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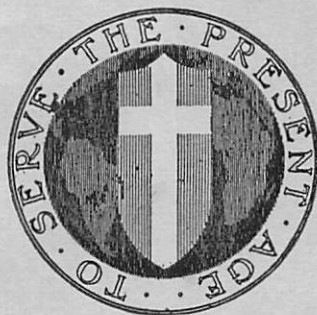
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STANDING RULES

No. 1 Date of Conference: The Annual session of the Lockport Annual Conference, Inc., shall convene the Tuesday evening following the first Sunday of June on Houghton Campgrounds.

No. 2 Board of Trustees Report for Final Action: Resolved, That all matters involving the expenditure of money to be appropriated from the Conference Treasuries, be referred to the Board of Trustees for their consideration and to be reported back by them to the Conference for final action.

No. 3 General Conference Delegate: Resolved, That it is the sense of the Lockport Conference that no person should accept the position as delegate to the General Conference unless he expects to be present during the entire session. The President is requested to communicate this resolution to the delegates three weeks before the General Conference begins.

No. 4 Pastor's Moving Expense: The church calling a pastor to serve them shall pay his moving expenses to the charge. The same not to apply on his salary.

No. 5 Closing Treasurer's Books: The Conference Treasurer is hereby authorized to close his books two weeks before the Annual Conference convenes, therefore all receipts and monies should be in his hands by that time if credit on Statistical Report is desired.

No. 6 Temperance, Sabbath Observance, and Public Morals: Resolved, 1. That we are definitely committed to the prohibition of the liquor traffic rather than its regulation. 2. That we hereby affirm our belief and conviction that the Christian Sabbath was appointed as a day of rest and worship and should be so observed with resolute consistency. 3. That we believe that the highest and noblest conception of public morals is to be achieved through the regeneration of individuals rather than through the collective reformation of society. 4. That for the successful maintenance of the positions above indicated we are fully committed to the support of every valid effort for the preservation of our democratic rights of free speech, a free press, and free religion against all encroachments of dictatorial regimentation of thought and action whether in State or Church.

No. 7 Pastor's Vacation: Each charge shall grant to its pastor each year a two weeks' vacation with pay at a time he shall select.

No. 8 Reading of Reports: Resolved, That in the reading of the Pastor's Statistical Report it is obligatory to read only items 3, 8 and 10.

No. 9 Adjustment of Pastor's Salary: Resolved, That churches which enter into a financial agreement with the pastor shall when needful, make adjustment of this obligation at each quarterly meeting. A full settlement of the pastor's salary shall be made before the time of the Annual Conference. Any financial agreement on salary entered into by a church and pastor shall not be of force after the end of the Conference year for which it is made, unless it is renewed by the contracting parties. The financial obligation of each church to its pastor shall be in force throughout the conference and camp meeting period. He shall receive his salary the same as if he were on the charge conducting services. The Sunday following conference shall be the first Sunday of the new year.

No. 10 Delegates' Credentials: It shall be the duty of the pastors to forward to the Conference Secretary not later than one week before the Annual Conference convenes the church (not missionary) delegates' credentials from his charge.

No. 11 Budget Apportionment: The Budget Committee shall base their apportionment of the budget for Foreign Missions, Home Missions, Education and Hephzibah Orphanage on the rate per member recommended by the Book Committee. The Sunday School budget shall be determined by the number of persons in the Main School, at the rate of five cents a person for Connectional and one cent a person for Conference Sunday School work, the same to be listed as separate budget items. The Conference Budget shall be the sum recommended by the Board of Trustees and approved by the Conference. The amount apportioned for General Conference President's salary shall be included in the Conference Budget. The Conference Entertainment Budget shall be the amount recommended by the Board of Trustees, the same to be disbursed upon their recommendation and approval of Conference. The W. Y. P. S. budget shall be determined on the rate per active member of the W. Y. P. Society according to the Discipline. Each charge may have the number of members under sixteen years of age, and any Elder or Elder's widow who cannot contribute to the budget, deducted from its membership list provided the pastor gives to the Budget Committee the number of such members before the close of the second day of Conference.

No. 12 Budget Credit: Nothing but cash shall count on the Sunday School, Conference, or Conference Entertainment budgets. Money paid on L. S. U. pledges, or interest paid on Educational Notes and all money paid for current expenses of Houghton College shall count on the Educational budget. Cash and receipts acceptable to the Missionary Boards shall count on Orphanage, Home and Foreign Missionary budgets.

Our Honored Dead

"How blest the righteous when he dies!
When sinks a weary soul to rest,
How mildly beams the closing eyes,
How gently heaves the expiring breast!"

Name and Date of Decease	Name and Date of Decease
J. Locke .....1867	E. J. Pope .....1899
Southworth Phinney .....1867	J. A. Thomas .....1901
George Riley .....1869	Willard C. Boardman .....1902
Henry Norton .....1869	P. M. Humphrey .....1903
J. Beadle .....1870	George W. Steel .....1906
E. Bishop .....1870	Reuben Dutcher .....1908
H. Bacon .....1871	Alonzo B. Chamberlain .....1909
Jonathan Sibley .....1872	Edgar Fuller .....1914
J. M. Thorp .....1873	George W. Cooper .....1918
A. Jones .....1875	Robert C. McConnell .....1919
E. Biglow .....1876	Nathan E. Heald .....1919
David R. Douglas .....1881	John L. Benton .....1919
J. R. Jones .....1881	N. F. Robb .....1922
Z. T. Petty .....1884	W. A. Hazlett .....1924
Emory Jones .....1886	George H. Clarke .....1929
Daniel W. Ball .....1886	J. H. Woodhouse .....1929
Thomas Osgood .....1890	B. S. Laughlin .....1930
J. D. Townsend .....1890	J. R. Babcock .....1930
James Ireland .....1894	W. A. Backus .....1933
Willard J. Houghton .....1896	George E. Bathurst .....1935
Anna Perrine Clarke .....1896	Jesse W. Steves .....1935
W. R. Mearus .....1897	Francis B. Markell .....1936
Jennie Groves .....1897	Edward L. Elliott .....1940
George F. Porter .....1898	Lynford J. Sicard .....1941
	Charles H. Dow .....1943

"Life's labor done, as sinks the clay,
Light from its load the spirit flies,
While heaven and earth combine to say,
'How blest the righteous when he dies.'"

THE LOCKPORT ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Incorporated

CONFERENCE OFFICERS

President	Rev. Arthur J. Taylor
Vice-President	Rev. David Anderson
Secretary	Rev. James Ross Redstone
Assistant Secretary	Rev. Mary E. Bennett
Treasurer	Rev. George N. Osgood
Sunday School Secretary	Rev. Adrian Everts
Tithing Secretary	Rev. M. A. Gibbs
Statistician	Rev. Herman Smith
Educational Secretary	Rev. Roy Gibbs
Radio Secretary	Rev. Everett E. Elliott

DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

Northern District:

Chairman—Rev. Charles Foster.

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. Everett Elliott.

Charges—Ashwood, Buffalo, Batavia, Chestnut Ridge, East Aurora, Ellicott, Hess Road, Ransomville, Wales Hollow, Big Tree.

Central District:

Chairman—Rev. Herman Smith.

Secretary-Treasurer—Rev. Daniel Heinz.

Charges—Belleville, Cadwells, Fillmore, Higgins, Houghton, Machias, Oakland, Cuba.

Southern District:

Chairman—Rev. M. H. Vincent.

Secretary-Treasurer—Rev. Howard Parks.

Charges—Bradford, Castle Garden, Cattaraugus, East Leon, Forestville, Levant, Medix Run, McRae Brook, Olean, Rich Valley, Wellsville.

OFFICIAL BOARDS

Committee on Itinerary and Orders

First Year	.....Joseph R. Pitt	.....Term Expires 1950
Second Year	.....Arthur J. Taylor	.....Term Expires 1949
Third Year	.....David Anderson	.....Term Expires 1948
Fourth Year	.....George N. Osgood	.....Term Expires 1947

Nominated to Houghton College Board of Managers

Rev. C. I. ArmstrongTerm Expires 1948
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Board of Trustees

Rev. Everett E. ElliottTerm Expires 1947
Mr. Rudolph C. NelsonTerm Expires 1947
Mr. Elmer V. Hudson	.....Term Expires 1947
Rev. Arthur J. Taylor	.....Term Expires 1948
Dr. C. I. Armstrong	.....Term Expires 1948
Mr. Chester E. York	.....Term Expires 1948
Rev. Joseph R. Pitt	.....Term Expires 1949
Rev. David Anderson	.....Term Expires 1949
Dr. Stephen W. Paine	.....Term Expires 1949

STANDING COMMITTEES

Advisory Board—David Anderson, S. W. Paine.

Judiciary Committee—A. J. Taylor, David Anderson, M. A. Gibbs, Herman Smith.

Missionary Board—A. J. Taylor, Sarah Osgood, Helen Redstone.

Vacancies—J. R. Pitt, A. A. Hickok, Daniel Heinz, A. A. Egglar, Charles Simmons.

Auditing Statistical Reports—Erwin Enty, Roy Gibbs.

Sunday School Board—A. R. Everts, Mary E. Bennett, Rudolph C. Nelson.

Educational Committee—Roy Gibbs, A. J. Taylor, C. I. Armstrong, Helen Redstone, Herman Smith, Sarah Osgood.

Credentials—Conference Secretary.

Budget—Gordon Thurber, Chairman.

Board of Parsonage, Churches and Location—Board of Trustees.

Evangelism—President of the Conference and District Chairman.

Religious Services—President and his Advisory Board.

Conference Entertainment—A. R. Everts, Mrs. Calla Babcock, and Superintendent of the Campgrounds.

To Preach the Opening Sermon—Conference President, **Alternate:** Vice-President.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES

- Ashwood—Arlene Ellis, Albion, New York.
Batavia—James Jardine, East Pembroke, N. Y.
Belleville—Rhetta Luce, Caneadea, N. Y.
Bradford—Rudolph C. Nelson, 28 S. Kendall Ave., Bradford, Pa.
Buffalo—Raymond Bleekman, 725 W. Ferry St., Buffalo, N. Y., (13).
Cadwells—Ina Worthington, Bliss, N. Y.
Castle Garden—A. A. Egger, Driftwood, Pa.
Cattaraugus—Merton Howard, Franklin St., Cattaraugus, N. Y.
Chestnut Ridge—Maude Luskin, Lockport, N. Y., R. R. 4.
East Aurora—Joseph Kalla, Jr., Ostrander Road, East Aurora, N. Y.
East Leon—Mrs. Marjorie Waite, South Dayton, N. Y.
Ellicott—Laura Clark, 27 Waley Ave., East Aurora, N. Y.
Fillmore—Miss M. Gillette, Houghton, N. Y.
Forestville—M. A. Gibbs, Forestville, N. Y., R. D. 3.
Hess Road—Florence Aiken, Lockport, N. Y., R. D. 4.
Higgins—Harmon Miller, Hume, N. Y.
Houghton—Dr. G. E. Moreland, Houghton College, Houghton, N. Y.
Leon—Mrs. Geneva Pritchard, Cattaraugus, N. Y.
Levant—Archie Crapo, Falconer, N. Y., R. D. 2.
Medix Run—Mrs. Igola Huff, Weedville, Pa., R. D.
McRae Brook—Mrs. John Soles, Eldred, Pa., R. D.
North Creek—Grace Haskins, Emporium, Pa., R. D.
Olean—Richard Hendy, Prospect Ave., Olean, N. Y.
Ransomville—Vivian Stacey, Ransomville, N. Y.
Rich Valley—Charles Welsh, Emporium, Pa., R. D.
Wellsville—Mrs. Maud Coleman, 193 Pine St., Wellsville, N. Y.
Wango—Betty Wolfe, Forestville, N. Y.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

- Ashwood—Lyndonville, N. Y. on Platten Road.
Batavia—515 W. Main St., Batavia, N. Y.
Belleville—Caneadea, N. Y., R. D.
Bradford—Corner of Bishop and Boylston St., Bradford, Pa.
Buffalo—414 Glenwood Ave., Buffalo 8, N. Y.
Cadwells—Cadwells Corners, Bliss, N. Y.
Castle Garden—Driftwood, Pa., on Route 155.
Cattaraugus—45 South St., Cattaraugus, N. Y.
Cuba—
Chestnut Ridge—Chestnut Ridge Road, Lockport, N. Y.
East Aurora—Main St., East Aurora, N. Y. (corner Maple Road).
East Leon—Mosher Hollow Road, Cattaraugus, N. Y.
Ellicott—Orchard Park, N. Y., R. D. 2.
Fillmore—Maine St., Fillmore, N. Y.
Forestville—Forestville, N. Y., R. D. 3. (Ball Hill).
Hess Road—Hess Road, Appleton, N. Y., R. D.
Higgins—Freedom, N. Y., Centerville Road.
Houghton—Main St., Houghton, N. Y.
Leon Wesleyan Mission—Leon, N. Y.
Levant—Falconer, N. Y., R. D. 17.
Machias—Machias, N. Y.
Medix Run—Medix Run, Pa.
McRae Brook—Eldred, Pa., R. D. 2.
Oakland—Nunda, N. Y., R. D.
Olean—401 School St., Olean, N. Y.
Ransomville—Main St., Ransomville, N. Y.
Rich Valley—Four miles from Emporium on Rich Valley Road. R. D.,
Emporium, Pa.
Wellsville—28 Jefferson St., Wellsville, N. Y.

CONFERENCE ROLL

(Listed in Chronological Order)

Elders on Stationed List

Name	Address	Roll Call
✓ 1. Arthur J. Taylor,		7
✓ 2. Joseph R. Pitt,		4
✓ 3. C. I. Armstrong, Houghton, N. Y., Tel. Fillmore 84F14		5
✓ 4. A. A. Hickok, R. D., Driftwood, Pa.		6
✓ 5. George N. Osgood, R. D. 2, Falconer, N. Y., Tel. Jamestown 34870		2
✓ 6. David Anderson, 51 Hobson Place, Bradford, Pa., Tel. 7654		6
7. James Ross Redstone,		7
8. Peter D. Miller, Apartado 72, Colon, Rep. De. Panama		
9. Noah R. Shaffer, R. D., Fillmore, N. Y., Tel. 19F2		2
10. Mae K. Shaffer, R. D., Fillmore, N. Y., Tel. 19F2		2
✓ 11. Adrian R. Everts, R. D. 2, Orchard Park, N. Y., Tel. 331G12		5
12. Gordon L. Thurber, R. D. 2, Middleport, N. Y.		5
13. Anna L. Fillmore, 3201 Euclid Ave., Cleveland 15, Ohio		
✓ 14. Everett E. Elliott, R. D., Appleton, N. Y., Tel. Newfane 3524		5
✓ 15. Mary E. Bennett, R. D. 3, Forestville, N. Y.		5
16. Robert N. Lytle, Apartado 233, Medellin, Colombia, S. A.		
17. A. Gordon Wolfe, South Dayton, N. Y., Tel. 3958		7
18. Roma E. Lapham, Box 142, Vista, California		
19. Erwin Enty, Houghton, N. Y.		7
✓ 20. Frank C. Taylor, R. D. 2, Lyndonville, N. Y.		7
✓ 21. Clarence J. White, Box 7, Machias, N. Y.		5
22. Helen Smith, R. D., Freedom, N. Y., Tel. Fillmore 31F22		1
✓ 23. Herman Smith, R. D., Freedom, N. Y., Tel. Fillmore 31F22		5
✓ 24. Roy M. Gibbs, R. D. 2, Eldred, Pa.		7
25. Eldyn Simons, Black Creek, N. Y.		5
26. Ira W. George, 10 Mill Street, Bradford, Pa., Tel. 5807		1
✓ 27. Daniel Heinz, Fillmore, N. Y., Tel. 73L		6
28. Marion Birch, Sierra Leone, West Africa		
✓ 29. D. W. Summers, 43 South Street, Cattaraugus, N. Y.		

Elders on the Superannuated List

Name	Address	Roll Call
1. Walter Readett, 227 Pearl Street, Medina, N. Y.		3
2. Charles Sicard, 222 E. Elmwood Ave., Falconer, N. Y.		3

Elders on the Supernumerary List

Name	Address	Roll Call
1. Maurice A. Gibbs,	R. D. 3, Forestville, N. Y.	7
2. Clarence Barnett,	Houghton, N. Y., Tel. Fillmore 3572	2

Elders on the Unstationed List

Name	Address	Roll Call
1. C. M. Dudley,	22½ N. Main St., Wellsville, N. Y.	5
2. H. J. Bullock,	Houghton, N. Y.	4
3. William Osgood,	Box 308, Palmer, New York	
4. Gertrude Clocksin,	233 Ridgeway Ave., Rochester 13, N. Y.	
5. E. H. Johnson,	R. D., Caneadea, N. Y.	2
6. Zelia Johnson,	R. D., Caneadea, N. Y.	1

Annual Conference Preachers on Stationed List

Name	Address	Roll Call
✓ 1. Theodore Pagett,	R. D., Caneadea, N. Y.	5
✓ 2. M. H. Vincent,	R. D., Emporium, Pa., Tel. 6096	5
3. A. Mark Larson,	60 Clark Street, Wellsville, N. Y.	3
✓ 4. Maurice Babcock,	Ransomville, N. Y.	5
✓ 5. Calla Babcock,	Ransomville, N. Y.	2
6. Ernest Nichols,	Houghton, N. Y.	
7. Maurice Moore,	R. D., Nunday, N. Y.	
✓ 8. Jack Harris,	Houghton, N. Y.	
✓ 9. Howard Parks,	R. D., Cattaraugus, N. Y.	

Deaconess

Name	Address
1. Clara Stoddard,	18 Franklin Street, Cattaraugus, N. Y.

ROLL OF DELEGATES

Ashwood, Arthur Young 7; Belleville, Howard Luce 4; Bradford, Rudolph C. Nelson 6; Bertha Bartlett 7; Buffalo, Mary Brice 7; Cadwells, Ina Worthington 3; Clint Worthington 2; Castle Garden, Albert Eggler 5; Cattaraugus, Sophie Potter 7; Chestnut Ridge, Wallace Barnett 5; East Aurora, Ruth Hudson 4; Frank Brigham 6; East Leon, Mable Mosher 6; Ellicott, Clarence Blackwell 4; Fillmore, Frieda Gillette 6; Geraldine Heinz 5; Alice Cronk 3; Dorothy Lucas 1; Forestville, Manley Crowell 6; Lora Crowell 3; Hess Road, Martha Parker 5; Addie Strong; Higgins, Ernest Gillette 5; Genevieve Robinson; Houghton, S. W. Paine 2; Alice J. Pool, Bertha Eyler 3; Louisa Preston 3; Chester York 1; Robert Luckey 5; Levant, Bertha Jacobson 6; McRae Brook, Hazel Soules 1; Medix Run, Ethel McManigle 3; Olean, Charles Simmons 5; Ransomville, Clinton Moore 6; Rich Valley, May McClenahan 6; Wellsville, Max Coleman, Jr. 3.

JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS

The Lockport Annual Conference, Inc., of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection (or Church) of America convened for its Eighty-fifth Annual Session on Houghton Campgrounds, at Houghton, New York, on June 5, 1946, at 7:00 p. m. EDT.

Opening.—The President, Rev. A. J. Taylor, called the Conference to order. Rev. Erwin Enty led in singing, Rev. F. C. Taylor led in prayer.

Roll Call.—The Roll of Ministers was called and 18 were marked present.

Credentials.—The Committee on Credentials made its report which was adopted as read.

Roll Call.—The Roll of Delegates was called and 10 were marked present.

Bar of Conference.—The Bar of Conference was fixed as follows: the first six rows of seats in the second, third and fourth tiers of seats.

Temporary Organization.—The Committee on Temporary Organization made its report which was adopted as read. (See Report No. 1.)

Time of Meetings.—The time for opening and closing the meetings of Conference was fixed as follows: morning meeting opening at 9:00 a. m., and closing at noon; the afternoon meeting opening at 1:30 p. m. and closing by vote of the Conference.

Orders Made.—The election of Conference Officials was made an Order of the Day for Friday morning following the devotional service.

Courtesies.—Rev. and Mrs. Maurice Moore were introduced to the Conference.

Sunday School Superintendents.—It was decided to print the Sunday School Superintendent's names and addresses in the minutes.

Religious Services.—The Committee on Religious Services read its report which was adopted as read. (See Report No. 2.)

Courtesies.—Rev. Clarence Budensiek was introduced to Conference.

Adjournment.—Adjourned by limitation of time.

Thursday Morning Meeting, June 6, 1946

Opening.—The meeting was called to order by the President. Devotions were led by Rev. Roy Gibbs.

Roll Call.—The roll was called and the minutes were approved as read.

Communications.—Communications were read from Peter D. Miller, and Robert Lytle. Their characters were passed. It was voted to send greetings from the Conference.

Petition.—The General Conference was petitioned to change the denominational name to that of "The Wesleyan Methodist Church of America."

President's Report.—The Vice-President was called to the Chair and the President gave his report which was accepted as read. (See Report No. 3.)

Courtesies.—The President returned to the Chair and Rev. and Mrs. Harry Grits of the United Brethren Church were introduced to the Conference.

Credentials.—The Committee on Credentials presented the name of Mrs. Ethel McManigle as the Delegate from the Medix Run Church.

Substitution.—The name of Clarence Blackwell was substituted as the Delegate from Ellicott.

Recess.—A recess was voted for committee work.

Invitation.—Following the recess the Conference was called to order by the President. An invitation to hold the afternoon meeting in the college chapel was accepted. Adjourned by limitation of time. Benediction by Rev. Erwin Enty.

Thursday Afternoon Meeting, June 6, 1946

Opening.—The Conference was called to order by the President, the devotional service was conducted by Rev. Gordon Thurber.

Roll Call.—The roll was called and the minutes were approved.

Petition.—A petition from the Buffalo Church was presented to the Conference which was referred to the Committee on Pastoral Relation.

Recommendation.—A recommendation from the W. Y. P. S. was presented to the Conference which was received. (See Report No. 4.)

Courtesies.—The Committee on Courtesies presented to the Conference Dr. Roy S. Nicholson, Rev. Charles Foster, and Rev. John A. S. Woodhouse.

To Preside.—Dr. Nicholson was asked to preside for this session of Conference.

Credentials.—The Committee on Credentials presented the name of Clint Worthington as Delegate from Cadwells which was accepted.

Batavia Report.—Rev. John Woodhouse read the report from the Batavia Church. His report was accepted by a rising vote of thanks. His requests were referred to the Board of Trustees.

Name Called.—The name of Mark Larson was called and his character was passed.

Communion Service.—The time for the Orders of the Day having arrived the meeting was turned over to Rev. M. A. Gibbs for the Communion Service.

Names Called.—After the communion service the names of A. J.

Taylor, J. R. Pitt, A. A. Hickok and David Anderson were called and their characters were passed.

Excused.—A. A. Hickok, A. A. Egger and M. H. Vincent were excused from Conference.

Educational Service.—The time for the Orders of the Day having arrived the meeting was turned over to Dr. Paine for the Educational Address.

Name Called.—After the Educational Address business was resumed. The name of J. R. Redstone was called and his character was passed.

Courtesies.—Rev. Hugh Newcomb was introduced to Conference.

Name Called.—The name of Everett Elliott was called and his character was passed.

Church Directory.—The Committee on Post Office Addresses was made a committee to compile a Church Directory.

Treasurer of the Board of Trustees.—The Treasurer of the Board of Trustees read his report which was adopted. (See Report No. 5.)

Traveling President.—It was voted for the Conference to employ a full-time traveling President.

Names Called.—The names of Gordon Wolfe and C. J. White were called and their characters were passed.

Adjournment.—Adjourned by vote of Conference.

Friday Morning Meeting, June 7, 1946

Opening.—The meeting was called to order by the President, the Rev. A. J. Taylor. Rev. Erwin Enty led in singing. Rev. Charles Sicard led in prayer.

Roll Call.—The roll was called and the minutes were approved as read.

Substitution.—Mr. Chester York was substituted for Gordon Stockin on the roll of Delegates.

Election.—The time for the Orders of the Day having arrived the Conference proceeded to the election of Conference officials.

The President appointed Herman Smith, Rudolph Nelson, Roy Gibbs and Robert Luckey as tellers and the Conference elected the following officers:

Office	Person Elected	Votes Received	Votes Cast
President	A. J. Taylor	31	50
Vice-President	David Anderson	37	52
Secretary	J. R. Redstone	36	51
Assistant Secretary	Mary E. Bennett		
Treasurer	G. N. Osgood	44	53
Itineracy and Orders	J. R. Pitt	30	52

Office	Person Elected	Votes Received	Votes Cast
Ministerial Trustee	Joseph R. Pitt	30	50
Ministerial Trustee	David Anderson	39	53
Lay Trustee	Stephen W. Paine	45	52
Delegates to the next General Conference:			
Ministerial	A. J. Taylor	36	53
Ministerial	C. I. Armstrong	25	48
Alternate Ministerial (1)	David Anderson	31	51
Alternate Ministerial (2)	Everett Elliott	26	48
Lay	S. W. Paine	31	48
Lay	Rudolph C. Nelson	38	49
Alternate Lay (1)	Frieda Gillette	40	46
Alternate Lay (2)	Chester York	33	49

Advisory Board.—The President nominated his Advisory Board as David Anderson and S. W. Paine which was ratified.

The following were elected by acclamation: **Sunday School Secretary**, Adrian Everts; **Tithing Secretary**, M. A. Gibbs; **Statistician**, Herman Smith; **Educational Secretary**, Roy Gibbs; **Radio Secretary**, Everett Elliott.

Order Made.—It was made an Order of the Day following the devotional service this afternoon to hear Rev. Hugh Newcomb on the subject of "Indian Missions."

Committee Made.—The Committee on Temporary Organization was made the Committee on Nominations.

Rule Changed.—Standing Rule No. 11 was revised. (See Standing Rule.)

Names Called.—The names of Helen and Herman Smith, and C. I. Armstrong were called and their characters were passed.

Adjournment.—Adjourned by limitation of time.

Friday Afternoon Meeting, June 7, 1946

Opening.—The Conference was called to order. Rev. Erwin Enty led in singing. Rev. C. J. White led devotions.

Roll Call.—The roll was called to order and the minutes were approved.

Address.—The time for the Orders of the Day having arrived the meeting was turned over to Rev. Hugh Newcomb who addressed the Conference on "Indian Mission Advancement."

Program Approved.—The Conference put themselves on record that they approved the proposed expansion of the Indian Mission work, and pledged their support of the action of the Book Committee.

Rev. M. A. Gibbs was made Treasurer for the funds for the work. It was voted that all monies contributed for this work be forwarded to the Treasurer designated by the Book Committee.

Name Called.—The name of Ira W. George was called and his character passed.

Reports.—The report of the Medix Run work was read by the pastor, A. A. Hickok. The report of the North Creek work was read by its pastor, M. H. Vincent. The report of the Leon work was read by the pastor, A. G. Wolfe.

Recess.—A five-minute recess was taken till the Orders of the Day.

Connectional Address.—The time for the Orders of the Day having arrived, the meeting was turned over to Dr. Nicholson for the Connectional Address.

Petition.—After the Connectional Address J. R. Pitt presented a petition from the Big Tree Bible School Association. It was referred to the Pastoral Relation Committee for consideration and further recommendations.

Resignation.—Rev. Noah R. Shaffer resigned as a member of the Board of Trustees, which was accepted.

Election.—Everett E. Elliott was elected to fill the unexpired term on the Board of Trustees.

Traveling President.—The matter of defining the duties and remuneration of the President was referred to the Board of Trustees.

Courtesies.—Rev. and Mrs. William Bruce from the Free Methodist Church were presented to the Conference.

Rev. William N. Wager, returned missionary from China was introduced to the Conference.

Names Called.—The names of George Osgood, Adrian Everts, E. H. and Zelia Johnson were called and their characters were passed.

Saturday Morning Meeting, June 8, 1946

Opening.—The meeting was called to order and the Tithing Service was conducted by Rev. M. A. Gibbs.

Roll Call.—The roll was called and the minutes were approved.

Sunday School Report.—The Sunday School Secretary read his report which was accepted as read. (See Report No. 6.)

Board of Trustees.—The Board of Trustees read their report which was adopted as amended. (See Report No. 7.)

President's Salary.—The President's Salary was made a separate Budget Item.

Pastoral Relations.—The Committee on Pastoral Relations was excused from Conference.

Courtesies.—Rev. Robert Houser of LeRoy, N. Y. was introduced to Conference.

Names Called.—The names of Maurice and Calla Babcock were called and their characters were passed.

Standing Committees.—The report of the Committee on Nomination of Standing Committees was accepted as amended.

Name Called.—The name of Walter Readett was called and his character was passed.

Treasurer's Report.—The Treasurer of the Conference made his report which was accepted as read. (See Report No. 8.)

Reports.—Reports from the Educational Secretary and Radio Secretary were heard which were accepted.

Radio Money.—It was voted that all Radio money shall be sent in direct to the Radio Hour and that quarterly reports be made to the Radio Secretary.

Names Called.—The names of Charles Sicard, Anna L. Fillmore, Roma E. Lapham, M. A. Gibbs, Clarence Barnett, Mary Bennett, Frank C. Taylor, were called and their characters passed.

Sunday School Hour.—The Time for the Orders of the Day having arrived the meeting was turned over to the Rev. Adrian Everts for the Sunday School Hour.

Adjournment.—Following the Sunday School Hour Conference was adjourned by limitation of time.

Saturday Afternoon Meeting, June 8, 1946

Opening.—The meeting was called to order and the devotions were conducted by Rev. Theodore Pagett.

Roll Call.—The roll was called and the minutes were approved.

Excused.—The Budget Committee was excused from Conference.

Name Called.—The name of Gordon Thurber was called and his character was passed.

Resolution.—The General Conference was memorialized to change the item on Sunday Schools on the pastors' report. (See Report No. 9.)

Greetings.—The Secretary was instructed to acknowledge the greetings of the Allegheny Conference.

Names Called.—The names of Roy Gibbs, Eldyn Simons, C. M. Dudley, Wm. N. Osgood, Theodore Pagett, M. H. Vincent, Daniel Heinz, N. R. and M. K. Shaffer, H. J. Bullock, Gertrude Clocksin, Marion Birch, Ernest Nichols, Clara Stoddard were called and their characters were passed.

Report.—Rev. Harlan Hill read the report from East Aurora.

Batavia.—It was voted to print a brief account of the work at Batavia in the minutes. (Report not available.)

Name Called.—The name of Erwin Enty was called and his character was passed.

Rising Vote.—A rising vote of confidence was given to the pastors of the Conference by the Delegates.

Recess.—A recess was voted to the call of the Chair for District Organization.

Budget Apportionment.—The Committee on Budget Apportionment gave their report which was adopted as read. (See Report No. 10.)

Resignation.—The Secretary offered his resignation which was not accepted.

Rule Amended.—Standing Rule No. 1 was amended to read "Tuesday Evening" in the place of "Wednesday."

Report.—The Statistician read his report which was accepted as read. (See Report No. 11.)

Post Office Addresses.—The Committee on Post Office Addresses reported on the Sunday School Superintendents. It was voted that the Post Office Address Committee present their report to the Secretary following Conference.

Name Added.—The name of Roy Gibbs was added to the Post Office Address Committee.

Pastoral Relation.—The Committee on Pastoral Relation read their report which was accepted as read. (See Report No. 12.)

Itineracy and Orders.—The Committee on Itineracy and Orders read their report which was adopted item by item. (See Report No. 13.)

Rules Suspended.—The rules concerning the Orders of the Day were suspended.

District Organization.—The Districts reported their organization. (See the Front of the Minutes.)

Minutes Approved.—The Minutes were read and approved.

Adjournment.—Adjourned sine die.

Signed: JAMES ROSS REDSTONE, Secretary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Report No. 1

TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION

Committee on Ministerial Character.—A. J. Taylor, ex-officio; A. A. Hickok, Lora Crowell.

Committee on Boundaries.—Adrian Everts, Sophie Potter.

Committee on Pastoral Relation.—A. J. Taylor, ex-officio; David Anderson, Erwin Enty, C. I. Armstrong, Mabel Mosher, Charles Simmons, Martha Parker.

Auditing Committee.—Rudolph C. Nelson, Frieda Gillette, Bertha Eyler.

Budget Committee.—Gordon Thurber, M. A. Gibbs, S. W. Paine.

Post Office Addresses.—Ernest Gillette, A. A. Egglar.

Committee on Courtesies.—C. I. Armstrong, David Anderson.

Committee: GEORGE N. OSGOOD,
A. GORDON WOLFE,
J. R. REDSTONE.

Report No. 2

COMMITTEE ON RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Wednesday: 8:00 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. A. J. Taylor.

Thursday: 9:00 a. m.—Devotions, Rev. Gordon Thurber.

1:30 p. m.—Devotions, Rev. Roy Gibbs.

3:00 p. m.—Communion Service, Rev. N. R. Shaffer.

4:00 p. m.—Educational Service, Dr. Stephen W. Paine.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. John A. Woodhouse.

Friday: 9:00 a. m.—Devotions, Rev. Theodore Pagett.

1:30 p. m.—Devotions, Rev. Ira George.

3:00 p. m.—Connectional Address, Dr. Roy S. Nicholson.

7:30 p. m.—Missionary Service, Mrs. Sarah Osgood.

Saturday: 9:00 a. m.—Tithing Service, Rev. M. A. Gibbs.

11:00 a. m.—Sunday School Hour, Rev. Adrian Everts.

1:30 p. m.—Devotions, Rev. C. J. White.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. A. A. Hickok.

- Sunday:** 9:00 a. m.—Love Feast, Rev. Mae K. Shaffer.
 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, Conference Sunday School Secretary.
 11:00 a. m.—Ordination Service, Dr. Roy S. Nicholson.
 3:00 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. Everett Elliott.
 6:30 p. m.—W. Y. P. S. Service, Rev. Herman Smith.
 7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Dr. Roy S. Nicholson.
- Each Day:** 6:30 a. m.—Prayer Service, in charge of the Rev. Frank C. Taylor.

Committee: DAVID ANDERSON,
 S. W. PAINE,
 A. J. TAYLOR.

Report No. 3

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the members and friends of the Eighty-Fifth Annual Session of the Lockport Conference assembled; Greetings! God has brought us through another year and permitted us to come together in this beautiful and sacred spot once more for our Annual gathering. May it be one signally owned of Him and made highly successful because of His out-poured blessing.

Since our last session we have rejoiced in the victory given our armies in the Pacific and thank God for it. But though we rejoiced to have what we called "peace" again, it really seems to be "no peace." Confusion, strife and unrest abound everywhere, and destruction and disaster are on every hand and make us think of the words of Jesus as recorded in Luke 21:27: "When these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads, for your redemption draweth nigh." Then in verse 36 He urges us "Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of Man." We see no encouragement here for the attitude of some in teaching that when Jesus comes to catch away His Bride He will take some from moving picture houses, road houses, etc. Rather we need to exhort one another in the words of an old song:

"Comrades, be watchful, be wakeful,
 While we the foe do bombard;
 Soldiers who are fighting for Jesus,
 Must not be found sleeping on guard."

We believe a good degree of progress has been made along different lines during the year, and that reports made to the body will be encouraging and gratifying. We expect a full budget on all items, and the

response to the Extension program has been almost, if not fully one hundred per cent. The developments in Batavia during the year I shall leave to be reported by Brother Woodhouse, but will say that I believe you will find that his report will warrant your action of last year in re-opening the work in that field. We join with him in giving God praise!

At Medix Run, Pennsylvania, a group of seven adults has been organized into a Wesleyan Methodist Church. They have a good substantial place of worship free of debt. With the help of \$50.00 of Conference money granted by your action last year, they have now a nice new oak floor in their church, and have made other improvements. For the past two years they have had preaching and pastoral care from the Castle Garden Church. Brother and Sister Hickok are well received there and report a commendable degree of financial support and a splendid spirit of coöperation and interest in our Church program prevailing.

Travel

I have visited the following places during the year in Quarterly meetings or in the care of the general interests of the Conference: Batavia, Belleville, Big Tree Bible School, Bradford, Buffalo (three times), Cuba, Cadwells Corners, Castle Garden, Chestnut Ridge, Ellicott, East Leon, Fillmore, Forestville, McRae Brook, Medix Run, Olean, Ransomville, Rich Valley, and Wellsville.

Official Acts and Appointments

On July 2, 1945 appointed the Rev. Mary E. Bennett pastor of the Forestville charge.

August 13, 1945, appointed Harlan A. Hill pastor of East Aurora Church, according to Conference action which was on condition that he pass an examination on the Book of Discipline.

August 26, 1945, I received a request from Marion Birch, one of our Conference preachers, for ordination, since he and his wife were going at once to Africa as missionaries. Brother Birch had fully met all the requirements for ordination, and we could appreciate the advantage this would be to him in going to the mission field. So after careful consideration, and with the full concurrence of my Advisory Board and of the Committee on Itineracy and Orders, we arranged for a special service and ordained him September 23, 1945 at Houghton, New York in the College church.

October 4, 1945, upon a request from Mrs. Myrtle B. Squire, a local preacher in the Chestnut Ridge Wesleyan Methodist Church, and a petition from the Pulpit Supply Committee of the Raymond Community Church near Lockport, New York, I appointed Mrs. Squire pastor of said Community Church, issued her a Conference Preacher's license; also Authorization papers, these both to expire at the end of the Conference year. This action was taken with the approval of my Advisory Board.

June 20, 1945, appointed Clark Gitchel to care for the Sunday School at Wales Hollow, N. Y.

March 18, 1946, issued Authorization license to Blaine West for the remaining of the Conference year, this having been overlooked earlier.

April 18, 1946, with my Advisory Board, I agreed to the calling of the Rev. D. W. Summers of the Canada Conference to the pastorate of the Cattaraugus Church.

May 2, 1946 received the Rev. D. W. Summers by letter of transfer from the Canada Conference.

May 2, 1946, appointed the Revs. G. N. Osgood, James R. Redstone, and A. Gordon Wolfe, Committee on Temporary Organization.

May 31, 1946, appointed Stephen W. Paine and Rudolph C. Nelson as lay members of the Committee on Itineracy and Orders.

May 22, 1946, consented to the calling of the Rev. Charles Foster of the Michigan Conference to be pastor of the East Aurora Church, my Board concurring.

May 26, 1946, organized a group of seven adults at Medix Run, Pa., into a Wesleyan Methodist Church.

Financial Statement

Expense: Time and travel, \$190.70; phone calls, \$15.79; postage, \$9.36. Total expense, \$215.85.

Receipts: From the churches, \$75.30; from the Conference treasury, \$140.55. Total receipts, \$215.85. Respectfully submitted,

Signed: ARTHUR J. TAYLOR, President.

O. K. Auditing Committee.

Report No. 4

RECOMMENDATION FROM THE W. Y. P. S.

We, the Young People's Organization of the Lockport Conference, wish to voice our desire before the Annual Session of the Lockport Conference to see a permanent system of pioneer work established in the Conference. We offer to back such a move with our talents, prayers, and offerings.

Signed: H. A. SMITH, President;
A. G. WOLFE, Vice-President;
FLORENCE COLE, Secretary.

Report No. 5

TREASURER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Receipts		Disbursements	
Cash on Hand	\$ 137.89	Paid on Indebtedness ...	\$1000.00
From Conf. Treasurer ...	1667.93	Interest, Taxes, Expenses	199.83
Receipts for Ext'n Work	1412.00	Church Equip't, Batavia..	285.00
		Church Extension Work..	1680.00
Total Receipts	\$3217.82	Cash on Hand	52.99
		Total Disbursements ..	\$3217.82

Financial Statement

Batavia Indebtedness at the beginning of Conference Year	\$4400.00
Paid on Principal	1000.00
Present Indebtedness	\$3400.00

Signed: RUDOLPH NELSON, Treasurer.

O. K. Auditing Committee.

Report No. 6

CONFERENCE SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY'S REPORT

We are glad to report the work of the Lockport Conference Sunday Schools as growing. We have only gone where asked this year to speak or help with the work. There has been quite a bit of correspondence done but the response from the schools, as usual, has been slow and thus retarded the work.

We are glad to report that some of our new schools are growing and that many schools have gained in attendance. We are more than pleased with the new school in Batavia and have found it to be one of, if not, the best organized and managed schools we have ever visited. We believe every school could do it if some one had the vision and soul burden.

Our financial report follows: Cash on hand at the beginning of the year, \$8.50; Received from the Conference Treasurer, \$30.00; Buffalo Meeting, \$1.00; Batavia Meeting, \$2.00. Total, \$41.50. Expenditures: For 1945 Conference speaker, \$15.00; Phone and Office Expense, \$7.30; Travel, A. R. Everts, \$5.00. Total, \$27.30. Balance on hand, \$14.20.

Signed: A. R. EVERTS, Conf. S. S. Sec'y.

O. K. Auditing Committee.

Report No. 7

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Board of Trustees of the Lockport Annual Conference met during the session of the Annual Conference, June 5—9, 1946, on the Campground at Houghton, New York, and respectfully present the following recommendations:

1. The payment of all financial accounts incident to the present session of the Annual Conference.
2. The payment of \$50.00 each to the Rev. Walter Readett, Mrs. Beulah Markell, and Mrs. Anna Elliott from the Superannuated Fund.
3. The payment to the Rev. James R. Redstone, Secretary, and to the Rev. George N. Osgood, Treasurer, \$30.00 each, plus office expenses for the year ending June 4, 1947.
4. That we pay \$500.00 on the Conference indebtedness.
5. That the salary of the Conference President be \$2400.00 a year, plus traveling expenses at five cents per mile.
6. That offerings be received in meetings conducted by the Conference President, said offerings to be applied on the President's support.
7. That the amount for Conference work be the same as last year.
8. That the Secretary of the Conference be authorized to distribute suitable stationery as shall be approved by the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees. Also 350 copies of the Minutes of this session of Conference, to the several charges.
9. That the Budget for Conference Entertainment be at the rate of 30 cents per member.
10. That Mrs. Anna Shawd be given \$25.00 for her services in the dining hall, and other help be paid at a rate agreed upon by the Rev. Adrian Everts, and the President of the Conference.
11. That the expenses of transporting the Conference tent, \$10.00, be paid to Carl Nieman.
12. That the Rev. Miss Mary E. Bennett be paid the sum of \$5.00 for clerical work done during this session of Conference.
13. That the Committee on Pastoral Relation outline the duties and details of the work of the traveling Conference President.
14. That inasmuch as the Discipline of the Wesleyan Methodist Church relative to the wedding ring is not interpreted by the General Conference as a test of membership, each pastor is to follow his own conscience in relation to the matter.
15. That the Secretary of the Board of Trustees be authorized to use the Conference Seal on all legal papers.
16. That the organization of the Board of Trustees be as follows: Chairman, Rev. Arthur J. Taylor; Secretary, Rev. David Anderson;

Treasurer, Rudolph C. Nelson; the Executive Committee to consist of the officers of the Board.

Board: ARTHUR J. TAYLOR,
J. R. PITT,
C. I. ARMSTRONG,
EVERETT E. ELLIOTT,
DAVID ANDERSON,
CHESTER E. YORK,
RUDOLPH C. NELSON.

Report No. 8

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1945-46

Budget Items	Balance on Hand at the Beginning of the Year	Cash Receipts	Total Cash Credits	Disbursements	Balance on Hand
Foreign Missions		\$78.78	\$78.78	\$78.78	.....
Home Missions		495.14	495.14	495.14	.....
Conference Fund	\$1129.45	1643.53	2772.98	1805.48	\$967.50
Education		417.25	417.25	417.25	.....
Orphanage		68.68	68.68	68.68	.....
Connectional Sunday School		83.45	83.45	83.45	.....
Conference Sunday School	48.03	16.70	64.73	30.00	34.73
Conference Entertainment	457.91	283.25	741.16	104.62	636.54
Conference Extension	287.93		287.93	287.93	.....
General Conference Delegates	16.50		16.50		16.50
Totals	\$1939.82	\$3086.78	\$5026.60	\$3371.33	\$1655.27

O. K. Auditing Committee.

Signed: GEORGE N. OSGOOD.

Report No. 9

MEMORIAL TO GENERAL CONFERENCE

In order to make the meaning clearer, and to help make it easier for the pastors to give more uniform reports, and to make the Sunday School statistics more clearly correct, I move that we, the Lockport Annual Conference, memorialize the next session of the General Conference to amend the Discipline, Article 177, Page 99, Item IV of the notes, by striking out the entire first sentence and substituting in its place the words, "line five is the whole number of persons in the main school, which is the total of lines three and four and such officers as are not teachers or scholars."

THE LOCKPORT CONFERENCE

Report No. 10
BUDGET APPORTIONMENT

Charge	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Orphanage	Connectional Sunday School	Conference President's Salary	Conference Work	Conference Entertainment	Connectional W. Y. P. S.	Conference Sunday School	Totals
1|Ashwood	\$42	\$21	\$31.50	\$5.25	\$2.00	\$52.50	\$36.96	\$6.30	\$4.00	\$.40	\$201.91
2|Batavia					5.00					1.00	6.00
3|Belleville	44	22	33.00	5.50	1.75	55.00	38.72	6.60		.35	206.92
4|Bradford	222	111	166.50	27.75	9.50	277.50	195.36	33.30	10.00	1.90	1054.81
5|Buffalo	62	31	46.50	7.75	1.95	77.50	54.56	9.30	6.00	.39	296.95
6|Cadwells	24	12	18.00	3.00	.90	30.00	21.12	3.60		.18	112.80
7|Castle Garden	30	15	22.50	3.75	2.20	37.50	26.40	4.50		.44	142.29
8|Cattaraugus	108	54	81.00	13.50	4.25	135.00	95.04	16.20	5.00	.85	512.84
9|Chestnut Ridge	36	18	27.00	4.50	2.35	45.00	31.68	5.40	4.50	.47	174.90
10|Cuba					2.50					.50	3.00
11|East Aurora	60	30	45.00	7.50	3.35	75.00	52.80	9.00	11.00	.67	294.32
12|East Leon	74	37	55.50	9.25	2.80	92.50	65.12	11.10	11.50	.56	359.33
13|Ellicott	42	21	31.50	5.25	2.60	52.50	36.96	6.30		.52	198.63
14|Fillmore	100	50	75.00	12.50	2.15	125.00	88.00	15.00	12.00	.43	480.08
15|Forestville	70	35	52.50	8.75	3.75	87.50	61.60	10.50	6.00	.75	336.35
16|Hess Road	68	34	51.00	8.50	2.35	85.00	59.84	10.20	6.50	.47	325.86
17|Higgins	80	40	60.00	10.00	2.40	100.00	70.40	12.00	5.00	.48	380.28
18|Houghton	464	232	348.00	58.00	15.70	580.00	408.32	69.60	40.00	3.14	2218.76
19|Levant	118	59	88.50	14.75	7.20	147.50	103.84	17.70		1.44	557.93
20|Machias											
21|Medix Run	14	7	10.50	1.75	1.15	17.50	12.32	2.90		.23	66.55
22|McRae Brook	36	18	27.00	4.50	3.50	45.00	31.68	5.40		.70	171.78
23|Oakland					3.10					.62	3.72
24|Olean	132	66	99.00	16.50	6.45	165.00	116.16	19.80	10.00	1.29	632.20
25|Ransomville	26	13	19.50	3.25	1.50	32.50	22.88	3.90		.30	122.83
26|Rich Valley	62	31	46.50	7.75	3.55	77.50	54.56	9.30	5.00	.71	297.87
27|Wales Hollow					1.00					.20	1.20
28|Wellsville	34	17	25.50	4.25	2.20	42.50	29.92	5.10	8.00	.44	168.91
29|Leon					1.50					.30	1.80
30|Big Tree .....					.75					.15	.90
Totals	\$1948	\$974	\$1461.00	\$243.50	\$99.40	\$2435.00	\$1714.24	\$292.20	\$144.50	\$19.88	\$9331.72

Report No. 11
STATISTICAL REPORT

Item I. Pastor's Labors. Item II. Periodicals

Charge	Time Employed (Months)	Item I. Pastor's Labors																			Item II. Periodicals	
	Appointments	No. of Church Societies	Wesleyan Methodists Taken	Wesleyan Missionaries Taken	Wesleyan Youths Taken	Sunday School Banner	Junior Class Paper	Children's Friend	Teacher's Quarterly	Senior Quarterly	Intermediate Quarterly	Junior Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Home Dept. Quarterly	Lesson Leaflets	Our Little Folks Cards	Bible Lesson Chart	Pupil's Lesson Stories, Etc.	Bible Lesson Stories, Etc.			
1 Ashwood	12	1	1	6	8	2	20	4	4	5	25	5	15	15	4	4	1	15	4			
2 Batavia	12	1	1	60	10	13	30	15	10	6	50	20	15	10	10	15	1	15	8			
3 Belleville	12	1	1	10	15	8	10	8	6	6	44	20	10	11	20	6	1	6	8			
4 Bradford	12	1	1	60	15	8	90	20	30	15	80	25	20	15	20	30	1	15	8			
5 Buffalo	12	1	1	7	5	4	30	30	5	10	40	20	24	10	12	5	1	1	5			
6 Cadwells	12	1	1	6	5	3	8	6	5	3	8	5	5	4	6	1	1	1	5			
7 Castle Garden	12	1	1	9	10	6	20	20	14	7	24	10	10	10	5	10	1	10	8			
8 Cattaraugus	12	1	1	29	31	3	50	14	12	13	55	7	16	12	14	14	1	14	8			
9 Chestnut Ridge	12	1	1	3	3	3	20	16	10	5	15	10	12	10	5	10	1	10	8			
10 Cuba	12	1	1	2	2	15	10	10	6	6	10	10	8	10	1	1	1	1	8			
11 East Aurora	12	1	1	13	11	27	30	5	6	34	6	6	6	5	15	5	5	5	8			
12 East Leon	12	1	1	14	19	34	30	17	18	5	40	6	13	5	19	10	4	15	8			
13 Ellicott	12	1	1	12	5	2	30	30	10	6	16	15	16	10	10	1	1	10	8			
14 Fillmore	12	1	1	24	15	10	40	18	10	4	12	10	10	10	8	1	1	10	8			
15 Forestville	12	2	1	13	16	12	42	18	18	9	49	18	23	10	8	1	8	10	8			
16 Hess Road	12	1	1	15	10	7	45	12	10	40	40	10	10	10	10	1	1	10	8			
17 Higgins	12	1	1	21	13	6	25	20	20	6	43	8	8	16	10	1	1	10	8			
18 Houghton	12	1	1	38	35	30	140	25	14	225	80	35	30	30	20	1	1	10	8			
19 Levant	12	1	1	20	27	10	50	25	15	5	70	25	30	12	6	1	1	10	8			
20 Machias	12	1	1	3	8	10	6	5	3	15	7	7	6	6	1	1	1	10	8			
21 Medix	12	1	1	10	6	20	20	6	12	6	12	12	12	12	20	1	1	10	8			
22 McRae Brook	12	1	1	3	6	30	25	20	4	10	15	4	10	10	36	1	1	10	8			
23 Oakland	12	2	1	32	20	8	50	30	20	50	10	20	15	15	20	1	1	10	8			
24 Olean	12	1	1	7	3	12	8	7	5	10	8	6	6	5	7	1	1	10	8			
25 Ransomville	12	1	1	13	21	6	50	10	6	38	15	8	10	15	16	2	10	6	8			
26 Rich Valley	12	1	1	1	7	9	3	3	3	14	10	14	8	4	8	1	10	6	8			
27 Wales Hollow	12	1	1	1	1	7	9	3	3	14	10	14	8	4	8	1	10	6	8			
28 Wellsville	12	1	1	4	5	14	30	14	20	8	16	10	14	8	8	1	10	6	8			
Totals	308	28	24	435	322	192	843	421	295	245	952	296	324	109	170	129	259	10	92	76		

STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Charge	Item III. Membership																
	Received	Expelled	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	Total Membership Lost	Number Reported Last Year	Present Number	Loss (or)	Gain	No. Under 14 Years of Age	Associate Members	Baptized	Unstationed Elders	Local Preachers	Number of Family Altars	Membership Tithing
1 Ashwood	1			1		1	21	21				3	2			6	9
2 Batavia					1	1	2	24	22	2						9	50
3 Belleville			1			2	24	111	111							3	80
4 Bradford	7		1	4	2	7	111	111				11	10			13	22
5 Buffalo	13		1		8	9	27	31		4		3		1	2	13	22
6 Cadwells			1		1	2	14	12	2			1	1			6	8
7 Castle Garden			1			1	16	15	1			11	8		1	12	12
8 Cattaraugus				1		1	55	54	1			2	1			17	29
9 Chestnut Ridge					1	1	19	18	1		1					3	12
10 Cuba																	
11 East Aurora	1			1	1	2	31	30	1			13	1			10	30
12 East Leon							37	37					1		1	10	25
13 Ellicott			1			1	20	19	1						2	7	10
14 Fillmore	2						48	50		2		5			2	14	29
15 Forestville	4			1		1	32	35				3	2		2	18	28
16 Hess Road	3				1	1	32	34		2	1		3			8	26
17 Higgins	3				2	2	39	40		1		5			1	11	31
18 Houghton	21			2	6	8	219	232		13	9	75	13	2	8	66	119
19 Levant	4			3		3	58	59		1		2	9		1	10	35
20 Machias							12	12									7
21 Medix	7						7	7		7			3			7	7
22 McRae Brook	2						16	18		2		7				4	6
23 Oakland																	
24 Olean	2		1		2	3	66	65	1			10	3		2	15	38
25 Ransomville	2						11	13		2			4		1	4	8
26 Rich Valley	1			1		1	31	31				1	3		6	24	24
27 Wales Hollow																	
28 Wellsville			3			3	20	17	3			6		1		7	14
Totals	73		10	14	25	49	959	983	13	24	11	158	52	4	29	238	667

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Item IV. Sunday Schools

Charge	No. of Sunday Schools	Whole No. of Officers	Whole No. of Teachers	Whole No. of Scholars in Main School	Total No. in Main School	No. Scholars in Home Dept.	No. on Cradle Roll	Total No. in Sunday School	Average Attendance	No. of Scholars Converted	No. Scholars Joining Church	No. Departmental Supts.	No. of Organized Classes	No. of Books in Library	Enroll. Vacation Bible School	Average Attendance V. B. S.
1 Ashwood	1	4	4	32	40	...	3	43	27	...	...	4	4	...	...	...
2 Batavia	1	7	9	123	139	...	11	150	101	60	...	...	9	20	...	...
3 Belleville	1	7	4	24	35	10	54	99	9	...	...	3	10	...	...	...
4 Bradford	1	6	11	173	190	10	18	218	101	...	2	2	11	165	...	...
5 Buffalo	1	4	5	30	39	6	8	53	32	6	10	4	1	12	...	...
6 Cadwells	1	3	3	12	18	6	9	33	11	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
7 Castle Garden	1	8	4	33	44	...	10	54	30	...	...	...	...	160	...	...
8 Cattaraugus	1	14	6	65	85	15	2	102	52	8	...	5	2	149	...	...
9 Chestnut Ridge	1	9	5	42	47	...	2	49	29	...	2	...	...	57	...	...
10 Cuba	1	3	6	41	50	...	...	50	30	6	...	...	5	...	...	...
11 East Aurora	1	4	6	57	67	...	25	92	41	...	...	...	6	...	...	...
12 East Leon	1	9	5	42	56	12	20	88	35	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
13 Ellicott	1	2	6	44	52	7	...	59	41	...	...	4	3	...	...	...
14 Fillmore	1	4	5	34	43	10	24	77	40	3	2	5	2	160	35	30
15 Forestville	2	16	8	68	75	...	...	75	50	...	...	...	...	40	...	...
16 Hess Road	1	11	7	29	47	...	12	59	47	1	3	3	...	328	46	40
17 Higgins	1	7	5	36	48	15	21	84	37	1	3	4	5	189	21	18
18 Houghton	1	10	14	290	314	27	17	358	192	110	5	5	...	...	...	...
19 Levant	1	12	8	124	144	6	12	162	80	15	4	4	...	335	...	...
20 Machias	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21 Medix	1	3	3	19	23	...	...	23	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22 McRae Brook	1	4	5	61	70	...	11	81	20	40	2	1	...	...	...	...
23 Oakland	2	9	7	46	62	4	20	82	53	...	...	4	5	75	25	25
24 Olean	1	11	11	107	129	17	28	174	72	...	2	5	...	120	...	...
25 Ransomville	1	5	4	21	30	2	...	32	15	...	...	...	...	50	...	...
26 Rich Valley	2	8	7	56	71	12	29	112	49	6	...	4	8	46	31	23
27 Wales Hollow	1	2	3	15	20	...	...	20	20	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
28 Wellsville	1	2	6	35	44	5	40	99	35	2	...	48
Totals	30	184	167	1782	1982	164	376	2528	1226	257	33	73	61	1964	158	136

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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
1 Ashwood	1	\$4000			1	\$2500			\$610.00
2 Batavia	1		\$2800		1		\$1600		5000.00
3 Belleville	1	1500		\$1250	1	1500		\$1450	168.00
4 Bradford	1	13000		11000	1	6000		5700	
5 Buffalo	1	7000	3000	12500					
6 Cadwells	1	2700							175.00
7 Castle Garden	1	4000		1500	1	2000		1500	187.00
8 Cattaraugus	1	10000		8800	1	2200		2000	370.00
9 Chestnut Ridge	1	5000		2100	1	2500		2900	1677.76
10 Cuba									40.00
11 East Aurora								2300	2070.00
12 East Leon	1	2000		1000	1	3000		2000	
13 Ellicott	1	3000		2000	1	2500	75	2100	
14 Fillmore	1	2500		1500	1	2500		2000	63.65
15 Forestville	1	1800		2000	1	2500		1200	
16 Hess Road	1	5000		3500	1	4500		3200	86.41
17 Higgins	1	2000		2000	1	1000		1000	1.88
18 Houghton	1	55000		40000					6851.00
19 Levant	1	5000		5000	1	4000		3000	352.00
20 Machias									
21 Medix	1	2000							8.29
22 McRae Brook	1	1500							
23 Oakland									
24 Olean	1	4000		2000	1	5000		4000	
25 Ransomville	1	2500		1000	1	2500		1000	35.11
26 Rich Valley	1	3500			1	4500		4000	340.00
27 Wales Hollow									
28 Wellsville									
Totals	22	\$137000	\$5800	\$97150	17	\$48700	\$1675	\$39350	\$18036.10

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Item VI. Contributed for Pastor

Charge	Salary	Parsonage Rent	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts	Total Pastor's Receipts
1 Ashwood	\$550.00	\$200.00	.....	\$77.78	\$827.78
2 Batavia .....	.....	.....	5.00	490.00	495.00
3 Belleville	790.44	96.00	10.00	300.00	1196.44
4 Bradford	2080.00	420.00	79.00	59.00	2638.00
5 Buffalo	1640.00	480.00	18.00	41.00	2179.00
6 Cadwells	436.63	100.00	6.00	158.03	700.66
7 Castle Garden	1020.00	100.00	.....	171.55	1291.55
8 Cattaraugus	1560.00	240.00	45.00	80.00	1925.00
9 Chestnut Ridge	640.00	.....	.....	100.00	740.00
10 Cuba	525.00	.....	15.00	21.00	561.00
11 East Aurora	1450.00	300.00	42.00	.....	1792.00
12 East Leon	1357.59	150.00	25.00	241.28	1773.87
13 Ellicott	1562.25	240.00	40.00	292.50	2134.75
14 Fillmore	1052.00	240.00	3.00	101.00	1396.00
15 Forestville	787.89	120.00	10.00	568.45	1486.34
16 Hess Road	1710.00	250.00	75.00	162.00	2197.00
17 Higgins	1144.00	150.00	40.00	91.00	1425.00
18 Houghton	2400.00	300.00	95.00	210.00	3005.00
19 Levant	1978.00	260.00	97.00	74.00	2409.00
20 Machias .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
21 Medix	322.79	.....	.....	12.00	344.79
22 McRae Brook	905.50	.....	.....	.....	905.50
23 Oakland .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24 Olean	1880.00	400.00	40.00	165.00	2486.00
25 Ransomville	286.45	300.00	50.80	.....	637.25
26 Rich Valley	1377.00	300.00	60.00	359.00	2096.00
27 Wales Hollow	104.21	.....	.....	.....	104.21
28 Wellsville	887.83	325.00	19.00	503.83	1735.76
Totals	\$28447.58	\$4971.00	\$774.80	\$4278.42	\$38482.90

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Item VII. Contributed for Church

Charge	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building	Repairs	Amount Paid on Indebtedness	Church Incidental Expense	Total for Church
1 Ashwood		\$31.47		\$337.90		\$104.00	\$473.37
2 Batavia	\$1936.71	250.00		740.00	\$1000.00	3000.00	6926.71
3 Belleville		63.72		14.00		19.00	96.72
4 Bradford	617.00	377.00		62.00		722.00	1778.00
5 Buffalo	318.12	139.09		31.52		454.63	943.36
6 Cadwells		34.01		30.09		28.91	93.01
7 Castle Garden	171.00			400.00		160.00	731.00
8 Cattaraugus	55.00	145.53		171.14		303.58	675.25
9 Chestnut Ridge	21.64	73.16				174.08	268.88
10 Cuba	51.35	57.84				117.85	227.04
11 East Aurora	302.58	92.63		48.78		432.43	876.42
12 East Leon	500.75	94.00		95.70		93.30	783.75
13 Ellicott	182.65	149.00		483.00		97.50	912.15
14 Fillmore	210.00	138.00		116.18		445.14	910.17
15 Forestville	336.64	153.55		44.50		324.53	859.22
16 Hess Road	45.16	203.09		169.20		113.40	530.85
17 Higgins	210.00	115.07		166.00		42.26	534.11
18 Houghton	465.00	524.00	\$571.00	42.00		6967.00	8569.00
19 Levant	244.00	120.00		836.00		448.00	1648.00
20 Machias							
21 Medix		63.91	189.55	150.00		11.10	414.56
22 McRae Brook	30.00	100.00				55.56	186.54
23 Oakland	27.48	138.62					166.10
24 Olean	203.00	208.00		292.00		406.00	1109.00
25 Ransomville	25.00	35.08		30.20		70.09	160.37
26 Rich Valley	87.00	88.72	516.00	52.00		171.26	915.18
27 Wales Hollow	111.31	41.44				47.63	200.38
28 Wellsville	110.88	136.13		8.70		564.44	820.15
Totals	\$6262.27	\$3573.06	\$1276.55	\$4320.91	\$1000.00	\$15373.69	\$31809.29

STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Item VIII. Contributed for Connectional Budget

Charge	Foreign Missions Assigned	Foreign Missions Raised	Home Missions Assigned	Home Missions Raised	Education Assigned	Education Raised
1 Ashwood	\$43.00	\$51.40	\$21.00	\$21.00	\$32.00	\$32.00
2 Batavia		30.00		3.00		
3 Belleville	49.00	84.27	24.00	32.27	37.00	37.27
4 Bradford	218.00	1202.88	109.00	109.00	161.00	161.00
5 Buffalo	55.00	118.41	28.00	22.00	42.00	45.00
6 Cadwells	29.00	55.25	14.00	19.76	21.00	32.80
7 Castle Garden	33.00	134.00	16.00	52.00	24.00	24.00
8 Cattaraugus	112.00	435.47	56.00	110.82	84.00	84.36
9 Chestnut Ridge	35.00	83.16	17.00	30.83	26.00	26.00
10 Cuba		29.45				
11 East Aurora	63.00	199.07	32.00	41.81	47.00	60.80
12 East Leon	75.00	422.73	38.00	77.88	57.00	57.00
13 Ellicott	41.00	281.34	20.00	143.34	31.00	32.00
14 Fillmore	98.00	478.77	49.00	49.00	73.00	73.00
15 Forestville	65.00	256.50	33.00	83.37	49.00	53.64
16 Hess Road	65.00	592.70	33.00	50.91	49.00	49.49
17 Higgins	80.00	197.24	40.00	48.25	61.00	61.51
18 Houghton	430.00	4999.07	215.00	215.00	323.00	601.08
19 Levant	118.00	1068.35	59.00	90.08	89.00	89.00
20 Machias						
21 Medix		43.86		8.65		
22 McRae Brook	33.00	33.00	16.00	16.00	24.00	24.00
23 Oakland						
24 Olean	135.00	328.40	67.00	110.28	101.00	101.00
25 Ransomville	22.00	69.66	11.00	20.00	17.00	17.00
26 Rich Valley	59.00	113.57	30.00	297.76	44.00	44.00
27 Wales Hollow						
28 Wellsville	41.00	43.73	20.00	20.00	31.00	34.54
Totals	\$1799.00	\$11352.28	\$948.00	\$1673.01	\$1374.00	\$1739.69

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Item VIII. Contributed for Connectional Budget—Continued

Charge	Orphanage Assigned	Orphanage Raised	Connectional S. S. Work Assigned	Connectional S. S. Work Raised	Total Connectional Budget Assigned	Total Connectional Budget Raised
1 Ashwood	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$2.10	\$2.10	\$103.10	\$111.50
2 Batavia						33.00
3 Belleville	6.00	6.00	1.95	1.95	117.95	161.69
4 Bradford	27.00	27.00	6.65	6.65	521.65	1506.53
5 Buffalo	7.00	7.00	2.50	2.50	134.50	194.91
6 Cadwells	4.00	4.50	1.10	1.20	69.10	113.51
7 Castle Garden	4.00	7.00	2.50	2.50	79.50	219.50
8 Cattaraugus	14.00	14.00	3.40	3.40	269.40	648.05
9 Chestnut Ridge	4.00	7.60	2.70	2.70	84.70	150.29
10 Cuba						29.45
11 East Aurora	8.00	9.00	3.05	3.05	153.05	313.73
12 East Leon	9.00	9.00	3.20	3.20	182.20	569.81
13 Ellicott	5.00	5.00	3.15	3.15	100.15	464.83
14 Fillmore	12.00	12.00	2.60	2.60	234.60	615.37
15 Forestville	8.00	8.00	3.30	3.30	158.30	404.81
16 Hess Road	8.00	10.00	3.80	3.80	158.80	706.90
17 Higgins	10.00	10.00	2.15	2.15	193.15	319.15
18 Houghton	55.00	58.48	14.10	14.10	1037.10	5887.73
19 Levant	15.00	47.08	7.30	7.30	288.30	1301.81
20 Machias						
21 Medix		5.00				57.51
22 McRae Brook	4.00	4.00	2.75	2.75	79.75	79.75
23 Oakland						
24 Olean	17.00	17.00	7.45	7.50	327.45	564.27
25 Ransomville	3.00	9.00	1.00	1.45	64.00	117.11
26 Rich Valley	7.00	12.00	3.45	3.45	143.45	470.78
27 Wales Hollow						
28 Wellsville	5.00	5.00	2.65	2.65	99.65	105.92
Totals	\$237.00	\$298.66	\$79.85	\$83.45	\$3498.75	\$15147.91

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Item VIII. Contributed for Conference Budget

Charge	Conference Work Assigned	Conference Work Raised	Conference Entertainment Assigned	Conference Entertainment Raised	W. Y. P. S. Assigned	W. Y. P. S. Raised
1|Ashwood	\$38.00	\$38.00	\$6.00	\$6.00	\$3.00	\$3.00
2|Batavia						
3|Belleville	44.00	44.00	7.00	7.00		
4|Bradford	196.00	196.00	33.00	33.00	16.50	16.50
5|Buffalo	49.00	49.00	8.00	8.00	7.50	7.50
6|Cadwells	26.00	26.00	4.00	4.25		
7|Castle Garden	29.00	29.00	5.00	5.00		
8|Cattaraugus	101.00	101.00	17.00	17.00	4.50	4.50
9|Chestnut Ridge	31.00	31.00	5.00	5.00	4.00	4.50
10|Cuba						
11|East Aurora	57.00	57.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00
12|East Leon	68.00	76.31	11.00	11.00	10.50	10.50
13|Ellicott	37.00	37.25	6.00	6.00		
14|Fillmore	88.00	88.00	15.00	15.00	10.50	10.50
15|Forestville	59.00	59.00	10.00	10.00		
16|Hess Road	59.00	59.00	10.00	10.00	6.50	6.50
17|Higgins	71.00	71.00	12.00	12.00	6.00	6.00
18|Houghton	386.00	386.00	64.00	64.00	35.00	35.00
19|Levant	106.00	106.00	18.00	18.00		
20|Machias						
21|Medix						
22|McRae Brook	29.00	52.11	5.00	5.00		
23|Oakland						
24|Olean	121.00	121.00	20.00	20.00	11.00	11.00
25|Ransomville	20.00	20.00	3.00	3.00		
26|Rich Valley	53.00	53.00	9.00	9.00	3.50	3.50
27|Wales Hollow						
28 Wellsville	37.00	37.00	6.00	6.00	10.00	10.00
Totals	\$1705.00	\$1736.67	\$283.00	\$283.25	\$137.50	\$137.50

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Item VIII. Contributed for Conference Budget—Continued

Charge	Conference Sunday School Assigned	Conference Sunday School Raised	Total Conf. Budget Assigned	Total Conf. Budget Raised	Total Budget Assigned	Total Budget Raised
1 Ashwood	\$.42	\$.42	\$47.42	\$47.42	\$150.52	\$158.92
2 Batavia						33.00
3 Belleville .....	.39	.39	51.39	51.39	169.34	213.08
4 Bradford	1.33	1.33	246.83	246.83	768.48	1753.36
5 Buffalo .....	.50	.50	65.00	65.02	199.50	259.93
6 Cadwells .....	.22	.25	30.22	30.50	99.32	144.01
7 Castle Garden .....	.50	.50	34.50	34.50	114.00	254.00
8 Cattaraugus .....	.68	.68	123.18	123.18	392.58	771.23
9 Chestnut Ridge .....	.54	.54	40.54	41.04	125.24	191.33
10 Cuba						
11 East Aurora .....	.61	.61	75.61	75.61	228.66	389.34
12 East Leon .....	.64	.64	90.14	98.45	272.34	668.26
13 Ellicott .....	.63	.63	43.63	43.88	143.78	508.71
14 Fillmore .....	.52	.52	114.02	114.02	348.62	729.39
15 Forestville .....	.66	.66	69.66	69.66	227.96	474.47
16 Hess Road .....	.76	.76	76.26	76.26	235.06	783.16
17 Higgins .....	.43	.43	89.43	89.43	282.58	408.58
18 Houghton	2.82	2.82	487.82	487.82	1524.92	6375.55
19 Levant	1.46	1.46	125.46	125.46	413.76	1427.27
20 Machias						
21 Medix						57.51
22 McRae Brook .....	.55	.55	34.55	57.66	114.30	137.41
23 Oakland						
24 Olean	1.49	1.50	153.49	153.50	480.94	717.77
25 Ransomville .....	.20	.29	23.20	23.29	77.20	140.40
26 Rich Valley .....	.69	.69	66.19	66.19	209.64	536.97
27 Wales Hollow						
28 Wellsville53	.53	53.53	53.53	153.18	159.45
Totals	\$16.57	\$16.61	\$2142.07	\$2174.64	\$6731.92	\$17293.10

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Item IX. Contributed for Benevolences

Charge	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Orphanage	Conference Work	Other Objects
1|Ashwood		\$157.50				\$31.25
2|Batavia	\$60.00					10.00
3|Belleville	15.00	147.05				63.00
4|Bradford	60.00	121.00				1219.00
5|Buffalo	8.00	10.00				27.88
6|Cadwells			\$20.00			48.00
7|Castle Garden						
8|Cattaraugus	342.34	277.25				72.00
9|Chestnut Ridge						883.50
10|Cuba						
11|East Aurora		24.57	24.52			47.43
12|East Leon	98.53	508.25				25.00
13|Ellicott						56.00
14|Fillmore	52.29	3.15				27.69
15|Forestville	48.71					256.45
16|Hess Road	51.71	209.50			\$5.00	110.33
17|Higgins	67.60	8.00	9.18			
18|Houghton	2119.00	706.00				583.00
19|Levant	23.00	119.00				267.00
20|Machias						
21|Medix						26.50
22|McRae Brook						478.50
23|Oakland	45.60	5.00				
24|Olean						
25|Ransomville		10.00				40.00
26|Rich Valley		54.00		\$15.00		96.20
27|Wales Hollow	13.80	10.00				7.85
28 Wellsville	6.00	76.35			6.00	5.20
Totals	\$3011.58	\$2446.62	\$53.70	\$15.00	\$11.00	\$4381.78

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Item IX. Contributed for Benevolences—Continued

Charge	Batavia	Thanksgiving Offering	Wesleyan Radio Hour	Conference Extension	Total for Benevolences
1 Ashwood		\$1.50	\$18.00	\$5.00	\$213.25
2 Batavia		15.00	5.00		90.00
3 Belleville	\$17.35	10.00	44.85	36.00	333.25
4 Bradford		42.00	615.00	170.00	2227.00
5 Buffalo	64.61			28.00	138.49
6 Cadwells	33.75	1.00	27.08	19.50	149.33
7 Castle Garden	13.00	7.00		24.00	44.00
8 Cattaraugus	75.00	11.00	83.39	82.50	943.48
9 Chestnut Ridge	26.25	8.14	5.00	25.50	948.39
10 Cuba					
11 East Aurora	25.00	5.25	184.24	39.40	350.41
12 East Leon	61.60	11.58	118.50	55.50	878.96
13 Ellicott	25.00	30.00	40.00	28.00	179.00
14 Fillmore	51.40	9.00	126.37	72.00	371.90
15 Forestville	35.00	15.14	86.22	48.00	489.52
16 Hess Road	31.95	6.26	54.50	46.00	515.25
17 Higgins	12.00	11.62	167.71	65.60	341.71
18 Houghton	50.00	32.48	150.00	328.50	3968.98
19 Levant	50.00	24.00	92.00	90.00	665.00
20 Machias					
21 Medix		3.50			30.00
22 McRae Brook	20.00		21.00	24.00	543.50
23 Oakland	9.57				60.17
24 Olean	105.00	25.00	204.00	111.00	445.00
25 Ransomville	26.00	6.00	15.00	12.45	109.45
26 Rich Valley	30.00	15.00	109.00	50.00	369.20
27 Wales Hollow		3.00			34.65
28 Wellsville		15.00	19.00	30.00	157.55
Totals	\$762.48	\$308.47	\$4021.86	\$1390.95	\$14597.44

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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
1 Ashwood	\$827.78	\$473.37	\$158.92	\$213.25	\$1673.32
2 Batavia	495.00	6926.71	33.00	90.00	7544.71
3 Belleville	1196.44	96.72	213.08	333.25	1839.49
4 Bradford	2638.00	1778.00	1753.36	2227.00	8396.36
5 Buffalo	2179.00	943.36	259.93	138.49	3520.78
6 Cadwells	700.66	93.01	144.01	149.33	1087.01
7 Castle Garden	1291.55	731.00	254.00	44.00	2320.55
8 Cattaraugus	1925.00	675.25	771.23	943.48	4314.96
9 Chestnut Ridge	740.00	268.88	191.33	948.39	2148.60
10 Cuba	561.00	227.04	29.45	.....	817.49
11 East Aurora	1792.00	876.42	389.34	350.41	3408.17
12 East Leon	1773.87	783.75	668.26	878.96	4104.72
13 Ellicott	2134.75	912.15	508.71	179.00	3734.61
14 Fillmore	1396.00	910.17	729.38	371.90	3407.45
15 Forestville	1366.34	859.22	474.47	489.52	3189.55
16 Hess Road	2197.00	530.85	783.16	515.25	4026.26
17 Higgins	1425.00	534.11	408.58	341.71	2709.29
18 Houghton	3005.00	8569.00	6375.55	3968.98	21918.53
19 Levant	2409.00	1648.00	1427.27	665.00	6149.27
20 Machias .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
21 Medix	344.79	414.56	57.51	30.00	846.86
22 McRae Brook	905.50	186.54	137.41	543.50	1772.95
23 Oakland	965.54	166.10	.....	60.17	1191.81
24 Olean	2486.00	1109.00	717.77	405.00	4757.77
25 Ransomville	637.25	160.37	140.40	109.45	1047.47
26 Rich Valley	2096.00	915.18	536.97	369.20	3917.35
27 Wales Hollow	104.21	200.38	.....	34.65	339.24
28 Wellsville	1735.76	820.15	159.45	157.55	2872.96
Totals	\$38482.90	\$31809.29	\$17293.10	\$14597.44	\$81139.00

Report No. 12

PASTORAL RELATION COMMITTEE'S REPORT

1. How many Elders on the Conference Roll? 39.

2. Who are the Elders on the Stationed List? A. J. Taylor, J. R. Pitt, C. I. Armstrong, A. A. Hickok, G. N. Osgood, David Anderson, J. R. Redstone, Peter Miller, N. R. Shaffer, M. K. Shaffer, A. R. Everts, Gorden Thurber, A. L. Fillmore, E. E. Elliott, M. E. Bennett, R. N. Lytle, A. G. Wolfe, R. E. Lapham, H. E. Enty, F. C. Taylor, C. J. White, H. R. Smith, H. A. Smith, R. M. Gibbs, E. B. Simons, I. W. George, Daniel Heinz, Marion Birch, D. W. Summers.

3. Who of the Annual Conference Preachers are on the Stationed List? Theodore Pagett, M. H. Vincent, A. M. Larson, Maurice Babcock, Calla Babcock, Ernest Nichols, Jack Harris, Howard Parks, Maurice Moore.

4. Who of the Elders are on the Supernumerary List? Maurice A. Gibbs, Clarence Barnett.

5. Who of the Elders are on the Unstationed List? C. M. Dudley, H. J. Bullock, W. N. Osgood, Gertrude Clocksin, E. H. Johnson, Zelia Johnson.

6. Who of the Elders are on the Superannuated List? Walter Readett, Charles Sicard.

7. Who of the Elders have been deposed this year? None.

8. Who of the Elders have withdrawn this year?

(1) By Transfer: None.

(2) By joining another religious body: John E. Bruce.

(3) By Letter of Standing: None.

9. Who have joined the Conference this year?

(1) By Ordination: Marion Birch, Daniel Heinz.

(2) By Letter of Transfer: D. W. Summers.

(3) By Letter of Standing from another Religious Body: None.

10. Who of the Elders have died during the year? None.

11. Who of the Conference Preachers have died during the year? None.

12. How is the work supplied? Ashwood,¹ Frank C. Taylor; Batavia, Supplied by John Woodhouse; Belleville,² Theodore Pagett; Bradford,¹¹¹ David Anderson; Buffalo,³ J. R. Pitt; Cadwell's Corners,¹² in the hands of the President; Castle Garden¹⁵ and Medix Run,¹ A. A. Hickok; Cattaraugus,⁵⁴

D. W. Summers; **Chestnut Ridge**,¹⁸ in the hands of the President; **Cuba**, Jack Harris; **East Aurora**,³⁴ Supplied by Charles Foster; **East Leon**,³⁴ Howard Parks; **Ellicott**,⁴ Adrian R. Everts; **Fillmore**, Daniel Heinz; **Forestville**,³⁵ Mary E. Bennett; **Hess Road**,³ Everett E. Elliott; **Higgins**,² Herman A. Smith, Helen R. Smith; **Houghton**,³³² C. I. Armstrong; **Leon Wesleyan Mission**, in the hands of the President; **Levant**,⁴⁸ George N. Osgood; **Machias**,¹² C. J. White; **McRae Brook**,¹⁸ Roy M. Gibbs; **Olean**, in the hands of the President; **Oakland**, Supplied by Maurice Moore; **Ransomville**,¹³ Maurice Babcock, Calla Babcock; **Rich Valley**,³¹ M. H. Vincent; **Wales Hollow**, in the hands of the President; **Wellsville**,¹⁷ A. Mark Larson; **Big Tree**, in the hands of the President.

General Evangelists: Erwin Enty, A. Gordon Wolfe, J. R. Redstone, Gordon Thurber.

Missionary to San Blas Islands: Peter Miller.

Congregational Church, Black Creek, N. Y.: Eldyn Simons.

Dean of Women, Cleveland Bible College: Anna L. Fillmore.

Mexican Mission, Vista, California: Roma E. Lapham.

Methodist Church, Centerville, N. Y., Presbyterian Church, Pike, N. Y.: N. R. Shaffer, M. K. Shaffer.

Missionary of American Sunday School Union: Ira W. George.

Missionary, Colombia, South America: Robert N. Lytle.

German Settlement Evangelical Church: Supplied by Ernest Nichols.

Signed: A. J. TAYLOR,
DAVID ANDERSON,
C. I. ARMSTRONG,
ERWIN ENTY,
CHARLES SIMONS,
MABEL MOSHER,
MARTHA PARKER.

Report No. 13**COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY AND ORDERS**

Your Committee on Itinerary and Orders respectfully recommend:

1. That Daniel Heinz, having fulfilled requirements, according to the Discipline, be ordained during the present session of Conference.
2. That the following persons be continued to study and travel under the direction of Conference, and that they be granted authorization papers: Theodore Pagett, Marion Vincent, A. Mark Larson, Ernest Nichols.
3. That Jack Harris be received to study and travel under the direction of Conference, and that Mrs. Myrtle Bathurst Squires, Howard Parks and Maurice Moore be received to study and travel under the direction of Conference, and be granted authorization papers.
4. That Mrs. Geneva Pritchard be received to pursue the Course of Study under the direction of Conference.
5. That Maurice Babcock, and Mrs. Calla Babcock be continued to travel and to pursue the Course of Study.
6. That Albert Warner, G. Fred Lodge, Paul Markell, and H. Willard Ortlip be continued to pursue the Course of Study under the direction of Conference.

Signed: JOSEPH R. PITT,
ARTHUR J. TAYLOR,
DAVID ANDERSON,
GEORGE OSGOOD.

MINUTES
OF THE
FOURTEENTH
ANNUAL CONVENTION
AND
STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR ENDING
APRIL 19, 1946
OF THE
WESLEYAN YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY
OF THE
LOCKPORT CONFERENCE
HELD AT
THE HESS ROAD WESLEYAN CHURCH
APPLETON, NEW YORK
APRIL 19, 1946

REV. HERMAN SMITH, President;
MRS. ESTHER WILDAY, Secretary.

STANDING RULES

1. **Delegates to the Annual Convention.**—The number of delegates each local society may send to the Lockport Conference W. Y. P. S. business meeting is limited as follows: one delegate for each ten active members, or majority fraction thereof, the number of delegates from one society not to exceed five or be less than one.

2. **Local Society Dues.**—Conference Dues, Each local society shall pay into the W. Y. P. S. treasury each year the sum of one dollar for each fifteen active members or majority fraction thereof, no society to be asked to give in excess of five dollars, and such money to be used to carry on the work of the Executive Committee.

3. **Date of the Annual Convention.**—The annual W. Y. P. S. Convention of the Lockport Conference shall be held on Good Friday.

DIRECTORY OF THE W. Y. P. S.

CONFERENCE OFFICERS AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

President—Rev. Herman A. Smith, Freedom, N. Y.

Vice-President—Rev. A. Gordon Wolfe, R. D. 2, Cattaraugus, N. Y.

Secretary—Mrs. Esther Wilday, Fillmore, N. Y.

Treasurer—Mrs. Arma Turnstrom, Fillmore, N. Y.

DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

Northern District:

Chairman—Rev. Adrian R. Everts, Orchard Park, N. Y.

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. Myrtle Squire, 28 Franklin St., Lockport, N. Y.

Third Member—Rev. Everett Elliott, Appleton, N. Y.

Societies:

Ashwood—Arlene Ellis, Albion, N. Y., R. D. 1; Mrs. Mary Eckler, Lyndonville, N. Y.

Buffalo—Mrs. Carol Bentley, 39 Villa Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.; Gertrude Birbeck, 408 Bird Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

Chestnut Ridge—Florence Barnett, Lockport, N. Y., R. D. 4; Rex Taylor, Lockport, N. Y., R. D. 4.

East Aurora—Betty Smith, Knox Road, East Aurora, N. Y.; Shirley Reed, 34 Hamburg St., East Aurora, N. Y.

Hess Road—Edna Dempey, Lockport, N. Y., R. D. 4; Millicemb Ames, Appleton, N. Y.

Central District:

Chairman—Rev. Daniel Heinz, Fillmore, N. Y.
 Secretary-Treasurer—Edna Arnold, Fillmore, N. Y.
 Third Member—Harmon Miller, Hume, N. Y.

Societies:

Fillmore—Ida Webster, Fillmore, N. Y.; Mrs. Anna Turnstrom,
 Fillmore, N. Y.
 Higgins—Harmon Miller, Hume, N. Y.; June Haskins, Freedom,
 N. Y.
 Houghton—Jack Harris, Houghton, N. Y.; Esther Smeenge,
 Houghton, N. Y.

Southern District:

Chairman—Howard Parks, Cattaraugus, N. Y.
 Secretary-Treasurer—Estella Howard, Cattaraugus, N. Y.
 Third Member—Mrs. June Wolfe, South Dayton, N. Y.

Societies:

Bradford—Helen Nicklas, 20 Noakshade Lane, Bradford, Pa.;
 Carol Meely, Rutherford Run, Pa.
 Cattaraugus—Harold Potter, Cattaraugus, N. Y.; Betty Darling,
 Cattaraugus, N. Y.
 East Leon—Grace Pritchard, Cattaraugus, N. Y., R. F. D.;
 Alberta Mosher, South Dayton, N. Y., R. F. D.
 Forestville—Mr. Nelson Crowell, South Dayton, N. Y.; Mr. Miles
 Wolfe, Forestville, N. Y.
 Olean—Margret Chittenden, 510 First Ave., Olean, N. Y.; Duane
 Huff, Indiana, Ave., Olean, N. Y.
 Rich Valley—William Panton, Emporium, Pa.; Isadore Bates,
 Emporium, Pa.
 Wellsville—David Shannon, Wellsville, N. Y.; Rosalea VanDruff,
 R. F. D. 3, Wellsville, N. Y.

(The first name given is the President, second, Secretary.)

ROLL OF DELEGATES

Ashwood—
 Bradford—
 Buffalo—Jean Claypoo, Rose Ellen McEwen.
 Cattaraugus—Betty Jean Darling.
 Chestnut Ridge—Deloras Taylor.
 East Leon—Alberta Mosher, Marjorie Waite.
 East Aurora—Harold Reed, Robert Smith.
 Fillmore—
 Hess Road—Lucy Mohlar.

Higgins—Esther Wilday.
 Houghton—Beverly Barnett, Herbert Dongell, Geneve Rathburn,
 Jack Harris.
 Olean—Margret Chittenden, Duane Huff.
 Rich Valley—Victor Carlson.
 Wellsville—Lillian Saddler, Rosalea VanDruff.

MINUTES OF THE CONVENTION

The fourteenth Annual W. Y. P. S. Convention of the Lockport Conference was held at the Hess Road Wesleyan Methodist Church on Good Friday, April 19, 1946 at 10:00 a. m., E. S. T.

Theme—"Fishers of Men."

Opening—The President, Rev. H. A. Smith, called the convention to order. Rev. Erwin Enty led in singing. Rev. Gordon Thurber led in devotion and prayer.

Panel Discussion—A panel discussion of the theme was made as follows:

"Personal Life of the Fisherman"—Rev. Erwin Enty.

"The Cast of the Fisherman"—Rev. Mary E. Bennett.

"The Catch"—Rev. Adrian Everts.

Appointment of Committees—A Nominating Committee was appointed by the President to meet at 12:45 consisting of the following: Marjorie Waite, Harold Reed, Delores Taylor, Lucy Mahlar, Esther Wilday, Margret Chittenden, Lillian Saddler. A meeting of the Executive Committee was also called to meet at 12:45 p. m.

Adjournment—We sang the chorus of "Fishers of Men" and were adjourned.

Afternoon Meeting, 1:00 p. m.

Opening—The afternoon meeting was called to order by a song service led by Rev. H. E. Enty.

Minutes and Roll Call—The business meeting was called to order, the minutes of last year's convention were read and approved. The Roll of Delegates was called and the bar of Conference formed.

Report Read—The Secretary read the Treasurer's Report, which was adopted as read. See Report No. 1.

President's Report—The President, Rev. H. A. Smith, read his report which was adopted as read. See Report No. 2.

Executive Committee Report—The Executive Committee read its report of recommendations which was accepted as read. See Report No. 3.

Election—The Nominating Committee gave its report as follows:

President—Rev. Herman Smith.

Vice-President—Rev. Gordon Wolfe.

Secretary—Mrs. Esther Wilday.

Treasurer—Mrs. Anna Turnstrom.

No other nominations being made, the report was accepted and the officers were elected by vote of the Conference.

Discussion of Activities—Reports on local society activities during the year, especially of youth week, were given and discussed by several societies. This proved a means of encouragement and inspiration for greater work in the coming year.

Awarding of Wall Plaque—A beautiful wall plaque of 2 Timothy 2:5 was given to the East Leon Society as winner in the recent contest. The contest was in paying of all dues and offering for Pioneer work, gain of active members, gain in youth subscriptions, and full delegate representation at the convention. The same contest will continue next year with a banner as a reward.

Invitation For Next Convention—A cordial invitation for next year's meeting was extended to the Convention by the Forestville society. The place of next years' convention was placed in the hands of the Executive Committee.

Business Meeting Adjourned—All business having been completed, the business session was adjourned by vote of the Conference.

Bible Study—Dr. Claude A. Ries gave a very stirring and heart warming study from Philippians, chapters one and two.

Adjournment—After the Bible study the afternoon meeting was adjourned by singing, "Take Time To Be Holy." Rev. H. A. Smith pronounced the benediction.

Evening Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

Opening—The meeting was opened by a song service led by Harlan Hill. Two special numbers were sung by Beverly Barnett and Harlan Hill.

Bible Study Continued—Dr. C. A. Ries continued the excellent study of Philippians, covering chapters three and four.

Adjourned—The convention was adjourned by singing "Beneath the Cross of Jesus." All went home encouraged and feeling that it had been good to have met together.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE H. COLE, Secretary.

REPORTS

Report No. 1

TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year 1945-1946

Receipts:

Cash on hand, April 30, 1945	\$ 86.95
Balance of Conference and Connectional Dues, 1944-1945...	95.50
Conference Fund	24.00
Connectional General Fund	133.50
Pioneer Work	75.50
Convention offering	27.51
Anonymous offering	3.00
Total Receipts	\$445.97

Disbursements:

Balance on Connectional Dues, 1944-45	\$ 72.00
Connectional Dues, current year	133.50
Convention Expenses, 1945	4.04
Rev. George Osgood, Conference Extension Work	50.00
Rev. James Bence, Area Convention Fund	5.00
President's office expense, 1944-45	3.36
President's office expense, current year	2.00
Treasurer's office expense	1.75
Rev. David Anderson, Pioneer work	75.50
Dr. C. A. Ries, Convention Speaker	20.00
Total Disbursements	\$367.15

Cash on hand:

In the Conference Fund	\$ 78.82
To balance	\$445.97

Signed: HOWARD PARKS, Treasurer.

Report No. 2**PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

To the members of the Lockport Conference Young People's Society, greeting. It has been with pleasure that we have served as your president during the past year. God has blessed and encouraged us in this field of labor. This being an entirely new field to us, we have found perplexing situations, but we have found the source of all wisdom sufficient as we have tapped its resources, claiming the promise of James 1:5. "If any man lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not . . ."

A survey of the statistical reports reveals no outstanding growth in membership. However, we have held about even, in the face of a year of readjustment and rapidly shifting of population. We have two newly organized societies, namely, Rich Valley and Forestville. Both are making rapid progress. We are anticipating the organization of two others, namely, Oakland and Cuba.

We have been able to schedule our Connectional President, Rev. H. K. Sheets, for a ten-day speaking tour of our Conference, including the Annual Convention, next year.

Respectfully submitted,
HERMAN A. SMITH, President.

Report No. 3**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT****Recommendations:**

1. That each society specify an offering equalling fifty cents (50c) per active member in the interest of pioneer work.
2. That we, the Young People's Organization, voice our desire before the Annual Session of the Lockport Conference to see a permanent system of pioneer work established in the Conference. We offer to back such a move with our talents, prayers, and offering.

Signed: HERMAN A. SMITH,
FLORENCE H. COLE,
A. GORDON WOLFE.

W. Y. P. S. BUDGET APPORTIONMENT

Name of Society	Connectional Dues	Conference Dues	Pioneer Offering
Ashwood	\$4.00	\$1.00	\$4.00
Bradford	10.00	2.00	10.00
Buffalo	6.00	1.00	6.00
Cattaraugus	5.00	1.00	5.00
Chestnut Ridge	4.50	1.00	4.50
East Aurora	11.00	2.00	11.00
East Leon	11.50	2.00	11.50
Fillmore	12.00	2.00	12.00
Forestville	6.00	1.00	6.00
Hess Road	6.50	1.00	6.50
Higgins	5.00	1.00	5.00
Houghton	40.00	5.00	40.00
Olean	10.00	2.00	10.00
Rich Valley	5.00	1.00	5.00
Wellsville	8.00	1.00	8.00
Totals	\$144.50	\$24.00	\$144.50

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

W. Y. P. S. STATISTICAL REPORT

Name of Society	Organized	Active Members	Associate Members	Wesleyan Youth	Total Receipts for the Year	Church Extension	Education	Local Work
Ashwood	Yes	8	6	2	\$4.00			
Batavia	No	25	12		100.00			\$70.00
Bradford	Yes	20	5	8	88.89		\$40.00	5.00
Buffalo	Yes	12	2	2	37.66			3.00
Cattaraugus	Yes	10	8	8	27.96			14.23
Chestnut Ridge	Yes	9	5		140.04	\$10.00		50.00
East Aurora	Yes	22			74.68	12.00		15.00
East Leon	Yes	23	9	34	132.44	14.00		82.45
Fillmore	Yes	24	8	10	43.76		5.00	7.75
Forestville	Yes	12	2	12	42.17			20.70
Hess Road	Yes	13	15	7	96.30	12.00		28.70
Higgins	Yes	10	8	6	29.41	6.00	2.65	2.00
Houghton	Yes	80	25	36	169.33	10.00		40.69
Olean	Yes	20	15	8	61.85	11.00	25.25	3.00
Rich Valley	Yes	10	10	6	8.50			
Wellsville	Yes	16	11	15	65.53	10.00		23.28
Totals		289	162	166	\$1122.52	\$85.00	\$80.31	\$365.80

W. Y. P. S. STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Name of Society	Conference Dues	General Dues (Connectional)	Home-Foreign Missions	Radio Fund	Other Objects	Total Disbursements	Cash on Hand
Ashwood	\$1.00	\$3.00				\$4.00	
Batavia					\$20.00	90.00	\$10.00
Bradford	2.00	15.00				62.00	26.89
Buffalo	1.00	7.50	\$12.00			23.50	14.16
Cattaraugus	1.00	4.50				19.73	8.23
Chestnut Ridge	1.00	4.50	3.00	\$5.00	2.00	75.50	64.54
East Aurora	2.00	9.00	35.00			74.00	.68
East Leon	2.00	10.50	3.00			111.95	20.49
Fillmore	2.00	10.50	5.00			30.25	13.51
Forestville						28.11	14.06
Hess Road	1.00	6.50		4.00	25.00	77.20	19.10
Higgins	1.00	6.00		10.50		28.15	1.26
Houghton	5.00	35.00				90.69	78.64
Olean	2.00	11.00				52.25	9.60
Rich Valley	1.00	3.50		4.00		8.50	
Wellsville	2.00	10.00		17.00		62.28	3.25
Totals	\$24.00	\$136.50	\$58.00	\$40.50	\$47.00	\$838.11	\$284.41

MINUTES

OF THE

FIFTY-FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

WOMAN'S HOME AND FOREIGN

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

OF THE

LOCKPORT CONFERENCE

HELD AT

HOUGHTON CAMPGROUNDS

HOUGHTON, NEW YORK

JUNE 5—9, 1946

MRS. SARAH OSGOOD, President;
MRS. ESTHER THURBER, Secretary.

STANDING RULES

1. That the Committee on Temporary Organization consist of the President of the W. H. & F. M. Society, the Vice-President, and the Secretary.

2. That this committee shall include in its report a Committee on Standing Rules.

3. That the election of the society officials be held on Friday afternoon.

4. That all local societies see that all missionary money be remitted to the Conference Treasurer through the local treasurers.

5. That the local Y. M. W. B. Superintendents instruct their local treasurers to send all money through the Conference Y. M. W. B. Superintendent, money orders and checks made payable to the General Superintendent, Mrs. Aileen Shea, Houghton, N. Y.

6. That each local Y. M. W. B. remit to the Conference Superintendent 1 cent (.01) per member as a desk fund.

7. That the White Gift Christmas to home missionaries be continued in the local societies.

8. That it shall be the duty of the incoming local presidents to attend Conference if possible. Her name also should appear on reports.

9. That each local society shall close its books three weeks before Conference, and the Conference Treasurer close her books two weeks before Conference.

10. That we observe the Friday before Conference, as a day of prayer and fasting.

11. That all money raised by the societies shall be used for missionary work.

12. That no money shall be paid out without the vote of the local society.

13. That the membership of the Conference W. H. & F. M. S. voting body shall consist of: lady pastors, pastors' wives, Y. M. W. B. Superintendents, and missionaries, as well as Conference officers, and the President and Delegate from each local society.

14. That one of the two statistical blanks, sent to the local societies, shall be given the Conference Statistical Committee on the first day of the Annual Conference Session. The other blank kept by the delegate to be read to the Conference Society and to be read at the first meeting of the local society following the rise of the Annual Conference.

15. That receipts and disbursements in all reports shall be made to balance before being handed to the Conference Statistical Committee.

Signed: MRS. RUTH ARMSTRONG,
MRS. PAULINE WHITE,
MRS. RUTH MOORE.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Ruth Withey, East Aurora, N. Y.
 Mrs. Matilda Norberg, East Aurora, N. Y.
 Mrs. Cornelia Squire, Lyndonville, N. Y.
 Mrs. Flora Miller, Cattaraugus, N. Y.
 Mrs. Doretha Egger, Driftwood, Pa.
 Mrs. Etta Luce, Falconer, N. Y.
 Miss Lulu Tanner, Houghton, N. Y.

Honorary

Mr. Marshall Storum, Cattaraugus, N. Y.
 Mr. Irving Clark, Cattaraugus, N. Y.
 Mr. Mead Newcomb, Forestville, N. Y., R. F. D.
 Mr. Charles Wilson, Falconer, N. Y.

DIRECTORY OF THE WOMAN'S HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

CONFERENCE OFFICERS

President—Mrs. Sarah Osgood, R. F. D. 2, Falconer, N. Y.
 Vice-President—Mrs. Elsie Taylor, Lyndonville, N. Y.
 Secretary—Mrs. Esther Thurber, R. F. D. 2, Middleport, N. Y.
 Treasurer—Mrs. Maude Gitchel, Wales Center, N. Y.
 Organizer—Mrs. Opal Gibbs, R. F. D. 3, Forestville, N. Y.
 Superintendent of the Y. M. W. B.—Mrs. Helen Redstone.
 Matron of McConnell Hall—Mrs. Marian Pagett, Caneadea, N. Y.
 Delegates to the General Conference—Mrs. Ruth Armstrong and Mrs. Mabel Taylor.
 Alternate Delegates—Mrs. Elsie Taylor and Mrs. Calla Babcock.

LOCAL SOCIETIES

Ashwood—Mrs. Elsie Taylor, Lyndonville, N. Y., R. F. D. 2.—Mrs. Claudia Young.
 Belleville—Mrs. Marian Pagett, Caneadea, N. Y.—Mrs. Rhetta Luce.
 Bradford—Mrs. Virginia Wells, 410 E. Main St., Bradford, Pa.
 Buffalo—Mrs. Mary Bryce, 231 Woodlawn Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.—Mrs. Pauline White.

- Cadwells Corners—Mrs. Ina Worthington, Bliss, N. Y.—Mrs. Zelia Johnson.
- Castle Garden—Mrs. Alice Hickok, Driftwood, Pa., R. F. D. 1.—Grace Jordan.
- Cattaraugus—Mrs. D. W. Summers, 43 South St., Cattaraugus, N. Y.—Mercie Dietrich.
- East Aurora—Mrs. Maude Gitchel, Wales Center, N. Y.—Miss Lillian Williams.
- East Leon—Mrs. Clara Harmon, Cattaraugus, N. Y.—Lucille Warnshouse.
- Ellicott—Miss Laura Clarke, 27 Whaley Ave., E. Aurora, N. Y.—Mrs. May Gutekunst.
- Fillmore—Mrs. Flora Crandall, Fillmore, N. Y.—Mrs. Alice Lockwood.
- Forestville—Mrs. Mary Wolfe, Forestville, N. Y.—Mrs. Mabel Dye.
- Hess Road—Mrs. Sarabel Elliott, Appleton, N. Y.—Mrs. Florence George.
- Higgins—Mrs. Helen Smith, Freedom, N. Y., R. F. D. 1.—Mrs. Esther Wilday.
- Houghton—Mrs. Ruth Armstrong, Houghton, N. Y.—Mrs. Wilma Miller.
- Levant—Mrs. Sarah Osgood, Falconer, N. Y.—Mrs. Berle Mee.
- McRae Brook—Mrs. Susan Burroughs, Portville, N. Y.—Margaret Palmer.
- Olean—Mrs. Mabel Taylor, 401 4th Ave., Olean, N. Y.—Mrs. Mary Hermann.
- Ransomville—Mrs. Calla Babcock, Ransomville, N. Y., R. F. D. 1.—Mrs. Ruth Moore.
- Rich Valley—Mrs. Jennie Cravers, Rich Valley Road, Emporium, Pa.—Mrs. Blanche Dow.
- Wellsville—Mrs. Maude Coleman, Wellsville, N. Y.—Mrs. Eleanor Dudley.
- Medix—Mrs. Alice Hickok, Driftwood, Pa.—Mrs. Blanche Turley.

(First name is the President, second, the Delegate.)

DAILY PROCEEDINGS

Thursday Morning Meeting, June 6, 1946

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society met in the Children's Auditorium on Houghton Campground for its Fifty-fourth Annual Session, June 6, 1946, with the President, Mrs. Sarah Osgood, presiding. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Alice Hickok, Psa. 24. Matt. 5: 13-16.

Due to the absence of the Secretary, Grace Jordan was elected to act as Secretary pro tem.

Roll Call of Presidents and Delegates was taken.

The report of the Committee on Temporary Organization was read and adopted. (See Report No. 1.)

Grace Jordan was elected as reporter to the Missionary Magazine.

Motion made and carried to adjourn for committee work.

Benediction by Mrs. Ruth Armstrong.

Thursday Afternoon Meeting, June 6, 1946

Prayer was offered by Mrs. Geneva Pritchard.

Roll Call was taken with response by each quoting a Bible verse containing a promise of God.

Reports were read from the following societies: Allegany, Ashwood, Medix Run, Bradford, Buffalo, Cadwells Corners, Cattaraugus, East Aurora, East Leon, Forestville, Hess Road, McRae Brook.

Report of the Matron of McConnell Hall was read by Mrs. Louise Wolfer and adopted as follows: Took in at Camp—Rent, \$67.69; paid out—Meal Ticket, \$3.00; Mrs. Hanks, \$4.00; Brother Shaffer for work, \$1.00; Oil for stove, \$2.60; Towels, etc., \$2.00; Trucking stove, \$1.00; Laundry, \$1.19. Leaving a balance of \$52.90.

Mrs. Wolfer resigned as Matron. Mrs. Pauline White agreed to take over the work until election of officers.

Motion was made to adjourn for Committee work.

Benediction by Mrs. Pauline White.

Friday Morning Meeting, June 7, 1946

Mrs. Elsie Taylor, vice-president, was in the Chair.

Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Pauline White. (Psa. 115.)

Prayer by Mrs. Alice Hickok.

Roll Call was taken.

Minutes were read and approved.

Reports were read from the following societies: Fillmore, Higgins, Houghton, Levant, Olean, Ransomville, Rich Valley, Wellsville, and Castle Garden.

The Chairman of the Auditing Committee asked for help as the other member was absent. Mrs. Wilma Miller volunteered to help.

Motion for adjournment was made.

Benediction by Mrs. Helen Redstone.

Friday Afternoon Meeting, June 7, 1946

Prayer was offered by Mrs. Calla Babcock.

Roll Call was taken.

Minutes were read and approved.

Time for the Orders of the Day having arrived, the report of the Nominating Committee was read by the Secretary.

Mrs. Osgood appointed Mrs. Lucille Warnshouse and Mrs. Rhetta Luce as tellers. The procedure of the election followed. (See Directory for officers elected.)

Motion was made and carried that we adjourn to hear the Connectional Address.

Benediction by Mrs. Virginia Wells.

Friday Evening Meeting, June 7, 1946

The public Missionary Meeting of the Lockport Conference was held in the Camp Meeting Auditorium with Sarah Osgood, the President, in charge.

The Rev. Myrtle Squire led in the singing of two gospel songs entitled, "Would You Live for Jesus," and "I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go."

Alice Hickok selected the 55th chapter of Isaiah for the Scripture reading.

Rev. Maurice Gibbs urged the members of the congregation to avail themselves of the good books on the book stand.

Rev. William Wager, our missionary-elect to China, brought the main message of the evening. He challenged each one, while the door is open to do his part in getting the gospel message to this much needy field.

Offerings of cash and pledges were taken for the support of missionary work in the amount of: Crosbys, \$30.00; Lytles, \$5.00; Home, \$2.00; Cash offering, \$26.31; Unpaid pledges, \$633.00; Unpaid Home, \$60.00. Signed (Mrs. Maude Gitchel.)

The benediction prayer was offered by the Rev. A. A. Hickok.

Saturday Morning Meeting, June 8, 1946

Song service was under the direction of Elsie Taylor.

Prayer was offered by Maude Gitchel and Stella Howard.

Roll Call was omitted.

Sarah Osgood, the President, informed us that the study book for the societies for the coming year is "Adventures with God," by Jennie De

Meyer, and admonished that we avail ourselves of it as soon as it comes off the press.

The Auditing Committee made a partial report stating that the Treasurer's books had been audited and found correct. (See Report No. 2.)

The Treasurer's report was read and accepted.

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was read and accepted. (See Report No. 3.)

The report of the Committee on Plan of Work was read and accepted. (See Report No. 4.)

The motion was made and carried that the item of \$6.00 for Home-Missions and \$5.00 for Hephzibah Orphanage be included in the report of the Plan of Work.

The report of the Committee on Addresses was read and adopted.

The report of the Committee on Magazines was read and accepted as a partial report. Missionary Magazine, 4 renewals, 4 new subscriptions; Wesleyan Methodist, 3 renewals, 2 new subscriptions; Wesleyan Youth, 1 new subscription.

The Y. M. W. B. Report was read and accepted. (See Report No. 5.)

The report on the Committee on Memoriam was read and adopted.

The report of the Committee on Literature was read and adopted as a partial report. Total amount of sales, \$14.10.

The report of the Committee on Standing Rules was read and accepted with the exception of Rule 14.

Motion made and adopted that Rule No. 14 be laid on the table for the coming year.

The Committee on Efficiency reported the efficiency standard as 100%. This report was adopted.

The report of the Committee on Statistics was read and accepted with thanks. (See Report No. 6.)

The report from the Ellicott charge was read by the Secretary of the Conference Society.

The motion was made and accepted that the Conference Secretary be instructed to write letters of greeting from the society to: Mary Clarke, Opal Gibbs, June Wolfe, Ethel Bullock, Beulah Markell and Brother and Sister Lytle.

Motion made and carried that the societies continue the support of the work at Cadwells Corners to the amount of \$5.00 from each local society.

The society accepted the donation of a set of springs for McConnell Hall. A gift from Ruth Moore.

The motion was made and carried that the President choose her helpers and act as Chairman in making arrangements for a Conference Missionary Convention to be held this coming year.

Motion made and carried to adjourn.

REPORTS

Report No. 1

COMMITTEE ON TEMPORARY ORGANIZATIONS

- Committee on Auditing—Geneva Pritchard, Mrs. G. Palmer.
- Committee on Statistics—Mrs. Virginia Wells, Mrs. Wilma Miller, Mrs. Rhetta Luce, Mrs. F. George.
- Committee on Resolutions—Mrs. Mercie Dietrich, Miss Williams, Mrs. A. Lockwood.
- Committee on Plan of Work—Mrs. Calla Babcock, Mrs. M. Herri-man, Mrs. Sarabell Elliott.
- Committee on Courtesies—Grace Jordan.
- Committee on Magazines—Lucille Warnhouse, Claudia Young.
- Committee on Standing Rules—Mrs. Pauline White, Mrs. Ruth Moore, Mrs. Ruth Armstrong.
- Committee on Nominations—Mrs. Zelia Johnson, Mrs. Mabel Taylor, Mrs. Alice Hickok.
- Committee on Efficiency—Grace Jordan, Mrs. Esther Wilday.
- Committee on Addresses—Mrs. Bessie Akers, Mrs. Mabel Dye.
- Committee on Memoriam—Mrs. B. Dow, Mrs. Blanche Turley.
- Committee on Literature—Berle Mee.

Signed: MRS. SARAH OSGOOD,
MRS. ELSIE TAYLOR,
MRS. ESTHER THURBER.

Report No. 2

TREASURER'S REPORT

	Cr.	Dr.
Cash on hand	\$ 309.76	\$ 274.40
Foreign	3044.84	2871.40
Home	974.71	974.71
50% Membership Dues	325.25	233.65
Medical	143.16	143.16
Education	264.74	264.74
Hephzibah	160.00	160.00
Johnson's Support	108.20	108.20
McConnell Hall	159.84	70.00

	Cr.	Dr.
Benevolence	2374.63	2367.63
Cash on hand	\$7865.13	\$7467.74
		397.39
		\$7865.13

Respectfully submitted, MAUDE GITCHEL, Treasurer.

O. K. Auditing Committee.

Report No. 3

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

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

1. That the members of our societies return grateful thanks for the ceasing of hostilities among the nations and remembering that "Blessed is the Nation whose God is the Lord" let us beseech our Heavenly Father that peace be established and that the President of these United States and those in authority be given wisdom and courage needed to lead us safely through these troublous times of re-adjustment—the settlement of strikes and differences among groups and races.

2. That we give praise to God for the advancement made in the Home Missionary field, including the new work opened in Australia.

That we pray definitely that the Lord of the harvest will send laborers to carry the gospel message to many new places in the foreign field, especially to China and re-opening work in Japan, and that we continue faithful in prayer for our missionaries, both home and foreign.

3. That we, as parents and members of our Church, do all we can to stop the making and sale of alcoholic liquors and the use of tobacco, deploring the type of amusements in many public places which tend to destroy the morals of our young people and contribute directly to Juvenile Delinquency.

4. That we pay tribute to the memory of Sister Lulu Tanner, who labored so long and faithfully on the African field, whose life is an inspiration to us to pray and labor more diligently for the Missionary cause.

5. That we extend our heartfelt thanks to those who have spent time and strength laboring for our comfort in the Dining Hall and the different dormitories.

Signed: MERCIE DIETRICH,
LILLIAN WILLIAMS,
ALICE LOCKWOOD.

Report No. 4

COMMITTEE ON PLAN OF WORK FOR LOCAL SOCIETIES

The Committee on the Plan of Work beg to submit the following:

1. That each local society put into practice our slogan, "Forward on our knees," praying daily for our missionaries at home and on foreign fields, especially remembering our Home and Foreign Secretaries with their great responsibilities. Let us pray definitely for India at this critical time, that new recruits may be sent and for wisdom in opening new fields in China, Japan and Alaska.
2. That Presidents and Program Committees strive to make each meeting spiritual and instructive, giving much time to prayer.
3. That we continue the support of Rev. Robert Crosby and give full support to Rev. and Mrs. Robert Lytle in South America.
4. That each society take a self-denial offering in April for the new missionary home in Jersey City, N. J.
5. That we devote one meeting of the year to the study of Jewish Missions.
6. That we promote our medical work by taking an offering for the support of medical missions and by sending bandages and other supplies.
7. That we continue the support of our Home Missions work in its various needs by cash contributions, boxes of well prepared clothing and personal gifts for the missionaries.
8. That we boost the Prayer Partner Plan by praying for and corresponding with our prayer partners.
9. That we observe World's Day of Prayer in February, Self-denial during April, Harvest Day in November and White Gift Christmas in December, stressing larger offerings for Education.
10. That where there is no W. C. T. U. each society appoint a Temperance Secretary to bring in temperance information and prayer items.
11. That the Efficiency Standard, Plan of Work, and Standing Rules be read in each society quarterly.
12. That each society contribute \$5.00 for the support of Hephzibah Orphanage and \$6.00 for Home Missionary Work.

Signed: MRS. CALLA BABCOCK,
MRS. SARABEL ELLIOTT,
MRS. MARY HERMANN.

Report No. 5
Y. M. W. B. STATISTICAL REPORT

Name of Band	No. of Members	Desk Fund	Supported Missionaries	Supported Native Workers	Foreign Missions	Home Missions and Orphanage	Education	Totals
Ashwood	28	\$.60	...	...	\$28.20	\$4.00	\$21.00	\$53.20
Batavia	20	...	...	...	25.00	...	...	25.00
Belleville	42	.86	...	...	77.64	13.91	6.98	98.53
Bradford	145	3.50	...	3	990.80	10.00	40.00	1040.80
Buffalo	...	...	...	...	27.40	...	45.00	72.40
Cadwells	30	.65	...	...	46.10	6.26	8.00	60.36
Castle Garden	89	.89	...	1	113.03	7.30	11.14	131.47
Cattaraugus	101	1.00	...	...	239.04	24.50	20.61	284.15
East Aurora	30	.57	...	...	140.35	...	...	140.35
East Leon	85	1.00	...	1	207.33	15.00	42.70	265.03
Ellicott	18	.29	...	...	91.38	8.00	...	99.38
Fillmore	45	1.01	...	1	220.83	...	...	220.83
Forestville	65	1.31	...	1	213.48	11.72	13.41	238.61
Hess Road	30	.65	...	...	374.60	26.91	10.95	412.46
Higgins, Juniors	25	.45	...	...	36.57	16.51	2.00	55.08
Higgins, Seniors	29	.51	...	...	160.93	5.05	3.00	168.98
Houghton, Juniors	20	.25	...	...	83.99	4.75	105.21	193.95
Houghton, Seniors	280	...	2	1	1844.58	...	...	1844.58
Levant	90	2.00	...	1	813.29	75.93	18.00	907.22
McRae Brook	40	.80	...	1	61.20	...	...	61.20
Medix Run	18	.34	...	...	25.34	...	...	25.34
North Creek	6	...	...	...	34.65	.38	3.80	38.83
Oakland	...	...	...	...	25.75	5.00	...	30.75
Olean	70	.75	...	1	138.77	3.78	25.25	167.80
Portageville	...	...	...	...	10.00	...	...	10.00
Ransomville	36	.36	...	...	56.65	...	...	56.65
Rich Valley	37	.37	...	...	62.72	103.70	21.50	187.92
Wales Hollow	15	.25	...	...	13.80	10.00	...	23.80
Wellsville	37	.52	...	...	35.49	3.00	1.00	39.49
Miscellaneous	...	.06	...	...	34.50	3.29	...	37.79
Totals	1441	\$18.99	3	11	\$6233.42	\$358.99	\$399.55	\$6991.95

Desk Fund on Hand, \$11.00.

Signed: HELEN REDSTONE.

Report No. 6
W. H. & F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT

Receipts

Name of Society	Active Members	Honorary Members	Members Gained	Members Lost	Regular Meetings Held	Special Meetings Held	Do You Use Missionary Programs?	Wesleyan Missionaries Taken	Rank Under Efficiency Standard %	Cash on Hand From Last Year	Membership Dues
1 Ashwood	15	3	...	1	12	3	Yes	6	110%	\$5.71	\$13.50
2 Belleville	37	9	1	...	12	3	Yes	15	100%	6.08	46.00
3 Bradford	53	15	2	...	14	6	Yes	18	100%	79.00	68.00
4 Buffalo	7	5	...	3	8	3	Yes	...	...	22.86	16.00
5 Cadwells Corners	7	4	...	1	10	2	Yes	4	100%	5.12	9.25
6 Castle Garden	16	6	2	...	11	3	Yes	10	100%	...	22.00
7 Cattaraugus	35	14	1	...	12	5	Yes	35	100%	...	49.00
8 East Aurora	14	3	...	4	12	2	Yes	12	95%	7.28	17.00
9 East Leon	30	14	...	...	13	7	Yes	19	100%	5.03	44.00
10 Ellicott	11	...	...	1	12	5	Yes	5	...	3.40	11.00
11 Fillmore	19	3	...	...	10	2	Yes	15	...	11.80	21.50
12 Forestville	34	11	1	...	12	2	Yes	16	100%	23.25	47.00
13 Hess Road	30	2	...	4	10	2	Yes	10	100%	15.27	31.00
14 Houghton	77	5	9	...	11	2	Yes	60	100%	1.74	82.00
15 Higgins	15	3	...	4	12	3	Yes	13	...	.46	16.50
16 Levant	43	11	1	3	12	...	Yes	26	100%	33.28	54.00
17 McRae Brook	12	2	3	...	12	6	Yes	6	90%	4.60	14.00
18 Medix Run	11	2	5	...	9	2	Yes	8	...	4.45	13.00
19 Olean	36	10	...	5	11	5	Yes	21	100%	.64	46.00
20 Ransomville	12	...	3	...	10	2	Yes	6	100%	2.73	12.00
21 Rich Valley	46	2	15	...	22	2	Yes	21	100%	34.75	45.00
22 Wellsville	6	6	...	...	12	5	Yes	5	95%	...	12.00
Totals	566	130	43	25	258	73	...	321	...	\$267.45	\$689.75

W. H. & F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Receipts

Name of Society	Offerings	Labor	Clothing and Other Gifts to Home Work	Bandages and Other Gifts to Foreign Work	Other Sources	Total
1 Ashwood	\$18.39		\$135.00	\$21.32	\$65.73	\$267.65
2 Belleville	102.24	\$8.55	128.55	22.91		314.33
3 Bradford	1182.51		121.00		308.92	1759.43
4 Buffalo	79.70					118.56
5 Cadwells Corners	35.10	5.00	16.00	.25	131.89	202.81
6 Castle Garden	138.73	1.25	112.50	9.00		283.58
7 Cattaraugus	23.47		274.10	248.23	288.80	883.60
8 East Aurora	167.19		69.14		5.54	266.15
9 East Leon	241.19	20.00	438.25	32.12	272.00	1052.59
10 Ellicott	83.81	1.25	90.00		227.95	417.41
11 Fillmore	472.59		10.00			515.89
12 Forestville	141.43	82.00	29.00		17.00	339.68
13 Hess Road	307.24		182.00		4.36	539.87
14 Houghton	621.79				1206.49	1912.02
15 Higgins	79.97	51.79	45.00		100.29	294.01
16 Levant	217.47		78.50	23.25	114.00	520.50
17 McRae Brook	26.79	91.66	157.00	12.28	6.00	312.33
18 Medix Run	43.77					61.22
19 Olean	281.96	.90	100.00			429.50
20 Ransomville	75.45					90.18
21 Rich Valley	73.96	9.00	42.50	25.00	331.13	561.34
22 Wellsville	71.74		71.35			155.09
Totals	\$4486.49	\$271.40	\$2099.89	\$371.45	\$3103.01	\$11297.74

W. H. & F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Disbursements

Name of Society	Home, Cash	Home, Clothing and Other Gifts	Hephzibah, Cash	Hephzibah, Provisions	Foreign, Cash	Foreign, Bandages and Other Gifts	Medical Students
1 Ashwood	\$14.88	\$135.00	\$5.00		\$25.07	\$25.75	\$2.00
2 Belleville	19.75	128.55	6.00		18.00		15.00
3 Bradford	73.50	121.00	27.00	\$45.00	366.00		25.00
4 Buffalo	36.00		7.00		40.49		
5 Cadwell Corners	12.00	16.00	1.00		5.00	.25	1.00
6 Castle Garden	19.60	121.47	5.00		63.37	16.00	3.00
7 Cattaraugus	105.16	192.55	5.00		250.50	5.75	
8 East Aurora	44.50	69.14	9.00		98.97		
9 East Leon	17.16	438.25	9.00		222.00	32.12	8.41
10 Ellicott	55.25	117.04			189.96		5.00
11 Fillmore	53.00	10.00	6.00		373.00		9.50
12 Forestville	48.41	29.00	8.00		45.75		
13 Hess Road	18.00	182.00	10.00	38.00	180.10		5.00
14 Houghton	98.50	25.00	26.00		314.00		25.00
15 Higgins	25.94	45.00	5.00		15.00		5.00
16 Levant	48.15	92.36	5.00		222.06	23.25	7.00
17 McRae Brook	15.00	37.00			17.00	12.28	
18 Medix Run	8.65	5.00	5.00		11.80		
19 Olean	11.50	82.36	5.00	25.00	204.72		5.00
20 Ransomville	20.30		6.00		12.65		
21 Rich Valley	241.36		5.00		59.50		5.00
22 Wellsville	17.00	53.35	5.00		8.24		
Totals	\$1003.61	\$1900.09	\$160.00	\$108.00	\$2743.18	\$115.40	\$120.91

W. H. & F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT—Continued

Disbursements

Name of Society	Education, Cash	Local Church Work	Membership Dues	Other Objects	Cash on Hand	Total
1 Ashwood			\$6.25	\$48.93	\$4.77	\$267.65
2 Belleville		\$5.00	23.00	90.95		314.33
3 Bradford	\$95.00	732.33	26.50	248.00		1759.43
4 Buffalo			8.00	14.41	12.66	118.56
5 Cadwells Corners	11.40	26.89	6.00	116.00	12.27	202.81
6 Castle Garden		9.61	11.09	16.35	13.72	283.58
7 Cattaraugus	18.75	12.00	24.50	267.89	1.50	883.60
8 East Aurora	5.00	10.00	8.50	16.75	4.29	266.15
9 East Leon	25.06	45.15	22.00	161.85	11.59	1052.59
10 Ellicott	27.00		5.50	7.14	10.52	417.41
11 Fillmore	20.00		9.50	25.11	9.78	515.89
12 Forestville	12.41	121.84	23.50	43.06	7.71	339.68
13 Hess Road	18.50	3.55	15.00	57.50	8.61	539.87
14 Houghton	62.16		41.00	1313.03	7.33	1912.02
15 Higgins	15.00	73.92	8.25	84.49	16.41	294.01
16 Levant	30.17		21.00	66.23	5.28	520.50
17 McRae Brook		148.50	7.00	75.55		312.33
18 Medix Run			6.50	23.50	1.27	61.22
19 Olean	25.00		23.00	57.67		429.50
20 Ransomville	8.00	4.13	6.00	33.10		90.18
21 Rich Valley	5.00	73.73	24.00	103.20	44.55	561.34
22 Wellsville	13.54	5.20	6.00	46.76	17.76	155.09
Totals	\$391.99	\$1271.85	\$332.00	\$2917.47	\$190.02	\$11297.74

Ransomville, Missionaries Supported, 2.

MRS. VIRGINIA WELLS, Chairman.