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1941 CONFERENCE OFFICIARY

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Vice-President	C. Edgar Zike
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Sunday-school Secretary	H. N. Robinson
Tithing Secretary	Catharine Carr

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Charles C. CrossTerm	expires	1944
George B. ClayTerm	expires	1943
J. Robert SwaugerTerm		
Fred W. DreyerTerm	expires	1942
Dr. M. E. ChurchillTerm	expires	1943
President's Advisory Committee-C. E. Zike, Charles A.	Ries.	193 n

Missionary—J. R. Swauger, ex-officio Chairman; Akron District, T. W. Comadoll; Indiana District, H. E. Van Wormer; New Castle District, C. D. Patterson; Titusville, W. H. Armstrong; West Virginia District, C. A. West.

Sunday School-H. N. Robinson, Secretary; T. W. Comadoll, G. D. Lauby.

STANDING COMMITTEES

- On Presidency-C. C. Cross, D. B. Hampe, A. D. Fero, Russell Baldwin, Charles A. Ries.
- Judiciary-I. F. McLeister, W. H. Armstrong, D. B. Hampe, C. D. Patterson.

Itineracy and Orders—C. C. Cross, first year; A. D. Fero, second year; G. B. Clay, third year; H. C. Van Wormer, fourth year.

- Auditing and Finance-W. H. Armstrong, T. McCracken, E. D. Lupton.
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New Castle, Miss Vera Barker, 929 Adams Street, New Castle, Penna. Titusville, Russell Baldwin, 412 Lafayette Street, Jamestown, N. Y.

West Virginia, Mrs. Chloe Shriver, 53 Montgomery Ave., Waynesburg, Penna.



"Oh, how sweet it will be in that beautiful land, So free from all sorrow and pain, With songs on our lips and with 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. 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. Auctin N. Hamlin 1881. Austin N. 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 B. Gardener, Feb. 15, 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, 1897. Gershon Fairchild, Mar. 20, 1899. Joseph Campbell, Aug. 4, 1900. George Savage, Sept. 20, 1900. George W. Turner, Aug. 10, 1901. George Ritchie, Jan. 30, 1902. Note: Two of the earliest Record Books having been lost, this record is incomplete.

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. Missionary to Africa Sarah Kennedy, Feb. 22, 1908. John H. Ellet, Oct. 30, 1908. Linus W. Krahl, Feb. 1, 1909. Mary C. Cordner, April 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, April 26, 1917. Mary E. Buell, Jan. 3, 1918. Missionary to Africa Ethiel Hickok, Feb. 21, 1921. P. D. Cutshall, April 8, 1921. Sarah E. Shultz, July 24, 1921. Edith B. Hill, April 9, 1922. L. W. 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. 23, 1920. 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. Conference President, died in office. Clara T. Williams, July 1, 1937. P. B. Campbell, April 6, 1938. President Emeritus Allegheny Conference. Charles Williams, Aug. 2, 1938. F. J. Davis, May 10, 1939. Clinton Bard, Oct. 12, 1939. Florence E. Salisbury, Jan. 3, 1940. W. A. Lawrence, April 20, 1940.

CONFERENCE ROLL

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H. E.	Enty	2	Houghton, New Yor	1-
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T. W.	Comadoll	4		0
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Kingana	J. L. Schell		404 East Huron Street, Bluffton, Indiana	
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· 0.	Harold R. Waite	4	Conneautville, Penna	
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10	Helen Dentler	4	R. D. 2, Albion, Penna.	
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	C. B. Pugh	4		
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	4Dixonville, Penna.
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East Clarksburg 4 Mrs. Callie Love, E. Main St., Clarksburg, W. Va.
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ErieBrookside, Penna.
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4. Mrs. Effie Uber Greenville, Penna.
Greenwood 4. Mrs. Ruth Armour, R. D. 2, Cochranton, Penna.
HarborNo Delegate
Hortons
Indiana
Keepville
4. Mrs. Grace GravesR. D. 1, Albion, Penna.
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4. Macie Jones, Gen. Hospital, Jamestown, N. Y.
Massillon
Meadville
Mechanicsburg 3Mrs. Gladys Nash
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Middlefield
Mount Calvary 4. Mrs. Gertrude Wingert, 102 Euclid Ave.,
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Mount Pleasant 4. Esther WaidR. D. 3, Meadville, Penna.
New Castle 4. Evangeline Dunkerly, 1207 S. Mill St.,
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North Springfield 2. Mrs. Louise Weaver North Springfield, Penna.
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Pine Grove 4Dr. M. E. ChurchillArcadia, Penna.
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			rsonFrostburg, Penna.
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			.Denton Plan, Rochester, Penna.
	40liv	ve Helmick, 3	85 Vermont Ave., Rochester, Pa.
Sagamore	4Aln	ieda Harkler	oadSagamore, Penna.
Sandy Lake .	4Her	man J. Perri	neR. D., Stonebore, Penna.
÷	4Fos	ter Alexande	rR. D., Mercer, Penna.
-	3Lyd	la Walker	Sandy Lake, Penna.
Sarver	3Mrs	. Rebecca W	altersSarver, Penna.
Stewart Run	2F. V	W. Dreyer	Tionesta, Penna.
Sugar Creek	4Dot	na Schecken	gostR. D., Franklin, Penna.
T	3. Elsi	e Hoobler	R. D. 1, Carolton, Penna.
Larentum	4Mrs	s. Ruby Moli	, 1018 Norwood St.,
Templeton C	aloned 4 Tau		Brackenridge, Penna.
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Titusville	4 Mrs	Nettio Corn	enter, 324 Brook St.,
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West Fairfield		a M Stahlen	Titusville, Penna. nithR. D. 1, Hadley, Penna.
West Middlese	x 4. Mrs	Elizabeth F	KulpWest Middlesex, Penna.
White Memor	ial 4. Mrs	Elsie Pezze	lle, 356 Fifth St., Struthers, Ohio
	4Este	ella Van Auke	er, 56 Spring St., Struthers, Ohio
Wilgus	4Mrs	. Elizabeth S	hields, R. D.
_			Rochester Mills, Penna.
Wolf Summit	4Mrs	. Dorothy M	cIntyreWest Union, W. Va.
	4Wile	la Kells	

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DIRECTORY OF CHURCHES AND LOCATION

Church Name

Location

Akron, First—Corner West South and Kenyon Streets, Akron, Ohio. (South Akron.)

Akron, Grace Wesleyan—1202 Onondaga Avenue, Akron, Ohio. One-half block from George Barber School, East Akron.

Akron, Maple Valley-1361 Copley Road, Akron, Ohio. (West Side.)

Akron, McLeister Memorial—1214 Coventry Street, Akron, Ohio. Corner Coventry and Clifford Streets. Firestone Park.

VAnnandale—Boyers, Pa. (Butler County.)

Ashville-Ashville, New York.

Barberton-25 Seventeenth Street, N. W., Barberton, Ohio.

Bethel (Connor)-Two miles east of Daybrook, West Virginia.

Brown Hill-Youngsville, Pa. Four miles north of Youngsville-Chandlers Valley Road.

Brownsville-1220 Second Street, Brownsville, Pa.

Canton, First-Corner Sixth Street and Marion Avenue, S. W., Canton, O.

Canton, Second—31st Street, N. E., Canton, Ohio. Four blocks off U. S. Route 62. Just outside city limits.

Cecil-Knotsville—Five miles east of Grafton, W. Va., one-third mile west off black top road.

Mount View—Barber County, Route 119 from Grafton. Take black top road toward Ardon. Church near Moatsville, W. Va.

Prichard—Route 119 from Grafton, W. Va., turn at Service Station on Ardon Road four miles, left on stone road to Clemtown, one mile, left two miles to church.

Cleveland-9001 Wao: Park Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dixonville-Dixonville Pa.

East Clarksburg-Corner Fowler Avenue and Allen Street, Clarksburg, W. Va.

East Conneaut—Main and Furnace Road, East Conneaut, Ohio. (U. S. Route 20.)

Emeigh-Emeigh, Penna.

Erie-Corner 29th and Liberty Streets, Erie, Pa. (South West.)

Franklin-Corner 14th and Eagle Streets, Franklin, Pa.

Greenville-52 Clarksville Street, (Route 18) West Side, Greenville, Pa.

Greenwood—Four and seven-tenths miles north of Shakleyville, Pa., on Route 19, and two miles west on gravel road.

North Salem-

cord Road. 18, one mile west on gravel road. Luciusboro-Luciusboro, Penna. Meadville-Corner Randolph and Jefferson Streets, Meadville, Pa. quippa, Pa. Shippingport-Shippingport, Pa. (Route 118.) Mentcle-Mentcle, Pa. (Cambria County.) Middlefield-Middlefield, Ohio. New Castle-412 Lyndal Street, South, New Castle, Pa. Niles-164 North Chestnut Street, Niles, Ohio. Nu Mine-Nu Mine, Penna. Pine Grove-One mile east of Arcadia, Pa. Hillsdale-Hillsdale, Pa. Pittsburgh-3242 McClure Avenue, N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa. Pittsfield-Pittsfield, Pa. Route 27 near junction Route 6. Punxsutawney-Extreme west end of Center Street, Punxsutawney, Pa. Rich Hill-One mile south of Clymer, Pa.

Spruce Grove-Four miles southeast of Penn Run, Pa.

Rochester-Corner Ohio Avenue and Reno Street, Rochester, Pa. One block north of Route 68 on Ohio Avenue.

Sagamore-Third Street Sagamore, Pa.

Sandy Lake-Sandy Lake, Pa.

Oak Grove-Six miles west of Stoneboro, Pa. One mile east of Fairview.

Zion-Three and one-half miles south of Sandy Lake, Pa., on R. 78. Sarver-Sarver, Pa.

Church Name

Location

Harbor-One and one-half miles east of Concord Corners, Pa.

Cottage Hill-Four and one-half miles east of Union City, on Con-

Hortons-Hortons, Pa. (Smithport) near Glen Campbell, Indiana County. Indiana-Corner 12th and Church Streets, Indiana, Pa.

Keepville-Albion, Pa. One and one-half miles south of Albion on Route

Lynndon Park (Falconer)-126 West James Street, Falconer, New York, Massillon-9th Street and Green Avenue, S. W., Massillon, Ohio.

Mechanicsburg-One and one-half miles north of intersection Route 30 and 18 on Route 18 at intersection Route 151. 12 miles from Ali-

Pleasant Hill-One and one-half miles west of intersection Route 18 and 30.

Mount Calvary-First road off Route 30 south of New Franklin, Ohio. About three-fourths mile.

Mount Pleasant-Meadville, Pa. Two miles north of Viscose Plant, at Black Corners.

North Springfield-North Springfield, Pa. 20 miles west of Erie, on Route 5.

Oil City-

Church Name

Location

Stewart Run—Five miles northwest of Tionesta, Pa., on Route 327.

Sugar Creek—Nine miles northeast of Franklin, Pa. Half mile off Route 322 at Hannaville.

Tarentum-528 East Eighth Street, Tarentum, Pa.

Templeton (Colored)-Templeton, Penna.

Templeton, Zion Wesleyan-Templeton, Pa.

Titusville-East Spruce Street, Titusville, Pa.

West Fairfield—Three and seven-tenths miles north of Shakleyville, Pa., on Route 19. Two miles east on dirt road.

West Middlesex-Wes Middlesex, Penna.

White Memorial (Struthers)—Corner 5th and Lincoln Sts., Struthers, O. Wilgus—Wilgus, Penna. Three miles west of Hillsdale.

Wolf Summit-Wolf Summit, West Virginia.

Rock Run—One mile east of West Union, W. Va., on Route 50, one mile left.

Missions:

Blue Eye Chapel—Mile and one half north of Spring Creek, Penna. Cherry Tree—Cherry Tree, Penna. Near Titusville. Loveiov—Lovejoy, Penna. Near Starford.

JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS

OFFICIAL RECORD

First Day-June 4, Wednesday a. m.

The Allegheny Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection (or Church) of America convened for its ninety-eighth annual session at the Campgrounds of the Wesleyan Methodist Camp Meeting Association, Stoneboro, Pennsylvania, at 8:30 a. m. June 4, 1941. The main auditorium was used for all public meetings and deliberation, and cottages and Boarding Hall for entertainment. Session called to order by President J. R. Swauger. Singing was led by Mrs. Olive Helmick, "Rolled Away" and "He Abides." Prayer, Joseph B. Markey. President's message was taken from Ephesians 4:1-17, 2 Chronicles 5:11-14. Text, Ephesians 4:3. Prayer led by H. C. Van Wormer.

Roll Call: 38 Elders, 31 Conference Preachers.

Bar of Conference determined: First seven tiers of seats, three central sections.

Report: Conference Nominating Committee. Complete. Report adopted. (See Report No. 14.)

Report: Committee on Delegates Credentials. Names of 56 Delegates presented. Names called and placed on roll.

Name of J. R. Swauger called. Vice-President called to Chair. Character passed and report read and adopted as follows: Item 6 referred to Auditing and Finance Committee, Item 3 referred to Committee on Boundaries. Report approved. (See Report No. 1.)

President returned to Chair.

Time of meeting determined: Open at 8:00 a. m. and close by vote. Open at 1:30 p. m. and close by vote.

Report: Committee on Presidency. Report adopted. (See Report No. 7.)

Names called and passed: G. W. Richardson, A. E. Kerst, W. H. Armstrong, C. A. West, Elsie E. Moyer, Claude Eshelman, T. McCracken, D. B. Hampe, Olive M. West, (Delegates, reported for Cecil and Mary Huntsman), T. W. Comadoll, H. N. Robinson, E. D. Lupton, H. A. Markell:

Committee authorized by vote and appointed by President to receive offering for Cecil and Mary Huntsman: C. F. Smith, C. L. Chess, G. Markey, Ada Dishong.

Report: Camp Meeting President. Read and adopted. (See Report No. 17.)

Report: Bethshan Home President. Approved. (See Report No. 5.) Adjourned by motion at 12:00. Dismissal by I. D. Swinehart.

First Day-June 4, Wednesday p. m.

Called to order at 1:30. Singing led by Walter Kopp, "Jesus Understands" and "I Have Moved." Clair J. Tucker prayed. Matthew 17 read by Clyde A. Blair.

Roll Call: 39 Elders, 37 Conference Preachers, 60 Delegates.

Minutes read and approved.

Names called and passed: A. D. Fero, Gracia Fero, G. B. Clay, C. C. Cross, H. C. Van Wormer, Charles Baker, J. F. Merrifield, George Blankenbicker, Glen D. Lauby, Chester D. and Edna Z. Patterson, F. P. Kerst, Clyde Blair.

Report: Committee on Boundaries. Items 1, 2, 3, adopted. (See Report No. 8.)

Report: Credentials Committee submitted three names. Names called and placed on roll.

Recess for five minutes.

Order of the Day Determined: Election of officers Thursday at 9:00 a.m.

Names called and passed: J. W. Dentler, Helen Dentler, H. R. Waite, H. L. Speas, W. A. Robbie.

Adjourned by vote at 3:30 for committee work. Dismissed by Charles Baker.

Second Day-June 5, Thursday a. m.

Devotional singing led by H. E. Robertson, "O the Unsearchable Riches." Prayer by T. W. Comadoll. Scripture, 1 John 4:1-12. Prayer around the altar.

Roll Call: 37 Elders, 32 Conference Preachers, 60 Delegates.

Report: Committee on Credentials submitted names of two Delegates. Names called and placed on roll.

Presented to Conference: Rev. I. F. McLeister, Connectional Editor and Representative.

Minutes read and approved.

Petition from Cherry Tree Mission read and referred to Committee on Boundaries. (See Report No. 8.)

Report: Conference Sunday-school Secretary, H. N. Robinson. Read and adopted as read. (See Report No. 9.)

By motion a rising vote of appreciation was given H. N. Robinson.

Report: Committee on Itineracy and Orders. Items 1 to 9, Item 3 adopted by vote. Balance of Report adopted as a whole.

Orders of the Day: Election of Conference Officers. Tellers appointed and instructed to canvas vote and report. T. A. Robertson, W. N. Saunders, E. R. Barris, Donald Jones, T. W. Comadoll, Howard L. Speas, Clyde Blair, Clifford Hoien.

Election resulted as follows: President, J. R. Swauger; Vice-President, C. E. Zike; Secretary, Joseph B. Markey; Assistant Secretary, G. D. Lauby, Nominated by Secretary and approved by vote; Trustee: Elder, C. C. Cross; Lay, Dr. M. E. Churchill. Elected by acclamation; Sundayschool Secretary, H. N. Robinson; T. W. Comadoll and G. D. Lauby nominated to Sunday-school Board by Secretary, and approved by vote. Tithing Secretary, Catharine Carr; President's Advisory, C. E. Zike, Charles A. Ries, nominated by President, and approved; Committee on Presidency, C. C. Cross, D. B. Hampe, A. D. Fero, Russell Baldwin, Charles A. Ries; Judiciary, I. F. McLeister, W. H. Armstrong, D. B. Hampe, C. D. Patterson; Itineracy and Orders, C. C. Cross; Auditing and Finance, W. H. Armstrong, T. McCracken, E. D. Lupton; Sale of Conference Minutes, Clyde Blair; Statistical Chairman, Clifford Hoien; Group Insurance Treasurer, A. E. Kerst.

Motion carried that Sub-Treasurers, present Statistical Committee and W. H. & F. M. Society President be committee to devise rules for filling statistical blanks in uniform manner.

Presented to Conference: Sister Clara McLeister.

Offering for Secretary \$21.55 and by vote Conference Treasurer authorized to increase to \$40.00.

Presented to Conference: Dr. Stephen W. Paine, President of Houghton College; Anna Fillmore, Teacher in Houghton Bible School; Emory Scott, and E. Seeman.

Names called and passed: I. F. McLeister, E. W. Brooks, J. I. Rambo, C. J. White, Verna A. and Joseph Clinefelter, Joseph B. Markey, Georgia Markey. Oneida J. Gleason reported as Pioneer Secretary. (See Report No. 12.) Item 22 referred to Auditing and Finance Committee, adopted by rising vote of thanks. H. E. Robertson, T. A. Robertson.

Adjourned by vote at 12:00.

Second Day—June 5, Thursday p. m.

Devotional: Houghton College group presented Educational Interest. Ladies quartette sang and Dr. Stephen Paine read scripture and prayed, and spoke, in general, of Houghton's progress. Miss Anna Fillmore spoke of the Bible School. Quartette sang. Professor Claude A. Ries spoke of "Houghton College as a Bulwark in Times Like These."

Roll Call: 39 Elders, 21 Conference Preachers, 54 Delegates.

Conference Sermon: (See Religious Services.)

Presented to Conference: Mrs. Stephen Paine, Mrs. Hugh Paine, Professor C. A. Ries, and the Houghton Girls' Quartette: Vera Clocksin, Doris Armstrong, Gwendolyn Fancher, Doris Eyler.

Name called and passed: W. G. Steele.

Adjourned by motion at 4: 30. Dismissed by T. W. Comadoll.

Third Day—June 6, Friday a. m.

Devotional in charge of W. H. & F. M. Society. Sister Ruth Leyshon led singing, Sister Van Wormer prayed. Gracia Fero and Catharine Carr led in singing choruses, "Got any Rivers" and "Just Fasten Your Eyes on Jesus." Matthew 15: 32-39 read and commented upon by Sister Fero, followed by singing "Deeper Yet, I Pray."

Roll Call: 40 Elders, 32 Conference Preachers, 70 Delegates.

Vice-President called to Chair.

Minutes read and approved.

Report: Credentials Committee submitted one name. Name called and placed on roll.

Petition presented by H. N. Robinson. Petition adopted. (See Resolution, Report No. 16.)

Report: Nominating Committee for Mission Board. Adopted. (See Report No. 10.)

Petition from Mentcle Church read and referred to Committee on Boundaries. (See Report No. 8.)

Report: Committee on Itineracy and Orders. Final. Addition to Item 10, adopted. (See Report No. 2.)

Names called and passed: C. E. Zike, H. E. Enty, Ethel Enty, C. H. Campbell.

Report: Conference Board of Trustees. Referred to Committee on Auditing and Finance. (See Report No. 15.)

Report: Conference Treasurer. Read and referred to Auditing and Finance Committee. (See Report No. 19.)

Treasurer and Sub-Treasurer given rising vote of appreciation.

Secretary instructed to carry same sentiment to absent Sub-Treasurer. Report: Sale of Conference Minutes. Read and referred to Auditing and Finance. (See Report No. 11.)

Orders of the Day: Time having arrived to hear Connectional Representative, Connectional Editor I. F. McLeister spoke at length of the progress of Connectional activity.

Adjourned by motion at 11:00. Dismissal, Rev. C. F. Smith.

Third Day—June 6, Friday p. m.

Devotional: Singing "Deeper, Deeper" led by Secretary. Prayer by Carl Johnson. Reverend G. H. Harger, State Prohibition Chairman, spoke to the Conference, quoting part of the 91st Psalm as scripture lesson, and talking in regard to Prohibition. He was given rising vote of assurance of hearty coöperation of the Conference.

Roll Call: 40 Elders, 33 Conference Preachers, 62 Delegates. Minutes read and approved.

Names called and passed: Rex Brickell, C. F. Smith, Catharine Carr, Peter Wiseman, Ruth Saunders, W. N. Saunders, D. L. Robertson, Leona Robertson, Sarah Redding, Sherman Beers, I. D. Swinehart. Maurice L. Moore, J. O. Yount, C. B. Pugh, Elizabeth Pugh, William Leyshon, H. A. Trimble, Winifred Trimble, J. C. Himes, Mary Mohney, Ada Dishong, Anna Martin, Clifford Hoien, V. V. Vanderlin, Edward Howells, Donald Jones, E. R. Barris, W. E. Plants, Clair J. Tucker, Harold Schmul, Frank Miller, Guy McIntyre, Walter Kopp.

Petition from Grace Church referred to Conference Mission Board.

Report: Committee on Boundaries. Partial. Item 4 adopted. (See Report No. 8.)

Brown Hill Charge reported by Delegate. Luciusboro Charge reported by Supply Pastor, Guy Terpe. Name called and passed: C. L. Chess.

Petition from Blue Eye read by Guy McIntyre, referred to Committee on Boundaries. (See Report No. 8.)

Adjourned by motion at 5:00. Dismissal by Mrs. Ada Lehman.

Fourth Day-June 7, Saturday a. m.

Singing led by Dorsey Cox, "I Shall Know Him." Prayer by T. W. Comadoll. Psalm 24 and Matthew 23:23 read by Catharine Carr who reported as Tithing Secretary.

Roll Call: 35 Elders, 31 Conference Preachers, 62 Delegates.

Vice-President called to Chair.

Minutes read and approved.

Special prayer request for Sister Chloe Redding who was reported seriously injured.

Report: Itineracy and Orders. Additional to Item II adopted. (See Report No. 2.)

Tithing Secretary reported financial Item. Referred to Auditing and Finance Committee. (See Report No. 4.)

Names called and passed: Florence B. Dray, David Stonebraker, J. W. McLain, Gerald Rodgers.

Report: Statistical Committee. Read and adopted by rising vote of thanks. (See Report No. 20.)

President returned to Chair.

Report: Joint Uniform Statistical Committee. Read and adopted. (See Report No. 18.)

Moved that pastors take note of the W. Y. P. S. Item in Statistical Report.

Report: Committee on Boundaries. Final Items 5, 6 adopted. (See Report No. 8.)

Day of Prayer and Fast set as last Friday in April, (24). This week to be observed in all churches as a week of prayer, April 20 to 24.

C. E. Zike elected Chairman of a Committee to compile a History of Allegheny Conference for Centennial of the Conference. I. F. McLeister and J. R. Swauger, Committee members.

Recessed for re-organization of Holiness Districts.

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Devotional: Howard L. Speas led "O To Be Like Thee." Scripture, Psalm 19, read by C. F. Smith.

Roll Call: 32 Elders, 20 Conference Preachers, 48 Delegates. Petition from Brown Hill Church referred to Board of Trustees.

Report: Conference Entertainment Fund. Read and referred to Committee on Auditing and Finance. (See Report No. 4.) Received from Charges, \$328.85.

Report: Auditing and Finance. Read and adopted.

Names called and passed: Kenmore Church reported by pastor, Byron Zike, Reed Bennett, report read by Delegate; C. F. and Alice Clifton; Effie Bard, J. L. Schell, J. L. Landrey, Beulah Landrey, J. J. Keysor, reported by letter.

Committee reported \$52.80 raised for Brother Huntsman.

Report: Pastoral Relations. Adopted as read. (See Report No. 3.) **Report:** Holiness Districts. (See Report No. 13.)

Conference Trustee elected: Virgil E. Sell.

Report: Committee on Thanks. Adopted. (See Report No. 6.) Minutes read and approved.

Adjourned Sine Die. Dismissal by C. E. Zike.

President's Quarterly Meeting Schedule of 1941-1942

Charge	Date
Templeton, Colored	June 14, 15
Mount Calvary]	June 21, 22
Wolf Summit	June 27
Bethel	June 29.
Mechanicsburg]	
Pittsfield	
North Springfield	Aug. 2, 3
Stoneboro	Aug. 12, 21
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Ashville	
Sugar Creek	ept. 27, 28
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Templeton, Zion	June 14, 15
E. Clarksburg	June 26
Cecil	June 28
Greenwood	July 5, 6
Brown Hill	(p. m.) July 19
Erie	July 26, 27
Titusville	Aug. 9, 10
Rich Hill	
Sarver Falconer (Mth.)	Sept. 13, 14
Falconer (MVM.)	Sept. 20, 21
Templeton, Colored	Oct. 6, 7
Punxsutawney Canton, First	Oct. 13, 26
Canton, First	Pros. Nov. 8, 9
White Memorial	Nov. 22, 23
Canton, Second	.December 6, 7
New Castle	Dec. 20, 21
Greenville	Jan. 3, 4

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	Franklin	Jan. 10. 11	Meadville	Jan. 17, 18	
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3	Rochester	Feb: 🚑 😼	Tarentum	Feb. 7. 8	APT
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	Cleveland	.March 14, 15	Dixonville	March 21, 22	
	Hortons				
	Maple Valley	. April 18, 19	Brownsville	April 25, 20	
	West Fairfield	April 29		May 2, 3	
	Pine Grove	-			
	Sagamore			May 30, 31	
				GER, President.	

PIONEER SECRETARY'S QUARTERLY MEETING

Schedule of 1941 - 1942

Blue Eye	October 11, 12May 9, 10
	August 9, 10April 22
Kenmore	January 3, 4April 11, 12
Luciusboro	July 19, 20 March 7, 8
Mentcle	November 8, 9
Niles	December 20, 21 April 4, 5
	December 13, 14
Pittsburgh	December 6, 7March 28, 29
Stewart Run	August 30, 31April 18, 19
West Middlesex	August 23, 24May 23, 24
	ONEIDA J. M. GLEASON, Pioneer Secretary.

STONEBORO CAMP MEETING INFORMATION

Stoneboro Camp Meeting for the year 1942 will be held, (D. V.) August 18-27, 1942. The evangelists of this camp will be Dr. Peter Wiseman, Wilmore, Kentucky and Rev. Jesse Whitecotton, Kokomo, Indiana. All lovers of the Lord, and other well behaved persons are cordially invited to attend. J. R. SWAUGER, President.

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STANDING RESOLUTIONS

1. A Committee on Auditing and Finance, consisting of two Elders and one Conference Preacher, shall be elected each year, the duties of which shall be, to examine and report on the Treasurer's books and all financial reports, save missionary, 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 any 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.

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

5. At the opening 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 Conference Secretary not later than ten days before convening of Conference.

6. No person shall be received as a member of Allegheny Annual Conference until he shall have properly filled out an Application Blank, which application together with the recommendations of his references must pass the approval of the President and his Advisory Board. Exemptions to this rule may be made by the President and his Advisory Board, when they deem it best.

7. The pastor of any church in the Conference shall be free to hold at least one revival meeting a year, wherever he sees fit, and it is recommended that his usual salary be paid 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 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 offices for presentation to the church at the annual election of officers. Such nominations shall not exclude other nominations at the time of the business meeting.

10. Ghurches 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. In as much as trial sermons are hardly fair either to church or

candidate, and since the practice of having a trial sermon is contrary to the usual manner of locating preachers, we recommend that churches shall not ask any preacher to come for a trial sermon, and 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 of 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 District expense.

14. We recommend that no one shall be elected to Elders Orders who does not have an abiding sense of a 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 in 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 himself, 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 ligitimate avocation for livelihood which neither jeopardizes the Lord's work or blames the ministry.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Each business meeting was preceded by a devotional period.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.: The first religious service of the Conference opened. Singing led by Mrs. Eunice Comadoll. Vice-President C. E. Zike prayed. William and Ruth Leyshon sang duet, "The Unveiled Christ." Mrs. Georgia M. Markey preached from Scripture, Isaiah 41:6-17, and text, Isaiah 40:9. Closed with prayer around the altar. Benediction by H. A. Markell.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.: Singing led by William Leyshon. Connectional Editor, I. F. McLeister, prayed. Solo, "I have Left All," by Walter Kopp. Sermon by H. N. Robinson. Scripture read, Ezekiel 37:1-10. Text used, Zechariah 4:6. Closed by prayer around the altar.

Thursday, 3:00 p. m.: Conference Sermon. Singing led by Glenn D. Lauby. Prayer by Elder D. B. Hampe. The Houghton Quartette sang, "The Name of Jesus." Connectional Editor, I. F. McLeister, preached from Matthew 13: 24-30 and 47-52 with Matthew 6: 10 as a text. ("Thy Kingdom Come.") Closed by singing "Draw Me Nearer," and prayer by President J. R. Swauger.

Thursday; 7:30 p. m.: This service was devoted to Pioneer Work of the Conference and was presided over by Conference Pioneer Secretary, Oneida J. Gleason. William Leyshon led the song service. William and Ruth Leyshon sang, "I'm Moving Up Home Some Day." D. B. Hampe, W. N. Saunders and I. F. McLeister presented pertinent thoughts on the subject of Pioneering. Pastors of three new churches, Kenmore, Emeigh and Luciusboro, testified briefly. Nu Mine, Niles and Lovejoy pastors testified. Harry and Winifred Trimble spoke of Twin Rocks as "Our Hope" for 1942. Sister Hampe testified. All was very interesting and instructive. Closed by prayer around the altar, and dismissal by I. F. McLeister.

Friday, 7:30 p. m.: This service was devoted to Missions. For notes see minutes of the W. H. & F. M. Society.

Saturday, 7:30 p. m.: This was Young People's Service, directed by Oneida J. Gleason. Singing led by T. McCracken. Prayer by A. D. Fero. A score or more of young men and women testified and exhorted of the goodness of God, with much manifest blessing of the Spirit. Closed by prayer at the altar.

Sunday, 7:00 to 9:00 a. m.: Family Altar Broadcast directed by C. F. Clifton included congregational singing and special numbers by staff members and others. Oneida J. Gleason gave the Family Altar message.

Sunday, 9:00 a. m.: This was a Love Feast with H. C. Van Wormer as leader.

Sunday, 10:00. a. m.: Ordination Service. Singing led by T. Mc-Cracken. D. B. Hampe prayed. Duet by C. F. and Alice Clifton, "I've Found a Friend." Dr. I. F. McLeister, Connectional Editor, preached on the subject, "The Divine Ordination." Scripture read, John 15: 1-16. Text used, John 15: 16. President J. R. Swauger, assisted by Elders A. D. Fero, J. F. Merrifield, W. H. Armstrong, H. E. Robertson, C. C. Cross and C. E. Zike, read the ordination service. Secretary, Joseph B. Markey called the names of candidates for Ordination, C. B. Pugh, William Leyshon, Clifford A. Hoien, Ruth A. Hoien, Edward D. Howells and Andrew J. West. The President extended "the Right Hand of Fellowship," and presented Elders Orders parchments. Benediction by I. F. McLeister.

Sunday, 3:00 to 5:00 p. m.: Family Altar Broadcast. A score or more ministers were introduced and spoke briefly. T. McCracken prayed, C. E. Zike preached from Acts 2:4 as a text, with John 16:7-15, Acts 2: 1-4 and 2:16 as a Scripture lesson.

Sunday, 6:30 p. m.: Love Feast led by A. D. Fero.

Sunday, 7:30 p. m.: The closing service of the Conference. Singing led by William Leyshon. H. C. Van Wormer prayed. Male quartette, Byron Zike, William Leyshon, Donald Carlson, Joseph B. Markey sang; "Sweeping Through the Gates." Fred P. Kerst preached. Scripture read, John 9:8-22. Text used, John 9:22. Benediction by T. McCracken.

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Report No. 1

CONFERENCE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the members of the Ninety-eighth Session, Allegheny Annual Conference, Wesleyan Methodist Connection (or Church) of America, 5 5 **5** 5 1. . Beloved Brothers and Sisters in the Lord:

With the days rolling by us in swift rapidity, the year has come to a close and the Annual Report is here once again.

It is with gratitude that we address ourselves to you as Brothers and Sisters in the Lord. Truly there is no friendship in the world equal to that fellowship which is begotten by "the love of God shed abroad in our" hearts by the Holy Ghost."

Time is a powerful agent. It affects great changes. Governments rise and fall, kingdom wax and wane. Armies are annihilated, kings are dethroned, and nations overrun. Time does a mighty work and one authority after another rises into power only to descend into the dust.

"One there is above all others" on whom time is unable to work any change. It is good to recognize that though all that comes and goes, it may be said of our God, "Thou remainest."

There are forces at work in the world which are attempting to establish a "new order" other forces are mightily contending for the "present order." Is it not a delight to belong to the One who has an "established order?"

Since we belong to the Eternal Order, who can estimate the responsibility which rests upon us in these days of crumbling civilization? Let us seriously consider our task, and devote ourselves diligently to our responsibilities.

In the year just past we have made real progress. In some of our churches the best revivals in years are reported. Our statistical report will undoubtedly show a gain in both membership and finance. The Lord's manifest blessing on His people has made the year definitely a spiritually successful year. We are encouraged to expect a continued advancement in the future.

Our Pioneer efforts have been ably carried forward under the inspiring leadership of our Pioneer Secretary, Rev. Oneida J. M. Gleason, whose insight and unceasing efforts have been directed in the channel of establishing and building up older works rather than starting new ones. This less spectacular side of pioneering has apparently not been understood by some, but we have ample reason to believe that is as an important work and ought not to be neglected.

and a start start Official acts for the year are as follows: Item I. Authorizations: Upon recommendation of the Committee on

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Itineracy and Orders, Authorization was granted to the following: W. G. Steele, I. D. Swinehart, H. A. Trimble, Winifred Trimble, C. L. Chess, Dwight L. Robertson, Virgil VanDerlin, Clifford Hoien, Ruth Hoien, Sherman Beers, William Leyshon, C. B. Pugh, E. D. Lupton, J. C. Himes, Edward Howelts, Donald Jones, John McLain.

Item II. Letters of Transfer Granted:

1. Levi J. Cherryholmes to Kentucky Conference, August 30, 1940. Item III. Churches Organized: (With Advisory Board Approval.)

1. Luciusboro Wesleyan Methodist Church, December 7, 1940, and appointed Guy E. Terpe to be pastor for the remainder of the Conference Year.

2. Authorized A. D. Fero to organize the Kenmore Wesleyan Methodist Church of Akron, Ohio, and appointed Byron Zike as pastor for the remainder of the Conference Year, January 7, 1941.

3. Authorized Clyde Blair to organize the Emeigh Wesleyan Methodist Church and appointed Misses Ada Dishong and Anna Martin as pastors for the remainder of the Conference Year. January 15, 1941. Item IV. Dedication:

1. West Middlesex, Pennsylvania, June 1, 1941: dedicated basement church, Rev. E. R. Barris, pastor.

Item V. Resignations and Appointments: (With Advisory Board approval.)

1. February 13, 1941. Received the resignation of Rev. W. G. Steele from the West Fairfield Church and accepted it. Appointed Rev. C. F. Smith to serve as pastor for the remainder of the Conference Year.

Item VI. Finances: Received from Treasurer, \$2598.15. Credited as follows: Salary, \$2080.00; expenses, \$500.00; telephone, \$13.50; postage and telegraph, \$4.65. Grand total, \$2598.15.

Item VII. Recommendations:

1. Because of the fact that "Holiness unto the Lord" is the central theme of our denominational responsibility, and because we need to recognize and emphasize the importance of this responsibility and privilege, we recommend that the Chairman of each of our Holiness Districts shall present to our Annual Conference a written report of the activities, purposes and spiritual accomplishments of his District during the Conference Year.

Whereas the reported social and moral conditions surrounding our army camps are not conducive to the best welfare of our American soldiers, we recommend that we petition our natoinal Congress to pass such legislation as may be required to protect our young men from the vicious activities of those interested in trafficing in liquor and morals. We further recommend that a copy of this resolution shall be sent by our Conference Secretary to our official representatives in the national capitol, with our Conference seal properly attached thereto. Respectfully submitted,

J. R. SWAUGER, President.

Report No. 2

COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY AND ORDERS

Your Committee on Itineracy and Orders reports as follows: Item I. We recommend the following be received to study preparatory to study:

1. Leonard Martin, recommended by Akron Grace Church.

2. Edward Dougell, recommended by Emeigh Church.

3. Mary Couch, recommended by Tarentum Church.

Item II. We recommend the following be received to Study and Travel:

1. Burton H. Golden, recommended by East Conneaut Church.

2. Neva Golden, recommended by East Conneaut Church.

3. Harry T. Reid, recommended by Maple Valley Church.

4. Guy E. Terpe, recommended by Luciusboro Church.

Item III. We recommend the following be elected to Elders Orders, they having satisfactorily met the Disciplinary requirements:

1. A. J. West. Passed: Discipline, 100 per cent. Credited from Houghton College with the complete Course of Study. This completes his Course of Study.

2. William Leyshon. Passed: All About the Bible, 98 per cent; Church History II, 98 per cent; A System of General Ethics, 98 per cent; Elements of Divinity III, 100 per cent; IV, 97 per cent; Bible III, 100 per cent; IV, 88 per cent; History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, 99 per cent; Bible Geography, 94 per cent; A System of Christian Evidence, 94 per cent; Psychology, 97 per cent. This completes his Course of Study.

3. Edward D. Howells, whose Course of Study was completed in 1938.

4. C. B. Pugh. Passed: Church History, I, 78 per cent; II, 72 per cent; Elements of Divinity II, 78 per cent; III, 80 per cent; IV, 82 per cent; Philosophy of the Plan of Salvation, 80 per cent; Homiletics, 75 per cent; A System of General Ethics, 87 per cent; Bible Geography, 87 per cent; A System of Christian Evidence, 73 per cent. This completes his Course of Study.

5. Clifford A. Hoien, whose Course of Study was completed in 1939.

6. Ruth A. Hoien, whose Course of Study was completed in 1939. Item IV. We recommend credit in the Course of Study as follows: First Year:

1. Anna Martin. Passed: English 98 per cent; Perfect Love, 100 per cent; A System of Christian Evidence, 100 per cent; Teacher Training, 99 per cent; How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 100 per cent; Bible I, 98 per cent.

2. Virgil Van Derlin. Passed: Perfect Love, 100 per cent; Teacher Training, 98 per cent.

3. Clair Tucker. Passed: Bible I, 96 per cent; Teacher Training, 96 per cent; credited with English.

4. Donald St. Clair. Passed: Discipline, 96 per cent; credited with English; Bible III.

5. Maurice L. Moore. Passed: Bible II, 97 per cent.

6. Mark S. Russell. Passed: Bible I, 90 per cent; Teacher Training, 80 per cent; Bible II, 72 per cent; Binney's Theological Compend, 70 per cent. His credits are transferred to the Lockport Conference.

7. R. V. Wallace. Passed: Bible I, 98 per cent.

8. Gerald Rodgers. Passed: Bible I, 98 per cent; Bible II, 92 per cent.

9. Frank Miller. Passed: Discipline, 95 per cent; Bible I, 98 per cent.

10. Ruth Fagerland. Passed: Perfect Love, 94 per cent.

Second Year:

1. Harry T. Reid. Passed: Discipline, 90 per cent; credited from Marion College with Elements of Divinity II, III, IV, Bible III, English, A System of General Ethics, History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, A System of Christian Evidence, Homiletics, Rules of Order.

2. Ruth Stonebraker. Passed: Discipline, 98 per cent.

3. Harold Schmul. Passed: Philosophy of the Plan of Salvation, 85 per cent; How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 82 per cent; Teacher Training, 80 per cent.

4. Winifred Trimble. Passed: History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, 100 per cent; Perfect Love, 99 per cent; How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 95 per cent; credited with English.

5. Elizabeth Pugh. Passed: Discipline, 90 per cent; Perfect Love, 90 per cent; How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 90 per cent; credited with English, Psychology.

6. Edward Dougell. Passed: Bible I, 94 per cent; II, 97 per cent; III, 97 per cent; How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 100 per cent; Teacher Training, 99 per cent.

7. Ada Dishong. Passed: Bible I, 98 per cent; How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 98 per cent.

8. Charles Baker. Passed: Bible III, 95 per cent; IV, 85 per cent; A System of Christian Evidence, 95 per cent.

9. E. R. Barris. Passed: Bible III, 96 per cent; IV, 97 per cent.

10. C. L. Chess. Passed: Bible I, 92 per cent; Bible Geography, 74 per cent.

11. Evangeline Dunkerly. Passed: All About the Bible, 100 per cent; Teacher Training, 100 per cent.

12. Guy McIntyre. Passed: Bible III, 90 per cent; Rules of Order, 80 per cent.

13. Neva Golden. Passed: All About the Bible, 100 per cent.

14. Burton Golden. Passed: All About the Bible, 100 per cent.

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15. Walter Kopp. Passed: Bible II, 96 per cent; III, 95 per cent; IV, 84 per cent; Binney's Compend, 98 per cent; Discipline, 95 per cent.

16. Marion Reed. Passed: English, 95 per cent.

17. Mary Couch. Passed: Discipline, 94 per cent; credited from God's Bible School with Bible I, II, III, IV, Homiletics, Binney's Compend, Church History I, II, Elements of Divinity II, III, IV. Third Year:

1. Harry Trimble. Passed: English, 95 per cent; History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, 100 per cent; How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 92 per cent.

2. Guy Terpe. Passed: Binney's Compend, 99 per cent.

3. J. L. Landrey. Passed: Bible Geography, 76 per cent; All About the Bible, 97 per cent.

4. John Garvin. Passed: History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, 100 per cent.

5. Sherman Beers. Passed: Psychology, 98 per cent; Bible IV, 91 per cent.

6. Reed Bennett. Passed: Church History I, 90 per cent; II, 86 per cent.

7. Carrie Ketchum. Passed: How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 90 per cent.

Fourth Year:

1. E. D. Lupton. Passed: Psychology, 95 per cent; Bible Geography, 100 per cent.

2. J. C. Himes. Passed: Elements of Divinity III, 95 per cent; IV, 90 per cent.

3. Donald Jones. Passed: Elements of Divinity II, 100 per cent; Homiletics, 93 per cent.

4. Gracia L. Fero. Passed: A System of Christian Evidence, 97 per cent; Philosophy of the Plan of Salvation, 100 per cent; History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, 95 per cent. This completes her Course of Study.

5. Ivah B. Van Wormer. Passed: History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, 100 per cent; All About the Bible, 100 per cent; Elements of Divinity III, 100 per cent.

6. John McLain. Passed: A System of General Ethics, 96 per cent; How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 89 per cent.

7. W. N. Saunders. Passed: Rules of Order, 100 per cent; Perfect Love, 96 per cent; A System of Christian Evidence, 99 per cent; credited from Cleveland Bible College with Elements of Divinity II.

8. W. G. Steele. Passed: Rules of Order, 98 per cent; Bible Geography, 74 per cent.

9. I. D. Swinehart. Passed: Church History I, 98 per cent; II, 97 per cent:

Local Preachers' Course:

1. A. E. Cool. Passed: How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 95 per cent.

2. Mary Cattoi. Passed: Teacher Training, 90 per cent.

3. Frank Lucas. Passed: Teacher Training, 100 per cent.

4. Harold Gundy. Passed: How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 97 per cent.

5. Ina Russell. Passed: Bible I, 95 per cent; Teacher Training, 93 per cent. Her credits are transferred to Lockport Conference.

6. William B. Bruce. Passed: Discipline, 100 per cent; credited with Binney's Compend, Rules of Order, from the Lockport Conference.

7. Fred Fox. Passed: Bible I, 85 per cent.

8. Irene Stephens. Passed: Discipline, 100 per cent.

9. Carl Kirkbride. Passed: Discipline, 90 per cent.

10. Carl Fulkerson. Passed: Credited from Houghton College with English, Psychology, Bible I, II.

11. F. P. Patterson. Passed: Rules of Order, 98 per cent; Perfect Love, 100 per cent; credited with English.

12. Edwin Ramsburg. Credited with English.

13. John Van Cise. Passed: Binney's Compend, 95 per cent.

14. W. E. McMinn. Passed: Perfect Love, 88 per cent; Discipline, 90 per cent.

15. A. R. Rodgers. Passed: Discipline, 87 per cent.

16. Leroy Lowmaster. Passed: Bible III, 95 per cent.

17. Erwin Himes. Passed: Bible I, 90 per cent.

18. Dorothy Beers. Passed: Bible I, 96 per cent.

19. Florence Carey. Passed: Perfect Love, 94 per cent.

20. Leonard Martin. Passed: Bible Geogrophy, 73 per cent.

21. Rhodella Dongell. Passed: Bible I, 100 per cent; II, 96 per cent; III, 97 per cent; Teacher Training, 100 per cent; How to Prepare an Expository Sermon, 99 per cent.

22. Herbert Dongell. Passed: Discipline, 100 per cent; Binney's Compend, 100 per cent; Perfect Love, 100 per cent; credited with English; Teacher Training, 98 per cent.

23. Ruby Dongell. Passed: Perfect Love, 100 per cent; Bible I, 100 per cent; Binney's Compend, 100 per cent; Discipline, 80 per cent; Teacher Training, 100 per cent; credited with English.

24. Almeda Harkleroad. Passed: Binney's Compend, 95 per cent.

25. Mattie Finger McLain. Credited from God's Bible School with Bible I, II, III, IV; Church History I, II; Elements of Divinity II, III, IV. Credited from Beulah Bible School with Binney's Compend.

Item V. We recommend the following be granted Authorization: Harry Trimble, Virgil Van Derlin, Sherman Beers, E. D. Lupton, Reed Bennett, Donald Jones, John McLain, W. N. Saunders, W. G. Steele, I. D. Swinehart, J. C. Himes, C. L. Chess, E. R. Barris, Gerald Rodgers, Charles Baker, W. E. Plants, Ada Dishong.

Item VI. We recommend that pastors pay strict attention to observe that portion of Disciplinary Paragraph No. 19, pertaining to passing one book of the Study Course for Local Preachers.

Item VII. We recommend that application for examinations be made to the Committee Member who is the authorized Examiner for year in which the book is listed.

Item VIII. We will no longer recommend to the Pastoral Relations Committee any person who has not complied with Paragraph 170, sub-paragraph No. 1. We further insist that all persons bringing recommendations to Study and Travel appear before the Committee on Itineracy and Orders on the Tuesday preceding the Annual Conference.

Item IX. (See Standing Resolution No. 14.)

Item X. We recommend that Evangeline Dunkerly, 1207 South Mill Street, New Castle, Pennsylvania, be continued as Conference Librarian, and that no books be mailed from the Library unless sufficient postage accompanies application for books. We also recommend that a study book or a reading book may be kept by one individual no longer than thirty days. CHARLES C. CROSS, Chairman.

Report No. 3

PASTORAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Your Committee on Pastoral Relations submits the following report: 1. Charges supplied as follows: Akron, First, A. D. Fero, Gracia Fero Assistant. Akron, Grace Wesleyan, Catharine Carr. Akron, Kenmore, in care of the President. Akron, Maple Valley, James F. Merrifield. Akron, McLeister Memorial, T. W. Comadoll. Annandale, Claude Eshelman. Ashville, John McLain. Barberton, F. P. Kerst. Bethel, Charles Baker. Brown Hill, Harry T. Reid. Brownsville, C. D. and Edna Patterson. Canton, First, H. N. Robinson. Canton, Second, Glenn D. Lauby. Cecil, Gerald Rodgers. Cleveland, Florence B. Dray. Dixonville, H. C. and Ivah Van Wormer. East Clarksburg, in care of President. East Conneaut, Walter Kopp. Emeigh, Ada Dishong, and Anna Martin. Erie, Joseph B. and Georgia Markey. Franklin, H. E. Robertson. Greenville, E. W. Brooks. Greenwood, W. G. Steele. Harbor, in care of President. Hortons, Rex Brickel. Indiana, I. D. Swinehart. Keepville, J. W. and Helen Dentler. Luciusboro, Guy E. Terpe. Lynndon Park (Falconer), W. H. Armstrong. Massillon, George and Elsie Blankenbicker. Meadville, H. A. Markell. Mechanicsburg, W. A. Robbie. Mentcle, H. A. and Winifred Trimble. Middlefield, W. E. Plants. Mount Calvary, C. L. Chess. Mount Pleasant, E. R. Barris. New Castle, E. D. Lupton. Niles, W. N. and Ruth Saunders. North Springfield, Harold Schmul. Nu Mine,

Edward Howells. Oil City, Sherman Beers. Pine Grove, Clyde Blair. Pittsburgh, George B. Clay. Pittsfield, Cecil and Mary Huntsman. Punxsutawney, Clifford and Ruth Hoien. Rich Hill, H. A. and Winifred Trimble. Rochester, T. McCracken. Sagamore, C. B. and Elizabeth Pugh. Sandy Lake, C. C. Cross. Sarver, William Leyshon. Stewart Run, Virgil Van Derlin. Sugar Creek, Virgil Van Derlin. Tarentum, D. L. Robertson. Templeton, Colored, in care of President. Templeton, Zion, Howard L. Speas. Titusville, T. A. Robertson. West Fairfield, C. F. Smith. West Middlesex, D. B. Hampe. White Memorial, A. E. Kerst. Wilgus, Donald Jones. Wolf Summit, C. A. and Olive West.

2. Connectional Editor: I. F. McLeister.

3. **President:** J. R. Swauger, to travel the Conference holding Quarterly Meetings and performing other duties devolving upon his office. Also to work in conjunction with the Missionary Board in opening up new fields and establishing new work.

4. Conference Missionary Secretary and General Evangelist: Oneida J. Gleason.

5. General Evangelists: C. J. White, C. E. Zike, H. E. Enty, Ethel Enty, John I. Rambo, Peter Wiseman, Harold Waite.

6. Evangelists: James Keysor, C. F. Clifton, Alice Clifton, Elsie Moyer, Sarah E. Redding, D. Stonebraker, J. C. Himes, Mary V. Mohney, Donald St. Clair, Effie Bard, Frank Miller, Clair J. Tucker, Maurice Moore.

7. Superannuated: G. W. Richardson.

8. Choose Own Field of Labor: Joseph Clinefelter, Verna A. Clinefelter.

9. Singing Evangelists: J. L. Schell, Joseph B. Markey, Dorsey Cox, Marshall Armour, Irene Stephens.

10. Musician and Chalk Artist: J. Orlando Yount.

11. Missionary to Africa: Alice J. McMillen.

12. Missionaries to India: Hazel Jones, J. L. Landrey, Beulah K. Landrey.

13. Missionary on Furlough: Mary Price.

14. Transfer to Kentucky Conference: Levi Cherryholmes.

15. Mission Appointments: Blue Eye, Guy McIntyre.

16. Returned to Quarterly Conference: Reed Bennett, Burton Golden, Neva Golden.

17. Supernumerary: C. H. Campbell.

Report No. 4

COMMITTEE ON AUDITING AND FINANCE

Your Committee on Auditing and Finance makes recommendations as follows:

1. Approval of Item 6 of the President's Report, and that the Con-

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ference President receive a salary of \$40.00 per week and traveling expenses incurred in pursuit of the duties of his office to the amount of \$500.00, he to provide adequate liability insurance for his car. Salary to be paid by the Conference Treasurer. We also recommend that when the President is called on special occasions and extra meetings outside his regular Quarterly Meeting schedule incurring extra expense, the offering on these occasions shall apply to these expenses and not be credited to regular salary. (No budget receipt will be given for these offerings.)

2. Adoption of the Conference Treasurer's Report, as we find his report correct according to our judgment, and that he draw from the treasury the sum of \$30.00 in appreciation of his labors. Also that each Sub-Treasurer be paid the sum of \$10.00 in appreciation of their labors, and that they be reimbursed for all expense incurred in their work such as banking, postage, stationery, etc.

3. That our Sunday schools be urged to continue giving the first Sunday in the month offering to Conference Missions for paying debts and mortgages, church extension, and helping pastors whose salary is inadequate. This money to be reported on statistical blanks as Conference Missions.

4. Approval of the report of the Committee on Sale of Conference Minutes, and that 650 copies, or more if demand is sufficient, be printed for this year. Cash balance on hand to be placed in Conference Incidental Fund.

5. Approval of the report of the Committee to Receive Conference Entertainment Fund. We recommend that the fee be increased to 25 cents per member.

Continuation of the Aid Fund.

7. Recognition and hearty support of the following Connectional interests: Foreign Missions, \$2.00 per member; Home Missions, \$.50 per member; these sums to be raised by the W. H. & F. M. Society, the Y. M. W. B., and the W. Y. P. Society, and other sources, exclusive of the Conference Missions offering from the Sunday school; Education, \$1.50 per member; Hephzibah Orphanage, \$.25 per member.

8. We recommend that the Birthday Offerings from the Sunday school which heretofore went to Bethshan Home be placed in the Conference Mission Fund.

9. That Superannuate, G. W. Richardson, be paid \$50.00 quarterly this year.

10. That Conference Budget be raised undivided. Using total obtained by adding pastor's cash salary, parsonage rent, and church incidental expenses as a determining basis, Budget apportionment shall be remitted to Conference Sub-Treasurers in monthly payments and reported on Statistical Blanks as Undivided Budget. (Budget may be paid from the Incidental Fund of the church treasury, or by offerings for that purpose.) Distribution of Budget as follows: Conference Expense, 70 per cent; Conference Missions, 20 per cent; Superannuated Ministers, 2 per cent; Miscellaneous Fund, 8 per cent. Distribution apportionment subject to revision by Auditing and Finance Committee, to maintain an equalized distribution.

11. That each church be asked to contribute \$.50 per month to provide a portion of Group Insurance Premium as required by state law. To be remitted to Conference Sub-Treasurers.

12. That the Conference continue the payment of \$15.00 per month for President's Secretary.

13. That the President be authorized to draw from the Conference Incidental Fund without contacting his Advisory Board such small miscellaneous sums as money for flowers, telegrams, etc.

14. Approval of the report of Conference Trustees.

15. Approval of the report of Conference Pioneer Secretary.

16. That the balance in General Conference Delegates Expense Fund be transferred to the Conference Miscellaneous Fund.

17. Adoption of Tithing Secretary's report and that she be reimbursed from the Conference Treasury the amount of \$4.70 for literature and printing.

18. The Treasurer show on his books and render a separate account on the money loaned from the Aid Fund to churches and to ministers.

19. We, your committee, feel that due to the long, faithful and efficient service and the declining years of our beloved Brother Dreyer, that it would be an imposition to ask him to assume the ever-increasing responsibilities in connection with the treasury of this Conference for another year. We recommend that a new treasurer be elected by this body and wish to place in nomination the name of Mr. Virgil Sell,

We further recommend that this body extend to our Brother Dreyer a rising vote of thanks for his faithful services.

W. H. ARMSTRONG, Chairman.

Report No. 5

BETHSHAN HOME BOARD

To the Members of the Ninety-Eighth Session, Allegheny Annual Conference:

Dear Fellow Soldiers,

With this report we are ending officially the existence of a Conference Institution whose history has been replete with spiritual victories, and triumphant accomplishments.

Originating under the earnest prayers and sacrificial labors of Miss Fannie Wyke, Bethshan Home has served its generation without respect of persons.

In recent years the changed social trend has altered the work of the

Home, and limited its usefulness until it had degenerated into little more than a convenient hospital for state cases. Serving as such an institution, the financial income became a very gratifying phase of the institution's operations.

However, the spiritual purposes for which Bethshan existed could not be accomplished. The new attitude towards sin and sex irregularly produced a new attitude in those who were victims of lust. This new attitude robbed the Home of its chance to help the fallen girl to a life "hid in Christ Jesus." Bethshan Home might have continued to function as a financially successful institution, but such has not been the object of its existence.

The Board of Managers, recognizing these changes, faced the problem of continuing the Home, when it was not performing and could not perform its spiritual calling. The Conference President's Advisory Board was called to meet with the Board of Managers, and at this joint-meeting it was finally decided that circumstances necessitated our terminating the work of the Home. It was not the choice of the Board to close Bethshan Home. We were compelled to take the action which closed its doors.

The actual closing of the Home was not merely in discontinuing its services by action of the Board; it was the stoppage of its spiritual functioning by the attitude of the world, and over this no Board has any control.

The Board of Managers turned the matter of disposing the furnishings of the Home over to Brother and Sister V. E. Sell, of whose loyal, loving service as Superintendent, Treasurer and Secretary we cannot speak too highly. These noble workers deserve the warmest appreciation of Allegheny Annual Conference, and we wish that we were able to pay them the tribute their sacrificial labors have merited.

Certain articles were donated to the Camp and Conference and other items were sold in a private sale, after an appraising Committee consisting of Reverend Edna Patterson, Catharine Carr, and Mrs. A. D. Fero had set a valuation for them.

The Real Estate was in the name of the Allegheny Annual Conference, and the Conference Board of Trustees authorized its being placed in the hands of a real estate dealer for disposal. Within a few months, a buyer was found and the property was sold for \$7800 on a monthly payment plan.

Thus ends the report of the President of the Board of Managers, but the end of the influence of Bethshan Home cannot thus be told. Only eternity will reveal the untold benefits and blessings which this Home has conferred on the despairing victims of sin.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. SWAUGER, President.

2. Treasurer's Report. Receipts: Cash on hand May 1, 1940, \$855.89. Gifts and offerings, \$798.55. Earnings of Home, \$469.86. Miscellaneous and refund, \$166.13. Sale of equipment, \$781.43. Total receipts, \$3071.86.

Total expenses, \$2136.49.Cash on hand June 6, 1941, \$935.37.(To Con-ference Aid Fund.)Notes receivable, \$200.00.Total on hand June 6, 1941,\$1137.37.V. E. SELL, Treasurer.

Report No. 6

COMMITTEE ON THANKS

We, the members of the Allegheny Conference and the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection, wish to extend our thanks:

First: To God that He has spared our nation from the disastrous war tragedies which are falling so heavily upon the European nations and that we are still privileged to meet together as a religious body without any interference from a government society.

We also give thanks for God's anointing and blessing upon us not only during the devotional services but also during the business sessions. We are grateful for a deeper realization of our need to depend more fully upon the Holy Ghost to lead and guide us in our efforts made for the salvation of the lost. We are thankful for Christian fellowship during this Conference session, and for a growing vision and zeal in the pioneer and missionary services.

Second: We desire to thank the Camp Meeting Board for its kindness in permitting us to use the campgrounds and buildings for our meetings. Also, we thank those who have planned and served the meals, and all others who have helped in any way to entertain the Conference. We are thankful for the spirit of unity and coöperation of all in the activities of the Conference.

THANKFUL H. CLAWSON, Committee.

Report No. 7

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PRESIDENCY

June 28, 1940. By correspondence the Committee on Presidency elected the Sub-Treasurers that had served last year to office in each of the Districts of the Conference. Election as follows: Akron, Esther Lupton; New Castle, Vera Barker; Indiana, Thankful Clawson; Titusville, Russell S. Baldwin; West Virginia, Mrs. Shriver.

Vacancies having occurred through an oversight of the Annual Conference. CHARLES C. CROSS, Chairman...

Report No. 8

COMMITTEE ON BOUNDARIES

Your Committee on Boundaries recommends as follows: 1. Recognition of the newly organized church at Luciusboro, Pennsvlvania, to be known as the Luciusboro Wesleyan Methodist Church, to be included in the Indiana District.

2. Recognition of the newly organized church at Akron, Ohio, to be known as the Kenmore Wesleyan Methodist Church, to be included in the Akron District.

3. Recognition of the newly organized church at Emeigh, Pennsylvania, to be known as the Emeigh Wesleyan Methodist Church, to be included in the Indiana District.

4. Recognition of the newly organized mission at Cherry Tree, Pennsylvania, to be called the Wesleyan Methodist Cherry Tree Mission, to be included in the Titusville District.

5. Recognition of the request of the Blue Eye Mission that the name be changed to the Blue Eye Wesleyan Methodist Chapel.

6. At the request of the Delegate representing the colored people of the Templeton First Church, the name of the same church shall be changed to the Templeton Colored Church and its membership shall be limited to colored members only. T. A. ROBERTSON, Chairman.

Report No. 9

CONFERENCE SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY

To our Fellow Workers in the interests of the Sunday schools, Greetings:

Another year of activities in this beloved and important work has become history, and how the record will stand as adjudged by the great Lord of Harvest is a matter of supreme concern to each of us. I trust it will at least be that we have been faithful.

Due to the pressure of thronging tasks and a certain feeling of incompetency as a scribe your Secretary's pen has not been as active as it might have been, but we have daily presented the interest of our Sunday schools before our Father at the Throne of Grace and have sought to be faithful in the other tasks which were ours to perform.

Four of the Districts were visited during the year in convention work. These were seasons of great inspiration and blessing to the Secretary as we endeavored to lend help and encouragement to our dear workers out in the front lines. We received from these conventions, by way of remuneration and traveling expense, \$24.00.

Thus far our efforts to secure the services of our Connectional Sundayschool Secretary and Editor for a series of District Conventions have been without fruit. We have some hope of his being able to come to us this fall, but even this is very remote. Any suggestions as to outside help for Convention work will be welcomed, for we feel this is important.

We urge that the work of the Sunday schools with all their interests be given our earnest and prayerful consideration. This among other things

will include the matter of adequate housing, efficient equipment and a careful, consciencious selection of officers and teachers. Let us make efficiency of equipment and personnel an outstanding goal in our interests and efforts.

Great and grave issues hold sway in the political and international realm, but to us who know the wisdom of God and the power of God, the interests of His Kingdom are still paramount.

Respectfully submitted,

H. N. ROBINSON, Conference Sunday-school Secretary.

Report No. 10

MISSIONARY BOARD NOMINATION COMMITTEE

Report of Nomination Committee for Missionary Board: Ex-officio Chairman, J. R. Swauger. Akron District, T. W. Comadoll. Indiana District, H. C. Van Wormer. New Castle District, C. D. Patterson. Titusville District, W. H. Armstrong. West Virginia District, C. A. West.

C. E. ZIKE, Chairman.

Report No. 11

COMMITTEE ON SALE OF CONFERENCE MINUTES

Number of copies printed, 650. Copies sold by pastors, 514, \$128.50. Sold at Conference, 30, \$3.00. From W. H. & F. M. Society, \$25.00; total, \$156.50. Cost of mailing and printing, \$154.85. Cash balance on hand, \$17.79. Unpaid copies, 6. T. McCRACKEN, Committee.

Report No. 12 PIONEER SECRETARY

Your Pioneer Secretary respectfully submits the following report:

1. Dayton, Pa. The week following Conference the Pioneer Tent was pitched at Dayton, Pa., where the first meeting of the year was held. The services began Friday night, June 14, continuing until July 11. A cold, backward season and excessive rain, with accompanying muddy roads, greatly handicapped the work there. We rented a room and lived at Nu Mine, eight miles distant. This enabled us to assist in getting the Nu Mine folk to the tent. During this period we conducted a Vacation Bible School at Nu Mine, with an enrollment of between seventy and eighty. Each day we transported a load of Dayton children to and from the Bible School. The personal contacts made through calling in the homes of the community revealed only a few families who were interested in a Wesleyan Church. One family had previously united with the Nu Mine Church;

two others united following the meeting. There are several other families with Free Methodist and Christian Missionary Alliance backgrounds from the village and adjacent communities whom we might be able to interest. There was not substantial enough backing, however, to warrant immediate organization. We advised the conducting of weekly cottage prayer meetings and a Sabbath afternoon district holiness meeting once a month, with the hope of organizing a Sunday school and a regular Sunday afternoon preaching appointment. Some of the local people felt they were ready for regular services then, so the Grange Hall was engaged at a small cost and Rev. Howells went out several Sunday afternoons, but felt the response did not compensate the effort and time. Some cottage prayer meetings have been held throughout the winter. We feel that a contact of friendship and good will has been established.

2. Punxsutawney, Pa. From Dayton, the pioneer tent was sent to Punxsutawney where it was used in a profitable campaign with Rev. and Mrs. Andrew West as evangelists.

3. Lovejoy, Pa. While the Conference tent was engaged at Punxsutawney, we rented the Wanchisn tent and entered Lovejoy, beginning Sunday, July 14, and continuing through the 28th. Here we also conducted a successful Vacation Bible School. The School reached an enrollment of seventy local children the first week. The second week a number came in from Hillsdale and outlying territories until by the closing day the registration had reached 125. The Bible School did much to help win our way into the community and was met by a hearty response and interest from the people in general. There were other encouraging spiritual features about this meeting.

4. Tent Meeting. At this point your Secretary dropped out of the pioneer field to fill an appointment as young people's worker at Victory Camp. The Reverend T. A. Robertson took the Conference tent from Punxsutawney to a rural section about nine miles from Nu Mine, where he conducted a meeting in which some good work was accomplished.

5. Stewart Run. After Stoneboro Camp your Secretary proceeded as instructed by the committee to concentrate the pioneer efforts through the winter months to the building and evangelizing of some already open fields. The first of these campaigns was launched at Stewart Run. A three weeks meeting was conducted here, Sept. 1-22. The Lord gave an encouraging revival. A house to house visitation disclosed an open, hungry community, which no doubt under concentrated pastoral administration could soon be nursed into a self-supporting work.

6. Emeigh, Pa. Our next endeavor was at Emeigh, Pa. The meeting here began October 7, continuing through the 27th. The Lord came in gracious visitation. In answer to prayer money was given for the painting of the church. Immediately following the meeting a church was organized with twenty-five charter members.

7. Blue Eye. Blue Eye Mission was our next pioneer effort. The campaign here was conducted December 8-22. There is a beautiful little chapel at Blue Eye; also a large area from which to draw for a Holiness Church. Some outstanding results attended this meeting which we hope may contribute to the upbuilding and stabilizing of the work. Several splendid Christian families form a nucleus for a real Holiness Church in this area.

8. Nu Mine, Pa. The first meeting after Christmas was conducted at Nu Mine, Pa., January 5-19. Again the Lord came in unusual power. In spite of severe persecutions from the liquor interests and their friends, there was scarcely a barren altar service throughout the meeting. New people were brought into the church and new friends were won to the cause. It was during this meeting that arrangements were made for a Sunday-school census at Margaret Mine. Plans are now under way for the building of a new church at Nu Mine.

9. Mentcle, Pa. Mentcle was our next engagement. The date of organization here outlawed this meeting from the pioneer program. Two of the severest weeks of the winter marked the weather for this campaign. Country roads were drifted shut almost the entire time, and the main highways were a glare of ice. In spite of this and a flu epidemic, the Lord gave some precious trophies. Mentcle offers an open field for pioneering. Brown Town and Pipperary, both small mining towns, lie within a mile of the church: Mentcle is one half mile back the other way: Heilwood and Pine Flats are not more than four miles distant, also a rural community which can be drawn from. Besides a house to house visitation, the inclement weather and sickness directed us to daily afternoon prayer meetings in the homes. The Lord especially sealed these efforts in soul saving. There is a company of praying people at Mentcle, which increases the possibilities in this open community. The mines which had been closed for several years have been recently purchased by a new company and are opening. This also adds prospect to the field.

10. Twin Rocks, Pa. Here was our next field of labor, March 3-16. God gave special attention to this needy field. The campaign was conducted in an independent mission which Brother and Sister Trimble had been supplying for several months. The beautiful little chapel here had been recently remodeled and the debt reduced to less than \$120.00. The outlook is encouraging for a Wesleyan Methodist Church which will be a penetration into the great untouched areas of Cambria County. Both pastors and myself felt it would be premature to stress the matter of a church at present.

11. Luciusboro, Pa. At the close of the Twin Rocks meeting we visited the newly organized church at Luciusboro, conducted a one-night service and organized a missionary society with twenty charter members.

12. Brady's Bend. Rev. Charles Gray, who attended the Dayton

meeting and during the Nu Mine revival transferred his membership from the Free Methodist Church to Nu Mine, has the beginning of a work at Brady's Bend. Rev. Andrew West conducted two meetings there. Prospects here point toward a Wesleyan work.

13. Fulton Run, Pa. Rev. Clair Tucker reports an encouraging revival at Fulton Run, Pa.

14. Kenmore, Ohio. More than a year ago a group of people from Kenmore contacted Brother A. D. Fero, desiring that the Wesleyan Methodists open a work there. He conducted two revival campaigns and others of the Akron area held prayer meetings and gave other aid until a revival meeting was launched which resulted in an organization with 16 charter members and a Sunday school which has grown to over forty members. Brother Byron Zike was appointed to the pastorate.

15. Margaret Mine. A canvass was made of Margaret Mine and a Sunday school has been opened there with a local enrollment of from 60 to 65. There is a splendid school auditorium which can be procured for church and Sunday school purposes at a price of fifty cents a week.

16. Sharon, Pa. Prospecting has been done through the year in the city of Sharon, Pa. We had planned a revival campaign with the Cliftons here last September, but through an oversight in their slate they were unable to keep the appointment. It was then arranged that Brother and Sister Huntsman would enter Sharon from Greenville organizing a prayer group and conducting prayer meetings as an entering wedge and in anticipation of opening a work. Due to sickness in the Huntsman home they have been unable to accomplish this.

17. Altoona, Pa. We have, also, done some prospecting in Altoona. James and Beatrice Spicher, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stephens, two of our church couples were then living in Altoona. The Spichers moved later. We tried to interest the Indiana District pastors, but they were unable to do anything during the winter months.

18. West Virginia. We have also been in correspondence with representatives of groups in Parkersburg and Ravenswood, W. Va. Nothing definite has materialized in either of these places as yet relative to the opening of a Wesleyan work.

19. Andover, Ohio. Brother E. W. Brooks, assisted by Harold Schmul and the East Conneaut Trio, pitched a tent in Andover after Camp Meeting last fall. He and four ladies went through the community, gave out circulars advertising the meeting, visited and prayed in a number of homes. The cold fall nights greatly hindered the attendance. A few sought and found the Lord but from the number of seekers only two could be depended upon to attend the services if a work were opened. Consequently, Brother Brooks thought best to let matters rest for the present.

20. Clairton, and Wilkensburg. These are now under consideration

as prospective openings, but as yet we are unable to make definite announcement concerning either of the places.

21. Niles, Ohio. We closed a pioneer meeting last Sunday night, June 1, with Brother and Sister W. N. Saunders and their people at Niles. The work here has undergone a time of sifting during the last year, but God has helped the pastors and the little band to hold steady. New contacts are being made and the plans are under way for a permanent place of worship. Future prospects are very encouraging.

22. Financial Report. Dayton, Pa.: Receipts, \$65.25. Expenditures, \$34.25. Workers: Mrs. Alma Mc Dowell, \$10.00; Oneida J. M. Gleason, \$20.25. Total expenditures, \$64.50. Balance on hand, \$.75. Lovejoy, Pa.: Receipts, \$29.14. Expenditures: Mrs. Mc Dowell, \$10.00; Oneida J. M. Gleason, \$29.14. Workers: Mrs. Mc Dowell, from Pioneer Treasury, \$35.00; from meetings, \$20.00; total, \$55.00; Irene Stephens, from Pioneer Treasury, \$30.00; Oneida J. M. Gleason, salary from meetings, \$221.64; salary from Treasury, \$636.08; total salary, \$857.72. For traveling, \$175.00. Total, \$1032.72. Orders on Treasury: Wanchisn (tent rental), \$30.00. E-Z Seat Ends, \$350.00. Total, \$380.00.

ONEIDA J. M. GLEASON, Pioneer Secretary.

Report No. 13

HOLINESS DISTRICT REORGANIZATION

Akron District: The Akron District held one three day holiness convention at Barberton, Sept. 17-19, one day convention at the Kenmore Chapel, April 25, a young people's convention at the North Canton Tabernacle on Labor Day, and a joint Holiness and W. Y. P. S. convention at Grace Church, Akron, on May 30.

All these conventions were times of gracious refreshing because of the presence of the blessed Holy Spirit. Some souls received definite help and all who attended were built up in Him.

Because the Akron District is largely an industrial section, it is impossible for many of our people to attend day-time services or to stay over night. This makes conventions somewhat of a problem. However, we believe that those held this year have been greatly worthwhile and productive of much good. REV. C. D. PATTERSON, Chairman.

Officers:

District Officers: Chairman, H. N. Robinson. Vice-Chairman, T. W. Comadoll. Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Eunice Comadoll. Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, Gracia L. Fero. Young People's Chairman, G. D. Lauby. Young People's Vice-Chairman, Catharine Carr. Sunday-school Secretary, C. L. Chess. Missionary Secretary, Mrs. Vesta Zike. Pioneer Secretary. C. L. Chess. Assistant Pioneer Secretary, James Merrifield.

Indiana District: The Indiana District of the Allegheny Conference held four three-day holiness conventions, three one-day young people's rallies, and entertained the Conference Young People's Convention during the past year.

The dates of our holiness conventions are set for the entire year to enable the pastors and the churches to plan their revivals to avoid conflicting with the conventions.

Our first convention was held at the Rich Hill Wesleyan Church. God gave us a gracious time there with Brother and Sister Trimble and their people. The next convention was at Pine Grove Church, the high point being the fasting and prayer service Wednesday noon, and the marvelous outpouring of God's Spirit on the other services. The third convention was held at Dixonville. Again God manifested His presence in our midst and a very gracious time was the result. Our last convention of the year was entertained by our new church at Nu Mine. This church was feeling the effects of the coal strike financially but there was no strike spiritually. The climax came on Wednesday night when God came on the scene and no one person did the preaching but several exhorted as the Spirit moved them. There were several seekers at this convention, as at all the others. Brother Van Wormer proved himself a capable leader as our District Chairman.

Rev. Speas was our Young People's Chairman and under his efficient leadership three one-day conventions were held. The first one was held at Nu Mine on Labor Day. The second was entertained by the Punxsutawney Church on New Year's Day. On Memorial Day the Templeton Zion Church was host to the third convention. The interest and attendance at these rallies was excellent and they were occasions of blessing to our district.

The Indiana District was host to the Conference Young People's Convention at Indiana last October. This was truly a "feast of good things." We were grateful for the ministry of Rev. C. I. Armstrong and the capable leadership of our beloved Conference Young People's President, Sister Gleason. Our conventions have been a source of revival and enrichment to Indiana District the past year.

Officers:

CLYDE BLAIR, Vice-Chairman.

District Officers: Chairman, <u>H. C. Van Wormer</u>. Vice-Chairman, Clyde Blair. Secretary-Treasurer, <u>Mrs. Clyde Blair</u>. Missionary Secretary, Mrs. H. C. Van Wormer, Sunday-school Secretary, Clifford Hoien. Reporter, E. H. Howells. Young People's Chairman, Howard Speas.

New Castle District: The New Castle Holiness Convention District held four conventions during the year: (1) Oak Grove Church, Sandy Lake Charge. (2) Rochester. (3) West Middlesex. (4) Brownsville. The Holy Spirit signally blessed these conventions to the edification of the saints, the fruitful altar services, and the good of the churches.

The district, also, had four good young people's rallies this year: (1) Zion's Church, Sandy Lake Charge. (2) New Castle. (3) Server. (4) Rochester. These rallies were most profitable to the precious young people who attended them and used their talents for the Lord in them. The district has talented young people whose exemplary lives are telling for Christ. G. B. CLAY, Chairman.

Officers:

District Officers: Chairman, <u>G. B. Clay</u>. Vice-Chairman, C. C. Cross. Secretary-Treasurer, Myra Lupton. Sunday-school Secretary, T. Mc-Cracken. Missionary Secretary, Mrs. Edna Patterson. Program Committee, Executive Committee.

Titusville District: Ten one-day conventions were held during the year with the Lord's blessing upon us. There were two young people's rallies, and a pioneer rally with Sister Gleason at Stewart Run. Our Conference Sunday-school Representative was with us for our one Sundayschool Rally. These were times when the Lord met with us graciously with definite seekers at nearly every gathering.

Our last convention was a young people's rally on Memorial Day at Keepsville. The Lord met with us in a marked way, with the program broken up, giving the Holy Spirit complete control.

Officers:

District Officers: Chairman, H. A. Markell. Vice-Chairman, V. V. Van Derlin. Secretary, J. W. Dentler. Young People's Chairman, Walter Kopp. Sunday-school Secretary, W. H. Armstrong. Missionary Secretary, Helen Dentler. Treasurer, E. R. Barris. First convention to be held at Stewart Run Wesleyan Methodist Church, July 1.

West Verginia District: During the year we held four one-day holiness conventions, one tent meeting. These meetings were well attended and there has been a good spirit in our services.

God has put His seal upon our efforts to work the Convention Plan in West Virginia. We are expecting better coöperation among the churches, and more blessing and glory from the Lord.

C. A. WEST, Chairman.

Officers:

District Officers: Chairman, Charles Baker. Vice-Chairman, C. A. West. Secretary-Treasurer, Ella Wilson. Sunday-school Secretary, Gerald Rodgers. Missionary Secretary, Mrs. Rosa Anderson. Program Committee, Officers of Organization.

Report No. 14

CONFERENCE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Your Committee on Nominations for Conference Temporary Organization reports Committee nominations as follows:

1. Credentials: Howard Speas, C. B. Pugh.

2. Ministerial Character: J. W. Dentler, Frank Shaw.

3. Courtesy: C. C. Cross, H. E. Robertson.

4. Religious Services: Conference President.

5. To Receive Conference Entertainment Fund: William Leyshon, Evangeline Dunkerly.

6. Pastoral Relations: Elders: J. R. Swauger, D. B. Hampe, C. D. Patterson, T. McCracken. Laymen: C. A. Ries, M. L. Moore, Dr. M. E. Churchill.

7. Thanks: Thankful Clawson.

8. For Nomination of Conference Mission Board: C. E. Zike, H. A. Markell, Mrs. Nettie Carpenter.

9. Boundaries: T. A. Robertson, W. A. Robbie, Herman Perrine.

10. Statistics: Clifford Hoien, Byron Zike, H. R. Waite, Harry Trimble, Virgil Van Derlin, Donald Jones.

Report No. 15

CONFERENCE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Conference Board of Trustees met on the Stoneboro Campgrounds on August 22, 1940, and, by motion approved plans and authorized the enlarging of the McLeister Memorial Church.

At Tarentum on Sept. 20, 1940 to consider purchasing the Church building being used there.

Authorized the Trustees at Niles, Ohio, to purchase two lots on Emma Street.

On Nov. 4, 1940, in the vicinity of Greenwood Church to consider the purchase of a parsonage property for that charge. By motion authorized the local trustees to purchase a part of the Wilbur Peterson property.

Authorized the sale of Bethshan property as soon as possible. By motion J. R. Swauger was made committee to arrange sale of same. Authorized the President and Secretary of the Board to sign necessary papers in the purchase of the Brownsville property.

On Nov. 6, 1940, the President and Secretary of the Conference Board of Trustees met in the office of Attorney Espy Sherrard in Union Town, Pa., and signed the mortgage and bond required by the Home Owner's Loan Corp. as the final step in the purchase of the Brownsville property.

On Nov. 26, 1940, met at Sandy Lake, Pa., to consider the request of Mt. Pleasant Church for assistance in solving the problem in financing the

completion of their new church building. Motion carried that the Board of Trustees endorse a note for said church for \$500.00 for a period of 18 months.

Authorized the Conference President to offer Bethshan property for sale for the sum of \$7,500.00 cash.

On February 8, 1941, by correspondence, approved the sale of Bethshan Home real estate for the sum of \$7,800.00 subject to terms as recorded on page 19 of the minutes of the Board of Trustees.

On February 25, 1941, met at the Wesleyan Methodist Church in Meadville to consider purchase of parsonage property for the Meadville Church. Authorized the purchase of the property at 745 Stewart Street for the sum of \$2,800.00 subject to terms as recorded on page 20 of the minutes of the Board.

Approved plans for the erection of a church building in Oil City, Pa.

President and Secretary authorized to sign necessary papers involved in the sale of Bethshan property.

On February 18, 1941, the President and Secretary of the Board went to Canton, Ohio, and signed Articles of Agreement and Land Contract consumating the sale of Bethshan Home real estate.

By correspondence the Board signed an Article of Agreement between said Board of Trustees and the People's Bank of Clymer, Clymer, Pa., that allowed the Tarentum Wesleyan Methodist Church to borrow the sum of \$5,000.00 at 5 per cent interest and purchase the church property at 528 East 8th Street, Tarentum, Pa. Copy of Article inserted in Minutes Record Book.

March 25, 1941, by correspondence, authorized the trustees of Mc-Leister Memorial Church to purchase two lots next to the church for parsonage purposes.

April 11, 1941, by correspondence, authorized the trustees of the Ashville Church to transfer a strip of land wide enough for a driveway, to the township.

May 8, 1941, by correspondence, approved the sale of the Sandy Lake Church property for the sum of \$1000.00 cash and the acceptance of the offer of Mr. R. C. Walker to purchase two corner lots on Main Street and present same to Church, provided a new church building is erected.

May 21, 1941, met in Oil City, Pa., and authorized the local trustees to purchase the vacant school building on Seldon Street and convert same into a combined church and parsonage. Terms and restrictions recorded on page 22 of the Minutes of the Board.

Authorized the sale of the lot on Plummer Street for the highest possible price, subject to terms and restrictions recorded on page 22 of Minutes Book.

Loans Authorized From the Aid Fund

From the Ministerial Aid Fund as follows:

August 22, 1940. To Rev. John McLain, \$15.00 to be applied on debts acquired while pastor at Oil City.

November 4, 1940. To Rev. E. D. Lupton, \$30.00 to apply on hospital expenses.

January 24, 1941. To Rev. Cecil Huntsman, \$40.00 to apply on hospital and medical expenses.

January 24, 1941. To Rev. E. D. Lupton, \$75.00 to apply on medical and hospital expenses.

April 11, 1941. To Rev. Gerald Rodgers, \$75.00 to apply as payment on car.

May 21, 1941. To Rev. Cecil Huntsman, whatever amount may be necessary to apply on hospital and medical expense following an emergency operation.

From the Church Aid Fund as follows:

November 4, 1940. To Canton Second Church, \$65.00 to apply on the construction of Sunday-school rooms in the basement of the church building.

To the Annandale Church, \$65.00 to apply on the expense of reroofing the church building.

February 25, 1941. To the Oil City Church, \$100.00 to apply on construction of new church building when the local trustees have succeeded in negotiating a loan of \$500.00 from a bank.

February 25, 1941. \$100.00 to the Meadville Church to aid in purchasing parsonage property at 745 Stewart Street.

March 25, 1941. \$50.00 to the West Middlesex Church to aid in completion of basement church.

April 3, 1941. \$200.00 to Mt. Pleasant Church to aid in finishing the new church building.

May 21, 1941. Motion carried rescinding the action of the Board on February 25, granting a loan of \$100.00 to the Oil City Church to apply on new church building.

\$100.00 to the Oil City Church according to the conditions on page 22 of the minutes of the Board of Trustees.

CHARLES C. CROSS, Secretary.

Report No. 16

HYMNAL RESOLUTION

Whereas, the Bible definitely enjoins the singing of hymns, as well as psalms and spiritual songs; and,

Whereas, the singing of the grand old hymns of the Church have been

greatly used of God in bringing comfort to the afflicted, consolation to the sorrowing, hope to the dying, and divine inspiration and life to numberless souls in worship services down through the history of the Church; and,

Whereas, we believe that the use of hymns in our churches, especially in the morning worship, is productive of a dignity, a depth of spirituality, a strength of character and an establishment in Christian experience and doctrine which is lost by the use only of gospel songs, be it, therefore,

Resolved, that we as a Conference go on record as approving the use of a hymnal in the services of our churches; said hymnal to be known as "The Weslevan Methodist Hymnal," and,

That we petition the Book Committee at Syracuse, New York, for the printing of a supply of such hymnals. H. N. ROBINSON.

Report No. 17

STONEBORO CAMP MEETING ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

To the members of the Allegheny Annual Conference. Dear Fellow Soldiers:

Greetings in the name of our great King. It is with greatful heart that we bring to you a report of the work of the Stoneboro Camp Meeting Association.

Our last Annual Encampment, held August 13-22, 1940, was one of the best attended and most successful in the history of our Association. The attendance was large. The finances were very good and better than anything else, our God's presence was manifested in our midst.

Our evangelists did most excellent work. Rev. T. M. Anderson's Bible Studies was one of the outstanding features of the meeting. Six of them were preserved and have been put in printed form. Rev. R. C. Kendrick, President of the South Carolina Conference, preached under the anointing and blessing of the Lord. Rev. Roy S. Nicholson, Connectional Home Missionary Secretary, brought the wonderful truth of God in masterly sermons, which will not soon be forgotten.

We are looking forward to a good year with Rev. E. W. Black, of Houghton, and Rev. E. W. Tokley, of Canada, as evangelists. Announcements will be placed in the hand of the pastors of the Conference before this session is adjourned. Please pray for a great camp this coming August.

One improvement which every one here has doubtless noticed is the cementing of the floor of the main part of our large tabernacle. This will be of tremendous benefit in helping to solve the dust problem. The expense has been about eight hundred dollars, and we are in need of help from all our friends to meet this expense. Pastors are requested to remind their congregations of pledges which may not yet have been paid. A pressing need which faces us is that of an enlarged dining hall. Funds are not available to permit us to make this improvement. Please pray for this matter also. As the Lord leads and the funds are provided, we expect to go ahead with needed improvements.

Our aim is the conversion of the unsaved and the sanctification of believers. May there ever be a mutual coöperation to this end.

J. R. SWAUGER, President.

Report No. 18

COMMITTEE ON UNIFORM STATISTICS

We recommend:

1. That the addresses of the Conference Sub-Treasurers be published in the Conference Minutes.

2. That all Conference Budget, Conference Missions, Pioneer, New Aid, Group Insurance, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Y. M. W. B., Education and Hephzibah Orphanage funds be sent through the local church treasurer to the Sub-Treasurer in one monthly remittance and forwarded to the proper recipient by the Sub-Treasurer. These funds to be entered upon pastors statistical report as follows: (1). In Items VIII and X, Conference Budget, Conference Missions, Pioneer, New Aid, Group Insurance, combined in one fund to be known as **Conference Fund**. (2). In Items VII and X, Home Missions, Foreign Missions (including Y. M. W. B.), Education and Hephzibah Orphanage to be entered in their respective places on the blanks. Gash receipts direct from Conference or Connectional Treasurers for Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Y. M. B. W., Education and Hephzibah Orphanage may be reported in the proper places in Item VIII, provided said receipts are in the hands of the Sub-Treasurers before they close their books.

3. That necessary stationery be supplied to the Sub-Treasurers as follows: Journal and disbursement blanks; return-addressed envelopes for forwarding funds; penny postal cards and pad forms printed as a double receipt, one half to be given to the pastor, the other half to the local church treasurer.

4. That local church books be closed on the third Saturday of May and that Y. M. W. B. be reported for the Conference year as all other funds.

5. That the pastor's statistical reports, with any necessary corrections, be in the hands of the Statistical Committee not later than noon of Conference Thursday, and that said committee shall not be responsible for said reports which reach them after that time.

CLIFFORD HOIEN, Chairman.

Report No. 19

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
73 per cent of Budget	\$3427.77		
Peter Wiseman	4.00		
Deficit, June 5, 1940		\$ 202.84	
J. R. Swauger, salary		2080.00	
J. R. Swauger, traveling expenses		500.00	
J. R. Swauger, telephone rental		13.50	
J. R. Swauger, telephone and telegraph		3.52	
J. R. Swauger, stationery	-	16.70	
J. R. Swauger, secretary		180.00	
Treasurer		40.00	
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Totals	\$3431.77	\$3036.56	\$ 395.21

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Conference Missions:

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Balance, June 5, 1940	\$829.48		-
Received	3197.25		
A. E. Kerst		\$ 390.00	
Catharine Carr		332.50	
G. D. Lauby		260.00	
Norman Saunders		520.00	,
Florence Dray		780.00	
C. L. Chess		60.00	
John McLain		100.00	
Donald St. Clair		120.00	
Reed Bennett		60.00	
Sherman Beers		180.00	
C. B. Pugh		110.00	
H. A. Markell		60.00	
Cecil Huntsman		120.00	
E. D. Howells		25.00	
Meadville Church		200.00	
Oil City Church		75.00	
Pittsburgh Church		300.00	
Falconer Church		60.00	
Erie Church		120.00	
Stewart Run Church	· · ·	25.00	
Stewart Run Courses for the			
Totals	\$4026.73	\$3897.50	\$ 129.23

Superannuated Ministers' Fund:			
Balance, June 5, 1940 2 per cent of budget	\$ 415.01 93.01	Expenditure	s Balance
G. W. Richardson	95.01	\$ 200.00	
Totals	\$ 508.92	\$ 200.00	\$ 308.92
Pioneer Fund:			
Balance, June 5, 1940 Received	Receipts \$1703.39 2423.81	Expenditure	s Balance
Oneida Gleason		\$ 741.83	
Mt. Pleasant Church		100.00	
Tarentum		500.00	
C. E. Zike Walter Kopp		50.00	
C. A. West		25.00	
Irene Stephens		60.00 30.00	•
Alma McDonald		30.00	
A. R. Wanchisn		30.00	
E. W. Brooks		25.00	
Swauger Publishing Company		108.00	
Totals Gen. Conference Delegates' Expense Fund	\$4127.20	\$1704.83	\$2422.37 \$ 1.42
Conference Entertainment Fund:			
Received From Miscellaneous Fund	Receipts \$ 178.11 46.87	Expenditures	Balance
H. E. Robertson		\$ 5.00	
T. A. Robertson		9.00	
Labor, C. A. Ries, Supt		140.98	
Gas and electric		55.00	
Franklin Garbage Company		15.00	
Totals	\$ 224.98	\$ 224.98	
McLeister Memorial Fund:			
Balance, June 5, 1940	Receipts \$ 672.84	Expenditures	Balance
Interest on mortgage Payment on mortgage	31.21		
- ayment on mortgage	180.15	-	-
Totals	\$ 884.20	:	\$ 884.20

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	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Education	\$ 22.20	\$ 22.20	
Foreign Missions	\$ 44.60	\$ 44.60	
Home Missions	\$ 16.58	\$ 16.58	
Hephzibah Orphanage	\$ 2.65	\$ 2.65	
Sale of Bethshan Home	\$ 407.10		\$ 407.10
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New Plan:	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Received	\$1384.35		
John McLain	•	\$ 15.00	• • •
Deweerd Lupton		105.00	
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Cecil Huntsman	• • • •		
Canton, Second Church		65.00	
Meadville Church		100.00	
Mt. Pleasant Church		200.00	
West Middlesex Church		50.00	
Gerald Rodgers		75.00	
E. W Brooks	• • • •	30.00	
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T	\$1384.35	\$ 755.00	\$ 629.35
Totals	φ130 4 .33	\$ 133.00	φ 022.00
Group Insurance:	Desidents	Expenditures	Balance
Received	Receipts \$ 249.25	Expenditures	Dalance
	58.86		
From Miscellaneous Fund	30.00		
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A. E. Kerst, Insurance Secretary	\$ 308.11	\$ 308.11	
Miscellaneous Fund:			
D 1 T T 1040	Receipts \$ 95.68	Expenditures	Balance
Balance, June 5, 1940			
Received	378.38		·
J. B. Markey, Secretary		\$ 19.49	
Sub-Treasurers		25.00	
Swauger Publishing Company		14.19	
Youngs (Printers)		2.50	
Wesleyan Methodist Publishing Company		\$ 182.00	
To Group Insurance Fund	• • • • •	58.86	· ·
To Entertainment Fund		46.87	•
		2.78	•
Mercer County State Bank		43.19	
Trustee's expense			•
General Conference President's secretary	e et e	2.50	•
Flowers for Mrs. Lupton's Funeral		3.00	
Postage, stationery, telegram		9.22	· · · ·
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Totals	\$ 474.06	\$ 410.20	\$ 62.86
Grand Totals	\$15869.45	\$10223.21	\$5241.66
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	Item I. PASTOR'S LABORS				
Charge	Pastor	Time Employed (Months)	Church Societies		Wesleyan Missionary W. Y. P. S. Journals
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Maple Valley Maple Valley Maple Valley Maple Valley Maple Valley Maple Valley Maple Valley Maple Valley Barberton Bethel Brown Hill Brown Hill Brownsville Canton, First Second Cecil Canton, First Second Cecil Cleveland Dixonville Canton, First Second Cecil Cleveland Dixonville East Clarksburg East Clarksburg Franklin Greenwile Greenwile Breenwood Harbor Tortons Indiana Keepville Lucusboro Meddelfield Mount Calvary Mount Pleasant Vew Castle Viles Vorth Springfield Vu Mine Dil City Pine Grove Tittsburgh Tittsfeld Vurst Springfield Vurst Springfield Vurst Springfield Vurst Springfield Vurst Springfield Vurst Springfield Vurst Springfield Vurst Springfield Vurst Fairfield Vest Middlesex Vhite Memorial Viley West Middlesex Volf Summit Blue Eye Mission Brookvile Lovejoy	A. D. Fero Catharine Carr J. F. Merrifield D. B. Hampe Claude Eshelman John W. McLain C. D. Patterson Charles Baker Robert E. Brown T. E. Comadoll H. N. Robinson Glenn D. Lauby Gerald Rodgers Florence B. Dray H. C. Van Wormer C. A. West E. W. Brooks Ada Dishong Joseph B. Markey H. E. Robertson Cecil Huntsman W. G. Steele Rex Brickel I. D. Swinehart J. W. Dentler Guy E. Terpe W. H. Armstrong George Blankenbicker H. R. Waite W. A. Robbie Reed Bennett W. A. Robbie Reed Howells Sherman W. Beers C. A. Blair C. B. Clay H. A. Markell Clifford Hoien H. A. Trimble T. McCracken C. B. Pugh C. C. Cross William Leyshon V. V. VanDerlin D. L. Robertson J. C. Himes H. L. Speas T. A. Robertson C. A. West C. A. West C. C. Crai William Leyshon V. V. VanDerlin Donald Jones C. A. West C. A. West C. C. Cross William Leyshon J. C. Himes H. L. Speas T. A. Robertson C. A. West C. C. Cross William Leyshon J. C. Himes H. L. Speas T. A. Robertson C. A. West C. C. Cross William Leyshon J. C. Himes H. L. Speas T. A. Robertson C. A. West C. C. Clair Tucker J. Clair Tucker J. Clair Tucker J. Clair Tucker	$\begin{array}{c} 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\$		23 77 438 500 928 54 45 55 45 568 27 45 39 10 928 55 45 39 11 25 31 25 45 39 11 25 37 45 39 10 10 92 28 39 28 39 10 10 92 28 39 28 39 10 10 92 28 39 10 10 92 28 27 45 39 11 25 37 45 37 45 37 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $

Report No. 20. STATISTICAL REPORT

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Item II. PERIODICALS etc. etc. Cards Quarterly Pupils Lesson Stories, Stories, Intermediate Quarterly Banner Charts Paper Quarterly Quarterly Friend Folks Quarterly Quarterly School] Leaflet Lesson Dept. Lesson Class Little Children's Teachers' Charge Primary Sunday Lesson Junior Junior Home Senior Bible Bible Our 40 15 25 70 30 35 11 45 55 30 90 35 55 130 45 28 511 • • 30 Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Kenmore Maple Valley McLeister Memorial Amnandale Ashvile Barberton Bethel Bown Hill Brown Hill Brownsville Canton, First Second Cecil Cacion, First Second Cecil Cacion, First Second Cecil East Clarksburg East Conneaut Erie East Conneaut Erie Franklin Greenville Greenville Greenwood Harbor Hortons Indiana Keepville Luciusboro Hortons Indiana Medville Mechanicsburg Mentcle Nidelefield Mount Calvary Mount Pleasant New Castle Nidel North Springfield Nu Mine North Springfield Nu Mine Oil City Pittsfield Punsutawney Rich Hill Rochester Sandy Lake Sarver Stewart Run Sugar Creek Tarentum Templeton, First Zion Wesleyan Titusville West Fairfield West Middlesex White Memorial Wiley 40 6 ···; . . . i5 20 15 30 85 1Ž 26 10 25 75 10 8 64 35 12 · 20 • • • 20 10 15 15 6 15 65 25 6 15 65 . . . 'i 30 65 10 80 35 30 31 140 6 6 12 25 30 138 20 20 20 100 15 22 14 58 6 6 44 25 6 15 25 25 1. . . ••6 5 4 20 18 8 15 40 35 12 12 60 i 1 6 īŏ 14 35 110 6 • • • 20 35 50 20 15 10 iö 30 40 4ŏ .27 25 20 40 22 45 15 27 90 •••|••• . . . 8 31 28 iż 68 -8 30 8 š 12 45 12 17 20 25 35 16 36 . . . **3**0 12 142 30 12 1 . . . i5 8 47 30 12 39 8 15 8 iö 12 8 . . . 4 8 2 6 iò 20 10 20 25 40 **żż** 1 1 1 1 25 25 30 15 35 25 **ż**ö ż iö 25 110 90 47 42 85 16 8 7 11 . . . 25 35 30 iś . . •• 15 3Ŏ 10 . . . iż . . . iż 12 10 70 15 27 • ; • • . . 1 • • • 60 iö ż 40 • • • . . . 40 24 50 24 15 15 12 150 50 iò . . . 30 'i iö 5 żò 20 • • • . . . ۰. 1 ••• 35 30 20 12 28 24 15 30 30 24 ġ $\begin{array}{c} 55\\ 16\\ 38\\ 18\\ 10\\ 42\\ 35\\ 72\\ 12\\ 14\\ 70\\ 20\\ 80\\ 50\\ 40\\ 662\\ 822\\ 162\\ 50\end{array}$ żó 12 20 12 12 14 8 12 15 35 20 15 55 42 30 32 30 84 25 10 64 2ŏ iŝ 12 18 5 15 7 12 11 10 'i 13 . . . **i**4 87 10 1 . 1 · i4 . . . 15 18 15 30 . . . 6 . . . 16 10 12 15 25 18 18 6 15 12 10 68 10 1 . . . iż 4 15 15 . . . 10 īō ż 32 40 iò A 81 4 10 76 6 4 28 5 7 8 6 8 11 33 9 • ; . . . 1 6 4... 1 ... 1 13 1 ... 1 ... 1 ... 1 ... 6 14 44 15 30 8 5 10 9 60 91 44 46 . . 20 30 55 20 . . . 45 10 ż5 37 35 . . . 18 10 iö 15 12 10 ii 20 10 12 42 20 10 iż . . . 15 22 30 15 68 24 20 15 12 14 24 24 **i**8 28 26 9 14 i2 8 465 219 45 128 52 35 75 20 35 30 . . . • • 14 12 ... 18 ī 32 12 iò 26 12 10 10 26 24 10 ·i . . . ١. . . 1 ••• 68 . . i żó 20 25 20 ż5 80 12 20 . . . 25 . . iö 24 38 60 15 ••• . . . iż 'i ż 30 13 48 50 15 18 40 50 24 9 10 10 ż7 •• . . 20 25 7 12 15 1 . . . 16 . . . 35 iö 25 7 20 15 30 20 4 5 10 7 24 15 12 1 • • • 3 20 20 8 8 12 . . . 10 10 26 8 30 12 10 15 20 я 6 1 . . . White Memoria Wilgus Bookville Brookville 20 ī 3 4 10 25 35 8 î 40 8 22 . . . \$ 1 1 İŎ 3 . . 7 10 • ; 59 8 12 10 10 . 3 • 4 15 Lovejoy -10

	Item III	. M	EM	BEI	RSH	IP							
Charge	Received	Discontinued	Died	Letters Granted	No. Reported Last Year	Present Number	Loss	Gain	No. Under 14 Years of Age	Associate Members	Baptized	Local Preachers	
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Kenmore Maple Valley Maple Valley Maple Valley MoLeister Memorial Annandale Annandale Ashville Barberton Bethel Brown Hill Brownsville Canton, First Second Cecil Cleveland Dixonville East Cast Clarksburg East East Clarksburg East East Conneaut Emeigh Erie Franklin Greenville Greenwood Harbor Hortons Indiana Keepville Luciusboro Lynndon Park Massillon Mechanicsburg Methor Meast Mount Calvary Mount Pleasant New Castle Niles Niles North Springfield Nu Mine Oil City Pintsfield Punxsutawney Rich Hill Rochester Sagamore Sandy Lake Sarver Stewart Run Sugar Creek Parentum	15 16 5 11 12 69 69 77 8 11 25 18 12 13 14 22 33 14 22 33 14 22 33 14 22 33 14 22 33 14 22 15 16 22 17 18 19 12 11 83 33 33 33	22 		28 841 21 11 77.2 22 4 22 4 22 4 22 4 22 4 22 4 22 4 1	622 188 363 399 300 411 722 297 66 642 41 722 297 66 642 41 722 297 66 642 41 722 297 66 68 834 94 157 20 241 258 268 349 20 241 258 268 349 267 267 258 268 349 267 267 267 267 267 267 267 267	344 1422 160 200 422 899 333 688 3552 2660 433 755 206 667 675 200 292 1144 4355 500 292 292 292 1244 6255 550 550 555 500 755 500 7555 75555 75555 75555 755555 755555 755555555 755555555555555555	11 11 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13	6 25 16 10 13 16 13 16 13 16 13 16 13 16 10 13 13 14 13 14 13 14 14 14 15 16 13 13 13 14 14 15 16 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 19 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 11 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 11 10 		$2 \\ 11 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 11 \\ 13 \\ 7 \\ \cdots \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ \cdots \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ \cdots $	8 2 6 10 9 3 7 2	$\begin{array}{c} 7\\ 1\\ 3\\ 2\\ 2\\ 1\\ 1\\ 2\\ 2\\ 3\\ 2\\ 2\\ 4\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 1\\ 2\\ 2\\ 3\\ 2\\ 1\\ 2\\ 2\\ 3\\ 2\\ 1\\ 2\\ 2\\ 3\\ 2\\ 1\\ 2\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 3\\ 1\\ 1\\ 3\\ 1\\ 3\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\$	

Item IV. SUNDAY SCHOOLS

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Charge	No. of Sunday Schools	Whole No. of Officers	Whole No. of Teachers	Whole No. of Scholars	Total No. in Main School	Average Attendance	No. in Home Dept.	No. on Cradle Roll	Total No. in Sunday School	No. Scholars Converted	No. Scholars Joining Church	No. Departmental Supts.	No. in Teacher's Training	No. Organized Classes	No. Books in Library	No. W. Y. P. Societies	W. Y. P. S. Membership
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Kenmore Maple Valley McLeister Mem. Annandale Ashville Barberton Bethel Brown Hill Brownsville Canton, First Second Cecil Cleveland Dixonville East Clarksburg. East Clarksburg. East Clarksburg. East Clarksburg. East Clarksburg. Greenville Greenwood Harbor Hortons Indiana Keepville Lucusboro Lynndon Park Massillon Mechanicsburg Mentele Middlefield Mt. Calvary Mt. Pleasant New Castle Nies N. Springfield Punxsutawney Rich Hill Rochester Sagamore Satver Stewart Run Sugar Creek Tarentum Stewart Run Sugar Creek Tarentum Sugar Creek Tarentum Stewart Run Sugar Creek Tarentum Sugar Creek Tarentum Stewart Run Sugar Creek Tarentum Sugar Creek S		5 8 12 5 6	$\begin{array}{c} 15\\ 5\\ 3\\ 9\\ 9\\ 13\\ 5\\ 6\\ 11\\ 6\\ 7\\ 7\\ 11\\ 1\\ 6\\ 7\\ 7\\ 7\\ 11\\ 1\\ 1\\ 7\\ 7\\ 11\\ 5\\ .\\ 8\\ 20\\ 7\\ 7\\ 7\\ 11\\ .\\ .\\ 7\\ 11\\ 5\\ .\\ 8\\ 6\\ 10\\ 4\\ 8\\ 6\\ 15\\ 5\\ 8\\ 6\\ 11\\ 8\\ 6\\ 20\\ 7\\ 7\\ 10\\ 4\\ 5\\ 5\\ 10\\ 4\\ 5\\ 10\\ 4\\ 5\\ 10\\ 4\\ 5\\ 10\\ 10\\ 10\\ 10\\ 10\\ 10\\ 10\\ 10\\ 10\\ 10$	64	$\begin{array}{c} 2666\\ 266\\ 1100\\ 53\\ 159\\ 281\\ 281\\ 281\\ 281\\ 281\\ 209\\ 209\\ 209\\ 209\\ 209\\ 209\\ 209\\ 209$	600 300 855 115 50 1577 233 65 400 129 90 67 106 129 90 67 106 189 722 7106 65 555 555 555 555 800 67 109 72 23 46 65 55 55 80 0 72 106 129 90 77 106 65 129 90 77 106 65 129 90 77 106 65 129 90 77 106 65 129 90 77 106 65 55 129 129 77 106 65 55 129 129 77 106 65 55 129 129 77 106 65 55 129 129 77 106 65 55 129 77 106 65 55 129 77 106 65 55 55 129 77 106 65 55 55 129 77 106 65 55 55 55 129 77 106 65 55 55 55 55 129 77 106 65 55 55 55 55 55 55 106 65 55 55 55 80 00 77 106 65 55 55 55 80 00 77 106 65 55 55 55 55 80 00 77 106 65 55 55 80 119 9 77 23 80 80 82 83 82 83 83 82 83 83 82 83 83 83 83 83 83 83 83 85 1115 9 72 106 65 55 55 55 55 80 00 70 119 9 72 72 74 55 55 55 55 55 55 55 55 55 80 00 70 119 9 72 72 74 55 55 55 55 80 00 70 119 9 72 7 74 55 55 55 55 80 0 72 7 7 7 106 55 55 55 55 55 7 7 7 7 111 111 29 7 7 7 7 7 111 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	7	19 25	$\begin{array}{c} 295\\ 295\\ 120\\ 380\\ 317\\ 380\\ 317\\ 380\\ 317\\ 380\\ 392\\ 317\\ 380\\ 317\\ 380\\ 319\\ 312\\ 317\\ 310\\ 317\\ 317\\ 317\\ 320\\ 317\\ 317\\ 317\\ 317\\ 317\\ 317\\ 317\\ 317$	85336625 25 15 15 20 32 20 32 5 10 30 10 30 10 30 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1		11 14 31 13 32 23 22 11 11 44 22 21	6	6 10 4 1	100 30 167 25 73 25 45 	1 1 1 3 1 2	· · · · 17 · · · 30 9 · · 26 16 15 12 · · 16 26 15 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Totals						4909		1006	8156	400	203	116	46			151	1992

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Charge	• • • • • • • • • • • •	No. Church Buildings	Value of Buildings	Amount of Indebtedness	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Amount of Indebtedness	Cash or Other Values on Hand
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Kenmore Maple Valley McLeister Memorial Annandale Ashville Barberton Bethel Brown Hill Brown Hill Brown Hill Brown Hill Brown Hill Brown Hill Brown Sylle Canton, First Second Cecil Cleveland Dixonville East Clarksburg East Conneaut Emeigh Erie Franklin Greenwolde Greenwood Harbor Hortons Indiana Keepville Lucusboro Lynndon Park Massillon Meatcle Middlefield Mount Calvary Mount Pleasant New Castle Niles North Springfield Nu Mine Oil City Pine Grove Pitts			\$10000.00 2250.00 8000.00 1900.00 3000.00 7000.00 15000.00 4500.00 4500.00 4500.00 2000.00 2400.00 2400.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1500.00 1200.00 100	\$2679.78 600.00 880.00 125.00 4028.47 5262.00 200.00 150.00 150.00 156.00 1062.00	1 1 1 2 1 1	\$4000.00 	\$2382.91 \$2382.91 98.65 1400.00 4325.00 2550.00 2664.08	\$ 223.00 159.19 86.00 4.97 3101.43 88.24 19.44 3787.98
Sagandre Lake Sardy Lake Sarver Stewart Run Sugar Creek Tarentum Templeton, First Zion Wesleyan Titusville West Fairfield Witte Memorial Wilfus Wolf Summit Blue Eye Mission Brookville Lovejoy Mission Totals			7600.00 7000.00 800.00 2600.00 1400.00 3500.00 6500.00 700.00 2000.00 3500.00 3500.00	1400.00 350.00 100.00 370.00 1815.00	1			226,52 622,71 157,18 408.00 120.00 575.00 102.26 55.00 22.11

Item VI. AMOUNT CO	TRIBUT	ed for	PASTO	R	
		tt.	Funeral Fees		Pastor's Receipts
• Charge	s Salary	age Rent	and		Pastor's
	Pastor's	Parsonage	Marriage	Gifts	Total
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan	\$1520.00 833.00	\$360.00	\$64.00	\$167.80 27.00	\$2111.80 860.00
Kenmore Maple Valley McLeister Memorial	95.00 1250.00 1590.00	360.00	2.00 25.00	20.00 140.00	95.00 1632.00 1755.00
Annandale Ashville Barberton	821.00 578.00 1716.00	72.00 96.00 300.00	20.00 54.00	179.00 127.00 156.25	1092.00 801.00 2226.25
Bethel Brown Hill Brownsville	570.00 113.92 1133.75	82.00 45.00 63.00	 10.00	262.85 129.00 93.25	914.85 287.92 1300.00
Canton, First	1446.00 674.00 400.00	360.00 240.00 96.00	25.00 16.00 4.00	94.25 250.00 109.63	1925.25 1180.00 609.63
Cleveland Dixonville East Clarksburg	564.37 1404.00 224.39	480.00 180.00 40.20		54.00 66.00 10.00	1098.37 1650.00 274.59
East Conneaut Emeigh Erie	765.00 269.74 1456.00	159.60 32.50 435.00	10.00	255.00 30.50 156.50	1189.60 332.74 2050.00
Franklin Greenville Greenwood	1079.00 616.00 1163.00	252.00	10.00 7.00 10.00	156.50 185.00 210.00 200.00	1526.00 933.00 1493.00
Harbor Hortons. Indiana	633.41		42.50	178.97 60.00 162.68	854.88 1945.00 808.90
Keepville Luciusboro Lynndon Park	130.00	300.00	5.00 19.00 19.00	31.45	161.45 1530.00
Massillon Meadaville Mechanicsburg Mentcle	935.00	210.00 60.00	7.00	50.00 151.00	1202.00 1159.00
Menter Middlefield Mount Calvary Mount Pleasant	1. 40.5.00	192.00 182.00	4.00	226.00	871.00 1174.00
New Castle Niles North Springfield	248.50	300.00	9.00 10.00	390.00	1864.00
North Springheit	208 10	l. 10.00	5.00	93.00 16.45	1001.66
Pittsheld	958.12	300.00 100.00	37.00	25.00	1365.00 1340.17
Rich Hill	921.59) 240.00	21.00	250.65	1325.24 1735.00
Rochester Sagamore Sandy. Lake Sarver Stewart Run Stewart Run	756.92 1652.55 951.00 24.00	J 236.00	60.25 15.00	150.00	2036.83 1352.00 24.00
Sugar, Creek. Tarentum Templeton, First	780.0) 96.00) 300.00 5 120.00) 8.00	317.8	5 1405.85
Zioni Wesleyan Titusville West Fairfield	777.00) 100.00 300.00	22.50) 110.4 30.0	992.47 1627.50 41.36
West Middlesex.) 216.00 5 2 64.00		67.0	5 536.26 1 1072.46 0 651.00
Wolf. Summit Blue Eye Mission Brookwille	. 738.8 191.3 87.3	3	12.00	75.0 50.8 40.0	0 825.83 3 242.16 0 127.35
Lovejoy Mission	. 125 73	RI		10.0	135.78

Item VII. AMOUNT C	ONTRIE	BUTED F	OR CHU	RCH	
Charge	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday-school Exp en se	Building and Repairs	Incidental Expenses	Total for Church
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Kenmore Maple Valley McLeister Memorial Annandale Ashville Barberton Bethel Brown Hill Brown Yile Canton, First Second Cecil Citeveland Dixonville East Clarksburg East Conneaut Emeigh Franklin Greenville Greenville Greenville Greenville Greenville Massillon Hortons Indiana Keepville Lucusboro Lynndon Park Massillon Meatoille Mount Calvary Mount Pleasant New Castle Niles North Springfield Nu Mine Oil City Pine Grove Pintsfield Punzsutawney Rich Hill Rochester	O \$445.00 104.00 85.00 161.60 238.00 72.00 530.50 200.00 530.50 200.00 32.00 76.44 76.44 76.764 76.764 76.764 76.764 75.00 200.00 258.84 61.50 258.84 61.50 258.84 61.50 258.84 61.50 258.84 61.50 258.84 61.50 258.89 0167.32 538.90 75.93 95.46 135.774 75.83 95.46 1389.00 75.75.83 95.46 1389.00 75.75.60 435.50 136.00 136.00	\$330.13 92.04 23.07 110.49 346.76 58.00 65.59 483.34 51.09 30.94 95.06 271.68 190.03 37.84 210.22 37.38 31.48 31.48 237.38 31.48 21.76 170.45 99.14 153.30 170.45 99.14 170.45 99.14 170.45 99.14 170.45 99.14 170.45 99.14 170.45 99.14 170.45 99.14 170.45 99.14 170.45 99.14 171.51 111.18 92.50 130.20 238.55 206.37 136.67 222.24 136.67 222.24 136.67 136.67 222.24 136.67 136.67 222.24 136.72 218.86 190.00 125.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 136.67 222.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 127.27 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 126.24 136.49 136.20 127.24 136.49 136.27 126.24 136.27 126.24 136.27 126.24 136.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 127.29 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 126.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 127.27 126.27 127.27 127.27 127.27 127.27 127.27 127.27 127.27 127.27 127.	A 168.14 301.30 150.00 141.50 764.40 439.00 2332.67 966.00 439.00 2332.67 966.00 35.00 475.00 35.00 60.972 1936.97 380.95 55.65 2484.00 250.00	\$521.77 117.16 54.99.59 998.00 132.01 312.75 76.08 36.00 594.88 164.03 57.02 48.36 141.73 15.70 395.00 586.08 279.03 48.36 141.73 15.70 395.00 586.08 279.00 586.08 277.00 462.55 840.38 277.00 462.55 844.33 64.28 880.04 277.00 462.55 156.35 178.37 128.00 250.00 250.00 253.35 35.75 199.55 178.37 128.00 534.59 148.68 188.70 253.00 254.59 148.68 156.35 178.37 128.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 253.00 254.59 255.00 255.00 256.00 256.00 256.00 257.00 256.00 257.00 250.00 2	\$1465.04 614.50 312.99 590.54 1778.75 632.00 504.61 1767.09 226.41 66.99 1023.00 85.84 90.96 2998.55 476.29 90.96 3388.00 657.35 85.84 90.96 3388.00 657.35 852.54 1303.65
Sagamore Sandy Lake Sarver Stewart Run Stewart Run Tarentum Templeton, First Zion Wesleyan Titusville West Fairfield West Fairfield West Fairfield West Middlesex White Memorial Wilgus Wolf Summit Blue Eye Mission Brookville Lovejoy Mission	124.58 185.59 87.28 94.05 103.31 50.91 32.50 40.00	231.21 87.54 191.77 419.54. 30.95. 122.37 228.32 128.45 73.90 19.07.1 220.00 60.52	137.37 560.35 188.99 526.28 91.33 132.41 152.00	148.53 116.83 290.23 420.18 540.78 131.55 44.67 38.80 14.98 88.00 13051.83	993.53 895.36 30.95 818.82 1489.43 351.33 354.29 108.78 211.48 198.2

Item VIII: AMOUNT CONTRIBUTED FOR BENEVOLENCES										
Charge	Conference Budget (Undivided)	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Education	Conference Missions	Pioneer Fund				
Akron, First	\$217.75	\$108.97 15.75	\$372.48	\$ 98.00	\$123.14 19.50	\$ 77.00 26.00				
Kennore Maple Valley McLeister Memorial Annandale Ashville Barberton Bethel Brown Hill Brownsville Canton, First Second Cecil Cleveland Dixonville East Clarksburg East Conneaut Emeigh Erie Franklin Greenville	55.00 195.00 100.50 30.00 206.00 17.71 55.00 222.00 49.00 18.80 32.50 177.54 29.50 84.77 1.50 135.00 98.67 135.00 99.60 100.12	18.50 43.94 14.12 3.85 82.32 33.17 3.50 28.16 60.15 120.00 42.84 27.50 80.40 	114.50 118.18 21.88 21.67 617.39 11.00 14.74 157.59 389.12 115.00 32.61 382.50 32.61 .83.94 320.65 16.00 .97.82	8,13 103,45 205,50 100,45 110,00 110,00 114,00 5,50 6,35 26,68	37,70 36,00 36,75 22,98 204,42 15,17 9,11 29,85 65,00 36,00 31,65 68,13 5,00 29,87 1,50 121,50 121,500 26,599	56.50 56.48 38.00 13.00 264.20 13.75 				
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Ashville		30.00	3.85	40.67	10.00	15 00	205 50			
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Dixonville	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	32.50 177.54	27.50	167.50	115.00	100.00	114.00			
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Luciusboro		14.67	17.25	20.54			11.25			
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Middlefield		1 52.00	29.40	45.15			30.00			
Mount Calvary .		21.50 152.00	15.10	30.00			5.00			
New Castle		176.31	.75 72.75 13.78	202.25	•••••	. 88.00	109.52			
North Springfield		29.18	13.76	8.08			1.25			
Nu Mine Oil City		9.00	1.00	33.40		9.00	1.23			
Pine Grove		110.25	69.92 4.59	1 33.80	5	.] 30.03	/ 0.40			
Pittsfield		26.10	15.50	43.3	7.5	10.30	12.10			
Rich Hill		90.81	17.00	47.20	20.0	18 0	1.69			
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Charge	Connectional Sunday-school Work	Conference Missions	Hephzibah Orphanage	Other Benevolent Öbjects	Pioneer Fund	New	Total for Benevolences				
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Kenmore Maple Valley McLeister Memorial. Annandale Ashville Barberton Bethel Brown Hill Granton, First Greenville Greenville Greenville Greenville Mathor Harbor Hotons Indiana Keepville	5.73	\$123.14 \$123.14 19.50	\$ 25.50 	\$ \$ \$	\$ 77.000 \$ 77.000 \$ 77.000 \$ 26.00 \$ 26.00 \$ 56.50 \$ 56.50 \$ 56.48 \$ 38.000 13.75 \$ 75.00 \$ 13.75 \$ 48.000 \$ 50.25 \$ 104.45 \$ 49.25 \$ 43.25 \$ 6.000 \$ 8.75 \$ 43.25 \$ 6.000 \$ 8.75 \$ 46.000 \$ 8.75 \$ 46.000 \$ 75.00 \$ 75.00 \$ 30.50 \$ 75.00 \$ 30.50 \$ 30.06 \$ 43.31 \$ 20.75 \$ 5.001 \$ 20.001 \$ 20.001 \$ 5.001 \$ 20.001 \$	\$ 63.00 4.27 29.00 .28.03 .23.76 .157.45 .27.00 27.00 27.00 27.00 .27.00 .27.68 28.00 10.00 .6.00 .26.00 .26.00 .26.00 .27.55 .28.72 .28.72 .20.55 .28.72 .20.55 .28.72 .20.68 .27.68 .26.00 .27.68 .26.00 .27.68 .26.00 .27.00 .27.00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .27.68 .00 .00 .00 .00 .00 .00 .00 .0	\$1295.52 199:80 4:27 876.36 1068.33 397.25 208.86 62696.92 125.01 71.98 461.90 1654.10 463.90 233.00 667.14 1366.69 85.61 1366.69 85.61 450.06 657.14 1366.69 85.61 1367.14 450.06 657.14 1366.69 85.61 5210.84 587.80 655.94 224.38 87.80 502.05 532.05 54.05 54.05 54.05 54.05 54.05 54.05 54.05 54.05 54.05				
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STATISTICAL REPORT NOTES Evangelists' Salary: Alice Clifton, \$650.00; Cecil Clifton, \$734.00; A. J. West, \$730.00; Oneida Gleason, \$1593.72; D. M. Stonebraker, \$96.00; C. E. Zike, \$1739.00; Erwin and Ethel Enty, \$975.59; Sarah Redding, \$3.00; Walter E. Kopp, \$872.89; J. Orlando Yount, \$365.00; C. F. Smith, \$07.89; H. E. Schimul, \$227.07; Mary V. Mohney, \$70.00; Frank Miller, \$722.14; Maurice Moore, \$74.42; Peter B. Wiseman, \$500.00; J. L. Schell, \$1268.02; Total, \$11128.74.

MINUTES

OF THE

THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

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Wesleyan Methodist Connection (or Church) of America

HELD AT

Stoneboro Campground STONEBORO, PENNSYLVANIA

June 4 - 8, 1941

MRS. EMMA ARMSTRONG, President 122 West James Street, Falconer, N. Y.

MRS. VERNA E. VOGAN, Secretary Sandy Lake, Pa.

MRS. RACHEL L. DREYER, Treasurer Tionesta, Pa.

Annual Conference Society Officers

President	.Mrs. Emma Armstrong
Vice-President	Mrs. Vesta Zike
Secretary	Mrs. Verna E. Vogan
Assistant Secretary	Mrs. Eunice Comadoll
Treasurer	Mrs. Rachel L. Dreyer
Y. M. W. B. Superintendent	
Organizer	.Mrs. Emma Armstrong
Wesleyan Missionary Solicitor	
Chairman Statistical Committee	Mrs. Eunice Comadoll

Conference Society Members

Vesta Zike	Ruth Leyshon	Elizabeth Pugh
Mary M. Still	Ruth Stonebraker	Emma Armstrong
Eunice Comadoll	Pauline White	Pearl S. Fero
Ruth Clay	Lilly Merrifield	Annia Hampe
Kathryn Stephens	Lois Swauger	Viva Shane

List of Local Societies, Presidents and Delegates

Society Days Present President and Delegate Address	
Akron, First 3 Naomi Kirkbride, Box C-8, Ellet, Ohio.	
4Mrs. Hanna Tarrell.	
Grace WesleyanRev. Catharine Carr, 1292 Pondview Ave.,	Akron,
Ohio.	
4Mrs. Byrl Knotts.	
Maple ValleyMrs. J. F. Merrifield, 1045 Pickford Ave.,	Akron,
Ohio.	
3 ¹ / ₂ Mrs. H. C. Richards.	
McLeister Mem	, Ohio.
4Mrs. Helen Spurlin.	
Ashville	
4 Marion Simmons.	
BarbertonMrs. Edna Patterson, 25 Seventeenth St., 1	3arber-
ton, Ohio.	
4Ruth Messener.	
Bethel Mrs. Charles Baker, R. D. 2, Fairview,	W. Va.
2 ¹ / ₂ Ola Chisler.	

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Society Days Present President and Delegate Address Brown HillMrs. Gladys Brown, R. D. 1, Youngsville, Pa. No Representative.
BrownsvilleMrs. Maude S. Fox, 568 High St., Brownsville Pa. 4Clova Miller.
Canal 4Mrs. Marguerite Van Derlin, R. D. 2, Utica, Pa 4Mrs. Myrtle Deets.
Canton, FirstMrs. Mary Robinson, 607 Marion Ave., S. W. Canton, Ohio. 4Mrs. Alda Okey.
SecondMrs. Ethelyn Lauby, R. D. 3, Canton, Ohio. 4Mrs. Audrey Springer.
ClevelandMrs. Bertha Schlosser, 7936 Cary Ave., Cleve land, Ohio. 4Mrs. Pearl Reuter.
Dixonville 2 Mrs. Ivah Van Wormer, Dixonville, Pa. 4 Mrs. Ellen Oakes.
East ConneautMrs. Elmer Brooks, 385 High St., East Con- neaut, O. Mrs. Neva Golden.
Erie 3 Mrs. Henry McCammon, 2020 Cherry St., Erie, Pa.
4Mrs. Ruth Kilbane. Falconer 2Mrs. Russell Baldwin, 412 Lafayette St., James- town, N. Y. 4Mrs. Clara Brakeman.
Franklin
Greenville
4Mrs. Addie Spargo. Greenwood Mrs. Joan Steele, Geneva, Pa. 31Mrs. Cora Blair.
32Mrs. Cora Blair. Hillsdale Miss Mary Churchill, Hillsdale, Pa. 3Mrs. Matilda Coy.
Indiana
Kenmore 4Mrs. Vesta Zike. 4Daisy Garns.
Keepville

tion: Mrs. Mary Robinson, Y. M. W. B. Superintendent; Mrs. Emma Armstrong, Organizer; Chairman of Statistical Committee, Mrs. Eunice Comadoll.

Delegates to District Convention at Syracuse to be left in hands of **Executive** Committee.

On motion adjourned.

Fifth Meeting: Friday morning devotions at 8 o'clock in main auditorium were in charge of the W. H. & F. M. Society. Song service led by Sister Ruth Leyshon. Prayer by Sister Van Wormer. A drill in choruses by Gracia Fero and Catharine Carr. Using the 15th chapter of Matthew, Sister Pearl S. Fero brought a very helpful message, stressing compassion, and need of being broken, perhaps by disappointments, reverses, sickness, in order that we may be a blessing to others.

Friday, 8: 30 a. m. Prayer by Sister Markell.

Roll Call: 7 Conference Society Members, 19 Presidents, 45 Delegates. Minutes read and corrected.

Treasurer's Report was read and referred to Auditing Committee. Sister Dreyer explained disposition of pledges, ¼ home, ¾ foreign unless designated otherwise. Sister McLeister stressed payment of \$1.00 dues in local societies, after which she gave a most interesting review of the new study book, "The Monk Who Lived Again."

Committee on Program and Plan of Work reported. Items 4 and 15 were referred back to committee.

A reading, "The Missionary Barrel," was given by Sister McLeister.

Sister Zike appointed as helpers in the subscription campaign, Sisters Messner, Leyshon, Terpe, Swinehart, McClintock, Clair. On motion adjourned.

Sixth Meeting: Friday, 1:30 p. m. Sister Markell led in singing, Jesus I Love Thee." Sister Viva Shane read Ephesians 5th chapter, "My Jesus I Love Thee." gave a helpful exposition, and recited a poem. Sister Ruth Leyshon led in prayer.

Roll Call: 9 Conference Society Members, 24 Presidents, 46 Dele-

On motion adjourned to meet at 1: 30 p.m. Prayer by Sister Moore. Second Meeting: Wednesday, 1: 30 p. m. Song Service in charge of Sister Leyshon. Devotions by Sister Zike who read Psalm 133, commented, and prayed.

Roll Call: 8 Conference Society Members, 18 Presidents, 43 Delegates. A letter from Sister Landrey was read by the Secretary. On the Assistant Secretary Sister Comadoll was instructed to reply. Report of Y. M. W. B. Superintendent was read and accepted. Committee on Courtesy introduced Miss Florence Hazeltine, On motion

Hope, Ky., who gave good testimony and encouraging report of the work there. Sister Zike, Solicitor for Wesleyan Missionary spoke of the subscrip-

tion campaign and urged its use by all our women. Adjourned for Committee work.

Third Meeting: 8:30 a. m. Thursday. Prayer by Sister Toole. Roll Call: 9 Conference Society Members, 19 Presidents, 42 Delegates.

Minutes read and approved.

More names were reported by Credentials Committee and placed on roll.

On motion election of officers to be held Thursday afternoon.

Report of Committee on Resolutions was read and adopted. Committee on Courtesy introduced Sister Clara McLeister, President of General Conference Society, who exhorted to full dedication to the cause of Christ, faithfulness and holiness, and called attention to the Eastern District Convention to be held at Syracuse, October 7-9.

A Prayer and Fasting Missionary League Chart was explained by Sister McCammon of the Erie Church. Sister McLeister told of a dues

and attendance chart used in their society with profit. A letter from Sister Grace Wood in India was read by the President. On motion we adjourned. Dismissed with prayer by Sister McLeister.

Fourth Meeting: Thursday, 1:30 p. m. Sister Comadoll led in sing-"A Charge to Keep." Sister McLeister led devotions, reading and ing commenting on portions of the 6th and 7th chapters of Acts after which she prayed. Recessed to hear Educational Address. Met again at 2:45. Roll Call: 10 Conference Society Members, 24 Presidents, 45 Dele-

gates.

Minutes read and approved.

Brief discussion on method of using study book by Sister McLeister and Sister Gleason.

Recessed for Conference Sermon by Rev. I. F. McLeister. Convened again at 4:30. Proceeded with Order of Day.

Election of officers. Sisters Miller, Lupton, Brakeman, and McCullough were appointed tellers. Elected by ballot: Mrs. Erma Armstrong, President; Mrs. Vesta Zike, Vice-President; Mrs. Verna E. Vogan, Secre-

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Roll Call: 10 Conference Society Members, 19 Presidents, 41 Delegates.

Minutes read and approved.

Committee on Conference Entertainment reported money received from 51 societies, amount \$111.40. Auditing Committee reported Treasurer's book correct and neatly kept. The report was accepted and Treasurer's Treasurer's Report adopted.

By ballot Mrs. Rachel L. Dreyer was reelected Treasurer. Florence Hazeltine spoke at length of the work at Hope Mission. (See report in Wesleyan Missionary for list of needs.)

Prayer by Sister Stonebraker. Dismissed by Sister Zike.

MRS. VERNA VOGAN, Secretary.

Reports

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The closing of another Conference year finds us rejoicing in the fact God is our refuge and strength a present help in trouble.

This is a tragic hour. The whole world is one long military camp. Nations that are not engaged in war are preparing for war.

We are praising God that from our Mission fields come the encouraging reports of the work progressing, victories won and Satan's kingdom defeated. There has been no retreating of the Soldiers of the Cross. Let us continue faithful in this spiritual warfare, for we are sure of victory with Jesus as our Captain.

New Societies have been organized at Luciusboro, Pa., and Kenmore, EMMA ARMSTRONG, Conference President. Ohio.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Be it Resolved: (1). That we, the members of the Woman's Home and Foreign Mis-

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(4). That we, our people, young and old, uphold, by precept and example, modesty of dress, by which we mean wearing long hose on children, avoiding short sleeves, short skirts, and nude shades of hosiery which draw attention to our bodies and so tend to destroy purity and deep spirituality.

(5). That we persistently adhere to Christian standards that create an atmosphere in the home and in the church so conducive to spirituality in these perilous times of departing from the faith of our fathers that the world may know we belong to the King of kings and look for His return for His holy bride.

(6). That as far as possible we refuse to patronize grocery stores, restaurants or other places selling liquor, since we most deeply abhor drinking or smoking.

(7). That we continue to maintain our stand against divorce laws, public amusement parks, public bathing beaches, and moving picture shows.

(8). That these resolutions be read in each local society frequently enough that all members be well informed of their proposed attainments and requisites. KATHRYN STEPHENS, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON PROGRAM AND WORK

We recommend:

1. That at the first meeting after Conference each society, having new officers, hold an installation service.

2. That the Program and Plan of Work be read and discussed as soon as the Minutes are received. We also urge that the President of each society refer to this as a reminder during the year.

3. That each society endeavor to hold a public prayer meeting monthly, using Sister Reisdorph's prayer page, praying especially for the requests listed. Also, we suggest, that a spirit of evangelism be carried on in our local community, by the members of our society, each one feeling a personal responsibility to bring at least one soul to Christ during the year.

4. That each society elect a Corresponding Secretary to keep in touch with our different mission fields, thereby bringing firsthand knowledge to our women.

5. That we have an aggressive Solicitor for the Wesleyan Missionary in each society. Where it is difficult to get subscriptions we urge the use of the club plan.

6. That the President of each society remind those attending Stoneboro Camp Meeting of the daily missionary prayer meetings from 4:15 to 5:00 urging them to be faithful in this work of intercession.

7. (a) That each society put forth a special effort to send their President and Delegate to the Annual Conference, assuming their expenses for transportation, also the Delegate's Credentials be sent in at least two weeks before Conference, to Mrs. Verna Vogan, Sandy Lake, Penna.

(b) That fifteen cents per member be raised for Delegate's Entertainment and sent to Conference with the Delegate.

(c) That each society send at least one dozen cans of fruit or vegetables.

(d) That each society instruct their Delegate how much to pledge at the Public Missionary Meeting.

8. That we urge the use of the study book and the excellent programs in the Wesleyan Missionary.

9. That we endeavor during the year to raise one fourth of the Church Educational Budget.

10. That each local society raise the General Conference Budget of not less than six dollars for mountain missions and five dollars for Hephzibah Orphanage. Let all dues and budget obligations be sent to the Conference Treasurer, Mrs. Rachel L. Dreyer, Tionesta, Penna.

11. That we send clothing and supplies to our mountain missions, Hephzibah Orphanage, and Indian Msision including a few bandages. (Note: Bandages should be cut two inches to four inches wide and tightly rolled. These may be valued at fifty cents per pound, the amount credited on the Statistical Report, but not on the Budget.)

12. That we stress the need of Home Missions, raising as much for this as possible. Two hundred dollars of the total Conference receipts to be used at Zion's Hill Mission.

13. That we continue the support of Dr. Sim I. McMillen.

14. That the Red Letter Days as given in the Standard of Efficiency be observed. That Easter and Self-Denial offering be used for Home Missions.

15. (a) We suggest that where suitable each society have a Mercy and Help Committee.

(b) That our Holiness District Conventions, where possible, observe a missionary service.

(c) That each society have a live program committee, varying once a month, thereby each member be made to feel a greater interest in Missionary Work. We suggest the President act as Chairman of said committee.

(d) We urge that dollar dues be paid by all our members.

16. We further suggest that if possible a missionary travel the Conference this coming year. VESTA ZIKE, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE Y. M. W. B. SUPERINTENDENT

Praise be to God for His wondrous works both at home and abroad in these awful days. He is still the same and does hear and answer prayer. The reports from our Foreign work are most encouraging. This is a time when we must be at our best for the Master in prayer and giving. I believe our Bands are making good progress. The funds raised this year showed a good increase but I notice that the reported membership dropped. Please be sure, each one, to send in a yearly report of officers and members to Mrs. Clarke by January first. Some of our best bands were very slow in reporting this year. This caused Mrs. Clarke extra work and care. On the other hand, I noticed some new or renewed Bands reporting in the 1940 Year Book. Thank God for each gain.

I corresponded with the Band workers through the Conference Messenger once this year and have endeavored to be prompt in the business work and receipting. It would be appreciated if more would send in an offering of 25 cents per Band for mailing expense.

David Livingstone said, "I am a missionary, heart and soul. God had an only Son and He was a missionary . If I had not found a field in Africa, I would have gone to the poor in Whitechapel." May God help us each to be real missionaries at home and then be faithful to the work abroad also. Respectfully submitted,

MARY S. ROBINSON, Y. M. W. B. Superintendent.

TREASURER'S REPORT

General Fund:

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Balance June 5, 1940 From Societies	Received \$350.09 626.01	Expended	Balance	Receipts
Total	\$976.10			
F. W. Dreyer, Treas. on Min		\$ 25.00		
President		10.00		
Treasurer		15.00	• .	
Secretary		15.00		
Secretary, postage		1.00		
F. R. Eddy for Amer. Bible Soc.		50.00		
Home Missions		75.00		
Foreign Missions		75.00	· · · · ·	
Price Stark, missionary at camp		25.00	•	
Sterl Phinney, miss. at camp		25.00		•
Mary Price, missionary at Conf.		10.00		
Clara Wilson, Gen. Treas., dues		258.00		
Refund to Mrs. E. P. Kerst		14.23		
Postage, stationery, check book		6.00		
Totals	-	\$604.23	\$371.87	

Home Missions:				
Balance June 5, 1940 From Societies	Received \$ 50.00 1048.84	Expended	Balance	Receipts
Totals	\$1098.84	\$1048.84	\$ 50.00	\$ 48.45
Foreign Missions:	\$1994.84	\$1994.84		\$412.00
Hephzibah Orphanage:	\$ 282.09	\$ 282.09		\$ 10.00
Education:	\$ 171.84	\$ 171.84		\$ 53.00
Bethshan Home:	\$ 27.03	\$ 27.03		
Medical Fund:	\$ 14.00	\$ 14.00		
Grand Totals	\$4564.74	\$4142.87	\$421.87	\$523.45
	RACHE	EL L. DRI	EYER, Tre	easurer.

CONFERENCE SOCIETY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee reports sums voted out of the General Fund as follows:

1.	For space in the Conference Minutes	\$ 25.00
	To Rachel L. Dreyer, Treasurer, for labor	15.00
3.	To Verna E. Vogan, Secretary, labor and expense	16.25
4.	To Emma Armstrong, President	10.00
5.	To Marion and Marilyn Birch, offering and expense	32.00
6.	Love Offering to Florence Hazeltine	20.00
7.	For car at Zion's Hill Mission	50.00
8.	Home Missions	40.00
9.	Foreign Missions	40.00
		\$248.25

EMMA ARMSTRONG, Chairman.

WESLEYAN MISSIONARY SOLICITOR'S REPORT

Your Solicitor for subscriptions to the Wesleyan Missionary reports forty-two, new and renewals.

MRS. VESTA ZIKE, Solicitor.

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Name of Society	Membership	Membership Gain	Membership Loss	Wesleyan Missionaries Taken	Undivided	Home (Cash)	Home (Provisions)	Hephzibah (Cash)	Hephzibah (Provisions)
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Maple Valley McLeister Memorial Ashville Barberton Bethel Brown Hill Brown Sville Canal Canton, First Second Clarksburg Cleveland Dixonville East Conneaut Erie Falconer Franklin Greenwood Harbor Hillsdale Hortons Indiana Keepville Luciusboro Massillon Meadville Mechanicsburg Mentcle Middlefield Mount Calvary Mount Pleasant New Castle Nies North Salem Nu Mine Oak Grove Oil City Pine Grove Pittsheld Pleasant Hill Punsutatwney Rich Hill Rochester Sagamore<	W 344 133 266 611 132 121 123 121 123 121 123 121 123 121 123 333 122 123 300 422 44 133 121 123 121 121 121 121 121 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 211 212 213 214 101 <td>8 4 22 6 4 6 4 6 4 6 4 6 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 </td> <td></td> <td>$\begin{array}{c} 18\\ 6\\ 25\\ 47\\ 13\\ 200\\ 4\\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\$</td> <td>\$25.00 20.00 5.00</td> <td>\$ 14.37 15.75 22.78 31.60 102.35 5.00 54.29 14.31 27.50 13.88 54.00 17.25 6.00 38.55 9.75 13.95 9.32 10.10 10.10 10.10 13.50 5.00 1.00 8.65 </td> <td>\$ 78.60 </td> <td>\$ 5.00 5.00 2.00 10.00 8.00 5.00 8.00 5.0</td> <td>\$ 4.50 7.25 9.65 6.40 137.66</td>	8 4 22 6 4 6 4 6 4 6 4 6 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10 4 10		$ \begin{array}{c} 18\\ 6\\ 25\\ 47\\ 13\\ 200\\ 4\\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\$	\$25.00 20.00 5.00	\$ 14.37 15.75 22.78 31.60 102.35 5.00 54.29 14.31 27.50 13.88 54.00 17.25 6.00 38.55 9.75 13.95 9.32 10.10 10.10 10.10 13.50 5.00 1.00 8.65 	\$ 78.60 	\$ 5.00 5.00 2.00 10.00 8.00 5.00 8.00 5.0	\$ 4.50 7.25 9.65 6.40 137.66
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Name of Society	Bethshan (Cash)	Bethshan (Provisions)	Foreign (Cash)	Foreign (Bandages, Gifts)	Medical Students	Education	Local Church Work
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Maple Valley McLeister Memorial Barberton Bethel Brownsville Canal Canton, First Second Clarksburg Cleveland Dixonville East Conneaut Erie Falconer Franklin Greenville Greenwood Harbor Hillsdale Hortons Indiana Keepville Luciusboro Massillon Meadville Mechanicsburg Mentcle Middlefield Mount Calvary Middlefield Mount Calvary Mout Pleasant New Castle Nies North Salem Nu Mine Oak Grove Oil City Pine Grove Pittsburgh Pittsheld Pleasant Hill Punxsutawney Rich Hill Rochester Sangy Lake Sarver Shippingport Sportsburg Stoneboro Tarentum Templeton, First Zion Wesleyan Titusville West Fairfield Wies Sumpt Stoneboro Tarentum Templeton, First Zion Wesleyan Titusville West Fairfield Wies Summit Zion	\$17.52 5.00 1.00 5.50 15.77 5.00 17.00 17.00	\$8.30	L I \$171.13 46.75 33.50 84.28 162.68 5.00 7.50 84.22 25.00 134.38 70.00 7.50 84.22 25.00 134.38 70.00	\$1.00	\$4.00	\$ 2.00 23.00 15.00 15.00 6.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00	\$ 63.00 25.50 9.37 96.00 235.39 2.00 94.03 25.86 66.26 28.44
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Name of Society	Membership Dues	Other Objects	Cash on Hand	W. H. & F. M. S. Totals	Y. M. W. B. Membership	Y. M. W. B. Receipts	Grand Totals
Akron, First Grace Wesleyan Maple Valley McLeister Memorial Ashville Barberton Bethel Brown Hill Brownsville Canal Canton, First Second Clarksburg Cleveland Dixonville East Conneaut Erie Falconer Franklin Greenville Greenwille Greenwood Harbor Hillsdale Hortons Indiana Keepville Luciusboro Massillon Meadville Mechanicsburg Mentcle Middlefield Mount Calvary Mount Pleasant New Castle Niles North Salem Nu Mine Oak Grove Oil City Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Pittsburgh Stoneboro Tarentum Templeton, First Zion Wesleyan Titusville West Fairfield Woint Calvary Meadville Mount Pleasant Sandy Lake Sarver Shippingport Sportsburg West Fairfield White Memorial Wiley Wolf Summit Zion Totals Totals		$\begin{array}{c} \$ & 20.54 \\ 1.8 \\$.77 7.46 5.39 4.68 22.92	\$375.59 95.95 180.00 524.26 47.63 538.12 67.61 245.79 167.03 497.30 279.81 25.00 239.16 658.98 211.38 414.09 161.01 91.22 151.13 112.06 658.98 219.32 42.98 39.37 137.66 218.72 97.80 401.16 221.39 96.32 43.51 27.64 40.35 127.64 40.35 27.64 40.55 27.55 40.55 4	59 16 300 299 128 122 25 101 45 141 101 25 45 45 399 100 25 41 45 45 45 45 45 45 45 45 45 45	40.00 118.70 125.67 46.47 63.68 	$\begin{smallmatrix} 446.39\\ 106.10\\ 86.11\\ 37.79\\ 161.76\\ 33.44\\ 96.48\\ 53.81\\ 138.91\\ 159.89\\ 107.03\\ 114.54\\ 328.46\\ 361.95\\ 490.22\\ 144.52\\ 5.36\\ 54.15\\ 1.00\\ 134.26\\ 68.49\\ 117.66\\ 68.49\\ 117.66\\ 157.34\\ \end{smallmatrix}$

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