		26	39	90		45.00	302.49			40.00	123.15	510.64	4.09	514.73
Cooperstown	18	9	2		21	17	80		27.00	801.41			32.92	29.50	890.83	12.48	903.31
Cottage Hill	16	8	6		27	8	80		24.00	346.51			2.00	6.40	378.91	8.73	387.64
Dixonville	35	13	7		23	46	80		48.00	1,183.31					1,231.31	12.38	1,243.69
East Clarksburg	5			2	15	13			5.00	429.55					434.55	19.40	453.95
East Conneaut	18	12	5		26	19	100		30.00	296.48				78.00	404.48	11.59	416.07
English	18	6	1		11	13	60		24.00	258.75					282.75		282.75
Erie	30	15	6		30	39	85		45.00	2,455.78					2,522.78	544.95	3,067.73
Falconer	30	15	8		27	22	70		45.00	1,509.19					1,650.19	.88	1,651.07
Franklin	13	4	4		23	20	90		17.00	266.14			91.00	5.00	458.14	5.18	463.32
Greenfield	13	7		1	24	15	65		20.00	140.88			170.00		230.70	.25	230.95
Greenville	26	5	3		23	22	80		31.00	448.03			48.50	21.32	479.03	1.91	480.94
Greenwood	17	8	5		22	17	90		25.00	697.94					893.69	7.96	901.65
Hadley	11	3		5	23	12	90		14.00	106.11	4.00			170.75	135.71		135.71
Harbor	7	6	4		12	9	85		13.00	69.73				11.60	147.73		147.73
Hillsdale	19	9	4		23	22	90		28.00	664.15			65.00		755.15	5.69	760.84
Hillville										43.25			63.00		43.25		43.25
Hooversville	14	5			14	4			19.00	100.92					119.92		119.92
Hubbard	8	3	11		10	4			11.00	25.10					46.10		46.10
Indiana	44	13	13		30	53	90	1	57.00	2,384.70			10.00		234.40	292.56	3,050.89



Isabella	14	1	2	25	11	100	15.00	200.19	29.90	115.93	361.02	361.02			
Johnstown	24	12	11	14	15	75	36.00	160.03	7.00	203.03	26.75	229.78			
Keepville	14	2	12	25	10	80	16.00	76.44	1.26	48.00	10.20	151.90			
Lakeview	15	3		13	12		18.00	366.23				384.23			
Loyal Oak	9	4	1	14	12		13.00	133.83		149.00		295.83			
Luciusboro	9	3	2	13	12	100	12.00	97.95		10.00	3.00	122.95			
Massillon	69	25	3	21	46	90	94.00	5,009.84		156.31	216.76	5,476.91			
Meadville	18	12	2	21	18	75	30.00	814.07		200.00	7.00	1,051.07			
Mentcle	22	10	3	20	10	80	32.00	265.97		65.00	163.40	526.37			
Middlefield	11	6	6	18	13		14.00	293.20		5.98	24.17	337.35			
Mount Calvary	20	13	5	12	15	80	33.00	150.45		2.00	205.00	390.45			
New Castle	37	11	3	19	60	95	48.00	1,639.19	43.00	210.00	1,940.19	17.02			
Niles	20	11		20	11	50	31.00	329.90	46.75		176.89	584.54			
North Salem	25	20		23	15	50	45.00	730.53			775.53	15.40			
North Springfield	10	3	4	11	6	80	13.00	94.80		5.00	112.80	19.46			
Nu Mine	8	5	3	14	9	80	13.00	249.06		93.50	4.70	360.26			
Oak Grove	28	5	7	25	19		33.00	627.12	2.50		662.62	14.62			
Oil City	11	6	2	13	8	80	17.00	208.31			225.31	.96			
Olive Hill	2			5			2.00	3.22			5.22	18.50			
Penn Run	19	11	8	15	15		30.00	341.85			323.26	6.62			
Pine Grove	17	4	1	15	15	55	21.00	198.19			139.34	358.53			
Pitts' urgh	15	12	2	15	18	80	27.00	468.96		17.00	18.80	531.76			
Pittsfield	32	13	3	37	23		45.00	240.28		59.35	200.60	545.23			
Pleasant Hill	20	7	5	23	17	65	27.00	230.80			8.10	265.90			
Pleasant View	9	8	9	25	15	75	17.00	127.47	8.73	15.00	33.00	201.20			
Pritchard, Mountain View	2						2.00				2.00	2.00			
Punxsutawney	16	4		12	9		20.00	100.05		10.00	130.05	.23			
Riverview	16	4			9		20.00	153.00			173.00	173.00			
Robertsville	21	11	1	11	9		42.40	356.10		20.25	418.75	21.57			
Rochester	32	12	6	25	20	70	44.00	294.57		200.26	538.83	4.47			
Rock Run	18	3	8	18	24	55	21.00	314.50			156.75	492.25			
Sagamore	17	5	1	12	13	50	22.00	87.77		44.07	95.50	249.34			
Sandy Lake	21	1	1	17	15	75	22.00	424.79	10.00	5.00	94.48	556.27			
Sarver	24	11	4	24	25	90	35.00	1,136.05		854.00	2,025.05	16.45			
Shippinport	18	4	2	13	2		22.00	132.52			154.52	154.52			
Smithport	7	2	1	24	5		9.00	199.29			128.30	336.59			
Soldier	11	4	1	25	14	80	15.00	150.03		40.00	38.64	243.67			
Spruce Grove	23	13	12	25	8	80	36.00	105.29			75.68	216.97			
Stewart Run	5		9	5	3		5.00	48.82			53.82	22.59			
Tarentum	17	6		19	17	75	23.00	90.59			165.00	278.59			
Templeton, Zion	19	1		21	24	75	20.00	378.01			13.75	411.76			
Titusville	38	15	1	26	41	90	53.00	2,861.91		201.90	842.51	3,959.32			
Vanport	11	5	3	19	6	85	16.00	88.46		13.00	2.90	120.36			
Warren	7	3	2	21	7	85	10.00	105.79	8.00	93.09	262.29	479.17			
West Fairfield	8	3	1	17	9	75	11.00	45.82	5.00	2.50	15.00	79.32			
West Hill	2						2.00				2.00	2.00			
West Middlesex	18	8	1	27	10		26.00	96.87		15.00	460.48	598.35			
White Memorial	21	7	3	25	41	80	28.00	1,174.90		140.00	1,342.90	2.83			
Wilgus	11	1	1	14	11	90	12.00	776.78			788.78	8.64			
Wolf Summit	16	4	2	12	11	80	20.00	467.90			10.00	497.90			
Zion	13	2	1	11	14	85	15.00	329.20		54.56	33.00	431.76			
Conference, Camp, & Individuals								965.08				965.08			
Butler						4		75.00				75.00			
Mechanics' urg								10.50				10.50			
Merrifield Memorial								8.50				8.50			
Tazewell								64.00				64.00			
Hartville								25.00				25.00			
Jamestown								25.00				25.00			
Totals	1775	734	235	102	1848	1638	\$2,509.40	\$53,499.01	\$110.74	\$50.00	\$4,800.12	\$6,358.64	\$67,327.91	\$2,981.38	\$70,309.29

\* Not organized. ‡ Part.

## Disbursements

Society	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Medical Student (Missions)	Hephzibah, Cash	Hephzibah, Provisions	Education, Cash	Education, Provisions	Local Church Work	Membership Dues	Administrative Fund	Other Objects a. Australia	Other Objects b. Jewish and Miscellaneous	Total Disbursements	New Balance on Hand	Grand Total
Akron, First	\$382.75	\$523.68	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$39.50	\$37.50			\$29.50	\$9.25	\$70.19	\$76.06	\$1,176.43		\$1,176.43
Akron, Grace Wesleyan	79.50	76.75	3.00	5.00		25.00		148.50	10.50	4.50		14.70	367.45		367.45
Akron, Hampe Memorial	117.28	427.25	3.00	5.00		10.00			14.50	4.50		93.86	675.39	\$ .36	675.75
Akron, Kenmore	31.75	66.18	3.00	5.00				21.81	10.50	3.75	10.00	149.93	301.92	4.08	306.00
Akron, Maple Valley	91.25	61.25	3.00	10.00		5.00		47.41	22.50	10.00	10.50	18.90	279.81	62.68	342.49
Akron, McLeister Memorial	700.27	1,000.04	3.00	5.00		25.00		20.00	16.00	5.25	12.75	162.32	1,942.63	37.05	1,986.68
Alliance	29.75	312.33						164.35	8.50				514.93	7.89	522.82
Allida Smith Memorial	268.35	325.95	3.00	5.00	647.19	5.00		13.52	11.00	3.00	31.99	22.80	1,336.80	6.20	1,343.00
Annandale	96.00	67.00	3.00					17.07	12.00	3.00	10.00	84.10	292.17	33.45	325.62
Apollo	88.83	100.00	3.00	7.50		15.00		138.00	8.00	3.75	24.50	36.62	425.20	1.37	426.57
Ashtabula	26.75	39.17	3.00	5.00				290.35	10.50	4.50		72.52	451.79	.48	452.27
Ashville	42.75	53.75				10.50			7.50	4.00		24.80	143.30		143.30
Barberton	567.00	782.00	3.00	105.00		138.99		291.88	64.00	27.20	200.00	328.34	2,507.41	66.72	2,574.13
Barkley	33.75	21.05		4.75				356.59	11.50	2.25		35.75	465.64	2.82	468.46
Bethany	44.75	122.75						1.93	7.00		14.00	11.00	201.43	.61	202.04
Bethel	69.95	88.50	3.00	11.25		12.50		25.85	7.50	3.25	6.25	32.20	260.25	11.10	271.35
Blue Eye	5.58	7.25							4.50		2.95	2.00	22.28		22.28
Bluefield	1.25	48.94	3.00	10.00					2.50			7.00	72.69	5.50	78.19
Brown Hill	60.50	126.50		5.00	16.00			6.63	9.00	3.00		17.71	244.34		244.34
Brownsville	349.62	727.15		5.00					9.50	6.00	12.00	132.67	1,241.94	40.35	1,282.29
Cabin Run	37.75	39.75		5.00					5.50	2.25	3.75	42.82	136.82	.06	136.88
Canal	1,087.00	1,317.14	3.00	5.00					26.00	8.50	68.50	239.92	2,755.06	.94	2,756.00
Canton, First	924.28	972.02	5.00	50.00	75.00	25.00	\$20.00	23.23	25.00	8.50	50.00	276.75	2,454.78	53.30	2,508.08
Canton, Second	594.50	480.50	3.00	5.00				36.00	22.00	5.50	16.20	536.75	1,699.45	9.68	1,709.13
Carrollton	68.85	368.25	3.00	5.00	25.00	7.00	5.00	4.50	10.50	3.75	7.00	206.70	714.55	59.85	774.40
Cleveland	107.00	169.18	3.00	5.00		29.50		51.12	22.00	4.25	37.50	66.23	494.78	19.95	514.73
Cooperstown	256.75	240.25	5.00	35.00		10.00			18.50	8.75	41.00	286.94	902.19	1.12	903.31
Cottage Hill	161.00	52.00		7.00					12.00	4.00	7.00	125.35	368.35	19.29	387.64
Dixonville	380.00	474.31	3.00	15.50	19.00	45.00		62.00	24.00	7.50	89.50	64.62	1,184.43	59.26	1,243.69
East Clarksburg	145.07	223.57	3.00	5.00		18.00			2.50		6.00	20.00	433.14	20.81	453.95
East Conneaut	31.25	90.54	3.00	5.00	50.00	15.00		102.19	12.50	4.50		73.83	383.31	32.76	416.07
English	64.50	105.59	3.00	5.00				9.69	6.00	4.50	17.50	66.97	282.75		282.75
Erie	784.92	741.58	5.00	10.00		66.70	65.00	198.97	22.50	7.50	90.75	565.16	2,558.08	509.65	3,067.73
Falconer	634.75	499.70	5.00	5.00		10.00	110.00	68.93	22.50	7.50	13.75	273.94	1,651.07		1,651.07
Franklin	99.75	271.58	3.00	15.00				21.65	8.50	3.50	11.28	28.30	462.56	.76	463.32
Greenfield	34.99	100.01	3.00	5.00	3.00				10.00	3.50	6.00	65.10	230.60	.35	230.95
Greenville	188.25	173.75	3.00	14.00		25.00		1.50	15.50	5.50	14.00	39.36	479.86	1.08	480.94
Greenwood	126.00	281.00		55.00			10.00		13.00		107.00	12.90	604.90	296.75	901.65
Hadley	27.25	43.25	3.00	5.00	10.00	10.00			4.50			25.07	132.07	3.64	135.71
Harbor	35.28	103.25							6.50			2.70	147.73		147.73
Hillsdale	131.25	287.23	3.00	5.00		5.00		228.32	14.00	4.70		43.22	721.72	39.12	760.84
Hillville	16.25	27.00											43.25		43.25
Hooversville	4.75	66.65	3.00	10.00					9.50		3.50	15.75	113.15	6.77	119.92

Indiana	18.75	237.41	3.00	5.00	10.00	7.50	3.50	29.00	20.50	208.77	20.31	229.78			
Isabella	34.00	66.50	3.00	5.00	8.00	18.00	6.00	69.97	209.47	159.35	.09	159.44			
Johnstown	10.00	42.25		5.00		8.00	2.00	7.50	558.00	186.00		744.00			
Keepville	128.75	250.75			137.00	20.50		13.50	283.72	12.11		295.83			
Lakeview	32.25	46.47				11.30	6.50	187.20	118.21	4.98		123.19			
Loyal Oak	8.00	38.00	3.00	5.00		44.41	6.00	4.80	9.00	5,185.82	410.24	5,596.06			
Luciusboro	917.26	2,939.26	3.00	22.00	10.00	163.44	47.00	17.25	22.00	1,044.61	53.83	1,072.21	21.14	1,093.35	
Massillon	582.50	288.70	3.00	5.00	10.00	51.68	15.00	7.50	55.00	104.78	529.53	11.75	541.28		
Meadville	137.00	121.22		5.00		109.28	16.00	5.50	30.75	80.71	335.23	3.62	338.85		
Mentcle	42.22	164.57	3.00	5.00	20.00	2.98	10.00	3.75	3.00	106.47	414.02	13.65	427.67		
Middlefield	115.25	131.25	3.00	5.00		31.55	16.50	5.00		48.04	1,929.30	27.91	1,957.21		
Mount Calvary	635.25	1,117.96	3.00	5.00	34.50	3.80	24.00	8.75	49.00	596.39	7.10	603.49			
New Castle	22.75	157.75	3.00	5.00	10.00	345.12	15.50	5.00		32.27	78.40	744.65	46.28	790.93	
Niles	163.25	394.25	3.00		52.00		22.50	6.25	25.00	110.96	21.30	132.26			
North Salem	15.00	53.50		5.00	10.00	5.74	7.00		1.92	226.25	367.76	.92	368.68		
North Springfield	16.75	91.75	3.00	5.00	10.00		6.50	2.00	6.50	213.63	675.67	1.57	677.24		
Nu Mine	185.25	214.09	3.00	5.00		1.00	16.50	1.00	31.14	9.40	220.90	5.37	226.27		
Oak Grove	41.19	25.75	3.25	5.50		119.31	8.50	2.50	5.50	2.00	21.72		23.72		
Oil City	.50	.50					1.00			182.23	696.33	5.40	701.73		
Olive Hill	98.04	46.50	3.00	5.00	5.00	324.81	15.00	4.50	12.25	40.23	325.57	40.75	366.32		
Penn Run	95.25	91.75	3.00	5.00	20.00	30.34	10.50	4.25	25.25	112.00	531.26	8.10	539.36		
Pine Grove	121.95	200.06	3.00	10.00	30.00	12.00	13.50	3.75	25.00	81.64	523.74	23.66	547.40		
Pittsburgh	98.00	143.00	3.00	5.00	33.35	5.00	22.50	5.25	8.00	30.80	265.61	.29	265.90		
Pittsfield	101.72	89.00	3.00	5.00	3.00	6.00	13.50	6.75	6.84	61.24	200.72	39.71	240.43		
Pleasant Hill	22.50	83.75		5.00	3.00	8.73	7.50	2.75	6.25	2.00			2.00		
Pleasant View	.50	.50					1.00			34.20	129.20	1.08	130.28		
Pritchard, Mt. View	35.00	35.00		5.00	5.00		10.00		5.00	171.00	2.00		173.00		
Punxsutawney	42.00	54.00		40.00		25.00	10.00			46.23	367.35	72.97	440.32		
Riverview	132.60	142.07	10.00	10.00			21.20		5.25	60.37	537.13	6.17	543.30		
Robertsville	263.26	167.50	3.00	5.00	5.00		22.00	11.00		18.08	489.39	20.69	510.08		
Rochester	111.91	167.65	3.00	5.00	12.00	130.00	10.50	4.50	26.75	74.20	257.70	1.79	259.49		
Rock Run	68.00	65.00	3.00	5.00	15.00	5.00	11.00	5.50	6.00	86.07	543.24	13.03	556.27		
Sagamore	195.25	190.13	3.00	5.00	29.30	1.00	11.00	5.25	12.50	1,080.96	2,002.82	38.68	2,041.50		
Sandy Lake	465.83	356.67	3.00	5.00		56.61	17.50	6.00	11.25	9.83	154.52		154.52		
Sarver	42.84	76.80	3.00	5.00			11.00	4.25	1.80	81.63	338.14	8.94	347.08		
Shippingport	150.65	72.15		10.00			6.30		17.41	36.15	243.04	9.05	252.09		
Smithport	82.39	96.25			18.00		7.50	2.75		4.00	217.43	.11	217.54		
Soldier	44.00	108.00				37.68	18.00	5.75		4.50	75.91	.50	76.41		
Spruce Grove	18.75	38.16	3.00	5.00			2.50	1.50	2.50	4.50	75.91	.50	76.41		
Stewart Run	111.00	107.50	3.00	5.00		22.00	11.50		10.25	79.99	350.24	4.47	354.71		
Tarentum	115.00	202.01			20.00		10.00	5.00	13.75	45.68	411.44	3.03	414.47		
Templeton, Zion	1,627.13	998.75	10.00	110.00	10.00	36.00	26.50	9.50	16.50	1,066.76	4,149.66	375.28	4,524.94		
Titusville	16.46	47.89		5.00	3.00	15.00	8.00	1.75	2.90	20.36	120.36		120.36		
Vanport	116.40	128.10		5.00		148.00	5.50	1.75	3.78	66.81	475.34	4.76	480.10		
Warren	16.75	14.75		5.00	4.00	20.00	5.50	2.00	2.75	8.70	79.45	1.25	80.70		
West Fairfield	.50	.50					1.00			2.00			2.00		
West Hill	70.25	192.20	3.00	5.00	13.50	31.30	13.00	4.50	31.75	186.62	551.12	47.98	599.10		
West Middlesex	425.00	474.00	3.00	25.00	20.00	84.90	14.00	5.50	50.00	214.50	1,315.90	29.83	1,345.73		
White Memorial	624.67	82.70	3.00	5.00	11.00	5.00	6.00	4.80	12.25	41.65	796.67	.75	797.42		
Wilgus	110.00	235.00	3.00	5.00			10.00	4.00	10.00	96.20	473.20	25.24	498.44		
Wolf Summit	134.75	162.05	3.00	5.00		6.50	7.50	3.75	10.00	100.06	432.61	32.15	464.76		
Zion		276.00	.50						40.75	647.83	965.08		965.08		
Conf., Camp, & Individuals	25.00	50.00							.75	75.00			75.00		
Butler	3.75	6.00								10.50			10.50		
Mechanicsburg		8.50								8.50			8.50		
Merrifield Memorial		64.00								64.00			64.00		
Tazewell		25.00								25.00			25.00		
Hartville		15.00								25.00			25.00		
Jamestown															
Totals	\$18,567.56	\$25,134.30	\$217.75	\$872.50	\$997.04	\$980.99	\$545.90	\$4,526.32	\$1,249.50	\$407.50	\$1,720.77	\$11,782.26	\$67,002.39	\$3,306.90	\$70,309.29

\* Not organized.

Neva Golden, Secretary

## Y. M. W. B. STATISTICAL REPORT

Band	Active Members	Honorary Members	Meetings	Efficiency Standard %	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Special Projects	Band Credit Total	Non-Credit Total	Grand Total
Akron, First	86	99	12	90	\$595.63						
Akron, Grace	15				31.31	\$21.42	\$20.66	\$85.62	\$723.33	\$3.00	\$726.33
Akron, Hampe Memorial	3	16	11	70	6.74	2.67	14.60		55.32		55.32
Akron, Kenmore	10		12	70	25.00	5.00	5.00		35.00	.25	35.25
Akron, Maple Valley	98	12	12	80	7.20	2.00	1.30		10.50		10.50
Akron, McLeister Memorial	50	50	12	95	85.00	15.00	10.00		110.00	5.10	115.10
Alliance	21	14	12	75	69.15	27.94	5.00		102.09	1.13	103.22
Allida Smith Memorial					10.88		14.00	10.25	35.13	29.35	64.48
Annandale	10		6	60	23.91	6.03			29.94		29.94
Ashtabula	38	24	12	100	10.00	1.00			11.00	5.25	16.25
Ashville	12		12		104.91	13.62	8.24		126.77	25.00	151.77
Barberton	100	126	12	100	25.00	4.00			29.00		29.00
Barkley	50	53	12	100	887.70	131.00	103.63	25.00	1,147.33	1.75	1,149.08
Bethany	16	48	7	63	60.00	20.00	10.00		90.00	41.95	131.95
Bethel	13	13	9	50	93.18				93.18	4.62	97.80
Blue Eye	5	7			13.52	6.66	7.62	5.26	33.06	2.00	35.06
Brown Hill					14.56				14.56		14.56
Brownsville	48	29	11	60		10.11		5.00	15.11		15.11
Calin Run	23	9	12	80	80.00	5.00	3.00		88.00	4.17	92.17
Canal					26.00	7.00	4.00	9.00	46.00	3.01	49.01
Canton, First	49	70	12	100	30.00	10.00	10.00		50.00		50.00
Canton, Second	50	25	12	100	683.21	874.14	45.00	295.00	1,897.35	4.95	1,902.30
Cleveland	16	19		50	53.00	6.00	5.00	79.00	143.00	3.25	146.25
Cooperstown	25	12	11	70	27.18	2.25			29.43	1.90	31.33
Cottage Hill	22	9	11	90	18.00	8.00	10.00		36.00	1.00	37.00
Dixonville	49	101	12	85	30.11			20.00	50.11	2.25	52.36
East Conneaut	19	32	12	100	170.00	170.00	5.00		345.00	8.84	353.84
English	24		12	100	58.39	31.40	5.00	47.45	142.24	19.62	161.86
Erie	16		12	70	14.74	1.00	.50		16.24	11.20	27.44
Falconer	12	33	12	100	165.70	59.21	38.20		263.11		263.11
Franklin	11	45	12	90	28.76	4.00	5.00	50.12	87.88	6.15	94.03
Greenfield	25	26	12	90	61.71	6.30	6.30		74.31	1.56	75.87
Greenville	45	28	9	85	30.00	11.00	5.00	19.00	65.00	3.09	68.09
Greenwood	7	33	12	100	135.05	88.00	19.95	16.00	259.00	14.95	273.95
					30.80	18.00	16.00	160.00	224.80	1.50	226.30

Hadley	16	16	10	75	22.00	5.00	5.00	7.00	39.00	9.17	48.17
Harbor	14	8	10	85	12.00	7.00	10.00		29.00		32.75
Hillsdale	10	23	9	85	76.14	15.00	5.00	6.00	102.14	70.16	172.30
Hooversville	5	4	9		17.00				17.00		17.00
Indiana	102	108	24	95	1,500.00		15.00	238.19	1,753.19	3.00	1,756.19
Isabella	30		12	100	25.60	5.00	5.00	15.14	50.74	6.17	56.91
Johnstown	60	63	13	85	63.96	7.10	2.25		73.31	14.48	87.79
Keepville	5	19	11	80	22.21	6.61	3.23		32.05	6.09	38.14
Loyal Oak	18	12	12	50	45.60				45.60	2.80	48.40
Lucius'oro	55	15	12	100	36.40	5.00	3.00		44.40	6.38	50.78
Massillon	28	66	12	100	182.56	50.75	5.00	69.89	308.20	2.00	310.20
Meadville	40	71	12	95	171.76	16.00	10.00		197.76	2.91	200.67
Mentcle	20	22	7	50	67.74		5.00	41.26	114.00	1.13	115.13
Middlefield	10	4	12	65	24.00	2.00	2.00		28.00		28.00
Mount Calvary	18	18	7	80	31.48	10.00	5.00	30.00	76.48	.36	76.84
New Castle	65	115	8	85	922.65	25.00	25.00		972.65	2.00	974.65
Niles	10	3	8		20.80				20.80	1.30	22.10
North Salem	28	42	12	100	86.40	80.00	12.00	95.00	273.40	2.00	275.40
Nu Mine	24	10	12	100	120.06	2.26	1.20		123.52	6.17	129.69
Oak Grove	14	17	12	60	25.00	40.00			65.00	6.00	71.00
Oil City	35	20	12	100	41.05		2.00	9.00	52.05	6.55	58.60
Penn Run	19	39	12	80	53.15			1.50	54.65	.58	55.23
Pine Grove	23	20	12	65	32.36		5.00	1.00	38.36	5.08	43.44
Pitts'urgh	20	16	13	95	85.12	27.50	5.00		117.62	25.60	143.22
Pittsfield	23	6	12	100	50.88	2.50	2.50		55.88	11.62	67.50
Pleasant Hill	10		12	75	37.25	4.05	7.00	41.66	89.96		89.96
Pleasant View	30		12	70	20.00			25.00	45.00	1.50	46.50
Ro'ertsville	13	6	12		50.00				50.00		50.00
Rochester	78	62	12	85	250.00	15.00	5.00		270.00	1.40	271.40
Sagamore	21		12	100	17.15	10.00	2.00		29.15	2.38	31.53
Salem	32	26	13	100	30.71	11.66	1.00	40.93	84.30	3.39	87.69
Sandy Lake	20	34	12	85	61.13	4.09	10.00		75.22	25.54	100.76
Sarver	22	45	15	80	35.00	50.00	10.00		95.00	12.61	107.61
Shippingport	22	16	12	100	87.26	20.01	7.00	65.02	179.29	.38	179.67
Smithport	12				17.06	12.96		12.52	42.54		42.54
Soldier	5	10	10	30	24.51	5.64		15.98	46.13		46.13
Stewart Run		8	5	40	8.54			3.83	12.37		12.37
Tarentum	13	1	10	65	7.47	5.00	1.21	9.05	22.73	1.25	23.98
Templeton, Zion	8	17	11	85	20.00	44.00	5.00	63.50	132.50	1.50	134.00
Titusville	29	49	12	80	395.10	26.50	10.00		431.60	1.00	432.60
Vanport	10	17	12	80	12.05	1.02	.75		13.82	.27	14.09
West Fairfield	18		10	80	10.15	2.00	3.00	3.00	18.15	.25	18.40
West Middlesex	23	12	12	100	28.35	30.10	3.34	32.00	94.79	4.51	98.30
White Memorial	39	83	12	100	177.50	36.50	10.00	99.00	323.00	1.25	324.25
Wilgus	24	28	22	100	27.40	50.00	4.32	49.70	131.42	.52	131.94
Wolf Summit	23	3	12	90	13.52	13.00	5.00		31.52	.26	31.78
Zion	20	20	12	95	37.00	76.50	18.80	68.50	200.80	1.00	201.80
Totals	2145	2106	856		\$8,802.67	\$2,296.57	\$597.67	\$1,884.97	\$13,581.88	\$463.15	\$14,045.03

Mary Huntsman, Superintendent

**Minutes**  
of the  
**Twenty-fifth Annual Session**  
of the  
**Wesleyan Youth**  
of the  
**Allegheny Conference**  
held at  
**Stoneboro, Pennsylvania**  
on the  
**Wesleyan Methodist Campground**  
**July 5 – 8, 1956**

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383 Ohio Ave., Rochester, Pa.

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# Wesleyan Youth

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- President—H. E. Schmul, 383 Ohio Avenue, Rochester, Pa.  
Vice President—H. E. Robertson, Jr., Route 4, Mercer, Pa.  
Secretary—D. R. Kaufman, 1338 Bingham Avenue, Warren, Ohio  
Treasurer—Dean McIntire, Route 1, Youngsville, Pa.  
Efficiency Standard Chairman—Jack Benninger, Isabella, Pa.  
Prayer League Secretary—F. E. Satterfield, 1420 Chestnut Street, Franklin, Pa.  
Youth Solicitor—Marion Geahry, Box 52, Sarver, Pa.

## DISTRICT AND ZONE CHAIRMEN

- Akron Zone—Glen Elsey, 4162 Wadsworth Road, Barberton, Ohio  
Canton Zone—Paul Rexrode, 330 N. Fair Oaks, North Canton, Ohio  
Dixonville Zone—Frank Miller, Dixonville, Pa.  
Templeton Zone—Roy Wade, Nu Mine, Pa.  
New Castle Zone—Olin Pfautz, 813 Franklin Avenue, New Castle, Pa.  
Pittsburgh Zone—William Shank, 413 9th Ave., Patterson Heights, Beaver Falls, Pa.  
Titusville District—F. E. Satterfield, 1420 Chestnut Street, Franklin, Pa.  
West Virginia—Paul Betz, Route 2, Keyser, W. Va.

## WESLEYAN YOUTH PRESIDENTS FOR 1956-1957

- AKRON FIRST—D. R. Swinehart, 1261 Diagonal Road, Akron, Ohio  
ANNANDALE—Mrs. Mary Hovis, Clintonville, Penna.  
ASHVILLE—Mrs. Bernice Diffenderfer, Ashville, N. Y.  
BARBERTON—Allen Messner, 3829 Stimson Rd., Barberton, Ohio  
BARKLEY—Mrs. Harriet Spangler, Strongstown, Pa.  
BETHANY—Eugene Drayer, Sligo, Pa.  
CANTON FIRST—James Lehberger, 1030 Prospect Ave., S. W., Canton, Ohio  
CANTON SECOND—Mrs. Thelma Tucke, 3031 Root Ave., N. E., Canton, Ohio  
CARROLLTON—Mrs. Jeanine Moody, 491 S. High St., Carrollton, Ohio

- CLEVELAND—James S. Roodhouse, 1654 Alavon Rd., Cleveland 12, O.  
COTTAGE HILL—Mrs. Hazel Buzzard, New Bethlehem, Pa.  
DIXONVILLE—Jack Bence, Marion Center, Pa.  
EAST CONNEAUT—Evelyn Cole, Route 3, Conneaut, Ohio  
FRANKLIN—Mrs. Catherine Smith, 1337½ Buffalo St., Franklin, Pa.  
GREENVILLE—Janet Patterson, Route 1, Box 4, Greenville, Pa.  
HADLEY—Albert Snyder, Route 1, Greenville, Pa.  
HAMPE MEMORIAL—Evelyn Jones, 1474 Southeast Ave., Tallmadge, Ohio  
HILLSDALE—Mrs. Dorothy Cessna, Hillsdale, Pa.  
ISABELLA—Beverly Campbell, Isabella, Pa.  
MASSILLON—Mrs. Lorain Jewell, 1412 Lincoln Way West, Massillon, Ohio  
MEADVILLE—Robert Chess, Saegerstown, Pa.  
MIDDLEFIELD—William Rosengreen, Bridge Road, Middlefield, Ohio  
NEW CASTLE—William A. Rhodes, 3025 Wilmington Rd., New Castle, Penna.  
NU MINE—Harry Miller Jr. M. R. 1, Alder St., New Kensington, Pa.  
OAK GROVE—Robert Van Tuil, Stoneboro, Pa.  
PENN RUN—Mrs. Doris Cherry, Penn Run, Pa.  
PINE GROVE—Mrs. Sarah Kline, Arcadia, Pa.  
PITTSBURG FIRST—Alvin R. Manners, Route, Unity, Pa.  
PITTSFIELD—Paul Morris, Route 1, Pittsfield, Pa.  
PLEASANT VIEW—Marie Swenk, Route 1, Barnsboro, Pa.  
ROCHESTER—Arnold B. McMahon, 154 Monroe St., Rochester, Pa.  
SAGAMORE—Ralph Rummel, Sagamore, Pa.  
SARVER—Mrs. Betty Jane Bash, Route 1, Sarver, Pa.  
TITUSVILLE—Mrs. Wm. J. Conley, 612 W. Elm St., Titusville, Pa.  
WEST MIDDLESEX—Mrs. Gelberta Sageneck, 309 S. Street, West Middlesex, Pa.  
WOLF SUMMIT—George Garrett, Wolf Summit, W. Va.



# Convention Minutes

## First Day—July 6

The twenty-fifth annual Wesleyan Youth Convention of the Allegheny Conference convened on Stoneboro Campgrounds, with the opening service on Thursday evening at 7:30. The first business meeting was called to order Friday at 1:15 p.m., with the Youth President leading a number of churches. Prayer by John Dye.

The Report of the Executive Committee on Nominations for the Committees on Temporary Organization was read and adopted. (See Report No. 1.)

The Roll of Presidents was read. Nine presidents were present.

The Report of the Credentials Committee was read and adopted.

A count showed that two district and zone chairmen and thirteen pastors were present.

The roll call of delegates was read, with 57 of 76 delegates present.

The Bar of Conference was set to include the first fourteen rows of seats on the east side of the tabernacle.

It was voted that the next business session be set for Saturday at 12:45 p.m.

The Vice President was called to the chair and the President's Report read, and adopted. (See Report No. 2)

The President submitted a plan for the evaluation and rewarding of district activities, which was referred to the Committee on Goals and Methods for their study and recommendation. (See Item No. 14 of the Report of the Committee on Goals and Methods.)

The minutes were read and approved.

## Second Day—July 7

The second business session was called to order at 12:45 p.m. by the President. Rev. Paul Hetrick led in prayer.

The roll was called. Delegates names called 34—49 present. Presidents names called 49—12 present. Three district and zone chairmen and 17 pastors were present.

The Report of the Committee on Goals and methods was read.

(The Chairman of the Committee on Efficiency Standard explained the working of the Efficiency Standard.)

A motion was made to amend the Report of the Committee on Goals and Methods, Item 14, and the statement reading, "10 points for an offering from each unorganized society," to read, "10 points for a minimum offering of \$2.50 from each unorganized society." The amendment was lost. The report was adopted. (See Report No. 3.)

The report of the Treasurer was read.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read.

The report of the Treasurer was adopted. (See Report No. 4)

The report of the Auditing Committee was adopted.

The report of the Committee on Efficiency Standards was read, discussed and adopted. (See Report No. 5)

The report of the Committee on Nominations was read. (See Report No. 6)

Brothers Messner and William Rosengreen were appointed as tellers. Ballots were passed.

A motion was passed to vote on all four officers on one ballot.

Votes were cast for President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was read and adopted. (See Report No. 7)

A motion was passed instructing the "Executive Committee to write to the Editor of the Wesleyan Youth, expressing the sentiment of this body as to their disfavor and favor of the Spiritual quality and general tone of the Wesleyan Youth Magazine."

The Report of the Youth Solicitor was read by the Secretary. It was accepted by common consent. (See Report No. 8)

The Report of the Prayer League Superintendent was read and accepted by common consent. (See Report No. 9)

The following officers were elected by acclamation: Prayer League Superintendent, Rev. F. E. Satterfield; Youth Solicitor, Marion Geahry.

Nominations for the Permanent Chairman of the Committee on Efficiency Standard were placed as follows: Jack Benninger, Ladonna Kopp, C. L. Boston. Jack Benninger was elected.

A motion was passed that a letter of appreciation be sent to Mrs. Ladonna Kopp for her work as Chairman of the Committee on Efficiency Standards.

The Report of the Permanent Chairman on Efficiency Standards was read and accepted. (See Report No. 10)

The Minutes were read.

The report on the balloting for officers was read with the following elections: President, H. E. Schmul, 99 of 100 ballots; Vice President, H. E. Robertson Jr., 97 of 100 ballots; Secretary, D. R. Kaufman, 97 of 100 ballots; Treasurer, Dean McIntire, 98 of 100 ballots.

Motion passed to leave any unfinished business in the hands of the Executive Committee.

Meeting adjourned by vote.

H. E. Schmul, President  
D. R. Kaufman, Secretary

# Reports

## Report No. 1

### REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS FOR TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION

Names marked with an asterisk (\*) were substituted for those originally nominated but not present to serve.

#### Nominations

Roscoe Wilson, Jean Alexander, Dorothy Cessna, Ed Alexander

#### Resolutions

Wayne Carpenter, Charles Lincoln, Carol Lappin, Ruby Brickell

#### Goals and Methods

\*Doris Cherry, \*William Cornell, \*William Rosengreen, Janet Patterson

#### Efficiency Standard

\*Fredrick Satterfield, Evelyn McHugh, Carol Clark, Judy McCreery

#### Statistics

F. E. Mansell, H. E. Schmul Jr., \*John Dye

#### Finances

Elwood Hannold, Jack Benning, Paul Rexrode

#### Thanks

Catherine Smith, Kenneth Houston

D. R. Kaufman, Secretary

## Report No. 2

### CONFERENCE WESLEYAN YOUTH PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the members of the 25th Annual Youth Convention of the Allegheny Conference assembled in His Wonderful Name, Greeting. Wonderful indeed has been the council and care of the Saviour the past year to the youth of our Conference. We are celebrating our twenty-fifth year of Conference service. God has given us excellent leadership in the persons of Sister Mary McLeister, Sister Gleason, and our good Brother McCracken. You may rest assured that it is our desire to follow in their train. We solicit your prayers that the Master will help us to hold high the standards of Bible Holiness to the Youth of our generation. Only this generation can reach this generation with the truth.

Never before has Wesleyan Youth needed the care and council of the Master as today. Innumerable voices call, endeavoring to entice us from the narrow way of discipleship. Great dangers and grave responsibilities beset us on every side. Safety is assured only as we walk as He walked and are held by the nail scarred hand. A safe rule to follow is to open the day with prayer and close it with a period of self examination. In so doing we will be able to follow the exhortation of the Apostle Paul to youthful Timothy, "but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity."

## THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

The Executive Council and the General Youth Committee, composed of District and Zone Chairmen have endeavored to find the "mind of the Spirit" on all matters pertaining to the youth program. We have worked in complete harmony with the Conference President and his Advisory Board. We urge that all local presidents and officers cooperate 100% with their pastors and the local church program. We have traveled hundreds of miles, and spent many hours in the pursuit of a suitable location for a Pioneer Project exclusively for the Youth of the Conference. The location selected is the Canton McKinley Housing project. Three lots with an evaluation of \$3750.00 have been given to us. The door is wide open. We have four families in the project at the present time now attending either the Canton First Church or Canton Second Church. All together there are eight families immediately effected, and their cooperation is expected from the very beginning. At present we have \$4000.00 on hand. The proposed building of 40x60 will cost approximately \$10,000.00. It is our plan, with the consent of the Conference President that we place our own preacher in the project to pastor the work, and we will have the privilege of carrying on his support. This plan has the hearty approval of the Pioneer Secretary as well as that of our Conference President. Does it have yours?

The following is an outline of our activities for the past year.

1. Preached at the following Zone Rallies: Akron, Canton, Pittsburgh, New Castle, and Dixonville; and at the Titusville District Rally.
2. Preached one Youth Revival at Titusville, Pa.
3. Preached one all day rally for the Christian Holiness Youth at Carlisle, Pa.
4. Presided over the Youth Congress in December at Canton, Ohio.
5. Prepared the program with the Executive Committee at Titusville, Pa. in January with aid of the Conference President.
6. Planned and participated with the Youth Committee in the canvassing of the Lewistown-Fairhope community, likewise the south Canton community.
7. With cooperation of H. E. Robertson, the Vice President, and Paul Rexrode, carried the necessary legal documents in the Canton McKinley project to secure release from them for the construction of a church. Secured 95% positive results.

We recommend the following goals for 1956-1957.

1. The organization of at least eight (8) new societies. And that each district or zone chairman endeavor to organize at least one new society in his district this year.
2. Twenty-five participating societies for the Efficiency Standard.
3. In schools where there are a few Christian young people, that they endeavor to organize for prayer and fasting one day a week. Obtaining a room in the school if necessary but where possible using the home of a neighbor or friend.
4. That spiritual Youth Week activities be planned instead of social and recreational activities.
5. Each young person read one good non-fiction book each year.

H. E. Schmul, President

## Report No. 3

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GOALS AND METHODS

The Committee on Goals and Methods submits the following report:

1. That every church organize a Wesleyan Youth Society.
2. That each society send the name and address of the local W.Y. President and Secretary to the Conference W.Y. President not later than one week after election.
3. That each society pay annually: \$1.50 per full member for General Conference dues and 50 cents per full member for Conference dues, and that this and all other monies to be dispersed be sent through the regular channel of local church treasurer and District subtreasurer, books to close April 30th.
4. a. That our pastors and local W.Y. Presidents carefully read and do their best to carry out the program of our Efficiency Standard.  
b. That a committee composed of the Pastor, W.Y. President and Secretary or the Efficiency Standard Chairman, shall grade the local society quarterly, according to the Efficiency Standard which shall be issued in the Convention Minutes, to qualify for the Efficiency Banner. This rating shall be submitted to the Conference Efficiency Standard Chairman quarterly and the annual report two weeks before the Annual Young People's Conference.  
c. That the secretary keep such records as are necessary for this committee to make this rating.
5. That each W.Y. urge those who have pioneer charts to submit pioneer money through the local W.Y. treasurer to give full credit to the W.Y.
6. That each W.Y. heartily support our missionary endeavor according to the requirements of the Discipline with one service a month for missions and we suggest that the offering of said meeting be given for missions.
7. It is suggested that each local society elect a "Wesleyan Youth" solicitor whose duty shall be to confer and cooperate with the Conference Solicitor, in stimulating the interest of the young people in the paper.
8. That each local society strive to engage in as many of the following as possible:
  - a. Street and institutional meetings.
  - b. Cottage prayer meetings.
  - c. Tract distribution.
  - d. Door-knob evangelism.
  - e. Visitation of sick and shut-ins.
  - f. The promotion of Child Evangelism, Daily Vacation Bible School, and Religious Education in public schools.
9. That each local W.Y. cooperate 100% to make Wesleyan Youth week all God wants it to be, and strive to interest other young people outside the church in these services.
10. a. That a local Prayer League Leader be elected to cooperate with the Conference Leader to recruit volunteers for the W.Y. Prayer League.  
b. That the name and address of this leader be sent at once to the Conference Prayer League Leader.  
c. That all efforts be made by the local societies and Districts to stimulate prayer by organizing prayer bands and district prayer meetings.
11. That the W.Y. augment the church and Sunday School library or where there is none, sponsor one, with our Wesleyan periodicals and Christian books.
12. That each W.Y. Society send the President and two delegates, with expenses paid, to the Annual W.Y. Convention.
13. a. That the Conference W.Y. President arrange to hold at least one service in each zone of each district during the year.

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b. That his traveling expenses be paid by a free will offering taken at the above mentioned service.

14. That the Districts and Zones evaluate their activities according to the following point system and an appropriate award be given to the one achieving the highest percentage.

10 points for having at least 6 Rallies a year (except W. Va.).

10 points for over-subscribing the Zone Pledge by 10%.

10 points for the organization of each new society.

10 points for a Paid Conference Budget from each organized society. (50 cents per member)

10 points for an offering from each unorganized society.

10 points for an active Prayer League Secretary in each district or Zone, with at least one district prayer meeting each year.

10 points for a Report of Zone Rallies sent to the Conference W.Y. President.

5 points for Chairman attending Youth Congress.

5 points for Chairman attending Annual Conference Convention.

## GOALS FOR 1956-57

1. That at least 25 W.Y. Societies report their Efficiency Standard rating to the Efficiency Standard Chairman.

2. That at least 8 new W.Y. Societies be organized.

3. That the Conference W.Y. pioneer project be the Canton-McKinley Church and that it be given our whole-hearted support.

Doris Cherry, Chairman

## Report No. 4

## WESLEYAN YOUTH TREASURER'S REPORT

April 30, 1955—April 30, 1956

## PIONEER FUND

## Receipts:

Old Balance .....	\$	\$
Cash .....		1,528.03

## Disbursements:

A. G. Carlson .....		\$1,528.03
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Balance in Treasury .....		None
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## DENOMINATIONAL FUND

## Receipts:

## General Dues

Cash .....	\$618.76	McIntyre .....	\$618.76
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## Home Missions

Cash .....	697.72	McIntyre .....	697.72
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## Jewish Work

Cash .....	6.00	McIntyre .....	6.00
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## Australia

Cash .....	29.70	McIntyre .....	29.70
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## Orphanage

Cash .....	18.30	McIntyre .....	18.30
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Brainerd Indian School			
Cash .....	65.00	McIntyre .....	65.00
Foreign Missions			
Cash .....	1,093.58	McIntyre .....	1,093.58
Japan Bible School			
Cash .....	5.00	McIntyre .....	5.00
Jeep for South America			
Cash .....	4.39	McIntyre .....	4.39
Puerto Rico			
Cash .....	25.00	McIntyre .....	25.00
IV Education			
Cash .....	146.47	McIntyre .....	146.47
L.S.U.			
Cash .....	50.00	McIntyre .....	50.00
Houghton			
Cash .....	10.00	McIntyre .....	10.00
V Youth Week Offering			
Cash .....	54.63	McIntyre .....	54.63
Balance in Treasury—None			

## YOUTH CONGRESS FUND

<b>Receipts:</b>		
Cash Offerings .....		\$211.05
<b>Disbursements:</b>		
Musical Messengers .....	\$133.31	
George Hawthorn .....	52.00	
Canton First (Utilities) .....	10.74	
Youth Congress Programs .....	15.00	
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Balance in Treasury		\$211.05
		None

## ORTLIP'S FUND

<b>Receipts:</b>		
Old Balance .....	\$1,546.07	
Cash & Pledges .....	1,381.69	
(Receipts) .....	5.00	
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		\$2,932.76
<b>Disbursements:</b>		
Ortlip's Salary to F. R. Birch .....		\$986.38
Balance in Treasury .....		\$1,941.38

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S PIONEER PROJECT FUND

<b>Receipts:</b>		
Cash Offerings .....	\$1,245.89	
<b>Disbursements:</b>		None
Balance in Treasury .....		\$1,245.89

## GENERAL FUND

<b>Receipts:</b>		
Old Balance .....	\$580.24	
W.Y. Funds from Conf. Treas. ....	280.29	

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Caretaker's Salary .....	5.00
Convention Dues .....	5.50
1955 Y. P. Convention Receipts .....	2,891.57
Conference Dues .....	327.38
Special Offering for Rev. Hugh Newcomb .....	5.10

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 \$4,095.08
**Disbursements:**

J. B. Markey—Registration cards for Conv. ....	\$10.50
Ronald Brannon—Convention Musician .....	150.00
Herbert Logsdon—Convention Speaker .....	125.00
David Budensick—Convention Speaker .....	125.00
Donald Jones—Convention Speaker .....	100.00
Ruth Giles—Convention Worker .....	15.00
Mrs. Mary Huntsman—Convention Worker .....	20.00
Walter Jopp—Convention Food .....	824.15
Dining Hall Services .....	80.00
Mrs. Carlson—Dining Hall Worker .....	40.00
C. L. Chess—Cleaning Tabernacle .....	30.00
Linda Bradford—Campground Preparation .....	20.00
Carolyn Benninger—Convention Nurse .....	12.00
Lorman Elliot—P.A. Services at Conv. ....	5.00
Marion Clark—Convention Police .....	20.00
Mix Peterson—Convention Police .....	20.00
A. G. Carlson—Caretaker's Salary .....	300.00
Space in Conf. Minutes .....	60.00
Iris Holley—Care of Rest Rooms at Conv. ....	5.00
Ruth Giles—Convention Supplies .....	5.44
Mrs. Irene Hanley—Conv. Missionary Speaker ....	70.00
H. K. Sheets—Receipt Books .....	3.00
Clyde Taylor—Campground Insurance .....	50.00
Convention Utilities .....	89.86
Mark Larson—Expenses Paid .....	3.50
H. E. Schmul—Salary .....	25.00
Expenses Paid .....	130.45
H. E. Robertson, Jr.—Expenses Paid .....	57.35
Delmar Kaufman—Salary .....	25.00
Expenses Paid .....	49.24
Dean McIntire—Salary .....	25.00
Expenses Paid .....	24.65
F. E. Satterfield—Expenses Paid .....	13.20
Paul Rexrode—Expenses Paid .....	41.60
David Stonebraker—Expenses Paid .....	18.17
Glenn Elsey—Expenses Paid .....	5.00
Jack Benninger—Expenses Paid .....	26.95
R. J. Wade—Expenses Paid .....	3.05
Olin M. Pfautz—Salary .....	25.00
Expenses Paid .....	17.50
Sheridan Rainey—Expenses Paid .....	10.30
Swinehart Printing—Printing Cards and Stationery .....	22.00
Franklin Press—Printing Cards & Bookmarks ....	19.25
Dwight Kopp—Linotype for Efficiency Standard Blanks .....	16.00
Mrs. Ladonna Kopp—Envelopes & Postage .....	4.19
Mrs. Hugh Newcomb—Special Offering from	



Pittsburgh Church .....	5.10	
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General Offering Fund .....	\$4,095.08	\$2,747.45
Expense Account .....	2,747.45	
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Balance in Treasury .....	\$1,347.63	
Respectfully submitted,		
Dean McIntire, Conf. Treas.		

## Report No. 5

## 1956 EFFICIENCY STANDARD REPORT

1. Spiritual state of grace of society members .....	10%
2. Faithfulness and punctuality in attendance .....	10%
3. Daily devotions of Bible reading and prayer .....	10%
4. Membership reading Wesleyan periodicals and other spiritual books and literature .....	5%
5. Conduct and choice of associates—Members and associates living lives as becometh Holiness. II Peter 1: 2-8, II Cor. 6: 14-18 .....	5%
6. Every member patterning his or her manner of dress in accordance with I Tim 2: 9, 10; I Peter 3: 5; I Cor. 11: 14-15 .....	5%
7. Faithful bringing of tithes and offerings. Malachi 3: 10 .....	4%
8. Every member cooperating with the W.Y. Prayer League .....	4%
9. Memorization of one Bible verse per week .....	3%
10. Monthly missionary service with missionary offering .....	5%
11. Remittance of fees to Conference W.Y. Treasurer through District Subtreasurer as follows: \$1.50 per active member per year for the W.Y. Department, 50¢ per member per year Conference dues for W.Y. forwarded quarterly .....	4%
12. Net yearly membership gain .....	5%
13. Attendance and participation in Youth and Holiness Conventions and Stoneboro Camp .....	5%
14. Members engaged in soul saving, with some local project planned and executed, (street meetings, hospital services, tract distribution and such projects) .....	5%
15. Observe and report Youth Week activities .....	4%
16. Full cooperation with the Conference Pioneer program, with emphasis on the use of Pioneer charts and support of Youth Pioneer Project .....	5%
17. One educational service per year with offering for education. ..	2%
18. Each W.Y. family subscribing to the Wesleyan Youth .....	3%
19. All statistics and information furnished the Conference Secretary at the time designated by the Conference W.Y. President ..	3%
20. Keep a systematic record of Efficiency Standard and send the rating of the local society to the Efficiency Standard Chairman quarterly and the yearly report two weeks before Conference ..	3%
Total .....	100%
F. R. Satterfield, (Temporary) Chairman	

## Report No. 6

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Your W.Y. Nominating Committee submits the following nominations:  
 President—Rev. H. E. Schmul  
 Vice President—Rev. H. E. Robertson, Jr.  
 Secretary—Rev. D. R. Kaufman  
 Treasurer—Rev. Dean McIntire

Roscoe R. Wilson, Chairman

## Report No. 7

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We, the Committee on Resolutions of the Wesleyan Youth of the Allegheny Conference submit the following:

1. That we, as Wesleyan Youth, govern our lives by adhering to the standards of the Bible and the principles set forth in the Discipline, as interpreted by the Allegheny Conference.
2. a. That we, as Christian youth, have a definite plan of daily Bible reading, Bible memorization, and prayer and accept privileges of carrying a soul burden.  
 b. That we strive to have each active member of the Wesleyan Youth become a member of the Wesleyan Youth Prayer League.
3. a. That we refrain from reading unwholesome literature such as comics, detective, and True Story or other literature detrimental to our spiritual life.  
 b. That we build Christian character through careful and extensive reading of edifying literature.
4. That we take a positive stand against worldliness in that we refrain from the following:
  - a. Card playing, games of chance, theatre attendance, public beaches, mixed bathing, dance halls (including participation in Senior Proms), skating rinks, circuses, carnivals, fairs, and viewing television.
  - b. Immodesty of dress and immoral conduct.
  - c. Worldly amusements and sports.
5. That, due to the problems of modern education, in as far as possible and advisable, we will support our own church schools with our prayers and finances.
6. That our societies be evangelistic in our plan of work by supporting the Sunday School and other church services, by distributing tracts, street car evangelism, street meetings, personal work and pioneer work.
7. That our regular meetings be restricted to a time of spiritual uplift instead of a time of eating, drinking, and frivolity.
8. That each society shall appoint a proper chaperon for their group attending the annual convention, who shall be responsible for their conduct and attendance at all services of the convention, and we request the presence of the pastors.
9. That each society have two adult counselors, one of which shall be the pastor.
10. That a copy of these resolutions be posted and that they be read in the local society quarterly.

Wayne Carpenter, Chairman

## Report No. 8

## REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE YOUTH SOLICITOR

I appreciate each local solicitor who has sent in his report this past year. I have been able to be of some help. We have had an increase in subscriptions this year, but surely Allegheny Conference young people can do better than we have done in the past. We should be more interested in the WESLEYAN YOUTH now that we have two from our own Conference writing articles each month. This year we have 647 subscriptions. Let's all work together and see if we can't do better next year.

Every Wesleyan youth should be a reader of THE WESLEYAN YOUTH. Along with the other periodicals, it should be in every Wesleyan Methodist home: and as a missionary ministry, local groups and individuals should sponsor the placing of THE WESLEYAN YOUTH in such public places as libraries, doctors' and dentists' offices, railroad stations, and such places. THE WESLEYAN YOUTH should be in institutions as jails and similar places. THE WESLEYAN YOUTH is now the official organ of Wesleyan Youth everywhere. That is why we should want our subscription list to grow, that its ministry may be expanded both among the youth and the adults of our churches, and wherever we may find an opportunity to place it in unsaved homes or in public places.

During the summer and fall months, there is an offer of one copy of "Sunday Evenings With Jesus" Vol. 5, a tested and proven book of program materials, to any individual or local society having five renewal or new subscriptions to THE WESLEYAN YOUTH. The subscription should be sent to Syracuse, but you should also notify the office in Marion, Indiana, and they will send the free book by return mail.

Pray much that THE WESLEYAN YOUTH may be a medium of evangelism and soul strength for our youth everywhere.

Marion Geahry, YOUTH Solicitor

## Report No. 9

## REPORT OF W. Y. PRAYER LEAGUE SECRETARY

The Prayer League continues with a strong emphasis upon four things essential to any strong spiritual Youth Group, namely, Prayer, Bible Reading, Fasting, and Soul Winning. Following the Youth Congress there has been new interest in several churches in the Prayer League. There are now 51 churches participating in the Prayer League with a total membership of 548. This should be much better and it is my sincere hope that in the following year many more will take up this important work.

F. E. Satterfield, Secretary

## Report No. 10

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE EFFICIENCY STANDARD  
CHAIRMAN

We can be encouraged by the interest shown this year in reporting the efficiency ratings. I believe that the Efficiency Guide that was print-

ed and sent out has been of some help and interest. We wish to thank our president, Rev. Schmul, for his help and encouragement, and the Cleveland society for their help with the Efficiency Guide.

Efficiency means efficient living with Christ, efficient thinking, planning and working. Let's do more this coming year for Christ and our societies.

The winner of this year's "close" race for the efficiency banner is Cleveland, with 89.2%; and next comes Ashville with 89%; and third, Rochester, 87.7%. We thank all for their cooperation and honesty.

Ladonna Kopp, Efficiency Standard Chairman

### WESLEYAN YOUTH EFFICIENCY

	1st Qu.	2nd Qu.	3rd Qu.	4th Qu.	Yearly
Akron First	77%	77%		77%	
Ashville	83%	90%		94%	89%
Barberton	94.9%		87.5%		
Bethany	51%				
Canton Second	79%			70%	
Cleveland First	87.5%	87.4%	90.4%	91.6%	89.2%
East Conneaut	71.1%			53%	
Franklin	67%				
Hadley	51%	51%	57%	61%	55%
Hampe Memorial				60%	
Isabella			89%		
Middlefield		74%	87%	91.5%	
Pine Grove	70%	80%	81%	84%	78.7%
Pittsburgh				81%	
Pittsfield	53%	84%	93%	89.8%	79.9%
Punxsutawney	63%				
Rochester	85%	87%	90%	89%	87.7%
Sarver	82%	86.1%	83.5%	89.7%	85.3%
Titusville	56.3%	75.3%	71.8%	74.2%	69.4%
Wolf Summit	51%			62%	

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THANKS

We, the Committee on Thanks, in behalf of every young person at the Convention wish:

First, to give Praise to God for His presence in our midst. To God be the honor and glory for everyone who has received help.

Second, to express our appreciation to our leaders, Bro. Schmul, Bro. Robertson, and Bro. Kaufman, for their untiring efforts in making this convention possible.

Third, to say thanks to our teachers for the lessons they have taught us. We are sure everyone has benefitted from these classes.

Fourth, to express our grateful appreciation to our speakers, Bro. Roy and Bro. Gale, for each God anointed message they have brought us; and for the light that they have shed on our pathways. May God help us to walk in it.

Fifth, to express our thanks to Dr. and Mrs. Benninger for their informative talks.

Sixth, to express our thanks to our singers, Bro. and Sr. Degenkolb.

We have deeply enjoyed their singing under the anointing of God.

Seventh, to express thanks to the police, who have been so patient and understanding.

Eighth, to say to Bro. Kopp and his many workers in the dining hall, who have fed us so well: that we enjoyed our very tasty meals.

Ninth, to give thanks to Bro. Chess; who, though perhaps not seen so much, has worked so hard to keep things neat.

Tenth, to say that the testimony of Bro. Scala was a blessing to all.

We know that we must have missed some who have worked in this Convention, but will you just accept our thanks and appreciation and may the Lord bless each one for helping in the Convention.

Ken Houston—Catherine Smith, Committee

## W. Y. STATISTICAL REPORT

Local	Active Members	Associate Members	Wesleyan Youth Subscriptions	Efficiency Standard Rating	General Dues	Conference Dues	Church Extension	Education	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Local Work	Other Items	Total Receipts Plus Balance	Total Disbursements	East on Hand
Akron, First	22	34	B		\$43.50	\$15.00	\$35.00	\$10.00		\$77.00	\$80.16		\$265.24	\$260.66	\$4.58
Annandale	24	8	C			36.00	84.63	20.00	\$25.00	4.00	68.75		239.44	238.38	1.06
Ashville	9	10	B		3.00	9.00		1.50	34.00	4.30	48.13	\$34.05	160.10	133.98	26.12
Barberton	38	33			57.00	19.00	25.00		75.00		30.00		231.00	206.00	25.00
Barkley	5				7.50	1.50		10.00	4.75		12.55		36.64	36.30	.34
Bethany	18	14			12.00						35.00		79.88	47.00	32.88
Brownsville	12	3			16.15		120.00		32.00		11.41		184.07	179.56	4.51
Canton, First	45	45			61.50	26.05	258.12	50.41	634.53	634.64	34.72		1,788.39	1,699.97	88.42
Canton, Second	21	1	C		10.50	21.00		4.91	25.00	25.00	2.47		96.91	88.88	8.03
Carrollton	17	9			27.00	9.00	28.00		21.64	21.63	8.01	5.50	114.79	77.51	37.28
Cleveland	25	24	A		25.00	12.50	91.00	3.65	25.95		172.39		437.95	347.81	90.14
Cottage Hill	15	31	B		13.00	6.50	41.08		25.00		10.40		150.09	114.03	36.06
Dixonville	14	13			21.00		243.27	5.00	25.00		27.50		354.66	304.67	49.99
East Conneaut	14	2	C		14.00	7.00					7.00		52.63	32.00	20.63
Erie	13	2			6.50	25.00			50.00		6.00		129.91	87.50	42.41
Franklin	13	7			12.00	6.00	25.00		43.55		10.20		108.90	96.75	12.15
Greenville	16	3			7.00	3.00	30.00			3.00	55.00	7.00	143.88	102.00	41.88
Hadley	6	7	B		6.50		5.00	3.00	10.00	3.75	7.15	15.97	64.17	54.31	9.86
Hampe Memorial	15	10	C		24.00				50.00		60.00		207.80	147.00	60.80
Hillsdale	11	2			11.00	2.15		3.00	25.00	16.50	72.25		142.43	132.20	10.23
Indiana	25	5			37.50	12.50	100.00	15.00	50.00		25.00		270.50	240.00	30.50
Isabella	9	2	B		12.00	6.00	24.84	5.00	26.38	10.00			134.71	84.22	50.49
Massillon	13	3			13.00	6.50	35.00	5.00	200.00		41.05		315.70	300.55	15.15
Meadville	19	5			17.00	4.00			20.00		4.00	7.00	56.08	52.00	4.08
Mechanicsburg	13	1	B		22.00	8.00	3.00	5.00	26.00	5.00	9.00	15.50	103.10	95.50	7.60
Mentcle	5	5			7.50	2.50	3.60	5.00			75.00		128.60	93.60	35.00
Middlefield	16	10	B		22.50	8.00	3.00	5.00	26.00	5.00	22.50		103.00	92.00	11.00
New Castle	22	17	B						125.00	43.63	194.02	198.20	1,005.34	560.85	444.49
Nu Mine	20	6				10.00	98.40				75.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	
Oak Grove	6				9.00	3.00							227.29	183.40	43.89
Oil City	6	4			6.00	3.00			10.78	10.00			36.00	12.00	24.00
Pine Grove	18	10	B		11.00	5.50		10.00	23.48	20.10	49.02	120.14	55.16	29.78	25.38
Pittsburgh	23	20	C		34.50	14.80		14.96			35.36		268.48	239.24	29.24
Pleasant View	10	1			10.00				15.00		20.00	15.35	158.32	146.22	12.10
Riverview	14	10							50.00		50.00		93.89	60.35	33.54
Rochester	29	11	A		27.00	13.50		10.00		50.00	50.00		169.00	100.00	69.00
Sagamore	30	15									170.31		314.11	276.81	37.30
Sandy Lake	13	13			2.00	4.00									
Sarver	15	5	B		24.00	8.70	46.81	5.00	25.00	5.00		142.00	163.67	153.00	10.67
Titusville	34	18			49.50	16.50	136.00		354.17	10.00	16.64	5.00	200.70	141.15	59.55
West Middlesex	10	5			7.50	12.70	25.00	5.00	55.92	65.00	134.70	10.05	784.09	765.92	18.17
Wolf Summit	9	5						35.00	10.00		16.84	70.00	192.96	192.96	2.34
Totals	668	107	367		\$599.15	\$292.40	\$1,433.45	\$223.43	\$1,824.15	\$1,079.55	\$1,509.86	\$275.20	\$10,171.27	\$10,171.27	\$4.85