

MINUTES  
OF THE  
Champlain ❁ Methodist ❁ Conference  
OF THE  
WESLEYAN METHODIST CONNECTION  
(OR CHURCH) OF AMERICA  
HELD IN  
Glens Falls, N. Y., ❁ April 24—30, 1906  
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A. J. Allen	Long Lake, N. Y.
* J. Bartman	Bakers Mills N. Y.
J. L. Benton	Houghton, N. Y.
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D. C. Haven	Lacona, N. Y.
C. E. Hill	Glens Falls, N. Y.
C. C. Hill	Burke, N. Y.
* A. F. Lent	Peekskill, N. Y.
A. P. Lienard	Mooers, N. Y.
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J. Quay	West Chazy, N. Y.
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B. W. Sherwood	Warrensburg, N. Y.
E. Trowbridge	So. Albany, Vt.
W. A. Wagar	Hague, N. Y.
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* L. M. Warner	Natural Bridge, R. F. D., 1, N. Y.
F. E. Wood	West Chazy, N. Y.
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J. F. Wright	Willow, N. Y.



## LAY DELEGATES.

* J. H. Allen	Pitcairn, N. Y.
A. Andrews	Johnsburg, N. Y.
* Chas. Armstrong	Mooers, N. Y.
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* I. Bissell	Newcomb, N. Y.
* A. C. Cook	North Stockholm, R. F. D., 2, N. Y.
* Wm. Cooper	Horicon, N. Y.
* Kate Creal	Hadley, N. Y.
A. Daggett	Glens Falls, N. Y.
* Ralph Eighmey	Lake Hill, N. Y.
* L. G. Ellis	So. Albany, Vt.
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Burdett Hollenbeck	Acorn Hill, N. Y.
Alfred LaPell	Long Lake, N. Y.
* Geo. Laird	Brandon, Vt.
W. H. Lamoy	Cadyville, N. Y.
Alice E. Lienard	Mooers, N. Y.
* C. H. Lincoln	Greenfield Ctr. N. Y.
* Dona Lockwood	Morley, N. Y.
Sarah Martin	Lisbon, R. F. D., 1, N. Y.
* W. O. Moore	Lisbon, R. F. D., 1, N. Y.
John Murray	Long Lake, N. Y.
Anna Olney	West Chazy, N. Y.
I. L. Prouty	Chestertown, N. Y.
Mary Partridge	West Chazy, N. Y.
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D. Sawyer	Bakers Mills, N. Y.
* D. A. Stafford	R. F. D., 4, Plattsburg, N. Y.
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## LICENTIATES ON STATIONED LIST.

* Jas. H. Allen	Pitcairn, N. Y.
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A. Baker	Hadley, N. Y.
W. L. Braman	Lisbon, R. F. D., 1, N. Y.
Antoinette Braman	Lisbon, R. F. D., 1, N. Y.
N. J. O'Brien	Stoney Creek, N. Y.
C. E. Fox	Newcomb, N. Y.
M. R. French	North Bangor, R. F. D., 1, N. Y.
Chas. Heath	Hadley, N. Y.
S. J. Liberty	Bakers Mills, N. Y.
LeRoy Mattoon	Edenton, N. Y.
W. A. Wilson	Brandon, R. F. D., 1, Vt.
F. H. Wright	Krumville, N. Y.

Those marked thus (\*) not present at any meeting.

## JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS

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### FIRST DAY—TUESDAY.

#### Evening Meeting.

The Champlain Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist church began its sixty-fifth session in the First Wesleyan Methodist church, Glens Falls, N. Y., on Tuesday, April 24, 1906. President E. D. Carpenter presiding.

Opening. The president called the conference to order at 7:30 p. m. Song service led by A. J. Allen; prayer offered by F. L. Wright.

It is voted that the president, E. D. Carpenter, the delegate from Glens Falls church, A. Daggett, and E. E. Curtis be committee on religious services.

J. L. Benton is elected a committee on credentials. At the adjournment of evening meeting it is to meet at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

J. L. Benton, who was appointed to preach the opening sermon, takes charge of service. C. E. Hill is called upon to lead the conference in prayer. J. L. Benton reads from 4 ch. of 2 Cor. and preached from 1 of Rom. 15th verse "As much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also."

### SECOND DAY—WEDNESDAY.

#### Morning Meeting.

Prayer and praise service conducted by J. Quay. Regular conference called to order by the president at 9 o'clock. Roll of conference ministers called. 26 responded

Minutes of evening meeting read and approved.

Bar of conference fixed to include fifth row of seats from the front.

Voted that visiting members of our own and other orthodox churches, not members of secret societies, be entitled to honorary seats.

A. J. Allen is made a committee on courtesy.



J. L. Benton, committee on credentials, presents a list of delegates with recommend that their names be entered as members of conference. Same adopted by vote. (See list of delegates, conference roll.)

Official report of president's action during the interim of conference year, presented and adopted by vote. See report No. 1.

An address is read by the president. The same is adopted and ordered spread upon the minutes. See address by Pres.

F. H. Wright and S. J. Liberty are made a committee on statistics.

It is voted that J. L. Benton, C. E. Hall, F. L. Wright, I. L. Prouty, C. H. Lincoln and John Murray be committee on pastoral relations.

Elder A. P. Lienard, pastor of the Mooers W. M. church, is introduced.

It is voted that a committee of five be appointed by the president to adjust matters pertaining to Glens Falls church.

J. F. Wright, A. J. Allen, J. L. Benton, C. C. Hill, E. S. Ross, constitute the aforesaid committee.

F. H. Wright is made a committee to present resolutions of thanks.

Licentiate M. R. French is introduced to conference.

Time fixed for meeting of S. M. R. association, Friday morning, following religious services.

Time fixed for election of conference officers Friday afternoon following religious services.

Voted that time and place for next annual session of conference be Wednesday afternoon following religious services.

Treas. F. E. Wood is granted leave of absence until Friday a. m. on account of death of his sister. The books are left with A. P. Lienard. A. E. Moses is also granted leave of absence.

Time of forenoon and afternoon meetings fixed by vote as follows: Open at 9 o'clock, close at 11:30; open at 1:30, adjourn by vote.

Voted that morning religious services commence at 8:30. The leader to be appointed by the president.

The following announcement is made by the president in accordance with vote of last conference concerning after-

noon religious services:

Wednesday afternoon, subject "Scriptural Conversion," A. J. Allen.

Thursday afternoon, "The Compass of Entire Sanctification," C. E. Hill.

Friday afternoon, "The Bible Law of Tithing," J. F. Wright.

Saturday, "The Power and Lineage of the Holy," J. L. Benton.

The following names were called and characters passed: J. Bartman, J. L. Benton, Smith Bills, E. D. Carpenter, W. A. Wagar, A. E. Moses A. J. Allen.

Adjourned by limitation of time. Benediction by E. E. Curtis.

#### Afternoon Meeting.

A. J. Allen for 30 minutes presents the subject assigned him.

Roll called. Minutes read and approved.

An invitation is extended from the Mooers church for the next session of conference.

Same is accepted by vote. Time fixed, the 4th Tuesday in April, 1907, 7:30 p. m. C. E. Hill is appointed to preach the opening sermon. Wm. Rist alternate.

Report of tithing secretary is adopted.

In harmony with the recommend of our president in his address a committee on "Conference Church Extension Funds," is appointed by vote as under: E. D. Carpenter, J. L. Benton, J. F. Wright.

The following names were called and characters passed: J. F. Wright, D. C. Haven, C. E. Cahee, J. Blanchard, J. Quay, A. W. Locke.

The character of A. F. Lent is passed by vote.

Voted to adjourn. Benediction by G. H. Bort.

#### Evening Meeting.

Praise service led by D. C. Haven. Prayer by J. H. Bowen. Song by Bro. and Sister Braman. Sermon by A. T. Jennings, text, Titus 2:11, 12.



## THIRD DAY—THURSDAY.

## Morning Meeting.

Religious service conducted by A. W. Locke. At 9 o'clock, roll is called. Minutes read and approved.

Voted that the secretary publish three hundred copies of our minutes this year.

F. L. Wright is appointed a committee to raise funds for the above.

Introduced. Our Missionary Secretary, E. Teter; Connectional Secretary, J. H. Bowen; and our Connectional Editor, A. T. Jennings, are introduced and each make a few appropriate remarks.

Voted that it be the order of day to hear E. Teter on "Our Missionary Interests," this afternoon following opening religious service.

Voted that we hear from J. H. Bowen at 10:30 this morning.

The following names were called and characters passed: F. L. Wright, J. J. Davison, E. E. Curtis, R. Shaw, B. W. Sherwood.

Voted that the name of B. W. Sherwood be transferred from the unstationed list to the superannuated and his case be considered by the S. M. R. Association.

J. H. Bowen speaks of the condition of the work in several conferences, our schools, books, paper, etc.

G. B. Howard of Kansas Conference is introduced.

Adjourned by limitation of time. Benediction by J. J. Davison.

## Afternoon Meeting.

Called to order by the president at 1:30 o'clock. C. E. Hill for 30 minutes presents "The Compass of Entire Sanctification."

Minutes read and approved.

E. Teter gives an interesting account of our missionary enterprises.

The name of G. H. Bort is called and character passed.

By vote of conference a collection is taken to pay our secretary. Same to be supplimented in the evening to reach

the desired amount of \$10.00. The amount is reached.  
Voted to adjourn. Benediction by A. P. Lienard.

#### Evening Meeting.

Opening religious service, conducted by A. P. Lienard.  
Prayer and sermon by A. T. Jennings. Text, Rom. 7:1-6.

#### FOURTH DAY—FRIDAY.

##### Morning Meeting.

Religious service conducted by J. J. Davison.

Minutes read and approved. (Conference gives way to the Superannuated Minister's Relief Association).

Conference resumes. The names of S. C. Fox, C. E. Hill, C. C. Hill, T. A. Moses called and characters passed.

It is voted that we hear A. T. Jennings this morning at 11 o'clock. A. T. Jennings is called and made a very effective address.

We are adjourned by limitation of time.

Benediction by F. L. Wright.

##### Afternoon Meeting.

A paper concerning the Bible law of tithing is read by J. F. Wright.

Minutes of morning meeting read and approved. Order of day is called. The election of conference officers. The result of the ballots is as follows:

E. D. Carpenter	President
C. E. Hill	Vice-President
W. A. Wagar	Secretary
F. E. Wood	Treasurer

Charles E. Hill is elected to succeed himself as Trustee for 5 years.

Charles B. Armstrong is elected to succeed his father, Joseph Armstrong deceased, for the term of 1 year.

C. E. Hill is re-elected as member of Committee on Itinerancy and Orders.

F. L. Wright is elected Tithing Secretary.

F. L. Wright and Inglas Prouty are elected to constitute an Advisory Board.

C. E. Hill, E. E. Curtis }	Judicial
A. J. Allen, A. P. Lienard }	Committee

F. L. Wright, W. A. Wagar, }  
 J. L. Benton, Everet Moshier, } Committee on  
 C. H. Lincoln, } Presidency.

The President, Vice President and Treasurer constitute a Missionary Board.

Our Connectional Agent, A. W. Hall, is introduced and makes a few very appreciative remarks.

The following names were called and their characters passed: L. C. Partridge, Wm. Rist, E. Trowbridge, Earl E. Curtis, F. E. Wood, A. P. Lienard.

The committee on Glens Falls 1st Wesleyan church matter reports. (See report No. 2). Same adopted by vote.

Voted to adjourn. Benediction by A. J. Allen.

#### Evening Meeting.

Song service conducted by Wilbur Wagar. Preaching by J. H. Bowen. Text, Gen. 2:7. Followed by A. T. Jennings.

#### FIFTH DAY—SATURDAY.

##### Morning Meeting.

Religious service conducted by C. C. Hill.

Minutes read and approved.

Committee appointed to raise funds for publication of Conference Minutes Report. Money paid, \$5.45; pledged, \$13.80. Same to be sent to F. E. Wood, Con. Treas. Balance \$7.75 to be drawn from treasury when minutes are published. Report adopted.

Report of camp meeting committee read and adopted. See report No. 3.

Committee on church extension reports. See report No. 4. Same adopted by vote.

The names of O. D. Putnam, N. J. O'Brien, A. P. Gouthy, I. J. Liberty, Leroy Mattoon, Frank H. Wright were called and characters passed.

Committee on itinerancy and orders report. (See report No. 5). Same adopted by vote. Adjourned. Benediction by O. D. Putnam.

##### Afternoon Meeting.

Religious service conducted by J. L. Benton. Subject



considered, "The Power and Lineage of the Holy."

Minutes read and approved.

The names of A. Baker and C. E. Fox are called and characters passed

It is voted that a rising vote of thanks be extended to Dr. Martine for the kindness and assistance he has rendered to the 1st Wesleyan Methodist church of Glens Falls.

It is voted that our president write to A. P. Gouthey concerning his work and urge his carefulness in the future.

Frank H. Wright committee on thanks report. (See resolution of thanks). Same adopted and ordered read by the secretary on the Sabbath.

The president is instructed to arrange for the afternoon religious services next conference by appointing a subject and leader for each meeting to occupy 30 minutes or less.

The missionary field secretary, J. L. Benton, presents the interests of our school work.

Voted to adjourn to meet at 7 o'clock in the evening.

#### Evening Meeting.

Praise service lead by Frank H. Wright.

Minutes of afternoon meeting read and approved.

The treasurer's report is read and adopted. (See report No. 6).

It is voted that we as a conference extend to our Brother, Chas. Hammond, our thanks for his labors as assistant pastor of the 1st W. M. church of Glens Falls in the absence of Chas. E. Fox, who on account of the ill health of his wife, left the charge.

Report of committee on pastoral relations is read. Same adopted by vote. (See report No. 7).

Business meeting adjourned to call of Chair.

Religious service following. Sermon by A. T. Jennings. Text, 2 Thes. 2:13-14.

#### SUNDAY SERVICES.

Morning meeting led by A. J. Allen. Preaching by E. Teter, text, 2 Cor. 5:14-15.

Evening meeting. Sermon by A. T. Jennings.

Thus closed one of the most blessed and harmonious ses-

sions of Champlain Conference. We trust many souls were saved and sanctified.

W. Wagar, Secretary.

#### RESOLUTION OF THANKS.

In behalf of the members of the Champlain Conference, we wish to, in this way, express our gratitude to the Pastors of our sister churches for their co-operation, to the members of the Wesleyan Methodist church in Glens Falls, for their generous hospitality, in taking us, not only into their homes, but into their hearts; and to all others who have contributed to the success of the 65th annual session of this Conference.

We pray the blessings of Almighty God to rest upon you who are our benefactors.

F. H. Wright, Committee of Thanks.

#### ADDRESS OF PRESIDENT.

Dear Brethren:—Under the blessing of God we are permitted to come together for our sixty-fifth annual gathering. God has indeed marvelously watched over us as we are privileged to write the record the same as we did at the close of the last conference year; that the ministerial ranks of the conference have not been broken by death entering therein. While this is literally true yet we mention here the going home, during the year, of one who for years was a member of the conference and intimately associated with the conference work. Just the year of the recent past being a member of the Syracuse Conference. But during the early weeks of this conference year the body of Rev. N. E. Jenkins was laid to rest within our conference bounds at Morley, N. Y.

During the year we have had no regular conference evangelist in the field; the main reason being that we were short of ministerial supply for all of our charges. Notwithstanding our being deprived of the help a good conference evangelist might render, our pastors alone, or with other help they might secure, have, under the blessing of God, pressed the battle along evangelistic lines of service with the result of many encouraging reports coming in from different fields of the power of our God being displayed in the salvation of souls and the sanctification of believers.



We believe that the annual camp-meeting at West Chazy is proving very helpful in reaching unsaved ones, and in a great measure a help in developing the deeper spiritual life in those who avail themselves of the privilege of worshipping there for 10 days of the year; and again we urge that special effort be made and plans laid long in advance of the coming August meeting so that when we come together for that meeting every charge may be represented and if possible every Elder and Licentiate of the conference be present. For while at home on our charge we have the Master with us and his wonderful help. Bless His name forever. Yet at the camp-meeting with a concentration of forces and special laborers and teachers to help, and then the Holy Ghost revealing himself gloriously to hearts, there comes the mighty pentecostal power, and a blaze of scriptural holiness be kindled that shall reach out to the remotest boundary of the conference wherever those shall go who have experienced the cleansing power and know the Holy Ghost reigns without a rival.

This is not a time when there should be a decline in spiritual life and power, but a time when if we desire the prosperity of Zion and are as we profess to be, a Holiness people, we shall go forward under the banner of our King unfurling the banner of Holiness unto the Lord and tenderly seeking to lead men into an experience of scriptural holiness which once experienced and retained makes of finite creatures mighty forces in the hand of God to help in the building up of the Christian church.

I quote from a recent article from President A. M. Hills as follows: "In 1824 the bishops in their conference address said, 'If Methodists give up the doctrine of Entire Sanctification or suffer it to become a dead letter, we are a fallen people. Holiness is the main cord that binds us together, relax this and you loosen the whole system. This will appear more evident if we recall to mind the original design of Methodism. It was to raise up and preserve a Holy people. This was the principal object which Mr. Wesley had in view. To this end all the doctrines believed and preached by the Methodists tend.'"

If this was true in 1824 it is as true today and it be-



hooves us to be alive to the highest interests of men and of the church.

Dr. Torry in a recent sermon in Philadelphia said, "What is needed by Christian people of Philadelphia is the fire of the Holy Ghost to give them a passion for soul winning."

While on all of our fields there are those with a Heaven born passion for winning souls, doubtless much greater results in soul winning would come if a greater number should come into the experience of Entire Sanctification.

But there are other desirable results that would follow; there would be such a willingness to help on the Lord's work that no one would think of giving less than one tenth and some much more for the cause. I notice Dr. Torry says in the same sermon quoted from above "That churches that conduct fairs, bazaars, card parties, and other entertainments to raise money, bring down the church of Jesus Christ to the level of a vaudeville show." One of the presiding elders in the northern New York M. E. Conference in giving the report of his district at their conference in Utica last week said, "In my estimation an increase of 30 per cent in the salaries of pastors could be made if the officials would use modern business methods. Some of the younger ministers he said are receiving starvation wages." We do not believe any of our charges are in methods of raising finances that have very close kinship to vaudeville shows; and we hear none of our pastors complaining of starvation rations nor looking as if they had that experience. But we are sure some of our pastors could conveniently and consistently use to good advantage more salary if it was secured on Bible lines; and we are sure this increase could and would come and all church benevolence be much increased if business methods shall prevail, instead of but little if any method. This leads to the presentation of at least three recommendations.

1st. We recommend that the charges of the conference that have not already done so adopt the envelope system, especially for the payment of pastor's salaries; and by this we do not mean simply putting envelopes in the church for use but a regular canvass and systematic weekly giving as we can explain if desired.

2nd. All doubtless are aware of the seeming need of a

medical missionary on our foreign field, and doubtless have noticed the article of Sister Manwell, President of the General Conference Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society in Wesleyan Methodist of April 11th in which she says, "The Executive Board of that society have decided to undertake the education of a person for that work and make an apportionment of \$300 for this year." We already have a Conference Society organized and recommend that each local church or charge organize themselves into Local Societies and as auxiliaries of the Conference Society as provided page 147 chapter 3.

3rd. It has been apparent for some time that it would be very helpful at times to some church incumbered with debt or in the erection of churches or parsonage property if there had been a church extension fund in the conference from which some help more or less according to the condition of the treasury could have been given. Therefore we recommend that this session of the conference provide for the creation of a conference church extension fund.

In concluding this address I urge upon our charges and pastors that as speedily as possible without undue haste, which might do harm, we may work successfully a uniform, systematic, Godly method of church finances which shall bring great benefit to conference and connectional benevolences, rich blessing on pastors and charges and glory to our God. And now closing by reverting to the subject of the first of this address which is of first importance, the salvation of our fellow men. May the year before us be a fruitful one in our seeing through the presentation of an uplifted Christ and the pleading, prayerful travail of the church; a blessed ingathering of those who never knew our Christ. And then let us pray that this year may find the number of those who shall come into the blessed experience of entire sanctification increased by many fold over any previous year in the history of the Champlain Conference. What an impetus would be given to the work in our conference during the year should we see a goodly number pressing into this blessed experience. And God's ministering servants shall be helpful instrumentalities in securing these much to be desired results, as they preach the doctrine of Heart Purity, the baptism with the Holy Ghost



which gives blessed fitness for service; and in the presentation of this grand old doctrine the best results shall be obtained only as in its presentation it is divested of everything that borders over on the land of fanaticism, or that on the other hand reaches out for the plains of One to compromise with the world. But going forth in the middle of the King's highway of holiness, remembering "that love becometh not itself unseemly," may our lives be living examples of the salvation that saves, sanctifies and satisfies.

E. D. Carpenter, President.

#### REPORT NO. 1.

Report of official action during the conference year from May 1st, 1905, to April 24th, 1906.

July 28th, 1905 Released Rev. H. C. Shares from engagement to render a few weeks of service in connection with the West Chazy camp-meeting.

Aug. 8th, 1905. Gave Rev. H. C. Shares transfer to the Syracuse Conference.

Sept. 14th, 1905. Received Rev. A. P. Lienard by transfer from the Kansas Conference.

Jan 18th, 1906. Was requested to visit Glens Falls in the interest of conference work. Being physically unable at the time requested Rev. C. E. Hill to make the visit, which he did.

Feb. 20th, 1906. Appointed the first delegate elected from Hague and Glens Falls charges respectively as members of the committee on Itinerancy and Orders.

Mar. 19th to 22nd. Visited Glens Falls. The expense of Bro. Hill's and my trips amounting to \$17.50.

Mar. 29th 1906. Received W. A. Wilson Licentiate by transfer from the Syracuse Conference.

E. D. Carpenter, President of the Champlain Annual Conference.

#### REPORT NO. 2.

Your committee to whom was referred the matter of the financial state of the Glens Falls Wesleyan Methodist church, beg leave to report that the committee convened, called before it the parties interested and were able to adjust the



whole matter so as to secure this property to the church and conference, the conference and connection agreeing to make a - loan upon the same when the present mortgage becomes due.

J. F. Wright,  
J. L. Benton,  
A. J. Allen,  
C. C. Hill,  
E. S. Ross.

Committee.

### REPORT NO. 3

#### Report of Camp-Meeting Committee.

Your committee beg leave to submit the following report:

1st. That a meeting of the committee was held in the month of June to take into consideration the advisability of bulding a boarding-house on the grounds. Decided to build and fixed upon the location.

2nd. The camp-meeting was one of the best ever held, Rev. E. W. Bruce rendering excellent service all through; Rev. A. T. Jennings and Rev. J. H. Bowen adding much to the interest of the meeting by their presence and help during the last few days of the meetings.

3rd. There was raised for camp-meeting purposes \$418.00. Of this amount nearly \$200 was paid for erecting boarding-house and the balance was paid for help outside the conference, and other necessary expenses.

4th. The committee also report the engagement of Rev. A. P. Jennings for the entire time of the camp-meeting for August 15th to 26th, 1906.

5th. We recommend the election of a new camp-meeting committee who shall take their office September 1st, 1906; we recommend that Rev. A. P. Lienard, A. N. Bedell, Stephen Stiles and Walter Stratton be added to the present committee.

F. E. Wood  
J. J. Davison  
E. D. Carpenter  
Wm. Rist

### REPORT NO. 4.

Your committee on church extension would report as

follows:

1st. In looking over the field we find the need of means to carry on our work is greater than are the resources at our command; we also find that because of no means coming into the treasury until conference time our work is hindered as funds are needed at different times during the year.

Therefore we recommend the adoption of the following as the rule of this conference.:

1st. That all pastors shall begin the raising of the benevolences of the church within 60 days after the rise of the annual conference session; and shall present the matter at least once a quarter and as much oftener as is needful for the best interests of the work.

2nd. That remittance shall be made to the conference treasurer quarterly.

3rd. That the first Sunday in October be observed throughout the conference as church extension day, when pastors shall present the need of help for church building, etc., and an offering be taken for that purpose.

4th. We require that previous to the above mentioned day the conference president shall furnish pastors all information he may have as to the needs of the work.

E. D. Carpenter,  
J. L. Benton,  
J. F. Wright,  
Committee.

#### REPORT NO. 5.

We, the committee on Itinerancy and Orders, beg leave to report as follows:

The brethren, N. J. O'Brien, S. J. Liberty, C. E. Fox, Arthur Baker, F. H. Wright, LeRoy Mattoon, W. A. Wilson, are making progress in their studies. We recommend that they be continued in the course study and their present relation.

The following named persons being duly recommended by their respective churches, we recommend that they be received to take the course of study and to travail: W. L. Braman, Antoinette Braman, M. R. French.

Brother George Wetmore came duly recommended by the Chittenden church. We recommend that he be returned to his quarterly conference. We recommend J. H. Allen be received to take course of study.

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. Hill,  
A. J. Allen,  
E. S. Ross,  
E. D. Carpenter,  
A. Daggett,  
Committee.

### REPORT NO. 6.

Treasurer's Report from May 1, '05, to May 1, '06.

#### Amount received.

Dollar plan.....	\$277 53
Conference missions.....	94 54
Foreign missions.....	4 76
Home missions.....	4 40
Conference minutes.....	21 30
On note L. C. Partridge.....	25 00
On note camp-meeting funds.....	25 00
Total.....	<hr/> \$452 53

#### Disbursements.

W. A. Wagar for conference minutes.....	\$27 00	
W. A. Wagar.....	5 12	
L. C. Partridge, note and interest.....	26 50	
Camp-meeting note.....	25 00	
A. W. Hall, dollar plan home and foreign	217 37	
S. A. Warner.....	50 00	
E. D. Carpenter and C. E. Hill.....	17 50	368 49
Bal. on hand.....		<hr/> \$84 04

F. E. Wood, Treasurer.

### REPORT NO 7.

Committee on Pastoral Relations

Acorn Hill, N. Y.....Frank H. Wright



Baker's Mills, N. Y.	S. L. Liberty
Brookdale and Buckton, N. Y.	F. L. Wright
Burke and Chateaugay, N. Y.	C. C. Hill
Cadyville, N. Y.	Supplied by George Wetmore (Conditionally)
Chittenden, Vt.	G. H. Bort
Chester and Horicon, N. Y.	A. E. and T. A. Moses
Cooks Corners, N. Y.	M. R. French
Crown Point, N. Y.	Care of the President
East Warren, Vt.	Care of the President
Ellenburgh, N. Y.	Care of the President
Forestdale and Goshen, Vt.	W. A. Wilson
Glens Falls, N. Y.	C. E. Hill
Hadley and Corinth, N. Y.	Arthur Baker; Chas. Heath, Asst
Hague and Valley View, N. Y.	W. A. Wagar
Lisbon, N. Y.	W. L. and Antoinette Braman
Lisbon Center, N. Y.	E. D. Carpenter
Long Lake, N. Y.	A. J. Allen
Macomb, N. Y.	Leroy Mattoon
Mooers and Champlain, N. Y.	A. P. Lienard
Morley, N. Y.	F. W. Locke
Newcomb, N. Y.	C. E. Fox
Peekskill, N. Y.	H. F. Lent
Pitcairn and Fowler, N. Y.	S. A. and L. M. Warner
Readsboro, Vt.	To be supplied
South Albany, Vt.	L. Trowbridge
Stony Creek, N. Y.	N. J. O'Brien
Vermontville, N. Y.	To supply themselves
West Chazy, N. Y.	F. E. Wood
West Plattsburg, N. Y.	Wm. Rist
Willow and Chichester, N. Y.	J. F. Wright

J. L. Benton, connectional field secretary.

D. C. Haven, serving Boylston charge, Syracuse conference.

J. Quay, subject to call by pastors.

Transferred to Syracuse conference, H. C. Shares and Earl E. Curtis, licentiates.

Joined this year by transfer from Kansas conference, A. P. Lienard.

On credentials, K. F. Schaubuth.

As licentiates on recommend from the churches, J. H.

Allen, W. L. Braman, Antoinette Braman, M. R. French.

By transfer from Syracuse conference, W. A. Wilson.

Superannuated Elders, J. Bartman, J. Blanchard, E. E.

Curtis, L. C. Partridge, B. W. Sherwood, R. Shaw.

Superanumerary Elders, C. L. Cahee, J. J. Davison, S.

C. Fox, O. D. Putnam, K. F. Schaubuth.

Unstationed Elders, S. Bills, Joab Eighmey.

Licentiates on Stationed List, J. A. Allen, W. L. Braman, Antoinette Braman, Arthur Baker, N. J. O'Brien, C. E. Fox, M. R. French, Chas. Heath, S. J. Liberty, Leroy Mattoon, W. A. Wilson, Frank H. Wright.

E. D. Carpenter,

C. E. Hill,

I. Prouty,

J. L. Benton,

F. L. Wright,

John Murray,

C. H. Lincoln,

Committee.

## STATISTICAL REPORT OF CHARGES

Acorn Hill—Frank H. Wright, pastor, time employed 1 year, appointments 1, No. of churches 1, received 3, discontinued 1, present number 23, baptized 1, Wesleyan Methodists taken 9, children's banners 10, good words 10, early seekers 10, temperance papers 10, Iconoclast lesson papers 20, number of Sunday schools 1, superintendents 1, teachers 3, scholars 50, meeting houses 1, value \$800.00, parsonage 1, value \$500 pastor's salary \$240, evangelistic receipts \$9.03, superannuated ministers, \$3 60, missions \$5.65, educational \$9.51 dollar plan \$1.00, Sabbath schools \$8.00, building and repairs \$12.15, incidentals \$17.75.

Bakers Mills—S. J. Liberty, pastor, time 1 year, appointments 3, churches 1, discontinued 1, granted letters 2, present number 57, unstationed elders 1, licentiates 1, Wesleyans 11, C. B., E. S., G. W., T. P., each 15, I. L. H. 55, S. S. 1, Superintendents 1, teachers 4, scholars 77, meeting houses 2, value \$2000, parsonage, 1, value \$750, pastor's salary \$422.18, S. M. \$1.05, missions \$1.00, educational, \$12.50, S. S. \$7.96, B. and R. \$55, incidentals, \$20.26, other benevolences, \$18.50.

Brookdale and Buckton—F. L. Wright, pastor, time 1 year, appointments 1, churches 2, received 2, discontinued 2, present number 48, Wesleyans 22, C. B., E. S., G. W., T. P., each 15, Iconoclast lesson helps 34, S. S. 1, superintendents 1, teachers 4, scholars 40, books in library 48, meeting houses 2, value \$1600, parsonage 1, value \$700, pastor's salary \$442.41, superannuated ministers \$8.87, missions \$13, dollar plan \$13, S. S. \$14.21, B. and R. \$25, incidentals \$50.

Burke and Chateaugay—C. C. Hill pastor, time 1 year, appointments 2, churches 1, received 3, present number 34, baptized 11, licentiates 2, Wesleyans 10, Iconoclast lesson helps 50, S. S. 2, superintendents 2, teachers 5, scholars 50, books 40, meeting houses 1, value \$650., 1 lot, value \$50, pastor's salary \$120.40, superannuated ministers \$2.65, missions \$4.91 D. P. \$2.50, S. S. \$12.50, incidentals \$10.

Cadyville—G. H. Bort pastor, time 1 year, appointments 1, churches 1, received 1, present number 35, baptized 7, li-



centiates 1, Wesleyans 1, C. B., E. S., G. W., T. P., 20 each, Iconoclast lesson helps 58, S. S. 1, superintendents 1, teachers 3, scholars 43, meeting houses 1, value \$1250, parsonage 1, value \$400, pastor's salary \$286.86, evangelistic receipts \$26, superannuated ministers \$2.65, missions \$1.12, educational \$1.55, D. P., \$4, S. S. \$14, B. and R. \$303, incidentals \$7.55, other benevolences \$10.50.

Chester and Horicon—T. A. and A. E. Moses pastors, time 1 year, appointments 3, number of churches 3, received 6, died 4, granted letters 2, present number 129, baptized 7, unstationed elders 1, Wesleyans 8, S. S. 2, superintendents 2, teachers 9, scholars 90, number meeting houses  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , value \$1500, parsonages 2, value \$1000, pastor's salary \$416, superannuated ministers \$1.03, missions \$2.25, education \$6, D. P. \$6, S. S. \$35, B. and R. \$75, Inc. \$25.

Cooks Corners—A. P. Gouthy pastor, time 6 months, appointments 2, churches 1, received 1, died 1, present number 21, baptized 5, S. S. 2, superintendents 2, teachers 5, scholars 25, books 18, meeting houses 1, value \$1500, pastor's salary \$125, evangelistic \$16.54, missions \$1.24, S. S. \$9.49, B. and R. \$47.63, incidentals \$29.83, other benevolences \$4.54.

Chittenden—Earl E. Curtis pastor, time 1 year, appointments 1, received 7, present number 40, baptized 15, Wesleyans 9, C. B., E. S., G. W., T. P. 15 each, Iconoclast lesson helps 20, S. S. 1, superintendents 1, teachers 4, scholars 60, meeting houses 1, value \$1000, parsonage 1, value \$600, pastor's salary \$532.26, evangelists \$35.80, superannuated ministers \$3.10, missions \$5.20, education \$3, D. P. \$29, S. S. \$21.26, incidentals \$10.

Ellenburg—C. C. Hill pastor. No report.

Forestdale and Goshen—C. E. Hill, pastor, time 1 year, appointments 2, number churches 1, received 4, died 1, granted letters 1, baptized 7, Wesleyans 20, C. B., E. S., G. W., T. P., 30 each, I. L. H. 89, S. S. 2, superintendents 2, teachers 8, scholars 75, books 310, meeting houses 2, value \$2000, parsonage 1, value \$500, pastor's salary \$476, evangelistic \$12, superannuated ministers \$2, educational \$2.50, D. P. 24, conference missions \$4.00, S. S. \$40, B. and R. \$150, incidentals \$30.

Glens Falls—C. E. Fox pastor, time 9 months, appoint-

ments 1, churches 1, discontinued 1, died 1, granted 3, present number 25, licentiates 1, S. S. 1, superintendents 1, teachers 5, scholars 30, meeting houses 1, value \$10,000, parsonage 1, value \$5000, pastor's salary \$752.15, missions \$1.40, S. S. 26.21, incidentals \$50.

Hadley and Corinth—A. Baker pastor, time 1 year, appointments 5, churches 4, received 13, died 1, present number 63, baptized 19, unstationed elders 2, Wesleyans 18, C. B., E. S., G. W., T. P., 10 each, I. L. H. 34, number of Sunday schools 2, superintendents 2, teachers 6, scholars 40, meeting houses 4, value \$3000, parsonage 1, value, \$500, pastor's salary \$380.96, evangelistic \$80, superannuated ministers \$6, conference missions \$31.10, S. S. \$12.30, B. and R. \$40, incidentals \$62.85.

Hague and Valley View—W. A. Wagar pastor, time 1 year, appointments 4, churches 1, received 1, discontinued 2, present number 52, Wesleyans 18, I. L. H. 125, S. S. 2, superintendents 2, teachers 13, scholars 150, books 200, meeting houses 1, value \$1000, parsonage 1, value \$500, pastor's salary 775, evangelistic \$23.03, superannuated ministers \$15, D. P. \$52, S. S. \$75, incidentals \$30, other benevolences \$25.

Lisbon Center—E. D. Carpenter pastor, time 1 year, appointments 1, churches 1, received 1, present number 37, baptized 10, licentiates 1, Wesleyans 9, G. W., E. S., C. B., T. P., 20 each, I. L. H. 70, S. S. 1, superintendents 1, teachers 4, scholars 60, meeting houses 1, value \$3000, parsonage 1, pastor's salary \$564.61, evangelistic \$3, superannuated ministers \$2.10, missions \$5, educational \$5, D. P. \$10, conference missions \$7, S. S. \$22, B. and R. \$142.50, incidentals \$71.70.

Lisbon—D. C. Haven pastor, time 1 year, appointments 2, churches 1, present number 19, Wesleyans 11, E. S., G. W. C. B., T. P. 20 each, I. L. H. 40, S. S. 2, superintendents 2, teachers 6, scholars 40, meeting houses 1, value \$1000, parsonage 1, value \$500, pastor's salary \$300, evangelistic \$500, superannuated ministers \$6.15, D. P. \$12, S. S. \$14, B. and R. \$15, incidentals \$25, other benevolences \$6.

Long Lake—A. J. Allen pastor, time 1 year, appointments 1, churches 1, received 29, died 2, granted letters 1, present number 70, baptized 27, unstationed elders 1, Wesleyans 10, C. B., E. S., G. W., T. P. 15 each, I. L. H. 50, S. S.



1, superintendents 1, teachers 4, scholars 40, meeting houses 1, value \$1000, parsonage 1, value \$1000, pastor's salary \$657.75, evangelistic \$75, superannuated ministers \$5.06, missions \$16.88, educational \$60, S. S. \$24.60, incidentals \$45.

Macomb—Leroy Mattoon pastor, time 11 months, appointments 3, churches 1, died 1, granted letters 1, present number 40, Wesleyans 12, meeting houses 2, value \$3000, parsonage 1, value \$800, pastor's salary \$364.09, evangelistic \$23.80, superannuated ministers \$4.16, missions \$3.04, D. P. \$6, B. and R. \$2.38, incidentals \$10.

Mooers and Champlain—A. P. Lienard pastor, time 8 months, appointments 3, churches 3, received 13, discontinued 1, died 1, granted letters 1, present number 115, baptized 5, licentiates 2, Wesleyans 26, C. B., G. W., E. S., T. P. 10 each, I. L. H. 35, S. S. 1, superintendents 1, teachers 3, scholars 30, books 150, meeting houses 1, value \$1000, parsonage 1, value \$800, pastor's salary \$442.50, evangelistic \$130, superannuated ministers \$15.50, educational \$13, D. P. 47, conference missions \$3.50, S. S. \$10, B. and R. \$50, incidentals \$50..

Morley—A. W. Locke pastor, time 1 year, appointments 3, churches 1, received 2, died 3, present number 45, baptized 7, Wesleyans 15, I. L. H. 65, S. S. 2, superintendents 2, teachers 11, scholars 135, books 85, meeting houses 1, value \$2500, parsonage 1, value \$800, pastor's salary \$520.18, evangelistic \$108.43, superannuated ministers \$5.50, missions \$4.71, educational \$110, D. P. \$10, S. S. \$73.62, B. and R. \$46.28, incidentals \$81.50, other benevolences \$17.05.

Newcomb—No pastor, appointments 1, churches 1, present number 26, Wesleyans 10, books 145, meeting houses 1, value \$1500, parsonages 1, value \$800.

Peekskill—A. F. Lent pastor, time 1 year, appointments 1, churches 1, received 1, discontinued 2, died 1, present number 10, baptized 10, Wesleyans 5, meeting houses 1, value \$1500, B. and R. \$70, incidentals \$20.80.

Pitcairn—S. A. and L. M. Warner pastors, time 1 year, appointments 4, churches 1, received 8, died 1, present number 28, Wesleyans 3, C. B., E. S., G. W., T. P. 16 each, I. L. H. 43, S. S. 1, superintendents 1, teachers 3, scholars 20, pastor's salary \$127.53, superannuated ministers \$5.20, mis-



sions \$14, D. P. \$7, S. S. \$8.80, incidentals \$10.

Readsboro—No pastor, appointments 1 churches 1, present number 21, Wesleyans 3, meeting houses 1, value \$1000, parsonage 1, value \$1000.

South Albany—E. Trowbridge pastor, time 1 year, appointments 1, churches 1, present number 18, Wesleyans 8, E. S., G. W., C. B., T. P., 8 each, I. L. H. 23, S. S. 1, superintendents 1, teachers 4, scholars 20, meeting houses 1, value \$800, parsonage 1, value \$500, pastor's salary \$295.25, evangelistic \$23.35, superannuated ministers \$1.25, missions \$5.68, educational \$10.25, D. P. \$18, S. S. \$6.20, B. and R. \$6.25, incidentals \$11.80, other benevolences \$13.39.

Stoney Creek—N. J. O'Brien pastor, time 1 year, appointments 3, churches 1, received 9, present number 49, Wesleyans 11, number of Sunday schools 2, superintendents 2, teachers 6, scholars 40, books 30, meeting houses 1, value \$1000, parsonages 1, value \$500, pastor's salary \$302.39, evangelistic \$4.75, superannuated ministers \$2, educational \$26.50, S. S. \$3, incidentals \$25, other benevolences \$12.

West Chazy—F. E. Wood pastor, time 1 year, appointments 3, churches 1, received 16, present number 84, baptized 11, licentiates 2, Wesleyans 26, C. B., G. W., E. S., T. P. 20 each, I. L. H. 88, Sunday schools 1, superintendents 1, teachers 5, scholars 80, books 70, meeting houses 1, value \$1500, parsonage 1, value \$1000, pastor's salary \$531, evangelistic \$172.30, superannuated ministers \$3, missions \$7, D. P. 36, conference missions \$3, S. S. \$25, incidentals \$63.69.

West Plattsburg—Wm. Rist pastor, time 1 year, appointments 2, churches 1, received 16, died 4, present number 70, baptized 14, licentiates 1, Wesleyans 19, C. B., E. S., G. W. T. P., 20 each, iconoclast lesson helps 40, Sunday schools 1, superintendents 1, teachers 5, scholars 48, books 100, meeting houses 1, value \$1500, parsonage 1, value \$800, pastor's salary \$410, evangelistic \$10, superannuated ministers \$3.75, missions \$4, D. P. \$7, S. S. \$15.76, B. and R. \$5, incidentals \$25.

Willow and Chichester—J. F. Wright pastor, time 1 year, appointments 2, churches 2, received 6, died 1, present number 37, baptized 3, unstationed elders 3, licentiates 2, Wesleyans 20, G. W., E. S., C. B., T. P. 10 each, I. L. H. 20, Sunday schools 1, superintendents 1, teachers 3, scholars 20, meet-

ing houses 2, value \$1000, parsonage 1, value \$300, pastor's salary \$400, evangelistic \$18, superannuated ministers \$2.50, missions \$5, educational \$7.44, S. S. \$8, B. and R. \$100, incidentals \$30, other benevolences \$40.

#### SUMMARY.

Appointments 57, churches 36, received 141, died 22, granted letters 11, present number 1258, baptized 159, unstationed elders 8, licentiates 13, Wesleyans 314, C. B., E. S., G. W., T. P. 254 each, I. L. H. 959, S. S. 32, superintendents 32, teachers 123, scholars 1263, books 1196, meeting houses 34½, value \$57,600, parsonages 24, value \$19,300, pastors' salaries contributed \$10,148.52, evangelistic \$776.06, superannuated ministers \$101.62, missions \$101.08, educational enterprises \$277.25, dollar plan \$284.50, conference missions \$48.60, Sabbath schools \$487.01, building and repairs \$1145.19, incidentals \$812.73, other benevolent objects \$145.98. Total amount raised \$14,028.54.