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# The Kentucky Conference

## 1954-1955 CONFERENCE DIRECTORY

President .....	C. L. Blanchard
Vice President .....	R. Stanley Kendall
Secretary .....	Earl G. Pommerehn
Assistant Secretary .....	Carl Walker
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## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

D. W. Fossit, Elder .....	Term expires 1957
Ralph Golding, Elder .....	Term expires 1956
Stanley Kendall, Elder .....	Term expires 1955
K. K. Rothrock, Layman .....	Term expires 1957
Audie Basham, Layman .....	Term expires 1955

## PRESIDENT'S ADVISORY BOARD

C. O. Douglass, William Rigdon

## SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

Harrison Davidson, Sr., Ex-officio; Stanley Kendall, Marie Clement

## DELEGATES TO GENERAL CONFERENCE

C. L. Blanchard .....	First Ministerial Delegate
Stanley Kendall .....	Second Ministerial Delegate
Earl G. Pommerehn .....	Alternate Ministerial Delegate
B. L. Clark .....	First Lay Delegate
K. K. Rothrock .....	Second Lay Delegate
Gwendolyn Blanchard .....	Lay Delegate at Large
Dorothy Basham .....	1st Alternate Lay Delegate
Lasco Weaver .....	2nd Alternate Lay Delegate



## THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

### LOCAL BOARD OF MANAGERS FOR MARION COLLEGE

C. L. Blanchard, Jacob E. Hunter, alternate

### CONFERENCE LIBRARIAN

Carl Walker

### STANDING COMMITTEES

**Judiciary**—C. L. Blanchard, Stanley Kendall, J. E. Hunter, Lee R. Meredith.

**Vacancies**—C. L. Blanchard, Thomas Bailey, Graham Bright, B. L. Clark, K. K. Rothrock.

**Itineracy and Elders Orders**—Fourth year (1958) Jacob E. Hunter; Third Year (1957) W. B. Dunkum; Second Year (1956) Harrison Davidson, Sr.; First Year (1955) Earl G. Pommerehn.

**Nominating**—C. L. Blanchard, Stanley Kendall, Earl G. Pommerehn, D. W. Fossit, B. L. Clark.

**Mission Board**—C. L. Blanchard, Thomas Bailey, John Basham, Lerada Walker, Lee Meredith.

**Pension Board**—C. L. Blanchard, H. F. Taylor, George Basham.

**Credentials**—Graham Bright, Robert Pelton.

**Secretary of Child Evangelism**—Blanche Burres

**Burial Association Secretary**—C. L. Blanchard

**Statistics**—John Basham, Carl Walker.

**Card Call Secretary**—Dallas Caplinger

**Church and Parsonage Location and Building**—Conference Board of Trustees.

### OFFICERS OF THE CAMP MEETING ASSOCIATION

**President**—Stanley Kendall, 1016 Sales Avenue, Louisville, Ky.

**Secretary**—Earl G. Pommerehn, 1467 S. Ninth St., Louisville, Ky.

**Treasurer**—K. K. Rothrock, 924 Clarks Lane, Louisville, Ky.

**Directors**—(Term Expires 1957) Stanley Kendall, D. W. Fossit, Lee R. Meredith, Earl G. Pommerehn, K. K. Rothrock, William Rigdon, Audie Basham.

### MINISTERIAL INSTITUTE

**Guest Speakers**—Rev. Dr. Rufus and Mrs. Reisdorph

April 6, 7, Lexington Wesleyan Methodist Church, West Short St.

April 8, 9, Louisville Atwood Street Church.

**TABLE OF INFORMATION**

Conference Treasurer—George Basham, 609 Maylawn, Louisville, Ky.

Send All Missionary Funds to:

Mrs. Martha Pierce, 1424 S. Eighth Street, Louisville, Ky.

Send all Young Peoples funds to:

Mrs. Faye Newman, Watterson Lane, Buechel, Ky.

Send all Y.M.W.B. money to:

Mrs. Lillian Budensiek, 4206 S. Landess St., Marion, Indiana

Send all campground pledges to:

Campground, Waterson Lane, Fern Creek, Ky., R. 1, Box 125

Phone—Fern Creek 3142

# Church Directory

- Atwood—2001 Crittendon Drive, Louisville, Kentucky.  
Bloomington—14th and Dunn, Bloomington, Ind.  
Bloomfield—1172 S. Seminary Road.  
Brooksbury—Seven miles east of Madison, Ind. on State Road 56.  
Camp Taylor—(Louisville) 1535 Lincoln Ave., Camp Taylor, Ky.  
Clear Fork—½ mile west of New Albany on State Road 111, turn right on black top road and proceed 2 miles to church.  
Elizabeth—1 mile south of Elizabeth, Ind. on State Road 11.  
Highland Park—162 Ottawa St., Louisville, Ky.  
Hope, Ind.—12 Elm St., Hope, Ind., on State Road 9.  
Hope, Ky.—10 miles east of Mt. Sterling on the Spencer Road.  
Holton, Ind.—On U. S. Road 50.  
Jamestown—On Road 55, ½ mile south of Jamestown turn west on gravel road; proceed for 3 miles.  
Leavenworth—Located on State Road 62 in Old Leavenworth, Ind.  
Madison, Ind.—1009 W. Main Street, Madison, Ind.  
Means, Ky.—About 15 miles east of Mt. Sterling on 460.  
Milton—State Road 36, directly across the river from Madison, Ind.  
Milan, Ind.—On State Road 1.  
Mt. Calvary—4 miles north of Bloomfield, Ind. on Road 157, turn right and follow main road 3 miles.  
Mt. Tabor—About half way between Bedford and Milton, Ky. on Highway 37, turn east on black top road for a distance of one mile.  
Mt. Zion—3 miles North of Bloomfield on Road 157.  
New Albany, Ind.—½ block off Spring St., on Spring Avenue.  
New Shiloh—2 miles south of Corydon, Ind. on Road 157.  
Ninth Street, (Louisville)—1467 S. Ninth Street, Louisville, Ky.  
Owensboro—907 Triplett St., Owensboro, Ky.  
Paoli, Ind.—3 blocks south of square on 37, turn right one block.  
Pekin—2 blocks west, Highway 60, Pekin, Ind.  
Rock Springs—On Road 37, 1 mile north of English, Ind., turn right on gravel road; proceed 2 miles.  
Sale Ave.—½ block off Taylor Blvd., on Sale Ave., Louisville, Ky.  
Simpson Chapel—On Road 64, ¼ miles west of Marengo, turn right on gravel road; proceed 2 miles to the church.  
Sylvania, Ind.—10 miles east of Bloomfield on 54, turn right 2 miles.  
Washington, Ind.—1801 Vincennes Ave., Washington, Ind.  
Whitehall—9 miles west of Bloomington on Road 48.  
Winchester—22 Franklin Ave., Winchester, Ky.  
West Frankfort—Located in Frankfort Heights, Ill., 509 S. Odle St.  
Wheelrim, Ky.—road 460 east of Mt. Sterling to Mize, 203 to Hazel Green,

191 to Helechawa, to Adele then route 134, 5 miles to Wheelrim—road being surfaced.

Zions Hill—On state road 15, 60 miles east of Winchester, Ky. at Blanton Bridge and proceed on Rural Highway 1007 about 7 miles.

Lexington—500 West Short St., Lexington, Ky.

## Conference President's Quarterly Meeting Schedule

### August

Pioneer Work ..... 17-31

### September

Leavenworth ..... 15  
 Lexington ..... 19, a.m.; 21  
 Winchester ..... 19, p.m.; 20  
 Means ..... 22; 26, p.m.  
 Hope ..... 23  
 Wheelrim and Zions Hill .. 24  
 Sait Lick ..... 25  
 Ratliff ..... 26, a.m.  
 Pekin ..... 28  
 New Albany ..... 29  
 Corydon ..... 30

### October

Pekin ..... 3, a.m.  
 Corydon ..... 3, p.m.  
 Madison ..... 6; 10, a.m.  
 Brooksbury ..... 7; 10, p.m.  
 Mt. Tabor ..... 8; 24, a.m.  
 Milton ..... 9; 24, p.m.  
 Min. Conv., Marion ..... 12-15  
 Hope ..... 15  
 Whitehall ..... 16; 17, a.m.  
 Bloomington ..... 17, p.m.  
 Milan ..... 22  
 Holton ..... 23  
 Highland Park ..... 27  
 Jamestown ..... 30; 31, a.m.  
 Concord ..... 31, p.m.

### November

Owensboro ..... 3  
 Newburgh ..... 4  
 Princeton ..... 5; 7, p.m.  
 W. Frankfort ..... 6; 7, a.m.  
 Bloomfield ..... 10  
 Mt. Zion ..... 11  
 Sylvania ..... 12; 14, p.m.  
 Mt. Calvary ..... 13; 14, a.m.  
 Elizabeth ..... 16  
 Clear Fork ..... 17  
 Paoli ..... 18; 21, p.m.  
 Simpson ..... 19  
 Rock Springs ..... 20; 21, a.m.  
 Sale Avenue ..... 24; 28, a.m.  
 N. Albany ..... 28, p.m.

### December

Atwood ..... 1  
 Ninth Street ..... 8  
 Camp Taylor ..... 15

### January

Marion College Bd. Mtg. ... 20, 21  
 Hope ..... 21-23

### February—March

Pioneer Meetings etc.

### April

Min. Convention ..... 5-8  
 Ninth Street ..... 13  
 Atwood ..... 20  
 Camp Taylor ..... 27

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May		June	
Lexington .....	1, a.m.; 3	Corydon .....	1; 5, a.m.
Winchester .....	1, p.m.; 2	Pekin .....	3; 5, p.m.
Means .....	4	Marion College Bd. Mtg. ....	6
Ratliff .....	5	Paoli .....	8
Salt Lick .....	6	Washington .....	9; 12, p.m.
Wheelrim .....	7	Princeton .....	10
Zions Hill .....	8	W. Frankfort .....	11; 12 a.m.
Madison .....	11	Hope .....	15
Brooksbury .....	12	Gen. Bd. Meeting .....	16-22
Mt. Tabor .....	13; 15, p.m.	General Conferenc .....	22-28
Milton .....	14; 15, a.m.	Leavenworth .....	30
Clear Fork .....	18	Simpson .....	1; 3, p.m.
New Albany .....	19	Rock Springs .....	2; 3, a.m.
Elizabeth .....	20	Milan .....	6
Jamestown .....	21; 22, a m.	Holton .....	7
Concord .....	22, p.m.	Whitehall .....	8; 10, a.m.
Highland Park .....	25	Bloomington .....	9; 10, p.m.
Owensboro .....	27; 29, p.m.	Pioneer Work .....	11-17
Newburgh .....	28; 29, a.m.	Sale Avenue .....	20



# *Our Honored Dead*

*of the*

## *Ministry*

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W. J. Griffin .....	February 6, 1932
Alberta D. Dunkum .....	February 15, 1932
Lewis Pratt .....	1932
Irvin Smith .....	September, 1939
R. L. Dugger .....	January 1942
Berniece Heath Woodward .....	August 31, 1942
D. R. Dooley .....	May 15, 1943
Landers Johnson .....	1948
D. C. Webb .....	August 1951
H. L. Barger .....	May 9, 1952
Robert N. Crocker .....	July 22, 1953
J. K. Cole .....	April 18, 1954

# Conference Roll

## ELDERS

Name	Address	Phone	Present
Bailey, Thomas .....	161 Gillette Ave., Louisville, Ky.	AT 8729	6
Basham, John .....	22 Franklin Ave., Winchester, Ky.	1946	5
Baumgartel, Louis .....	940 W. Main St., Madison, Ind.	816L	4
Blanchard, C. L. ....	1556 Kentucky Ave., Louisville	13, Ky Ma 6512J	7
Bolton, Richard .....	1526 Lincoln Ave., Louisville, Ky.	7671R	6
Bright, Graham .....	1172 S. Seminary St., Bloomfield, Ind.		4
Cole, John .....	Central, South Carolina		
Britton, Susie .....	2314 Crittendon Drive, Louisville, Ky.		5
Brown, Denzel .....	810 Iowa St., Indianapolis, Ind.	Me 2-8822	1
Burres, Blanche .....	Star Route, Corydon, Ind.	CA2117	
Burres, Florence .....	Star Route, Corydon, Ind.	CA2117	7
Budensiek, David .....	4206 S. Landess St., Marion, Ind.	5194M	
Burt, Robert .....	2219 Spring Ave., New Albany, Ind.	40552	
Clement, Marie .....	1801 Vincennes Ave., Washington, Indiana		6
Davidson, Harrison, Jr. ...	200 Main St., Wilmore, Ky.	4524	
Davidson, Harrison, Sr. ...	200 Main St., Wilmore, Ky.	4524	7
Denton, Gilbert .....	R. D. 1, English, Indiana	113-4	4
Douglas, Cleston .....	Silver Hills, New Albany, Ind.	45346	6
Dunkum, W. B. ....	Delmar, Kentucky		5
Feazel, Forest .....	Martinville, Ind.		
Fossit, D. W. ....	927 Parkway Drive, Louisville, Ky.	MA0456M	7
Fowler, Christine .....	4452 Crittendon Dr., Louisville, Ky.		
Golding, Ralph .....	R. R. 1, Box 72, Jamestown, Ky.		6
Giltner, Hallie .....	R. R. 2, Milan, Ind.		4
Harrington, G. C. ....	525 M St., Louisville, Ky.	CA1160	0
Hewitt, C. M. ....	S. Robins St., Hope, Ind.	1895	7
Hunter, Jacob E. ....	West 25 Rd, P.O. Box 727, Anderson, Indiana		
Hunter, Esther .....	Milan, Ind.	3761	4
Jackson, E. L. ....	R. R. 3, Osgood, Ind.		3
Kendall, Stanley .....	1016 Sales Ave., Louisville, Ky.		7
Key, Reland .....	New Albany, Ind., R. 1		4
Key, Uen .....	New Albany, Ind., R. 1		5
Markley, John .....			0
McGuyer, K. L. ....	907 Triplett Ave., Owensboro, Ky.	32166	1
Meredith, Lee R. ....	151 Ottawa St., Louisville, Ky.	FR-9896	7
Meyers, Joseph .....	R. R. 2, Corydon, Ind.		6

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Name	Address	Phone	Present
Newman, Foster .....	1009 West Main St., Madison, Ind.	1022-R	3
Pelton, Robert .....	Bloomfield, Ind., R. 4		7
Pommerehn, Earl G. ....	1467 S. Ninth St., Louisville, Ky.	MA-0297	7
Powell, C. A. ....	344 Erni St., New Albany, Ind.	46567	1
Pierce, Carl .....	1424 S. Eighth St., Louisville, Ky.		
		MA-5973W	3
Renfro, Daily .....	Holton, Ind.		0
Reynolds, A. T. ....	159 E. Ashland Ave., Louisville, Ky.		
		FA-4795	4
Revis, Calvin .....			0
Seaton, B. L. ....	1101 N. Dunn St., Bloomington, Ind.		1
Sension, Harry J. ....	Wheelrim, Ky.		2
Sension, Myrtle .....			0
Stockton, W. G. ....	1469 S. Ninth St., Louisville, Ky.		4
Taylor, Henry ....	932 N. Walnut St., Madison, Ind.		0
Toler, Carman .....	Brooksbury, Ind.		2
Walker, Carl .....	R. R. 4, Bloomfield, Ind.		7

## ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Foster Newman, Robert Pelton, Daily Renfro

## CONFERENCE PREACHERS

Name	Address	Phone	Present
Bright, Leonard .....	Milton, Ky.		1
Boston, O. C. ....	Box 251, West Frankfort, Ill.	3240	5
Cantrell, Harry .....			0
Caplinger, Dallas .....	1535 Lincoln Ave., Louisville, Ky.	MA-9022M	
Davidson, Mary .....	200 Main St., Wilmore, Ky.		0
Freeman, Harold .....	Marion College, Marion, Ind.		0
Gay, Marie .....	Means, Ky.		0
Halbert, Irvin E. ....	Box 252, Paoli, Ind.		0
Hamm, Herschel .....	Marengo, Ind.		2
Harwell, Eugene .....	Bloomfield, Ind.		0
Haverty, Harold .....	907 S. Leavitt, Brazil, Ind.		0
Hayes, C. C. ....	R. R. 4, Mt. Sterling, Ky.		3
Hayes, Florence .....	R. R. 4, Mt. Sterling, Ky.		3
Hewitt, Kate .....	S. Robins St., Hope, Ind.		0
Kendall, Robert .....	R. R. 3, Milton, Ky.		1
Kinney, Roy L. ....	2716 Springtown Road, Evansville, Ind		0
Lee, Otho .....	R. R. 3, Princeton, Ind.		1

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Name	Address	Phone	Present
Mahoney, Lucian .....	R. R. 3, Milton, Ky. ....		0
Mart, Russell .....	2201 Loth St., Cincinnati 19, Ohio		1
Nanna, Ora M. ....	2812 W. Kentucky St., Louisville, Ky.	AR-2019	2
O'Bannon, George W. ...	R. R. 1, Elizabeth, Ind.		0
Olds, Ethel .....	Youngsville, Pa.		5
Reynolds, Kenneth .....	12 S. Elm St., Hope, Ind.	1637	7
Rowe, James .....	4933 S. Third St., Louisville, Ky.	AT-9980	4
Sniffin, Esther .....	Frenchburg, Ky.		3
Swafford, Zephia .....			0
Todd, Harold .....	God's Bible School, Cincinnati, Ohio		0
Van Cise, Edith .....	Means, Ky.		5
Wininger, Charles .....	R. R. 1, Marengo, Ind.		5

## SONG EVANGELISTS

Name	Address	Phone	Present
Crocker, Joy Craig .....	Milton, Ky.	Carrolltown-545-M4	0
Harrington, Catherine ....	525 M St., Louisville, Ky.	CA-1160	0
Hook, Eunice .....	Hope, Ind.		1
Mackay, Mary .....	Hope, Ind.		0

## LAY DELEGATES

Name	Present	Name	Present
Barger, Melvin .....	4	Keith, Ruby .....	7
Basham, Dorothy .....	6	Kendall, Evelyn .....	5
Bines, A. W. ....	4	King, Annie .....	7
Blanchard, Gwendolyn .....	7	McGraw, Mary .....	7
Bland, Julia .....	6	Merrilees, Emma .....	5
Bright, Wilma .....	6	Morrison, Alma .....	3
Brunner, Robert .....	7	Myers, Blanche .....	4
Charles, Etta .....	7	Nesmith, Earl .....	1
Clark, B. L. ....	6	New, Mabel .....	7
Dixon, Carol .....	7	Pagett, Christine .....	5
Duncan, Prewitt .....	7	Pierce, Martha .....	3
Duncan, Walker .....	7	Renner, Blanche .....	6
Hurt, Dorlee .....	2	Reynolds, Wanda .....	4
Hayes, Lorine .....	5	Rigdon, William D. ....	6
Johnson, Bertha .....	6	Robinson, Della .....	4
Johnson, Luetta .....	5	Rothrock, Winnie .....	4
Keeling, George E. ....	3	Schermer, Ernest .....	7

# WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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Name	Present	Name	Present
Schermer, Lillian	7	Connor, Pling	2
Stroud, Betty	7	Parson, Curtis	1
Via, Dorothy	6	Stogsdale, Harry	1
Weaver, Tempie	7	Black, Mary	1
Workman, Elloid	7	Toler, Glennie	1
Young, Elizabeth	4	Butler, Mattie	4
Miller, Curtis	2	Hook, Eunice	1
Wilkey, Lola	3	Kindred, Wilbert	1
Swartz, Eva	3	Grunden, Mae	1
Kirby, Rosalind	4	Jaques, Kathryn	1



# Journal of Daily Proceedings

The Thirty-second annual session of the Kentucky Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church convened August 2, 1954 at 7:30 p.m. at the Campground, Buechel, Kentucky.

The Conference Sermon was delivered by the Rev. Clinton Jones. He took his text from Exodus 33:18 and exhorted us to have His Glory in Prayer, Presence and Place. Roll Call 26 Elders, 8 Conference Preachers, and 32 Delegates.

Credentials Committee presented 25 delegates, who were seated by motion.

Motion carried to seat 6 additional delegates.

Bar of the Conference determined by motion as first five rows of seats and the platform.

Motion carried to seat Blanche Meyers alternate delegate due to the absence of Betty Jo Baker.

Eugene Muddiman was seated as delegate from the Lexington Church. By motion 9:00 a.m. was set as the time for conference to convene.

Motion carried that the rising bell be rung at 6:30 a.m.

Moved with support the following orders of the morning, Prayer 7:00 a.m.; Breakfast 7:30 a.m.; Family Prayer 8:00 a.m.

Adjourned by motion. Dismissed by D. W. Fossit.

## Second Meeting, Tuesday 9:00 a. m.

The devotions were led by Dr. F. R. Eddy.

Roll Call 26 Elders, 10 Conference Preachers, and 39 Delegates.

Reports: Credentials Committee presented names of 10 additional delegates. Names placed on roll and called.

The minutes were read and accepted.

Motion prevailed that Dr. Eddy preside over the Conference. Reports: Conference President's read and accepted (See Report No. 1)

President's recommendation No. 1 read and approved. (See report No. 1)

President's recommendation No. 2 read and approved (See Report No. 1)

Conference Nominating Committee's read (See Report No. 2)

Moved with support that Nominating Committee's report be read item by item.

Motions carried to adopt each report as read.

Partial report of Committee on Religious Services and Special Orders read and adopted by motion. (See Report No. 16)

Courtesy Committee presented Rev. Clinton Jones, Eugene Muddiman, George E. Keeling, Rev. Herschel Hamm, Rev. Robert Pelton, Rev. Harry

J. Sension, Mrs. Clinton Jones, Mrs. Esther Sewell, Mrs. Nannie Allen, Mrs. Mary Anderson, Mrs. Dorothy Waits, Earl Nesmith, Prewitt Duncan, Walker Duncan, Etta Charles.

Moved with support that Conference adjourn at 12:00.

Motion carried that Conference convene at 1:30 p.m.

Recessed by motion.

### Third Meeting, Tuesday 1:30 p. m.

Devotions—Led by Graham Bright.

Roll Call—25 Elders, 12 Conference Preachers, and 38 Delegates.

Committee on Credentials presented names of 4 additional delegates.

Names placed on roll and called.

The minutes were read and accepted.

The following names were called and passed: C. O. Douglass, Lee R. Meredith, Lewis Baumgartel, Joseph Meyers, Marie Clement, Charles Wininger, Thomas Bailey, Robert Pelton, O. C. Boston.

Orders of Day having arrived the conference heard Dr. F. R. Eddy, Denominational Representative, who gave an inspirational address.

Adjourned by motion. Dismissed by Lewis Baumgartel.

The Educational Service was held at 7:30 p.m. John Basham educational secretary was in charge. Dr. W. F. McConn gave an instructive address on the workings of Marion College.

### Fourth Meeting, Wednesday 9:00 a. m.

Devotions—Led by James Rowe. Prayer by W. B. Dunkum.

Roll Call—31 Elders, 14 Conference Preachers, 39 Delegates.

Report Credentials Committee presented names of 7 additional delegates. Names placed on roll and called.

Courtesy Committee presented Dr. W. F. McConn.

Conference President appointed Dallas Caplinger teller due to vacancy.

Orders of Day—Election of officers, Standing Committees, and Delegates to General Conference.

President—C. L. Blanchard

Vice President—Stanley Kendall

Secretary—Earl G. Pommerehn

Assistant Secretary—Carl Walker

Motion carried that the Conference Treasurer be Treasurer of Pension

Plan.

Conference Treasurer—George Basham

Treasurer of Pension Plan—George Basham

Trustees—Elder D. W. Fossit, 1957; Layman K. K. Rothrock, 1957.

Delegates to General Conference:

First Ministerial Delegate—C. L. Blanchard

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2nd Ministerial Delegate—Stanley Kendall

Alternate Ministerial Delegate—Earl G. Pommerehn

1st Lay Delegate—B. L. Clark

2nd Lay Delegate—K. K. Rothrock

Delegates to General Conference

First Ministerial Delegates—C. L. Blanchard

2nd Ministerial Delegate—Stanley Kendall

Alternate Ministerial Delegate—Earl G. Pommerehn

1st Lay Delegate—B. L. Clark

2nd Lay Delegate—K. K. Rothrock

Recessed for lunch.

Conference reconvened at 1:30 p.m.

Devotion led by Lee R. Meredith. Prayer by W. B. Dunkum.

Election continued as follows:

Lay Delegate at large—Gwendolyn Blanchard

1st Alternate Lay Delegate—Dorothy Basham

2nd Alternate Lay Delegate—Lascio Weaver

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Educational Secretary—John Basham

Tithing Secretary—W. B. Dunkum

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Conference Librarian—Carl Walker

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Mission Board—C. L. Blanchard, Thomas Bailey, John Basham, Lerada Walter, Lee Meredith.

Pension Board—C. L. Blanchard, H. F. Taylor, George Basham

Credentials—Graham Bright, Robert Pelton

Moved with support to leave the Secretary of Child Evangelism in the hands of Sunday School Board.

Purial Association Secretary—C. L. Blanchard

Statistics—John Basham, Carl Walker

Card Call Secretary—Dallas Caplinger

Moved with support that Carl Pierce preach the Conference Sermon next year.

Report—Kentucky Conference Wesleyan Youth Society's read and adopted (see Youth Minutes)

Committee on Courtesy presented Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Logsdon and John Baker.

Motion carried to adjourn until call of the chair. Dismissed by Jacob E. Hunter

#### **Fifth Meeting, Thursday 9:00 a. m.**

Devotions—Led by Prewitt Duncan. Prayer by James Rowe

Roll Call—21 Elders, 9 Conference Preachers, and 35 Delegates.

The minutes were read and approved.

Reports:

Itineracy and Elders Order's read and adopted (See Report No. 3)

Pastoral Committee's first reading.

Auditing Committee's read and adopted. (See Report No. 4)

Committee on Courtesy presented Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Coleson, Blanche Armstrong.

Committee on Resolutions gave a partial report and the following items of Standing resolutions were revised and adopted one at a time: Item 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, and 12. (See standing resolutions)

Treasurer's read and adopted (See Report No. 5)

Publication Committee's read and adopted (See Report No. 6)

Recessed at call of the chair. Dismissed by Rev. Clinton Jones.

The Memorial services were held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday with Rev. R. E. Bolton in charge. The following went to their reward the past year—Rev. J. K. Cole, Rev. John Ross, Alcia Allen, Fay Dixon, Medaline McKay, Maude Wright.

The annual Public Missionary service was held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday with the president, Lerada Walker, in charge. Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Coleson brought good news from India.

#### **Sixth Meeting, Friday 9:00 a. m.**

Devotions—Led by Joseph Meyers

Roll Call—18 Elders, 2 Conference Preachers, and 23 delegates.

Kathryn Jaques of Newburgh was seated as delegate by motion.

The minutes were read and approved

Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders presented the name of Foster Newman to be elected to Elders Orders. Motion carried for said election.

Reports:

Conference Trustee's read and adopted (See Report No. 7)

Sunday School's read and adopted (See Report No. 8)

President Nominated C. O. Douglass and William Rigdon members of his Advisory Board. Accepted by motion.

Reports:



## THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

Pension Board's read and adopted (See Report No. 9) Motion carried that the deficit of the Superannuated Pension Fund be made up from the Work Fund not in excess of the amount in said Fund.

Mission Board's read and adopted (See Report No. 10)

The following names were called and passed—R. E. Bolton, Sussie Britton, Florence Burris, J. E. Hunter, Reland Key, Earl G. Pommerehn, Carl Walker, D. W. Fossit, A. T. Reynolds, Harrison Davidson, Sr., Ralph Golding.

Motion carried to adjourn at call of chair.

Dismissed by R. E. Bolton.

**Seventh Meeting, Friday 1:30 p.m.**

Conference Reconvened with Lee R. Meredith leading the devotions. Roll Call: 12 Elders, 4 Conference Preachers, 19 Delegates.

Communication read from David Budensiek.

Motion carried to accept communication and that the secretary write a letter of appreciation for the good work done at Marion College.

Report:

Pastoral Relations Committee's read and adopted (See Report No. 11). The name of Ora M. Nanna was called and passed.

Reports:

Resolutions Committee presented additional Standing Resolution. It was adopted by vote of Conference.

Committee on Resolutions read and adopted (See Report No. 12).

Pension Fund Treasurer's read and accepted (See Report No. 13).

Statistical read and adopted (See Report No. 14).

Finance's read. Moved with support that Item 9 be referred back to the committee.

The following names were called and passed: Stanley Kendall, Kenneth Reynolds, John Basham.

Finance Committee read revised Item 9.

Finance's adopted (See Report No. 15).

Moved with support that all unfinished business be left in the hands of the President and his Advisory Board.

The final reading of the minutes was approved.

Motion carried to adjourn.

Dismissed by Kenneth Reynolds.



# Standing Resolutions

1. The Conference President shall in his quarterly meetings see that adequate insurance is carried by each church on its property.

2. The Pastor's statistical report must be passed by the Conference Treasurer and the Committee on Character, and must be presented to the Statistical Committee before being read to the conference body.

3. The Conference shall elect a Nominating Committee for the conference year, which shall be a standing committee of five members with the Conference President as member ex-officio. This committee shall nominate the chairman and committees of the conference temporary organization and the third member of the Publications Committee. Each member of this report shall be presented to the conference body separately and time allowed for nominations from the floor if desired.

4. We recommend that the local treasurer's books shall close at midnight Wednesday following the second Sunday in July and that the Conference Treasurer close conference books effective midnight, Wednesday, following the third Sunday in July, and that all statistical reports are to be sent in by that date to the Conference Treasurer, and he in turn sends one to the statistical chairman. All money received after that date be counted as benevolence on the following year.

5. The Conference Trustees shall serve as the Committee on Church and Parsonage Location and Building.

6. The Conference shall convene the first Monday night of August each year.

7. All ministers and delegates attending the entire annual conference and camp are to be given rooms in preference to those not active in conference business.

8. No divorced person shall be ordained in the Kentucky Conference.

9. All Conference officials shall assume office in the next meeting following the election.

10. No charge shall call a pastor or a supply from other conferences or denominations as long as there are available ministers in our Conference qualified for the work. The Conference President after having exercised his prerogative in the reception of ministers coming from other conferences or denominations, shall immediately refer them to the Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders, which shall make a thorough investigation

as to the ministry and life of such applicants and shall report their findings to the President, after which appointments may be made.

11. The Tent Committee shall be composed of the following: The Conference President, W.M.S. President, and W.Y.P.S. President.

12. The vote on the pastor shall be taken by ballot the first week in June unless special permission is granted by the Conference President and his Advisory Board for another date; said ballots are to be prepared by the clerk and the results of the vote shall be reported at once to the Conference President.

13. Let all ministers have their membership to their new appointment, and the Finance Committee shall figure Budget Apportionment after the final reading of the report of the Pastoral Relations Committee.

14. There shall be a Conference Cabinet composed of the Conference President, the Mission Board, the Camp Meeting President, and the Young People's President. It shall be the duty of this Cabinet to approve and adjust all special and unusual plans of any conference organization to raise funds during the interims of the conference sessions.

15. Since television in its present state is so radically demoralizing in its range, be it resolved that the Kentucky Conference register its disapproval of anyone within the Conference endorsing or owning a television set.

16. No person shall be ordained until he has given two years active service in this Conference.



# Reports

## Report No. 1

### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Greetings to the thirty-second annual session of the Kentucky Conference as we assemble to carry on the business of our blessed Christ.

#### Days of Darkness and Despair

Never did a darker day of despair dawn in this day of desperation and doom. Men's hearts fail for fear. Nations are preparing for the slaughter. Philosophies, ideologies, governments and churches are failing us. Emergency on every hand is preparing the way for some one to take the lead and show the way out. The antichrist will play the role and pose as the **The One with the Way**. But we must beware of any one who is not of our blessed Lord with nail pierced hands.

#### A Healthy Hope

Our Lord's response to Peter's great confession challenges us with the fact of His promise and with His eternal might behind it when He affirmed "Upon this Rock will I build my Church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it", and "All power in heaven and earth is delivered unto me."

With Christ we can win. Without Him it is despair. The Holy Ghost within His people makes them invincible even as martyrs. His promise of Pentecostal power and purity provides a way through.

With an almighty Leader and Saviour who saves to the uttermost Kentucky Conference must maintain a depth of spirituality and separation from the world that will merit His holy approval. We cannot be like the world in thought, action, attitude, dress, speech, desire, love of position, and love of things. Plainness, modesty, self sacrifice, holy strictness in the use of time and money and self-discipline must characterize us as preachers and laymen. This means we must preach in tears against sin, warn men falling into hell, and cry against worldliness, nudity, immodesty, jewelry and worldly adornment. At the same time we must lift up One greater than all our sin who powerfully saves, sanctifies and keeps. Our blessed Lord Jesus deserves our praise, adoration, love and worship. Let all bow in His name, ascribe Him honor and beseech the mediatorial throne for mercy, forgiveness, restoration and a tidal wave of salvation before He comes again.

#### Conference Progress

During the year just closing both the established churches and the pioneer works have made good progress. Most churches have had from



one to three revivals with many good results. Salvation work and soul progress must be our aim. Consistently, each church has reduced its indebtedness. Ninth Street Church, Louisville, has purchased an apartment house for safeguarding her interests and for possible Sunday school needs. Highland Park is enlarging needed basement facilities. New concrete block churches have been built at Princeton and Newburgh, Indiana; and a portable tabernacle was constructed and set up at Brazil, Indiana. Princeton and Newburgh are reducing their indebtedness and the debt on the Washington pioneer church property has been reduced \$1000 this year.

The pioneer tent meeting held in the Shively area created some interest and it is the plan to do something in this section under the Providence of God. There is interest on Old South Third also and there, God leading, the plan is to step into the doors as they open this year. There are two other possible outlets in the vicinity of the campground for our churches to sponsor some type of pioneer enterprise. Next summer the plan is to start something at Ashland, Kentucky under the ministry of Evangelist Ward who expects to remove to that area. God is opening the doors faster than we can enter. Let us pray the Lord of harvest to raise up men of God with the pioneer spirit to enter the open fields.

Our conference program is aggressive, spiritual, and, we trust, challenging to all. Loyalty and cooperation and brotherly love is essential to make good progress.

### President's Work

Yearly, the activities of the Conference President increase. God has given good health for the increased travel and work for which we are grateful. The Holy Ghost has been faithful as Comforter, Guide and Teacher. The President's work includes two rounds of quarterly meetings, totaling 66; times preached, 146; S. S. classes taught, 14; other services engaged in, 11; Trustee and Mission Board Meetings, 13; district pastor's meetings, 6; pulpit supply committee meetings, 5; Advisory Board Meetings, 5; Marion College Meetings, 3; Home Mission Advisory Board Meetings, 2; Area Committee Meetings for the Home for the Aged, 3; aiding in taking a religious census; one revival meeting; a Youth Council Meeting, December 26; the Area President's Meeting at Marion, March 9-11; the Board of Administration Meeting at Syracuse, June 15-18; the Holiness Convention at Cincinnati, Ohio, March 24, 25; the Ministerial Convention, March 30—April 2; dozens of interviews; and hundreds of pieces of mail handled. Twelve times the Messenger has been edited, although the copy for the July issue was regrettably lost in the mail.

### President's Official Acts

August 31, 1953 accepted Elder Denzel Brown from Indiana Conference  
 September 7, 1953, accepted the resignation of A. T. Reynolds at Newburgh, Indiana.



September 12, 1953, appointed Roy L. Kinney pastor at Newburgh.

October 6, 1953, accepted Herschel Hamm as a conference preacher from the Pilgrim Holiness Church of South Indiana District.

October 28, 1953, accepted Harold Todd as a conference preacher from the South Ohio Pilgrim Conference and appointed him as assistant pastor at Ninth Street, until he removed to Cincinnati in the spring.

February 2, 1954, accepted Calvary Holiness Church of Lexington, Ky. into the conference.

Granted J. K. Cole permission to use Ray Williams as evangelist in June, 1954.

March 4, 1954, received Harry J. Sension and Myrtle M. Sension as elders in transfers from the California Conference under date of Feb. 22, 1954.

March 7, 1954, granted C. E. Wininger permission to use a Rev. Nelson from a Tabernacle near French Lick in a revival at Simpson Chapel.

March 26, 1954, appointed Foster Newman assistant pastor of Atwood Church and to pioneer work at Shively, Kentucky.

April 16, 1954, accepted the resignation of Carmen Toler which was tendered on April 12, from the Sale Avenue Church.

April 22, 1954, appointed Wilma Cherryholmes supply at Mt. Zion upon death of J. K. Cole, until she left on June 8.

May 28, 1954 gave Atwood Pulpit Supply committee permission to vote on Herbert Logsdon as pastor.

June 24, 1954, gave D. T. Winters a letter of Standing to go to the Pilgrim Holiness Church, effective August 1, and accepted his resignation of that date.

July 13, 1954, accepted Forest Feazel's transfer from the Indiana Conference, as an elder.

July 16, 1954, gave Delbert Winters a letter to go to the Pilgrim Holiness Denomination, effective Aug. 2.

July 19, 1954, accepted the resignation of H. B. Mitchell from the Conference.

### Financial Statement

Salary, \$3640; mileage, \$877.17; utilities, \$355.88; gifts, \$121.41

### Desired Goals

1. All night of prayer in each church monthly.
2. A fresh baptism of love upon us preachers, and each preacher of the conference praying for each other by name.
3. Personal soul searching to bring strict alignment with the divine will both in separation from the world and full espousal of personal piety above material gain.



4. Each member of the church to get a soul saved and into the church this year.
5. Every pastor reporting monthly.
6. Increased list of periodicals.

#### Recommendations

1. That the pastors report on the floor of the conference the items provided for on the short form.
2. That the conference president be permitted to hold some of his quarterly meetings in the second and third quarters in orders to be able to give more attention to pioneer work; provided, if necessity demands it, he consult with the pastors and allow some of them to hold one of their quarterly meetings.

#### Report No. 2

#### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Auditing Committee—Ralph Golding, Robert Pelton

Character Committee—Conf. Pres. (ex-officio), Joseph Meyers, Wilbert Kindred

Courtesy Committee—Thomas Bailey, B. L. Clark, Dorothy Basham.

Finance Committee—Louis Baumgartel, O. C. Boston, Graham Bright, Dorothy Via, Bertha Johnson.

Itineracy and Elders Orders—(laymen) Melvin Barger, Ernest Schermer, Tempie Weaver.

Memorials—R. E. Bolton, G. M. Denton, J. E. Hunter.

Pastoral Relations—Conf. Pres. (ex-officio), D. W. Fossit, C. O. Douglas, W. B. Dunkum, Blanche Renner, William Rigdon, Alma Morrison.

Publications—Conf. Pres. (ex-officio), Conf. Sec. (ex-officio), Carl Walker.

Resolutions—Stanley Kendall, Kenneth Reynolds, Carmen Toler, Dorothy Basham, Winnie Rothrock.

Religious Services and Special Orders—Conf. Pres. (ex-officio), Lee R. Meredith, Dallas Caplinger, Missionary Pres. (ex-officio).

Solicitor for THE WESLEYAN METHODIST—Graham Bright.

Tellers—Robert Burt, Uen Key, A. T. Reynolds, Carl Pierce.

Prayer Leaders—For men: Carmen Toler

For Women: Mary Davidson

C. L. Blanchard,  
Joseph Myers,  
Clesten Douglas,  
Graham Bright,  
Lerada Walker.

## Report No. 3

## ITINERACY AND ELDERS ORDERS

We, the Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders, submit the following report:

## Item I. Ordination.

a. We recommend the following persons be elected to Elders Orders at this conference: Daily Renfro, Robert W. Pelton, Foster Newman.

b. We set Sunday August 8, 10:45 a.m. for the service of ordination, with the Rev. Henry W. Lelear preaching the ordination sermon.

c. We recommend that all preachers have at least two years of pastoral work before they be ordained.

## Item II. Course of Study.

a. We recommend the following persons for annual conference license and to pursue the course of study, providing they have not passed it: O. C. Boston, Leonard Bright, Harry Cantrell, Dallas Caplinger, Mary Davidson, Harold Freeman, Robert Kendall, Roy L. Kinney, Otho Lee, Marie Gay, C. C. Hayes, Florence Hayes, Kate Hewitt, Russell Mart, Lucian Mahoney, Ethel Olds, Kenneth Reynolds, Esther Sniffin, Zephia Swafford, Edith Van Cise, Foster Newman, Charles Wininger, Ora M. Nanna, Harold Haverty, James Rowe, Hershel Hamm, George O'Bannon, Irvine E. Halbert, Harold Todd, Eugene Harwell.

b. We recommend the following persons for song evangelists: Joy Craig Crocker, Eunice Hook, Catherine Harrington, Mary Mackay.

## Item III. Names removed from the roll.

a. We recommend that the following persons be dropped from the roll:

1. J. K. Cole, deceased.
2. Audrey Hublard at her own request.
3. Mildred McGuyer at her own request.
4. H. B. Mitchell resigned from the conference.
5. Paul Titus, letter of transfer to Indiana Conference.
6. Delbert Thomas Winters, letter of standing to the Pilgrim Holiness Church.

## Holiness Church.

7. Delbert Winters, letter to the Pilgrim Holiness Church.
8. Creston Eckart, letter to the Pilgrim Holiness Church.

## Item IV. Ministerial Institute.

a. The committee approves the time of the next Ministerial Institute as April 6-9, 1955 with the Rev. Dr. Rufus and Mrs. Reisdorph, as the speakers, and the plan of two district conventions:

April 6, 7 at Lexington Wesleyan Church, West Short Street.

April 8, 9 at Louisville Atwood Street Church.

## Item V. Preachers received.



- a. Forest Feazel, an elder, letter from Indiana Conference.
- b. Herschel Hamm, from the Pilgrim Holiness Church.

Item VI. Orders of Sacraments.

a. We recommend that any conference preacher wishing to receive authorization from the conference President to administer the Sacraments meet the requirements of the Discipline in order to receive the same.

Item VII. Requirements for the Course of Study.

a. We insist that each annual conference preacher taking the first or second year in the course of study pass three books and read three books as designated by the Discipline. Failure to meet these requirements and to complete the first and second year in two years each makes one ineligible for work in the conference until these requirements are met.

b. We insist that any annual conference preacher taking the third and fourth year in the course of study who fails to pass at least two books and read two books, at least, be considered delinquent and subject to disciplinary proceedings given in Par. 170. sub-Par. 3.

c. Those failing to comply with the above regulations shall be referred to their quarterly conferences.

d. All conference preachers employed as pastors of organized works may vote in annual conference, not including conference evangelists or assistant pastors.

e. We recommend that those taking the examination in the course of study shall take said examinations in the presence of a local or conference preacher and the examination be sealed and sent by him to the proper member of the committee.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. Dunkum,  
Jacob E. Hunter,  
Earl G. Pommerehn,  
Harrison Davidson, Sr.,  
Tempie Weaver,  
Ernest Schermer,  
Melvin Barger.

Report No. 4

AUDITING COMMITTEE

We, the Auditing Committee, have carefully examined the books of the Treasurer and have found them to be correct in every detail and very conscientiously kept.

Ralph Golding,  
Robert W. Pelton.

## Report No. 5

## CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

## Year 1953-1954

Balance at beginning of year .....	\$1061.43
Distributed as follows:	
Superannuated Membership Fee Fund .....	\$157.98
Conference Work .....	50.02
Pioneer Evangelism .....	745.49
Conference Sunday School .....	138.55
Ministerial Institute Fund .....	29.55
Revolving Fund .....	63.99
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	\$1185.58
Less Conference Parsonage Fund .....	124.15
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TOTAL .....	\$1061.43

## Receipts

Foreign Missions .....	\$151.27
Home Missions .....	202.55
Education .....	884.88
Superannuated Pension Plan .....	987.50
Australia:	
Budget .....	\$127.75
Offering .....	54.54
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	182.29
Orphanage .....	115.78
General Conference Expence Fund .....	91.05
Administrative Budget .....	239.00
General Sunday School .....	145.80
Conference President's Salary .....	4559.76
(Pastor's Tithes and Budget)	
Conference Work .....	621.30
Camp Meeting Fund .....	604.72
Conference Entertainment .....	571.10
Conference Sunday School Budget .....	\$71.60
Sunday School Convention .....	38.26
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	109.86
Conference Parsonage Fund:	
Budget .....	\$603.75



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Conference President's Tithes .....	364.00
Conference Furnace .....	204.00
Gifts .....	29.49

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## Pioneer Evangelism:

Budget and Sunday Offerings .....	\$2205.99
Home Missions Department .....	500.00
Kentucky W.Y.P.S. ....	350.00
Received Payment on Loan, Paoli ....	100.00
Received Payment on Loan, Princeton.	200.00
Brazil Pioneer Work .....	39.60
Received Payments on Mortgage ....	55.00
(J. T. Shifflet, Bethlehem)	
Gift .....	25.00
Loan .....	2000.00

5,475.59

Ministerial Institute Fund ..... 181.39

## Revolving Fund:

Received from Princeton, Loan .....	\$100.00
Transferred from Pioneer Evangelism .	100.00

200.00

Total Receipts ..... 16525.08

TOTAL ..... \$17586.51

## Disbursements

Foreign Missions .....	\$151.27
Home Missions .....	202.55
Education .....	884.88
Superannuated Pension Plan .....	987.50
Australia .....	182.29
Orphanage .....	115.78
General Conference Expense Fund .....	91.05
Administrative Budget .....	239.00
General Sunday School .....	145.80
Conference President's Salary .....	3640.00
Conference President's Expense and Utilities .....	1209.49
Conference Work:	
Conference Expenses .....	\$280.69

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Conference Minutes .....	383.02	
		663.71
Camp Meeting Fund .....		604.72
Conference Entertainment .....		571.10
Conference Sunday School .....		118.75
Conference Parsonage:		
Paid on Parsonage .....	\$1000.00	
Interest .....	193.76	
Furnace .....	368.00	
		1561.76
Pioneer Evangelism:		
Revolving Fund .....	\$100.00	
Payment of Note for Pekin, Indiana ..	250.00	
Princeton, Indiana, Pioneer Work ....	1500.00	
Newburgh, Indiana, Pioneer Work ..	1050.00	
Payment of rent, Newburgh, Ind. ....	100.00	
Brazil, Indiana, Pioneer Work .....	1677.99	
Notes Payable .....	1000.00	
Interest Payable .....	195.00	
Move Rev. Winters to Washington, Ind.	40.00	
Washington, Indiana Pioneer Work ..	15.00	
City Pioneer Mission .....	25.00	
		5952.99
Ministerial Institute Fund .....		157.83
Superannuated Membership Fee Fund .....		25.00
Total Disbursements .....		\$17505.47
Balance in Bank .....		81.04
TOTAL .....		\$17586.51
<b>1954 Balance Divided as Follows</b>		
Superannuated Membership Fee Fund .....	\$132.98	
Conference Work .....	7.61	
Conference Sunday School .....	129.66	
Pioneer Evangelism .....	168.09	
*Revolving Fund .....	363.99	
Ministerial Institute Fund .....	53.11	
		\$855.44
Less—Conference President's Salary .	\$289.73	



Less—Conference Parsonage .....	484.67	
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		\$81.04

\*Transferred \$100.00 from Pioneer Evangelism Fund to the Revolving Fund. Mission Board Recommendations.

George L. Basham

### Report No. 6

### PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE

1. The Publications Committee met on the campground after conference last year and agreed that C. L. Blanchard should edit the **Messenger** for the year.

2. The recommendations of last year's report on publication of Minutes, **Messenger**, letterhead paper and subsidy to the Messenger fund by the Missionary Society and Youth Society have been carried out.

### Financial Statement

August 5, 1954

Balance from last year .....	\$24.03	
Receipts .....	404.08	
Disbursements .....		\$331.05
Amount on Hand .....		93.86
Amount in Bank .....		3.20
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	\$428.11	\$428.11
Amount due Treasury from Churches .....		\$57.56
Due Printers ....(App. \$26.74) Paid in full to July 1, 1954		

### Recommendations

1. That letterhead paper be printed at Work Fund expense for conference officials as may be needed.

2. That 500 to 600 copies of the **Messenger** be printed at some publishing establishment to be determined by the committee, distributed in bundles to the pastors of the various churches of the conference at 6 cents per copy, to be paid from the Sunday School treasury of the churches, unless the local churches have a better plan.

3. That 400 copies of the Minutes be printed at the Wesley Press for distribution to the churches according to membership and as designated

by the pastor as far as possible, the expense for same to be assessed to the work fund.

4. That the Conference Missionary Society and the Conference Youth Society subsidize the Messenger to the extent of \$15 each per year.

C. L. Blanchard,  
Carl I. Walker,  
E. G. Pommerehn.

### Report No. 7

### CONFERENCE TRUSTEES

August 6, 1953, signed resolution and mortgage for Ninth Street Church, permitting them to buy and mortgage the building north of, and adjacent to, the church.

August 15, 1953, met on the campground and organized with Audie Basham as chairman and K. K. Rothrock as secretary. Present: Audie Basham, K. K. Rothrock, Ralph Golding, Stanley Kendall and C. L. Blanchard. Rev. R. E. Bolton met with the Board.

Motion carried to back R. E. Bolton to extent of signing a note to borrow money for pioneer work in Louisville or vicinity, upon investigation of Mission Board and Trustees.

Dscussion favored borrowing money for pioneer work at Newburgh to erect a building.

Signed a note for \$500 borrowed from the Home Missions Department at 4% interest for the Newburgh work.

August 20, 1953, made a trip to Vim Drive and Black Mud Lane with Trustees (except Ralph Golding) to see about location for pioneer work.

September 18, 1953, signed resolution, order and note to borrow \$2000 at 4% according to recommendation from Mission Board for Princeton and Newburgh pioneer works.

October 2, 1953, met with Trustees Audie Basham, K. K. Rothrock, Stanley Kendall to discuss Newburgh building.

November 9, 1953, C. L. Blanchard met with trustees Audie Basham and K. K. Rothrock. Discussed gas furnace for conference parsonage and by general agreement with them and other trustees by phone or correspondence agreed to install furnace, and apportion the cost to the churches.

January 12, 1954, met at Audie Basham's with K. K. Rothrock and C. L. Blanchard to discuss plans for Clear Fork Church enlargement.

February 9, 1954, met at Audie Basham's to discuss Vim Drive as a prospective pioneer point.

April 12, 1954, met at Audie Basham's to discuss plans to build a parsonage at Clear Fork. Present: Stanley Kendall, K. K. Rothrock, Audie



Basham, C. L. Blanchard, C. O. Douglas and others from the Church. Motion carried approving the parsonage plans with the idea that the church would not borrow any more than they can financially carry.

July, 1954, met to discuss building plans for Shively area.

Audie Basham, Chairman;  
D. W. Fossit,  
Ralph Golding,  
Stanley Kendall,  
K. K. Rothrock, Secretary.

### Report No. 8

### SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

The Sunday School year just closed has been an encouraging one in many respects. Statistics show a total enrollment in the schools of 3119 over against 2523 for last year. Of course about half of this increase is due to the coming into the conference of the Lexington church, formerly the Calvary Holiness Church. Even so it looks like the rate of gain should be maintained throughout the year. We ask all schools to work untiringly to bring in new scholars. Last year the Sunday School Board planned for a series of conventions. We had Miss Mary E. Bennett, the Promotional Secretary with us in these conventions. She brought us many splendid messages of instruction and inspiration, which we hope made a real contribution to the year's work. The attendance at these conventions was representative, but not so large as we had hoped.

The recent reports which have come in to conference show certain weak spots in our schools. Thirty-five are reported in the Home Department. This department is for persons, who through age, infirmity, sickness or those who are tied down with family cares such as small children and care of the sick until they don't have opportunity to attend the Sunday school. They need the visitor's call and interest. I think this is a fertile field for further cultivation. Our cradle rolls are on the increase for which we are thankful. But the record of the past year shows a slump in the number of Vacation Bible Schools. Let us take new ground here, to contact new children and families.

We are still lacking in teaching training Classes. This is a serious lack. Won't some of our schools launch out into this work this year? From the pastors Sunday School reports, we gather that of the thirty schools reporting, they show total receipts of \$8,660. Of this four schools gave to Foreign Missions \$210, and six schools gave \$285 to Home Missions over against \$4880 for local expenses, which is a ratio of about ten to one, that is for every dollar given to missions ten are used for ourselves. Per-



haps we could pare down our local expenses, by more careful use of papers and helps, so as to put more in the missions cause.

Like others have expressed about poor co-operation in getting back reports, I too have very meager responses to reports from Rally Day and Thanksgiving offerings. Complete reports of these special days would give us much encouragement, by showing the progress attained. We ask your co-operation in all these ventures for the good of the cause.

Respectfully submitted,

Harrison Davidson  
Sunday School Secretary

### Report No. 9

#### PENSION BOARD

Regrettably we report that less than half of our active ministers are members of the Pension Plan. However, there are some others that are interested.

We recommend:

1. That every one joining the conference shall be urged to become a member before being assigned work.
2. That we pay each member's entrance fee of \$25 from the Old Superannuated Minister's Fund and that when necessary this fund be replenished for this purpose from the Work Fund.
3. That each pastor be urged to join, pay his 1% quarterly, and get the Pension budget of his church raised monthly.

C. L. Blanchard,  
H. F. Taylor,  
George L. Basham.

### Report No. 10

#### MISSION. BOARD REPORT

The Mission Board met on the campground on August 8, 1954 in four separate meetings.

First Meeting—(Louis Baumgartel absent). Lerada Walker elected secretary. O. L. Lee met with Board to explain the Princeton pioneer work and to state the need for the building above the basement and the amount of money needed.

Second Meeting—(Louis Baumgartel absent). Harold Haverty appeared before the Board and explained the Brazil work and the portable tabernacle was discussed for this work.

Third Meeting—6:45 p.m. (Louis Baumgartel absent). Creston Eckart met with the Board and it was thought best for him to return to Marion College to get his teacher's requirements off.

Fourth Meeting, 9:30 p.m.—All present. John Markley met with the Board and explained the possibility of work at Covington. He was given authorization to try a radio program with money to be raised by himself.

Motion carried to pay all interest on notes and annuities when due, this to be carried out by the President.

Motion carried to pay \$20 to the Indiana Conference on the use of their tent at Brazil, Indiana.

Motion carried to go ahead with portable tabernacle for Brazil, Indiana, upon facts to be obtained.

Motion carried to pay \$25 per month for four months on house rent for pastor at Newburgh, Indiana.

September 18, 1953, resolution and recommendation to conference trustees signed to authorize them to borrow \$2000 at four per cent interest for the pioneer works at Princeton and Newburgh, Indiana.

September 18, 1953, signed resolution and order to loan Princeton, Indiana, pioneer work, \$1500 with interest.

September 18, 1953, signed resolution and order to loan Newburgh, Indiana, pioneer work \$1000 with interest.

April 24, 1954, Met at Louis Baumgartel's home in Madison, Indiana, with all present except Lerada Walker.

Motion carried to purchase a tent for \$300. (This tent was not available later, so was not purchased).

Shively area discussed with a view to holding a tent meeting and starting work. By agreement, Foster Newman was to go there by assignment.

Old South Third area discussed and left in the hands of Board in Louisville.

Albany proposition discussed and left in hands of members in Louisville.

May 28, 1954, paid insurance on Brazil chapel.

C. L. Blanchard,  
T. B. Bailey,  
Louis Baumgartel,  
H. F. Taylor,  
Lerada Walker, Secretary.

#### Report No. 11

#### PASTORAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Atwood—Herbert Logsdon

Bloomfield—Graham Bright  
Brooksbury—Carmen Toler  
Camp Taylor—Dallas Caplinger  
Clear Fork—C. O. Douglas  
Elizabeth—George O'Bannon  
Highland Park—Lee Roy Meredith  
Hope, Ind.—Kenneth Reynolds  
Holton—Louis Baumgartel  
Jamestown—In the Hands of the President  
Leavenworth—Gilbert Denton—Under direction of Missionary Board  
Lexington—Clinton Jones  
Rock Springs—Herschel Hamm  
Simpson Chapel—C. E. Wininger  
Madison—Foster Newman  
Milan—Hallie Giltner  
Milton—Robert Kendall  
Mt. Tabor—Henry Taylor  
Mt. Calvary—Carl I. Walker  
Mt. Zion—Eugene Harwell  
New Albany—Robert Burt  
Newburgh—Christine Fowler  
New Shiloh—Joseph Meyers  
Ninth Street—E. G. Pommerehn  
Owensboro—K. L. McGuyer  
Paoli—Irvin E. Halbert  
Sales Avenue—Carl Pierce  
Sylvania—Robert Pelton  
Washington—Marie Clement  
Winchester—John Basham  
West Frankfort—O. C. Boston  
Bloomington and Whitehall—B. L. Seaton  
Mountain Work:  
Hope, Ky.—C. C. and Florence Hayes  
Zions Hill—Stanley and Betty Tabor (Supply)  
Wheelrim—Harry J. and Myrtle Sension  
Ratliff—Esther Sniffin  
Pioneer Works:  
Concord—Ralph Golding  
New Hope—A. T. Reynolds  
Means—Ethel Olds and Edith Van Cise (Supply)  
Pekin—Uen and Reland Key  
Princeton—Otho Lee  
Newburgh—In Hand of Missionary Board  
Brazil—Harold Haverty



Pioneer Work—R. E. Bolton

General Evangelists—D. W. Fossit, A. T. Reynolds, Thomas Bailey, Gilbert Denton, Stanley Kendall, John Cole.

Conference Evangelists—G. C. Harrington, E. L. Jackson, Blanche Burres, Florence Burres, Harrison Davidson, Sr., Russell Mart, Calvin Revis, Leonard Bright, Harry Cantrell, Mary Davidson, Marie Gay, Kate Hewitt, Lucian Mahoney, Daily Renfro, Susie Britton, John Markley, Forrest Feazel, Ora M. Nanna, Roy L. Kinney, Harold Freeman, Denzel Brown, Harold Todd.

Mission Work in Jamiaca—Zelpha Swofford

Attending College—James Rowe

Song Evangelists—Joy Crocker, Eunice Hook, Catherine Harrington, Mary Mackay

To Work Among Negroes in Louisville—W. G. Stockton

Superannuate—W. B. Dunkum, C. M. Hewitt.

Teaching School—J. E. and Esther M. Hunter

Teacher at Marion College—David Budensiek

Missionary to Africa—Harrison Davidson, Jr.

Supplying Trinity Methodist Mission, New Albany—C. A. Powell

President—C. L. Blanchard

Vice President—Stanley Kendall

Secretary—Earl Pommerehn

Committee: C. L. Blanchard,  
W. B. Dunkum,  
D. W. Fossit,  
C. O. Douglas,  
Wm. Rigdon,  
Alma Morrison  
Blanch Renner.

## Report No. 12

### COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

1. Pastors shall read to their congregations the General and Special Rules and instructions of the Discipline, the Standing Resolutions of the Conference, and the report of the Committee on Resolutions.

2. All elders and conference preachers shall send \$1.00 each year or a designated book of the course of study to the conference librarian and that a catalog of the library be listed in the Minutes.

3. Every preacher borrowing a book from the conference Library may hold it for only one month. There will be a flat rate of twenty-five cents for the month and five cents for every day over the month.

4. We insist that every pastor and evangelist attend annual conference

and camp meeting if they expect to retain their relationship with us, unless providentially hindered with no exceptions.

5. A pastor (or church) shall use only Wesleyan evangelists unless special consent be granted by the conference president and his advisory board.

6. Let us vigorously protest against liquor by every means possible to the Christian, including a refusal to patronize merchants who handle the same. We shall likewise oppose the wholesale prostitution existing in the Armed Forces and National life by exalting a virtuous life and instructing the young people and parents.

7. In this age when immodesty and worldliness are so subtly creeping into the Holiness movement, let every minister of ours earnestly contend for, and faithfully preach the entire Word of God without fear or favor of man. Let us refuse to compromise with the ungodly element which is robbing the church of her glory and preachers of the divine anointing.

8. We recommend that the conference president and pastors be given two weeks vacation with pay to be taken at their convenience.

9. We recommend that all superannuated ministers of our conference be entertained entirely free all during camp

Stanley Kendall, Chairman;  
Kenneth Reynolds,  
Winnie Rothrock,  
Carmen Toler,  
Dorothy Basham.

### Report No. 13

#### PENSION FUND TREASURER

##### Receipts

Membership Fee .....	\$25.00	
Assessment on Income .....	275.18	
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Total Receipts .....		\$300.18

##### Disbursements

Membership Fee .....	\$25.00	
Assessment on Income .....	275.18	
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Total Disbursements .....		\$300.18

George L. Basham

## THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

## Report No. 14

## (SEE STATISTICAL REPORT)

## Report No. 15

## COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

1. We recommend that the Conference President shall meet the Board of Stewards of all Churches Paying less than \$1,000.00 salary and adjust the finances accordingly at the first Quarterly Conference.

2. We recommend that this conference pay General Budget Assessment. (See Budget Apportionment).

3. We recommend that each member pay \$1.00 to the Conference Work Fund. This money shall be disbursed by the Conference Treasurer with the approval of the Conference President and his Advisory Board.

4. We strongly recommend the Storehouse Plan of Tithing as the general Financial plan of the church. Each pastor shall encourage the adoption of this plan by the church. (See Malachi 3:8-10)

5. We recommend that the Conference Treasurer and the Conference Secretary each be paid \$75.00 a year

6. We recommend and endorse the Church Extension Card Call Plan. Let all pastors present the same to their churches as soon as possible after returning from conference.

7. We recommend that the conference year for the current or outgoing pastor shall end immediately following the last Sunday of Camp and that the church he is serving pay his salary until that time.

8. We recommend that the Conference President be paid \$70.00 per week (this to be paid weekly) plus house rent and utilities; also his traveling expenses figured at 7 cents per mile shall be paid on mileage in connection with conference work. This shall be raised by the \$1.00 per member and by the tithe of the preacher's cash salaries. These funds are to be sent by the church treasurer to the conference treasurer monthly. All accruing funds above the foregoing shall be divided as follows: (1) \$200.00 shall be placed in the conference parsonage fund to help meet the payments and interest. (2) The remainder shall revert to the pioneer evangelism fund. We recommend that the conference president's tithe be placed in the conference parsonage fund. We recommend that any church in its first year be allowed to appeal to the pioneer fund for aid.

9. We recommend that any church not having a parsonage for their pastor pay the rent for, or buy or build a parsonage and also pay all utilities such as water, lights, fuel, and telephone.

10. We recommend that each active member of the local W.Y.P.S. pay \$1.00 annually on the General W.Y.P.S. Budget (It is understood



that this amount be paid by the local society) We further recommend that no church budget be considered paid in full until this item is paid.

11. Each Pastor's moving bill shall be paid by the contracting church.

12. Let all churches feel their obligation to give monthly donations to their pastors.

13. We recommend, in accordance with the action of the Board of Administration that all newly organized churches and organized missions be exempt from the General Budget the first two years; furthermore that they be exempt from the Conference Budget the first year and take free will offerings for Conference Budget the second year.

14. We recommend that \$1.00 per member be raised throughout the conference for the conference entertainment for the preachers, their families, and delegates.

15. We recommend that \$1.00 per member be paid for Pioneer Evangelism. Then, additionally, we recommend that the Sunday school offering of the first Sunday of each month shall accrue to Pioneer Evangelism and that each pastor and Sunday school superintendent present this offering to their people each month. This offering is to be sent to the Conference Treasurer monthly.

16. We recommend that each member be assessed \$1.00 a year, this money be placed in a fund known as the Camp Meeting Fund. the money to be used to help pay the expense of the Camp meeting.

17. We recommend that a copy of the Report on Finance be typed and placed on the bulletin board in every church.

18. We recommend that the Sunday school of each church pay the amount due on the subscription to **The Wesleyan Messenger**.

19. We recommend that each member be assessed \$1.00 a year this money to be placed in a fund known as the Conference Parsonage Fund.

20. We recommend that all churches who are fully supporting their pastor allow them to hold one pioneer meeting a year in the bounds of the Kentucky Conference.

Louis Baumgartel,  
O. C. Boston,  
Graham Bright,  
Dorothy Via,  
Bertha Johnson.

#### Report No. 16

#### RELIGIOUS SERVICES AND SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY

August 2, 1954, 7:30 p.m.—Conference Sermon by Rev. Clinton Jones

August 3, 9:00 a.m.—President's Report, Credentials Committee, Nominating Committee



## THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

2:30 p.m.—Denominational Address by Dr. F. R. Eddy

7:30 p.m.—Educational Address by Dr. W. F. McConn, President of Marion College

August 4, 9:00 a.m.—Election of Conference Officials and General Conference Delegates

7:30 p.m.—Address "My Visit to Palestine"—Nate Scharff

August 5—Missionary Day

1:30 p.m.—Memorial Service

7:30 p.m.—Missionary Message by Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Cole-son, Missionaries to India

C. L. Blanchard,  
L. R. Meredith,  
Dallas Caplinger,  
Lerada Walker.

**Report No. 17****EVANGELISTS**

D. W. Fossit—21 Meetings—11,650 Miles—\$2,695.00

# BUDGET APPORTIONMENT

Charge	Membership	Foreign Missions	Church Extension and Home Missions	Education	General Sunday School	Orphanage	Superannuate Pension Plan	Australia	Administrative Budget	General Conference Expense	Conference President's Salary	Conference Work	Camp Meeting Fund	Conference Entertainment	Pioneer Evangelism	Conference Sunday School	Conference Parsonage	Total
Atwood	99	\$198	\$123.75	\$198	\$19.50	\$24.75	\$148.50	\$24.75	\$39.60	\$14.85	\$99	\$99	\$99	\$99	\$99	\$9.75	\$99	\$1,395.45
Bloomfield	28	56	35.00	56	6.90	7.00	42.00	7.00	11.20	4.20	28	28	28	28	28	3.45	28	396.75
Brooksbury	10	20	12.50	20	2.00	2.50	15.00	2.50	4.00	1.50	10	10	10	10	10	1.00	10	141.00
Camp Taylor	31	62	38.75	62	6.80	7.75	46.50	7.75	12.40	4.65	31	31	31	31	31	3.40	31	438.00
Clear Fork	16	32	20.00	32	9.10	4.00	24.00	4.00	6.40	2.40	16	16	16	16	16	4.55	16	234.45
Elizabeth	5	10	6.25	10	.90	1.25	7.50	1.25	2.00	.75	5	5	5	5	5	.45	5	70.35
Highland Park	57	114	71.25	114	21.40	14.25	85.50	14.25	22.80	8.55	57	57	57	57	57	10.70	57	818.79
Hope, Ind.	20	40	25.00	40	9.00	5.00	30.00	5.00	8.00	3.00	20	20	20	20	20	4.50	20	289.50
Holton	16	32	20.00	32	4.00	4.00	24.00	4.00	6.40	2.40	16	16	16	16	16	2.00	16	226.80
Frankfort Heights	29	58	36.25	58	6.60	7.25	43.50	7.25	11.60	4.35	29	29	29	29	29	3.30	29	410.10
Jamestown	19	38	23.75	38	9.50	4.75	28.50	4.75	7.60	2.85	19	19	19	19	19	4.75	19	276.45
Leavenworth	8	16	10.00	16	2.90	2.00	12.00	2.00	3.20	1.20	8	8	8	8	8	1.45	8	114.75
Lexington	225	450	281.25	450	28.90	56.25	337.50	56.25	90.00	33.75	225	225	225	225	225	14.45	225	3,148.35
Madison	14	28	17.50	28	6.00	3.50	21.00	3.50	5.60	2.10	14	14	14	14	14	3.00	14	202.20
Milan	30	60	37.50	60	7.30	7.50	45.00	7.50	12.00	4.50	30	30	30	30	30	3.65	30	424.95
Milton	11	22	13.75	22	5.60	2.75	16.50	2.75	4.40	1.65	11	11	11	11	11	2.80	11	160.20
Mt. Calvary	12	24	15.00	24	5.80	3.00	18.00	3.00	4.80	1.80	12	12	12	12	12	2.90	12	174.30
Mt. Tabor	26	52	32.50	52	8.80	6.50	39.00	6.50	10.40	3.90	26	26	26	26	26	4.40	26	372.00
Mt. Zion	11	22	13.75	22	3.70	2.75	16.50	2.75	4.40	1.65	11	11	11	11	11	1.85	11	157.35
Means	19	38	23.75	38	5.70	4.75	28.50	4.75	7.60	2.85	19	19	19	19	19	2.85	19	270.75
New Albany	20	40	25.00	40	6.40	5.00	30.00	5.00	8.00	3.00	20	20	20	20	20	3.20	20	285.60
New Shiloh	30	60	37.50	60	7.50	7.50	45.00	7.50	12.00	4.50	30	30	30	30	30	3.75	30	425.25
Ninth Street	41	82	51.25	82	25.70	10.25	61.50	10.25	16.40	6.15	41	41	41	41	41	12.85	41	604.35
Owensboro	24	48	30.00	48	5.60	6.00	36.00	6.00	9.60	3.60	24	24	24	24	24	2.80	24	339.60
Paoli	12	24	15.00	24	3.30	3.00	18.00	3.00	4.80	1.80	12	12	12	12	12	1.65	12	170.55
Rock Springs	14	28	17.50	28	2.60	3.50	21.00	3.50	5.60	2.10	14	14	14	14	14	1.30	14	197.10
Sales Avenue	21	42	26.25	42	6.30	5.25	31.50	5.25	8.40	3.15	21	21	21	21	21	3.15	21	299.25
Simpson Chapel	13	26	16.25	26	3.20	3.25	19.50	3.25	5.20	1.95	13	13	13	13	13	1.60	13	184.20
Sylvania	14	28	17.50	28	7.20	3.50	21.00	3.50	5.60	2.10	14	14	14	14	14	3.60	14	204.00
Whitehall	15	30	18.75	30	4.10	3.75	22.50	3.75	6.00	2.25	15	15	15	15	15	2.05	15	213.15
Winchester	29	58	36.25	58	13.70	7.25	43.50	7.25	11.60	4.35	29	29	29	29	29	6.85	29	420.75
Totals	919	\$1,838	\$1,148.75	\$1,838	\$256.00	\$229.75	\$1,378.50	\$229.75	\$367.60	\$137.85	\$919	\$919	\$919	\$919	\$919	\$128.00	\$919	\$13,066.20

## THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

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STATISTICAL REPORT

Charge	Item I. Pastor's Labors.										Item II. Periodicals										
	Time Employed (Months)	Appointments	Organized Ch. Appointments	Wesleyan Methodists taken	Wesleyan Missionaries taken	Wesleyan Youths taken	Sunday School	Banner	Junior Class Paper	Children's Friend	Teacher's Quarterly	Senior Quarterly	Intermediate Quarterly	Junior Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Home Dept. Quarterly	Lesson Leaflet	Our Little Folks Cards	Bible Lesson Chart	Pupil's Lesson Stories, Etc.	Bible Lesson Stories, Etc.
Atwood	12	1	1	17	27	33	50	20	20	20	100	30	25	20	...	15	15	1	...	...	
Bloomfield	12	1	1	4	14	12	25	15	10	3	28	...	15	...	...	...	30	10	...	...	
*Bloomington	12	1	1	1	1	4	15	...	...	5	2	10	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	10	...
*Brazil	12	1	1	1	3	5	...	...	...	...	3	12	5	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brooksbury	12	1	1	5	22	8	35	12	6	10	40	...	12	8	...	...	10	...	1	...	...
Camp Taylor	12	1	1	22	11	8	26	15	...	6	40	10	...	...	...	...	...	18	1	10	...
Clear Fork	12	1	1	2	1	...	6	5	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
Elizabeth	12	1	1	9	9	12	15	8	10	9	16	10	10	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Frankfort Heights	12	1	1	33	32	7	...	33	36	20	75	20	20	20	...	...	20	20	1	...	...
Highland Park	12	1	1	12	2	...	12	7	...	4	25	15	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...
Holton	12	1	1	22	2	...	20	...	...	7	20	...	20	...	...	...	20	20	1	...	20
Hope, Indiana	12	1	1	8	6	...	18	...	...	7	12	8	8	5	...	...	20	...	...	...	...
Jamestown	12	1	1	15	10	...	10	...	...	4	15	...	6	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...
Leavenworth	12	1	1	1	15	1	50	...	15	15	50	...	12	...	...	...	6	...	...	10	...
Lexington	12	1	1	8	6	2	15	...	10	3	30	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	10	...
Madison	12	1	1	6	5	4	15	25	15	6	16	5	...	5	...	...	20	...	2	...	...
Means	12	1	1	12	12	11	30	15	...	5	25	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	1	15	1
Milan	12	1	1	3	5	...	10	12	...	4	10	8	12	6	...	...	6	...	...	10	...
Milton	12	1	1	3	8	5	10	10	10	4	30	12	12	13	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Mt. Calvary	12	1	1	16	15	10	...	...	...	5	36	18	18	...	...	...	12	...	...	18	...
Mt. Tabor	8	1	1	3	3	2	20	10	...	4	12	8	10	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mt. Zion	12	1	1	18	18	8	15	12	12	5	10	12	...	10	4	15	8	...	...	...	...
New Albany	12	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
*Newburg	12	1	1	2	10	1	20	20	20	10	4	30	10	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Shiloh	12	1	1	16	14	26	45	25	...	10	75	25	25	...	...	...	45	25	...	30	...
Ninth Street	12	1	1	7	12	9	30	...	...	5	24	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...
Owensboro	12	1	1	3	5	1	10	...	...	3	8	10	8	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paoli	12	1	1	...	...	...	7	...	6	3	5	7	6	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
*Pekin	12	1	1	1	1	...	12	6	6	4	12	6	6	...	...	...	20	6	...	...	...
*Princeton	12	1	1	2	5	7	...	...	...	3	9	10	5	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rock Springs	10	1	1	5	4	5	14	...	9	4	15	10	6	4	...	...	15	10	...	...	...
Sales Avenue	12	1	1	9	5	1	...	...	4	12	12	12	12	12	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Simpson Chapel	11	1	1	12	8	4	15	6	6	5	20	10	9	5	...	...	15	12	...	...	...
Sylvania	12	1	1	2	2	2	...	10	...	10	4	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
*Washington	12	1	1	10	9	12	15	10	5	10	12	10	...	...	...	...	15	...	1	...	...
Whitehall	12	1	1	39	17	40	10	10	15	6	50	8	20	25	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
Winchester	12	2	...	4	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zion's Hill	12	2	...	4	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	1419	371	35	321	315	236	585	273	226	209	895	279	295	159	4	1347	156	11	103	21	...

\* Pioneer Mission Churches.



## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item III. Membership

Charge	Received	Expelled	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	Total Membership Lost	Number Reported Last Year	Present Number	Loss Membership for Year	Gain Membership for Year	No. Under 14 Years of Age	Associate Members	Baptized	Unstationed Elders	Local Preachers	Number of Family Altars	Membership Tithing	No. Card Call Subscribers
Atwood	6						91	97		6		3	9		2	33	64	9
Bloomfield	2			1			27	28	1						1	13	28	3
Bloomington			2			2	4	2	2	1						4	1	
Brazil							11	11								5	11	
Brooksburg					4	6	32	31	1			3			1	14	25	3
Camp Taylor	5		2				16	16				1	4		2	9	12	1
Clear Fork	1						4	5	1							2	2	1
Elizabeth							29	29				5	7		2	15	29	
Frankfort Heights	5		2	1		3	59	61	2		18			1	6	14	40	9
Highland Park	6		2			2	12	16		4						7	16	
Holton	1		2	1		3	22	20	2			1	4	1	3	13	18	2
Hope, Indiana	1		1			1	17	19		2	1	4	4	1	1	8	15	
Jamestown	3						6	6								6	6	3
Leavenworth																		
Lexington	225						225		225									
Madison				1		1	14	13	1							8	9	
Means	5						14	19		5				1	8	8	16	4
Milan	2		1		3	5	33	30	3			8		2		7	24	10
Milton	2			1		1	10	11		1					1	8	11	
Mt. Calvary							12	12								6	12	1
Mt. Tabor	3						23	26		3					1	12	23	
Mt. Zion				1		1	12	11	1							4	4	
New Albany							20	20				2			2		20	
Newburg																		
New Shiloh	9				3	3	24	30		6						30	30	5
Ninth Street	8		4		5	9	44	43	1			23		1	5	17	38	2
Owensboro	4			1			1	21	24		3		3	6	1	8	24	
Paoli					2	2	14	12	2							2	2	1
Pekin	2						7	9		2							9	
Princeton																		
Rock Springs	4				2	2	12	14		2					2			
Sales Avenue	2				3	3	23	22	1					1	1	11	21	1
Simpson Chapel	1						12	13		1		1	6		1	10	7	
Sylvania	1		1				14	14								6	10	
Washington			3		3	6	11	5	6							4	5	
Whitehall	4						11	15		4		1	3		3	3	9	2
Winchester	5		1		1	2	26	29		3		8	7	3	2	13	16	6
Zions Hill																		
Totals	306		21	8	26	55	687	938	20	271	1	76	50	12	40	304	557	65

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## Item IV. Sunday Schools

Charge	No. of Sunday Schools	Whole No. Officers, Teachers	Whole No. of Scholars in Main School	Total No. in Main School	No. in Home Department	No. on Cradle Roll	Total No. in Sunday School	Average Attendance	No. of Scholars Converted	No. Scholars Joining Church	No. of Departmental Supts.	Teacher's Training Course	No. of Organized Classes	No. of Books in Library	Enrollment V.B.S.	Average Attendance	No. W. Y. P. Societies	Total Membership of Soc.
Atwood	1	15	180	195	35	230	157	8	5	3	13	1	29	1	12	1	1	1
Bloomfield	1	9	60	69	18	87	63	14	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bloomington	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Brazil	1	3	17	20	20	20	3	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Brooksturg	1	9	59	68	12	80	65	12	5	1	13	15	20	1	17	1	1	1
Camp Taylor	1	6	85	91	9	91	64	7	4	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Clear Fork	1	10	56	66	13	79	53	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Elizabeth	1	10	56	66	13	79	53	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Frankfort Heights	1	12	202	214	45	271	142	35	5	6	3	9	1	1	1	1	1	1
Highland Park	1	6	34	40	35	40	35	5	6	1	3	9	1	1	1	1	1	1
Holton	1	7	83	90	12	102	26	20	2	1	5	16	13	1	4	1	1	1
Hope, Indiana	1	10	85	95	17	112	54	7	4	1	3	29	1	1	1	1	1	1
Jamestown	1	4	25	29	1	30	18	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Leavenworth	1	14	275	289	22	311	235	60	15	4	4	29	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lexington	1	10	50	60	60	40	4	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Madison	2	5	52	57	57	38	9	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Means	1	24	49	73	17	90	49	1	2	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Milan	1	6	50	56	56	36	10	2	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Milton	1	6	52	58	58	42	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mt. Calvary	1	8	80	88	88	76	15	3	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mt. Tabor	1	7	30	37	37	31	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mt. Zion	1	7	57	64	4	68	46	2	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
New Albany	1	5	70	75	75	85	5	2	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Newburg	1	14	243	257	15	272	344	158	15	2	6	32	1	1	1	1	1	1
New Shiloh	1	8	48	56	26	82	66	1	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Ninth Street	1	5	28	33	33	33	2	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Owensboro	1	6	42	48	48	28	2	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Paoli	1	7	40	47	47	38	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pekin	1	6	20	26	26	32	23	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Princeton	1	7	56	63	63	60	4	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Rock Springs	1	7	25	32	32	23	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Sales Avenue	1	7	65	72	72	49	3	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Simpson Chapel	1	7	65	72	72	49	3	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Sylvania	1	6	75	81	81	46	2	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Washington	1	6	35	41	3	11	55	27	3	2	3	4	1	1	1	1	1	1
Whitehall	1	9	128	137	15	152	100	13	7	1	7	128	84	1	18	1	1	1
Winchester	2	2	31	33	33	27	3	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Zions Hill	2	2	31	33	33	27	3	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Totals	38	275	2494	2769	55	315	3119	2050	235	54	23	135	124	179	143	19	308	308



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Item V. Church Property									
Charge	No. of Church Buildings	Value of Buildings	Amount of Indebtedness	Amount of Insurance	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Amount of Indebtedness	Amount of Insurance	Cash or Other Values on Hand
Atwood	1	\$75,000	\$9,202.80	\$35,000					\$513.49
Bloomfield	1	3,000		2,000	1	\$2,000		\$1,000	
Bloomington	1	7,000		5,000					
Brazil									
Brooksbury	1	3,500		2,000					
Camp Taylor	1	12,000		10,000					419.96
Clear Fork	1			3,000					
Elizabeth	1	4,250		2,000	1	5,000		4,000	35.20
Frankfort Heights	1	10,000		5,000	1	3,500		1,200	
Highland Park	1	30,000	14,207.32	20,000	1	15,000		12,000	
Holton	1	4,000		2,000	1	1,200		500	
Hope, Indiana	1	5,000		1,000	1	2,500		1,000	262.29
Jamestown	1	2,000		1,500	1	1,000		500	109.77
Leavenworth	1	2,000		750	1	2,000		750	16.52
Lexington	1	75,000	4,500.00	60,000	1	20,000	\$650.00	13,000	500.00
Madison	1	10,000		3,000	1	5,000		1,000	
Means	3	2,200			1				
Milan	1	8,000	1,192.28	4,000	1	4,000	67.50	2,500	
Milton	1	2,500			1	2,500		1,700	
Mt. Calvary	1	3,000		2,000	1	4,000	139.93	4,000	
Mt. Tabor	1	5,000							
Mt. Zion	1	3,000		1,000	1	2,000		600	
New Albany	1	2,500		2,000	1	3,000		2,000	
Newburg									
New Shiloh	1	2,000		1,200					1,144.00
Ninth Street	1	20,000	5,755.99	9,500	1	18,000	3,367.26	7,500	171.16
Owensboro	1	10,000	377.97	3,500	1	3,000		1,500	
Paoli	1	4,500			1	3,500	375.00		
Pekin	1	3,500		2,500					36.00
Princeton	1	10,000	1,675.00						
Rock Springs	1	2,500		1,500					
Sales Avenue	1	14,000	467.78	2,000					78.16
Simpson Chapel	1	4,000		2,000	1	2,000		2,000	
Sylvania	1	35,000	250.00	18,000					
Washington	1	3,500			1	3,000			
Whitehall	1	3,500		1,500	1	2,500		1,000	
Winchester	1	10,000		5,000	1	2,000			616.10
Zions Hill	1	6,000		3,000	1	5,000		2,500	
Totals	37	\$397,450	\$37,629.14	\$210,950	24	\$111,803	\$4,599.69	\$60,250	\$3,902.65

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## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item VI. Disbursed for Pastor

Charge	Salary	Parsonage Rent	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts	Total Pastor's Receipts
Atwood	\$3,640.00	\$480.00	\$25.00	\$190.75	\$4,335.75
Bloomfield	2,340.00	240.00	50.00	153.07	2,783.07
Bloomington	700.00			3.00	703.00
Brazil					
Brooksbury		780.00	5.00	193.95	978.95
Camp Taylor	2,190.00	300.00	10.00	143.00	2,643.00
Clear Fork	2,080.00	196.00		210.00	2,486.00
Elizabeth	125.00			12.00	137.00
Frankfort Heights	2,030.00	420.00	25.00	270.00	2,795.00
Highland Park	3,900.00	1,349.52	5.00	400.00	5,654.52
Holton	750.00	123.55	20.00	84.00	982.55
Hope, Indiana	1,820.00	260.00	30.00	315.00	2,425.00
Jamestown	600.00	114.00		218.00	932.00
Leavenworth	780.00			143.44	923.44
Lexington	5,200.00	1,000.00	30.00	395.00	6,625.00
Madison	1,300.00	720.00	5.00	25.00	2,050.00
Means					
Milan	1,960.00	360.00		144.19	2,464.19
Milton	780.00	241.00		45.65	1,066.65
Mt. Calvary	1,560.00	240.00	20.00	246.72	2,066.72
Mt. Tabor	1,560.00	495.00	10.00	182.73	2,247.73
Mt. Zion	435.00	45.00		25.00	505.00
New Albany	1,560.00		10.00	234.13	1,804.13
Newburg					
New Shiloh	1,820.00	670.00	24.00	726.00	3,240.00
Ninth Street	3,150.00	780.00	310.00	1,031.20	5,271.20
Owensboro	1,728.92	300.00	25.00	16.00	2,069.92
Paoli	224.00	360.00		40.00	624.00
Pekin	1,069.81	300.00			1,369.81
Princeton	520.00		2.00	200.00	722.00
Rock Springs	523.03	230.00	24.00	732.52	1,509.55
Sales Avenue	1,874.50			11.50	1,886.00
Simpson Chapel	740.00	240.00	30.00	128.14	1,138.14
Sylvania	1,085.00	100.00	25.00	461.00	1,671.00
Washington	940.00	300.00		113.00	1,353.00
Whitehall	650.00	300.00		210.25	1,160.25
Winchester	2,075.00	360.00	64.00	639.92	3,138.92
Zions Hill	408.00	180.00			588.00
Totals	\$52,168.26	\$11,489.07	\$749.00	\$7,944.16	\$72,350.49

## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item VII. Disbursed for Church

Charge	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building	Repairs	Amount Paid on Indebtedness	Church Incidental Expense	Total for Church
Atwood	\$777.50	\$559.58	\$35.00	\$857.21	\$5,937.64	\$936.48	\$9,103.41
Bloomfield	530.00	360.15		905.42		440.00	2,235.57
Bloomington		49.95	111.00	2.89	111.00		274.84
Brazil						308.69	400.98
Brooksbury	63.00	29.29			164.51	1,081.75	2,365.46
Camp Taylor	421.50	408.95	288.75			303.36	2,105.43
Clear Fork	608.00	181.90	1,012.17			63.53	638.20
Elizabeth		39.85		7.85	526.97	440.73	1,912.58
Frankfort Heights	162.00	370.42		939.43	1,776.00	4,487.64	7,266.72
Highland Park	580.00	423.08		25.74		418.80	774.97
Holton	200.10	130.33		250.00		97.91	1,865.56
Hope, Indiana	415.00	482.65	620.00	255.15		207.81	750.20
Jamestown	217.00	70.24		68.90	1,800.00	91.00	493.26
Leavenworth	155.93	177.43					8,640.00
Lexington	1,340.00	900.00	4,600.00			584.41	1,245.41
Madison	236.70	424.30					
Means			586.27			1,508.48	2,793.90
Milan	512.00	187.15			475.25	189.47	1,038.62
Milton	231.00	142.90		47.15	509.41	356.52	954.99
Mt. Calvary	25.00	16.91		49.75		209.87	860.43
Mt. Tabor	407.20	193.61		287.66		233.11	855.26
Mt. Zion	230.05	104.44				544.40	1,244.94
New Albany	546.78	153.76				350.00	1,161.05
Newburg						1,704.16	9,497.09
New Shiloh	681.00	130.05		1,963.25	4,214.00	382.20	2,510.96
Ninth Street	1,075.06	540.62		1,048.42	140.00	52.00	190.28
Owensboro	457.85	432.49			100.00	95.03	334.04
Paoli		38.28		11.85		1,811.02	2,011.02
Pekin	175.75		51.41			192.30	429.60
Princeton	200.00					439.56	1,372.60
Rock Springs	57.60	179.70		228.74	345.67	45.00	428.64
Sales Avenue	224.75	133.88		37.95		216.79	1,950.32
Simpson Chapel	128.96	216.73		15.00	1,450.00	314.14	596.37
Sylvania	206.00	62.53				330.53	621.21
Washington	191.75	73.12	17.36	4.00		316.35	1,824.69
Whitehall	125.00	161.68	540.95	179.63		46.52	101.52
Winchester	482.00	305.76					
Zions Hill	55.00						
Totals	\$11,719.48	\$7,731.73	\$7,862.91	\$7,185.99	\$17,550.45	\$18,799.56	\$70,850.12



## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item VIII. Disbursed for General Budget:

Charge	Foreign Missions Assigned	Foreign Missions Raised	Home Missions Assigned	Home Missions Raised	Education Assigned	Education Raised
Atwood	\$182.00	\$403.93	\$113.75	\$164.55	\$182.00	\$182.00
Bloomfield	54.00	61.28	33.75	55.12	54.00	52.26
Bloomington						
Brazil						
Brooksburg	22.00	9.00	13.75	12.00	22.00	8.00
Camp Taylor	60.00	85.67	37.50	38.23	60.00	60.00
Clear Fork	32.00	32.22	20.00	20.00	32.00	32.00
Elizabeth	8.00	8.00	5.00	5.00	8.00	8.00
Frankfort Heights	58.00	138.00	36.25	36.25	58.00	58.00
Highland Park	118.00	151.00	73.75	83.75	118.00	118.00
Holton	26.00	26.00	15.25	16.25	26.00	26.00
Hope, Indiana	44.00	47.04	27.00	27.00	44.00	38.50
Jamestown	34.00	34.00	21.25	21.25	34.00	34.00
Leavenworth	12.00	13.75	7.50	7.50	12.00	16.50
Lexington						
Madison	28.00	43.78	17.50	25.43	28.00	28.00
Means	28.00	5.00	17.50	5.00	28.00	7.60
Milan	58.00	95.00	36.25	36.25	58.00	50.26
Milton	20.00	23.38	12.50	15.87	20.00	20.00
Mt. Calvary	24.00	31.38	15.00	27.12	24.00	24.22
Mt. Tabor	46.00	24.81	28.75	4.12	46.00	2.00
Mt. Zion	24.00		15.00		24.00	24.00
New Albany	40.00	33.76	25.00	15.13	40.00	.97
Newburg						
New Shiloh	48.00	48.51	30.00	30.00	48.00	51.00
Ninth Street	88.00	88.00	55.00	55.00	88.00	88.00
Owensboro	40.00	54.36	25.00	32.15	40.00	46.58
Paoli	28.00	1.75	17.50	1.75	28.00	
Pekin						
Princeton						
Rock Springs	24.00	24.00	15.00	15.00	24.00	27.11
Sales Avenue	46.00	46.00	28.75	28.75	46.00	46.00
Simpson Chapel	24.00	31.16	15.00	4.24	24.00	5.77
Sylvania	20.00	29.50	12.50	12.50	20.00	20.00
Washington						
Whitehall	22.00	23.44	13.75	15.00	22.00	25.00
Winchester	52.00	503.06	32.50	36.60	52.00	71.46
Zions Hill						
Totals	\$1,310.00	\$2,118.78	\$818.25	\$846.81	\$1,310.00	\$1,117.23



## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item VIII. Disbursed for General Budget—Continued

Charge	Superannuated Ministers' Fund Assigned	Superannuated Ministers' Fund Raised	Orphanage Assigned	Orphanage Raised	Administrative Budget Assigned	Administrative Budget Raised	General Conference Travel & Entertainment Assigned	General Conference Travel & Entertainment Raised
Atwood	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$22.75	\$22.75	\$36.40	\$36.40	\$13.65	\$13.65
Bloomfield	40.50	40.50	6.75	11.75	10.80	10.80	4.05	4.05
Bloomington								
Brazil								
Brooksbury	16.50	26.00	2.75	5.00	4.40		1.65	
Camp Taylor	45.00	45.00	7.50	7.50	12.00	12.00	4.50	4.50
Clear Fork	24.00	24.00	4.00	4.30	6.40	6.40	2.40	2.40
Elizabeth	6.00	6.00	1.00	1.00	1.60	1.60	.60	.60
Frankfort Heights	43.50	43.50	7.25	7.25	11.60	11.60	4.35	4.35
Highland Park	91.50	91.50	14.75	20.00	23.60	23.60	8.85	8.85
Holton	19.50	19.50	3.25	3.25	5.20	5.20	1.95	1.95
Hope, Indiana	33.00	33.00	5.50		8.80	8.80	3.30	3.30
Jamestown	25.50	25.50	4.25	4.25	6.80	6.80	2.55	2.55
Leavenworth	9.00	9.00	1.50	1.50	2.40	2.40	.90	.90
Lexington								
Madison	21.00	21.00	3.50	3.50	5.60	5.60	2.10	2.10
Means	21.00	21.00	3.50	3.50	5.60	5.60	2.10	2.10
Milan	43.50	43.50	8.00	28.00	10.60	10.60	4.35	4.35
Milton	15.00	15.00	2.50	2.50	4.00	4.00	1.50	1.50
Mt. Calvary	18.00	18.00	3.00	3.00	4.80	4.80	1.80	1.80
Mt. Tabor	34.50	34.50	5.75	27.88	9.20		3.45	
Mt. Zion	18.00	18.00	3.00	3.00	4.80	4.80	1.80	1.80
New Albany	30.00	30.00	5.00		8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00
Newburg								
New Shiloh	36.00	36.00	6.00	6.00	9.60	9.60	3.60	3.60
Ninth Avenue	66.00	66.00	11.00	11.00	17.60	17.60	6.60	6.60
Owensboro	30.00	30.00	5.00	5.00	8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00
Paoli	21.00	10.50	3.50		5.60		2.10	
Pekin								
Princeton								
Rock Springs	18.00	18.00	3.00	3.00	4.80	4.80	1.80	1.80
Sales Avenue	34.50	34.50	5.75	5.75	9.20	9.20	3.45	3.45
Simpson Chapel	18.00	18.00	3.00	5.69	4.80	2.00	1.80	1.80
Sylvania	15.00	15.00	2.50	2.50	4.00	4.00	1.50	1.50
Washington								
Whitehall	16.50	16.50	2.75	2.75	4.40	4.40	1.65	1.65
Winchester	39.00	39.00	6.50	11.50	10.40	10.40	3.90	3.90
Zion's Hill								
Totals	\$985.50	\$984.50	\$164.50	\$213.12	\$261.00	\$239.00	\$98.25	\$91.05

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## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item VIII. Disbursed for General Budget—Continued

Charge	General Sunday School Work Assigned	General Sunday School Work Raised	Australia Assigned	Australia Raised	W.Y.P.S. Assigned	W.Y.P.S. Raised	Total General Budget Assigned	Total General Budget Raised
Atwood	\$15.40	\$15.40	\$22.75	\$27.75	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$755.20	\$1,032.93
Bloomfield	6.20	6.20	6.75	6.75	16.00	16.00	232.80	264.71
Bloomington								
Brazil								
Brooksbury	1.90		2.75				87.70	60.00
Camp Taylor	6.90	6.90	7.50	7.50	18.00	20.32	258.90	287.62
Clear Fork	6.20	6.20	4.00	4.00	12.00	12.00	143.00	143.52
Elizabeth	2.20	2.20	1.00	1.00			33.40	33.40
Frankfort Heights	5.30	5.30	7.25	12.25	16.00	17.12	247.50	333.62
Highland Park	11.80	11.80	14.75	14.75	20.00	20.00	495.00	543.25
Holton	3.00	3.00	3.25	3.25			104.40	104.40
Hope, Indiana	4.10	4.10	5.50	5.50	4.00	4.00	179.20	171.24
Jamestown	5.00	5.00	4.25	4.25			137.60	137.60
Leavenworth	2.20	2.20	1.50	1.50			49.00	55.25
Lexington								
Madison	3.90	3.90	3.50	3.50	11.00	11.00	124.10	149.81
Means	3.60	3.60	3.50	3.50			112.80	56.90
Milan	5.20	5.20	7.25	7.25	18.00	18.00	249.15	298.41
Milton	3.00	3.00	2.50	2.50			81.00	87.75
Mt. Calvary	4.50	4.50	3.00	3.00	10.00	10.00	108.10	127.82
Mt. Tabor	6.00		5.75				185.40	93.31
Mt. Zion	3.10	3.10	3.00	3.00			96.70	57.70
New Albany	4.20	4.20	5.00	9.00	14.00	14.00	174.20	118.06
Newburg								
New Shiloh	6.20	6.20	6.00	6.00	10.00	10.00	203.40	206.91
Ninth Street	14.10	14.10	11.00	11.00	4.50	4.50	361.80	361.80
Owensboro	5.50	5.50	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	166.50	194.59
Paoli	1.60		3.50				110.80	14.00
Pekin								
Princeton								
Rock Springs	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00			96.60	99.71
Sales Avenue	5.00	5.00	5.75	5.75	10.00	10.00	194.40	194.40
Simpson Chapel	2.90		3.00	2.00			96.50	70.66
Sylvania	5.00	5.00	2.50	2.50			83.00	92.50
Washington								
Whitehall	2.50	2.50	2.75	2.75	5.00	5.00	93.30	98.99
Winchester	8.60	8.60	6.50	131.50	21.00	21.00	232.40	837.02
Zions Hill								
Totals	\$158.10	\$145.70	\$163.75	\$289.75	\$224.50	\$227.94	\$5,493.85	\$6,327.88

## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item. VIII. Disbursed for Conference Budget

Charge	President's Salary Assigned	President's Salary Raised	Pioneer Evangelism Assigned	Pioneer Evangelism Raised	Conference Work Assigned	Conference Work Raised	Camp Meeting Assigned	Camp Meeting Raised
Atwood .....	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$91.00
Bloomfield .....	27.00	27.00	27.00	27.00	27.00	27.00	27.00	27.00
Bloomington .....								
Brazil .....								
Brooksbury .....	11.00		11.00		11.00		11.00	
Camp Taylor .....	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00
Clear Fork .....	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00
Elizabeth .....	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
Frankfort Heights .....	29.00	29.00	29.00	29.00	29.00	29.00	29.00	29.00
Highland Park .....	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00
Holton .....	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00
Hope, Indiana .....	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00
Jamestown .....	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00
Leavenworth .....	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
Lexington .....								
Madison .....	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00
Means .....	14.00	13.30	14.00	14.00	14.00	7.00	14.00	7.00
Milan .....	29.00	29.00	29.00	10.00	29.00	29.00	29.00	29.00
Milton .....	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
Mt. Calvary .....	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00
Mt. Tabor .....	23.00	5.00	23.00	10.00	23.00	10.00	23.00	4.72
Mt. Zion .....	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00
New Albany .....	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
Newburg .....								
New Shiloh .....	24.00	24.00	24.00	24.00	24.00	24.00	24.00	24.00
Ninth Street .....	44.00	44.00	44.00	44.00	44.00	44.00	44.00	44.00
Owensboro .....	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
Paoli .....	14.00		14.00		14.00		14.00	
Pekin .....								
Princeton .....								
Rock Springs .....	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00
Sales Avenue .....	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00
Simpson Chapel .....	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00
Sylvania .....	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
Washington .....								
Whitehall .....	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
Winchester .....	26.00	26.00	26.00	26.00	26.00	26.00	26.00	26.00
Zions Hill .....								
Totals .....	\$655.00	\$611.30	\$655.00	\$598.00	\$655.00	\$610.00	\$655.00	\$604.72



## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item VIII. Disbursed for Conference Budget—Continued

Charge	Conference Sunday School Assigned	Conference Sunday School Raised	Sunday School Pioneer Evangelism Assigned	Sunday School Pioneer Evangelism Raised	Pastor's Tithe Assigned	Pastor's Tithe Raised
Atwood	\$7.70	\$7.70	\$189.56	\$189.56	\$364.00	\$364.00
Bloomfield	3.10	3.10	82.39	82.39	234.00	234.00
Bloomington						
Brazil						
Brooksbury	.95		15.00	15.00		
Camp Taylor	3.45	3.45	101.42	101.42	220.00	220.00
Clear Fork	3.10	3.10	84.39	84.39	208.00	208.00
Elizabeth	1.10	1.10			12.50	12.50
Frankfort Heights	2.65	2.65	60.00	60.00	208.00	208.00
Highland Park	5.90	5.90	120.13	120.13	390.00	390.00
Holton	1.50	1.50	30.92	30.92	75.00	81.00
Hope, Indiana	2.05	2.05	107.34	107.34	182.00	182.00
Jamestown	2.50	2.50			19.15	19.15
Leavenworth	1.10	1.10	35.09	35.09	78.00	78.00
Lexington						
Madison	1.95	1.95	16.00	16.00	130.00	130.00
Means	1.80	1.80	2.68	2.68	21.27	21.27
Milan	2.60	2.60	60.14	60.14	196.00	196.00
Milton	1.50	1.50	36.44	36.44	78.00	78.00
Mt. Calvary	2.25	2.25	31.93	31.93	156.00	156.00
Mt. Tabor	3.30		38.80	38.80	156.00	147.00
Mt. Zion	1.55	1.55	17.83	17.83	42.00	49.50
New Al'any	2.10	.80	26.45	26.45	156.00	156.00
Newburg						
New Shiloh	3.10	3.10	59.46	59.46	182.00	28.00
Ninth Street	7.05	7.05	80.00	80.00	315.00	315.00
Owensboro	2.75	2.75	59.31	59.31	147.00	25.87
Paoli	.80		5.70	5.70	18.40	18.40
Pekin						
Princeton						
Rock Springs	1.50	1.50	55.78	55.78	52.30	52.27
Sales Avenue	2.55	2.55			187.45	182.00
Simpson Chapel	1.45		33.58	33.58	74.00	74.00
Sylvania	2.50	2.50	53.75	53.75	108.50	30.00
Washington						
Whitehall	1.25	1.25	58.00	58.00	65.00	65.00
Winchester	4.30	4.30	120.00	120.00	207.50	207.50
Zions Hill						
Totals	\$79.40	\$71.60	\$1,582.09	\$1,582.09	\$4,283.07	\$3,928.46



## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item VIII. Disbursed for Conference Budget—Continued

Charge	Conference Entertainment Assigned	Conference Entertainment Raised	Conference Parsonage Assigned	Conference Parsonage Raised	Total Conference Budget Assigned	Total Conference Budget Raised	Total Budget Assigned	Total Budget Raised
Atwood	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$1,107.26	\$1,107.26	\$1,862.46	\$2,140.19
Bloomfield	27.00	27.00	27.00	27.00	481.49	481.49	714.29	746.20
Bloomington								
Brazil								
Brooksbury	11.00		11.00		81.95	15.00	169.65	75.00
Camp Taylor	30.00	3.00	30.00	30.00	504.87	504.87	763.77	792.49
Clear Fork	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	391.49	391.49	524.49	535.01
Elizabeth	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	37.60	37.60	71.00	71.00
Frankfort Heights	29.00	29.00	29.00	29.00	444.65	444.65	692.15	778.27
Highland Park	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	870.03	870.03	1,365.03	1,413.28
Holton	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00	185.42	191.42	289.82	295.82
Hope, Indiana	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	423.39	423.39	602.59	594.63
Jamestown	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	123.65	123.65	261.25	261.25
Leavenworth	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	150.19	150.19	199.19	205.44
Lexington								
Madison	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	231.95	231.95	356.05	381.76
Means	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	109.75	95.05	222.55	151.95
Milan	29.00	29.00	29.00	10.00	432.74	394.74	681.89	693.15
Milton	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	175.94	175.94	256.94	263.69
Mt. Calvary	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	262.18	262.18	370.28	390.00
Mt. Tabor	23.00	10.00	23.00	20.00	336.10	245.52	521.50	338.83
Mt. Zion	12.00	12.00	12.00	.75	133.38	129.63	230.08	187.33
New Albany	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	304.55	303.25	478.75	421.31
Newburg								
New Shiloh	24.00	24.00	24.00	24.00	388.56	234.56	591.96	441.47
Ninth Street	44.00	44.00	44.00	44.00	666.05	666.05	1,027.85	1,027.85
Owenstoro	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	329.06	207.93	495.56	402.52
Paoli	14.00		14.00		108.90	24.10	219.70	38.10
Pekin								
Princeton								
Rock Springs	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	181.58	181.55	278.18	281.26
Sales Avenue	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	328.00	322.55	522.40	516.95
Simpson Chapel	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	181.03	179.58	277.53	250.24
Sylvania	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	224.75	146.25	307.75	238.75
Washington								
Whitehall	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	190.25	190.25	283.55	289.24
Winchester	26.00	26.00	26.00	26.00	487.80	487.80	720.20	1,324.82
Zions Hill								
Totals	\$655.00	\$617.00	\$655.00	\$596.75	\$9,874.56	\$9,219.92	\$15,368.41	\$15,547.80

## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Item IX. Disbursed for Benevolences								
Charge	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Orphanage	Conference Work	W.Y.P.S.	Other Objects	Total for Benevolences
Atwood .....	\$1,159.50	\$171.48	\$85.00	\$55.00	\$15.00		\$461.91	\$1,947.95
Bloomfield .....	117.75	7.00		36.00	19.30		74.99	255.04
Bloomington .....								
Brazil .....								
Brooksbury .....	35.00						24.00	59.00
Camp Taylor .....	291.74	17.25				\$52.60	16.31	377.90
Clear Fork .....	90.00	12.00			50.00			152.00
Elizabeth .....							85.17	85.17
Frankfort Heights .....		18.85		5.00		32.22	88.88	144.95
Highland Park .....	68.12	21.12		10.00		64.33	158.51	322.08
Holton .....			30.00				59.08	89.08
Hope, Indiana .....	125.00	5.20		25.00		5.00	73.04	233.24
Jamestown .....	25.73	3.70	5.00	7.00		4.10	75.00	120.53
Leavenworth .....	89.50	22.50					27.48	130.48
Lexington .....							2,975.00	2,975.00
Madison .....	35.34	12.33		12.33			86.77	146.77
Means .....	100.00	5.00						105.00
Milan .....	335.46					36.00	672.56	1,044.02
Milton .....	27.00						24.00	51.00
Mt. Calvary .....	100.00			12.50	41.60	12.50	18.00	184.60
Mt. Tabor .....	2.50	5.00		6.95			44.33	58.78
Mt. Zion .....	50.00							50.00
New Albany .....	65.75	15.50	2.03	6.00		33.58	12.00	135.86
Newburg .....								
New Shiloh .....	20.00		3.00			23.75		46.75
Ninth Street .....	22.50			8.21			90.00	120.71
Owensboro .....								
Paoli .....							15.00	15.00
Pekin .....	7.50						165.69	173.19
Princeton .....								
Rock Springs .....							215.00	215.00
Sales Avenue .....	5.00	5.00			2.47	2.47	168.32	183.26
Simpson Chapel .....		9.70	2.00	2.00	12.00			25.70
Sylvania .....	170.00					9.75	122.70	302.45
Washington .....	9.00	5.52			32.00		52.24	98.76
Whitehall .....	13.44	7.00	3.00	2.57		5.00	69.13	100.14
Winchester .....	35.53	20.00		12.10		201.25	452.70	721.58
Zions Hill .....								
Totals .....	\$2,993.42	\$364.15	\$130.03	\$200.66	\$172.37	\$482.55	\$6,327.81	\$10,670.99



## STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

## Item X. Disbursed Totals

Charge	Total for Pastor	Total for Church	Total for Budget	Total for Benevolences	Total for All Purposes
Atwood	\$4,335.75	\$9,103.41	\$2,140.19	\$1,947.95	\$17,527.30
Bloomfield	2,783.07	2,235.57	746.20	255.04	6,019.88
Bloomington	703.00	274.84			977.84
Brazil					
Brooksbury	978.95	400.98	75.00	59.00	1,513.93
Camp Taylor	2,643.00	2,365.46	792.49	377.90	6,178.85
Clear Fork	2,486.00	2,105.43	535.01	152.00	5,278.44
Elizabeth	137.00	638.20	71.00	85.17	931.37
Frankfort Heights	2,795.00	1,912.58	778.27	144.95	5,630.80
Highland Park	5,654.52	7,266.72	1,413.28	322.08	14,656.60
Holton	982.55	774.97	295.82	89.08	2,142.42
Hope, Indiana	2,425.00	1,865.56	594.63	233.24	5,118.43
Jamestown	932.00	750.20	261.25	120.53	2,063.98
Leavenworth	923.44	493.26	205.44	130.48	1,752.62
Lexington	6,625.00	8,640.00		2,975.00	18,240.00
Madison	2,050.00	1,245.41	381.76	146.77	3,823.94
Means			151.95	105.00	256.95
Milan	2,464.19	2,793.90	693.15	1,044.02	6,995.26
Milton	1,066.65	1,038.62	263.69	51.00	2,419.96
Mt. Calvary	2,066.72	954.99	390.00	184.60	3,596.31
Mt. Tabor	2,247.73	860.43	338.83	58.78	3,505.77
Mt. Zion	505.00	855.26	187.33	50.00	1,597.59
New Albany	1,804.13	1,244.94	421.31	135.86	3,606.24
Newburg					
New Shiloh	3,240.00	1,161.05	441.47	46.75	4,889.27
Ninth Street	5,271.20	9,497.09	1,027.85	120.71	15,916.85
Owensboro	2,069.92	2,510.96	402.52		4,983.40
Paoli	624.00	190.28	38.10	15.00	867.38
Pekin	1,369.81	334.04		173.19	1,877.04
Princeton	722.00	2,011.02			2,733.02
Rock Springs	1,509.55	429.60	281.26	215.00	2,435.41
Sales Avenue	1,886.00	1,372.60	516.95	183.26	3,958.81
Simpson Chapel	1,138.14	428.64	250.24	25.70	1,842.72
Sylvania	1,671.00	1,950.32	238.75	302.45	4,162.52
Washington	1,353.00	596.37		98.76	2,048.13
Whitehall	1,160.25	621.21	289.24	100.14	2,170.84
Winchester	3,138.92	1,824.69	1,324.82	721.58	7,010.01
Zions Hill	588.00	101.52			689.52
Totals	\$72,350.49	\$70,850.12	\$15,547.80	\$10,670.99	\$169,419.40

C. L. Blanchard,  
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Minutes  
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# Woman's Missionary Society

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Madison—Wanda Reynolds  
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Paoli—Kathleen Grunden  
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Milan—Lillian Schermer, Milan, Ind.  
Milton—Hallie Wright, Milton, Kentucky, R. 1  
Mt. Calvary—Hulda Hamilton, R. 4, Bloomfield, Ind.  
Mt. Tabor—Grace Harmon, R. 3, Milton, Ky.  
New Albany—Hazel Flora, W. 4th & Spring Sts., New Albany, Ind.

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 Paoli—Amanda Burgess, Paoli, Ind.  
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 Winchester—Katherine Mays, 146 Winn Ave., Winchester, Ky.

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Atwood—Faye Newman  
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 Clear Fork—Minnie Bruce  
 Frankfort Heights—Tempie Weaver  
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 Jamestown—Inez Golding  
 Leavenworth—Brittie Myers  
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 Milton—  
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 Mt. Tabor—  
 New Albany—Nora Wright  
 New Shiloh—Eva Swartz  
 Ninth Street—Hazel Cockerel  
 Owensboro—Lula Hagen  
 Paoli—Amanda Burgess  
 Rock Springs—Leafie Crawford  
 Sale Avenue—Bertha Johnson  
 Simpson Chapel—Kathleen Grunden  
 Sylvania—Elloyd Workman  
 Washington—Velma Winters  
 Whitehall—Norma Brown  
 Winchester—Walker Duncan

# Journal of Daily Proceedings

The Thirty-second session of the Woman's Missionary Society convened in the Tabernacle on the campground, Buechel, Kentucky, August 3, 1954.

## First Meeting, Tuesday 11:15 a.m.

The session was opened by Winnie Rothrock leading us in singing, "He Brought Me Out." Devotions were by Marie Clement, who spoke from Acts 11:24, emphasizing, "Being Filled with the Holy Ghost." Prayer was offered by Gwendolyn Blanchard. June Jones favored us with a special solo, "All Things in Jesus."

The Committee on Credentials presented a report.

The roll call was answered by 6 Conference Officials, 7 Presidents, and 19 Delegates. The new presidents were seated in the absence of the retiring presidents.

A motion was passed for Gwendolyn Blanchard to appoint a delegate in the absence of the delegate from her society.

The Conference Bar was set as the first five rows of benches and the platform.

The report of the Nominating Committee was read and accepted, (See Report No. 1).

A motion carried to accept the resignation of Esther Hunter as Chairman on Courtesy, and the vacancy was referred back to the Nominating Committee.

A motion was made to adjourn and we sang the Doxology as the benediction.

## Second Meeting, Wednesday 12:45 p. m.

At the call of the Chair, the session opened by singing, "My Jesus, I Love Thee," led by Helen Fossit. Prayer was offered by Ellen Logsdon. A duet, "Willing am I," was sung by Dorothy Via and Mary Nally.

Credentials of additional delegates were presented and the roll call was answered by 16 conference officials, 13 presidents, and 21 delegates.

The minutes were read and approved.

Dr. William F. McConn, president of Marion College, explained the Foreign Student Aid Fund program, and pledge cards were distributed for the Marion College Honorary membership for this purpose.

Rev. Harry Sension of Wheelrim Mission was presented to the conference and he spoke briefly of the work there.

Dismissed with prayer by Lillian Budensiek.



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**Third Meeting, Wednesday 3:30 p. m.**

Mary McGraw opened the session by leading the congregation in singing, "Revive Us Again." Reland Key led devotions reading from Acts 17:35 as a basis for her comments on "Believing God." Our hearts were blessed as Martha Pierce and Mary McGraw sang, "Sweeter Than Them All."

By common consent the roll call and reading of the minutes were disbursed.

The President read her annual report and it was accepted, (See Report No. 2). A rising vote of thanks was extended to our faithful president for her services the past year.

Rev. F. R. Eddy gave a brief insight of the work at the Publishing House, and spoke on the importance of WESLEYAN MISSIONARY in the local societies.

Ellen Logsdon and our president's new joy, Gary Michael, were presented to the conference.

A reading survey of the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY was taken by the president.

The W.M.S. and the Y.M.W.B. Workshops were announced for Thursday.

Thanks was expressed by Eunice Hook and Ruby Keith for the prayers and cards from the conference.

Ada Baumgartel was elected Chairman of Plan of Work because of Dorothy Via's resignation.

Dismissed by Dorothy Via offering prayer.

**Fourth Meeting, Thursday 8:00 a. m.**

The W.M.S. Workshop was opened with prayer by Florence Boston.

Mrs. Ralph Coleson was introduced to the body and she spoke about the medical work in India. Missionary Equipment Foot of Dime strips and instructions were given to each society.

Ideas for day missionary meeting activities were presented

Instructions for filling out quarterly and annual report blanks were given by the treasurer, Martha Pierce

It was suggested that local solicitors send quarterly reports to the conference solicitor

**Fifth Meeting, Thursday 10:50 a. m.**

The congregation singing of "Blessed Assurance" was conducted by Helen Fossit. The devotional lesson was by Mrs. Ralph Coleson, who spoke from the Twenty-sixth Psalm. Gwendolyn Blanchard led the group in prayer. The special song, "Lord, Give Me a Vision" by Helen and Ruthie Fossit was appreciated greatly.



The minutes were read and approved and the roll call was answered by 8 conference officials, 11 presidents, and 22 delegates

The Auditing Committee gave the report and it was adopted. (See Report No. 3).

The report of the Plan of Work was read and adopted, (See Report No. 4)

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was read and adopted, (See Report No. 5).

The Treasurer's report was read and accepted, (See Report No. 6). A rising vote of thanks was given our efficient treasurer.

The Y.M.W.B. Supt. read the Statistical report, (See Report No. 15), the Y.M.W.B. Plan of Work report, (See Report No. 7), and the Y.M.W.B. Standard of Efficiency, (See Report No. 8) and the reports were accepted.

The report of the Prayer Partner Secretary was read and accepted, (See Report No. 9).

The Corresponding Secretary gave a report and it was accepted, (See Report No. 10).

Recessed for lunch. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Ralph Coleson.

#### **Sixth Meeting, Thursday 12:45 p. m.**

The Y.M.W.B. Workshop was conducted by Lillian Budensiek, who gave information and interesting ideas for the local bands.

#### **Seventh Meeting, Thursday 2:30 p. m.**

The devotional period opened by singing, "Count Your Blessings." Ethel Olds, Home Missionary to Means, Kentucky, spoke from Acts 12: 18, using the theme, "Friends, We Must See Jesus." Prayer was by Dorothy Basham, after which Ernest Schermer rendered a vocal solo, "Supper Time."

The roll call and reading of the minutes were disbursed.

The Order of the Day was the election of officers.

Faye Newman, Walker Duncan, Lillian Schermer, and Wanda Reynolds were appointed as tellers.

The election resulted as follows:

President—Lerada Walker

Vice President—Gwendolyn Blanchard

Secretary—Dorothy Basham

Treasurer—Martha Pierce

Y. M.W.B. Supt.—Lillian Budensiek

Corresponding Secretary—Dorothy Via

Mission Study Secretary—Dorothy Via

Prayer Partner Secretary—Evelyn Kendall

Conference Solicitor—Inez Golding

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General Conference Delegate—Evelyn Kendall

Alternate Delegate—Martha Pierce

A motion was carried to nominate and elect district chairmen from the floor.

The following were nominated and elected as District Chairmen:

Viona Bright—Bloomington District

Florence Boston—Frankfort Heights District

Ellen Logsdon—Louisville District

Wanda Reynolds—Madison District

Reland Key—New Albany District

Kathleen Grunden—Paoli District

June Jones—Winchester District

The Mission Study Secretary read her report and it was accepted, (See Report No. 11).

Adjourned by motion. Kathleen Grunden dismissed with prayer.

### Public Meeting, Thursday 7:00 p.m.

Home Missions Service

A round table discussion of the Missionary Work in the Kentucky Mountains was given by Rev. and Claytons Hayes, Esther Sniffin, Ethel Olds, Christene Pagett, and Ethel VanCise.

### Thursday 7:30 p. m.

The service opened by Helen Fossit leading the congregation in singing, "Stepping in the Light," and "Send the Light." Prayer was by Robert Pelton.

The Y.M.W.B. Supt. presented awards to the following bands: Concord, Milan, Ninth Street, Owensboro, and West Frankfort. Mrs. Ralph Coleson modeled and explained the costume of the Women of India, and showed a replica of the Indian house. The Coleson Family sang several songs in Gujarati accompanied by native instruments.

Ernest Schermer rendered a saxophone solo, "Jesus Alone" for offertory. Helen Fossit sang a solo "The Voice of the Master."

Rev. Ralph Coleson was the guest speaker. He spoke on "World Evangelism" using the following questions as a basis for his message:

1. Is it our duty as Christians to evangelize the world?
2. Do we really want to evangelize the world?
3. How can we evangelize the world?
4. What will it cost for the evangelism of the world?
5. What will you do personally about evangelizing the world?

Pledges were received for the annual missionary project, which is the Field Support for Rev. and Mrs. Malcolm Ellis in Africa. The pledges



totaled \$1070.00 for this project, and \$100.00 was received for Cuba.

Dismissed with prayer by Dorothy Basham.

**Ninth Meeting, Friday 11:00 a m.**

Helen Fossit led the group in singing, "Anywhere, O Lord, with Thee," and we had special prayer around the altar for the Home Missionaries in Kentucky.

The roll was called and the minutes were read and approved.

The Memorial Committee read the names of those who have been graduated from this life during the year. (See Report No. 12) Special mention was made of their lives and service to God.

The Corresponding Secretary was instructed to send greetings to Ruby Toler and Mrs. Henry Taylor from the conference.

The report of the Committee on Posters was read and accepted, (See Report No. 13)

The Statistical Committee read the report and it was accepted. (See Report No. 16)

The Report of the Finance Committee was read and accepted. (See Report No. 14)

A motion carried that the Y.M.W.B Supt. be sent to General Conference, and that her expenses be paid from the conference treasury.

The final reading of the minutes was approved.

Adjourned by motion. Ruth Douglas offered the closing prayer.

# Reports

## Report No. 1

### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The Nominating Committee of the Kentucky Conference Woman's Missionary Society met August 2, 1954, and wish to recommend the following:

1. Resolutions—Gwendolyn Blanchard, Chairman; Lorine Hayes, Rosalind Kirby.
2. Finance—Martha Pierce, Chairman; Opal Caplinger
3. Statistics—Inez Golding, Chairman; Lillian Budensiek
4. Plan of Work—Dorothy Via, Chairman; Anna Belcher, Tempie Weaver
5. Auditors—Lillian Schermer, Chairman; Florence Boston
6. Reporter—Ellen Logsdon
7. Devotional Chairman—Walker Duncan
8. Memorials—Bertha Johnson
9. Posters—Winnie Rothrock, Chairman; Emma Merrilees, Florence Hayes
10. Courtesy—Esther Hunter, Chairman; Mary McGraw
11. Y.M.W.B. Workshop—Lillian Budensiek
12. W.M.S. Workshop—Lerada Walker, Chairman, Martha Pierce, Dorothy Basham
13. Chorister—Helen Fossit
14. Pianist—June Jones

Lerada Walker, Chairman  
Gwendolyn Blanchard,  
Dorothy Basham,  
Martha Pierce,  
Lillian Budensiek.

## Report No. 2

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Sisters of the Kentucky Conference W.M.S.

Greeting in the name of our Lord Jesus! We are convening to report the advances made during our General W.M.S. Golden Jubilee Year, and to lay some definite plans for the coming year. Our hearts are bowed in gratitude to Him who has helped us to make the greatest progress in our history.

We enjoyed the fall conventions with the Rev. J. L. Landrey, missionary to India. The attendance was good, and the finance received was very gratifying. Pledges were applied on automotive money for the Rev. and

Mrs. Ralph J. Coleson who are returning to India, in September, and to pay for a well at the Dhagadmar Leper Colony.

This year Kentucky Conference was privileged to help Rev. and Mrs. Malcolm Ellis prepare to go to Africa. The churches in Louisville co-operated in a splendid manner by supplying various personal articles, and the churches through-out the conference responded in supplying the finance needed for their transportation and vericle. Most of this money was raised in the spring conventions by Rev. Misses Lois E. Richardson and Carrie M. Hazzard. Their ministry to us was a great blessing. Appreciation is due Mrs. C. L. Blanchard, our Vice President who assisted so ably in planning for these conventions.

The W.M.S. Executive Committee met in November to discuss various items of business. We agreed and have paid to date the salary support for the children of Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Barnett, missionaries to Haiti.

Our Home Missionaries in Kentucky and orphan children at the Hephzibah Home were remembered with gifts at Christmas time from our local societies.

We are happy to welcome this year, the Junior and Senior Missionary Societies of the new Wesleyan Church at Lexington Kentucky into our conference.

I have received \$78.85 from the Treasurer for expense and offering. I have sent 121 letters and cards, nine articles for the **Kentucky Conference Messenger**, attended three District Conventions, and met five times with the Conference Mission Board.

Let us not forget to pray for those who have gone from our midst to answer the call of God in carrying the Gospel to those who have never heard. We will go forward if we pray, sacrifice and mind God.

Humbly submitted,  
Lerada Walker, President

#### Report No. 3

#### AUDITING COMMITTEE

The books of the W.M.S. Treasurer and the Treasurer's books of the Y.M.W.B. Supt. have been audited and found to be correct.

Lillian Schermer  
Florence Boston

#### Report No. 4

#### PLAN OF THE WORK

##### I. Home Work

1. We recommend that each local society contribute liberally to



the General Home Fund for the support of Special Missions (See the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY) and Church Extension Work through the Home Mission Department.

2. We recommend that each local society contribute five dollars or more annually for the support of the Hephzibah Orphanage, the same to be applied on budget.

3. Thank-offering boxes are designed especially for Home Missions. Therefore, we recommend their use in raising Home Missionary Funds.

4. We recommend that local societies inquire into the needs of the Home Mission stations and orphanage before sending used clothing and that no monetary value be placed on same; that such boxes be reported merely as number sent; that boxes of new merchandise be reported to monetary value and that the sending society evaluate same, the voucher of evaluation signed by the missionary be forwarded to the Conference Missionary Treasurer for proper receipting.

5. We recommend and urge each local society to respond to the Card Call Plan and thus assist in the extension program of the Church.

6. We recommend the observance of Educational Harvest Day with program and contributions of cash; the cash to apply on the educational budget.

## II. Foreign Work

We recommend:

1. That we continue to co-operate with the Foreign Missionary Secretary in the support of missionaries to the fields of Africa, India, South America, China, Japan, Haiti, Puerto Rico, Formosa, and our entire foreign missionary program.

2. That we forward promptly all Sunday school charts, cards and flannelgraph material to our foreign mission fields, remembering to enclose the charts in their original pasteboard rolls.

3. That we contribute as the needs are presented toward the furnishings of the Missionary Home in Jersey City.

4. That we contribute as the needs are presented toward the Women's Institute of Africa.

## III. Medical Missions

We recommend:

That we continue medical work as heretofore for the foreign fields thus:

1. That our local societies make bandages and that these be forwarded promptly to the Missionary Home, 32 Bergen Ave., Jersey City, New Jersey, to await outgoing missionaries, the number of pounds to be reported with no value attached.

2. That each local society render an annual program at which time an offering shall be taken for the support of medical missions.

3. That each local society contribute three dollars or more annually to the Medical Student Fund, not to apply on budget.

#### IV. Literature

We recommend:

1. Since it is essential, in order to sustain active interest in missionary work, that every member read the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY. To accomplish this, let each Conference elect a conference solicitor and two district solicitors and let the local society elect an efficient magazine solicitor.
2. That we promote the Mission Study and Reading Course; the use of the Study Book designated each year with Program Calendars and other helps.
3. Since posters emphasize truth and tend to create missionary knowledge, zeal and activity, that such be prepared frequently for use in missionary meetings, convention and conference.

#### V. Devotional

We recommend:

1. That we carefully observe the Monthly Prayer requests in the Wesleyan Missionary Magazine and other special requests as presented.
2. That the monthly missionary day be observed as prayer and fast day for missions and that April be observed as self-denial month.
3. That the Prayer Partner Circles be promoted in each society: making use of new prayer partner reminders and that reports be sent to General Conference Prayer Partner Secretary before January 1.
4. That stress be placed on Personal Evangelism in our own communities.
5. That local and district programs be planned in behalf of the evangelization of the Jews and that regular offerings be taken for that purpose and sent to the Conference Treasurer.

#### VI. Local Church Work

We recommend:

1. That each society pay twenty-five cents per member to our Conference Treasurer as our offering for our Conference President.
2. That the President's traveling expenses be paid from the Conference Treasury except those concurring out of the annual tour of the Conference which are to be paid by the churches visited.
3. That the offering for the special project be above budget, and that the offering be for the field support of Rev. and Mrs. Malcolm Ellis.
4. That each society raise \$1.00 per member or an offering be taken to the equivalent thereof, to be used as a fund for building a missionary cottage, and that this be raised as soon after Conference as possible.



**Standard of Efficiency for Local Society**

We recommend:

1. That arrangements be made with the pastor for one missionary prayer meeting each month.
2. That a minimum of ten meetings be held during the year in which prayer is given prominent place and business is transacted (5%), and at least one public meeting (5%).
3. We recommend the formation of prayer partner circles in each society with a Prayer Partner Secretary to keep record of the same and report to the Conference Prayer Secretary; the same to be sent at least sixty days after the setting of Annual Conference.
4. That the President, Secretary, Treasurer, and 75 percent of the active membership be subscribers to the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY.
5. That a Solicitor be elected for the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY, gaining not less than two subscriptions a year.
6. That a Delegate be elected to the Annual Conference Woman's Missionary Society (5%), and that the Delegate be instructed by local society regarding the amount to be pledged by that society at the Annual Conference Session (5%).
7. That the dues \$1.00 per member be sent directly to the Conference Treasurer, 50% of which shall be divided by her as specified and applied on budget, (5%); and that all monies and vouchers be sent to the Conference Treasurer at least quarterly, (5%).
8. That we secure every woman in the Church as a member of the society, or bring about a ten per cent gain in total membership.
9. That each local society pay annually an amount equal to 25¢ per active member to be used as a general administrative fund, not to apply on budget.
10. That the Efficiency Standard be read in the society at least once a year.

(Ten per cent credit shall be given for each of the above items, and all societies making a grade of eighty per cent shall be placed on the Honor Roll.)

Ada Baumgartel,  
Temple Weaver.

**Report No. 5****COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS**

We, the Committee on Resolutions, submit the following report.

We praise the Lord for the president of our missionary society and her leadership which has enlarged our vision.

Resolved:

1. That our members pray for revival in the home and foreign fields,



especially where the doors are closing in foreign lands to religious freedom.

2. That our women set before youth the godly example of a consistent Christian life evidenced by deep spirituality, a passion for the lost, prevailing prayer and modesty in dress and action.

3. That personal evangelism and study of the word of God be a daily part of our lives and thus set an example to our youth.

4. That special emphasis in our programs be placed on evangelism among the Jewish people, and also on the aid given to foreign students in Marion College.

5. Whereas some churches do not have a vision for Home Missions in remote places and whereas our mission stations in the Kentucky mountains are in great need of financial help and prayer, be it resolved that the missionary societies in our Conference give special attention to mission stations in Kentucky.

6. That each society be assigned a Home Mission Station to which gifts are to be sent at Christmas time. (Mail them by December 15).

7. That the local treasurer's books close on July 10th, and the Conference Treasurer's books close July 15th. Any money received after this date shall be counted on the following year.

8. That we send boxes of renovated second hand clothing and food stuff to our Home Mission stations where they are wanted.

9. That each society remember the assigned orphan at Christmas and on his birthday.

10. That all special projects be above budget and reported as such.

11. That Thursday of Conference be designated as Missionary Day to take care of the election of officers, etc.

12. That the Executive Committee act as the Nominating Committee.

13. That the new presidents be seated in the absence of the retiring presidents.

14. That these resolutions be read in either a public service or a monthly missionary meeting.

Gwendolyn Blanchard, Chairman;  
Lorine Hayes,  
Rosalind Kirby.

#### Report No. 6

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance from last year .....	\$184.84
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#### Receipts

Total from W.M.S. ....	\$4526.94
Total from Individuals .....	1419.00

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Public Missionary Offering .....	53.83
District Offerings .....	75.00
W.Y.P.S. ....	5.00

Total Receipts for the year .....	\$6079.77
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GRAND TOTAL .....	\$6264.61
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## Disbursements

General Home .....	\$462.83
Australia—Budget and Highett Church .....	40.39
Support for Barnett Children .....	147.13
Well at Leper Colony .....	228.98
Hephzibah .....	110.17
General Foreign .....	651.68
Africa—Hospital and Budget .....	103.95
Formosa .....	1.60
Haiti—Pledges Above Budget .....	271.75
India—Landrey Tour .....	94.00
Japan .....	41.00
South America .....	3.30
Jewish Work .....	67.78
Education .....	151.98
Medical Student .....	11.03
Membership Dues (General Fund) .....	124.82
Administrative Fund .....	39.25
Australia Pledges .....	432.85
Puerto Rico Church .....	54.47
Official Expense .....	90.32
Miscellaneous .....	111.30
Coleson's Car .....	17.02
H. & R. tour for Ellises .....	2681.34

Total Disbursements .....	\$5938.94
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Balance on Hand .....	325.67
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GRAND TOTAL .....	\$6264.61
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## 1954 Balance divided as follows

Conference Treasury .....	\$35.04
Kitchen Sink .....	24.50
Workers Cottage Fund .....	266.13

Grand Total .....	\$325.67
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Martha Pierce



## Report No. 7

## Y.M.W.B. PLAN OF WORK

1. The W.M.S. shall elect the Y.M.W.B. Superintendent in July. Her duties shall begin August 1.

2. Send all money raised by the Y.M.W.B. to your conference superintendent (Mrs. Lillian Budensick, 4206 Landess St., Marion, Ind.). BUT MAKE OUT ALL CHECKS AND MONEY ORDERS TO MRS. AILEEN SHEA, HOUGHTON, N. Y.

3. Each band is assessed one cent per member, based on the membership reported at Conference in August, 1954, for the conference superintendent's desk expense. Send this amount to your conference superintendent in 3-cent stamps by October 15, 1954.

4. The November offering is for Home Missions.

5. The May offering is for Education.

6. We recommend that the material sent out by Mrs. Aileen Shea be used in the monthly services.

7. Let every LOCAL SUPERINTENDENT urge our children to tithe and pray that other children may know Jesus as their Saviour.

8. Let each Local Superintendent bring postors and other ideas to the annual workshop.

9. Be sure and send in each quarterly report not later than the 15th of October, January, and April.

10. At the close of the 4th quarter, the Local Superintendent's books shall close the 10th of July; the Conference Superintendent's books shall close the 15th of July.

## Report No. 8

## STANDARD OF EFFICIENCY FOR Y.M.W.B.

Let us emphasize the work of the Y.M.W.B. and take great care in training our children and encouraging our Youth by interesting them in mission study. We urge that each band adopt the Standard of Efficiency.

1. Held twelve or more band services. The value of prayer, God's Word and personal service were stressed. 10%

2. Held one public service during the year. 10%

3. Sent in funds quarterly or oftener. 10%

4. Used mite boxes, envelopes, membership cards or some other systematic method for gathering in of dues and offerings. 10%

5. The Superintendent of the Band a reader of the WESLEYAN MISSIONARY. 10%

6. Had an increase in membership. 5%



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7. Had an increase in funds raised. 5%
8. Sent in an offering for Home Missions. 10%
9. Sent in an offering for Education. 10%
10. Sent one cent per member to Conference Superintendent as desk fund. (Does not count on annual report.) 10%
11. Sent in the annual report on time. (That is, to the Conference Superintendent two weeks before Conference opens or at other time she may designate.) 10%

## Report No. 9

## PRAYER PARTNER REPORT

Number of Prayer Partner Circles .....	18
Number of Prayer Partners .....	313
Total Number of Missionaries Chosen:	
Home .....	163
Foreign .....	406
Number of Y.M.W.B. Prayer Partners ....	33

Evelyn Kendall

## Report No. 10

## CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT

I mailed a card to each Society urging them to remember the assigned orphan at Christmas. I made credentials and with them sent a letter to each Missionary President asking them to pray for our on coming Conference and Camp. I also ordered the Missionary Literature for the book store.

Dorothy Via

## Report No. 11

## MISSION STUDY SECRETARY'S REPORT

I had a number of Program Calendars mailed to the societies desiring them. I have also written a number of letters answering questions to the best of my ability.

Dorothy Via

## Report No. 12

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

We wish to honor the following names of those who have passed

from this life awaiting the Resurrection Morning:

Bloomfield—Faye Dixon (Last Charter Member)

Brooksbury—Madeline McKay

Highland Park—Maude Wright

Sylvania—Julia Hamlin

Bertha Johnson

### Report No. 13

#### COMMITTEE ON POSTERS

1. Posters should be made on cardboard—size 22" x 28". They should be readable from the audience, artistic, inspirational and educational concerning missions.

2. They may be either original or built-up posters.

3. We suggest that each church have a contest between the W.M.S., Y.M.W.B., and W.Y.P.S. on posters, and that they be brought to Annual Conference next year

4. At the Annual Conference a first, second and third prize will be given.

5. There were eleven posters on display in 1954. Pat Miller from Mt. Calvary Church received first prize. Dorothy Via from the Highland Park Church received second prize.

Signed: Winnie Rothrock,  
Emma Merriless,  
Florence Hayes.

### Report No. 14

#### FINANCE COMMITTEE

We, the Committee on Finance, recommend that \$32.56 be drawn from the Conference Treasury for Rev. and Mrs. Ralph J. Coleson's travel expense and offering, leaving a balance of \$2.48.

We recommend that \$15.00 be paid to subsidize the Conference Messenger at a later date.

Martha Pierce,  
Opal Caplinger.



Report No. 15  
Y.M.W.B. STATISTICAL REPORT

Name of Band	Active Members	Honorary Members	Meetings	Efficiency Standard %	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Special Projects (Credit)	Total (Band Credit)	Non-Credit Total	Grand Total
Bloomfield .....	19	6	12	90	\$31.48	\$6.00	\$9.26	\$12.00	\$58.74	\$8.28	\$67.02
Clear Fork .....	14	9	12	90	21.22	5.00	5.00	.....	39.22	.25	39.47
Concord .....	8	10	12	100	26.64	8.39	2.00	.....	37.03	.36	37.39
Hope, Indiana .....	30	10	4	70	40.64	17.50	22.50	.....	80.64	1.59	82.23
Hope, Ky. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	.....	10.00	.....	10.00
Leavenworth .....	4	3	10	80	8.15	1.50	1.50	.....	11.15	.36	11.51
Louisville, Atwood .....	38	110	12	85	101.98	24.91	6.50	61.23	194.62	1.90	196.52
Louisville, Camp Taylor .....	12	16	49	85	28.68	2.00	1.26	7.07	39.01	3.00	42.01
Louisville, Highland Park .....	20	.....	30	60	35.50	5.00	.....	.....	38.50	2.00	40.50
Louisville, Ninth Street .....	11	13	12	100	27.25	3.39	2.00	.....	32.64	.21	32.85
Louisville, Sales Avenue .....	12	9	.....	.....	15.15	2.00	2.00	.....	19.15	.39	19.54
Madison .....	6	.....	10	60	9.83	.....	.....	.....	9.83	.....	9.83
Milan .....	21	36	12	100	31.62	10.00	6.00	10.00	57.62	1.45	59.07
Mt. Calvary .....	4	.....	12	.....	7.38	.....	.....	.....	7.38	.....	7.38
Mt. Tabor .....	13	9	12	75	7.31	2.12	.22	.....	9.65	1.65	11.30
New Albany .....	15	10	12	80	16.84	.47	1.06	2.10	20.47	.27	20.74
New Shiloh .....	23	3	9	70	30.47	4.04	3.00	.....	37.51	.33	37.84
Owensboro .....	14	11	12	100	17.16	8.65	7.65	4.45	37.91	.15	38.06
Pekin .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.50	.....	.....	.....	7.50	.....	7.50
Simpson Chapel .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19.20	1.35	.27	8.36	29.18	.24	29.42
Sylvania .....	10	.....	10	20	5.80	.....	.....	.....	5.80	.....	5.80
West Frankfort .....	17	17	12	100	34.40	16.04	5.50	.....	55.94	2.50	58.44
Whitehall .....	.....	17	12	80	13.44	7.00	3.00	.....	23.44	.21	23.65
Winchester .....	31	38	12	90	74.27	5.00	3.00	.....	83.15	.78	85.93
Mrs. Davidson Gift .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	2.00	.....	2.00
Conference Offering .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34.22	.....	34.22
Totals .....	322	326	278	1535	\$624.91	\$133.36	\$84.60	\$105.21	\$982.30	\$25.92	\$1,008.22



Report No. 16  
W.M.S. STATISTICAL REPORT

Membership and Receipts

Name of Society	Active Members	Honorary Members	Gain Members	Loss Members	Total No. Meetings Held	Wesleyan Missionarys taken	Efficiency Standard Rank %	Membership Dues	Offerings
Atwood	45	14	...	5	14	27	65	\$49.00	\$1,384.66
Bloomfield	22	3	7	...	24	12	...	22.36	228.22
Brooksbury	5	3	5	7	5	...	...	8.00	75.00
Clear Fork	16	...	5	...	14	9	...	16.00	117.40
Camp Taylor	20	2	3	22	21	85	...	22.00	85.86
Frankfort Heights	12	2	2	12	9	80	15.00	200.22	
Highland Park	30	14	...	1	14	9	85	44.50	387.76
Hope	16	...	2	12	4	70	16.00	30.51	
Jamestown	15	...	5	10	10	75	15.00	52.50	
Leavenworth	7	...	...	14	5	...	7.00	127.25	
Lexington	20	...	20	...	15	...	20.00	...	
Madison	14	...	2	12	...	...	13.75	86.70	
Milan	24	15	1	26	12	70	39.00	472.82	
Milton	15	3	11	13	5	...	18.50	75.00	
Mount Calvary	10	3	1	30	8	90	13.00	32.75	
Mount Tabor	5	...	3	14	3	...	5.00	31.29	
New Albany	17	...	6	13	7	55	17.30	98.28	
New Shiloh	7	...	3	9	9	85	7.00	307.40	
Ninth Street	17	6	7	13	14	85	23.25	54.53	
Owensboro	17	2	7	28	8	...	19.50	130.17	
Paoli	5	2	...	6	5	...	7.00	14.75	
Rock Springs	4	1	...	15	1	...	5.50	53.29	
Sales Avenue	7	2	...	6	4	...	10.90	140.56	
Simpson Chapel	6	...	...	12	6	80	6.00	40.38	
Sylvania	10	...	5	13	8	...	11.00	36.85	
Washington	6	1	1	12	2	...	7.00	32.00	
Whitehall	12	4	...	25	9	100	16.00	89.54	
Winchester	17	4	...	9	12	19	90	21.00	545.34
Totals	401	82	65	55	402	246	...	\$475.56	\$4,930.94

## W.M.S. STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Name of Society	Receipts					
	From Labor	Voucher Receipts	Other Sources	Administrative Fund	Total Receipts for Year	Old Balance from Last Year
Atwood		\$155.00			\$1,588.66	\$1,588.66
Bloomfield		250.00		\$2.00	255.08	255.08
Brooksbury		12.00			95.00	95.00
Clear Fork		29.00			162.40	\$2.35
Camp Taylor		55.50	245.99		409.35	.91
Frankfort Heights					215.22	215.22
Highland Park		25.00			457.26	9.54
Hope			105.00		151.00	21.83
Jamestown		8.50	29.83		106.03	106.03
Leavenworth					134.25	1.62
Lexington			159.25		179.25	179.25
Madison		46.00	35.00		181.45	181.45
Milan					511.82	12.38
Milton					93.50	93.50
Mount Calvary	\$57.75	10.00	100.00	2.50	216.00	216.00
Mount Tabor					36.29	1.68
New Albany		6.00			121.58	121.58
New Shiloh		18.32	16.08		348.80	.01
Ninth Street	41.00	8.21	15.01		142.00	142.00
Owensboro		15.00			164.67	12.19
Paoli					21.75	21.75
Rock Springs					58.79	58.79
Sales Avenue		40.00			191.46	191.46
Simpson Chapel		104.98	5.00	1.50	157.86	157.86
Sylvania		50.07			97.92	97.92
Washington					39.00	39.00
Whitehall		17.10		4.00	126.64	1.23
Winchester	135.88	12.10			734.32	.58
Totals	\$254.63	\$615.28	\$711.16	\$10.00	\$6,997.17	\$64.32
						\$7,062.18



## W.M.S. STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Name of Society	Disbursements						
	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Medical Student Missions	Hephzilah, Cash	Hephzilah, Provisions	Education, Cash	Local Church Work
Atwood	\$98.74	\$210.89		\$30.00		\$5.87	\$195.50
Bloomfield	33.12	19.80		5.00			\$2.00
Brooksburg	12.00	9.00		5.00		8.00	
Clear Fork	15.00	11.00		3.40		15.00	3.00
Camp Taylor	32.30	21.02		7.50	\$40.00	36.68	
Frankfort Heights	10.98	18.98		7.25	5.00	6.41	55.25
Highland Park	66.13	129.62		20.00		20.00	28.28
Hope	4.00	4.00					11.89
Jamestown	11.00	34.00		2.50	5.00		12.00
Leavenworth	3.00	4.20	\$1.50			3.00	4.12
Lexington		10.00					
Madison	25.43	35.95		7.00			
Milan	23.25	25.38		28.00			
Milton	6.12	6.13					
Mount Calvary	15.00	24.00		12.50		9.00	20.00
Mount Tabor	2.00	17.50		5.00	6.95		
New Albany	14.66	15.92			6.00		
New Shiloh	1.75	1.75					2.09
Ninth Street	30.96	41.90		5.00		12.00	2.50
Owensboro	13.50	21.75				18.43	
Paoli	1.75	1.75					6.50
Rock Springs	15.00	24.00			4.00	3.11	
Sales Avenue	12.70	18.32				2.00	20.00
Simpson Chapel	2.19		1.20	3.69		3.50	1.50
Sylvania	2.75	2.75			5.07		36.85
Washington	5.52	9.00					
Whitehall	3.00	8.00	3.00	5.00	6.74	3.00	4.00
Winchester	22.40	32.73	5.33	5.00		5.98	6.25
Totals	\$484.25	\$759.34	\$11.03	\$151.84	\$78.76	\$151.98	\$19.25
							\$457.43



## W.M.S. STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Name of Society	Disbursements						Grand Total
	Above Budget Pledges	Other Objects	General Fund	Conference Treasurer	Total Disbursements	New Balance on Hand	
Atwood .....	\$857.00	\$151.99	\$12.25	\$12.25	\$1,574.49	\$14.17	\$1,588.66
Bloomfield .....	125.25	56.25	5.84	5.84	255.08	.....	255.08
Brooksbury .....	35.00	22.00	2.00	2.00	95.00	.....	95.00
Clear Fork .....	75.00	32.00	4.00	4.00	162.40	2.35	164.75
Camp Taylor .....	216.90	44.59	5.63	5.64	410.26	.....	410.26
Frankfort Heights .....	88.85	15.00	3.75	3.75	215.22	.....	215.22
Highland Park .....	129.00	40.00	11.13	11.12	466.28	.52	466.80
Hope .....	125.00	5.20	4.00	4.00	158.09	15.25	173.34
Jamestown .....	25.73	7.80	3.75	3.75	105.53	.50	106.03
Leavenworth .....	93.00	22.00	1.75	1.75	134.32	1.55	135.87
Lexington .....	159.25	.....	5.00	5.00	179.25	.....	179.25
Madison .....	46.00	47.94	3.43	3.44	169.19	12.26	181.45
Milan .....	217.10	189.65	9.75	9.75	508.88	15.32	524.20
Milton .....	72.00	.....	4.62	4.63	93.50	.....	93.50
Mount Calvary .....	100.00	12.50	3.25	3.25	202.10	13.90	216.00
Mount Tabor .....	.....	4.02	1.25	1.25	37.97	.....	37.97
New Albany .....	76.35	.....	4.34	4.31	121.58	.....	121.58
New Shiloh .....	285.49	53.00	1.75	1.75	347.58	1.23	348.81
Ninth Street .....	22.50	11.21	6.47	6.46	142.00	.....	142.00
Owensboro .....	85.00	24.75	4.87	4.88	173.18	3.68	176.86
Paoli .....	7.00	.....	1.75	1.75	20.50	1.25	21.75
Rock Springs .....	5.00	4.93	1.37	1.38	58.79	.....	58.79
Sales Avenue .....	132.50	.....	2.72	2.72	191.46	.....	191.46
Simpson Chapel .....	120.00	18.37	5.91	1.50	157.86	.....	157.86
Sylvania .....	45.00	.....	2.75	2.75	97.92	.....	97.92
Washington .....	20.00	.....	2.24	2.24	39.00	.....	39.00
Whitehall .....	45.19	38.57	4.00	4.00	127.25	.62	127.87
Winchester .....	524.25	53.35	5.25	5.25	725.49	9.41	734.90
Totals .....	\$3,733.36	\$855.12	\$124.82	\$120.41	\$6,970.17	\$92.01	\$7,062.18

Minutes  
of the  
Twenty-second Annual Session  
of the  
Young People's Society  
of the  
Kentucky Annual Conference  
of  
The Wesleyan Methodist Church  
of America  
held at the  
Wesleyan Methodist Campground  
Buechel, Kentucky  
June 14-20, 1954



# Young People's Society

## CONFERENCE OFFICERS

President—John Basham, 22 Franklin Ave., Winchester, Ky.  
Vice President—Carl Walker, R. R. 4, Bloomfield, Ind.  
Secretary—Rosemary Basham, 609 Maylawn Ave., Louisville, Ky.  
Treasurer—Faye Newman, Watterson Lane, Buechel, Ky.  
Delegate to General Conference—David Budensiek  
Alternate delegate to General Conference—Carl Walker

## DISTRICT CHAIRMAN

Bloomington District—Robert Pelton, Route 4, Bloomfield, Ind.  
Louisville District—Dorothy Via, 567 Tallulah Ave., Louisville, Ky.  
Madison District—Leonard Bright, Milton, Ky.  
New Albany District—Melvin Barger, Budd Road, New Albany, Ind.  
Owensboro District—Mildred McGuyer, 907 Triplett, Owensboro, Ky.  
Paoli District—Carl Pierce, 1424 S. 8th St., Louisville, Ky.  
Winchester District—Betty Taber, Zion's Hill Mission, Rock Lick, Ky.

## LOCAL OFFICERS

Atwood—President, Faye Newman, Watterson Trail, Buechel, Ky.  
Nina Roederer, 421 Charleston Ave., Jeffersonville, Ind.  
Bloomfield—President, Mrs. Pearl Ridgway, Route 2, Bloomfield, Ind.;  
Secretary, Wilbert Kindred, R. R. 4, Bloomfield, Ind.  
Clear Fork—President, Melvin Barger, Budd Road, New Albany, Ind.;  
Secretary, Stella Barger, Budd Road, New Albany, Ind.  
Camp Taylor—President, Charlene Campbell, 1552 Lincoln Ave., Louisville,  
Ky.; Secretary, Henry Smith, 1603 Taylor Ave., Louisville, Ky.  
Highland Park—President, Arthur Via, 567 Tallulah Ave., Louisville, Ky.;  
Secretary, Nancy Durr, Route 2, Jeffersontown, Ky.  
Hope—President, Mrs. Mary Mackey, 145 E. Wash. St., Hope, Ind.;  
Secretary, Mrs. Lois Clark, S. Robins St., Hope, Ind.  
Lexington—President, Mr. Marvin Wainscott, 142 Arceme Ave., Lexington,  
Ky.; Secretary, Mrs. Wilson Howard, 621 Lone Allen Rd.,  
Lexington, Ky.  
Milan—President, Maxine Witt, Route 1, Milan, Ind.; Secretary, Carol  
Dixon, Route 2, Milan, Ind.  
Mt. Calvary—President, Pat Miller, Route 4, Bloomfield, Ind.; Secretary,  
Larry Don Walker, Route 4, Bloomfield, Ind.  
New Albany—President, George Stroud, Silver Hills, New Albany, Ind.;



Secretary, Janet Flora, 404 W. Spring St., New Albany, Ind.  
New Shiloh—President, Cordelia Rose Kheen, New Salisbury, Indiana;  
Secretary, Hazel Mae Briles, 441 Walnut, Corydon, Ind.  
Ninth St.—President, Naomi Patterson, 1465 So. 9th St., Louisville, Ky.;  
Secretary, Wayne Compton, 1610 Thornberry Ave., Louisville, Ky.;  
Owensboro—President, Barbara Tillman, 907 Triplett St., Owensboro, Ky;  
Secretary, Vela Sacra, 1500 East 11th St., Owensboro, Ky.  
Sylvania—President, Pauline Hash, Route 4, Bloomfield, Ind.; Secretary,  
Lizzie Figg, Route 4, Bloomfield, Ind.  
West Frankfort—President, Betty Herring, Frankfort Heights, Illinois;  
Secretary, Marilyn J. Weaver, 1912 Clark St., W. Frankfort, Ill.  
Whitehall—President, Ronald Tremble, Route 3, Spencer, Ind.; Secretary,  
Norma Brown, 810 Iowa St., Indianapolis, Indiana.  
Winchester—President, James Roe, 1 Alabama St., Winchester, Ky.; Sec-  
retary, Mrs. Bernice Mays, Winn Avenue Campground, Winches-  
ter, Ky.

#### DELEGATES AND REPRESENTATIVES

Dorothy Basham, Jo Ann Blakely, Constance Bright, Kenneth Bright,  
Hazel Briles, Betty Bruce, Doris Burt, Harold Carter, Grace Cobb, Lydia  
Davis, June Dixon, Judith Dobson, Nancy Douglas, Prewitt Duncan,  
Nancy Durr, Wayne Edwards, Rose Kheen, Reland Key, Paul Lee, Peggy  
McQueen, Faye Newman, Aletha Pommerehn, Martha Pierce, David Price,  
Rosella Renfro, Melmeta Sacra, Dorothy Sanders, Mabel Smith, Margaret  
Stockton, Betty Taber, James Thompson, Larry Walker, Esther Wardner,  
Loretta Warner, Earl Watson, Beverly Weaver, Marilyn Weaver, Bessie  
Wells, Maxine Witt, Dean Workman, Mary Young.

## Annual W.Y.P.S. Business Meeting

The Annual Conference Convention of the Wesleyan Young People's Society of the Kentucky Conference convened for the twenty-second annual session on the campground at 2:00 p.m., June 15, with the president, John Basham, as chairman. After devotions from Ecclesiastes 11:9, he appointed as a Committee on Credentials: James Thompson and Prewitt Duncan. A partial report was called.

David Price was seated within the body. The motion was made and carried to accept several more as delegates, and they were seated within the body.

The bar was fixed as the first five seats and the platform.

The report on Orders of the Day (see Report No. 1) was read and adopted. Committees were elected as follows:

Ways and Means: Faye Newman, Dorothy Basham, Prewitt Duncan, Carl Walker, Harold Carter.

Resolutions: Nancy Douglas, Nancy Durr, Judy Dobson.

Auditing: Dorothy Basham, Lydia Davis.

Statistical: Nancy Douglas, Jo Ann Blakely.

An announcement concerning the sale of materials was made.

The meeting was adjourned by motion and dismissed by prayer.

### 2:00 p. m. Meeting—June 16, 1954

Brief devotions were conducted by Carl Walker.

The roll was called.

A partial report of the Committee on Credentials was given and two were seated within the bar. Six persons' names were given to represent their churches.

The Minutes were read and approved.

The Committee on Resolutions gave their report which was accepted. (See Report No. 2)

A discussion concerning this report was held.

The Auditing Committee gave a report which was accepted. (See Report No. 3)

The Treasurer's Report was read and accepted. (See Report No. 4)

The meeting was adjourned by motion and dismissed by prayer.

### 2:00 p. m. Meeting—June 17, 1954

The meeting was opened with brief devotions from Phillipians 4:8 and prayer.

The roll was called. Eleven more people were seated within the bar by motion.

The Minutes were read and accepted.

David Budensiek acted as chairman for the remainder of the meeting.

The President's report (See Report No. 5) was read; and, after a rising vote of thanks to him, it was accepted.

The Ways and Means Committee's report (See Report No. 6) was read; and, after some discussion, being referred back to the committee, and amending, it was accepted.

For the election of officers Prewitt Duncan, Kenneth Rice, Larry Walkers, and Paul Lees were appointed as tellers.

Officers were elected as follows: President, John Basham; Vice President, Carl Walker; Secretary, Rosemary Basham; Treasurer, Faye Newman.

There was a motion that we have several nominations from the body for a delegate to General Conference. The elected delegate was David Budensiek. The elected alternate was Carl Walker.

Persons to bring in names for District Chairman were as follows:

Bloomington—Carl Walker; Louisville—George Basham; Madison, Harold Carter; New Albany—Nancy Douglas; Owensboro—Beverly Weaver; Winchester—Betty Taber; Paoli—Martha Pierce.

The meeting was adjourned by motion.

#### 2:00 p. m. Meeting—June 18, 1954

The meeting was opened with devotions consisting of a scripture reading from the book of Deuteronomy, and prayer that was offered by Reland Key.

The roll was called.

The Minutes were read and accepted.

A partial report of the Statistical Committee was read, and the motion was made and carried that we accept this partial report and other reports that might come in.

District Chairmen were elected as follows: Bloomington—Robert Pelton; Madison—Leonard Bright; New Albany—Melvin Barger; Owensboro—Mildred McGuyer; Winchester—Betty Taber; Paoli—Carl Pierce; Louisville—By common consent there was a short recess for a discussion on this chairman.

Youth Camp Committee election was as follows:

One year term—Foster Newman; two year term—Carl Walker; three year term—David Budensiek; four year term—Lee Roy Meredith.

It was moved and carried that we give our president \$75.00 from the Youth Camp Fund.

The following reports were read and accepted:

Bloomington (See Report No. 7)

Louisville (See Report No. 8)



Madison (See Report No. 9)

New Albany (See Report No. 10)

Paoli (See Report No. 11)

Winchester (See Report No. 12)

After a few moments recess, the name of Dorothy Via was presented and elected for Chairman of the Louisville District for the coming year.

The final minutes were read and approved.

The meeting was adjourned by motion and dismissed by prayer.

# Reports

## Report No. 1

### ORDERS OF THE DAY

Tuesday—Organization

Wednesday—Reports of President, Treasurer, and Districts

Thursday—Election

Friday—Committee Reports

John Basham,  
Rosemary Basham,  
Carl Walker,  
Audrey Hublard.

## Report No. 2

### COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We, the Committee on Resolutions, submit the following recommendations:

1. We recommend that each church have an active Young People's Society.
2. We recommend that our young people have a Christian experience and endeavor to deepen their spiritual life.
3. We recommend that each society work toward the goal that each member be a subscriber to the WESLEYAN YOUTH, that an accurate record be kept of Youth subscriptions, that we retain all present subscriptions and increase them by 25%.
4. We recommend that W.Y.P.S. meetings be so interesting and inspirational that our young people will catch the vision to meet the challenge of the world today and an effort be made to seek and secure the guidance of the Holy Spirit before leading each W.Y.P.S. meeting.
5. We recommend that special attention be given to the planning of special programs for Youth Week and the use of young people in these programs.
6. We recommend that each society sponsor a youth revival annually.
7. Due to the fact that there has been a laxity in the past with regard to the working of our plans, we recommend that each local president inform his society concerning plans adopted and that he strive to put them into working force during the year.
8. We recommend that the young people be encouraged to attend Marion College and that we support her with our prayers and finances.

9. We recommend that all organized societies keep permanent records of membership and finances and clearly understand how to fill out forms and records. The list of membership shall include a classification of active and associate members and shall be revised at the close of each conference year.

10. We recommend that our young people dress modestly and well-pleasing in the sight of God as becometh Holiness. I Peter 3: 3, 4; Deut. 22: 5; I Tim. 2: 9, 16.

11. We recommend and strongly urge that each pastor and young people's president attend the Young People's District Conventions and Annual Youth camp, and encourage his people's attendance.

12. We recommend that the district chairman send a quarterly report to the Conference W.Y.P.S. President summarizing their district conventions.

13. We recommend that each local society co-operate by sending in their quarterly report in order that they be included on the honor roll.

Nancy Douglas, Chairman;

Nancy Durr,

Judith Dobson.

### Report No. 3

#### AUDITING COMMITTEE

We have audited the Treasurer's books and have found them correct.

Dorothy Basham,  
Lydia Davis.

### Report No. 4

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance on hand beginning of year .....	\$816.29
<b>Receipts</b>	
General Dues .....	\$238.74
Foreign Missions .....	56.50
Home Missions .....	53.93
Education .....	62.91
Conference Dues .....	127.59
Youth Camp .....	1550.21
Pioneer Evangelism .....	107.89
Dormitory .....	1076.21
Kentucky Missions .....	218.86
Kitchen Supplies .....	35.50



# WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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Texas Crusade .....	3.27	
Youth Week .....	28.66	
Dormitory Doors .....	78.00	
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Total Receipts .....		3638.27
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TOTAL .....		4454.56

## Disbursements

General Dues .....	238.74	
Foreign Missions .....	56.50	
Home Missions .....	53.93	
Education .....	62.91	
Conference Dues .....	78.58	
Youth Camp .....	1493.04	
Pioneer Evangelism .....	350.00	
Dormitory .....	800.00	
Kentucky Missions .....	130.00	
Kitchen Supplies .....	80.72	
Texas Crusade .....	3.27	
Youth Week .....	28.66	
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Total Disbursements .....		3376.35
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TOTAL BALANCE IN BANK .....		1078.21

## Balance on Hand

Conference Dues .....	10.10	
Youth Camp .....	299.66	
Pioneer Evangelism .....	150.91	
Dormitory .....	330.21	
Kentucky Missions .....	218.52	
Dormitory Doors .....	78.00	
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Total .....		1087.40
Less Kitchen Supplies .....		9.19
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TOTAL BALANCE IN BANK .....		1078.21

Rosemary Basham, Treasurer

## Report No. 5

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Christian greetings to the Youth of the Kentucky Conference.

## THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

It has been my privilege to serve you as president for the past year. This has been a great year with many profitable gains and accomplishments. We give God the praise for it all.

The Youth Camp of 1953 was one of the best; both spiritually and financially. It was the joy of my heart to see a number of our young people give their heart and life to Christ. Although our registration fee is still very low, we were able to pay all bills and still have a balance to start on for the next year. I feel the Youth Camp has been a great help in promoting the youth work of our conference.

The activities of the youth work have kept me very busy. It was my privilege to travel with my brothers to each of the districts in behalf of the youth work. We traveled around 1000 miles to these conventions and raised \$400.00 on the Youth Dormitory. The fellowship of both pastor and young people was greatly appreciated. Throughout the year I have kept in contact with the pastors and youth presidents by mail and did my best to promote the youth work. I have also endeavored to write inspirational and informational articles each month in the Youth column of the Kentucky Conference Messenger.

I would like to recommend the following for the coming year:

1. Continue our support of Esther Sniffin and Christine Pagett in the Kentucky Mountains.
2. Continue our Pioneer work at Brazil, Indiana.
3. Increase the number of Wesleyan Youth subscriptions.
4. Every church observe Wesleyan Youth Week.
5. A great Youth Revival in every church.
6. This conference elect a Youth Camp Committee which will have the responsibility of planning Youth Camp.

Youth of the Kentucky Conference, I feel a greater vision is needed in our youth work for both pastor and people. With the uncertainty of these days, we need to emphasize the words of our Master when He said, "I must work the works of Him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh when no man can work."

Yours for our Youth,  
John Basham

## WESTERN UNION

Rev. John Basham  
22 Franklin Ave.  
Winchester, Ky.

May 15, 1954

Crusading spirit beamed to local societies final year of quadrennium. Focus to be upon revival, evangelism, volunteers for the Lord's harvest. Council in annual session Syracuse believes this God's command. Your

help vital in the past imperative now. Carry this message to every society your conference.

General W.Y.P.S. Council Karl W. Johnston, President  
Harold K. Sheets, General Secretary

### Report No. 6

### WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

We, the Committee on Ways and Means, wish to make the following recommendations:

#### I. Duties of Officers

A. The President shall have general oversight of the W.Y.P.S. Conference and seek to promote the Youth program within the Conference.

1. He shall co-operate with the General and Area Youth Program of the Church.

2. He shall attend at least one District Rally in each district and if possible visit each local church in the interest of the Youth Program during the year.

3. The District Chairman and the local W.Y.P.S. President shall extend an invitation and the group requesting his services shall bear traveling expenses at the rate of five (5) cents per mile.

B. The Vice President shall co-operate with the President in every way possible and in case of absence, resignation, or death of the President, he shall perform the duties of the office.

C. The Secretary shall keep records of all proceedings of the Executive Council and shall attend all matters of correspondence for the Conference Society.

D. The Treasurer shall receive, and upon order of the Council, shall disburse all money of the Society and keep a systematic record of the same.

II. We recommend that the pioneer project for this year be left in the hands of the W.Y.P.S. Executive Council, in co-operation with the Conference Board on Pioneer Evangelism.

#### III. Youth Camp

1. We recommend that a four-member Youth Camp Committee be elected to serve four years with one member's term expiring each year, and that this year we elect members for one, two, three, and four years.

2. We recommend that a Conference Youth Camp be held on the campground June 13-19, and that the plans for the same be left in the hands of the W.Y.P.S. Youth Camp Committee and that this camp be known as the Kentucky Conference Youth Camp.

3. We recommend that all pastors set aside the week of June 13-19 for Youth Camp.



## THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

IV. We recommend that our Annual W.Y.P.S. Conference convene during Youth Camp.

V. We recommend that each district have at least three rallies during the year.

V. We recommend that we use our Young People in a variety of programs for these rallies rather than always securing an outside speaker.

VII. We recommend that each local society have one Missionary Service a month and that an offering be taken for Missions at this service.

VIII. We recommend that each local society have an Educational Service once a quarter and that an offering be taken for Education at this service.

IX. We recommend that the local Treasurer send in an Annual Report to the Conference Treasurer, Mrs. Faye Newman, by June 4, and that all money received after this date be credited on the following year.

X. Finances

1. We recommend that each society raise the amount of one (1) dollar per active member for the General W.Y.P.S. Program and that those churches not having an organized society take an offering for the General Youth Program.

2. We recommend that each society raise the amount of fifty (50) cents per active member for the Conference Expense Fund.

3. We recommend that the Area Assessment be paid out of the Conference Expense Fund.

4. We recommend that each society raise the amount of fifty (50) cents per active member for Pioneer Evangelism to be used for our Pioneer project and that this be forwarded to the Conference Treasurer.

5. We recommend that each society raise the amount of twenty-five (25) cents per active member for the Youth Camp Fund.

6. We recommend that \$10.00 be raised in each Louisville District Rally and \$5.00 in each of the other District Rallies, the same to be forwarded to the Conference Treasurer quarterly.

7. We recommend that this money be disbursed in the amount of \$10.00 per month for the support of Esther Sniffin and Christine Pagett in the Kentucky Mountains.

8. We recommend that all desk fund be paid out of the Conference Expense Fund.

9. We recommend that the \$15.00 voted by the Conference as the young people's assessment to help subsidize the **Conference Messenger** be paid from the Conference Expense Fund.

10. We recommend that the Executive Council shall have power to appropriate money from the Conference Fund for the general promotion of Youth Work.

11. We recommend that all money be forwarded quarterly to the

Conference W.Y.P.S. Treasurer and that the Treasurer's books close June 4.

Faye Newman, Chairman;  
Prewitt Duncan,  
Harold Carter,  
Dorothy Basham,  
Carl Walker.

### Report No. 7

#### BLOOMINGTON DISTRICT

There have been two Youth Rallies held in the Bloomington District, both of which have been well attended and blessed of the Lord.

Our first rally was conducted by a Marion College gospel team and was a gracious time of spiritual blessing to all. An offering of \$19.20 was given the team and \$2.00 sent to the Conference W.Y.P.S.

The Basham Brothers Quartet was in charge of the next district meeting. The Lord gave a good service and \$70.00 was given or pledged for the Youth Dormitory. We thank the Lord for His help and are looking forward to a better year ahead.

Robert W. Pelton, Chairman

### Report No. 8

#### LOUISVILLE DISTRICT

The Louisville District has been favored with a very prosperous year. We have had eleven meetings since last year's Youth Camp. We were fortunate to have a group from Asbury with us for our July convention. They had a program of music, singing and Esther Davidson gave an excellent missionary reading.

Every year we have an out-of-the-district meeting. This year we chose Means, Kentucky, as our destination. About fifty young people arose bright and early on Saturday, October 3, 1953, and started on their journey toward Means. Some got lost, some hit detours, and some made the trip eventually, but by 11:00 a.m. everyone was safely there and the service started. After the morning service we had a basket dinner and then a variety program was enjoyed by all in the afternoon. About sundown they started for Louisville, having had a very pleasant day.

In March we had five nights of revival services with the Rev. and Mrs. Don Polston, from the Fairmount, Indiana Church. The services were very well attended with an average of 179 for the five nights. The

Lord was very gracious to us and gave us a wonderful meeting.

In April we had three young people from Marion College along with Rev. Howard Noggle, Field Representative of the school, in charge of the meeting. They brought us a program of special singing, music and then Rev. Noggle brought the message of the evening.

For our May convention we had the Basham Quartet, headed by Rev. John Basham, W.Y.P.S. Conference President.

At the other conventions we used our local young people. These services consisted of special singing, special music, short talks and readings.

Our final convention was held at the campground on June 6, at 2:30 p.m. with an attendance of 280. We had an inspirational program. The theme was "Choosing, Winning, and Keeping Your Friends." We gave away our new banner at this meeting and we trust that it will create new interest and draw more enthusiastic crowds.

We feel that the Lord has been especially good to us and trust that in the years to come the Louisville Youth will go even further to achieve greater attainments, higher heights, and deeper depths in His service.

#### Financial Report

Money taken in at Conventions .....	\$377.89
Disbursements:	
Speakers .....	\$130.00
Missions .....	123.46
Incidentals .....	53.80
Dormitory Doors .....	20.01
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Total Disbursements .....	327.27
Balance in the Treasury .....	\$50.62

Respectfully submitted,

Betty L. Kendall

#### Report No. 9

#### MADISON DISTRICT

Greetings to the Kentucky Youth Conference and Camp:

We have had six district meetings this year with an average attendance of about 65. These were good times of Christian fellowship.

At the Madison meeting the pageant "I Dreamed I Searched Heaven" was given. This was our best attended meeting.

All of our conventions have been times of blessing and the visitation of the Spirit.



Our last convention at Mt. Tabor was visited by our President, Rev. Basham, God blessed in a wonderful way.

We raised a total of \$48.09 this year and sent \$25.00 of the same to Home Missions.

Let us put forth a greater effort to make the coming year a great time of blessing to our youth.

Leonard Bright, Chairman

### Report No. 10

#### NEW ALBANY DISTRICT

The New Albany District of the Kentucky Conference agreed to have a meeting at each church in the district with each pastor in charge of their meeting. We had a total of five meetings with good attendance. We are looking forward with greater services the new year. We took in the total of \$86.31.

Cash Taken in .....	\$86.31
Paid out .....	73.35
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Balance .....	12.96
Balance brought forward from last year .....	18.03
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Total in treasury .....	30.99
Paid to missions .....	20.00
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Total in treasury at present .....	10.99

Rev. C. A. Powell, Chairman

### Report No. 11

#### PAOLI DISTRICT

The Paoli District of the W.Y.P.S. is glad to report another good year in the Lord Jesus Christ.

We have held Conventions every four weeks on Sunday afternoons, making a total of twelve conventions. We visited the Churches in alphabetical order. The district includes Leavenworth, Paoli, Rock Springs, Simpson Chapel, and Temple.

Each church was responsible for the program when the convention was held at their church.

The services have all been well attended and inspirational. The offerings have been good. We have paid our speakers and sent \$5.00 each month for Home Mission work.

## THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

We have appreciated the co-operation of both young and old of the district who have helped to make the services a success.

Carl Pierce, Chairman

## Report No. 12

## WINCHESTER DISTRICT

This has been another good year for the Winchester District of W.Y. P.S. We praise the Lord for His presence in our services.

Unless unavoidable circumstances prevented it, a meeting was held each month in one of our churches or missions. A total of \$22.00 was taken in for our special project—Home Missions.

We are trusting in Him for another good year in 1955.

Respectfully,

J. Marvin McCoy, Chairman

## WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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## W.Y.P.S. STATISTICAL REPORT

Name of Society	Active Members	Associate Members	Wesleyan Youth	Efficiency Standard Rating	Conference Dues	General Dues	Church Extension	Education	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Local Work	Youth Camp Dues	Miscellaneous	Total Receipts Plus Balance	Total Disbursements	Cash on Hand
Atwood	29	33	A		\$15.00	\$30.00	\$161.28	\$6.46	\$10.04	\$8.01	\$55.00	\$7.50	\$23.08	\$316.37	\$316.37	.....
Boomfield	11	12	B		9.00	16.00	9.00	9.00	10.00	10.00	.....	4.00	15.90	86.25	82.90	\$3.35
Clear Fork	10	15	C		6.00	12.00	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	6.18	34.44	33.18	1.26
Camp Taylor	18	15	.....		10.16	20.32	9.41	3.89	3.21	3.20	.....	5.01	116.11	181.40	171.31	10.09
Highland Park	15	20	40		10.00	20.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	25.00	.....	70.00	.....
Hope	4	5	.....		2.00	4.00	.....	3.19	2.40	2.39	.....	1.00	2.00	41.15	16.98	24.17
Lexington	35	20	1		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32.50	.....	16.91	.....	.....	.....
Madison	.....	.....	.....		.....	13.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.50	56.55	116.12	100.64	15.48
Milan	19	20	11		9.00	18.00	.....	5.00	3.00	3.00	1.59	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mount Calvary	7	.....	5		5.00	10.00	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	3.72	5.95	33.58	33.58	.....
New Albany	14	.....	8		6.94	14.00	.....	97	1.00	1.00	.....	3.75	81.50	107.75	107.75	.....
New Shiloh	15	.....	1		.....	15.00	7.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	32.85	104.24	72.95	31.32
Ninth Street	3	4	15		4.50	4.50	3.00	.....	.....	.....	25.07	1.25	2.51	53.92	48.78	5.14
Owensboro	13	.....	8	A	2.52	5.00	.....	16.50	11.00	10.00	.....	2.00	12.00	.....	.....	.....
Sales Avenue	.....	.....	.....		3.37	7.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	7.00	.....	.....	.....
Sylvania	5	4	3		2.00	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.34	63.61	63.61	.....
West Frankfort	17	20	A		8.10	17.12	.....	4.30	4.12	4.63	.....	1.25	7.00	68.28	57.95	10.33
Whitehall	6	3	12		2.50	5.00	2.50	4.00	2.50	2.50	30.70	1.25	7.00	68.28	57.95	10.33
Winchester	18	5	21	A	10.50	21.00	10.50	9.60	9.23	9.20	60.00	5.25	38.00	177.95	173.28	4.67
Totals	239	126	193	.....	\$106.59	\$238.74	\$219.19	\$67.91	\$56.47	\$53.93	\$204.86	\$53.93	\$473.88	\$1,088.22	\$1,362.28	\$95.81



## THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

## SESSIONS OF THE KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

No.	Date	Place	President	Vice President	Secretary	Treasurer
1	Oct. 3-7, 1923	Louisville, Ky.	T. P. Baker	W. B. Dunkum	G. C. Harrington	J. A. Wheeler
2	Oct. 2-6, 1924	Louisville, Ky.	W. B. Dunkum	C. O. Curtis	G. C. Harrington	Carl Darboe
3	Oct. 1-5, 1925	Louisville, Ky.	T. P. Baker	W. B. Dunkum	G. C. Harrington	Carl Darboe
4	Sept. 21-Oct. 3, 1926	Louisville, Ky.	T. P. Baker	W. B. Dunkum	G. C. Harrington	D. R. Dooley
5	Aug. 18-21, 1927	Louisville, Ky.	T. P. Baker	W. B. Dunkum	G. C. Harrington	D. R. Dooley
6	Aug. 22-26, 1928	Louisville, Ky.	T. P. Baker	W. B. Dunkum	G. C. Harrington	Karl E. Rothrock
7	Aug. 7-12, 1929	Hope, Indiana	T. P. Baker	W. B. Dunkum	G. C. Harrington	Karl E. Rothrock
8	Aug. 13-16, 1930	Louisville, Ky.	T. P. Baker	W. B. Dunkum	Flora A. Pitts	Karl E. Rothrock
9	Aug. 12-15, 1931	Louisville, Ky.	W. B. Dunkum	J. E. Hunter	Flora A. Pitts	Karl E. Rothrock
10	Aug. 10-14, 1932	Bloomington, Ind.	James C. Zuch	J. E. Hunter	Flora A. Pitts	Karl E. Rothrock
11	Aug. 9-12, 1933	Holton, Ind.	James C. Zuch	J. E. Hunter	Esther M. Hunter	Karl E. Rothrock
12	Aug. 8-11, 1934	Bloomington, Ind.	J. E. Hunter	Dempsey Fossit	Esther M. Hunter	W. P. Fessenden
13	Aug. 7-10, 1935	Louisville, Ky.	J. E. Hunter	Dempsey Fossit	Esther M. Hunter	John A. Giles
14	Aug. 12-15, 1936	Louisville, Ky.	J. E. Hunter	Dempsey Fossit	Esther M. Hunter	John A. Giles
15	Aug. 11-14, 1937	Louisville, Ky.	J. E. Hunter	Dempsey Fossit	Esther M. Hunter	Edith M. Bailey
16	Aug. 10-13, 1938	Louisville, Ky.	J. E. Hunter	Dempsey Fossit	Esther M. Hunter	K. K. Rothrock
17	Aug. 9-12, 1939	Buechel, Ky. Campground	J. E. Hunter	Dempsey Fossit	Esther M. Hunter	K. K. Rothrock
18	Aug. 24-28, 1940	Buechel, Ky. Campground	J. E. Hunter	Dempsey Fossit	Esther M. Hunter	K. K. Rothrock
19	Aug. 12-14, 1941	Buechel, Ky. Campground	J. E. Hunter	Dempsey Fossit	Esther M. Hunter	K. K. Rothrock
20	Aug. 3-7, 1942	Buechel, Ky. Campground	J. E. Hunter	Dempsey Fossit	Olin M. Pfautz	K. K. Rothrock
21	Aug. 2-6, 1943	Buechel, Ky. Campground	J. E. Hunter	George E. Failing	Olin M. Pfautz	K. K. Rothrock
22	Aug. 7-11, 1944	Buechel, Ky. Campground	J. E. Hunter	J. A. Giles	Olin M. Pfautz	K. K. Rothrock
23	Aug. 6-10, 1945	Buechel, Ky. Campground	J. E. Hunter	J. A. Giles	Olin M. Pfautz	K. K. Rothrock
24	Aug. 5-9, 1946	Buechel, Ky. Campground	J. E. Hunter	D. W. Fossit	C. L. Blanchard	Audie Basham
25	Aug. 4-8, 1947	Buechel, Ky. Campground	C. L. Blanchard	D. W. Fossit	Earl G. Pommerehn	George Basham
26	Aug. 2-7, 1948	Buechel, Ky. Campground	C. L. Blanchard	D. W. Fossit	Earl G. Pommerehn	George Basham
27	Aug. 1-6, 1949	Buechel, Ky. Campground	C. L. Blanchard	D. W. Fossit	Christine Fowler	George Basham
28	Aug. 7-11, 1950	Buechel, Ky. Campground	C. L. Blanchard	D. W. Fossit	Christine Fowler	George Basham
29	Aug. 6-10, 1951	Buechel, Ky. Campground	C. L. Blanchard	D. W. Fossit	Christine Fowler	George Basham
30	Aug. 4-8, 1952	Buechel, Ky. Campground	C. L. Blanchard	D. W. Fossit	Christine Fowler	George Basham
31	Aug. 3-7, 1953	Buechel, Ky. Campground	C. L. Blanchard	D. W. Fossit	Earl G. Pommerehn	George Basham
32	Aug. 2-6, 1954	Buechel, Ky. Campground	C. L. Blanchard	S. Kendall	Earl G. Pommerehn	George Basham

C. L. Blanchard, President;  
Earl G. Pommerehn, Secretary.