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Our Honored Dead

REV. J. A. S. ANDERSON

REV. RICHARD G. RAMSEY

REV. R. A. FRENCH

In memory of those who have deceased
during the past year:

MRS. H. A. HENRY

JAMES M. HARTLEY*

VONDON WALLACE

MRS. J. H. AVERY

MRS. COAJURE JORDAN

MRS. MILDRED ELZY

J. D. McCINNISH

E. M. STAMPS

*Military Service

SESSIONS OF CONFERENCE

(Date, Place, President, Vice-President, Secretary, Members)
Organized—July 30, 1910, Friendship, E. Teter, P. C. Ramsey,
W. E. Hobson, Jr., 238

- 1 Nov. 3, 1910, Ada Chapel, E. Teter, P. C. Ramsey, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 242
- 2 Nov. 2, 1911, West Blocton, E. Teter, P. C. Ramsey, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 244
- 3 Nov. 7, 1912, Ada Chapel, E. Teter, P. C. Ramsey, E. R. Tubb, 256
- 4 Nov. 6, 1913, Mt. Ivah, E. Teter, P. C. Ramsey, E. R. Tubb, 286.
- 5 Nov. 19, 1914, Friendship, E. Teter, J. A. Wood, E. R. Tubb, 356
- 6 Nov. 4, 1915, West Blocton, E. Teter, J. A. Wood, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 585
- 7 Nov. 2, 1916, Pell City, E. Teter, J. A. Wood, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 592
- 8 Nov. 8, 1917, Tuscaloosa, E. Teter, R. A. French, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 575
- 9 Nov. 6, 1918, West Blocton, J. A. Wood, R. A. French, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 538
- 10 Nov. 6, 1919, Pell City, R. A. French, J. A. S. Anderson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 497
- 11 Nov. 2, 1920, Mentone, W. R. French, R. E. Snipes, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 494
- 12 Oct. 26, 1921, Tuscaloosa, W. R. French, R. E. Snipes, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 485
- 13 Nov. 1, 1922, Talladega, W. R. French, R. E. Snipes, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 553
- 14 Oct. 30, 1923, Brent, R. E. Snipes, E. M. Thompson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 614
- 15 Oct. 29, 1924, Birmingham, R. E. Snipes, H. R. French, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 592
- 16 Oct. 28, 1925, Mentone, R. E. Snipes, E. L. Henderson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 568
- 17 Nov. 10, 1926, Tuscaloosa, R. E. Snipes, H. A. Johnson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 627
- 18 Nov. 1, 1927, Bessemer, R. E. Snipes, H. A. Johnson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 596
- 19 Nov. 6, 1928, Penn City, R. E. Snipes, H. A. Johnson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 767
- 20 Oct. 16, 1929, Talladega, R. E. Snipes, H. A. Johnson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 767
- 21 Oct. 21, 1930, Tuscaloosa, R. E. Snipes, H. A. Johnson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 909
- 22 Oct. 21, 1931, Talladega, R. E. Snipes, E. L. Shigley, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 962

- 23 Oct. 18, 1932, Tuscaloosa, R. E. Snipes, E. L. Shigley, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 979
- 24 Oct. 18, 1933, Mentone, R. E. Snipes, E. L. Shigley, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1039
- 25 Oct. 17, 1934, Tarrant, R. E. Snipes, E. L. Shigley, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1079
- 26 Oct. 15, 1935, Tuscaloosa, R. E. Snipes, E. L. Shigley, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1104
- 27 Oct. 20, 1936, Birmingham, E. L. Shigley, J. L. Averett, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1095
- 28 Oct. 19, 1937, Birmingham, E. L. Shigley, H. A. Johnson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1045
- 29 Oct. 18, 1938, Brent, E. L. Shigley, H. A. Johnson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1027
- 30 Oct. 18, 1939, Tuscaloosa, E. L. Shigley, H. A. Johnson, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1107
- 31 Oct. 16, 1940, Talladega, E. L. Shigley, Paul E. Allred, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1122
- 32 July 22, 1941, Camp Eden, E. L. Shigley, Paul E. Allred, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1163
- 33 July 21, 1942, Camp Eden, Paul E. Allred, E. L. Shigley, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1028
- 34 July 27, 1943, Camp Eden, Paul E. Allred, E. L. Shigley, W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1032

MINUTES ALABAMA CONFERENCE

OFFICIALS

President—Rev. Paul E. Allred, 1418 23rd Ave., Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Vice-President—Rev. E. L. Shigley, Irondale, Ala.

Secretary—W. E. Hobson, Jr., 1926 23rd Ave., Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Treasurer—O. B. Shows, R.F.D. No. 4, Tuscaloosa, Ala.

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

Legal Adviser—W. E. Hobson, Jr.

Trustees—Richmond E. Snipes, term expires 1948; Preston S. Sprueill, term expires 1947; Ernest L. Shigley, term expires 1945; William E. Hobson, Jr., term expires 1946; H. Frank Pair, term expires 1944.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Judiciary Committee—E. L. Shigley, J. L. Averett, C. H. Pickel, S. D. Herron.

Itinerary and Elder's Orders—N. C. Hoggle, 4 years; E. L. Shigley, 3 years; C. H. Pickel, 2 years; Paul E. Allred, 1 year.

Auditing Committee—Charles Teagen, R. W. Garner, Finn M. Crowe.

Vacancies—W. R. French, S. D. Herron, E. T. Meacham, O. B. Shows, Mrs. Tinie Segrest.

Conventions—Paul E. Allred, President W. H. F. M. S., President W. Y. P. S., Superintendent of the Y. M. W. B.

Memorials—N. C. Hoggle, W. R. French, R. W. Garner.

Sunday School Secretary—R. M. Evans.

Sunday School Board—R. M. Evans, W. E. Hobson, Jr., D. M. Downey, Mrs. N. C. Hoggle, Roy D. Harris.

Missionary Board—Paul E. Allred, J. L. Davis, S. D. Herron, W. R. French.

Tithing Secretary—N. C. Hoggle.

Local Board of Managers Central College—E. L. Shigley.

Camp-Meeting Committee—E. L. Shigley, President; P. E. Allred, First Vice-President; R. E. Snipes, Second Vice-President; Mrs. C. D. Robertson, Third Vice-President; S. D. Herron, Secretary-Treasurer; Preston S. Spruiell, Superintendent of Grounds.

W. Y. P. S. Directory—President, S. D. Herron, 219 Spring St., Talladega, Ala.; Vice-President, Charles Tegen, 1611 9th Ave. South, Bessemer, Ala.; Secretary, Kathleen Roach, 8222 5th Ave. North, Birmingham, Ala.; Treasurer, Mary Warren, Mentone, Ala.

CONFERENCE ROLL

Elders

Allred, Paul E., 1418 23rd Ave.,	Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Averett, J. L., R.F.D. No. 1, Box 13	Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Bamburg, L. A., R.F.D. No. 1	Akron, Ala.
Bunnell, W. F., R.F.D. No. 2	Horton, Ala.
Clark, Harry D., R.F.D. No. 1	West Blocton, Ala.
Elam, Reland, R.F.D. No. 3, Box 333	Sylacauga, Ala.
French, H. Robb, 312 N. 23rd St.	Birmingham, Ala.
French, W. R., 312 N. 23rd St.	Birmingham, Ala.
Garner, R. W., 2409 20th St.	Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Herron, S. D., 219 Spring St.	Talladega, Ala.
Hoggle, N. C.,	Irondale, Ala.
Meacham, E. T. R.F.D. No. 1, Box 5	Irondale, Ala.
Medders, M. A., R.F.D. No. 1	Brent, Ala.
Pair, H. F., 107 North 54th St.	Birmingham, Ala.
Pickel, C. H., 4620 Court S. C. P.	Birmingham, Ala.
Preston, A. D., 2100 Wesley Ave.	Birmingham, Ala.
Shigley, E. L., R.F.D. No. 1, Box 3-A	Irondale, Ala.
Snipes, R. E., P. O. Box 54	Pell City, Ala.
Spear, Mrs. Maggie Jean, R.F.D. No. 1	Eden, Ala.
Treese, J. A.	Brent, Ala.
Vernon, Geo. B., R.F.D. 1	Mentone, Ala.

Licentiates on the Stationed List

Brazier, Fred T., R.F.D. 3	Talladega, Ala.
Bunnell, Mrs. W. F., R.F.D. No. 2	Horton, Ala.
Crowe, Chas. W., R.F.D. No. 1	Cottondale, Ala.
Crowe, F. E., R.F.D. No. 1	Menlo, Ga.
Corwe, Finn M., 2028 Gurnee Ave.	Anniston, Ala.
Davis, J. L., 2808 Water Ave.	Selma, Ala.
Frederick, G. C.	West Blocton, Ala.
Harris, Roy D.	Stanton, Ala.
Shigley, E. L., Jr.	West Blocton, Ala.

Delegates

W. B. Adams, J. C. Arnold, J. O. Bailey, H. P. Bailey, Mrs. L. A. Bamburg, Mrs. N. T. Brown, Mrs. Vera Cash, J. B. Davis, Mrs. W. O. Finnen, Mrs. Arthur Finnen, Miss Frances French, Marion Jones, Mrs. Velma Hughins, Mrs. Josie Kiker, Mrs. J. H. Lawson, O. A. Marchant, Talmadge Mitchell, Mrs. Ethel Ray, Miss Kathleen Roach, Mrs. Tinie Segrest, O. B. Shows, Charles Vinson, Mrs. W. W. Warren, Mrs. Ida Walker, Mrs. Velma Watts, J. H. Wintter.

J. H. Wintter
1712 Short 16 St
C. H. Tegan

DAILY PROCEEDINGS

The Alabama Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church convened for its thirty-fourth annual session at Camp Eden, Pell City, Ala., July 27, 1943, at 10:00 a.m. After devotional services conducted by the President, Rev. Paul E. Allred, the Conference was called to order and declared ready for business.

A committee on credentials was appointed, composed of Chas. Crowe and J. H. Wintter.

The roll called, quorum present, and delegates were seated.

The Conference Bar was fixed to include five seats in front of the building and the platform.

Committee on Nominations read its report of session committees, which was adopted, and the committees elected as follows: Credentials, Charles Crowe, J. H. Wintter; Pastoral Relations, Paul E. Allred, E. L. Shigley, L. A. Bamburg, W. B. Hill, J. B. Davis, Mrs. W. C. Finnen, Mrs. Tinie Segrest; Finance, W. R. French, Fred Brazier, Chas. W. Crowe; Moral Reform, S. D. Herron, R. W. Garner, Chas. Tegen; Thanks, Frances French, J. L. Davis; Ministerial Characters, Paul E. Allred, M. A. Medders, W. B. Adams; Courtesies, R. E. Snipes, C. H. Pickel; Statistics, Geo. B. Vernon, J. O. Bailey, Kathleen Roach, F. M. Crowe; Mrs. W. W. Warren; Post Office Addresses, Roy Harris, H. P. Bailey, Kathleen Roach; Resolutions, M. A. Medders, Mrs. C. D. Robertson; Religious Services, Camp Meeting Committee; Tellers, Reading, Fred Brazier, George Vernon; Distributors, Chas. Tegen, C. B. Monts.

The time of meeting was fixed as follows: meet at 9:00 a.m., adjourn at 11:00 a.m., meet at 1:30 p.m. and adjourn at 5:00 p.m.

The Committee on Courtesies introduced Rev. H. R. Gunby of the South Georgia Conference. A motion prevailed granting him, with all others that might later be introduced, honorary privileges within the body.

A motion prevailed fixing the time for the election of conference officials immediately following the roll call Thursday morning.

The date and hour of special meetings was placed in the hands of the Committee of Religious services.

On motion adjourned.

TUESDAY—AFTERNOON MEETING

Devotional services were conducted by E. L. Shigley.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

Committee on Credentials made a supplementary report adding other lay delegates to the roll.

The President read his annual report, which was adopted as read.

A motion prevailed to eliminate the reading of item 2 and item 4 beginning with sub-item 7 in the reading of pastor's reports.

Committee on Ministerial Characters reported.

J. L. Averett, L. A. Bamburg, C. H. Pickel, Mrs. Maggie Jean Spear, F. E. Crowe, Finn Crowe, Roy D. Harris, W. B. Hill, George B. Vernon, M. A. Medders and E. L. Shigley read their reports.

The Committee on Courtesies introduced Rev. and Mrs. C. Russell Bremer of Hinton, Ky., and Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Knapp of Topeka, Kansas.

Adjourned by limitation.

WEDNESDAY—MORNING MEETING

Devotional services were conducted by J. L. Averett.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

Committee on Credentials made a supplementary report and two delegates were added to the roll.

Committee on Courtesies introduced Miss Reland Elam of Jamestown, Ky.

H. D. Clark, E. T. Meacham, R. E. Snipes, Chas. Crowe, G. C. Frederick, Boss Phillips, R. W. Garner, Edmond Crowe and H. F. Pair read their reports.

On motion adjourned.

WEDNESDAY—AFTERNOON MEETING

A Sacramental service was held at the Devotional hour.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

Committee on Credentials made a supplemental report and three lay delegates were added to the roll.

The Committee on Courtesies introduced Rev. E. F. McCarty of Lansing, Mich., Foreign Missionary Secretary of the church and Rev. H. B. Phaup of High Point, N. C.

The Sunday School Secretary read his annual report which was adopted as read.

Tithing Secretary of the Pell City district reported.

W. F. Bunnell, S. D. Herron, J. L. Davis and M. A. Medders read their annual reports.

The Committee on Resolutions reported. Report adopted as read.

Adjourned by limitation.

THURSDAY—MORNING MEETING

Devotional services were conducted by C. H. Pickel.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

A communication from Rev. H. Robb French was read by the secretary and accepted as his annual report.

The President invited Rev. E. F. McCarty to the chair to preside as chairman during the remainder of the session.

The chairman announced the order of the day which was the election of conference officials. The election resulted as follows: President, Paul E. Allred; Vice-President E. L. Shigley; Secretary, W. E. Hobson, Jr.; Treasurer, O. B. Shows; Trustee for a term of five years, R. E. Snipes; Advisory Board, W. E. Hobson, Jr., and E. L. Shigley; Legal Adviser, W. E. Hobson, Jr.; Judiciary Committee, E. L. Shigley, J. L. Averett, C. H. Pickel, S. D. Herron; Itineracy and Elder's Orders for a term of four years, N. C. Hoggle; Auditing Committee, Charles Tegen, R. W. Garner, Finn M. Crowe; Vacancies, W. R. French, S. D. Herron, E. T. Meacham, Mrs. Tinie Segrest, O. B. Shows; Conventions, Paul E. Allred, President of the W. H. & F. M. Society, President of the W. Y. P. S. and Superintendent of the Y. M. W. B.; Memorials, N. C. Hoggle, W. R. French, R. W. Garner; Sunday School Secretary, R. M. Evans; Sunday School Board, R. M. Evans, W. E. Hobson, Jr., D. M. Downey, Roy D. Harris; Missionary Board, Paul E. Allred, J. L. Davis, S. D. Herron, W. R. French; Tithing Secretary, N. C. Hoggle; Local Board of Managers of Central College for a term of four years, E. L. Shigley.

S. D. Herron, Paul E. Allred and Charles Crowe were elected a committee to consider and report to the body their recommendations relative to the employment of a Sunday School evangelist.

A. D. Preston and N. C. Hoggle read their annual reports.

Adjourned by limitation.

THURSDAY—AFTERNOON MEETING

Devotional services were conducted by S. D. Herron.

Roll called, minutes read and approved.

The Board of Trustees read their annual report which was adopted.

By motion and vote of the conference body it was authorized that the President of the Conference be allowed the rents received from the renting of the President's home in Pell City, Ala.

A floral offering was taken for the McInnish family of Talladega due to the accidental death of Bro. McInnish.

The Committee on Pastoral Relations gave its first reading.
Fred T. Brazier read his annual report.
Prof. John Frank Childs, President of Central College, Central, S. C. was introduced to the body by the Committee on Courtesies.
Adjourned by limitation.

FRIDAY—MORNING MEETING

Devotional services were conducted by R. W. Garner.
Roll called, minutes read and approved.
The Committee on Credentials reported and one delegate was added to the roll.
The Committee on Thanks reported. Report adopted.
Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Treese were introduced to the conference as the pastor of the Brent church, having transferred from the Iowa Conference.
The Committee on Pastoral Relations gave its second reading.
The Committee on Itineracy and Elder's Orders gave a partial report nominating George B. Vernon to the office of Elder. An ordination message was given by Rev. H. B. Phaup and George B. Vernon was ordained an Elder in the Wesleyan Methodist Church.
The Committee on Ministerial Characters reported. Report adopted.
W. R. French, G. H. Wood and E. L. Shigley, Jr., read their annual reports.
It was moved and voted to fix the time of the meeting of the next annual session, October 24, 1944.
A report from the Brent church was read by the delegate.
On motion adjourned.

FRIDAY—AFTERNOON MEETING

Devotional services were conducted by H. D. Clark.
Roll called, minutes read and approved.
Committee on Moral Reform reported. Report adopted.
The Auditing Committee reported. Report adopted.
The treasurer reported. Report adopted.
A motion prevailed asking that the secretary-treasurer of the camp-meeting association prepare and include financial reports for meetings for 1942 and 1943 for insertion in the minutes of this year.
Rev. Earl Alexander of Moore, S. C., was introduced to the conference.
Committee on Finance reported. Adopted as amended.
Committee on Statistics reported. Report adopted.
Missionary Board reported. Report adopted.
By a vote of 11 to 17 for Tuscaloosa and Brent the latter place was selected as the place for the next annual session Oct. 24, 1944.
The secretary was authorized to edit and have printed 500 copies of the conference minutes for distribution among the churches.
On motion the business meeting adjourned for an address by Prof. John Frank Childs of Central College on the subject of Education and the work and place of Central College as it relates to the church and its program.
Immediately following the address of Prof. Childs the Women's Missionary Society called the meeting to order and the President of the society, Mrs. Paul E. Allred, outlined the plans for the work of the society during the coming year. An address was also given by Rev. E. F. McCarty, Foreign Missionary Secretary relative to the work being done by the Department of Foreign Missions, which was very interesting and instructive. A gift offering amounting to \$55.00 was made at this time to be given to the Carters and Miss Wylie, both of whom are sailing soon for the African field.

Committee on Itineracy and Elders' Orders gave its final report.
Report adopted.

✱ The Committee on Pastoral Relations gave its final reading. Report adopted.

The Camp-Meeting Association reported the nomination of its officials which was approved.

The special committee on Sunday School Evangelism reported referring the matter of employing a Sunday School Evangelist to the President and his advisory board and the Sunday School Board.

The following postage allowances were granted, President \$7.50, Secretary \$3.00, Treasurer \$3.00.

It was ordered that any item of business overlooked be taken care of by the President and his advisory board.

On motion a rising vote of appreciation and thanks was extended to Rev. E. F. McCarty for his efficient service among us and as our presiding officer.

On motion adjourned.

PAUL E. ALLRED, President
W. E. HOBSON, JR., Secretary

PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL REPORT

After my election to the office of President, July 23, 1942, I entered at once upon my work. The following is a statement of my official acts:

August 15, 1942, I appointed Rev. Boss Phillips as supply pastor of the Sylacauga church.

Sept. 15, 1942, I appointed Rev. M. A. Medders as pastor of the Ada Chapel church.

Sept. 15, 1942, upon request from Rev. Thos. L. Shirk, I transferred him to the Ohio Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

Sept. 30, 1942, I appointed Rev. L. A. Bamburg pastor of the Akron church.

Nov. 15, 1942. On request from the Brent Church there was a mutual agreement made between Rev. G. C. Frederick and Rev. E. L. Shigley, Jr., that they supply the church until further arrangements could be made to secure a pastor for the church.

Jan. 1, 1943, I received the resignation of Rev. Eugene Caddell as pastor of the Friendship church.

Mar. 15, 1943 I appointed Rev. M. A. Medders as pastor of the Friendship church.

July 1, 1943, I appointed the Nominating Committee and the Chairman of the session committee.

The following is my report of Finance and Activity:

Received for salary.....	\$726.00
Received for revivals.....	526.95
Received as gifts.....	42.50
Received as Parsonage Rent.....	100.00
Received for Traveling expenses.....	200.00
Total receipts	\$1,595.45

During the year, as best I can calculate, I have traveled over nine thousand miles in the interest of the Conference. I held the first and fourth quarterly conferences and preached in fourteen revivals and special meetings, five of which were of two weeks duration and nine for at least one week. I also held six week-end meetings. I have assisted in two pioneer meetings and have put forth special effort to help the weaker churches. I have preached during the year 271 sermons. To God be all the praise for any progress that may have been made.

Your servant in His service,

PAUL E. ALLRED, Conference President.

RESOLUTIONS

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

Since there is a tendency in our churches for the members to settle down in their experience of regeneration, not feeling their need of going on to perfection as set forth in God's word and our Book of Discipline:

Be it Resolved, that we as pastors and evangelists in the Alabama Conference shall preach frequently and urge our members to never stop short of God's best, and that they seek until they obtain and continue to walk in the light and retain said experience.

Since it has been revealed that there has been an increase in the support of a good number of pastors in the conference.

Be it resolved, that we go on record favoring an increase in all the pastor's salary to the extent that they be given a living salary in order that they be able to devote their entire time to the work of the ministry.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. C. D. ROBERTSON, Committee.
M. A. MEDDERS, Chairman

THANKS

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

We are grateful to our Heavenly Father for His bountiful blessings throughout the past year, and for permitting us to assemble in this, the thirty-fourth annual session of the Alabama conference.

We praise God for the wonderful spirit of unity and fellowship which has pervaded throughout the camp and conference, also the wonderful messages in sermon and song which have been a blessing to all. To those who have labored so faithfully and untiringly in entertaining us and serving us with such delicious food during this time of rationing and high cost of food, we express our heart felt thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES FRENCH, Committee.
J. L. DAVIS,

CONFERENCE MISSIONARY BOARD

Financial Report

Receipts		Disbursements	
Conference Treasurer.....	\$56.00	Moving tent	\$ 5.00
Public Offerings	42.00	Shigley and Vernon	37.35
		W. R. French	10.00
	\$98.00	Paul E. Allred	8.00
		Anniston Meeting	4.50
		Sylacauga Meeting	13.15
		L. A. Bamburg	20.00
			\$98.00

PAUL E. ALLRED, Chairman.

MINISTERIAL CHARACTERS

Since there has been some irregularity in the conduct of Rev. W. F. Bunnell, we recommend that he be placed on probation for a period of twelve months without any assignment to work.

PAUL E. ALLRED, Chairman
M. A. MEDDERS,
W. B. ADAMS, Committee

MORAL REFORM

We, your Committee on Moral Reform wish to submit the following report:

We believe the most effective way to bring about a moral reformation is for the ministers of the gospel and Christian professors to be of the true apostolic type. The fact has been duly attested that the universal moral decline, to a great extent, is traceable to the failure of religious

leaders. The proverb, "like priest, like people," is true and God's word teaches that the labourer must first be a partaker of the fruits. Therefore, we urge that the standards of our church be upheld, taught and practiced by our people that we may set forth an example before the world.

Moral reformation cannot be deep and lasting unless it has its origin in a regenerated heart. Therefore, let us discourage all spurious and superficial altar work and urge our people not to stop short of a definite experience of full salvation.

Since John Wesley was successful in bringing about a reformation in a time of moral corruption, let us who bear his name follow his precepts and example especially his admonition to make saints as our primary work.

Respectfully submitted,

S. D. HERRON, Chairman

R. W. GARNER,

C. R. TEGEN, Committee.

AUDITING COMMITTEE

We, your Auditing Committee, beg to submit the following report. We have examined and checked the books of the Conference Treasurer and find them to be correct.

CHAS. TEGEN,

R. W. GARNER, Committee

TREASURER'S REPORT

	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance
Foreign Missions	\$ 600.31	\$ 423.87	\$ 176.44
Home Missions	314.51	225.68	88.83
Education	434.08	210.50	223.58
Conference Work	494.80	326.55	168.45
Orphanage	123.92	54.17	69.75
Superannuated Ministers	276.73		276.73
Minute Fund	61.90	53.85	8.05
General Conference Fund	90.00	90.00	
TOTALS	\$2,396.25	\$1,384.42	\$1,011.83

Respectfully submitted,

O. B. SHOWS, Treasurer

FINANCE COMMITTEE

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

We earnestly ask the pastors and constituency of the thirty-fourth session of the Alabama Conference to be more sincere in accepting and raising the church budget.

We recommend the president hold the first and last quarterly meetings, thereby giving him more time to devote to church extension work, and that his salary be paid regardless of whether he holds the quarterly meetings or not, and that money received in revivals and church extension work be over and above his salary.

We recommend that the president be paid a salary of eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) with an additional two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for travel expenses. The item of travel expense to be paid from the conference work fund. The president's salary to be paid as nearly as possible in quarterly installments.

We recommend that the members of the Alabama Conference be assessed thirty-five cents per member, the same to apply on the purchase of the president's home in Pell City, Ala.

W. R. FRENCH, Chairman

C. W. CROWE,

FRED T. BRAZIER, Committee

ITINERACY AND ELDER'S ORDERS

We, your Committee on Itineracy and Elder's Orders, submit the following recommendations and report.

We recommend that George B. Vernon, who has finished the Course of Study and met all the requirements for Elders, be ordained an Elder in the Church, at this session of conference.

We ask those who are taking the Course of Study to pass two books each year if they expect to take work and keep work in the conference. We also urge each one who is taking the Course of Study to attend the annual Ministerial Institute which is to be arranged for by the committee.

The following list composes those who are taking the Course of Study, and the year in which they are rated.

Fourth Year, Charles Tegan, Dorothy Herron, Mrs. R. D. Harris.

Third Year: Wardner Medders, O. K. Williams, E. L. Shigley, Jr., Roy D. Harris, Fred T. Brazier, Mrs. Florice Allred.

Second Year, Edmond Crowe, D. M. Downey, David Watts, Lloyd Marchant, R. M. Evans, G. H. Wood.

First Year, Charles Crowe, Finn M. Crowe, F. E. Crowe, J. L. Davis, G. C. Frederick, W. B. Hill, C. B. Monts, Frances Ray.

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. SHIGLEY, Chairman
PAUL E. ALLRED, Secretary
R. E. SNIPES,
C. H. PICKLE, Committee

CAMP-MEETING TREASURER'S REPORT—1942

Receipts		Disbursements	
Offering	\$227.50	Camp Meeting Workers	\$217.00
Registration-Meals	270.74	Kitchen workers	50.00
Camp Dues	97.00	Groceries	192.00
Church Offerings	27.50	Light Plant Expense	60.00
Rents	21.50	Bakery	49.00
French Mem. Hall	42.00	Travel Expense	12.00
		Song Books	9.00
		Hardware	6.50
		Printing	6.50
		Drayage	15.00
		Incidentals	13.00
		Balance	56.24
	<u>\$686.24</u>		
			<u>\$686.24</u>

PAUL E. ALLRED, Treasurer.

CAMP-MEETING TREASURER'S REPORT 1943

Receipts		Disbursements	
Balance from last year.....\$	14.70	Advertising	\$ 10.18
French Mem. Hall Fund.....	42.00	Labor	8.50
Dues, 1943	96.00	Drayage	17.15
Rents	12.15	Building Material	15.02
Room Reservations	5.00	Groceries	162.96
Registration Fees	38.00	Bakery	23.00
Offerings	354.46	Travel Expense	4.39
Sale of books	12.15	Camp Meeting Workers.....	270.00
Dining Room	255.54	Books Purchased	10.15
		Song Books	16.23
		Supplies	20.40
		Incidentals	7.67
	<u>\$830.00</u>	Balance	261.80
			<u>\$830.00</u>

S. D. HERRON, Treasurer.

COMMITTEE ON PASTORAL RELATIONS

We, your Committee on Pastoral Relations, submit the following report and recommendations, for the supply of the work.

Active—J. A. Treese, Supply.
 Ada Chapel—Harry D. Clark.
 Akron—L. A. Bamburg.
 Anniston—F. M. Crowe.
 Bessemer—Chas. Tegan.
 Birmingham—W. R. French.
 Brent—J. A. Treese.
 East Lake—E. T. Meacham.
 Fairview—Chas. W. Crowe.
 Friendship—M. A. Medders.
 Golden Grove—In the hands of the President.
 Jasper—C. H. Pickel.
 Mentone—Geo. B. Vernon.
 Mt. Carmel—F. E. Crowe.
 Mt. Olive—In the hands of the President.
 Mt. Vernon—G. H. Wood.
 Mt. Zion—In the hands of the President.
 Nixon Chapel—Mrs. W. F. Bunnell, Supply.
 Pell City—R. E. Snipes.
 Selma—J. L. Davis.
 Springdale—E. L. Shigley.
 Stanton—Roy D. Harris.
 Sylacauga—Reland Elam.
 Talladega, First—S. D. Herron.
 Talladega, North St.—Fred T. Brazier.
 Tuscaloosa—R. W. Garner.
 Waycross Charge—W. B. Hill.
 West Blocton—E. L. Shigley, Jr.
 President and Conference Evangelist—Paul E. Allred.
 General Evangelist—H. Robb French.
 Evangelistic Work—J. L. Averett, H. F. Pair, N. C. Hoggle, A. D. Preston, G. C. Frederick.
 To choose own field of labor—Mrs. Maggie Jean Spear.
 Deaconess Work—Mrs. H. Robb French.
 Conference Missionary Work—D. M. Downey.
 On Probation—W. F. Bunnell.
 Singing Evangelist—Mrs. Paul E. Allred.
 Attending Central College—Wardner Medders.
 Referred back to Quarterly Conference—P. V. Compton, Ruby Lee, Boss Phillips, Alex Joiner, Frances Hammett.
 Pursuing Course of Study—O. K. Williams, David Watts, Lloyd Marchant, Frances Ray.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL E. ALLRED, Chairman.
 E. L. SHIGLEY, Secretary
 L. A. BAMBURG
 W. B. HILL
 J. B. DAVIS
 Mrs. W. O. FINNEN
 MRS. TINIE SEGREST,
 Committee.

MINUTES OF THE WOMEN'S HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

OFFICERS

President—Mrs. Florice Allred, 1428 23rd Ave., Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Vice-President—Mrs. Anna Bell Warren, Mentone, Ala.
Secretary—Miss Venola Cook, Rt. 1, Brent, Ala.
Treasurer—Miss Julia Thomas, 8116 6th Ave., N., Birmingham, Ala.
Y. M. W. B. Superintendent—Mrs. Dorothy Herron, 219 Spring St., Talladega, Ala.
Conference Work Committee—Mrs. Tinie Segrest, Mrs. Mable Phillips, Mrs. Vergene Meacham.
Organizers—Mrs. Florice Allred, Mrs. Dothey Herron.
Magazine Solicitor—Mrs. Gladys Clark, Rt. 1, West Blocton, Ala.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

The Alabama Conference Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society met for its twenty-sixth annual session in the main tabernacle on the grounds of Camp Eden, Pell City, Ala., at 9 a.m., Tuesday, July 27th, 1943. The meeting was called to order by our President, Mrs. Florice Allred. After a brief devotional period the following Committee Chairmen were approved by the group: Courtesy, Mrs. Dorthey Herron; Credentials, Mrs. Eddie Davis; Orders of the Day, Miss Frances French; Resolutions, Mrs. Alberta Robertson; Auditing, Mrs. Vergene Meacham; Statistics, Miss Julia Thomas; Memorials, Mrs. Anna Bell Warren; Magazine Solicitor, Mrs. Gladys Clark; Post Office Addresses, Miss Venola Cook; Reporter, Mrs. Vergene Meacham; Committee to Award Conference Banner, Mrs. Florice Allred.

The Conference Executive Committee had met earlier in the day to discuss and formulate some plans and recommendations for the coming year. A report of this meeting was read and discussed briefly. The Parsonage Card Plan, one of the proposed projects, was introduced to the body for thought and consideration.

The Meeting was adjourned by motion.

Tuesday, July 27—4:00 P.M.

The Meeting was called to order by Mrs. Allred, President, who also had charge of the devotions. Special prayers for our various mission fields and workers were offered by Mrs. Alberta Robertson, Mrs. Anna Bell Warren, Mrs. Vergene Meacham, and Miss Frances French.

Mrs. Tinie Segrest was elected to serve on Committee of Orders of the Day. Mrs. Anna Belle Warren and Mrs. Thelma Harris to assist Mrs. Robertson on Committee on Resolutions. Mrs. M. H. Howell was elected to assist Mrs. Meacham on the Auditing Committee. Miss Mary Warren was elected as second member of the Committee on Statistics. Mrs. R. C. Harvey was elected to assist Mrs. Warren on the Committee on Memorials. Miss Kathleen Roach and Mrs. J. H. Lawson were elected to serve with the Magazine Solicitor, Mrs. Gladys Clark. It was agreed that the Executive Committee would assist Mrs. Allred on the Committee to Award the Banner.

The Parsonage Card Plan was again discussed and adopted by vote of the body. Our President explained that the aim of this plan is to encourage the building or purchasing of parsonages where needed in the conference. It is to be carried on similarly to the Connectional Card Plan for building new churches. Cards are to be sent out to the local presidents not to exceed more than four calls during the year, or one call per quarter, as the need arises. When the cards are received the local presidents

shall aim or strive to raise .50c per member for the named parsonage. The W. H. and F. M. S. Executive Committee will work in harmony and according to the advice of the Annual Conference Officials concerning the church to be assisted.

The project concerning furnishings for the Workers Cottage was discussed and agreed to be left in the hands of the Conference Work Committee.

By motion Mrs. Dollie Hobson was seated to represent the Tuscaloosa Society. Miss Mae Bell Davis was seated to represent the Selma Society.

By motion it was agreed that the reading of the local reports would be omitted to conserve time.

The meeting was dismissed by Mrs. Anna Bell Warren.

Wednesday, July 28—8:00 A.M.

The meeting was called to order by our President, Mrs. Allred. The roll was answered with missionary scriptures.

By motion Mrs. Velma Hudgins was seated to represent the Springdale Society. Mrs. Lois Eddy was seated to represent the Jasper Society.

The report of the Committee on Orders of the Day was read and adopted as follows:

Memorial Service, 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 28th.

Election of Officers, 8:00 a.m., Thursday, July 29th.

Public Missionary Service, 3:00 p.m., Friday, July 30th.

Tag Day, all day Friday, July 30th.

The President's Report was read and adopted. (See Report).

The Y. M. W. B. Superintendent's Report was read and adopted. (See Report).

Adjourned by motion.

Wednesday, July 28—4:00 P.M.

The meeting was introduced with the singing of missionary choruses led by our president. The devotions were led by Mrs. Vergene Meacham. The Order of Day called for the Memorial Service with Mrs. Anna Bell Warren in charge. Loving mention was made of those who had passed from our rank during the past two years.

The report of our Vice-President, Miss French, was given including remarks concerning her trip to General Conference. Our President, Mrs. Allred, commented further on the General Conference proceedings, and by using picture cards introduced the new Connectional W. H. and F. M. S. Officials.

Adjourned by motion.

Thursday, July 29—8:00 A.M.

The President called the meeting to order. The minutes were read and adopted.

The Order of the Day called for the election of officers. The election resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. Florice Allred.

Vice-President, Mrs. Anna Bell Warren.

Secretary, Miss Venola Cook.

Treasurer, Miss Julia Thomas.

Work Committee, Mrs. Tinie Segrest, Mrs. Mable Phillips, Mrs. Vergene Meacham.

The Report of the Committee on Resolutions was read and adopted. (See Report).

Adjourned by motion.

Friday, July 30—8:30 A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the President. Mrs. Tinie Segrest led in prayer. This being Magazine Tag Day each responded to roll call

by giving a reason "Why I Subscribe to the Missionary Magazine." A very interesting discussion resulted.

By motion it was agreed that \$10.00 be applied on the printing of the new Conference Minutes.

Dismissed by the President.

Saturday, July 31—9:30 A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the President. Mrs. J. A. Treece led in prayer. The roll was called and the minutes were read and approved.

The Report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted.

The Report of the Statistical Committee was read and adopted. (See Report.)

By motion it was agreed that a large ledger be purchased to be used to keep permanent record of the Conference W. H. and F. M. S. proceedings.

The Report of the Treasurer was read and adopted. (See Report).

After careful deliberation the Talladega (First Church) Society was awarded the Conference Banner by the Executive Committee.

The proper way to fill out the annual report blank was discussed by our President and Treasurer.

Rev. E. F. McCarty was introduced to the body and gave a very interesting discussion concerning missionary education among children.

Adjourned by motion.

MRS. FLORICE ALLRED, President.

MISS VENOLA COOK, Secretary.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the Executive Committee and to each member of the Alabama Conference W. H. and F. M. S.

Dear Sisters:

It is with grateful thanks to our Heavenly Father for His unnumbered blessings that I present this report. There have been times during the past year when the threads of my life seemed twisted and queer but the grace of our blessed Lord has kept me, and today there is no complaint! Through all I have felt keenly the responsibility of this great work, and my aim has been to serve faithfully.

In the early part of the year I appointed a Conference Work Committee as follows: Mrs. Hattie Hoggle (Chairman), Mrs. Vergene Meacham, and Mrs. Dorthey Herron. It was through the faithful efforts of this committee that money was raised to make repairs on the conference parsonage. And these much-needed repairs have greatly improved and preserved this property.

I have organized two new missionary societies this year, namely, Adamsburg (organized Sept. 4th), and Selma (organized Feb. 7th). I have contacted sixteen of our local societies, and assisted my husband in nine revival meetings. In some of these meetings we held special missionary services, and through all I did my best to boost the work of our W. H. and F. M. S.

It was my happy privilege to attend the State W. Y. P. S. Convention held at the Birmingham Church, October 1-4; the Ministerial Institute and Holiness Convention held at the Tuscaloosa Church, February 9-12; and the General Conference W. H. and F. M. S. Meeting held at Fairmount, Indiana, June 23-26. These were all times of special blessing and soul-enrichment. It was a real joy to serve as your representative at this General Conference session.

Through the year I have written 60 letters and 18 cards directly concerning the work of our Conference W. H. and F. M. S. Some of these letters contained missionary literature. I have boosted the Wesleyan Missionary and have secured subscriptions to the same. The last list I received

from Bro. Eddy our subscriptions had reached very near our goal of 200! Let us aim to go far above that number through this next year. This can be done only by keeping our present subscriptions renewed, and by being always on the alert for new subscribers!

Yours in Christ's bonds,

FLORICE ALLRED.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We your committee on Resolutions, wish to submit the following report:

Be it resolved that first and foremost the W. H. and F. M. S. members of the Alabama Conference be urged to maintain their God given convictions throughout this entire year.

Be it resolved that all the members be urged to a realization of their personal obligation in attendance at each local and annual meeting throughout the entire year.

Be it resolved that every member in each Society be encouraged to work every day as though it were their last day.

Be it resolved that each local Society cooperate to their utmost ability with the new projects presented by our good President.

Be it resolved that every member of each Society will not only be a subscriber of our Missionary Magazine, but work earnestly for others to be a subscriber.

Be it resolved that we hold to the custom of each Society observing a day of fasting and prayer for Missions both home and abroad.

Be it resolved that we strive with the work of our own Conference, so that we can grow out of Home Mission rating.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. THELMA HARRIS,
MRS. ALBERTA ROBERTSON

TREASURER'S REPORT

Education	\$ 146.28	\$ 146.28
Home Missions	303.11	303.11
Foreign Missions	409.10	409.10
South America	29.05	29.06
Conference Fund	107.35	69.39
General Fund	40.76	40.76
Orphanage	16.00	16.00
Blue Ridge Mountain Mission	32.00	32.00
Hope Mission	5.00	5.00
Indian Reservation	15.00	15.00
Zion's Hill Mission	25.00	25.00
Delegate's Expense to Gen. Conference	86.66	80.00
President's Parsonage	79.00	79.00
Conference Missions	30.50	30.50
Superannuated Minister's Fund	6.20	6.20
Minute Fund	2.65	2.65
TOTAL	\$1,333.66	\$1,289.04
Balance in Treasury		\$ 44.62

JULIA THOMAS, Treasurer.

Y. M. W. B. REPORT

Ada Chapel	\$ 11.65
Bessemer	7.85
Birmingham	43.77
Brent	25.24
East Lake	10.84
Fairview	20.80
Friendship	2.00
Golden Grove	11.50
Jasper	6.00
Mentone	30.01
Pell City	10.00
Stanton	13.76
Springdale	28.73
Talladega, First Church	10.00
Talladega, North Street	7.24
Tuscaloosa	7.00
West Blocton	26.60
TOTAL.....	\$267.99

DOROTHY DEAN HERRON, Superintendent

W. H. AND F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT—(RECEIPTS)

NAME OF SOCIETY AND PRESIDENT	Active Members	Honorary Members	Members Gain	Members Loss	Regular Meetings Held	Special Meetings Held	Do You Use Missionary Programs?	"Wesleyan Missionary" Taken	Cash on Hand From Last Year	Membership Dues	Offering	Labor	Clothing, Other Gifts to Home Work	Other Objects	Total
Anniston—Mrs. O. C. Wood, Wilmer Ave., Anniston, Ala.....	13		8		19	1	Yes	14	\$ 7 66	\$ 13 00	\$ 12 42	\$ 44 36	\$	\$ 22 00	\$ 99 44
Adamsburg—Mrs. Jessie M. Cochran, Rt. 1, Fort Payne, Ala.....	2				2		Yes			2 00			10 00	3 95	15 95
Bessemer—Mrs. A. O. Rozell, 1605 15th Ave., Bessemer, Ala.....	4			1	9	1	Yes	6		4 00	9 88	3 75			17 63
Birmingham—Mrs. Jean Munyer, 1602 13th Way, S., Birmingham, Ala.....	21	3			10	1		21		24 20	73 89	19 55			177 64
Brent—Mrs. Ira Snipes, Brent, Ala.....	15			13	12		Yes	5		15 00	12 45	10 00			37 45
East Lake—Mrs. Vergene Meacham, Rt. 1, Irondale, Ala.....	12	4	3		12	6	Yes	10	1 21	16 00	245 37	15 50			278 08
Fairview—Mrs. Margaret Crowe, Cottondale, Ala.....	8	4			12	3		12		12 00	35 70	27 50	25 00		100 20
Friendship—Mrs. R. P. Caddell, Rt. 1, Brent, Ala.....	6				8		Yes			6 00	33 97	88 49			128 37
Jasper—Mrs. Mildred Blaylock, Jasper, Ala.....	5				4		Yes	3		5 00					5 00
Mentone—Mrs. Bell Warren, Mentone, Ala.....	11	1			12	1	Yes	6	1 00	13 10	29 78		32 00		75 88
Mt. Ivah—Mrs. Amos Mitchell, Rt. 1, Heiberger, Ala.....	5				12		Yes	1		5 00	4 00	2 25	5 00		16 25
North Street—Mrs. Frank Wyatt, 316 North St., Talladega, Ala.....	8		1		44	2	Yes	8	5 90	8 50		62 90			77 30
Pell City—Mrs. Alberta Robertson, Eden, Ala.....	18		3		18	1	Yes	14		18 00	381 10	41 00			440 10
Selma—Mrs. Willie Mae Hopkins, 2604 Perham Ave., Selma, Ala.....	8				8		Yes	5		8 00					8 00
Springdale—Mrs. C. O. Huggins, Rt. 1, Box 7, Irondale, Ala.....	12	6			18	1		15		18 00	82 80	82 79	14 00		197 59
Stanton—Mrs. Thelma Harris, Stanton, Ala.....	17	9			12	1	Yes	11		26 00	64 35	211 73			302 08
*Talladega—Mrs. Della Watts, 923 North St., Talladega, Ala.....	22		5		46	6	Yes	15		23 00	475 75	68 00	26 50		593 25
Tuscaloosa—Mrs. Nettie Colburn, 1400 10th Ave., Tuscaloosa, Ala.....	24	4			19	3	Yes	30		28 00	141 63	47 92	5 00		222 55
West Blocton—Mrs. Arthur Finnen, West Blocton, Ala.....	9	3			20	5	Yes	11		12 00	42 99	22 50	5 00		82 49
TOTALS.....	220	34	6		297	22		187	\$ 15 77	\$255 80	\$1646 08	\$748 15	\$122 50	\$ 25 95	\$2815 25

*Banner Society

W. H. AND F. M. S. STATISTICAL REPORT—(DISBURSEMENTS)

NAME OR SOCIETY	Home, Cash	Home Clothing and Other Gifts	Hephzibah, Cash	Hephzibah, Provision	Foreign, Cash	Education	Local Church Work	Membership Dues	Other Objects	General Conference Delegate's Expense	President's Parsonage	Cash on Hand	Total	Rank Under Efficiency Standard
Anniston.....	\$ 3 25	\$	\$	\$	\$ 6 75	\$ 3 50	\$ 40 23	\$ 6 50	\$ 34 21	\$ 5 00	\$	\$	\$ 99 44	80%
Adamsburg.....	50			10 00	50			1 00			3 95		15 95	
Bessemer.....	2 88				2 88		7 87	2 00		2 00			17 63	
Birmingham.....	47 85			4 00	23 20	10 55	2 00	12 08		7 96	10 00		117 64	92%
Brent.....	3 75				3 75		12 45	7 50		5 00	5 00		37 45	
East Lake.....	41 05		5 00		62 44	3 00	27 94	8 00		6 00	20 00	104 65	278 08	100%
Fairview.....	8 00	25 00			8 00	14 05	34 15	6 00		5 00			100 20	95%
Friendship.....	1 50				1 50		88 40	3 00	33 97				128 37	70%
Jasper.....	2 50				2 50								5 00	
Mentone.....	3 28	32 00	5 00		3 28		6 73	6 54	7 05	5 00	7 00		75 88	80%
Mt. Ivah.....	1 00	5 00			5 00			2 00			1 25	2 00	16 25	
North Street.....	27 00		2 00		4 00	3 00	35 71			2 00	3 00	59	77 30	
Pell City.....	61 60		21 25		177 09		107 50	7 66	41 00	9 00	15 00		440 10	76%
Selma.....	1 75				1 75			3 50					7 00	
Springdale.....	20 90	14 00			41 92	2 25	96 32	9 00		7 20	6 00		197 59	92%
Stanton.....	6 50				6 51		141 17	12 99	134 91				302 08	
*Talladega.....	31 45	26 50	2 00		74 75	66 25	338 28	11 50	41 85			67	593 25	100%
Tuscaloosa.....	57 34	5 00			38 73	43 68	5 00	13 67	32 68	16 45	10 00		222 55	
West Blocton.....	3 00		2 00		3 00		37 74	6 00	16 74			14 01	82 49	98%
TOTALS.....	\$ 325 10	\$ 107 50	\$ 37 25	\$ 14 00	\$ 467 55	\$ 146 28	\$ 981 49	\$ 118 94	\$ 342 41	\$ 70 61	\$ 76 20	\$ 121 92	\$2815 25	88%

BUDGET APPORTIONMENT

NAME OF CHURCH	Members	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Education	Orphanage	Conference Missions	President's Salary	President's Home Fund	Conference Minutes	Superannuated Minister's Fund	Totals
Active.....	30	\$ 30 00	\$ 60 00	\$ 45 00	\$ 7 50	\$ 30 00	\$ 24 00	\$ 10 50	\$ 1 50	\$ 3 00	\$ 211 50
Ada Chapel.....	52	52 00	104 00	78 00	13 00	52 00	24 00	18 20	2 60	5 20	349 00
Akron.....	13	13 00	26 00	19 50	3 25	13 00	6 00	4 55	65	1 30	87 25
Anniston.....	20	20 00	40 00	30 00	5 00	20 00	37 00	7 00	1 00	2 00	162 00
Bessemer.....	12	12 00	24 00	18 00	3 00	12 00	21 00	4 20	60	1 20	96 00
Birmingham.....	71	71 00	142 00	106 50	17 75	71 00	65 00	24 85	3 55	7 10	535 75
Brent.....	48	48 00	96 00	72 00	12 00	48 00	50 00	16 80	2 40	4 80	350 00
East Lake.....	23	23 00	46 00	34 50	5 75	23 00	26 00	8 05	1 15	2 30	175 00
Fairview.....	30	30 00	60 00	45 00	7 50	30 00	25 00	10 50	1 50	3 00	211 50
Friendship.....	25	25 00	50 00	37 50	6 25	25 00	16 00	8 75	1 25	2 50	172 25
Golden Grove.....	6	6 00	12 00	9 00	1 50	6 00	6 00	2 10	30	50	52 50
Jasper.....	12	12 00	24 00	18 00	3 00	12 00	16 00	4 20	50	1 20	91 00
Mentone.....	46	46 00	92 00	69 00	11 50	46 00	55 00	16 10	2 30	4 60	342 50
Mt. Carmel.....	27	27 00	54 00	40 50	6 75	27 00	18 00	9 45	1 35	2 70	186 75
Mt. Olive.....	10	10 00	20 00	15 00	2 50	10 00	8 00	3 00	50	1 00	67 00
Mt. Vernon.....	17	17 00	34 00	25 50	4 25	17 00	8 00	5 95	85	1 70	114 25
Mt. Zion.....	38	38 00	76 00	57 00	9 50	38 00	24 00	13 34	1 90	3 80	261 54
Nixon's Chapel.....	35	35 00	70 00	52 50	8 75	35 00	25 00	12 25	1 75	3 50	243 75
Pell City.....	86	86 00	172 00	129 00	21 50	86 00	60 00	30 10	4 30	8 60	669 50
Selma.....	28	28 00	56 00	42 00	7 00	28 00	20 00	9 80	1 40	2 80	195 00
Springdale.....	22	22 00	44 00	33 00	5 50	22 00	26 00	7 70	1 10	2 20	163 50
Stanton.....	44	44 00	88 00	66 00	11 00	44 00	30 00	15 40	2 20	4 40	305 00
Sylacauga.....	24	24 00	48 00	36 00	6 00	24 00	16 00	8 40	1 20	2 40	166 00
Taladega 1st.....	58	58 00	116 00	87 00	14 50	58 00	45 00	20 30	2 90	5 80	407 50
Talladega N. St.....	31	31 00	62 00	46 50	7 75	31 00	30 00	10 85	1 55	3 10	227 75
Tuscaloosa.....	102	102 00	204 00	153 00	25 50	102 00	70 00	35 70	5 10	10 20	707 50
Waycross.....	103	103 00	206 00	154 50	25 75	103 00	30 00	36 05	5 15	10 30	673 75
West Blocton.....	28	28 00	56 00	42 00	7 00	28 00	28 00	8 40	1 20	2 40	178 00
TOTALS.....	1032	\$1037 00	\$2074 00	\$1555 50	\$ 259 25	\$1037 00	\$ 806 00	\$ 361 45	\$ 51 85	\$ 103 70	\$7503 04

Note: The above budget figures cover a period of 12 months. Add twenty-five per cent to cover the 15 month conference year.

STATISTICAL REPORT

NAME OF CHURCH	Time Employed	Appointments	Church Societies	Wesleyan Methodists	Magazines	W.Y.P.S. Journals	S. S. Banners	Jr. Class Papers	Children's Friend	Teacher's Quarterly	Senior Quarterly	Intermed. Quarterly	Jr. Quarterly	Primary Quarterly	Home Dept. Quarterly	Lesson Leaflets	Little Folk's Cards	Bible Charts	Lesson Stories	Received	Discontinued	Died	Granted Letters	Number Last Year	Present Number	Loss	Gain
Active.....	12	1	1	10						16	59	6	18			26	24					1		31	30	1	
Ada Chapel.....	9	1	1	7			15			4	14	9	11			4	15			3			2	51	52		2
Akron.....	12	1	1	1						2	14		10				6			1			12	13		1	
Anniston.....	12	1	2	11	14		15			5	60	25	20			15	25			2	13		3	36	20	16	
Bessemer.....	12	1	1	3	6					3	12	12				10	15	1		2	1			15	12	3	
Birmingham.....	12	1	1	16	21	20	60	22		10	85	35	15			25	30			10	5	1	4	71	71		
Brent.....	12	1	1	7	5	10	20		10	6	50	15	10	15		10	15	1				1	6	55	48	7	
East Lake.....	12	1	1	3	10	3	23	12	8	5	10	14	12	8		5		1	10	4	1			20	23		3
Fairview.....	12	1	1	6	12	14	16			4	40		10	6			4			5	4			29	30		1
Friendship.....	12	1	1	3		1				4	17	12	7				5				2			27	25	2	
Golden Grove.....	12	1	1	2			5				4		6			6	7							6	6		
Jasper.....	12	1	1	4	2					2	14	30					10				3			15	12	3	
Mentone.....	12	1	1	8	8	12	30	30	14	5	30	8	8	6	3	5	6	1		1	2			47	46	1	
Mt. Carmel.....	12	2	1	11						3	18	20	5				6					1	1	29	27	2	
Mt. Olive.....	12	1	1	3						1	10	12		8			8						5	15	10		
Mt. Vernon.....	12	1	1																	2	3			18	17	1	
Mt. Zion.....	12	1	1	14		1	12	12		2	21	22	18				15							38	38		
Nixon's Chapel.....	12	1	1	25						8	60	18	12			12	24	1		20				15	35		
Pell City.....	12	1	1	12	12	10	20			9	35		15				8	1		2			2	86	86		
Selma.....	12	1	1	7	5			12	12	5	15	6	12	10		30	8			12			3	16	28		12
Springdale.....	12	1	1	6	15	6	20			10	40	20	20	20	5	20	10	1		2				20	22		2
Stanton.....	12	1	1	10	11	1	20		20	8	30	16	10	10	5	10	10	1		8	1		3	40	44		4
Sylacauga.....	12	1	1	2			15			4	12	12				12	12			3				21	24		3
Taladega 1st.....	12	1	1	12	15	10	50			8	65	50	65	40		10	25			6	1			53	58		5
Talladega N. St.....	12	1	1	8	10	2	8	2	1	6	10	10	18	18		10	15				12	1		44	31	13	
Tuscaloosa.....	12	1	1	23	30	20				11	120	30	40	25	10		25	1		11		1	3	95	102		7
Waycross.....	12	2	2	25	1					8	48	50	35				28			3				100	103		3
West Blocton.....	12	1	1	5	13		25			4	12									4		2	2	28	28		
TOTALS.....	333	30	30	342	190	110	371	68	65	153	1009	442	383	176	30	210	354	9	10	98	49	9	34	1047	1041	49	43

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NAME OF CHURCH	Number Members Under 14 Years	Associate Members	Baptized	Local Preachers	Members Tithing	Number Sunday Schools	Number of Officers	Number of Teachers	Whole Number of Scholars	Total Number in Main School	Average Attendance	Scholars in Home Dept.	Cradle Roll	Total Number in Sunday School	Number of Scholars Converted	Number of Scholars Joining Church	Department Superintendents	Number in Teacher Training Course	Number of Organized Classes	Number of Books in Library	W. Y. P. Societies	W. Y. P. S. Members	Church Buildings	Value of Buildings
Active.....					7	1	2	4	30	36	21			36									1	\$ 800 00
Ada Chapel.....	1			5	5	1	2	5	55	55	30			57	5				2		1	15	1	800 00
Akron.....						1	2	3	21	26	15			26	1	1							1	525 00
Anniston.....				1	12	1	13	5	128	138	70			138	9						1	16	1	1800 00
Bessemer.....					5	1	3	3	26	32	18			32	3				3	15			1	3000 00
Birmingham.....				4	23	1	7	9	126	192	85	6	50	192	9	1	4	20	6	150	1		1	75000 00
Brent.....					26	1	3	7	63	73	58		26	99			1		10		1		1	2200 00
East Lake.....				3	15	1	4	5	41	50	41		10	60	1	3	1	3			1	10	1	2000 00
Fairview.....	4		5		12	1	2	4	45	51	40		4	55					4	45	1	11	1	1800 00
Friendship.....					3	1	2	4	38	44	23			44							1	12	1	925 00
Golden Grove.....				1	2	1	2	3	11	14	9			14									1	500 00
Jasper.....				2	12	1	3	4	51	58	31			58					4				1	500 00
Mentone.....		2		1	30	1	2	5	50	54	31	4	6	60	4	1	2		5		1	23	1	1500 00
Mt. Carmel.....				1	6	1	2	3	40	45	25			45	2								1	2000 00
Mt. Olive.....					3	1	2	4	40	42	24			42	2								1	200 00
Mt. Vernon.....																							1	600 00
Mt. Zion.....						1	4	4	55	63	30			55	10						1	30	1	2500 00
Nixon's Chapel.....			5	1	6	1	3	8	120	132	86			132	6	4					1	24	1	3000 00
Pell City.....				4	30	1	6	7	90	103	58	12	25	140	2	2	4		4	10	1	20	1	5600 00
Selma.....	3			1	20	1	2	5	45	50	32			45	6	11					1	28	1	2000 00
Springdale.....		3		3	5	1	2	6	85	93	66	4	8	97			1		12	1	45		1	2500 00
Stanton.....				3	19	1	4	6	56	66	40	7	4	67	5		3	12	3	4			1	1200 00
Sylacauga.....	2			1	4	1	2	4	35	41	25			41		2							1	500 00
Taladega 1st.....	1		1	4	18	1	3	8	204	215	79		25	240	8	6	1		55	1	10		1	3000 00
Talladega N. St.....	2			2	9	1	2	5	37	45	35		4	49			1				1	12	1	3000 00
Tuscaloosa.....				1	45	1	4	10	240	254	131	10		240			4		10	25	1	25	1	6500 00
Waycross.....	2			2	25	2	4	8	104	120	71			120		1			8	5	1	12	2	2830 00
West Blocton.....			1		8	1	1	5	65	71	50			50				5		25			1	2000 00
TOTALS.....	15	5	12	40	350	28	88	144	1901	2163	1224	43	162	2234	72	32	22	40	49	365	17	293	29	\$27780 00

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NAME OF CHURCH	Amount of Indebtedness	Parsonages	Value of Parsonage	Cash or Other Values on Hand	Pastor's Salary	Parsonage Rent	Marriage and Funeral Fees	Gifts	Total Pastor's Receipts	Conference President's Salary	Other Evangelistic Help	Sunday School Expense
Active.....	\$		\$	\$ 75 00	\$ 168 80	\$	\$	\$ 51 20	\$ 220 00	\$ 16 50	\$ 47 00	\$ 23 36
Ada Chapel.....		1	800 00	62 00	161 78	30 00		2 00	19) 78	22 00	43 00	26 30
Akron.....					85 15			6 05	91 10	5 50	27 50	7 19
Anniston.....				323 25	572 80		11 00	144 55	728 35	35 00	66 00	69 16
Bessemer.....				150 00	277 52	120 00		10 00	407 52	25 00	86 65	19 96
Birmingham.....				2514 85	1840 00			193 71	2033 71	75 00	480 74	398 10
Brent.....		1	1500 00	700 00	349 00				349 00	46 00	125 00	76 36
East Lake.....				238 02	712 20			38 96	751 16	26 00	97 75	57 07
Fairview.....		1	1200 00	75 00	505 00	96 00	2 00	161 10	764 10	20 50	191 53	71 79
Friendship.....	8 50	1	750 00	35 00	79 37			24 17	103 54	14 70	8 35	5 77
Golden Grove.....				5 00	118 20	60 00		1 25	179 45	5 50	25 00	9 37
Jasper.....				100 00	78 00			10 00	88 00	15 85	65 30	23 96
Mentone.....		1	1000 00	375 00	540 00	120 00	5 00	230 00	895 00	51 50	191 75	73 18
Mt. Carmel.....				125 00	115 00		4 00	40 25	159 25	16 25	17 31	
Mt. Olive.....				76 00	76 00				76 00	5 00	22 30	13 23
Mt. Vernon.....				15 00	128 50			53 90	182 43	8 75	19 33	3 75
Mt. Zion.....				45 00	144 69			10 00	154 69	15 60	13 36	44 97
Nixon's Chapel.....					400 00				400 00	20 00	150 00	49 50
Pell City.....		1	2250 00	975 00	1300 00	300 00	22 00	100 00	1722 00	51 50	165 00	
Selma.....	300 00			150 00	829 16	144 00	14 00	275 00	1262 00	10 50	82 50	137 39
Springdale.....		1	1800 00	1078 00	600 00	135 00		25 00	770 00	23 00	122 49	150 05
Stanton.....		1	1000 00		888 02	144 00	2 00	403 01	1137 03	25 50	197 55	84 21
Sylacauga.....				75 00	95 00				95 00	15 00	10 00	18 79
Taladega 1st.....		1	2000 00	450 00	967 00	380 00	7 00	374 00	1728 00	41 50	387 25	190 36
Talladega N. St.....				300 00	627 69		2 00	20 00	649 69	26 50	76 35	63 85
Tuscaloosa.....		1	2181 00	700 00	1140 00	480 00	11 00	152 00	1783 00	79 90	125 00	110 81
Waycross.....		1	425 00	225 00	718 85	45 00		176 00	939 85	25 50	141 00	41 55
West Blocton.....		1	1200 00	75 00	375 00	84 00	6 00	34 60	499 60	25 50	39 00	57 00
TOTALS.....	\$ 308 50	12	\$16106 00	\$ 8866 12	\$13692 73	\$ 2138 00	\$ 86 00	\$ 2535 85	\$18663 25	\$ 749 05	\$ 3024 01	\$ 1827 03

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NAME OF CHURCH	Buildings and Repairs	Incidental Expenses	Total for Churches	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Education	Conference Missions	Superannuated Minister's Fund	Connectional S. S. Work	W. Y. P. S.	Other Benevolent Objects	Orphanage	Minute Fund	Total for Benevolences	Total for all Purposes
Active.....	\$ 3 00	\$ 89 86	\$ 19 00	\$ 62 00	\$ 38 75	\$ 31 00	\$ 3 80	\$ 2 00	\$ 50 00	\$ 7 75	\$ 2 00	\$ 216 30	\$ 526 16		
Ada Chapel.....	50 00	5 00	146 30	8 00	11 65	9 00	10 00	1 00	19 50	4 00	63 15	403 23			
Akron.....	2 00		42 19	1 00	1 00	1 00					3 00	136 19			
Anniston.....	1147 56	162 50	1480 22	23 35	8 25	45 00	36 00	5 30	2 00	5 00	30 00	11 00	167 90	2376 47	
Bessemer.....		60 22	191 83	11 51	61 73	18 85	15 00	3 00			30 00	7 54	147 63	746 98	
Birmingham.....	120 96	976 26	1836 30	59 85	142 75	88 75		3 00	16 00		108 99	22 75	445 89	4315 90	
Brent.....	900 85	326 29	1474 50	32 97	28 99		30 00	4 80			65 25	18 00	2 50	182 50	2006 00
East Lake.....	4 15	35 67	220 64	45 05	74 28	33 04	20 00	2 30	4 70	39 25	124 13	11 00	1 25	355 00	1326 80
Fairview.....	678 70	15 00	977 52	13 50	58 00	36 25	32 00	3 00	6 70	6 25	109 70	7 25		267 65	2009 27
Friendship.....	75 00	2 00	105 82	3 70	3 50				1 00		24 40			32 60	241 96
Golden Grove.....			39 87	1 00	8 00	2 50	2 00	90	1 40		7 96	1 60	50	25 86	245 18
Jasper.....	26 95	50 98	182 94	15 00	30 00	15 00	17 00	1 30	2 90	2 55	12 50	4 00	75	114 00	384 94
Mentone.....	339 95	406 52	1062 90	23 53	94 03	58 75	44 75	4 90	6 80	9 00	249 54	16 25	2 50	510 05	2467 95
Mt. Carmel.....		23 20	56 76	17 00	17 00	18 00	20 00	5 70	3 70			5 00	2 00	88 40	304 41
Mt. Olive.....			40 53	2 25				50	2 00					4 75	120 28
Mt. Vernon.....	283 79		315 62											498 05	
Mt. Zion.....	98 31	24 25	196 49	12 00	18 00	12 00	8 00	6 00	2 00			10 00	2 00	70 00	421 18
Nixon's Chapel.....	202 50	40 00	962 05		10 00			1 50				10 00		21 50	1383 55
Pell City.....	497 50	146 73	765 59	76 10	189 50	46 35	13 04	4 00	6 85		823 00	21 25		1180 18	3667 77
Selma.....	171 60	145 68	527 17	15 64	32 00	20 00	16 00	1 25	4 70		70 43	8 86		168 88	1958 05
Springdale.....	233 38	118 54	647 46	27 31	64 65	30 81	30 51	2 30	4 25	5 00	254 72	15 00		430 70	1848 16
Stanton.....	776 84	203 46	1287 56	6 50	20 27			4 40	4 70		121 41	15 24	2 20	180 71	2903 30
Sylacauga.....	191 66	2 25	237 70								1 00	6 00		7 00	339 70
Taladega 1st.....	411 80	358 66	1399 63	71 49	84 75	66 25	53 00	6 20	10 50	15 00	151 10	15 50	2 65	476 44	3594 07
Talladega N. St.....	1 00	108 58	276 28	44 70	11 24	5 40		2 00		36 11	60 00	13 00	2 20	115 25	104 22
Tuscaloosa.....	681 50	330 51	1347 82	55 50	43 89	81 00	25 00	9 30	8 54		14 00	24 68		266 56	3397 38
Waycross.....	830 00	18 00	1062 05	19 31	3 68	2 00	1 00	65	2 11	63 66	7 00	5 85		110 07	2099 80
West Blocton.....	50 00	10 00	181 50	8 28	27 10	2 50	2 50				15 25	9 06		64 69	745 79
TOTALS.....	\$7776 00	\$3573 39	\$17245 20	\$ 613 54	\$1106 26	\$ 631 20	\$ 406 80	\$ 82 10	\$ 92 75	\$ 181 82	\$2349 88	\$ 270 58	\$ 20 55	\$5716 66	\$40572 74