

MINUTES

OF THE

TWENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

ALABAMA CONFERENCE

OF THE

Wesleyan Methodist Connection,
or Church, of America

HELD AT

MENTONE, ALABAMA

OCTOBER 17—22, 1933

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E. L. SHIGLEY.....	Vice-President
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H. Frank Pair, 1 year.

COMMITTEES

Judiciary—E. L. Shigley, W. F. Bunnell, H. F. Pair, H. A. Johnson.
Itinerancy and Elder's Orders—M. A. Medders, 4 years; C. K. Gentry,
3 years; R. E. Snipes, 2 years; C. E. Myers, 1 year.
Auditing—C. H. Mickel, C. H. Pickel, J. L. Averett.
Vacancies—H. A. Johnson, C. K. Gentry, J. L. Averett, L. W. Moore,
J. C. Arnold.
Conventions—R. E. Snipes, C. K. Gentry, Mary Kate Whittemore.
Sunday School Secretary—A. H. Bryans.
Sunday School Board—A. H. Bryans, Maggie Carlin, C. H. Mickel.
Missionary Board—R. E. Snipes, C. K. Gentry and Treasurer of the
Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society.
Tithing Secretary—E. L. Shigley.
Camp Meeting Committee—R. E. Snipes, W. F. Bunnell, C. K. Gentry.
Memorials—Stella Shigley, A. H. Bryans, J. L. Averett.
Board of Managers Central College—R. E. Snipes; Alternate, W. E.
Hobson, Jr.

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CONFERENCE ROLL

ELDERS

Averett, J. L.	2409 20th St., Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Bamburg, L. A.	R. F. D. No. 1, Brent, Ala.
Bryans, A. H.	413 Henderson Ave., Talladega, Ala.
Bunnell, W. F.	P. O. Box 70, Irondale, Ala.
Burkey, L. F.	160 E. South St., Kalamazoo, Mich.
French, H. R.	825 Morris Ave., Topeka, Kan.
Gentry, C. K.	3920 N. 39th Ave., Birmingham, Ala.
Johnson, H. A.	Pell City, Ala.
Medders, M. A.	R. F. D. No. 1, Akron, Ala.
Myers, C. E.	Brent, Ala.
Pair, H. F.	R. F. D. No. 6, Box 160 A, Birmingham, Ala.
Pickel, C. H.	400 Court M. Central Park, Birmingham, Ala.
Shigley, E. L.	Mentone, Ala.
Snipes, R. E.	2006 Greensboro Ave., Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Thompson, E. M.	R. F. D. No 6, Box 325, Tarrant, Ala.

LICENTIATES ON STATIONED LIST

Barber, John	Pell City, Ala.
Coley, R. L.	220 West 23rd St., Anniston, Ala.
Frederick, G. C.	West Blocton, Ala.
Hill, W. B.	R. F. D. No. 1, Greensboro, Ala.
Newton, Miss Ruth	Box 40, Irondale, Ala.
French, Mrs. H. R.	825 Morris Ave., Topeka, Kan.
Compton, P. V.	Pell City, Ala.
Hogge, N. C.	8622 2nd Ave., Birmingham, Ala.
Mickel, C. H.	Mentone, Ala.
McDaniel, George Anna	R. F. D. No. 1, Box 61, Phenix City, Ala.
Kemp, J. M.	Millport, Ala.
Davis, George E.	R. F. D. No. 2, Birmingham, Ala.
Barbee, L. W.	305 11th Ave., Girard, Ala.

DELEGATES

Irene McLain, Armon Marchant, Mrs. Della Watts, Frances Compton, C. B. Shows, Florabell Thomas, Mary Moore, A. J. Moore, L. W. Barbee, L. W. Moore, John Arnold, E. T. Meacham, Miss Myrtis Pair, Grady Henderson, Miss Mary Kate Whittemore, Mrs. Ethel Ray, Mrs. M. F. Sides, Mrs. E. H. Henry, J. M. Lyday, Millie Fayette, Lois Austin, Milton Jordan, Mrs. G. C. Frederick.

DAILY PROCEEDINGS

The Alabama Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection (or Church) of America convened in its twenty-fourth annual session at Mentone, Ala. October eighteenth, nineteen hundred thirty-three.

The opening sermon was preached Tuesday evening at 7:30 by Rev. A. H. Bryans.

The first business meeting was called at 9:30 A. M. Wednesday by Rev. R. E. Snipes, President. After a song the President made a few appropriate remarks, after which he offered prayer.

The President then invited Rev. T. P. Baker, Home Missionary Secretary to preside during the Conference session.

The roll was called and seven Elders answered present, four Conference Preachers.

C. K. Gentry and J. L. Averett were appointed a Committee on Credentials. Credentials were read and 17 Delegates were enrolled and seated.

The Conference Bar was fixed to include each side and four seats in front of the platform.

The time of meeting was fixed as follows: Meet 8:45 and adjourn 11:40 A. M. Meet 1:30 P. M. and adjourn by motion.

The President read his annual report, which was adopted. See Report No. 1.

The following committees were elected:

Religious Services—M. A. Medders, E. L. Shigley.

Conference Reporter—C. H. Mickel.

Ministerial Characters—R. E. Snipes, J. L. Averett, J. C. Arnold.

Pastoral Relations—R. E. Snipes, J. L. Averett, W. F. Bunnell, H. A. Johnson, Mrs. M. F. Sides, O. B. Shows, Miss Mary Kate Whittemore.

Moral Reform—A. H. Bryans, E. L. Shigley.

Resolutions—C. E. Myers, N. C. Hoggie, Miss Florabell Thomas.

Thanks—C. H. Mickel, Miss Irene McLain.

Finance—E. L. Shigley, H. F. Pair, R. E. Snipes, L. W. Moore, J. C. Arnold.

Statistics—C. H. Pickel, O. B. Shows, N. C. Hoggie.

The time of election of Conference Officials and Standing Committees was fixed to follow immediately the roll call Thursday morning meeting.

On motion adjourned.

Benediction by J. C. Arnold.

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Wednesday—Afternoon Meeting

Devotions by J. L. Averett.

The roll was called, the minutes read and approved.

Committee on Credentials made a supplemental report and two more Delegates were enrolled.

A report from L. F. Burkey was read by his Delegate, and the report was referred to the Committee on Pastoral Relations.

A report was read from Rev. and Mrs. H. R. French of their general evangelistic work of the year, which was also referred to the Committee on Pastoral Relations.

H. A. Johnson read his pastoral report.

Rev. J. J. Smiley of Birmingham, a visitor from the Nazarene Church, was introduced to the Conference and by vote given an honorary seat within the Conference Bar, this vote granting this privilege to all others who may be introduced to the Conference.

C. H. Pickel read his pastoral report.

N. C. Hoggle read his pastoral report. Remarks of commendation concerning the work of Brother Hoggle at East Lake was given by C. K. Gentry.

Lonnie Barbee was appointed a Committee on Post Office Addresses.

Recessed for committee work.

Called to order by the Chairman.

Committee on Religious services made a partial report.

A. H. Bryans read his pastoral report.

H. F. Pair read a report of his evangelistic work during the year.

Ruth Newton's pastoral report was read by her Delegate.

On motion adjourned.

Benediction by W. F. Bunnell.

Thursday—Morning Meeting

Devotional exercises by A. H. Bryans.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

Committee on Credentials made a supplemental report and two additional Delegates were enrolled.

The Order of the Day was called and the Conference proceeded with the election of Conference Officials and committees, resulting as follows:

President—R. E. Snipes.

Vice-President—E. L. Shigley.

Secretary—W. E. Hobson, Jr.

Trustee for five year term—Richmond E. Snipes.

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Local Board of Managers, Central College—R. E. Snipes; Alternate, W. E. Hobson, Jr.

Treasurer—C. K. Gentry.

President's Advisory Board—E. L. Shigley, W. E. Hobson, Jr.

Legal Advisor—W. E. Hobson, Jr.

Judiciary Committee—E. L. Shigley, W. F. Bunnell, H. F. Pair, H. A. Johnson.

Itinerancy and Elder's Orders—M. A. Medders, for 4 years.

Auditing Committee—C. H. Mickel, C. H. Pickel, J. L. Averett.

Vacancies—H. A. Johnson, C. K. Gentry, J. L. Averett, L. W. Moore, J. C. Arnold.

Conventions—R. E. Snipes, C. K. Gentry and Mary Kate Whittemore.

Sunday School Secretary—A. H. Bryans.

Sunday School Board—A. H. Bryans, Maggie Jean Carlin, C. H. Mickel.

Missionary Board—R. E. Snipes, C. K. Gentry and Treasurer of W. H. & F. M. Society.

Tithing Secretary—E. L. Shigley.

Camp Meeting Committee—R. E. Snipes, W. F. Bunnell, C. K. Gentry.

Memorials—Stella Shigley, A. H. Bryans, J. L. Averett.

M. A. Medders read his pastoral report.

R. E. Snipes read a report of his evangelistic work of the year.

C. K. Gentry read his pastoral report.

R. L. Coley read his pastoral report. (An offering was at this time taken for Brother Coley amounting to \$11.40.)

Adjourned by limitation.

Thursday—Afternoon Meeting

Devotional exercises by C. H. Mickel.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

The Committee on Credentials made a supplemental report and two additional Delegates were enrolled.

A motion was carried that when an alternate Delegate is seated and the regular Delegate should appear later in the session, the alternate Delegate be not displaced to seat the regular Delegate.

The Board of Trustees read the minutes of their meetings during the interim of the Conference session. By motion the minutes and actions of the Board of Trustees were approved.

J. L. Averett read his pastoral report.

The report of C. E. Myers as pastor of the Brent Charge was read by the Delegate representing the charge.

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E. L. Shigley read a report of the Mentone charge.

John Barber read his pastoral report.

The report of G. C. Frederick as pastor of the West Blocton church was read by the Delegate representing the church.

W. B. Hill read his pastoral report.

The report of Miss Florace Sides was read by the Delegates representing the Phenix City church.

C. H. Mickel read his pastoral report.

O. K. Williams read his pastoral report.

L. A. Bamburg read his pastoral report.

Recessed to meet at the call of the chair.

Friday—Morning Meeting

Devotions conducted by W. B. Hill.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

The names of W. G. Steele, L. W. Barbee, Fred Brazier, Winfred Smith and R. M. Evans was presented to the Conference as suitable persons to take the Course of Study preparatory to taking work at the hands of the Conference. By motion they were referred to the Committee on Itinerancy and Elder's Orders.

The President reported to the Conference the termination of the probationary period of J. M. Kemp. He was referred to the Committee on Itinerancy and Elder's Orders, by order of the Chair.

Committee on Moral Reform reported. Report adopted and the Secretary requested to send it to the Wesleyan Methodist asking that it be published in its columns. See Report No. 2.

Committee on Pastoral Relations gave its first reading, which was a partial report.

Rev. E. F. McCarty, Foreign Missionary Secretary, was introduced to the Conference.

Committee on Resolutions reported. Report adopted. See Report No. 3.

The Chair appointed Miss Mary Kate Whittemore and Mrs. M. F. Sides as Lay-members of the Committee on Itinerancy and Elder's Orders.

Rev. H. F. Pair was nominated and elected as a session member of the Committee on Itinerancy and Elder's Orders due to the absence of a member of this committee.

E. L. Shigley read a report of the Adamsburg church.

W. B. Hill read a report of the Mt. Olive church.

It was made a special Order of the Day for Memorial Services at 10:45 A. M.

Recessed to 10:45 for committee work.

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Called to order by the Chair.

The Order of the Day was called and the Committee on Memorials read their report. See Report No. 4.

Adjourned by limitation.

Benediction by C. K. Gentry.

Friday—Afternoon Meeting

Devotions were conducted by M. A. Medders.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

Committee on Thanks reported. Report adopted. See Report No. 5.

Committee on Itinerancy and Elder's Orders read its report. Report adopted. See Report No. 6.

Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Thompson of Birmingham, Ala. were introduced to the Conference.

The President presented the name of E. M. Thompson as a candidate for Conference membership, by order of the Chair he was referred to the Committee on Itinerancy and Elder's Orders.

The time of the next regular annual session of the Conference was fixed as about October 16, 1934, the exact date to be fixed by the President and Book Committee.

The Order of the Day was called and Rev. T. P. Baker, Connectional Representative, gave the connectional address which was very appropriate and fitting.

D. L. Jones gave a report of the Hephzibah Orphanage work which was very encouraging and interesting. A rising vote of appreciation was voted to Mr. and Mrs. Jones for the work they have done in the supervision of the work at the Orphanage, whereby the Conference pledged their support in raising the budget for the Orphanage during the next year.

Committee on Statistics read its report which was adopted, and the Secretary instructed to make any necessary corrections. Report adopted. See report on Statistics.

It was voted as a standing rule of the Conference that the Secretary have all Conference property deeds recorded. When the local church for which the deed is given is not in position to care for this expense the Treasurer shall be drawn on for the necessary expense.

On motion adjourned.

Benediction by C. H. Pickel.

Saturday—Morning Meeting

Devotions, H. A. Johnson.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

W. E. Hobson, Jr. presented the following resolution, which was adopted as read:

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"We the Alabama Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection (or Church) of America, assembled in annual session at Mentone, Ala. October 17-22, 1933, do hereby empower and authorize the Board of Trustees of said Conference to make and execute such contracts, deeds and instruments of writing as may be necessary in making sale, exchange or other transfer of any local church property or properties belonging to the Conference when such sales or exchange is recommended and concurred in by the local board of trustees and congregation of any local church within the Conference." (Conference Resolution No. 17.)

Committee on Finance reported. Report adopted. See Report No. 7.

Committee on Pastoral Relations gave its final reading which was adopted as read. See Report No. 8.

Treasurer reported. Report referred to the Auditing Committee. See Report No. 9.

Auditing Committee Reported. Adopted. See Report No. 10.

Camp Meeting Secretary-Treasurer reported. Report adopted. See Report No. 11.

By motion and vote the Secretary was instructed to have the Conference Minutes published by the Wesleyan Methodist Publishing Association.

On motion and vote the Secretary was instructed to edit and have published the Conference Minutes.

Sunday School Secretary reported. Report adopted. See Report No. 12.

Committee on Conventions reported. Report adopted. See Report No. 13.

Tithing Secretary reported. Report adopted. See Report No. 14.

The place of holding the next session of the Annual Conference was by vote left in the hands of the President and his Advisory Board.

By motion and vote the Treasurer was instructed to pay all bills due now, as quickly as sufficient funds are available.

C. K. Gentry gave an informal talk relative to the work of the No-Tobacco League and his attendance at their annual convention.

A rising vote of appreciation for the service of Rev. T. P. Baker as presiding officer of the body and the valuable instruction and exhortation given the Conference was duly expressed.

On motion adjourned to meet at the call of the Chair.

Benediction by T. P. Baker.

R. E. SNIPES, President;

W. E. HOBSON, Jr., Secretary.

REPORTS

Report No. 1

CONFERENCE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

I entered upon my duties as Conference President immediately after being elected to this office. The record of my official acts is as follows:

1. Dec. 10, 1932 I appointed A. H. Bryans pastor of the Talladega church.

2. Dec. 31, 1932 I received the resignation of H. A. Johnson as pastor of Tarrant and Mt. Vernon.

3. Jan. 1, 1933 I received the transfer of C. H. Mickel from the South Georgia Conference, and appointed him as pastor at Tarrant.

4. Jan. 14, 1933 I received the resignation of P. V. Compton as pastor at Pell City. On the same date I appointed H. A. Johnson pastor at Pell City.

5. Jan. 23, 1933 I received the resignation of Geo. E. Davis as pastor at Phenix City. On the same date I appointed Miss Florace Sides as pastor and Miss George Anna McDaniel as supply of the church at Phenix City.

6. May 1, 1933 I appointed O. K. Williams pastor at Mt. Vernon.

7. May 25, 1933 I appointed N. C. Hoggle as pastor at East Lake.

8. Oct. 18, 1933 I received two organizations, Sims Chapel and Nixons Chapel, and declared them to be a part of the Alabama Conference, and to be known as the Sand Mountain Charge.

9. I appointed the Chairmen of the Session Committees as follows: Moral Reform, A. H. Bryans; Resolutions, C. E. Myers; Thanks, C. H. Mickel; Finance, E. L. Shigley; Statistics, C. H. Pickel; Religious Services, M. A. Medders; Courtesies, C. K. Gentry; Ministerial Characters, H. F. Pair.

In the line of my duties as Conference President and Evangelist I held 39 Quarterly Meetings, conducted 7 revivals, and served one month on the Brent Charge. Total receipts, \$703.80.

Respectfully submitted,

R. E. SNIPES, Conference President.

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Report No. 2

MORAL REFORM

It may be truly said of the times in which we are living that they are "evil days," for, when we consider the numerous and increasing kidnappings, holdups, murders, suicides etc., along with the general spirit of unrest, perplexity, uneasiness, dark forboding and fear which pervades the very atmosphere, we can arrive at no other conclusion than this, viz. that we are living in the last times and that the prophetic scriptures relating thereto are rapidly being fulfilled.

But what are the outstanding causes of such evils, distress, depression and fearful forebodings in our own great nation, which has, for many years, been rightly called the "land of the free and the home of the brave"?

First, we consider the first and greatest cause of the present situation "our departure from God and His holy religion," which was the religion of our forefathers.

In the "father of our country," George Washington we had a man of prayer and of upright character. The men of his Cabinet and his closest advisors were likewise men of prayer, and, in view of that fact, doubtless, we have stamped upon our silver coins, on the one side, not a defective or mutilated but noble eagle, and on the other side there is written "In God we Trust." But in this one particular, which is of prime importance to any nation's success, there has, evidently, been a woeful departure by our present Chief Executive and his cabinet, from the noble example set by our worthy fore-fathers. Therefore, we cannot rightly expect the blessings of Almighty God to rest upon us as a nation, but rather His frown of disapprobation, if not His curse.

Judge Thomas E. Knight, after opening the Circuit Court with prayer at Centerville, Ala. Sept. 7th, 1931, made the following statement in charging the Grand Jury of his court: "The trouble with our country today is that we have gotten away from the 'Faith of our Fathers' and God is being left out of our High Schools, Colleges and out of the courts of the land, and the results are the crime wave and the depression following the World War. The cure for the evils and poverty and the unemployment is for our nation to get back to God."

The second cause of the present distressing condition we attribute to the attempt by the Anti-prohibition forces, encouraged by the attitude and actions of the Chief Executive and his wife, to repeal the 18th amendment.

We deem it a reflection on the good name of our nation for them to take the attitude they have and we feel chagrined and ashamed that Mrs. Roosevelt, looked upon as the "first lady of the land," should

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advise or even suggest that the young women of our country should learn to drink such drinks as contain alcohol, thereby initiating them into that life which invariably terminates in disgrace and damnation.

The writer once heard a judge correct a sheriff, who, in calling for order in the court room addressed the women as "ladies." The judge remarked that "all women are not ladies." He said that a lady was "a good woman who was well known for her kindness and deeds of charity." We don't know whether Mr. Noah Webster would approve of that definition, but we rather like it and if the definition given by the judge is correct then the name "the first lady" applied to Mrs. Roosevelt is a "misnomer," for we cannot see how that a good woman would recommend alcoholic drinks to the women of the nation knowing the disastrous consequences that usually follow the drinking of that upon which the curse of God has always rested. We feel that no word of censure or rebuke is too severe for Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt to receive for their attitude toward this great evil.

Furthermore, we want the people of Alabama to know that the statutes of Alabama prohibit the sale or possession of any beverage containing more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol.

Attorney General Thomas E. Knight and Federal Judge W. I. Grubb both rule that a federal license to sell 3.2 beer does not abrogate Alabama's dry statutes prohibiting such sale, and the penalties have been provided for those manufacturers who ship such beer product into this state.

We deplore the facts that our juries are shamefully slack in their duty of convicting men for their violation of the prohibition laws and who thereby evidence their regard for the solemn oath they have taken as of little, or no importance, but we do heartily commend Governor Miller for his attitude toward the liquor question, and who wrote letters to all the solicitors and sheriffs in every county to the effect that the prohibition laws were still on the statute books and they must be enforced, and, in the event that said solicitors and sheriffs were unable or failed to enforce the prohibition laws, he would recall the "Law Enforcement Squad" and have it done. Let us as members of the Alabama Conference stand squarely behind Governor Miller on this question and do the duty, faithfully, that devolves upon us as Christian citizens.

We had hoped that Mr. Roosevelt, who entered the White House with such wonderful prospects—from some points of view—had produced a plan whereby the national depression and poverty would have been largely removed, but we regret that the experiment of his "NRA" is proving more and more to be a disappointment and failure, so much so that the magic letters are being used to ridicule his experi-

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ment by giving such meanings to them as "Nuts Running America," "No Rum Again," "No Roosevelt Again," "No Rest Again" etc. We therefore, believe that our only hope of relief from the distressing situation is to be found in God, and we request that all Wesleyan Methodists petition the throne of heavenly grace continually, that a spirit of penitence and contrition may be granted to those whom He deems responsible for the present dilemma, and that the smile of His favor may again rest upon us as a nation.

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. BRYANS, Chairman;
D. L. SHIGLEY.

Report No. 3

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Inasmuch as we receive ministers and lay members from other church denominations, be it Resolved, That we receive no one until it is fully understood and known that said candidate for membership accepts our teaching on the following subjects, viz, Sanctification as a second definite work of grace, Secret Societies, Tobacco and Infant Baptism.

Be it further Resolved, That we re-affirm our position concerning pastors or evangelists going on another pastor's work or charge, or in his territory according to the resolution adopted at the annual conference session held at West Blocton, Alabama Nov. 6-10, 1918.

N. C. HOGGLE,
FLORABELL THOMAS, Committee.

(Conference Resolution No. 16.)

Report No. 4

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS

On Friday morning at 10:45 a fitting memorial service was held in memory of the following persons deceased during the conference year; Mrs. Emma Donaldson of Birmingham; Mrs. E. R. Tubb, Mrs. H. H. Breland and Howard Averett, son of Rev. J. L. Averett, all of Tuscaloosa. Mrs. Elizabeth Lankford, Waycross; Mrs. Fannie Hood, Mt. Ivah; Mr. Willie Voss, Miss Ida Lee Walker and little Sarah

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Frances Compton daughter of Rev. P. V. Compton, all of Pell City. Mrs. Newman, Phenix City. Relatives and friends of the deceased made brief but appropriate talks and a mixed quartette sang, "Going Home," and "There Will Be No Disappointment In Heaven."

As members of the Alabama Conference we express our sympathies to all the bereaved families.

A. H. BRYANS,
J. L. AVERETT,
STELLA SHIGLEY, Committee.

Report No. 5

THANKS

We, your Committee on Thanks, beg to submit the following report: Thanking God for His wonderful mercy and love in granting us, the members of the Alabama Conference, the privilege to meet again in annual session at Mentone Church, we also wish to express our heart-felt appreciation to the church, pastor, our friends and the community for their courteous entertainment to us while here.

May God bless them abundantly for their hospitality.

C. H. MICKEL,
IRENE McLAIN, Committee.

Report No. 6

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ITINERANCY AND ELDERS' ORDERS

We recommend the following:

1. The relations between J. M. Kemp and the President and his Advisory Board having ended with the sitting of this Annual Conference and his case by Conference action referred to this committee we recommend that said Rev. J. M. Kemp be received into the Alabama Conference according to the disciplinary provision governing such cases and is eligible to employment by the said Alabama Conference at the discretion of the Pastoral Relations Committee.

2. The following named persons were presented to this committee, accepted and enrolled: Fred Brazier, Winfred Smith, R. M. Evans, L. W. Barbee, W. G. Steele, these to take up the Course of Study at once.

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3. We recommend that Ruth Newton, Willie B. Hill, O. K. Williams, John Barber, George E. Davis, O. B. Shows, Robert Sims, Robert L. Coley, O. C. Wood and Maggie Jean Carlin be continued in the Course of Study.

4. We recommend that Rev. E. M. Thompson be received into the Alabama Conference according to Disciplinary provision governing such cases and that he be employed by the Conference at the discretion of the Committee on Pastoral Relations.

5. All examination papers and correspondence to be sent to Rev. C. K. Gentry, 3920 N. 39th Ave., Birmingham, Alabama.

Respectfully submitted,

R. E. SNIPES, Chairman;
C. K. GENTRY, Secretary;
M. A. MEDDERS,
H. F. PAIR,
MRS. M. F. SIDES,
MARY KATE WHITTEMORE,
Committee.

Report No. 7

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

We recommend the following budget per member, Home Missions, 50 cents; Foreign Missions, \$2.00; Education, \$1.25; Orphanage, 25 cents; Conference Work, 15 cents; Superannuated Fund, 10 cents; President's Salary, 85 cents.

We recommend that the President hold the first and fourth Quarterly Meetings, and that his salary be paid quarterly. The time not occupied by the President in holding the Quarterly Meetings is to be spent by him in missionary and evangelistic work within the bounds of the Conference under the supervision of the Missionary and Advisory Boards. All farm products or provisions accepted by the President is to apply on President's Salary.

We also recommend that the pastors be held responsible for raising of the budget for President's Salary.

We recommend that the President be given the privilege of living in the residence on the property of the Conference in Central Park, Birmingham, Ala., or receive the rents from this property.

E. L. SHIGLEY,
L. W. MOORE,
J. C. ARNOLD,
H. F. PAIR, Committee.

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Report No. 8

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PASTORAL RELATIONS

We recommend that Mentone and Jamestown be separated and that Mentone be made a station, and that Jamestown and Adamsburg be made a charge, to be known as Jamestown Charge. That Friendship and Ada Chapel be separated and that Friendship be made a station, and that Ada Chapel and West Blocton be made a charge to be known as West Blocton Charge. That Akron and Mt. Olive be placed together and made a charge to be known as Akron Charge.

We recommend that the charges be supplied as follows:

Akron—Akron and Mt. Olive, M. A. Medders.
Anniston, P. V. Compton.
Bessemer, C. H. Pickel.
Birmingham, C. K. Gentry.
Brent—Brent and Lawley, C. E. Myers.
East Lake, N. C. Hogle.
Friendship, L. A. Bamburg.
Jamestown—Jamestown and Adamsburg, Geo. E. Davis.
Mentone, C. H. Mickel.
Mt. Vernon, J. M. Kemp. ✓
Pell City, H. A. Johnson; John Barber, Assistant.
Phenix City, George Anna McDaniel; L. W. Barbee, Supply. ✓
Sand Mountain—Nixon's and Sim's Chapel, W. F. Bunnell.
Springdale, R. L. Coley.
Talladega, Left in hands of the President.
Tarrant, E. M. Thompson.
Tuscaloosa, J. L. Averett.
Waycross—Waycross and Mt. Ivah, W. B. Hill.
West Blocton—West Blocton and Ada Chapel, G. C. Frederick.
Wolf Creek, Ruth Newton.
Conference Evangelist, R. E. Snipes.
General Evangelist, H. R. French.
Singing Evangelists, Mrs. H. R. French, Miss Florace Sides.
Conference Evangelistic Work, A. H. Bryans, L. F. Burkey, H. F. Pair.
Conference Missionary Evangelist, E. L. Shigley.

THE ALABAMA CONFERENCE

To work under the direction of the President and his Advisory Board: O. K. Williams, Robert Sims, O. B. Shows, Maggie Carlin, Fred Brazier, W. G. Steele, O. C. Wood, R. M. Evans, Winfred Smith.

R. E. SNIPES,
H. A. JOHNSON,
J. L. AVERETT,
O. B. SHOWS,
MARY K. WHITTEMORE,
MRS. M. F. SIDES, Committee.

Report No. 9

TREASURER'S REPORT

For Year Ending October 22, 1933

Receipts

Balance from last year	\$ 15.86
Superannuated Minister's Fund	4.68
Home Missions	108.30
Foreign Missions	154.90
Orphanage	142.12
Education	109.52
Conference Work	486.72
Total	\$1,022.10

Disbursements

Home Missions	\$ 108.30
Foreign Missions	154.90
Orphanage	142.12
Education	64.17
Conference Work	456.14
To Balance Education	45.35
To Balance Conference Work	30.58
To Balance Superannuated Ministers' Fund.....	20.54
Total	\$1,022.10

VELMA GENTRY, Treasurer.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

Report No. 10

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON AUDITS

We examined the Treasurer's books and find them correct and neatly kept.

E. L. SHIGLEY,
W. E. HOBSON, Jr.,
H. A. JOHNSON, Committee.

Report No. 11

REPORT OF CAMP-MEETING COMMITTEE

The Committee met in regular business session at Birmingham Ala., March 21, 1933 and planned for a camp meeting to be held at Pell City, but later developments seemed to render it unwise to undertake to carry out the plans. The arrangements and contracts were cancelled and no camp meeting was held.

Report of the finances, Balance from last year, \$6.00; receipts \$6.00. Spent in traveling expenses, \$12.00.

E. L. SHIGLEY, Secretary-Treasurer.

Report No. 12

REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY

We held one conference wide Sunday School Convention at Birmingham April 27-30, 1933, which was a great blessing to all who attended. We were able to secure the services of our very able Sunday School Editor, Rev. F. R. Eddy, for this convention. He brought us some very inspiring and encouraging messages on the Sunday School work. There was raised for Connectional Sunday School work, \$22.50.

E. L. SHIGLEY, Sunday School Secretary.

THE ALABAMA CONFERENCE

Report No. 13

CONFERENCE WORKERS' CONVENTION

The workers' convention was held at Birmingham, Ala. April 27-30, 1933. Thursday evening a message was given by Rev. F. R. Eddy. The Friday and Saturday day services were devoted to discussion of various subjects related to Pastoral Relations and Missionary work. Friday evening a Home Missionary program was rendered by the W. H. & F. M. Society under the direction of the President, Mrs. W. W. Warren. Saturday evening a Foreign Missionary program was rendered by the Y. M. W. B. under the direction of Miss Maggie Carlin. Sunday morning a program was rendered by the W. Y. P. Society under the direction of Miss Florace Sides. Sunday afternoon the program was in charge of the Sunday School Secretary, E. L. Shigley. Rev. F. R. Eddy, Editor of our Sunday School literature, discussed the editing and publishing of the literature. Sunday evening an evangelistic sermon was given by Rev. F. R. Eddy. This convention was profitable and a feast of good things.

R. E. SNIPES,
C. K. GENTRY,
FLORACE SIDES, Committee.

Report No. 14

REPORT OF CONFERENCE TITHING SECRETARY

We have presented the subject of tithing to most of the churches of the Conference and recommended that they adopt the Storehouse Plan of systematic tithing. We now have 213 systematic tithers.

R. E. SNIPES, Tithing Secretary.

Name of Charges	Time Employed (Months)	Appointments	No. of Church Societies	Wesleyan Methodists Taken	Wesleyan Missionary Taken	Sunday School Banner	Junior Class Paper	Children's Friend	Teachers' Quarterly	Senior Quarterly	Intermediate Quarterly	Junior Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Home Dept. Quarterly	Lesson Leaflets	Our Little Folks Cards	Bible Lesson Charts	Received	Expelled	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	Number Last Year	Present Number	Loss	Gain	No. Under 14 Years of Age	Associate Members	Baptized	Local Preachers	Members Tithing	No. of Sunday School	Whole No. of Officers	Whole No. of Teachers	No. in Main School	Average Attendance	Cradle Roll	Total in Sunday School	Scholars Converted	Scholars Joining Church	Departmental Supts.	Organized Classes	Books in Library	Church Buildings	Value of Buildings	Indebtedness	Parsonages
Adamsburg	12	1	1	1	2	2	8	20	11	8	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	2	2	1	1	24	26	2	2	2	6	1	1	5	1	2	4	46	32	46	3	1	4	4	1	1	1	800.00	\$69.00	1	
Akron	12	1	1	1	1	1	15	30	10	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	2	2	1	1	14	16	2	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	4	38	21	38	1	1	4	4	1	1	800.00	900.00	1		
Amosion	12	1	1	1	2	1	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	4	4	4	4	23	22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	106	80	102	3	1	7	7	1	1	1000.00	900.00	1		
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Brent	12	1	1	1	1	1	15	25	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	1	1	1	1	86	125	7	7	7	4	2	2	2	2	4	12	171	119	171	10	37	12	1	1	1	1500.00	1500.00	1		
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Cal Report

Value of Parsonages	Indebtedness	Cash or Other Values on Hand	Pastor's Salary	Parsonage Rent	Fees	Gifts	Totals	President's Salary	Conference Evangelist's Salary	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building and Repairs	Incidental Expense	Total	Undivided Budget	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Education	Conference Work	Superannuated Ministers' Fund	Connectional Sunday School Work	Orphanage	Other Benevolent Objects	Total	Total Pastor's Salary	Total for Churches	Total for Benevolence	Total For All Purposes
.....	\$28.95 21.18	\$2.00 3.00	\$6.51	\$30.95 30.69	\$22.45 8.50	\$9.67 6.85	\$12.00 1.80	\$44.12 22.15	\$1.75 2.62	\$5.25 12.95	\$30.95 30.69	\$44.12 22.15	\$5.25 12.95	\$80.32 65.79
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300.00	31.07 90.15	114.15 355.70	14.70 57.80	28.83 54.96	10.00	1.25 5.00	79.72 205.66	20.90	20.72	35.00	8.25	5.00	20.00	20.50	130.37 10.00	355.70 10.00	205.66 23.00	130.37 33.00	
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2000.00	\$1000.00	424.62 162.50	180.00 100.00	10.00	32.17 14.00	646.79 177.50	37.00 7.65	40.00 27.24	1083.69	100.89 4.75	1295.67 77.11	7.36	28.69	8.05	20.50	2.25 22.01	177.50 61.70	77.16 66.88	12.41 7.50	190.39 95.41	
2000.00	162.50 61.70	1.00	14.00	177.50 61.70	7.65 30.60	27.24 6.13	4.75 12.03	77.11 66.88	10.50	2.00	9.00 7.50	61.70 7.50	66.88 62.38	25.53	190.39 95.41	
800.00	60.88	1.50	62.38	4.00	8.50	6.13	2.40	1.50	25.57	7.50	62.38	25.53	7.50	
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Minutes of the Young People's Society

The Wesleyan Young People's Society of the Alabama Conference met in its fifth annual Conference Session at Mentone, Alabama, October 21, 1933.

The meeting was called to order by Rev. R. E. Snipes, President of the Conference.

The following Delegates were enrolled: Anna Mae Drake, Tarrant; Julia Thomas, East Lake; Mary Moore, Akron; Lillie Sanders, Pell City; Flora Belle Bearden, Birmingham; Mrs. O. C. Wood, Talladega.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. C. H. Mickel.

Secretary, Miss Julia Thomas.

Treasurer, Miss Velma Gentry.

Executive Committee, Mrs. C. H. Mickel, Rev. R. E. Snipes, Miss Maggie Carlin, Virginia Hobson.

Committee on Resolutions, Anna Mae Drake, Julia Thomas.

Committee on Statistics, Miss Maggie Carlin, Myrtis Pair.

Committee on Thanks, Flora Belle Bearden, Lillie Sanders.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved.

Reports from the following Societies were read: Tarrant, Birmingham, Pell City, Tuscaloosa, East Lake, Mentone, Friendship.

On motion adjourned.

The Saturday evening service was turned over to the young people, and the following program was rendered, with Mrs. C. H. Mickel, President, in charge.

Congregational song.

Report on Statistics, Miss Carlin.

Devotional, Irene McLain.

Rev. C. H. Mickel gave a five minute talk on "The Moral Value of a Worthy Objective for the W. Y. P. S."

Song by mixed quartette.

Reading, "Trouble in the Amen Corner," by Miss Maggie Carlin.

Song by trio.

Rev. George Davis gave a five minute talk on "The Purpose of Life."

Piano Solo by Millie Fayette.

The main address was given by Rev. E. F. McCarty. The subject was "Profitable Investments."

MRS. C. H. MICKEL, President;
MISS JULIA THOMAS, Secretary.

THE ALABAMA CONFERENCE

W. Y. P. S. STATISTICAL REPORT

Society	President and Address	Secretary	Members	Amount
Akron	Miss Altha Bailey Route 1, Akron, Ala.	Miss Frances Moore	21	\$2.41
Birmingham	Miss Maggie Carlin, 1707 N. 13th Court Birmingham, Ala.	Miss Gordie Whitmire	38	66.67
East Lake	Mrs. N. C. Hoggle 8622 N. 2nd Ave., Birmingham, Ala.	Miss Julia Thomas	13	18.83
Friendship	Miss Ida Bailey, Route 1, Brent, Ala.	Miss Odell Bailey	28
Mentone	Mr. Claude Blevins, Mentone, Ala.	Miss Alleen Pullen	15	3.11
Pell City	Mr. P. S. Spruiell, Pell City, Ala.	Miss Bernice Johnson	29	8.11
Springdale	Miss Dean Phillips, Route 3, Birmingham, Ala.	Miss Elizabeth Davis	25	1.35
Tarrant	Miss Alleen Levans, 1505 National St., Tarrant, Ala...		20	9.05
Tuscaloosa	Mr. O. B. Shows, Tuscaloosa, Ala.	Miss Stella Wood Hobson	15	26.00
Totals	204	\$135.53

MAGGIE JEAN CARLIN, .
MYRTIS PAIR, Committee.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

Minutes of the W. H. & F. M. Society

The Seventh Annual Session of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Alabama Conference was called to order at Mentone, Ala., Oct. 19-21, 1933.

OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY

President, Mrs. W. W. Warren, Mentone, Ala.
Vice-President, Miss Maggie Jean Carlin, 1709 N. 13th Court, Birmingham, Ala.
Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. D. H. Segrest, 2309 Wesley Avenue, Birmingham, Ala.
Y. M. W. B. Superintendent and State Organizer, Miss Maggie Jean Carlin, 1709 N. 13th Court, Birmingham, Ala.

Daily Proceedings

The Society was called to order by the President, Mrs. W. W. Warren, at 11:30 A. M., Oct. 19th. Each member present quoted a verse of scripture and prayer was offered by the President.

The Roll of Officials was read by the Secretary. Credentials were presented and the following were enrolled as Delegates: Miss Frances Compton, Mrs. Ethel Ray, Mrs. Velma Breland, Mrs. C. H. Mickel, Mrs. D. F. Phillips, Mrs. N. C. Hoggle, Mrs. O. C. Wood, Mrs. E. L. Shigley.

The President was instructed to appoint the Session Committees, which she did, as follows:

Courtesies, Mrs. C. H. Pickel.

Thanks, Mrs. M. F. Sides.

Resolutions, Mrs. Velma Breland and Mrs. O. C. Wood.

Auditing, Mrs. C. H. Mickel and Mrs. N. C. Hoggle.

Statistics, Maggie Jean Carlin and Frances Compton.

Reports were read and approved from the following Societies: Tuscaloosa, Bessemer, Tarrant City, Springdale, Pell City, East Lake, Birmingham, Ada Chapel, Mt. Iva and Sand Mountain.

It was made the Order of the Day to elect the Conference Officers Thursday at 1:15 P. M.

On motion adjourned.

THE ALABAMA CONFERENCE

Thursday Afternoon Meeting

The Order of the Day was called for and the election of Officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. W. W. Warren; Vice-President, Miss Maggie Jean Carlin; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. D. H. Segrest; Y. M. W. B. Superintendent and Conference Organizer, Miss Maggie Jean Carlin.

The report of the Mentone Society was read and adopted.

An instructive talk was given by Miss Carlin from the subject, "The Proper Way of Disbursing Our Money."

Adjourned by limitation.

Friday Morning Meeting

After devotional exercises the roll was called, minutes read and approved.

The report of the Talladega Society was read and approved.

Committee on Resolutions reported. Report adopted. See Report No. 2.

Rev. T. P. Baker was introduced to the body and gave an interesting talk on "Missions."

On motion adjourned.

Friday Afternoon Meeting

Prayer was offered by Mrs. Maggie Frederick.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

Committee on Thanks reported. Report adopted. See Report No. 1.

Mrs. W. W. Warren spoke in the interest of the Orphanage.

The Treasurer's report was read. The Auditing Committee reported the books of the Treasurer were correct and neatly kept. The report of Treasurer and Auditing Committee were adopted. See Report No. 3.

Y. M. W. B. Society report was read and adopted.

Committee on Statistics reported. See Report No. 4.

Mrs. Joseph Jones, President of the Baptist Missionary Society of Mentone was introduced to the Society.

Rev. E. F. McCarty was introduced to the Society and he gave a very helpful talk on "Missions."

On motion adjourned.

Saturday Morning Meeting

Prayer was offered by Mrs. Ethel Ray.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

Miss Maggie Jean Carlin was by nomination elected reporter to the Wesleyan Missionary.

At this time several subscriptions were taken for the Wesleyan Missionary magazine.

Rev. E. F. McCarty gave an interesting talk on, "The Importance of Each Lady Taking the Magazine."

Adjourned by limitation.

MRS. W. W. WARREN, President;
MRS. D. H. SEGREST, Secretary.

Reports

Report No. 1

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THANKS

We, your Committee on Thanks beg to submit the following report:

We, as members of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of the Alabama Conference, now in session at Mentone, Ala., desire to extend our heart-felt thanks to the President and members of the local society and friends of the Mentone Wesleyan Methodist Church, for their royal entertainment while among them.

May God bless and reward every one who has helped to make our visit pleasant and we hope profitable while here.

MRS. M. F. SIDES, Committee.

Report No. 2

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We, your Committee on Resolutions beg to submit the following report: Be it resolved, That the local societies study that portion of the Discipline of the Church that pertains to our work and Society.

MRS. VELMA BRELAND,
MRS. O. C. WOOD, Committee.

THE ALABAMA CONFERENCE

Report No. 3

REPORT OF W. H. & F. M. S. TREASURER

For the Year Ending October 20, 1933

Receipts

Home Missions	\$ 33.86
Foreign Missions	16.35
Orphanage	40.50
Education	9.50
Local Church Work	45.12
Other Objects	178.14
Membership Dues	21.00
Public Offerings	5.70
Total receipts	\$ 350.17

Disbursements

Home Missions	\$ 39.21
Foreign Missions	21.70
Orphanage	40.50
Education	9.50
Local Church Work	45.12
Other Objects	178.14
General Funds	10.00
Conference Treasurer	6.00
Total	\$ 350.17

MRS. D. H. SEGREST, Treasurer.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

REPORT OF Y. M. W. B. SUPERINTENDENT

Band	Superintendent and Address	Members	Amount
Ada Chapel	Mrs. J. P. Stewart, R. F. D. 1, Brent, Ala.	20	\$1.57
Bessemer	Edward Brigman, 5420 Terrace Junction, Birmingham, Ala.	26	7.01
Birmingham	Miss Velma Gentry, 3920 39th Ave. N., Birmingham, Ala.	29	15.94
East Lake	Mrs. N. C. Hoggle, 8622 North 2nd Ave., Birmingham, Ala.	20	10.40
Fairview	Miss Myttie Head, R. F. D. 1, Cottondale, Ala.	18	9.36
Mentone	Miss Alleen Pullen, Mentone, Ala.	28	15.17
Mt. Ivah	Mrs. Ella Stevens, R. F. D. 1, Heiberger, Ala.	12	5.52
Pell City	Mrs. M. B. Hestley, Pell City, Ala.	31	13.33
Phenix City	Miss George Anna McDaniel, R. F. D. 1, Box 61, Phenix City, Ala.	27	14.39
Springdale	Mrs. R. L. Coley, R. F. D. 2, Birmingham, Ala.	31	19.50
Talladega	Mrs. L. C. Watts, 108 West St., Talladega, Ala.	3	2.50
Tarrant	Miss Alleen Levans, 1505 National Street, Tarrant, Ala.	24	1.06
Tuscaloosa	Miss Virginia Hobson, 1429 23rd Ave., Tuscaloosa, Ala.	35	12.85
Totals		304	\$128.60

MISS MAGGIE JEAN CARLIN, Superintendent.