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The Allegheny Conference

1954 CONFERENCE OFFICIARY

President	H. C. Van Wormer
Vice President	T. A. Robertson
Secretary	Jos. B. Markey
Assistant Secretary	Frank B. Miller
Treasurer	A. G. Carlson
Sunday School Secretary	T. O. McCracken
Tithing Secretary	Francis E. Mansell
Secretary of Evangelism	Harold E. Schmul
Secretary of Education	Delmar R. Kaufman
Secretary of Child Evangelism	Ruth Giles
Pioneer Secretary	C. R. McPherson
Burial Association Secretary	E. R. Barris

CONFERENCE BOARD

TRUSTEES:

H. C. Van Wormer, Elder, Chairman	Term expires 1955
T. W. Comadoll, Elder	Term expires 1957
A. G. Carlson, Elder, Secretary	Term expires 1956
Homer Waid, Laymen	Term expires 1956
Paul J. Lindquist, Layman	Term expires 1957

PRESIDENT'S ADVISORY:

T. A. Robertson, Elder, Eber Messner, Laymen.

MISSIONARY:

H. C. Van Wormer, ex-officio Chariman,

AKRON DISTRICT: R. W. Dunn

INDIANA DISTRICT: E. K. Himes

NEW CASTLE DISTRICT: H. N. Robinson

TITUSVILLE DISTRICT: Jos B. Markey

WEST VIRGINIA DISTRICT: Donald W. St. Clair

EX-OFFICIO HONORARY MEMBER: T. A. Robertson

SUNDAY SCHOOL

T. O. McCracken, Chairman Secretary, H. E. Schmul, C. A. Blair.

CONFERENCE STANDING COMMITTEES

On Vacancy: Elders, T. O. McCracken, T. W. Comadoll, H. E. Robertson, Sr., Laymen, Eber Messner, M. L. Moore.

Judiciary: Elders, T. A. Robertson, H. R. Waite, T. W. Comadoll, and W. H. Armstrong.

Itineracy and Orders:

First Year: (1955) Cecil Huntsman, 113 Lincoln Ave., Punxsutawney, Pa.

Second Year: (1958) Guy E. Terpe, 838 Green Ave., S. W., Massillon, O.

Third Year: (1957) T. W. Comadoll, R. D. 2 Utica, Pa.

Fourth Year: (1956) Clyde A. Blair, 1204 Coventry St. Akron 1, Ohio.

Auditing and Finance: E. D. Lupton, R. W. Dunn, T. O. McCracken.

Custodian of Conference Books: Frank B. Miller, Dixonville, Pa.

Sale of Conference Minutes: Lorman J. Elliott, Gipsy, Pa.

Statistical Chairman: Wayne Spangler, West Middlesex, Pa.

Group Insurance Secretary-Treasurer: E. D. Lupton, 100 McCook Ave., Carrollton, Ohio.

Publication: H. C. Van Wormer, Jos B. Markey, Chairman.

Pension Plan: H. C. Van Wormer (1958), Jos B. Markey, Secretary (1957), T. W. Comadoll, Treasurer (1956, C. A. Blair (1955), V. E. Sell, (1959).

District Sub-Treasurers:

Akron: E. D. Lupton, 100 McCook Ave., Carrollton, O.

Indiana: Miss Thankful Clawson, Marion Center, Pa.

New Castle: Mrs. Edith Sweesy, 431 Chestnut St., W. Middlesex, Pa.

Titusville: Miss Luella Adams, 314 Central Ave., Falconer, N. Y.

West Virginia: Mrs. Chloe Shriver, 53 Montgomery St., Waynesburg, Pa.

Conference Treasurer: A. G. Carlson, Pittsfield, Pa.

Aid Fund Treasurer: Jos. B. Markey, 313 East Main Road, Conneaut, O.

Pension Treasurer: T. W. Comadoll, R. D. 2, Utica, Pa.

Burial Association Secretary: E. R. Barris, North Springfield, Pa.

Nominee for Representative on Houghton College Board: H. C. Van Wormer, (1955), Reserve Nominee: T. A. Robertson (1955)

Stoneboro Camp Meeting Financial Secretary: Mrs. Alma McDowell, Sandy Lake, Pennsylvania.

In Memoriam

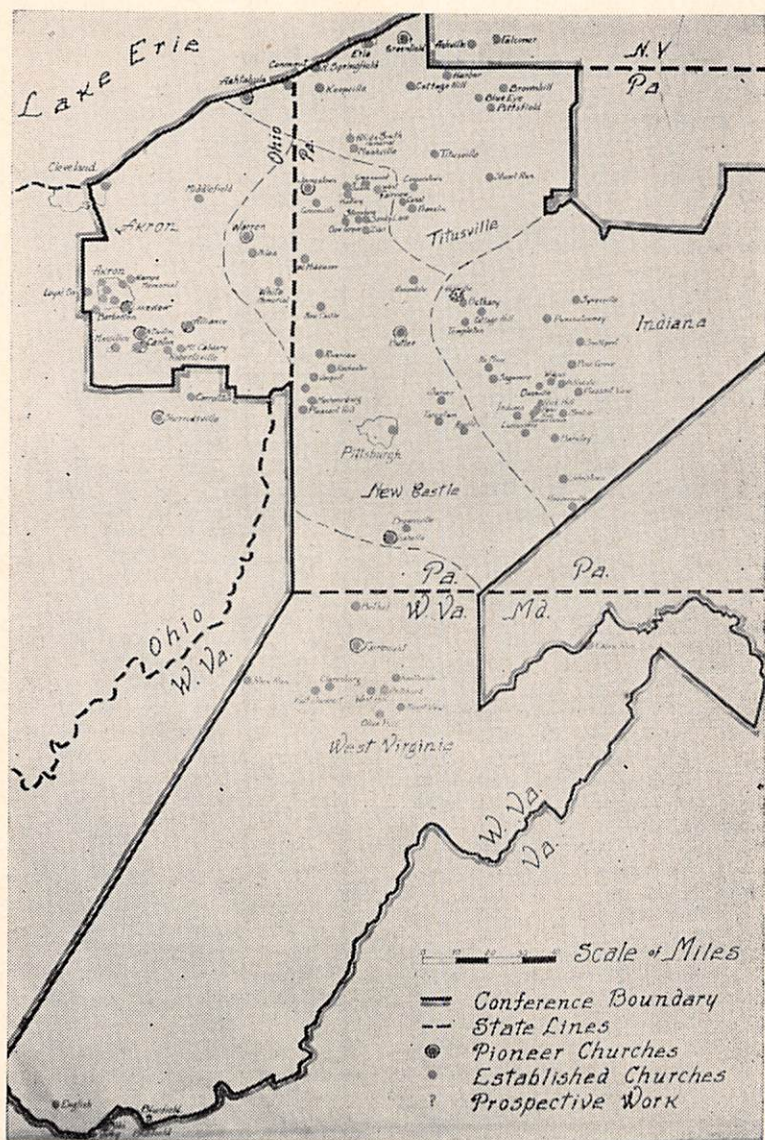
"Oh, how sweet it will be in that beautiful land,
So free from all sorrow and pain,
With songs on our lips and harps in our hands,
To meet one another again."

OUR HONORED DEAD

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|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| William J. Coon, Dec. 6, 1848 | Sara Kennedy, Feb. 22, 1908 |
| Street Humiston, May 1, 1849 | John H. Ellet, Oct. 30, 1900 |
| Solomon Hendrickson, Sept. 20, 1851 | Linus W. Krah, Feb. 1, 1909 |
| Jarvis C. Bacon, ——— 1854 | Mary C. Gordner, Apr. 6, 1910 |
| Jesse McBride, March, 1856 | Etta M. Hayward, Sept. 11, 1910 |
| Reuben S. Ensign | Grace E. Chadwick, May 5, 1911 |
| Edward Smith, June 6, 1856 | Henry W. Hampe, Dec. 2, 1911 |
| First President Allegheny Conference | John E. Martin, Jan. 15, 1913 |
| John L. Moore, Oct. 1, 1861 | Thomas K. Doty, Oct. 13, 1913 |
| David Hotchkiss, March 31, 1871 | H. E. Bryner, Apr. 26, 1917 |
| William Crooks, Feb. 13, 1874 | Mary E. Buell, Jan. 3, 1918 |
| Adam Crooks, Dec. 15, 1874 | Missionary to Africa |
| John Gilbert Norris, May 16, 1875 | Ethiel Hickok, Feb. 21, 1921 |
| Aaron Goodwill, Feb. 16, 1876 | P. D. Cutshall, Apr. 8, 1921 |
| Cyrus G. Palmer, Feb. 7, 1877 | Sarah E. Schultz, July 24, 1921 |
| Samuel J. Nolan, July 11, 1878 | Edith B. Hill, Apr. 9, 1922 |
| Ephriam Wyllis, 1878 or 1879 | L. B. Strong, Oct. 24, 1923 |
| Thomas Savage, Feb. 28, 1880 | G. W. Galbraith, Dec. 13, 1924 |
| Thomas Lamb, Feb. 12, 1881 | L. H. McLeister, Oct. 23, 1926 |
| Austin Hamlin, ——— 1881 | Vanus Smith, June 17, 1928 |
| Caleb M. Preston, Dec. 9, 1883 | Missionary to Africa |
| William Sewell, April 29, 1885 | John Case, Sept. 25, 1928 |
| Jonathan Benn, May 13, 1885 | W. S. Coder, Dec. 25, 1928 |
| W. P. Martin, June 21, 1885 | Ira A. Grise, Oct. 13, 1932 |
| Hiram Williams, May 17, 1888 | Mary E. McLeister, Feb. 11, 1933 |
| H. G. March, Feb. 2, 1889 | William H. Williams, May 17, 1934 |
| Rouse E. Gardner, Feb. 12, 1889 | A. T. Vestal, Sept. 8, 1934 |
| Jacob Smith, Oct. 4, 1889 | Thomas Struthers, Oct. 20, 1935 |
| Dennison S. Kinney, Jan. 8, 1890 | A. L. White, Dec. 20, 1935 |
| Levi M. Wright, Jan. 21, 1890 | Conf. President died in office |
| Joshua Robb, Feb. 9, 1890 | Clara T. Williams, July 1, 1937 |
| Benj. W. Laughead, March 20, 1890 | P. B. Campbell, Apr. 6, 1938 |
| Richard W. Hawkins, Jan. 13, 1892 | President Emeritus, Allegheny Conf. |
| Thomas W. Stephens, Aug. 5, 1892 | Charles Williams, Aug. 2, 1938 |
| Mary E. Depew, Oct. 9, 1892 | F. J. Davis, May 10, 1939 |
| Austin Davis, Feb. 7, 1894 | Clinton Bard, Oct. 12, 1939 |
| Erasmus Johnson | Florence E. Salisbury, Jan. 3, 1940 |
| James Christian | W. A. Lawrence, Apr. 20, 1940 |
| Calvin D. Rockwell | Albert D. Fero, Jan. 4, 1942 |
| Harvey C. Jackson, Oct. 23, 1894 | A. E. Kerst, Dec. 3, 1942 |
| Gershon Fairchild, March 20, 1889 | C. B. Pugh, March 7, 1943 |
| Joseph Campbell, Aug. 4, 1900 | G. W. Richardson, April 29, 1944 |
| George Savage, Sept. 20, 1900 | Gerald Rodgers, Nov. 8, 1944 |
| George W. Turner, Aug. 10, 1901 | Jesse Whitecotton, Dec. 10, 1944 |
| George Ritchie, Jan. 30, 1902 | F. P. Kerst, Aug. 4, 1947 |
| Robert Perring, June 24, 1904 | C. D. Patterson, Feb. 22, 1948 |
| Almira Ellet, Nov. 17, 1904 | E. L. Dongell, May 26, 1948 |
| William A. Stanfield, Feb. 21, 1905 | Elsie E. Moyer, June 26, 1948 |
| Jno. W. Snively, Oct. 30, 1905 | W. H. Marvin, Nov. 22, 1950 |
| A. Marie Stephens, Jan. 1, 1906 | Sarah E. Redding, Dec. 7, 1950 |
| Missionary to Africa | Mildred Mae Barris, Jan. 7, 1953 |
| Cora M. Cutshall, Jan. 4, 1906 | |

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

Map of Allegheny Conference



Conference Roll

ELDERS

Name	Days Present	Address
I. F. McLeister	2	200 South Roxford Road, Syracuse, N. Y.
James F. Merrifield	2	401 Fowler Avenue, Clarksburg, W. Va.
W. H. Armstrong	5	R. D. 3, Meadville, Pennsylvania
Alice J. McMillen	0	Houghton, New York
D. B. Hampe	1	Houghton, New York
Verna A. Clinefelter	0	Rushford, New York
Jos. B. Markey	5	313 East Main Road, Conneaut, Ohio
Georgia Markey	5	313 East Main Road, Conneaut, Ohio
H. A. Markell	5	813 Franklin St., New Castle, Pa.
Oneida J. Gleason	1	695 Sanford Avenue, Akron 5, Ohio
H. E. Robertson, Sr.	5	1296 School Street, Indiana, Pa.
J. R. Swauger	0	Box 117 Salina Station, Syracuse 8, N. Y.
Charles C. Cross	5	904 Center St., Pittsburgh 21, Pa.
Edna Patterson	2	Box 4, R. D. 1, Greenville, Pa.
C. E. Zike	0	527 Yale St., Barberton, O.
H. C. Van Wormer	5	413 East Main St., Titusville, Pa.
T. W. Comadoll	5	R. D. 2., Utica, Pennsylvania
T. A. Robertson	5	111 N. Perry Street, Titusville, Pa.
Charles A. West	5	Sagamore, Pennsylvania
Rex Brickell	0	Hillsdale, Pennsylvania
C. H. Campbell	1	3911 Kleber St., Pittsburgh 12, Pa.
Ethel Enty		0528 W. Monument St., Colorado Springs, Colo.
H. N. Robinson	5	Sandy Lake, Pennsylvania
T. O. McCracken	5	607 Marion Avenue, S. W. Canton 11, O.
J. L. Landry	2	Houghton, New York
Beulah K. Landry	0	Houghton, New York
Cecil Huntsman	5	113 Lincoln Ave., Punxsutawney, Pa.
Mary Huntsman	5	113 Lincoln Ave., Punxsutawney, Pa.
Clyde A. Blair	5	1204 Coventry St., Akron 1, Ohio
J. W. Dentler		563 "L" Street, Van Buren Homes, Beaver, Pa.
Catharine Carlson	5	Pittsfield, Pennsylvania
Harold R. Waite	3	2821 Liberty Street, Erie, Pa.
Howard L. Speas	1	R. D. 1, Youngsville, Pa.
Ruth Saunders	2	Binkolo, A. W. M., Box 33, Makeni Sierre Leone, West Africa
W. A. Roobie	5	Sandy Lake, Pennsylvania
Helen Dentler		563 "L" Street, Van Buren Homes, Beaver, Pa.
Claude Eshelman	4	122 West James St., Falconer, N. Y.
William Leyshon	5	Sarver, Pennsylvania
Clifford A. Hoiem	5	Middlefield, Ohio
Ruth A. Hoiem	5	Middlefield, Ohio
Andrew J. West	1	Apollo, Pennsylvania
W. G. Steele	4	1367 Copley Road, Akron 20, Ohio
W. N. Saunders	5	Binkolo, A. W. M., Box 33, Makeni Sierre Leone, West Africa

Name	Days Present	Address
Donald P. Jones	5.....	R. D. 4, Mercer, Pennsylvania
William E. Plants	0.....	Fallon, Nevada
Gracia L. Fero	2.....	Houghton, New York
Ivah B. Van Wormer	5.....	413 East Main St., Titusville, Pa.
Dwight L. Robertson	4.....	Oak & 26th Streets, Barberton, Ohio
E. DeWeerd Lupton	5.....	100 McCook Ave., Carrollton, O.
I. D. Swinehart	4.....	1261 Diagonal Road, Akron, Ohio
Harold E. Schmul	5.....	383 Ohio Ave., Rochester, Pa.
Elizabeth Pugh	5.....	Ashville, New York
Harry T. Reid	5.....	Box 52, Wolf Summit, W. Va.
E. Dale Brannon	5.....	528 East 8th Ave., Tarentum, Pa.
Harry T. Trimble	5.....	43 North Cedar St., Niles, O.
Winifred Trimble	5.....	43 North Cedar St., Niles, O.
Charles W. Baker	5.....	R. D. 3, Minerva, Ohio
Walter R. Kopp	5.....	416 East Main St., Titusville, Pa.
Guy E. Terpe	5.....	838 Green Ave., S. W. Massillon, O.
F. E. Satterfield	5.....	1420 Chestnut St., Franklin, Pa.
Raymond L. Kuhn	5.....	457 Fifth St., Struthers, O.
Fred De Cost	4.....	R. D. 1, Simpson, W. Va.
J. C. Himes	5.....	Rimersburg, Pa.
Clarence L. Chess	5.....	Stoneboro, Pennsylvania
W. Henry Ortlip	0.....	Petit Goave, Haiti, West Indies
D. M. Stonebraker	5.....	160 Village St., Johnstown, Pa.
E. R. Barris	4.....	North Springfield, Pa.
Eunice Comadoll	5.....	R. D. 2., Utica, Pa.
Burton Golden	5.....	40 Plummer Street, Oil City, Pa.
Neva Golden	5.....	40 Plummer Street, Oil City, Pa.
Olin M. Pfautz	5.....	Boyers, Pennsylvania
Ada Chess	2.....	R. D* 2, Hadley, Pa.
Delmar R. Kaufman	5.....	1338 Bingham Avenue, Warren, Ohio
L. B. Owens	5.....	R. D. 2., Albion, Pennsylvania
John J. Coon	5.....	Penn Run, Pennsylvania
C. R. McPherson	5.....	Damascus, Ohio
Lorman J. Elliott	5.....	Gipsy, Pennsylvania
George Hawthorn	0.....	R. D. 1 Box 456, Barberton, O.
Donald W. St. Clair	3.....	R. D. 2, Fairview, W. Va.
H. E. Yount	3.....	1260 East 167th Street, Cleveland 10, Ohio
H. B. West	0.....	Apollo, Pennsylvania
E. K. Himes	5.....	Hillsdale, Pennsylvania
H. E. Robertson, Jr.	5.....	R. D. 4, Mercer, Pa.
R. W. Dunn	5.....	2459 31st St., N. E. Canton, O.
Bernard C. Pollock	5.....	605 Randolph St., Meadville, Pa.
Silas West	0.....	Apollo, Pennsylvania
Sherman Beers	5.....	1119 Wilbeth Road, Akron, Ohio
James W. Hersman	0.....	R. D. No. 3, Palestine, W. Va.
Harry W. Kastle	2.....	589 High Grove Blvd., Akron 12, O.
Harold Garvin	0.....	Bethlehem, Pa.
Francis E. Mansill	5.....	1220 Second St., Brownsville, Pa.
Robert Benninger	0.....	Kamakwie, Via Makeni, Sierra Leone, W. Afr.
J. I. Rambo	3.....	Box 42, Intercession City, Florida

Name	Days Present	Address
G. K. Donaldson	0	806 Atem Avenue, Wellsville, Ohio
Frank B. Miller	5	Dixonville, Pennsylvania
Roy J. Wade	5	Nu Mine, Pennsylvania
Earl Smith	5	1030 West 50th St., Ashtabula, O.
Evangeline Dunkerley	2413	9th Ave., Patterson Hgts., Beaver Falls, Pa.
Maurice L. Moore	1	Ellington, New York
Olive M. West	5	Sagamore, Pennsylvania
A. G. Carlson	5	Pittsfield, Pennsylvania
Reed Bennett	5	R. D. 1, Hookstown, Pennsylvania
William C. Cessna	5	Sykesville, Pennsylvania
Mark Larson	5	50 Clarksville St., Greenville, Pa.
A. H. Elsey	5	Mentcle, Pennsylvania
Marjorie Jones	5	R. D. 4., Mercer, Pennsylvania
Mamie Blankenship	4	English, W. Va.

CONFERENCE PREACHERS

Joseph Clinefelter	0	Rushford, New York
Hazel Jones	5	968 Pardee St., Akron 6, Ohio
Cecil Clifton	0	Apollo, Pennsylvania
Alice Clifton	0	Apollo, Pennsylvania
J. Orlando Yount	5	316 West Walnut St., Titusville, Pa.
E. W. Brooks	1	Geneva, Pennsylvania
Mary V. Mohney	5	Templeton, Pennsylvania
Richard E. Terpe	1	838 Green Avenue, S. W., Massillon, O.
Murray M. Maley	3	Shinnston, West Virginia
Harry L. Strait	2	Robertsville, Ohio
C. A. Yarnell	5	Tionesta, Pennsylvania
William Cowan	0	312 Donner Road, North Canton, Ohio
Irene Yount	3	1260 East 167th Street, Cleveland 10, Ohio
L. S. Burchfield	5	R. D. 2, Cochran, Pa.
Kenneth Brannon	5	Templeton, Pennsylvania
Calvin Kopp	0	5328 Vine St., Maple Heights, Ohio
Robert Cherry	5	Strongstown, Pennsylvania
Leona Speas	0	R. D. 1, Youngsville, Pa.
Leona Cramer	0	Great Commission Schools, Anderson, Ind.
Paul Rexrode	4	3246 26th St., S. E., Canton, O.
Dale Holley	4	R. D. 3, Johnstown, Pennsylvania
Charles Lincoln	3	R. D. 3, North East, Pa.
Kenneth J. Hartley	1	R. D. 1, Box 472, Barberton, O.
Paul Hetrick	2	Rimersburgh, Pennsylvania
Paul Halman	2	445 Ewart Road, R. D. 1, Akron 12, O.
Aletha Mae Cain	5	R. D. 1, Hookstown, Pa.
Dwight N. Kopp	2	336 Kansas Avenue, Lorain, Ohio
Robert Milleer	1	Jamestown, Pennsylvania
Paul D. Stonebraker	5	R. D. 1, Glen Campbell, Pa.
John Scott	5	West Union, W. Virginia
C. L. Boston	5	Cooperstown, Pennsylvania
Ellis Yarnell	4	R. D. 1, Utica, Pa.
Alberta Finnicum	2	Spartansburg, Pa.

THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

Name	Days Present	Address
James Hogg	1	2104 Westlawn St., S. W., Warren, O.
Willis Muir	3	330 W. Cambridge St., Alliance, O.
Lois Thornton	0	Mentcle, Pa.
Paul West	0	Apollo, Pa.
Ray Yoder	2	Sligo, Pa.
Wayne Spangler	5	305 Main St., West Middlesex, Pa.
Frank Hicks	5	West Union, W. Virginia
George Adamson	1	Isabella, Pa.
June Adamson	1	Isabella, Pa.
Harold McIntire	0	Care: Lyle McIntyre, Marcus, Ohio
George Kopp, Jr.	3	R. D. 2, Spring Creek, Pa.
Joseph Stephens	1	2302½ W. 8th St., Marion, Ind.
Kenneth O. Brown	4	R. D. 1, Box 408 North Tazewell, Va.
Raymond Huey	0	Hillsdale, Pa.
Dean McIntire	4	R. D. 1, Younsville, Pa.
Martin L. Wambach	1	R. D. 2, Hartville, Ohio
Paul Betz	2	R. D. No. 2, Keyser, W. Va.
Tresa Bradt Markel	0	Means, Kentucky
Harold Markel	0	Means, Kentucky
Charles Wheeler	3	226 Elm St., Franklin, Pa.
Ruth Giles	5	Hillsdale, Pa.
Carl Johnston	0	Indiana, Pa.
George Christy	2	Sherrodsville, Ohio
William Mydock	5	R. D. 2, Valley St., Butler, Pa.
Jack Benninger	0	Isabella, Pennsylvania
Sheridan Rainey	5	310 17th St., Barnesboro, Pa.
William Baker	5	R. D. 3, Minerva, O.
Phyllis Kuhn	0	59 W. Long St., Akron, O.
Priscilla Kuhn	0	59 W. Long St., Akron, O.
J. H. Cyphers	4	R. D. 2, Box 28C Bluefield, W. Va.

NAMES ADDED THIS YEAR

William Shank	R. D. 1, Box 267, Bluefield, Virginia
Roscoe Wilson	652 Newton St. Extension, Talmadge, Ohio
Elwood Hannold	R. D. 2, Homer City, Pa.
Harry Gough	Canton, Ohio
Constance Gough	Canton, Ohio
Glenn Elsey	R. D. 1, Box 535, Barberton, Ohio
Steve Letonek	R. D. 5 Greenville, Pennsylvania
Helen Letonek	R. D. 5 Greenville, Pennsylvania

DELEGATES

Charge	Days Present	Address
Akron First	5	Ethel Balding, Doylestown, Ohio
Akron, Grace	1	Mrs. Beryl Knott, 1241 Grandview Ave., Akron 5, Ohio
Akron, Kenmore	3	Jos. Mullett, R. D. 4 Box 311, Barberton, O.
Akron, Maple Valley	5	Dorothy Staats, 1314 Hawkins Ave., Akron 20, O.
Akron, McLeister	5	Mrs. Claudia Spurlin, Akron, Ohio
Allida Smith Mem.	5	Fred McGary, R. D. 6 Meadville, Pa.
Alliance	3	Ada Conner, 445 W. Main St., Alliance, O.
	1	Anna McPherson, Damascus, Ohio
Annandale	5	Mrs. Mae Martin, R. D. 3, Parker's Landing, Pa.
Apollo	1	Leonard Sayers, R. D. 3, Apollo, Pa.
	0	Ralph Lytle, Star Route, Edri, Pa.
	0	Shirley Aukerman, 706 Oakhill Ave., Apollo, Pa.
Ashtabula	2	Vern Rodger, 1148 W. 9th St., Ashtabula, O.
Ashville	5	Betty Remington, Panama, New York
Barberton	5	Eber Messner, R. D. 1, Barberton, O.
Barkley	4	Mrs. Henry Stiles, R. D. 1, Homer City, Pa.
Bethany	5	Eugene Guntrum, R. D. 3, Rimersburg, Pa.
Bethel	2	George T. Shriver, 53 Montgomery Ave., Waynesburg, Pa.
Blue Eye Chapel	5	John Woodard
Bluefield	0	Mrs. Steve Hurt, R. D. 2, Bluefield, W. Va.
Brown Hill	1	Mabel Nelson, R. D. 1, Youngsville, Pa.
	1	Henry Sword, R. D. 1, Youngsville, Pa.
Brownsville	5	Edra Taylor, 1307 Second St., Brownsville, Pa.
Cabin Run	4	Mrs. Bertha Kesner, Keyser, W. Va.
Canal	5	Gladys Boughner, Rt., 4, Cochranton, Pa.
	5	Grace Rough, Rt. 5, Cochranton, Pa.
Canton, First	5	L. E. Ramsburg, 2011 St. Elmo Ave., Canton, O.
Canton, Second	5	Myrtle Clow, 2359 34th St., N. E. Canton, O.
Carrollton	5	Nellie Gilbough, 47 3rd St., Carrollton, O.
Cecil	5	Alene Maley, R. D. Moatsville, W. Va.
Cleveland, First	5	Mont L. Moore, 3199 West 14th St., Cleveland, O.
Cooperstown	2	E. J. Deeter, Cooperstown, Pennsylvania
Cottage Hill	1	Blair Smith, R. D. New Bethlehem, Pa.
Dixonville	5	Miss Thankful Clawson, Marion Center, Pa.
East Clarksburg	0	No delegate.
East Conneaut	5	Mrs. Mabel Smith, Welton Road, Conneaut, O.
	5	Mrs. Alice Eccleston, Middle Road, Conneaut, O.
English	4	Martha Wampler, English, W. Va.
Erie	2	A. A. Peterson, 3322 Fremont St., Wesleyville, Pa.
Falconer	3	Edwin Pearson, 412 Central Ave., Falconer, N. Y.
	4	Ruth Wilson, 308 Central Ave., Falconer, N. Y.
Franklin	5	Joy Lour, 1309 Franklin Ave., Franklin, Pa.
Greenfield	1	Kenneth Lindsey, R. D. 4, North East, Pa.
Greenville	5	Mrs. Mary Hoobler, 141 W. Main St., Greenville, Pa.
	1	Steve Latonek, R. D. 5, Greenville, Pa.

Charge	Days Present	Address
Greenwood-Salem	5	May Armour, R. D. 2, Cochranon, Pa.
	5	Frank Davidson, R. D., 2 Greenville, Pa.
	5	Walter Armour, R. D. 2, Cochranon, Pa.
	5	Lawrence Stevenson, R. D. 3, Greenville, Pa.
Hadley	4	Gerritt Vanderveen, R. D., Fredonia, Pa.
Hampe Mem.	5	Leroy E. Mansell, Rt. 3, Box 260, Kent, O.
	5	Edith Wilson, 856 Perry Rd., Talmadge, O.
Harbor	1	W. F. Crosby, R. D. 1, Corry, Pa.
Hillville	1	Joseph Rettig, R. D. 1, West Monterey, Pa.
Hooversville	3	Clifford Thomas, Hooversville, Pa.
Indiana	3	Mrs. Mary Fetterman, 266 Olive St., Indiana, Pa.
Isabella	1	Dorothy Yoder, Isabella, Pennsylvania
Johnstown	3	Dwight Buchanan, R. D. 1, Conemaugh, Pa.
Keepville	5	Esther Brooks, R. D. 2, Albion, Pa.
Loyal Oak	5	Anne Hartley, R. D. 1, Box 472, Barberton, O.
Luciusboro	1	Mary Smith, R. D. 2, Homer City, Pa.
Massillon	5	W. E. DeHass, 11-16th St., S. W. Massillon, O.
Meadville	5	Edwin Randall, R. D., Meadville, Pa.
Mechanicsburg	5	Ruth Dawson, R. D. 1, Hookstown, Pa.
Mentle	5	Leonard Snyder, R. D., Penn Run, Pa.
Middlefield	5	Marilyn McHugh, Rt. 3, Middlefield, O.
	5	John McHugh, Rt. 3, Middlefield, O.
Mt. Calvary	5	Mrs. Earl Wingert, 307 W. Line St., Minerva, O.
New Castle	4	Vera Barker, 929 Adams St., New Castle, Pa.
Niles	4	Armia Brown, R. D., Warren, Pa.
	4	Amanda Goumer, Leavittsburg, Ohio
North Springfield	4	Louise Weaver, North Springfield, Pa.
	4	Caroline Barris, North Springfield, Pa.
Nu Mine	5	Mrs. Alvie Troup, R. D., Dayton, Pa.
Oak Grove	5	W. G. Alexander, R. D. 3, Mercer, Pa.
	5	Vernace Chess, R. D. 1, Fredonia, Pa.
Oil City	2	Ralph Stevens 56 Plummer St., Oil City, Pa.
	2	Raymond Neil, R. D. 4, Oil City, Pa.
Olive Hill	0	Carol Croston, Mariden, W. Va.
Penn Run	1	Forrest Coy, R. D. 2, Clymer, Pa.
Pine Grove	3	Dorothy Cessna, Hillsdale, Pa.
Pittsburgh	5	Andrew Kmetz, 129 Oak Way, Rankin, Pa.
Pittsfield	5	Janice Hazeltine, R. D. 1, Pittsfield, Pa.
	5	Mrs. Will Durlin, Pittsfield, Pa.
Pleasant View	5	Mrs. Mary Shaner, Cherry Tree, Pa.
Punxsutawney	3	Mrs. Lole Sloniger, R. D. 3, Punxsutawney, Pa.
Riverview	3	Miss Wanda Gossard, 598 E. Madison, Rochester, Pa.
Robertsville	0	No delegate
Rochester	5	Dr. Lucile McMahon, 154 Monroe St., Rochester, Pa.
	5	Martha Mason, 385 Vermont Ave., Rochester, Pa.
Rock Run	5	Helen Spencer, Star Route, West Union, W. Va.

Charge	Days Present	Address
Sagamore	5	Ralph Rummell, Plumville, Pa.
	5	Mildred Rummell, Plumville, Pa.
Sandy Lake	4	Mrs. Nell Barker, Sandy Lake, Pennsylvania
	5	Percy Jones, R. D. 2, Stoneboro, Pa.
Sarver	3	Walter Smith, R. D. 2, Sarver, Pa.
Smithport	4	Mrs. Frank Bartlebaugh, Marion Center, Pa.
Soldier	1	Enoch Yohe, Sykesville, Pa.
	1	Mrs. Enoch Yohe, Sykesville, Pa.
Spruce Grove	1	Royden Coy, Hillsdale, Pa.
Stewart Run	5	Mrs. Rachel Dryer, Tionesta, Pa.
	0	Howard C. Plyler, Tionesta, Pa.
Tarentum	5	Mrs. Marie Clay, 733 Hazlett Ave., Brackenridge, Pa.
Tazewell	0	Gladys Perkins, Rt. 1, Box 408, North Tazewell, Va.
Templeton, Colored	0	No delegate
Templeton, Zion	4	Mrs. Gladys Duncan, Rt. 1, Mahoning, Pa.
Titusville	2	Glen Gifford, R. D. 2, Titusville, Pa.
	4	Charles Ewing, 317 N. Drake St., Titusville, Pa.
	4	Hattie Ewing, 317 N. Drake St., Titusville, Pa.
	5	George Stone, 725 W. Spring St., Titusville, Pa.
Vanport	5	Mrs. Betty Naugle, Phillips St., Baden, Pa.
	0	Kathern Hamilton, Jefferson St., Vanport, Pa.
West Fairfield	2	Retta Stallsmith, Hadley, Pennsylvania
Warren	1	Fred Kaufman, 1338 Bingham Ave., Warren, O.
	0	Leonard Star, 1338 Bingham Ave., Warren, Ohio.
West Hill	2	Retha Maley, Box 292, Shinnston, W. Va.
West Middlesex	1	Edith Sweesey, Chestnut St., W. Middlesex, Pa.
White Memorial	5	Carrie Henneman, 1526½ Belmont Ave., Youngstown, Ohio
Wilgus	5	Geneva Gaston, Glen Campbell, Pa.
Wolf Summit	5	Garnet Swisher, Wolf Summit, West Virginia

Directory of Churches, Location And Pastor's Phone Number

Church Name	Location	Pastor's Phone Number
Akron, First—West South and Kenyon Streets, Akron, O.		PO 2-292
Akron, Grace—1236 Eastwood, Akron, O. Rt. 261 East Akron, Ohio		JE 5-8589
Akron, Kenmore—Corner 26th St. and Wilbeth Road, Akron, Ohio (Kenmore)		
Akron, Maple Valley—1361 Copley Road, Akron, Ohio. (West)		UN 47787
Akron, McLeister Memorial—1214 Coventry St., Akron, O. (Corner Coventry and Clifford Streets, Firestone Park.)		PK 4-9437
Alliance—330 West Cambridge Street, Alliance, Ohio.		Alliance 4180
Allida Smith Memorial—Meadville, Pa. One mile north of Visco Plant at Black Corners		Meadville 27870
Annandale—Boyers, Pa. Butler County, one mile south on Route 308.		Harrisville 3369
Apollo—North Apollo, Pa. Route 66.		Oklahoma 3581
Ashtabula—825 Joseph Avenue, Ashtabula, O.		Ashtabula 26855
Ashville—Ashville, New York.		Lakewood 5-432
Barberton—26th Street and Oak Avenue		Akron SH 5-3685
Barkley—Three miles north of Dilltown, Pa., on black-top town road.	Dilltown-Strongs-	Nanty Glo 6408
Bethany—2 miles east of Rimersburg on Route 864		Bethany 4W2
Bethel—Village of Daybrook, W. Va.		Daybrook 16R22
Blue Eye Chapel—Two miles north of Spring Creek, Pa.,	Warren County.	Corry 21594
Bluefield—Bluefield, West Virginia		
Brown Hill—Youngsville, Pa. Four miles north on Youngsville-Chandlers Valley road.		Youngsville 33-432
Brownsville—1220 Second Street, Brownsville, Pa.		Brownsville 2156
Cabin Run—Route 46 between Fort Ashby and Keyser, W. Virginia.		Ridgely, W. Va. 848J2
Canal—Nine miles northwest of Franklin, Pa., half mile off Route 322 at Hannaville..		Cochrannton 2000
Canton, First—Corner Sixth Street and Marion Avenue, S. W. Canton, Ohio.		Canton 3-2612
Canton, Second—31st and Royal Avenue, N. E., Canton, Ohio. One block off U. S. Route 62, just outside city limits.		Canton 34-649
Carrollton—100 McCook Avenue, Carrollton, Ohio		Carrollton 311M
Cecil: Knottsville—Five miles east of Grafton, W. Va., one-third mile west off black-top road		Shinnston 870J3
Mount View—Barber County, Route 119 from Grafton, W. Va. Take black-top road toward Arden. Church near Moatsville, W. Va.		
Pritchard—Route 119 from Grafton, W. Va., turn south at service station on Arden Road two miles, left on stone road to Clemtown, one mile to Church.		
Cleveland—1260 East 167th Street, Cleveland 10, Ohio		
Cooperstown—Cooperstown, Pa. Route 427, ten miles north of Franklin, Pa.		Franklin, Hemstead 9-2173

Church Name	Location	Pastor's Phone Number
Cottage Hill—One mile west of New Bethlehem, Pa., on Rimersburg Road.	Rimersburg 4R711	
Dixonville—Dixonville, Pennsylvania	Clymer 42395	
East Clarksburg—Fowler Avenue and Allen Street, Clarksburg, W. Va.	Clarksburg 31802	
East Conneaut—Main and Furnace Road (Rt. 20)	Conneaut 22-216	
English—English, W. Va., State Route 16		
Erie—29th and Liberty Streets, Erie, Pa. (West side)	Erie 41275	
Fairmont—Fairmont, West Virginia	Daybrook 16R22	
Falconer—126 West James Street, Falconer, N. Y.	Jamestown 46-745	
Franklin—Buffalo at 14th Street, Franklin, Pa.	Franklin Idlewood 25366	
Greenfield—(Little Hope) R. D. 3, North East, Pa.	North East 1305R11	
Greenville—50 Clarksville Street, Greenville, Pa. Route 18 West Side.	Greenville 1962	
Greenwood—Four and seven-tenth miles north of Sheakleyville, Pa., on Route 19, two-tenths mile east on gravel road.	Sheakleyville 2473	
North Salem—West of Sheakleyville, black-top road toward Conneaut Lake, first black-top to left to church.		
Hadley—Hadley, Pa., just off Route 358, north	Geneva, Pa.	
Hampe Memorial—Talmadge, Ohio. On Newton Street Extension, near Monroe Road.	Akron, Stadium 4-7495	
Harbor—One and one-half miles east of Concord Corners, near Corry, Pa.		
Cottage Hill—Four and one-half miles east of Union City on Concord Road.		
Hillville—Hillville, Pa. Eight miles east of Parker's Landing		
Hooversville—Hooversville, Pa.		
Indiana—12th and Church Streets, Indiana, Pa.	Indiana 52779	
Isabella—Isabella, Pa.		
Johnstown—Park and Village Streets, Johnstown, Pa. (Moxham)	Johnstown 97358	
Keepville—Albion, Pa. One and one-half miles south on Route 18, one mile west on gravel road.	Albion 5211	
Loyal Oak—One-half mile west of Loyal Oak, Ohio, on Route 261.		
Luciusboro—Luciusboro, Pa., Indiana County. Three and one-half miles east of Homer City on Route 56, right on black-top at city line.	Homer City 99704	
Massillon—9th Street and Green Avenue, S. W., Massillon, O.	Massillon 9054	
Meadville—Randolph and Jefferson Streets, Meadville, Pa.	Meadville 50-125	
Mechanicsburg—18 miles south of Rochester, Pa., on Route 18.		
	Hookstown 3963	
Pleasant Hill—Two miles west of intersection of Rt. 18 and 30, left two miles on black-top road.		
Shippingport—Shippingport, Pa. On Route 118 toward Hookstown.		
Mentcle—Mentcle, Pa. (Indiana County)	Barnesboro 8108J1	
Middlefield—Middlefield, Ohio, West High St.	Middlefield 25431	
Mount Calvary—Minerva, Ohio. Freed Road off Route 80, South of New Franklin, Ohio, one mile west. Box 78.	Minerva 17F32	
New Castle—412 Lyndall St., South Side, New Castle, Pennsylvania	New Castle Oliver 27582	

Church Name	Location	Pastor's Phone Number
Niles—43 North Cedar Street,	Niles, Ohio.	OL 2-6695
North Springfield—North Springfield,	Pa. 20 miles west of Erie on Route 5.	West Springfield 2903
Nu Mine—Nu Mine,	Pa. 13 miles east of Kittanning.	Rural Valley 2382
Oak Grove—Six miles west of Stoneboro,	Pa., East of Fairview one mile off	
	Route 19, R. D. 4, Mercer, Pa.	Fredonia 2401
Oil City—40 Plummer Street,	Oil City, Pa.	Oil City 64-352
Olive Hill—Phillipi, W. Va.,	Maridon Road to Chestnut Ridge Road at end	
	of pavement keep right to church	Grafton 2113
Penn Run—Penn Run,	Pennsylvania	Indiana 57-705
Pine Grove—One mile east of Arcadia,	Pa. (Indiana County)	Cherry Tree Pioneer 36952
	Hillsdale—Hillsdale, Pennsylvania	
Pittsburgh—Ross and Center Streets.	(904 Center) Wilkinsburg, Pittsburgh 21	
	Pennsylvania.	Freemont 1-1611
Pittsfield—Pittsfield,	Pa. On Route 27.	Youngsville 42-721
Pleasant View—Two and one-half miles from	Barnesboro, Pennsylvania.	
		Barnesboro 201R
Punxsutawney—Lincoln and Cleveland Street,	Punxsutawney, Pa.	
		Punxsutawney 1382M
Riverview—1820 West 8th St., off	Darlington Road, Beaver Falls, Pa.	
		Beaver Falls 3665J
Robertsville—Robertsville,	Ohio	Paris UN 23967
Rochester—Ohio Ave., and Reno St.,	Rochester, Pa.	Rochester 4105R
Rock Run—One mile east of West Union,	W. Va., On Route 50, one mile left.	
		West Union 5842
Sagamore—Third Street,	Sagamore, Pa., (Armstrong County)	Rural Valley 2768
Sandy Lake—Lake St., (Franklin Rd.),	Sandy Lake, Pa. (Mercer County)	
		Sandy Lake 3563
Zion—Three and one-half miles south of	Sandy Lake on Route 78.	
Sarver—Sarver,	Pa.	Saxonburg 157R41
Smithport—Smithport,	Pa. Near Glen Campbell, Indiana Co.	
		Glen Campbell Viking 57881
Soldier—Reynoldsville Road.	Twin Oaks.	Sykesville 45291
Stewart Run—Five miles northeast of	Tionesta, Pa., on Route 327	
		Tionesta 109R3
Tarentum—528 East 8th Avenue,	Tarentum, Pa.	Tarentum 2309
Tazewell—Hotel Avenue,	Tazewell, Va.	Tazewell 454W1
Templeton, Colored—Templeton,	Pa.	
Templeton, Zion—Templeton,	Pa.	Templeton 2244
Titusville—106 East Spruce Street,	Titusville, Pa.	Titusville 39005
Vanport—Vanport,	Pa. Three miles west of Rochester on Route 68.	
		Beaver 3782M
Warren—Corner Clermont and Elm Streets.	N. E., Warren, Ohio. State	
	Route 5.	Warren 52-344
West Fairfield—Four and one-half miles north of	Sheakleyville, Pa., on Route	
	19, two miles east on gravel road.	
West Hill—Route 115, five miles south of	Grafton, W. Va., one mile north	
	on dirt road.	Shinnston 870J3

Church Name	Location	Pastor's Phone Number
West Middlesex	South Street, West Middlesex, Pa.	West Middlesex 420
White Memorial	Fifth and Lincoln Street, Struthers, Ohio	Youngstown Plaza 54-820
Wilgus	Wilgus, Pa. 3 miles north east of Hillsdale, Indiana County.	Glen Campbell Viking 57644
Wolf Summit	Wolf Summit, W. Va.	Clarksburg 2-2920

PIONEER MISSION CHURCHES

Abb's Valley	Abb's Valley, W. Va.	Tazewell, Virginia 454W1
Butler	North Butler, Pa., East Brady Street to N. Butler	Butler 32984
Jamestown	Jamestown, Pa.	Jamestown 3633
Lakeview	Corner Old Home and Ewart Road, Akron, O.	Akron St 4-8582
North Canton Gospel Tabernacle	Charlotte St., North Canton, Ohio	Canton 91-553
Conference President's Telephone Number		Titusville 34-271
Conference Vice President's Telephone Number		Titusville 3-5923
Conference Pioneer Secretary's Telephone Number		Damascus, O. 870
Stoneboro Camp Ground's Office		Stoneboro 4135
Stoneboro Camp Caretaker's Telephone Number		Stoneboro 4503

Journal of Daily Proceedings**THE OFFICIAL RECORD**

First Day—June 8, Tuesday A. M.

The Allegheny Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America convened for its one hundred eleventh annual session at the Camp Grounds of the Stoneboro Wesleyan Camp Meeting Association, Stoneboro, Pa., at 9:00 a. m. June 8, 1954. The President, Rev. H. C. Van Wormer, called the session to order. Devotional singing, "Wonderful Peace" and "It is Mine" was led by William Leyshon. Prayer by Evangelist D. P. Jones. Singing "Constantly Abiding." H. C. Van Wormer presented the opening message from II Thessalonians 2 and I Chronicles 12:32. Closed by prayer by C. C. Cross.

Roll Call: 64 Elders, 17 Conference Preachers.

Bar of Conference Determined: The platform and twelve seats in two center tiers.

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

Report: Credentials Committee read names of 98 Delegates. Names placed on roll and called. 54 responded.

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

Order of Day Established: Election of Conference officers and delegates to the General Conference to be Wednesday at 10:00 a. m.

Report: Committee on Religious Services read and approved. (See Religious Services.)

Name of President, H. C. Van Wormer, called. Vice-president took the chair and the president reported. Item III was referred to the Boundaries Committee. Item XIII referred to the Auditing Committee. Item XIV, 8 referred by vote to the Conference Trustees with authority to act. Balance of report adopted. (See Report No. 1)

The President returned to the chair.

Adjourned by limitation. Benediction by H. N. Robinson.

First Day—June 8, Tuesday P. M.

Devotional singing led by F. B. Miller. Prayer by C. A. Blair. Message by A. Mark Larson.

Roll Call: 63 Elders, 19 Conference Preachers, 58 Delegates.

Report: Credentials Committee presented four additional names. Names placed on roll and called. Two responded.

In the absence of Chairman of Sale of Conference Minutes, Lorman J. Elliott was elected to take charge of Minutes. Price set at twenty-five cents for sale on Conference floor.

Names called, character passed and reports given: W. H. Armstrong, Guy E. Terpe, T. W. Comadoll, C. A. Blair, C. C. Cross, Jos. B. Markey, Georgia Markey, C. A. West.

Report: Pension Treasurer read and referred to Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 19.)

Report: Group Insurance Secretary-Treasurer read and referred to Auditing Committee. Recommendation referred by vote. (See Report No. 18.)

Report: Conference Treasurer read and referred to Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 29.)

Report: Conference Trustees read and referred to Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 16.)

Report: Aid Treasurer read and referred to Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 17)

Vice-president called to the chair.

Report: Stoneboro Camp Meeting President read and adopted. (See Report No. 23.) A rising vote of thanksgiving was taken on account of the securing and occupying of the new tabernacle.

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

Name called, character passed and reports given: T. O. McCracken, J. W. Dentler, W. A. Robbie, Claude Eshelman, H. N. Robinson, Wm. Leyshon, W. G. Steele, D. P. Jones, Marjorie Jones, E. D. Lupton, L. D. Swinehart, H. E. Schmul, Elizabeth Pugh.

Minutes read and approved

Adjourned by motion. Benediction by I. D. Swinehart.

Second Day—June 9, Wednesday A. M.

Devotional singing led by H. E. Robertson, Sr. Prayer by F. E. Satterfield. Message by H. E. Robertson, Sr.

Roll Call: 64 Elders, 24 Conference Preachers, 80 Delegates.

Report: Committee on Boundaries read and adopted. (See Report No. 8.)

Report: Credentials Committee, presented Cabin Run delegate and delegates from newly organized churches. Name placed on roll and called.

Presentation: Rev. Kendell, evangelist of the Kentucky Conference. Rev. James Cyphers, pastor of the newly organized Bluefield church. Special prayer for Sister Cyphers who was ill, led by C. C. Cross.

Names called character passed and reports given: H. A. Markell, C. A. Hoiem, Harry T. Reid, Harry Kastle.

Report: Sunday School Secretary read and approved. (See Report No. 9.)

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

Report: Vice President, T. A. Robertson read and accepted. (See Report No. 1.)

Order of Day: Election of Officers: 10:00 a. m. Tellers appointed: First Team, Captain, William Leyshon, Kenneth Brennon, Sheridan Rainey, E. K. Himes. Second Team: Captain, H. E. Schmul, Harry T. Reid, Bernard C. Pollock, J. W. Dentler. By motion tellers to tally ballots and report to the Secretary. Election resulted as follows:

President: H. C. Van Wormer, 164 of 176 ballots, first voting.

THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

Vice-President: T. A. Robertson, 157 of 177 ballots, first voting.

Secretary: Jos. B. Markey, 166 of 176 ballots, first voting.

Pioneer Secretary: C. R. McPherson, 162 of 168 ballots, first voting.

Lay Trustee: P. J. Lindquist, 158 of 171 ballots, first voting.

General Conference Delegate: First Ministerial: H. C. Van Wormer, 135 of 168 ballots, first voting.

Report: Credentials Committee presented Warren delegates. Names placed on roll and called.

Names called, character passed and reports given: E. D. Brannon, H. A. Trimble, Charles Baker, F. E. Satterfield, R. L. Kuhn, J. C. Himes, Olin M. Pfautz, Ada Chess, D. R. Kaufman, L. J. Elliott. (Offering taken for the Secretary amounting to \$71.99.)

Mission Board presented nomination for Pioneer Secretary: C. R. McPherson. Ballot cast and nominee elected.

Presentation: Dr. and Mrs. I. F. McLeister, Syracuse, New York.

Names called: H. E. Yount, Irene Yount, B. C. Pollock.

A motion was offered to instruct the Delegates to the General Conference to cast a negative ballot on the question of Church Merger when the matter comes before the General Conference.

A divided vote was called for and authorized by vote. The resulting vote was 85 aye and one nay by the Ministerial body and 90 aye by the laymen.

Adjourned by limitation. Benediction by R. W. Dunn.

Second Day—June 9, Wednesday P. M.

Devotional singing led by Dwight N. Kopp. Charles A. West prayed. E. D. Lupton gave the devotional message.

Roll Call: Ommitted by common consent.

Report: Credentials Committee presented Isabella delegates. Name placed on roll and called.

Election resumed: Ballot cast for second Ministerial delegate.

Ballot cast for first Lay delegate.

Motion made and carried to instruct the General Conference delegates to oppose any liberalization of our Disciplinary regulation concerning the wedding ring.

Report: Ministerial Institute read and financial item referred to the Auditing Committee. Balance of report adopted. (See Report No. 7.)

Names Called: William Cessna, F. E. Mansell.

Lay Delegates: Report of tally for first Lay Delegate. No election.

Ministerial Delegate: Report of ballot for second Ministerial delegate: T. A. Robertson, 93 of 166 ballots, first voting.

Ballot cast for third Ministerial delegate.

Name called: D. B. Hampe. This was Brother Hampe's final report to the Allegheny Conference as a pastor, he having accepted the superannuate appointment after 57 years of faithful labors.

Lay Delegate: Report of the second ballot for first Lay delegate: Frank Davison, 143 of 162 ballots.

Ballot cast for second Lay delegate.

Ministerial Delegate: Report of ballot for third Ministerial delegate, W. H. Armstrong, 119 of 162 ballots, first voting.

Ballot cast for fourth Ministerial delegate.

Names called: Dwight N. Kopp, George Adamson, Paul Hetrick, Martin Wambach, A. J. West.

Report: Ballot for second Lay delegate. No election. Second ballot cast.

Name called: C. L. Boston.

Report of ballot for fourth Ministerial delegate. No election. Second ballot cast.

Lay Delegate: Report of second ballot for second Lay delegate, M. L. Moore, 103 of 153 ballots.

Ballot cast for third Lay delegate.

Names called: Paul Halman, A. H. Elsey, Reed Bennett.

Lay Delegate: Report of ballot for third Lay delegate, Eber Messner, first voting, 116 of 153 ballots.

Report of second ballot for fourth Ministerial delegate. No election. Third ballot cast.

Recessed by motion to the call of the chair.

Third Day—June 10, Thursday A. M.

Devotional singing led by E. K. Himes. Prayer by H. E. Robertson, Sr. Message by Sheridan Rainey.

Roll Call: 71 Elders, 28 Conference Preachers, 86 Delegates.

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

Ministerial Delegate: Report of third ballot for fourth Ministerial Delegate: I. F. McLeister 115 of 160 ballots.

Ballot cast for fifth Ministerial delegate.

Ballot cast for fourth Lay delegate.

Report: Chairman of Akron District read and accepted. (See Report No. 27.)

Motion carried to authorize the president to appoint a Committee to facilitate seating of delegates at opening of Conference.

Names called, character passed and reports given: A. Mark Larson, Willis Muir, L. S. Burchfield.

Ministerial Delegate: Report of ballot for fifth Ministerial delegate, T. W. Comadoll, 89 of 159 ballots, first voting.

Ballot cast for sixth Ministerial delegate.

Report: of ballot for fourth Lay delegate. No election. Second ballot cast.

Report: Chairman of Indiana District read and accepted. (See Report No. 27.)

Report: Itineracy and Orders Committee reported recommendations to Elders Orders. Item adopted by vote. (See Report No. 2.)

Names Called: W. N. Saunders, Ruth Saunders, D. M. Stonebraker.

Report of ballot for sixth Ministerial delegate. No election.

Lay Delegate: Report of second ballot for fourth Lay delegate, V. E. Sell, 126 of 178 ballots.

Presentation: Dr. Stephen W. Paine and Dean Lynup of Houghton College, Houghton, New York.

Ballot cast for sixth Ministerial delegate, second voting.

Ballot cast for fifth Lay delegate.

Names called: Roy J. Wade, Earl Smith.

Report of second ballot for sixth Ministerial delegate. No election.

Order of Day: 10:00 a. m. **The Conference Sermon:** Singing led by Wm. Leyshon. Prayer by I. D. Swinehart. Message by C. R. McPherson. (See Religious Services.)

Adjourned by limitation.

Third Day—June 10, Thursday P. M.

Devotional in charge of Kenneth O. Brown. Singing led by R. L. Kuhn. Prayer by J. H. Cyphers.

Roll Call: Omitted by common consent.

Report of ballot for fifth Lay delegate. No election.

Order of Day: The Educational Representative: The Houghton Male Quartette sang. Dr. Paine spoke on interests relating to Houghton College, also on Church Union with the Free Methodist church. He spoke in behalf of his daughter, Marjorie, who has been a victim of polio. Prayer was offered by H. N. Robinson in behalf of Houghton College, Marjorie Paine, T. O. McCracken and Willis Muir.

Third ballot cast for sixth Ministerial delegate.

Second ballot cast for fifth Lay delegate.

Names called: Oneida J. Gleason, Cecil Huntsman, Dean McIntire.

Ministerial Delegate: Report of third ballot for sixth Ministerial delegate, Jos. B. Markey, 93 of 155 ballots.

Lay Delegate: Report of second ballot for fifth Lay delegate, Walter Armour, 79 of 149 ballots.

Report: Chairman Titusville District read and accepted. (See Report No. 27.)

Ballot cast for sixth Lay delegate.

Report: N. A. E. Delegate read and accepted. (See Report No. 24.)

Name called: Wayne Spangler.

Lay Delegate: Report of ballot for sixth Lay delegate, W. E. DeHass, 99 of 143 ballots, first voting.

Ministerial Delegate: Report of third ballot for seventh Ministerial delegate, J. C. Himes, 84 of 143 ballots.

Ballot cast for first Ministerial reserve delegate.

Names called: Burton Golden, Robert Miller, F. B. Miller, Wm. Mydock.

Report of ballot for first Ministerial Reserve delegate. No election.
Second ballot cast.

Report of ballot for seventh Lay delegate. No election. Second ballot cast.

Recessed by motion to the call of the chair.

Fourth Day—June 11, Friday A. M.

Devotional in charge of Ladies of the W. M. S. Singing led by Marjorie Edwards. Prayer by Mamie Blankenship. Message by Hazel Jones.

Roll Call: 65 Elders, 30 Conference Preachers, 84 Delegates.

Report Credentials Committee two additional names. Names placed on roll and called.

Presentation: Dr. Rufus D. Riesdorph, Denominational Sunday School Secretary, Houghton, New York.

Reserve Ministerial Delegate: Report of second ballot for first Reserve Ministerial delegate, T. O. McCracken, 97 of 163 ballots.

Ballot cast for second Reserve Ministerial delegate.

Report of second ballot for seventh Lay delegate. No election. The third ballot cast.

Names called: character passed and report given: J. F. Merrifield.

Report of ballot for second Reserve Ministerial delegate. No election. Second ballot cast.

Lay Delegate: Report of third ballot for seventh Lay delegate, Ralph Rummell, 122 of 142 ballots.

Report: Secretary of Evangelism, H. E. Schmul, read and accepted. (See Report No. 11.)

Ministerial Reserve Delegate: Report of second ballot for second Reserve Ministerial delegate, C. R. McPherson, 150 of 175 ballots.

Ballot cast for first Reserve Lay Delegate.

Sunday School Secretary nominated, H. E. Robertson and T. O. McCracken, T. O. McCracken elected.

Ballot cast for third Reserve Ministerial delegate.

Report: Committee to Nominate Mission Board read and approved. (See Report No. 6.)

Report: Tithing Secretary read and approved. (See Report No. 15.)

Reserve Lay Delegate: Report of ballot for first Reserve Lay delegate, Thankful Clawson, 90 of 155 ballots.

Ballot cast for second Reserve Lay delegate.

Reserve Ministerial Delegate: Report of ballot for third Reserve Ministerial Delegate, Charles C. Cross, 102 of 160 ballots.

Presentation: Rev. Goodspeed, Missionary to West Indies, South Dakota Conference.

Ballot cast for fourth Reserve Ministerial delegate.

Reserve Lay Delegate: Report of ballot for second Reserve Lay delegate, Homer Waid, 152 of 164 ballots.

Ballot cast for third Reserve Lay delegate.

Name called: I. F. McLeister.

Proposed Amendment to Standing Resolution No. 1 by W. G. Steele.

Report of ballot for fourth Reserve Ministerial Delegate. No election. Second ballot cast.

Reserve Lay Delegate: Report of ballot for third Reserve Lay delegate, Jay Lour, 118 of 156 ballots.

Ballot cast for fourth Reserve Lay delegate.

Names Called: Gracia L. Fero, W. R. Kopp.

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

Reserve Ministerial Delegate: Report of the second ballot for Reserve Ministerial delegate, E. K. Himes, 108 of 167 ballots.

Reserve Lay Delegate: Report of ballot for fourth Reserve Lay delegate, Edwin Pearson, 141 of 153 ballots.

Name called: C. H. Campbell.

Ballot cast for Ministerial Trustee.

Motion carried that the Auditing and Finance Committee be instructed to secure services for Rest Rooms as recommended by it in last year's report.

Proposed Amendment to Standing Resolution No. 5 and No. 11 offered by the Secretary.

Names called: H. L. Speas, James Hogg, C. A. Yarnell.

Ministerial Trustee: Report of ballot for Ministerial Trustee, T. W. Comadoll, 132 of 169 ballots.

Recessed by motion to call of the chair of Committee work.

Fourth Day—June 11, Friday P. M.

Devotional singing led by a member of the Houghton Quartette. Prayer by Kenneth Brannon. The Houghton Male Quartette sang. Message by Educational Secretary, F. E. Satterfield.

Roll Call: Omitted by common consent.

Order of Day having arrived to hear the Denominational Representative, Wm. Leyshon led in singing. Professor Hines of Houghton sang "Holy, Holy Is What the Angels Sing." Dr. Rufus Reisdorph presented the Denominational Representative's Message. Prayer by F. E. Mansell. Professor Hines sang "Ship Ahoy."

Commission on Child Evangelism presented names of Ruth Giles as Secretary of Child Evangelism. Nomination approved by vote.

Report: Committee on Vacancy read and approved. (See Report No. 15.)

Report: Sale of Conference Minutes read by L. J. Elliott and referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 22.)

Report Resolutions Committee read and adopted. (See Report No. 25.)

Names called, character passed and reports given: Ellis Yarnell, R. W. Dunn.

Motion presented by H. E. Schmul to secure more equitable representation on Houghton Board of Managers. Laid on table for further information.

Amendment to Standing Resolution presented by W. G. Steele lost.

Names called: Sherman J. Beers, John Scott, John J. Coon, Edna Patterson, Kenneth Brannon, Paul Betz.

Itineracy and Orders Member nominated, G. E. Terpe and C. C. Cross. G. E. Terpe elected.

Adjourned by motion. Benediction by M. M. Maley.

Fifth Day—June 12, Saturday A. M.

Devotional singing led by K. J. Hartley. Prayer by M. M. Maley. Message by Tithing Secretary, F. E. Mansell.

Roll Call: 75 Elders, 33 Conference Preachers, 76 Delegates.

Motion to change wording of Tithing Report offered by Tithing Secretary, F. E. Mansell, adopted.

Report: Mission Board read by Secretary, R. W. Dunn, and referred to Auditing Committee. (See Report No. 5.)

Sunday School Board nominated by Secretary, T. O. McCracken, H. E. Schmul and C. A. Blair. Nominations approved by vote.

Report: Auditing and Finance Committee read and adopted as a whole. (See Report No. 4.)

Motion by C. C. Cross to contribute the sum of \$100.00 to the N. A. E. approved by vote.

Matter of Houghton Representation lifted from the table, amended and adopted as a Memorial to General Conference. (See Report No. 28.)

Names called, character passed and reports given: A. G. Carlson, Catharine Carlson, Paul Rexrode, Frank Hicks, George Kopp, Jr.

Presentation: Jack Crisner and Glenn Elsey from Allentown Bible School.

Report: Statistical Committee read and adopted by rising vote of appreciation. (See Report No. 30.)

Report: Itineracy and Orders read by C. E. Huntsman. Adopted as a whole. (See Report No. 2.)

Names called: D. L. Robertson, M. M. Maley.

Report: Pastoral Relations Committee read by M. L. Moore. By motion advanced to third reading and adopted. (See Report No. 3.)

Names called: George Christy, Sheridan Rainey, W. L. Baker, J. H. Cpyhers, Ruth Giles, Charles Lincoln.

Report: Educational Secretary read and accepted. (See Report No. 12.)

Names called: Ray Yoder, Alberta Finnicum, Aletha Cain, Kenneth Hartley, E. K. Himes.

Adjourned by limitation. Benediction by E. R. Barris.

Fifth Day—June 12, Saturday P. M.

Devotional singing led by C. A. Hoien. Prayer by E. K. Himes. Message by Burial Secretary, E. R. Barris.

Roll Call omitted by common consent.

Names called, character passed and reports given: J. O. Yount, Ivah B. Van Wormer, Winifred Trimble, Helen Dentler, Ruth Hoien, Fred DeCost, William Shank for Abby's Valley, H. E. Robertson Jr., Eunice Comadoll, Olive M. West, H. E. Robertson Sr., H. R. Waite C. L. Chess, (A vote of appreciation given Mt. Calvary for their forbearance in allowing absence of Rev. Chess to care for Camp Grounds.) E. R. Barris, Neva Golden, L. B. Owens, D. W. St. Clair, J. I. Rambo, Evangeline Dunkerley, Maurice M. Moore, Mamie Blankenship, Kenneth O. Brown, E. W. Brooks, J. L. Landrey, Joseph Stephens, Harold McIntire, report read by Delegate, Kenmore report read by Secretary.

Report: Chairman West Virginia District read and accepted. (See Report No. 27.)

Report: Burial Secretary read and adopted. (See Report No. 14.)

Report: Chairman New Castle District read and accepted. (See Report N. 27.)

Proposed Amendment to Standing Resolution No. 5 making Secretary the Credentials Committee Chairman, adopted. Proposal to eliminate Standing Resolution No. 11 lost. (See Standing Resolutions.)

Names called: Dale Holley, Robert Cherry, Harry L. Strait, Richard Terpe, Mary Mohney.

Ballot cast for Conference Treasurer. A. G. Carlson elected by 125 of 125 ballots.

The Secretary reported 15 Elders and 12 Conference Preachers reported by letter. One Elder and six Conference Preachers failed to report.

Assistant Secretary elected: F. B. Miller, nominated by Secretary.

Tithing Secretary nominated, F. E. Mansell and P. D. Stonebraker. F. E. Mansell elected.

Secretary of Evangelism, H. E. Schmul nominated and elected.

Secretary of Education nominated, D. R. Kaufman, F. E. Satterfield. D. R. Kaufman elected.

Burial Association Secretary, E. R. Barris nominated and elected.

Advisory Board nominated by president, Elder T. A. Robinson, Layman Eber Messner. Nominations approved.

Committee On Vacancy: Elders nominated T. O. McCracken, T. W. Comadoll, H. E. Robertson, Sr., Nominations approved. Laymen nominated Eber Messner, M. L. Moore. Nominations approved.

Judiciary Committee: Elders nominated T. A. Robertson, H. R. Waite, T. W. Comadoll, W. H. Armstrong, H. N. Robinson. Nominations approved excepting H. N. Robinson.

Auditing and Finance Committee: Nominated Elders E. D. Lupton, R. W. Dunn, T. O. McCracken. Nominations approved.

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

Statistical Committee Chairman: Nominated Wayne Spangler, George R. Kopp, Jr. Wayne Spangler elected.

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

Pension Plan Member V. E. Sell nominated and elected.

Pension Treasurer T. W. Comadoll nominated and elected.

Recessed for re-organization of Holiness Districts.

Re-convened at call of the Chair.

Report: Holiness District Re-organization: Akron, Indiana, New Castle, Titusville and West Virginia read and approved by vote. (See Report No. 27.)

Sub-Treasurers nominated by Districts and approved by vote: **Akron District:** E. D. Lupton. **Indiana District:** Thankful Clawson. **New Castle District:** Edith Sweesy. **Titusville District:** Luella Adams. **West Virginia District:** Chloe Shriver.

Mminutes approved.

All overlooked or unfinished business was left in the hands of the President and Advisory Board.

Adjourned Sine Die. Benediction by Dr. Rufus Reisdorph.

H. C. Van Wormer, President.

Jos. B. Markey, Secretary.

Religious Services

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

1. The Conference Sermon, 10:00 A. M., Thursday. Rev. C. R. McPherson to be the speaker.
2. The Educational Representative to be heard immediately after Roll Call, Thursday afternoon.
- *3. The Denominational Representative to be heard immediately after Roll Call Friday afternoon.

H. C. Van Wormer, Chairman

Each business meeting was preceded by a devotional period. William Leyshon was Conference Song Leader and E. K. Himes had charge of the early morning prayer.

Monday, 7:30 P. M. The opening service of the conference. J. C. Himes, Bethany pastor, gave a forceful message on 'The Devil's Attacks Upon The Church.'

Tuesday, 7:30 P. M. Service in charge of Vice-President, T. A. Robertson. Message by A. H. Elsey, Mentcle pastor.

Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. Evangelist, D. R. Kaufman, presented a message on 'Mustard Seed Faith.'

Thursday, 10:00 A. M. Conference Sermon: Singing, "He Lives" led by Wm. Leyshon. Prayer by I. D. Swinehart, Singing, "Lily of the Valley." Pioneer Secretary, Rev. C. R. McPherson read Jeremiah 1:4-19 as a Scripture lesson and called attention to verses 9 and 10 as a text. He pointed out what the different Prophets spoke of in their day. He spoke on true religion, and mentioned what Wesley would say to souls interested in salvation. He spoke of the true and false prophets or preachers today and brought truth from Wesley and Fletcher. H. E. Schmul dismissed with prayer.

Thursday, 7:30 P. M. This was Evangelism Night, and the Secretary of Evangelism, Rev. H. E. Schmul, gave a stirring message on the "Laodicean Church."

Friday, 7:30, P. M. Missionary night. (See W. M. S. notes)

Saturday, 7:30, P. M. Sunday School Night in charge of the Sunday School Secretary, T. O. McCracken. Rev. R. F. Reisdorph, Denominational Sunday School Secretary gave the message.

Sunday, 9:00 A. M. Love Feast led by W. K. Armstrong.

Sunday, 10:00 A. M. Ordination Service. Singing led by William Leyshon, "Lily of the Valley," "The Solid Rock." Prayer by Kenneth Brown. "My Jesus, I Love Thee." Evangelists and special workers presented to the congregation. Offering. "Such Love" Special prayer of thanksgiving for the New Tabernacle led by T. A. Robertson. Duet, "Redeemed" by Jos. B. Markey and Mrs. Marilyn Baker. Ordination message by Denominational Representative, Dr. Rufus D. Reisdorph. John 11:20-29. "The Master is Come."

Roll of candidates read by the Secretary, Marjorie Jones, and Mamie Blankenship. Ordination directed by President H. C. Van Wormer, assisted by Elders, Ivah B. Van Wormer, Eunice Comadoll, C. R. McPherson, Cecil E. Huntsman, Donald P. Jones and Guy E. Terpe. The charge was given by the President, who also extended the "Right Hand of Fellowship."

Sunday, 2:00, P. M. Pioneer Service in charge of Pioneer Secretary. C. R. McPherson. Pioneer pastors were introduced and Mamie Blankenship gave the message. Offering taken for pioneer project, Princeton, W. Va.

Sunday, 7:30 P. M. Young Peoples services in charge of F. E. Satterfield, Conference W. Y. P. S. Vice President. T. O. McCracken presented the message. There was a good response to the altar call.

Standing Resolutions

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

11. Inasmuch as trial sermons are hardly fair to the church or candidate and since the practice of having trial sermons is contrary to the usual manner of locating preachers, we recommend that no preacher shall accept any such

invitation, if given. Exceptions to this rule may be granted by the Conference President upon request of any church.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

2. The pastoral vote shall be taken on each charge on the first Sunday in April. When it is the desire of the church to vote on a week night, it will

be done sometime during the week previous to the designated Sunday. Permission to vote on another Sunday may be obtained from the President and the Advisory Board.

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

REPORTS

REPORT NO. 1

THE CONFERENCE PRESIDENT

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

To the members of the 111th Annual Session of the Allegheny Conference here assembled, Greetings in the name of Him who said, "You must not let yourself be distressed—you must hold on to your faith in God and to your faith in Me . . ." (John 14:1, Phillips); "Be on your guard—see to it that your minds are never clouded by dissipation or drunkenness or the worries of this life, or else that Day may catch you like the springing of a trap—for it will come upon every inhabitant of the whole earth. You must be vigilant at all times, praying that you may be strong enough to come safely through all that is going to happen, and stand in the presence of the Son of Man." (Luke 21:23-36, Phillips)

Once more, in the good providence of Almighty God, we, as ministers and delegates, are permitted to assemble upon this sacred Hill-top to take care of the work which our Heavenly Father has entrusted to our care. In this day of controversy and contention over everything, of frustration, of disillusionment, of confusion, of dissension, of name-calling, of division, of compromise, and of apostasy, let us endeavor to make all our deliberations, discussions, actions and decisions in the fear of God and in the light of the coming Judgment Day, where every secret thing shall be made manifest. May we, then, be enabled by the Holy Spirit to steer a straight course from compromise on the one hand, but with an earnest endeavour "to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace" on the other hand. In all of our discussions let us keep in mind the following scriptures:

"Treat other people exactly as you would like to be treated by them—this is the essence of all true religion" (Matt. 7:12, Phillips); "Let us have no imitation Christian love . . . let us have real warm affection for one another as between brothers, and a willingness to let the other man have the credit" (Rom. 12:9, Phillips); "Let love for your brother-believers be a fixed principle with you. . ." (Heb. 13:1, Way); " . . . how dare you presume to treat your brother with contempt? It is at God's bar that we shall all have to present ourselves So far as you can without sacrificing your principles, live in peace with all men" (Rom. 14:10, 12; 12:18 Way). If we will do this, God will honor us with His presence in this annual session. " . . . whereas, if you snap at each other and prey upon each other, take care lest you destroy one another" (Gal. 5:15, Moffat).

For these apparently last days, this closing Conference Year has been a good one in many respects. The new plan of a traveling Vice-President put into operation at the last Annual Session has worked out very well. Rev. T. A. Robertson has been well received by our churches and has done a fine piece of work. He has carried a full and a heavy schedule of Quarterly Meetings and has had other duties thrust upon him as well. This has taken the awful grinding load off the President and has left him time to take care of other pressing matters. It has also given time for the President to

go where his help was needed and at the time it was needed. We greatly appreciate the sacrificial labors, the understanding, the fairness, the brotherly kindness and the wise counsel of Bro. Robertson. Never once has he tried to take the place of the President in any matter, neither has he made it hard for us in any way.

We believe a word ought to be said in behalf of our good Pioneer Secretary, who has labored long hours and hard in his field. Some of the tent meetings did not prove out, but the one at Bluefield, W. Va., was a real success. In less than a year, we have a fine new church built and a fine group of people organized into a Wesleyan Methodist Church. If we could bring in only one church a year such as this from the Pioneer Work, it would prove to be worth all our time and effort. Bro. McPherson has proved to be the man for the hour in the opening of this new field in W. Va. God has mightily used him down there. By his report you will see that some good progress has been made in the Pioneer Field.

Besides the organization of the Bluefield Church we had the privilege of organizing the Greenfield Wesleyan Methodist Church which came as a result of the faithful labors of Rev. Charles Lincoln. Rev. Donald St. Clair surprised us by having the new work in Fairmont, W. Va., ready for organizing. This has meant real sacrifice and some hard work on the part of Bro. St. Clair. The Alliance Pioneer work has taken a new upturn and is now organized. Bro. Muir has worked faithfully here. Rev. Martin Wambach went into Hartsville on his own and has a very prospective work started there.

Materially, there have been some excellent accomplishments. Soldier, Sandy Lake, Penn Run, Akron Grace, Bluefield and Ebenezer (Abb's Valley) have completed their new churches this Conference Year. Canton First has added a new wing for Sunday School rooms. Wilgus and Greenville have completely remodeled their churches. Barberton has completed the basement part of their new church and are using it for worship services. Apollo has built a new basement church. Mentcle is building an addition to their church which will give them additional auditorium space and more Sunday School rooms. McLeister Memorial has redecorated and put in new pews. Johnstown is putting Sunday School rooms in the basement of their church. Vanport has built a new parsonage. Massillon has put new siding on their parsonage, and has put in a new bathroom. Middlefield has put in a basement under their church for Sunday School rooms and has put in a new furnace and rest rooms. Cleveland First has purchased the Nottingham Baptist Church and parsonage. Conneaut is planning to build a new church. Others have made repairs and some changes on their churches and parsonages. A few have made real progress in reducing their indebtedness. Others need to be more diligent along these lines.

The Editor's Annual report of Statistics published in the *Wesleyan Methodist* showed that our Conference surpassed all others in the number of Wesleyan Methodists taken by 575, in *Wesleyan Missionaries* taken by 102 and in our giving to Foreign Missions by \$6,683, to Home Missions by \$1,912, and to Australia by \$20. Our per capita giving for all purposes last Conference Year was \$207 plus.

On the loss side we had a tremendous one at the campgrounds by fire which destroyed the main tabernacle, five other buildings and damaged

others. We do not understand why God in His providence allowed this to happen, but "we know that all things co-operate together for the eternal good of those who keep on loving God, who are called in accordance with God's purpose" (Rom. 8:28) On our way over to the fire that night God challenged us with these words: "Have faith in God." This we have tried our best to do. We appreciate the way our churches, our people and our friends have responded in their fine gifts for the re-building of the tabernacle. We desire to thank everyone who has helped in any way and all the business men who have volunteered to give us material at cost.

Spiritually, the Conference has seen some good victories. The Sunday School attendance on Rally Ray was 1000 above a year ago. Some of our churches have had unusual revival meetings for these days. Numbers have been saved who were never saved before. Several churches reported excellent Youth Week meetings. Some good watchnight and missionary services have been reported. A few churches have taken a definite lead in missionary activities this year. As a result God has increased His blessing upon them. One pastor laid before his church the plan not to give his family any gifts for Christmas, but instead to make a fine gift offering for the cause of missions. A good offering was received and the church is moving along spiritual lines as never before in its history. We need to watch that we do not become self-centered and desire everything for ourselves in these days. When we become self-centered and bring everything in to ourselves, the blessing of God ceases. In His Word He says, "Let your character be untainted by greed of money. Be contented with what you have; for He said, 'I will in no wise fail thee, nor will I in any wise forsake thee! So that we can take courage and say, 'The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid'" (Heb. 13:5, 6, Way).

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We are grateful for the renewed emphasis upon prayer in some places. One can do more than pray after he has prayed, but he cannot do more than pray until he has prayed. We are also grateful for a great Young People's Convention with a large attendance, for an excellent Camp Meeting with a great Missionary Day when the whole day was given over to missions and for a gracious Ministerial Institute.

Our definite aim has been revival fires, regenerated souls, entirely sanctified believers, a development in the Christian graces, holy lives and holy living—these are items of supreme importance for they indicate the fulfilment of the Master's Great Design. If we fail here, all our material progress and increase of numbers avail nothing.

The biggest single factor contributing to the delayed Holy Ghost Revival is the lack of soul-travail in pulpit and pew! We are not resisting unto blood. We do not even get sweat on our souls as Luther put it. Our prayers are cold, not fervent.

Over the doors of our modern churches can be written, "We Wrestle Not." We display our gifts. We air our views. We preach a sermon or write a book to correct a brother in doctrine. But who among us is storming the ramparts of hell? Who among us, I say, is denying ourselves food, sleep, friends, while we wrestle with hell's demon forces and liberate souls, depopulate hell, and, as a result of our travail, leave a stream of blood-washed souls?

"The only power on earth that God yields to—or Hell either, for that matter—is the power of prevailing prayer! Brethren! Let us give ourselves continually to prayer!"

Throughout the year we have continued in the work assigned to us by the last Annual Conference. To the best of our knowledge and ability, through much fasting and prayer, we have sought the guidance of the Holy Spirit in every action taken. Following is a report of our actions:

OFFICIAL ACTS OF THE YEAR

ITEM I. AUTHORIZATIONS:

1. GRANTED: (Recommended by the Committee on Itineracy and Orders)—James Hogg, Charles Lincoln, William Mydock, Willis Muir, Kenneth Brown, Dall Holley, Mamie Blankenship, George Kopp, Jr., C. L. Boston, Ellis Yarnell, George Adamson, Paul David Stonebraker, F. C. Hicks, Paul Hetrick, Kenneth Hartley, Paul Rexrode, Paul Halman, Harold Markel, Carl Johnston, Robert Cherry, and Sheridan Rainey.

2. Elder F. E. Mansell, Conference Tithing Secretary, to designate February 28, 1954, as Conference Stewardship Sunday.

3. Elder Donald St. Clair, March 17, 1954, to organize the Fairmont, W. Va., work into a Wesleyan Methodist Church. (With Advisory Board App.)

4. Elder Guy E. Terpe, March 30, 1954, to organize the Alliance Pioneer Work into a Wesleyan Methodist Church (With Advisory Board Approval)

5. The Pioneer Secretary as Follows:

1. July 17, 1953, to appoint James Cyphers to pastor the new work started at Bluefield, W. Va. (With Advisory Board Approval)

2. July 17, 1953, to pay Rev. W. A. Robbie the sum of \$25.00 for services rendered in the Bluefield Tent meeting.

3. July 17, 1953, to pay the moving expense of J. H. Cyphers to Bluefield, W. Va.

4. July 17, 1953, to pay the rent of \$50.00 per month from the Pioneer Funds for J. H. Cyphers until Conference time.

5. July 17, 1953, to organize the new Bluefield work into a Pioneer organization as soon as deemed advisable. (With Advisory Board approval)

6. Dec. 8, 1953, to appoint Local Preacher William Shank to pastor the Ebenzer (Abb's Valley) pioneer work under the direction of Kenneth Brown who is to be the supervising pastor. (With Advisory Board Approval)

7. Jan. 15, 1954, to appoint Elder Ada Chess to pastor the new work at Hubbard, Ohio. (With Advisory Board approval.)

8. April 21, 1954, to organize the Ashtabula Pioneer Work into a Wesleyan Methodist Church. (With Advisory Board Approval)

9. April 21, 1954, to organize the Warren Pioneer Work into a Wesleyan Methodist Church. (With Advisory Board Approval)

ITEM II. COMMITTEES APPOINTED:

1. Feb. 5, 1954, Committee on Religious Services: Elder T. A. Robertson and Layman Eber Messner; Ex-officio Chairman, Elder H. C. Van Wormer.

2. April 14, 1954, Statistical Committee (with the approval of the Statistical Committee Chairman, Elder William Cessna): Conference Preachers, Paul David Stonebraker, Charles Lincoln, George Kopp, Jr., Sheridan Rainey, Robert Cherry, Wayne Spangler, William Mydock.

3. Apr. 27, 1954, Committee to bring in nominations for the Conference Temporary Organization: Elders—T. W. Comadoll, Chairman (Titusville District), H. A. Markell (New Castle District), Harry Reid (West Virginia District), Laymen Leonard Snyder (Indiana District) and L. E. Mansell, (Akron District)

ITEM III. CHURCHES ORGANIZED: (With Advisory Board Approval)

1. Greenfield Wesleyan Methodist Church. Organization completed Dec. 5, 1953, with 19 full members and 3 associates.

2. Bluefield Wesleyan Methodist Church. Organization completed Feb. 28, 1954 with 13 full members.

3. Fairmont Wesleyan Methodist Church. Organization completed March 30, 1954 with 9 full members.

4. Alliance Wesleyan Methodist Church. Organization completed April 3, 1954, with 15 full members and 4 associates.

5. Ashtabula Wesleyan Methodist Church. Organization completed May 8, 1954, with 16 full members and one associate.

6. Warren Wesleyan Methodist Church. Organization completed May 22, 1954, with 13 full members.

ITEM IV. RESIGNATIONS:

1. Nov. 17, 1953, Elder James Hersman from the pastorate of the Stewart Run Church on account of illness.

2. Nov. 27, 1953, Elder H. N. Robinson from the Itineracy and Elders Orders Committee. This vacancy was turned over to the chairman of the Vacancy Committee Elder T. O. McCracken.

3. Dec. 12, 1953, Conference Preacher Kenneth Brown from the Ebenezer Pioneer Work as pastor.

ITEM V. APPOINTMENTS (With Advisory Board Approval):

1. July 18, 1953, appointed Conference Preacher, J. H. Cyphers to pastor the new Bluefield Pioneer Work.

2. Sept. 11, 1953, Conference Preacher Jack Benninger as supply pastor to the Idana Wesleyan Methodist Church in Kansas, this in agreement with Rev. C. W. Dunbar, President of the Kansas Conference.

3. Nov. 20, 1953, Conference Preacher C. A. Yarnell to supply the Stewart Run Church.

4. Dec. 12, 1953, Local Preacher William Shank to pastor the Ebenezer Pioneer Work under the supervision of Conference Preacher, Kenneth Brown.

5. Jan. 15, 1954, Elder Ada Chess to supply the New Pioneer Work at Hubbard.

ITEM VI. PERMISSIONS GRANTED (With the Approval of the Advisory Board)

1. June 16, 1953, to Elder H. A. Markell to use Rev. Millard Downing for Youth Revival.
2. June 29, 1953, to Conference Preacher Leonard Burchfield to use Rev. James Miller as evangelist.
3. July 21, 1953, to Elder Roy Wade to use Rev. R. E. Bell as evangelist.
4. July 30, 1953, to Conference Preacher James Hogg to use Rev. G. F. Sheridan as evangelist.
5. Sept. 30, 1953, to Elder George Hawthorn to use Rev. Thomas Frantz as evangelist.
6. Oct. 10, 1953, to Elder C. A. Blair to use Rev. and Mrs. Roy Ankrum as song evangelists.
7. Nov. 2, 1953, to Elder Claude Eshelman to use the Stookey Sisters as song evangelists.
8. Dec. 2, 1953, to Elder H. E. Robertson, Sr., to use Mr. and Mrs. Williamson as song evangelists.
9. Dec. 30, 1953, to Elder Earl Smith to use Joan Houck as a Youth worker.
10. Jan. 6, 1954, to Elder Bernard Pollock to use Mr. and Mrs. Donald Chess as song evangelists.
11. Jan. 6, 1954, to Elder H. A. Markell to use the Stookey Sisters as song evangelists.
12. Jan. 25, 1954, to Elder T. W. Comadoll to use Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Tucker as Youth Workers.
13. Feb. 19, 1954, to Elder T. W. Comadoll to use Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Tucker as song evangelists.
14. Mar. 4, 1954, to Conference Preacher Paul Hetrick to use the Christianaire Trio as song evangelists.
15. Apr. 7, 1954, to Conference Preacher Paul Hetrick to use the Christianaire Trio as song evangelists at a future time.
16. Apr. 7, 1954, to Elder E. Dale Brannon to use the Stookey Sisters as song evangelists.

ITEM VII. CORNER STONE LAYING: July 11, 1953, Sandy Lake Wesleyan Methodist Church.

ITEM VIII. Day of Fasting and Prayer Called, Dec. 8, 1953, at Titusville, Pa., for the District Chairman of the Holiness Districts, Conference Vice President and Conference President. It proved to be a very profitable meeting.

ITEM IX. DEDICATIONS:

1. June 14, 1953, Ebenezer Pioneer Church.
2. Aug 2, 1953, Akron Grace Wesleyan Methodist Church.
3. Sept. 13, 1953, Penn Run Wesleyan Methodist Church.
4. Feb. 28, 1954, Bluefield Wesleyan Methodist Church.
5. Mar. 14, 1954, The New Annex to the Canton First Wesleyan Methodist Church.

6. Apr. 4, 1954, Re-dedication of the remodeled Wilgus Wesleyan Methodist Church.

7. May 9, 1954, Soldier Wesleyan Methodist Church.

8. May 16, 1954, Sandy Lake Wesleyan Methodist Church.

ITEM X. April 6, 1954, appointed Elder C. C. Cross as Conference Delegate to the National Association of Evangelicals Convention to be held at Cleveland, Ohio, April 27-30, 1954. (With the approval of Advisory Board)

ITEM XI. CHANGES IN MEMBERSHIP OF THE CONFERENCE:

1. Transfer Received:

1. July 31, 1953, Conference Preacher J. H. Cyphers from the South Carolina Conference.

2. Transfer Granted:

1. July 5, 1953, Conference Preacher Wilbur Beers to the Lockport Conference.

2. June 1, 1954, Conference Preacher Carl Schultz to the Lockport Conference.

3. Name Dropped:

1. March 9, 1954, Conference Preacher in School, Robert Jones, having notified the President that he had joined another denomination.

4. Death: In His wisdom our Heavenly Father saw fit to remove from our midst on Feb. 9, 1954, Mabel Garvin, the companion of Elder Harold Garvin. We felt that honorable mention of this should be made to this body.

ITEM XII. WORK DONE THIS CONFERENCE YEAR:

1. Number of Churches Visited—54.

(Quarterly Meetings held in all but 5; two were given long week ends)

2. Number of other services conducted—48

3. Pieces of mail mailed out from the Conference Office—3528

4. Extra trips made for committee, trustee, board meetings, calling on sick pastors, the camp grounds, etc.—117

5. Funerals—1

6. Taught Sunday School Class three times.

7. Preached—four times at the Bluefield tent meeting; once on the Calvary Hour program; once on the Village Chapel Hour program; twice on the Wesleyan hour program; once on the Wesleyan Time program; once at the Levant Wesleyan Methodist Church; once at the Fairmont Wesleyan Methodist Church; once at Transylvania Bible School Chapel; once at the Titusville District Holiness Convention; once at the Titusville District W.Y.P.S. Convention; twice at the Interdenominational Holiness Convention held at Knoxville, Tenn.; once at the Canton Holiness Association Meeting held in Canton, Ohio; once at the New Castle Zone W.Y.P.S. Convention.

8. Attended one service of the Belsano Camp meeting; one service of the Big Knob Camp meeting; one day at the Lockport Conference; the Conference W.Y.P.S. Convention held at Stoneboro; the Development Committee Meeting held at Houghton College, Houghton, N. Y., on Oct. 24, 1953; the Titusville District Preachers Prayer and Fast Meeting held at Titusville, Pa., on Jan. 26, 1954; the Indiana District Preachers Prayer and Fast Meeting

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held at Indiana, Pa., on Mar. 24, 1954; The Local Board of Managers of Houghton College held at Houghton, N. Y., on Jan. 5, 6, 1954; the Area Leaders' Conference at Syracuse, N. Y., Feb. 9, 10, 11, 1954.

9. Worked 27 days at the campgrounds.

10. Presided over the Stoneboro Camp meeting and the Ministerial Institute and edited the **Conference Messenger**.

11. Miles traveled this Conference Year—32,840.

ITEM XIII. FINANCIAL REPORT:

1. Salary received	\$ 3,640.00
Travel Allowance	700.00
Parsonage Rent	540.00
Vacation Pay	100.00
Insurance for the car	55.21
Special meetings	215.00
Gifts	30.00
Total	\$ 5,280.21
2. Received from the Conference Treasurer for office supplies, repairs to the parsonage, box rent, telephone bill, toll calls, paper, mimeograph supplies, postage, stamps, etc.	\$ 454.78
Total Received	\$ 5,734.99

ITEM XIV. RECOMMENDATIONS: We recommend:

1. That the Conference plan to have a week of prayer in each local church.

2. That the Conference plan to have a night of prayer in each local church.

3. That each Holiness District, or Zone plan for one Prayer Convention during the Conference Year.

4. That we continue to observe Wednesday and Friday of each week as fast days throughout the Conference.

5. That each Holiness District plan to start at least one new Sunday School and Church this Conference Year.

6. That each Church strive for a five per cent gain in church membership and a ten per cent gain in Sunday School attendance.

7. That each one strive diligently 'to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace' in these days of contention and controversy.

8. That Conference consider definitely at this Annual Session, the matter of securing a suitable parsonage for the Vice President.

ITEM XV. THE CONFERENCE AIMS FOR 1954-1955:

It is a firm conviction with us that any move in legislative action or any trends that lessen our spirituality will accordingly lessen our hopes as a Church for the future, and any conformity with the spirit and tendency of this present evil age will dampen our influence and render us unfit to exist as a Conference, or as a Church, in the future. Furthermore any allegiance, any amalgamation, or any connection which throws our great emphasis of

holiness in the shadow will finally result in our defeat. Therefore, we should aim:

1. To exalt Jesus Christ, as Lord and Saviour—whose name “is above every name.”

2. To promote true, Scriptural Spirituality—separated from the world, “Vessels unto honor, sanctified and meet for the Master’s use” (2 Tim. 2:21).

3. To be a United People—“endeavouring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace” (Eph. 4:3)—We should avoid all needless occasions of controversy and contention, yet not to the point of sacrificing the truth, compromising principles or forsaking duty; Christ did not do this (Matt. 10:34).

4. To promote an aggressive soul winning campaign—going out into “the high-ways and hedges” and compelling them to come in that His house may be filled (Luke 14:23)—it means either to win souls or die.

5. To recover the supernaturalism in our religious experiences—today our religion is more a performance to go through than an experience.

6. To recover and re-discover love as the central principle of Christianity—a love for God and man that will bring us together and make us willing to give rather than hoard to ourselves.

7. To become fearless proclaimers of the whole truth and “to earnestly contend for the faith once for all delivered to the saints” without compromise or rashness—“For I have not shunned to declare unto you all the counsel of God.” (Acts 20:26, 27)

8. To obtain a new sense of the urgency of human need—that men are lost and will remain lost until we have passion enough to go after them—“If any man see his brother sin a sin which is not unto death, he shall ask, and he shall give him life for them that sin not unto death. (1 Jno. 5:16)

9. To pray unitedly for a Holy Ghost revival of heartfelt religion.

10. To promote missionary spirit, vision and action.

11. To promote a stronger Christian family life—The key reason for the breakdown of our Nation’s morality can be traced to a breakdown of the morals of our family—Radio, television and comics are pulling down the morals of our children; we should bend every effort to rescue their lives from waywardness and challenge them to live for the glory of the Lord; the real Christian home provides the spiritual care they need to live daily for the Lord and to build their lives on the Lord Jesus Christ.

12. To deepen and enrich our devotional life by a greater emphasis on private and family prayer, fasting and Bible reading.

13. To stimulate consistent and effective Christian Citizenship.

14. To place greater emphasis on God-likeness, character development and unselfish living among our people and to promote a more careful consistent observance of the Sabbath Day and a greater love for the Church which will destroy all laziness and carelessness in attending the means of grace.

CONCLUSION: As we bring this report to a close we wish to thank each one of you for your splendid co-operation, for the many who have prayed for us, for the many kindnesses which have been shown us and for the way you have loyally stood back of us. In closing let me exhort you

with these words from the Book of books: "Live at peace with each other. admonish those who will not conform to discipline, encourage the sinking hearts, reach a helping hand to the weak, be forbearing with all. See to it that none of you requite wrong with wrong, but at all times aim at showing kindness to one another; and, indeed, to all men. Be evermore glad-hearted; pray unweariedly; find something to thank God for in all things; for this is the purpose of God with respect to you as shown in Messiah Jesus' coming. . . . " (I Thess. 5:13b-18, Way)

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. Van Wormer, President

ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT

Following Stoneboro Camp last year I was able to accompany my husband all but a few weeks during the winter. During that time I gave 61 Scene-O-Felt talks, held Youth Week at Titusville, Supplied two Sundays for Rev. Kopp at Titusville, preaching 13 times in all.

Received for Conference Secretarial Work	\$400.00
For preaching	120.00
Gifts mainly for S. O. F. Material	52.38
Total	\$572.38

Mrs. H. C. Van Wormer

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF THE CONFERENCE

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Date	Charge	Date	Charge
June 19, 20	Pleasant View	Nov. 6, 7	Maple Valley
June 26, 27	Tarentum	Nov. 13, 14	Nu Mine
July 3, 4	Open	Nov. 20, 21	Kenmore
July 10, 11	Open	Nov. 27, 28	Barkley
July 16-18	W.Y.P.S. Convention	Dec. 4, 5	Falconer
July 24, 25	Smithport	Dec. 11, 12	Erie
July 31, Aug. 1	Isabella	Dec. 18, 19	N. Springfield
Aug. 7, 8	Akron First	Dec. 22, 26	Stewart Run
Aug. 14, 15	Carrollton	Jan 1, 2	Oil City
Aug. 17-26	Stoneboro Camp	Jan. 8, 9	Hadley
Aug. 28, 29	West Fairfield	Jan. 15, 16	Sandy Lake
Sept. 4, 5	Wilgus	Jan. 22, 23	West Middlesex
Sept. 11, 12	Open	Jan. 29, 30	White Memorial
Sept. 18, 19	Tazewell	Feb. 5, 6	Meadville
Sept. 19, 20	English	Feb. 7-20	Vacation
Sept. 21	Abb's Valley	Feb. 26, 27	Punxsutawney
Sept. 22	Bluefield	Mar. 5, 6	Templeton Zion
Sept. 25, 26	Loyal Oak	Mar. 12, 13	Ashtabula
Oct. 2, 3	Apollo	Mar. 19, 20	Mt. Calvary
Oct. 9, 10	Riverview	Mar. 26, 27	Rock Run
Oct. 17, 18	Open	April 2, 3	Cottage Hill
Oct. 23, 24	Barberton	April 5-7	Ministerial Inst.
Oct. 30, 31	Vanport	April 9, 10	Alliance

April 15, 17	Clarksburg	May 14, 15	Hooversville
April 16, 17	West Hill, Cecil	May 21, 22	Open
April 18	Olive Hill	May 28, 29	Butler
April 24, 25	Open	June 4, 5	Keepville
April 30, May 1	Rochester	June 7-12	Conference
May 7, 8	Pittsburgh		

VICE PRESIDENT

Dear Brethren and Sisters in Christ:

Greetings in the precious name of Jesus! The Apostle Paul was inspired to write: (Berkeley Translation), "Praying in the Spirit on every occasion by way of ceaseless prayer and entreaty, and constantly attentive to this: to pray with all perseverance and appeal for all the Saints."

As we visited the churches of the Conference this year, we were encouraged time and again by having our pastors and their people tell us that they were praying for us. I wish to have you know that your prayers have meant so much to me. At the start, the way seemed very obscure, but we had not gone far in our new field until God made the way clear.

It has become quite apparent to me that our Conference President had; and now is, carrying a greater burden for our Conference than most people realize. I can see now that his love, his physical strength, and his money have been shared by all. I thank God for the way he has held up the standards of our Church throughout our Conference. It has been blessed to follow such a ministry. We have been dubbed a "Standard Conscience Crowd." Beloved, it is wonderful to know what you believe, and to know for what you stand.

We have been received graciously by both pastors and laymen of the entire Conference. For all of this kindness, we will be forever grateful. In return, if we have been helpful to you or your church, I am deeply grateful to God.

As to the Spiritual, in some sections I am sure that definite progress has been made. In others the advance has been slow.

We have listened to some of our pastors tell of those who have been gloriously saved from sin for the first time. Beloved I am sure that you will agree that this should be taking place everywhere.

ITEM I. FINANCIAL REPORT:

1. Salary received	\$ 3,315.00
Travel Allowance	793.34
Parsonage Rent	540.00
Vacation Pay	100.00
Marriage and Funeral Fees	5.00
Special Meetings	65.00
Total	\$ 4,818.34
2. Received from Conference Treasurer for telephone, Traveling Expense on committee work, car insurance, car license, and transfer of title	\$ 189.43

ITEM II. WORK DONE IN THE CONFERENCE:

Number of Quarterly Meetings—91

Number of other services held—10

Extra trips made on committees—4

Funerals—1

T. A. Robertson, Vice President

VICE PRESIDENT'S QUARTERLY MEETING SCHEDULE

1954—1955

Date	Charge	Date	Charge
June 11, 13	Cottage Hill	Oct. 29, 31 ..	Allida Smith Memorial
June 12, 13	Hillville	Oct. 30, 31	Meadville
June 18, 20	Keepville	Nov. 5, 7	Rochester
June 19, 20	N. Springfield	Nov. 6, 7	Mechanicsburg
June 25, 27	Brown Hill	Nov. 12, 14	Clarksburg
June 26, 27	Pittsfield	Nov. 13, 14 ..	Cecil Charge, West Hill
July 2, 4	Soldier	Nov. 15.....	Olive Hill
July 3, 4	Punxsutawney	Nov. 19, 21	Carrollton
July 9, 11	Vanport	Nov. 20, 21	Robertsville
July 10, 11	Riverview	Nov. 26, 28	Hartsville
July 16-18	W.Y.P.S. Convention	Nov. 27, 28	Canton First
July 23, 25	Nu Mine	Dec. 3, 5	Mentcle
July 24, 25	Sagamore	Dec. 4, 5	Pleasant View
July 30, Aug. 1	Barkley	Dec. 10, 12	Templeton Zion
July 31, Aug. 1	Penn Run	Dec. 11, 12	Bethany
Aug. 6, 8	Ashtabula	Dec. 17, 19	Isabella
Aug. 7, 8	East Conneaut	Dec. 18, 19	Brownsville
Aug. 13, 15	Hooversville	Dec. 22, 26	Stewart Run
Aug. 14, 15	Johnstown	Dec. 23, 26	Titusville
Aug. 17-26	Stoneboro Camp	Dec. 29, Jan. 2	Cooperstown
Aug. 28, 29	Massillon	Dec. 30, Jan. 2	Canal
Sept. 3, 5	Sandy Lake	Jan. 7, 9	Franklin
Sept. 4, 5	Oak Grove	Jan. 8, 9	Annandale
Sept. 10, 12	Luciusboro	Jan. 14, 16	Pine Grove Charge
Sept. 11, 12	Indiana	Jan. 15, 16	Dixonville
Sept. 17, 19	Middlefield	Jan. 21, 23	Apollo
Sept. 18, 19	Niles	Jan. 22, 23	Sarver
Sept. 24, 26	Alliance	Jan. 28, 30	Tazewell
Sept. 25, 26	Mt. Calvary	Jan. 29, 30	English
Oct. 1, 3	Bethel	Jan. 31-Feb. 17	Vacation
Oct. 2, 3	Wolf Summit	Feb. 18, 20	Abb's Valley
Oct. 4	Fairmont	Feb. 19, 20	Bluefield
Oct. 8, 10	Pittsburg	Feb. 25, 27	Sherrodsville
Oct. 9, 10	Tarentum	Feb. 26, 27	Canton Second
Oct. 15, 17	N. Butler	March 4, 6	Hampe Memorial
Oct. 16, 17	New Castle	March 5, 6	Akron Grace
Oct. 23, 24	Rock Run	March 11, 13	White Memorial
Oct. 24, 25	Cabin Run	March 12, 13	West Middlesex

March 18, 20	West Fairfield	April 9, May 1	Greenfield
March 19, 20	Greenwood Charge	April 30, May 1	Erie
March 25, 27	Barberton	May 6, 8	Loyal Oak
March 26, 27	Kenmore	May 7, 8	Maple Valley
April 1, 3	Hadley	May 13, 15	Smithport
April 2, 3	Greenville	May 14, 15	Wilgus
April 5-7	Ministerial Institute	May 21, 22	Akron First
April 9, 10	Cleveland	May 27, 29	Blue Eye, Harbor
April 15, 17	Ashville	May 28, 29	Oil City
April 16, 17	Falconer	June 3, 5	Warren
April 22, 24	Lakeview Community	June 4, 5	Jamestown
April 23, 24	McLeister Memorial	June 7-11, 1955	Conference

Any desiring changes be sure to let the Vice President know in plenty of time so that it can be worked out.

T. A. Robertson, Vice President

REPORT NO. 2

COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY AND ORDERS

Your Committee on Itineracy and Orders reports as follows:

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

1. William Shank, recommended by Barberton Church
2. Roscoe Wilson, recommended by Barberton Church
3. Elwood Hannold recommended by Meadville Church
4. Harry Gough, recommended by Canton II Church
5. Constance Gough, recommended by Canton II Church
6. Glenn Elsey, recommended by Mentcle Church
7. Steve Letonek, recommended by Greenville Church
8. Helen Latonek, recommended by Greenville Church

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

1. Ruby Brickell, recommended by Smithport Church
2. James Beers, recommended by Pittsburgh
3. Vern Rodgers, recommended by Ashtabula Church
4. William Oakes, recommended by Smithport Church
5. Ruby Stonebraker, recommended by Smithport Church
6. Dorothy Mae Colby, recommended by Ashtabula Church
7. Clair Taylor, recommended by White Memorial Church
8. Orrie Rodgers, recommended by Ashtabula Church

ITEM III. We recommend the following be elected to Elder's Orders they having satisfactorily met the requirements of the Discipline:

1. Mrs. Mamie Blankenship, passed Bible III, IV; Theology III, General Ethics, History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, All About the Bible, Psychology, Business Administration and Christian Evidences. This completes her course of study.

2. Mrs. Marjorie Jones, passed Homiletics, General Ethics and History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church. This completes her course of study.

ITEM IV. Elder A. H. Elsey passed Discipline. We recommend he be received.

ITEM V. Ruth Giles, has completed the disciplinary course for Evangelistic Singers and is entitled to the proper certificate of recognition.

ITEM VI. We recommend credit in the course of study as follows:

FIRST YEAR:

1. William Mydock, credited with All About the Sunday School, Bible III, IV, History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church and Psychology.
2. Elwood Hannold, passed Wesleyan Methodist Discipline
3. William Oakes credited with Rules of Order, Business English and Psychology.

SECOND YEAR:

1. Ray Yoder, passed All About the Sunday School and All About the Bible.
2. Ellis Yarnell, passed All About the Bible
3. William Shank, passed Binney's Compend, All About the Sunday School, and Christian Evidences, credited with Business English
4. Ord Shankle, passed Homiletics.
5. Leona Speas, passed History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church
6. Ralph Rummel, passed Binney's Compend, Rules of Order, Perfect Love, General Ethics, History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church and Homiletics.
7. Grace Rough, passed All About the Sunday School
8. Harold McIntire, passed History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church and Psychology.
9. Carl Johnson, passed General Ethics and the Superlative Book.
10. Kenneth Brown, passed Binney's Compend, and Business Administration.
11. Ann Hartley, passed Principles of Teaching, All About the Sunday School and Business Administration.
12. C. L. Hamilton, passed Discipline.
13. Paul Rexrode, credited with Theology I, II, III.

THIRD YEAR:

1. George Adamson credited with Discipline, Theology I, II, III and General Ethics.
2. Ruby Brickell credited with Binney's Compend, Business English, Perfect Love, Theology I, II, III, Homiletics, All About the Sunday School, Church History I, II, Bible IV, Psychology, Bible Geography, and Foundations of Doctrine.
3. Kenneth Brannon, passed All About the Sunday School.

4. Robert Cherry, passed Theology II and History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

5. Roberta Fair, passed General Ethics and All About the Bible.

6. Paul Halman, passed All About the Sunday School, Bible III, Theology III and Christian Evidences.

7. Frank Hicks, passed Business English, Expository Sermon and Bible III.

8. James Hogg, credited with Bible I, III, Principles of Teaching. Passed, Binney's Compend, Rules of Order, Perfect Love, Foundations of Doctrine, Homiletics and Bible IV.

9. Dean McIntire, credited with Bible I, Binney's Compend, Business English, Theology I, II, III, Foundations of Doctrine, Principles of Christian Teaching, Homiletics, Church History I, II, General Ethics, All About the Bible, Psychology, Business Administration. Passed Discipline and History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

10. W. M. McCreary, passed Rules of Order, All About the Sunday School, Superlative Book and Business Administration.

11. Richard Terpe, credited with Bible I, III, IV and Christian Evidences.

12. John Scott passed Theology I, Bible IV, Business Administration and Christian Evidences.

13. Roscoe Wilson credited with Bible I, II, IV, Binney's Compend, Business English, Theology I, II, III, Church History I, II, All About the Bible. Passed Discipline.

14. C. A. Yarnell, passed General Ethics, History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church and All About the Bible.

15. Glenn Elsey credited with Bible I, II, III, IV, Binney's Compend, Business English, Foundations of Doctrine, Principles of Teaching, All About the Sunday School, Theology II, Psychology and Bible Geography, Discipline, Rules of Order.

FOURTH YEAR:

1. Charles Boston, passed Expository Sermon and Homiletics.

2. Leonard Burchfield, passed Bible III and Theology II

3. Aletha Mae Cain, passed Expository Sermon.

4. Paul Hetrick passed Homiletics, History of the Wesleyan Methodist church, All About the Bible, Theology III and Psychology.

5. Kenneth Hartley, passed Principles of Teaching and Business Administration.

6. Dale Holley, passed Rules of Order, Perfect Love, All About the Sunday School, Superlative Book, Bible IV, Course completed except the Reading Course.

7. George Kopp, Jr., passed Bible II and Foundations of Doctrine.

8. Charles Lincoln, passed Bible I, II, IV, Theology III and Christian Evidences.

9. Willis Muir credited with Foundations of Doctrine and Bible IV.

10. Robert Miller, credited with All About the Bible and passed History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

11. Emerson Roberts, passed History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, All About the Bible, Theology II, III and General Ethics.

12. Sheridan Rainey, credited with Bible I, III, IV, Business English, Binney's Compend, Theology I, II, III, Foundations of Doctrine, Principles of Teaching, Homiletics, All About the Sunday School, Church History I, II, Psychology, Bible Geography and Christian Evidences. Passed General Ethics and History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

13. Harry Strait, passed Principles of Teaching, Bible III, Superlative Book and Business Administration.

14. Paul David Stonebraker credited with Binney's Compend, Passed Rules of Order and History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

15. Wayne Spangler, passed Perfect Love and Christian Evidences.

LOCAL PREACHER'S COURSE:

1. Bernard Wygant, Sr., passed Binney's Compend.

2. Earl Wingert passed Theology III, IV.

3. Gertrude Wingert passed Theology III, IV.

4. Mabel Turney passed Bible IV.

5. Arthur Pluddeman passed Homiletics, Bible III, and History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

6. Annalee Price passed All About the Sunday School and Bible III.

7. James DeHaven passed Expository Sermon.

8. Lester Defenbaugh passed All About the Sunday School, Bible III, History of the Wesleyan Methodist Church and Business Administration.

9. Robert Chess passed Bible I.

10. Hadewy Chess passed Bible I.

11 T. R. Cross passed Bible II.

12. Samuel Cummings credited with Binney's Compend, Rules of Order, Business English, Perfect Love, Theology I, II, III, Foundations of Doctrine, Principles of Teaching, Bible III, IV, Church History I, II and Psychology.

ITEM VII. Authorizations recommended: Willis Muir, Robert Cherry, George Kopp, Jr., J. H. Cyphers, Dean McIntire, Paul Betz, C. L. Boston, Paul Hetrick, C. R. Lincoln, Jack Benninger, Ray Yoder, Dale Holley, Sheridan Rainey, Harry Strait, Frank Hicks, P. David Stonebraker, Kenneth Brown, James Hogg, Wayne Spangler, William Mydock, Charles Yarnell, Wm. Shank, Robert Miller, George Christy, Martin Wambach, Alberta Finnicum, Roscoe Wilson, Elwood Hannold and Glenn Elsey.

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

ITEM IX. We require that students who are ready to take an examination in any book shall designate an acceptable member of the Wesleyan Methodist

Church outside their immediate family, to whom Authorized Examiner shall mail the selected list of questions, and in whose presence the examinations shall be taken in accordance with the rules and general instructions for examinations. Such person shall certify that the examination was taken in his presence in an honorable manner, and shall return examination paper to examiner with sufficient postage to return paper to the student.

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

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

Guy E. Terpe, Chairman

COMMITTEE ON PASTORAL RELATIONS

Your Committee on Pastoral Relations submits the following report:

ITEM I PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS:

Akron, First—I. D. Swinehart	Carrollton—E. D. Lupton
Akron, Grace—Oneida J. Gleason	Cecil Charge—(Knottsville, Mount
Akron, Kenmore—Sherman Beers	View, Prichard)—M. M. Maley
Akron, Maple Valley—W. G. Steele	Cleveland, First—Harvey and Irene
Akron, McLeister Mem.—C. A. Blair	Yount
Alliance—Willis Muir	Cooperstown—C. L. Boston
Allida Smith Memorial—W.H. Armstrong	Cottage Hill—Paul Hetrick
Annandale—Olin M. Pfautz	Dixonville—Frank Miller
Apollo—A. J. West	East Clarksburg—James Merrifield
Ashtabula—Earl Smith	East Conneaut—J. B. and Georgia
Ashville—Elizabeth Pugh	Markey
Barberton—D. L. Robertson	English—Mamie Blankenship
Barkley—Robert Cherry	Erie—H. R. Waite
Bethany—J. C. Himes	Fairmont—Donald St. Clair
Bethel—Donald St. Clair	Falconer—Claude Eshelman
Blue Eye Chapel—George C. Kopp, Jr.	Franklin—F. E. Satterfield
Bluefield—J. H. Cyphers	Greenfield—C. R. Lincoln
Brown Hill—Dean McIntire	Greenville—A. Mark Larson
Brownsville—F. E. Mansell	Greenwood Charge (N. Salem)—L. S. Burchfield
Cabin Run—Paul Betz	Hadley—E. W. Brooks
Canal—T. W. and Eunice Comadoll	Harbor Charge (Cottage Hill)—Alberta Finnicum
Canton, First—T. O. McCracken	Hampe Memorial—Roscoe Wilson
Canton, Second—R. Willard Dunn	Hillville—Ray Yoder

Hooversville—Dale Holley	Punxsutawney—C. E. and Mary Huntsman
Indiana—H. E. Robertson, Sr.	Riverview—E. M. Dunkerley
Isabella—Jack Benninger	Robertsville—Harry Strait
Johnstown—D. M. Stonebraker	Rochester—H. E. Schmul
Keepville—L. B. Owens	Rock Run—Frank Hicks
Loyal Oak—Glenn Elsey	Sagamore—C. A. and Olive West
Luciousboro—Elwood Hannold	Sandy Lake Charge (Zion)—H. N. Robinson
Massillon—Guy E. Terpe, Assistant Richard Terpe	Sarver—William Leyshon
Meadville—B. C. Pollock	Smithport—Paul David Stonebraker
Mechanicsburg Charge—(Pleasant Hill, Shippingport)—Reed Bennett	Soldier—William Cessna, Jr.
Mentle—A. H. Elsey	Spruce Grove—A. H. Elsey
Middlefield—C. A. and Ruth Hoiem	Stewart Run—C. A. Yarnell
Mount Calvary—Charles Baker	Tarentum—E. Dale Brannon
New Castle—H. A. Markell	Tazewell—Kenneth O. Brown
Niles—H. A. and Winifred Trimble	Tempelton, Colored—In care of President
North Springfield—E. R. Barris	Templeton Zion—Kenneth Brannon
Nu Mine—R. J. Wade	Titusville—W. R. Kopp
Oak Grove—H. E. Robertson, Jr.	Vanport—J. W. and Helen Dentler
Oil City—Burton and Neva Golden	Warren—James Hogg
Olive Hill—Fred De Cost	West Fairfield—Ellis Yarnell
Penn Run—John Coon	West Hill—Murray Maley
Pine Grove (Hillsdale)—E. K. Himes	West Middlesex—Wayne A. Spangler
Pittsburgh—C. C. Cross	White Memorial—R. L. Kuhn
Pittsfield—A. G. and Catharine Carlson	Wilgus—Lorman Elliott
Pleasant View—Sheridan Rainey	Wolf Summit—Harry Reid

ITEM II. PIONEER MISSION CHURCH APPOINTMENTS:

Butler—William Mydock	Jamestown—Robert Miller
Ebenezer—William Shank	Sherrodsville—George Christy
Hartsville—Martin Wambach	

ITEM III. OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Conference President: H. C. Van Wormer to travel conference.

W. M. S. President: Ivah B. Van Wormer, also assistant to the president.

Vice President: T. A. Robertson to travel conference.

Pioneer Secretary: C. R. McPherson

General Evangelists: D. P. and Marjorie Jones, Harry Kastle, Howard L. Speas, C. L. Chess, Delmar Kaufman, G. K. Donaldson, W. A. Robbie, Silas West, H. B. West.

Conference Evangelists: George and June Adamson, Mary V. Mohny, Ada Chess, John Scott, Paul Rexrode, C. H. Campbell, Rex Brickell, Jos. Clinefelter, Ethel Enty, Joseph Stephens, Calvin Kopp, Edna Patterson, Maurice L. Moore, Paul West, Harry and Constance Gough, Steve Letonek, Kenneth Hartley, Harold Garvin, J. W. Hersman and Helen Letonek.

Denominational Home Missionary Secretary: J. R. Swauger.

Radio Evangelism: Cecil and Alice Clifton.

Evangelist to The Indians: William Plants.

Missionary to Japan Serving Under Oriental Missions: Raymond Huey.

Mountain Missionaries: Harold and Tresa Markel.

Serving With Great Commission School: Leona Cramer.

Missionary to Haiti: Henry Ortlip

Missionaries on Furlough: J. L. and Beulah Laundry.

Missionary to India: Hazel Jones.

Missionaries to Africa: Dr. Robert Benninger, W. N. and Ruth Saunders.

Denominational Editor of Wesleyan Missionary: Gracia L. Fero.

Representative In The Field For Card Call: George Hawthorn.

Transfers Received: Conference Preacher, J. H. Cyphers from S. Carolina Conference.

Transfers Granted: Conference Preacher, Carl Schultz to the Lockport Conference.

Names Dropped: Conference Preachers, Robert Jones, J. B. Sheffer, Reason: Having left the church.

Song Evangelists: Dwight N. Kopp, Lois Thornton, Priscilla and Phyllis Kuhn.

Song Evangelist and Children's Worker: Aletha Mae Cain, Leona Speas.

Musician, Song Evangelist, Children's Worker: Ruth Giles.

Teacher in Houghton College: Alice J. McMillian.

Serving in North Canton Tabernacle: William Cowen.

Serving Lakeview Community Church: Paul Halman.

Serving Iselim Community Church: Carl Johnston

Conference Preachers In Theological Schools: Charles Wheeler, Harold McIntire, William Baker.

Musician and Chalk Artist: J. Orlando Yount.

Supperannuates: J. I. Rambo, I. F. McLeister, Verna Clinefelter, D. B. Hampe, C. E. Zike.

Signed:

H. C. Van Wormer, Chairman.

REPORT NO. 4

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON AUDITING AND FINANCE

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

ITEM I. WHAT SHALL THE CHURCHES PAY?

1. The following Denominational Budget items: Foreign Missions, \$2.00; Education, \$2.00; Pension, \$1.25; Home Missions, \$1.25; Hephzibah Orphanage, \$.25; Administrative Budget, \$.40; General Conference Travel and Entertainment, \$.15; Australia, \$.25; (These assessments are per church member per year)

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

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

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

5. The Pioneer self-dennial envelopes for remittances of \$.25 or more monthly (above tithe) shall be given our continued support.

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

7. The pastor or person responsible for the sale of Conference Minutes in the local church shall remit \$.50 per copy to the Chairman of the Committee on the Sale of Conference Minutes, by March 31. The Chairman of said committee shall mail statements to all who have not paid for their Minutes by March 31, thus enabling the report of the Committee to be prepared by April 30.

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

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

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

ITEM II. WHAT SHALL THE SUNDAY SCHOOL PAY?

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

2. Sunday School Birthday offerings to Conference Missions.

3. Denominational Sunday School Budget of \$.10 per Sunday School member.

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

ITEM III. WHAT SHALL THE CONFERENCE TREASURER PAY?

1. To the Conference President:

A. \$3,640.00 annual salary.

B. \$100.00 annual vacation bonus.

- C. \$400.00 annually for secretarial services.
- D. \$1,100.00 travelling expenses.
- E. The cost of providing \$100,000.00 liability insurance on his car.
- 2. To the Conference Vice President:
 - A. \$3,380.00 annual salary.
 - B. \$100.00 annual vacation bonus.
 - C. \$1,100.00 travelling expenses.
 - D. The cost of providing \$100,000.00 liability insurance on his car.
- 3. All expenses incurred by Conference officials, Board, and Committee members in the pursuit of the duties of their respective offices, upon presentation of such expense accounts.
- 4. The following sums from the Conference Budget, in appreciation for their services: The necessary amount to bring the offering for the Secretary to \$125.00; Conference Treasurer, \$125.00; each sub-treasurer, except West Virginia, \$50.00; West Virginia sub-treasurer, \$25.00; Group Insurance Secretary-Treasurer, \$25.00; Conference Pension Plan Treasurer, \$25.00; Superintendent of Rooms for services at Conference, \$25.00; Statistical Chairman, \$15.00; Aid Treasurer, \$25.00.
- 5. The expenses of the Sunday School Secretary to the National Sunday School Convention annually, and the expenses of any others whom the Conference may elect to represent the Conference at other bodies, such as the NHA or NAE.

ITEM IV. REPORTS APPROVED:

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

ITEM V. AUTHORIZATION OF PAYMENTS

- 1. June 6, 1953, \$15.00 to Mrs. C. R. McPherson for making the Allegheny map.
- 2. August 19, 1953, \$16.50 to Conference Vice president for cost of car registration transfer.

3. November 19, 1953, \$50.00 monthly to Rev. James Hersman from assistance Fund.

4. February 10, 1954, \$1,000.00 to apply on support of caretaker for the Campgrounds; \$3,000.00 for new tabernacle; \$750.00 toward renovation of Camp restrooms.

5. April 23, 1954, \$100.00 to Dr. F. R. Eddy to apply on expense of world tour of Dr. R. S. Nicholson.

ITEM VI. SPECIAL RECOMMENDATIONS:

We recommend that:

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

2. The price of meals at Conference to those visitors not having official business with the Conference be set as follows: Breakfast, \$.40; Dinner, \$.75; Supper, \$.50; or \$1.50 per day; and that the Superintendent of the Dining Hall have these prices posted in the dining hall in a conspicuous place, indicating to whom they apply. Free meals shall be given visiting ministers and their families for two days.

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

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

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

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

7. The Conference Missions Board and the Stationing Committee shall annually investigate the subsidies being paid pastors from the Conference Missions Fund. Subsidies are not to be paid to any pastor longer than six years. Appeals from this regulation may be made to the Conference Missions Board which shall have authority to make exceptions in special cases. Exceptions, however, shall be known as Special Cases. (The purpose for the above recommendation is that funds be released for increasing needs in the realm of church extension and that a reasonable reserve may be created.

8. The offerings taken at this annual session shall be applied against the expense of painting the interior and exterior of the new tabernacle.

9. Any special offerings which may be taken for needy pastors, etc. among our churches shall be sent to the Conference Aid-treasurer and not directly to the pastor in need.

10. Special attention be given to the payment of the General Conference Administration Budget. The Conference Treasurer's records indicate that we are \$524.46 in arrears on this item covering the past three years.

11. When the Conference President or his assistant pay their annual visit to the churches, if it is reasonably possible, an offering be taken for the President or his assistant to apply on his salary. Receipts issued for said offerings are not to be used for credit toward payment of Conference Budget but should be reported on the annual statistical forms as "Conference President's Salary." These offerings to be sent through the regular channels of the church and conference.

12. \$2,500.00 be placed at the disposal of the Conference trustees for the down payment on a parsonage for the Conference Vice-President. One half to be paid from Conference Budget Funds and one half from Conference Missions Funds.

13. Easter Sunday 1955 be designated as a special offering Sunday for raising funds for the purchase of the parsonage for the Conference Vice-President.

14. \$1,000.00 annually be paid toward the support of the Campground caretaker.

15. \$124.15 be paid against the cost of liability insurance on the Campgrounds. (This is one half the cost for 1954)

16. One-half the cost of erecting a new administration building for Conference and Camp on the Campgrounds, be borne by the Conference. The approximate cost of the building is \$3,500.00.

ITEM VII. BUDGET APPOINTMENTS:

1. On June 25, 1953, by correspondence, authorized a percentage change in Conference Budget Apportionment as follows: Delete 9% going to Conference Missions and add same to Conference Budget so that apportionment will be: Conference Budget, 89 percent; Pension Plan, 9 percent; Assistance Fund, 2 percent.

E. D. Lupton, Chairman

REPORT NO. 5

Mission Board

Your Conference Mission Board submits the following report of the business transacted during the year:

The newly elected Board met on June 5, 1953 in the office of Stoneboro Camp Grounds with six members and the Conference Vice-President present, and the Conference President presiding. After prayer the following business was transacted:

Willard Dunn elected secretary of the Board.

Voted to set pioneer secretary's salary and expense allowance as follows: Salary \$60.00 per week, house rent \$35.00 per month, all telephone expense, and \$700.00 per year travel allowance, from which he shall provide adequate liability insurance.

Voted to authorize the pioneer secretary to work in the new and open

field in and around Bluefield, W. Va., this work to begin immediately following the conference session.

Voted to place the following churches under the supervision of the pioneer secretary: Warren, Butler, Ashtabula, Alliance, Jamestown, and Abb's Valley.

Voted to pay Kenneth Brown \$150.00 for the use of tent and equipment in W. Va., revivals, this payment to be made from pioneer fund.

Voted to pay from Conference Mission Fund, the cost of moving the following: Pastor to Oil City at a price of \$121.03; pastor to Brown Hill for Brown Hill Charge; pastor to Butler for Butler Charge; pastor to Hailwood, Pa., for Mentcle Charge.

Voted aid to the following churches in specified amounts:

Soldier	William Cessna	\$10.00 per month
Niles	Harry Trimble	\$50.00 per month
Cabin Run	Dale Holley	\$70.00 per month
Nu Mine	Roy J. Wade	\$40.00 per month
North Springfield	E. R. Barris	\$50.00 per month
Barkley	Robert Cherry	\$25.00 per month
Van Port	Joseph Dentler	\$50.00 per month
Rock Run	John Scott	\$20.00 per month
Cottage Hill	Paul Hetrick	\$45.00 per month

Voted to pay \$325.00 to new work in Fairmont, W. Va., as a gift to help establish this new work.

Adjourned by vote.

June 6, 1953. Voted to give Abb's Valley a gift of \$100.00 as a means of encouragement in this new work.

July 3, 1953. By correspondence voted to give Rev. Charles Lincoln \$70.00 per month, retroactive to conference time.

August 20, 1953. By correspondence voted to discontinue help to Rev. Charles Lincoln in the amount of \$70.00 on Sept. 30, 1953.

August 27, 1953. By correspondence voted to pay moving expense of E. W. Brooks of Hadley church.

Oct. 20, 1953, by correspondence.

Voted to discontinue payment of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per month to Rev. Robert Cherry, of Strongstown, Pa.

Voted to give Rev. James Hersman of Tionesta, Pa. (Stewart Run Charge) seventy dollars (\$70.00) per month, beginning Nov. 1, 1953.

Voted to discontinue payment of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per month to Rev. E. R. Barris of North Springfield, Pa.

Oct. 1, 1953. By correspondence voted to give Rev. Harold Garvin of Clarksburg, W. Va., seventy dollars (\$70.00) per month until he secures a job, allowance not to go beyond this conference year.

Oct. 27, 1953. Received letter from Rev. E. R. Barris. Forwarded letter to Rev. H. C. Van Wormer, and notified Bro. Barris that letter was forwarded.

Oct. 28, 1953. Voted to give Rev. Kenneth Brown one hundred fifty

dollars (\$150.00) for services and use of tent in W. Va., revival. By correspondence.

Dec. 1, 1953. Received letter from Rev. A. G. Carlson in which he gave record of the cost of moving bills paid by this Mission Board.

Dec. 2, 1953. Voted by correspondence:

To discontinue payment of \$70.00 per month to Rev. James Hersman as of December 1, 1953.

To give Rev. James Hersman \$100.00 in month of December as special allowance in view of the need of clothing for family.

To give Rev. St. Clair \$100.00 to help on expenses of new work in Fairmont, W. Va.

Jan. 2, 1954. Rev. A. G. Carlson notified by Rev. H. C. Van Wormer to restore payments of \$50.00 per month to Rev. Barris in view of the fact that his wife is no longer working.

March 13, 1954. By correspondence to give Rev. Harold McIntire \$70.00 per month for remaining part of the conference year or until job is secured.

March 7, 1954 at Struthers, Ohio.

Name placed in nomination for Pioneer Secretary, Rev. C. R. McPherson

Voted to send pastor to Clarksburg, W. Va. and give him adequate support during coming conference year.

Voted to give adequate support to new work at Fairmont, W. Va. during the coming conference year.

R. Willard Dunn, Secretary

REPORT NO. 6

MISSIONARY BOARD NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Your Nominating Committee for the Conference Mission Board reports Nominations as follows:

Chairman Ex-officio, H. C. Van Wormer; Akron District, Willard Dunn; Indiana District, E. K. Himes; New Castle, H. N. Robinson; West Virginia, Donald St. Clair; Titusville, Jos. B. Markey; Ex-officio Honorary Member, T. A. Robertson.

H. E. Robertson, Sr., Chairman

REPORT NO. 7

ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE MINISTERIAL INSTITUTE

The Allegheny Annual Conference Ministerial Institute Committee met in the office on Stoneboro Camp Grounds on August 26, 1953 to consider plans for the 1954 Institute.

"The Faith For Our Day" was the topic chosen for discussion. Having previously secured Rev. Leslie D. Wilcox for one of the speakers, it was voted to secure Prof. Charles DeVol as the second speaker. The address of welcome to be given by Rev. Raymond Kuhn, and the response by Rev. H. R. Waite. Voted to secure Rev. Wm. Leyshon as song leader. The chairman Rev. H. C. Van Wormer, was instructed to invite Rev. Paul Hill as speaker for the 1955 Institute.

The Institute met in the White Memorial Church, Struthers, Ohio on April 6, 1954, with the majority of the pastors and their wives in attendance. The blessing of God was upon us from the very first service, also we felt His gracious anointing through the whole institute. There is nothing that will compensate for being in the center of God's will. It was apparent to all who attended the services that the committee had been divinely led in securing these Brethren as our speakers. God used them mightily in giving forth the precious truths.

Rev. Kuhn and the people of the Struthers Church and community proved to be gracious hosts, having left nothing undone that would add to the comfort and enjoyment of those in attendance. As we departed for our respective homes we felt, 'truly it was good to be here.'

The committee met in the Struthers Church April 6, 1954, and transacted the following business: Voted to reimburse the following for their services rendered to the Institute.

1. Rev. L. D. Wilcox, \$100.00 plus \$33.00 travelling expense.
2. Prof. Charles DeVol, \$100.00 plus \$16.00 traveling expense.
3. Rev. R. L. Kuhn, \$50.00 for entertainment of Institute workers.
4. Struthers Church, \$15.00 for heat, light and janitor service.

The regular business meeting of the eighth Annual Ministerial Institute was held in the White Memorial Church, April 8, 1954 at 1:15 P. M. Prayer by Rev. W. C. Steele.

The following business was transacted:

1. Voted to have an Institute in 1955.
2. Voted date of Institute to be April 5-7, 1955.
3. Voted to leave plans and speakers for 1955 Institute in the hands of the committee.
4. Secretary was instructed to write letters of greetings to the following pastors and wives who were unable to attend this Institute: Rev. Howard Speas, Rev. Harold McIntire, Rev. Sheridan Rainey, Rev. James Hersman, Rev. F. E. Mansell, Sr. D. M. Stonebraker, and Sr. John Scott.
5. Invitation given and accepted to hold the next Institute in the Wolf Summit Church.

6. Invitation given and accepted to come to the McLeister Memorial Church in event the Wolf Summit Church would be unable to entertain the Institute.

Guy E. Terpe, Secretary

REPORT NO. 8

COMMITTEE ON BOUNDARIES

Your Committee on Boundaries makes the following recommendations:

1. Recognition of the church at Greenfield, Pa., and that said church be known as the Greenfield Wesleyan Methodist Church, and that it be included in the Titusville District.

2. Recognition of the church at Bluefield, W. Va., and that said church be known as the Bluefield Wesleyan Methodist Church, and that it be included in the W. Va. District.

4. Recognition of the church at Alliance, Ohio, and that said church be known as the Alliance Wesleyan Methodist Church, and that it be included in the Akron District.

5. Recognition of the church at Ashtabula, Ohio, and that said church be known as the Ashtabula Wesleyan Methodist Church, and that it be included in the Titusville District.

6. Recognition of the church at Warren, Ohio, and that said church be known as the Warren Wesleyan Methodist Church, and that it be included in the New Castle District.

R. L. Kuhn, Chairman

REPORT NO. 9

THE CONFERENCE SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY

To the members of Allegheny Conference, Greetings!

"I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men." I Tim. 2:1. Prayer is the strongest, clearest, humblest, and most effective expression of our faith and must be first in our labors for the Lord. Well has a man of God said; "There is a lesson which the Christian Church is slowly and painfully learning. It is that the highest service a man can render to his fellow man, is to Pray for him." Until a man has learned to intercede, he is not much use to the Kingdom of God. The great **Commission** commands, "Go ye therefore and Teach all nations." Matt. 28: 19, verse 20 "Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you."

Such is the work we are commissioned to do. This is the work of the Sunday School, to Teach. This commission was given almost 2,000 years ago, yet there are 37 million that never attend Sunday School. It is estimated that the world population numbers 2 billion. Four hundred thirty million calling themselves Christians. This number, of course, includes Roman and Greek Catholics. It is evident therefore, that almost two-thirds of the world's population are completely outside of Christendom. Our task is far from being done. Evil forces are opposing it, while on the other hand, many seem little concerned about the work of the Sunday School.

We need a New Vision of the world's need, a new Burden of our supreme task, a New Sense of our responsibility, a new realization of the brevity of our time. There is so much to be done! We are informed that we have approximately 7,500 closed churches in the U. S. Millions of our youth never darken a church door, with millions more of our teenagers never attending Sunday School or Church.

O the blight of **Indifference!** Is it not time we Pray, "Lord, here am I, send me?" Lord, give us a **vision!**

We need Spirit filled, fire baptized Sunday School workers in every Sunday School in the conference.

Our labors for the Sunday School this past Conference year have led us to a number of our churches and district conventions. This has been done when and where it was possible to do so: The Sunday School annual report blanks were mailed to the pastors.

We are deeply grateful for the progress made and the interest shown in many of our Sunday Schools this past year. Let us pray that God will help us as Sunday Schools to stem the awful tide of iniquity sweeping the land.

Respectfully committed,
T. O. McCracken, Secretary

REPORT NO. 10

THE PIONEER SECRETARY

Greetings in Jesus' Name!

The recovery and planting of primitive Christianity in new centers is the work of pioneering in every sense of the word. Especially in this day when the ancient landmarks of our fathers have been removed or nearly obliterated, it is true that only the recovery of a Holy Ghost passion for inward Holiness accompanied by holy practice can promote a revival so true and genuine that it will counteract the flood tide of worldliness and sin that bids high for the destruction of the holiness Church together with her power and evangelistic force.

The same difficulty that confronted Jesus, confronts the advancement of all true Gospel work now. "The harvest truly is plenteous, but the laborers are few; pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest." Matt. 9:37, 38. Scarce are the qualified labourers who have a passion for Scriptural Holiness in heart and practice, who see through all modern counterfeits of holiness and holiness evangelism, who have the spirit of prayer and sacrifice for the Scriptural salvation of souls. Much prayer needs to be offered that the Lord of the harvest will thrust forth such God-equipped labourers into His harvest.

It is a conviction that the recovery of the doctrine, experience, practice and discipline of the Wesleyan revival, both among the ministry and the laity, would bring us an awakening that would decrease the losses resulting from spiritual dissipation, and would accomplish a return to bearing the reproach of the cross and to the way of self-denial. This uniform recovery of inward fire and of the power of godliness would also increase our ability to reproduce true New Testament Christians and would hasten the spread of pure and undefiled religion.

The greater the torrent of Satanic influences turned loose upon the religious as well as the national life of our country, the more absolutely necessary it is to return to the original fountain source of holy religion. Our sufficiency is of God. "The eyes of the Lord run to and fro throughout the whole earth to show himself strong in the behalf of them whose heart is perfect toward him."

REPORT OF THE PIONEER WORK:

Progress: Six fully organized Wesleyan Churches have come out of the Pioneer department this year, namely: Ashtabula, Alliance, Bluefield, Fairmount, Greenfield and Warren.

The New Work of the year includes Hartville, Ohio; unorganized. Hubbard, Ohio; unorganized, Bluefield, W. Va.; organized and a Sunday School at Welch, W. Va.; unorganized.

The New Property includes Ebenezer (Abb's Valley), 50' x 32' dedicated June 15, 1953, valued at \$5000.00 and the Bluefield Wesleyan Methodist Church, dedicated Feb. 28, 1954, valued at \$15,000.00.

The Spiritual Oversight of the Churches: Ashtabula seemed to make progress this year. Several men and women were converted, and the church was organized.

Alliance gained some Nazarene folk this year and these, joined with a few Wesleyans, made it possible to organize.

Abb's Valley has made marked progress spiritually and in Sunday School attendance, under their new pastor, Rev. William Shank.

Bluefield was organized with a remnant of holiness folk having Pilgrim and Nazarene backgrounds. These are wholehearted for spirituality and truth. Their able pastor, Rev. James Cyphers, carries the burden for the work, and for the people of Bluefield. The Lord surely has wrought the impossible at Bluefield this past year.

Butler is bitterly contested by the enemy, but there are evidences of God's moving in the vicinity. The enemy may delay God's work, but he cannot permanently stop it. We are looking for some answers to prayer in that place.

Warren experienced some sifting at the beginning of the Conference year, but has made a steady come-back and was organized in May. Signs point to a solid work there.

Jamestown has had more interest shown in it from the outside this year than ever before. The prospects there appear to be promising.

Hartville, the new work under the care of Bro. Martin Wambach, is commanding the interest of the community in an unusual way considering how recently the work was started.

The work at Hubbard has been sponsored by Rev. Raymond Kuhn, Pioneer Secretary of the New Castle District. He was assisted by Rev. Delmar Kaufman, who opened the work with a three-week meeting. Since January the work has been under the pastoral care of Sr. Ada Chess. She reported a good revival in April, in which several professed to pray thru.

Special Conference Project: Under the direction of the Conference President and Mission Board, I held a four week tent meeting at Bluefield, beginning June 15, assisted by Bro. Kenneth Brown throughout, and in the last week by Bro. H. C. Van Wormer and Bro. W. A. Robbie. Under the direction and approval of the Conference President and trustees, a lot was purchased on the corner of Thorn and Bluefield Avenues, Monday, Sept. 21, 1953. The ground was broken Sept. 23, 1953, and the footer was poured on the 26th. The building was completed with oil furnace the 9th of Jan. After the close of a two week revival the last half of Feb., the church was dedicated and organized by Rev. H. C. Van Wormer, Feb. 28th, with 13 members.

Summary of Labors: I labored jointly with Bro. Kenneth Brown in tent meetings, spending four weeks in Bluefield, W. Va., and two weeks and four days in Roderfield, W. Va. I gave twelve weeks' labor and oversight to the Bluefield building, besides holding a two weeks revival there.

Feb. 9th and 10th, in company with the Conference President, I attended the Leader's Meeting in Syracuse, N. Y.

I made four special trips to Beckley, W. Va., three from Bluefield and one from Damascus.

One special trip was made to Abb's Valley for a one week meeting.

One special trip was made to Soak Creek, Sophia, W. Va.

I preached 165 times, and traveled 25,000 miles. I labored in a total of six two-week revivals, and three one-week meetings.

AUTHORIZATIONS TO THE PIONEER SECRETARY:

1. July 17, 1953, to appoint James Hubert Cyphers to pastor the new work started at Bluefield, W. Va.

2. July 17, 1953, to pay Rev. W. A. Robbie the sum of \$25.00 for services rendered in the Bluefield tent meeting.

3. July 17, 1953, to pay the moving expense of Rev. J. H. Cyphers to Bluefield, W. Va.

4. July 17, 1953, to pay the rent of \$50.00 per month for Rev. J. H. Cyphers until Conference time.

5. July 17, 1953, to organize the new Bluefield work into a pioneer organization as soon as deemed advisable. (With Advisory Board approval)

6. Dec. 8, 1953, to appoint Local Preacher William Shank to pastor the Ebenezer Pioneer Work (Abb's Valley) under the direction of Rev. Kenneth Brown who is to be the supervising pastor. (With Advisory Board Approval)

7. Jan. 15, 1954, to appoint Rev. Ada Chess to the new Pioneer work at Hubbard, Ohio.

8. May 14, 1954, to conduct for Vice President of Conference (due to illness) quarterly Conference and week-end services at Isabella and Browns-ville.

9. May 18, 1954, to conduct week-end appointments for the Vice President of the Conference at Alliance, Robertsville and Canton II.

10. May 8, 1954 organized Ashtabula Pioneer Church into Wesleyan Methodist Church, with 16 full members and 1 associate member. (Under authorization of Conference President and the Conference Advisory Board)

1. May 22, 1954, organized Warren Pioneer Church into Wesleyan Methodist Church with 13 full members. (Under authorization of Conference President and the Conference Advisory Board)

12. Oct. 22, 1953, authorized payment of \$150.00 to Rev. Kenneth Brown for the use of his tent and for services rendered in the Bluefield project. (Under the approval of the Conference President and Mission Board)

FINANCES

Salary received	\$ 3,120.00
Travel allowance	700.00
Parsonage Rent	420.00
Gifts	495.00
Total	\$ 4,735.00
Paid out for telephone tolls	\$ 120.00

Paid out for travel	1,500.00
Total Expense	\$ 1,620.00
Net Salary	\$ 3,115.00

Special mention should be made of those pastors and fellow ministers, who, by practical ventures of faith, have made possible the moving out of our borders with newly planted Sunday Schools and Pioneer Churches.

We wish to give special recognition to Bro. Kenneth Brown for his completion of the building project at Abb's Valley without expense to the conference, also for his unselfish labors and assistance in the oversight of the Bluefield project. He was instrumental in getting us a one thousand dollar gift from Tazewell, as well as necessary private loans.

We wish to acknowledge the kind hand of our Heavenly Father, the fellowship of His Son, and the comfort and communion of the Holy Spirit in all our journeys and labors for Him. We appreciate more than we can tell the love, prayers and co-operation of the brethren, also the prayers and practical support of our laity.

C. R. McPherson, Pioneer Secretary

REPORT NO. 11

THE CONFERENCE SECRETARY OF EVANGELISM

The way to effectively poison a stream is to pollute it at its source. The Evil One is effectively polluting the life of America today by burglarizing the homes and hearts of our youth.

Recent new reports tell of vicious vandalism committed over the land by children 8, 9 and up to 15 years of age—a half million dollar school property damage in Chicago; a half million dollar railroad wreck by two boys 13 and 15 years of age.

Millions of dollars worth of Park property has been destroyed. Churches have not escaped. In a southern city, not long ago, a beautiful new Baptist Church was broken into by youngsters, who ripped up the beautiful pulpit Bible, tore the cushions in the pews to shreds, poured paint over the beautiful decorated walls, the hand-carved pulpit, floors and wood work.

In our cities, young people from nine years up, have been running wild in a destructive frenzy that is baffling the law enforcement officers of every community. For example, the city of Chicago suffers \$400,000 yearly damage to school property alone. Children break into schools, tear up textbooks, destroy the desks, splatter ink over the walls, paint salacious signs over the place and sometimes set fire to the building.

High on the list of activities among juvenile delinquents is vandalism. In Atlanta, Ga., four boys from well-to-do homes released the brakes on 20 cars, parked on hills, 'just to see them crash.' In Baltimore, youngsters have smashed 22,082 windows.

In Chicago, gangs of young vandals have completely wrecked homes which had not yet been occupied. In Detroit, policemen travel in groups of four or five, because patrolmen traveling in teams of two have been often waylaid and beaten, "just for the fun of it" by gangs of youngsters of 13 to 18 years old.

"Something strange seems to have happened to our children the last two or three years," said a law enforcement officer.

Of course, something has happened! America is becoming a pagan nation. Thirty-six million of our children are growing up in America without religious instruction of any sort! And there are 30,000,000 teen agers in the land who have never been in any church.

Back of this unprecedented crime wave is the damnable influence of Hollywood. Here is a school of crime, immorality and godlessness second to none. Now its accursed influence is piped directly into millions of homes by means of television. An auxiliary to the hell of Hollywood is one million a month vicious, so-called comic magazines that portray all the dark facets of crime in vivid detail. It is the devil's handbook of sensuality and iniquity.

Dr. Wertham states that even psychotic children did not act like this 15 years ago. One boy of 11 killed a woman in a holdup. He was surrounded by comic books, when he was found. And his 20 year old brother commented, "If you want the cause of all this, here it is; It's these rotten comic books. Cut them out, and things like this will not happen."

A boy of 13 committed a "lust murder" of a girl of 6. After his arrest in jail he asked for comic books. Another 13 year old boy, according to Dr. Wertham, who spent most of his time looking at comic books, committed a "sex murder" of a girl of 4. These books are destroying the morality of our youngsters, and producing sex fiends out of tiny children.

These books are primers for crime. "Every imaginable crime is described in detail in comic books. They present the details of how to commit crimes, how to conceal evidence, how to evade detection, and how to hurt people."

Actual lessons in shop-lifting are described. A detailed diagram for housebreakers was shown in one, with a device for locking a window inside from the outside. A chart showing the most vulnerable spots of the human body is another comic-book illustration which shows the child how to injure and even kill people.

We must have an awakening. Time is short. The night cometh when no man can work. What we do we must do quickly. Somehow in our efforts to save others, we lost our hearts and homes. If we can get revival at our firesides, revival that saves our children for God and holiness, we still will have accomplished our God-given responsibility to our own. If we could save our own children to God and the church, our gains would be substantially more than they are now. Ministers and lay members according to a recent survey in a sister church reveal they are losing their own children at the rate of 8 out of 10. I am sure ours is no better. Revival in the home would naturally bring spiritual vigor to the heart of the church. It is foolish to work on the arms of the church, when the heart is dead.

If the heart be revived, then our best field of evangelism is the Sunday School. In working the Sunday school, we work the entire field of the church . . . thousands and thousands are in our Sunday schools every Sunday. What efforts are we making to reach the unsaved boy and girl? What type of visitation evangelization do we have to reach their parents? The Sunday school at best gives the child but 17 hours of systematic instruction. In the average one year period which a child goes to Sunday school, he receives approximately 17 hours of religious training. In a like period the public school will give him 12,000 hours. A Jewish child will receive 325 hours per year of direct religious training, and the Catholic child 200. Our children receive but 17.

From my observations in the field of evangelism, we need a revival of old-fashioned Bible preaching. As preachers, we need to get back to God's word. To develop something more than a story telling ministry. There needs to be a re-emphasis on the conditions of the new birth and genuine repentance. The card signing, hand shaking, mere believism or accept Christ as Savior line, is making a serious impact on our preaching and revival work. There needs to be a revival of hell scare, night mare, conviction on the lost. Preaching on Hell, Sin, the Judgment and related subjects is imperative. Both the positive and negative side of God's demands on mankind should be presented. Let us not neglect the preaching of Bible Holiness. Calvinism in one form or another is invading our thinking and altering our terminology. The effect is to confuse minds, rob us of our peculiar doctrine, thwart the purpose of God, and side track us from the Baptism of the Holy Ghost Fire that purifies the heart. We can best frustrate this Calvinistic trend by the development of Bible-founded, Bible-grounded holiness expositions. Those truths dealing with tithing, second coming, divine healing, and separation from the world should engage our serious attention as ministers of Christ. Let us preach the Word, reprove, rebuke with all long suffering and doctrine.

The ministry of the Word alone is not sufficient. There must be a prayer evangelism and ministry as well. Our preaching is vain and our testimony the mere recital of words unless our lives are bathed in intercessory prayer. Here is a realm where ministry and laity as well can and must work side by side. Let us therefore give ourselves unto prayer for the revival we need.

A revival of personal evangelism is necessary. Pentecost with its Baptism of the Holy Ghost, sent both ministry and laity out to blaze a trail for God and holiness and to "turn the world upside down." This experience will make every member of the church a flaming evangel of the message of full salvation. May this year be a year of genuine revival in our land is the prayer of my heart.

H. E. Schmul, Evangelism Secretary

REPORT NO. 12

THE EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

None of us can deny the benefit of true Christ-centered, Bible honoring, faith inspiring, vision instilling education in these days of insecurity and uncertainty. We are indeed grateful for all the Lord has enabled our schools to accomplish in these days. However many of us both ministers and laity view with alarm and acknowledge with bowed heads the departure of our Colleges from our own ideal of what a true Christian College should be as operated by a Holiness Church. As to how far we should go in either supporting or protesting such a program may sometimes have to be settled individually. However, it can be said of a certainty that your schools need your earnest prayers (more than your criticism) that they shall be led in training our youth in the ministry as well as in other fields of learning. You are also asked to remember the needs of our schools for finances, Wesleyan Students etc. Did you present the subject of education on your charge in accordance with the question on your character blank?

F. E. Satterfield

THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

REPORT NO. 13

BURIAL ASSOCIATION SECRETARY

Number of churches reporting	36
Total membership reported	149
Gain in membership	45

This however does not constitute the actual membership as many of the churches have failed to report.

The entrance fees for membership are as follows:

Between the ages of:

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

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

E. R. Barris, Secretary

REPORT NO. 14

TITHING SECRETARY'S REPORT

During the past Conference year, the tithing secretary mailed 120 pieces of mail. Distributed tracts on the subject of tithing and Stewardship. Sent samples of tracts available from our publishing house to the pastors. With permission of the Conference President designated Feb. 20, 1954, as Stewardship Sunday in the Conference.

Of the 3452 members of the Conference, 2301 are reported as tithers.

Respectfully submitted,

F. E. Mansell, Secretary

REPORT NO. 15

COMMITTEE ON VACANCY

The Committee on Vacancy appointed Rev. C. A. Blair to fill the fourth year unexpired term of Rev. H. N. Robinson, who resigned from the Itineracy and Orders Committee.

T.O. McCracken, Chairman

BOARD OF CONFERENCE TRUSTEES

REPORT NO. 16

The Conference Board of Trustees report of business transacted during the year:

1. First meeting of the Board of Trustees was held in the Main Tabernacle at Stoneboro, Pa., June 6, 1953. Those present being: Rev. H. C. Van Wormer, Rev. T. W. Comadoll, Rev. A. G. Carlson, and Mr. P. J. Lindquist, Homer Waid absent.

Re-organization was effected with Rev. H. C. Van Wormer as Chairman and Rev. A. G. Carlson as Secretary. Motion made and carried that Rev. J. B. Markey be continued as Treasurer of the Aid Funds: A report to be made monthly to the President.

Granted the request of Dwight N. Kopp for a loan of two hundred dollars. (\$200.00)

Requests for renewal of Notes by Churches were honored.

Authorized Rev. J. B. Markey, Aid Treasurer, to write to Verner Kerr requesting payment of loan. All other personal loans to be renewed.

Adjourned by motion.

2. June 22, 1953, by correspondence. The Finance Committee authorized the Board of Trustees to set the monthly rent of a house for the Vice-President, Rev. T. A. Robertson. He having secured a temporary place at 111 North Perry Street, Titusville, at \$45.00 per month, his request is granted.

3. July 27, 1953. Meeting of the Board of Trustees at President's Parsonage in Titusville, Pa., to consider plans for a parsonage at Van Port, Pa.

Motion made and carried that the Vanport Church be granted permission to go ahead with the building of a parsonage of cement blocks as per the plan submitted with the corrections suggested; and that the Vanport church be authorized to secure a \$5000.00 loan to the best advantage.

Expense: Rev. T. W. Comadoll, \$3.36. A. G. Carlson, \$3.36, and Homer Waid \$3.36.

4. September 10, 1953. By telephone. Granted request of Rev. H. E. Robertson, Sr., for a loan of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.00); and the request of Rev. Paul Stonebraker for a loan of two hundred dollars (\$200.00); both from the Ministers Aid Fund.

5. Sept. 15, 1953. Meeting of the Board of Trustees at Bluefield, W. Va., to consider a church building for that place.

The Board authorizes Rev. C. R. McPherson, Pioneer Secretary with Rev. Kenneth C. Brown and Rev. J. H. Cyphers to investigate the cost of excavating Lots No. 44 and 45., on Juniper Street, Bluefield, W. Va., the cost of the lots, themselves, being \$2,000.00.

If the cost of Lots No. 44 and 45 on Jupiter Street, Bluefield, W. Va., plus the excavating and retaining wall exceeds \$3,000.00 and is too great in comparison with the purchase of the lots inspected, now priced at \$4200.00, the Church Committee is authorized to buy the latter lots to the best advantage, provided it is agreeable to the signers and those interested. These are the lots that need no excavation.

If the material for the Church can be purchased from the Federal Lumber Co., on the credit terms stated, authority is given to erect a Church at Bluefield, W. Va., similar to the church building now at Tazewell, Va.; the building to be 30 x 50 feet with an asphalt roof instead of galvanized iron,

If credit cannot be obtained covering the material for the Church the Church Committee is authorized to secure a loan of \$4,000.00 to the best advantage.

If after a full investigation, the Bluefield Group decides to purchase Lots No. 44 and 45 on Juniper St., Bluefield, W. Va., and erect a Tabernacle Style building similar to the one at Abb's Valley, it will be approved by the Board of Trustees, provided two-thirds of those interested approve the project.

Motion made and passed that the Allegheny Annual Conference loan the Bluefield Church Group the following funds: \$2,000.00 from the Church Aid Fund; \$1,000.00 from Conference Missions; and \$1,000.00 from the Pioneer Fund. The Church to repay these loans at the earliest possible date.

6. Sept. 17, 1953. Meeting of the Board at Canton First Church to consider an addition for that Church to house Sunday School rooms.

Church authorized to proceed with the work as per the plans submitted, subject to a change in roof construction; cost of the construction not to exceed \$14,000.00. Church authorized to secure additional funds needed to complete the project, to the best advantage.

Expense of Bluefield and Canton trips: Homer Waid \$58.83; Rev. T. W. Comadoll \$10.93; and A.G. Carlson \$10.83.

7. Sept. 30, 1953 by correspondence. Since Lots No. 44 and 45 on Juniper Street in Bluefield proved to be too expensive and the lots on Arch Street and Bluefield Ave., unsuitable, we as Trustees, authorized Rev. C. R. McPherson, Rev. Kenneth O. Brown and Rev. J. H. Cyphers to buy a suitable lot, which was later found at Bluefield Ave. and Thorn Street, 50 x 105 feet for \$3,000.00; and which was in the same block with the \$4,200.00 lots on Bluefield Ave. and Arch Street.

8. Oct. 5, 1953. Meeting of trustees at Greenville Wesleyan Methodist Church to consider plans for remodeling work on the church.

Plans passed as presented with the corrections suggested. Authorized work of remodeling inside of Church first; after which the tower then the basement.

Motion made and carried to authorize Church to borrow \$2,000.00 to the best advantage.

Expense: P. J. Lindquist \$7.56; Homer Waid \$3.00; A. G. Carlson \$3.36.

9. Oct. 23, 1953. Granted request of Rev. W. Henry Ortlip for a loan of \$150.00 from the Ministers Aid Fund.

10. November 18, 1953 by correspondence. A loan of \$200.00 was authorized for Rev. Ray Yoder, pastor of the Hillville Church from the Ministers Aid Fund.

11. November 24, 1953 by correspondence. A loan of \$200.00 was authorized for Rev. James Hersman from the Ministers Aid Fund.

12. Oct. 29, 1953 by correspondence. The request of the Soldier Wesleyan Methodist Church for a loan of \$1,000.00 has been granted from the Church Aid Fund.

13. Dec. 26, 1953 by correspondence. The request of Rev. H. N. Robinson of Sandy Lake Wesleyan Methodist Church, Sandy Lake, Pa., for per-

mission to sell the old church building to the best advantage, has been granted by the Board.

14. Dec. 28, 1953 by correspondence. The request of Soldier Wesleyan Methodist Church for an additional loan of \$1,500.00 has been granted by Board; \$500.00 to come from the McLeister Memorial Fund and \$1,000 from the Church Aid Fund.

15. Jan. 7, 1954 by correspondence. Board granted the request of Rev. George Kopp, Jr., for a loan of \$200.00 from the Ministers Aid Fund.

16. Jan. 14, 1954. At request of First Wesleyan Methodist Church of Cleveland, O., the Board met at the Nottingham Baptist Church, 1260 East 167th Street, Cleveland 10, O., to consider purchasing the above mentioned church and parsonage.

After inspection of the above named church and parsonage, motion made and unanimously carried, that First Wesleyan Methodist Church of Cleveland be authorized to purchase the Nottingham Baptist Church and parsonage for the sum of \$60,000.00

First Wesleyan Methodist Church of Cleveland be authorized to sell the present church at 9009 Wade Park Ave., and the parsonage at 1535 82nd St., Cleveland, O. to the best advantage.

Expense: Rev. H. C. Van Wormer, \$12.54; Meals: Rev. T. W. Comadoll, \$3.00; A. G. Carlson \$3.00; Homer Waid \$16.00 and P. J. Lindquist \$23.20.

17. Feb. 14, 1954 by Correspondence. The request of the Vanport Wesleyan Methodist Church for authority to obtain a private loan of \$2000.00 granted. The Board also authorized the underwriting of this loan by the Conference.

18. Feb. 22, 1954, at request of the Mentcle Wesleyan Methodist Church, Mentcle, Pa., the Trustees met at Mentcle Church to consider an addition to the Church 30 x 30.

Rev. Elsey presented plans of the church additions, stating the approximate cost after donations, to be about \$1,000.00. Motion made and carried that the church be authorized to proceed with the building. Expenses Homer Waid \$17.00; T. W. Comadoll \$4.36; A. G. Carlson \$5.00.

19. Feb. 22, 1954. At request of the Conference President, H. C. Van Wormer, Trustees inspected President's residence at Titusville. Motion made and carried that the following repairs be made: Outside covered with wood shake shingles instead of repainting; the paint on the house at present peeling off; new garage door and the necessary repairs; a cold air duct installed in the living room; and any other small repairs that may be necessary.

20. April 8, 1954. At request of the East Conneaut Wesleyan Methodist Church, the Trustees met at the parsonage to consider plans for a new Church.

After viewing the plans presented, motion made and carried that the plans be passed as presented with a few slight changes. Approximate cost not to exceed \$25,000.00. Church also authorized to secure loan needed to the best advantage.

Expense: P. J. Lindquist \$11.24; Homer Waid \$8.00; T. W. Comadoll \$7.14; and A. G. Carlson \$3.00.

21. April 15, 1954 by correspondence. The request of the First Wes-

leyan Methodist Church of Cleveland, Ohio for a loan of \$2,000.00 as a down payment on the new parsonage at 1260 East 167th Street, Cleveland 10, Ohio, has been granted, \$270.00 to come from the Church Aid Fund and \$1730.00 from the McLeister Memorial Fund.

22. May 4, 1954. By correspondence. The request of Rev. H. L. Speas for a loan of \$200.00 from the Ministers Aid Fund has been granted.

23. May 17, 1954. At the request of the Barberton Wesleyan Methodist Church, the board met at the site of the New Church, corner Oak and 26th St., Barberton, Ohio to consider buying a parsonage.

After viewing the house and garage across the street from the New church, Corner Oak and 26th Street, the church was authorized to purchase this property at a cost of \$14,000.00. The church was also authorized to borrow the amount needed at the best advantage.

24. May 17, 1954, at the request of the Kenmore Wesleyan Methodist Church, the Board met at the Kenmore Church to consider buying a parsonage for the church.

After inspecting the house and garage at 1119 Wilbeth Rd., Akron (Kenmore district), the church was authorized to purchase the same for \$7500.00, and to obtain a loan at the best advantage.

Expense covering the Barberton and Kenmore trip: Homer Waide \$17.29; T. W. Comadoll \$2.19; A. G. Carlson \$5.68.

A. G. Carlson, Secretary

REPORT NO. 17

AID FUND TREASURER'S REPORT

CHURCH AID ACCOUNT:

Balance on hand June 1, 1953	\$ 3,988.05	\$
Received from all sources	3,166.36	
Total		\$ 7,154.41
Disbursements: Loans	4,270.00	
To McLeister Fund	350.00	
10% of Non-Aid to Minister's Aid	145.00	
Total		\$ 4,765.00
Balance on hand May 1, 1954		\$ 2,389.41

MINISTER'S AID ACCOUNT:

Balance on hand June 1, 1953	\$ 1,897.14	\$
Loan Repayments	1,339.00	
Aid Offerings	2,074.49	
Total		\$ 5,310.63
Disbursements: Loans	\$ 1,300.00	
Paid Aid Offerings:		
Elliott	\$ 510.40	
Pugh	380.24	
Cross	983.00	
Speas	35.00	
Hersman	15.60	1,924.24
(Hersman Aid offering on hand	\$ 150.25	

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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Total	\$ 3,224.24
Balance on hand May 1, 1954	\$ 2,086.39
Aid Offering for Hersman.	
From Aid (Blue Eye)	15.60
Personal to Hersman	
From Individuals	78.25
From Churches	88.00
Total Aid received	\$ 181.85
Credit in Aid Treasury	\$ 150.25
Total Aid	\$ 331.90

NOTES OUTSTANDING:

1. To Churches:

Loan to:	Original Face	Balance 1953	Payments	Balance 1954
Akron, Grace	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00		\$2,000.00
Bethel	1,000.00	1,000.00	400.00	600.00
Blue Eye Chapel	300.00	150.00		150.00
Bluefield	4,000.00			4,000.00
Cleveland, First	270.00			270.00
Cottage Hill	1,300.00	895.00	565.00	330.00
Johnstown	1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00
Kenmore	2,000.00	2,000.00	500.00	1,500.00
Loyal Oak	2,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00
Middlefield	700.00	590.00	90.00	500.00
Niles	1,300.00	1,200.00	300.00	900.00
North Springfield	100.00	100.00	100.00	
Nu Mine	2,600.00	1,860.00	125.00	1,735.00
Oil City	1,800.00	1,781.36	216.36	1,565.00
Penn Run	2,000.00	2,000.00	225.00	1,775.00
Pittsburgh	4,000.00	2,100.00	460.00	1,640.00
Pittsfield	1,500.00	1,500.00	50.00	1,450.00
Punxsutawney	2,850.00	2,850.00		2,850.00
Smithport	2,500.00	2,500.00		2,500.00
Soldier	2,000.00			2,000.00
Vanport	2,500.00	2,500.00		2,500.00
Warren	650.00	650.00		650.00
West Middlesex	2,500.00	500.00	500.00	
Wolf Summit	2,500.00	2,480.00	90.00	2,390.00

2. To Ministers:

E. R. Barris	\$ 150.00	\$ 125.00	\$ 125.00	
E. D. Brannon	150.00	125.00	40.00	85.00
K. A. Brannon	200.00	100.00		100.00
L. S. Burchfield	100.00	100.00	100.00	
Robert Cherry	150.00	100.00	20.00	80.00
C. L. Chess	150.00	125.00	125.00	
C. C. Cross	200.00	40.00	40.00	
C. V. Barnhart	200.00	200.00		200.00
Lorman J. Elliott	100.00	65.00		65.00
Gracia L. Fero	200.00	10.00	80.00	20.00

Harold Garvin	300.00	50.00		50.00
James Hersman	120.00	65.00	65.00	
James Hersman	200.00			200.00
J. C. Himes	350.00	150.00	100.00	50.00
C. E. Huntsman	200.00	140.00	140.00	
Delmar R. Kaufman	200.00	200.00		200.00
Verner J. Kerr	150.00	145.00		145.00
Dwight N. Kopp	200.00			200.00
George R. Kopp, Jr.	85.00	65.00		65.00
George R. Kopp, Jr.	200.00			200.00
A. Mark Larson	125.00	125.00	125.00	
F. E. Mansell	100.00	80.00	25.00	55.00
T. O. McCracken	200.00	100.00	100.00	
Harold McIntire	175.00	175.00		175.00
Willis Muir	100.00	50.00		50.00
W. Henry Ortlip	150.00			150.00
Olin M. Pfautz	200.00	120.00	40.00	80.00
Harry T. Reid	150.00	140.00		140.00
Dwight L. Robertson	300.00	100.00	25.00	75.00
H. E. Robertson, Sr.	150.00		15.00	135.00
T. A. Robertson	240.00	100.00		100.00
Howard Speas	200.00			200.00
Paul D. Stonebraker	200.00			200.00
Ray Yoder	200.00			200.00

Jos. B. Markey, Treasurer

REPORT NO. 18

CONFERENCE GROUP INSURANCE REPORT

LIFE INSURANCE: Number of insured last year, 134. Number of insured discontinued, 3. New members enrolled this year, 11. Present number insured, 142.

The new members are: George Christy, A. H. Elsey, J. C. Himes, Carl R. Johnson, Phyllis Kuhn, Maurice Moore, William Mydock, Sheridan Rainey, Ruth Saunders, Paul West and Priscilla Kuhn.

No claims were paid this year. Since the formation of this Group on June 10, 1938, six claims have been paid. They follow in chronological order; C. B. Pugh, A. E. Kerst, Gerald Rogers, F. P. Kerst, C. D. Patterson, and Sarah Redding.

FINANCIAL REPORT:

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Balance April 30, 1953	\$2,845.73	\$	\$
From Insured	1,165.16		
From Conf Treasurer	957.24		
Prudential dividend	1,527.97		
Annual Premium		2,630.32	
Refund		2.10	

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Balance April 30, 1954			\$3,874.02
	\$6,496.10	\$2,632.42	
Unlocated balance		10.34	
	\$6,496.10	\$2,622.08	\$3,874.02

BLUE CROSS HOSPITALIZATION: Number of Contracts reported last year, 65. Number of contracts terminated, 3. Number of new contracts, 14. Present number of contracts, 76.

New subscribers: D. M. Stonebraker, K. O. Brown, D. L. Robertson, B. C. Pollock, R. W. Dunn, H. N. Robinson, A. G. Carlson, J. H. Cyphers, Hazel B. Jones, Paul D. Stonebraker, F. E. Mansell, S C. Rainey, A. H. Elsey and Robert Cherry.

FINANCIAL REPORT:

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Balance April 30, 1953	\$	\$	\$ 4.20
From Insured	3,152.60		
Annual Premium		3,160.85	
Refund		1.80	
	\$3,152.60	\$3,162.65	\$ (14.25)

Of the \$14.25 deficit, \$4.20 represents a payment which I advanced on request. The brother who made the request later left the Conference and he has never responded to my correspondence regarding his obligation. Another \$2.40 represents the amount of insurance on the contract for James Hersman. He has not been able to pay it to date. This brother is confined to a Sanitarium for many months.

I recommend that the two above mentioned items which total \$6.60 be paid by the conference.

EXPENSE ACCOUNT:

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Balance April 30, 1953	\$ 7.34	\$	\$
From insured	19.11		
Postage		7.43	
Special card mailing		1.50	
Printing post card receipts		12.30	
	\$ 26.45	\$ 21.23	\$ 5.22

E. D. Lupton, Sec'y. Treas.

REPORT NO. 19

GENERAL PENSION PLAN TREASURER

Balance on hand from last year	\$ 27.73	\$
Received on Budget	5,531.94	
Assessments	925.39	
Stamps	6.00	
Entrance Fee	5.00	
Miscellaneous	1.57	
TOTAL	\$	\$6,497.63
Paid out on Budget	\$4,980.00	\$

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Assessments	925.39	
Stamps	6.00	
Entrance Fee	5.00	
TOTAL paid out	\$	\$5,916.39
BALANCE on hand	\$	\$ 581.24

T. W. Comadoll, Treasurer

REPORT NO. 20

THE DINING HALL SUPERINTENDENT

	Receipts	Disbursements
Paid out the following:		
Kenneth Muir for eggs	\$ 9.50	\$
A. & P. Market for coffee	44.33	
L. E. Peden for turkeys	64.80	
Holsum Bakeries for Bread	75.27	
Mowry's Market for meat	41.75	
Colonial Biscuit Co., cookies	77.87	
Armour and Co., meat	97.04	
Watson China House supplies	25.80	
Meadow Gold Dairies, milk, cottage cheese	186.24	
Flickenger Co., Groc., Produce	930.42	
Total for Groc-Produce & Supplies		\$1,562.00
For Labor	486.50	
W. R. Kopp salary	100.00	
Traveling expense	100.00	
Total for Labor & Traveling expense		\$ 696.50
TOTAL PAID OUT		\$2,258.50
Received from A. G. Carlson	1,522.25	
Elda Bence, W. M. S. Entertainment	451.85	
Churches for fruit and vegetables	329.66	
Meals and donations	234.54	
Total Cash		2,538.30
Credit for canned fruit	34.23	34.23
Total for all purposes		2,572.53
Returned to A. G. Carlson		279.80

REPORT NO. 21

COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATION

Your Committee on Publications submits report as follows:

1. Authorized publication of Conference Messenger by the West Publishing Co., on same terms as formerly.
2. Secured 1000 copies of the Conference Minutes by the West Publishing Co. Cost of Printing, \$701.26.
3. Secured Stationery for use of Conference Officiary from Pronto Print Shop. Cost, \$96.00.

4. From Falconer Printing Co., 500 envelopes for Itinerary and Orders Committee, \$6.00. 500 ruled cards, \$6.50. 500 envelopes, \$5.65 for Sub-Treasurers.

5. Pronto Print Shop, 4,000 Sub-Treasurer's forms, \$35.00.

6. Return envelopes for Clawson, \$5.00. Forms for Carlson, \$15.00.

Jos. B. Markey, Chairman

REPORT NO. 22

COMMITTEE ON SALE OF CONFERENCE MINUTES

Your Committee on Sale of Conference Minutes reports: Total received from churches for 1953 Minutes and late 1952 payments, \$450.75. To Rev. A. G. Carlson, Conference Treasurer, \$433.75. For twenty-five two cent postal cards, \$.50. Total paid out, \$434.25. Balance on hand as of May 5th, \$16.50. Churches not paid, 10.

James W. Hersman, Committee

REPORT NO. 23

STONEBORO CAMP PRESIDENT'S REPORT

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

The 1953 Annual Camp Meeting saw the largest crowd on Sunday we have yet had. There had to be an overflow meeting at each service throughout the day. The attendance held up good to the very last service. Usually after the Sunday services the crowd begins to thin out, but this was not true this time for the last night the tabernacle was practically filled.

Prayer and fasting was entered into with a determination to get prayers through to the answering point. On Saturday night there was an all night prayer meeting called. Early in the morning the folk broke through to victory. As a result the peak of the week end was reached on Sunday evening when Dr. Nicholson preached a never-to-be-forgotten message on "This is Your Hour." The altar and front seats were filled. Twice during the camp God moved in and the altars and front seats were filled without any preaching. The ring meeting was the best for a number of years for the fire really fell in some of the services.

Our evangelists, Dr. Roy S. Nicholson, Rev. S. D. Herron, and Rev. John Cole, preached under the anointing of the Spirit and God honored their labors. Rev. Frank Dennard proved to be an able song evangelist. The Children's meetings were carried on under the efficient leadership of Rev. Neva Golden, and her band of capable workers. The W.Y.P.S. services were under the direction of Rev. Oneida Gleason and Rev. T. O. McCracken, who have ably carried on for a number of years. We understand that the evangelists preached messages of interest and messages which challenge our youth. The response of the young people was excellent and the services were well attended.

One of the great days proved to be the Missionary Day when every service of the day was given over to missions. This was something new, but did not hurt the camp one bit as the day closed with seekers at the altar.

A good number of missionaries were present and spoke. It was a day of real interest in the work of missions. Over \$14,000 was raised for missions in cash and pledges.

At this camp a new price system was introduced for the meals served at the dining hall. The price was lowered until it looked as if we would go in the red, but the majority of the folk responded by eating at the dining hall, and we came out on top. Sunday noon, 1077 were served and 750 at the evening meal. If every one will stand by and eat at the dining hall, we can keep the price at this level, which is cheaper than you can eat at home for the same length of time.

The Camp Meeting Association voted to place a full time caretaker on the grounds. The Board is now in the process of purchasing a property across from the grounds for this purpose. This is quite a step for every cent has to be borrowed, but we believe that our people will respond to this action. The Rev. C. L. Chess was secured as caretaker. He has entered into his work with enthusiasm and much has been accomplished.

Little did we realize when we closed out last year's camp that we would never worship again in the old tabernacle which has served for so many years and where so many had found victory. To the surprise of all on the evening of Nov. 3, 1953, the main tabernacle, two Association Cottages, the Campbell and White Cottages and the power house were completely destroyed by fire of an unknown origin. The Administration Building and some others were damaged. We are grateful for the intervention of God, or else the whole camp would have been destroyed. We were told by one of the firemen that the wind miraculously died down at the right moment. We appreciate the good response of the ten fire companies and fourteen trucks which responded to the call. These men fought hard to save our buildings. The camp Secretary has written each of the companies and thanked them for their services. The loss seemed staggering at first, but God spoke to us to have "Faith in God." This we have tried to do, but it has cost us many nights of prayer and many days of hard work. In the providence of God we are now having our Annual Session in the beautiful new tabernacle which a few weeks ago seemed an impossibility, but God has answered prayer and undertook for us in a marked way.

One day as we were traveling along the road to the campground after the fire to do some work on the grounds the Lord spoke to us and showed us an easy way to raise the needed money for the new tabernacle. He showed us that if every one of our members in the Conference (over 3300) would give \$10.00 a piece, we could easily build it and pay for it. At present, if our figures are correct, we have in cash and pledges, counting the insurance, around \$29,000 for the tabernacle. When we consider that most of this has come in from our own people we will have to admit that God has helped us mightily.

Getting this new tabernacle ready for this Conference Session has been a tremendous task. At this time we wish to thank Bro. Chess and his faithful group of men; Bro. Homer Wade and his men who have built the building and who have worked Saturdays and on Memorial Day to make it possible to be in here now; the two truck drivers who hauled cement for us on Memorial Day so that the floor could be laid on schedule; all the many volunteers who worked on Saturdays, on Memorial Day and other days to

make this possible; Ike Deeter, who gave us much material and sold us the rest at cost; William Oakes of the Marion Center Lumber Company who gave us such a bargain on the lumber for the seats and the platform and the carpenters who came from this Company to build the seats and who worked long hours to get them made; Jack Bence who hauled up lumber for nothing from Marion Center; Walter Zellers who made this beautiful pulpit for the new tabernacle, and all others who have given and donated different things to make this new tabernacle a reality.

We were in hopes to have enough money to build by camp time, a new Administration Building with a First Aid room and nurses' quarters, with a Supt. of Rooms office and quarters, with a new president's office and much needed rooms for committee work and dormitory space to replace the rooms lost by fire. At present this looks doubtful.

In closing, we wish to give due credit to all the workers, superintendents, etc., who have labored so diligently to make the camp possible. Only those who have worked on these grounds know the tremendous amount of work that goes into such a camp in maintaining it and keeping it in order. To all who have labored to make the camp a success we say a great big, 'Thank you.'

Let us labor in these days of drift, compromise and apostasy to keep Stoneboro Camp deeply spiritual, old-fashioned, God-controlled, Christ-centered, and Holy Ghost annointed. Trusting in the continued blessing of the Lord as our only hope to have an old-fashioned victorious camp, let us go on with increased courage and effort.

H. C. Van Wormer, President

REPORT NO. 24

DELEGATE TO THE CONVENTION OF NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF EVANGELICALS

The Twelfth Annual Convention of the National Association of Evangelicals was held in the Hotel Hollendern in Cleveland, Ohio, April 27-30 and was attended by Evangelical Christians from all over America and many other countries. Reports of committees and various leaders of the organization revealed the fact that all felt that they were facing crucial times but made no plans for, and voiced no suggestions of retreat in any sphere of their activities. The President, Dr. Paul S. Rees was flown back from the Billy Graham campaign in London to preside at this convention, and brought recorded greetings from Dr. Graham and a report on the progress of the Greater London Campaign. From the addresses, the speaker was privileged to hear, the one—I believe that impressed me most was that of Dr. Howard W. Ferrin speaking on the subject, "Education In a State of Chaos." He spoke in no uncertain terms of the utter impotency of education to lift man from sin and to meet his soul needs, but pictured education, in our present day as in a state of utter collapse and genuine chaos. The speaker has never heard any person at any time draw a blacker picture of the dire drift of education than that pictured in this address. To illustrate the almost total severance of Education from the Christian Religion, he said, "In the Medieval Period 95 percent of Art was religious, now 95 percent is secular." Dr. Allan Redpath closed a stirring appeal with the words, "Turn us again,

O Lord God of hosts, cause Thy face to shine; and we shall be saved." Among other things, Rev. George L. Ford, the new associate director, said something that seems to me to be genuinely pertinent to the issue facing our denomination at the present moment; he said, ". . .there is a growing understanding in America that union does not always spell unity. In fact, religious inclusiveness without a basic spiritual cohesive force will either promote discord or else so weaken the testimony of the more sound constitutions that their effectiveness is greatly lessened.." He reminded the Convention that the N. A. E. is a service organization rather than one to dictate the doctrines or policies of its affiliates.

The newly elected officers are: President, Rev. Henry W. Savage; First Vice President, Rev. Paul Petticord; Second Vice President, Rev. Ralph M. Riggs; Secretary, Rev. Arley Bragg; and Treasurer, Rev. Rufus Jones. Wesleyan Methodists were accorded many places on the various committees and divisions of the organization including: Dr. Stephen W. Payne on the Executive Committee, the Board of Administration, the Commission on Education, the College Division, and the Committee on Policy. Dr. Rufus Reisdorn is chairman of the Committee on Worship Materials and a member of the Commission on Sunday Schools. Dr. Roy S. Nicholson is a member of the Commission on Stewardship and a member of the Board of Administration. Dr. H. K. Sheets is Chairman of the Commission on Evangelical Youth and a member of the Board of Administration. Dr. Frank R. Birch is a member of the Commission on Foreign Missions and a member of the Commission on Foreign Relations.

The N. A. E. has rendered very valuable aid to our own denomination in various ways and especially through its Secretary of Public Affairs, the Rev. Clyde W. Taylor, in Washington, D. C., in securing visas and passports for outgoing missionaries.

Next year's Convention will be held, the Lord willing, in Denver, Colorado.

It was a privilege to be in the meetings I found it possible to attend and it is my opinion that Allegheny Conference should be represented in and take an active part in each convention of the N. A. E.

C. C. Cross, Delegate

REPORT NO. 25

RESOLUTION

Your Committee on Resolutions submits the following report:

1. By adopting this report, the Conference re-affirms the historic stand of the church on matters of Christian doctrine and practice, whereas, we as a people have been called into existence to spread scriptural holiness "over these lands," we deem it necessary to urge strict adherence to the general and special rules of our Discipline, especially as they regard the matter of dress, Sabbath observance, parental authority, and holy things.

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

3. That we engage ourselves earnestly in the task of reaching, leading into a definite experience of salvation, and preserving our young people, since our losses among the late teen-agers from our Sunday schools and churches are tremendous, and further, that through proper use of their talents, we make them feel a definite part of the church.

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

5. Recognizing the hazards to the spiritual life confronting our men and women in the Armed Forces and that many of them left our Sunday Schools and church unsaved, we recommend that our churches have special times of prayer for their salvation and protection, and we further recommend that the churches through the pastors maintain personal correspondence with them.

6. That we continue to exhort our people to refrain from purchasing television sets since we recognize television as an influence to evil, and believe it is a means of destroying the sanctity of our homes and retarding the spiritual life and growth of our people. We, therefore, urge that our preachers be an example unto our people in practice by refusing to view television as well as refraining from the purchase and possession of such.

7. That we continue to encourage our people to maintain the family altar since we recognize it as a means of bringing our people to a better spiritual state. Let us also encourage systematic fasting among our people.

8. We recognize communism as a subtle, Godless influence that is seeking to supplant our democratic way of life. We also recognize that the present trend toward a welfare state is the opening wedge which leads to materialistic communism.

Therefore be it resolved:

A. That our ministers and our church leaders sound a warning.

B. That we recognize our solemn obligation to pray for President Eisenhower and the committees of our congress concerned with the exposing of Communist infiltration into the American system, that God would grant them wisdom and courage to fight this evil.

9. Since there is a rapid population shift in some of the industrial areas, and realizing that many are lost to God and the Wesleyan Methodist Church on this account, we recommend that our Pastors keep each other informed of those moving into their area from our churches and Sunday Schools.

10. Recognizing the religious motion picture to be a great evil and not consistent with God's divine plan for the propagation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, we urge our churches and pastors to refuse to give them endorsement and to refrain from their use in the churches of our conference.

11. Whereas the Revised Standard Version of the Bible has many changes that do an injustice to the Holy Scriptures, and in view of the theological bias of the translators and revisers which is revealed in this version of the Scriptures, we view it as not a safe version for our people. Recognizing this, we recommend that our people be discouraged from its use and that our preachers refrain from its employment in public services.

12. Where as the newly published and much publicized 'Interpretors Bible' undermines the Gospel of Jesus Christ by questioning the historical characters of the Scriptures, the inerrancy of the Holy Word, and the inspiration of the inspired writers of the Scriptures by the Holy Ghost, we deem it advisable that our people be warned that its use as a commentary on the Holy Scriptures is dangerous, leading to the destruction of our faith.

F. E. Mansell, Chairman

REPORT NO. 26

CONFERENCE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

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

1. Delegates Credentials: Bernard Pollock, H. E. Schmul.
2. Committee on Ministerial Character: W. H. Armstrong, Leonard Snyder.
3. Courtesy: W. G. Steele, Claude Eshelman.
4. Pastoral Relations Committee: (Elders) Conference President, H. C. Van Wormer, T. A. Robertson, H. A. Markell, T. O. McCracken. (Laymen) Mont. L. Moore, Chas. Ewing, W. E. DeHass.
5. Committee on Resolution: Elder, F. E. Mansell, L. B. Owens, Laymen, Thankful Clawson.
6. Committee to Nominate Mission Board: Elders H. E. Robertson, Sr., Clifford Hoen, Laymen, Eber Messner.
7. Boundary Committee: Elder Raymond Kuhn, I. D. Swinehart, Laymen Jay Lour.
8. Committee on Revising the Church directory: Harry Reid, Harry Trimble.

T. W. Comadoll, Chairman

REPORT NO. 27

HOLINESS DISTRICTS—CHAIRMAN'S REPORT AND RE-ORGANIZATION

AKRON: The Akron District held four one day conventions during the conference year, at the following churches: Akron First Church, Loyal Oak, Canton Second Church, and Canton First Church. The District profited greatly by a good Missionary Convention at Grace Wesleyan Church in Akron, with the Reisdorphs as guests.

The Young People of each Zone have held Youth Rally's with the blessing of the Lord upon each one. Canton Zone had a real good Youth Revival during Youth Week. We thank the Lord for His help and blessings in the activities of the Holiness Conventions.

T. O. McCracken, Chairman

RE-ORGANIZATION: Chairman, G. E. Terpe; Vice Chairman, R. W. Dunn; Secretary, Ann Hartley; Treasurer, Bernice Davis; Missionary Chairman, Oneida Gleason; Youth Co-Chairman, Akron Zone—W. G. Steele, Canton

Zone—Willis Muir; S. S. Chairman, T. O. McCracken; Pioneer Chairman, R. W. Dunn. First convention to be held at McLeister Memorial Church.

REORGANIZATION: The Indiana District wishes to report as follows: Chairman, A. H. Elsey; Vice Chairman, J. C. Himes; Sec'y.-Treas., L. J. Elliott; Y. P. Chairman, Sheridan Rainey; Vice Y. P. Chairman, Frank B. Miller; Sunday School Sec., P. D. Stonebraker; Missionary Sec., Ruth Stonebraker; Pioneer Sec., William Cessna; Prayer Sec., H. E. Robertson, Sr.; Song Leader, Marjorie Edwards; Pianist, Mrs. Roy Wade; Ass't. Pianist, L. J. Elliott.

The first convention to be July 13, 1954, at the Nu Mine Church.

L. J. Elliott, Sec.

INDIANA: We had four Holiness Conventions during the year. They were held at Cottage Hill, Pine Grove, Johnstown and Indiana Churches. Good interest was manifested and God blessed our services.

H. E. Robertson, Chairman

NEW CASTLE: The New Castle Zone held four conventions during the year. One of which was Sunday School, two of which were missionary, and they were very well attended. There were 7 youth rallies held with good interest shown and the blessing of the Lord in each one of them. Pittsburgh Zone: There were 3 conventions held during the year. God met with us in each gathering and spiritual profit was derived. Pittsburgh Zone W.Y.P.S.: Six meetings were held during the year. Average Attendance was 96. There was good co-operation manifested in these services

H. A. Markell, Sec.

RE-ORGANIZATION: Chairman, Rev. H. E. Schmul, Vice Chairman, Rev. F. E. Mansell, Sec., Dorothea Pfautz; Treasurer, H. E. Robertson, Jr.; Pianist, Helen Kuhn; Chorister, Wm. Leyshon; Y. P. Chairman, New Castle Zone, H. E. Robertson, Jr., Y.P. Chairman, Pittsburgh Zone, Joseph Dentler; Missionary Sec., Ruth Leyshon; Pioneer Sec., R. L. Kuhn; S. S. Secretary, H. N. Robinson.

TITUSVILLE: The Titusville District held four one day conventions during the past year. They were at North Springfield, Allida Smith Memorial, Pittsfield and Canal. God was present and blessed in all four conventions.

H. R. Waite, Chairman

RE-ORGANIZATION: The Titusville District met on the Camp Grounds on June 12, 1954. Officers election as follows: Chairman, Bernard Pollock, Vice Chairman, Charles Lincoln; Treasurer, L. B. Owens; Secretary, Dean McIntire; Y. P. Sec., F. E. Satterfield; Missionary Sec., Catharine Carlson; Pioneer Sec., T. W. Comadoll; S. S. Sec., A. G. Carlson; Missionary Sec., Mrs. Kenneth Norman.

Place and date for first convention to be Cooperstown on July 30, 1954.

Dean McIntire, Secretary

WEST VIRGINIA: The West Virginia District held four conventions this past year at the following places: Tazewell, English, Wolf Summit and Rock Run. The attendance was good and God's blessing was on each service.

Donald St. Clair, Secretary

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RE-ORGANIZATION: Chairman, Donald St. Clair, Vice Chairman, Kenneth O. Brown; Sec'y-Treas., Harry T. Ried, Missionary Secretary-Treasurer, Miriam Reid; Young Peoples Sec., Sr. Hicks; Pioneer Sec., J. F. Merrifield; Program Committee, Frank Hicks, Paul Betz and Harry Reid.

First convention to be held at West Hill, the third Saturday in July.

REPORT NO. 28

GENERAL CONFERENCE MEMORIAL

We, the members of the Allegheny Annual Conference, gathered in the 111th Session at Stoneboro Camp Grounds, submit the following Memorial to the General Conference:

We recommend that paragraph 221 of the Discipline be amended by inserting the following sentences immediately after the period appearing in line fifteen:

"It is suggested that a Denominational Official, appointed by the President of the General Conference, preside over the various caucuses called for the purpose of nominating members of the Board of Administration. It is further suggested that the Conferences which have been without representation on the Board for the longest period of time be given first consideration."

Submitted by H. E. Schmul

REPORT NO. 29

THE CONFERENCE TREASURER'S

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

May 1, 1953 to April 30, 1954

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Conference Budget	\$29,011.28	\$18,598.69	\$10,412.59
Conference Missions	17,065.99	8,767.31	8,298.68
Pioneer	11,133.16	8,461.08	2,672.08
Pension Fund	5,531.94	5,531.94	
Ministers' Asst. Fund	3,888.10	950.00	2,938.10
Insurance Fund	942.07	942.07	
Conference Entertainment Fund	1,251.00	1,251.00	
McLeister Memorial Fund	2,231.49	2,230.00	1.49
Educational Fund	3,044.35	3,044.35	
Hephzibah Orphanage	397.93	397.93	
General Conference Adm.	1,203.44	1,203.44	
General Conference. T. & E.	546.66	546.66	
Denominational S. S. Dues	774.79	774.79	
Young People's Conference Fund	280.29		280.29
Thanksgiving Offering	41.08	41.08	
Home Missions	45.75	45.75	
Foreign Missions	100.00	100.00	
Notes Outstanding, Churches	2,230.00		2,230.00
	\$79,719.32	\$52,886.09	\$26,833.23
Notes Payable, Church		2,230.00	
Cash-Cummings Bank, Carrollton		2,176.67	

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Cash-Firestone Bank, Akron		14,366.58	
Cash-First National of Youngsville		8,059.98	
Year's Expenditures			52,886.09
	\$79,719.32	\$79,719.32	\$79,719.32

CONFERENCE BUDGET

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Report in Detail:			
Cash on hand, May 1, 1953	\$ 5,816.77	\$	\$
Receipts	23,194.51		
Rev. H. C. Van Wormer		4,990.99	
Mrs. H. C. Van Wormer		411.90	
Rev. T. A. Robertson		4,485.64	
Rev. J. B. Markey		442.65	
Rev. J. R. Swauger		10.00	
Dr. F. R. Eddy		100.00	
Rev. T. O. McCracken		22.80	
Rev. E. D. Lupton		77.65	
Rev. Olin M. Pfautz		105.00	
Rev. T. W. Comadoll		53.79	
Rev. A. G. Carlson		184.98	
Rev. R. L. Kuhn		50.00	
Rev. C. R. McPherson		25.75	
Rev. W. R. Kopp		7.00	
Rev. Charles Baker		52.00	
Rev. C. L. Chess		112.45	
Rev. Paul D. Stonebraker		17.40	
Rev. J. W. Dentler		110.00	
Rev. H. E. Robertson, Jr.		10.00	
Rev. E. R. Barris		2.55	
Rev. Leslie D. Wilcox		133.00	
Dr. Charles DeVol		116.00	
Thankful H. Clawson		73.34	
Miss Luella Adams		59.91	
Mrs. Mary M. Still		71.63	
Mrs. Edith Sweesy		68.85	
Mrs. Chloe Shriver		50.07	
Mrs. C. R. McPherson		15.00	
Miss Marilyn Markey		25.00	
Ellinda Bradford		81.00	
Anna L. Andrews		51.75	
Bill Blair		2.50	
Sara Nevins, Treas.		118.40	
J. E. Jack		201.53	
H. E. Smith		19.70	
Paul C. Woolweaver		81.57	
Falconer Printing Co.		18.15	
Pronto Print Shop		137.35	
Hangers Office Supply		18.00	

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	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Dunn Stationery and Supply Co.		65.10	
Wesleyan Methodist Pub. Ass'n		110.67	
West Publishing Co.		1,156.92	
Homer Waid		348.34	
Paul J. Lindquist		42.00	
Clyde Taylor		3,515.87	
Mrs. Alma McDowell		2.20	
1953-1954 Boulder-Houghton		15.50	
Swanson and Co.		50.00	
First National-Youngsville		2.00	
Titusville Trust Co.		3.60	
White Memorial Wes. Meth. Church		15.00	
First Wesleyan Methodist-Cleveland		270.00	
Evangelical Foreign Mission		48.42	
Van Tuil Flower Shop		2.00	
Mary's Flower Shop		10.00	
Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance		52.25	
Peck Movers Inc.		273.52	
Cash on hand April 30, 1954			10,412.59
Total	\$29,011.28	\$18,598.69	\$10,412.59

CONFERENCE MISSIONS

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Cash on hand May 1, 1953	\$ 5,253.25	\$	\$
Receipts	11,812.74		
Rev. Cecil Huntsman		25.00	
Rev. Harry Trimble		600.00	
Rev. E. W. Brooks		43.75	
Rev. Donald St. Clair		100.00	
Rev. J. W. Dentler		618.75	
Rev. Roy Wade		486.25	
Rev. Harold Garvin		513.75	
Rev. Paul Hetrick		546.25	
Rev. Dale Holley		846.25	
Rev. E. R. Barris		531.25	
Rev. Robert Cherry		181.25	
Rev. Delmar Kaufman		62.50	
Rev. Harold McIntire		171.25	
Rev. James Hersman		245.00	
Rev. George Kopp, Jr.		62.50	
Rev. John Scott		215.00	
Rev. Charles Lincoln		262.50	
Rev. William Mydock		20.14	
Rev. William Shank		144.00	
Clyde Taylor		1,500.00	
Mary Thornton		66.95	
D. & P. Transfer and Storage Co.		205.62	
Sagro Brothers		132.66	
F. A. Bossard and Son		66.69	

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Bluefield Wesleyan Methodist Church		1,000.00	
Mrs. Rachel Fye		120.00	
Cash on hand April 30, 1954			8,298.68
Total	\$17,065.99	\$ 8,767.31	\$ 8,298.68

PIONEER

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Cash on hand May 1, 1953	\$ 4,207.70		
Receipts	6,925.46		
Rev. C. R. McPherson		4,223.30	
Rev. J. Hubert Cyphers		695.00	
Rev. Kenneth Brown		400.00	
Rev. W. A. Robbie		25.00	
Rev. Donald St. Clair (Fairmount)		325.00	
Rev. William Cessna		42.50	
West Publishing Co.		198.85	
Cabin Run Wesleyan Church		56.00	
Loyal Oak Wesleyan Church		546.80	
Soldier Wesleyan Church		393.81	
Bluefield Wesleyan Church		1,493.97	
Abb's Valley Wesleyan Church		60.85	
Cash on hand April 30, 1954			2,672.08
Total	\$11,133.16	\$ 8,461.08	\$ 2,672.08

PENSION FUND

Receipts	\$ 5,531.94	\$
Rev. T. W. Comadoll		5,531.94
Total	\$ 5,531.94	\$ 5,531.94

MINISTER'S ASSISTANCE FUND

Cash on hand May 1, 1953	\$ 3,430.45	\$
Receipts	457.65	
Rev. H. L. Speas		650.00
Rev. James Hersman		300.00
Cash on hand April 30, 1954		2,938.10
Total	\$ 3,888.10	\$ 950.00 \$ 2,938.10

INSURANCE FUND

Receipts	\$ 942.07	\$
Rev. E. D. Lupton		942.07
Total	\$ 942.07	\$ 942.07

CONFERENCE ENTERTAINMENT FUND

Receipts	\$ 1,251.00	\$
Rev. W. R. Kopp		1,251.00
Total	\$ 1,251.00	\$ 1,251.00

McLEISTER MEMORIAL FUND

Cash on hand May 1, 1953	\$ 1,431.49	\$
Receipts	800.00	

THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Soldier Wesleyan Methodist Church		500.00	
Cleveland First, Wes. Meth. Church		1,730.00	
Cash on hand April 30, 1954			1.49
Total	\$ 2,231.49	\$ 2,230.00	\$ 1.49

EDUCATIONAL FUND

Receipts	\$ 3,044.35	\$	\$
Houghton College		3,044.35	
Total	\$ 3,044.35	\$ 3,044.35	\$

HEPHZIBAH ORPHANAGE

Receipts	\$ 397.93	\$	\$
Hephzibah Orphanage		397.93	
Total	\$ 397.93	\$ 397.93	\$

GENERAL CONFERENCE ADMINISTRATION

Receipts	\$ 1,203.44	\$	\$
Dr. F. R. Eddy		1,203.44	
Total	\$ 1,203.44	\$ 1,203.44	\$

GENERAL CONFERENCE TRAVEL AND ENTERTAINMENT

Receipts	\$ 546.66	\$	\$
Dr. F. R. Eddy		546.66	
Total	\$ 546.66	\$ 546.66	\$

DENOMINATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL DUES

Receipts	\$ 774.79	\$	\$
Dr. R. D. Reisdorph		774.79	
Total	\$ 774.79	\$ 774.79	\$

YOUNG PEOPLES CONFERENCE FUND

Cash on hand May 1, 1953	\$ 53.51	\$	\$
Receipts	226.78		
Cash on hand April 30, 1954			280.29
Total	\$ 280.29	\$	\$ 280.29

THANKSGIVING OFFERING

Receipts	\$ 41.08	\$	\$
Dr. R. D. Reisdorph		41.08	
Total	\$ 41.08	\$ 41.08	\$

HOME MISSIONS

Receipts	\$ 45.75	\$	\$
Miss Elda Bence		45.75	
Total	\$ 45.75	\$ 45.75	\$

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Receipts	\$ 100.00	\$	\$
Miss Elda Bence		100.00	
Total	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	\$

NOTES OUTSTANDING—CHURCHES

Soldier Wesleyan Methodist Church	\$	\$	\$ 500.00
Cleveland First Wesleyan Meth. Church			1,730.00
Total	\$	\$	\$ 2,230.00

A. G. Carlson, Treasurer

REPORT NO. 30

STATISTICS—EVANGELISTS' RECEIPTS

	Offering	Gifts	Traveling	Net Receipts
Aletha Mae Cain	\$ 70.60	\$ 2.09	\$ 7.60	\$ 65.09
Harry W. Kastle	415.00	50.00	35.00	430.00
W. A. Robbie	1,448.00		90.00	1,358.00
H. E. Schmul	4,310.00	1,200.00	1,000.00	4,510.00
Mrs. H. C. Van Wormer	520.00	52.38		572.38
Donald P. Jones	2,874.38		302.00	2,572.38
Dwight N. Kopp	1,438.15	14.00	255.90	1,196.25
D. R. Kaufman	1,431.78	125.92	260.00	1,297.70
C. E. Zike	3,099.00		616.44	2,482.56
Ruth Giles	1,151.77	29.00	153.15	1,027.62
George Donaldson	400.00			400.00
Priscilla and Phyllis Kuhn	1,794.00	200.00	180.00	1,814.00
Silas West	2,060.00	15.00	1,500.00	575.00
TOTALS:	\$21,012.68	\$ 2,751.91	\$ 2,915.09	\$18,300.98

William Cessna, Chairman

REPORT NO. 30

STATISTICAL REPORT

ITEM I. PASTOR'S LABORS		ITEM II. PERIODICALS					
Charge	Pastor	Time Employed	Apportionment	Organized Church Societies	Wesleyan Methodists Taken	Wesleyan Missionaries Taken	Wesleyan Youths Taken
Akron First	I. D. Swinehart	12	1	1	75	41	31
Akron Grace	Oneida J. Gleason	12	1	1	24	20	13
Kenmore	George Hawthorn	12	1	1		10	
Maple Valley	Harvey & Irene Yount	12	1	1	24	32	18
McLeister Memorial	Clyde A. Blair	12	1	1	49	31	18
Alliance	Willis Muir	12	1	1	8	3	
Allida Smith Memorial	W. H. Armstrong	12	1	1	53	23	11
Annandale	Olin M. Pfautz	12	1	1	26	6	6
Apollo	A. J. West	12	1	1	4	12	2
Ashtabula	Earl Smith	12	1	1	10	17	1
Ashville	Elizabeth Pugh	12	1	1	47	21	18
Barberton	Dwight L. Robertson	12	1	1	43	46	27
Barkley	Robert Cherry	12	1	1	13	10	
Bethany	J. C. Himes	12	1	1	12	15	17
Bethel	Donald St. Clair	12	1	1	23	16	
Blue Eye	George Kopp, Jr.	12	1	1	12	11	1
Bluefield	James H. Cyphers	11	1	1			
Brown Hill	Dean McIntire	12	1	1	26	8	6
Brownsville	Francis E. Mansell	12	1	1	26	17	4
Cabin Run	Dale Holley	12	1	1	5	3	2
Canal	T. W. & Eunice Comadolli	12	1	1	22	26	1
Canton First	T. O. McCracken	12	1	1	121	63	56
Canton Second	R. W. Dunn	12	1	1	37	24	16
Carrollton	Charles Baker	12	1	1	9	16	
Cecil Charge	M. M. Maley	12	3	3	7	1	
Cleveland First	C. C. Cross	12	1	1	38	43	17
Cooperstown	C. L. Boston	12	1	1	31	15	2
Cottage Hill	Paul Hetrick	12	1	1	26	19	12
Dixonville	Frank Miller	12	1	1	38	30	22
East Clarksburg	Harold Garvin	12	1	1	8	6	1
East Conneaut	J. B. & Georgia Markey	12	1	1	28	19	8
English	Mamie Blankenship	12	1	1	30	16	3
Erie	H. R. Waite	12	1	1	35	31	21
Fairmont	Donald W. St. Clair	12	1	1	2		
Falconer	W. G. Steele	12	1	1	101	37	15
Franklin	F. E. Satterfield	12	1	1	28	15	5
Greenville	H. Mark Larson	12	1	1	34	28	5
Greenfield	Charles Lincoln	12	1	1	14	14	
Greenwood	L. S. Burchfield	12	2	2	30	40	
Hadley	E. W. Brooks	12	1	1	20	11	15
Hampe Memorial	D. B. Hampe	12	1	1	17	31	12
Harbor	George Kopp, Jr.	12	2	1	7	8	3
Hillville	Ray Yoder	12	1	1		1	
Hooversville	Frank Hicks	12	1	1	9	9	
Indiana	H. E. Robertson, Sr.	12	1	1	85	52	8
Isabella	George & June Adamson	12	1	1	6	2	
Johnstown	D. M. Stonebraker	12	1	1	18	16	8
Keepville	L. B. Owens	12	1	1	15	12	
Loyal Oak	Kenneth Hartley	12	1	1	14	10	2
Luciusboro	Harold McIntyre	12	1	1	4	4	

STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

ITEM I. PASTOR'S LABORS		ITEM II. PERIODICALS					
Charge	Pastor	Time Employed	Apportionment	Organized Church Societies	Wesleyan Methodists Taken	Wesleyan Missionaries Taken	Wesleyan Youths Taken
Massillon	Guy E. Terpe	12	1	1	128	41	16
Meadville	Bernard C. Pollock	12	1	1	36	41	4
Mechanicsburg	Reed Bennett	12	2	3	26	28	3
Mentle	A. H. Elsey	12	1	1	10	10	2
Middlefield	C. A. & Ruth Holen	12	1	1	18	13	12
Mount Calvary	C. L. Chess	12	1	1	28	10	
New Castle	H. A. Markell	12	1	1	44	34	19
Niles	H. A. & Winifred Trimble	12	1	1	25	11	
North Springfield	E. R. Barris	12	1	1	16	11	9
Nu Mine	Roy J. Wade	12	1	1	36	13	2
Oak Grove	H. E. Robertson, Jr.	12	1	1	23	14	11
Oil City	Burton & Neva Golden	12	1	1	37	7	
Olive Hill	Fred DeCost	12	1	1	1		
Penn Run	John J. Coon	12	1	1	32	13	
Pine Grove	E. K. Himes	12	2	2	32	35	14
Pittsburgh	Sherman Beers	12	1	1	28	18	4
Pittsfield	A. G. & Catharine Carlson	12	1	1	10	17	
Pleasant View	Sheridan Rainey	12	1	1	33	12	7
Punxsutawney	Cecil & Mary Huntsman	12	1	1	15	9	2
Riverview	Evangeline Dunkerley	12	1	1	27	9	10
Robertsville	Harry L. Strait	12	1	1	4	7	1
Rochester	Claude Eshelman	12	1	1	45	15	20
Rock Run	John Scott	12	1	1	6	9	1
Sagamore	C. A. & Olive West	12	1	1	28	17	19
Sandy Lake	H. N. Robinson	12	2	2	56	19	20
Sarver	Wm. Leyshon	12	1	1	30	22	30
Smithport	Paul D. Stonebraker	12	1	1	6	7	2
Soldier	Wm. Cessna	12	1	1	16	17	5
Spruce Grove	A. H. Elsey	12	1	1	8	7	
Stewart Run	C. A. Yarnell	12	1	1	8	6	3
Tarentum	E. Dale Brannon	12	1	1	34		9
Tazewell	Kenneth Brown	12	2	1	20		
Temple Colored	In President's Hands			1			
Templeton Zion	J. F. Merrifield	12	1	1	26	24	11
Titusville	Walter Kopp	12	1	1	70	45	7
Vanport	J. W. & Helen Dentler	12	1	1	17	14	5
Warren	James H. Hogg	12	1	1	3	7	
West Fairfield	Ellis L. Yarnell	12	1	1	3	9	1
West Hill	M. M. Maley	12	1	1	4	1	
West Middlesex	Wayne Spangler	12	1	1	17	23	6
White Memorial	R. L. Kuhn	12	1	1	34	38	17
Wilgus	Lorman J. Elliott	12	1	1	16	10	5
Wolf Summit	Harry T. Reid	12	1	1	20	18	13
Pioneer Churches							
Butler	Wm. Mydock	12	1		3	1	
Ebenezer	William Shank	6	1				
Jamestown	Robert Miller	12	1		5	2	
Sherrodsville	George E. Christy	12	1		5		9
Totals		1145	104	100	2404	1598	703

STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

ITEM II. PERIODICALS (Continued)

Charge	Sunday School	Banner	Junior Class Paper	Children's Friend	Teacher's Quarterly	Senior Quarterly	Intermediate Quarterly	Junior Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Home Department	Lesson Leaflets	Little Folks Cards	Bible Lesson Chart	Pupil's Lesson Stories	Bible Lesson Stories
Akron First	100	50	40	24	75	30	60	35	10	60	18	2	4	35	
Akron Grace	100	20	15	11	80	20	20	18	5	35	46	16	20		
Kenmore	48	10	10	10	45	18	18	14	5	10	50	15			
Maple Valley	70	18	30	10	65	15	12	15		25	15	10			
McLeister Memorial	100	70	50	10	55	15	35	15		15	10	25			
Alliance	25	10	10	5	25					15	10	25			
Allida Smith Memorial	50	48	30	12	50	22	25	12		24	14	12			
Annandale	50	12	12	47	12		12	15		10	10	12			
Apollo	30	30	20	10	40		15	10	10	10					
Ashtabula	20	15	10	4	25	10	10	6	15	10					
Ashville	55	20	6	47	8	10	6	15		10		1	12	12	
Barberton	140	40	15	14	140	25	25	25		10		1	17		
Barkley	25	15	20	6	40	18	18			5					
Bethany	95	20	18	10	80	20	25			2					
Bethel	30	10	20	11	40	12	8	12		10	20			2	
Blue Eye Chapel	15	10	10	5	15	10	6			5				10	
Bluefield			4	20	6	6									
Brown Hill	15	12	15	6	20	8	12			5					
Brownsville	65	45	20	11	60	9	20	25		10					
Cabin Run	20	20	10	10	21	19	14	2		10		1	12		
Canal	85	25	30	18	80	30	20		12	30	30	1			
Canton First	130	35	50	12	113	18	40	12	12	65			5	55	
Canton Second	60	35	25	14	15	25	35	35	5	25				30	
Carrollton	28	12	8	3	24					10					
Cecil Charge	30	20	15	14	35	35	20	10		36	30				
Cleveland First	90	15	15	12	100	12	15	4		60		1			
Cooperstown	50	26	18	4	60	15	24	4		18					
Cottage Hill	30	10	10	9	35	20	19	2	2		15	1			
Dixonville	75	30	15	16	150	25	12	5				1			
East Clarksburg	15	15	10	4	25	15	10					1	8		
East Conneaut	65	15	20	19	65	18	12	5	3			1			
English	35	30	50	1	35	30	25	36							
Erie	90	40	30	12	90	15	30		14	15		4			
Fairmont	12				24										
Falconer	50	10	15	4	40	10	8	12	6	6		5			
Franklin	40	15	15	5	50		17		4						
Greenville	50	22	10	18	55	10	12	12	5	5					
Greenfield	30	16	15	7	40	18	16	8		20			8	7	
Greenwood	80	32	28	14	90	15	30	26		16					
Hadley	32	16		6	28		8	3		10					
Hampe Memorial	60	18	25	7	40	38	19			15	25		25	25	
Harbor	9		6	2	7					4			6		
Hillville	15	15	10	4	12		8		4					12	
Hooversville	12	15	15	6	10		15			12					
Indiana	160	60	50	17	200	55	20	35		12	60	1	20		
Isabella	35	20	40	5	40	20	20	15		10	40				
Johnstown	30	15	20	8	30	12	10	12		25		1		23	
Keepville	25	20	10	5	25	10	10	15	6	6	10				
Loyal Oak	30	30		5	30	5	30			5	10			10	
Luciusboro	25	20	20	9	22	10	8			5	25				

STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

ITEM II. PERIODICALS (Continued)

Charge	Sunday School Banner	Junior Class Paper	Children's Friend	Teacher's Quarterly	Senior Quarterly	Intermediate Quarterly	Junior Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Home Department	Lesson Leaflets	Little Folks Cards	Bible Lesson Chart	Pupil's Lesson Stories	Bible Lesson Stories
Massillon	90	40	12	120						20				50
Meadville	45	35	25	12	55	24	18			15	15	1		2
Mechanicsburg	41	32	29	22	40	13	11	18					8	2
Mentcle	50	30	16	80	30	20				10		2		30
Middlefield	30	12	20	15	35	12	15	9	13	20		3		15
Mount Calvary	40	30	30	9	50	10	10	10	5	20				
New Castle	85	50	30	12	110									
Niles	40	10	12	6	50	10	12	12	1	6	14			
North Springfield	20	20	20	9	18	18	22	16	10			1	22	
Nu Mine	30	6	12	5	40		6	10		5	10			
Oak Grove	45	15	10	16	55	15	15		5	12			25	
Oil City	45	24	24	11	45		24	15		20		1	24	24
Olive Hill			2	15			12	15				1		
Penn Run	40	20	20	15	50	24	24	1	6	20	36	1		
Pine Grove	70	29	18	18	85	10	29		15	10		3	5	14
Pittsburgh	35	12	18	8	30	12				10	10			
Pittsfield	65	30	25	14	65	22	18			25				
Pleasant View	25	30	12	5	55		16	14						
Punxsutawney	20	10	15	1	25	12				5				
Riverview	45	15	15	7	25	20		1		10	15			
Robertsville	35	25	6	45	15	25	20			50				
Rochester	60	35	15	20	65	15	35			15	1			
Rock Run	20		2	30	20	12	10						20	
Sagamore	36	20	14	9	36	18	26	14		6		2		10
Sandy Lake	80	30	22	21	90		40		1	22	1	1		
Sarver	60	16	25	11	45	16	16			10				
Smithport	50	30	30	6	100	20			8	12			20	20
Soldier	30	15	18	6	40		19		5	5				
Spruce Grove	15	10		5	26			10					12	
Stewart Run	15	8	10	6	18		8	3		4				
Tarentum	40	15	15	11	45		15		5	15	15	1	10	12
Tazewell	12	6	8	5	15		6	8	2		10		10	
Templeton Colored														
Templeton Zion	45	25	4	60	10	24		4		12				
Titusville	96	25	20	26	60	12	14	25	13	5				15
Vanport	28	8	8	6	20	10	8			15			10	16
Warren	15	8	10	6	10	8	10			10	12			
West Fairfield	16	12	10	5	26	16		12	2	5	12	1		
West Hill	15	10	4	15	20			12		10	20			
West Middlesex	35	15	12	6	42		12	12		10	12			
White Memorial	45	30	25	12	60		15	15		12				
Wilgus	25	8	10	7	40		6	1		5				
Wolf Summit	50	30	25	7	55	10	12	18						30
Pioneer Churches														
Butler	15	6	4	12	10		6	6		6				
Ebenezer	15		15	2	24	8					15			
Jamestown	28	12		2	12					5				
Sherrodsville	15			3	20					10				
Totals	4288	1946	1644	903	4571	1086	1391	707	264	1088	627	40	341	493

STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

ITEM III. MEMBERSHIP

Charge	Received	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	Total Membership Lost	No. Reported Last Year	Present Number	Loss	Gain	Members Under 14	Associate Members	Baptized	Local Preachers	No. of Family Altars	Membership Tithing	No. of Card Call
Akron First	5	3		2	5	74	74						2	25	46	40
Akron Grace	8					29	37		8				1	13	36	7
Kenmore				8	8	37	29	8					2	3		
Maple Valley						42	42						2	1		
McLeister Memorial	3			2	2	50	51		1				4	20	30	13
Alliance	16					16	16		16	1			3	1	37	12
Allida Smith Memorial		3		2	5	36	31	5					1		30	11
Annandale	9		1	2	3	42	48		6		4	14	1	18	31	6
Apollo	4					29	33		4				1	13	30	2
Ashtabula	17					17	17		17	1		1	3			
Ashville		8	1	1	10	51	41	10					2			
Barberton	9			1	1	137	145		8	1		2	1	80	83	15
Barkley	2	5			5	21	18	3			1	6	1	7	14	2
Bethany	4		1		1	50	53		3			25	2	14	29	
Bethel	2		1		1	22	23		1		1	8		11	12	
Blue Eye Chapel		1		2	3	15	12	3							11	
Bluefield	13					13	13		13					6	6	
Brown Hill	4	5		2	7	27	24	3		1		5	1	7	18	2
Brownsville	5			3	3	45	47		2		3			16	23	11
Cabin Run	2					14	16		2	1	6	6			16	1
Canal	7			1	1	59	65		6					18	55	11
Canton First	6		1	4	5	104	105		1		17	3	6	37	90	17
Canton Second	1			5	5	56	52	4			5	6	6	24	27	14
Carrollton	1			1	1	23	23				2		1		18	6
Cecil Charge						96	96							35	15	
Cleveland First	9	1	1	3	5	63	67		4		3	4	4		62	8
Cooperstown	1					24	25		1		3		1	11	21	
Cottage Hill	6			2	2	19	23		4						7	15
Dixonville	8		2		2	55	61		6		4			17	52	9
East Clarksburg			1	2	3	16	13	3						3	6	
East Conneaut	9			3	3	33	39		6	1	3	6	1	10	30	2
English	6					40	46		6		13	5	1	19	36	
Erie	4	1		8	9	87	82	5			3		4	15	40	14
Fairmont	9					9	9		9					4	9	
Falconer		2		2	4	63	59	4							50	10
Franklin	10	4	1	2	7	47	50		3	1			2		3	
Greenville	1			1	1	53	53				5		4	21	50	2
Greenfield	19					19	19		19	2	3	3		9	19	
Greenwood	2			1	1	67	68		1		12		2	18	40	44
Hadley		4	1		5	23	18	5				1	1	7	16	2
Hampe Memorial	5					19	24		5	3	3	1	1	12	21	2
Harbor		4			4	14	10	4		1	1			4	8	1
Hillville	4	1			1	6	9		3					3	4	1
Hooversville		2		2	2	16	14	2			7	1	1	2	6	
Indiana			1	2	3	97	94	3					3	35	84	5
Isabella		1			1	11	10	1			9			2	5	
Johnstown	1					31	32		1		9	3	1	9	24	
Keepville	1					22	23		1	1				7	10	2
Loyal Oak	2					11	13		2		5			3	12	12
Luciusboro		1		1	2	14	12	2					1	3	5	

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ITEM III. MEMBERSHIP

Charge	Received	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	Total Membership Lost	No. Reported Last Year	Present Number	Loss	Gain	Members Under 14	Associate Members	Baptized	Local Preachers	No. of Family Altars	Membership Tithing	No. of Card Call
Massillon	7		1	3	4	82	85		3		19		3	34	76	39
Meadville						43	43					3	3	18	38	5
Mechanicsburg	1		1		1	48	48				2				42	
Mentcle	7	5		2	7	45	45					3	2	20	37	9
Middlefield				1	1	27	26	1			4	2	1	8	19	5
Mount Calvary	8		1	3	4	36	40		4		2	2	2	14	34	10
New Castle	6		2		2	74	78		4		2	7	2	15	32	18
Niles	10		1		1	22	31		9					11	27	1
North Springfield	2		2	1	3	19	18	1			4	7		9	18	
Nu Mine			1	2	3	25	22	3				5		5	12	1
Oak Grove	10		1	4	5	48	53		5		3			13	47	9
Oil City				3	3	28	25	3			1	2	2	7	14	1
Olive Hill		2			2	14	12	2				4	1	6	5	
Penn Run	8	2		1	3	38	43		5		31		1	16	40	3
Pine Grove	2	1		3	4	61	59	2				1	2	30	45	10
Pittsburgh	1	1			1	32	32				8	1	1	9	20	3
Pittsfield	1					24	25		1		8			16	21	3
Pleasant View		2		3	5	27	22	5			3	2	1	8	16	
Punxsutawney	4	1			1	20	23		3		3			9	15	
Riverview	7					19	26		7		7	10		10	20	3
Robertsville						24	24				5			18	14	18
Rochester	2	1	1	3	5	61	58	3			8	7	1	29	51	
Rock Run		2			2	27	25	2					1	4	12	
Sagamore				3	3	45	42	3			7		1	10	21	10
Sandy Lake	2	1	1	3	5	76	73	3						25	50	15
Sarver	6	4		2	6	46	46				2	11	1	12	33	4
Smithport	1		2		2	30	29	1					3		12	1
Soldier	1					13	14		1		7		1	6	14	6
Spruce Grove		2	1		3	18	15	3						6	12	
Stewart Run						13	14			1				6	13	2
Tarentum	3					38	41		3			3		6	16	3
Tazewell	1					20	21		1		2			12	10	
Templeton Colored						4	4									
Templeton Zion	2			5	5	51	48	3					4	25	22	9
Titusville	7		2	2	4	58	60		2		2	3		56	53	5
Vanport	2					17	19		2		5	2		17	17	1
Warren	13					13	13		13					7	5	
West Fairfield	2					12	14		2					7	11	1
West Hill						30	30				7		2	15	10	
West Middlesex	3	1		1	2	28	29		1		9		1	7	20	
White Memorial	6					34	40		6		3	6	4	20	36	13
Wilgus		1	1		2	24	22	2					1	5	13	
Wolf Summit	4	1		2	3	28	29		1		2			8	27	
Pioneer Churches																
Butler																
Ebenezer														3	5	1
Jamestown																
Sherrodsville																
Totals	345	73	30	110	213	3320	3452	102	234	14	311	189	110	1139	2301	514

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ITEM IV. SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Charge	No. of Sunday Schools	Whole Number of Teachers and Officers	No. Scholars in Main School	Total No. in Main School	Average Attendance	Home Department	No. on Cradle Roll	Total in School	Scholars Converted	Scholars Joining Church	Dept. Superintendents	Organized Classes	No. of Books in Library	Enrollment in Vacation Bible School	Average Attendance	No. Y. P. S.	Total Membership
Akron First	1	16	173	189	173	10	21	220	6	5	3	3	225	85	80	1	28
Akron Grace	1	9	125	134	91	5	18	157		8	3			55	40	1	
Kenmore	1	10	95	105	95		26	131	5								
Maple Valley	1	14	140	154	106	6	62	222	2		5		65	98	85	1	29
McLeister Memorial	1	18	143	161	117		10	171	8				70			1	17
Alliance	1	6	37	43	29		4	47	2	12	2						
Allida Smith Memorial	1	10	80	90	80		5	95	16				65			1	10
Annandale	1	9	76	85	61		10	95	10	9	2		58			1	22
Apollo	1	14	63	77	57			77	5	4		1					
Ashtabula	1	12	48	60	42	2	16	78	16	14	14						
Ashville	1	14	37	51	45	5	19	75	12	2	3		120			1	17
Barberton	1	13	226	239	185	11	21	267	8	1	2		120			1	27
Barkley	1	11	95	106	74		15	121	8	2		6		80	70	1	4
Bethany	1	11	194	205	133	2	26	233	2	2						1	15
Bethel	1	11	115	126	70		25	140	3	2	2	7					
Blue Eye Chapel	1	6	46	52	25		5	57			1						
Bluefield	1	2	34	40	23			40			1	4					
Brown Hill	1	9	55	64	43		10	74	3	2	1	5	10				
Brownsville	1	13	96	109	95		26	135	6	3	1	1	73			1	23
Cabin Run	1	12	70	82	59		19	101	14		2	5					
Canal	1	12	160	172	154	20	22	214	10	7	3			95	85	1	24
Canton First	1	18	276	294	208	12	129	435	20	6	5	12	235	55	41	1	31
Canton Second	1	20	164	174	130	4	32	210	5	1	3		70	90	74	1	20
Carrollton	1	10	30	40	35		5	45			3					1	
Cecil Charge	3	10	90	100	65	5	8	113									
Cleveland First	1	13	136	149	82	5	33	187	9	9	4			29	19	1	26
Cooperstown	1	10	104	114	92	4	12	130	10	1	3						
Cottage Hill	1	8	96	104	88	1	18	104	25	6	2	6				1	35
Dixonville	1	13	155	168	114	6	22	196		8	4		115	84	71	1	16
East Clarksburg	1	4	26	30	22									17	12		
East Conneaut	1	15	92	102	81	2	16	120	4	6	3		50	51	45	1	17
English	1	8	138	146	116			146	4		3			84	68	1	
Erie	1	27	163	190	124	11	14	215	1	5	2	11	60			1	15
Fairmont	1	3	26	29	20			29	6	9	1	2					
Falconer	1	9	77	86	63	2	7	95	5		3		145			1	15
Franklin	1	9	89	98	73	2	23	123	10	10	2			45	29	1	12
Greenville	1	15	100	115	78	5	31	151	7	1	3	9	48			1	25
Greenfield	1	10	70	80	71	14	11	105	7	4	4	7	77	65	63		
Greenwood	2	20	122	144	112		15	157		6	4						
Hadley	1	10	36	46	40		9	55			3	5	20	45	41	1	8
Hampe Memorial	1	10	92	102	75		16	118	3	3	3		110			1	18
Harbor	2	7	34	41	34		11	52			1		12	40	32		
Hillville	1	6	24	30	22	4	3	37	2	1	2	4					
Hooversville	1	9	39	48	35		18	66			1	5					
Indiana	1	18	300	318	235	35	30	383			3		106			1	25
Isabella	1	10	87	97	83			97	9		1	7					
Johnstown	1	20	100	120	91	1	29	150	7	6	1		24			1	12
Keepville	1	7	60	67	50	6	10	83	2	2		5	5	48	40		
Loyal Oak	1	6	90	96	65		5	101	10	6	1	5	10	80	72		

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ITEM IV. SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Charge	No. of Sunday Schools	Whole Number of Teachers and Officers	No. Scholars in Main School	Total No. in Main School	Average Attendance	Home Department	No. on Cradle Roll	Total in School	Scholars Converted	Scholars Joining Church	Dept. Superintendents	Organized Classes	No. of Books in Library	Enrollment in Vacation Bible School	Average Attendance	No. Y. P. S.	Total Membership
Luciusboro	1	19	49	78	63		14	92	3		1	6	60	52			
Massillon	1	19	209	228	157	4	29	261	10	6	4		130	80	68	1	34
Meadville	1	11	143	154	111		24	178	6		2		24	92	75	1	18
Mechanicsburg	3	26	97	123	82		19	142		2	4		64			1	19
Mentcle	1	12	108	120	100		31	151		2	2		15	62	54	1	11
Middlefield	1	9	82	91	64	15	17	123	3		3		100	107	78	1	13
Mount Calvary	1	5	80	85	51		30	115	2		3		10				
New Castle	1	14	157	171	140		29	200		6	3	12	255	92	86	1	34
Niles	1	13	104	117	65		17	134	1	10	3		55				
North Springfield	1	15	59	74	58		13	87		2	2			39	35	1	16
Nu Mine	1	9	83	83	52		18	101			1	6		52	40	1	
Oak Grove	1	9	79	88	73	7	14	109	5	8	2	6	70			1	20
Oil City	1	12	85	97	83		23	120	5					76	60	1	5
Olive Hill	1	8	30	38	25						1						
Penn Run	1	8	146	154	119	2	22	178	23	8							
Pine Grove	2	41	63	104	106	20	39	163	4	2	6		40	27	26	1	10
Pittsburgh	1	18	81	99	59		9	108	15	1	5	8	37	30	22	1	24
Pittsfield	1	11	100	111	95		24	135	5	5	4		55	80	72	1	18
Pleasant View	1	15	83	98	69			98	6		4	6				1	12
Punxsutawney	1	8	47	55	38		12	67	3	4	1			31	28		
Riverview	1	7	75	82	64		20	102	10							1	21
Robertsville	1	11	140	151	95		20	171	2		1	6					
Rochester	1	13	110	123	94	1	31	155	9	6	3	9	180			1	25
Rock Run	1	13	52	65	70		17	82			1					1	10
Sagamore	1	12	110	122	76		16	136	5		1		60			2	47
Sandy Lake	2	5	108	113	100		7	120			8				15	1	13
Sarver	1	9	90	99	93		9	108	4	6	2					1	23
Smithport	1	8	126	134	93	8	40	182		3	7		47	39	1	15	
Soldier	1	10	67	77	53	5	9	91	5	1	2		26	24	1		
Spruce Grove	1	6	54	60	40		10	70									
Stewart Run	1	10	40	50	25		9	59			1	4	65				
Tarentum	1	10	83	93	69	5	18	116	4		2	6	70			1	
Tazewell	1	8	37	45	42		6	45			1	5					
Templeton Colored																	
Templeton Zion	1	12	100	112	68	4	13	129	6		4		60			1	10
Titusville	1	13	117	130	101	12	18	160			5		130	49	47	1	26
Vanport	1	6	88	95	55	4	24	123	6	2	4			56	50		
Warren	1	5	38	43	35		1	44	3	13	1						
West Fairfield	1	7	48	55	45	1	6	62		2	2						
West Hill	1	6	90	96	75	2	6	98	5								
West Middlesex	1	9	56	65	55		23	88	4	1	2	5	40			1	12
White Memorial	1	19	98	117	87		34	151	4	6	2		117			1	25
Willgus	1	6	56	62	45		28	90	4		2						
Wolf Summit	1	18	106	124	107		10	134	20	3	2	8	10	66	50	1	10
Pioneer Churches																	
Butler	1	3	31	34	20	1	6	41	2				2				
Ebenezer	1	5	60	65	40			65			1	5					
Jamestown	1	5	32	37	34			37	6				40	70	55		
Sherrodsville	1	5	25	28	26			28	4		1	3				1	
Totals	104	1080	8879	9963	7376	271	1632	11860	476	252	124	216	3522	2288	1869	58	962

ITEM V. CHURCH PROPERTY

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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
Massillon	1	70,000	10,891.05	55,000	1	7,000		5,000	650.00
Meadville	1	5,000		7,500	1	6,000	221.53	6,000	919.52
Mechanicsburg	2	3,000		7,000	1	4,500		4,200	2,098.09
Mentcle	1	4,000	175.00	4,000	1	3,000		3,000	1,042.18
Middlefield	1	17,000	4,624.60	5,000	1	8,750	500.00	6,500	1,950.00
Mount Calvary	1	2,500		5,000	1	2,500		3,000	
New Castle	1	10,000		5,000	1	12,000		7,500	12,000.00
Niles	1	9,500	2,715.37	7,000	1	3,500	900.00	3,000	292.04
North Springfield					1	3,000	165.00		74.80
Nu Mine	1	8,000	1,735.00	6,000	1	3,500		2,000	369.75
Oak Grove	1	6,000	500.00	4,500	1	8,000		3,000	442.76
Oil City	1	7,000	1,541.00	7,000	1	4,000	1,541.00	4,000	102.00
Olive Hill	1	2,800							
Penn Run	1	15,000	4,000.00	4,000	1	2,000		2,500	558.55
Pline Grove	2	35,000		18,000	1	4,500		4,000	
Pittsburgh	1	16,000	1,550.00	33,000	1	4,000			435.70
Pittsfield	1	14,000	1,450.00	7,000	1	6,500		6,500	52.62
Pleasant View	1	3,500		2,000	1	3,000		4,000	200.00
Punxsutawney	1	8,000	2,850.00	8,000	1	8,000	2,150.96	6,000	33.00
Riverview	1	5,000		4,000	1	7,800	6,350.00	7,500	178.23
Robertsville	1	9,000		8,000					188.00
Rochester	1	4,000		4,000	1	8,000		5,000	4,600.00
Rock Run	1	2,500		1,500					55.91
Sagamore									1,070.27
Sandy Lake	2	60,000	8,000.00	46,000	1	10,000		3,000	
Sarver	1	15,000		15,000	1	8,000		8,000	750.00
Smithport	1	20,000	3,003.88	6,000	1	1,500		2,500	
Soldier	1	15,000	2,500.00	5,000					337.19
Spruce Grove	1	1,000							290.60
Stewart Run	1	2,000		2,000					300.00
Tarentum	1	11,000		6,500	1	2,000			
Tazewell	1	11,000		8,000					
Templeton Colored					1	2,000			
Templeton Zion	1	5,000		3,500	1	3,500		3,000	110.00
Titusville	1	18,000		15,000	2	18,000		16,000	1,871.48
Vanport	1	12,000	2,500.00	5,000	1	5,000	3,000.00		750.01
Warren	1	12,500	4,430.00	10,000					146.24
West Fairfield	1	5,000		5,000					63.73
West Hill	1	2,000							
West Middlesex	1	25,000		20,000					8.13
White Memorial	1	42,000		34,000	1	7,000		6,000	2,492.84
Wilgus	1	3,000	997.00	2,000	1	2,300		1,500	305.22
Wolf Summit	1	12,500		8,000	1	2,000		2,000	100.33
Pioneer Churches									
Butler	1	2,200	1,025.00	2,200					110.86
Ebenezer	1	6,500	2,600.00						104.00
Jamestown	1	1,600							
Sherrodsville									
Conference Parsonage					1	10,000		10,000	
Totals	99	\$1,352,100	\$141,271.21	\$ 919,400	65	\$ 421,850	\$35,413.49	\$ 312,500	\$114,653.35

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ITEM VI. CONTRIBUTED FOR PASTOR					
Charge	Salary	Parsonage Rent	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts	Total Pastor's Receipts
Akron First	\$ 3,870.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 70.00	\$ 4,550.00
Akron Grace	2,600.00	420.00	45.00	30.00	3,095.00
Kenmore	3,420.00		50.00	150.00	3,620.00
Maple Valley	3,900.00	650.00		75.00	4,625.00
McLeister Memorial	3,640.00	600.00	40.00	100.00	4,380.00
Alliance		300.00		225.00	525.00
Allida Smith Memorial	2,600.00	480.00	30.00	370.00	3,480.00
Annandale	2,970.00	420.00	13.00	341.00	3,744.00
Apollo	1,664.00			30.00	1,694.00
Ashtabula	840.00	200.00	15.00		1,055.00
Ashville	3,120.00	216.00	15.00	64.00	3,415.00
Barberton	4,680.00	600.00	25.00	125.00	5,430.00
Barkley	1,300.00	360.00	35.00	212.00	1,907.00
Bethany	2,080.00	300.00	60.00	75.00	2,515.00
Bethel	2,070.00	300.00	15.00	190.00	2,575.00
Blue Eye Chapel	1,489.75	150.00	5.00	50.00	1,694.75
Bluefield				40.00	40.00
Brownhill	1,331.00	240.00	35.00	290.00	1,896.00
Brownsville	3,640.00	470.00	10.00	324.07	4,444.07
Cabin Run	1,300.00	180.00		150.00	1,630.00
Canal	3,410.00	560.00	10.00	48.15	4,028.15
Canton First	3,900.00	600.00	40.00	105.00	4,645.00
Canton Second	3,120.00	600.00	30.00	150.00	3,900.00
Carrollton	2,340.00	300.00		225.00	2,865.00
Cecil Charge	1,040.00		25.00	50.00	1,115.00
Cleveland	3,640.00	600.00	50.00	1,217.85	5,507.85
Cooperstown	2,600.00	360.00	25.00	200.00	3,185.00
Cottage Hill	1,260.00		10.00		1,270.00
Dixonville	3,095.00	240.00	45.00	100.00	3,480.00
East Clarksburg	780.00	300.00	75.25	125.75	1,281.00
East Conneaut	2,860.00	480.00	15.00	145.00	3,500.00
English	1,200.00		6.00	298.00	1,504.00
Erie	3,835.00	720.00	5.00	230.00	4,790.00
Fairmont	60.00				60.00
Falconer	3,380.00	600.00	80.00	50.00	4,110.00
Franklin	3,120.00	600.00	5.00	286.77	4,011.77
Greenville	3,090.00	600.00	30.00	105.00	3,825.00
Greenfield	2,218.67	420.00	25.00	264.59	2,928.26
Greenwood	2,860.00	420.00	10.00	351.62	3,641.62
Hadley	750.00			30.00	780.00
Hampe Memorial	2,160.00	480.00		10.00	2,650.00
Harbor	873.34			65.00	938.34
Hillville	467.00	88.00	5.00		560.00
Hooversville	780.00				780.00
Indiana	3,415.00	600.00	20.00	158.00	4,193.00
Isabella	520.00	240.00	120.00	140.00	1,020.00
Johnstown	2,630.00	430.00	10.00	20.00	3,080.00
Keepville	1,560.00	120.00	10.00	75.00	1,765.00
Loyal Oak	850.00	450.00			1,300.00
Luciusboro	1,101.00	113.50	5.00	65.00	1,284.60

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ITEM VI. CONTRIBUTED FOR PASTOR					
Charge	Salary	Parsonage Rent	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts	Total Pastor's Receipts
Massillon	3,380.00	600.00	32.00	343.22	4,355.22
Meadville	2,496.00	420.00	40.00	986.09	3,942.09
Mechanicsburg	2,432.00	400.00	5.00	300.00	3,137.00
Mentcle	2,407.50	240.00	20.00	210.60	2,878.10
Middlefield	2,132.00	420.00	40.00	200.00	2,792.00
Mount Calvary	3,120.00	360.00	10.00	82.00	3,572.00
New Castle	3,155.00	600.00	40.00	75.00	3,870.00
Niles	2,080.00	480.00		382.00	2,942.00
North Springfield	2,028.15	300.00	40.00	374.00	2,742.15
Nu Mine	1,448.20	360.00	10.00	50.00	1,868.20
Oak Grove	2,594.00	330.00	5.00	250.00	3,179.00
Oil City	2,205.08	300.00	5.00	250.42	2,760.50
Olive Hill	304.34		105.00	20.00	429.34
Penn Run	2,860.00	180.00	20.00	155.75	3,215.75
Pine Grove	2,860.00	200.00	30.00	262.00	3,352.00
Pittsburgh	2,691.05	360.00		168.25	3,219.30
Pittsfield	2,340.00	216.00	15.00	120.00	2,691.00
Pleasant View	2,270.00	300.00	10.00	1,700.00	4,280.00
Punksutawney	1,990.00	480.00	20.00	206.00	2,696.00
Riverview	1,560.00	360.00	10.00	231.50	2,161.50
Robertsville	3,640.00			210.50	3,850.50
Rochester	3,710.00	420.00	15.00	629.32	4,774.32
Rock Run	1,800.00	240.00	5.00	89.17	2,134.17
Sagamore	2,220.00	210.40	5.00	85.00	2,520.40
Sandy Lake	3,505.00	600.00	25.00	407.15	4,537.15
Sarver	3,120.00	600.00	35.00	255.00	4,010.00
Smithport	2,102.71	144.00	30.00	250.00	2,526.71
Soldier	1,795.00	360.00	12.00	150.00	2,317.00
Spruce Grove	599.11		5.00	250.55	854.66
Stewart Run	536.00	48.00	20.00		604.00
Tarentum	3,380.00	400.00	75.00	400.00	4,255.00
Tazewell	1,200.00			2,400.00	3,600.00
Templeton Colored					
Templeton Zion	2,340.00	360.00			2,700.00
Titusville	3,235.00	420.00	50.00	50.00	3,755.00
Vanport	1,560.00	540.00		155.00	2,255.00
Warren	625.00		10.00	70.00	705.00
West Fairfield	1,059.00			10.25	1,069.25
West Hill	475.00			20.00	495.00
West Middlesex	1,790.00	300.00	5.00	243.21	2,338.21
White Memorial	3,200.00	600.00	20.00	50.00	3,920.00
Wilgus	1,560.00	240.00	9.00	360.00	2,169.00
Wolf Summit	2,157.50	240.00	20.00	557.60	2,975.10
Pioneer Churches					
Butler	177.11	75.00		200.00	452.11
Ebenezer	600.00			65.00	665.00
Jamestown		350.00	10.00	61.00	421.00
Sherrodsville	900.00			40.00	940.00
Totals	\$203,059.51	\$29,460.90	\$ 1,917.25	\$20,802.38	\$255,240.04

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ITEM VII. CONTRIBUTED FOR CHURCH

Charge	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building	Repairs	Paid on Indebtedness	Church Incidental Expense	Total for Church
Akron First	\$ 615.00	\$ 883.56	\$	\$ 2,297.24	\$	\$ 2,044.67	\$ 5,840.47
Akron Grace	511.00	309.84	11,201.57	199.76	816.00	711.33	13,749.50
Kenmore	1,000.00	233.33			500.00	1,364.82	3,098.15
Maple Valley	551.00	619.14		476.62		1,227.21	2,873.97
McLeister Memorial	584.00	508.00		2,102.00		2,691.00	5,885.00
Alliance	233.74	138.47	863.34			801.39	2,036.94
Allida Smith Memorial	546.00	635.00		1,470.00		835.00	3,486.00
Annandale	482.57	201.88		369.45	150.50	558.97	1,763.37
Apollo		238.42	7,158.81			446.15	7,843.38
Ashtabula		124.61		39.45		278.93	442.99
Ashville	425.00	403.30		390.90		463.45	1,682.65
Barberton	790.00	977.12	14,384.73	25.66	2,578.48	1,528.65	20,284.64
Barkley	180.00	232.58				58.70	471.28
Bethany	567.50	353.00	640.21	561.34		967.23	3,089.28
Bethel	200.00	223.00		77.86	650.00	166.01	1,313.87
Blue Eye Chapel	360.00	83.04	253.81	25.07		81.49	803.41
Bluefield		73.98	13,000.00		100.00	116.42	13,290.40
Brown Hill	513.00	172.00		110.00		273.19	1,068.19
Brownsville	700.00	551.32		413.04		933.15	2,597.51
Cabin Run	95.40	150.70	21.48			72.54	340.12
Canal	770.00	818.77	250.00	855.09		1,578.56	4,272.42
Canton First	596.00	1,212.60	11,416.51	484.23		2,829.82	16,539.16
Canton Second	282.00	745.88	580.36	479.37		2,152.41	4,240.02
Carrollton	499.48	146.19				455.36	1,101.03
Cecil Charge		110.00		100.00		115.00	325.00
Cleveland	811.60	380.32	6,000.00	372.52		1,250.52	8,814.96
Cooperstown	435.00	361.48		107.28		343.35	1,247.11
Cottage Hill	643.54	616.72		154.21	575.00	1,577.83	3,567.30
Dixonville	949.00	529.78		619.70		611.67	2,710.15
East Clarksburg	55.00	161.21		34.50		268.68	519.39
East Conneaut	278.00	182.00		25.00		1,273.00	1,758.00
English	239.88	305.68	43.65			449.50	1,038.71
Erie	1,267.78	1,554.51	771.25	711.60		3,504.40	7,809.54
Fairmont	120.00	70.80				40.00	230.80
Falconer	274.25	518.07	1,857.00			1,167.57	3,816.89
Franklin	742.50	145.19	18.03	52.69	2,508.33	974.18	4,440.92
Greenville	225.00	487.64	8,937.98			1,980.76	11,631.38
Greenfield	345.23	330.79	495.38	129.03		132.62	1,433.05
Greenwood	627.13	349.91		173.83		1,455.71	2,606.58
Hadley	121.48	134.10				258.88	414.46
Hampe Memorial	365.00	751.02		172.50		881.99	2,170.51
Harbor	80.00	55.64		41.00		26.75	203.39
Hillville		113.03				24.86	137.89
Hooversville	244.90	120.72				189.26	554.88
Indiana	879.90	2,314.08		993.77		1,137.36	5,325.11
Isabella	85.00	299.25	200.00	100.55	15.80	327.46	1,028.06
Johnstown	278.00	220.80	1,300.00	1,115.39	387.92	897.80	4,199.91
Keepville	135.00	220.38				211.00	566.38
Loyal Oak	411.00	438.69	609.59		1,000.00	324.62	2,783.90

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ITEM VII. CONTRIBUTED FOR CHURCH

Charge	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building	Repairs	Paid on Indebtedness	Church Incidental Expense	Total for Church
Luciusboro	16.00	376.62		19.49		150.89	563.00
Massillon	1,240.00	588.76	2,218.23		1,200.00	1,868.20	7,115.19
Meadville	360.00	365.59		204.27	630.00	2,029.58	3,589.44
Mechanicsburg	243.00	464.16				329.25	1,036.41
Mentcle	437.00	357.86	498.02	45.72	250.00	584.14	2,172.74
Middlefield	250.37	285.00		279.21	640.00	528.62	1,983.20
Mount Calvary	490.00	355.54		1,083.24		861.64	2,790.42
New Castle	853.00	607.70		146.99		617.67	2,225.36
Niles	335.00	390.04		35.48	1,778.23	348.76	2,887.51
North Springfield	503.00	329.58		189.96	380.00	252.00	1,654.54
Nu Mine	170.00	193.36	246.51	49.27	150.00	430.96	1,240.10
Oak Grove	202.00	307.95			300.00	851.36	1,661.31
Oil City	397.95	524.75		174.94	240.36	430.29	1,768.29
Olive Hill	53.20	28.00		10.00		52.87	144.07
Penn Run	380.54	440.90	1,306.05		1,300.00	431.65	3,859.14
Pine Grove	445.00	398.58		508.38	1,800.00	2,213.26	5,365.22
Pittsburgh	333.90	524.96		343.37	550.00	1,002.26	2,754.49
Pittsfield	467.33	596.27	98.54	308.20	250.00	774.19	2,494.53
Pleasant View	135.00	312.60	1,500.00	254.90		404.70	2,607.20
Punxsutawney	170.00	129.02		34.50	511.84	94.80	940.16
Riverview	450.00	177.58	116.40	114.83	350.00	508.91	1,717.72
Rochester	550.00	624.03	1,049.11	683.55		1,205.70	4,112.39
Robertsville	606.55	598.81		20.91		67.35	1,293.62
Rock Run	170.00	291.27				174.29	635.56
Sagamore	275.00	195.35		116.54		236.61	823.50
Sandy Lake	530.00	373.77	39,542.00	468.90		1,352.90	42,267.57
Sarver	160.00	388.48	67.13	2,211.58		823.64	3,650.83
Smithport	393.44	633.36		221.96	719.12	502.69	2,470.57
Soldier	168.05	475.75	7,189.96			86.43	7,920.19
Spruce Grove	106.42	119.26		269.54		54.00	549.22
Stewart Run		115.48				24.00	139.48
Tarentum	200.00	418.03		236.56		1,389.77	2,244.36
Tazewell	100.00	259.65			1,150.00		1,509.65
Templeton Colored							
Templeton Zion	300.00	355.10	249.97	117.42		1,462.94	2,485.43
Titusville	795.00	318.78	191.25	1,322.39		2,368.99	4,996.41
Vanport	164.66	364.42	3,487.60	95.33	378.00	259.30	4,749.31
Warren	150.00	158.27	246.78		300.00	331.61	1,186.66
West Fairfield	130.00	229.58				68.00	427.58
West Hill	140.00	52.00				100.00	292.00
West Middlesex	326.00	170.29	142.52	37.04	500.00	682.89	1,858.74
White Memorial	305.00	310.31		1,653.04		1,358.93	3,627.28
Wilgus	206.25	211.88	92.65	915.21		204.85	1,630.94
Wolf Summit	410.00	412.53	450.39	92.77	967.50	971.45	3,304.64
Pioneer Churches							
Butler	103.00	80.09		58.05	225.00	120.49	586.63
Ebenezer		50.00			250.00	33.00	333.00
Jamestown	225.10	297.42		108.52		63.38	694.42
Sherrodsville	135.00	91.37	139.90				366.27
Totals	\$35,021.64	\$36,024.64	\$138,836.71	\$27,712.71	\$24,102.08	\$70,770.43	\$332,468.21

STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

ITEM VIII. CONTRIBUTED FOR GENERAL BUDGET

Charge	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Pension Fund	Orphanage	Australia	Administrative Budget	General Conference Travel And Entertainment	General Sunday School Work	Total General Budget
Akron First	1,493.20	397.08	162.00	92.50	5.00	203.72	29.60	11.10	21.70	2,415.90
Akron Grace	336.41	36.25	55.08	36.25	7.25	41.63	11.60	4.35	10.70	539.52
Kenmore	200.54	41.25	66.00	41.25	8.25	25.00	13.20	4.95	10.00	410.44
Maple Valley	291.05	127.50	95.32	52.50	10.50	13.50	16.80	6.30	13.30	626.77
McLeister Mem.	830.65	373.30	100.00	62.50	17.50	12.50	20.00	7.50	16.30	1,440.25
Alliance	2.50	2.50								5.00
Allida Smith	306.21	123.89	35.00	45.00	14.00	19.89	14.40	5.40	8.00	571.79
Annandale	124.25	61.25	84.00	52.50	10.50	10.50	16.80	6.30	6.30	372.40
Apollo	164.25	66.43	10.00	41.25	5.00	5.00				291.93
Ashtabula	154.10	29.75	9.55		5.00	15.50			6.00	219.90
Ashville	208.50	41.00	64.00	63.75	12.75	12.75	51.20	20.75	7.50	461.45
Barberton	1,962.57	420.50	273.98	171.25	40.00	110.00	55.00	20.75	2 2.40	3,076.45
Barkley	88.50	30.50	10.00	26.50	5.25	5.25	8.40	3.15	9.50	187.05
Bethany	175.39	52.89			14.00		20.80	7.80		270.88
Bethel	66.80	25.00	8.45	10.00	5.00	5.25	8.00	3.15	10.00	141.65
Blue Eye Chapel	25.75	16.20						1.80	6.00	49.75
Bluefield										
Brown Hill	60.21	32.50	58.54	32.50	11.50	6.50	10.40	3.90	6.00	222.05
Brownsville	785.40	323.77	94.00	58.75	16.75	11.75	18.80	7.05	10.90	1,327.17
Cabin Run	48.98	24.00	2.00	17.50	11.00		6.60	2.10	8.00	120.18
Canal	1,416.25	211.04	118.00	73.75	23.75	41.00	23.60	8.85		1,916.24
Canton First	2,080.84	1,068.66	218.00	130.00	26.00	26.00	41.60	15.60	28.80	3,635.50
Canton Second	605.35	750.14	122.00	70.00	19.00	14.00	22.40	8.40	17.80	1,629.09
Carrollton	180.25	132.75	46.00	28.75	6.00	5.75	9.20	3.45	5.50	417.65
Cecil Charge										
Cleveland	416.99	282.24	135.94	80.01	16.00	78.00	25.60	9.60	12.40	1,056.78
Cooperstown	355.00	174.10	15.00	30.00	16.00	50.00	9.60		10.00	659.70
Cottage Hill	85.81	37.83	38.00	23.75	4.75	4.75		2.85	10.40	208.14
Dixonville	650.59	416.16	112.85	68.75	13.75	13.75	22.00	8.25	14.90	1,321.00
East Clarksburg	15.00			10.00			6.40	8.00		39.40
East Conneaut	181.48	37.33	20.00	48.00	11.00	16.98	13.20	4.95	9.00	341.94
English	92.40	50.00	80.00	50.04	15.00	10.00	16.00	6.00	14.20	333.64
Erie	1,327.15	189.00	224.00	108.75	31.75	21.75	34.80	13.05	15.00	1,965.25
Fairmont										
Falconer	911.96	165.00	126.00	78.25	20.75	15.75	25.20	9.45	6.40	1,358.76
Franklin	398.91	100.25	95.04	57.48	16.52	36.50	18.48	6.96	9.20	739.34
Greenville	733.03	157.08	106.00	66.25	13.25	20.25	21.20	7.95	22.00	1,147.01
Greenfield	128.52	56.98	5.00		15.00	5.00				210.50
Greenwood	816.49	172.25	110.00	49.25	25.00	70.75	25.70	9.30	11.70	1,290.44
Hadley	170.50	33.00	48.00	28.75	9.50	5.75	10.00	3.75	4.60	313.85
Hampe Mem.	359.14	33.50	40.00	23.75	10.00	11.40	4.75	3.80	10.20	496.54
Harbor	63.37	9.43			9.51					82.31
Hillville	6.50	6.50								13.00
Hooversville	109.80	24.10	2.06		9.00	5.00	6.40	2.40	4.80	163.56
Indiana	3,066.12	1,199.25	195.13	121.25	29.25	44.25	38.80	14.55	32.00	4,740.60
Isabella	27.00	17.00	24.00	15.00	3.00	3.00	4.80	1.80	9.70	105.30
Johnstown	141.69	100.92	59.00	38.75	7.75	7.75	8.15	4.65	11.90	380.56
Keepville	113.76	27.25	21.57	29.50	5.00	9.63	8.80	3.50	6.00	225.01
Loyal Oak	104.11	12.25	10.00	16.25	3.00	3.00	4.80	1.80	8.00	163.21
Luciusboro	72.37	21.07								93.44

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ITEM VIII. CONTRIBUTED FOR GENERAL BUDGET

Charge	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Pension Fund	Orphanage	Australia	Administrative Budget	General Conference Travel And Entertainment	General Sunday School Work	Total General Budget
Massillon	2,182.67	605.00	170.00	102.50	35.00	384.00	32.80	12.75	20.09	3,544.81
Meadville	381.08	94.75	96.00	53.75	15.75	21.75	23.70	6.45		693.23
Mechanicsburg	326.86	128.85	69.53	37.76	37.86	28.16	12.13	12.06	10.20	663.41
Mentcle	236.85	47.50	23.00	56.25	11.25	11.25	18.00	6.75	12.00	422.85
Middlefield	85.42	86.71	14.00	27.50	6.75	7.00	8.80	3.30	10.30	249.78
Mount Calvary	118.75	80.75		45.00	9.00	9.00	14.40	5.40	8.50	290.80
New Castle	1,743.21	284.75	167.50	90.00	18.00	71.00	28.80	10.80	16.10	2,430.16
Niles	129.96	67.23	3.00	26.25	10.25	5.25	8.40	3.15	9.20	262.71
No. Springfield	37.25	19.66	1.25	.50	6.00		.25			65.16
Nu Mine	140.81	13.50	2.00	24.72	6.00	6.00	4.23	5.00	8.50	210.76
Oak Grove	298.19	149.07	90.00	58.25	16.25	11.25	18.00	12.75	8.80	662.56
Oil City	97.25	23.25	7.00		7.00	12.00	11.20	4.20	7.60	169.50
Olive Hill	14.75	7.75								22.50
Penn Run	96.30	51.50	5.00	47.50	14.50	9.50	15.20	5.70	13.60	258.80
Pine Grove	181.04	104.90	116.00	72.50	15.75	14.50	13.20	8.70	10.60	537.19
Pittsburgh	398.02	114.05	64.00	40.00	8.00	58.00	12.80	4.80	10.10	709.77
Pittsfield	108.00	51.00	46.00	30.00	11.00	6.00	9.60	3.60	11.00	276.20
Pleasant View	174.50	17.50	54.00	33.25	5.75	32.00	10.80	4.05		331.95
Punxsutawney	57.50	30.50			5.00	5.00			5.00	103.00
Rlervview	98.75	78.75	38.00	8.75	5.00	4.75	7.60	2.85	6.90	251.35
Robertsville	52.14	69.51		20.00	15.25	5.25	8.40	3.15		173.70
Rochester	767.19	153.25	127.00	76.00	20.00	23.50	24.40	9.15	12.00	1,212.99
Rock Run	106.88	80.50		33.75	6.75	6.75	7.15	4.05	17.30	273.13
Sagamore	143.05	63.35	95.00	57.00	11.25	61.25	18.00	6.75	11.00	466.65
Sandy Lake	472.09	301.18	109.50	22.00	37.50	53.75	50.00	11.50	11.60	1,069.12
Sarver	478.75	276.25	90.00	57.50	22.50	11.50	18.40	6.90	10.50	972.30
Smithport	69.77	52.18	25.45	20.00	12.00	9.73	9.20	5.25		203.58
Soldier	96.23	43.58	12.84		5.00	6.00				163.65
Spruce Grove	59.95	4.90								64.85
Stewart Run	33.30	14.60	27.50	15.00	8.25	8.75	4.55		4.00	115.95
Tarentum	133.48	63.02	26.56	42.50	13.50	8.50	13.60	9.35	9.30	319.81
Tazewell	30.07									30.07
Templeton C.										
Templeton Z.	190.00	48.00	104.00	65.00	13.00	13.00	20.80	7.80	10.00	471.61
Titusville	1,916.83	416.50	88.50	107.50	15.25	10.00	22.80	8.55	16.80	2,602.73
Vanport	72.59	36.00	33.45	20.00	5.00	25.66	3.55	2.55	8.00	206.80
Warren	34.00				5.00		1.00			40.00
West Fairfield	50.00	18.10	18.00	16.00	5.00	3.00	4.80	1.80	5.50	122.20
West Hill										
West Middlesex	120.39	74.10	57.50	35.00	5.00	6.75	11.20	4.20	6.50	320.64
White Memorial	856.19	151.19	68.00	42.50	35.00	105.00	13.60	5.10	11.30	1,287.88
Wilgus	228.02	275.00	10.14		5.00		8.80		7.00	261.71
Wolf Summit	277.40	133.00	35.00	37.50	7.00	7.00	11.20	4.20	10.00	522.30
Pioneer Chs.										
Butler	180.00	10.00							4.80	194.80
Ebenezer										
Jamestown										
Sherrodsville	15.50									15.50
Totals	35,246.62	12,051.82	4,994.23	3,472.36	950.39	1,930.55	1,204.44	457.37	758.21	61,065.99

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ITEM VIII. CONTRIBUTED FOR CONFERENCE BUDGET

Charge	President's Salary	Conference Work	Conference Missions	Pioneer	Insurance	Conference Entertainment	Total Conference Budget	Total Budget
Akron First	\$ 25.00	\$ 655.16	\$ 361.49	\$ 79.32	\$ 22.20	\$ 36.65	\$ 1,179.82	\$ 3,595.72
Akron Grace	10.00	375.14	65.05	31.75	8.70	18.15	508.79	1,048.31
Kenmore		280.00	117.39	41.25	9.90	11.55	460.09	870.53
Maple Valley	17.35	577.78	211.05	65.00	12.60	24.20	907.98	1,534.75
McLeister Memorial	27.42	555.40	213.61	98.92	15.00	22.50	932.85	2,373.10
Alliance		32.40	33.82	8.25		5.60	80.07	85.07
Allida Smith Mem.	65.25	678.00	204.00	100.00	10.80	16.60	1,074.65	1,646.44
Annandale	23.00	371.15	171.39	119.20	12.60	17.95	715.29	1,087.69
Apollo	17.50	12.00	24.00	12.00	11.55	14.55	91.60	383.53
Ashtabula	6.60	12.00	61.88	40.00		4.75	125.33	345.13
Ashville	15.00	245.00	83.50	76.50	15.30	25.50	460.80	922.25
Barberton		677.77	257.44	102.36	48.00	76.00	1,161.57	4,238.02
Barkley	5.00	44.00	90.19	34.75	6.30	10.05	190.29	377.34
Bethany		300.78	205.11	72.95		18.20	597.04	867.92
Bethel	32.16	57.00	81.65	150.47	7.35	10.10	338.73	480.38
Blue Eye Chapel		59.10	37.02	10.00	3.00	3.50	112.62	162.37
Bluefield	15.37						15.37	15.37
Brown Hill		182.20	69.81	124.05	7.80	11.85	395.71	617.76
Brownsville	11.00	511.61	174.08	225.15	13.10	21.20	956.14	2,283.31
Cabin Run		120.00	61.31	25.75	4.20	4.90	216.16	336.34
Canal	25.00	432.90	241.36	247.31	17.70	27.90	992.17	2,908.41
Canton First	38.96	673.00	492.00	375.76	36.40	45.15	1,661.27	5,296.77
Canton Second	16.75	383.34	208.99	107.35	16.80	23.60	756.83	2,385.92
Carrollton	25.00	304.73	55.37	60.20	6.90	8.05	460.25	877.90
Cecil Charge								
Cleveland		495.79	281.53	71.62	19.20	37.62	905.76	1,962.54
Cooperstown		228.00	190.80	127.25	7.20	16.50	569.75	1,229.45
Cottage Hill	21.21	115.80	147.21	37.14	5.70	11.65	338.71	546.85
Dixonville	50.00	407.19	185.53	242.55	19.25	26.75	931.27	2,252.27
East Clarksburg		65.00	50.16	23.75	4.80		143.71	183.11
East Conneaut	100.00	360.00	93.00	59.55	11.55	15.05	639.15	981.09
English	17.58	151.24	134.20	104.00	19.50	12.00	438.52	772.16
Erie	31.52	545.95	210.99	302.99	30.65	40.40	1,162.50	3,127.75
Fairmont								
Falconer	20.00	472.61	131.12	60.04	22.05	30.55	736.37	2,095.13
Franklin	22.75	368.70	78.00	41.10	13.80	19.95	544.30	1,283.64
Greenville	35.83	426.31	114.23	78.66	15.90	24.05	694.98	1,841.99
Greenfield		24.00	139.88	35.75		11.40	211.03	421.53
Greenwood	10.00	428.89	157.96	177.40	23.40	36.85	834.50	2,124.94
Hadley		102.81	53.17	41.60	7.50	15.00	220.08	533.93
Hampe Memorial	10.00	294.91	123.80	52.85	5.70	10.90	498.16	994.70
Harbor		71.29	19.94	15.35			106.58	188.89
Hillville		80.00	54.59	30.00			164.59	177.59
Hooversville	5.00	92.31	37.17	6.90	5.60	8.35	155.33	318.89
Indiana	91.34	533.55	461.17	161.23	29.10	42.70	1,319.09	6,059.69
Isabella		47.20	39.72	21.60	4.20	3.60	116.32	221.62
Johnstown	8.05	368.65	128.09	31.00	9.30	10.85	555.94	936.50
Keepville	8.12	51.00	39.43	27.05	6.60	13.70	145.90	370.91
Loyal Oak		60.00	60.00	22.00	3.60	4.20	149.80	313.01
Luciusboro	8.00	34.00	19.00	34.10			95.10	188.54

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ITEM VIII. CONTRIBUTED FOR CONFERENCE BUDGET

Charge	President's Salary	Conference Work	Conference Missions	Pioneer	Insurance	Conference Entertainment	Total Conference Budget	Total Budget
Massillon	70.90	584.82	368.71	230.35	24.60	44.75	1,324.13	4,868.94
Meadville	75.00	390.00	197.03	75.25	12.90	24.80	774.98	1,468.21
Mechanicsburg	33.75	228.45	155.01	30.25	9.12	24.17	480.75	1,144.16
Mentcle	26.85	190.00	150.00	44.15	15.75	20.50	442.25	865.73
Middlefield		144.00	80.65	24.50	6.60	12.20	267.95	517.73
Mount Calvary		394.54	109.28	91.28	10.80	15.85	621.75	912.75
New Castle	61.42	438.99	270.00	242.30	21.60	33.95	1,068.26	3,498.42
Niles	12.00	245.33	101.23	47.50	7.35	11.35	424.76	687.47
North Springfield		224.11	69.33	43.50	.75	5.50	343.19	408.35
Nu Mine	5.16	113.00	69.00	33.35	6.30	10.85	237.66	448.42
Oak Grove	22.00	387.75	83.40	59.20	13.50	21.75	587.60	1,250.16
Oil City	3.30	88.00	119.12	50.25	8.40	12.05	281.12	450.62
Olive Hill	6.43	33.00	22.50	17.10		5.00	84.03	106.53
Penn Run	20.00	319.38	146.48	38.70	11.40	18.05	554.01	812.81
Pine Grove	30.00	385.04	335.55	124.29	20.30	23.80	918.98	1,456.17
Pittsburgh	11.00	396.66	135.29	50.60	9.60	19.45	622.60	1,332.37
Pittsfield		333.38	140.87	139.52	8.40	13.40	635.57	911.77
Pleasant View	10.00	233.55	106.35	58.25	9.00	14.60	431.75	763.70
Punxsutawney	4.50	12.00	55.40	16.85	7.00	12.50	108.25	211.25
Riverview	12.00	170.00	36.00	23.25	5.70	12.65	259.60	510.95
Robertsville	15.00	12.00	152.65	68.55	6.30	7.35	261.85	435.55
Rochester		504.00	260.00	991.79	18.30	31.35	1,805.44	3,018.43
Rock Run		59.00	104.80	48.70	15.70	8.00	236.20	509.33
Sagamore	12.47	174.75	155.00	65.80	15.00	19.75	442.77	909.42
Sandy Lake		441.14	218.35	150.35	22.50	35.50	867.84	1,936.96
Sarver	25.00	446.75	135.72	57.34	13.80	22.10	700.71	1,673.01
Smithport		12.00	160.29	58.03	10.05	12.30	252.67	456.25
Soldier	8.38	30.00	45.12	28.30		3.00	114.80	278.45
Spruce Grove	6.62	12.00	12.00	6.00			36.62	101.47
Stewart Run	6.60	34.50	37.79	6.30	4.55	2.75	92.49	208.44
Tarentum	5.00	212.19	126.61	72.25	11.90	16.15	444.10	763.91
Tazewell		12.00	12.00	43.55			67.55	97.62
Templeton Colored								
Templeton Zion	15.00	356.18	90.70	18.20	81.21	18.20	579.49	1,051.09
Titusville	58.51	514.08	158.82	281.09	19.95	29.30	1,061.75	3,664.48
Vanport		60.00	98.94	25.75	5.95	12.45	203.09	409.89
Warren	5.00	10.00	10.15	15.95		1.00	42.10	82.10
West Fairfield	6.75	115.00	67.30	33.50		5.95	228.50	350.70
West Hill								
West Middlesex		250.16	49.56	77.27	8.40	17.55	402.94	723.58
White Memorial	16.00	462.41	182.73	341.16	11.90	21.00	1,035.20	2,323.08
Wilgus	3.00	95.00	59.80	35.75	7.70	10.70	211.95	473.63
Wolf Summit	10.00	120.00	199.91	16.80	8.40	25.25	380.36	902.66
Pioneer Churches								
Butler		13.00	36.55	38.50			88.05	282.85
Ebenezer		33.00					33.00	33.00
Jamestown	5.00	27.95	24.00	12.00			68.95	68.95
Sherrodsville			44.09				44.09	59.59
Totals	\$1,412.60	\$22,684.77	\$11,666.28	\$7,958.14	\$1,021.48	\$1,497.29	\$46,240.56	\$107,306.55

STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

ITEM IX. CONTRIBUTED FOR BENEVOLENCES

Charge	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Orphanage	Conference Work	W. Y. P. S.	Other Objects	Total Benevolences
Akron First	\$ 376.99	\$ 92.32	\$	\$ 75.90	\$	\$ 30.00	\$ 2,450.03	\$ 2,902.92
Akron Grace	20.00			13.00	290.00		550.00	995.32
Kenmore								
Maple Valley	26.25	1.00	5.00	12.95			1,068.30	1,113.50
McLeister Memorial	47.00	77.50		13.00			1,094.50	1,232.00
Alliance	5.00						147.00	152.00
Allida Smith Memorial							416.00	416.00
Annandale		60.00		25.00	183.00	15.00	197.10	480.10
Apollo							47.50	47.50
Ashtabula							115.23	115.23
Ashville							718.20	718.20
Barberton	375.33			25.90			1,211.65	1,612.88
Barkley	5.00					4.00	65.54	74.54
Bethany	20.18						510.49	530.67
Bethel	103.00	20.00		5.00			72.49	200.49
Blue Eye Chapel							32.66	32.66
Bluefield								
Brown Hill							420.99	420.99
Brownsville	652.50	33.65	3.00	10.00		12.65	77.43	789.23
Cabin Run							145.00	145.00
Canal	528.24	7.00					121.89	657.10
Canton First	393.20					105.00		498.20
Canton Second	178.21	424.50		25.00	8.25			635.96
Carrollton	16.20			25.90		10.20	138.15	190.45
Cecil Charge								
Cleveland First	145.07	10.00	105.00	26.90		17.50	1,841.00	2,145.47
Cooperstown	148.55			6.95	62.50		65.09	283.09
Cottage Hill		25.00					46.62	71.62
Dixonville	343.00	78.27		32.00		127.10	633.81	1,214.18
East Clarksburg							28.00	28.00
East Conneaut	2.63	42.90				17.66	409.29	472.48
English	17.40				10.00	9.57	1,282.00	1,318.97
Erie	694.51				290.00		1,768.86	2,753.37
Fairmont								
Falconer	144.00	43.00				4.00	449.20	640.20
Franklin						44.90	304.55	349.45
Greenville	40.00	16.00				124.75	143.00	323.25
Greenfield	595.00						111.00	706.00
Greenwood							1,142.30	1,142.30
Hadley	14.50	15.00		5.00		8.05	348.80	391.35
Hampe Memorial	86.25						423.35	509.60
Harbor							58.19	58.19
Hillville							23.00	23.00
Hooversville							75.12	75.12
Indiana	899.60	105.00	50.00			69.20	1,037.03	2,160.83
Isabella	115.00	35.00						150.00
Johnstown							305.79	305.79
Keepville		30.00					229.61	229.61
Loyal Oak							139.92	139.92
Luclusboro	2.00	30.00		5.00			15.50	52.50

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ITEM IX. CONTRIBUTED FOR BENEVOLENCES

Charge	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Orphanage	Conference Work	W. Y. P. S.	Other Objects	Total Benevolences
Massillon	376.00	31.00	202.50	126.81		39.00	2,047.69	2,823.00
Meadville						18.00	178.90	196.90
Mechanicsburg							236.10	236.10
Mentcle	10.00		3.00			11.00	500.90	524.90
Middlefield	8.13	20.00		6.50		13.00	125.44	173.07
Mount Calvary	99.05	320.95	23.87				1,223.00	1,667.87
New Castle							1,700.00	1,700.00
Niles							109.73	109.73
North Springfield							110.60	110.60
Nu Mine	123.50	20.00					85.00	228.50
Oak Grove	135.50	21.00	1,373.00					1,529.50
Oil City	27.00							263.50
Olive Hill						28.75	207.75	156.00
Penn Run							156.00	156.00
Pine Grove	194.75	310.63	10.00	10.00	460.00	207.71	35.46	35.46
Pittsburgh	54.84	4.16					299.75	1,492.81
Pittsfield	9.00	20.00					58.25	117.25
Pleasant View						32.00	527.50	588.50
Punxsutawney	2.50	2.00					26.00	26.00
Riverview	156.75	3.75	5.00		4.75	50.00	471.92	476.42
Robertsville	21.00			7.00			40.00	260.25
Rochester	269.37	195.80	15.00	15.00		201.37	1,159.45	1,187.45
Rock Run							1,422.37	2,118.91
Sagamore	9.02		3.00				35.00	35.00
Sandy Lake	71.00			6.95		20.00	709.71	741.73
Sarver						22.00	1,290.00	1,390.85
Smithport	32.32						890.20	890.20
Soldier	44.25					22.00	99.66	153.98
Spruce Grove	5.00						21.90	44.25
Stewart Run							68.39	68.39
Tarentum	38.00					20.00	155.00	213.00
Tazewell							210.00	210.00
Templeton Colored							457.80	702.80
Templeton Zion	70.00	175.00					2,422.88	2,772.71
Titusville	176.05	173.78					90.75	162.28
Vanport						71.53	45.05	57.05
Warren	2.00		10.00				187.93	187.93
West Fairfield							50.00	50.00
West Hill							593.30	807.79
West Middlesex	129.82	21.79		5.00		57.88	691.78	1,279.28
White Memorial	188.00	366.00		10.00		23.50	21.00	106.00
Wilgus	85.00						202.26	202.26
Wolf Summit								
Pioneer Churches								
Butler							12.75	12.75
Ebenezer								
Jamestown		40.00	10.00				68.29	118.29
Sherrodsville							40.50	40.50
Totals	\$8,332.46	\$2,872.00	\$1,919.71	\$ 494.76	\$1,308.50	\$1,437.32	\$39,567.14	\$55,931.89

STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

ITEM X. CONTRIBUTED TOTALS					
Charge	Total for Pastor	Total for Church	Total for Budget	Total for Benevolences	Total for All Purposes
Akron First	\$ 4,550.00	\$ 5,840.47	\$ 3,595.72	\$ 2,902.92	\$ 16,889.11
Akron Grace	3,095.00	13,749.50			
Kenmore	3,620.00	3,098.15			
Maple Valley	4,625.00	2,873.97	1,534.75	1,113.50	10,147.22
McLeister	4,380.00	5,885.00	2,373.10	1,232.00	13,870.10
Alliance	525.00	2,036.94			
Allida Smith Memorial	3,480.00	3,486.00	1,646.44	416.00	9,028.44
Annandale	3,744.00	1,763.37	1,087.69	480.10	7,075.16
Apollo	1,694.00	7,843.38	383.53	47.50	9,938.41
Ashatbula	1,055.00	442.99	345.13	115.23	1,958.35
Ashville	3,415.00	1,682.65	922.25	718.20	6,738.10
Barberton	5,430.00	20,284.64	4,238.02	1,612.88	31,565.88
Barkley	1,907.00	471.28	377.09	74.54	2,829.91
Bethany	2,515.00	3,089.28	867.92	530.67	7,002.87
Bethel	2,575.00	1,315.87	480.38	200.49	4,569.74
Blue Eye Chapel	1,694.75	803.41	162.57	32.66	2,693.19
Bluefield	40.00	13,290.40	15.37		13,345.17
Brown Hill	1,896.00	1,068.19	617.76	420.99	4,002.94
Brownsville	4,444.07	2,597.51	2,283.31	789.23	10,114.12
Cabin Run	1,630.00	340.12			
Canal	4,028.15	4,272.42	2,908.41	657.10	11,866.08
Canton First	4,645.00	16,539.16			
Canton Second	3,900.00	4,240.02	2,485.92	635.96	11,261.90
Carrollton	2,865.00	1,101.03	877.90	190.45	5,038.38
Cecil Charge	1,115.00	325.00		50.00	1,490.00
Cleveland	5,507.85	8,814.96	1,962.54	2,145.47	18,430.82
Cooperstown	3,185.00	1,247.11	1,229.45	283.09	5,944.65
Cottage Hill	1,270.00	3,567.30	546.85	71.62	5,455.77
Dixonville	3,480.00	2,710.15	2,252.27	1,214.18	9,656.60
East Clarksburg	1,281.00	519.39	183.11	28.00	2,011.54
East Conneaut	3,500.00	1,758.00	981.09	472.48	6,711.57
English	1,504.00	1,038.71	772.20	1,318.97	4,633.88
Erie	4,790.00	7,809.54	3,127.75	2,753.37	18,480.66
Fairmont	60.00	230.80			227.80
Falconer	4,110.00	3,816.89	2,095.13	640.20	10,662.22
Franklin	4,011.77	4,440.92	1,283.64	349.45	10,085.78
Greenville	3,825.00	11,631.38	1,841.99	323.25	17,621.62
Greenfield	2,928.26	1,433.05	421.53	706.00	5,488.84
Greenwood	3,641.42	606.58	2,124.94	1,142.30	9,515.44
Hadley	780.00	514.46	533.93	391.35	2,219.74
Hampe Memorial	2,650.00	2,170.50			
Harbor	938.34	203.39	188.69	58.19	1,388.61
Hillville	560.00	137.89			
Hooversville	780.00	554.88	318.89	75.12	1,728.89
Indiana	4,193.00	5,325.11	6,059.69	2,160.83	17,738.63
Isabella	1,020.00	1,028.06			
Johnstown	3,080.00	4,199.91	936.50	305.79	8,522.20
Keepville	1,765.00	566.38	370.91	259.61	2,961.90
Loyal Oak	1,300.00	2,783.90	313.01	139.92	4,536.83
Luciusboro	1,284.50	563.00			

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ITEM X. CONTRIBUTED TOTALS					
Charge	Total for Pastor	Total for Church	Total for Budget	Total for Benevolences	Total for All Purposes
Massillon	4,355.22	7,115.19	4,868.94	2,823.00	19,132.35
Meadville	3,942.09	3,589.44	1,468.21	196.90	9,196.64
Mechanicsburg	3,137.00	1,036.41	1,144.16	236.10	5,553.67
Mentcle	2,878.10	2,172.74	865.10	524.90	6,440.84
Middlefield	2,792.00	1,983.20	517.73	173.04	5,466.00
Mount Calvary	3,572.00	2,970.42	912.55	1,667.87	8,942.89
New Castle	3,870.00	2,225.36	3,498.42	1,700.00	11,293.75
Niles	2,942.00	2,887.51	687.47	109.73	6,626.71
North Springfield	2,742.15	1,654.54	408.35	110.60	4,915.64
Nu Mine	1,868.20	1,240.10	448.42	228.50	3,785.22
Oak Grove	3,179.00	1,661.31			
Oil City	2,760.50	1,768.29	450.62	263.50	5,242.91
Olive Hill	429.34	144.07	106.53	156.00	835.94
Penn Run	3,215.75	3,859.14	812.81	35.46	7,423.16
Pine Grove	3,352.00	5,365.22	1,456.17	1,492.84	11,666.23
Pittsburgh	3,219.30	2,754.49	1,332.37	117.25	7,423.02
Pittsfield	2,691.00	2,494.53	911.77	588.50	6,685.80
Pleasant View	4,280.00	2,607.20	763.70	26.00	7,676.90
Punxsutawney	2,696.00	940.16	211.25	476.42	4,323.83
Riverview	2,161.50	1,717.72	510.95	260.25	4,650.42
Robertsville	3,850.50	4,112.39			
Rochester	4,774.32	1,293.62	2,118.48	2,118.91	13,124.10
Rock Run	2,134.17	635.56	509.33	35.00	3,314.06
Sagamore	2,520.40	823.50	909.42	741.73	4,995.05
Sandy Lake	4,537.15	42,267.57			
Sarver	4,010.00	3,650.83			
Smithport	2,526.71	2,470.57			
Soldier	2,317.00	7,920.19	278.45	44.25	10,559.89
Spruce Grove	854.66	549.22	101.47	26.90	1,532.25
Stewart Run	604.00	139.48	208.44	68.39	1,020.31
Tarentum	4,255.00	2,244.36	763.91	213.00	7,476.27
Tazewell	3,600.00	1,509.65	97.62	210.00	5,417.27
Templeton Colored					
Templeton Zion	2,700.00	2,485.43	1,051.09	702.80	6,939.32
Titusville	3,755.00	4,996.41			
Vanport	2,255.00	4,749.31	409.89	162.28	7,576.48
Warren	705.00	1,186.66			
West Fairfield	1,069.25	427.58	350.70	187.93	2,035.46
West Hill	495.00	292.00		50.00	837.00
West Middlesex	2,338.21	1,858.74			
White Memorial	3,920.00	3,627.28	2,323.08	1,279.28	11,149.64
Wilgus	2,169.00	1,630.84	473.66	106.00	4,379.50
Wolf Summit	2,975.10	3,304.64			
Pioneer Churches					
Butler	452.11	586.63	282.85	12.75	1,334.34
Ebenezer	665.00	333.00	33.00		1,031.00
Jamestown	421.00	694.42	68.95	118.29	1,302.66
Sherrodsville	940.00	366.27	59.59	40.50	1,406.36
Totals	\$255,240.04	\$332,468.21	\$107,306.55	\$ 55,931.89	\$750,946.69

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Charge	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Specially for India	Specially for Africa	Pension Fund	Education	General S. S. Work	Orphanage	Conference Work	Australia
Akron First	397.08	1,760.19		110.00	92.50	162.00	21.70	80.90	655.16	208.72
Akron Grace	128.57	356.41			36.25	55.08	10.70	20.25	665.14	41.63
Kenmore	41.25	200.54			41.25	66.00	10.00	8.25	380.00	25.00
Maple Valley	128.50	317.30			52.50	100.32	13.30	23.45	577.78	13.50
McLeister Mem.	450.80	877.65			62.50	100.00	16.30	30.50	555.40	12.50
Alliance	2.50	2.50							32.40	
Allida Smith M.	123.89	306.21			45.00	35.00	8.00	14.00	678.00	19.89
Annandale	121.25	124.25			52.50	84.00	6.30	35.50	534.15	10.50
Apollo	66.43	164.25			41.25	10.00		5.00	12.00	5.00
Ashtabula	29.75	154.10				9.55	6.00	5.00	12.00	15.50
Ashville	41.00	208.50			63.75	64.00	7.50	12.75	245.00	12.75
Barberton	420.50	2,337.90			273.98	22.40	65.90	110.00	677.77	110.00
Barkley	30.50	88.50			26.25	10.00	9.50	5.25	44.00	5.25
Bethany	52.89	175.39						14.00	300.78	
Bethel	25.00	66.80			28.33	8.45	10.00	5.00	57.00	5.25
Blue Eye Chapel	16.20	25.75					6.00		59.10	
Bluefield										
Brown Hill	32.50	60.21			49.50	58.54	6.00	26.50	182.20	6.50
Brownsville	357.42	1,437.90			58.75	97.00	10.90	26.75	511.61	11.75
Cabin Run	24.00	48.98			17.50	2.00	8.00	11.00	120.00	
Canal	211.04	1,416.25			73.75	118.00		23.75	432.90	41.00
Canton First	1,068.66	2,080.34			130.00	218.00	28.80	26.00	673.00	26.00
Canton Second	1,174.64	783.56			70.00	122.00	17.80	44.00	491.59	14.00
Carrollton	132.75	196.45			28.75	46.00	5.50	31.90	304.73	5.75
Cecil Charge										
Cleveland	282.24	416.99			80.01	135.94	12.40	16.00	495.79	78.00
Cooperstown	174.10	503.55			30.00	15.00	10.00	22.95	290.50	50.00
Cottage Hill	62.83	85.81			23.75	38.00	10.40	4.75	115.80	4.75
Dixonville	416.16	650.59			68.75	112.85	14.90	13.75	407.19	13.75
East Clarksburg		15.00			10.00				65.00	
E. Conneaut	80.23	184.11			48.00	20.00	9.00	11.00	360.00	16.98
English	50.00	92.40			50.04	80.04	14.20	15.00	151.24	10.00
Erie	189.00	2,021.66			108.75	224.00	15.00	31.75	835.95	21.75
Fairmont										
Falconer	208.00	1,055.96			78.25	126.00	6.40	20.75	492.61	15.75
Franklin	100.25	398.91			57.48	95.04	9.20	16.52	368.70	36.50
Greenville	173.08	773.03			66.25	106.00	22.00	13.25	426.31	20.25
Greenfield	56.98	723.52				5.00		15.00	24.00	5.00
Greenwood	172.25	816.49			49.25	110.00	11.70	25.00	428.89	70.75
Hadley	48.00	85.50		100.00	28.75	48.00	4.60	14.50	102.81	5.75
Hampe Memorial	33.50	359.14			23.75	40.00	10.20	10.00	294.91	11.40
Harbor	9.43	63.37						9.51	71.29	
Hillville	6.50	6.50							80.00	
Hooversville	24.10	109.80				2.06	4.80	9.00	92.31	6.90
Indiana	1,199.25	3,066.12			121.25	195.13	32.00	29.25	533.55	44.25
Isabella	17.00	27.00			15.00	24.00	9.70	3.00	47.20	3.00
Johnstown	100.92	141.69			38.75	59.00	11.90	7.75	368.65	7.75
Keepville	27.25	113.76			29.50	21.57	6.00	5.00	51.00	9.63
Loyal Oak	12.25	104.11			16.25	10.00	8.00	3.00	60.00	3.00
Luciusboro	51.07	72.37		2.00				5.00	34.00	

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Charge	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Specially for India	Specially for Africa	Pension Fund	Education	General S. S. Work	Orphanage	Conference Work	Australia
Massillon	636.00	2,058.67	350.00	150.00	102.50	372.50	20.09	161.81	584.82	384.00
Meadville	94.75	381.08			53.75	96.00		15.75	390.00	21.75
Mechanicsburg	128.85	326.86			37.76	69.53	10.20	37.86	228.45	28.16
Mentcle	47.50	236.85			56.25	23.00	12.00	11.25	190.00	11.25
Middlefield	106.71	93.55			38.57	14.00	10.30	13.25	144.00	7.00
Mount Calvary	401.70	365.73			45.00	23.87	8.50	9.00	394.54	9.00
New Castle	284.75	1,743.21			90.00	167.50	16.10	18.00	438.99	71.00
Niles	67.25	129.96			26.25	3.00	9.20	10.25	245.33	5.25
No. Springfield	19.66	37.25			.50	1.25		6.00	224.11	
Nu Mine	13.50	173.75			24.72	2.00	8.50	6.00	113.00	6.00
Oak Grove	149.07	298.19			58.25	90.00	8.80	16.25	387.75	11.25
Oil City	23.25	124.25				7.00	7.60	7.00	88.00	
Olive Hill	7.75	14.75							33.00	
Penn Run	51.50	96.30			47.50	5.00	13.60	14.50	319.38	9.50
Pine Grove	545.53	375.79			118.86	146.00	10.60	25.75	385.04	14.50
Pittsburgh	118.21	439.86	13.00			64.00	10.10	8.00	396.66	58.00
Pittsfield	51.00	108.00	9.00		30.00	46.00	11.00	31.00	333.38	6.00
Pleasant View	17.50	71.50			33.35	54.00		5.75	233.55	32.00
Punxsutawney	32.50	35.00		25.00			5.00	5.00	12.00	5.00
Riverview	78.75	98.75	100.00		8.75	43.00	6.90	5.00	170.00	4.75
Robertsville	69.51	73.14			20.00			22.25	12.00	5.25
Rochester	349.05	1,036.56			76.25	142.00	12.00	35.25	504.00	23.50
Rock Run	80.50	106.88			33.75		17.30	6.75	59.00	6.75
Sagamore	63.35	143.05			57.00	95.00	11.00	11.25	174.75	61.25
Sandy Lake	301.18	543.09			22.00	109.50	11.60	44.45	441.14	53.75
Sarver	276.25	478.75			57.50	90.00	10.50	22.50	446.75	11.50
Smithport	52.18	102.09			20.00	25.45		12.00	12.00	9.73
Soldier	43.58	96.23				12.84		5.00	30.00	6.00
Spruce Grove	4.90	59.95							12.00	
Stewart Run	14.60	33.30			15.00	27.50	4.00	8.25	34.50	8.75
Tarentum	63.02	171.48			42.50	26.56	9.30	13.50	212.19	8.50
Tazewell	30.07								12.00	
Templeton Col.										
Templeton Zion	48.00	190.00			65.00	104.00	10.00	13.00	356.18	
Titusville	416.50	1,916.83			107.50	88.50	16.80	15.25	572.59	10.00
Vanport	36.00	72.59			20.00	33.45	8.00	5.00	60.00	25.66
Warren		36.00				10.00		5.00	10.00	
West Fairfield	18.10	50.00			16.00	18.00	5.50	5.00	115.00	3.00
West Hill										
West Middlesex	95.69	297.21			35.00	57.50	6.50	10.00	250.16	6.75
White Memorial	517.19	1,044.19			84.70	68.00	11.30	45.00	462.41	105.00
Wilgus	2.75	228.02				10.14	7.00	5.00	95.00	
Wolf Summit	133.00	277.40			37.50	35.00	10.00	7.00	120.00	7.00
Pioneer Churches										
Butler	10.00	180.00					4.80			
Ebenezer									33.00	
Jamestown	40.00				10.00				27.95	
Sherrordsville		15.50								
Totals	13,160.16	37,438.87	382.00	288.00	3,680.56	5,080.36	814.69	1,560.35	32,426.23	2,053.85

Specially for South America from Barberton Church, \$171.25.

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Charge	Conference Missions	Conf. President's Salary	W. Y. P. S.	Administrative Budget	General Conf. Entertainment	Other Benevolent Objects	Pioneer	Insurance	Conference Entertainment	Total
Akron First	361.49	25.00		40.35	11.10	2,434.28	79.32	22.20	36.65	6,498.64
Akron Grace	65.05	10.00	30.00	11.60	4.35	550.00	31.75	8.70	18.15	2,043.63
Kenmore	117.39			13.20	4.95		41.25	9.90	11.55	870.53
Maple Valley	211.05	17.35		25.55	6.30	1,059.55	65.00	12.60	24.20	2,648.25
McLeister Mem.	213.61	27.42		20.00	7.50	1,080.00	98.92	15.00	22.50	3,605.10
Alliance	33.82					152.00	8.25		5.60	237.07
Allida Smith	204.00	65.25		14.40	5.40	416.00	100.00	10.80	16.60	2,062.44
Annandale	171.39	23.00	15.00	16.80	6.30	197.10	119.20	12.60	17.95	1,567.79
Apollo	24.00	17.50				47.50	12.00	11.55	14.55	431.03
Ashtabula	61.88	6.60			4.75	115.23	40.00			460.36
Ashville	83.50	15.00		51.20		718.20	76.50	15.30	25.50	1,640.45
Barberton	257.44			71.00	20.75	1,195.65	102.36	48.00	76.00	5,850.90
Barkley	90.19	5.00		8.40	3.15	74.54	34.75	6.30	10.05	451.63
Bethany	205.11			20.80	7.80	530.69	72.95		18.20	1,398.59
Bethel	81.65	32.16		8.00	3.15	182.16	150.47	7.35	10.10	680.87
Blue Eye Chapel	37.02				1.80	32.66	10.00	3.00	3.50	195.03
Bluefield		15.37								15.37
Brown Hill	69.81			10.50	3.90	388.99	124.05	7.80	11.85	1,038.75
Brownsville	174.08	11.00	12.65	18.80	7.05	77.43	225.15	13.10	21.20	3,072.54
Cabin Run	61.31			6.60	2.10	145.00	25.75	4.20	4.90	481.34
Canal	241.36	25.00		23.60	8.85	657.10	247.31	17.70	27.90	3,565.51
Canton First	492.00	38.96	105.00	41.60	15.60	393.90	375.76	36.40	45.15	5,794.47
Canton Second	208.99	16.75		22.40	8.40		107.35	16.80	23.60	3,121.88
Carrollton	55.37	25.00		9.20	3.45	148.35	60.20	6.90	8.05	1,068.35
Cecil Charge										
Cleveland	281.53		17.50	25.60	9.60	2,127.97	71.62	19.20	37.62	4,108.01
Cooperstown	190.80			9.60		65.09	127.25	7.20	16.50	1,512.54
Cottage Hill	147.21	21.21		7.60	2.85	39.02	37.14	5.70	11.65	618.47
Dixonville	185.53	50.00		22.00	8.25	1,214.18	242.55	19.25	26.75	3,466.45
E. Clarksburg	50.16			6.40	8.00	28.00	23.75	4.80		211.11
E. Conneaut	93.00	100.00	17.66	13.20	4.95	409.29	59.55	11.55	15.05	1,453.57
English	134.20	17.58	9.57	16.00	6.00	1,318.97	104.00	12.00	19.50	2,091.13
Erie	210.99	31.52		34.80	13.05	1,768.86	302.99	30.65	40.40	5,881.12
Fairmont										
Falconer	131.12		4.00	25.20	9.45	449.20	60.04	22.05	30.55	2,735.33
Franklin	78.00	22.75	44.90	18.48	6.96	304.55	41.10	13.80	19.95	1,633.09
Greenville	114.23	35.83		21.20	7.95	267.25	78.66	15.90	24.05	2,165.24
Greenfield	139.88					111.00	35.75		11.40	1,127.53
Greenwood	157.96	10.00		25.70	9.30	1,142.30	177.40	23.40	36.85	3,267.24
Hadley	53.17		8.05	10.00	3.75	348.20	41.60	7.50	15.00	925.28
Hampe Memorial	123.80	10.00		4.75	3.80	509.60	52.85	5.70	10.90	1,504.30
Harbor	19.74					58.19	15.35			247.08
Hillville	54.59					23.00	30.00			200.59
Hooversville	37.17	5.00		6.40	2.40	75.12	6.90	5.60	8.35	394.01
Indiana	461.17	91.34		32.80	14.55	2,160.83	161.23	29.10	42.70	8,220.52
Isabella	39.72			4.80	1.80	150.00	21.60	3.60	9.20	371.62
Johnstown	128.09	8.05		8.15	4.65	305.79	31.00	9.30	10.85	1,242.29
Keepville	39.43	8.12		8.80	3.50	259.61	27.05	6.60	13.70	630.52
Loyal Oak	60.00			4.80	1.80	139.92	22.00	3.60	4.20	452.93
Luciusboro	19.00	8.00				15.50	34.10			241.04

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Charge	Conference Missions	Conf. President's Salary	W. Y. P. S.	Administrative Budget	General Conf. Entertainment	Other Benevolent Objects	Pioneer	Insurance	Conference Entertainment	Total
Massillon	368.71	70.90		32.80	12.75	2,086.69	230.35	24.60	44.75	7,691.94
Meadville	197.03	75.00		23.70	6.45	196.90	75.25	12.90	24.80	1,665.11
Mechanicsburg	155.01	33.75		12.13	12.06	236.10	30.25	9.12	24.17	1,380.26
Mentle	150.00	21.85	11.00	18.00	6.75	513.90	44.15	15.75	20.50	1,390.00
Middlefield	80.65		13.00	13.30	3.30	109.87	24.50	6.60	12.20	690.80
Mount Calvary	109.28			14.40	5.40	1,070.07	91.28	10.80	15.85	2,560.42
New Castle	270.00	61.42		28.80	10.80	1,700.00	242.30	21.69	33.95	5,198.42
Niles	101.23	12.00		8.40	3.15	109.73	47.50	7.35	11.35	797.20
No. Springfield	69.33			.25	.25	110.60	43.50	.75	5.50	518.95
Nu Mine	69.00	5.16		7.73	5.00	192.06	33.35	6.30	10.85	676.92
Oak Grove	83.40	22.00		18.00	12.75	1,529.50	59.20	13.50	21.75	2,779.66
Oil City	119.12	3.30		13.45	4.20	246.25	50.25	8.40	12.05	714.12
Olive Hill	22.50	6.43				156.00	17.10		5.00	262.53
Penn Run	146.48	20.00		15.20	5.70	35.46	38.70	11.40	18.05	848.97
Pine Grove	335.55	30.00		13.20	8.70	771.10	124.29	20.30	23.80	2,949.98
Pittsburgh	135.29	11.00		16.05	4.80	23.00	50.60	9.60	19.45	1,449.62
Pittsfield	140.87		32.00	9.60	3.60	527.50	139.52	8.40	13.40	1,500.27
Pleasant View	106.35	10.00		10.80	4.05	26.00	58.25	9.00	14.60	789.70
Punxsutawney	55.40	4.50				471.92	16.85	7.00	12.50	687.67
Riverview	36.00	12.00		12.35	2.85	150.50	23.25	5.70	12.65	771.20
Robertsville	152.65	15.00		8.40	3.15	1,159.45	68.55	6.30	7.35	1,623.00
Rochester	260.00		201.37	24.40	9.15	1,422.37	91.79	18.30	31.35	5,137.34
Rock Run	104.80		10.00	7.15	4.05	35.00	48.70	8.00	15.70	544.33
Sagamore	155.00	12.47		18.00	6.75	741.73	65.80	15.00	19.75	1,651.15
Sandy Lake	218.35		22.00	50.00	11.50	1,290.90	150.35	22.50	35.50	3,327.81
Sarver	135.72	25.00		18.40	6.90	890.20	57.34	13.80	22.10	2,563.21
Smithport	160.29		22.00	9.20	5.25	99.66	58.03	10.05	12.30	610.23
Soldier	45.12	8.38				44.25	28.30		3.00	322.70
Spruce Grove	12.00	6.62				26.90	6.00			128.37
Stewart Run	37.79	6.60		4.55		68.39	6.30	4.55	2.75	276.83
Tarentum	126.61	5.00	20.00	13.60	9.35	135.00	92.25	11.90	16.15	976.91
Tazewell	12.00					210.00	43.55			307.62
Templeton Col.										
Templeton Zion	90.70	15.00		20.80	7.80	715.80	81.21	18.20	18.20	1,753.89
Titusville	158.82			22.80	8.55	2,772.11	281.09	19.95	29.30	6,437.19
Vanport	98.94			3.55		162.28	25.75	5.95	12.45	572.17
Warren	10.15	5.00		1.00		45.05	15.95		1.00	139.15
West Fairfield	67.30	6.75		4.80	1.80	187.43	33.50		5.95	538.63
West Hill										
West Middlesex	49.56			11.20	4.20	604.38	77.27	8.40	17.55	1,531.37
White Memorial	182.73	16.00	23.50	13.60	5.10	649.58	341.16	11.90	21.00	3,602.36
Wilgus	59.80	3.00		8.80		106.00	35.75	7.70	10.70	579.66
Wolf Summit	199.91	10.00		11.20	4.20	202.26	25.25	8.40	16.80	1,104.92
Pioneer Churches										
Butler	36.55					12.75	38.50			295.60
Ebenezer										33.00
Jamestown	24.00	5.00				118.29	12.00			187.24
Sherrodsville	44.09					25.00	15.50			100.09
Totals	11,654.08	1,334.89	619.20	1,265.79	459.57	41,285.29	7,110.55	942.76	1,509.99	163,238.44

STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

ITEM XI. TABLE OF INFORMATION SHOWING SOURCES OF BENEVOLENCES

Charge	Sunday School	Y. M. W. B.	W. M. S.	W. Y. P. S.	Other Sources	Totals
Akron First	\$ 549.87	\$ 1,003.78	\$ 1,841.23	\$ 254.17	\$ 2,849.59	\$ 6,498.64
Akron Grace	510.77	29.08	1,023.84	80.00	399.94	2,043.63
Kenmore	10.00		241.79		718.74	870.53
Maple Valley	434.33	116.65	459.98	167.27	1,470.02	2,648.25
McLeister Memorial	229.91	106.88	1,287.57	173.42	1,807.32	3,605.10
Alliance	33.82		5.00		198.25	237.07
Allida Smith Memorial	232.00	91.42	392.57		1,346.45	2,062.44
Annandale	190.69	24.00	298.10	247.95	807.05	1,567.79
Apollo			291.18		139.85	431.03
Ashtabula	126.48	137.90	95.25		100.73	460.36
Ashville	313.00	99.00	350.00	159.25	719.20	1,640.45
Barberton	228.11	933.05	2,593.86	230.00	1,865.88	5,850.90
Barkley	134.82	80.50	76.66	9.00	150.65	451.63
Bethany	466.89	70.74	217.47	97.34	546.15	1,398.59
Bethel	82.49	8.45	230.05		359.88	680.87
Blue Eye Chapel	51.02	8.55	38.90		96.56	195.03
Bluefield					15.37	15.37
Brown Hill	92.81	19.45	120.15		806.34	1,038.75
Brownsville	214.98	90.44	1,702.31	179.80	885.01	3,072.54
Cabin Run	104.31	2.00	48.98		326.05	481.34
Canal	241.36	182.79	2,046.35	75.00	1,020.01	3,565.51
Canton First	28.80	693.26	2,237.49	1,070.43	1,764.49	5,794.47
Canton Second	1,101.43	156.99	1,863.46			3,121.88
Carrollton	5.50		492.00	45.20	525.65	1,068.35
Cecil Charge						
Cleveland	523.10	168.07	951.51	266.08	2,199.25	4,108.01
Cooperstown	200.80	71.10	753.59		487.05	1,512.54
Cottage Hill	369.67	24.00	117.67	82.13	25.00	618.47
Dixonville	334.94	381.00	1,298.92	404.65	1,045.94	3,466.45
East Clarksburg	68.16		15.00		127.95	211.11
East Conneaut	138.86	82.42	269.95	80.04	882.30	1,453.57
English	148.40	19.35	99.55	9.57	1,814.30	2,091.13
Erie	225.99		2,260.66		3,394.47	5,881.12
Fairmont						
Falconer	153.27	89.23	1,185.40	212.08	1,095.45	2,735.33
Franklin	7.15	77.20	474.86	168.90	904.98	1,633.09
Greenville	22.00	426.61	631.00	149.25	936.38	2,165.24
Greenfield	301.28	95.00	136.25		595.00	1,127.53
Greenwood	169.66	325.55	949.94	136.66	1,685.43	3,267.24
Hadley	275.48	42.75	280.80	93.85	232.40	925.28
Hampe Memorial	10.20	152.20	319.35	107.59	914.96	1,504.30
Harbor	29.74	25.71	59.50		131.93	247.98
Hillville	54.59		13.00		133.00	200.59
Hooversville	166.03	42.94	178.14		690.00	394.01
Indiana	613.97	2,216.13	1,145.55	366.65	3,878.22	8,220.52
Isabella	49.42		47.00		275.20	371.62
Johnstown	817.77	100.02	272.91	51.59		1,242.29
Keepville	464.31	60.46	105.75			630.52
Loyal Oak	68.00	12.00	259.28		112.65	452.93
Luciusboro	95.10		135.94		10.00	241.04

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ITEM XI. TABLE OF INFORMATION SHOWING SOURCES OF BENEVOLENCES

Charge	Sunday School	Y. M. W. B.	W. M. S.	Y. Y. P. S.	Other Sources	Totals
Massillon	388.80	218.67	3,899.29	194.00	2,991.18	7,691.94
Meadville	197.03	161.33	509.90	18.00	778.85	1,665.11
Mechanicsburg	10.20	149.97	308.90	25.00	886.19	1,380.26
Mentcle	189.00	78.23	258.24	15.83	848.70	1,390.00
Middlefield	102.02	25.00	227.04	68.88	267.86	690.80
Mount Calvary	308.50	53.00	158.75		2,060.17	2,560.42
New Castle	386.10		2,237.96		2,574.36	5,198.42
Niles	9.20	49.96	155.25		582.79	797.20
North Springfield	74.33		59.16		385.46	518.95
Nu Mine	276.61	40.50	185.75	25.00	185.06	676.92
Oak Grove	97.20	12.00	519.26	59.20	2,092.00	2,779.66
Oil City	126.72	36.00	209.50	30.75	311.15	714.12
Olive Hill	22.50		22.50		217.53	262.52
Penn Run	160.08	62.25	86.55	5.70	533.69	848.27
Pine Grove	392.51	161.60	783.27	249.36	1,362.27	2,948.98
Pittsburgh	185.39	111.52	534.25	28.30	590.16	1,459.62
Pittsfield	35.00		294.50	127.00	1,043.77	1,500.27
Pleasant View	106.35	33.00	172.25	24.00	454.10	789.70
Punxsutawney	69.68	29.00	143.69	74.00	371.30	687.67
Riverview	41.00	245.00	141.50	50.00	293.70	771.20
Robertsville	152.65	28.90	130.75		1,310.70	1,623.00
Rochester	1,105.64	332.42	1,039.46	608.67	1,151.20	5,137.34
Rock Run	37.30		210.38	10.00	286.65	544.33
Sagamore	166.00	50.42	285.25	139.75	1,009.73	1,651.15
Sandy Lake	350.05	171.55	1,167.52	395.50	1,243.19	3,327.81
Sarver	146.22	109.25	788.69	39.73	1,479.32	2,563.21
Smithport	475.73	36.68	43.50	22.00	32.32	610.23
Soldier	45.12	84.15	116.75	38.30	38.38	322.70
Spruce Grove	5.00		74.75	6.00	42.62	128.37
Stewart Run	41.79	20.40	70.75		143.89	276.83
Tarentum	9.30	10.00	210.00	20.00	727.61	976.91
Tazewell	12.00		30.07		265.55	307.62
Templeton Colored						
Templeton Zion	253.10	132.00	443.25		925.54	1,753.89
Titusville	200.62	435.83	2,845.87	316.33	2,638.54	6,437.19
Vanport	116.49	32.84	199.11	71.53	152.20	572.17
Warren	10.15		40.00		89.00	139.15
West Fairfield	77.80	50.61	99.17		311.05	538.63
West Hill						
West Middlesex	56.06	32.24	382.66	107.13	953.28	1,531.37
White Memorial	236.23	323.62	1,087.93	504.35	1,447.33	3,602.36
Wilgus	76.55	75.91	209.25		217.95	579.66
Wolf Summit	267.19	25.40	483.48	10.00	318.85	1,104.92
Pioneer Churches						
Butler	295.60					295.60
Ebenezer					33.00	33.00
Jamestown	113.95				73.29	187.24
Sherradsville	75.09				25.00	100.09
Totals	\$18,291.97	\$11,654.92	\$50,981.81	\$8,402.22	\$73,907.52	\$163,238.44

William Cessna, Chairman

MINUTES
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Stoneboro, Pennsylvania
June 8—13, 1954

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Titusville District—Mrs. Catherine Carlson, Pittsfield, Pa.

New Castle District—Mrs. Ruth Leyshon, Sarver, Pa.

Indiana District—Mrs. Ruth Stonebraker, 160 Village St., Johnstown, Pa.

West Va. District—Mrs. Miriam Reid, Wolf Summit, W. V. Box 52

CONFERENCE SOCIETY MEMBERS

Names	Meetings Present	Names	Meetings Present
Ivah Van Wormer	9	Eleanor Osborne	4
Elda Bence	9	Marie Baker	3
Ruth Leyshon	9	Neva Golden	9
Eunice Comadoll	9	Elise Rosensteel	6
Mae Moore	9	Louise Robertson	4
Evangeline Hannold	9	Mae Birchfield	3
Minnie Proctor	9	Lorraine McKain	8
Lois Ewing	8	Ethel Scott	6
Lillian Markell	6	Annie Hampe	1
Mary Robinson	2	Florence Gundy	0
Gail Hazeltine	7	Lillie Merrifield	2
Leona Robertson	5	Mary Rose St. Clair	0
Elnora Peters	9	Madalyn Starkey	0
Dorothy McKain	9	Helen Waite	2
Mae Flick	7	Edith Sweesy	0
Ruth Stonebraker	9	Bernice Davis	0
Beatrice Hicks	8	Onedia Gleason	1
Gladys Whippo	9	Audrey Cornell	1

LIST OF SOCIETIES, PRESIDENTS AND DELEGATES

Society	President	Mtgs. Pres.	Delegate	Mtgs. Pres.
Akron, First	Lillian Shannon	0	Pauline Swinehart	7
Grace Wesleyan	Estella Adams	4	Delight Lutz	4
Hampe Memorial	Esther Butler	9	Gladys Mansell	9
Kenmore	Madge Fogle	6	Susie Mullett	7
Maple Valley	Dorothy Statts	0	Ethel Ray	8
McLeister Mem.	Erma Blair	9	Catherine King	9
Alliance	Roberta Muir	9	Lulu Mercer	9
Allida Smith	Emma Armstrong	5	Lois Lynn	9
Annandale	Dorothy Pfautz	7	Lucille Rentz	9
Apollo	Mildred Aukerman	0	Barbara Sayers	4
Ashtabula	Pearl Smith	3	Jean Rodgers	5
Ashville	Florence Butts	9	Bertha Hilton	9
Barberton	Beulah George	8	Dorothy Wotring	9
Barkley	Doris Cherry	5	Alma Rhine	8
Bethany	Louave Hopper	0	Mae Flick	7
Bethel	Ethel Wilson	7	Ethel Chisler	6
Blue Eye	Avis Woodward	9	Bernice Chiricuzio	0
Bluefield	Melster Stiltner	7	Mrs. Raymond Clark	0
Brown Hill	Virginia McIntire	7	Leona Speas	1
Brownsville	Ruth Hickey	9	Mary Koon	9
Cabin Run	May Reeves	7		
Canal	Donna Shreckengost	2	Barbara Payne	9
Canton, First	Elsie McCracken	4	Alma Roberts	7
Canton, Second	Louise Spangler	8	Ruby Dunn	9
Carrollton	Bessie Eckley	8	Edna Powelson	9
Cleveland	Mae Moore	9	Catherine Turner	9
Cooperstown	Janet Boston	9	Reva Heffern	8
Cottage Hill	Gladys Stuart	0	Mabel Hetrick	5
Dixonville	Mildred Miller	2	Marjorie Edwards	9
East Clarksburg				
East Conneaut	Thelma Atkins	4	Mary Golden	7
English	Ethel Shorts	7	Helen Cyphers	7
Erie	Wavelene Davis	9	Margaret Boyd	9
Falconer	Clara Norman	8	Ethel Pearson	6
Franklin	Bertha Satterfield	3	Gertrude Lour	8
Greenfield	Katherine Lincoln	6	Frances Lindsey	1
Greenville	Elma Patterson	8	Katherine Ferguson	4
Greenwood	Mae Burchfield	3	Winnie Williams	8
Hadley	Evata McKean	5	Elnora Peters	9
Harbor	Myrtle Crosby	2		
Hillsdale	Vae Cessna	7	Mary Churchill	9
Hooversville	Beatrice Hicks	8	Vernie Thomas	5
Indiana	Marie Stonebraker	9	Viola Adams	9
Isabella			Mildred Hillen	7
Johnstown	Ruth Stonebraker	9	Maie Buchanan	7
Keepville	Margaret Berry	0	Gladys Whippo	9
Lakeview	Ardella Halman	0	Mildred McDivit	3

Society	President	Mtgs. Pres. Delegate	Mtgs. Pres.
Loyal Oak	Minnie Proctor	9 Mrs. Taylor	0
Luciousboro	Margaret McIntire	0 Anita Zack	4
Massillon	Muriel Terpe	6 Eleanor Beadle	8
Meadville	Mary Warmenhoven	9 Iva Peterson	8
Mentcle	Nellie Elsey	9 Anita Foresi	9
Middlefield	Ruth Hoien	8 Faith Hoien	9
Mt. Calvary	Jessie Snook	9 Naomi Walter	9
New Castle	Lillian Markell	6 Mary Marks	9
Niles	Winifred Trimble	9 Melissa Davis	8
North Salem	Kathryn Chess	6 Erla Hoobler	8
N. Springfield	Helen Pratt	5 Alice Siders	5
Nu Mine	Margaret Wade	0 Anna Roebuck	9
Oak Grove	Mabel McClure	9 Elsie Alexander	9
Oil City	Neva Golden	9 Mary Neil	7
Olive Hill	Ethel Croston	0 Clara DeCost	0
Penn Run	Estella Coon	7 Laura Gordon	7
Pine Grove	Bertha Himes	9 Mazie Spicher	9
Pittsburgh	Beatrice Tyson	9 Dorothy Beers	5
Pittsfield	Catherine Carlson	9 Elsie Bailey	8
Pleasant Hill	Eva Cain	9 Fay Halstead	9
Pleasant View	Jean Rainey	1 Lula Lantzy	9
Pritchard M. V.	Mildred Mayle	0	
Punxsutawney	Mary Huntsman	9	
Riverview	Roberta Atkins	0 Mary Agnew	9
Robertsville	Olive West	0 Florence Irwin	7
Rochester	Faye Casey	0 Beulah Lyons	9
Rock Run	Bernice Gum	7 Helen Bonnell	7
Sagamore	Olive West	8 Dorothy McKain	9
Sandy Lake	Verna Vogan	9 Cora Jones	9
Sarver	Flora Henery	9 Margaret Toy	9
Shippingport	Margery Houser	0 Hazel Doughty	0
Soldier	Opal Cessna	6 Zena Pendleton	2
Spruce Grove	Mary Wiesserman	9 Alberta Coy	9
Stewart Run	Viola Handy	2 Cloe Dreyer	8
Smithport	Ruby Stonebraker	0 Ozie Lowmaster	8
Tarentum	Thelma Brannon	0 Edna Bouch	5
Templeton Z.	Lilly Merrifield	2 Anna Baker	0
Titusville	Ethel Kopp	9 Ruth Muir	9
Vanport	Viva Shane	0 Helen Dentler	6
Warren	Marie Starr	0 Alice Kaufman	8
West Fairfield	Aelene Yarnell	6 Elsie Stallsmith	8
West Hill	Retha Maley	0	
West Middlesex	Edith Sweesy	0	
White Memorial	Helen Kuhn	9 Betty Henneman	8
Wilgus	Louise Conner	0 Dorothy Elliot	9
Wolf Summit	Sylvia Freeman	0 Gracia Reid	9
Zion	Isa Jones	9 Martha Stoops	9

W. M. S. PRESIDENTS FOR 1954

- Akron, First—Mrs. Alice Mansell, 1220 Mt. Vernon Ave., Akron, Ohio.
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Annadale—Mrs. Dorothy S. Pfautz, Boyers, Penna.
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Barberton—Mrs. Buelah George, R. D. 4, Clarks Mill Rd., Barberton, Ohio.
Barkley—Mrs. Doris Cherry, Strongstown, Penna.
Bethany—Louave Hopper, R. D. 1, Rimersburg, Penna.
Bethel—Mrs. Ethel Wilson, R. D. 1, Fairview, W. Va.
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Cottage Hill—Mrs. Alberta Evans, R. D. 1, New Bethlehem, Penna.
Dixonville—Miss Marjorie Edwards, R. D. 1, Clymer, Penna.
East Clarksburg—Mrs. Lilly Merrifield, 401 E. Fowler Ave., Clarksburg, W. Va.
East Conneaut—Mrs. Thelma Atkins, 515 Middle Rd., Conneaut, Ohio.
English—Mrs. Etchel Shortt, English, W. Va.
Erie—Mrs. Wavelene Davis, 1709 Center St., Wesleyville, Penna.
Falconer—Mrs. Clara Norman, 22 E. James St., Falconer, N. Y.
Franklin—Mrs. Bertha Satterfield, 1420 Chestnut St., Franklin, Penna.
Greenfield—Mrs. Katherine Lincoln, R. D. 3, North East, Penna.
Greenville—Mrs. Elma Patterson, R. D. 1, Box 4, Greenville, Penna.
Greenwood—Mrs. Mae Burchfield, R. D. 2, Cochran, Penna.
Hadley—Mrs. Lydia Brooks, Geneva, Penna.
Harbor—Mrs. Myrtle Crosby, R. D. 1, Corry, Penna.
Hillsdale—Mrs. Vae Cessna, R. D. 1, Glen Campbell, Penna.
Hillsville—Mrs. Dorothy Horner, R. D. 1, West Monterey, Penna.
Hooversville—Mrs. Janet Holley, Hooversville, Penna.
Indiana—Mrs. Ethel Robertson, 1296 School St., Indiana, Penna.
Isabella—Mrs. Ellen Benninger, Isabella, Penna.
Johnstown—Mrs. Ruth Stonebraker, 160 Village St., Johnstown, Penna.
Keepville—Mrs. Gladys Whippo, Conneautville, Penna.
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North Salem—Mrs. Kathryn Chess, R. D. 1, Greenville, Penna.
North Springfield—Mrs. Helen Pratt, No. Springfield, Penna.
Nu Mine—Mrs. Margaret Wade, Box 100, Nu Mine, Penna.
Oak Grove—Mrs. Mabel McClure, R. D. 1, Stoneboro, Penna.
Oil City—Mrs. Neva Golden, 40 Plummer St., Oil City, Penna.
Olive Hill—Mrs. Ethel Croston, R. D. 2, Meriden, W. Va.
Penn Run—Mrs. Estella Coon, Penn Run, Penna.
Pine Grove—Mrs. Bertha Himes, Hillsdale, Penna.
Pittsburgh—Mrs. Beatrice Tyson, 7513 Melrose St., Pittsburgh 18, Penna.
Pittsfield—Mrs. Catherine Carlson, Pittsfield, Penna., Box 26.
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Pleasantview—Mrs. Jean Rainey, 310 17th St., Barnesboro, Penna.
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Sagamore—Mrs. Olive West, Box 94, Sagamore, Penna.
Sandy Lake—Mrs. Cora Jones, R. D., Jackson Center, Penna.
Sarver—Mrs. Ruth Leyshon, Sarver, Penna.
Shippingport—Mrs. Margery Houser, R. D. 1, Box 462, Aliquippa, Penna.
Smithport—Mrs. Ruby Stonebraker, R. D. 1, Glen Campbell, Penna.
Soldier—Mrs. Opal Cessna, Sykesville, Penna.
Spruce Grove—Mrs. Mary Weiserman, R. D. 1, Penn Run, Penna.
Stewart Run—Mrs. Viola Handy, R. D. 1, Pleasantville, Penna.
Tarentum—Mrs. Thelma Brannon, 528 E. 8th Ave., Tarentum, Penna.
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Titusville—Mrs. Ethel Kopp, 416 E. Main St., Titusville, Penna.
Vanport—Mrs. Viva Shane, 2 Van Lane, Beaver, Penna.
Warren—Mrs. Marie Starr, 374 Freeman St., Warren, Ohio.
West Fairfield—Mrs. Arlene Yarnell, R. D. 1, Utica, Penna.
West Hill—Mrs. Retha Maley, Shinnston, W. Va.
West Middlesex—Mrs. Edith Sweesey, Chestnut St., West Middlesex, Penna.
White Memorial—Mrs. Helen Kuhn, 457 5th St., Struthers, Ohio.
Wilgus—Mrs. Louise Conner, R. D. 1, Glen Campbell, Penna.
Wolf Summit—Mrs. Sylvia Freeman, Wolf Summit, W. Va.
Zion—Mrs. Isa Jones, R. D. 2, Stoneboro, Penna.

JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS**Tuesday Morning**

June the eighth, 1954, marked the opening day of the 48th annual session of the Allegheny Conference Womans Missionary Society, convening on Stoneboro Camp Grounds. Following the devotional period with the main Conference body, the first sitting came to order by singing "Jesus Saves," led by Lillian Markell. Helen Kuhn presided at the piano. Prayer by Catherine Carlson. The president, Ivah Van Wormer, announced the 48th annual conference to be in session.

Roll Call of society presidents revealed 42 present.

Report: The Executive committee submitted the following report of temporary committees, which was accepted:

Credentials: Gladys Mansell, Margaret Toy.

Courtesy: Catherine Carlson, Winifred Trimble.

Program and Plan of Work: Elsie Stallsmith, Beulah Lyon, Elma Patterson, Erla Hoobler, Isa Jones.

Resolutions: Erma Blair, Ruby Dunn, Lucille Rentz, Catherine King, Helen Dentler.

Statistics: Neva Golden, Ruth Stonebraker, Helen Kuhn, Flora Henery, Catherine Turner. Neva Golden, to be Statistician for the coming year.

Auditing: Pauline Swinehart, Thankful Clawson.

Magazine Solicitors: Evangeline Hannold, Edna Powelson, Martha Stoops, Dorothy Wotring, Betty Henneman, Faith Hoiem, Reva Heffern, Viola Adams, Alma Roberts, Anita Foresi, Mary Koon, Elnora Peters, Elsie Bailey. The Chairman, Evangeline Hannold, to be Magazine Solicitor for the coming year.

Posters and Exhibit: Marjorie Edwards, Lois Lynn, Helen Cyphers, Ethel Ray, Iva Peterson.

Magazine Survey: Mabel Hetrick, Dorothy Elliott, Mary Churchill, Katherine Ferguson, Margaret Boyd, Helen Bonnell, Eleanor Beadle.

The Committee on Credentials reported. Names placed on Roll and called. 53 delegates responded to the first roll call. Opportunity was given to join the conference society. 19 responded to this first roll call.

Designating badges were distributed to the members of the conference body.

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

Time of Meeting: Motion prevailed to accept the suggestion of the Executive Committee that the morning session open at eight o'clock in the Missionary Tabernacle, having our own devotions. The afternoon meeting to be at 1:30, omitting roll call. Those not present in the Morning Session to notify the secretary when present.

Report: In absence of the Vice-President, the Secretary was called to the chair, while the president gave a splendid report of the year's activities. This was accepted with a rising vote of thanks to our God and the president. (See Reports)

Order of the Day: Motion prevailed to have election of officers on Wednesday Morning. Thursday designated as Tag Day. The public service

to be Friday P. M. Y. M. W. B. service Saturday afternoon. The assembly will adjourn for the Conference Sermon, the Denominational Message and the Educational.

Adjournment: Prayer by Verna Vogan.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Devotions: Opened with the group singing Missionary Choruses, directed by Lillian Markell. Prayer by Beatrice Tyson. The song, "Balm in Gilead," sung by Marjorie Edwards, was used of the Lord to impart inspiration and blessing. Linen for the camp ground to be collected by Fay Halstead, Cora Jones and Mabel McClure.

Communications: Letter from Dr. and Mrs. Benninger read by Bertha Himes. Doris Cherry and Melster Stiltner will convey greetings to the Benningers.

A survey of the Wesleyan Missionary was taken by passing out questionnaires for each member to answer. The committee on Magazine survey will report later.

Societies Reported: Stewart Run, Akron First, Hampe Memorial, Kenmore, Maple Valley, McLeister Memorial, Annadale.

Reports: A very splendid treasurers report submitted by Elda Bence. Report referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Reports)

Presentation: The Courtesy committee introduced the following new societies: Spruce Grove, Alliance and Bluefield.

Report: The Literature Fund reported by Ruth Leyshon. Report referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Reports)

Report: Y. M. W. B. Superintendent, Mary Huntsman, submitted an excellent report. Report referred to the Auditing Committee. (See Reports)

Society Reported: Massillon.
Loving remembrance of Mabel Garvin was given by Muriel Terpe.

Societies Reported: Barberton, Barkley, Blue Eye, Cooperstown, Erie. Verna Vogan will send greetings to Sr. Christy at Barberton.

Report: Magazine Solicitor, Evangeline Hannold, reported.

Adjourned by motion. Prayer by Dorothy McKain.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

Devotions: The appointed song leader, Lillian Markell, led in the singing with Ruth Giles at the piano. The devotional message, by Ruth Hoiem, was based on 1 Cor. 9:24-27. Sr. Hoiem provoked our thinking with these words, "We can pray **effective** and we can pray **ineffective**." An inspiring message in song by Fay Halstead and Ruth Dawson imparted blessing to all.

Minutes read and approved.

Roll Call: Presidents 53, Delegates 65, Conference society members 7. The credential committee reported an additional name.

A correction to the treasurers report was given by Elda Bence, the treasurer.

Report: The Auditing Committee submitted the following report:

"We the Auditing Committee have examined the W. M. S. treasurer, the Y. M. W. B. superintendent and the literature fund books, and found them to be correct and in excellent condition."

Pauline Swinehart

Thankful Clawson

Orders of the Day: Election of officers. Motion passed to proceed with the routine business while voting. Appointed tellers: First team: Mary Huntsman, Eleanor Beadle, Olive West, Wavelene Davis, Doris Cherry. Second team: Pauline Swinehart, Catherine Lincoln, Cora Jones, Clara Norman, Thelma Atkins.

Election results as follows:

President—Ivah Van Wormer, 128 of 129 ballots.

Vice President—Erma Blair, 115 of 125 ballots.

Recording Secretary—Eunice Comadoll, 123 of 124 ballots.

Corresponding Secretary—Helen Kuhn, 97 of 128 ballots.

Treasurer—Elda Bence, 123 of 124 ballots.

Y. M. W. B. Supt—Mary Huntsman, 126 of 129 ballots.

Prayer Partner Sec.—Ruth Hoiem, 116 of 121 ballots.

Reading Course Secretary—Ruth Stonebraker, 123 of 126 ballots.

First Delegate to Gen. Conference—Erma Blair, 88 of 122 ballots.

Second Delegate to Gen. Conference—Eunice Comadoll, 99 of 110 ballots.

Third Delegate to Gen Conference—Helen Kuhn, 101 of 118 ballots.

Fourth Delegate to Gen Conference—Elda Bence, 113 of 114 ballots.

Fifth Delegate to Gen Conference—Neva Golden, 71 of 123 ballots.

First Alternate Delegate—Ruth Hoiem, 97 of 118 ballots.

Second Alternate Delegate—Ruth Stonebraker, 107 of 122 ballots.

Third Alternate Delegate—Evangeline Hannold, 103 of 113 ballots.

Fourth Alternate Delegate—Catherine Carlson, 86 of 120 ballots.

Fifth Alternate Delegate—Lillian Markell, 106 of 116 ballots.

Motion passed to send the Y.M.W.B. Superintendent to General Conference.

Societies Reported: Titusville, Oil City, Franklin, Greenwood, Indiana, Johnstown, Meadville, Mentcle, Cleveland, North Springfield, Pine Grove, Lakeview.

Report: Report of Prayer Partner Secretary, Ruth Hoiem. Report Accepted. (See Report) As an item of interest, the chair brought to our attention that in our body we have a local president who is closing out 36 years as president of the same society. Namely, Verna Vogan, of Sandy Lake Society, who also served as Conference Recording Secretary for 11 years.

Adjourned—Closing Prayer by Beatrice Hicks.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Devotions: Opened by singing "Go Forth Ye Christians." The afternoon session came to order. Prayer by Annie Hampe. Message in song by Erma Blair and Eunice Comadoll. Minutes read and approved.

Report: The Reading Course Secretary, Ruth Stonebraker, reported, giving some needed instructions.

Societies Reported: Soldier, Brownsville, Ashville, Sarver, Grace Wesleyan, Bethany, Cabin Run, Bethel, Canton First, Canton Second, East Conneaut, English, Falconer, Greenfield, Hadley, Allida Smith, Middlefield, Mt. Calvary, Wolf Summit, New Castle, Lakeview, Niles, Oak Grove, Penn Run, Pittsfield, Pleasant Hill, Riverview, Robertsville, Sandy Lake.

The courtesy committee presented Sr. Annie Hampe, one of our older presidents. In her testimony, Sr. Hampe stated, "I've been saved 62 years; have been in the Wesleyan Church all that time; and have lived with the same husband 65 years." The Hampes' are retiring from 57 years of active service in the ministry.

Courtesies: Our missionary to India, Hazel Jones was presented, giving a glowing testimony of her constant consecration to go or stay.

Adjourned—Dismissed by prayer by Cora Jones.

THURSDAY MORNING

Devotions: Song service conducted by the appointed song leader, Lillian Markell. Prayer by Nellie Elsey. A very appropriate message in song was sung by Opal Cessna and Evangeline Hannold.

Minutes read and approved:

Time arrived to hear our W.M.S. President's message. Sr. Van Wormer's remarks were based on Jer. 6:16, using this subject "Reasons For Our Stand." In her message she gave us five tendencies we should fear. A good season of heart searching prayer followed. Recessed to hear the Conference Sermon. Reconvened for brief announcements. Adjourned by limitation of time.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Devotions: A special message in song by Erla Hoobles and Eleanor Osborne opened the afternoon session. Prayer by Emma Armstrong.

A most excellent book review on the study book, "Personal Evangelism in Your Church" was given by Anna McPherson.

Societies Reported: North Salem, Canal, Dixonville, Cottage Hill.

Courtesies: Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Goodspeed, missionaries working under East and West Indies Bible Mission were presented. They responded with words of testimony and exhortation.

Report: Committee on Resolutions reported. Report accepted. (See Reports) Ethel Snodgrass and her daughter from the Massillon Society, presented the interest of Bible Clubs for children.

Report of the Akron District Missionary Convention was reported by Oneida Gleason, district chairman.

Adjourned—Closing prayer Oneida Gleason.

FRIDAY MORNING

Devotions: The W.M.S. conducted devotions with the combined assembly in the large tabernacle. Our newly elected vice-president, Erma Blair, presided as chairman. Singing directed by Marjorie Edwards. Missionary interests were presented to the Throne of Grace by Mamie Blankenship. The

devotional message was given by Hazel Jones, Missionary to India, using Luke 10:1-9.

The business session came to order by singing "He Cannot Fail." After earnestly petitioning God for His blessing upon this days session, Clara McLeister, former General president, imparted refreshing through her encouraging words of testimony and admonition. The Lupton trio sang "God Was There," with a tender anointing that blessed.

Minutes read and approved.

Roll call: Presidents 49, Delegates 69, Conference Society Members 10.

Societies Reported: Vanport, Apollo, Ashtabula, Sagamore, NuMine, Hillsdale, Hooversville, Luciusboro.

Courtesies: Rev. and Mrs. Norman Saunders were presented. They being our own missionaries, they opened up their hearts and spoke to us in a very practical manner. Sr. Saunders exhorted us to prayer. She admonished us against putting in so much time on hand work. She said, the money spent on material for quilts and hand work could do so much more good if given to help support native workers on the field.

Bro. Saunders spoke of God's amazing grace manifested in his life.

Sr. Hazel Jones was also presented at this time. Sr. Jones spoke to us concerning some answers to prayer for India. Along with the answers to prayer some requests were given. Also, a plain explanation of why we must not forget General fund while giving to special projects.

A precious visitation of the Spirit came upon the assembly while one of the delegates was giving her testimony. Such refreshings are the need of this hour. Adjourned for district meetings.

Reconvened at the call of the chair.

District Election Results:

District Magazine Solicitors:

Titusville—Mrs. Kenneth Norman, 22 E. James St., Falconer, N. Y.

Akron—Mrs. Betty Jones, 1474 Southeast Ave., Talmage, Ohio.

Indiana—Mrs. Bertha Himes, Hillsdale, Penna.

New Castle—Mrs. Elma Patterson, Greenville, Pa., R. D. 1, Box 4.

West Virginia—Mrs. Helen Cyphers, English, West Virginia.

Adjourned. Dismissed with prayer by Ruth Leyshon.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Devotions: The president called the meeting to order after which Erma Blair led the group in song. Eleanor Beadle served at the piano. Prayer by Sr. Rambo.

Minutes read and approved.

Appraisal of Posters:

Honorable mention goes to the poster "I Gave My Life" from Titusville.

First Place—"Help Support Our New Work in Mexico" by Bro. Welch from Ashville.

Second Place—"Calling for Aid-Mexico" by Louann Ewing from Titusville, Church.

Third Place—"Mexico Needs Jesus" by Paul Wilson from Meadville Church.

Recessed to hear the denominational message.

Reconvened for business at the call of the chair.

Report of Statistics: An excellent report of statistics resulting from many long and tedious hours of work by the chairman and committee was submitted. This report adopted with rising vote of appreciation.

Report of Magazine Survey: Report accepted by common consent.

Courtesies: The committee on courtesy presented Sr. Pearl Fero, Dr. I. F. McLeister. The Denominational Representative, Dr. Reisdorph, was introduced, bringing greetings from the General W.M.S. President, Mrs. Reisdorph, and also words of commendation and challenge.

The editor of the Wesleyan Missionary, Gracia Fero, was presented at this time. She spoke to us of her burden for revival and the Spirit's dealing in her own heart.

Societies Reported: West Fairfield, Brown Hill.

Report: Committee on Program and Plan of Work; Report was accepted with ammendment on Item 6 (e). (See Reports.)

Motion passed to seat Leona Speas as delegate from Brown Hill Society.

Adjourned—prayer by Pearl Fero.

SATURDAY MORNING

Devotions: Erma Blair directed the assembly in an uplifting season of song. Several responded to share some precious Scripture portions. Winifred Trimble led in prayer. A special number in song by Lois Schmul and Junior contributed inspiration in the devotions.

Minutes read and approved.

Roll Call:

Communications: Letter from the Gen. W. M. S. President, Ruby Reisdorph, was read by the chairman. The secretary will reply. Dorothy McKain will write to Gladys Stuart, president of Cottage Hill Society, who has been sick so long. Erma Blair will write to Thelma Brannon, president of Tarentum Society, who has been ill also. The following will write to the five societies which did not have a representative in our body: East Clarksburg, Helen Bonnell; Hillville, Viola Adams; Olive Hill, Jessis Gosh; Pritchard, Mary Golden; West Hill, Catherine King.

Time given to present the material on the literature table.

Motion prevailed to have the president's message appear in the Conference Messenger.

Societies Reported: Pittsburgh, Rochester, Smithport, Tarentum, Warren, Wilgus, Zion, Shippingport.

Courtesies: The newly elected Child Evangelism Secretary, Ruth Giles, was introduced and responded with a testimony.

Offering taken for Hazel Jones for equipment—\$118.55.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Landry were presented. Sr. Landrey spoke to us from Zeph. 3:16, lifting out these words "Let Not Thy Hands Be Slack."

Bro. Landrey used Phil. 3:13, emphasizing these words "This One Thing I Do." The "one thing" he urged upon us was, "Praying in the Spirit for souls."

Report: Magazine Solicitor submitted the following report:

"Wesleyan Missionary" subscriptions received during camp. Renewals 74, New Subscriptions, 14. Total Subscriptions 88.

Solicitor, Evangeline Hannold

Minutes read and approved. Session closed by singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

Adjourned sine die. Prayer by Catharine Carlson.

Ivah B. Van Wormer, President

Eunice Comadoll, Secretary

THE PUBLIC MISSIONARY SERVICE

On Friday evening this service was held in the main tabernacle with Mrs. Van Wormer presiding. Professor Gilbert Hynes of Houghton College directed the song service. The Houghton College Quartet and Prof. Hynes sang, "Send The Light," making it a quintet number. Dr. Reisdorph led the audience in prayer. The song, "The Stranger of Galilee" was beautifully rendered by Prof. Hynes.

The engaged speakers for this service were Rev. and Mrs. Norman Saunders. Bro. Saunders spoke first using Acts 16:9—"The Macedonian Vision." A terse statement that Bro. Saunders spoke was: "When the church begins to consume all on themselves, then they are losing the vision." He endeavored to show what it would mean if we fail in the future.

Sr. Saunders spoke on "Evangelism on the Field." Some remarkable instances of the transforming power of the Gospel were given. At the close she quoted these words; "Go your way, eat the fat, drink the sweet, and send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared." Neh. 8:10.

A spirit of liberality prevailed while the offering was taken. Pledges for the needs presented came easily. A total of \$26,385.02 was raised at this service.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF CASH AND PLEDGES RECEIVED AT CONFERENCE 1954

	Cash Pledges and Offerings	Unpaid Pledges	Total
HOME MISSIONS:			
General	\$ 168.70	\$3,817.50	
Brainerd Indian School		100.00	
Total Home	\$ 168.70	\$3,917.50	\$4,086.20
AUSTRALIA		\$ 35.00	\$ 35.00

FOREIGN MISSIONS:

General	\$ 366.72	\$5,975.50	
Africa, Saunders	10.00	465.00	
Africa, Saunders' Equipment	162.60	655.00	
Haiti, Calhoon's Support		990.00	
Haiti, Alice Calhoon's Support		500.00	
India, Hazel Jones	*125.00	1,000.00	
Puerto Rico, General		100.00	
Total Foreign	\$ 664.32	\$9,685.50	\$10,459.82
MISSIONS, Unspecified Source		\$7,410.00	\$7,410.00
TOTAL FOR W. M. S.	\$ 833.02	\$21,048.00	\$21,881.02
TOTAL FOR Y. M. W. B.	5.00	4,404.00	4,409.00
TOTAL FOR W. Y. P. S.		220.00	220.00
Grand Total for all societies	\$ 838.02	\$25,672.00	\$26,510.02

*Gift

Elda Bence, Treasurer

SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS

1. Missions

(a.) Home — Total the following:

1. Home General
2. Self-denial (Unless specified for other sources)
3. Brainerd Indian School
4. Kentucky Mountains
5. Ozark Mountains
6. Mexican Missions
7. Card Call

(b.) Foreign — Total the following:

1. Foreign General
2. Penny-A-Meal
3. Africa, General
4. Africa, Saunders' Support & Gifts
5. Africa, Leper Colony
6. Africa, Hospital & Equipment
7. Africa, Bulldozer
8. Haiti, General
9. Haiti, Calhoons' Support & Gifts
10. Haiti, Ortlips' Support & Gifts
11. Haiti, Hospital & Furnishings
12. India, General
13. India, Hazel Jones' Support & Gifts
14. India, Hospital & Furnishings
15. India, Landreys' Support & Gifts
16. India, Leper Colony
17. Japan, General
18. Japan Bible School & Student Fund

- 19. Mexico, General
- 20. Puerto Rico, General
- 21. Puerto Rico, Church
- 22. South America
- (c.) Medical Student
- 2. Hephzibah
 - (a.) Cash (Includes all budget money for the Orphanage.)
 - (b.) Provisions (Includes all gifts and donations.)
- 3. Education
 - (a.) Cash (Includes all money which receives budget credit.)
 - (b.) Provisions — Gifts
- 4. Local Church Work — Total the following: Mercy and Help, Cash for local Needy, Donations to Pastors.
- 5. Membership Dues — 50c of every dollar sent to sub-treasurer, specified as Dues.
- 6. Administrative Fund — 25c per active member for General Conference Officers' support, etc.
- 7. Other Objects:
 - (a.) Australia — Total the following: General, Bible School, Student Fund, and Church.
 - (b.) Jewish and Miscellaneous—Total the following: Pioneer, Conference Entertainment, Conference Food, Delegates' Expenses, Postage, Missionary traveling expense within the Conference, Cash receipts for gifts and provisions to Home Mission Fields, All Non-Wesleyan gifts.

THE W. M. S. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the 48th Annual Session of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Allegheny Conference, greetings in the Precious Name of Jesus!

As we approach another conference session we are reminded of one of the parables of Jesus and the words of the nobleman to his servants as he went away to a far country: "Occupy till I come." Luke 19:13. In like manner, we can apply this admonition to ourselves that we are faithfully to be filling our places of service for Christ until He comes again. What a wonderful privilege! What a great responsibility! Assuredly, we can obey this command only as we are anointed and equipped for such service by the infilling and guidance of the Blessed Holy Spirit. As we turn the last page that completes the record of conference year 1953-4, may we feel an inner "Well done, thou faithful servant," because of motives of perfect love and at the same time a sense of the cleansing Blood forever covering our repented failures, mistakes and limitations. Amen!

We humbly thank God and give Him all the praise and glory for a very good year in the missionary work. First after conference came the Eastern Area Convention held at Hastings, Michigan, July 28-30. All but three of the duly elected delegates were able to attend. With a large number of others from our conference, Allegheny had a fair representation.

The missionary day at Stoneboro Camp was an outstanding event both because of the Spirit indited messages and the generous offerings but most of

all because of God's presence and seal upon the event. At this time Rev. and Mrs. Henry Ortlip, from Haiti, Rev. Gordon Wolfe, missionary to Japan, and Rev. and Mrs. W. N. Saunders, from Africa, gave inspiring messages. Miss Hazel Jones spoke several times on India at the afternoon prayer meetings and Rev. and Mrs. John L. Landrey spoke the last afternoon, also on India.

Our fall itinerary was made by Rev. J. L. Landrey, October 5 to November 29, supplemented by Rev. W. N. Saunders from October 10 to 31. Good results came from the services of both.

March 10 to 25, the Reverends Misses Richardson and Hazzard held conventions in each of the districts with the amazing response of over \$13,000.00 raised for special projects.

A very successful innovation was made by holding two missionary services during the Ministerial Institute held at Struthers, Ohio. The afternoon of April 7, Dr. Charles DeVol, formerly missionary to China, brought a very enlightening message on China. The next afternoon, April 8, Rev. Ruth Saunders brought a most stirring talk on Africa to the ministers and their wives.

Because of the postponement of conference we were unable to secure Rev. Leo Cox for speaker as previously arranged. However, we were delighted to have Rev. and Mrs. W. N. Saunders graciously consent to speak for our missionary service, June 11. Again we believe that "all things work together for good."

The Saunders expect some time in July to enter their third term of service in Africa. Miss Hazel Jones and the Landreys are returning, D. V., to India this fall. The Ortlips have been back in Haiti since last fall. Dr. and Mrs. Robert Benninger are due for furlough soon from Africa.

Four societies have been organized this year: (1) Spruce Grove, August 14, with 11 active and 6 honorary members; (2) Bluefield, W. Va., and (3) Alliance, Ohio, were organized April 28, 1954, with 10 members each. (4) Isabella, May 13, with 12 members. We thank God for these new societies and pray they will be a blessing to their churches, their communities and the cause of missions. This makes us 95 societies at present.

Our Standard of Efficiency rating for the year is 93%. In order to fulfill our duties this year we have sent out five circular letters to the societies, which with the other mail made a total of over 550 pieces of mail sent.

As Mrs. Catharine Carlson resigned during the year from the office of magazine solicitor, that vacancy was filled, with the consent of the Executive Committee, by the appointment of Mrs. Evangeline Hammold to this position for the remainder of the year.

Our Golden Jubilee goals have been partially reached. The 15% gains should be as follows: Receipts—\$7,417.10; Membership—344; Subscriptions—250. Actually we have gained: Receipts—\$12,778.12; Membership—35; Subscriptions—lost 71. For all that has been accomplished we sincerely thank our Heavenly Father and every one who has striven to assist this great cause of missions.

We are indeed grateful for such a loyal band of missionary women as you have been. We heartily appreciate your splendid co-operation and your liberal and enthusiastic support of the cause of missions. May God richly reward each and all of you.

In closing, we urge you again to "Occupy till He comes." In other words, we urge you to fill your places of duty as outlined by the Society and by God's Word as faithfully and as diligently as though it were your last year to work and as you will wish you had done when you meet your Master face to face. For "as ye have done it unto one of the least . . . , ye have done it unto Me." Matt. 25:40.

Prayerfully submitted,

Mrs. H. C. Van Wormer, President

COMMITTEE ON PROGRAM AND PLAN OF WORK

WE RECOMMEND:

1. That the first meeting after conference each local society hold an installation service which includes the outline of the work and consecration to their office.

2. a. That the program and plan of work be read and discussed as soon as the Minutes are received.

b. That we urge the president of each society to refer to those as a reminder during the year.

3. a. That each society endeavor to hold a public monthly prayer meeting, praying especially for the requests found in the Wesleyan Missionary. We urge that a spirit of evangelism be carried on in our local communities by the members of the society, each one feeling a personal responsibility to bring at least one soul to Christ during the year.

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

4. That we urge our societies to carry out the Prayer Partner Plan, and keep in touch with our Home and Foreign mission fields, thereby bringing first hand knowledge to our societies. Reports to be sent to Conference Prayer Partner Secretary, Mrs. Ruth A. Hoen, Middlefield, Ohio, at least by Nov. 1.

5. That each society have an aggressive solicitor for the Wesleyan Missionary, whose duty it shall be to report all subscriptions to the district solicitor. We also recommend that the Local Society President, vice president, secretary and 75% of all members be subscribers to the Wesleyan Missionary.

6. a. That all society officers and delegates to annual conference be members of the Wesleyan Methodist Church. We also recommend that Conference Society members be members of the Wesleyan Church and their local Wesleyan Missionary Society.

b. That each local society have a nominating committee if possible.

c. That since the retiring president is Acting President during the Conference Session, we suggest that the society send her to the Conference, and elect the new president as delegate, assuming the expense for transportation.

d. That the delegates credentials be sent at least two weeks before Conference to the Conference Wesleyan Missionary Secretary, Mrs. Eunice Comadoll, R. D. 2, Utica, Penna.

e. That Statistical Blanks with all vouchers not sent to the Sub-Treasurer and statements, both for local church work, and "Other Objects" grouped together be sent with an itemized list attached to receipts, at least two weeks before Conference to the Statistical Chairman, Mrs. Neva Golden, 40 Plummer St., Oil City, Pa.

f. That each society send fruit and vegetables, or the equivalent in cash to Conference. The larger societies sending two dozen quarts and the smaller at least one dozen. Fruits and vegetables to be all of one kind from each society. Same to be credited at purchase price. We recommend giving cash where possible, same to be sent anytime during the year to the superintendent of the dining hall, Rev. W. R. Kopp, 416 East Main St., Titusville, Pa., or brought to Conference. Amount to be credited under "Other Objects."

g. That twenty-five cents be raised for each active member for Conference Entertainment and sent to the Sub-Treasurer before the books close, April 30.

h. That each society instruct their delegate how much to pledge at the public missionary service. Unless otherwise specified pledges will be divided one-third for Home and two-thirds for Foreign Missions.

i. That local missionary treasurers keep a record of all money paid on pledges and report the amount paid on each pledge, at least two weeks before conference, to the Conference W. M. S. Treasurer, Miss Elda Bence, Marion Center, Pa.

7. a. That each society use the designated study book, also urge the use of the Program Calendar and other helps. That we encourage our members to follow the Missionary Reading Course as recommended by General Conference. All reports to be sent to Mrs. Ruth Stonebraker, 160 Village St., Johnstown, Pa., Conference Secretary of the Mission Reading Course, at least two weeks before conference.

b. That all literature including Program Calendars, Study Books and Efficiency Standards, be obtained from our Conference Literature Department, address Mrs. Helen Kuhn, 457 5th St., Struthers, Ohio.

That each society have a program committee varying once a quarter. We suggest that the president act as chairman of said committee.

8. a. That each society contribute five dollars or more annually for the support of Hephzibah Orphanage, the same to be applied on budget.

b. That each society contribute three dollars or more annually to the Medical Student Fund. This not to apply on budget.

9. That each society be urged to respond to the Card Call Plan and thus assist in the extension Program of the Church. All Card Call money to be sent to Rev. J. R. Swauger, Box 117, Salina Station, Syracuse 8, New York, and stubs to be sent to Mrs. Neva Golden with the statistical blank. This not to apply on budget.

10. That we send program suggestions, Sunday School Literature, flannelgraph materials and used Christmas Greeting cards to our Foreign Missions, Mountain Missions, Hephzibah Orphanage and Indian Missions. Also bandages for home and foreign, when required. (NOTE: Bandages should be cut two to four inches wide and tightly rolled. Number of pounds to be reported as Item of Interest on Annual Statistical Blank.)

b. That the number of boxes of used clothing sent to home missions be reported on the Statistical Blanks under Item of Interest. No monetary value to be placed thereon.

11. That we endeavor to raise one-quarter of the church educational budget. This is to include the L. S. U. pledges.

12. That the Red Letter Days as given in the Program Calendar be observed where possible. That Easter and Self-Denial offerings be used for Home Missions, and the Penny-a-meal offerings be used for Foreign Missions.

13. a. That where possible, each society have a Mercy and Help Committee, whose duty it shall be to visit the sick and needy and give aid where necessary, and send flowers and greeting cards to shut-ins.

b. That we encourage the giving of special remembrance gifts as recommended by General Conference for the promotion of definite missionary work as living tribute to the memory of deceased loved ones, instead of the usual extravagant floral tribute.

14. a. That we put forth a special effort to secure every woman in the church as a member of the society, or bring about a 10% gain in membership.

b. That the month of September be designated as membership month.

15. a. That one dollar dues be paid by all members, active and honorary. That said dues be sent, UNDIVIDED, through the local church treasurer, to the sub-treasurer. The sub-treasurer shall divide them thus: .25 Home Missions, .25 Foreign Missions and .50 dues. All monies to be sent in at least quarterly.

b. That each society be assessed .25 per active member for General Conference Administrative Fund. This is not a budget item.

16. That each society give the delegate an appropriate amount of money for the purchasing of literature for the society and for small offerings taken during conference.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT THE STATISTICAL BLANK

Fill out the ENTIRE REPORT, but beginning with DISBURSEMENTS, Item 12, use a pencil. Follow instruction sheet sent to the local president with statistical blank. Do this as early in May as you can get your books closed and officers elected.

Send all vouchers (or receipts) not sent to your sub-treasurer, and also statements, with itemized list attached to receipts, properly signed by your president and treasurer for "local work," to Mrs. Neva Golden, 40 Plummer St., Oil City, Pa., See Item 6 (e) in Program and Plan of Work.

Elsie Slallsmith, Chairman

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That, since the theme of our Annual Conference is "Redeeming the Time," our Women's Missionary Society adopt this theme for the coming year.

2. That we give ourselves to Bible study, systematic fasting, and intercessory prayer, and that we be "doers of the Word," going out two by two

in home visitation, believing that "prayer and pains plus faith in Jesus Christ can accomplish anything."

3. That we give diligent attention to all missionary work at home and abroad. Let us not be negligent by our indifference in, our missionary services, and to become honorary members.

4. That we give ourselves to prayerful study of the Wesleyan Missionary and other helpful material, and that we do our best to interest our people in getting the Wesleyan Missionary into other homes and institutions.

5. That we adhere to Scriptural methods of raising funds for missions, and out of sacrificial hearts and lives, give heartily as unto the Lord and His holy cause; for the Lord loveth a cheerful giver.

6. a. That we faithfully hold to the Biblical standards of our Discipline in creating a wholesome atmosphere in our homes.

b. That we stress the maintenance of a family altar in every home, with the children having a part. That we, as parents, faithfully instruct our children concerning the plan of salvation, urging them to obtain a personal experience, knowing that this will create in them the desire to follow Bible standards.

c. That we pray faithfully for our children in school, that they may reject any erroneous teachings presented.

7. a. That we abstain from all worldly amusements, including the theater, the dance, cards, etc. That we abstain from reading or allowing our children to read comic books and other unwholesome magazines and books; and that we provide wholesome literature for our children.

b. That we abstain from listening to unwholesome radio programs; buying Sunday newspapers, and other Sabbath desecrations, such as pleasure riding, visiting, buying, etc. Isaiah 58:13, 14.

c. That we urge our people to refrain from buying television sets, realizing that television in its present operation is an evil influence, and may mean the loss of souls.

8. a. That we who are mothers tell our children the true story of life and instruct them in the care of their bodies, in order that they may hold these truths sacred and be prepared to withstand the low moral standards of this day.

b. That we parents be companions to our children, and provide for them wholesome recreation frequently.

c. That we as mothers guard well our children and, as far as possible, know where they are and what they are doing at all times.

d. That mothers carefully select their "baby-sitters" since there is so much immorality prevalent today.

e. That, since modern mixed bathing is conducive to loose morals, we urge parents not to allow their children to participate in such unwholesome activity.

9. a. That we uphold by precept and example modesty of dress, as becometh holiness, by which we mean wearing dresses of proper length, with long sleeves and modest neckline, which things accompany purity and deep

spirituality. I Tim. 2:9, 10. Also that we adhere to Deut. 22:5, "The woman shall not wear that which pertaineth unto a man—for all that do so are an abomination unto the Lord thy God."

b. That we refrain from the wearing of jewelry, which includes brooches and other ornaments. Isa. Chapter 3. Also that we do not wear nude shades of hose, or hats which display flowers, feathers or veiling. Furthermore we urge our women to wear hose and dress modestly in the home, that we may be examples of modesty to those who approach our doors.

c. That we do not adhere to the worldly style of cutting or curling the hair, or the long bob. I Cor. 11:15. Also we believe with John Wesley on the Scripture, I Tim. 2:9 that 'broidered hair' means curled hair.

d. That we also dress our boys and girls modestly, which includes wearing long hose.

10. That we urge the avoidance of unnecessary debts, and neglecting long-standing bills.

11. a. That, as far as possible, we refrain from patronizing establishments selling intoxicating beverages, and also discourage the use of tobacco in all its forms, since we greatly detest the use and effects of both II Cor. 7:1. Also that we refrain from patronizing establishments open on the Sabbath Day.

b. That we be patriotic by displaying the American Flag in observing national holidays, thereby honoring God who gives us freedom and liberty.

12. That these resolutions be read in each society QUARTERLY, that all members be kept informed by the proposed attainments and requirements.

Erma Blair, Chairman

REPORT OF PRAYER PARTNER SECRETARY

Society	Partners	Y.M.W.B. Partners	Society	Partners	Y.M.W.B. Partners
Akron First	44	33	Luciusboro	11	
Grace	20	10	Massillon	76	
Hampe	31	11	Meadville	41	
Maple Valley	25	8	Mentcle	18	
McLeister	20		Middlefield	12	2
Allida Smith	29		Mt. Calvary	27	1
Annandale	23		New Castle	34	
Apollo	13		Niles	24	
Ashtabula	8		North Salem	42	55
Ashville	15	6	North Springfield	28	
Barberton	29	29	Nu Mine	12	
Barkley	25		Oak Grove	27	
Bethel	9		Penn Run	32	36
Brownsville	24	10	Pine Grove	21	
Cabin Run	9		Pittsburgh	18	14
Canal	61	3	Pittsfield	29	
Canton First	65	31	Pleasant Hill	25	
Canton, Second	20		Pleasant View	21	
Carrollton	14		Riverview	14	
Clarksburg	7		Robertsville	12	
Cleveland	35		Rochester	26	
Cooperstown	12		Rock Run	10	
Cottage Hill	16		Sagamore	33	11
Dixonville	30		Sandy Lake	14	4
E. Conneaut	25		Sarver	31	
Erie	15		Shippingport		15
Franklin	25		Tarentum	26	16
Greenfield	15		Titusville	68	25
Greenville	41	40	Vanport	7	
Greenwood	23		Warren	6	
Hadley	14	1	West Fairfield	7	
Harbor	8		West Middlesex	23	
Hillsdale	23		White Memorial	26	2
Hooversville	16	23	Wilgus	17	
Indiana	50	15	Wolf Summit	17	
Johnstown	15	25	Zion	9	

71 Prayer Partner Groups with 1713 Prayer Partners; 26 Y. M. W. B. Prayer Partner Groups with 436 Prayer Partners. 527 Home Missionaries prayed or, and 2,014 Foreign Missionaries prayed for.

Ruth Hoiem, Secretary.

W. M. S. READING COURSE SECRETARY'S REPORT

Societies Reporting	Study Book Used	BOOKS READ												Reading
		12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
Number Reading														
Maple Valley	*							12						12
Allida Smith	*							3	2	1	1			8
Ashtabula	*							4		3				7
Ashville	*							6						6
Barberton	*							7		2				9
Barkley	*													8
Bethany	*									3				3
Bethel	*									2	2	1	2	7
Brownsville	*	2			1	1		1	2	2	1	1	2	13
Canal	*	6	1		1	2	1	4	2	4	2	3	5	31
Cooperstown	*								1		1	1	3	6
English	*							1		3				4
Erie	*		1			1		1	2			5	5	15
Falconer	*							3		1	2	3	1	10
Franklin	*							2	2					4
Greenville	*							5		3		8	2	18
Greenwood	*													9
Hillsdale	*							1	4	2				7
Hooversville	*							1				1		2
Indiana	*							10		2				12
Johnstown	*							4			2		3	9
Keepville	*							3		2	3		1	9
Loyal Oak	*					1			4	1	2			8
Massillon	*							1	1	2				4
Meadville	*							3	2	1	1	2	9	18
Mentcle	*		3	2		2	2	1	2	1	2	2	10	27
Middlefield	*							7						7
New Castle	*							5	1	1	3	5	4	19
Niles	*							2		3	4	2	7	18
North Springfield	*							2						2
Oak Grove	*									1	4	6	14	25
Oil City	*													
Pine Grove	*							6		4				10
Pittsburgh	*							4	5	1				10
Pleasant Hill	*							2	2	1				5
Punxsutawney	*							1	1	6				8
Rochester	*													
Sandy Lake	*									2	3	5	12	22
Sarver	*							2	1	1	3	5	5	17
Soldier	*								3	2				7
Stewart Run	*							1						1
Titusville	*	4						5						9
West Middlesex	*							5	2	1	1	1	2	12
White Memorial	*							17		1				18
Wilgus	*							4	1	1				6
Wolf Summit	*							2	2	1	1	5	3	14
Total		35	12	5	2	7	3	140	42	61	38	57	90	476

No. Societies in Conference 93
 No. of Societies reporting 49
 No. of Societies not reporting 44

Number of Societies reading 46
 Gain in No. of Societies reading 11
 Form letters sent out 90

Ruth R. Stonebraker, Reading Course Secretary

THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

LITERATURE FUND REPORT

Old balance May 1, 1953 \$ 59.34

Receipts:

Rev. Stonebraker (book sales)
 Sale of Literature 382.84 391.81
 Total \$ 451.15

Disbursements:

Mrs. Marie Baker (books) \$212.56 \$
 Literature Department 182.80
 Rev. E. P. Buck (books) 3.75
 Desk fund 7.86
 Mrs. Muriel Terpe (books) 12.28 419.25
 New Balance May 1, 1954 31.90
 Total \$451.15

Ruth Leyshon, Corresponding Secretary

TREASURER'S REPORT

CONFERENCE YEAR 1953—1954

Receipts Expenditures Balance

FOREIGN MISSIONS:

General \$14,310.11 \$ \$
 Penny-A-Meal 104.62
 Foreign Total \$14,414.73 \$14,414.73

AFRICA:

General 356.70 356.70

Saunders:

Support \$ 1,305.50
 Gift 25.00
 Equipment 130.00
 Total 1,460.50 1,460.50

Leper Colony 94.66 94.66

Kamakwie Hospital:

General 15.62
 Equipment 106.00
 Total 121.62 121.62

Linens 5.00 5.00

Tractor for Huffs 40.00 40.00

Bulldozer 180.00 180.00

Africa Total \$ 2,258.48 \$ 2,258.48

HAITI:

General 192.00 192.00

Calhoons:

A. J. Calhoon 1,237.50
 Alice Calhoon 200.00
 Jeep 12.00
 Work 148.00
 Total 1,597.50 1,597.50

	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Ortlips:			
Support	682.00		
Gift	23.77		
Accordion	50.00		
Work	25.00		
Transportation	800.00		
Total	1,580.77	1,580.77	
Barnetts' Transportation	40.00	40.00	
Trans. Troyers' Refrigerator	10.00	10.00	
Medical Building	1,305.80	1,305.80	
Haiti Total	\$ 4,726.07	\$ 4,726.07	\$
INDIA:			
General	123.27	123.27	
Hazel Jones:			
Support	660.00		
Gifts	140.41		
Jeep	41.25		
Transportation	8.50		
Total	850.16	850.16	
Coleson's Car	830.81	830.81	
Hospital:			
General	628.97		
Furnishings	1,118.04		
Total	1,747.01	1,747.01	
Landreys:			
Support	40.00		
Gift	25.00		
Total	65.00	65.00	
Bankers' Traveling Expense	50.00	50.00	
Leper Colony	5.00	5.00	
India Total	\$ 3,671.25	\$ 3,671.25	\$
JAPAN:			
General	954.50	954.50	
Bible School	1,427.00	1,427.00	
Student Fund	100.00	100.00	
Wolfe's Support	50.00	50.00	
Japan Total	\$ 2,531.50	\$ 2,531.50	\$
MEXICO:			
General	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	\$
PUERTO RICO:			
General	527.58	527.58	
Church	2,400.86	2,400.86	
Puerto Rico Total	\$ 2,928.44	\$ 2,928.44	\$
SOUTH AMERICA:			
General	\$ 19.00	\$ 19.00	\$

FORMOSA:

Wagers' Support	\$	10.00	\$	10.00
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MEDICAL STUDENT FUND

FOREIGN GRAND TOTALS	\$30,828.47	\$30,828.47
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HOME MISSIONS:

General	\$ 8,941.55		
Self-denial	80.63		
Total	\$ 9,022.18	\$ 9,022.18	

BRAINERD INDIAN SCHOOL:

General	634.50		
J. Kearns' Support	400.00		
Total	\$ 1,034.50	\$ 1,034.50	

KENTUCKY MOUNTAINS:

General	12.00		
Markels	85.00		
Total	\$ 97.00	\$ 97.00	

OZARK MOUNTAIN MISSION:

Joslins' Support	\$ 58.36	\$ 58.36	
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MEXICAN MISSION:

Lot or Building	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	
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HOME TOTAL

\$10,237.04	\$10,237.04
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AUSTRALIA:

General	792.54		
Bible School	90.00		
Student Fund	149.45		
Highett Church	647.75		
Total	\$ 1,679.94	\$ 1,679.74	

PIONEER

\$ 53.00	\$ 53.00
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JEWISH WORK

\$ 229.32	\$ 229.32
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HEPHZIBAH ORPHANAGE:

General	540.00		
Chairs	592.33		
Total	\$ 1,132.33	\$ 1,132.33	

EDUCATION (Houghton College)

\$ 933.73	\$ 933.73
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CARD CALL

\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00
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GRAND TOTAL

\$14,270.16	\$14,270.16
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GENERAL FUND:

OLD BALANCE	\$ 566.18	\$ 486.96
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MEMBERSHIP DUES	\$ 1,157.98	\$ 579.00
GEN. ADMIN. FUND	334.80	334.80

WORKERS:

Rev. & Mrs. Wager	70.00		
Rev. Wolfe	50.00		
Dr. DeVol	10.00		
Total		130.00	

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

Ivah B. Van Wormer, Pres.	50.00		
Eunice Comadoll, Sec.	25.00		
Elda Bence, Treas.	75.00		
Ruth Leyshon, Cor. Sec.	25.00		
Neva Golden, Stat.	25.00		
Total		200.00	

DESK FUND:

Ivah Van Wormer, Pres.	16.50		
Eunice Comadoll, Sec.	3.60		
Elda Bence, Treas.	18.63		
Neva Golden, Stat.	3.65		
Ruth Hoiem, P. Sec.	3.00		
Ruth Stonebraker, R. Sec.	2.20		
Mrs. E. Hannold, Mag. Sol.	14.75		
Total		62.33	

CONFERENCE ENTERTAINMENT:

Fund for 1953	22.35		
Fund for 1954	411.15		
Fruits & Vegetables	17.60		
Total		451.10	451.10

GEN. CONF. ENTERTAINM'T ..	17.75	17.75
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MISSIONARY COTTAGE:

Old Balance	87.73		
Linens	5.00		
Total		92.73	92.73

MISCELLANEOUS:

Space in Conf. Minutes		100.00	
Expenses for Mich. Conv.	17.00	167.52	
Stationery		36.35	
Flowers		5.00	
Meals for Camp Workers	55.45	55.45	
Conf. Pres. Salary	25.00	25.00	
Camp Expense	10.00	10.00	
Conference Members Dues	26.00		

GRAND TOTAL	\$ 2,753.99	\$ 2,174.30	\$579.69
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SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS:

	Disbursed	Vouchers	Totals	Balance
Foreign Missions	\$30,828.47	\$ 550.10	\$31,378.57	\$
Home Missions	10,237.04	100.18	10,337.22	
Australia	1,679.74	518.44	2,198.18	
Pioneer	53.00	15.00	68.00	
Jewish Work	229.32		229.32	
Hephzibah Orphanage	1,132.33	25.00	1,157.33	
Education	933.73	60.00	993.73	
Card Call	5.00		5.00	
General Funds	2,174.30	5.00	2,179.30	579.69
TOTAL OF TOTALS	\$47,272.93	\$ 1,273.72	\$48,546.68	\$ 579.69

ELDA BENCE, W. M. S. Treasurer

Statistical Items of Interest:

366 pounds of bandages supplied.

2 barrels and 524 boxes to Home and Foreign.

W. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT

RECEIPTS												
Name of Society	Active Members	Honorary Members	Gain (or)	Loss	Total No. Meetings held	No. of Wesleyan Missionaries taken	Efficiency Standard %	No. Missionaries supported	Membership Dues	Offerings	From Labor	
Akron, First	43	16		9	25	41	85	\$	59.00	\$ 1,767.61	\$	
Grace Wesleyan	23		14		27	20	100		23.00	1,000.84		
Hampe Memorial	17	11	4		14	14			28.00	355.37		
Kenmore	16	10	11		25	10	100		26.00	472.11		
Maple Valley	30			16	16	32	80		30.00	368.66		
McLeister Memorial	20	9	12		23	31	75		29.00	1,297.45		
Alliance (New)	10		10		1	3			10.00	2.16		
Allida Smith Mem.	16	12		3	26	23	90		28.00	532.84		
Annandale	14	11			22	6			25.00	250.75		
Apollo	20	5	1		13	12			25.00	181.56		
Ashtabula	19	4	6		31	17	100		23.00	296.86	25.50	
Ashville	16	1		8	24	18	75		16.00	263.52		
Barberton	66	46		60	17	46			112.00	2,518.83		
Barkley	11	3	5		12	10	84		14.00	61.71		
Bethany	19	7	8		25	15			26.00	164.57		
Bethel	11	1		1	14	15			12.00	132.86		
Blue Eye	7	4			12	11			11.00	27.43		
Bluefield (New)	10		10		1							
Brown Hill	11	3		2	25	8	65		14.00	75.07		
Brownsville	19	3		2	20	17	80		22.25	1,243.00		
Cabin Run	12	4		1	21	3			16.00	59.88		
Canal	29	12	3		28	23	85		41.00	1,905.97		
Canton, First	38	24		10	27	63			62.00	2,135.02		
Canton, Second	16	18		2	33	24	90		34.00	1,125.96		
Carrollton	12	4		4	25	15	75		16.00	325.17		
Cleveland	31	9		1	28	39	100		39.00	648.19	40.00	
Cooperstown	18	8	4		17	13	80		26.00	639.29		
Cottage Hill	11	6		5	24	13			17.00	65.36		
Dixonville	32	6		1	26	35	75		38.00	1,452.69		
East Clarksburg										23.00		
East Conneaut	14	10		6	25	17	100		24.00	217.46		
English	22	2	4		12	16			24.00	201.51		
Erie	39	17	20		28	17	80		56.00	2,160.08		
Falconer	34	16			26	37	95	1	50.00	1,319.73		
Franklin	15	6	7		19	15	100		21.00	201.45		
Greenfield	18	8	7		25	14	80		26.00	165.76		
Greenville	22	7	4		25	28	100		29.00	693.82		
Greenwood	16	6	2		15	11	80		22.00	193.84		
Hadley	14	2	4		23	11	90		16.00	205.13	5.00	
Harbor	3	4	2		14	6	86		8.75	37.54		
Hillsdale	21	8	4		13	17	90		29.00	1,046.42		
Hillville						10				13.00		
Hooversville	11	2		3	13	9	90		13.00	154.70		
Indiana	25	10	2		28	52	90		35.00	1,594.14		
Johnstown	17	9		6	14	16	80		26.00	257.29		
Keepville	20	6	4		25	12	65		26.60	59.03	20.20	
Lakeview	12	3			15	4			15.00	418.56		
Loyal Oak	10	3	1		23	10			13.00	121.16		
Luciusboro	9	2			12	4			11.00	59.96		
Massillon	60	21		2	17	48	85	1	81.00	3,662.98		
Meadville	24	15	13		24	41	100		39.00	558.25		
Mentcle	19	9		12	24	10			28.00	246.41		

W. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

RECEIPTS

Name of Society	Active Members	Honorary Members	Gain (or)	Loss	Total No. Meetings held	No. of Wesleyan Missionaries taken	Efficiency Standard %	No. Missionaries supported	Membership Dues	Offerings	From Labor
Middlefield	13	5	3		18	13			18.00	195.57	
Mount Calvary	14	9		2	15	10	70		23.00	436.13	
New Castle	35	4		10	27	34	85		39.00	1,958.67	
Niles	16	8	5		17	11	100		24.00	158.14	
North Salem	25	16	4		25	21	90		41.00	646.70	
North Springfield	10				18	10	85		10.00	76.43	
Nu Mine	12	2		7	12	13	80		14.00	135.00	
Oak Grove	25	8	21		14	12			33.00	100.90	
Oil City	9	4		1	14	7			13.44	173.78	
Olive Hill	5	2			9				7.00	22.00	
Penn Run	19	12	2		12	13			31.00	103.57	
Pine Grove	14	3			25	18	100		17.00	83.89	
Pittsburgh	13	12		9	19	18	86		25.00	512.13	
Pittsfield	16	4	5		28	17	75		20.00	181.06	20.00
Pleasant Hill	23	7	10		25	19	85		30.00	226.24	
Pleasant View	20	10		3	12	12	70		30.00	168.46	28.41
Pritchard, Mt. View	3								3.00		
Punxsutawney	15	7			12	9	75		22.00	122.39	
Riverview	16	4	6		15	10	80		20.00	215.25	
Robertsville	20	13	7		17	7			33.00	127.06	
Rochester	30	11	2		24	22	85		41.00	763.65	
Rock Run	15	3		3	13	9			18.00	95.12	
Sagamore	16	4		2	15	17	80		20.00	218.00	
Sandy Lake	17	4		1	17	13	85		21.00	333.92	
Sarver	24	10	1		23	22	80		35.00	775.31	
Shippingport	15	4		1	8	8			19.00	184.99	
Smithport	12				20	6			12.00	118.02	
Soldier	12	2		1	24	17	80		14.00	247.74	
Spruce Grove (New)	11	6	17		9	7			19.75	50.00	
Stewart Run	11	6	4		8	4			17.00	43.10	
Tarentum	17	3		3	13	25	80		20.00	129.29	
Templeton, Zion	16	1		1	26	24	75		17.00	472.22	
Titusville	36	18		1	26	43	90		54.00	2,065.33	
Vanport	13	6	3		14	14	95		19.00	146.36	
Warren	4	3		4	23	10	85		7.00	166.81	
West Fairfield	9	3	2		22	9	85		12.00	53.61	6.00
West Hill	3								3.00		
West Middlesex	16	8	1		15	23			24.00	258.62	
White Memorial	25	13	6		22	38	90		44.75	1,006.50	
Wilgus	11			3	13	10	80		11.00	108.87	
Wolf Summit	21	7	2		13	18	80		28.00	476.01	
Zion	14	3		4	16	12	80		17.00	454.78	
Butler*										170.00	
Isabella (New)	12		12		1					82.00	
Mechanicsburg*										14.00	
Tazewell*										25.07	
Camp, Conf. Ind'vid's								3		1,418.36	
Missionaries children								2			
Children								2			
Partial								2			
Totals	1705	624	280	205	1721	1587		4	\$2,342.10	\$48,503.00	\$ 145.11

*Not Organized

W. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

RECEIPTS							
Name of Society	"Memorials"	Voucher Receipts	Administrative Fund	Other Sources	Total Receipts for year	Old balance from last year	Grand Total
Akron, First	\$	\$	\$ 10.75	\$	\$ 1,837.36	\$ 6.66	\$ 1,844.02
Grace Wesleyan					1,023.84		1,023.84
Hampe Memorial				61.53	444.90		444.90
Kenmore				102.23	600.34		600.34
Maple Valley		18.00		21.25	437.91	34.54	472.45
McLeister Memorial				29.46	1,355.91	9.23	1,365.14
Alliance					12.16		12.16
Allida Smith Memorial		35.00		24.55	620.39	4.20	624.59
Annandale		39.00		35.50	350.25	5.47	355.72
Apollo			5.00	74.18	285.74	21.60	307.34
Ashtabula	6.00	25.00	5.75	25.00	407.11	4.59	411.70
Ashville		68.71		24.00	372.23	2.18	374.41
Barberton		36.00		9.97	2,676.80	4.83	2,681.63
Barkley		8.00			83.71	2.20	85.91
Bethany				21.69	212.26	3.67	215.93
Bethel				112.95	257.81	.19	258.00
Blue Eye Chapel				3.56	41.99	.47	42.46
Bluefield							
Brown Hill				91.80	180.87		180.87
Brownsville			5.25	606.58	1,877.08	20.52	1,897.60
Cabin Run				24.00	99.88		99.88
Canal		83.70		15.00	2,045.67	39.19	2,084.86
Canton, First		83.00		185.75	2,465.77	7.62	2,473.39
Canton, Second			8.25	494.91	1,663.12	26.20	1,689.32
Carrollton		51.50		113.02	505.69	14.52	520.21
Cleveland	25.00		7.75	337.58	1,097.52	14.87	1,112.39
Cooperstown			4.50	115.00	784.79	10.50	795.29
Cottage Hill			7.60		89.96	23.86	113.82
Dixonville					1,490.69	21.43	1,512.12
East Clarksburg					23.00		23.00
East Conneaut			3.50	10.97	255.93	8.35	264.28
English					225.51	.49	226.00
Erie				251.59	2,467.67	322.77	2,790.44
Falconer		65.40		19.75	1,454.88		1,454.88
Franklin		226.00	5.25	16.27	469.97	13.64	483.61
Greenfield					191.76		191.76
Greenville	5.00		5.50	158.69	892.01	14.41	906.42
Greenwood				155.75	371.59	15.16	386.75
Hadley		15.00	3.50	13.50	258.13	6.95	265.08
Harbor	65.00			58.50	169.79		169.79
Hillsdale		216.03		25.33	1,316.78	3.78	1,320.56
Hillville					13.00		13.00
Hooversville			2.75	3.00	173.45	4.86	178.31
Indiana		229.00	8.75	1,916.71	3,783.60	144.36	3,927.96
Johnstown			4.25		287.54	13.75	301.29
Keepville			3.00	53.51	162.34	7.95	170.29
Lakeview					433.56	275.92	709.48
Loyal Oak				53.82	187.98	.77	188.75
Luciusboro				2.00	72.96		72.96
Massillon		255.00		17.27	4,016.25	36.77	4,053.02

W. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

RECEIPTS							
Name of Society	"Memorials"	Voucher Receipts	Administrative Fund	Other Sources	Total Receipts for year	Old balance from last year	Grand Total
Meadville		126.00	5.75		729.00	16.64	745.64
Mentcle		32.00	4.75	146.13	457.29	2.02	459.31
Middlefield				20.00	233.57	1.46	235.03
Mount Calvary				253.56	712.69	48.08	760.77
New Castle		246.00	8.75		2,252.42	15.30	2,267.72
Niles				101.81	283.95	.30	284.25
North Salem	2.50	27.64			717.84	53.80	771.64
North Springfield		11.00		39.98	137.41	1.98	139.39
Nu Mine			3.50	96.25	248.75	2.37	251.12
Oak Grove		367.00	6.00	11.94	518.84	41.12	559.96
Oil City				39.00	225.78	2.78	228.56
Olive Hill					29.00		29.00
Penn Run		60.00	4.75	118.10	317.42	8.90	326.32
Pine Grove		13.00		169.78	283.67	6.30	289.97
Pittsburgh		88.05	3.25	5.00	633.43		633.43
Pittsfield		61.50		56.00	338.56	18.54	357.10
Pleasant Hill					256.24	.32	256.56
Pleasant View		40.00	5.25	2.75	274.87	3.04	277.91
Pritchard, Mt. View					3.00		3.00
Punxsutawney					144.39	.35	144.74
Riverview		15.00			250.25		250.25
Robertsville				26.25	186.31		186.31
Rochester		71.37	10.25		886.27	9.42	895.69
Rock Run				116.00	229.12	3.33	232.45
Sagamore		85.00	4.00	32.91	359.91	1.45	361.36
Sandy Lake	5.00	221.59	3.75	10.50	595.76	22.17	617.93
Sarver				36.50	846.81	6.03	852.94
Shlippingport				21.07	225.06		225.06
Smithport				54.00	184.02	7.20	191.22
Soldier		4.00	3.00	64.30	333.04	39.18	372.22
Spruce Grove (New)				5.00	74.75		74.75
Stewart Run		26.00		3.75	89.85		89.85
Tarentum			4.25	104.25	257.79		257.79
Templeton, Zion		50.00		56.61	595.83	7.61	603.44
Titusville				653.19	2,772.52	429.49	3,202.01
Vanport		17.00	3.25	20.47	206.08		206.08
Warren		2.00			175.81	4.53	180.34
West Fairfield		3.60	1.75	15.80	92.76	7.33	100.09
West Hill					3.00		3.00
West Middlesex		79.04			361.66	3.40	365.06
White Memorial		108.00		5.00	1,164.25	6.79	1,171.04
Willgus		105.00		.50	225.37	4.56	229.93
Wolf Summit				7.00	511.01	12.13	523.14
Zion		54.00	4.25	11.20	541.23	6.51	547.74
Butler*					170.00		170.00
Isabella (New)					82.00		82.00
Mechanicsburg*					14.00		14.00
Tazewell*					25.07		25.07
Camp, Conf. Individuals					1,418.36		1,418.36
Totals	\$ 108.50	\$3,368.13	\$ 167.85	\$7,590.77	\$62,225.46	\$1,942.90	\$64,168.36

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W. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

DISBURSEMENTS									
Name of Society		Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Medical Student	Hephzibah Cash	Hephzibah Provisions	Education Cash	Education Provisions	Local Church Work
Akron, First	\$	307.15	\$ 988.50	\$ 3.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 75.90	\$ 37.00	\$	\$ 17.13
Grace Wesleyan		70.55	295.41			13.00	5.00		300.00
Hampe Memorial		23.50	256.00	3.00	5.00	12.95	10.00		
Kenmore		26.25	200.54			12.98			50.00
Maple Valley		117.50	195.75	3.00	10.50	12.95			38.55
McLeister Memorial		353.30	766.77		5.00	12.95	25.00		
Alliance (New)		2.50	2.50						
Allida Smith Memorial		118.99	299.79	3.00	5.00	25.00	5.00		52.47
Annandale		56.25	111.25	3.00		25.00	21.00		
Apollo		66.43	194.25	3.00	5.00				
Ashtabula		15.25	55.75	3.00	5.00	6.95			287.56
Ashville		36.00	139.00		10.00	6.95	8.00		42.67
Barberton		370.50	1,391.83	3.00	40.00	25.90	157.00		218.98
Barkley		20.50	38.50						
Bethany		46.87	105.67	5.00	14.00	7.00			
Bethel		25.00	143.00	3.00	5.00	5.00			7.95
Blue Eye		12.65	24.31						
Bluefield (New)									
Brown Hill		27.80	57.00		5.00	15.00	13.00		8.35
Brownsville		319.38	1,068.85	3.00	15.00		11.00		115.53
Cabin Run		13.00	31.00		5.00				
Canal		209.75	1,586.75	3.00	5.00	7.00			12.64
Canton, First		529.78	1,605.76	5.00	5.00	26.00	25.00		36.80
Canton, Second		728.25	630.25	6.00	5.00	25.00			200.00
Carrollton		132.75	171.45	5.00	6.00	25.90	12.00		
Cleveland		148.73	412.41	10.00	10.00	26.90	32.50	25.00	40.00
Cooperstown		156.50	441.50	5.00	10.00	6.95	10.00		
Cottage Hill		27.25	27.40		4.75				23.42
Dixonville		256.16	747.59	3.00	13.75	32.00	52.85		145.22
East Clarksburg			15.00			3.00			
East Conneaut		37.33	95.54	3.00	5.00		15.00		18.81
English		50.00	78.05	3.00	5.00				40.00
Erie		240.00	1,637.76	5.00	10.00	12.95	50.00		124.81
Falconer		249.00	893.06	5.00	5.00	10.00	5.00		40.95
Franklin		87.25	254.25	3.00	5.00	5.00			20.00
Greenfield		41.98	123.52	3.00	5.00				
Greenville		134.25	566.94	3.00	13.25	10.00	35.00		5.50
Greenwood		40.25	186.80	3.00	5.00				
Hadley		14.00	141.50	3.00	9.50	5.00	14.00		5.00
Harbor		4.30	145.34		1.50				1.25
Hillsdale		41.87	82.13	3.00	5.00	5.00	20.00		30.10
Hillville		6.50	6.50						
Hooversville		24.10	87.95	3.00	5.00	5.00			
Indiana		1,199.25	1,897.55	3.00	5.00	20.00	55.13		215.82
Johnstown		36.50	76.50	3.00	7.75	5.00	15.50		
Keepville		27.25	66.25		5.00	5.00	5.00		24.80
Lakeview		70.41	162.09						
Loyal Oak		12.25	97.01			12.95			
Luciusboro		21.07	41.39			5.00			
Massillon		550.00	2,260.00	3.00	10.00	116.81	10.00		17.50

W. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

DISBURSEMENTS

Name of Society	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Medical Student	Hephzibah Cash	Hephzibah Provisions	Education Cash	Education Provisions	Local Church Work
Meadville	94.75	367.75	3.00	5.00	13.90	5.00		47.73
Mentle	47.50	161.79	3.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		63.79
Middlefield	82.04	67.71	3.00	6.75	6.50	7.00		
Mount Calvary	80.75	96.15	3.00	9.00	12.95			43.50
New Castle	259.75	1,493.69	3.00	5.00	10.00	34.50		15.59
Niles	42.25	115.00	3.00	5.00	5.00	1.00		12.60
North Salem	93.25	407.89	5.00	10.00		49.00		15.00
North Springfield	18.66	38.25		5.00				10.00
Nu Mine	13.50	141.31	3.00	6.00	3.00	2.00		11.00
Oak Grove	139.07	268.19	3.00	5.00		5.00		
Oil City	13.25	88.25	3.00	7.00	6.95	5.00		60.00
Olive Hill	7.75	19.75						
Penn Run	51.50	40.75	3.00	5.00	5.00			81.00
Pine Grove	35.72	113.56	3.00	5.00	5.00	12.00		25.71
Pittsburgh	110.75	358.50	3.00		10.00	5.00		
Pittsfield	51.00	129.00		5.00	20.00	5.00		33.50
Pleasant Hill	61.29	114.05	3.00	5.00	5.00			30.84
Pleasant View	17.50	142.50	3.00	5.00	3.00			28.41
Pritchard, Mt. View	.75	.75						
Punxsutawney	30.50	30.50		3.00				43.00
Riverview	28.75	98.75	3.00	5.00		28.00		14.00
Robertsville	59.50	54.25	10.00	10.00	7.00			
Rochester	146.25	591.77	3.00	5.00		5.00		9.10
Rock Run	80.50	106.88	3.00		5.00			3.80
Sagamore	58.35	122.65	3.00	5.00		5.00		
Sandy Lake	148.75	157.75	3.00	5.00	6.95	25.00		4.00
Sarver	256.25	430.25	3.00	6.00	10.00			12.95
Shippingport	32.22	133.57	3.00	5.00	6.00	4.80		12.25
Smithport	31.00	57.00	3.00	5.00	5.00			8.00
Soldier	47.08	96.23	3.00	5.00	5.00			60.00
Spruce Grove (New)	4.90	59.95						
Stewart Run	14.60	19.90	3.00	5.00		5.50		
Tarentum	55.00	120.00	3.00	5.00		10.00		9.44
Templeton, Zion	26.00	493.11		5.00	5.00	5.00		16.06
Titusville	399.50	1,567.50	10.00	14.25	12.95	28.50		43.54
Vanport	31.00	45.22	3.00	5.00		33.45		20.00
Warren	1.75	35.75		5.00				
West Fairfield	15.00	13.00	3.00	5.00	5.00	15.00		6.00
West Hill	.75	.75						
West Middlesex	69.00	169.00	3.00	5.00	5.00	14.00		21.82
White Memorial	141.19	621.19	3.00	35.00	10.00	25.00		
Wilgus	2.75	177.25	3.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		1.00
Wolf Summit	133.00	277.00	3.00	2.00	5.00	15.00		20.20
Zion	127.00	221.50	3.00	5.00	5.00	2.00		
Butler *		170.00						
Isabella (New)	17.00	27.00						
Mechanicsburg*	5.00	8.00						
Tazewell*		25.07						
Camp, Conf. Individuals	241.22	936.28						
Missionaries Children								
Totals	\$10,530.84	\$31,935.82	\$ 239.00	\$ 540.00	\$ 842.19	\$1,010.73	\$ 25.00	\$2,925.64

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W. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

Name of Society	DISBURSEMENTS						
	Membership Dues	Administrative Fund	Other Objects, Australia	Miscellaneous	Total Disbursements	New Balance on Hand	Grand Total
Akron, First	\$ 29.50	\$ 10.75	\$ 183.56	\$ 183.74	\$ 1,841.23	\$ 2.79	\$ 1,844.02
Grace Wesleyan	11.50	5.75	41.63	281.00	1,023.84		1,023.84
Hampe Memorial	14.00	4.25		106.25	434.95	9.95	444.90
Kenmore	27.00		25.00	258.57	600.34		600.34
Maple Valley	15.00	8.75	8.00	41.23	451.23	21.22	472.45
McLeister Memorial	14.50		12.50	108.33	1,298.35	66.79	1,365.14
Alliance (New)	5.00				10.00	2.16	12.16
Allida Smith Mem.	12.00		19.89	44.00	585.04	39.55	624.59
Annandale	12.50	3.25	10.50	102.08	344.83	10.89	355.72
Apollo	12.50	5.00	5.00	16.16	307.34		307.34
Ashtabula	11.50	5.75	15.50	4.75	411.01	.69	411.70
Ashville	8.00		4.75	116.26	371.63	2.78	374.41
Barberton	56.00	16.00	146.59	193.03	2,618.83	62.80	2,681.63
Barkley	7.00	2.25		16.41	84.66	1.25	85.91
Bethany	14.00			18.50	211.04	4.89	215.93
Bethel	6.00	6.00	5.25	47.45	253.65	4.35	258.00
Blue Eye	5.50				42.45		42.46
Bluefield (New)							
Brown Hill	7.00		6.50	40.80	180.45	.42	180.87
Brownsville	11.93	3.50	11.75	280.75	1,840.69	56.91	1,897.60
Cabin Run	8.00	3.00		39.75	99.75	.13	99.88
Canal	20.50	7.25	81.70	151.27	2,084.86		2,084.86
Canton, First	31.00			116.69	2,381.03	92.36	2,473.39
Canton, Second	16.50	8.25	14.00	56.07	1,689.32		1,689.32
Carrollton	8.00		5.75	123.14	489.99	30.22	520.21
Cleveland	19.13		106.25	252.68	1,083.60	28.79	1,112.39
Cooperstown	13.00	4.50	50.00	75.64	773.09	22.20	795.29
Cottage Hill	7.00	7.60	4.75	2.00	104.17	9.65	113.82
Dixonville	19.00	7.50	45.75	154.35	1,477.17	34.95	1,512.12
East Clarksburg				5.00	23.00		23.00
East Conneaut	12.00	3.50	14.55	59.22	263.95	.33	264.28
English	12.00	5.50	10.00	22.45	226.00		226.00
Erie	28.00	9.75	67.72	288.34	2,474.33	316.11	2,790.44
Falconer	25.00	8.50	15.75	169.60	1,426.86	28.02	1,454.88
Franklin	10.50	5.25	36.50	56.86	483.61		483.61
Greenfield	13.00			4.75	191.25	.51	191.76
Greenville	14.50	5.50	20.25	90.77	898.96	7.46	906.42
Greenwood	10.50	3.75	5.75	87.70	342.75	44.00	386.75
Hadley	8.00	3.50		56.05	259.55	5.53	265.08
Harbor	2.90			14.50	169.79		169.79
Hillsdale	10.75	10.00	8.75	284.54	501.14	819.42	1,320.56
Hillville					13.00		13.00
Hooversville	6.50	2.75	5.00	39.01	178.31		178.31
Indiana	17.50	8.75	129.25	334.80	3,886.05	41.91	3,927.96
Johnstown	13.00	4.25	7.25	103.66	272.91	28.38	301.29
Keepville	12.50	3.00	6.25	11.04	166.09	4.20	170.29
Lakeview	7.50			117.35	357.35	352.13	709.48
Loyal Oak	4.50		3.00	59.04	188.75		188.75
Luciusboro	5.50				72.96		72.96
Massillon	40.50	15.00	384.00	507.48	3,914.29	138.73	4,053.02
Meadville	19.50	9.50	48.36	107.39	721.88	23.76	745.64
Mentcle	14.00	3.95	11.25	121.23	441.51	17.80	459.31

W. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

DISBURSEMENTS							
Name of Society	Membership Dues	Administrative Fund	Other Objects, Australia	Miscellaneous	Total Disbursements	New Balance on hand	Grand Total
Middlefield	10.50	4.50	7.00	40.03	235.03		235.03
Mount Calvary	11.50	3.25		407.33	667.43	93.34	760.77
New Castle	19.50	8.75	172.00	245.94	2,267.72		2,267.72
Niles	12.00	4.00	5.25	75.12	280.22	4.03	284.25
North Salem	20.50	10.50	65.00	52.38	728.27	43.37	771.64
North Springfield	5.50			54.88	132.29	7.10	139.39
Nu Mine	7.00	3.50	6.00	51.50	247.81	3.31	251.12
Oak Grove	16.50		11.25	102.25	550.26	9.70	559.96
Oil City	6.50	2.25	12.00	17.25	221.45	7.11	228.56
Olive Hill	1.50				29.00		29.00
Penn Run	15.50	4.75	9.50	97.60	313.60	12.72	326.32
Pine Grove	8.50	3.50	15.12	54.17	281.28	8.69	289.97
Pittsburgh	12.50	3.25	71.25	59.05	633.30	.13	633.43
Pittsfield	10.00		6.00	97.49	356.99	.11	357.10
Pleasant Hill	15.00		5.13	17.25	256.56		256.56
Pleasant View	15.00	5.00	32.00	19.25	270.66	7.25	277.91
Pritchard, Mt. View	1.50				3.00		3.00
Punxsutawney	11.00	5.00	5.00	15.69	143.69	1.05	144.74
Riverview	7.50	4.75	11.55	48.60	249.90	.35	250.25
Robertsville	16.50			6.47	163.72	22.59	186.31
Rochester	14.50	7.25	13.50	100.24	895.61	.08	895.69
Rock Run	10.00		6.75	11.25	227.18	5.27	232.45
Sagamore	10.00	4.00	61.25	89.00	358.25	3.11	361.36
Sandy Lake	10.50	3.75	10.50	242.73	617.93		617.93
Sarver	9.00		11.50	74.74	813.69	39.15	852.84
Shippingport	9.50	3.75	1.53	13.44	225.06		225.06
Smithport	6.00		7.00	67.32	189.32	1.90	191.22
Soldier	7.00	3.00	6.00	91.78	324.09	48.13	372.22
Spruce Grove (New)	9.90				74.75		74.75
Stewart Run	8.50	2.75	8.75	7.95	75.95	13.90	89.85
Tarentum	10.00		8.50	28.61	249.55	8.24	257.79
Templeton, Zion	8.50		13.00	31.56	603.23	.21	603.44
Titusville	27.00	9.00	46.44	687.19	2,845.97	356.14	3,202.01
Vanport	9.50	3.25	25.66	23.50	199.58	6.50	206.08
Warren	3.50	1.00		124.62	176.62	3.72	180.34
West Fairfield	6.00	1.75	3.00	26.42	99.17	.92	100.09
West Hill	1.50				3.00		3.00
West Middlesex	12.00	6.75	6.75	40.79	353.11	11.95	365.06
White Memorial	22.37		105.00	180.08	1,142.83	28.21	1,171.04
Wilgus	5.50	2.75		20.11	227.36	2.57	229.93
Wolf Summit	14.00	7.00	7.00	35.69	518.89	4.25	523.14
Zion	8.50	4.25	41.25	91.41	508.91	38.83	547.74
Butler*					170.00		170.00
Isabella (New)			3.00	35.00	82.00		82.00
Mechanicsburg*			1.00		14.00		14.00
Tazewell*					25.07		25.07
Camp, Conf., Ind's.			137.41	103.45	1,418.36		1,418.36
Missionary children							
*Not Organized							
Totals	\$1,157.98	\$ 334.80	\$2,537.59	\$8,960.81	\$61,040.40	\$3,127.96	\$64,168.36

Mrs. Neva Golden, Chairman

Y. M. W. B. STATISTICS

Name of Band	Active Members	Honorary Members	Meetings	Efficiency Standard	Foreign Missions	Home Missions
Akron, First	86	98	12	85	\$ 808.05	\$ 115.09
Akron, Grace					21.00	
Akron, Hampe Memorial	25	30	13	100	92.20	11.40
Akron, Maple Valley	58	37	12	95	93.55	11.00
Akron, McLeister	50	50	12	65	86.88	20.00
Allida Smith Memorial	1	18		50	76.42	5.00
Annandale	12		8	66	13.00	5.00
Ashtabula	32	22	12	100	85.76	14.50
Ashville	27	24		90	52.50	8.00
Barberton	60	164	12	90	791.07	50.00
Barkley	41	45	12	100	50.00	20.50
Bethany	19	34			59.72	6.02
Bethel	18	22	4	60	20.80	
Blue Eye					5.00	3.55
Brown Hill					8.21	4.70
Brownsville	63	54	11	55	61.05	4.39
Cabin Run	32	14	12	95	24.35	13.00
Canal	30	8	12	80	20.50	5.29
Canton First	45	23	12	100	385.52	287.74
Canton, Second	71	31	12	100	79.43	21.89
Cottage Hill	22	8	12	80	14.00	10.00
Cleveland		31	8	60	113.43	54.64
Cooperstown	23	9	12	100	48.50	17.60
Dixonville	65	84	12	68	226.00	150.00
East Conneaut	15	17		80	24.82	8.73
English	21	8	48		19.35	
Erie	26				138.87	
Falconer	23	52	12	80	58.80	16.00
Franklin	34	20	12	85	70.66	3.00
Greenfield	30	32	12	95	50.00	30.00
Greenville	47	20	8	80	329.78	22.83
Greenwood	10	14	8	75	32.48	38.75
Hadley	12	10	12	100	23.00	9.00
Harbor	13	7	3	70	15.10	13.14
Hillsdale	34	29	12	95	20.81	29.31
Hooversville	14	10	12	100	29.15	2.70
Indiana	100	100	23	95	1,965.00	20.00
Johnstown	7	7	12	50	47.45	62.36
Keepville	7	27	10	85	48.28	3.38
Loyal Oak	13	4	8		5.82	

Y. M. W. B. STATISTICS

Name of Band	Active Members	Honorary Members	Meetings	Efficiency Standard	Foreign Missions	Home Missions
Luciusboro	3	10	4		32.98	
Massillon	18	39	7	75	162.67	30.00
Meadville	85	60	12	100	130.00	10.00
Mentcle	18	18	12	75	73.23	5.00
Middlefield	20	18	12	80	20.00	3.00
Mt. Calvary	6	14	10	35	53.00	
New Castle	63	115	12	85	812.35	25.00
Niles	24	24			24.96	25.00
North Salem	19	47	12	100	24.96	10.00
Nu Mine					4.50	
Oak Grove	20	28		65	40.00	15.00
Oil City	37		10	80	20.00	10.00
Penn Run	27	65	11	80	62.25	
Pine Grove	17	30	12	80	26.68	4.05
Pittsburgh	20	6	12	80	77.16	25.00
Pleasant Hill	15	20	12	60	25.57	24.70
Pleasant View	35	28	12	70	33.00	
Pleasant View	35	28	12	70	33.00	
Punxsutawney	12	10	18	60	27.00	2.00
Riverview					72.99	50.00
Robertsville	22	17	12		18.89	10.01
Rochester	45	75	12	95	390.00	10.00
Sagamore	17	7	12	90	26.40	5.00
Sandy Lake	18	33	10	70	51.73	6.32
Sarver	25	30			73.50	20.00
Shippingport	22	3	12	100	73.56	41.34
Smithport	21		4		12.77	23.91
Soldier	18	22	12	95	59.40	6.33
Stewart Run					13.40	
Tarentum	19	1	12	85	33.48	8.02
Templeton, Zion	1	5	10	65	25.00	32.00
Titusville	35	52	12	100	275.00	17.00
Vanport	30	11	12	80	27.37	5.00
West Fairfield	20		12	95	44.26	3.10
West Middlesex	13	2	40	90	12.64	5.10
White Memorial	51	66	12	100	65.00	22.00
Willgus	8	20	12	90	42.11	3.66
Wolf Summit	15	5	12	70	10.40	5.00
Zion	18	22	12	90	30.50	43.50
Totals	2023	2066	780		\$9,319.38	\$1,604.55

Y. M. W. B. STATISTICS

Name of Band	Education	Special Projects	Total—Band Credit	Non-Credit Total	Grand Total
Akron, First	\$ 10.00	\$ 68.64	\$ 1,001.78	\$ 2.00	\$ 1,003.78
Akron, Grace	3.08	5.00	29.08		29.08
Akron, Hampe Mem.	10.00	50.00	163.60	1.00	164.60
Akron, Maple Valley	10.00		114.55	2.10	116.65
Akron, McLeister			106.88		106.88
Allida Smith Memorial	10.00		91.42	5.90	97.32
Annandale	5.00		23.00	1.00	24.00
Ashtabula	9.55	22.09	131.90	7.92	139.82
Ashville	6.00		66.50	32.50	99.00
Barberton	91.98		933.05	2.25	935.30
Barkley	10.00		80.50	19.00	99.50
Bethany		20.18	85.92		85.92
Bethel	8.45		29.25		29.95
Blue Eye			8.55		8.55
Brown Hill	6.54		19.45		19.45
Brownsville		25.00	90.44	4.87	95.31
Cabin Run		6.63	43.98	4.61	48.59
Canal		200.00	225.79	2.00	227.79
Canton, First	20.00	50.00	743.26	7.50	750.76
Canton, Second	10.00	73.88	185.20	9.16	194.36
Cottage Hill			24.00	.50	24.50
Cleveland			168.07	2.00	170.07
Cooperstown	5.00		71.10	1.00	72.10
Dixonville	5.00		381.00	2.49	383.49
East Conneaut	5.00	40.55	79.10	17.26	96.36
Englsh			19.35		19.35
Erie		219.71	358.58	1.00	359.58
Falconer	2.00	5.65	82.45	9.78	92.23
Franklin	3.00		76.66	3.57	80.23
Greenfield	5.00	25.00	110.00	1.00	111.00
Greenville	13.00		365.61	26.00	391.61
Greenwood	10.00		81.23	1.30	82.53
Hadley	4.00		36.00	6.75	42.75
Harbor		13.22	41.46	1.25	42.71
Hillsdale	15.80	26.56	92.48	9.75	102.23
Hooversville	2.06	9.03	42.94	.25	43.19
Indiana	15.00	148.27	2,142.27	8.00	2,156.27
Johnstown		6.30	116.11	21.51	137.62
Keepville	4.57	8.84	65.07	.34	65.41

Y. M. W. B. STATISTICS

Name of Band	Education	Special Projects	Total—Band Credit	Non-Credit Total	Grand Total
Loyal Oak		31.28	37.10		37.10
Luciusboro			32.98		32.98
Massillon	5.00	25.00	222.67	1.00	223.67
Meadville	5.00	26.33	171.33	4.05	175.38
Mentcle	5.00		83.23	.36	83.59
Middlefield	2.00		25.00	2.38	27.38
Mt. Calvary		8.00	61.00	25.20	86.20
New Castle	25.00	114.01	976.36	2.00	978.36
Niles			49.96	.50	50.46
North Salem	10.00	76.00	315.32	13.69	329.01
Nu Mine			4.50		4.50
Oak Grove		12.00	67.00	31.00	98.00
Oil City	2.00	4.00	36.00	.50	36.50
Penn Run		3.30	65.55	2.02	67.57
Pine Grove	6.00	4.57	41.30	2.07	43.37
Pittsburgh	3.00	13.00	118.16	110.50	228.66
Pleasant Hill		17.43	67.70		67.70
Pleasant View			33.00	1.75	34.75
Punxsutawney			29.00		29.00
Riverview		125.00	247.99		247.99
Robertsville			28.90		28.90
Rochester	5.00		405.00	1.20	406.20
Sagamore	10.00	9.02	50.42	1.75	52.17
Sandy Lake	10.00		68.05	86.46	154.51
Sarver	15.00		108.50	.75	109.25
Shippingport	4.35	33.60	152.85	.97	153.82
Smithport			36.68	.21	36.89
Soldier	7.17	11.25	84.15	1.00	85.15
Stewart Run	7.00	4.14	24.54		24.54
Tarentum	4.06	10.00	55.56	3.50	59.06
Templeton, Zlon	5.00	50.00	112.00	1.84	113.84
Titusville	15.00	87.78	394.78	6.05	400.83
Vanport			32.37	.50	32.87
West Fairfield	3.00		50.36	.25	50.61
West Middlesex	14.50		32.24	3.80	36.04
White Memorial	15.00	220.00	322.00	1.62	323.62
Wilgus	5.14	25.00	75.91	.30	76.21
Wolf Summit	10.00		25.40	.20	25.60
Zion	24.50	25.00	123.50	1.00	124.50
Totals	\$ 517.75	\$1,960.26	\$13,401.94	\$ 523.98	\$13,925.92

Mary Huntsman, Conf. Supt.

1954 W. Y. P. S. CONVENTION MINUTES

PRESIDENT—H. E. Schmul—383 Ohio Ave., Rochester, Pa.

VICE PRESIDENT—H. E. Robertson, Jr.—R. D. 4, Mercer, Pa.

SECRETARY—D. R. Kaufman—1338 Bingham Ave., Warren, Ohio

TREASURER—Dean McIntyre—R. D. 1, Youngsville, Pa.

EFFICIENCY STANDARD CHAIRMAN—R. W. Dunn—2459 31st St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

PRAYER LEAGUE SUPERINTENDENT—F. E. Satterfield—1420 Chestnut St., Franklin, Pa.

YOUTH SOLICITOR—Marion Geahry—Box 52, Sarver, Pa.

CONVENTION MINUTES

The twenty-third annual W.Y.P.S. Convention of the Allegheny Annual Conference convened on Stoneboro Camp Grounds, July 16, 1954 at 9:30 A.M. The Executive Committee met and nominated the following members for the Committee on temporary organization.

Nomination Committee: Ralph Rummel, Wayne Dunn, William Mydock, Linda Boughner, Voil White.

Committee on Resolutions: Leonard Burchfield, Glen Elington, Olive Stonebraker, Genevieve Pugh.

Committee on Plan of Work: George Kopp, Mrs. Harold Schmul, Richard Lupton, Marjorie Robertson.

Committee on Efficiency Standard: R. W. Dunn, Don Hetrick, Evelyn Cole, Ruth Dawson.

Statistical Committee: Francis Mansell, Sheridan Rainy, Phillip Bell.

The report was adopted by the convention by vote during the Friday afternoon service.

The first regular business meeting of the convention was called to order on Saturday morning at nine o'clock with the president, Rev. T. O. McCracken, in the chair. Rev. Frank Miller led in singing, "No Not One." Prayer by Rev. Martin Wambach.

The executive committee placed in nominations for the auditing committee the following names, Harold Schmul, Paul D. Stonebraker, C. L. Boston.

The statistical report was read and adopted.

The bar of conference was set as the first ten rows of seats in the two center tiers.

The roll of delegates was called with 83 names and 70 delegates answering the roll call. Nineteen local society presidents and 20 pastors were present.

The committee on thanks was elected: Paul David Stonebraker and James Pugh.

The report of the permanent chairman of the Efficiency Standard committee was read and adopted. (See report No. 3).

The report of the committee on Efficiency Standard was read and adopted. (See report No. 4).

The report of the Prayer League Superintendent was read and adopted. (See report No. 7).

The Secretary read a recommendation from the Executive Committee that the chairman of the Efficiency Standard Committee send blanks to the local societies for reporting their Efficiency Standard rating.

Motion was made and supported that the Efficiency Standard chairman send out such blanks.

Motion made and passed to amend the above motion to read, that the chairman of the Efficiency Standard Committee send out blanks for reporting their Efficiency Standard Rating, one month before the reports are due.

Motion as amended was passed.

Adjourned by limitation of time, to reconvene at 1:30 P.M.

The Friday afternoon session of the business meeting was called to order at 1:20 p.m. with the president in the chair. Opening song, "Onward Christian Soldiers," was led by Rev. Frank Miller. Bro. McCracken read a Scripture lesson; Hebrews 1. Prayer by Ralph Rummel.

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

At the 1953 Annual meeting of the W.Y.P.S., a motion was placed in the hands of the Executive Committee to the effect that a condensed report be given on the floor by each local society. The Executive Committee brought in the recommendation that instead of this condensed report a statistical committee read the statistical report for the Conference. Motion made and passed that this be done.

A recommendation was made by the Executive Committee that the Gibbs Typewriter Fund be transferred to the General Fund. Motion passed that this be done.

The following tellers were appointed: Sheridan Rainey, Paul Edwards, Earl Martin, Glen Elington for the first team. Richard Terpe, James Beers, Roy Wade, Bud Federman, second team.

The report of the nominating committee was read. (See report No. 6).

Ballots were cast for president.

The report of the auditing committee was read. (See report No. 1).

A rising vote of thanks was given to the treasurer, Rev. Harvey Yount who has served efficiently for seven years as treasurer and is resigning this year. A motion was passed adopting the report of the Auditing Committee.

The report of the balloting for president was read. There was no election and ballots were cast again for president.

The report of the treasurer was read and adopted. (See report No. 2).

The report of the balloting for president was read. Rev. H. E. Schmul was elected as the new president of the Conference W. Y. P. S.

At Rev. Schmul's request, Rev. T. O. McCracken agreed to continue to preside for the remainder of the business session.

Ballots were cast for vice president.

A rising vote of thanks was given to Rev. T. O. McCracken for his years of efficient service as President of Allegheny Conference W. Y. P. S.

The report of the youth solicitor was read and adopted. (See report No. 8).

Report of balloting for vice president was read. H. E. Robertson was elected.

A standing vote of thanks was given to the outgoing vice president, Rev. F. E. Satterfield.

Rev. F. E. Satterfield was elected as prayer League Superintendent by acclamation.

Ballots were cast for secretary.

Adjourned by limitation of time.

The final business session of the 1954 W. Y. P. S. Convention was called to order at 6:00 p.m. Saturday by the new President, Rev. Harold Schmul by singing "There is a Fountain Filled With Blood."

The result of the balloting for secretary was read. D. R. Kaufman elected.

Ballots were cast for treasurer.

Report of the Committee on Plan of Work was read. It was moved and supported that the report be adopted.

Motion was made and passed to amend item 9 to read "Wesleyan Youth Week" in place of "National Youth Week."

Report as amended was adopted. (See report No. 9).

Report of balloting for treasurer was read. Due to some oversight in balloting the election was uncertain and ballots were cast again.

The Executive Committee placed the following names in nomination for delegates to General Conference. F. E. Satterfield, Harvey Yount, Francis Patterson, Lucille McMahon, D. R. Kaufman.

The following were nominated from the floor, H. E. Robertson, Jr., Roy Wade.

Ballots were cast for two delegates to General Conference.

Results for the second ballot for treasurer was read. No election. Ballots were again cast for W. Y. P. S. Treasurer.

A report of the Houghton Area Executive Council was read by the President.

Report of the balloting for treasurer was read. Dean McIntire was elected treasurer.

Report of the first ballots for delegates to General Conference was read. H. E. Robertson, Jr., and F. E. Satterfield were elected as the first two delegates.

Ballots were cast for the third delegate and the first alternate delegate to General Conference.

Three reporters were elected by acclamation as follows: Genevieve Pugh, Ralph Rummel, and Marjorie Robertson.

A suggestion was made by the president that a quarterly report on the Efficiency Standard Rating be given and published in the Conference Messenger.

A motion was made and supported that such quarterly reports be made.

Motion amended to read that the quarterly report be made to take the place of the yearly report as previously voted.

After discussion on the amendment, the motion to amend was withdrawn, so that the motion stands that a quarterly report on the Efficiency Standard Rating be sent to the Efficiency Standard Chairman to be published in the Conference Messenger. Motion passed.

By acclamation Marion Geahry was elected as Youth Solicitor.

Report of the balloting for delegates to the General Conference was read. D. R. Kaufman elected as third delegate.

Minutes were read as far as completed.

Votes were cast for alternate delegate to General Conference: Roy Wade and H. E. Yount were elected.

A suggestion was made for the president and Executive Committee to consider, relative to having a nurse for the convention.

Minutes were read and approved.

Motion passed to adjourn Sine Die.

D. R. Kaufman, Secretary

REPORT NO. 1

AUDITING AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

We have examined the Conference W. Y. P. S. Treasurer's books and found them to be correct and neatly kept. We recommend they be accepted by a rising vote of thanks.

H. E. Schmul, Chairman

REPORTS

REPORT NO. 2

W. Y. P. S. FINANCIAL REPORT

April 30, 1953—April 30, 1954

GENERAL FUND

Receipts:

Balance one year ago	\$ 1,043.91	\$
Convention Assessments	26.65	
W.Y.P.S. '52' Convention Minutes	1.26	
Registration & Meals at W.Y.P.S. Convention	1,428.30	
Offerings at W.Y.P.S. Convention	328.37	
Delmar Kaufman, Gift	1.00	
Conference W.Y.P.S. Dues	32.34	
Total Receipts		\$ 2,861.83

Disbursements:

Paul Woolweaver, Convention Program	\$	23.00	\$
D. R. Kaufman, Convention Letters		5.32	
T. O. McCracken, Telephone, postage, etc.		9.00	
Envelopes		1.74	
D. R. Kaufman, Secretarial Duties		25.00	

Olin Pfautz, Supt. of Rooms	10.00	
Eldon Martin, Convention Speaker	75.00	
Henry Lelear, Convention Speaker	75.00	
Dr. Chas. DeVol, Missionary Speaker	75.00	
W. F. Wright, Convention Song Leader	75.00	
W. R. Kopp, Supt. of Dining Room	80.00	
C. L. Chess, Electrician	10.00	
Jos. Markey, Cleaning Convention Tabernacle	15.00	
Jos. Markey, Supt. of Grounds	10.00	
Stoneboro Camp Mtg. Assoc.		
Convention Privileges	50.00	
Stoneboro Camp Mtg. Assoc.		
Phone calls by McCracken and Kaufman	1.00	
Conf. W.Y.P.S. contribution to Home Missions	100.00	
Conf. W.Y.P.S. contribution to Foreign Missions ..	100.00	
Conf. W.Y.P.S. contribution to Education	100.00	
Conf. W.Y.P.S. contribution to Wesleyan		
Commission to men in Service	100.00	
Clyde Taylor, Gas and Electricity for Convention ..	179.75	
W. R. Kopp, Convention Food Expense	903.29	
W. R. Kopp, James Ridgways Camp Meals	3.09	
Envelopes	1.74	
H. E. Yount, Treasurer Duties	25.00	
Alma McDowell, Stoneboro Camp Mtg.		
Caretaker's Expense	300.00	
H. K. Sheets, Haiti Truck for Ortlips	200.00	
H. K. Sheets, Transportation of bandages and		
clothing to Haiti by Ortlips	300.00	
W. R. Woughter, Houghton Area Dues	94.00	
Foster Bodman Office Supply, Ledger Sheets	2.07	
Envelopes89	
H. K. Sheets, Receipt Books	1.50	
Envelopes89	
Bank charges for checking account40	
Total Disbursements	\$	\$ 2,953.49
General Offering Fund		2,861.83
Expense Account		2,953.49
DEFICIT REMAINING		91.66

TABERNACLE FUND

Receipts:

Old Balance	None
Cash	5.00
Total Receipts	\$ 5.00

Disbursements:

Clyde Taylor	5.00
Balance in Treasury—None.	

ORTLIP FUND

Receipts:

Old Balance	\$ 539.59
Cash	1,342.03

THE ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE

Total Receipts	\$	\$ 1,881.62
Disbursements:		
F. R. Birch, Ortlip Salary	\$ 1,783.72	\$
Henry Ortlip, Ortlip Accordion	50.00	
Total Disbursements	\$	\$ 1,833.72
Balance in Treasury	\$	\$ 47.90

GIBB TYPEWRITER FUND

Receipts:		
Old Balance	\$	114.00 \$
Disbursements:		
None		
Balance in Treasury	\$	\$ 114.00

PIONEER FUND

Receipts:		
Cash	\$ 1,351.72	
Special		
Abb's Valley	60.85	
Hubbard	5.00	
Receipts	30.00	
Total Receipts	\$	\$ 1,447.57
Disbursements:		
A. G. Carlson	\$ 1,417.57	\$
Balance in Treasury—None.		

RIDGWAY FUND

Receipts:		
Cash	\$	146.28 \$
Disbursements:		
James Ridgway, to attend Houghton College.....	\$	146.28 \$
Balance in Treasury—None.		

CONVENTION ORPHANAGE OFFERING

Receipts:		
Cash	\$	141.40 \$
Disbursements:		
H. K. Sheets	\$	141.40 \$
Balance in Treasury—None.		

CONVENTION SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERING

Receipts:		
Cash	\$	123.64 \$
Disbursements:		
A. G. Carlson	\$	123.64 \$
Balance in Treasury—None.		

Receipts:			Disbursements:	
General Dues				
Cash	\$599.00		Sheets	\$ 599.94
Receipts	19.00			
Total	\$618.94			

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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Conference Dues				
Cash	\$	32.34	W.Y.P.S. Treas	32.34
Foreign Missions				
Cash	\$	1,033.36	Sheets	1,133.36
General Fund		100.00		
Receipts		10.00		
Total	\$	1,143.36		
Saunders				
Cash	\$	5.00	Sheets	5.00
Puerto Rico Church				
Cash	\$	25.00	Sheets	25.00
Japan				
Cash	\$	10.00	Sheets	10.00
Haiti				
Cash	\$	11.79	Sheets	11.79
Haiti Truck				
General Fund	\$	200.00	Sheets	200.00
Haiti Bandages etc.				
General Fund	\$	300.00	Sheets	300.00
India Vapi Hospital Furnishings				
Cash	\$	25.00	Sheets	25.00
Japan School				
Cash	\$	25.00	Sheets	25.00
Home Missions				
Cash	\$	467.62	Sheets	567.62
General Fund		100.00		
Total	\$	567.62		
Australia				
Cash	\$	10.75	Sheets	10.75
Orphanage				
Cash	\$	1.00	Sheets	1.00
Card Call				
Receipts	\$	4.00		
Education				
Cash	\$	163.27	Sheets	263.27
General Fund		100.00		
Receipts		15.00		
Total	\$	278.27		
L. S. U.				
Cash	\$	84.50	Sheets	84.50
Receipts		10.00		
Total	\$	94.50		

Connectional Bld'g. Fund

Cash	\$	192.58	Sheets	192.58
Receipts		10.82		
Total	\$	203.40		

Servicemen's Dept.

Cash	\$	17.00	Sheets	117.00
General Fund		100.00		
Total	\$	117.00		

San Antonio Crusade

Cash	\$	249.48	Sheets	249.48
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H. E. Yount, Treasurer

REPORT NO. 3

CHAIRMAN ON EFFICIENCY STANDARD

The chairman on Efficiency Standard reports that twelve societies sent the Efficiency Rating this year. We appreciate the cooperation of those who have taken part, and sincerely hope that more societies will work for the banner next year.

Of those who reported Rochester W.Y.P.S. ranked first with 92%, and Cleveland W.Y.P.S. was second with 85.5%.

Willard Dunn, Chairman

REPORT NO. 4

COMMITTEE ON EFFICIENCY STANDARD

We, the committee on Efficiency Standard, submit the following Efficiency Standard to be used by the societies during the following year:

1. Spiritual state of grace of society members 10%
2. Membership gain 5%
3. Faithfulness and punctuality in attendance 10%
4. Daily Devotions of Bible reading and prayer 10%
5. 100% subscriptions to Wesleyan Youth 4%
6. Members reading Wesleyan periodicals and other spiritual literature and books 5%
7. Attendance and participation in youth and holiness conventions and Stoneboro Camp 5%
8. Members engaging in soul saving, with some local project planned and executed 5%
9. Faithful bringing of tithes and offerings, Malachi 3:10 4%
10. Observe and report youth week activities 4%
11. Remittance of fees to conference W.Y.P.S. Treasurer through district sub-treasurer as follows: \$1.00 per active member per year, for the general W.Y.P.S. Dept., fifteen cents per member per year conference dues, for conference W.Y.P.S., forwarded quarterly. 4%

12. Full cooperation with the conference pioneer program, with emphasis on the use of pioneer charts	5%
13. Monthly Missionary Services with Missionary offerings	5%
14. One educational Service with offering for education	2%
15. All statistics and information furnished the conference secretary at the time designated by the conference W.Y.P.S. president	3%
16. Conduct and choice of associates—Members and associates living lives as becometh Holiness, II Peter 1:2-8; II Cor. 6:14-18	5%
17. Every member patterning his or her manner of dress in accordance with I Tim. 2:9-10; I Pet. 3:5; I Cor. 11:14-15	5%
18. Every member cooperating with the W.Y.P.S. Prayer League	4%
19. Rating of the local society according to the conference Efficiency Standard, mailed to the Efficiency Committee Chairman, two weeks before annual convention	3%
20. Keep weekly record of Efficiency Standard (or use some good system of keeping record up-to-date)	2%
TOTAL	100%

We urge further that careful and diligent attention be given to the report on Plan of Work, Point 4.

Willard Dunn, Chairman

REPORT NO. 5

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We, the Committee on Resolutions of the Wesleyan Young Peoples Society of the Allegheny Conference, submit the following:

1. That we, as Wesleyan Youth, govern our lives by adhering to the standards of the Bible and the principles set forth in the Discipline, as interpreted by Allegheny Conference.

2. (a) That we as Christian Youth have a definite plan of daily Bible reading and prayer and accept privileges of carrying a soul burden.

(b) That we strive to have each active member of the W.Y.P.S. become a member of the W.Y.P.S. Prayer League.

3. (a) That we refrain from reading unwholesome literature including comics, detective and True Story, etc.

(b) That we build Christian Character through careful and extensive reading of edifying literature.

4. That we take a positive stand against worldliness in that we refrain from the following:

(a) Card playing, games of chance, theatre attendance, public beaches, mixed bathing, dance halls, skating rinks, circuses, carnivals, fairs and viewing television.

(b) Immodesty of dress and immoral conduct.

(c) Indulgence in exaggeration, slang, gossip and idle talk.

(d) The use of alcohol, tobacco, and narcotic drugs.

(e) Worldly amusements and sports.

5. That, due to the problems of modern education, we pledge our in-

creased support to our own church schools with our prayers and finances; and that we encourage our young people to attend.

6. That our societies be evangelistic in our plan of work by supporting the Sunday School and other church services, by distributing tracts, streetcar evangelism, street meetings, personal work and pioneer work.

7. That our regular and business meetings be restricted to a time of spiritual uplift instead of a time of eating, drinking and frivolity.

8. That each society shall appoint a proper chaperon for their group of young people attending the annual convention, who shall be responsible for their conduct and attendance at all services of the convention and we request the presence of our pastors.

9. That a copy of these resolutions be posted and that they be read in the local society quarterly.

L. S. Burchfield, Chairman

REPORT NO. 6

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Nominating Committee submits the following report:

President—

Rev. F. E. Satterfield

Rev. H. E. Schmul

Rev. H. E. Robertson, Jr.

Vice President—Remaining two.

Secretary—Rev. D. R. Kaufman, Rev. P. D. Stonebraker

Treasurer—Rev. F. E. Mansell, Rev. Dean McIntyre

Ralph Rummel, Chairman

REPORT NO. 7

W. Y. P. S. PRAYER LEAGUE REPORT

Prayer rests the weary, prayer turns our night to day. When life seems so hopeless, don't forget to pray.

The W.Y.P.S. Prayer League is to stimulate prayer and fasting among our young people. It is not to work a hardship on any. Our Youth can pray, fast and do personal work for Christ—this constitutes the pledge for membership in this group called the W. Y. P. S. Prayer League.

We now have enrolled 522 members in the Prayer League. This is an increase over last year.

Respectfully,
F. B. Miller

REPORT NO. 8

CONFERENCE "YOUTH" SOLICITOR'S REPORT

To begin with, I would like to take this opportunity to say that I appreciate each society that co-operated so nicely in seeing that I received

the information that was needed. I heard from more societies this past year than the year before; however there is still much room for improvement. The records have shown a decrease in subscriptions this past year. Let's correct that as soon as we go back home. Let's work harder than ever before to get all the new subscriptions we can and see that each old subscription is renewed promptly so that no home is without the "Wesleyan Youth."

According to my record, there was one society that received a ribbon award this past year. It was the "Bethany W.Y.P.S." who received a blue ribbon. Remember, to qualify for a ribbon award your society must have 100 per cent, for a white ribbon, 125 per cent for a red ribbon, or 150 per cent for a blue ribbon. This percentage is based on your total membership, including both full and associate members.

I believe the "Wesleyan Youth" provides good, wholesome reading material for young people. If you already receive it, why not have it sent to someone as a gift. It would be greatly appreciated.

If your society does not have a "Youth" solicitor, please elect one as soon as you return home and send the name and address to the Conference solicitor immediately.

Let's each one go back home determined to work harder this year than we ever have before.

Marion Geahry, "Youth" Solicitor

REPORT NO. 9

COMMITTEE ON PLAN OF WORK

We the Committee on Plan of Work submit the following report.

1. That every church organize a Wesleyan Young People's Society.
2. That each society send the name and address of the local W.Y.P.S. President and Secretary to the Conference W.Y.P.S. President not later than one week after election.
3. That each society pay annually \$1.00 per full member for General Dues and 15 cents per full member for Conference Dues and that this, and all other monies to be dispersed, be sent through the regular channel of local church treasurer and district sub-treasurer; books to close April 30th.
4. (a) That the secretary of each local society take care of the Efficiency Standard.
(b) That our pastors and local W.Y.P.S. Presidents carefully read and do their best to carry out the program of our Efficiency Standard.
(c) That a committee composed of the Pastor, W.Y.P.S. President, and Secretary or the Efficiency Standard Chairman, shall grade the local society according to the Efficiency Standard which shall be issued in the Convention Minutes, to qualify for the Efficiency Banner. This rating shall be submitted to the Conference Efficiency Secretary two weeks before the Annual Young People's Conference.

5. (a) That each W.Y.P.S. urge those who have pioneer charts to submit pioneer money through the local W.Y.P.S. treasurer to give full credit to the W.Y.P.S.
(b) That each W.Y.P.S. endeavor to contribute an additional dollar per member annually for the pioneer work.
6. That each W.Y.P.S. heartily support our missionary endeavor according to the requirements of the discipline with one service a month for missions and we suggest that the offering of said meeting be given for missions.
7. That each local society elect a "Wesleyan Youth" solicitor whose duty shall be to confer and co-operate with the Conference Solicitor, in stimulating the interest of the young people in the paper; to urge the society to place the paper in libraries, hospitals, jails, county homes, detention homes, state hospitals and the like.
8. That each local society strive to engage in as many of the following as possible:
 - a. Street and institutional meetings.
 - b. Cottage prayer meetings.
 - c. Tract distribution.
 - d. Door-knob evangelism.
 - e. Visitation of sick and shut-ins.
 - f. The promotion of Child Evangelism, Daily Vacation Bible School, and Religious Education in public schools.
9. That each local W.Y.P.S. co-operate 100% to make Wesleyan Youth Week all God wants it to be, and strive to interest other young people outside the church in these services.
10. (a) That a local Prayer League Leader be elected to co-operate with the Conference Leader to recruit volunteers for the W. Y. P. S. Prayer League.
(b) That the name and address of this leader be sent at once to the Conference Prayer League Leader.
11. That the W.Y.P.S. augment the church and Sunday School library or where there is none, sponsor one, with our Wesleyan periodicals and Christian books.
12. That we strongly urge the W.Y.P.S. to sponsor systematic memorization of portions of Scripture.
13. That each W.Y.P.S. Society send the President and two delegates with expenses paid to the Annual W.Y.P.S. Convention.
14. That, as much as possible, our Zone W.Y.P.S. Chairman contact our Conference Young People's President for district convention and localized services.

George Kopp, Jr., Chairman

ANNUAL W. Y. P. S. STATISTICAL REPORT OF ALLEGHENY ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Name of Society	Active members	Associate Members	Wesleyan Youth	Efficiency Standard Rating			Conference Dues	General Dues	Church Extension	Education
				"A"	"B"	"C"				
Akron First	28		31		*		\$ 8.35	\$ 28.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 10.00
Annandale	22		6				8.75	15.00	119.20	21.00
Ashville	11	5	21				16.00		4.00	10.00
Barberton	27	8	27		*		3.90	26.00	15.00	25.00
Barkley	4				*		4.00	.60		
Bethany	13		17							
Brownsville	23	11	3		*		6.37	11.00	97.15	
Canal	25						28.70		25.00	
Canton First	31	6	46		*		4.65	31.00	380.51	39.72
Canton Second	24	6	15		*		2.70	32.00		
Cleveland	26	2	19		*		3.30	26.00	83.12	11.23
Cottage Hill	18	17	12		*		2.70	17.00	37.14	
Dixonville	16	17	22		*		2.85	19.00	252.55	5.00
East Conneaut	17	5	8		*		4.81	12.75		
Erie	15						4.05		50.00	
Falconer										
Franklin	12		5		*		5.10	14.00		
Greenville	20	3	5		*		3.75		5.00	
Hadley										
Hampe Memorial	11	8	12		*		2.55	19.00	10.00	10.00
Indiana	25	3	10		*			41.20	65.00	5.00
Maple Valley (A)										
Massillon	35	4	16					39.00	25.00	5.00
Meadville	18						1.50	10.00		
Mechanicsburg	16	1	1		*		2.85			
Mentcle	11	5	2		*			11.00		
Middlefield	13		12		*		2.25	13.00	24.50	5.00
New Castle	32	18	19						10.00	120.00
Oak Grove	20	3	11				3.00		59.20	
Oil City	5	12					2.70	5.00	2.00	
Pine Grove	10		15		*		1.65	10.00	11.75	5.00
Riverview	22	3	10						55.00	
Rochester										
Sagamore	24	12	19		*		3.00	20.00	73.25	
Sandy Lake	13		5				2.00	13.00	15.00	10.00
Sarver	22		26		*		3.75	24.00	30.00	5.00
Tarentum	14		5		*			7.10	72.25	
Titusville	26		7		*		5.55	19.00		
Total Conf.	649	149	407				\$ 140.78	\$ 463.65	\$ 1,546.70	\$ 286.95

ANNUAL W. Y. P. S. STATISTICAL REPORT (Continued)

Name of Society	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Local Work	Other Items	Total Receipts Plus Balance	Total Disbursements	Cash on Hand
Akron, First	\$	\$ 170.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 11.82	\$ 271.56	\$ 254.17	\$ 17.39
Annandale		60.00	73.77		326.55	297.72	28.83
Ashville	25.00	5.00	57.00	62.25	192.52	179.25	13.27
Barberton	50.00		229.50		436.17	349.40	86.77
Barkley			64.00		73.45	68.60	4.85
Bethany	10.00		135.20	26.40	187.06	171.62	15.44
Brownsville	60.00		46.33	135.26	363.69	356.11	7.58
Canal	50.00				148.67	103.70	44.97
Canton First	294.06	286.14	67.98	105.00	1,342.07	1,209.06	133.01
Canton Second		50.00	10.49		90.15	50.19	39.96
Cleveland	60.37	25.37	132.81		389.38	342.20	47.18
Cottage Hill	44.41	.58	2.25	13.54	133.87	120.63	13.24
Dixonville	20.00	10.00	26.25	69.00	454.15	404.65	49.50
East Conneaut	36.75		10.65	15.10	86.76	80.06	6.76
Erie		25.32	11.10	50.00	161.14	140.47	20.67
Falconer							
Franklin	100.00	10.00	226.05	3.75	366.98	358.90	8.08
Greenville	25.00		83.00		155.36	116.75	26.11
Hadley							
Hampe Memorial	57.00	10.00		14.60	134.38	123.34	11.04
Indiana	25.00	161.33			373.03	279.53	75.50
Maple Valley (A)							
Massillon	100.00	25.00	12.75		383.90	206.75	177.15
Meadville			42.00		95.25	53.50	41.75
Mechanicsburg	25.00		4.00	25.00	96.23	56.85	38.38
Mentcle	4.83				33.94	15.83	18.11
Middlefield	8.33	6.67	4.00	5.13	73.19	68.88	4.31
New Castle	100.00	133.00		560.00	1,239.96	1,079.76	160.20
Oak Grove	46.70		81.75		200.83	190.65	10.18
Oil City			66.01		81.00	75.71	6.28
Pine Grove	10.00		179.66	5.76	232.42	223.82	8.60
Riverview			226.00		355.01	281.00	74.01
Rochester							
Sagamore	10.00		70.00	67.95	248.79	244.20	4.59
Sandy Lake	30.00		28.32	11.00	168.82	109.32	59.50
Sarver	19.31		39.73		182.12	121.79	60.33
Tarentum	10.00		47.72	7.00	157.08	143.77	13.31
Titusville	164.99	16.00	117.29	8.50	438.03	331.33	106.70
Total Conf.	\$1,386.75	\$ 944.41	\$2,101.61	\$1,197.08	\$9,693.51	\$8,226.82	\$1,446.19