MINUTES

OF THE

Twentieth Annual Conference

OF THE

Tennessee Conference

OF THE

Wesleyan Methodist Church of America

HELD AT

Tennessee Wesleyan Camp Ground
Route 3, Concord, Tennessee

JULY 11 - 15, 1949

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Layman- Mr. J. E. Comer.

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Camp Meeting Board

D. P. Denton, President ex-officio; C. F. Smith, Vice-President; N. C. Hoggle, Vice-President; O. A. Collins, Sect.-Treasurer; J. E. Comer.

Standing Committies

Itineracy & Orders- J. A. Cassady- 1952; A. L. Lowrance- 1951; C. F. Smith- 1950; D. P. Denton- 1953.

Judicial- M. L. Arnold, C. F. Smith, J. F. Biddle, R. E. Rice.

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Educational Secretary- W. T. McMahan.

Statistical- M. L. Arnold, W. T. McMahan.

Sunday School Board- Thomas Hampton, W. G. Harwell, Mrs. Orbie Denton.

Nominee to Central College Board of Managers- D. P. Denton; Alternate-A. L. Lowrance.

Child Evangelism Board

D. P. Denton, Chairman, Thomas Hampton, Miss Dortha Shook, Mrs. R. E. Rice. Charles Haire.

CONFERENCE ROLL

Name

Address.

Conference Preachers On Stationed List

Akers, George (3) ----- 801 Wilson Ave., Johnson City, Tenn. Bender, James U. (2) ---- R. 7, Kalamazoo, Mich. Bross, George H. (2) ---- 208 Mississippi Ave., Knoxville, Tenn. Carnos, E. B. (4)----- R. I. Mascot, Tonn. Cochran, J. C. ----- R. I. Ringgold, Ga. Crabb, 0. H. (3) ---- R. 4. Box 2501, Harriman. Tonn. Crawley, C. K. ----- Box I74, Rossville, Ga. Gatlin, M. R. (4) ----- 238 N. Second St.; Nashville, Tenn. Haire, Charles (6) ---- 323 Columbia Road, Bristol, Tenn. Hampton, Thomas, (6) ---- IIII Middlebrook Pike, Knoxville, Tenn. Harwell, Frances (6) ---- R. I. Mascot. Tenn. Harwell, Grady (5) ---- R. 2, Ethridge, Tenn. Sellers, Henry {----- 2II Hinton St., Knoxville, Tenn. Sollors, Ida----- 2II Hinton St., Knoxville, Tenn. Soibers, Barl ----- 710 Forest Ave., Clinton, Tenn. Taylor, Kato (3)----- R. 2, Johnson City, Tonn. Thomas, Mildrod (6)---- 228 Alabama St., Erwin, Tonn. Tollofson, Mrs. Juanita -- R. 7, Kalamazoo, Mich. Winobargor, Graco---- P. O. Box 219, Bristol, Tonn.

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Hanshew, Ollie----- Rural Retreat, Va. McJunkin, Mrs. Lois--- Chattanooga, Tenn.

Delegates

Grace Winebarger (6)	Concord, Tenn. Trwin, Tenn. Kn oxville, Tenn. Chattanooga, Tenn. Tthridge, Tenn. Rockdale, Tenn. Rockwood, Tenn. Cdrinth, Miss. Elizabethton, Tonn. Elizabethton, Tenn. Johnson City, Tenn. Johnson City, Tenn. Knoxville, Tonn. Nashville, Tonn.
Mrs. J. P. Harwoll, (6)	Mascot, Tonn. Knoxville, Tonn. Harriman, Tonn. Boan Station, Tonn.

(Figures after names indicate times answered Rell Call.)

PAGE OF INFORMATION (Pastors please follow instructions.)

- Remit your Conference Budget money to the Conference Treasurer by the last day of each current month. Your Conference Treasurer's address is, Mr. C. A. Collins, 2344 Leslie Ave., N.W., Knoxville, Tennessee.
- 2. Your Connectional Budget may be sent to the various Treas-

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 urers direct if you prefer, but a copy of the receipt MUST BE
 MAILED to the Conference Treasurer for credit on your Budget.
- 4. PASTORS H EASE NOTE: If you desire to call help outside of our Denomination you must FIRST consult the President and his Advisory Board as required by the Discipline, Par. 168 B.
- 5. Send your Delegates Credentials to the Conference Secretary not later than July 5. 1950.
- 6. Money raised for Pioneer Fund is to be reported under Benevolences Item IX under Conference Work.
- 7. PASTORS PLEASE NOTE: Under Membership, Item III on Statistical Report, please report only Full Members under "Received" and "Present Number".
- 8. The Conference Treasurer's Books close June 30.
- 9. The Women's Missionary Society Treasurer is Mrs. C. G. Blackburn, Route 2. Rockwood, Tennessee.
- IO. Send one (I) copy of your Statistical Blank properly filled out to Rov. M. L. Arnold. IIII Middlebrook Pike. Knoxville. Tennesses, not later than July 5, 1950.
- H. Your W. Y. P. S. Treasurer is W. C. Shook, 2523 Washington Ave., Knoxville, Tennessee.
- 12. Ten (IO) cents for each scholar in main school of your Sunday School shall be raised in addition to the Budget for Pioneer Work within the Conference.
 - (Itom I3 of Information, Your Budget Apportionments, on Page 6.)
- (NOTE: This Mimeo-printed edition of the Tonnessee Conference Mimites is made necessary by unusual circumstances which are to be remedied before next year.)

13. Your BUDGET APPORTIONMENT por Member is:

	For iegn Missions Home Missions Education General Pension Fund Orphanage	\$2.00. I.00. 2.00. I.50.
	Executive Budget. (Gen. Conf. Pres. Expense) (General Conference Expense) Connectional Sunday School Work (Per member of Sunday School)	.25 .20 .05
•	Conference President's Salary	4.00.
٠.	Total Budget per Member	II.60

JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 2 P.M.

The twentieth session of the Tennessee Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church convened on the new Camp Ground at 2 p. m., Tuesday, July I2, I949.

The Rev. D. P. Denton, President, called the Conference to order. The Rev. Roy S. Nicholson, General Rep resentative, led in prayer. Roll was called, with I2 Elders, 8 Conference Preachers and 20 Delegates responding to the call of their names. (See Roll)

By vote the following were elected to serve on the MCMINATING CCMMITTE: C. F. Smith, Chairman, A. L. Low rance, J. A. Cassady, N. C. Hoggle, Charles Haire. The Committee was excused from the main assembly immediately for committee work.

The Conference Bar was set to include the first five seats in front of the Chair. By vote the time of the sessions was set as follows: Convene at 8 a.m. and close at II a.m. for the Religious service; reconvene at 2 p.m. and adjourn at 5 p.m. Meals at 7 a.m., I2:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

The time for Special Crders of the Day was set as follows: Plection of Officers, Wednesday, 9 a.m.; Conference Sermon, Wed-

nesday, 2 p.m.; Educational Address. Thursday. II a.m.; General Address. Thursday, 2 p.m.

The Rev. Roy S. Nicholson, General Representative, was called to the Chair, whereupon the Conference President read his report. Moved and supported that this report be adopted with gratitude & a rising vote of thanks (See Report #I).

The Nominating Committee presented the following nominations for the Sessional Committees, which were adopted:

Reporter -- M. L. Arnold.

Courtesy -- W. T. McMahan, Edward Schade.

Tellers -- Grady Harwell . Charles Haire .

Post Office Addresses -- Mrs. Ruby Surratt.

Apportionments -- 0. A. Collins. N. C. Hoggle, A. L. Lowrance. Pastoral Relations -- D. P. Denton, A. L. Lowrance, R. E. Rice,

J. F. Biddle, Eugene Turner, Mrs. C. H. Cummins, Mrs. J. P. Harwell.

Resolutions -- .J. A. Cassady, W. T. McMahan, Thomas Hampton. Religious Services -- N. C. Hoggle, J. A. Cassady, Grace Wine-barger.

Memorial Services -- J. A. Cassady, R. E. Rice, Mrs. Alma Woodward.

Prohibition -- R. E. Rice, W. L. Scarborough, Mrs. John Green. Thanks -- Grady Harwell, Charles Haire, Mildred Thomas.

Auditing -- T dward Schade, Thomas Hampton,

Character Committee -- D. P. Denton, W. L. Scarborough, Mrs. Edward Schade.

Boundaries -- J. F. Biddle, Helen Hammitt, Dortha Shook.

A recess was voted for committee work. Following recess, the Auditing Committee reported as follows: "We have examined the books of the Conference Treasurer and found them in order, and they have been approved." Report adopted.

The Rav. C. F. Smith, Vice-President, was called to the Chair and the President presented a substitute for Rule 22 in "Resolutions and Laws" regarding the Churse of Study. Motion prevailed that this change in wording be made. (See Resolutions # 22.)

Adjourned. Benediction, J. F. Biddle.

Tuesday. 7:30 p.m.

--- SEE W. Y. P. S. REPORT

Wednesday. 8 a.m.

Devotions led by the Rev. George D. Akers. Roll was called and Claude McCabe seated as delegate. Minutes read & approved. Conference Treasurer read his report which was adopted with a rising vote of thanks. (See Report #2.) The Chair called for the Orders of the Day. The Rev. Roy S. Nichelson, General Representative, took the Chair and Cfficials and Standing Committees were elected. (See page of Conference Officials). The President nominated three Lay Members to serve on the Committee on Itineracy and Orders: Mrs. G. R. Benton, Mrs. Alma Woodward, Mr. J. E. Comer.

A love offering was taken for Rov. and Mrs. D. P. Donton as a token of appreciation for their work in the Conference. Conference adjourned and services were turned over to the Committee on Roligious Services. The Rov. Nichelson brought a helpful and heart-stirring message from Daniel 6:4-23, closing his message with prayer.

Wodnosday, 2 p.m.

The time for the Daders of the Day having ar rived, the Chairman of Religious Services took charge. The Conference Sermon was preached by the Rev. A. L. Lowrance, using as his text Daniel 5:27.

Conference was called to order by the President. Roll was called. It was voted to have only one reading of the Minutes daily. Committee on Courtesy presented the Rev. R. C. Mullinax, President of Central College, Mrs. Edward Schade, J. M. Sloan, and L. W. LeMay of Nashville, the Bender Evangelis tic Party, and Mrs. U. G. Denton.

General Orders were called and it was voted that Pasters read only designated items on their statistical report. The following reports were read: George Akers, Kate Taylor, M. L. Arnold, J.F. Biddle, J. A. Cassady, N. C. Hoggle, A. L. Lowrance, W. T. McMa-

han, W. L. Scarborough, Edward Schade, C. F. Smith, O. H. Crabb.
The Statistical Committee gave its report, which was adopted.
The Committee on Itineracy and Orders gave a partial reading of its report, which was adopted. The Prohibition Committee read its report, which was accepted, the Chairman and his Committee to be responsible for carrying out its provisions. (See Report #3.)
Recessed for Committee work. Following recess, the first reading of the Committee on Pastoral relations was given. The Committee on Resolutions gave its report, which was adopted. (See Resolutions and Laws). Adjourned.

Wednesday, 7:30 peme

The song service was conducted by Mrs. Betty Comer Clemons. The Rev. H. H. Barton led in prayer. Special numbers in song were rendered by the Bender Evangelistic Party and by Mrs. Clemons. The Rev. Roy S. Nicholson brought the message. The Great Necessity. basing his message on Luke I3:I-6. He closed his message with prayer.

Thursday, 8 a.m.

The song service and devotions were conducted by Rev. James Bender reading Acts 4: I3. Conference was called to order. Roll was called and Minutes read and approved. The Rev. N. C. Hoggle. Vice-President, was called to the Chair, and the President read the following recommendations to the Conference, all of which were adopted.

- (I)- That our Home Missions Secretary be asked to visit the Conference for District Rall ies and Dedication services. the schedule to be arranged by the Conference President.
- (2)- That all Pastors be required to make monthly reports to the Conference President on Blanks provided by him, covering items of importance to the work as designated. These reports to be sent in before the fifth of each month covering the previous month.
- (3)- That all local Church Leaders be required to report to the Quarterly Conference in writing on special blanks prepared for this purpose by the Conference President.
- (4)- That the Tennessee Conference express to our General Editor

and his staff of Assistants, to our General Conference President, and to our Publishing Agent and his staff; our appreciation for the excellent type of material appearing in The Wesleyan Methodist and other of our publications. Further, that we urge that special emphasis be given in our literature which will remind the readers of the reasons for our standards.

General Orders were called and the following ministers read reports: M. R. Gatlin. E. B. Carnes. Dortha Shook, Charles Haire. Thomas Hampton, George Bross, Frances Harwell, Earl Seibers, Henry and Ida Sellers, (report read by Earl Seibers). Recessed for Committee work until orders of the day at II a.m.

The time for Orders of the Day having arrived, the service was directed by the Chairman of Religious Services. Rev. R. C. Mullinax, President of Gentral College, presented the educational interests, giving a report of the work of all departments of the College, their goals for the coming year and prospects for the future. The Rev. R. S. Nicholson also gave brief remarks in behalf of Central College, urging that we put this College over for the glory of God.

Thursday, 2 p.m.

The Rev. R. S. Nicholson, brought the General Address, bringing to our attention interesting facts concerning the general work of our Church. He read as a text. Ephesians 5:32, and spoke on the subject. "Christ and the Church."

Conference was called to order and roll was called. The Committee on Itineracy and Orders read its report which was accepted.

(See Report # 4). The Treasurer of the General Pension Plan read his report which was adopted. (See report # 5). By vote the Rev. C. F. Smith was reelected Treasurer of this Committee. D. P. Denton and O. A. Collins were reelected to serve on this Committee. The Committee on Boundaries gave its report which was adopted. (See report #6). The Sunday School Board read its report which was adopted. (See report #7). The Committee on Apportionments gave its report which was adopted. (See report #8). The Committee on Courtesy presented Mr. and Mrs. William Letchworth, Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Sammons, Mrs. Ruth Weaver, Gladys W heeler, H. C. Payne, Mrs. Helen Workman, Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Arnold, Mrs. Elmer Carnes.

Mrs. James Tolley. and Miss. Betty Grubbs.

General Orders were resumed and the following named ministers read their reports: Calvin Revis, Grady Harwell, Mildred Thomas Grace Winebarger, Willa E. Harvey, and J. C. Cochran. The Missionary Board gave its report, which was adopted. It was voted that the Secretary send "Get-Well" Cards and words of greeting to Mrs. J. C. Cochran and Mrs. John Taylor.

The Committee on Memorials gave its report. which was accepted—
-- the Memorial Service to be held on Friday at IO a.m.
Adjourned upon motion.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

The song service was conducted by Mrs. Betty Comer Clemons. Prayer by the Rev. Willard Archer. Special numbers in song were rendered by the Bender Evengelistic Party, Mrs. Clemons, and by Mrs. Bob Harvey. The Rev. R. S. Nicholson brought the message, basing his remarks on Lamentations I: I2. Services closed with five young people praying through to victory.

Friday, 8 a.m.

Devotions by Miss Grace Winebargor, reading Psalm 47. Conference was called to order, roll called and Minutes read and approved. It was voted that the Conference President work with the Secretary in editing the Minutes. The Vice-President took the Chair, and the President read a recommendation that the Tennessee Conference be divided into four Districts, and that a Chairman be elected for each District, to be responsible for carrying on the work in his District. This recommendation was adopted.

General Orders were called and R. E. Rice read his report. The Committee on Thanks read its report, which was adopted. By request of himself, Rev. Calvin Revis was granted a letter of transfer to the Kentucky Conference. Rev. Charles Haire read the W. Y. P. S. President's report, which was adopted. (See W.Y.P.S. Minutes. The report of the Committee is number 9).

Recessed until Orders of the Day -- IO a.m.

Friday, 10 a.m.

The Memorial Service was under the direction of The Rev. J. A. Cassady. Rev. N. C. Hoggle spoke concerning the life and labors of Mr. Ben Purkey, and Miss Dora Martin of Knoxville, First Church. Rev. Earl Seibers spoke concerning Mr. Raymond Evans and Mrs. Lucy Staley of Hinton Street Mission. Fit ting tributo was spoken in behalf of Mrs. Ethel Hutton of Bristol, by Miss Grace Wineberger. Rev. Calvin Revis also added appropriate words.

Conference was then called to order and the report of the Women's Missionary Society was read. By motion the President and his Advisory Board were authorized to take care of any unfinished business of the Conference. It was voted that the next Annual Session of the Tennessee Conference be held at the Campground on the second Tuesday in July. 1950. The Committee on Courtesy presented Mrs. H. C. Payne and Mr. Bill Lindsay. The Pastoral Relations Committee road their final report, which was adopted. (See Report # 10). Minutes were read and approved.

Upon motion, the Conference adjourned sine die.

RESOLUTIONS AND LAWS

OF THE TENNESSEE CONFERENCE

We, the Committee on Resolutions, submit the following report: Be it resolved that these articles shall become the standing rules and law of this Conference:

- I. Before a local building committee proceeds with a building plan or program that they be required to have all plans approved by the President and his Advisory Board and the Missionary Board; and further that no financial oblig ations be assumed without the consent of the Conference Trustees.
- 2. That the Board of Conference Trustees be, and they are hereby, empowered to sign all papers necessary for the dale or transfer of Conference. Church or Parsonage property, providing the said sale or transfer is authorized by the President & his Advisory Board and shall not violate the spirit of Paragraphs 386, 387 of our Book of Discipline.

- 3. The Board of Conference Trustees are hereby authorized to execute papers to secure funds for liquidation of Conference.

 Church or Parsonage indebtedness, providing that the Churches set forth in writing the amount and the purpose for which the loan is to be used; and that no funds so secured shall be used for any other purpose than that set forth in the notice to the Trustees of the Conference.
- 4. When a deed for Conference, Church or Parsonage property is received and before it is recorded it shall be referred to the President and his Advisory Board who are hereby designated as a Deed Examining Committee whose duty shall be to examine the deed and see that there are such disciplinary clauses included as may be necessary to make the property secure to our Church. Said Committee shall have power to engage such legal advice as may be needed to insure the proper steps regarding the reception or the transfer of the property. See paragraphs 388, 389 of present book of Discipline.
- forence President. (B)- The President's salary to remain at \$1500 per year, plus traveling expenses for Quarterly meetings, said expenses to be paid from the Conference Fund. (C)- And each Paster is definitely urged to receive an offering at the Quarterly Conference, said effering to be applied on said expense. (D)- And that each Paster take at least ONE fifth Sunday effering to supplement the 35c Conference Fund Budget. And each Paster is to explain to his congregation that this is necessitated by reduction of the Conference Fund from \$1.75 to 35c to care for the Pension Fund. This prevents a raise in total budget; and the Conference Treasurer is hereby anytherized to remit the President's salary semi-menthly.
- 6. We shall proclaim with voice and pen and hely living the Gospol of full salvation, recognizing our dependence upon, and need of the indwelling power and presence of the Holy Spirit.
- 7. Because of the alarming increase in worldliness, immorality, drunkenness and Sabbath desocration, as well as the tendency to shall ow living among the people professing heliness, we pledge curselves to an uncompromising stand against such evils and implere God's presence by the maintenance of the family altar in our homes.

- 8. We urge all Conference Preachers and Elders to become members of the Women's Missionary Society, and that the Pastors attend each meeting and encourage the women, this being one of the strong arms of the Church.
- 9. Each Church shall make a special effort in behalf of, and loyally support the Church extension Card Call Plan.
- IO. Each Pastor, or charge, shall have in the hands of the Statistical Secretary not less than five days before the Annual Conference one copy of his statistical report in full. This report shall be accompanied by a statement from the Conference Treasurer giving the amounts paid on Budget u nder Item VIII in the pastor's statistical report, and the Pastor's report must check with that of the Conference Treasurer.
- II. The Conference Treasurer's books shall c lose on June 30 of each year and no credit shall be given on the Budget for that fiscal year for money received after this date.
- 12. The President's. Secretary's and Treasurer's correspondence expense shall be paid from the Conference Fund by the Con-Treasurer.
- I3. The fourth Sunday in October shall be known as Educational Sunday and Pasters shall emphasize and take offerings for the same.
- 14. Minutes of this Conference shall be published and delivered to the Pastors in numbers equal to 50% of their Church membership, and the sum of 25c per copy be paid to the Conference Treasurer within thirty days after receipt of same.
- 15. Preachers and Delegates shall remain the cughout the entire Conference session unless providentially hindered or excused by the Conference.
- 16. All Elders received from other denominations shall be required to pass examination on our Book of Discipline, and must have passed a course of study which is equivilent to our course for ordination, and harmonize with our theological views. They shall give special attention to the requirements found in paragraph 171 of our book of Discipline.

I7. Copies of these resolutions together with the apportionments and the addresses of the President. Secretary and Treasurer. shall be in the hands of each Pastor within t wo weeks of the close of the Annual Conference. The Conference Secretary be authorized to carry out this resolution.

- 18. Pastors shall mail all Delegate's credentials to the Conference Secretary not less than five (5) days before convening of Conference.
- 19. The Conference Budget shall be raised and remitted monthly to the Conference Treesurer.
- 20. Ill monies which are reported through the Conference Treasurer shall be sent to him either as each or receipts and he shall give Conference Treasurer's receipt for each item, and no money shall be listed paid out by the Treasurer except by check on order of the President, and he shall be required to present cancelled checks and vouchers for each bill paid.
- 21. In order to promote a progressive program of Pioneer Evangelism, we recommend (A)- That the Churches of the Conference
 shall support this program by raising a sum of not less than IOc
 per month for each scholar in main school of Sunday School as reperted on Statistical Blank, and this money shall be remitted
 monthly with the regular budget to the Conference Treasurer, who
 shall hold in trust all such money designated; and shall pay cut
 of this fund only at the time and in the emounts ordered by the
 Missionary Board. (B)- This money shall be wisely and carefully
 used exclusively for Pioneer Work, and for these places and Pasters where there is a definite prospect of establishing a prospercus Wesleyan Methodist Church.
- 22. Those wishing to take exeminations in the Course of Study for credit during any year, shall write for Questions before May 3I of that year, and shall have the answers in the hands of the proper Instructor before June 30 for credit for that year. The Committee on It increase and Creders shall not be expected to send out Questions or accept papers after these dates.
- 23. In view of our disciplinary stand on the matter of jewelry and our interpretation of the Scriptures in regard to it.
 we do not think it consistent with our standards for a Wesleyan Methodist minister to use the ring coromony in performing a wedding. Therefore, preachers of this Conference shall be asked to refrain from performing a ring coromony.
- 24. It shall be a standing rule that the Secretary shall be remunerated the sum of \$50.00 for each session of Conference. We recommend that the Treasurer be given \$25.00 per year for services.

- 25. We recommend that when the Conference Pre sident labors as an evangelist in any of our Churches, he be paid as other evengelists are paid.
- 26. Each unorganized work which is being run under the direction of the Conference and served by a member of this body. shall be allowed to elect an honorary delegate who shall be permitted to sit with the Conference and speak on matters of business, but not allowed to vote.
- 27. The Conference President shall be required to hold Quarterly Business Meetings at all unorganized works that are under the Conference Missionary Board or within the Conference, and the Pastors of these works shall receive an offering quarterly to be sent to the Conference Treasurer and used toward the Presidents salary. Treasurer's of these unorganized works shall be members of some Wesleyan Methodist Church unless otherwise approved by the Conference Missionary Board.
- 28. The Committee on Nominations is not elected as herotofore in view of the fact that this committee is elected immediately upon the opening session of next Conference.

-J. A. Cassady, Chairman Thomas Hampton, W. T. McMahan, COMMITTEE ON RESQUITIONS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

Report I. President's Report.

To the Members of the Tennessee Conference:

We greet you on this occasion in the Name of our Wonderful Lord, who during twenty years of history has brought the Tennessee Conference to the place which it now occupies in God's moral vineyard. Truly God has been wonderfully go od to us, not only in raising us up as a people and a Church, and in saving and sanctifying us wholly, but also in giving us the marvelous priviledge of being heralds of the good news of

full salvation to the entire state of Tennessee and to part of Mississippi. As we face the ending of this Conference year, and the beginning of another, I have to bow my head at the smallness of our accomplishments, and ask God to help us do better in the years to come.

Since last Conference session, we have tried to the best of our ability, and to the limit of our strength and resources, to carry out the instructions of this body, and as a consequence of these labors submit the following report.

During the year we have held two Quarterly Conferences in each Church and more than that wherever asked to do so. We have held Board meetings assigned to us, and done the many things listed as our responsibility. We have travelled more than 40,000 miles, mostly at our own expense, and have preached more than 300 times, besides conducting numerous other services. We have held a number of meetings, some short, some long, and a good number have been saved or sanctified in these services.

My Official Acts.

On August 29, 1948, I accepted the resignation of O. H. Crabb as Pastor of the Byrds Chapel Church, and appointed him Pastor at Harriman.

In November 1948, I appointed Sister Dortha Shook as Pastor at Byrds Chapel.

In September 1948, I sent to Rev. J. V. Smith, a Conference Preacher, a letter of transfer to the South Carolina Conference.

In January 1949, we helped to plan and conduct our Ministerial Convention which proved to be an excellent gathering.

On September 22, 1948, we tentatively organized the Rockdale Wesleyan Methodist Church at Rockdale, Maury County, Tennessee, and this Church seeks admission into the Tennessee Conference at this session. There were seven charter members.

On May I, 1949, we tentatively organized the Erwin Wesleyan Methodist Church at Erwin, Tennessee, and this Church seeks admission into the Conference at this session. There were five charter members in full connection, and eight associates later received.

In September 1948, W. F. Kirklen resigned as Pastor of Old Liberty Church, and this Church has been without a Pastor since that time. During the year we have assisted in several projects including the completion of the Trwin Church and the Camp Ground work.

Cn Feb. 2, 1949, I licensed James U. Bend er, Corinth Church, to preach.

Cn Feb. 2, 1949, I licensed Juanita Tollefsen, Corinth Church, to preach.

On October 18, 1948, I licensed I. W. LeMay, Nashville Church, to preach.

On October 18, 1948, I licensed J. M. Sloan, Nashville Church, to preach.

On October 26, 1948, I licensed Charlie Harwell, Stair Avenue Church to preach.

On May 24, 1949, I licensed Robert Bell, Chattenooga Church, to preach.

(n June 7, 1949, I licensed W. F. Sammons, Johnson City Church, to preach.

My Income.

In closing this, the third year of our being in this office, we can truthfully say that we have done our best to push the work of the Conference and of our God. We have devoted our time to the cause, having been outside of the Conference only when on Conference business. We have had no time either for rest, pleasure, or for our family. But we have no regrets for this is God's work and His presence guarantees its success. May God bless us as a Conference and keep us on fire for Him.

⁻ David P. Denton, President.

Report # 2-- CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

Balance on hand July 12th, 1949: In General Fund Pioneer Fund Pioneer Fund	I 53.35.
Received By cash and checks: For Pioneer Fund For General Fund Total Receipts	
Disbursed: For Pioneer WorkFor all other Purposes	\$ 615.38.

Balance in Pioneer Fund----34.T5. Balance in Superanmuated Minister's Fund---T53.35. Balance in General Fund-----210.00.

Total Disbursements ---- \$4213.33.

-- O. A. CCLLINS. Treasurer.

Report # 3-- PRCHIBITICN.

America is honey-combed with a dreadful disease and is headed for destruction and moral disintegration. This appalling situation is a reason for real alarm and deep concern. The duty of Church is to do all within its power to stop this dreadful disease that is wrecking our country. This should be the first item on the prayer list of every member of our Church. Pray -- then do something.

Every effort to turn the tide for holiness and clean living must be exerted by God's children, and in this session, prove our faith in a God of mercy, holiness and love. Let us thank Him for guiding us and ask His forgiveness for our shortcomings in program of His great kingdom, and humbly ask for His blossings on our plans.

Therefore, be it resolved:

.That the Annual Conforence of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of

Tennessee, through its delegate body, assembled this I2th day of July, I949, stand true to its convictions that prohibition, that is total abstainence for the individual, is the only safe and sane and christian policy to be followed concerning all alcoholic beverages. And, be it resolved that a copy of this Resolution be sent to such public officials that are in authority to advance the purpose of this Resolution.

COMMITTEE:

R. E. Rice, Chairman. W. L. Searborough. Mrs. John Green.

Report # 4-- Committee On Itineracy and Orders.

We, the Committee on Itineracy and Orders, wish to recommend the following:

That the following names be removed from our roll for reasons named: Frank Kirklen, joined another Church; George Patterson and Fred Stoneburner, dropped by their local churches; J. V. Smith, transferred to another Conference.

That W. B. Carnes, Grady Harwell, Henry Sellers, Ida Sellers, Mildred Thomas, and Grace Winebarger be continued in the first year of the Course of Study.

That George Akers, J. C. Cochran, M. R. Gatlin, Charles Haire, and Earl Seibers be continued in the Second year Course.

That Thomas Hampton be continued in the Third year Course.

That George H. Bross be continued in the Fourth year Course.

That Calvin Revis be continued in his present relation.

That 0. H. Crabb and Frances Harwell be passed to the Second year Course of Study.

That Kate Taylor be passed to the Third year Course.

That Mrs. Juanita Tollefsen be received and placed in the first year of the Course of Study.

That James U. Bender be received and placed in the fourth year Course of Study.

That Mrs. Lois McJunkin and Miss Ollie Hanshew bo continued as Probationary Deaconnoss.

That C. K. Crawley be received and placed in the second year of the Course of Study.

That the transfer of H. A. Harvey, Elder, from the North Carolina Conference be accepted.

That the following Quarterly Conference Preachers be placed in the first year of the Course of Study: Charles E. Harwell, Edgar L. Robinson, William F. Sammons, J. M. Sloan, L. W. LeMay; Robert Bell.

The Committee warns each Student that they must keep some proof of their grades until after ordination, or else they might have to take some work over.

The Committee wishes to warn each Student that they are to answer their own questions, and examination papers must be their own work--- and those found guilty of doing otherwise shall be failed in the entire year in which they are, and will be required to take it over.

The Committee wishes to remind the Students that the Reading Course must be completed before they are graduated from the Course of Study.

Submitted by the Committee:

C. F. Smith, Chairman, J. A. Cassady, A. L. Lowrance,

D. P. Denton, Alma Woodward, Mrs. G. R. Benton.

Report # 5- General Pension Fund Treasurer's Report.

RECE IPTS

Received from Pastors as assessments & entrance fees -- 344.22 Total Receipts ----- \$747.70.

(Pension Fund Report -- con't.) <u>DISBURSEMENTS</u>

Total monies sent to General Pension Plan T reasurer ---- \$747.70-

-- C. F. Smith. Treasurer.

Report # 6-- Boundaries Committee.

We, the Committee on Boundaries, wish to present to the Tennessee Conference the following organized Churc hes:

Rockdale, in Maury County, Tennessee. Erwin, in Unicoi County, Tennessee.

COMMITTEE:

J. F. Biddle, Chairman, Dortha Shook, Helen Hammett.

Report # 7-- Report of the Sunday School Board.

We, the Sunday School Board of the Tennessee Conference, wish to submit the following report:

- (I)- We find that Chattanooga, First Church, has won the Sunday School Banner for the last quarter, and that Mt. View Has won it for the year.
- (2)-We recommend that a Sunday School Banner be awarded during the coming year on the same basis as the past year, that Mrs. Crbie Denton of this Board keep the re cords and award the Banner, and that all Pastors shall report quarterly averages to her within ten days after the close of each quarter.
- (3)-We further recommend that the Pastor's cooperate with the Sunday School Secretary and Board in arranging meetings for the promotion of this great work.
 - (4)- We urge all Sunday Schools to raise their Pioneer funds as much as possible.

Committee: Thomas Hampton, Chr. Grady Harwell, Mrs. Orbie Denton.

Report # 8 -- Report of the Apportionments Committee:

The Committee on Apportionments recommends that the following be the apportionments for the year:

(NOTE: These apportionments as recommended by Committee and passed by Conference are found under "Information" page 6.)

Committee:

C. A. Collins. Chairman.

A. L. Lowrance.

N. C. Hoggle.

Report # 9-- Committee on Thanks.

We, the Committee on Thanks, wish to submit the following re-

We praise God for His presence with us throughout this session of Conference, evidenced especially by the spirit of love and sooperation among the Brethren.

We express our appreciation to Dr. Roy S. Nicholson. President of the General Conference. Professor R. C. Mullinax. President of Central College, and Mrs. Betty Comer Clemons and Mrs. Billie Faye Harvey. Directors of Music.

We also express our thanks to the Byrds Chapel Wesleyan Church and their good Pastor, Miss Dortha Shook, for their thoughfulness and many kindnesses as our hostesses. We also appreciate the labor of the ladies in charge of the dining hall.

We do extend our thanks to The Knoxville Journal and The Knoxville News Sentinel for the printing of the reports of our gatherings.

Committee:

Rev. Grady Harwell. Chairman. Charles H. Haire. Miss Mildred Thomas. Report # IO -- Committee On Pastoral Relations.

We, the Committee on Pastoral Relations, submit the following report:

Conference Officers: (See page of Officials - - Page 2.)

We recommend that the Circuits be supplied as follows:

Bristol -- Charles Haire.

Byrds Chapel -- In hands of the Conference President.

Chattano oga, First -- A. L. Lowranco.

Temple -- In hands of the Conference President.

Corinth -- J. A. Cassady.

Dizabethton-- R. E. Rice.

Erwin-- In hands of Conference President. Freedom Hill-- Grady Harwell.

Harriman -- O. H. Crabb.

Johnson City-- George Akers.

Knoxville. First -- N. C. Hoggle.

Second-- M. L. Arnold.

Stair Avenue -- Thomas Hampton.

Hinton Street -- Honry and Ida Sollors under President and Advisory Board and Paster of

First Church. Marl Soibors, Assistant.

Liberty -- In hands of Conforence President.

Mascot-- E. B. Carnos.

Nashvillo-- Edward Schado. Rockdalo-- Grady Harwoll.

Rockwood-- C. F. Smith.

We further recommend that the following Missiens be recognized by the Conference and be served by members of this body as follows:

Groon Mountain -- In hands of Missionary Board.

Mt. Viow -- In hands of Missionary Board.

Little Mission, Harriman -- W. L. Scarborough.

Fair view Mission, Johnson City -- Kate Taylor.

Gospol Mission, Nashvillo-- M. R. Gatlin, under Edward Schade.

Child Evangolist -- Mildrod Thomas.

(Report of Pastoral Relations Committee- con t.)

General Evangelists: J. F. Biddle. W. T. McMahan. Dortha Shook. H. A. Harvey. Willa E. Harvey.

Conference Evangelists: Geo. H. Bross, J. C. Cochran, Frances Harwell, Grace Winebarger, James U. Bender, Juanita Tollefsen.

District Chairmen: Eastern-- R. E. Rice: Knoxville-- M. L. Arnold: Central-- A. L. Lowrence; Western- Grady Harwell.

Committee:

D. P. Denton, Chr., J. F. Biddle, R. E. Rice, Mrs. C. H. Cummins, Mrs. J. P. Harwell, A. L. Lowrance, Gene Turner.

W. Y. P. S. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

We do praise the Master for His wonderful help the past year. When we realize the trend of the modern world we can praise our Heavenly Father for His keeping of our young people and the deepening of their spiritual vision.

We have seen several objectives accomplished this year. Soon after Conference, we had some wonderful Rallies over the State. The President has had the Priviledge of being in two Youth Rallies in the Eastern District, one at Erwin and one at Elizabethton. Also in one Western District Youth Rally at Rockdale. The greatest Rallies of all were held in the four Districts of the Tennessee Conference. Rev. H. K. Sheets, General Secretary of the Youth Department, toured the state with Rev. David Denton, our Conference President, Rev. Thomas Hampton. Sunday School Secretary, and your W.Y.P.S. President. Services were held at Nashville, Johnson City, Knoxville, and was climaxed with a Rally at the Rockwood Church, at the mid-year Ministerial Convention.

We do praise God for the help that our Conference President, Rev. David Denton, has been to us in publishing our Conference Young People's Paper, and in advising us. We, indeed, are look.

ing for a banner year in 1949-1950, and by the help of God expect to get our young people saved and sanctified and into the work of the Wesleyan Methodist Church. Pray for us.

Tennessee Conference, W.Y.P.S.

W. Y. P. S. Secretaries Report.

Tuesday, July 12, Tennessee Camp Ground, the W.Y.P.S. of the Tennessee Conference convened for annual busi ness meeting.

Miss Mildred Thomas was elected to act as Secretary in the absence of the Secretary. Credentials were presented and the delegates seated. Reports of the Local Societies were heard and approved. The President, Rev. Charles Haire, gave his report, which was adopted. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President -- Rev. Charles Haire.

Vice-President -- Miss Gwendolyn Lawson.

Secretary -- Miss Agnes Houser.

Treasurer -- Mr. Clinton Shook.

Western District Chairman -- Miss. Helen Hammett.

Knoxville District Chairman -- Rev. E. B. Carnes.

Eastern District Chairman -- Miss Grace Winebarger.

Central District Chairman -- Mr. Eugene Turner.

7:30 p.m., Tuesday, July I2, the service was emphasizing youth given through the courtesy of the Tennessee Annual Conference.

Mrs. Betty Comer Clemons led the congregational singing, assisted by Mrs. Billie Faye Harvey at the piano. A special number was rendered by the Misses Harwell. Rev. Haire, W.Y.P.S. President, introduced the speaker of the hour. Rev. Roy S. Nicholson.

- Agnes Houser, Secretary.

W.Y.P.S. Treasurer's Report

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Total Disbursed 375.82
Balance on hand 7.01

-- Clinton Shook, Treasurer.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Officers.

President -- Miss Dortha Shook, 2523 Washington Ave., Knoxville, T. Vice-Pres. -- Mrs. D. P. Denton, R-2, Box I, Crossville, Tenn. Sect.-Treasurer -- Mrs. C. G. Blackburn, Route 2, Rockwood, Tenn. Y.M.W.B. Supt. -- Mrs. R. E. Rice, 30I N. Mast St., Elizabethton, T. Magazino Solicitor -- Miss Graco Winebargor, P.C. Box 219, Bristol. Organizers -- Mrs. R. E. Rice, Miss Dortha Shook, Mrs. D.P. Denton.

M inutes of The Women's Missionary Society

Monday, July II, 1949, 2 P.M.

The Women's Missienary Society of the Tennessee Conference met for its annual Convention and business session at the Tennessee Conference Camp Grounds. The first meeting was a public service held in the tent at 2 p.m. with the W.M.S. President. Miss Dortha Shook, in charge.

The stirring song service was directed by Miss Grace Winebarger

OF Bristol. Mrs. C. G. Blackburn and Mrs. Thomas Hampton of Freedom Hill led in prayer. The message of the hour was brought by Rev. Charles Haire, based on Esther 4:14 and John 12:27.

Following this service the group adjourned to the living room of the parsonage for their business session. There were 25 ladies present representing I2 local Societies. The meeting was in charge of Miss Dortha Sheek. Mrs D. P. Denton led in prayer, praying fervently that God's will may be known and carried out in all the business sessions. The meeting was called to order with the recognition and seating of the Delegates. Reports were wead from the following Societies: Bristol. Corinth. Freedom Hill, Johnson City. Knoxville. First and Second. Rockwood. Erwin and Elizabethton. Organizers reported five new Societies organized during the year, bringing the total to I7 Societies. The Y.M.W.B. report was read by Mrs. R. E. Rice. Conference Y.M.W.B. Superintendent, which showed real growth and increasing interest. All reports were adopted as read. The meeting adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday morning for the election of officers.

Monday, 7:30 p.m.

A Missionary Rally was held in the tent with the W.M.S. President in charge. The song service was conducted by Mrs. Betty Comer Clemens, and a special number was rendered by the Bender Evangelistic Party. Ifter prayer and testimenies were given, another special number was rendered by Mrs. Clemens. The stirring, heartsearching address was brought by our General Representative, Reverence Roy S. Nichelson, on the theme, The Master's C hallenger basing his remarks on John 4:34-35. After this soul-s haking message, pledges were taken for Missions amounting to ap proximately \$1200.

Tuesday. 9 a.m.

The meeting was called to order by the President. A season of prayer followed led by Mrs. R. E. Rice. The following officers were elected:

(See roll of Officers at boginning of Rep ort)

Those appointed to serve as District Chairman were:

Eastern District -- Mrs. T. L. Grow of Bristol. Knoxville District -- Mrs. N. C. Hoggle of Knoxville. Chattencoga District -- Mrs. C. F. Smith of Rockwood. Western District -- Mrs. Grady Harwell of Ethridge.

They were urged to hold a District Missionary Rally at least once each quarter. Reports were read from Byrds Chapel, Chattanooga, First, and Harriman.

Our session closed with each one having a greater vision of what the Master meant when he said. "Lift up your eyes and look on the fields, for they are white already to harvest." -- John 4:35.

- Mrs. C. G. Blackburn, Secretary, Tennessee Conference W. M. S.

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Rockwood	15	52	T7.80	14.71					32.5					
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ANNUAL W. Y. P. S. STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE TENNESSEE CONFERENCE.													
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3. Quarterly Meetings Held	
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