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OF AMERICA



BUCKINGHAM TABERNACLE GROUNDS

AUGUST 8-10, 1961

## ALL CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

- SEPTEMBER---- Preachers and Laymen's Meetings.
- OCTOBER----- N.S.S.A. Convention—Detroit, Michigan—October 11, 12, and 13.
- NOVEMBER----- Sunday School Workshop, November 2, 3, and 4. This is to become a permanent activity for the first Thursday in November.
- NOVEMBER ---- Missionary Deputation.
- DECEMBER----- W.Y. Convention at Louisville, Ky. December 27, 28 and 29.
- JANUARY----- Youth Week—January 28 through February 4th.
- JANUARY----- Preachers and Laymen's Meetings.
- FEBRUARY----- Ministerial Institute at Central College. February 27 through March 1st.
- MARCH----- Virginia Conference Ministerial Institute. March 15, 16 and 17. To be a permanent activity beginning on Thursday after the second Sunday.
- MAY----- Preachers and Laymen's Meetings.
- JULY----- Youth Camp—July 9-13. Camp Meeting—July 13-22.
- AUGUST----- Annual Conference—August 7, 8, and 9.

# MINUTES

of the

## Second Annual Session

of the

## Virginia Conference

of the

## Wesleyan Methodist Church of America

held at

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August 8-10, 1961

REV. EARL T. GENTRY, President

REV. W. LEE COCKERILL, Vice President

REV. HAL G. ROBBINS, JR., Secretary

REV. W. LEE COCKERILL, Treasurer

## 1961-62 GOALS

1. A force of 600 Pledged Pray-ers.
2. At least two revivals in each church and one evangelistic effort with youth emphasis.
3. Each member witnessing for Christ daily.
4. Each church endeavoring to "mother a church" and promote the special offering for the same at the time of the Conference President's visit. Further, each church seek to conduct prayer meetings, evangelistic meetings and cultivate contacts in new communities looking toward new church organizations.
5. Each church paying all General Conference and Annual Conference Budget assessments.

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# Virginia Annual Conference

## OFFICIARY

**President**—Rev. Earl T. Gentry, 6044 Thornrose Road, N. W., Roanoke, Virginia, Phone EM 6-4406.

**Vice President**—Rev. W. Lee Cockerill, 403 Irvington Road, Falls Church, Virginia, Phone JE 2-7151.

**Secretary**—Rev. Hal G. Robbins, Jr., 912 Seventh Street, Altavista, Virginia, Phone FO 9-5769.

**Treasurer**—Rev. W. Lee Cockerill, 403 Irvington Road, Falls Church, Virginia, Phone JE 2-7151.

**Treasurer of Pension and Insurance**—C. J. Mackey, 2110 Kent, Richmond, Virginia.

**President's Advisory Board**—Elders: S. T. Bayse, M. Paul Rampey; Laymen: C. T. Wade, C. J. Mackey.

**Conference Librarian**—Mrs. Paul Wheeler, Box 60, Chantilly, Virginia.

## STANDING COMMITTEES

**Itineracy and Orders**—G. R. Phaup, 1965; Paul A. Wheeler, 1964; Hal G. Robbins, Jr., 1963; Frank B. Dennard, 1962.

**Judiciary Committee**—W. Lee Cockerill, Chairman; G. R. Phaup, S. T. Bayse.

**Board of Church Evangelism, CONFERENCE BOARD OF MANAGERS**—President of the Conference, President of the Conference WMS, Hal G. Robbins, Jr., Frank B. Dennard, W. Lee Cockerill, J. Melvin Howard, C. J. Mackey, J. Alvin Thomas.

**Committee on Vacancies**—President of the Conference, Chairman; Paul Ray, J. F. Yates.

**Committee on Church and Parsonage Buildings**—Paul Rampey, Rudolph Bowyer.

**Trustees**—C. T. Wade, 1964; Earl T. Gentry, 1963; Victor Herman, 1962.

**Committee on Pensions and Insurance**—Frank B. Dennard, Chairman; C. J. Mackey, Treasurer; C. H. Dotson.

**Local Board of Trustees of Central College**—Earl T. Gentry, 1963; Hal G. Robbins, Jr., Alternate.

**Conference Card Call Secretary**—J. Alvin Thomas.

**Conference Educational Secretary**—E. E. Shepherd.

**Committee on Resolutions**—Raymond Powers, Jr., Chairman; C. H. Dotson, Conference President, Conference Vice President.

## THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE

**Conference Librarian**—Mrs. Paul A. Wheeler.

**Auditing Committee**—E. E. Shepherd, Chairman; Robert Graham.

**Character and Checking Committee**—Conference President, Chairman; F. B. Dennard, S. T. Bayse, B. F. Kinsley.

**Buckingham Tabernacle Association Board**—Approved by Annual Conference upon presentation of the association's secretary.

**Sunday School Secretary and Board**—Paul Rampey, Secretary; Wesley Shields, Richard C. Hill.

**Tithing Secretary and Board**—Earl P. Fisher, W. B. Bowles, Mrs. Natalie Burgess.

**Committee on Statistics**—George Cobbler, Jack Lantz, Edward Powers.

**Committee on Apportionment**—Charles G. Sherrill, Chairman; Paul Ray.

**Committee on Evangelism**—Paul A. Wheeler, Chairman; Charles King, Paul W. McKinley.

**Committee on Credentials**—Paul Wheeler, Chairman; Joe Shields, Wayne Bohannon.

**Committee on Memorials**—S. T. Bayse.

**Committee on Post Office Addresses**—Conference Secretary.

**Temperance Secretary**—Michael Terifay; Eddie Horne, Assistant.

**Secretary of Wesleyan Men and Board**—Jesse L. Bell, Secretary; H. E. Nash.



# Conference Roll

## ELDERS

Bayse, S. T.—1826 Kenwood Blvd. S. E., Roanoke, Virginia DI 5-7297  
 Cockerill, W. Lee—403 Irvington Rd., Falls Church, Virginia JE 2-7151  
 Dennard, F. B.—3022 Lorrain Rd., N. W., Roanoke, Virginia (Pars) DI 4-1196  
 (Church) DI 2-7991  
 Dotson, C. H.—1004 Williard Drive, Blacksburg, Virginia (Pars) PR 2-1303  
 (Church) PR 2-8380  
 Fisher, Earl P.—Route No. 5, Stuart, Virginia  
 Gentry, Earl T.—6044 Thornrose Rd. N.W., Roanoke, Virginia EM 6-4406  
 Howard, J. Melvin—38 Greenwood Rd., Newport News, Virginia LY 6-7850  
 Mandell, Herman H.—2607 10th Street, N. W., Roanoke, Virginia EM 6-5053  
 Mostiler, J. Thomas—9 Pershing St., Radford, Virginia NE 9-3664  
 Phaup, G. R.—Route No. 2, Box 286, Farmville, Virginia EX 2-5241  
 Powers, Raymond, Jr.—904 Eldon St., Lynchburg, Virginia VI 7-5218  
 Rampey, M. Paul—Box 86, Arvonnia, Virginia YU 3-2175  
 Ray, Paul M.—836 Kemper Rd., Danville, Virginia SW 2-8605  
 Robbins, Hal G. Jr.—912 7th St., Altavista, Virginia (Pars) FO 9-5769  
 (Church) FO 9-5444  
 Shepherd, E. E.—Route No. 1, Vinton, Virginia DI 4-8848  
 Sherrill, Charles G.—Mooresville, North Carolina  
 Shigley, Ernest L., Jr.—3102 Hanover Ave., Richmond, Virginia EL 8-0873  
 Shockley, William R.—Route No. 5, Stuart, Virginia OW 4-5293  
 Watkins, J. A.—6204 Club Dr., Richmond 28, Virginia EL-8-7511  
 Wheeler, Paul A.—Box 60, Chantilly, Virginia HE 3-30W-2

## ELDERS ON TRIAL

Dix, Lester—Chantilly, Virginia  
 Terifay, Michael A.—3024 Mass. Ave., S. E., Washington 19, D. C. LU 2-6425

## CONFERENCE PREACHERS

Bohannon, Wayne—Lawsonville, North Carolina  
 Duvall, T. C.—Chantilly, Virginia  
 Horne, Eddie—449 Newcombe St., S. E., Washington 20, D. C. JO 3-6128  
 Hunter, Stanley—1012 W. Carolina Ave., Crewe, Virginia 8451  
 King, Charles S.—Ararat, Virginia  
 McKinley, Paul W.—1218 Clement St., Radford, Virginia  
 Matherly, James, Jr.—201 Green St., Blacksburg, Virginia  
 Smith, James R.—Bremo Bluff, Virginia  
 Underwood, N. J.—Route No. 1, Box 125, Blacksburg, Virginia PR 2-9686  
 Yarborough, J. C.—Route No. 1, Box 400, Rustburg, Virginia Lynchburg, Va.  
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## LAY DELEGATES

Jesse L. Bell, Natalie Burgess, Mrs. Mary Cook, Tommy Davis, Mary C. Dooley, Robert M. Graham, Mrs. Erwin Guhr, Curtis Hall, Gertrude Horne, Mrs. Nancy Kerr, Mrs. C. G. Lawless, Mrs. Herman Mandell, W. R. Mannon, Lula Marshall, R. L. Martindale, Mrs. Jeanette Moorefield, Mrs. J. C. Morris,

Mr. C. E. Peale, H. H. Ripley, Mr. Woodrow Sanders, J. H. Sink, L. M. Slaughter, Mr. J. Alvin Thomas, Mr. C. T. Wade, Mrs. Sarah Winebarger, J. F. Yates.

### COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY AND ELDERS ORDERS ROLL

#### Item I. Transfers

A. We recommend that the Rev. Michael Terifay be received as an Elder on Trial from the Free Methodist Church.

B. We recommend that the Rev. Lester Dix be received as an Elder on Trial from the Ohio Yearly Meeting (Friends). It is understood that he is to meet the full requirements of the Course of Study for Elders Orders, with our church.

#### Item II. Classification of Students

##### A. Pursuing Course of Study leading to Ordination:

##### First Year

Wayne Bohannon  
John Henderson  
Mrs. Edna Hoover

Mrs. Stella King  
James R. Smith  
L. W. Wood

##### Second Year

Paul W. McKinley

Mrs. Evelyn Tate

##### Third Year

Eddie Horne  
Jimmy Matherly

N. J. Underwood

##### Fourth Year

T. C. Duvall

J. C. Yarborough

##### B. Pursuing Course of Study leading to Deaconess:

Mrs. Mary Cook

#### Item III. Completed Course of Study:

Helen Harless  
Stanley Hunter

Charles King

#### Item IV. Students in College and Seminary:

Larry Brewer  
Sidney F. Bunn  
Kenneth F. Foutz  
Jerry Hunter  
Willard Kiser

Sidney Lafon  
W. G. Mullinax  
Raymond Leroy Phaup  
Steve Watkins  
Paul Wilson

#### Item V. Special Classifications:

Joe Shields

These are special workers, approved for work under the President and his Advisory Board, who are not working toward eventual ordination.

# Religious Services

**Tuesday, 7:30 P.M., August 8, 1961**

**Conference Sermon**—The Rev. Earl T. Gentry, Conference President, presided at this service. The congregational singing was under the direction of the Rev. Raymond Powers, Jr. A special song, "Deeper, Deeper In The Heart of Jesus," was rendered by the Rev. Frank Dennard. A special offering was taken to be applied to the indebtedness. The Rev. W. Lee Cockerill challenged the Conference as he spoke from John 14:12. "Verily, verily I say unto you, he that believeth on me the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do". He issued the challenge to fully yield to the Lord that we may do "greater works" for God's glory.

**Wednesday, 7:30 P.M., August 9, 1961**

**W.M.S. Public Service**—Mrs. Eulalia Gentry, Conference WMS President presided at this service. "Anywhere With Jesus" and "I Love To Tell The Story" were the opening hymns led by Mrs. Margaret Wood. A special song, rendered by Mrs. Betty McKinley, was entitled "That I May Be Like Jesus." The devotions were conducted by Miss Roberta Wylie. Mrs. Hal G. Robbins, Jr. then spoke about the books that were for sale. A ladies triple-trio sang "Listen To The Lord". Rev. Floyd Banker, missionary to India for many years, spoke to the group stressing that "the church is to be a river of life-giving water flowing out to the lost". A special offering amounting to \$38.27 was received.

**Thursday, 7:30 P.M., August 10, 1961**

**Ordination Service**—Rev. Paul A. Wheeler, Secretary of the Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders, presided at this service. Rev. Raymond Powers, Jr. led the congregation in singing "My Hope Is Built" and "All Hail The Power Of Jesus Name" accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Hal G. Robbins, Jr. Prayer was offered by the Rev. W. Lee Cockerill. After a special song, rendered by a minister's quartet, Rev. Lyman F. Lance preached the Ordination Sermon using II Corinthians 4:1-5 as a basis for his remarks. Rev. E. E. Shepherd was ordained at the close of the service.

## *Roll of Honored Dead*

*"And I heard a voice from Heaven saying, Write, Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from henceforth: yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; for their works follow with them" (Rev. 14:13).*

MR. A. G. THOMAS

MRS. BELLE STULL

MRS. BERTHA WATTS

MRS. KATE WARE

MRS. ALICE RIMMER

MRS. J. P. DAVIDSON

MRS. ROY FOWLER

MRS. BETTY DAVIS

*God wills it so, and so it is;  
The pilgrims on their way,  
Though weak and worn, more cheerful are  
Than all the rest who stay.*

*And when, at last, poor man subdued,  
Lies down to death resigned,  
May he not still be happier far  
Than those he leaves behind!*

*—Edward Pollock*

# Daily Proceedings

First Meeting, Tuesday, 3:00 P.M., August 8, 1961.

**Opening**—The second annual session of the Virginia Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America convened at the Buckingham Tabernacle, August 8, 1961, at 3:00 P.M. with Rev. Raymond Powers, Jr. leading the singing of our National Anthem, accompanied by Mrs. Hal Robbins, Jr. at the organ. Rev. Lyman F. Lance led in prayer.

**Devotions**—The devotions were conducted by the conference president, Rev. Earl T. Gentry, using Jeremiah 12:1-17.

**Congregational Singing**—Rev. Frank B. Dennard led the congregation in singing the hymn, "A Charge To Keep I Have".

**Business**—The conference president, Rev. Earl T. Gentry, called the Conference to order.

**Nominating Committee**—The Nominating Committee gave a partial report listing the members of the Credentials Committee as follows: Paul Wheeler, Chairman; Wayne Bohannon; Joe Shields.

**Credentials Committee**—The Committee on Credentials collected and submitted the credentials of the lay-delegates present. By vote of the body these and all others so reported were enrolled as members of the body.

**Roll Call**—The roll was called and the following answered:

**Elders:** S. T. Bayse, W. Lee Cockerill, F. B. Dennard, C. H. Dotson, Earl P. Fisher, Earl T. Gentry, J. Melvin Howard, Lyman F. Lance, Herman Mandell, Raymond Powers, Jr., M. Paul Rampey, Paul M. Ray, Hal G. Robbins, Jr., Charles G. Sherrill, Paul Wheeler, D. Clifton Wood.

**Conference Preachers:** Wayne Bohannon, T. C. Duvall, Stanley Hunter, E. E. Shepherd, N. J. Underwood, J. C. Yarborough.

**Lay Delegates:** Mrs. Jeanette Moorefield, Mr. C. E. Peale, Tommy Davis, R. L. Martindale, Mrs. Gertrude Horne, Mrs. Mary Cook, Mrs. C. G. Lawless, L. M. Slaughter, Curtis Hall, W. R. Mannon, H. H. Ripley, Mrs. J. C. Morris, Natalie Burgess, Mr. J. Alvin Thomas, J. H. Sink, Mary C. Dooley, Mr. C. T. Wade, Mr. Woodrow Sanders, Jesse L. Bell, Mrs. Erwin Guhr, Lula Marshall, J. F. Yates, Robert M. Graham.

**Conference Bar**—By vote of the Conference the Bar was set to include the first six rows of pews and the platform.

**Nominating Committee Report**—The report of the Nominating Committee was read by the Rev. G. R. Phaup. The report was adopted as read.

## REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

August 8, 1961

### Standing Committees

**Itineracy and Orders**—G. R. Phaup, 1965; Paul A. Wheeler, 1964; Hal G. Robbins, Jr., 1963; Frank B. Dennard, 1962.

**Judiciary Committee**—W. Lee Cockerill, Chairman; G. R. Phaup; Sam T. Bayse.

**Board of Church Extension and Evangelism, CONFERENCE BOARD OF MANAGERS**—President of the Conference, President of the Conference WMS,

Hal G. Robbins, Jr., Frank B. Dennard, W. Lee Cockerill, J. Melvin Howard, C. J. Mackey, J. Alvin Thomas.

**Committees on Vacancies**—President of the Conference, Chairman; Paul Ray, J. F. Yates.

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**Tithing Secretary and Board**—Earl P. Fisher, W. B. Bowles, Mrs. Natalie Burgess.

**Committee on Statistics**—George Cobbler, Jack Lantz, Edward Powers.

**Committee on Apportionment**—Charles G. Sherrill, Chairman; Paul Ray.

**Committee on Evangelism**—Paul A. Wheeler, Chairman; Charles King, Paul W. McKinley.

**Committee on Credentials**—Paul A. Wheeler, Chairman; Joe Shields, Wayne Bohannon.

**Committee on Memorials**—S. T. Bayse.

**Committee on Post Office Addresses**—Conference Secretary.

**Temperance Secretary**—Michael Terifay, Eddie Horne, Asst.

**Secretary of Wesleyan Men and Board**—Jesse L. Bell, Secretary; H. E. Nash.

### SESSIONS COMMITTEE

**Pastoral Relations Committee**—Conference President, Chairman; W. Lee Cockerill, C. H. Dotson, Earl P. Fisher, J. Alvin Thomas, R. L. Martindale, Mrs. Natalie Burgess.

**Committee on Courtesy**—Ray Powers, Chairman; Stanley Hunter, Paul Rampey.

**Committee on Thanks**—Mrs. Mary Lee Morris, Mrs. Mary Cooke, Mrs. Gladys Shepherd.

**Tellers**—Melvin Howard, Chairman; Herman Mandell, Curtis Hall, W. R. Shockley, Michael Terifay, N. J. Underwood, Gordon Mullinax, J. C. Yarrow.

**Committee on Mail**—Charles King, Woodrow Sanders.

**Reporter to Wesleyan Methodist**—W. Lee Cockerill.

**Radio Commission**—Conference Board of Managers.

**Committee on Religious Services**—Earl T. Gentry, Lyman F. Lance, Raymond Powers.

**Members of Nominating Committee**—Conference President, Chairman; G. R. Phaup, Paul Rampey, Earl P. Fisher, Mrs. Natalie Burgess, J. Alvin Thomas, J. T. Sink.

Earl T. Gentry, Chairman  
G. R. Phaup, Secretary

**Orders of the Day**—The orders of the day were adopted as follows:

**Tuesday, August 8, 1961**

10:00 a.m.—Nominating Committee meets \*Registration begins

1:30 p.m.—Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders

3:00 p.m.—Conference Organization in Tabernacle

7:30 p.m.—Conference Sermon by W. Lee Cockerill, Treasurer of Virginia Conference.

**Wednesday, August 9, 1961**

8:30 a.m.—Communion Service in charge of D. Clifton Wood, C. H. Dotson, Speaker.

9:30 a.m.—Election of Conference officers.

11:00 a.m.—Denominational Address by the Rev. E. L. Kierstead, Marion, Indiana.

**Thursday, August 10, 1961**

8:30 a.m.—Educational Service—Dr. R. C. Mullinax, Speaker.

9:00 a.m.—Conference Session

1:30 p.m.—Memorial Service—Rev. S. T. Bayse in charge.

2:30 p.m.—Conference Session

7:30 p.m.—Ordination Service under direction of Rev. Lyman F. Lance.

**Conference President's Report**—The Conference President gave his report. This report included official act, activities, financial statement, and recommendations which were adopted with a rising vote of thanks. (See report number 1.)

**Declaration and Affirmation**—The President gave a Declaration and Affirmation bearing upon revivals, moral, political and spiritual issues of our day. This report was adopted as read. (See report number 2.)

**Committee on Courtesy**—The Committee on Courtesy presented the following: Rev. Floyd Banker; Rev. Michael A. Terifay; Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Foutz; and Rev. E. L. Kierstead, the denominational representative. These were made honorary members of the Conference.

**Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders**—The Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders gave a partial report requesting that the Rev. Michael Terifay be received from the Free Methodist Church as an Elder on Trial. This report was adopted. (See report number 16.)

**Motion Made**—The Rev. Hal G. Robbins, Jr. was excused temporarily from the Conference.

**Committee on Vacancies**—The Committee on Vacancies reported. (See report number 3.)

**Adjourned**—Adjourned by motion. Mrs. Eddie led in prayer.

**Second Meeting, Wednesday, 8:30 a.m., August 9, 1961**

**Communion Service**—Rev. D. Clifton Wood was in charge of the Communion Service, assisted by six elders of the Conference. Mrs. Lyman F.

Lance and Mrs. Paul Rampey were the committee on preparation for the observance of this ordinance. Rev. Raymond Powers, Jr. led the congregation in singing "At the Cross." The prayer was offered by Rev. E. L. Kierstead. A special song, entitled "Yielded" was given by Rev. Raymond Powers, Jr. Rev. C. H. Dotson gave the communion meditation. Approximately 110 participated in the sacrament.

**Business**—The Conference Vice President called the Conference to order.

**Roll Call**—The roll was called and the following answered:

**Elders**—S. T. Bayse, W. Lee Cockerill, F. B. Dennard, C. H. Dotson, Earl P. Fisher, Earl T. Gentry, J. Melvin Howard, Lyman F. Lance, Herman H. Mandell, G. R. Phaup, Raymond Powers, Jr., M. Paul Rampey, Paul M. Ray, H. G. Robbins, Jr., Charles G. Sherrill, William R. Shockley, Paul A. Wheeler, D. Clifton Wood.

**Elder on Trial**—Michael Terifay.

**Conference Preachers**—Wayne Bohannon, Stanley Hunter, Paul W. McKinley, W. G. Mullinax, James Matherly, Jr., Joe Shields, E. E. Shepherd, N. J. Underwood, J. C. Yarborough.

**Lay Delegates**—Mrs. Herman Mandell, W. R. Mannon, Mrs. Jeannette Moorefield, Mrs. Nancy Kerr, Mrs. Sarah Winebarger, Mr. C. E. Peale, Tommy Davis, R. L. Martindale, Mrs. Gertrude Horne, Mrs. Mary Cook, H. H. Ripley, Mrs. J. C. Morris, Natalie Burgess, Mr. J. Alvin Thomas, J. H. Sink, Mary C. Dooley, C. T. Wade, Woodrow Sanders, Jesse L. Bell, Mrs. Erwin Guhr, Lula Marshall, J. F. Yates.

**Minutes Read**—The minutes were read and approved.

**Committee on Courtesy**—The Committee on Courtesy presented to the Conference Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dix and they were made honorary members of the Conference.

**Committee on Credentials**—The Committee on Credentials made a partial report.

**Trustee Report**—The chairman of the Conference Trustees gave a report which included recommendations. This reported was adopted as read. (See report number 4.)

**Tellers Appointed**—The Conference President appointed two additional tellers. Tom Duvall and Paul Ray.

**Minister's Report**—The following ministers reported: W. Lee Cockerill and Lyman F. Lance.

**President Elected**—Elder Earl T. Gentry was elected with 40 out of 46 votes.

**Minister's Report**—The following ministers reported: D. Clifton Wood and Earl P. Fisher.

**Vice President Elected**—W. Lee Cockerill was elected with 26 out of 44 votes.

**Minister's Report**—The following ministers reported: C. H. Dotson, F. B. Dennard, Paul Wheeler, Charles G. Sherrill, Paul Rampey, Raymond Powers, Jr., S. T. Bayse.

**Secretary Elected**—Hal G. Robbins, Jr. was elected Secretary with 21 out of 39 votes.

**Recommendation**—The Board of Church Extension made the following recommendation to the Conference: That each church be assigned an area as a "Church Extension Area" requesting each church that has an assigned area to establish contacts, create a mailing list in that area, and conduct



prayer meeting and any other effort toward starting a Wesleyan Methodist Church. This recommendation was adopted.

**Orders of the Day**—The orders of the day called for the Denominational Address. The body was led in singing "A Charge To Keep I Have" by Rev. Earl T. Gentry. Rev. Floyd Banker, veteran missionary to India, led in prayer. The address was given by the Rev. E. L. Kierstead. He spoke concerning the work at headquarters. He also urged the ministers to do more doctrinal preaching.

### Third Meeting, Wednesday, August 9, 1961, 1:30 p.m.

**Opening**—Rev. E. E. Shepherd led in singing "Rescue The Perishing." Mrs. Frances Cobbler played the organ. Rev. William Shockley conducted devotions using Matthew 25:23 as a basis for his remarks.

**Roll Call**—The roll was called and the following answered:

Elders—S. T. Bayse, W. Lee Cockerill, F. B. Dennard, C. H. Dotson, Earl P. Fisher, Earl T. Gentry, J. Melvin Howard, Lyman F. Lance, Herman H. Mandell, J. Thomas Mostiler, G. R. Phaup, Raymond Powers, Jr., M. Paul Rampey, Paul M. Ray, Hal G. Robbins, Jr., Charles G. Sherrill, William R. Shockley, Paul A. Wheeler, D. Clifton Wood.

Elder on Trial—Michael A. Terifay.

Conference Preachers—Wayne Bohannon, Stanley Hunter, Paul McKinley, W. G. Mullinax, James Matherly, Jr., Joe Shields, E. E. Shepherd, N. J. Underwood, J. C. Yarborough.

Lay Delegates—J. F. Yates, Mrs. Erwin Guhr, Jesse L. Bell, Mr. Woodrow Sanders, C. T. Wade, Mary C. Dooley, J. H. Sink, J. Alvin Thomas, Natalie Burgess, Mrs. J. C. Morris, H. H. Ripley, Mrs. Gertrude Horne, R. L. Martindale, Tommy Davis, C. E. Peale, W. R. Mannon, Curtis Hall, L. M. Slaughter.

**Courtesy Committee**—The Committee on Courtesy presented the Rev. Joe Shockley and Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Mullinax.

**Itemized Report of Conference Treasurer**—An itemized report of all checks paid out by the Conference Treasurer was read. The report was adopted. (See report number 5.)

**Budget Study Committee**—The report of the Budget Study Committee was read. A recommendation was also made by this Committee. This report was adopted and the recommendation passed. (See report number 6.)

**Minister's Report**—The following ministers reported: Paul McKinley, J. Melvin Howard, William R. Shockley, Wayne Bohannon.

**Report of the Secretary of Evangelism**—The Secretary of Evangelism gave his report. This report was adopted. (See report Number 7.)

**Report of Temperance Committee**—The Temperance Secretary give his report. Report adopted. (See report number 8.)

**Motion Made**—A motion was made to refer the matter of electing a trustee from the Conference to the Virginia Temperance Council to the nominating committee. The motion was passed.

**Minister's Report**—The following ministers reported: W. G. Mullinax, James Matherly, Jr., Herman Mandell, Paul M. Ray, N. J. Underwood.

**Report of Wesleyan Men**—The Secretary of the Wesleyan Men's Organization read his report. This report was adopted. (See report number 9.)

**Minister's Report**—The following ministers reported: Stanley Hunter, J. Thomas Mostiler.

**Trustee**—C. T. Wade, 1964. Elected with 14 out of 17 votes.

**Trustee to Central College**—E. T. Gentry was elected with 23 out of 24 votes.

**Committee on Itinerary and Elders Orders**—The Secretary made a partial report. E. E. Shepherd was recommended to Elders Orders. He was elected unanimously.

**Minister's Report**—The following ministers reported: E. E. Shepherd, Hal G. Robbins, Jr., G. R. Phaup.

**Committee on Scheduling**—Report made and approved. (See front cover.)

**Recessed to the Call of the Chair.**

**Business**—The meeting was called to order by the Vice President.

**Eastern District**—Reported the election of officers as follows: Chairman, Paul Rampey; Vice Chairman, Michael Terifay; Secretary and Treasurer, Stanley Hunter. Meetings were scheduled for the second Thursday of September, January and May.

**South Virginia District**—Reported the election of officers as follows: Chairman, Charles King; Vice Chairman, Wayne Bohannon; Secretary, William R. Shockley; Treasurer, Earl P. Fisher. Meetings were scheduled for the third Tuesday of September, January and May.

**Western District**—Reported the election of officers as follows: Chairman, S. T. Bayse; Vice Chairman, Paul McKinley; Secretary and Treasurer, F. B. Dennard. Meetings were scheduled for the second Monday in September, January and May.

**Auditing Committee**—Made a partial report. Conference Treasurer's books audited. Approved. (See report number 10.)

**Treasurer of Conference**—Gave his report. Adopted. (See report number 11.)

**Committee on Pastoral Relations**—Gave the first reading.

**Conference Treasurer Elected**—W. Lee Cockerill received 21 out of 25 votes.

**Minister's Report**—The following reported: J. C. Yarborough.

**Adjourned**—Adjourned by motion. Lyman F. Lance led in prayer.

#### Fourth Meeting, Thursday, August 10, 1961, 8:30 a.m.

**Orders of the Day**—The Orders of the Day called for the Educational Service. The Rev. E. E. Shepherd was in charge of the service. The congregation was led in singing "More About Jesus" by the Rev. Stanley Hunter. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Earl T. Gentry. Dr. R. C. Mullinax was introduced and spoke in behalf of Christian Education. He spoke concerning the progress of Central Wesleyan College.

**Opening**—The Conference President, Rev. Earl T. Gentry, called the meeting to order. The Rev. J. Melvin Howard led the group in singing "A Charge To Keep."

**Roll Call**—The roll was called and the following answered:

**Elders**—S. T. Bayse, W. Lee Cockerill, F. B. Dennard, C. H. Dotson, Earl P. Fisher, Earl T. Gentry, J. Melvin Howard, Lyman F. Lance, Herman Mandell, G. R. Phaup, Raymond Powers, Jr., Paul Rampey, Paul M. Ray, Hal G. Robbins, Jr., E. E. Shepherd, Charles G. Sherrill, Paul A. Wheeler.

**Elder on Trial**—Michael A. Terifay.

**Conference Preachers**—T. C. Duvall, Stanley Hunter, J. C. Yarborough.

**Lay Delegates**—Mrs. Nancy Kerr, Lula Marshall, W. R. Mannon, Mr. C. E. Peale, R. L. Martindale, Mrs. Gertrude Home, H. H. Ripley, Natalie

Burgess, J. Alvin Thomas, J. H. Sink, C. T. Wade, Woodrow Sanders, Jesse L. Bell, Mrs. Edwin Guhr.

**Minutes**—The minutes were read and approved.

**Committee on Courtesy**—The Committee on Courtesy presented the Rev. L. L. Wood of Chantilly, Va. By previous action of the body he was made an honorary member.

**Greetings**—The Rev. Lyman F. Lance brought greetings from the North Carolina Conference in the absence of the President, C. Wesley Lovin.

**Recommendation**—The Board of Managers of the Virginia Conference recommended that the Annual Conference express itself concerning the merger between the Wesleyan Methodist Church and the Pilgrim Holiness Church. And, providing this expression is in favor of such efforts toward merger, the local Wesleyan Methodist Churches of the Virginia Conference be requested to vote as to their favor or disfavor, and the findings of both Annual Conference vote and the local church vote be reported to the next General Conference which meets in June, 1963. This recommendation was adopted by a unanimous vote.

**Report of the Apportionment Committee**—The Secretary of the Apportionment Committee made his final report. The report was adopted. (See report number 12.)

**Committee on Statistics**—The Committee on Statistics reported. The report was adopted with a rising vote of thanks. (See tables.)

**Excused**—The Rev. F. B. Denard, Rev. Wayne Bohannon, Rev. William R. Shockley, and Rev. N. J. Underwood were excused for the remainder of the Conference.

**Committee on Vacancies**—The Secretary of the Committee on Vacancies read a letter of resignation from Rev. W. Lee Cockerill as President of the Buckingham Tabernacle Association. The resignation was accepted by the body. The Committee then recommended that the Rev. M. Paul Rampey be elected President and that Rev. W. Lee Cockerill be elected first Vice President. This recommendation was approved.

**Auditing Committee**—The Secretary read the final report of the Auditing Committee. The report was adopted. (See report number 10.)

**Sunday School Secretary**—The Sunday School Secretary made his report to the Conference. Included in his report was a recommendation from the General Sunday School Secretary that the name of the Director of Child Evangelism be changed to Director of Christian Youth Crusader or CYC. The Secretary recommended that Mrs. Mary Duvall be made Director of CYC. This report with the recommendation was adopted. (See report number 13.)

**Wesleyan Youth Secretary**—The Secretary of the Wesleyan Youth made his report. This report was adopted. (See report number 14.)

**Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders**—The Secretary of the Committee on Itineracy and Elders made a final report. The report was adopted subject to such changes as may be necessary. (See report number 15.)

**President's Advisory Board**—The following were submitted as members of the President's Advisory Board: Elders, S. T. Bayse and M. Paul Rampey; Laymen, C. T. Wade and C. J. Mackey. These were approved.

**Committee on Pensions and Insurance**—The treasurer, C. J. Mackey, made his report. This report was adopted. (See report number 16.)

**Report of the Election of the Officers of Buckingham Tabernacle As-**

sociation—This report was given by the Secretary. (See report number 17.)  
Recessed to the Call of the Chair

**Fifth Meeting, Thursday, August 10, 1961, 1:30 p.m.**

**Orders of the Day**—The Orders of the Day called for the Memorial Service. The Rev. S. T. Bayse was in charge of the service. The congregation was led in singing "In The Sweet By and By." The Roll of Honored Dead was read. Those whose names were called are as follows: Altavista, Clement Memorial—Mrs. Belle Stull and A. G. Thomas; Lynchburg—Mrs. Bertha Watts and Mrs. Kate Ware; Richmond—Mrs. Alice Rimmer; Roanoke First—Mrs. J. P. Davidson; Roanoke, Valley View—Mrs. Roy Fowler; Washington—Mrs. Betty Davis. Rev. Earl T. Gentry spoke in behalf of Deaconess, Mrs. Roy Fowler. Rev. Raymond Powers, Jr. spoke in behalf of Mrs. Alice Rimmer and then sang, "Jesus Leads." The Memorial Message was given by Rev. Herman Mandell. He used Revelation 14:13 as a text. His subject was "Blessed Dead." Rev. Lyman F. Lance gave the closing prayer.

**Business**—The meeting was called to order by the Vice President, Lyman F. Lance.

**Roll Call**—The roll call was omitted.

**Commendation**—A paper of Commendation prepared by a special committee was given by Rev. W. Lee Cockerill. This report expressed the Conference's appreciation for the work done by the Rev. Lyman F. Lance and the Rev. D. Clifton Wood while they were with the Conference. This report was adopted with a rising vote of thanks. (See report number 18.)

**Explanation**—The relationship between pastor and local preacher was explained by the Rev. Lyman F. Lance.

**Excused**—The following were excused from Conference: Mr. Woodrow Sanders, Mr. J. F. Yates and Rev. George Sherrill.

**Motion Made**—A motion was made that the outgoing treasurer of Buckingham Tabernacle Association, James R. Smith, be permitted to give his report to the President and his Advisory Board.

Recessed to the Call of the Chair

**Sixth Meeting, Thursday, August 10, 1961, 7:30 p.m.**

**Business**—The President called the Conference to order immediately following the Ordination Service.

**Committee on Resolutions**—The Committee on Resolutions made a report. This report was adopted. (See resolution number 17.)

**Committee on Pastoral Relations**—The Committee gave its third and final reading. The report was adopted. (See report number 19.)

**Motion Made**—A motion was made that the President and his Advisory Board handle any unfinished business. This motion was passed.

**Motion Made**—A motion was made that the Secretary edit the minutes and that he have published the number of copies as instructed by the Board of Managers. This motion was passed.

**Adjourned**—The adjournment, Sine die, was at 9:45 p.m., August 10, 1961. Benediction by Mrs. Lyman F. Lance.

Earl T. Gentry, President  
Hal G. Robbins, Jr., Secretary

# Resolutions

## NO. 1

Resolved, that the board of trustees of each church be composed of three members elected by ballot by the church and three members elected by the Virginia Conference.

Further, that the trustees of the Virginia Wesleyan Methodist Churches together with the president of said conference, be and they hereby are empowered to execute all necessary papers, mortgage deeds and papers of a like character, when necessary to secure loans to the Virginia Wesleyan Methodist Churches needing funds to liquidate conference, church, or parsonage property indebtedness, provided that the part or parties requesting such action shall set forth the true nature and purpose for which the loan is requested and that the trustees and the President are satisfied that the object for which the loan or loans is sought is both necessary, legal, and desirable.

Further, that the Virginia Conference require all deeds to buildings for worship, parsonages, and all other buildings, built or purchased, be deeded to the above described board of Trustees, and that all other buildings for conference use be deeded to the three (3) Trustees elected by the Virginia Conference. All property held by the Board of Trustees is to be used by our ministry and membership according to our book of discipline.

## NO. 2

Resolved, that the President and his Advisory Board be made a deed examining committee for the Board of Trustees and that as soon as a deed is made, before it is recorded, it be sent to this committee for its approval and for the insertion of disciplinary clauses and/or other clauses to make it safe for our denomination.

## NO. 3

Resolved, That all persons under conference appointment be requested to subscribe to THE WESLEYAN METHODIST.

## NO. 4

Resolved, That our pastors and churches prohibit any and all preachers from occupying our pulpits, if said preachers cannot show proper license or credentials from some Church organization, which credentials must be satisfactory to the pastor, that the said preacher is in harmony with our church doctrines.

## NO. 5

Resolved, That in order to properly safeguard the welfare and interests of the local churches and conference, no pastor hold more than (2) revival meetings away from his appointment during any conference year, without permission from his church; a two-thirds majority vote of those members present and voting on such a request from the pastor shall constitute permission from his church.

## NO. 6

That the duties of the Virginia Annual Conference Treasurer be defined as follows:

First: He shall receive all funds paid in for use of the said Annual Conference at its regular Annual Session. He shall keep the accounts in a substantial book, in proper form, indicating who paid the money and for what purpose it was paid, and shall turn over the books, together with all money and other values on hand belonging to the Conference, to his successors in office. All money must be paid to the Treasurer and be paid by him to the sub-treasurers where there is such, with the following exceptions: If the pastors pay budget money to the sub-treasurers, the Annual Conference Treasurer shall receive all such receipts and give the pastor credit on such items as are indicated on the receipts issued by the sub-treasurers.

Second: All money received by the treasurer or sub-treasurers shall be paid out as the conference shall order and in accordance with our book of discipline.

Third: On the first day of each month, or as near thereto as possible, the Annual Conference Treasurer shall disburse all monies on hand designated for General Budget items; except such disbursement to be made to the proper denominational departments.

Fourth: He shall pay out all conference funds as directed by the Board of Managers of the Conference and/or upon the receipt of proper warrants.

Fifth: All money coming into his hands by wills or estates, gifts, or other donations, shall be held in trust by him for the Virginia Conference of The Wesleyan Methodist Church of America, until the next session of the Annual Conference; and when such gifts, wills, donations, or estates shall be cash, the Treasurer shall deposit this money in a National Bank in his name as Treasurer of the Virginia Annual Conference of The Wesleyan Methodist Church of America.

Sixth: The Treasurer's books shall be submitted to the auditing committee of the Annual Conference at each session.

Seventh: The Treasurer of the Conference shall be required to keep the funds of the conference deposited in a bank that insures the deposits of its patrons.

#### NO. 7

Resolved, That no church property within the bounds of the Conference be encumbered to pay Pastor's salary, current expenses, or budget claims, either General or Conference.

#### NO. 8

Resolved, That the President and his Advisory Board appoint a Nominating Committee composed of three (3) elders and three (3) laymen, and that sufficient alternates be appointed.

Second: The members of this committee shall be rotated each year so that no member will serve on it more than once in three (3) years and that consideration also be given to having as many churches represented on the committee as possible.

Third: The President shall call this committee together one day preceding the opening of the Annual Conference session to nominate all conference committees.

## NO. 9

Resolved, That all persons receiving Conference appointment be required to practice storehouse tithing and that license of those who do not comply with this request be not renewed.

## NO. 10

Resolved, That every pastor, church, or building committee contemplating making any repairs, erecting new buildings, for either church or investments for buildings, first consult the Committee on Church and Parsonage Buildings and that the Trustees be directed to withhold the signing of papers for loans until the Trustees are satisfied by a written report of the Committee on Church and Parsonage Buildings that their instructions have been complied with. It is recommended that the church so called on the aforesaid committee pay the expenses of the committee.

This resolution permits repairs to be made to church property, to restore the same to original condition, free of debt, without contacting the Committee on Church and Parsonage Buildings. Authorization must be granted by the proper committee for any repairs which incur debt or any alterations of any kind in landscaping and structures of building and property.

## NO. 11

Resolved, That when a charge or charges are placed in the hands of the Judiciary Committee against a Church, Elder, or Conference Preacher, and the matter is brought to trial, that in the event such charges against a church, Elder, or Conference Preacher are sustained that the conference bear such expenses that may be incurred by the Judiciary Committee in the carrying on the trial and in the event such charges are not sustained after the trial of the case, that the party or parties making such charges bear the expenses of the Judiciary Committee.

## NO. 12

Resolved, That each pastor settle with the Conference Treasurer by the 15th of July annually.

## NO. 13

Whereas, Many times appeals are received by pastors and churches for financial assistance on building projects when said pastors and churches do not know whether or not the property is deeded properly, or is in a suitable location or whether the prospects are favorable for a permanent location;

Be it resolved, That in order that pastors and churches may know when it is safe to make contributions when appeals are made, that said appeals bear the signature of at least one member of the Board on Church and Parsonage Building, and one member of the Board of Trustees.

## NO. 14

Resolved, That all churches, Missions, and Ministers working under the direction of the Conference Board of Managers be required to report monthly to the Chairman of the Board of Managers and that this report be read to the church or Mission before it is sent as above directed, and that the Pastor and the Church Clerk or Secretary sign the above report.

Be it further resolved: That all Churches, Missions, and Ministers working under the direction of the Conference President and his Advisory Board be required to report monthly to the Conference President and his Advisory Board, and that this report be read to the Church or Mission before it is sent in, and that the pastor and Church Clerk or Secretary sign the above report.

**NO. 15**

Resolved, That the Conference fiscal year be July 1 through June 30.

**NO. 16**

Resolved, That all new churches, for a period of two years, be exempt from the paying of 50 percent of conference Budget. This to be effective beginning with the Conference of 1960.

**NO. 17**

Resolved, concerning the Sunday School Enrollment, that . . .

A. Scholars can be enrolled by attending three out of five Sundays.

B. That scholars can be dropped from the roll:

1. When they absent themselves for eight consecutive Sundays;

2. After they have been visited.

C. If taken off the roll, they be placed on an inactive roll with their addresses.

Be it further resolved: That the average attendance be based on fifty (50) Sundays, rather than 52 Sundays, permitting the school to leave off the two lowest Sundays.



# Reports

## Report No. 1

### OFFICIAL ACTS OF THE PRESIDENT

August 1, 1960—July 31, 1961

This report containing the date and the official acts of the President of the Virginia Conference have each been submitted to the President's Advisory Board.

November 26, 1960—Appointed the Rev. Joe Shields as pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, Gladys, Virginia.

November 26, 1960—The Rev. N. J. Underwood was granted permission to employ an evangelist of another denomination.

December 8, 1960—Granted the transfer of Dr. E. S. Nothstine to the Methodist Conference of South Carolina.

February 9, 1961—Appointed the Rev. Joe T. Mostiler Supply Pastor of the Fairview Community Church, Blacksburg, Virginia.

February 25, 1961—The Rev. F. B. Dennard was granted permission to employ an evangelist of another denomination.

February 25, 1961—The First Wesleyan Church of Washington, D.C., the Rev. Lyman F. Lance, Pastor, requested permission to sell their lot on Randell Circle to the Church of God for \$10,000.00 cash. Permission granted.

April 1, 1961—Appointed the Rev. O. B. Cook Assistant Superintendent of the Salem Chapel, Salem, Virginia.

April 18, 1961—The Rev. Herman H. Mandell was granted permission to employ musicians for Fall revival, of another denomination.

July 8, 1961—At the request of the Rev. Lyman F. Lance, a transfer was given to the North Carolina Conference under provisions of paragraphs No. 156, 157, 158 and 161.

July 8, 1961—At the request of the Rev. D. Clifton Wood, a transfer was given to the North Carolina Conference under provisions of paragraphs No. 156, 157, 158 and 161.

July 17, 1961—The Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders reported that the Rev. Herman H. Mandell had met all conditions to be received as an Elder in the Virginia Conference. He is hereby removed from an Elder on Trial.

July 19, 1961—Received Letter of Standing in the Maryland—Virginia Conference of the Free Methodist Church for the Rev. Michael Terifay. He is hereby received as an Elder on Trial.

July 20, 1961—The Wesleyan Youth Officials were confirmed as per paragraph No. 326, Article III of the Wesleyan Methodist Discipline.

July 20, 1961—Under provisions of Resolution Number 8, I appointed Elders, William Shockley, Earl P. Fisher, C. R. Phaup, Alternate, Paul Rampey; Lay Delegates, Mrs. Natalie Burgess, Mr. J. Alvin Thomas, Alternate, J. H. Sink.

In all of these actions I have secured the concurrence of my Advisory Board.

Earl T. Gentry  
Conference President

## THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE

July 1, 1960 through June 30, 1961

Sermons preached .....	136
Services attended .....	160
S. S. attended .....	37
S. S. Lessons taught .....	5
Wesleyan Youth services attended .....	13
Board Meeting, Counseling—Comm. ....	102
Addresses .....	4
Pastoral Visits .....	284
Prayer offered .....	93
Hospital Calls .....	12
*Business Calls .....	425
Weddings .....	3
Classes at W.Y. Camp .....	9
Number of pieces of mail .....	1,062

\* A business call consists of trips to the store, bank, post office and any other call at commercial institution incident to office or home.

Witnessed to at least 46 persons. A witness is a personal contact, including testimony of salvation, expressing concern for the spiritual interest of the prospect with an invitation to attend church and includes giving a well-written, attractive tract.

Earl T. Gentry  
Conference President

## FINANCIAL REPORT

Report covers July 1, 1960 through June 30, 1961

## Receipts

Salary .....	\$4,800.00
Travel allowance from Conference .....	818.00
Travel offerings from churches .....	267.61
Revival offerings & camps, etc. ....	475.00
Offerings for supplying pulpits .....	40.00
Gifts .....	67.00
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS .....</b>	<b>\$6,467.61</b>
Miles Traveled .....	23,599
Car expense at \$.06 per mile .....	\$1,415.94
Received for Expense .....	1,085.61
Difference .....	\$ 330.33

June 30, 1961

Earl T. Gentry  
Conference President

## RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE PRESIDENT

To the Second Annual Conference I wish to submit the following recommendations:

(1) That the Conference year 1961-62 be designated "Our Year of

Pastoring," with emphasis in the local churches being on planned visitation; establishing a family altar in each Wesleyan Methodist home; prompt and efficient reports by pastors; raising the full General Conference and Annual Conference Assessments; improving our regular services in their spiritual content by increased planned praying; admonishing our congregations of the value of scriptural healing and urge Christians to exercise faith for physical and mental health.

(2) That an "All Conference Scheduling Committee" be composed of the Conference President, Vice President, W.M.S. President, W.Y. President, Conference S. S. Secretary, District Chairmen, and Chairman of Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders, and they be authorized to meet after the Conference Sermon to draft a schedule of all Conference wide activities giving date and time, and this schedule be published in the Conference Minutes.

(3) That another District be formed to be called South Virginia District to be composed of Aiken Summitt, Minnie's Chapel, Raven Rock, Stuart and Galax Churches. The Conference Vice President to set the time and place of a caucus meeting during this Conference and conduct an election for the leaders of this District according to our District By-Laws.

(4) We begin to age before we are born and continue to age until we die, and while none of us want to grow old, the only alternative is to die young. Life span in America is 69. In view of these facts I recommend that the Virginia Conference begin a study within the Board of Managers toward establishing a home for senior citizens. This study should cover the entire scope of:

a—Location

b—Incorporation

c—Receiving gifts of Real Estate, cash, bequests, and annuities

d—Personnel and management.

(5) We recommend and approve the Buckingham Tabernacle Association goal of 600 dues paying members and recommend that we set a goal of "600 Pledged Pray-ers" in Virginia Conference. These "Pledged Pray-ers" to be recruited by the Pastors with promotional materials to be provided by the Conference. Estimate cost of promotion—\$48.00.

(6) That the Pastor be requested to receive an offering at the time of the visits of the Conference President in the Fall and Spring to be applied toward Conference Work Fund and Conference Missions and Church Extension, and the Conference President be authorized to issue receipt for same. Such special offerings will not apply toward budget credit, but will be forwarded to the Conference Treasurer by the Conference President. The pastor is free to request the Conference President to make appropriate remarks concerning projects to which these offerings would support in the Virginia Conference under the Direction of the Board of Managers.

(7) I recommend that a Budget Study Committee be set up composed of the Conference President, Conference Treasurer, Chairman of the Apportionment Committee and Layman Robert Graham to draft a more equitable basis of budget assessment, possibly upon percentage rather than membership, to be brought back to the 1962 Annual Conference. Expenses of the same to be referred to the Board of Managers for action and instruction for the Conference Treasurer to pay.

### CONFERENCE GOALS

1. A force of 600 Pledged Pray-ers.
2. At least two revivals in each church and one evangelistic effort with youth emphasis.
3. Each member witnessing daily for Christ.
4. Each church endeavoring to "mother a church" and promote the special offerings for the same at the time of the Conference President's visit. Further, each church seek to conduct prayer meetings, evangelistic meetings and cultivate contacts in new communities looking toward new church organizations.
5. Each church paying all General Conference and Annual Conference Budget Assessments.

Earl T. Gentry,  
President

### Report No. 2

#### DECLARATIONS AND AFFIRMATIONS

The Virginia Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America, meeting in Annual session August 8-10, 1961 submits the following declarations and affirmations:

#### REVIVAL IN OUR CHURCHES

We deplore the spiritual dearth throughout America. We affirm the need and place of REVIVAL in our churches. I restate our thinking from an editorial in "The Virginia Vision" February-March, 1961 issue, which was reprinted in July, 1961 "Herald Of His Coming," "... Revival is the beginning of a new obedience toward God. Our greatest task is to now maintain disciplined obedience—to retain this degree of revival among us. If prayer produced it—we must intensify our praying. If obedience brought it—we must insist upon continued obedience in more and more humility, confession, and yielding hearts—especially our individual hearts. LET'S KEEP IT UP—THIS SEEKING THE LORD! TREAD SOFTLY! DON'T CRITICIZE, CENSURE OR CONDEMN OTHERS. BE HARDER ON YOURSELF THAN ANYONE ELSE! A church filled with people who do not know the spiritual lessons of brokenness and bleeding, will never know revival! An ease-loving parish sees little of the conscience-ease that comes from repentance, confession and forgiveness of the unsaved! A few churches have had just enough of real revival to want more. We must have revival! We must have revival! We must have REVIVAL!

Frankly, we see no substitute for the word Revival in its meaning and results.

#### BREAKDOWN OF OUR SOCIETY

We deplore the moral breakdown of our society, as evidenced in a recent release by FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover in which "The surge of lawlessness reflected an astounding 98 per cent increase in crime over 1950." Statistics in this release reflects our need for more disciplined living, closer parental supervision of children and a higher regard for law and order. Our pulpits need to "cry aloud" against the sins of neglect, immorality, dishonesty and

greed. Let each Wesleyan Methodist pulpit in Virginia become a voice calling the sinner to repentance, the home back to God and the Christians to a surrendered service.

#### **THE GOVERNMENT SPENDING PROPOSALS**

We deplore the government spending proposals already submitted to Congress that total 10 billion dollars, some 8 billion dollars of which would go for non-defense purposes. (A billion dollars in one dollar bills would make a stack 59 miles high, it is reported.) Feeling the fiscal responsibility of such non-defense spending we call upon our people to write to their respective Congressmen and Senators requesting their vote and influence in favor of reduced spending to make our nation more solvent in its finances.

#### **OUR TRUE AMERICAN HERITAGE**

We are unalterably opposed to Communist ideologies, to Catholicism as a political entity and to Socialism as a way of life and hereby dedicate ourselves to our true American heritage as prescribed by the Constitution.

#### **SUPPORT OF PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEMS**

We advocate the continuance and support of public school systems and hold that they should be kept and maintained on a state, county and city level of administration and finance; that the Federal government should cease to tax citizens for federal support of education, but leave that part of the tax dollar for education in the tills of state and local governments. Educational advantages should be made to children and youth of our country irrespective of their race or creed.

#### **WESLEYAN METHODISTS IN VIRGINIA**

We call upon each Wesleyan Methodist in Virginia and in the District of Columbia to become one the "600 PLEDGED PRAY-ERS" this year, to participate in the "Operation Outreach to WITNESS to 100,000 persons," to maintain a family altar in each home, to devote your time and talents to the increase of God's Kingdom here on earth through support of the Church.

Earl T. Gentry  
President

July 31, 1961

#### **Report No. 3**

#### **COMMITTEE ON VACANCIES**

The Conference President was informed that members of the Statistical Committee would not be able to attend Annual Conference, 1961.

The Committee on Vacancies requested the following to serve on the Statistical Committee for the 1961 session:

The Rev. F. B. Dennard, Chairman  
Frank Kinsley  
Miss Mae Wade

Respectfully submitted,  
Conference President, Chairman  
Elder, Paul Ray  
Layman, J. F. Yates

July 31, 1961

## Report No. 4

## REPORT OF VIRGINIA CONFERENCE TRUSTEES FOR 1960-1961

July, 1960 through June, 1961

December 12, 1960—Signed the "petition" of the First Wesleyan Methodist Church, Roanoke, Virginia, requesting the Circuit Court to execute a loan in the amount of \$8,800 to purchase additional house and land in Northwest Roanoke.

December 19, 1960—Received a note in the amount of \$3,000 marked paid from the Department of Church Extension and Evangelism, Marion, Ind. This represented a loan for the construction of the sanitary building at Buckingham Tabernacle Grounds which was paid from "Bonds For Buckingham" money.

January 13, 1961—Signed "Report and Recommendations of the Committee on Church and Parsonage Building and location" approving the following:

1. First Wesleyan Methodist Church, Roanoke, Va., proposed fellowship building—Amount \$10,500.00;
2. Wesleyan Methodist Church, Blacksburg, Va., proposed purchase of a parsonage—Amount \$18,950.00;
3. Minnie's Chapel Wesleyan Methodist Church, Stuart, Va., erection of a parsonage—Amount \$7,000.00;
4. Wesleyan Methodist Church, Chantilly, Va., two city lots for expansion—Amount \$2,500.00.

February 9, 1961—Signed Deed of Trust for the Wesleyan Methodist Church, Galax, Va., in an amount of \$1,425.00 which represents the balance due in the purchase of the building, this amount to be paid in three equal amounts of \$475.00 annually for the next three years.

March 14, 1961—Cancelled the rental contract on the property at 3020 Mansfield Street, N. E., Roanoke, Va., at the instruction of the Board of Managers.

March 28, 1961—Executed Note in the amount of \$13,000.00 and signed a Deed for Trust for same, and signed the "Petition" to the Circuit Court for the First Wesleyan Methodist Church, Falls Church, Va.

April 15, 1961—The Board of Trustees met at the site of the proposed Conference parsonage, 6044 Thornrose Road, N. W., Roanoke, Virginia ". . . to handle further details, including utilities, deposits etc. . ." as instructed by the Board of Managers. The Board of Trustees has submitted a detail report to the Board of Managers. See Board of Managers file.

April 24, 1961—Signed the "petition" of the Virginia Conference requesting the Circuit Court to negotiate loan of \$17,400.00.

April 24, 1961—Signed note in the amount of \$1,500.00 which is an advance on the contribution from the Department of Church Extension and Evangelism. The Card Call is to cover the principal while the Virginia conference is to pay the interest until settlement by the card call funds.

May 6, 1961—Signed the note and Deed of Trust in the amount of \$17,400.00 for the Conference parsonage with the Southwest Virginia Savings and Loan Association, Roanoke, Virginia.

May 17, 1961—Completed transaction with the First National Exchange Bank of Roanoke, Va., for Deposit Box No. 3376 as per instruction of the Board of Managers.

June 12, 1961—Signed "report and Recommendation of Committee on Church and Parsonage building and locations" for Lynchburg Wesleyan Methodist Church approving purchase of site in the amount of \$11,000.00. Signed "Report" also for Clement Memorial Wesleyan Methodist Church, Altavista, Va., approving the purchase of house and lot adjoining present property in an amount of \$5,050.00.

June 23, 1961—signed the deed for the First Wesleyan Methodist Church, Washington, D.C., selling the lot they owned, which was felt to be too small for the future needs of the church. Funds received from this transaction will be used to settle with the Department of Church Extension and Evangelism, Marion, Indiana who had loaned the church the money to buy the lot. The balance is to be administered by vote of the church with the advice of the Board of Trustees.

The transaction represented in the acts of the Virginia Board of Trustees represents vision, foresight and faith for future growth, in the area of our local churches. There has been around \$110,000 worth of property added to the total value of Churches and parsonages this year. The total value of churches, parsonages and youth-fellowship buildings is more than \$875,000.00.

Let us endeavor to be faithful stewards of these possessions.

Virginia Conference Trustees,  
Earl T. Gentry, *Chairman*  
Victor S. Herman  
Clator T. Wade

#### Addition to Report of Virginia Conference Trustees—1961-61

The Virginia Conference Trustees recommend that all such buildings other than church and/or parsonages be called "Fellowship Buildings".

In view of the fact there have been two (2) fires this year, each local Board of Stewards and Trustees is requested to review their Insurance Protection to see if it is adequate and in keeping with present values.

#### Report No. 5

##### EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE

No. Date	Recipient	Amt.	Purpose	Fund Drawn From
1 8-11-60	Clarence J. Mackey	\$ 8.68	Tithing Secretary Expense	Conf. Work & Board
2 8-11-60	Frances Drake	34.00	Labor preparation for conference	Conf. Property
3 8-11-60	Rev. George Sherrill	3.05	Apportionment Committee exp.	Conf. Work & Board
4 8-11-60	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	38.68	President's phone, office expense, auto insurance	Conf. Work & Board
5 8-11-60	Rev. Paul Rampey	24.00	Travel expense to campground to work	Conf. Work & Board
6 8-13-60	Rev. J. C. Yarborough	1.50	Light bulbs used during conf.	Conf. Property
7 9-2-60	Farmville Groc. Co.	95.39	Groceries to feed conference	Conf. Work & Board
8 9-2-60	Rev. Hal Robbins	14.10	Milk for annual conference	Conf. Work & Board
9 9-2-60	C. F. Morring	30.57	Bread for annual conference	Conf. Work & Board
10 9-2-60	J. H. Pence Co.	169.20	Folding chairs for Salem Camp	Conf. Property
11 9-2-60	Russell L. Paxton			
	Printing Co.	49.50	Prtg. Va. Vision & meal tickets	Conf. Work & Board
12 9-3-60	Coakesbury Book St.	3.10	Communion supplies for conf.	Conf. Work & Board
13 9-3-60	Easter Supply Co.	18.36	Supplies for conference office	Conf. Work & Board
14 9-3-60	Dillard Paper Co.	37.16	Memo paper for conf. office	Conf. Work & Board
15 9-3-60	Tru-Art Studio	20.00	Prtg. banner for annual conf.	Conf. Work & Board
16 9-3-60	Montgomery News Messenger	4.80	Ad announcing severance of Christiansburg Church	Conf. Work & Board

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17 9-3-60	Roberts Piano Co.	25.00	Organ rental for annual conf.	Conf. Work & Board
18 9-3-60	Falls Church Wesleyan Meth. Church	8.38	Memo paper, stencils, ink for conference	Conf. Work & Board
19 9-12-60	Rev. Frank B. Dennard	12.60	Travel expense to Bd. of Mgr.'s meeting	Conf. Work & Board
20 9-12-60	Rev. J. Melvin Howard	9.60	Travel expense to Bd. of Mgr.'s meeting	Conf. Work & Board
21 9-12-60	Gilmer D. Bayse	12.60	Travel expense to Bd. of Mgr.'s meeting	Conf. Work & Board
22 9-12-60	Clarence J. Mackey	8.40	Travel expense to Bd. of Mgr.'s meeting	Conf. Work & Board
23 9-12-60	Rev. Lyman F. Lance	9.60	Travel expense to Bd. of Mgr.'s meeting	Conf. Work & Board
24 9-13-60	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	46.08	President's conf. expense, office supplies & Pres. phone bill	Conf. Work & Board
25 9-14-60	Rev. D. Clifton Wood	10.60	Conference secretary's expense	Conf. Work & Board
26 9-14-60	Postmaster, Falls Ch.	8.00	Postage for Conference treasurer	Conf. Work & Board
27 9-28-60	Rev. Lyman F. Lance	25.00	Funds for Denomination expenses of Conference officials	Conf. Work & Board
28 9-30-60	Directors Ch. Bonds Inc.	850.00	Direction Bond program for conf.	Conf. Bonds
29 10-1-60	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	25.00	Funds forwarded from Denom. for Denom. expenses of conf. officials	Conf. Work & Board
30 10-1-60	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	47.90	Motel, refreshments, meals, travel exp. in bond promotion	Conf. Bonds
31 10-1-60	Rev. G. R. Phaup	5.00	Refreshments for Farmville Bond promotion meeting	Conf. Bonds
32 10-13-60	Earl Wood Prtg. Co.	7.50	Ministers Pocket Credentials	Conf. Work & Board
33 10-13-60	Brown-Morrison Co.	5.00	Rental of typewriter for conf. sec.	Conf. Work & Board
34 10-13-60	J. P. Bell Co.	5.95	Typewriter paper for conference	Conf. Work & Board
35 10-13-60	Wes. Meth. Pub. As.	7.00	Conf. statistical report-blanks & parchments for Elders Orders	Conf. Work & Board
36 10-13-60	Roanoke Printing Co.	54.00	Printing Treasurer's receipts	Conf. Work & Board
37 10-13-60	Russell L. Paxton Printing Co.	158.44	Prayer folders, letterheads, warrant books, Va. Vision	Conf. Work & Board
38 10-13-60	Rev. D. Clifton Wood	28.20	Travel expense—Bond promotion	Conf. Bonds
39 10-13-60	Caldwell-Sites Co.	145.00	Mimeograph machine & stand	Conf. Work & Board
39 10-13-60	Caldwell-Sites Co.	20.05	Mimeograph supplies	Conf. Work & Board
40 10-13-60	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	19.21	President's phone for September	Conf. Work & Board
41 10-26-60	Rev. D. Clifton Wood	6.81	Conf. Sec.'s expense—minutes	Conf. Work & Board
42 10-26-60	C. T. Wade	5.20	Tel. exp. of conf. secretary	Conf. Work & Board
43 10-31-60	Rev. Lyman F. Lance	66.58	Travel exp. to Leaders' Conf. & office exp. for Vice-Pres.	Conf. Work & Board
44 10-31-60	Miss E. Virginia Bailey	20.00	Advertising exp. for Salem Ch.	Conf. Missions
45 11-12-60	Rev. S. Ellsworth Nothstine	12.00	Memorial—Br. Nothstine's father	Conf. Work & Board
46 11-14-60	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	61.44	Leaders Conf. exp., President's phone & conf. office supplies	Conf. Work & Board
47 11-15-60	Rev. F. B. Dennard	35.68	C.I.O. Committee Expense	Conf. Work & Board
48 11-15-60	Roanoke Prtg. Co.	810.62	Printing conference minutes	Conf. Work & Board
49 11-21-60	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	49.90	Expense of Galax Revival	Conf. Mis., Ch. Ext.
50 12-7-60	Rev. W. Lee Cockerill	12.21	Registration of Bonds, Tel. to Pres., postage & envelopes	Conf. Work & Board
51 1-3-61	Russell L. Paxton Printing Co.	36.00	Virginia Vision	Conf. Work & Board
52 1-3-61	Rev. Frank B. Dennard	5.96	Postage, Virginia Vision	Conf. Work & Board
53 1-16-61	Rev. Lyman F. Lance	31.01	C.I.O. Committee travel exp.	Conf. Work & Board
54 1-23-61	Rev. F. B. Dennard	26.36	Travel to Bd. of Mgr.'s meeting	Conf. Work & Board
55 1-25-61	Caldwell-Sites Co.	13.75	Mimeo ink & supplies for Pres. office	Conf. Work & Board
56 1-30-61	Rev. W. Lee Cockerill	22.00	Travel to Bd. of Mgr.'s meeting and meals for the group	Conf. Work & Board
57 2-1-61	Central Wes. College	14.00	Ad in the Centralian	Conf. Work & Board
58 2-14-61	National Press Inc.	127.50	Operation Outreach Promotion	Conf. Work & Board
59 2-14-61	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	32.48	Pres. phone & office expense	Conf. Work & Board
59 2-14-61	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	5.00	Bond Program Expense	Conf. Bonds
60 2-21-61	Earl Wood Prtg. Co.	8.50	Operation Outreach Cards	Conf. Work & Board
61 3-14-61	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	40.74	Postage, ph., Bd. of Mgr.'s exp.	Conf. Work & Board
62 3-14-61	Rev. Frank B. Dennard	6.00	Travel exp. to Bd. of Mgr.'s mtg.	Conf. Work & Board
63 3-14-61	Rev. D. Clifton Wood	6.00	Travel exp. to Bd. of Mgr.'s mtg.	Conf. Work & Board
64 3-14-61	First Nat'l Ex. Bank	12.50	Safe Deposit box for conference trustees	Conf. Work & Board
65 3-14-61	Rev. J. Melvin Howard	41.28	Travel exp. to Bd. of Mgr.'s mtg.	Conf. Work & Board



66 3-15-61	Rev. Paul Rampey	6.00	Travel to Schuyler, Va. to investigate prospect of new work	Conf. Mis., Ch. Ext.
67 3-17-61	Rev. W. Lee Cockerill	39.31	Travel exp. to Bd. of Mgr.'s mtg. meals & Oper. Outreach pencils	Conf. Work & Board
68 3-17-61	Roanoke Prtg. Co.	17.50	Prtg. Oper. Outreach Calendars	Conf. Work & Board
69 3-17-61	Russell L. Paxton Printing Co.	36.00	Printing Virginia Vision	Conf. Work & Board
70 3-17-61	Caldwell-Sites Co.	5.20	Conf. Pres. office supplies	Conf. Work & Board
71 4-11-61	Wes. Meth. Pub. Assn.	6.00	Conference office supplies	Conf. Work & Board
72 4-27-61	Postmaster, Falls Ch.	4.00	Conference Treasurer—postage	Conf. Work & Board
73 4-28-61	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	39.37	Pres. office supplies, phone, conf. property	Conf. Work & Board
74 4-29-61	Rev. Paul L. Wheeler	5.00	Postage for C.I.O. Committee	Conf. Work & Board
75 5-6-61	Rev. Frank B. Dennard	5.15	Postage for Virginia Vision	Conf. Work & Board
76 5-8-61	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	76.22	Pres. phone, personal worker's travel	Conf. Work & Board
77 5-8-61	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	71.67	Exp. for travel with Gen. Supts.	Conf. Work & Board
78 5-9-61	Rev. E. H. Dotson	10.00	Flowers at his mother's death	Conf. Work & Board
79 5-17-61	Earl Wood Prtg. Co.	23.50	Envelopes for Pres. parsonage offering	Conf. Property
80 5-17-61	Russell L. Paxton Printing Co.	36.00	Printing Virginia Vision	Conf. Work & Board
81 5-29-61	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	25.00	Water deposit on new Pres.'s parsonage	Conf. Property
82 6-7-61	First Wes. Meth. Ch., Falls Church	5.34	Conf. Treasurer's phone exp.	Conf. Work & Board
83 6-29-61	Rev. Earl T. Gentry	20.36	President's phone	Conf. Work & Board
84 7-13-61	Rev. Lyman F. Lance	6.26	Postage—C.I.O. Com., Bd. of Man.	Conf. Work & Board
85 7-13-61	Russell L. Paxton Printing Co.	65.63	Va. Vision, Buckingham Camp folders, Youth Camp folders	Conf. Work & Board
86 7-24-61	Rev. W. Lee Cockerill	5.74	Postage and envelopes	Conf. Work & Board
87 7-28-61	Rev. Frank B. Dennard	3.30	Postage for mailing Va. Vision	Conf. Work & Board
88 7-28-61	Wes. Meth. Pub. Assn.	4.00	Conference supplies	Conf. Work & Board

## Report No. 6

We recommend that the budget for 1961-62 be set as follows.

## GENERAL BUDGET

World Missions	-----	\$2.00
Australia	-----	.25
Brainerd Indian School	-----	.25
Gen. Church Ext. and Evang.	-----	1.50
Education	-----	3.00
Pension plan	-----	2.00
Administration Budget	-----	1.00
Board Meeting Expenses	-----	.25
General Conference Ent.	-----	.50
Orphanage	-----	.35
Sunday School (General .20, Conf. .05)		
Based on S. S. enrollment	-----	.25

Total General Budget Assigned \$11.10 plus S. S. assessment

## CONFERENCE BUDGET

President's Salary & Supervision	-----	\$5.50
Conference Work	-----	3.50
Conference Missions & Ch. Ext.	-----	1.00
Conference Property	-----	3.00
Minister's Insurance	-----	2.50

Total Conference Budget Assigned \$15.50

Total Budget Assigned \$26.60 plus S. S. Assessment

We further recommend that each church be assessed one (1) percent of their gross income for 1960-1961 less the amount paid on budget for last conference year.

Respectfully submitted,

Earl T. Gentry      Charles G. Sherrill  
W. Lee Cockerill      Robert Graham

### Report No. 7

#### REPORT OF SECRETARY OF EVANGELISM TO THE 1961 SESSION OF THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE

Dear Brethren:

Greetings in Jesus Precious Name!

Perhaps no years since Pentecost have given greater opportunities for Evangelism. The needs of men's souls are just as great now as ever they were since the fall in the garden of Eden.

Evangelism in the real sense of the word has never been easy. Nothing short of complete consecration to God and the task of winning men to Christ will avail. Many difficulties confront him who would be engaged in this task, but over and through them all God gives victory and fruit. This task, Brethren, is given to us by our Lord and Saviour. May we earnestly remember our Lord's words to His disciples in John 15:16, "Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain; that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you."

During the year, your secretary was able to forward one letter to each pastor accompanied by an excellent sermon outline on Romans 1:14-16 by Dr. Paul S. Rees entitled, "In debt to everyone". This designated 35 pieces of mail sent from the office.

The "Operation Outreach" program has been so well organized and promoted in the Conference that I felt it the program to be urged upon our people at this time. The promotion of personal contacts and witness is 'a must' in our day. It brings more of Christ and the Holy Spirit to bear upon the individual heart than other methods, as fine as they may be.

May I suggest to each pastor that renewed efforts be made in promoting the Conference program of "Operation Outreach". Perhaps a change in promotional methods on the local level would greatly increase interest on the part of the laymen. Also, may I suggest that each Church in the Conference designate an 'All-night-of-prayer' at least two different times during the year in the interest of evangelizing new areas in our Conference.

When we think of the Great Commission, our minds immediately go to the foreign fields and the needs there. We forget that one of the greatest mission fields lies at our own doorstep. VIRGINIA IS OUR MISSION FIELD FOR 1961-62. Promotion of revivals is urged in special efforts; in regular services; and in combined services with other church groups. Let us make an all-out effort to reach souls this year.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Raymond Powers, Jr., Secretary

## Report No. 8

**REPORT OF TEMPERANCE SECRETARY TO THE VIRGINIA  
CONFERENCE OF THE WESLYAN METHODIST CHURCH**

During the conference year, following a recommendation by the Board of Managers, negotiations were completed with the VIRGINIA CHURCH TEMPERANCE COUNCIL, TO Cause our Virginia Conference to join forces with that worthy group in the important battle of temperance in our state. This action affords us a united voice with the major denominations of our state. We also reap the benefits of 2 very fine full-time ministers working in this field. Temperance information will also be periodically mailed to our pastors.

It is urged that all of the members of the Va. Conf. watch closely the activities that are now promoting Liquor-by the-Drink in our legislature and make your protest heard to your representatives in our state government. Each church will receive factual information on this vital issue in November of this year.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. G. Mullinax

## REPORT NO. 9

**SECRETARY'S OF WESLEYAN MEN REPORT TO THE SECOND  
ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF VIRGINIA OF WESLEYAN METHODIST  
CHURCH OF AMERICA**

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour:

The activity of the Wesleyan Men's Organization has been somewhat on the limited side this year. To the best of my knowledge there have been no new groups started.

The Men's Fellowship of the Falls Church church, aided in the purchase and spreading of bluestone on the parking lot in the rear of the church. Also had charge of the Prayer Meeting once a month during the year and some of the men went with the pastor to Camp to aid in the services at this prison camp.

Your secretary wrote to each Pastor early in the Conference year, urging them to assist the laity of their church in forming Men's Fellowship groups throughout the state. I have not heard of any new groups being started as of this reporting.

It is the fervent prayer of your secretary that the coming days may see a great interest shown by our men in His work both at home and in other lands. Also that our outreach may be extended to its fullest by the personal witnessing of our laity.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Jesse L. Bell, Secretary

## REPORT NUMBER 10

**PARTIAL REPORT—AUDITING COMMITTEE**

The auditing committee has audited the books of the conference treasurer and found them to be correct.

Respectfully Submitted,  
E. E. Shepherd, Chairman  
Robert Graham

## THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE

## AUDITING COMMITTEE'S REPORT

Aug. 9, 1961

We the undersigned have audited the books of the following treasurers, and found them to be correct and in good order this 9th, day of August, 1961.

1. Treasurer of the Va. Conference Sunday School.
2. Pension and Insurance Fund Treasurer.
3. Buckingham Tabernacle Association Treasurer.
4. Wesleyan Youth Treasurer.

Respectfully Submitted,  
E. E. Shepherd, Chairman  
Robert Graham

## Report No. 11

## CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

For Year 1960-61 as of July 31, 1961

	Balance July 31, 1960 *Denominational Grant **Conf. Bonds	RECEIVED 1960-61	Total Balance and receipts	Disbursed for Year 1960-61	Balance July 31, 1961
World Missions ----- \$	392.99	\$ 1,652.70	\$ 2,045.69	\$ 1,992.99	\$ 52.70
Gen'l Ch. Ext. & Evang. ----	250.71	1,087.90	1,338.61	1,100.00	238.61
Education -----		2,171.98	2,171.98	1,309.98	862.00
Australia -----	36.75	113.87	150.62	100.00	50.62
Brainerd -----	36.50	110.63	147.13	125.00	22.13
Hephzibah Home -----	37.10	122.18	159.28	50.00	109.28
Pension Fund -----		1,021.00	1,021.00	1,021.00	
Administrative Fund ----	282.00	827.50	1,109.50	900.00	209.50
Gen'l Conf. Entertainment -	139.50	416.75	556.25	300.00	256.25
Gen'l Conf. Board Expense -	94.25	207.37	301.62	200.00	101.62
Gen'l Sunday School Work -	169.00	593.50	762.50	225.50	537.00
Conference Supervision ----	-437.00	5,221.75	4,784.75	4,800.00	-15.25
Conf. Work & Board -----	-205.92	2,976.26	2,770.34	3,610.15	-839.81
Va. Church Ext. & Evang.	1,274.23	1,112.68			
		*1,400.00	3,786.91	3,487.90	299.01
Conference Property -----	505.06	2,814.54			
		*1,500.00			
		**14,500.00	19,319.60	20,006.70	-687.10
Minister's Insurance -----	-1,000.00	2,126.87	1,126.87	1,126.87	
Caribbean Mission -----		5.00	5.00		5.00
Totals -----	\$1,575.17	\$39,982.48	\$41,557.65	\$40,356.09	\$1,201.56

# WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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On deposit Falls Church Bank -----	\$ 1,129.19
Cash on hand -----	72.37
	\$ 1,201.56
Bank Reconciliation—Falls Church Bank	
Balance on deposit, August 1, 1960 -----	\$ 1,520.17
Deposit during Conference Year -----	39,865.11
Total Balance & deposits -----	\$41,385.28
Less checks written during the year -----	40,256.09
Less checks outstanding	
Our true bank balance July 31, 1961 -----	\$ 1,129.19
Rev. J. C. Yarborough -----	\$ 150.00
Rev. F. B. Dennard -----	3.30
Wesleyan Meth. Pub. Ass'n -----	4.00
T. T. Hines, Gen'l Treasurer -----	1,300.00
Total checks outstanding -----	\$ 1,457.30
True bank balance plus checks outstanding ----	\$2,586.49
Less desposit July 31, 1961 -----	486.00
Balance as per bank statement July 27, 1961	\$2,100.49

Note—\*Denominational grant of \$600.00 is included in Virginia Church Extension and Evangelism, but not actually checked through the Conference Treasurer. A \$500 loan which was repaid is not included in the total received and disbursed.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. Lee Cockerill, Conference Treasurer

## Report No. 12

### REPORT OF THE APPORTIONMENT COMMITTEE

#### GENERAL BUDGET ASSIGNED

World Missions -----	\$2,040.00
Australia -----	255.00
Brainerd Indian School -----	255.00
General Church Ext. & Evang. -----	1,530.00
Education -----	3,060.00
Pension Plan -----	2,040.00
Administrative Budget -----	1,020.00
Board Meeting Expense -----	255.00
General Conference Entertainment -----	510.00
Orphanage -----	357.00
Sunday School (.20 General and .05 Conf.) based on S. S. enrollment -----	689.50
Total General Conference Budget Assigned -----	\$12,011.50

#### CONFERENCE BUDGET ASSIGNED

President's Salary -----	\$5,511.00
Conference Work -----	3,507.00
Conference Missions & Church Ext. -----	1,002.00
Conference Property -----	3,006.00

Minister's Insurance .....	2,505.00
1% of Gross Income 1960-1961 .....	1,727.17
Total Conference Budget Assigned .....	\$17,258.17
Total Budget Assigned .....	\$29,269.67

Respectfully submitted,

Charles G. Sherrill

Paul M. Ray

## Report No. 13

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE SUNDAY SCHOOL  
SECRETARY

Number of Sunday Schools in the Conference .....	27
Enrollment one year ago .....	2,935
Present Enrollment .....	2,935
Gain .....	None
Rally Day .....	2,648
Average Attendance Last Year .....	1,928
Average attendance this year .....	2,187

## Average

School with the largest enrollment gain "Mountain View" .....	40
School with the second largest enrollment gain "Farmville" .....	28
School with the highest gain in Attendance "Jordantown" .....	30
School with largest Rally Day attendance "Roanoke First" .....	250
School with the second largest Rally Day Attendance Aiken Summit ..	206
School with the third largest Rally Day attendance "Clement Memorial" ..	194

## SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY'S FINANCIAL REPORT

Balance brought forward .....	\$ 78.35
Received from Conference Treas. ....	45.10
Received for Easter Offering .....	141.41
Sunday School Offerings at Camp meeting .....	16.12
Total Received .....	\$280.98

## Disbursements:

Stationery, stamps, envelopes, etc. ....	\$ 24.51
Travel expense .....	65.00
Sunday School Convention and Ministerial convention .....	182.00

Total Disbursements .....	\$271.51
Balance on Hand .....	\$ 9.47

## Recommendations:

1. The General Sunday School Secretary requests us to change the name of Director of Child Evangelism to Director of Christian Youth Crusader or CYC. I would like to recommend that Mrs. Mary Duvall be director of CYC.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rev. Paul Rampey, Sunday School Sec.

## Report No. 14

## W. Y. SECRETARY'S REPORT

The Wesleyan Youth of the Virginia Conference have had a very successful year with the presence of the Lord in our midst. Our conference won the area plaque of the Southern Area in the Wesleyan Youth subscription contest. We had a profitable Midwinter Youth Congress with the Welcome Church acting as our host and something over 50 were in attendance. Our Youth Camp registered 130 campers. The Youth of Virginia are not only energetic and willing to support conference projects, but best of all they are a spiritual group of young people. The following report is compiled from the Annual Report Form sent to the secretary:

Total number of locals reporting .....	15
Total Members ---- 300    Full Members ---- 214    Associates ----	86
Wesleyan Youth Subscriptions .....	216

## FINANCIAL REPORT

Conference Fund or Dues .....	\$ 79.95
General Dues .....	238.20
Church Extension .....	1.00
Education .....	23.50
World Missions .....	67.45
Local Work .....	864.80
Youth Week Offering (1961) .....	104.80
Other Items .....	123.60
Total Receipts Plus Balance .....	1,938.09
Total Disbursements .....	1,533.40
Cash on Hand .....	404.69

See Statistical tables for completion of report. Page 53.

Respectfully, Submitted,  
Paul A. Wheeler, Sec.

## Report No. 15

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ITINERACY  
AND ELDERS ORDERS

This report is a final and comprehensive report. For the convenience of the conference secretary, this report is inclusive and comprehensive; when adopted it replaces and supersedes all preliminary and partial reports.

## Item I. Transfers

A. We recommend that The Rev. Michael Terifay be received as an Elder on Trial from the Free Methodist Church.

B. We recommend that The Rev. Lester Dix be received as an Elder on Trial from the Ohio Yearly Meeting (Friends). It is understood that he is to meet the full requirements of the Course of Study for Elders Orders, with our church.

## Item II. Classification of Students

**A. Pursuing Course of Study leading to Ordination:****First Year**

Wayne Bohannon  
John Henderson  
Mrs. Edna Hoover

Mrs. Stella King  
James R. Smith  
L. W. Wood

**Second Year**

Paul W. McKinley

Mrs. Evelyn Tate

**Third Year**

Eddie Horne  
Jimmy Matherly

N. J. Underwood

**Fourth Year**

T. C. Duvall

J. C. Yarbrough

**B. Pursing Course of Study leading to Deaconess**

Mrs. Mary Cook

**Item III. Completed Course of Study**

Helen Harless  
Stanley Hunter

Charles King

**Item IV. Students in College and Seminary**

Larry Brewer  
Sidney F. Bunn  
Kenneth Foutz  
Jerry Hunter  
Willard Kiser

Sidney Lafon  
W. G. Mullinax  
Raymond Leroy Phaup  
Steve Watkins  
Paul Wilson

**Item V. Special Classification**

Joe Shields

These are special workers, approved for work under the direction of the President and his Advisory Board, who are not working toward eventual ordination.

**Item VI. Work Done by Students**

Credit was given for work as follows:

Wayne Bohannon: Discipline

Mrs. Edna Hoover: Perfect Love, Bible-Sells III, Bible-Sells IV

P. W. Kinsley: Discipline

H. H. Mandell: Discipline, History of Wesleyan Methodist Church

Paul McKinley: Discipline

Jimmy Matherly: Foundations of Doctrine

S. E. Renolds: Discipline, Bible-Sells III

L. W. Wood: Bible-Sells I, Binney's Compend, Discipline

J. C. Yarbrough: Bible-Sells IV

**Item VII. Removed from Roll of Committee**

Left Conference

Hudson Hess

Edward Lanier

Maj. Barney Jones

**Item VIII. Returned to Quarterly Conference, License Not Renewed**

Carolyn Hill



**Item IX. Explanatory Policy and Procedure**

1. The holding of an appointment as assistant pastor does not entirely satisfy this Committee as satisfactory experience qualifying the candidate for election to Elders Orders. The Committee will give careful consideration to these candidates who hold full-time assistant pastoral appointments.

2. For the sake of the students in the Course of Study and with an aim for greater efficiency of operation and service to the Conference and the Kingdom, we sincerely recommend that all examinations be taken under the immediate supervision of the Committee. This may be done under the supervision of an appointed Elder by the Committee. Examination for local preachers will continue to be administered by the local pastor.

3. The Course of Study Institute for the Conference Year 1961-62 will be held at Buckingham. The tuition charge will be five dollars (\$5.00) per course. The Institute will be held Monday through Friday of Camp.

4. July 1st, preceding Conference, will be the latest date to receive papers for the current year. This will not apply to those enrolled in the Institute.

**Item X. Recommended to Elders Orders at this Session**

Edward E. Shepherd

**Item XI. Committee Organization**

A.	Frank B. Dennard, Chairman	G. R. Phaup
	Paul A. Wheeler, Secretary	Hal G. Robbins, Jr.

B. First Year: F. B. Dennard  
3020 Lorrain Rd., N. W., Roanoke, Va.

Second Year: Hal G. Robbins, Jr.  
912 Seventh St. Altavista, Va.

Third Year: G. R. Phaup  
Rt. No. 2, Box 286, Farmville, Va.

Fourth Year: Paul A. Wheeler  
P. O. Box 60, Chantilly, Va.

**C. Librarian**

Mrs. Paul A. Wheeler  
P. O. Box 60, Chantilly, Va.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Frank B. Dennard, Chairman  
Paul A. Wheeler, Secretary

**Report No. 16****PENSION AND INSURANCE FUNDS TREASURER'S REPORT**

For Year 1960-61

As of July 31, 1961

On deposit July 31, 1961 in Southern Bank and Trust  
Company, Richmond, Virginia, per Bank Statement

\$1,897.15

## THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE

	Minister's Insurance	Pension Fund
Balance July 31, 1960 .....	\$ 640.07	\$2,494.06
Receipts on Budget .....	1,957.12	1,659.00
Total .....	\$2,597.19	\$4,153.06

## Disbursements

Insurance Premium for period August 1, 1960 to August 1, 1961 .....	\$1,882.38	
Pension payment to Rev. W. B. Giles .....		70.00
Rev. Lyman F. Lance—Expenses .....		8.72
Loan to Conference Treasurer .....		1,000.00
Payment to Denominational Headquarters .....		1,892.00
*Adjustment of Loans .....	1,000.00	-1,000.00
Total .....	\$2,882.38	\$1,970.72
Balances .....	\$-285.19	\$2,182.34

\*Note—The Board of Managers at a meeting 7-20-61, authorized that the loan of \$1000. made to the Conference Treasurer on 5-1-61, be applied as credit on loan made by the Conference Treasurer to the Pension and Insurance Fund Treasurer 9-15-59.

Respectfully submitted,  
Clarence J. Mackey, Treasurer

## Report No. 17

At the annual meeting of the Buckingham Tabernacle Association the following were elected to the various offices:

President .....	M. Paul Rampey
First Vice President .....	W. Lee Cockerill
Second Vice President .....	Paul Wheeler
Recording Secretary .....	Hal G. Robbins, Jr.
Treasurer .....	G. R. Phaup
Corresponding Secretary .....	Stanley Hunter
1st Member at Large .....	J. E. Dunkum
2nd Member at Large .....	Rice Seay
3rd Member at Large .....	J. Alvin Thomas

Respectfully Submitted,  
M. Paul Rampey, President  
Hal G. Robbins Jr., Secretary

## Report No. 18

## COMMITTEE ON COMMENDATIONS

In coming to this Second Annual Session of the Virginia Conference we observe many changes. Many of these represent improvements. Some of them reveal growth and development. Others we observe with some feelings of regret.

At the Organizing Session of the Virginia Conference The Rev. Lyman F. Lance was elected to the office of Conference Vice President. In addition to this he was called on to serve on the Conference Board of Managers,

The Conference President's Advisory Board, as chairman of the Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders, Chairman of the Pension Board, and President of the Buckingham Tabernacle Association. He represented the Virginia Conference on the Board of Trustees of Central College. Bro. Lance has been the successful pastor of the Washington Church for these two years, and at the conclusion of this Conference Session Bro. Lance is returning to the North Carolina Conference. It is difficult to express our feeling of Appreciation to him for the faithful service he has given to us. Out of years of experience on the Conference level he has given to us wise counsel and faithful leadership. He has displayed those qualities of willingness and dedication so necessary and so rarely found. Our prayers will follow him in his new fields of Service, that his efforts will be crowned with success.

Several years ago the Virginia District of the North Carolina Conference asked The Rev. D. Clifton Wood to serve on the Committee for the formation of the Virginia Conference. In the organization of the new Conference he was elected Conference Secretary. Bro. Wood served on the Conference President's Advisory Board, the Conference Board of Managers, the Committee on Itineracy and Elders Orders, and in his capacity of Southern Area Chairman of the Wesleyan Youth he made a strong contribution to the work of Youth in our Conference. He was the energetic pastor of the Lynchburg Church for the last eight years.

We are indebted to Bro. Wood for his faithful service in our midst. His resourcefulness and optimistic outlook gave needed encouragement to many of us. As he obeys the call of God and the Church in returning to North Carolina we shall follow his ministry with prayerful interest.

### Report No. 19

#### REPORT OF THE PASTORAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE CONFERENCE OFFICERS

President .....	Rev. Earl T. Gentry
Vice President .....	W. Lee Cockerill
Secretary .....	Hal G. Robbins, Jr.
Treasurer .....	W. Lee Cockerill
Sunday School Secretary .....	Paul Rampey
Tithing Secretary .....	Earl P. Fisher
Secretary of Evangelism .....	Paul Wheeler
Secretary of Wesleyan Men .....	Jesse L. Bell

#### PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS

		Church Ext. Area <sup>o</sup>
1. Aiken Summit	Rev. W. R. Shockley	Martinsville
2. Altavista, Clement Mem.	Rev. Hal G. Robbins, Jr.	Gladys
3. Ararat	Rev. Charles S. King	
4. Blacksburg	Rev. C. H. Dotson (2 yrs.)	Christiansburg
5. Buckingham	Rev. J. R. Smith	Under direction of Board of Managers
6. Chantilly	Rev. Paul A. Wheeler T. C. Duvall, Assistant	Metropolitan Washington

## THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE

7. Crewe	Rev. Stanley Hunter	Petersburg
8. Danville	Rev. Paul M. Ray	North Danville
9. Fairview	Rev. J. T. Mostiler	
10. Falls Church	Rev. W. L. Cockerill (2 yrs.)	Metropolitan Washington
11. Farmville	Rev. G. R. Phaup	Petersburg
12. Galax	Rev. James Matherly	Under direction of Board of Managers
13. Jordantown	Rev. E. E. Shepherd (2 yrs.)	Bedford
14. Lynchburg	Rev. Raymond Powers, Jr.	North West Lynchburg
15. Minnie's Chapel	Rev. Earl P. Fisher	Martinsville
16. Mountain View	Rev. N. J. Underwood	McCoy
17. Newport News	Rev. J. Melvin Howard	Upper Warrick
18. Pearisburg	In hands of Conference President and Board of Managers	
19. Radford	Rev. Paul W. McKinley	Pulaski
20. Richmond	In hands of President and Board of Managers	S. Richmond
21. Roanoke (F)	Rev. F. B. Dennard	Burlington Heights
22. Roanoke (S)	Rev. S. T. Bayse	Vinton
23. Roanoke (V.V.)	Rev. Herman Mandel (2 yrs.)	Salem Chapel
24. Salem Chapel	Under direction Board of Managers	
25. Stuart	Rev. Wayne Bohannon	Martinsville
26. Washington	Rev. Michael Terifay Eddie Horne, Assistant	Metropolitan Washington
27. Yellow Branch- Gladys Circuit	Rev. J. C. Yarborough	
28. Welcome	Rev. Paul Rampey	Charlottesville

## Other Appointments

Conference President	-----	Earl T. Gentry
Conference Evangelist	-----	Charles G. Sherrill

\* The Pastoral Relations Committee was asked to make assignments to local churches to create more church extension interest on the local level, to cause more of our churches to foster and "mother" a new church near them we recommend that the Pastoral Relations Committee assign each organized church a city, town or area in which to (a) cultivate contacts, (b) conduct canvasses, (c) begin prayer meetings, a Sunday School or other types of services toward establishing Wesleyan Methodist Churches in the designated areas.

**Unstationed Elder**  
J. A. Watkins

**Superannuated Elder**  
W. B. Giles

Chairman of Committee,  
President, Earl T. Gentry  
Secretary, Natalie Burgess

# STATISTICAL REPORT

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## Item I. Pastor's Labors

## Item II. Periodicals

CHARGE	Local Preachers	Appointments	Organized Church Societies	Time Employed (Mos.)	Stationed Elders	Unstationed Elders	Superannuated Elders	Conference Preachers	Wesleyan Methodists	Wesleyan Missionarys	Wesleyan Youths	Sunday School Banner	Junior Journeys	Children's Friend	Teacher's Quarterly for Adults	Teacher's Quarterly for Junior Youth	Teacher's Quarterly for Juniors & Primaries	Adult Quarterly	Junior Youth	Junior Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Devotional Quarterly	Lesson Leaflets	Aldersgate N. Teacher	" Kindergarten T.	" Kindergarten Hdbk.
Aiken Summit	1	1	1	12	1				1	7			16	5	2	4	50	25	16	16						
Altavista	1	1	1	12	1				59	25	42	100	35	40	5	8	86	30	35	30	10	20			2	23
Ararat	1	1	1	12	1				18			20	12	10	4	1	30					15				
Blacksburg	2	1	1	12	1				33	26	12	20		8	8	8	90	25	30	30	19					
Buckingham		1		12																						
Chantilly	1	1	1	12	1			1	23	12	26	20	20	10	5	2	45		19	30	19	30		2	17	
Crewe	1	1	1	12		1			12	10	1	30	10	10	4	4	40		8	10	10	5				
Danville	2	1	1	12	1				12	8	1			16	4	3	40		10			6				
Falls Church	1	1	1	12	1				41	30	21	85	35		9	9	100		40	30	20	20				
Farmville	1	1	1	12	1				5	4	13				5	3	50	10	14	15	5	20				
Galax	1	1	1	12				1	1	1	1				3	1	18		6	6						
Gladys	1	1	1	12					6	1	4	10			3	1						5				
Jordantown	1	1	1	12				1	3	12	4	60	20	20	4	6	80		25		6	10				
Lynchburg	1	1	1	12	1				45	27	31	50		14	10	85		8	12		15					
Minnie's Chapel	1	1	1	12	1				3	4		25		18	2	1	2	43	13	13	19					
Mountain View	1	1	1	12				2	1	5		30	20	15	4	2	40		25	12		6				
Newport News	1	1	1	12	1				20	23	3			7	3	3	50		25	15		6				
Radford	1	1	1	12					14	11	8	25	12	8	4	1	3	45	10	6	6		5			
Richmond	1	1	1	12	1				1	1	1	25		10	1	4	50		12		21	12				
Roanoke, First	5	1	1	12	1				65	54	12	154	25	25	4	9	140	20	30	25	5	65				
Roanoke, Second	2	1	1	12	1				27	19	5	65		11	11	68		20	30		15					
Roanoke, Valley View	1	1	1	12	2				24	19	26	50		20	2	4	55	16	20		6	12				
Salem Chapel	1	1	1	12								24			1	1	6		4	2						
Stuart	1	1	1	12					8	9	11				2	1	1	25	15	15	15					
Washington	4	1	1	12	1		1		25	18	16	45	12		4	2	3	45	12	15	10					
Yellow Branch	1	1	1	12					6	3	2				2	2	2	20	20							
Welcome	3	1	1	12	1				16	10	9	16			3	1	3	38	20				30		1	
Pearisburg				12																						
Fairview Chapel				3	1																					
Totals	28	27	25	339	18	1	1	8	469	339	249	854	201	148	203	33	98	1339	265	394	261	131	307	5	5	40

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CHARGE	Item III. Membership															Item IV. Sunday Schools											
	Full Membership Reported Last Year	Full Members Received This Year	Add Lines 1 and 2	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	Members Lost	Present Full Membership	Associate Members	Junior Members	Total Present Membership	Total Membership Reported Last Year	Gain in Members for the Year (or)	Loss in Members for the Year	Baptized	Infants Dedicated	No. of Family Altars	Membership Tithing	Card Call Subscribers	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars in Main School	No. in Main School	No. in Home Department	No. on Cradle Roll	Total No. in S. S.	Average Attendance
Aiken Summit	35	1	36	1				35	10		45	44	1			1	24		12	1	9	98	107		12	119	102
Altavista	91	6	97	4	2	6	12	85	7	1	93	101		8			25	36		1	25	203	228	7	28	263	188
Ararat	13	6	19				2	17	6	3	26	15	11		6		5	6		1	6	49	55			55	43
Blacksburg	63	9	72			8	8	64	11	6	81	75	6			5	55			1	18	141	159		6	165	141
Buckingham																											
Chantilly	31	7	38					38	4	3	45	38	7			6	16	6	2	1	8	86	94			94	74
Crewe	23	7	30			2	2	28	5	1	34	31	3			6	12	1		1	14	25	39		15	54	37
Danville	28	3	31	1			1	30	6	2	38	35	3			1	8	23		1	10	98	108			114	72
Falls Church	56	16	72		1	7	8	64	4	4	72	63	9			1	18	32	2	1	29	170	199		11	210	168
Farmville	44	2	46					46	2	8	56	54	2		4	1	10	15		1	11	86	97	4	12	113	69
Galax	5	2	7	2			2	5		1	6	5	1			3	5			1	4	22	26			26	22
Gladys	10		10					10	1	1	12	12								1	5	17	22			22	14
Jordantown	23	6	29			3	3	26	1	17	44	35	9		6	7	19			1	10	120	130		18	154	114
Lynchburg	66	1	67		2	2	4	63		13	76	79		3	9	6	35	30		1	11	119	130		4	134	95
Minnie's Chapel	15	4	19					19	17	6	42	*21	4		2	5	19			1	9	103	112			112	86
Mountain View	18	1	19	1		2	3	16			16	18		2		10				1	14	91	105		6	111	76
Newport News	38	1	39	5			5	34	11	3	48	52		4		5	8			1	9	54	63		5	68	67
Radford	24	3	27					27			27	24	3			1	9	19		1	17	77	94		9	103	65
Richmond	44	3	47	5	1		6	41	4	9	54	53	1			14	30	10		1	10	91	101		5	112	61
Roanoke, First	174	23	197	17	1	7	25	172	10	24	206	188	18		13	11	55	112		1	23	246	269		5	280	224
Roanoke, Second	50		50					50	5	1	56	56				2	17	30		1	11	80	91		10	101	90
Roanoke, Valley View	43	4	47			1	7	39	4	3	46	52		6	2	15	27			1	35	100	135	1	6	142	95
Salem Chapel																				1	5	10	15			15	14
Stuart	27		27					27	2	2	29	29				4	12			1	7	106	113			113	81
Washington	50	3	53		1	5	6	47	7	9	63	66		3	2	10	15	40	5	1	14	76	90		5	103	82
Yellow Branch	16		16			1	1	15	2	13	30	31		1		1	3			1	10	68	78			86	54
Welcome	32	2	34	1				33	3	12	48	45	3		9		10	36	1	1	12	92	104		3	107	89
Fairview																				1	2	39	41			41	20
Pearisburg																											
Totals	1019	110	1129	38	9	51	98	1031	120	142	1293	1239	81	27	57	45	276	628	73	27	338	2467	2805	38	174	3017	2243

\* Audited Corrections

CHARGE	Item IV. Sunday Schools—Continued				Item V. Wesleyan Youth				Item VI. Church Property												
	No. of Scholars Converted	No. of Scholars Joining Church	No. of Departmental Superintendents	No. in Teacher Training Course	No. of Organized Classes	No. of Books in Library	Enrollment in Vacation Bible School	Average Attendance in Vacation Bible School	No. W. Y. Societies	Total Membership of Societies	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	Value of Conf. Property (Campgrounds, President's Parsonage, etc.)	Indebtedness on Same	Cash or Other Values on Hand
Aiken Summit	10	3	2	33	6	41	73	68	1	22	1	\$ 10,000	\$	\$ 10,000							
Altavista	3	7	1		13	175	122	103	1	22	1	59,500	4,500.00	46,000	1	7,500		6,000			2,058.85
Ararat	6	4	4		4		35	32	1	15	1	5,000		5,000	1	8,500	2,368.80	5,000			
Blacksburg							83	69	1	15	1	40,000		10,000	1	22,000	17,000.00	15,000			
Buckingham												6,000	1,763.86								
Chantilly	12	7			1	21	51	42	1	15	1	25,000	13,967.34	20,000							539.89
Crewe					5		24	22			2	18,000	3,829.29	5,000	1	5,000		5,000			
Danville	5	2			8		77	70	1	14	1	6,000		6,000	1	4,000	3,399.00	4,000			306.61
Falls Church	17	18	4	6	2	135	134	122	1	26	1	90,500	45,979.03	51,000	1	17,000	11,000.00	13,500			2,936.81
Farmville	2	2	2		1		56	50	1	12	1	8,000		7,000							42.70
Galax	1										1	1,800	1,475.00								600.00
Gladys											1	5,000		3,000							
Jordantown	10	8	3		7	25	125	99			1	9,000		5,600	1	5,000		4,000			
Lynchburg	10	2	1		8	110			1	14	1	43,000		30,000	1	14,875		9,000			22,525.32
Minnie's Chapel						81			2	23	1	14,000		6,000	1	10,000					
Mountain View	3	1			6				1	1	1	10,000		10,000	1	12,000	2,033.87	5,000			15.86
Newport News	16	1	2	5		102	60	38			1	25,000		10,000	1	20,000	8,174.86	12,000			4,061.88
Radford	12	1	1		9	20			1	20	1	15,000		12,000	1	8,000		5,000			910.50
Richmond					7		42	32	1	11											13,476.88
Roanoke, First	124	45	6	13	8	102	123	113	1	40	2	138,500	8,604.92	100,800	1	22,000	12,130.14	18,500			2,825.40
Roanoke, Second	10		1		3	60	52	45	1	26	1	12,000		10,000	1	9,000		8,000			
Roanoke, Valley View	1	1	2		3	317	39	34	1	24	1	30,000		22,000	1	14,000	6,389.55	8,000			298.64
Salem Chapel	14																				
Stuart					5				1	17	1	10,000		7,000							872.00
Washington	2	3	5		3	250			1	20	1	40,000		20,000	1						1,265.38
Yellow Branch			3		6		35	26			2	18,000	309.38	3,000	1	4,000		3,000			
Welcome	2	2	1		9		67	65	1	24	1	50,000	8,010.00	30,000							
Fairview Chapel																					
Pearisburg																					
Tabernacle Grounds											1								28,500	14,000	
President's Parsonage															1	22,500	17,400.00	17,400			
Totals	260	107	39	57	114	1439	1198	1030	18	323	32	\$689,300	\$88,438.82	\$419,400	18	\$205,375	\$79,896.22	\$138,400	\$28,500	\$14,000	\$52,796.72

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CHARGE	Item VII. Disbursed for Pastor							Item VIII. Disbursed for Church						
	Salary	Parsonage Rent and Utilities	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts	Travel and/or Car Exp.	Total Pastor's Receipts	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense	Building	Repairs	Amount Paid on Indebtedness	Amount Paid on Exp. of Indebtedness	Church Incidental Exp.	Total for Church
Aiken Summit	\$ 1,980.00	\$	\$ 3.00	\$ 25.00	\$	\$ 2,008.00	\$ 147.16	\$ 429.53	\$	\$ 13.34	\$	\$	\$ 292.36	\$ 882.39
Altavista	3,900.00	600.00	13.00	160.00	445.00	5,113.00	555.00	1,196.74		867.76			2,520.11	5,689.61
Ararat	1,225.00	600.00	10.00	60.00		1,895.00	130.30	324.50	275.85		210.00	190.00	97.02	1,227.67
Blacksburg	3,405.00	1,237.97	10.00	190.00	300.00	5,142.97	240.00	1,428.09			2,549.84		1,749.13	5,967.06
Buckingham	24.00					24.00					360.00		15.00	375.00
Chantilly	780.00		35.00	52.50	30.00	897.50	248.46	534.31		153.72	1,306.35	823.36	745.42	3,811.62
Crewe	1,820.00	647.95	10.00	100.00	10.00	2,587.95	190.00	578.81	166.16	40.00	657.06	219.18	217.28	2,068.49
Danville	1,300.00	302.96	5.00		20.00	1,627.96	199.20	482.96		826.75	951.53		777.78	3,238.22
Falls Church	4,760.00	1,627.00	40.00	57.30	600.00	7,084.30	678.19	1,008.59		913.11	2,222.94	2,288.24	4,794.30	11,905.37
Farmville	1,642.00		15.00	35.00		1,692.00	155.00	295.42		12.32	177.00		396.55	1,036.29
Galax	220.00			63.53	35.00	318.53	85.00	26.11		25.00			7.60	143.71
Gladys	540.00				10.00	550.00	40.00	172.00					25.50	237.50
Jordantown	1,060.00	372.00	15.00	30.00		1,477.00	300.00	634.38		20.00			80.00	1,034.38
Lynchburg	3,900.00	1,255.00	25.00	100.00		5,280.00	598.79	1,001.29		462.72			1,710.01	3,772.81
Minnie's Chapel	1,040.00		29.50	162.25	25.25	1,257.00	90.00	425.00	5,754.07				234.40	6,503.47
Mountain View	2,080.00			85.00		2,165.00	150.00	260.39					380.48	1,123.99
Newport News	1,800.00	1,735.00	15.00	42.00	50.00	3,642.00	220.00	391.90			1,128.41	121.25	542.02	2,648.98
Radford	2,148.50	720.00	1.00	23.00	500.00	3,392.50	200.00	207.81		416.07			472.68	1,296.56
Richmond	3,380.00	884.16		75.00		4,339.16	296.00	1,117.02		131.87			1,727.51	3,277.40
Roanoke, First	4,500.00	1,530.00	45.00		260.00	6,335.00	971.71	1,142.63		257.90	4,857.77	544.16	3,797.12	11,571.29
Roanoke, Second	3,640.00	720.00				4,360.00	486.20	500.44					1,156.97	2,143.61
" Valley View	3,120.00	1,194.10				4,700.28	167.00	356.48		94.42	885.61	349.39	1,150.26	3,003.16
Salem Chapel	585.84					585.84		468.77						468.77
Stuart	1,040.00		10.00	309.00		1,359.00	125.00	301.05					312.00	738.05
Washington	3,570.00	1,050.00	50.00	250.00	510.00	5,430.00	185.00	414.11	1,019.60	730.94	900.00		2,174.73	5,424.38
Yellow Branch	1,300.00		5.00	100.00		1,405.00	135.00	290.00	2,296.30	35.00			115.00	2,871.30
Welcome	3,120.00	769.01		150.00		4,039.01	252.60	691.45	359.63	60.33	1,092.52	410.00	460.00	3,326.53
Fairview Chapel	160.00			5.00		165.00	120.00	58.16						178.16
Pearisburg	2,600.00					2,600.00								
Totals	\$60,640.34	\$15,245.15	\$336.50	\$2,182.13	\$3,073.88	\$81,478.00	\$6,947.61	\$14,737.94	\$10,421.61	\$ 5,061.25	\$17,510.90	\$ 5,312.23	\$25,951.23	\$85,960.77



Item IX. Disbursed for General Budget

CHARGE	World Missions Assigned	World Missions Raised	Australia Assigned	Australia Raised	Brainerd Indian School Assigned	Brainerd Indian School Raised	Gen. Church Extension & Evangelism Assigned	Gen. Church Extension & Evangelism Raised	Education Assigned	Education Raised	Pension Plan Assigned	Pension Plan Raised	Administrative Budget Assigned	Administrative Budget Raised
Aiken Summit	\$ 70.00	\$ 57.00	\$ 8.75	\$ 8.75	\$ 8.75	\$ 8.75	\$ 52.50	\$ 132.13	\$ 105.00	\$ 265.40	\$ 70.00	\$ 174.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 87.00
Altavista	174.00	208.28	21.75	21.75	21.75	21.75	130.50	132.13	261.00	265.40	174.00	174.00	87.00	87.00
Ararat	26.00	20.30	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25	19.50	19.50	39.00	39.00	26.00	26.00	13.00	13.00
Blacksburg	126.00	126.00	15.75	15.75	15.75	15.75	94.50	94.50	189.00	189.00	126.00	126.00	63.00	63.00
Buckingham														
Chantilly	60.00	60.00	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	45.00	45.00	90.00	90.00	60.00	60.00	30.00	30.00
Crewe	46.00	5.00	5.75	2.00	5.75	5.00	34.50	5.00	69.00	23.88	46.00	46.00	23.00	23.00
Danville	56.00		7.00		7.00		42.00	42.00	84.00		56.00	56.00	28.00	28.00
Falls Church	112.00	1,640.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	84.00	84.00	168.00	168.00	112.00	112.00	56.00	56.00
Farmville	78.00	40.00	9.75		9.75		58.50		117.00		78.00	78.00	39.00	39.00
Galax	10.00	10.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	7.50	7.50	15.00	15.00	10.00	10.00	5.00	5.00
Gladys	18.00	18.00	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25	13.50	13.50	27.00	27.00	18.00	18.00	9.00	9.00
Jordantown	46.00	46.00	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	34.50	34.50	69.00	69.00	46.00	46.00	23.00	23.00
Lynchburg	132.00	208.17	16.50	16.50	16.50	16.50	99.00	99.01	198.00	198.00	132.00	132.00	66.00	66.00
Minnie's Chapel	30.00	30.00	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75	22.50	22.50	45.00	45.00	30.00	30.00	15.00	15.00
Mountain View	36.00	56.00	4.50		4.50		27.00		54.00		36.00	36.00	18.00	18.00
Newport News	72.00	72.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	54.00	54.00	108.00	108.00	72.00	72.00	36.00	36.00
Radford	48.00	50.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	36.00	36.00	72.00	72.00	48.00	48.00	24.00	24.00
Richmond	88.00	500.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	66.00	66.00	132.00	132.00	88.00	88.00	44.00	44.00
Roanoke, First	348.00	764.02	43.50	43.75	43.50	43.50	261.00	266.00	522.00	527.00	348.00	348.00	174.00	174.00
Roanoke, Second	100.00	100.00	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	75.00	75.00	150.00	150.00	100.00	100.00	50.00	50.00
Roanoke, Valley View	84.00	105.31	10.50	10.50	10.50		63.00		126.00	126.00	84.00	84.00	42.00	42.00
Salem Chapel														
Stuart	34.00		6.75		6.75		40.50		81.00		54.00	54.00	27.00	27.00
Washington	100.00	101.73	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	75.00	77.00	150.00	150.00	100.00	100.00	50.00	50.00
Yellow Branch	32.00	32.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	24.00	24.00	48.00	48.00	32.00	32.00	16.00	16.00
Welcome	64.00	76.96	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	48.00	51.00	96.00	97.50	64.00	64.00	32.00	32.00
Pearisburg														
Totals	\$1,990.00	\$4,326.77	\$251.25	\$216.50	\$251.25	\$200.00	\$1,507.50	\$1,228.64	\$3,015.00	\$2,500.78	\$2,010.00	\$1,560.00	\$1,005.00	\$ 808.00

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Item IX. Disbursed for General Budget—Continued										Item IX. Disbursed for Conference Budget							
CHARGE	Board Meeting Expense Assigned	Board Meeting Expense Raised	Gen. Conf. Expense and Entertainment Assigned	Gen. Conf. Expense and Entertainment Raised	Orphanage Assigned	Orphanage Raised	General S. S. Work Assigned	General S. S. Work Raised	Total General Budget Assigned	Total General Budget Raised	President's Salary Assigned	President's Salary Raised	Conf. Work Assigned	Conf. Work Raised	Conf. Church Extension & Evangelism Assigned	Conf. Church Extension & Evangelism Raised	
Aiken Summit	\$ 8.75		\$ 17.50		\$ 12.25		\$ 26.75		\$ 415.25	\$ 65.75	\$ 192.50	\$ 192.50	\$ 87.50	\$ 77.00	\$ 35.00		
Altavista	21.75	21.75	43.50	43.50	30.45	30.45	53.75	53.75	1,019.45	1,059.76	478.50	478.50	217.50	217.50	87.00	92.00	
Ararat	3.25		6.50		4.55		13.50		157.80	20.30	71.50	71.50	32.50	32.50	13.00	13.00	
Blacksburg	15.75	15.75	31.50	31.50	22.05	22.05	48.75	48.75	748.05	748.05	346.50	346.50	157.50	157.50	63.00	63.00	
Buckingham																	
Chantilly	7.50	7.50	15.00	15.00	10.50	10.50	22.75	22.75	355.75	355.75	82.50	82.50	37.50	37.50	15.00	15.00	
Crewe	5.75		11.50		8.05	5.00	9.75	9.75	265.05	55.63	126.50	10.00	57.50		23.00	1.00	
Danville	7.00	6.00	14.00	14.00	9.80		25.00		335.80	90.00	154.00	154.00	70.00	70.00	28.00	28.00	
Falls Church	14.00	14.00	28.00	28.00	19.60	19.60	45.25	45.25	666.85	2,194.85	308.00	308.00	140.00	140.00	56.00	56.00	
Farmville	9.75		19.50		13.65		18.00		450.90	40.00	214.50	65.00	97.50		39.00		
Galax	1.25	1.25	2.50	2.50	1.75	1.75	3.00	3.00	58.50	58.50	13.75	13.75	6.25	6.25	2.50	2.50	
Gladys	2.25	2.25	4.50	4.50	3.15	3.15	8.00	8.00	107.90	107.90	49.50	49.50	22.50	22.50	9.00	9.00	
Jordantown	5.75	5.75	11.50	11.50	8.05	8.05	30.00	30.00	285.30	285.30	126.50	126.50	57.50	57.50	23.00	23.00	
Lynchburg	16.50	16.50	33.00	33.00	23.10	23.10	27.75	27.75	760.35	836.53	363.00	363.00	165.00	165.00	66.00	66.00	
Minnie's Chapel	3.75	3.75	7.50	7.50	5.25	5.25	26.25	26.25	192.75	192.75	82.50	82.50	37.50	37.50	15.00	15.00	
Mountain View	4.50		9.00		6.30		19.75		219.55	56.00	99.00	95.00	45.00	45.00	18.00	18.00	
Newport News	9.00	9.00	18.00	18.00	12.60	12.60	20.25	20.25	419.85	419.85	198.00	198.00	90.00	90.00	36.00	36.00	
Radford	6.00	6.00	12.00	12.00	8.40	8.40	26.00	26.00	292.40	294.40	132.00	132.00	60.00	60.00	24.00	24.00	
Richmond	11.00	11.00	22.00	22.00	15.40	15.40	25.00	25.00	513.40	925.40	242.00	242.00	110.00	110.00	44.00	44.00	
Roanoke, First	43.50	43.50	87.00	87.00	60.90	501.00	67.00	67.00	1,998.40	2,864.77	957.00	957.00	435.00	435.00	174.00	174.00	
Roanoke, Second	12.50	12.50	25.00	25.00	17.50	17.50	25.50	25.50	580.50	580.50	275.00	275.00	125.00	125.00	50.00	50.00	
Roanoke, Valley View	10.50		21.00		14.70	14.70	38.00	38.00	504.20	294.51	231.00	200.00	105.00	80.00	42.00		
Salem Chapel																	
Stuart	6.75		13.50		9.45		25.25		304.95		148.50	148.50	67.50	36.25	27.00		
Washington	12.50	12.50	25.00	25.00	17.50	22.50	25.25	25.25	580.25	588.98	257.00	257.00	125.00	125.00	50.00	50.00	
Welcome	8.00	8.00	16.00	16.00	11.20	11.20	20.00	20.00	375.20	392.66	176.00	176.00	80.00	80.00	32.00	32.00	
Yellow Branch	4.00	4.00	8.00	8.00	5.60	5.60	17.00	17.00	194.60	194.60	88.00	88.00	40.00	40.00	16.00	16.00	
Totals	\$251.25	\$201.00	\$502.50	\$404.00	\$351.75	\$737.80	\$667.50	\$539.25	\$11,803.00	\$12,722.74	\$5,413.25	\$5,112.25	\$2,468.75	\$2,247.00	\$987.50	\$827.50	

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## Item IX. Disbursed for Conference Budget—Continued

CHARGE	Minister's Insurance Plan Assigned	Minister's Insurance Plan Raised	Conference Property Assigned	Conference Property Raised	Total Conf. Budget Assigned	Total Conf. Budget Raised	Total Budget Assigned	Total Budget Raised
Aiken Summit	\$ 78.75	\$ 78.75	\$ 87.50	\$ 87.50	\$ 481.25	\$ 435.75	\$ 896.50	\$ 501.50
Altavista	195.75	195.75	217.50	217.50	1,196.25	1,201.25	2,215.70	2,261.01
Ararat	29.25	29.25	32.50	32.50	178.75	178.75	336.55	199.05
Blacksburg	141.75	141.75	157.50	157.50	866.25	866.25	1,614.30	1,614.30
Buckingham								
Chantilly	33.75	33.75	37.50	37.50	206.25	206.25	562.00	562.00
Crewe	51.75		57.50		316.25	11.00	561.30	79.13
Danville	63.00	63.00	70.00	70.00	385.00	385.00	720.80	475.00
Falls Church	126.00	126.00	140.00	140.00	770.00	770.00	1,436.85	2,964.85
Farmville	87.75	36.00	97.50	9.00	536.25	110.00	987.15	150.00
Galax	5.63	5.63	6.25	6.25	34.38	34.38	92.88	92.88
Gladys	20.25	20.25	22.50	22.50	123.75	123.75	231.65	231.65
Jordantown	51.75	51.75	57.50	57.50	316.25	316.25	601.55	601.55
Lynchburg	148.50	148.50	165.00	247.00	907.50	989.50	1,667.85	1,826.03
Minnie's Chapel	33.75	33.75	37.50	37.50	206.25	206.25	399.00	399.00
Mountain View	40.50	22.00	45.00	45.00	247.50	225.00	467.05	281.00
Newport News	81.00	81.00	90.00	90.00	495.00	495.00	914.85	914.85
Radford	54.00	54.00	60.00	60.00	330.00	330.00	622.40	624.40
Richmond	99.00	99.00	110.00	110.00	605.00	605.00	1,118.40	1,530.40
Roanoke, First	391.50	391.50	435.00	435.00	2,392.50	2,392.50	4,390.90	5,257.27
Roanoke, Second	112.50	112.50	125.00	125.00	687.50	687.50	1,268.00	1,268.00
Roanoke, Valley View	94.50		105.00	77.50	577.50	357.50	1,080.70	652.01
Salem Chapel								
Stuart	60.75	60.75	67.50	67.50	371.25	313.00	676.20	313.00
Washington	112.50	112.50	125.00	125.00	669.50	669.50	1,249.75	1,258.48
Welcome	72.00	72.00	80.00	93.00	440.00	453.00	815.20	845.66
Yellow Branch	36.00	36.00	40.00	40.00	220.00	220.00	414.60	414.60
Totals	\$2,221.88	\$2,005.38	\$2,468.75	\$2,390.25	\$13,560.13	\$12,582.39	\$25,362.13	\$25,317.62

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CHARGE	Item X. Disbursed for Benevolences									Item XI. Disbursed Totals					
	World Missions	Australia	Brainerd Indian School	Church Extension and Evangelism	Education	Orphanage	Conference Work	W. Y.	Other Objects	Total for Benevolences	Total for Pastor	Total for Church	Total for Budget	Total for Benevolences	Total for All Purposes
Aiken Summit	\$ 27.00	\$	\$	\$ 55.00	\$ 8.00	\$	\$ 175.00	\$ 130.71	\$ 54.46	\$ 81.46	\$ 2,008.00	\$ 882.39	\$ 501.50	\$ 81.46	\$ 3,473.35
Altavista	534.03								518.99	1,421.73	5,689.61	2,261.01	1,421.73	14,490.35	
Ararat	17.87						5.00			22.87	1,895.00	1,227.67	199.05	22.87	3,344.59
Blacksburg	17.00							362.50		379.50	5,142.97	5,967.06	1,614.30	379.50	13,103.83
Buckingham											24.00	375.00			399.00
Chantilly	147.22			48.00			25.00		31.11	251.33	897.50	3,811.62	562.00	251.33	5,522.45
Crewe						32.35	26.75		5.00	64.10	2,587.95	2,068.49	79.13	64.10	4,799.67
Danville							10.00	32.00		42.00	1,627.96	3,238.22	475.00	42.00	5,383.18
Falls Church	154.98			53.00	840.00	64.60	21.20	134.08	366.99	1,634.85	7,084.30	11,905.37	2,964.85	1,634.85	23,589.37
Farmville							11.50	44.50		56.00	1,692.00	1,036.29	150.00	56.00	2,934.29
Galax											318.53	143.71	92.88		555.12
Gladys	18.00					10.00	20.00		104.21	152.21	550.00	237.50	231.65	152.21	1,171.36
Jordantown									48.00	48.00	1,477.00	1,034.38	601.55	48.00	3,160.93
Lynchburg	7.23			128.01	28.20	60.28	70.06	109.49	485.30	888.57	5,280.00	3,772.81	1,826.03	888.57	11,767.41
Minnie's Chapel		3.75	3.75	5.00		5.25	10.00	91.45	187.00	306.20	1,257.00	6,503.47	399.00	306.20	8,465.67
Mountain View											2,165.00	1,123.99	281.00		3,569.99
Newport News	39.22			13.56	47.00	25.00		25.00	108.88	258.66	3,642.00	2,648.98	914.85	258.66	7,464.49
Radford	45.00						44.50	60.00	16.00	165.50	3,392.50	1,296.56	624.40	165.50	5,478.96
Richmond											4,339.16	3,272.40	1,530.40		9,141.96
Roanoke, First	25.00		100.00		2.00	7.20	107.73	342.00	2,895.46	3,479.39	6,335.00	11,571.29	5,257.27	3,479.39	26,642.95
Roanoke, Second						18.10				18.10	4,360.00	2,143.61	1,268.00	18.10	7,789.71
Roanoke, Valley View	34.57				200.00		73.00	123.75	255.29	686.61	4,700.28	3,003.16	652.01	686.61	9,042.06
Salem Chapel	10.00		10.00	26.00			10.00		227.07	283.07	585.84	468.77		283.07	1,337.68
Stuart	19.00					12.00	19.30		29.00	79.30	1,359.00	738.05	313.00	79.30	2,489.35
Washington	105.06			138.75	117.33	90.00		46.00	136.00	633.14	5,430.00	5,424.38	1,258.48	633.14	12,746.00
Welcome	225.00						7.10		371.86	603.96	4,039.01	3,326.53	845.66	603.96	8,815.16
Yellow Branch						10.00				10.00	1,405.00	2,871.30	414.60	10.00	4,700.90
Fairview Chapel											165.00	178.16			343.16
Pearlsburg											2,600.00				2,600.00
Totals	\$1,426.18	\$3.75	\$113.75	\$467.32	\$1,242.53	\$334.78	\$636.14	\$1,501.48	\$5,840.62	\$11,566.55	\$81,478.00	\$85,960.77	\$25,317.62	\$11,566.55	\$204,322.94

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Report of Apportionment Committee—General Budget

CHARGE	Members	World Missions \$2.00	Australia \$ .25	Brainerd \$ .25	Gen. Church Extension & Evangelism \$1.50	Education \$3.00	Pension Fund \$2.00	Admin. Budget \$1.00	Board Expense \$ .25	General Conference Entertainment \$ .50	Orphanage \$ .35	S. S. Enrollment	S. S. Budget \$ .25	Total General Budget
Aiken Summit	35	\$ 70.00	\$ 8.75	\$ 8.75	\$ 52.50	\$ 105.00	\$ 70.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 8.75	\$ 17.50	\$ 12.25	116	\$ 29.00	\$ 417.50
Altavista	85	170.00	21.25	21.25	127.50	255.00	170.00	85.00	21.25	42.50	29.75	228	57.00	1,000.50
Ararat	17	34.00	4.25	4.25	25.50	51.00	34.00	17.00	4.25	8.50	5.95	55	13.75	202.45
Blacksburg	64	128.00	16.00	16.00	96.00	192.00	128.00	64.00	16.00	32.00	22.40	159	39.75	750.15
Chantilly	36	72.00	9.00	9.00	54.00	108.00	72.00	36.00	9.00	18.00	12.60	94	23.50	423.10
Crewe	28	56.00	7.00	7.00	42.00	84.00	56.00	28.00	7.00	14.00	9.80	49	12.25	323.05
Danville	30	60.00	7.50	7.50	45.00	90.00	60.00	30.00	7.50	15.00	10.50	108	27.00	360.00
Farmville	41	82.00	10.25	10.25	61.50	123.00	82.00	41.00	10.25	20.50	14.35	97	24.25	479.35
Falls Church	64	128.00	16.00	16.00	96.00	192.00	128.00	64.00	16.00	32.00	22.40	199	49.75	760.15
Galax	5	10.00	1.25	1.25	7.50	15.00	10.00	5.00	1.25	2.50	1.75	26	6.50	62.00
Gladys	8	16.00	2.00	2.00	12.00	24.00	16.00	8.00	2.00	4.00	2.80	22	5.50	94.30
Jordantown	26	52.00	6.50	6.50	39.00	78.00	52.00	26.00	6.50	13.00	9.10	130	32.50	321.10
Lynchburg	63	126.00	15.75	15.75	94.50	189.00	126.00	63.00	15.75	31.50	22.05	130	32.50	731.80
Minnie's Chapel	19	38.00	4.75	4.75	28.50	57.00	38.00	19.00	4.75	9.50	6.65	112	28.00	238.90
Mountain View	16	32.00	4.00	4.00	24.00	48.00	32.00	16.00	4.00	8.00	5.60	105	26.25	203.85
Newport News	34	68.00	8.50	8.50	51.00	102.00	68.00	34.00	8.50	17.00	11.90	63	15.75	393.15
Radford	27	54.00	6.75	6.75	40.50	81.00	54.00	27.00	6.75	13.50	9.45	94	23.50	323.20
Richmond	39	78.00	9.75	9.75	58.50	117.00	78.00	39.00	9.75	19.50	13.65	101	25.25	458.15
Roanoke, First	172	344.00	43.00	43.00	258.00	516.00	344.00	172.00	43.00	86.00	60.20	269	67.25	1,976.45
Roanoke, Second	50	100.00	12.50	12.50	75.00	150.00	100.00	50.00	12.50	25.00	17.50	91	22.75	577.75
Roanoke, Valley View	39	78.00	9.75	9.75	58.50	117.00	78.00	39.00	9.75	19.50	13.65	135	33.75	466.65
Stuart	27	54.00	6.75	6.75	40.50	81.00	54.00	27.00	6.75	13.50	9.45	113	28.25	327.95
Washington	47	94.00	11.75	11.75	70.50	141.00	94.00	47.00	11.75	23.50	16.45	90	22.50	544.20
Welcome	33	66.00	8.25	8.25	49.50	99.00	66.00	33.00	8.25	16.50	11.55	104	26.00	392.30
Yellow Branch	15	30.00	3.75	3.75	22.50	45.00	30.00	15.00	3.75	7.50	5.25	68	17.00	183.50
Totals	1020	\$2,040.00	\$ 255.00	\$ 255.00	\$1,530.00	\$3,060.00	\$2,040.00	\$1,020.00	\$255.00	\$510.00	\$357.00	2758	\$689.50	\$12,011.50

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Report of Apportionment Committee—Conference Budget

CHARGE	Members	President's Salary \$5.50	Conference Work \$3.50	Conference Missions and Church Exten. \$1.00	Conf. Property \$3.00	Minister's Insurance \$2.50	1% of Gross Income 1960-1961	Total Conf. Budget	Total General Budget	Total Budget
Aiken Summit	35	\$ 192.50	\$ 122.50	\$ 35.00	\$ 105.00	\$ 87.50	\$ 28.73	\$ 571.23	\$ 417.50	\$ 988.73
Altavista	85	467.50	297.50	85.00	255.00	212.50	122.29	1,439.79	1,000.50	2,440.29
Ararat	17	93.50	59.50	17.00	51.00	42.50	31.26	294.76	202.45	497.21
Blacksburg	64	352.00	224.00	64.00	192.00	160.00	114.90	1,106.90	750.15	1,857.05
Chantilly	36	99.00	63.00	18.00	54.00	45.00	24.80	303.80	423.10	726.90
Crewe	28	154.00	98.00	28.00	84.00	70.00	47.21	461.21	323.05	804.26
Danville	30	165.00	105.00	30.00	90.00	75.00	49.08	514.08	360.00	874.08
Falls Church	64	352.00	224.00	64.00	192.00	160.00	206.25	1,198.25	760.15	1,958.40
Farmville	41	225.50	143.50	41.00	123.00	102.50	27.84	663.34	479.35	1,142.69
Galax	5	27.50	17.50	5.00	15.00	12.50	4.50	82.00	62.00	144.00
Gladys	8	44.00	28.00	8.00	24.00	20.00	9.40	133.40	94.30	227.70
Jordantown	26	143.00	91.00	26.00	78.00	65.00	25.59	428.59	321.10	749.69
Lynchburg	63	346.50	220.50	63.00	189.00	157.50	109.41	1,085.91	731.80	1,817.71
Minnie's Chapel	19	104.50	66.50	19.00	57.00	47.50	80.67	375.17	238.90	614.07
Mountain View	16	88.00	56.00	16.00	48.00	40.00	32.89	280.89	203.85	484.74
Newport News	34	187.00	119.00	34.00	102.00	85.00	65.50	592.50	393.15	985.65
Radford	27	148.50	94.50	27.00	81.00	67.50	48.55	467.05	323.20	790.25
Richmond	39	214.50	136.50	39.00	117.00	97.50	76.12	680.62	458.15	1,138.77
Roanoke, First	172	946.00	602.00	172.00	516.00	430.00	213.86	2,879.86	1,976.45	4,856.31
Roanoke, Second	50	275.00	175.00	50.00	150.00	125.00	65.22	840.22	577.75	1,417.97
Roanoke, Valley View	39	214.50	136.50	39.00	117.00	97.50	83.90	688.60	466.65	1,155.05
Stuart	27	148.50	94.50	27.00	81.00	67.50	21.76	440.26	327.95	768.21
Washington	47	258.50	164.50	47.00	141.00	117.50	114.88	843.38	544.20	1,387.58
Welcome	33	181.50	115.50	33.00	99.00	82.50	79.70	591.20	392.30	983.50
Yellow Branch	15	82.50	52.50	15.00	45.00	37.50	42.86	275.36	183.50	458.86
Totals	1020	\$5,511.00	\$3,507.00	\$1,002.00	\$3,006.00	\$2,505.00	\$1,727.17	\$17,258.17	\$12,011.50	\$29,269.67

## Date July 13, 1961 Annual WY Statistical Report of Virginia Conference

Name of Society	Active Members	Associate Members	Wesleyan Youth Subs.	"A" Rating	"B" Rating	"C" Rating	General Dues	Conference Dues	Conference Extension	Education	World Missions	Local Work	Other Items	1961 Youth Week Offering	Total Receipts Plus Balance	Total Disbursements	Cash on Hand
Altavista	22	4	42			X	\$ 33.00	\$11.00	\$	\$	\$	\$ 13.71	\$ 63.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 139.32	\$ 130.71	\$ 8.61
Blacksburg	5	10	23			X		10.00			7.50	290.50	34.50	30.00	400.32	372.50	27.82
Chantilly	15		26			X						13.21	10.00		99.29	23.21	76.08
Danville	17	9				X	17.00								20.32	17.00	3.32
Falls Church	26		18			X	39.00	13.00			49.86	85.08		25.00	323.76	211.94	111.82
Farmville	18	5	13			X				20.00		35.10			67.39	55.10	12.29
Jordantown															60.62	30.10	30.52
Mountain View	7	5	3			X						53.75		5.29	68.39	59.04	9.35
Radford	10	10	8			X	16.00	5.00					15.00	25.00	114.09	61.00	53.09
Richmond	11	8	16			X	16.50	5.50				143.00	1.10		185.96	166.10	19.86
Roanoke, First	20	20	12			X	30.00	12.00				200.00	95.00		342.00	337.00	5.00
Roanoke, Second		16	5				10.00	10.00							20.00	20.00	
Roanoke, Valley View	24	2	26	X			36.00	12.00	1.00	2.00	8.22	62.53		2.00	125.59	123.75	1.84
Stuart	17	17	11			X	25.50					15.20			45.70	40.70	5.00
Washington, D. C.	18		16			X	9.00	.75				36.00			90.84	45.75	45.09
Welcome	24		9		X		36.20	12.70		1.50	1.87	116.72		7.51	176.50	176.50	
Totals	234	106	228	1	1	12	\$268.00	\$91.95	\$ 1.00	\$23.50	\$67.45	\$1,064.80	\$218.60	\$ 104.80	\$2,280.09	\$1,870.40	\$ 409.69

# Woman's Missionary Society

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Danville—Mrs. Julene Adkins, 4 Noel Street, Danville, Va. ....	VA-44
Falls Church—Mrs. Grace Churchill, 454 Argyle Terrace, Falls Church, Va. ....	VA-45
Farmville—Mrs. Ethel Phaup, Route 2, Box 286, Farmville, Va. ....	VA-46
Jordantown—Mrs. L. W. Dunman, R.F.D. 1, Vinton, Va. ....	VA-47
Lynchburg—Mrs. Doris Powers, 904 Eldon Street, Lynchburg, Va. ....	VA-48
Minnie's Chapel, Stuart—Mrs. B. C. Ayers, Route 5, Stuart, Va. ....	VA-49
Mountain View—Mrs. N. J. Underwood, Route 1, Blacksburg, Va. ....	VA-50
Newport News—Mrs. J. M. Howard, 38 Greenwood Rd., Newport News, Va. ....	VA-51
Radford—Mrs. W. C. Landrum, Box 1184, Radford, Va. ....	VA-52
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Roanoke, Valley View—Mrs. Mary Ann Chambers, Rt. 1, Roanoke, Va. ....	VA-57
Stuart, Five Forks—Mrs. Virginia Inman, Rt. 3, Stuart, Va. ....	VA-92
Washington, D. C.—Mrs. Gertrude Horne, 449 Newcomb St., S. E., Washington, D. C. ....	VA-58
Welcome—Mrs. Alvin M. Snoddy, New Canton, Va. ....	VA-97
Yellow Branch—Mrs. Cordie Seay, Rt. 1, Rustburg, Va. ....	VA-59



## SUMMARY OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS

The Second Annual Session of the Virginia Conference Women's Missionary Society was privileged to meet in the newly constructed dormitory chapel at Buckingham Tabernacle Grounds, Buckingham, Virginia, August 8-10, 1961, with Mrs. Eulalia Gentry, President, presiding. Mrs. Margaret Wood, music director, introduced the theme song, "The Call for Reapers." The conference theme, "Harvest Hands for Needy Lands" was beautifully developed by Mrs. Dorothy Thomas as she opened each session with a devotional talk.

The first session opened Tuesday, August 8, 1961 at 2:30 p.m. After a brief business session to receive delegates credentials, set the bar of conference and adopt the report of the nominating committee, Rev. Floyd Banker, returned missionary to India, delivered the missionary address. The remainder of the day was given to District Caucus meetings and a class on "The Art of Witnessing" taught by Mrs. Doris Powers.

The second session began Wednesday, August 9, 1961, at 8:30. Business of the session consisted of the election of officers and reports from various committees. We were dismissed at 11:00 a.m. to hear the denominational address by Rev. E. L. Kierstead.

The third session opened Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 with a Y.M.W.B. service, arranged by Mrs. Dorothy Thomas and Mrs. Evelyn Smith due to the illness of Superintendent Mrs. Margy King. Using children on the campgrounds they presented a skit "Heading for the Mission Field" written by Mrs. Thomas. After this service the Plan of Work was presented, discussed, accepted and pledges were received for society projects. Mrs. Marie Wheeler, Treasurer, conducted a treasurers' symposium and then we listened to the very picturesque travelogue of Miss Roberta Wylie on her return trip to Africa.

The Public Missionary Service was at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 9. Special music was arranged by Mrs. Margaret Wood and Mrs. Betty McKinley. Miss Roberta Wylie led in devotions and the missionary message was given by Rev. Floyd Banker. An offering was received in the amount of \$38.27. Rev. Banker showed slides following this service.

Thursday, August 10, 1961, at 9:00 a.m., the fourth session began. Following preliminaries, Dr. R. C. Mullinax reported on Central College. Then reports were accepted from the statistician and resolutions committees. Awards were presented and two district chairmen elected. We then recessed for the second class on "Witnessing" and the first class on "The Art of Soul Winning" by Rev. Charles King.

The fifth session followed at 1:30 p.m., Thursday, August 10. Following a workshop for local president, Rev. King conducted the second class on "Soul Winning." Unfinished business consisted of a partial report from the Y.M.W.B. Superintendent; literature sales reported as \$103.34; individual societies reported on their year's activities. The session came to a close with a special song by Mr. and Mrs. Sickles and a very impressive Installation Service for new conference officials and local presidents.

## W.M.S. President's Report

To the officers, local presidents, delegates, and friends of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Virginia Conference, greetings. The second year of the W.M.S. as a Conference has closed with the realization that there

remains one year less to work in the world's whitened harvest fields. We trust the thought will stir our hearts to greater activity for the Master during the coming year.

We are humbled when we enumerate what we have accomplished by God's help. We give Him all the praise.

1. Conference Project: Through your pledges and giving we were able to pay the BALANCE due on Rev. Cowart's field support to the amount of \$379.62. Then the rest of our Conference project money was used to purchase the much needed and lovely chairs. We purchased one hundred chairs and have a balance of \$.33.

2. Missionary Tour: November 9 through December 4 Miss Marie Evatt toured our conference. She spoke in all of our churches except two and at both district meetings. Many have expressed the feeling that the tour was one of our best. Surely the Lord used Miss Evatt for she was well received everywhere as she challenged and inspired our hearts to greater missionary activity. Your financial support to her was most heartening for you gave a total of \$326.75 of which \$125.89 was used for traveling expenses and meals. The rest was used in her preparation in returning to the field.

3. Finances: The records show that there has been a good gain. According to the record of the statistician our gain over last year was \$1,139.56 or nearly 12%.

4. Subscriptions: Records show a gain of 16 in subscriptions over last year.

5. Membership: Loss in members of 25. Total membership in 541, active and honorary.

6. President's Activities:

A. Sent out 10 mimeographed letters to Local Presidents and interested parties.

B. Prepared four pages for VIRGINIA VISION.

C. Met with Southern Area Presidents at Central in the fall.

D. Presided at two District Meetings

E. Attended all District Meetings in both districts.

F. Made tour with Miss Evatt to 13 churches, 2 with Miss Suggs.

Took part in all the services in someway but two.

G. Attended 7 of my own local society meetings.

H. Attended Missionary Convention at Central College.

I. Spoke twice.

J. Attended three Executive Board Meetings.

K. Sent out 355 pieces of mail.

H. Attended Missionary Convention at Central College.

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Name of Society	Membership				Miscellaneous Totals				Receipts						Disbursements						
	Active	Honorary	Gain	Loss	Total Meetings Held	Subscriptions (Wesleyan Missionary)	Efficiency Standard Rating ( %)	Missionaries Supported	No. Boxes	No. Pounds	Membership Dues	Offerings	Voucher Receipts	Total Receipts for the Year	Old Balance From Last Year	Grand Total	American Bible Society	World Missions General	American Indians (Brainerd)	Australia	Jewish Evangelism
Aiken Summit	6				12	7					6.00	40.74		46.74	2.54	49.28					
Altavista	35			7	24	24	75				35.00	824.60	295.00	1,154.60	4.81	1,159.41	9.00	440.00			
Blacksburg	30	11			13	26	85				41.00	174.39	217.73	433.12	60.27	493.39		181.50	15.73	15.75	
Chantilly	12			3	23	12	75				9.00	121.78	93.44	224.22	31.89	256.11	5.00	60.60			
Crewe	17			12	12	11			1	50	17.95	68.68	196.98	283.61	.64	284.25	5.00	40.62	5.00	2.00	
Danville	13	3	2		8	9					7.00	26.56		33.56	10.99	44.55		15.54			
Falls Church	23			3		30		2		3	23.00	565.47	146.27	734.74	10.83	745.57		355.00		13.50	
Farmville	17	2	11		16	4	65				17.00	103.58		120.58	3.87	124.45		18.00			
Jordantown	20	1		2	24	12			1		21.00	211.59	79.17	311.76	20.74	332.50	5.00	121.00	5.75	5.75	
Lynchburg	37	19	7		15	27	95		2		56.00	590.38	71.00	717.38	5.79	723.17	5.00	207.00		16.50	
Minnie's Chapel	4	3			3	8	4		5		7.00	75.75	67.04	149.79	1.41	151.20	5.00	55.00	3.75	3.75	
Mountain View	8				2	18	6				8.00	7.75	45.80	61.55		61.55					
Newport News	20	5		6	16	23					25.00	49.54	54.50	180.19	51.15	180.19	3.00	29.74	5.00	5.00	
Radford	23	4	1		18	11	90			6	27.00	461.90	398.00	886.90		886.90		50.00	6.00	6.00	
Richmond	14			4	23	16	80	1			14.00	168.83	81.62	264.45	.29	264.74	5.00	58.52	11.00	11.00	
Roanoke, First	69	19	4		24	54			5	36	88.00	1,881.42	595.63	2,565.05	36.44	2,601.49	12.87	975.70		.25	45.00
Roanoke, Second	26	20	1		13	19	70				46.00	425.15		471.15	2.09	473.24		102.11	12.50	12.50	
Valley View	17	9	2		18	19					26.00	309.81	175.00	510.81	3.97	514.78	5.00	68.57		10.50	
Stuart	15			7	13	9			3		10.00	22.44	8.29	40.73	31.89	72.62	2.00	13.29			
Washington	5	8			24	18					24.00	547.88	144.00	715.88	16.55	732.43	5.00	73.50	12.50	12.50	
Welcome	17			2	21	10			3		17.00	173.67		190.67	7.10	197.77		56.60	8.00		
Yellow Branch	4			11		3					4.00	11.50		15.50		15.50					
Other Sources											161.44			161.44		161.44		14.00			
Totals	433	104	31	60	343	354		3	21	115	\$ 528.95	\$7,024.85	\$2,669.47	\$10,223.27	\$ 303.26	\$10,526.53	\$66.87	\$2,963.29	\$85.23	\$115.00	\$47.50

## Disbursements—Continued

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Name of Society	Medical Missions	Mission Equipment Fund	White Christmas Offering	Church Extension Evangelism (Card Call, Alaska)	Self Denial Offering	Hephzibah	Education Budget and Gifts	Honorary Enrollment	Conference Project	General Dues	Conf. Working Fund	Conference Extension	Community Missions	Local Church Work	Other Objects	Total Disbursements	New Balance on Hand	Grand Total
Aiken Summit	\$ 3.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 27.00	\$	\$ 55.00	\$	\$	\$ 8.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 359.25	\$ 2.20	\$ 1.63	\$ 46.83	\$ 2.45	\$ 49.28
Altavista	3.00		10.00		6.00				40.00	35.00	16.25					1,131.76	27.65	1,159.41
Blacksburg									12.50	41.00	12.00					298.73	194.66	493.39
Chantilly	3.00	1.70	36.62	5.00	43.00	5.00				12.00	6.00			10.01	63.43	251.36	4.75	256.11
Crewe	3.00			5.00	.75	5.00	1.00		12.50	17.95	3.50	1.00		65.56	108.30	276.18	8.07	284.25
Danville									5.00	16.00						36.54	8.01	44.55
Falls Church			80.69		53.00				50.00	23.00	10.00				146.27	731.46	14.11	745.57
Farmville									5.00	17.00	10.00					50.00	74.45	124.45
Jordantown	3.00		10.00	34.50	16.00	8.05			10.00	21.00	10.50				79.17	329.72	2.78	332.50
Lynchburg	3.00		55.35	82.09	38.33	28.10		2.00	50.00	56.00	17.50			10.00	152.30	723.17		723.17
Minnie's Chapel	3.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	5.25			10.00	7.00					42.04	149.79	1.41	151.20
Mountain View			7.75							8.00					45.80	61.55		61.55
Newport News			5.00		10.56	17.60	13.00	5.00		25.00	15.00			32.00	2.50	168.40	11.79	180.19
Radford			3.00	36.00	3.00	8.40	72.00		23.00	27.00	11.50			383.00	258.00	886.90		886.90
Richmond	3.00		7.59	29.63	53.35	15.40	8.00		5.00	14.00	7.77			10.60	17.50	259.86	4.88	264.74
Roanoke, First	3.00		27.85	56.98	32.15	508.20	6.00	4.00	50.00	88.00	45.66			143.03	598.29	2,596.98	4.51	2,601.49
Roanoke, Second			8.20	10.00	6.42	17.50	11.00		5.00	46.00	2.00			230.29		463.52	9.72	473.24
" Valley View			12.85		5.00	14.70			60.00	26.00	73.00				237.55	513.17	1.61	514.78
Stuart			2.00							5.00						22.29	50.33	72.62
Washington	3.00		23.00	75.00		107.50			8.50	24.00	8.00		63.16	138.75	160.30	714.71	17.72	732.43
Welcome			5.00		5.00	4.45			15.00	17.00	7.10			79.62		197.77		197.77
Yellow Branch									10.00	4.00	1.50					15.50		15.50
Other Sources				12.00							135.44					161.44		161.44
Totals	\$27.00	\$6.70	\$326.90	\$351.20	\$332.56	\$745.15	\$111.00	\$ 19.00	\$381.50	\$535.95	\$400.72	\$6.00	\$422.41	\$1,136.82	\$2,006.83	\$10,087.63	\$438.90	\$10,526.53

## Y.M.W.B. STATISTICAL REPORT

Band Name	Active Members	Honorary Members	Total Membership	Meetings	Efficiency Rating	World Missions	Church Extension	Education	Hephzibah	Special Projects	Total Band Credit	Non-Credit Total	Grand Total
Blacksburg -----	31	3	34	12	90	\$ 35.00	\$	\$	\$	\$ 17.00	\$ 52.00	\$ 44.88	\$ 96.88
Chantilly -----										7.14	7.14		7.14
Clement Memorial -----	200	114	314	12	90	168.28	1.63	4.40		14.03	188.34	6.28	194.62
Falls Church -----	7	6	13	12	60	18.76				19.43	38.19		38.19
Farmville -----	31	5	36	12	60	19.00				3.00	22.00	1.50	23.50
Jordantown -----	28	1	29	30	30	19.24				2.00	21.24	.62	21.86
Lynchburg -----	11	11	22	12	80	12.23	31.83	6.20		28.33	78.59	10.56	89.15
Mountain View -----	15		15	12	80	10.40					10.40	6.22	16.62
Newport News -----	34	25	59	12	80	52.26	2.00	4.00		9.22	67.48	24.56	92.04
Radford -----	3	10	13	12	40	15.00					15.00	.50	15.50
Richmond -----	23	4	27	12	60	13.00				5.90	18.90	1.00	19.90
Roanoke, First -----	98	78	176	12	100	155.52	6.00	5.00		57.60	229.12	23.00	252.12
Roanoke, Second -----	18	12	30	42	100	15.60	2.50	8.67		7.00	33.77	.60	34.37
Valley View -----	27	67	94	12	100	50.00	1.00	126.00		20.00	197.00	47.35	244.35
Washington -----	11	50	61	12	95	36.73	2.00	2.00	5.00	2.56	67.29	19.28	86.57
Welcome -----	13	9	22	50	90	16.85	3.00	1.50		6.75	28.10	.40	28.50
Totals -----	550	395	945	236		\$637.87	\$ 49.96	\$176.77	\$5.00	\$ 199.96	\$1,074.56	\$ 186.75	\$1,261.31

# BUCKINGHAM CAMP MEETING

Virginia Annual Conference  
Camp

DATE: JULY 13-22, 1962

*EVANGELIST: Dr. Paul Kindschi*

*SINGERS: Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Cockrell*



ANNUAL CONFERENCE 1962

Date: August 7-9, 1962