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# HOLSTON ANNUAL CONFERENCE

## METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

### Sessions of the Conferences of the M. E. Church in the "Holston Country"

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE

Year	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1788	May 13	Keywoods, Va.....	Francis Asbury	.....
1790	May 14	Masterson's, Ky. ..	Francis Asbury	.....
1792	May 12	Huffakers, Va. ....	Francis Asbury	.....
1793	April 15	Nashville, Tenn. ...	.....	.....
1794	April 15	Kentucky .....	.....	.....
1795	May 1	Kentucky .....	.....	.....
1796	April 20	Dawes, Tenn. ....	Francis Asbury	.....
1797	May 1	Bethel, Ky. ....	.....	.....
1798	May 2	Holston, Tenn. ....	Francis Asbury	.....
1799	May 1	Bethel, Ky. ....	.....	.....
1800	April 4	Dunworth .....	.....	.....
1800	Oct. 6	Bethel Academy, Ky.	Francis Asbury	William Burk
1801	Oct. 1	Ebenezer, Tenn. ...	Francis Asbury	William Burk
1802	Oct. 1	Bethel, Cumberland County, Tenn. ...	Francis Asbury	William Burk
1803	Oct. 2	Mount Gerizim, Ky.	Francis Asbury	William Burk
1804	Oct. 2	Mount Gerizim, Ky.	Wm. McKendree	William Burk
1805	Oct. 2	Anthony Houston, Scott Co., Ky. ...	(Francis Asbury Rich'd Whatcoat	William Burk
1806	Sept. 15	Ebenezer, Tenn. ...	Francis Asbury	William Burk
1807	Sept. 14	Chillicothe, Ohio. ..	Francis Asbury	William Burk
1808	Oct. 1	Liberty Hill, Tenn...	Francis Asbury	William Burk
1809	Sept. 30	Cincinnati, Ohio. ..	(Wm. McKendree Francis Asbury	William Burk
1810	Nov. 1	New Chapel, Shelby Co., Ky. ....	Wm. McKendree	William Burk
1811	Oct. 1	Cincinnati, Ohio. ..	Wm. McKendree	Le'ar Blackburn

## TENNESSEE CONFERENCE

Year	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1812	Nov. 12	F'tn Head, Tenn. . .	(Francis Asbury (Wm. McKendree	William B. Elgin
1813	Oct. 1	Ree's Chapel, Tenn..	(Francis Asbury (Wm. McKendree	William B. Elgin
1814	Sept. 29	Kennerlys, Ky. ....	(Francis Asbury (Wm. McKendree	Thos. L. Douglas
1815	Oct. 20	Bethlehem, Ky. ....	(Francis Asbury (Wm. McKendree	Thos. L. Douglas
1816	Oct. 26	Franklin, Tenn. ...	Wm. McKendree	Thos. L. Douglas
1817	Oct. 30	Franklin, Tenn. ...	*T. L. Douglas..	Hardy M. Coyer
1818	Oct. 1	Nashville, Tenn. ...	(Wm. McKendree (Enoch George..	Chas. Holliday
1819	Oct. 1	Nashville, Tenn. ...	(Wm. McKendree (Enoch George..	Chas. Holliday
1820	Oct. 4	Hopkinsville, Ky....	*Marcus Lindsey.	Chas. Holliday
1821	Nov. 7	Norvells Cmp: Grd..	(Wm. McKendree (Robt. R. Roberts	Thos. L. Douglas
1822	Oct. 16	Ebenezer, Tenn. ...	(Enoch George.. (Wm. McKendree	Thos. L. Douglas
1823	Nov.	Huntsville, Ala. ...	(Enoch George..	Thos. L. Douglas
1824	Nov. 27	Knoxville, Tenn. ...	Robt. R. Roberts	John Tevis
1825	Oct. 20	Jonesboro, Tenn. ...	(Robt. R. Roberts (Joshua Soule ..	Thos. Stringfield
1826	Nov. 2	Abingdon, Va. ....	Joshua Soule ..	Thos. Stringfield
1827	Nov. 1	Knoxville, Tenn. ...	Robt. R. Roberts	Elbert F. Sevier
1828	Nov. 14	Jonesboro, Tenn. ...	Joshua Soule ..	Elbert F. Sevier
1829	Dec. 24	Abingdon, Va. ....	Joshua Soule ..	Elbert F. Sevier
1830	Nov. 4	Ebenezer, Tenn. ...	(Wm. McKendree (Joshua Soule ..	Elbert F. Sevier
1831	Nov. 10	Athens, Tenn. ....	Elijah Hedding..	Elbert F. Sevier
1832	Nov. 15	Evensham, Tenn. ...	John Emory ...	Thos. Stringfield
1833	Oct. 16	Kingsport, Tenn. ...	Robt. R. Roberts	Lew S. Marshall
1834	Oct. 8	Knoxville, Tenn. ...	*Jno. Henninger.	Lew S. Marshall
1835	Oct. 7	Abingdon, Va. ....	Jas. O. Andrew.	Lew S. Marshall
1836	Oct. 2	Madisonville, Tenn..	Thos. A. Morris	Lew S. Marshall
1837	Oct. 18	Reem's Creek, N. C.	Jas. O. Andrew.	Lew S. Marshall
1838	Nov. 13	Wytheville, Va. ....	Jas. O. Andrew.	Lew S. Marshall
1839	Oct. 13	Greeneville, Tenn...	*Thos. K. Catlett	D. R. McAnally
1840	Nov. 11	LaFayette, Ga. ....	Thos. A. Morris	Elbert F. Sevier
1841	Oct. 6	Rogersville, Tenn. ...	*Samuel Patten..	Elbert F. Sevier
1842	Oct. 5	Knoxville, Tenn. ...	Beverly Waugh.	Elbert F. Sevier
1843	Oct. 4	Abingdon, Va. ....	Thos. A. Morris.	Elbert F. Sevier
1844	Oct. 9	Reem's Creek, N. C.	Edm'd S. Janes.	Elbert F. Sevier

## HOLSTON CONFERENCE RE-ORGANIZED

Year	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1865	June 1	Athens, Tenn. ....	D. W. Clark ...	John F. Spence
1866	May 17	Greeneville, Tenn...	D. W. Clark ...	John F. Spence
1867	Oct. 3	Knoxville, Tenn. ...	C. Kingsley ....	John F. Spence
1868	Oct. 8	Chattanooga, Tenn.	D. W. Clark ....	John F. Spence
1869	Oct. 7	Jonesboro, Tenn.....	M. Simpson ....	John F. Spence

## HOLSTON CONFERENCE

Year	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1870	Oct. 3	Knoxville .....	L. Scott .....	John J. Manker
1871	Oct. 11	Greeneville .....	L. Scott .....	John J. Manker
1872	Oct. 2	Cleveland .....	S. M. Merrill ..	John J. Manker
1873	Oct. 1	Knoxville .....	G. Haven .....	John J. Manker
1874	Sept. 30	Chattanooga .....	E. G. Andrews..	John J. Manker
1875	Sept. 29	Greeneville .....	T. Bowman ....	John J. Manker
1876	Oct. 4	Kingston .....	L. Scott .....	John J. Manker
1877	Sept. 27	Knoxville .....	W. L. Harris ....	John J. Manker
1878	Oct. 2	New Market .....	L. Scott .....	John J. Manker
1879	Oct. 15	Knoxville .....	I. W. Wiley ....	John J. Manker
1880	Oct. 20	Greeneville .....	E. O. Haven ...	Jas. D. Roberson
1881	Oct. 20	Maryville .....	E. G. Andrews..	Judson S. Hill
1882	Oct. 19	Chattanooga .....	M. Simpson ....	Judson S. Hill
1883	Oct. 17	Knoxville .....	T. Bowman ....	Judson S. Hill
1884	Oct. 16	Greeneville .....	H. W. Warren ..	Thos. B. Russell
1885	Oct. 15	Johnson City .....	J. F. Hurst ....	Thos. B. Russell
1886	Oct. 20	Athens .....	W. F. Mallalieu	Thos. B. Russell
1887	Oct. 12	Knoxville .....	E. G. Andrews..	Thos. B. Russell
1888	Oct. 10	Cleveland .....	J. N. Fitzgerald	Thos. B. Russell
1889	Oct. 9	Dayton .....	I. W. Joyce ....	Thos. B. Russell
1890	Oct. 9	Greeneville .....	J. M. Walden ..	Thos. B. Russell
1891	Oct. 21	Chattanooga .....	W. X. Ninde ..	Thos. B. Russell
1892	Oct. 5	Morristown .....	C. D. Foss ....	Thos. B. Russell
1893	Oct. 17	Maryville .....	S. M. Merrill ..	Thos. B. Russell
1894	Oct. 17	Johnson City .....	R. S. Foster ...	Thos. B. Russell
1895	Oct. 9	Knoxville .....	D. A. Goodsell .	Thos. B. Russell
1896	Sept. 30	Newport .....	W. F. Mallalieu	James H. Amis
1897	Sept. 23	Athens .....	E. G. Andrews..	James H. Amis
1898	Oct. 13	Elizabethton .....	J. H. Vincent ..	James H. Amis
1899	Oct. 11	Cleveland .....	C. D. Foss ....	James H. Amis
1900	Oct. 3	Chattanooga .....	D. A. Goodsell .	James H. Amis
1901	Oct. 9	Morristown .....	J. W. Hamilton	James H. Amis
1902	Oct. 2	Maryville .....	J. M. Walden...	James H. Amis
1903	Sept. 23	Knoxville .....	I. W. Joyce ....	James H. Amis
1904	Oct. 6	Newport .....	H. W. Warren..	James H. Amis
1905	Oct. 11	Harriman .....	C. H. Fowler ..	Jas. J. Robinette
1906	Oct. 11	Greeneville .....	W. F. McDowell	Jas. J. Robinette
1907	Oct. 9	Knoxville .....	L. B. Wilson...	Jas. J. Robinette
1908	Oct. 7	Johnson City .....	D. A. Goodsell .	Burton M. Martin
1909	Oct. 20	Morristown .....	W. F. Anderson.	Burton M. Martin
1910	Oct. 12	Athens .....	W. F. Anderson.	Burton M. Martin
1911	Oct. 25	Knoxville .....	W. F. Anderson.	Burton M. Martin
1912	Oct. 23	Chattanooga .....	T. S. Henderson	Robt. L. Stapleton
1913	Oct. 15	Maryville .....	T. S. Henderson	Robt. L. Stapleton
1914	Oct. 21	Cleveland .....	T. S. Henderson	Robt. L. Stapleton
1915	Oct. 13	Athens .....	T. S. Henderson	Robt. L. Stapleton

\*Elders elected to preside in absence of a Bishop.

In 1844 the great division occurred, and in 1845 the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was organized. Continuous activity in Holston Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, was abandoned until the close of the Civil War. In 1865 the Holston Conference was reorganized at Athens, Tenn., under the Presidency of Bishop David W. Clark.

## OUR SAINTED DEAD

"These all died in faith, not having received the promises, but having seen them afar off, and were persuaded of them, and embraced them and confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth."—  
 Heb. 11:13.

Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
John Tunnell	1755	1777—Virginia	July 1790	Dew's Chapel, W. Va.
Moses Black	1769	1796—S. Carolina	Feb. 3, 1809	Abingdon, Va.
Geo. Atkin		1817—Ohio	1827	
J. G. H. Spear		1821—Tennessee	1833	
Harvey B. Cumming		1829—Holston	1835	
John Henninger	Dec. 16, 1784	1807—Western	Dec. 23, 1838	Cleveland, Tenn.
Arnold Patton	Oct. 10, 1809	1829—Holston	Apr. 5, 1839	Lebanon, Russell Co., Va.
Jno. Craig		1807—Western	1840	
Mitchell Martin		1837—Holston	1840	Charleston, Tenn.
W. B. Murphy		1833—Holston	1842	
Ira Falls		1832—Holston	1844	Kingston, Tenn.
Willis Ingle	1805	1844—Holston	Oct. 30, 1867	Craig's Mill, Wash. Co., Va.
David Fleming	May 4, 1799	1824—Holston	Aug. 28, 1868	Kingston, Tenn.
Jas Cumming	Oct. 26, 1787	1820—Tennessee	June 20, 1869	Shiloh, Sevier County, Tenn.
W. A. Marshall	Apr. 12, 1819	1869—Holston	Sept. 29, 1871	Klontz Chapel, Clay County, N. C.
W. H. H. Duggan	July 3, 1815	1845—Holston	Aug. 11, 1872	Wilson Sta., McMinn County, Tenn.
Joseph Milburn	Jan. 23, 1800	1861—Holston	Jan. 18, 1873	Milburnton, Greene County, Tenn.
Isaac Forkner	Dec. 25, 1794	1867—Holston	Apr. 7, 1873	Otis, Hawkins County, Tenn.
Jno. Leach		1826—Pittsburg	1873	
Robert Clark		1870—Holston	Aug. 9, 1873	Atlanta, Ga.
N. E. Cobleigh	Nov. 24, 1814	1844—New England	Feb. 1, 1874	Red Hill, Bradley County, Tenn.
Elijah Still	Sept. 4, 1805	1831—Holston	Apr. 12, 1875	
Samuel Patterson		1868—Holston	Mar. 21, 1875	
M. H. B. Burkett	July 11, 1811	1864—Kentucky	Nov. 12, 1875	Chatata, Bradley County, Tenn.
W. P. Fair		1870—Holston	Dec. 13, 1876	

## OUR SAINTED DEAD—Continued

Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
J. M. Adams	July 22, 1840	1866—Virginia	July 9, 1878	Harrison, Hamilton County, Tenn.
R. H. Guthrie	Mar. 27, 1820	1851—Holston	May 20, 1881	Fanning's Cha., Henderson Co., N. C.
G. W. Henninger	Feb. 2, 1851	1874—Holston	Apr. 23, 1881	Burville, Tenn.
Jno. Forester	May 7, 1801	1861—Holston	Dec. 3, 1881	Carpenter's, C. G., Blount Co., Tenn.
Spencer Henry	Oct. 24, 1805	1868—Holston	June 3, 1883	Leicester, N. C.
B. F. Wells	July 15, 1813	1838—Holston	May 16, 1884	Chilkutt's Chap., Bradley Co., Tenn.
W. B. Ballinger	June 25, 1825	1852—Holston	Oct. 15, 1884	Greeneville, Tenn.
J. R. Hughes	May 7, 1839	1867—Holston	May 13, 1886	Milburnton, Greene County, Tenn.
J. P. Milburn	May 5, 1832	1861—Holston	Oct. 20, 1886	Carter's Cem'ty, Jefferson Co., Tenn.
Daniel Carter	Oct. 6, 1813	1865—Holston	Aug. 30, 1887	Titusville, Fla.
J. W. Holden	Oct. 29, 1858	1885—Holston	Sept. 18, 1887	Locust Springs, Greene County, Tenn.
J. F. Morrison	Mar. 19, 1826	1869—Virginia	June 26, 1887	Happy Valley, Carter County, Tenn.
N. G. Taylor	Dec. 29, 1819	1872—Holston	April 1, 1887	Cumming's Chap., Sevier Co., Tenn.
Lemuel Bogart	Apr. 29, 1808	1866—Holston	May 3, 1888	Rockwood, Tenn.
W. T. Jones	Feb. 27, 1861	1883—Holston	July 28, 1888	Cedar Grove, Greene County, Tenn.
Moses Seaton	June 2, 1829	1857—Holston	Apr. 17, 1889	New Salem, Knox County, Tenn.
Wm. N. Haskell	June 11, 1818	1844—Miss.	Feb. 8, 1890	Athens Tenn.
C. S. Long	Jan. 3, 1850	1875—Holston	Oct. 14, 1890	Cleveland, Tenn.
W. H. Rogers	Mar. 22, 1813	1832—Holston	Mar. 17, 1891	Wesleyana, McMinn County, Tenn.
E. B. Clark	Oct. 10, 1830	1869—Holston	Apr. 3, 1891	Sugar Creek, Bradley County, Tenn.
W. D. Smith	Jan. 28, 1832	1867—Georgia	July 17, 1893	Chestee, Monroe County, Tenn.
G. M. Hicks	May 11, 1833	1862—Holston	April 28, 1894	Pippins Church, Washington Co., Va.
H. J. Crumley	July 25, 1822	1869—Holston	Nov. 9, 1893	Burville, Tenn.
A. B. Wright	Nov. 3, 1826	1867—Holston	Sept. 15, 1894	Clinton, Tenn.
J. P. Morton	Aug. 26, 1855	1889—Holston	Nov. 9, 1895	Jefferson City, Tenn.
A. G. Watkins	May 5, 1818	1867—Holston	Nov. 20, 1895	New Tazewell, Tenn.
A. J. Greer	Dec. 18, 1832	1856—Holston	Jan. 6, 1896	Oliver Springs, Tenn.
S. B. Scott	Nov. 3, 1829	1877—Holston		

## OUR SAINTED DEAD—Continued

Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
W. C. Graves	Aug. 13, 1815	1834—Holston	Jan. 29, 1896	Morristown, Tenn.
E. L. Fillmore	June 11, 1864	1891—S. Dak.	Aug. 12, 1896	White Oak Cem., Chattanooga, Tenn.
D. B. Lawton	June 5, 1814	1836—Black River	May 12, 1896	Interlochlin, Fla.
D. S. Hodsdon	Feb. 28, 1848	1875—Holston	Dec. 25, 1896	Maryville, Tenn.
D. H. Jameson	May 26, 1869	1894—Holston	Jan. 30, 1897	Bowling Green, Ohio.
Jno. W. Mann	Aug. 9, 1835	1857—Holston	May 20, 1897	South Knoxville, Tenn.
W. C. Daily	Oct. 16, 1818	1843—Holston	June 27, 1897	South Knoxville, Tenn.
A. F. Creswell	Feb. 3, 1848	1875—Holston	June 10, 1897	Ebenezer, Jefferson County, Tenn.
Daniel Richardson	Sept. 11, 1832	1868—Holston	June 30, 1897	Straight Creek, Claiborne Co., Tenn.
Samuel Greer	Sept. 22, 1811	1867—Holston	Oct. 9, 1897	Scarboro, Tenn.
J. U. Davis	Mar. 4, 1876	1899—Holston	Feb. 11, 1900	Thorn Grove, Knox County, Tenn.
L. O. Crowder	Feb. 10, 1844	1870—Miss.	Jan. 11, 1900	Spring Creek, Miss.
P. H. Scarborough	Apr. 12, 1870	1899—Holston	Oct. 31, 1902	Concord, Tenn.
T. H. Russell	June 23, 1833	1859—Holston	Apr. 11, 1902	Sunbright, Tenn.
J. B. Fitzgerald	Sept. 26, 1826	1850—Holston	May 30, 1902	Chucky, Tenn.
P. H. Reed	Mar. 19, 1830	1853—Holston	May 6, 1904	Greeneville, Tenn.
J. B. Seaton	Dec. 28, 1831	1867—Holston	Apr. 8, 1905	Wildwood, Blount County, Tenn.
G. M. Stout	July 10, 1859	1892—Holston	Oct. 12, 1905	Andersonville, Tenn.
G. B. Cox	Dec. 20, 1848	1884—Holston	Nov. 27, 1905	Sulphur Springs, Wash. County, Tenn.
Geo. Julian	July 10, 1812	1868—Holston	Mar. 5, 1906	Tyner's Sta., Tenn.
W. R. Long	Feb. 23, 1819	1844—Holston	May 23, 1906	Athens, Tenn.
Jno. C. Hodge	Aug. 16, 1847	1888—Holston	Aug. 23, 1906	Whitehorn, Tenn.
J. D. Lawson	Jan. 12, 1826	1868—Holston	Nov. 15, 1906	Wear's Valley, Sevier County, Tenn.
Wm. Kinland	Sept. 26, 1836	1857—Holston	Aug. 9, 1907	Joppa, Grainger County, Tenn.
R. O. Avers	Sept. 13, 1831	1864—Cin.	Oct. 7, 1907	Cedar Springs, McMinn County, Tenn.
Robt. Walker	Aug. 24, 1865	1897—Holston	Dec. 24, 1908	Wildwood, Blount County, Tenn.
T. G. Chase	Oct. 22, 1850	1873—Georgia	Feb. 10, 1908	Cleveland, Tenn.
G. W. Clendennen	Mar. 5, 1852	1889—Holston	May 26, 1908	Wildwood, Blount County, Tenn.



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Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
T. A. Cass	Jan. 13, 1836	1861—Holston	June 16, 1909	Cedar Springs, McMinn County, Tenn.
J. B. Little	Feb. 7, 1826	1852—Holston	June 29, 1909	Fincastle, Campbell County, Tenn.
T. S. Walker	May 24, 1840	1861—Holston	June 30, 1909	Morristown, Tenn.
S. W. Hyden	Dec. 15, 1823	1861—Holston	Aug. 5, 1909	Maryville, Tenn.
T. D. Rowe	Sept. 11, 1876	1898—B. Ridge	Feb. 15, 1910	Roan Mt., Tenn.
J. L. Cardwell	Sept. 20, 1832	1866—Holston	Oct. 20, 1910	Witt's Foundry, Hamblen Co., Tenn.
P. S. Petty	June 24, 1838	1866—Holston	Feb. 4, 1911	National Cemetary, Chattanooga, Tenn.
J. H. Henry	Mar. 25, 1838	1878—Holston	June 25, 1911	Maryville, Tenn.
L. B. Caldwell	Jan. 10, 1834	1856—Bay Quinte	Nov. 14, 1911	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Jno. F. Spence	Feb. 3, 1828	1853—Cinn.	June 24, 1912	Knoxville, Tenn.
J. A. Pearce	Aug. 4, 1849	1872—Holston	Apr. 1, 1912	Pl. Hill, Meigs County, Tenn.
W. C. Miller	Jan. 1, 1839	1860—Pittsburg	Apr. 5, 1912	Knoxville, Tenn.
M. A. Rule	Jan. 9, 1852	1882—Holston	June 18, 1912	Knoxville, Tenn.
M. C. Robertson	Apr. 4, 1844	1875—Holston	Mar. 20, 1912	Beaver Ridge, Knox County, Tenn.
A. Y. Snavelly	Nov. 28, 1847	1879—Holston	June 18, 1912	Pigeon Forge, Sevier County, Tenn.
Thos. B. Russell	July 5, 1846	1889—Holston	Nov. 8, 1911	Well Spring, Tenn.
Noble C. Burkhardt	Nov. 22, 1854	1875—Holston	Oct. 11, 1912	Johnson City, Tenn.
John H. Jennings	Feb. 26, 1844	1887—Virginia	Jan. 7, 1914	Hubbard Springs, Va.
G. T. Newcomb	Aug. 22, 1837	1869—Holston	Jan. 14, 1914	Chattanooga, Tenn.
R. A. Scott	July 14, 1847	.....	Feb. 17, 1914	Hatcher's Cemt., Roanoke Co., Va.
J. M. Durham	Mar. 22, 1842	1872—Virginia	May 10, 1914	Knoxville, Tenn.
W. C. Haltom	Nov. 1, 1842	1867—Holston	July 19, 1914	Knoxville, Tenn.
J. N. Baker	June 14, 1866	1901—Blue Ridge	Oct. 1, 1914	Rockwood, Tenn.
S. D. Tuttle	Jan. 10, 1839	1869—Holston	Oct. 9, 1914	Fall Branch, Tenn.
	Sept. 17, 1866	—Georgia	July 26, 1915	

## MEMOIR



SHERMAN D. TUTTLE

Rev. Sherman Dexter Tuttle was born September 17, 1866, at Venango, Crawford County, Pa. He was the son of Melitus and Helen Tuttle.

After receiving a common school education he attended the Cambridge Springs, Pa., High School, also Edinboro State Normal School. He then took a business course at Meadville, Pa., taught in business college one year, worked in Division Freight Agent's office seven years.

He was married to Dora I. Torry of Venango, Pa., September 17, 1889. To this union was born two children, Mrs. Bessie Hampton, of Dayton, Tenn., and Prof. Otis Tuttle, of Vanceboro, N. C.

Brother Tuttle, feeling the call to the work of the ministry, gave up his position with the Pa. R. R., and in the fall of 1896 he came south and entered the U. S. Grant University, now, the University of Chattanooga. He completed his work there in May, 1899; leaving school he went to take charge of one of our church schools in Georgia Conference. The school was then called Attalla, but is now called Epworth. It was then one of our poorest and now one of our best schools in Georgia Conference. His wise administration had a large part in its present success. In December, 1900, he went to serve the church at Fitzgerald, Ga., and there the typhoid fever seized him and left him with a weak lung, he was then transferred to the Holston Conference and stationed at Lonsdale and from there he went to Highland Park. It was through his wise planning that we have that magnificent building at Highland Park.

He was District Superintendent of Chattanooga District from Oct., 1909, to June, 1911.

Health failed him in February, 1911, and he preached his last sermon the first Sunday in that month. He went to Asheville, N. C., in March of 1911 and remained there until April the 10th, 1914, then went to Dayton, Tenn., where he passed to his reward July 26, 1915.

Brother Tuttle was courageous, faithful and true to his calling, never fearing to declare the whole counsel of God. He possessed a bright and cheerful disposition and his life was an inspiration to all who came in contact with him and he was deeply loved by all who knew him.

During his long illness he was kind, cheerful, and patient, and his confidence in God was firm.

To his faithful wife and children we extend our sympathy.

"Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

T. R. BAKER.

## CONFERENCE RULES

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1. No person shall absent himself from the session of the conference without leave, unless he be sick or otherwise unable to attend.

2. The secretary shall keep a journal of the conference proceedings, which he shall cause to be published in the Annual Journal of the conference, and it shall be the official journal. He shall edit the minutes and all matter for publication, and shall make contracts for the printing of the journal as in his judgment may seem best. He shall have charge of the journal and conference files, and forward them to the place of the meeting of the annual conference each year.

3. All committees whose reports are to be printed in the journal shall present their reports to the secretary in writing, otherwise the committee on publication is not required to insert such reports in the journal.

4. All candidates for admission on trial, for admission into full membership, for admission on credentials from other churches, for readmission and for recognition of orders, shall be required to appear before the Committee on Conference Relations and the Board of Examiners, and to furnish such information as may be required touching their general character and their qualifications for the ministry.

5. All cases involving a change in conference relations or withdrawal, shall be referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

6. Widows of deceased ministers who have never traveled with their husbands may be temporary claimants, and shall be referred to the board of stewards, who shall decide each case from year to year.

7. The chairman of the board of stewards shall be ex-officio one of the assistant secretaries of the conference for secretarial work in connection with conference claimants, and shall be the last member of the Committee on Memoirs.

8. The memorial service for deceased members, and for the wives of deceased members, shall be the special order for the first day of the conference session immediately after the organization of the conference.

9. Conference visitors shall be allowed 10 minutes in which to address the conference. District Superintendents reports shall be limited to 15 minutes, and reports of committees, except the board of stewards, to five minutes.

10. All applications for special collections to be apportioned to the charges in the conference shall be referred to the Committee on Special Collections.

11. There shall be elected each year a Nominating Committee, consisting of three members, which committee shall nominate the standing Committees and the Committee on Nominations for the ensuing conference session. No member of the Nominating Committee shall be eligible for consecutive re-election to this committee.

12. When a resolution has been introduced by a member, before the person who introduced the resolution shall speak, the question of consideration may be raised by a member saying, 'Mr. President, on that I raise the question of consideration.' The question of consideration shall then be put without debate, and if there is a two-thirds vote against consideration, the resolution shall not be entertained; but if consideration be not denied, the member introducing it may speak to the resolution if it be seconded.

13. The standing committees confirmed each year by the conference shall be as follows: 1. American Bible Society; 2. Auditing; 3. Church Literature; 4. Conference Claimants; 5. Conference Relations; 6. Deaconess Work; 7. District Conference Records; 8. Education; 9. Epworth League; 10. Foreign Missions; 11. Freedman's Aid Society; 12. Home Missions and Church Extension; 13. Memoirs; 14. Nominations; 15. Public Worship; 16. Resolutions; 17. Sabbath Observance; 18. Sunday School; 19. State of the Church; 20. Social Service; 21. Special Collections; 22. Temperance; 23. Book Concern, Accounts.

## RULES OF ORDER

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1. The conference shall meet at 8:30 A. M., spending 30 minutes in devotional exercises, and adjourn at 11:45 A. M.

2. The president shall decide all questions of order, subject to appeal to the conference, and in case of appeal from the decision of the chair, the question shall be put without debate.

3. The president shall appoint all committees not otherwise provided for by the conference or the discipline, but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at a time.

4. All motions and resolutions introduced by any member shall be reduced to writing, if the president, secretary, or any member requests it.

5. No motion shall be considered unless it has been seconded.

6. A motion to adjourn shall be in order at any time, and shall be decided without debate.

7. When a motion, resolution or report has been read by the secretary, or stated by the president, it shall be deemed in possession of the conference, but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

8. No new resolution or motion shall be made until the one under consideration has been disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following should intervene, which motions shall have precedence in the following order: the previous question, indefinite postponement, laying on the table, reference to a committee, postponement to a given time, amendment or substitution.

9. When any motion or resolution shall have passed, it shall be in order for any member who voted in the affirmative, to move a reconsideration. The motion to reconsider shall be taken without debate.

10. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar of the conference when said question is put by the chairman, except by leave of the conference.

11. Every member who is within the bar of the conference at the time a question is put shall give in his vote thereon, unless the conference for a special reason shall excuse him.

12. When any member is about to speak in debate, or deliver any matter to the conference, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the chairman.

13. No person shall speak more than twice on the same subject, nor more than five minutes at any one time, without special leave of the conference, and no person shall speak more than once until every other member desiring to speak shall have done so.

14. No member shall be interrupted while speaking, except by the chairman to call him to order, when he departs from the question, or uses personalities or disrespectful language, but any member may call the attention of the chairman to the subject when he considers the speaker out of order, or any other member may explain when he thinks himself misrepresented.

15. It shall be in order to move that the question be taken without further debate, on any measure pending before the conference, except in case where character or conference relations are involved, and if sustained by a two-thirds vote, the question shall then be put.

16. No motion, resolution or report shall be laid on the table until the member introducing such motion, resolution or report has been allowed to speak on the subject.

17. It shall require a majority vote to sustain the call for the yeas and nays.

18. The motion to adjourn, to suspend the rules, to lay on the table, to take from the table, and the call for the previous question, shall be put without debate.

19. It shall require a two-thirds vote of the members present to suspend these rules.

## CONFERENCE DIRECTORY

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Those marked (a) were absent during the session; \*effective; ‡Supernumerary; §Retired; †Elected to the Episcopacy May, 1912.

No.	Name	Postoffice
1	§Amis, J. H. (a)	Los Angeles, Cal.
2	*Angel, S. P.	R. F. D., Knoxville, Tenn.
3	*Ayers, R. Ernest	Jefferson City, Tenn.
4	§Baker, J. A.	Lonsdale, Tenn.
5	*Baker, T. R.	Dayton, Tenn.
6	*Bales, George S.	Knoxville, Tenn.
7	*Bales, B. H.	Maryville, Tenn.
8	*Bandy, W. S.	Greeneville, Tenn.
9	*Beaman, A. S.	Newton, N. C.
10	*Bellamy, C. V.	Friendsville, Tenn.
11	‡Bird, J. T.	Knoxville, Tenn.
12	*Bishop, E. A.	Sevierville, Tenn.
13	*Boling, J. W.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
14	§Brown, Thomas W.	Morristown, Tenn.
15	*Branam, E. R.	Alton Park, Tenn.
16	*Bruner, M. C.	Englewood, Tenn.
17	*Bull, William M.	Dandridge, Tenn., R. F. D.
18	*Burnett, John S.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
19	*Byerly, W. R.	Baileyton, Tenn.
20	*Byrd, G. T.	Etowah, Tenn.
21	§Cadle, A. G. (a)	Shawnee, Tenn.
22	‡Cardwell, J. W. (a)	Lenoir City, Tenn.
23	‡Carey, Frank H.	Cleveland, Tenn.
24	*Clark, C. E.	705 Bailey Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
25	*Clark, L. B.	Athens, Tenn.
26	*Clonce, P. L.	Daisy, Tenn.
27	§Coleman, George W.	Cleveland, Tenn.
28	*Cones, Frank M.	Chuckey, Tenn.
29	§Conner, G. A. (a)	Alleghany Springs, Va.
30	*Conner, T. H.	Kingston, Tenn.
31	†Cooke, Richard J.	Portland, Oregon
32	*Creswell, G. J.	East Chattanooga, Tenn.
33	*Crowder, G. A.	Gate City, Va.
34	§Crist, B. (a)	Millersville, Pa.
35	*Cox, J. O.	Knoxville, Tenn., R. F. D.
36	*Crumley, T. J.	Pennington Gap, Va.
37	‡Davenport, M. N.	Whitesburg, Tenn.
38	*Dennis, A. B.	Lenoir City, Tenn.



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No.	Name	Postoffice
39	*Dobbs, Cicero	Decatur, Tenn.
40	*Emert, J. M.	344 E. Main St., Johnson City, Tenn.
41	§Elliott, W. V.	Piney Flats, Tenn.
42	*Ferguson, E. C.	Athens, Tenn.
43	*Fletcher, M. O.	Washington, N. C.
44	*Francisco, George T.	624 Luttrell St., Knoxville, Tenn.
45	*Genthner, J. J.	Sevierville, Tenn.
46	*Giles, J. F.	Simpson, Va.
47	*Goddard, A. C.	Knoxville, Tenn.
48	*Grant, W. S.	Athens, Tenn.
49	*Groover, W. L.	Sevierville, Tenn., R. F. D.
50	*Hamil, L. D.	Ridgedale, Tenn.
51	*Haney, D. R.	Harriman, Tenn.
52	*Harmon, J. C.	Newport, Tenn.
53	*Harris, W. Kemp	Knoxville, Tenn.
54	‡Harris, J. D.	Baxter, Tenn.
55	*Hawk, H. M.	Lonsdale, Tenn.
56	§Hodge, Thomas H.	Piney Flats, Tenn.
57	*Hooper, W. W. (a)	Chattanooga, Tenn.
58	‡Houchins, C. D. (a)	Wauneta, Kan.
59	*Howell, D. L.	Bloomington, Tenn.
60	‡Hunter, Charles F.	Copperhill, Tenn.
61	*Hutchinson, J. F.	Evanston, Ill.
62	§Ingle, A. H. (a)	Benhams, Va.
63	‡Jones, Alva P. (a)	(?), Tenn.
64	§Keister, J. B. (a)	Roanoke, Va.
65	*Ketron, Samuel G.	Johnson City, Tenn.
66	*Ketron, Albert C.	Chuckey, Tenn.
67	*Kirby, Chas. L.	Dayton, Tenn., R. F. D.
68	‡Lawson, David T. (a)	R. F. D., Greeneville, Tenn.
69	*Ledford, W. F.	Knoxville, Tenn.
70	*Leonard, I. B.	Greeneville, Tenn.
71	‡Leslie, Robert L.	R. F. D., No. 1, Knoxville, Tenn.
72	*Little, H. E.	Rockwood, Tenn.
73	*Mahoney, Carl K.	Hill City, Tenn.
74	*Manker, John J.	Athens, Tenn.
75	*Martin, B. M.	726 Clinton St., Harriman, Tenn.
76	*Martin, W. A.	Jellico, Tenn.
77	*Matney, Green W.	Mountain City, Tenn.
78	§McGee, J. W. (a)	Woodward, Okla.
79	*McKenzie, Hiram W. (a)	Marion, Va.
80	*McKenzie, Albert B.	Edgemoor, Tenn.
81	*Millard, R. M.	Athens, Tenn.

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No.	Name	Postoffice
82	§Miller, Chas. W. (a)	LaFollette, Tenn.
83	*Mitchell, James A.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
84	*Monroe, M. H.	Pikeville, Tenn.
85	*Morrison, B. M.	Inskip, Tenn.
86	*Murphy, Michael P.	Clinton, Tenn.
87	*Newman, A. A.	Mosheim, Tenn.
88	§Newton, J. M. (a)	Gate City, Va.
89	*Newton, W. H.	LaFollette, Tenn., R. F. D.
90	§Ogle, H. B.	Rutledge, Tenn.
91	*Oliver, Wm. L.	Greeneville, Tenn.
92	*Omohundro, Erwin	Knoxville, Tenn.
93	*Osborne, James	Tasso, Tenn.
94	*Patty, J. C. (a)	Morristown, Tenn.
95	*Paul, George W.	Dandridge, Tenn.
96	§Peters, A. C.	Burrville, Tenn.
97	*Pippin, E. M.	Knoxville, Tenn.
98	§Pippin, I. N. (a)	Morristown, Tenn.
99	*Pitts, Wm. F.	Maryville, Tenn.
100	*Porter, R. F.	Cleveland, Tenn.
101	*Rambo, M. H.	Mountain City, Tenn.
102	*Robinette, J. J.	Bristol, Tenn.
103	*Roberson, J. D.	Loudon, Tenn.
104	‡Rominger, L. A.	Cleveland, Tenn.
105	*Rose, A. M.	New Tazewell, Tenn.
106	‡Rowan, George R.	Athens, Tenn.
107	*Rowe, J. F.	Elizabethton, Tenn.
108	*Rowe, N. K.	Parrottsville, Tenn.
109	*Ruble, James A.	Johnson City, Tenn.
110	§Rumburg, J. K. (a)	Terry's Fork, Va., R. 1
111	*Sadler, C. N.	Maryville, Tenn.
112	*Sanders, John	Townsend, Tenn.
113	*Sanders, F. P.	Maryville, Tenn., R. F. D.
114	*Simonds, Royal A. (a)	Las Vegas, N. M.
115	*Slagle, D. C.	Nicklesville, Va.
116	*Smith, C. W.	Straw Plains, Tenn., R. F. D.
117	*Stapleton, Robert L.	Morristown, Tenn.
118	*Strange, J. S.	Fountain City, Tenn.
119	*Summer, H. E.	St. Charles, Va.
120	*Swisher, L. A.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
121	*Tarwater, O. R.	825 Luttrell St., Knoxville, Tenn.
122	§Thompson, G. H. (a)	Simpson, Va.
123	*Torrey, H. M.	LaFollette, Tenn.
124	*Thurston, E. C.	Whitwell, Tenn.

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No.	Name	Postoffice
125	*Walker, R. E. ....	Jonesboro, Tenn., R. F. D., 1.
126	*Ware, J. T. ....	Tracy City, Tenn.
127	*Watson, F. D. ....	Limestone, Tenn.
128	§West, T. R. ....	Athens, Tenn.
129	§Winkler, E. J. ....	R. F. D., Cleveland, Tenn.
130	*Woodyard, E. O. ....	Bristol, Tenn.

## PROBATIONERS

1	Bone, Samuel .....	Fries, Va.
2	Burnette, W. A. ....	Chattanooga, Tenn.
3	Boyd, E. M. ....	306 Springdale Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
4	Brumley, T. O. ....	Telford, Tenn.
5	Cox, I. L. ....	R. F. D., Wytheville, Va.
6	Cupp, J. L. ....	Sevierville, Tenn., R. F. D.
7	Elzey Norris .....	Chattanooga, Tenn.
8	Gamble, H. A. ....	Oliver Springs, Tenn.
9	Gass, M. B. ....	Sunbright, Tenn.
10	Goodman, T. E. ....	Baileyton, Tenn.
11	Lawson, Otis .....	Riner, Va.
12	Lynch, J. F. ....	Andersonville, Tenn.
13	Martin, W. C. ....	Crossville, Tenn.
14	McTeer, W. L. ....	Clearfield, Tenn.
15	Milburn, J. E. ....	Roan Mountain, Tenn.
16	Ragan, W. H. ....	Knoxville, Tenn.
17	Reed, J. F. ....	Rogersville, Tenn.
18	Smith, W. A. ....	South Pittsburg
19	Taylor, C. H. ....	Oakdale, Tenn.
20	Winslow, W. C. ....	Limestone, Tenn.

## ADMISSION, CONFERENCE ADVANCEMENT AND MINISTERIAL SERVICE

AMIS, JAMES H.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference 1875; full membership, 1877; located 1877; re-admitted 1880; ordained Deacon by Bishop Harris 1877, Elder by Bishop Simpson 1882.

Holston; 1875, Sneedville; 1876, Maynardville; 1877-79, Student East Tennessee Wesleyan University, Athens; 1880 Sneedville; 1881-82, Tazewell; 1883, Jellico; 1884-6, Fincastle; 1887, Greeneville; 1888-89, Rogersville; 1890-91, Andersonville; 1892-95, Jellico; 1896-99, Clinton; 1900-1, Athens; 1902-3, Ducktown; 1904, Niota; 1905, (Sy.), Supply So. California Conference, Randspur, California; 1906, Randsburg; 1907-8, Olinda; 1909, Portersville; 1910, Retired; 1910-12, Lancaster, California; 1913, McKittrick, California; 1914, (Sy.) Retired 1915.

ANGEL, SAMUEL P.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1900; Elder by Bishop Warren, 1904.

Holston; Epworth 1900; Whitwell, 1901-3; Daisy, 1904; Graysville, 1905-6; Athens Circuit, 1907-8; Lenoir City, 1909; Retired, 1910; filled out one-half year supply at Inskip; effective New Salem, 1911; Inskip, 1912-13; Asbury and Elm Grove, 1914.

AYERS, ROBERT E.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1901; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904, Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Holston; Student Grant University 1901; Townsend and Walland, 1902-5; Pennington, 1906; Asbury and Elm Grove, 1907; Elizabethton, 1908-9; Oakwood, 1910; Oakwood and Elm Grove, 1911; Townsend and Walland, 1912-13; Jefferson City, 1914.

BAKER, J. A.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1870; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrews, 1881; Elder by Bishop Bowman, 1883.

Holston; Ooltewah, 1879-80; Sewee, 1881; Athens Circuit, 1882; Fair Garden, 1883-4; Sevierville, 1885-6; Clinton and Coal Creek, 1887-8; Kingston, 1889; New Salem, 1890-1; Little River, 1892; Dandridge, 1893-4; (Sy.), 1895-8; Knoxville Circuit, 1899-1901; Elm Grove and Lonsdale, 1902-3; Sy., 1904-5; Retired, 1906; Elm Grove, 1912.

BAKER, T. R.—Admitted on trial Georgia Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1902; Elder by Bishop Cranston, 1906.

Georgia; Dunagan and Simpson, 1904-5; Rock Springs, 1906-7; Union Hill, 1908; Ellijay, 1909-10; Holston, Daisy, 1911; Pikeville, 1912; Dayton, 1913.

**BALES, BUFORD H.**—Holston; Maryville, Ct., 1915.

**BALES, GEO. S.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Warren, 1904.

Holston; Supply Rogersville, 1900; Parrottsville, 1900; Elizabethton, 1901; Mountain City, 1902-4; Greeneville District, 1905-10; Harriman, 1911; Pennington, 1912; Knoxville, East Main Ave., 1913.

**BANDY, WILLIAM S.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1894; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1894; Elder by Bishop Vincent, 1898.

Holston; Fall Branch, 1894-95; Rogersville, 1896-7; Surgoinville, 1898-99; Greeneville Circuit, 1900-03; Chuckey, 1904-6; Dandridge, 1907-8; Greeneville Circuit, 1909; Nicklesville, 1910-11; Chestnut Hill, 1912-13; Morristown Circuit, 1914.

**BEAMAN, ABRAHAM S.**—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge Conference, 1894; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrews, 1896; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1898.

Blue Ridge, 1894; Asheville, 1899; Clyde District, 1900-02; Holston, Harriman, 1903; Knoxville District, 1904-5; Johnson City, 1906; Maryville, 1907-9; Cleveland, 1910-11; Morristown, 1912; Sunday School Missionary, Blue Ridge, Atlantic Conference, 1913.

**BELLAMY CLAUDE V.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1910; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1915; Supply Fair Garden, 1909.

Holston; East Cleveland, 1910; Sunbright, 1911; Oliver Springs, 1912; Crossville, 1913-14; Friendsville, 1915.

**BIRD, JAMES T.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1904; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop McDowell, 1906; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1909.

Holston; Supply Tracy City, 1902-5; Jasper, 1905-8; Chattanooga, 1909; Loudon, 1910; Inglewood, 1911; Knoxville Circuit, 1912-14; Sy., 1915.

**BISHOP, ELWELL, A.**—Erie Conference; Deacon, 1893; Elder, 1898.

Principal Mountpelier Seminary, 1881-1893; President Chamberlain Institute, 1893-98; Erie Conference, President Chamberlain Institute, 1898-1901; MeKean, Pa., 1902; Supt. Ferris, Ind. School, 1903; Vermont Conference, Principal Montpelier Seminary, 1904-12; Holston, President Murphy College, 1912.

**BOLING, JAMES WILLIAM**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1899; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Holston; Student University Chattanooga, 1897-1900; Franklin College, New Athens, Ohio, 1900-1; Jasper, 1901; Crossville, 1902-3; Dayton, 1904; Sevierville, 1905; Greeneville, 1906-7; East Chattanooga, 1908; Maryville, 1909-10; Jellico, 1911-13; St. James, 1914.

**BRANAM, E. R.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1903; full membership Holston Conference, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1905.

Holston; Chestnut Hill, 1903-4; Little River, 1905-8; Jefferson City and Dandridge, 1909-10; Chestnut Hill, 1911; Oakwood, 1912-14; Alton Park, 1915.

**BROWN, THOS. W.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1868; full membership, 1870; Ordained Deacon by Bishop Scott, 1870; Elder by Bishop Scott, 1876.

Holston; Supply Hamilton, 1867; Ducktown, 1868; Harrison, 1869-71; Madisonville, 1872; Student Grant University 1872-5; Kingston, 1875; Henderson, N. C., 1876-77; Leicester, 1878; Pigeon Valley, 1879; Parrottsville, 1880-81; Rogersville, 1882; Rutledge, 1883-4; Parrottsville, 1885; Morristown Circuit, 1886; Blue Ridge Conference, Clyde, 1886; Clyde Dist., 1887-93; Gladstone District, 1893-96; Holston, Tazewell, 1897; Rutledge, 1898-99; Thorn Grove, 1900; Dandridge, 1901; Newport Circuit, 1902; Rogersville, 1903; Rutledge, 1904; Big Valley, 1905; Retired, 1906; Supply Friendsville, 1908; Inglewood, 1909; Inskip and Elm Grove, 1910; Jasper, 1911.

**BRUNER, MARION C.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1881; full membership, 1883; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bowman, 1883; Elder by Bishop Hurst, 1885.

Holston; Wartburg, 1881; Jasper, 1882-83; Dayton, 1884-5; Sy., 1886-88; Spring City, 1889; Sherman Heights, 1890; Hill City, 1891; Athens District, 1892-94; Loudon, 1895; Kingston, 1896; Athens, Circuit, 1897-1902; Elizabethton, 1903; Clinton, 1904-5; Sevierville, 1906-07; Lonsdale, 1908-09; Newport, 1910-12; Lenoir City, 1913; Tellico Plains, 1914; Englewood, 1915.

**BULL, WILLIAM M.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1906; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1909; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1914.

Holston; Pigeon Forge, 1906-13; Chestnut Hill, 1914.

**BURNETT, JOHN S.**—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge Conference, 1888; full membership, 1890; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1890; Elder by Bishop Foss, 1892.

Blue Ridge; Supply 1888; Highland, 1889; Swansboro, 1890; Winston, 1890-95; Moorehead City District, 1896; Gladstone District, 1897-98; Student Grant University, 1899-1901; Holston, Hill City, 1899-1901; Chattanooga District, 1901-6; Athens District, 1907-10; Knoxville District, 1911-13; Financial Agent University Chattanooga, 1914.

**BYERLY, WILLIAM R.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1881; full membership, 1887; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrews, 1887; Elder by Bishop Foster, 1894.

Holston; Sneedville, 1881-83; Irwin, 1884; Van Hill, 1885; Rogersville, 1886; Elizabethton, 1887-88; Mountain City, 1889-91; Oakland, 1892-5; Greeneville, 1896-97; Parrottsville, 1898-99; Oakland, 1900-1901; Sy., 1902-05; Dandridge, 1906; Knoxville, 1907-08; Baileyton, 1909-11; Surgoinville, 1912; Limestone, 1913; Kingsport, 1914.

**BYRD, GEO. T.**—Admitted on trial Georgia Conference, 1893; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1896; Elder by Bishop McCabe, 1897.

Georgia; Blairsville, 1893; Dawsonville, 1894-95; Jonesboro, 1896; Dunagan, 1897; Grant University, 1897-98; Wesley Chapel at Atlanta, 1899-1901; Holston, Rockwood, 1902-03; South Pittsburg, 1904; Newport, 1905-7; Sevierville, 1908-09; Roanoke, 1910-12; Etowah, 1913.

**CADLE, ALFRED G.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fitzgerald, 1888; Elder by Bishop Merrill, 1893.

Holston; Big Valley, 1886; Speedwell, 1887; Sneedville, 1888-89; Rogersville, 1890; Sy., 1891-02; Parrottsville, 1893; Jonesboro, 1894; Bloomingdale, 1895; Ducktown, 1896; Sy., 1897; Tazewell, 1898-99; Sy., 1900; Newport Circuit, 1901; Fair Garden, 1902; Well Spring, 1903-4; Sunbright, 1905; Rose Hill, 1906-7; Retired, 1908.

**CARDWELL, J. W.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1886; full membership, 1898; ordained Deacon by Bishop Vincent, 1898; Elder by Bishop Hamilton, 1901.

Holston; Lewis, 1896-97; Erie, 1898-99; Chatata, 1900; Ebenezer, 1901; Friendsville, 1902-03; Sy., 1904; Athens Circuit, 1905-06; Sy., 1907-11; Lenoir City, 1912; Sy., 1913.

**CAREY, FRANK H.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1903; full membership, 1907; ordained Deacon by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Holston; Andersonville, 1906-7; Oliver Springs, 1908-9; A. B. Wright Institute, Burrville, 1910-11; Oakdale, 1912; Sy., 1913; McDonald Circuit, 1914; Sy., 1915.

CLARK, C. E.—Holston; 1st Church, Knoxville, 1913-14; Highland Park, 1915.

CLARK, LUTHER B.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1902; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1903; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1910.

Holston; Supply Deer Lodge Circuit, 1895-96; Jamestown Circuit, 1897; Deer Lodge Circuit, 1898; Oliver Springs Circuit, 1902-7; Wellspring, 1908; Little River, 1909-10; Jefferson City, 1911-12; Dandridge, 1913; Athens Circuit, 1914.

CLONCE, PULLIAM L.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1908; full membership Holston Conference, 1910; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1910; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1912.

Holston; Pikeville, 1903; Sunbright, 1904; Grant University, 1906-8; Whitwell, 1908; Pikeville, 1909; Burrville and Sunbright, 1910; Wellspring, 1911; Crossville, 1912; Jefferson City, 1913; Daisy, 1914.

COLEMAN, GEO. W.—Admitted on trial South Ill. Conference, 1858; full membership, 1864; ordained Deacon by Bishop Simpson, 1864; Elder by Bishop Clark, 1868.

South Ill. Conference; Georgetown, 1858; Newton, 1859; Holston, Athens Circuit, 1866; Maynardville, 1868; North Knoxville, 1869; Kingston and Loudon, 1871-72; Kingston and Rockwood, 1873; Sy., 1874; Maryville Circuit, 1875; Sy., 1876; Athens Circuit, 1877-79; Located 1880; Re-admitted, 1883; Conference Temperance Agent, South Chattanooga, 1884; South Kansas Conference, Sedan, 1886; Moline, 1887-88; Holston Conference, Cleveland, 1889-90; Johnson City, 1891-93; Harriman 1894; Dayton, 1895-6; Jellico, 1897; Newport, 1898-99; Cleveland Circuit, 1900; Retired, 1901.

CONES, FRANCIS M.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1875; full membership, 1887; ordained Deacon by Bishop Janes, 1872; Elder by Bishop Foster, 1884.

Holston; Leicester, 1875-6; Greeneville, 1876-7; Holston Seminary, New Market, 1877-78; Supply in Kentucky, 1878-79; Supply in Northwest Indiana Conference, 1879-98; Agent Murphy College, 1898-99; Agent Advocate Journal, 1899-1900; Jones Chapel and Elm Grove, 1900; Lonsdale, 1901; Elizabethton, 1902; Chaplain, Indiana State Soldiers Home, 1903-8; Field Agent Wesleyan Academy Chucky, Tenn., 1908.

CONNER, G. A.—(See Virginia Conference Minutes for admission and conference advancement).

Holston; Sy., 1906-8; Swords Creek, 1909; Retired, 1910.



CONNER, T. H.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Holston Conference; Morgan Springs, 1902-4; Loudon, 1905; Lenoir City, 1906-07; Rogersville and Whitehorn, 1908-11; Mountain City, 1912-13; Kingston, 1914.

COOKE, RICHARD J.—Admitted on trial Central Tennessee Conference, 1874; full membership Holston Conference, 1880; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1876; Elder by Bishop Foster, 1880.

Holston; Tutor in East Tennessee University; Georgia, Atlanta, 1880-83; Holston, First Church Knoxville, 1883-84; Sy., and student, 1885; Cleveland, 1886-88; Professor Grant University, Athens, 1889-91; Professor School of Theology Grant University, Chattanooga, 1892; Editor Methodist Advocate Journal, 1892-1904; Vice Chancellor, Grant University, 1893-95; Professor School of Theology Grant University, Chattanooga, 1896-1903; Book Editor Methodist Episcopal Church, 1904-11; Elected to Episcopacy in May, 1912.

COX, J. O.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1906; full membership, 1911; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1911; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1915;

Holston; Fair Garden, 1906-07; Thorn Grove, 1908-10; Little River, 1911-12; New Salem, 1913.

CRESSWELL, GEORGE J.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1911; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1915; Holston; Fairmont, 1912-13; Manker Memorial, 1914.

CRIST, BENJAMIN—Admitted on trial Wisconsin Conference, 1853; full membership Wisconsin Conference, 1855; Located 1864; Re-admitted Georgia Conference, 1864; ordained Deacon by Bishop Janes, 1855; Elder by Bishop Morris, 1857.

Wisconsin; Lancaster, 1852; Fayette, 1853; Brownsville, 1854; Elk Prairie, 1855; Minnesota, Wabashaw, 1856-57; St. Charles, 1858; Taylor Falls, 1859; Leisure, 1860; Henderson, 1861; Vermilion, 1862; Eden Prarico, 1863; Located, in Christian Commission, 1864; Supply Brandywine, Wilmington, Delaware; Supply Hamburg, 1866; Rockville, Baltimore Conference, 1867; Georgia Conference, Griffin, 1868; Simpson, 1869; Lagrange District, 1870; Gainesville District, 1871-73; Holston Conference, Loudon, 1873-74; Chatata, 1875; Maryville, 1876; Coal Creek, 1877; Clinton, 1878-79; Kingston, 1880; Sevierville, 1881; Dandridge, 1882-83; Clinton, 1884; Kingsport, 1885-86; Retired.

CROWDER, GARLAND A.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1912; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1915.

Holston, Lonsdale, 1912; Asbury and Elm Grove, 1913; Gate City, 1914.

CRUMLEY, THOMAS J.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1885; full membership Virginia Conference, 1887; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bowman, 1887; Elder by Bishop Newman, 1889.

Virginia; Tazewell, 1885; Marion, 1886-1890; Washington, 1891-93; Lee, 1894-96; Abingdon District, 1897-1902; Roanoke District, 1903-04; Sy., 1905-07; Holston Conference, Wise, 1908-10; Gate City, 1911-12; New Tazewell, 1913; Pennington, 1914.

DAVENPORT, MORGAN N.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1893; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1893; Elder by Bishop Hurst, 1900.

Virginia; Supply Tazewell Circuit, 1892; Grayson Circuit, 1893-94; Eagle Rock, 1895; Kingsley Seminary, 1896; Roanoke Circuit, 1901; Eagle Rock, 1902-03; Greendale, 1904-05; Holston, Johnson City Circuit, 1906; Baileyton, 1907-08; Sy. Supply Jonesboro, 1909-10; Conference Evangelist, 1911; Morristown Circuit, 1912-13; Assistant Pastor Johnson City, 1914; Sy., 1915.

DENNIS, A. B.—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge Conference, 1906; full membership, 1908; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bashford, 1906; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1910.

Blue Ridge; Leicester, 1906-08; Troy, 1909; Holston; Etowah, 1910; Athens Circuit, 1911-12; Little River, 1913; Lenoir City, 1914.

DOBBS, CICERO—Admitted on trial Alabama Conference, 1906; full membership, 1908; ordained Deacon, 1908; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1914.

Alabama; Rock Run, 1906; Edwardsville, 1907; Holston, Jasper, 1908; Crossville, 1909; Scarborough, 1910-11; Vine Grove, 1912-14; Decatur, 1915.

ELLIOTT, WILLIAM V.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1881; full membership, 1885; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrews, 1881; Elder by Bishop Foster, 1885.

Virginia; Scott, 1881; Lee, 1882; Russell, 1884; Abingdon, 1885-86; Scott, 1887; Wise, 1888; New Garden, 1889; Mendota, 1891-92; Lee, 1893; Marion, 1894-95; Russell, 1896; Scott, 1897; Marion, 1898-1901; Mendota, 1902-03; Nicklesville, 1904-06; Holston, Watauga, 1907-08; Retired, 1909.

EMERT, JOHN M.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1893; full membership, 1895; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1895; Elder by Bishop Andrews, 1897.

Holston; Cumberland Gap, 1893; Well Spring, 1894-97; Jellico, 1898-1901; Asylum Ave., 1902-04; Clinton District, 1905-10; Athens, 1911-13; Johnson City, 1914.

FERGUSON, EDWIN C.—Admitted on trial New England Conference, 1874; full membership, 1876; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1876; Elder by Bishop Peck, 1878.

New England Conference; Pastoral service, 1874-83; Illinois Conference, Professor in Shaddock College, Quincy, Ill., 1883-86; South Illinois Conference, Professor in McKendree College, Lebanon, Ill., 1886-91; Holston Conference, Professor in Grant and Chattanooga University, 1891.

FLETCHER, MAYNARD O.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1913; full membership, Seminary Rule, 1913; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1913; Elder, 1915.

Holston, Manker Memorial, 1913; Principal Collegiate Institute, Washington, N. C., 1914.

FRANCISCO, GEO. T.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1890; full membership, 1893; ordained Deacon by Bishop Merrill, 1893; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1895.

Holston; Pikeville, 1890; Grant University, 1891-92; Ooltewah, 1892; Carnegie and Jonesboro, 1893; Dayton, 1894; South Pittsburg, 1895; Newport, 1896-7; Greeneville District, 1898-1903; La-Follette District, 1904; Knoxville District, 1905-10; Sunday School Missionary, 1911.

GENTHNER, JOSEPH J.—Admitted on trial Baltimore Conference; full membership Holston, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1915.

Holston; Avondale, 1911-12; South Pittsburg, 1913; Sevierville, 1914.

GILES, JOHN F.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1895; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrews, 1895; Elder by Bishop Hurst, 1900.

Holston; Tazewell, 1895-96; New Garden, 1897; Wise, 1898; Elk Garden, 1899; Russell, 1900; Washington, 1901-02; Elk Garden, 1903-04; Gate City, 1905; Grant University Student, 1906-07; Marion, 1908-09; Christiansburg, 1910-11; Nicklesville, 1912-14; Floyd, 1915.

GODDARD, ALVIN C.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1904; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop McDowell, 1906; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1908.

Holston, Wildwood, 1904; Student Grant University, 1905; Epworth, 1906-09; Ridgedale, 1910; Boston School of Theology, 1911; Maine Conference, 1914; Holston, First Church, Knoxville, 1915.

GRANT, WAYNE S.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1890; full membership, 1892; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1892; Elder by Bishop Foster, 1894.

Holston; Tazewell Circuit, 1890-92; Big Valley, 1893-96; Chattanooga Circuit, 1897-99; Loudon, 1900-02; Athens Circuit, 1903-04; Second Church, Knoxville, 1905-08; Bristol District, 1909-10; Inskip and Park City, 1911; Park City, 1912-13; Ridgedale, 1914; Business Manager Advocate-Journal, 1915.

GROOVER, W. L.—Admitted on trial Alabama Conference, 1903; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1903; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Alabama Conference; Craine Hill, 1899; Boaz Circuit, 1903-08; Marshall, 1909-10; Sunday School Missionary, 1912; Mentone, 1913; Holston Conference, Cleveland Circuit, 1913; Pigeon Forge, 1914.

HAMIL, LORENZO D.—Admitted on trial Georgia Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1902; Elder by Bishop Cranston, 1906.

Georgia; Supply Bremen, 1900; Supply Rock Spring, 1901-02; Bremen, 1903; Tallapoosa, 1904-05; Mt. Zion, 1906; Holston, Newcomb, 1907; Clinton, 1908-10; Townsend and Walland, 1911; Lenoir City, 1912; Newport, 1913-14; Ridgedale, 1915.

HANEY, DAVID ROE—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1907; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1909; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1911.

Holston; Tellico Plains, 1907; Friendsville, 1908; Englewood, 1909-10; Student Drew Seminary 1911-13; St. Marks Chattanooga, 1914; Harriman, 1915.

HARMON, J. C.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1889; full membership, 1891; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1889; Elder by Bishop Merrill in 1891.

Holston; Harriman and Emory Gap, 1890; Elm Grove and Jones Chapel, 1891; Sewee, 1892; Sy., 1893; Rockwood, 1894-96; Sunbright, 1897-99; Harriman, 1900; Sy., 1901; Clinton, 1902-04; Sy., 1905; Supplied Kingston one-half year; LaFollette, 1907; Coal Gate, Okla., 1908-1909; Vine Grove, 1910; Spring City and Spivey, 1911; Elizabethton, 1912-14; Newport, 1915.

HARRIS, WM. K.—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge Conference, 1898; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1903; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1905.

Blue Ridge; Student Grant University, 1898-99; Supply Central Tennessee Conference, Sparta and McMinnville, 1900; Student Grant University, 1901; Virginia Conference, Eagle Rock, 1902-03; Northwest Kansas Conference, Webber, 1904; Holston, South Knoxville and Asbury, 1905; South Knoxville, 1905-06; Morristown, 1907-08; Second Church, Knoxville, 1909-13; Knoxville District, 1914.

**HAWK, HENRY M.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder, by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Holston; Supply Decatur, 1900-1901; Chatata, Student Grant University, 1902-06; Fairmount, 1907; Student Grant University; Kingston, 1908-09; Rockwood, 1910; Clinton, 1911-12; Lonsdale, 1913.

**HODGE, THOS. H.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1874; full membership, 1876; ordained Deacon by Bishop Scott, 1876; Elder by Bishop Scott, 1878.

Holston; Taylorsville Circuit, 1874-5; Jonesboro, 1876; Greeneville, 1877; Loudon, 1878-79; Cleveland, 1880; Athens, 1881-82; Johnson City and Elizabethton, 1883; Johnson City, 1884-85; Greeneville Circuit, 1886-87; Oakland, 1888-89; Fall Branch, 1890-91; Chuckey, 1892-94; Morristown, 1895; Elm Grove and Jones Chapel, 1896; Greeneville Circuit, 1898-99; Mountain City, 1900-01; Watauga, 1902; Retired, 1903.

**HOOVER, W. W.**—Holston; Professor in Grant University, Athens and University of Chattanooga, 1890.

**HOUCHINS, C. D.**—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1892; full membership Holston Conference, 1895; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1892; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1904.

Holston; Mendota, 1892; Surgoinville, 1893-95; Bloomingdale, 1896-97; Virginia, Greendale, 1898-99; Rose Hill, 1900-03; New River, 1904; Holston, Well Spring, 1905-07; Andersonville, 1908-09; Retired, 1910; Sy., 1914.

**HOWELL, DILLARD L.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1912; recognized as a Deacon on Orders from Free Baptist Church, 1911; full membership, 1914.

Holston; Supply Jonesboro, 1911; Jonesboro, 1912; Telford, 1913-14; Bloomingdale, 1915.

**HUNTER, CHAS. F.**—Admitted on trial Atlantic Mission Conference, 1898; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Malla-lieu, 1898; Elder by Bishop Warren, 1904.

Atlantic Mission, Elizabeth City, 1899-1900; Conference Evangelist, 1901; Parellee, N. C., 1902; Holston, Conference Evangelist, 1903-04; Austin, Conference Evangelist, 1905; Gulf, Port Arthur, 1906; Conference Evangelist, 1909; Holston; Pennington Gap, 1910-11; Tellico Plains, 1912; Copperhill, 1913-14; Sy., 1915.

(Previous to membership in conference supplied three years in the Blue Ridge Conference and one year in the Atlantic Mission Conference).

**HUTCHINSON, JOSEPH F.**—Admitted on trial Holston, 1909; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1915.

Holston, Fairmount, 1909-10; Hill City, 1911; South Pittsburg, 1912.

INGLE, A. H.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1885; full membership, 1887; ordained Deacon by Bishop Ames, 1877; Elder by Bishop Haven, 1879.

Virginia; Washington, 1875; Nicklesville, 1876; Lee, 1877-79; Nicklesville, 1880; Abingdon, 1881-82; Russell, 1883; Abingdon District, 1884-87; Bristol Circuit, 1888; Washington, 1889; Russell, 1890-91; Nicklesville, 1892-93; Scott, 1894-95; Greendale 1896-1901; Russell, 1902-03; Nicklesville, 1904; Holston, Sy., 1906; Wise, 1907; Greendale, 1908; Retired, 1909.

JONES, ALVA P.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1902; full membership, Central Illinois Conference, 1907; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop Cranston, 1907.

Holston; Jasper, 1901-02; Spring City, 1903; Avondale, 1904; St. James, Evangelistic work and President Aaron Seminary, Montezuma, N. C., 1905; Garrett Biblical Institute Student and Supply, 1906-11; Rock River Conference; Pullman, 1906; Central, Illinois, Thowville, 1907; Waldron, 1908; Bradley, 1909; Baidwood, 1910; Evangelistic Work, 1911; Sy., 1914.

KEISTER, J. B.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1892; full membership, 1894; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1891.

Virginia Conference; Auburn, 1892-94; Grayson, 1894-99; Blue Sulphur, 1899; Auburn, 1899-1902; LaFayette, 1902-1908; Holston, Auburn, 1908-11; Retired, 1912.

KETRON, ALBERT C.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1889; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1899; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Holston; Student Grant University, 1899-1901; Supply Alton Park, 1900; Surgoinsville, 1901; Fall Branch, 1902-1903; Newport, 1904; New Salem, 1905; Hilton, 1906-07; Fall Branch, 1908-09; Roan Mountain, 1910; Sulphur Springs, 1911-13; Chuckey, 1914.

KETRON, SAMUEL G.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1881; full membership, 1883; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrew, 1881; Elder by Bishop Hurst, 1885.

Holston; Kingsport, 1881-82; Mountain City, 1883; Fall Branch, 1884-85; Johnson City, 1886-87; Kingsport, 1888-89; Greeneville Circuit, 1890; Greeneville District, 1891-97; Bloomingdale, 1898-99; Fall Branch, 1900-1902; Bloomingdale, 1903-05; President Kingsley Seminary, 1906; Fall Branch, 1907; Sulphur Springs, 1908-10; Johnson City District, 1911.

KIRBY, CHAS. L.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1907; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Wilson, 1909; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1911.

Holston; Supply Rutledge, 1906; Rutledge, 1907; Scarborough, 1908-09; Oliver Springs and Oakdale, 1910-11; Well Spring, 1912-14; Vine Grove and Spring City, 1915.

LAWSON, DAVID T.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1901; full membership, 1903; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1903; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Holston; Rogersville, 1901; Surgoinville, 1902-03; Morristown Circuit, 1904-1909; Greeneville Circuit, 1910-13; Sy., 1914.

LEDFORD, WESLEY F.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1912; full membership, 1913; ordained Deacon, 1913; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1914.

Holston; Bristol, 1912-13; Second Church, Knoxville, 1914.

LEONARD, ISAAC B.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1901; full membership Holston Conference, 1903; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1901; Elder by Bishop Cranston, 1905.

Virginia; Supply Elk Garden, 1901-02; Hilton's, 1903-06; Holston; Pattonville, 1907-09; Greendale, 1910-11; Bloomingdale, 1912-13; Greeneville Circuit, 1914.

LESLIE, ROBT. L.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1896; full membership, 1898; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1898; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1901.

Virginia; Marion, 1896-97; Russell, 1898; Nicklesville, 1899; Mendota, 1900-01; Pennington Gap, 1902; Washington, 1903-04; Marion, 1905-07; Holston; Greendale, 1907; Burrville and Sunbright, 1908-09; Andersonville, 1910; Surgoinville, 1911; New Salem, 1912; Lenoir City Circuit, 1913; Sy., 1914.

MAHONEY, CARL K.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1903; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop McDowell, 1906; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1909.

Holston; Tellico Plains, 1903; Fairmont, 1904; Spring City, 1905; Hill City, 1906-07; Crossville, 1908; Friendsville, 1909; Lenoir City, 1910-11; Student Drew Seminary, 1912; Bristol, 1915; St. Marks, 1915.

MANKER, JOHN J.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1866; full membership, 1868; ordained Deacon by Bishop Morris, 1866; Elder by Bishop Scott, 1870.

Holston; East Knoxville, 17 months, 1866-67; Athens, 1867-68; Tutor East Tennessee Wesleyan University, 1869; Tutor and Pastor at Cleveland, 1870; Knoxville District, 1872-74; First Church, Knoxville, 1875-76; Greeneville, 1877-79; First Church Chattanooga, 1880-82; Acting Pastor and financial Agent First Church, Chattanooga, 1883; Chattanooga District, 1884-89; Highland Park, 1890-92; First Church, Chattanooga, 1893-94; Chattanooga District, 1895-1900; Knoxville District, 1901-02; Professor in Grant University, 1903; Editor Methodist Advocate-Journal, 1904.

MARTIN, BURTON M.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1894; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Mallalieu, 1896; Elder by Bishop Vincent, 1898.

Holston; Student Grant University, 1894; Pikeville, 1895; Highland Park, 1896; Rockwood, 1897; Pikeville, 1898; Morristown, 1899-1901; Maryville, 1902-05; Athens, 1906-10; Harriman District, 1911.

MARTIN, W. A.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1893; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1896; Elder by Bishop Merrill, 1899.

Holston; Etowah, 1912, Alton Park, 1913-14, Jellico, 1915.

MATNEY, GREEN W.—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge Conference, 1891; full membership, 1895; ordained Deacon by Bishop Mallalieu, 1895; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Blue Ridge; Brevard, 1893; Highlands, 1894-1900; Marion, 1901.

Holston, Jonesboro, 1902-05; Parrottsville, 1905-09; Moshim, 1910-13; Mountain City and Butler, 1914.

McGEE, JOHN W.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Mallalieu, 1886; Elder by Bishop Foss, 1892.

Holston; South Pittsburg, 1886-87; Tracy City, 1888; Hamilton, 1889-90; Clinton, 1891; Clinton and Jonesboro, 1892; Bristol and Elizabethton, 1893; Elizabethton and Carnegie, 1894; Chuckey, 1895; Fall Branch, 1896-99; Little River, 1900-02; Knoxville Circuit, 1903; Morristown Circuit, 1904; Rutledge, 1905; Oakwood, 1906; Sy., 1907; Retired, 1911.

McKENZIE, ALBERT B.—

Holston; Newport Circuit, 1896; Graysville, 1897; South Pittsburg, 1898; Sevierville, 1899-1900; New Salem, 1901; Dandridge, 1902; Chuckey, 1903; Greeneville Circuit, 1904-05; Fall Branch, 1906; Greeneville Circuit, 1907; Lenoir City, 1908; Decatur, 1909; Park City, 1910; Knoxville Circuit, 1911; Loudon, 1912; Oliver Springs, 1913; Friendsville, 1914; Scarboro, 1915.

McKENZIE, HIRAM W.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1889; full membership, 1892; ordained Deacon by Bishop Walden, 1890; Elder by Bishop Foss, 1892.

Holston; Speedwell, 1889; Surgoinsville, 1890; Sneedville, 1891; Parrottsville, 1892-93; Erwin, 1894; Mountain City, 1895-96; Irwin, 1897; Watauga, 1898-1900; Surgoinsville, 1901-02; Rutledge, 1903-04; Watauga, 1905-06; Surgoinsville, 1907-08; Bloomingdale, 1909; Benhams, 1910; Clark Range, 1911-12; Gate City, 1913; Floyd, 1914, Marion, 1915.



**MILLARD, RICHARD M.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1912; full membership, 1913; ordained Deacon, 1913, and Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1914.

Holston; St. James, 1913; Athens, 1914.

**MILLER, CHAS. W.**—Admitted on trial Alabama Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1886; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1888.

South American Mission, Monetoides, 1886-90; Mendoza, 1890-93; Alabama Conference; Holston Conference, 1894; Cumberland Gap Circuit, 1895-98; Tazewell Circuit, 1898-99; Prof. Powell's Valley Seminary, 1899-1900; Big Valley, 1900-01; Wellspring, 1901-02; Mingo Mines, 1903; Retired, 1904.

**MITCHELL, JAS. A.**—Admitted on trial Alabama Conference, 1895; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Vincent, 1895; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1898.

Alabama; Birmingham, 1895-97; Pratt City, 1898-1900; Anniston, 1900-02; Des Moines, 1902; Holston, Epworth, 1903; Crossville, 1904; South Pittsburg, 1905; Field Agent University of Chattanooga, 1906; Rockwood, 1907; Greeneville, 1908-12; Johnson City, 1913; Chattanooga District, 1914.

**MONROE, M. H.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Mallalieu, 1885; Elder by Bishop Ninde, 1888.

Holston; Crossville Circuit, 1886; Spring City, 1887-88; Dayton, 1888; Warren College, 1890; Parrottsville, 1891-94; Kingston, 1895; Chatata, 1896-97; Jellico and Newcomb, 1898; Morristown Circuit, 1899; Powells Valley Seminary, 1900; Sy., 1901; Madisonville, 1901-05; Spivey Memorial, 1906; Morgan Springs, 1907; A. B. Wright Institute, 1907-10; Wise, 1910-13; South Pittsburg, 1914; Pikeville, 1915.

**MORRISON, BENJAMIN M.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1904; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop McDowell 1906; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1908.

Holston; Rogersville, 1904-05; Jonesboro, 1906; Johnson City Circuit, 1907; Roan Mountain, 1908-09; LaFollette, 1910; Kingston, 1911-13; Inskip, 1914.

**MURPHY, MICHAEL P.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1901; full membership, 1903; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1903; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Holston; Morgan Springs, 1901; Epworth, 1902; Dayton and Vine Grove, 1903; Ridgedale, 1904-05; Crossville, 1906; South Pittsburg, 1907-10; South Knoxville, 1911-12; Sevierville, 1913; Clinton, 1914.

NEWMAN, A. A.—

Kansas; Dresden, 1906; Holston, Newcomb, 1907; Townsend, 1908; Asbury, 1909-10; Parrottsville, 1911-13; Mosheim, 1914.

NEWTON, JAS. M.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1882; full membership, 1884; ordained Deacon by Bishop Wiley, 1883; Elder by Bishop Mallalieu, 1888.

Virginia; Scott Circuit 5 years; Russell Circuit 4 years; Abingdon Circuit, 3 years; Mendota Circuit, 3 years; Three Forks, 1 year; Abingdon 1 year; Nicklesville, 3 years; Greendale, 1 year; transferred to Holston; Retired, 1906.

NEWTON, W. H.—

Holston; Burrville, 1913; Graysville, 1914; Wellspring, 1915.

OGLE, HORATIO B.—Admitted on trial of Holston Conference, 1888; full membership, 1890; ordained Deacon by Bishop Wiley, Elder by Bishop Andrews, 1887.

Holston; Sunbright, 1888; Andersonville, 1889; Scarborough, 1890; Rutledge, 1891-92; Morristown Circuit, 1893-94; Newport Circuit, 1895; Chuckey, 1896; Johnson City Circuit, 1897; Big Valley, 1898; Sy., 1899-1903; Rutledge, 1904-1908; Retired, 1909.

OLIVER, WILLIAM L.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1905; full membership, 1907; ordained Deacon by Bishop Wilson, 1907; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1914.

Holston; Supply Oliver Springs, 1889-1900; Andersonville, 1900-02; Supply Sunbright, 1903; Pikeville, 1904-05; Elm Grove and Asbury, 1905-07; South Knoxville, 1907-10; Sevierville, 1910-12; Greeneville, 1913.

OMOHUNDRO, ERWIN—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Warren, 1904.

Holston; Rockwood and Spring City, 1900; South Pittsburg, 1901-03; Highland Park, 1904-06; Alton Park, 1907; East Main Ave., 1908-11; Student Drew Seminary, 1912-13; Business Manager Advocate-Journal, 1914; Jones Chapel and Seventh St., 1915.

OSBORNE, JAMES.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1906; full membership, 1911; ordained Deacon by Bishop Vincent, 1898; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1913.

Holston; Supply 13 years; Maryville Circuit, 1906-08; Graysville Circuit, 1909-10; Whitwell Circuit, 1911-14; Chatata, 1915.

PATTY, JOHN C.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1909; full membership, 1911; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1909; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1913.

Holston; Roanoke, 1909; East Chattanooga, 1910; Ridgedale, 1911-13; Morristown, 1913-14; Assistant Pastor Morristown, 1915.

PAUL, GEO. W.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1897; full membership, 1899; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1899; Elder by Bishop Hamilton, 1901.

Holston; South Pittsburg, 1896-97; Crossville, 1898-1900; Rockwood, 1901; Daisy, 1902-03; Whitwell, 1904; Mountain City, 1905-08; Roanoke District, 1909-10; Dayton, 1911; Rose Hill, 1912; Tellico Plains, 1913; Dandridge, 1914.

PETERS, A. C.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1872; full membership, 1875; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bowman, 1875; Elder by Bishop Wiley, 1877.

Holston; Crossville, 1872; Jasper, 1873; Dayton, 1874-75; Student, Athens, 1876-77; Wartburg, 1878-79; Crossville, 1880; Jamestown, 1881-82; Hamilton, 1883; Rockwood and Kingston, 1884-85; Huntsville, 1886; Kingston District, 1887-88; Sunbright and Glen Mary, 1889; Dayton, 1890; Dayton and Vine Grove, 1891; Sy., 1892-93; Jamestown, 1894; Deer Lodge, 1895; Jamestown, 1896; Stony Point, 1897; Sy., 1898; New River, 1899; Deer Lodge, 1900; Sy., 1901; Burrville, 1902; Agent A. B. Wright Institute, 1903-06; Retired, 1907.

PIPPIN, E. M.—

Holston; Decatur Circuit, 1912; Athens Circuit, 1913; Jones Chapel, 1914; South Knoxville, 1915.

PIPPIN, I. N.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1883; full membership, 1887; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bowman, 1887; Elder by Bishop Newman, 1889.

Holston; Tazewell, 1882; Virginia; Smith, 1883-85; North Fork, 1886; Russell, 1887-89; Mendota, 1890; Marion, 1891-93; Nicklesville, 1894; Washington, 1895; Russell, 1896-97; Clinchport, 1898; Washington, 1899; Elk Garden, 1900; Russell, 1901; Colburn, 1902; Big Stone Gap, 1903; Sy., 1905; Retired, 1911.

PITTS, WILLIAM F.—Admitted on trial Georgia Conference, 1895; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1897; Elder by Bishop Hamilton, 1901.

Georgia; Belton, 1895; Ellijay, 1896-98; Dalton, 1898; Lafayette, 1899; Holston, Graysville, 1900; East Main Avenue, 1901-07; St. James, Chattanooga, 1908-09; Bristol, 1910-11; Cleveland, 1912-13; Harriman, 1914; Maryville, 1915.

PORTER, R. FRANK—Admitted on trial St. Johns River Conference, 1907; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Crans-ton, 1909; Elder by Bishop Hamilton, 1911.

St. Johns River; New Smyrna, 1907-10; Mt. Dora, 1910-11; Holston, Kingston and South Pittsburg, 1911; Harriman, 1912-13; Cleveland, 1914.

RAMBO, MOSES H.—Admitted on trial DesMoines Conference, 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1902; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1904.

DesMoines; Supply Avoca, 1900; Red Oak Circuit, 1901; Vanwert, 1902; Walnut, 1903-05; Holston, Townsend, 1906-07; Beaver Ridge, 1908-09; Sy., 1910; LaFollette, 1911-13; Mountain City Circuit, 1914.

ROBERSON, J. D.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1875; full membership, 1877; ordained Deacon by Bishop Harris, 1877; Elder by Bishop Wiley, 1879.

Holston; Franklin and Webster, N. C., 1875; Catawba, 1876; Hendersonville, 1877; Kingsport, 1878; Jonesboro, 1879; Jonesboro and Johnson City, 1880; Blue Ridge Conference, Greensboro District, 1880-81; Asheville District, 1882-85; Bakersville District, 1886-88; Asheville District, 1889-90; Montezuma, 1891-93; Holston, Loudon, 1894; Athens, 1895; Clinton District, 1896-1901; Chuckey, 1902; Newport, 1903; Cleveland, 1904-07; Harriman, 1908-10; Loudon, 1911; Dayton, 1912; Loudon, 1913.

ROBINETTE, J. J.—Bristol, 1915.

ROMINGER, LEWIS A.—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge Conference, 1886; full membership, 1889; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1889; Elder by Bishop Mallalieu, 1895.

Blue Ridge; Toe River, 1886-7; Burnsville, 1889-91; Boone, 1892; Jefferson, 1893; Toe River, 1894; Culberson, 1895-96; Hayesville, 1899; Unaka, 1900; Holston, Supply Cleveland Circuit, 1903-04; Jefferson, 1908-09; Bakersville, 1909-10; Holston, North Athens 1910; Niota, 1911; McDonald, 1912; Sy., 1913.

ROSE, ALBERT M.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fitzgerald, 1888; Elder by Bishop Ninde, 1891.

Holston; Emert, 1886-87; Ooltewah, 1888; Thorn Grove, 1889-91; Little River, 1892-93; Knoxville Circuit, 1894-96; Ebenezer, 1898-1900; Maryville Circuit, 1901-03; Pigeon Forge, 1904-05; Greeneville Circuit, 1906; Chuckey, 1907-08; Mosheim, 1909; Morristown, 1910; Fair Garden, 1911; Sy., 1912; Unicoi, 1913; Glenford, 1914; New Tazewell, 1915.

ROWAN, GEORGE R.—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge Conference, 1892; full membership Oklahoma Conference, 1893; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1892; Elder by Bishop Vincent, 1893.

Holston; Teacher in Aaron Seminary, 1891-93; Alabama Conference, 1893-95; Holston, Ducktown, 1895-96; Cleveland, 1896-99; Johnson City, 1899-1900; Baileyton and Whitehorn, 1904-06; Rogersville, 1907; Assistant Pastor Athens, 1909-11; Assistant Pastor Inglewood, 1912; Sy., 1913.

**ROWE J. FRED**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1913; full membership, Seminary Rule, 1913; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1913; Elder, 1915.

Holston, Pikeville, 1913-14; Elizabethton, 1915.

**ROWE, NATHANIEL K.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1911; full membership, 1913; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1911; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1913.

Holston; Supply, 1910; Bloomingdale, 1911; Fall Branch, 1912; Baleyton, 1913; Parrottsville, 1914.

**RUBLE, JAS. A.**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1866; full membership, 1868; ordained Deacon by Bishop Kingsley, 1867; Elder by Bishop Scott, 1870.

Holston; Maryville, 1866; Jonesboro, 1867; Cleveland, 1868-69; Greeneville, 1870-71; Elizabethton, 1872-73; Greeneville District, 1874-77; Knoxville District, 1878-81; Financial Agent Grant University, 1882; Maryville, 1883-86; Second Church Knoxville, 1887-88; Clinton District, 1889-94; Knoxville District, 1895-1900; Johnson City, 1901-02; Chaplain National Soldiers Home, Johnson City, 1903.

**RUMBURG, JOHN K.**—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1878; full membership, 1880; ordained Deacon by Bishop Merrill, 1880; Elder by Bishop Simpson, 1882.

Virginia; Franklin, 1878; Fincastle, 1879-81; Roanoke District, 1882; Auburn, 1883-84; Sy., 1885-86; Dedford, 1887; Roanoke District, 1888-90; Roanoke District, 1891-94; Rockbridge, 1895-07; Sy., 1898; New River, 1899-1903; Floyd, 1904-05; Holston, Greendale, 1906; Floyd, 1907; Glenford, 1908-09; Floyd, 1910-13; Sy., 1914; Retired, 1915.

**SADLER, C. N.**—Admitted on trial Central Tennessee Conference, 1895; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1897; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1903.

Central Tennessee; Monroe, 1895-6; Red Boiling Springs, 1897-1901; LaFayette, 1902-04; Student Grant University, 1905-07; Supply Cleveland Circuit, 1906-07; Supply Litton, 1908; Holston, Whitwell, 1909-10; Daisy, 1911-12; Thorn Grove, 1913; Townsend, 1914; West Maryville, 1915.

**SANDERS, F. P.**—Admitted on trial Central Tennessee Conference, 1903; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1903; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Central Tennessee; Huntingdon, 1903; South Illinois, Mulberry Grove, 1904; Central Tennessee, Huningdon, 1905; Holston, Pikeville, 1907; Located, 1908; Re-admitted, 1910; Friendsville, 1910-13; Little River, 1914.

SANDERS, JOHN—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1901; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Holston; Supply Daisy, 1898-1900; Daisy, 1901; Graysville, 1902-05; Whitwell, 1905-06; Daisy, 1906-07; Maryville Circuit, 1908-14; Townsend and Walland, 1915.

SIMONDS, ROYAL A.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1885; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrews, 1897; Elder by Bishop McCabe, 1899.

Holston; Principal Ellijay Seminary, 1895; Rockwood, 1896; Supplied Dalton, Illinois, 1897; Student Evanston, Illinois, 1897-1900; South Pittsburg, 1900; Supply Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island, 1901; St. James, Chattanooga, 1902-04; Professor University of Chattanooga, 1905-08; Trinity, Knoxville, 1909-13; New Mexico, Mission Conference, Las Vegas, 1914.

SLAGLE, DAVID C.—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge Conference, 1904; full membership, 1907; ordained Deacon by Bishop Spellmyer, 1907.

Blue Ridge; Sylva, 1904; Teresita, 1905-06; Pisgah, 1907; Irwin, 1908; Holston; Jasper, 1909; Auburn, 1910; Riner, 1911; Marion, 1912-13; Sy., 1914; Nicklesville, 1915.

SMITH, C. W.—

Holston; Christianburg, 1912-13; Thorn Grove, 1914.

STAPLETON, ROBT. L.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1899; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Holston; Supply Sherman Heights, 1898; Rockwood, 1899; Newport, 1900-1901; Morristown, 1902-04; Alton Park, 1905-06; Jellico, 1907-08; S. S. Missionary, 1909-10; Maryville, 1911-14; Morristown, 1915.

STRANGE, J. S.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1890; full membership, 1892; ordained Deacon by Bishop Ninde, 1891; Elder by Bishop Foster, 1894.

Holston; Emory Gap, 1890; Hamilton, 1891-92; Little River, 1893-94; Beaver and Lenoir, 1895; Elmyer, 1896; New Salem, 1897-98; Morristown Circuit, 1899-1900; Thorn Grove, 1901-02; Jones Chapel, 1903; Sy., 1904-05; Erie and Chatata, 1906; Loudon, 1907-08; Knoxville Circuit, 1909-10; Beaver Ridge, 1911; Thorn Grove, 1912; Rose Hill, 1913-14; Tellico Plains, 1915.

SUMNER, HUBERT E.—Admitted on trial Georgia Conference, 1907; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Moore.

Georgia; Rock Springs, 1907-08; Mount Zion, 1909-10; Holston; Chatata, 1911; Tracy City, 1912-14; Saint Charles, 1915.

SWISHER, L. A.—

Holston; First Church Chattanooga, 1914.

TARWATER, OLIVER R.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1907; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon, 1909; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1911.

Holston; Supply Manker Memorial, 1907; Supply East Dennis, Mass., 1908; Johnson City, 1909-12; Bristol District, 1913; Trinity Knoxville, 1914.

THOMPSON, GEO. H.—Admitted on trial Virginia Conference, 1876; full membership, 1878; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrews, 1878; Elder by Bishop Merrill, 1880.

Virginia; Supply Augusta, 1873; Supply Greenbrier, 1874; Supply Augusta, 1875-76-77; New River, 1878-80; Floyd, 1881-83; New River, 1884-85; Roanoke, 1886; Franklin, 1887; Floyd, 1888-89; Bethlehem, 1890; Floyd, 1891-92; Roanoke, 1893-94; Retired, 1895.

THURSTON, E. C.—Admitted on trial Georgia Conference, 1908; full membership, 1910; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith, 1909.

Georgia; 1908; St. George, 1909; Dunnagan and Simpson, 1910-11; Ellijay, 1912; Holston, Chatata Circuit, 1912-14; Whitwell, 1915.

TORREY, H. M.—Admitted on trial Central Tennessee Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Cranstons, 1904; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Central Tennessee; Nashville, 1902-04; Tullahoma, 1905-07; Dixon, 1908-09; Holston, Elizabethton, 1910-11; Rogersville, 1912-13; LaFollette, 1914.

WALKER, RICHARD E.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1904; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1908.

Holston; Newport Circuit, 1904; Oakland Circuit, 1905-06; Jonesboro, 1907-08; New Salem, 1909-10; Chuckey, 1911-13; Sulphur Springs, 1914.

WARE, JOSEPH T.—Admitted on trial Georgia Conference, 1892; full membership, 1894; ordained Deacon by Bishop Ninde, 1894; Elder by Bishop Foss, 1897.

Georgia; Sulvania and Tatnal, 1892; Ellijay, 1893; Cohutta, 1894; Blairsville, 1895; Hiwassee, 1896-98; Ellijay, 1899-1901; Blue Ridge and Mineral Bluff, 1902; Morganton, 1903; Holston; Little River, 1903; Maryville Circuit, 1904; Andersonville, 1905; Scarborough, 1906-07; Rutledge, 1908-09; Mountain City and Butler, 1910; Roane Mountain, 1911; Glenford, 1912-13; Cleveland Circuit, 1914; Tracy City, 1915.

WATSON, FREDERICK D.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1911; full membership, 1913; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1913.

Holston; Supply, 1910; Mountain City Circuit, 1911; Limestone, 1912; Student, 1913; Limestone, 1914; Fall Branch, 1915.

WEST, T. R.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1866; full membership, 1867; ordained Deacon by Bishop Clark, 1865; Elder by Bishop Scott, 1870.

Holston; Rutledge, 1866-67; Parrottsville, 1868; Mossy Creek, 1869-70; Sy., 1871; Loudon, 1872; Speedwell, 1873; Rutledge, 1874-75; New Market, 1876-77; Morristown, 1878-79; Tazewell, 1880; St. Clair, 1881; Knoxville Circuit, 1882; Powells Valley District, 1883; Morristown District, 1884-86; Knoxville Circuit, 1887-88; Athens Circuit, 1889-91; New Salem, 1892; Knoxville Circuit, 1893; Madisonville, 1894-95; Oakland, 1896; Erie, 1897; Loudon, 1898-99; Ducktown, 1900-01; New River, 1902; Newcomb, 1903-04; Mingo, 1905; Retired, 1906.

WINKLER, E. J.—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge Conference, 1885; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Walden, 1886; Elder by Bishop Fitzgerald, 1888.

Blue Ridge; Creston, 1885; Boone, 1886; Forsythe, 1887-88; Red Hill, 1889; Coast District, 1890-91; Greensboro District, 1892-93; Clyde District, 1894; Sy., 1895-96; Wilkesboro, 1897-98; Rose Land, 1899; Boone and Bakersville, 1900-03; Kings Mountain, 1905; Gladstone, 1906; Columbia River, Davenport, 1907-08; Georgia, Dunnagan and Simpson, 1909; Holston, Chatata, 1910; Cleveland Circuit, 1911; Chestua, 1912; Retired, 1913.

WOODYARD, E. O.—

Supply Mountain Lake Park and Albright two years.

West Virginia Conference; Albright, 1904-06; Newburg, 1906-8; Pennsboro and Cairo, 1908-10; Holston, St. James, Chattanooga, 1910-11; East Main Ave., Knoxville, 1912; Roanoke, 1913; Bristol District, 1914.



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1. The work of the Board is divided into six groups. Admission on trial; first, second, third and fourth years, and Local Orders. Each group to be in the hands of a committee—one of the committeemen to be chairman of the committee.

2. Mid-year examinations are required; time and place to be arranged and announced.

3. The day preceding the opening of the Annual Conference is the time appointed for examination.

4. The candidates are urged to buy their books at the very opening of the year, and study carefully the mid-year subjects, and after the mid-year examinations make complete survey of the remaining subjects immediately. The examiners are required to correspond with the candidates in the early winter, preparatory to mid-year examinations.

5. The requirements of the Discipline are to make the examinations written if practicable, and two weeks ahead of the Annual Conference to send written questions to the Chairman of the Board.

6. The chairman of each group is to submit in writing the grades of the candidates in his department to the registrar.

7. The provision for the mid-year examinations does not deprive any candidate of the opportunity of being examined on any subject at the time appointed for the examination at the Annual Conference.

8. The Board of Examiners, together with the candidates, are called to meet at the place of next Annual Conference session the night previous to the day of Conference examination.

## SCHEDULE OF EXAMINATIONS

J. M. EMERT, Chairman.

### ADMISSION ON TRIAL

- (History and Exposition of the 25  
( articles of Religion of the M. E.  
( Church.  
M. H. RAMBO, Chairman ..... (Discipline of 1912.  
(Written Sermon.  
(Reading Course.
- (English Branches.  
G. T. FRANCISCO ..... (The Worker and His Bible.  
(Life of John Wesley.
- (Organizing and Building the Sun-  
W. K. HARRIS ..... ( day School.

### FIRST YEAR

- (American History.  
C. E. CLARK, Chairman ..... (Preparation and Delivery of Ser-  
( mons (mid-year).  
(Written Sermon.
- (Jesus and the Gospels (mid-year).  
M. P. MURPHY ..... (Digest of Methodist Law.  
(Reading Course.
- (Winning the Fight Against Drink.  
F. M. CONES ..... (English Style in Public Discourse.

### SECOND YEAR

- (How We Think.  
O. R. TARWATER, Chairman .... (Reading Course.  
(Essay.
- (The Bible, Its Origin and Nature  
M. H. MONROE ..... ( (mid-year.)  
(The Light of the World.  
(The Graded Sunday School.
- (Biblical Hermeneutics.  
J. W. BOLING ..... (Decisive Hour in Christian Mis-  
( sions (mid-year.)

**THIRD YEAR**

- R. F. PORTER, Chairman ..... (System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 1-322 (mid-year).  
(History of the Christian Church.  
(The Fact of Conversion.
- J. D. ROBERSON ..... (Reading Course.  
(Sermon.
- H. M. HAWK ..... (Sacerdotalism in the 19th Century  
( (mid-year).  
(New Basis of Civilization.

**FOURTH YEAR**

- L. A. SWISHER, Chairman ..... (System of Christian Doctrine  
( (mid-year).  
(The Social Engineer.  
(Reading Course.  
(Christian Ethics.
- A. S. BEAMAN ..... (Prophecy and the Prophets (mid-  
( year).  
(Theism.
- W. F. LEDFORD ..... (Principles of Literary Criticisms.  
(Essay.

**LOCAL PREACHERS****Deacons' Orders**

- M. C. BRUNER, Chairman ..... (1st and 2nd years' Course.  
(Discipline of 1912.
- L. D. HAMIL ..... (3rd and 4th years' Course,  
(Christian Doctrine for Elders.

**Elders' Orders**

- H. M. HAWK ..... (Life of Christ.  
(Life of St. Paul.





## APPOINTMENTS

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Greendale .....	*Jasper Sage
Honaker .....	*N. A. Conner
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J. A. MITCHELL (2), Superintendent, Chattanooga, Tenn.

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Athens Circuit .....	L. B. Clark (2)

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Highland Park .....	C. E. Clark (1)
Manker Memorial .....	†G. J. Cresswell (2)
North Chattanooga .....	C. K. Mahoney (1)
Ridgedale .....	L. D. Hamil (1)
Saint James .....	J. W. Boling (2)
Chatata .....	James Osborne (1)
Cleveland .....	R. F. Porter (2)
Cleveland Circuit .....	*W. H. Coffee
Copperhill .....	
Daisy .....	P. L. Clonce (2)
Englewood .....	M. C. Bruner (1)
Etowah .....	G. T. Byrd (3)
Fairmount .....	*F. L. Bradley
Jasper .....	*J. B. Cobble
McDonald Circuit .....	*C. O. Newell
Mount Olivet .....	*L. F. Tate
Pikeville .....	M. H. Monroe (1)
Red Bank .....	*J. J. Ellington
Soddy .....	*J. B. Kenna
South Pittsburg .....	†W. A. Smith (1)
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Whitwell .....	E. C. Thurston (1)

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Byington and Scarboro .....	A. B. McKenzie (1)
Clearfield Mission .....	†W. L. McTeer (1)
Clinton .....	M. P. Murphy (2)
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Dayton .....	T. R. Baker (3)
Decatur .....	Cicero Dobbs (1)
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Harriman .....	D. R. Haney (1)
Heiskell .....	*W. O. Duncan
Jellico .....	W. A. Martin (1)

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Maynardsville .....	*Luther Clear	
Morgan Springs .....	*G. F. Swafford	
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Newcomb .....	*Jacob Hendricks	
Norma and Oneida .....	*C. C. Harris	
Oakdale .....	†C. H. Taylor	(3)
Oliver Springs Circuit .....	†H. A. Gamble	(2)
Rockwood .....	†H. E. Little	(1)
Sunbright and Lansing .....	†M. B. Gass	(1)
Vine Grove and Spring City .....	C. L. Kirby	(1)
Well Spring .....	W. H. Newton	(1)

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Elizabethton .....	J. F. Rowe	(1)
Fall Branch .....	†F. D. Watson	(1)
Greeneville .....	W. L. Oliver	(3)
Greeneville Circuit .....	I. B. Leonard	(2)
Johnson City .....	J. M. Emert	(2)
Kingsport .....	W. R. Byerly	(2)
Limestone Circuit .....	†W. C. Winslow	(1)
Morristown .....	R. L. Stapleton (1), J. C. Patty	(3)
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Mountain City and Butler .....	G. W. Matney	(2)
Mountain City Circuit .....	M. H. Rambo	(2)
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Newport Circuit .....	*D. F. Smith	
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Jefferson City .....	R. E. Ayers (2)
Knoxville:	
Asbury and South Knoxville .....	E. M. Pippin (1)
East Main Ave. ....	G. S. Bales (3)
First Church .....	A. C. Goddard (1)
Inskip .....	B. M. Morrison (2)
Jones Chapel and Seventh St. ....	Erwin Omohundro (1)
Lonsdale .....	H. M. Hawk (3)
Oakwood and Elm Grove .....	†E. M. Boyd (1)
Park City .....	†W. H. Ragan (2)
Second Church .....	W. F. Ledford (2)
Trinity .....	O. R. Tarwater (2)
Knoxville Circuit .....	M. B. Fleenor
Lenoir City .....	A. B. Dennis (2)
Lenoir City Circuit .....	*H. F. Clark
Little River .....	F. P. Sanders (2)
Loudon .....	J. D. Roberson (3)
Maryville .....	W. F. Pitts (1)
Maryville Circuit .....	B. H. Bales (1)
New Salem .....	J. O. Cox (3)
Pigeon Forge .....	W. L. Groover (2)
Sevierville .....	†J. J. Genthner (2)
Thorn Grove .....	C. W. Smith (2)
Townsend and Walland .....	John Sanders (1)
West Maryville Circuit .....	C. N. Sadler (1)

## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

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J. J. Manker, Editor of Methodist Advocate-Journal, member First Church, Chattanooga, Quarterly Conference.

W. S. Grant, Business Manager Methodist Advocate-Journal, member Second Church, Knoxville, Quarterly Conference.

E. C. Ferguson, Professor in University of Chattanooga, Athens Department, member Athens Quarterly Conference.

F. M. Cones, Associate Principal and Field Agent of Wesleyan Academy, member Chuckey Quarterly Conference.

W. W. Hooper, Professor in University Chattanooga, member First Church, Chattanooga, Quarterly Conference.

G. T. Francisco, Sunday School Missionary in Central Tennessee Conference, member Trinity, Knoxville, Quarterly Conference.

A. S. Beaman, Sunday School Missionary in Blue Ridge, Atlantic Conference, member of Morristown Quarterly Conference.

J. A. Ruble, Chaplain in Soldiers' Home, Johnson City, member Telford Quarterly Conference.

E. A. Bishop, President Murphy College, Sevierville, member of Sevierville Quarterly Conference.

J. S. Burnett, Field Secretary of University of Chattanooga, member First Church, Chattanooga, Quarterly Conference.

M. O. Fletcher, Principal of Washington Collegiate Institute, Washington, N. C., member Manker Memorial Quarterly Conference, Chattanooga.

R. A. Simonds, Missionary in New Mexico English Mission.

J. F. Hutchinson and Norris Elzey left without appointments to attend some one of our schools.

## DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

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THE HOLSTON ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH, HELD IN ATHENS, TENN., FROM  
OCTOBER 13 TO OCTOBER 18, 1915; BISHOP THEODORE S.  
HENDERSON, PRESIDING; SECRETARY R. L. STAPLETON,  
P. O. MORRISTOWN, TENN.; STATISTICIAN, M. P. MURPHY,  
P. O. CLINTON, TENN.; TREASURER, W. F. PITTS, P. O.  
MARYVILLE, TENN.; REGISTRAR ..... P. O.....

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1. Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirement of the Discipline? Yes.
2. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conference? A. C. Goddard, Maine; J. J. Robinette, Indiana.
3. Who have been Readmitted? None.
4. Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches? None.
5. Who have been Received on Trial? (a) In Studies of First Year. Samuel Bone, William A. Burnette, John L. Cupp, Marvin B. Gass, William L. McTeer, James E. Milburn. (b) In Studies of Third Year. None.
6. Who have been Continued on Trial? (a) In Studies of First Year: Thomas O. Brumley, Norris Elzey, Henry A. Gamble, Walter A. Smith. (b) In Studies of Second Year: Elbert M. Boyd, Ivan L. Cox, Thomas E. Goodman, Otis Lawson, John F. Lynch, William C. Martin, William H. Ragan, Jacob F. Reed, Charles H. Taylor, William C. Winslow.
7. Who have been Discontinued? Ross F. Harris.
8. Who have been admitted into Full Membership? (a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year: Claude V. Bellamy, George J. Cresswell, Garland A. Crowder, J. J. Genthner, Joseph F. Hutchinson. (b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously: Henry E. Little.
9. What Members are in Studies of Third Year? (a) Admitted into Full Membership this year: C. V. Bellamy, G. J. Cresswell, G. A. Crowder, J. J. Genthner, H. E. Little. (b) Admitted into Full Membership previously: E. R. Branam, F. D. Watson.
10. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year? F. H. Carey, D. L. Howell, J. F. Hutchinson, D. C. Slagle, H. E. Sumner.

11. **What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?** (a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year: J. O. Cox, M. O. Fletcher, J. F. Rowe, N. K. Rowe, E. C. Thurston.
12. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?** (a) As Local Preachers. None. (b) Under Missionary Rule: None. (c) Under Seminary Rule: None.
13. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?** (a) As Local Deacons: None. (b) Under Missionary Rule: None. (c) Under Seminary Rule: None.
14. **Was the Character of each Preacher examined?** This was strictly done in open conference as each name was called.
15. **Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?** C. B. Roach, New Jersey; T. K. Willis, Indiana; Frank L. Callender, (In studies of first year), Northern Minnesota; J. M. Wolfe, Northeast Ohio; J. G. Cairns, New England; R. B. Stansell, Northern Minnesota.
16. **Who have Died?** Sherman D. Tuttle.
17. **Who have been Located at their own Request?** None.
18. **Who have been Located?** W. R. Suman.
19. **Who have withdrawn?** Charles Haven Myers.
20. **Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?** None.
21. **Who have been Expelled?** None.
22. **What other personal Notation should be made?** Jason C. Clark, was recognized as a local elder from the Methodist Protestant Church; Thomas J. Hollingshead, as a local deacon from the Missionary Baptist Church; Jasper Sage, as a local deacon from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South; James F. Yoder, as a local deacon from the Wesleyan Methodist Church.
23. **Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?** J. T. Bird (1), J. W. Cardwell (3), F. H. Carey (1), M. N. Davenport (1), J. D. Harris (1), C. F. Hunter (1), C. D. Houchins (2), A. P. Jones (2), D. T. Lawson (2), R. L. Leslie (2), L. A. Rominger (4), G. R. Rowan (3).
24. **Who are the Retired Ministers?** J. H. Amis, T. W. Brown, G. W. Coleman, G. A. Conner, A. G. Cadle, Benjamin Crist, W. V. Elliott, W. H. Hodge, A. H. Ingle, †J. B. Keister, C. W. Miller, J. W. McGee, J. M. Newton, H. B. Ogle, A. C. Peters, I. N. Pippin, J. K. Rumburg, G. H. Thompson, T. R. West, E. J. Winkler.

25. Who are the Triers of Appeals? L. B. Clark, A. C. Ketron, B. M. Morrison, E. M. Pippin, E. O. Woodyard. Reserves: G. W. Matney, W. S. Grant.
26. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension? See Report.
27. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions? Did not Report.
28. What is the Statistical Report? See the Statistician's Report.
29. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report? See the Conference Treasurer's Report.
30. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? Not Answered.
31. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund? \$8,431.00.
32. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied? \$6,066.00. See Report of Conference Stewards.
33. What is the Five Per Cent of the amount raised for the Support of Conference Claimants, and paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connectional Relief? \$195.00.
34. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants? \$6,000.00.
35. Where are the Preachers Stationed? See List of Appointments.
36. Where shall the Next Conference be held? Johnson City, Tenn.



# CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

## FIRST DAY

### Morning Session.

Athens, Tenn., October 13, 1915.

**Opening Exercises.**—The Holston Conference Methodist Episcopal Church met in the 72nd session at 9:00 a. m., with Bishop T. S. Henderson presiding.

The conference was opened with singing the hymn 'Rock of Ages,' after which the Bishop led in prayer. Hymn number 491 was sung and the Bishop read the scripture lesson from the epistle to the Hebrews and then addressed the conference. The Holy Communion was administered by the District Superintendents and R. M. Millard, the pastor of the Athens Church.

**Roll Call.**—The Secretary of the last conference called the roll and the following members and probationers answered to their names: S. P. Angel, R. E. Ayers, T. R. Baker, George S. Bales, W. S. Bandy, A. S. Beaman, J. T. Bird, E. A. Bishop, J. W. Boling, T. R. Brown, E. R. Branam, M. C. Bruner, J. S. Burnett, W. R. Byerly, G. T. Byrd, C. E. Clark, L. B. Clark, P. L. Clonce, G. W. Coleman, F. M. Cones, T. H. Conner, J. O. Cox, T. J. Crumley, M. N. Davenport, A. B. Dennis, Cicero Dobbs, J. M. Emert, W. V. Elliott, G. T. Francisco, J. F. Giles, W. S. Grant, W. L. Groover, L. D. Hamil, J. C. Harmon, W. K. Harris, H. M. Hawk, T. H. Hodge, S. G. Ketron, A. C. Ketron, C. L. Kirby, W. F. Ledford, I. B. Leonard, C. K. Mahoney, J. J. Manker, B. M. Martin, W. A. Martin, G. W. Matney, A. B. McKenzie, R. M. Millard, J. A. Mitchell, M. H. Monroe, B. M. Morrison, M. P. Murphy, A. A. Newman, W. H. Newton, H. B. Ogle, W. L. Oliver, E. Omohundro, G. W. Paul, A. C. Peters, E. M. Pippin, W. F. Pitts, R. F. Porter, M. H. Rambo, J. D. Roberson, L. A. Rominger, A. M. Rose, G. R. Rowan, N. K. Rowe, J. A. Ruble

C. N. Sadler, John Sanders, F. P. Sanders, D. C. Slagle, C. W. Smith, R. B. Stansell, R. L. Stapleton, J. S. Strange, H. E. Sumner, L. A. Swisher, O. R. Tarwater, H. M. Torrey, E. C. Thurston, J. T. Ware, F. D. Watson, T. R. West, E. O. Woodyard—86. Probationers: C. V. Bellamy, E. M. Boyd, T. O. Brumley, G. J. Cresswell, G. A. Crowder, I. L. Cox, H. A. Gamble, T. E. Goodman, R. F. Harris, Otis Lawson, H. E. Little, J. F. Lynch, W. C. Martin, W. H. Ragan, J. F. Reed, C. H. Taylor, W. C. Winslow—17.

It was announced by the Bishop that J. G. Cairns was transferred to the New England Conference, J. M. Wolfe to the Northeast Ohio Conference, C. B. Roach to the New Jersey Conference, F. L. Callendar, probationer, to the Northern Minnesota. S. D. Tuttle was reported deceased.

**Organization.**—On the call for the organization of the conference, J. W. Boling, O. R. Tarwater and R. L. Stapleton were nominated for Secretary. O. R. Tarwater withdrew; W. F. Ledford, J. S. Strange, W. L. Oliver and M. H. Rambo were appointed tellers, and the ballots were collected.

W. F. Pitts was re-elected Treasurer, and chose as Assistants O. R. Tarwater, W. F. Ledford, A. B. McKenzie, A. C. Ketron, E. Omohundro. M. P. Murphy was re-elected Statistician, and chose his Assistants as follows: C. L. Kirby, J. T. Bird, G. A. Crowder, P. L. Clonce.

The printed program was adopted as the official program of the conference. The tellers reported the ballot for Secretary, and R. L. Stapleton was declared by the Bishop to be re-elected. The Secretary chose as his Assistants, J. M. Emert, H. M. Hawk, H. M. Torrey, and M. H. Rambo.

**The Bar of the Conference.**—The bar of the conference was fixed to include the first seven rows of seats from the front of the church.

**Postmaster.**—R. E. Ayers was elected conference Postmaster.

**Funds to Oakwood Church.**—A motion was passed to pay over to the Oakwood Church fifty dollars of benevolent funds that were not properly credited to that charge last year.

**Minute Fund.**—A motion made by the Treasurer, to pay over any overplus collections to the minute fund which were left over from last year, was adopted by the conference.

**Conference Rules.**—The Secretary introduced and read a list of Conference Rules, and Rules of Order for consideration by the conference. J. J. Manker moved to refer the papers to a committee consisting of one member from each district to be appointed by the District Superintendents. M. C. Bruner moved as a substitute, to refer the papers to the Bishop, the cabinet and a committee of five members to be appointed by the chair. The substitute was adopted.

**The Order of the Day.**—The time for the order of the day having arrived, the conference memorial service was taken up. The conference was led in prayer by the Bishop. J. J. Manker made a short memorial address on the life and work of Rev. T. S. Stivers, a former member of Holston and later of the Northeast Ohio Conference. T. R. Baker read a memorial on S. D. Tuttle, a member of Holston Conference who had died during the year. Further words of appreciation were spoken by B. M. Martin, R. B. Stansell, M. C. Bruner, and again by T. R. Baker.

**Reports of District Superintendents.**—On the call of the District Superintendents, the character of J. A. Mitchell Superintendent of Chattanooga District was passed and he read his report.

**Credentials of C. H. Myers.**—The Bishop announced the withdrawal of C. H. Myers from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and a motion made by R. B. Stansell was passed that the conference return his credentials properly endorsed as honorably dismissed from the Methodist Episcopal Church.

**Reports Resumed.**—The characters of S. G. Ketron, Johnson City District; E. O. Woodyard, Bristol District, and W. K. Harris, Knoxville District, were passed and they read their reports.

**Ministerial Reports.**—The Bishop announced that in making their reports he desired the pastors to report on the fol-

lowing: 1. Additions during the year and present full membership. 2. Sunday School Enrollment. 3. Prorating of ministerial support. 4. The Benevolences.

**Book Concern Draft.**—Announcement was made by the Bishop of a draft from the Book Concern for \$2,056.00 and this was ordered paid.

**Methodist Review.**—J. W. Boling was elected canvasser for the Methodist Review.

**Introductions.**—J. D. McAllister, Superintendent of the Tennessee Anti-Saloon League, was introduced and addressed the conference. Announcements were made by various members of the conference, the pastor of the local church, the Secretary read the list of the standing committees, and the vacancies were ordered supplied by the Committee on Nominations. The session was adjourned by expiration of the time, and G. W. Coleman pronounced the benediction.

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### Afternoon Session

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The Statistical session was called to order at 2 p. m., by the Bishop. After singing hymn number 393, L. B. Clark led in prayer. The Secretary called the roll for the collection of the statistics.

**Conversation on the Work of God.**—After the pastors had reported their statistics there followed a conference of "Conversations on the work of God." Experiences were related by J. J. Manker, J. D. Roberson, F. M. Cones, W. V. Elliott, S. P. Angel, H. G. Osborne, G. W. Coleman, R. F. Porter, J. A. Ruble, D. F. Smith, G. S. Bales, J. M. Emert, T. H. Conner, J. C. Harmon, B. M. Morrison, and I. B. Leonard.

**Introductions.**—Rev. E. A. Shugart, presiding elder of Cleveland District, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was introduced and addressed the conference in well chosen words, and Bishop Henderson made a fitting reply. The benediction was pronounced by H. B. Ogle.

## SECOND DAY

October 14, 1915.

**Opening Exercises.**—The conference session was opened at 8:30 a. m., with Bishop Henderson in the chair. Hymn 346 was sung and prayer was offered by J. D. Roberson. After singing and the reading as a scripture lesson in the Gospel of St. John, chapter 1, 29-42, the Bishop addressed the conference on the subject of "Personal Evangelism." The Bishop led in prayer.

**The Journal.**—The journal of yesterday's sessions were read, corrected and approved.

**Committee on Conference Rules.**—The Bishop appointed the following members to act with the District Superintendents and the Bishop as a special committee on Conference Rules and Rules of Order: T. J. Crumley, J. W. Boling, W. F. Pitts, R. L. Stapleton, I. B. Leonard.

**Reports.**—The character of B. M. Martin, Superintendent of Harriman District, was passed and he made his report. The District Superintendents were asked by the Bishop if they had each urged the raising of the full apportionments for benevolences, and as to prorating of ministerial support, with the pastors and in the Quarterly conferences. These questions were answered in the affirmative.

**Request for the Return of Bishop Henderson.**—S. G. Ketron read the following resolution: "Inasmuch as Bishop T. S. Henderson has done untiring and highly efficient service over the Holston Conference and other parts of the Chattanooga area, for the quadrennium now closing, and whereas his stay with us for another quadrennium would afford a more vital touch and increased helpfulness, Resolved, that we request the Committee on Episcopacy to assign Bishop Henderson to the Chattanooga area for the next quadrennium."

(Signed) S. G. KETRON,  
J. A. MITCHELL,  
B. M. MARTIN,  
W. K. HARRIS,  
E. O. WOODYARD.

S. G. Ketron moved the adoption of the resolution and it was seconded by B. M. Martin. E. Omohundro spoke against adoption. G. R. Rowan, J. J. Manker, J. A. Ruble spoke for adoption. The call for the previous question was made. E. Omohundro appealed from the decision of the chair to allow the call for the previous question to be in order, and the chair was sustained. The call for the previous question was sustained. The resolution was adopted. E. Omohundro asked the privilege of explaining his vote but was overruled. The reason assigned by the Bishop in not allowing E. Omohundro to explain his vote on the resolution was that he had already done so in his speech on the resolution. On a division by a standing vote, T. R. West was allowed to explain why he did not vote.

**Treasurer's Vouchers.**—W. F. Pitts moved that the conference recognize only vouchers coming from institutions of our own church for reporting other benevolences to the Treasurer of Holston Conference.

**Introductions.**—Dr. A. J. Kynett, a Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, and Dr. Clarence True Wilson, Secretary of the Temperance Society, were introduced and addressed the conference.

**Question 14.**—On the call of question 14, the following members and probationers were passed in their characters and they made their reports: Chattanooga District, L. B. Clark; E. C. Thurston; L. A. Swisher; G. J. Cresswell; J. W. Boling; R. F. Porter; J. T. Ware; G. T. Byrd; M. H. Monroe; J. F. Rowe; M. C. Bruner; H. E. Sumner; J. F. Lynch, W. C. Martin; C. V. Bellamy; T. R. Baker; E. M. Boyd; W. H. Newton; H. E. Sumner; H. M. Torrey; C. H. Taylor; H. A. Gamble. The characters of the following were also passed: R. M. Millard, W. A. Martin, D. R. Haney, W. S. Grant, R. F. Porter, C. F. Hunter, P. L. Clonce, F. H. Carey.

Bristol District—C. K. Mahoney, T. J. Crumley, A. M. Rose, J. F. Giles, H. W. McKenzie, G. A. Crowder, J. S. Strange, I. L. Cox.

Johnson City District—T. E. Goodman, W. C. Winslow, J. C. Harmon, W. L. Oliver, I. B. Leonard, J. M. Emert, F. D. Watson, W. S. Bandy, A. A. Newman, G. W. Matney, M. H. Rambo, L. D. Hamil, N. K. Rowe, J. F. Reed, R. E. Walker, D. L. Howell. The characters of the following were passed: A. C. Ketron, T. O. Brumley, W. R. Byerly, J. C. Patty, W. S. Bandy, N. K. Rowe, R. F. Harris.

Knoxville District—W. M. Bull, G. W. Paul, R. E. Ayers, S. P. Angel, G. S. Bales, C. E. Clark, E. R. Branam, H. M. Hawk, W. H. Ragan, W. F. Ledford, O. R. Tarwater, J. T. Bird, A. B. Dennis, F. P. Sanders, J. D. Roberson, R. L. Stapleton, John Sanders, J. O. Cox, W. L. Groover, J. J. Genthner, C. W. Smith, C. N. Sadler, E. M. Pippin, Otis Lawson, A. B. McKenzie, B. M. Morrison.

The characters of the following in detached service were passed: J. J. Manker, E. Omohundro, R. B. Stansell, E. C. Ferguson, F. M. Cones, W. W. Hooper, G. T. Francisco, J. A. Ruble, E. A. Bishop, J. S. Burnett, A. S. Beaman, M. O. Fletcher, R. A. Simonds, J. F. Hutchinson.

**Second Year Class.**—The registrar made a report of the list of the second year class to be admitted into full membership.

**Referred.**—W. K. Harris moved to refer B. H. Bales to the Committee on Conference Relations, and the motion was adopted.

**C. F. Hunter.**—The Bishop announced a telegram from C. F. Hunter saying he had been detained by serious illness.

**Elections.**—J. J. Manker moved that the election of delegates to the General Conference be made the order of the day on Friday immediately after the admission of the class for full membership. The motion was adopted.

**Substitutions.**—J. C. Harmon reported for the Committee on Nominations.

Announcements were made. J. S. Burnett explained matters pertaining to reporting monies collected for the Endowment Fund of the University of Chattanooga.

T. R. West made announcements regarding the Semi-Centennial exercises.

The pastor of the Athens church made announcements. The standing committees were called by the secretary. Benediction was pronounced by T. R. West.

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### THIRD DAY

October 15, 1915.

**Opening Exercises.**—The session was opened at 8:30 a. m., with Bishop Henderson presiding. Hymn number 330 was sung. The Bishop read a scripture lesson in St. Luke, 4: 16-27, and N. K. Rowe led in prayer.

**The Journal.**—The journal of the previous session was read and after corrections was approved.

**Joint Session.**—F. M. Cones moved that a committee be appointed by the chair to invite the Holston Conference Laymen's Association to meet in a joint session with the conference. The motion was adopted.

**Resolution of Appreciation.**—G. W. Coleman introduced the following resolution: Resolved that we express our high appreciation of the very excellent service rendered our conference during the year by Rev. M. C. Bruner at his own expense, in visiting and presenting the cause of the conference claimants at the district conferences in the bounds of the Holston Conference.

(Signed) G. W. COLEMAN,  
T. J. CRUMLEY.

The resolution was adopted.

**Greetings.**—The Secretary read greetings from the Central Tennessee Conference, and from the Rev. J. M. Melear, of Kentucky Conference and a former honored member of Holston Conference, and was instructed to make suitable reply.

**Question 8.**—On the call of question eight, C. H. Taylor was continued on trial in studies of the second year. C. V.



Bellamy, G. J. Cresswell, G. A. Crowder, J. J. Genthner were advanced to studies of the third year, admitted into full membership and elected to deacons orders. H. E. Little was advanced to studies of the third year and admitted to full membership. J. F. Hutchinson was placed in studies of the fourth year, admitted to full membership, and elected to deacons orders.

**Question 4.**—Buford H. Bales was admitted on his credentials, as an elder from the United Brethren Church.

**Referred.**—J. C. Clark and T. J. Hollingshead were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

**Delinquent Reports.**—The call was made for delinquent reports.

**Address to the Class.**—The Bishop addressed the class for admission into full membership, and asked the disciplinary questions.

**Order of the Day.**—A motion was passed to take up the order of the day, which was the election of delegates to the General Conference.

**Rules for Elections.**—The following rules for the elections were offered by J. A. Mitchell and adopted by the conference:

“Where there are two or more brethren of the same family name, the initials shall be written on the ballot. “Wherever the intent of the voter is evident the ballot shall be counted.” “It shall require a majority vote to elect.” “There shall be two reserve delegates elected, and the same rules apply as in the case of regular delegates.”

Tellers were nominated by the District Superintendents and elected as follows: Bristol District, C. K. Mahoney; Chattanooga District, J. W. Boling; Johnson City District, W. L. Oliver; Knoxville District, W. F. Ledford; Harriman District, T. R. Baker. H. M. Torrey was appointed to act with the tellers as an Assistant Secretary.

The first ballot was ordered and collected.

**Question 24.**—Question 24 was called and the characters of the following retired preachers were passed: T. W.

Brown, G. W. Coleman, G. A. Conner, A. G. Cadle, Benj. Crist, W. V. Elliott, T. H. Hodge, A. H. Ingle, J. B. Keister, C. W. Miller, J. M. Newton, H. B. Ogle, A. C. Peters, J. W. McGee, G. H. Thompson, T. R. West, E. J. Winkler, I. N. Pippin. Brothers Brown, Coleman, Elliott, Hodge, Ogle, Peters and West spoke a few words to the conference when their names were called.

**Question 23.**—On the call of the supernumerary preachers, the relation of J. K. Rumberg was changed to the retired list. The cases of J. H. Amis and C. D. Houchins were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations. J. W. Cardwell, A. P. Jones, D. T. Lawson and R. L. Leslie were continued in the same relation.

**First Ballot.**—The tellers reported the first ballot for delegates to the General Conference, and S. G. Ketron receiving 64 votes and J. J. Manker 56 votes were each declared elected. A second ballot was ordered.

**Question Twenty-three Continued.**—The call of question 23 was continued, and L. A. Rominger and G. R. Rowan were continued in the same relation. D. C. Slagle was made effective. The case of W. R. Suman was referred to a select Committee for trial. T. K. Willis was transferred to the Indiana Conference.

**Cases Referred.**—J. D. Harris and F. H. Carey were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

**Introduction.**—Dr. J. A. Mulfinger, Recording Secretary of the Board of Conference Claimants, was introduced and addressed the conference. At the close of the address he delivered to the conference a draft for three hundred dollars from the Board of Conference Claimants.

**Resolutions for Conference Claimants Endowment Fund.**—The Secretary read the following resolution: "Whereas, the Holston Conference and the Laymen's Association have repeatedly declared themselves in favor of a campaign for at least \$50,000.00 for our veteran ministers; and, whereas, such campaign has been delayed because of lack of provis-

ion for executive leadership; and, whereas, the support of a field secretary for the ensuing year has now been pledged to our conference Board of Stewards; therefore, be it resolved that we request the presiding Bishop to appoint a member of the conference as secretary for this work, provided a suitable man is available without injustice to other work of the conference."

(Signed) M. C. BRUNER.

The resolution was adopted.

**Second Ballot.**—The tellers reported on the second ballot for the third delegate and there was no election. A third ballot was ordered.

**Question 11.**—E. C. Thurston, N. K. Rowe, J. F. Rowe, J. O. Cox, and M. O. Fletcher were graduated from the conference course of study and elected to elders orders. H. E. Sumner, D. C. Slagle, F. H. Carey, were continued in studies of the fourth year.

**Question 9.**—F. D. Watson and E. R. Branam were continued in studies of the third year. D. L. Howell was passed to studies of the fourth year.

**Third Ballot.**—The tellers reported the third ballot and there was no election. A fourth ballot was ordered.

**Question 6.**—W. A. Smith, H. A. Gamble, Norris Elzey, and T. O. Brumley were continued on trial in studies of the first year. I. L. Cox was advanced to studies of the second year.

**Question 5.**—W. C. Winslow, W. H. Ragan, J. F. Reed, W. C. Martin, J. F. Lynch, Otis Lawson, T. E. Goodman, E. M. Boyd were advance to studies of the second year.

**Question 22.**—James F. Yoder on recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, was recognized as a local deacon from the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

**Fourth Ballot.**—On the report of the fourth ballot, M. C. Bruner, having received 60 votes, was declared elected third delegate to the General Conference. The ballot for two reserve delegates was ordered. The time was extended.

**Cases Referred.**—The cases of R. F. Harris and Jasper Sage were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

**Committee on Memorials.**—F. M. Cones moved the appointment of a Committee on Memorials, and the motion was adopted. The Bishop appointed on this committee: J. J. Manker, E. A. Bishop, and G. T. Francisco.

**Committee on Joint Session.**—The Bishop appointed as a committee to invite the Lay electoral conference to meet in joint session with the conference at 2 p. m., T. J. Crumley, J. A. Ruble, and H. M. Hamil.

**Announcements.**—M. C. Bruner made an announcement. J. J. Manker made a statement. The Conference Rules Committee was called to meet at 7 p. m.

**Question 16.**—On the call of question 16, who have died, the name of Sherman D. Tuttle was called and the Bishop led in prayer.

**Select Number.**—J. C. Harmon reported the nomination of members for the select number to consider the case of W. R. Suman; the committee was as follows: L. D. Hamil, O. R. Tarwater, L. B. Clark, F. M. Cones, Cicero Dobbs, G. T. Byrd, C. N. Sadler, T. R. Baker, John Sanders. Counsel for the church, A. S. Beaman, for defendant, G. W. Paul. M. H. Monroe was appointed chairman.

**Disciplinary Questions.**—Questions 1, 3, 17, 20, 21, were asked. On the call of question 25 the triers of appeals were announced as B. M. Morrison, A. C. Ketron, L. B. Clark, E. O. Woodyard, E. M. Pippin. Reserves: G. W. Matney, W. S. Grant.

**Nominations.**—R. E. Walker was appointed by the Bishop to take the place of J. M. Wolfe on the Conference Board of Stewards.

**First Reserve Ballot.**—The first reserve ballot was reported and there was no election. A second ballot was ordered.

Announcements were made and the benediction was pronounced by T. R. Brown.

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### Afternoon Session

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**Opening Exercises.**—The joint session met at 2 p. m., with Bishop Henderson presiding. Hymn 386 was sung and F. M. Cones led in prayer. Bishop Henderson addressed the joint session on essential features of the "Forward Movement."

**Introductions.**—The recently elected delegates to the General Conference were introduced in the following order: Lay delegates, John A. Patten, John W. Fisher, Joseph A. Grigsby. Ministerial delegates, Samuel G. Ketron, John J. Manker, Marion C. Bruner. Each of these made an address.

**Second Ballot for Reserves.**—The tellers reported the ballot for reserve delegates, and W. S. Grant, who received 46 votes was declared elected as first reserve. A third ballot was ordered. G. S. Bales was appointed as an additional teller, and J. M. Emert acted with the tellers as Assistant Secretary. It was moved and carried to announce the result of the ballot at the next session of the conference.

Announcements were made. The benediction was pronounced by John Sanders.

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## FOURTH DAY

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### Morning Session

October 16, 1915.

**Opening Exercises.**—The conference was called to order by Bishop Henderson. Hymn number 330 was sung. J. T. Ware led in prayer and hymn number 334 was sung. The scripture lesson was read in St. John 7: 37-44. The Bishop then addressed the conference on "The Forward Movement."

**The Journal.**—The journal of the previous day's sessions was read and approved.

**Central Tennessee Conference.**—A telegram from the Central Tennessee Conference regarding a memorial to unite

the Central Tennessee Conference with the Holston Conference was read by the Bishop and referred to the special committee on General Conference Memorials.

**Reports.**—T. R. West reported a collection for Board of Conference Claimants. J. J. Manker presented the report of the Board of Trustees for the Advocate Journal fund. J. J. Manker and J. A. Mitchell were elected Trustees.

**Cairns-Martin Expense Fund.**—B. M. Martin moved that a special committee be appointed by the chairman to consider a plan and report to the conference for raising money to pay the Cairns-Martin Trial and Investigation Expense fund, and the motion prevailed.

**Case of W. R. Suman.**—The select committee reported on the case of W. R. Suman and he was located.

**Question 36.**—The question, "Where shall the next conference be held?" was asked by the Bishop, and J. M. Emert put in nomination, Johnson City. This motion was seconded and spoken to by G. W. Coleman, S. G. Ketron and J. A. Ruble. The conference voted unanimously to accept the invitation.

**Second Reserve Ballot.**—The ballot for second reserve delegate to the General Conference was reported by the tellers, and J. S. Burnett, having received 68 votes was declared elected.

**Introductions.**—Dr. H. C. Jennings, General Book Agent, and Dr. L. O. Hartman, Secretary for the Foreign work of the Board of Sunday Schools, were introduced and addressed the conference.

**Reports.**—G. T. Byrd reported for the Auditing Committee. (See report elsewhere).

**Disciplinary Questions.**—Questions 31, 32, 33, 34, were asked and answered.

**Committee on Memorials.**—The Committee on Memorials reported and the following action was taken on those presented by the committee:

On the memorial of the Ohio Conference asking a redivision of the State of Ohio into three equal conferences, the conference voted to refer that to the delegates of that General Conference District.

On the North Montana Memorial regarding Conference Claimants Funds Board, the committee recommended non-concurrence and the motion was adopted.

On the Mississippi Memorial, which was "Bishops for Races and Languages," for concurrence 20; for non-concurrence 45.

On the Wilmington Memorial on the Veto Power, the conference voted for concurrence 5, for non-concurrence 55.

On the Vermont Memorial for Local Preachers Relation to the Conference Claimants Funds, the committee, recommended favorably, and the report was adopted, 57 to 2.

On the Memorial on Unification the committee recommended non-concurrence, and after debating the question, a motion was made by T. R. West to recommit, and the motion prevailed. R. B. Stansell and J. D. Roberson were added to the committee.

**Board of Examiners.**—L. A. Swisher, W. F. Ledford, W. L. Oliver and O. R. Tarwater were appointed by the chair on the Board of Examiners.

**Cases Referred.**—M. N. Davenport, C. F. Hunter and J. T. Bird were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

**Cairns-Martin Expense.**—R. F. Porter, H. M. Hawk and I. B. Leonard were appointed by the Bishop as a committee on the Cairns-Martin Expense fund.

The benediction was pronounced by L. B. Clark.

### Afternoon Session

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**Opening Exercises.**—The conference met at 3:30 p. m., with the Bishop presiding. Hymn number 393 was sung and B. M. Morrison led in prayer.

**Reports.**—The committee reported a substitute for the West Ohio Memorial on Unification and the substitute was adopted. See reports.

On the Central Tennessee Conference Memorial the committee recommended non-concurrence and the report was adopted.

The following standing committees reported and the reports were accepted: Home Missions and Church Extension, Education, Foreign Missions, Freedmen's Aid Society, Deaconess Work, Epworth League, Sunday Schools, Nominations. A committee on Book Concern Accounts was added to the list of standing committees.

**Committee on Conference Relations.**—On the recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, the relation of J. H. Amis was changed from supernumerary to retired. M. N. Davenport's relation was changed from effective to supernumerary, with claim.

**Resolution on Pastoral Visiting.**—G. T. Byrd read a resolution referring to Bishop Henderson's splendid morning addresses and to pastoral visiting. The resolution was adopted. See elsewhere.

The benediction was pronounced by D. L. Howell.

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### FIFTH DAY

October 17, 1915.

Bishop Theodore S. Henderson preached the conference sermon, and ordained the elders and deacons in the afternoon. Rev. H. C. Jennings preached in the conference church at night.

Members of the conference supplied other pulpits in the city at both the morning and evening services.



## SIXTH DAY

October 18, 1915.

**Opening Exercises.**—The conference was opened with singing hymn number 420, and L. A. Swisher led in prayer. After singing hymn number 416, the Bishop read the scripture lesson in the gospel by St. Matthew and addressed the conference on "The Driving Impulse."

**Journal Approved.**—The journal of the previous session was read and approved.

**Question Five.**—Question five was called and the following young men were admitted on trial and placed in studies of the first year, viz.: Samuel Bone, William A. Burnette, John L. Cupp, Marvin B. Gass, William L. McTeer, James E. Milburn.

**Question Twenty-two.**—The Committee on Conference Relations reported, and Jason C. Clark was recognized as an elder from the Methodist Protestant Church. Thomas J. Hollingshead was recognized as a deacon from the Missionary Baptist Church. J. D. Houchins was continued in the supernumerary relation. The relation of J. T. Bird, C. F. Hunter, J. D. Harris and F. H. Carey each was changed from effective to supernumery. R. F. Harris was discontinued. Jasper Sage was recognized as a local deacon from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

**Corporate Session.**—On motion the conference went into corporate session. The Board of Incorporators recommended to the conference the loan of monies in their possession, without interest, and to be repaid on demand, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the Cairns-Martin Investigation and Trial Expense fund, and the recommendation was adopted by the conference. The corporate session then adjourned.

**G. T. Francisco Presides.**—G. T. Francisco was called to the chair by the presiding Bishop.

**Reports of Committees.**—The Committee on Sabbath Observance reported.

F. M. Cones introduced a resolution of appreciation regarding the gift of books to the young men, by J. J. Manker, and the resolution was adopted.

The special committee appointed to consider the adoption of "Conference Rules and Rules of Order" reported by the secretary, and the report of the committee was adopted. (See rules elsewhere).

The Committee on Resolutions reported by J. M. Emert. (See resolutions elsewhere).

The names of L. A. Swisher, J. S. Burnett, and W. L. Oliver were announced by the Committee on Nominations as a Committee on Book Concern Accounts.

The Committee on District Conferences Records reported.  
The Treasurer reported.

F. M. Cones moved to reimburse the Treasurer for clerical help, and the motion was adopted.

The report of the Board of Stewards was read by M. C. Bruner.

M. C. Bruner moved to refer the case of the T. D. Rowe children to the pastor at Roan Mountain and N. K. Rowe, to report at the next session of Holston Conference, and the motion was adopted. On motion of J. S. Burnette, M. C. Bruner was added to this committee.

The Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension reported by G. T. Francisco.

The Statistical Secretary reported.

G. T. Byrd read a resolution which was seconded by J. S. Burnett and M. C. Bruner and adopted. (See resolution elsewhere).

The Committee on Church Literature reported.

A recess was then ordered.

**Session Resumed.**—G. T. Francisco called the conference to order.

The roll was called for subscriptions to the Minute Fund.

**Bishop Henderson Resumes the Chair.**—At this juncture the presiding Bishop resumed the chair. R. F. Porter reported for the special committee on the Cairns-Martin Expense fund. A motion was made by A. B. Dennis to authorize the Board of Incorporators to borrow the additional funds necessary to complete the entire payment of the expenses of the Cairns-Martin Investigation and Trial Expenses. The motion was adopted.

B. M. Martin moved to authorize the Board of Incorporators to audit and pay the accounts made by the Cairns-Martin Investigations and Trial. The motion was adopted. The Missionary appropriations and the Episcopal Fund pro-rata were read by B. M. Martin. The Conference Boards were also read.

**Transfers.**—A. C. Goddard was announced as transferred from Maine Conference, and J. J. Robinette from the Indiana Conference.

After a statement by B. M. Martin, Burrville School property interests were referred to the Board of Incorporators.

**Adjournment.**—It was moved, seconded and adopted, that after the reading of the journal, devotional exercises and the reading of the appointments, the conference stand adjourned without date.

The journal was read and approved. The Bishop read the appointments, and pronounced the benediction.

Signed.

Theodore S. Henderson

President.

Robert L. Stapleton

Secretary.

## GENERAL CONFERENCE DELEGATES

Chicago, 1868—Thos. H. Pearne and W. C. Daily; reserve, Albert Hyden.

Brooklyn, 1872—N. E. Cobleigh, F. M. Fanning and J. L. Mann; reserve, R. W. Patty and J. A. Hyden. Laymen, N. G. Taylor, J. W. Ramsey; reserve, J. J. Yeager and N. A. Patterson.

Baltimore, 1876—Ministerial, W. C. Graves, J. J. Manker; alternates, J. A. Hyden and J. F. Spence. Laymen, Wm. Rule, H. Pressnell; alternates, J. W. Ramsey, W. E. F. Milburn.

Cincinnati, 1880—Ministerial, J. W. Mann, J. F. Spence; reserve, J. J. Manker, J. B. Ford. Laymen, Wm. Rule, Caleb B. French; reserve, W. R. Tuell, J. P. Easterly.

Philadelphia, 1881—Ministerial, J. J. Manker, J. F. Spence; reserve N. G. Taylor, J. S. Petty. Laymen, J. H. Ketron, S. P. Angel; reserve, W. M. Christian, W. A. Wright.

New York, 1888—T. C. Carter, J. F. Spence; reserve, J. J. Robinette, T. S. Walker. Laymen, W. M. Christian, H. B. Cass; reserve, Geo. W. Hill, John W. Adams.

Omaha, 1892—Ministerial, J. F. Spence, T. C. Carter; reserve, S. G. Ketron, G. W. Jarvis. Laymen, W. A. Galbreath, A. J. Bruner; reserve, B. W. Padgett, J. T. Jarvis.

Cleveland, 1896—Ministerial, R. J. Cooke, J. A. Ruble; reserve, J. J. Robinette, T. B. Russell. Laymen, J. A. Fowler, J. W. Adams; reserve, G. A. Bailey, C. P. Cass.

Chicago, 1900—R. J. Cooke, J. A. Ruble; reserve, J. J. Robinette, G. T. Newcomb. Laymen, J. A. Patten, C. P. Cass; reserve, W. T. Cooper, Joseph H. Ketron.

Los Angeles, 1904—Ministerial, R. J. Cooke, J. J. Robinette; reserve, J. J. Manker, J. M. Melear. Laymen, J. A. Patten J. O. Lotspeich, reserve, J. A. Grigsby, J. A. Goddard.

Baltimore, 1908—Ministerial, R. J. Cooke, J. J. Manker, J. J. Robinette; reserve, G. T. Francisco, Luther Freeman, E. B. Olmstead. Laymen, J. A. Patten, J. W. Fisher, W. T. Smith; reserve, J. A. Grigsby, C. L. Parham, C. F. Dye.

Minneapolis, 1912—Ministerial, R. J. Cooke, G. T. Francisco, B. M. Martin; reserve, R. B. Stansell, R. L. Stapleton. Laymen, J. A. Patten, S. H. Thompson, C. L. Parham; reserve, J. A. Grigsby, J. W. Fisher, J. R. Penland.

Saratoga, 1916—Ministerial, S. G. Ketron, J. J. Manker, M. C. Bruner; reserve, W. S. Grant, J. S. Burnett. Laymen, J. A. Patten, J. W. Fisher, J. A. Grigsby; reserve, W. T. Smith, C. P. Cass.

## REPORTS.

### BRISTOL DISTRICT

E. O. Woodyard, Superintendent.

The Bristol District covers the whole and parts of 19 counties in Southwest Virginia and a part of two counties in West Virginia, embracing practically the same territory of 6 districts of the Holston Conference, and the Roanoke district of the Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church, South. In this area there are 161 churches divided into 26 pastoral charges, consisting of 3 stations and 23 circuits.

For the manning of these 26 charges the conference appointed 6 effective men, 2 under-graduates, and 15 supplies; leaving 3 places to be supplied after conference. For these vacant places we secured the service of Jno. M. Black for Roanoke, B. T. Moody for Marion, and G. L. Shupe for Salem.

Early in January, A. L. Lester, resigned the Oakvale charge and J. H. Barton filled out the year. The latter part of January E. W. Akard, resigned the Wise charge, and Jno. W. May was secured to fill out the year. Early in April, C. B. Roach was transferred to the New Jersey Conference and C. K. Mahoney was returned from Drew Theological Seminary and placed in charge of the Bristol Church. He has done faithful and constructive work. In September, B. T. Moody deserted the Marion charge. Since his departure the charge has been without a pastor.

In the beginning of the year, the task of making a Constituency Roll for the entire district was undertaken and each pastor was furnished with a pad of Constituency Roll cards and of the 3,250 cards handed out to the various pastors there have been filled out and report-2,658 families reached, aggregating about 12,951 members and constituents. The work is not all as yet done, for not all the pastors reached all the homes in the bounds of their charges.

Church building enterprises on the district have not been overlooked. Two new churches have been built and dedicated on the Pennington charge this year; Ely Memorial church was dedicated, by Dr. Hixson on July 18th, also the Gilbert Memorial church was dedicated by Dr. Francisco on October 3rd. The parsonage has also been roofed and painted, and the Pennington church painted on the inside; the total cost of all these improvements and churches is about \$3,000. T. J. Crumley is the pastor and church builder. Two churches have been dedicated on the Christiansburg charge this year; one at Christiansburg, dedicated July 11th, by Dr. Parr; the Radford Church dedicated on July 18th, by Dr. Parr; the value of the two churches is about \$3,500.

Mt. Moriah and Hines Branch churches on the Fries charge are in the process of construction. Free Hill on the Greendale charge is almost completed. Bold Camp, on the Wise charge, is about half completed. Oak Grove, on the Russell charge, a joint church of the M. E. and the M. E. Church, South, is well on the way to completion. Ironto on the Lafayette charge is completed all but the seats and will be ready to dedicate soon. A church lot has been purchased in the town of Honaker and plans are being matured to build a church next year. Many other minor improvements have been made on churches and parsonages.

Work for the young people and Sunday Schools have not been overlooked and earnest efforts have been put forth in behalf of each. There are on the district 124 Sunday Schools, an increase of 21 over last year. We do not have on hands the enrollment of two of the charges, if they maintain their record of last year there will be an increase of about 800.

Three new Epworth Leagues have been organized on the district, all of which fills a great need and are doing splendid work.

Splendid revivals have been held on several charges of the district, and most all show good results along this line of work. The total number of conversions reported to me up to October 5th is 1,791. Great stress has been laid upon following up the revival and housing the converts in the church; the results have been in a measure satisfactory, yet with all our vigilance much of the results have been lost. The reports of the pastors up to October 5th, show that 883 full members have been received this year. Allowing a margin for discrepancies we will still be able to have a net gain in full membership of more than 10%.

Of the 883 full members received this year, there has been received on the Benham and Hilton charge, 41; Bristol, 16; Christiansburg, 170; Floyd, 8; Franklin, 32; Fries, 21; Glenford, 7; Gate City, 42; Greendale, 25; Honaker, 64; Marion, 87; Nicklesville, 7; Lafayette, 54; Oakvale, 7; Pattonville, 6; Pennington and Big Stone Gap, 54; Riner, 39; Roanoke, 11; Rose Hill, 36; Russell, 43; Salem, 24; St. Charles, 93; Swords Creek, 13; Wytheville, 72; Wise, Buchanan Mission, 4.

The financial stringency that has come over the country in the last twelve months has in a measure affected the pastors' salaries in some parts of the district, yet the support from the new membership, and many of the charges paying more this year, than last for ministerial support, the district as a whole will not show any material depreciation in support, rather will show a slight advance. The various benevolent causes have been faithfully presented and earnestly advocated, but we fear there will be a slight falling off on this line of church work.

We have tried to perform the work assigned us to the best of our ability under the circumstances under which we have had to labor. We have spent 243 days out on the district, holding all 104 quarterly conferences in person, preaching 281 times, delivering 67 addresses, visiting 463 different homes, making a total of 542 visits, baptizing 28 persons, taking 23 persons into full membership in the church, and collected a complete file of the Virginia Conference minutes, save the closing conference at Eagle Rock, this minute we are still searching for.

We have not reached all the churches on the district; this is too big a job for one year as the territory is large and the churches in places far apart; yet in our humble judgment as far as we have seen there is no more inviting field in the Holston Conference than the Bristol territory. Were the same amount of money spent and the same kind of talent used here as there is in the other parts of the conference, as great, if not greater advance could be made than anywhere else in the conference.

If one is looking for the real Christ method of blessings, that it is more blessed to give than to receive, there is an abundant reward awaiting those of talent who are willing to endure some of the hardships as good soldiers of Jesus Christ in the Bristol District. Better talent and better methods would bring better financial response, for where there is one among us who is willing to organize, there is always an advance over the old method of just any way will do.

With thanks to Almighty God for the blessing of good health during the year, and for his keeping grace, we submit our first report of the Bristol District.

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**CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT**  
**J. A. Mitchell, Superintendent.**

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With grateful recognition of Divine favor we record the progress of the work of the Chattanooga District for the past year. The unusual number of cold rainy Sundays during the winter months greatly hindered the work on the district the first part of the year, but the preachers have all been at their posts, and have had abundant reason to rejoice because of results.

The most of the pastors in this district have proved faithful and efficient in their service for the Master, and it has been a pleasure to be associated with the band of faithful men who have wrought in their various fields as pastors.

There have been but few changes among the pastors on the district this year. K. L. Haga appointed to the Fairmount charge for some reason did not go to the charge, and I was fortunate in securing W. H. Coffee for this place, and the Coffee has been good and hot all the year, and the people have been well served.

The revival interests have been good, much better than usual; several charges will report a large increase of members. Special revival meetings have been held at most every appointment, and the number of conversions will aggregate more than 800. Special mention should be made of our Sunday School work on the district; several new schools have been organized this year, giving us on this district 63 Sunday Schools and about 6,500 pupils to study God's word every week, and through the Sunday Schools many are led to accept Christ and His church.

A profitable and successful District Meeting was held July 21, 22, 23 at the Saint Marks Church in North Chattanooga; it was well attended, and the work of the conference proved very helpful in the general work of the district.

**Epworth Leagues**—We have on the district 15 Epworth Leagues, and 10 Junior Leagues; these hold weekly devotional services, which are well sustained both in attendance and enthusiasm. A very enthusiastic League Convention was held in connection with our District Meeting; which was an inspiration to all who attended.

**Church Periodicals**—Our people do not take our Church Papers as liberally as they ought, but I have urged upon them the importance and the necessity of taking our Church Periodicals. "Precept upon precept and line upon line" may be required, but it is well worth the while. Our people on the district are taking about 600 Church papers.

**Pastoral Support**.—I have emphasized the fact that our pastors are entitled to, and ought to have a liberal, sufficient, and comfortable support, and our first round of Quarterly Meetings estimated for Ministerial support the sum-total of \$21,990.00, and I have sought in every legitimate way to secure the payment of ever dollar due these faithful pastors, and a very small deficiency will appear, if any.

**Benevolences**—We have tried in every possible way to impress on the minds and hearts of pastors and people the great importance of our benevolences, and I think the pastors reports will be very gratifying. We shall report this year a total of about \$5,500 on Disciplinary Benevolences, with a creditable ratio for all other causes.

A brief survey of each charge will be of interest.

**Athens**—Brother Millard the pastor has done a most excellent work, and the outlook for our church at Athens was never better than now.

Athens Circuit, has had a phenomenal growth this year. Brother Clark has proved himself to be the right man in the right place.



Chatata Circuit has been served by Brother Thurston, who has done a good work; this charge raised the pastor's salary this year \$50.00, and two new churches have been started on the charge.

At Alton Park we have a splendid field for labor, and Brother Martin has been at work here trying to bring things to pass.

Brother W. A. Burnett is our efficient pastor at Avondale, and a good work has been done.

Epworth has been served by Brother R. C. Elzey, a student in the Chattanooga University; he has done his best to bring about results, and he will make a good report from this difficult field.

Our First Church under the wise leadership of Dr. L. A. Swisher has had a splendid year, more than 100 have been added to the membership, large congregations have attended all the services, and the Sunday School has had a phenomenal growth, and the pastor's report will show that everything has been paid in full.

Highland Park has had a splendid year, large congregations have attended all the services, and there has been a steady growth in the membership of the church. Brother Wolfe, the pastor, will report advancement on all lines.

Brother Cresswell has had a good year at Manker Memorial; they have been able to pay about one-half of their debt this year with everything else paid in full.

North Chattanooga has been steadily advancing under the leadership of Brother D. R. Haney.

Ridgedale raised the pastor's salary to \$1,200 this year, thus showing their appreciation of their pastor, Brother W. S. Grant.

Brother Boling has been hard at work at St. James all the year, and his report will show that progress has been made on all lines.

Our church at Cleveland has been faithfully served by brother Porter, who has added strength to the church in every way; the Sunday School at this church is the second largest in the district.

Brother J. T. Ware has been in charge of the Cleveland Circuit, and has done a very good work.

Copper Hill has been served by Brother Chas. F. Hunter, who has wrought well in that field.

Brother P. L. Clonce has done a good work on the Daisy Circuit, and he will report advancement on all lines.

Etowah is rapidly becoming a city, our church is doing well there under the leadership of Brother G. T. Byrd.

Brother Coffee has been the pastor at Fairmount, and has had a splendid year.

Jasper Circuit has had a good year; Brother Jacob Hendricks, the pastor, will make a fine report.

The McDonald Circuit has not had a very good year; one of the church buildings on this circuit burned down in the early Spring, and they were not able to rebuild, and Brother Carey, the pastor, gave the work up in the middle of the year, and I had to supply the work for the rest of the year the best I could.

The Mt. Olivet Circuit has been served by Brother Samuel Bone, who has worked hard, and will make a fine report for that field.

This is Brother J. F. Rowe's second year on the Pikeville Circuit, and under his wise leadership the circuit has steadily advanced. A new church building has been erected on this charge.

Red Bank has had the service of Brother J. J. Ellington, a student of the Chattanooga University, and he has done a good work.

Soddy has been well looked after by Brother J. B. Kenna, who is wide awake and up to date in his work, and has had a year of phenomenal success.

South Pittsburg has had unparalleled success under the diplomatic leadership of Brother M. H. Monroe.

Tellico Plains and Englewood have great possibilities, and Brother Bruner, the pastor, has done a good work as his report will show.

Brother Sumner has had a good year on the Tracy City charge; yet a sad year, for death entered the home last winter and took the beautiful baby girl they loved so well. But she is not dead; she has but passed beyond the mists that blind us here, into the new and larger life of that serener sphere.

A splendid work has been done on the Whitwell charge by Brother James Osborne, who is a man of sterling worth.

Special mention should be made here of our Schools.

The Chattanooga University and our Junior College at Athens are located within the bounds of this district, and these splendid institutions are doing a fine work, they are having a very prosperous opening this year; the best in many years. The student bodies are enthusiastic, and the faculties are efficient and progressive in their work.

Thus ends our first year on the Chattanooga district. It has been full of toil and anxiety, but replete with victory. My relation with the charges and pastors has been of the most cordial kind, so far as I know.

We have attended all of our Quarterly Conferences in person. With devout thanksgiving to the Giver of all good for His mercies and blessings in the past, we turn our face to the future with renewed hope and joy.

**HARRIMAN DISTRICT****B. M. Martin, Superintendent.**

We bring our report from hard fought fields.

It is a report of a year's work in the face of financial depression, the financial depression being that which is general to any section at this time and greater than in most territory. The spiritual life of the people has been influenced more or less by the money stringency. Much of our territory is given to lumber and mining interests. And these matters have suffered.

But we have done what we could, and present our report in modesty and fidelity.

No man in the pastorate has fallen during the year.

But we have had our usual breaking of lines, growing out of certain conditions, somewhat varied.

**Changes.**—Luther Wright, a supply, appointed at conference session to Litton charge early declined to go, and Geo. H. Long was immediately appointed in his stead. He has made good. Early in April, J. E. Underwood, who had been appointed to the Andersonville charge, deciding to move back to his farm with his family, resigned his charge; Samuel Sproles, a local Preacher of accepted worth took up the work and has won so far as time would allow.

In the latter part of April, E. B. Schick, a young man of promise, who had been licensed only at the District Conference of 1914, and who had been appointed to the Norma and Rugby Road charge, because of complications arising in his plans, to the regret of his people resigned his work.

W. O. Duncan, a student of the Athens School of the University of Chattanooga, then resting on his school plans was sent to the charge and has faithfully closed the year's work.

In the month of June W. L. McTeer, supplying the Newcomb charge, who had served well, was allowed to take up largely a new field at Westbourne and was released from duties on said charge, save at Gatliff. L. Frank Lewell was appointed to Newcomb charge proper. He has left the charge without giving me notice during the last days of the year.

Early in August, S. E. Taylor, who is making his way through school and who had served Arthur circuit, while attending school at Lincoln Memorial University, gave up the charge to enter upon duties as principal of High School at Chestnut Hill in Jefferson County, preparatory to entering Drew Theological Seminary.

J. B. Cobble, local preacher of long standing, living within bounds of charge was appointed to complete year's service. He has remained faithful.

The other men are among the unchangeable. They have remained on the field.

**New Work.**—On the Vasper Mission, served by Luther Clear, several preaching places have been opened, and two Sunday Schools have been organized and are flourishing.

On the Sunbright and Lancing charge, M. B. Gass has organized a small but promising class to be known as Jack's Chapel.

**Church and Parsonages Enterprises.**—The church at Arthur, on Arthur Circuit, near completion one year since, has been seated and dedicated.

It was dedicated fourth Sunday in April by the Superintendent of the District. The property is valued at about \$1200.00.

A new church enterprise for Harriman has been agitated during the year to the extent that it will likely materialize next year.

At Clinton, where we have long needed better housing, they are decided on remodeling the old building to a degree as to make the church equal to a new one. Will make outlay of nearly \$4,500, and will have easily when completed the best plant in town.

On Big Valley charge in the community of Walnut Grove, we have secured a lot and have placed almost sufficient lumber to build parsonage. Some \$375.00 are in sight for the building.

We have paid all told on buildings and improvements, \$1,630.00 and on old debts, \$1,072.00.

**Conversions and Accessions.**—The revivals have been general. We have reported 1,124 conversions. Some of these have been reported from union revival campaigns. Hence they have not all joined the Methodist Episcopal Church.

The accessions tabulated to me are 586. If we do not suffer as in other years from bad bookkeeping, we will show net gain of 417.

The charges showing net gains of ten per cent and more are as follows:

Burrville .....	F. K. Suddarth, Pastor.
Big Valley .....	J. F. Lynch, Pastor
LaFollette and Jacksboro .....	H. M. Torrey, Pastor
Harriman .....	W. F. Pitts, Pastor
Lone Mountain .....	W. J. Letsinger, Pastor.
New Tazewell .....	Otey Dyke, Pastor.
Sunbright and Lancing .....	M. B. Gass, Pastor.

**Our Varied Organizations.**—The Junior Epworth League, the Senior Epworth League, the Woman's Home and Foreign Societies and the Ladies' Aid Societies have about maintained the normal standing.

The Sunday School work has made advances. Rev. Geo. T. Francisco, D. D., Conference Sunday School Missionary, gave time to a strenuous campaign of five weeks in our District.

I think my tabulation is not complete, but what I have shows advance in number of Sunday Schools and total enrollment, and that following distinctive advances for two years in succession.

**Constituency Roll and Time Legion Reports.**—Investigation shows that 115 on the District have joined the Time Legion, and that the charges with the following pastors have in whole or in part arranged the Constituency Roll: Clinton, M. P. Murphy; Crossville, C. V. Bellamy; Graysville, W. H. Newton; Harriman, W. F. Pitts; Kingston, T. H. Conner; Morgan Springs, F. L. Bradley; Jellico, H. E. Little; LaFollette and Jacksboro, H. M. Torrey; Oliver Springs, H. A. Gamble; Rockwood, J. D. Harris; Vine Grove and Spring City, Cicero Dobbs, and Well Spring, C. L. Kirby.

**District Conference.**—Our District Conference was a benediction this year. Meeting July 19-21 at Oliver Springs. Our new men entered enthusiastically into its plans. We had a large number of visiting laymen and ministers, all of whom brought us some encouragement and inspiration. Bishop Henderson rendered splendid services. He remained with us one day and half and one night, giving his service unstintedly while present.

The District Conference gave out to him a gracious expression of appreciation for his stay and work with us.

### JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

S. G. Ketron, Superintendent.

We have completed four churches this year and dedicated three of them, Liberty on the Thornhill Circuit, Alder's Chapel on the Sneedville Circuit, Shultz Chapel on the Newport Circuit, and Vermont on the Bloomingdale Circuit. Dr. F. W. Hixson, President of the Chattanooga University, preached the dedicatory sermon of this church, and Dr. G. T. Francisco, W. C. Winslow, the pastor, and the District Superintendent took part in the dedication. The District Superintendent preached the dedicatory sermon at Alder's Chapel and was assisted in the dedication by P. W. Shockley, the pastor. He also preached the dedicatory sermon of Shultz Chapel and was assisted in the dedication by D. F. Smith, the pastor. The Liberty Church will be dedicated in November.

On the Morristown Circuit, at Mt. Airy, the pastor, W. S. Bandy, W. A. Roberson and others have a large amount in good subscriptions, with which to build a new church, and will begin work at once.

W. T. Senter, a local preacher in this charge, has also secured a large subscription in Beach Bottoms, where a new church will be built.

The following amounts have been spent in improvements and repairing and paying old debts. Outlay as follows:

Baileyton .....	\$ 55.00
Bloomingdale .....	200.00
Chuckey .....	50.00
Elizabethton .....	300.00
Fall Branch .....	285.00
Greeneville, Sta. ....	1,480.00
Greeneville Ct. ....	300.00
Johnson City .....	841.00
Kingsport .....	500.00
Limestone .....	76.00
Morristown, Sta. ....	300.00
Mosheim .....	118.00
Mountain City Ct. ....	300.00
Newport, Sta. ....	95.00
Parrottsville .....	300.00
Roan Mountain .....	130.00
Rogersville .....	400.00
Sulphur Springs .....	225.00
Unicoi .....	140.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$6,092.00</b>

Bloomingtondale has raised over.....	\$2,200.00	for all purposes
Morristown Ct. has raised over.....	2,200.00	for all purposes
Newport Ct. has raised over.....	1,200.00	for all purposes
Sneedville has raised over.....	1,000.00	for all purposes
Thorn Hill has raised over.....	1,000.00	for all purposes
	<u>\$7,600.00</u>	
	6,092.00	
Grand Total .....	<u>\$13,692.00</u>	

There were reported last Conference 113 Sunday Schools and 11,511 scholars in all departments. We report this year 128 schools and 12,523 scholars in all departments, a gain over the previous year of 15 schools and 1,012 scholars.

We have fourteen Epworth Leagues and they are doing good work. Four Junior Leagues and they are doing fine work and deserve special mention.

We have 19 Ladies' Aid Societies, which are doing splendid work. The same can be said of the Woman's Home Mission Society and the Woman's Foreign Mission Society.

Our District Conference held at Newport was a success in all respects. Bishop T. S. Henderson was with us on Saturday night and Sunday morning. He delivered a splendid address and preached a great sermon to the delight of all. Three persons were licensed to preach and one young man recommended to the Annual Conference for admission into the traveling connection.

We have two church schools, one at Chuckey, the other at Bailey-ton. Both these schools are doing splendid work.

**KNOXVILLE DISTRICT****W. K. Harris, Superintendent**

The reports of last year indicate a high water mark in the history of the Knoxville District. Great material prosperity enabled the pastors to bring in a fine record financially. Heroic effort in evangelism gave them a good record spiritually. We have tried to continue the movements already so well begun and introduce such new methods as seemed necessary for the largest success.

Nineteen pastors found themselves in new fields at the close of the last session of the annual conference. Unusually rough winter weather began quite early, even before some of the pastors were settled in their new fields, and continued throughout the season. Roads were in some places impassable and the revival campaign was much hindered during the entire winter season.

Four small chapels have been built this year at an average cost of about \$1,500. Two of these were begun last year. At Fairview on the Maryville circuit we found by the wise management of the pastor that every dollar was paid when we came to the dedication service. Dr. J. S. Jones preached the dedicatory sermon and was assisted in the service by the pastor and District Superintendent. Bogart's Chapel, on the Chestnut Hill charge, was dedicated May 31, by the District Superintendent, assisted by the pastor.

Cardwell's Chapel, on the Pigeon charge, was largely built by the efforts of Robert Cardwell who when it was completed gave a title to the Methodist Episcopal Church, attended one service, and before the dedication, passed to his reward, leaving this fine monument to his faithfulness and generosity. The building was dedicated by Dr. E. A. Bishop.

At Middle Settlements, on the Friendsville charge, a beautiful church has been erected but is not yet entirely free from debt. We are hoping to receive some aid from the Board this year and with it we shall be able to dedicate soon.

A fine parsonage has been built at Inskip. The splendid laymen of that growing suburb, led by the genial pastor, Rev. B. M. Morrison, determined it must be done, and with them to do is to do well, so they built and fully paid for this beautiful parsonage during the conference year in addition to the paying of several hundred dollars indebtedness on the church building, in which they were aided by a donation from the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.

Park City has taken the step so long contemplated and bought a splendid lot on Virginia Avenue, in a good residence section and near one of the most popular street railway lines of the city. The pastor



found on coming to this charge quite a debt still against the old property and this he very properly provided for before taking up the matter of the new lot. He has done good service for this very promising young church in Knoxville's most popular suburb and is to be commended for his unswerving purpose to make possible in the near future a modern church building.

East Main Avenue has reported a very prosperous year. Last year the property was destroyed by fire and in addition to the loss they were carrying a debt of long standing. The building was replaced last year and this year they have paid on the old debt, \$827.50, and have raised in subscription \$1,200.00, which still leaves of that old indebtedness about \$600. Two good revivals have been held and a net gain of more than thirty per cent in membership has been realized. Rev. Geo. S. Bales is the pastor.

Trinity has experienced in many respects the best year in its history. Brother Tarwater found his way at once to the hearts of his people. He is of a decided evangelistic temperament and results began early in conversions at the evening service and in the revival that followed near a hundred persons professed conversion and 83 additions have been made to the membership this year.

First Church has had some serious difficulties. Personal losses reduced the contributions of a number of our largest contributors. The persistent efforts of the pastor and his committee in the every member canvass has made it possible to take care of the current expenses more easily than for a number of years. The church societies are in good condition. Ladies' Aid and Women's Missionary Societies have done excellent work while the Epworth Leaguers have not seen a more prosperous year since the palmy days when Frank Biddle, W. O. Whittle and Chas. Parham were at the forefront of the battle in the Epworth League army.

Second church boasts a new pastor, and by many he is reported to be the best pastor in the history of the church. All of which is admitted by the district superintendent. His first victory was a gracious revival in which he did the preaching and the results were about a hundred conversions and ninety additions to the church membership. The Sunday school remains the largest in the district and the conference.

Oakwood has had a good year in spite of adverse circumstances affecting the financial conditions of that suburb. Many of our men are railroad shop workers and have only been working half time or less for the year. Still they have met all salaries and paid all obligations against the church and more than two hundred dollars on the parsonage. Fine revivals have brought many to the Lord and a gratifying increase in church membership. E. R. Brannam has been directing the battle at this place.

But I cannot mention them all. Lonsdale, Pigeon Forge, Lenoir City, Thorn Grove, Second Church, Townsend and Walland, Asbury and Elm Grove, Friendsville, Dandridge, Oakwood, Trinity, Jones' Chapel, East Main Avenue, and perhaps other charges have passed the minimum gain of ten per cent. Other charges have made as earnest efforts perhaps without the visible results.

The New Financial Plan has succeeded where the duplex envelopes were used and sufficient effort put forth by the stewards to bring up delinquents. The experience of the year, however, indicates that in this district it were better to make the budget cover only the salaries and leave the pastor in charge of raising the benevolences.

The Methodist Forward Movement has been presented in a number of places and met with high favor. Our resident bishop has been able to present the matter personally in a few churches and at the district conference. A number of laymen, led by F. W. Biddle, president of our District Laymen's Association, has been quite helpful in the presentation in a number of suburban and rural charges.

Reports indicate two thousand conversions and more than twelve hundred additions to the church membership. After counting off all losses it must give a net gain of no less than 800. The membership records are in good condition so far as I have been able to examine them. I do not expect any losses from inaccurate records this year.

Quite unusual activity has been noted in the Epworth Leagues. We have now seventeen in the district. Some have made large gains in membership.

The Sunday Schools indicate a healthful growth. Dr. G. T. Francisco visited the district in the midst of the worst winter weather. We were unable to reach the entire district, but where we were able to get a hearing, Dr. Francisco's addresses were well received.

## MISSIONARY APPROPRIATIONS

### BRISTOL DISTRICT

Benham and Hilton .....	\$ 40.00
Christiansburg .....	40.00
Franklin .....	35.00
Gate City .....	150.00
Glenford .....	75.00
Honaker .....	40.00
LaFayette .....	40.00
Marion .....	40.00
Nicklesville .....	50.00
Pennington Gap .....	75.00
Pattonsville .....	40.00
Roanoke .....	150.00
Russell .....	40.00
Sword's Creek .....	40.00
Salem .....	40.00
West Honaker .....	40.00
Wise .....	120.00
Wise Mission .....	45.00
District .....	360.00
	\$1,460.00

### CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

McDonald Circuit .....	\$ 50.00
Mt. Olivet Circuit .....	50.00
Pikeville Circuit .....	100.00
Tracy City Circuit .....	100.00
Tellico Plains Circuit .....	30.00
	\$330.00

### HARRIMAN DISTRICT

Burrville .....	\$ 24.00
Clearfield Mission .....	20.00
Crossville and Clarkrange .....	80.00
Dayton .....	50.00
Graysville .....	50.00
Heiskell .....	40.00
Kingston .....	50.00
LaFollette and Jacksboro .....	100.00
Morgan Springs .....	80.00
Newcomb .....	50.00
Norma and Rugby Road .....	50.00
Oliver Springs .....	50.00
Sunbright and Lancing .....	90.00
	\$734.00

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**JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT**

Baileyton .....	\$ 38.08
Chuckey .....	38.08
Elizabethton .....	38.08
Kingsport .....	47.60
Mt. City Station .....	78.02
Mt. City Ct. ....	28.56
Roan Mt. ....	38.08
Rogersville .....	68.50
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 375.00</b>

**KNOXVILLE DISTRICT**

Inskip .....	\$ 88.00
Park City .....	200.00
Jefferson City .....	150.00
Erie Circuit .....	50.00
	<u>\$488.00</u>

**Special**

South Knoxville .....	\$ 250.00
Seventh Street .....	150.00
	<u>\$400.00</u>
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$888.00</b>

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS

Name	To Whom Given	Amount.
Amis, J. H. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	\$ 120.00
Baker, J. A. ....	H. M. Hawk .....	100.00
Brown, T. W. ....	Self .....	146.00
Conner, G. A. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	58.00
Crist, Benj. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	175.00
Coleman, G. W. ....	Self .....	140.00
Cadle, A. G. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	100.00
Devenport, M. N. ....	Self .....	50.00
Elliott, W. V. ....	Self .....	125.00
Hodge, T. H. ....	Self .....	130.00
Ingle, A. H. ....	T. J. Crumley.....	140.00
Keister, J. B. ....	John Black .....	110.00
Leslie, R. L. ....	Self .....	50.00
Miller, C. W. ....	C. L. Kirby.....	76.00
McGee, J. W. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	100.00
Newton, J. M. ....	J. F. Giles.....	100.00
Ogle, H. B. ....	Self .....	55.00
Pippin, I. N. ....	T. J. Crumley.....	100.00
Peters, A. C. ....	Self .....	130.00
Rumberg, J. K. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	160.00
Thompson, G. H. ....	T. J. Crumley.....	75.00
West, T. R. ....	Self .....	170.00
Winkler, E. J. ....	E. C. Thurston.....	115.00

### Women

Burkhart, N. C., Mrs.....	T. J. Crumley.....	\$ 100.00
Cardwell, J. L., Mrs. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	128.00
Carter, D., Mrs. ....	G. W. Paul.....	65.00
Cass, T. A., Mrs. ....	L. B. Clark.....	120.00
Chase, T. G., Mrs. ....	R. F. Porter.....	130.00
Clendennan, G. W., Mrs.....	M. C. Bruner.....	115.00
Cox, G. B., Mrs. ....	A. C. Ketron.....	130.00
Cresswell, A. F., Mrs.....	G. W. Paul.....	120.00
Durham, J. M., Mrs. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	150.00
Forrester, J. E., Mrs.....	G. T. Francisco.....	100.00
Haltom, W. C., Mrs. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	130.00
Henry, P. H., Mrs. ....	R. L. Stapleton.....	120.00
Hodge, J. C., Mrs. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	100.00
Hughes, J. R., Mrs. ....	G. T. Francisco.....	90.00
Jennings, J. H., Mrs. ....		
Jones, W. T., Mrs. ....	H. M. Hawk.....	120.00

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS—Continued.

Name	To Whom Given	Amount
Lawson, J. D., Mrs. ....	W. M. Bull.....	80.00
Miller, W. C., Mrs. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	130.00
Morton, J. P., Mrs. ....	R. E. Ayers.....	120.00
Newcomb, G. T., Mrs.....	L. A. Swisher.....	140.00
Perry, J. F., Mrs. ....		
Petty, J. S., Mrs. ....	Self .....	140.00
Reed, P. H., Mrs. ....	W. L. Oliver.....	70.00
Robertson, R. C., Mrs.....	W. M. Bull.....	80.00
Rogers, W. H., Mrs. ....	G. T. Francisco.....	85.00
Russell, T. B., Mrs. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	120.00
Scott, R. A., Mrs. ....	T. J. Crumley.....	100.00
Stout, G. M., Mrs. ....	Luther Clear.....	120.00
Tuttle, S. D., Mrs. ....	T. R. Baker.....	150.00
Walker, T. S., Mrs.....	M. C. Bruner.....	130.00

## Children

Haltom, Elbert .....	M. C. Bruner.....	40.00
Haltom, Willie .....	M. C. Bruner.....	40.00
Perry, J. F., Jr. ....	M. C. Bruner.....	50.00
Rowe, T. D., 2 Children.....		80.00
Russell, Margaret .....	M. C. Bruner.....	50.00
Walker, Fred .....	M. C. Bruner.....	50.00
Walker, Hazel .....	M. C. Bruner.....	50.00

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

### AUDITING COMMITTEE

We, the Auditing Committee, after examination of the accounts of the District Superintendents, with explanatory statements furnished by two of them, find that they are correct.

We hold a returned check of \$3.35 from E. O. Woodyard of the Bristol District. We recommend that this amount be turned over to the Treasurer of Home Mission and Church Extension Society.

H. M. HAWK,  
G. T. BYRD,  
A. B. DENNIS,  
W. F. LEDFORD,  
M. P. MURPHY.

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### CHURCH LITERATURE

The Methodist people have every reason to be gratified concerning their Church literature. Modest in its beginnings our publishing concern has now become the largest producer of Christian literature in the world. We are gratified especially this year by the high recognition which has come to the Methodist Episcopal Church with regard to our exhibit at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. The fact that the Methodist Book Concern received the highest awards for its exhibits of Sunday School literature and methods of instruction and for mechanical work in the printing and publishing of books, ought to rejoice the heart of every Methodist and intensify our loyalty to our own Sunday School and all other church literature.

Books and papers for young and old seem to be crying out with living voices for a place in the hands, homes and hearts of all our people. It is of no avail that they burden great tables and shelves of the book concern. To effect the design of their publication, they must be brought forth to the people. There is a great poverty of good literature in many places in the bounds of the Holston Conference. Pastors and all Christian workers should earnestly seek to supply these destitute places with good literature. At least one church paper should make its weekly visit to each home of our people. If but one, in our judgment, it should be the Methodist Advocate-Journal, edited by Rev. J. J. Manker, D. D. It meets a want in the Conferences of the South, that cannot easily be met by any other paper of the church.

T. H. HODGE, Chairman,  
ERWIN OMOHUNDRO.

### DEACONESS WORK

We believe in the call of God to women for definite work, especially Deaconess Work, because her tender and sympathetic nature is peculiarly adapted to such work. Since the work to be done is so pronounced and important, and the capacity of women is so eminently and correspondingly adequate, we believe this alone to be a divine call to her to do this work. Yet there can be no doubt that God gives special call to particular individuals for this definite work. The past work of our deaconesses has been in a measure so satisfactory that we would urge parents to dedicate their daughters to the service of God. We rejoice that particular stress is being placed upon the need of the service of our young women. Our gratitude should be recorded to Almighty God for the influence of his Holy Spirit in the hearts of so many young people for service. Therefore, we urge the fathers and mothers of our church to offer their daughters in prayer and faith for definite work for God. There can be no mistake in allowing God the right of way in the life of our daughters, as He knows best where to assign the task that the sheaves may be most abundant.

T. H. CONNER,  
J. W. BOLING,  
Committee.

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### DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORD

We recognize the vital need of a complete and accurate record of the proceedings of each District Conference, or, similar gathering on the several Districts of the Holston Conference.

In so far as we have had access to the records, we report the records correct.

R. E. WALKER,  
ROBT. E. AYRES,  
R. F. PORTER.

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### BOARD OF EDUCATION

1. The co-operation of our Board of Education with our schools in standardizing curricula, faculties, plants, equipment and endowment has been eminently helpful.

2. Its action at its recent annual meeting authorizing a Director of Religious Work for our institutions of learning is especially commendable.

3. Its thorough and far-reaching "Survey" of educational conditions throughout the country now in progress, promises much for the Board's coming semi-centennial forward movement.



4. The Children's Day Collection, which has aided from the beginning 22,984 students—2,189 last year, and this year 2,288—continues increasingly helpful and efficient.

5. We commend and approve the apportionment by the General Conference Commission on Finance of the One Public Educational Collection authorized by the Discipline, 80 per cent at the order of the Conference and 20 per cent for the Board of Education.

6. "The Christian Student," the Board's official organ, improves constantly and should be read widely. It is receiving most flattering recognition without our own denomination as well as at home.

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### OUR UNIVERSITY

The University of Chattanooga has opened the present year with an increased enrollment in both the departments—Athens and Chattanooga. The outlook is very encouraging.

Contracts have been let for the erection of two new buildings on the campus at Chattanooga. These buildings, when completed, together with two other buildings which are contemplated, will offer ample facilities for caring for the increasing attendance.

Several noticeable improvements have been made on the campus at Athens. Bennett Hall for young ladies has been thoroughly re-modeled and is now a modern dormitory with all modern conveniences. We have at Athens dormitories for both the young ladies and young men equal to that of any other institution of like character. It should be remarked that the expenses in these dormitories have been kept down to the minimum, thus making it possible for all young people to attend our own institution.

With the above facts before us, the consideration of our equipment, the standing of our faculty and the reputation of the school as a whole, it appears to this committee that every loyal pastor and layman should use his influence to bring our young people into our own institution of learning. One of the serious difficulties is that seeming indifference upon the part of many of our constituency as to whether our young people attend our own school or those of other denominations. It is the duty of our pastors and laymen to emphasize the importance of supporting our own schools. The same argument which may be used for the building up of our congregations and Sunday schools may be, and ought to be used with equal effect in building up the attendance of our own Methodist institutions of learning.

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**REPORT FROM WESLEYAN ACADEMY AT CHUCKEY, TENN.**

**To The Holston Annual Conference held in Athens, Tennessee, Beginning October 13th, 1915.**

The Wesleyan Academy began its work for the present scholastic year on September 7th, 1915.

Some changes were made in the faculty at the opening of the present session. Prof. W. A. Wright, Ph. D., a popular educator, a man well known for his long experience as an instructor, is now principal of this school. The following teachers constitute the Board of Instruction: Prof. W. A. Wright, Principal; Miss E. Maude Cox; Miss Gustava G'fellers; Miss Jessie R. Gray; Miss Lillian Gillespie and Miss Mamie Bitner.

Domestic Science was added to the course of study at the opening of the last school year. Miss Gray has this department in charge and Miss Bitner is the teacher in music. All of the corps of teachers have had academic and college training and are well qualified for the work of their several departments. They are members of Church and take special interest in the moral and spiritual welfare of those under their tuition. Since the opening this year weekly additions have been made to the enrollment in all the departments. Up to date October 13th the number has reached 185. The increasing demand for greater capacity in school buildings and other necessary equipment is daily manifest. The people of Chuckey and vicinity are very generous in opening their homes for the accommodation of non-residents. Students who come from without the community of Chuckey find rooms and boarding in the dormitory or with private families, while some choose to board themselves. The school year consists of eight months, divided into two terms of four months each. Those who are best known to the interests of this institution regard the outlook for a prosperous year promising. The generosity shown in material aid by special friends is gratefully acknowledged. Dr. F. M. Cones, Field Agent, is giving his entire time to the general interests of the school. His visits throughout its patronizing territory are fruitful of good.



**Report from Oakland Seminary, Baileyton, Tenn., to the Holston Conference convening at Athens, Tenn.**

Oakland Seminary at Baileyton, Tenn., opened its work for the present scholastic year on August 30, 1915, with the following corps of teachers:

Prof. R. W. Goforth, A. B., Principal; Mrs. J. N. Pierce, Ph. B.; Miss Eunice Robinson, A. B.; Prof. J. M. Yokley; Miss Fannie Burr Kiser and Miss Vera Tucker.

The property of this institution, consisting of two buildings and a plat of ground embracing about six acres and valued at \$8,000.00 is deeded to a Board of Trustees and their successors to be under the control of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

We are offering the full four year high school course as prescribed by the State.

The school has a well-equipped Domestic Science Department.

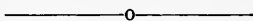
Miss Tucker has charge of the department of Music and is giving adequate instruction both in voice and piano. A new piano has recently been added by the Board of Trustees.

The outlook of Oakland Seminary is brighter today, perhaps, than ever before in its history; yet we cannot truthfully say that we have no difficulties to face. We are seriously in need of a well-equipped chemical and physical laboratory. If we are to continue as a first-class or four year high school we must do experimental work in Physics to meet the requirements of the State. This at present we cannot do for lack of equipment.

Our enrollment this year up to October 8th, has been one hundred and eighty-nine; notwithstanding we have had in our community, since before the time of our opening, deplorable epidemics of whooping cough and typhoid fever. The enrollment last year reached two hundred and thirty. We hope to even exceed that number this year when the health of our community becomes normal.

A wholesome, optimistic school spirit prevails throughout the community.

With the addition of the laboratory, which we must have and with other improvements for which we are now laboring, we hope to make of Oakland Seminary a greater power for education than it has ever been in the past.



## MURPHY COLLEGE

Murphy College at Sevierville has enjoyed another year of marked prosperity. 458 different students have been enrolled. More than one-half this large number were in the higher departments. This fact has made our work in the main building more than usually difficult, for there were 75 students more than we had room for. To meet these crowded conditions the office and library were given up for recitations; and yet it was not possible to do full justice to our work for these splendid young people.

The fall term opened with more than 300 and with promise that the crowds will again tax the utmost capacity of the institution and leave hundreds out who should be with us.

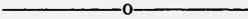
The Trustees propose an addition to the administration building 55x63 feet, two stories high, with full basement. This will accommodate

about 225 students and make room in the entire building for nearly 400 and will provide space in the basement for a steam plant for laboratories and for the department of Domestic Science.

The new building will cost about \$9,000, of which we now have in cash and good subscriptions \$8,000. We must provide also about \$2,750 for furnishings and a steam plant. The President is giving most of his time raising the needed funds. It is expected that the new structure will be finished in time for the next school year.

Murphy College has a large field. Thousands around the institution are dependent upon it for their higher education.

R. B. STANSELL,  
E. A. BISHOP,  
F. M. CONES,  
Committee.



### EPWORTH LEAGUE

We note with gladness the progress of the Epworth League in our Holston territory. There are sixty-three organized chapters, having a membership of more than eighteen hundred. More than one hundred of them are engaged in mission study.

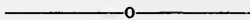
It has been proven that the Epworth League can be organized and in a large measure maintained in every charge through the co-operation of the pastor.

Be it Resolved: 1. That we, the members of the Holston Conference, turn our faces toward Holston Methodism's most victorious day by the utilization of our youth through the Epworth League.

2. That we strive for two hundred chapters before the end of this quadrennium.

3. That we express our appreciation for the untiring efforts of the president of our Conference League, W. Clay McKenzie, and also his efficient cabinet.

C. V. BELLAMY,  
JOHN SANDERS,  
G. T. BYRD.



### REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS

There has not been that financial gain in the reports for missions during the past year as has been universally desired.

This is due largely to the financial depression that has been felt throughout the country. We therefore recommend that renewed energy be given to this cause by a more thorough system of education in this matter among the people of our church. This may be effected by a careful and generous distribution of missionary literature, and

by establishing missionary reading circles, thus affording the best facilities for an increased activity on the part of the church membership. The effects of a fearful war beyond the Atlantic make an increased demand of the church in our home land, to aid our missions in the midst of suffering and want in that which is justly due from us.

R. E. WALKER,  
G. S. BALES,  
F. M. CONES.

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### REPORT OF FREEDMEN'S AID SOCIETY

In this sunny South of ours, the garden spot of the world, are many thousand negroes, and their greatest need to help them morally and spiritually is an education. The Freedmen's Aid Society has done much for this race of people and the aid of this Society is as much needed today as ever, therefore we earnestly commend the work of the Freedman's Aid Society to all our people and urge that a collection be taken in all our churches for this worthy cause.

E. M. PIPPIN, Chairman  
C. N. SADLER.

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### HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

The increasing importance of Home Missions and Church Extension in the United States is clearly apparent to all who study the demands and needs of the church in this country.

Each Conference has its problems in its particular field of endeavor. The Holston is no exception to this statement. The Board of Home Missions and Church Extension supplements pastors' salaries, helps in the erection of churches and often comes to our assistance when relief is obtainable from no other source. The total amount of donations coming from the Board of Church Extension to the work of our Conference during the past three years has been \$18,002.25, besides valuable loans. The contribution to us from the Home Missionary Society last year was \$4,100.00. But many fields remain to be developed in this and others of our Southern Conferences which renders the work of this great Board indispensable.

These splendid gifts from our great Board with many other important considerations serve to place every pastor and layman in the entire Conference under a debt of gratitude as well as obligation of loyalty to its support.

Therefore, be it Resolved: First, that we fail not to keep our people well informed as to the workings of this Board, and that we frequently emphasize its importance and as early in the year as possible take collections for it in all our appointments.

Resolved: Second, that, where loans are granted, we see to it that interest on same be paid promptly and, so soon as possible, return principal to the Board.

A. S. BEAMAN,  
P. L. CLONCE,  
I. B. LEONARD.

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### SABBATH OBSERVANCE

The Sabbath question is a serious proposition, and there is no probability that we will ever restore the Puritan Sabbath.

With the development of the industrial institutions of our country has gradually come a more liberal view of the binding obligations of the Holy Sabbath. When an employec has been confined at hard labor for 10 hours a day or 60 hours during the week in a great manufactory and by reason of that fact he has been deprived of the association of his family, he decides to spend the Sabbath in rest and pleasurable association, and so with a luncheon he with his family finds a city park or some other inviting place where he spends the day.

Drug stores are kept open on Sabbath days to accommodate the sick who may need medicine, with the result that tobacco, cigars, soft drinks and in fact all the wares kept in a drug store are sold.

The cafe or restaurant is open all day to accommodate the hungry. So the drug stores and the restaurants furnish convenient places for loafing and many young men and boys are lured into these institutions and spend the Sabbath day in idleness and in gossip, if they are not enticed into more objectionable employment of their time.

The automobile is an innocent cause of innumerable sorts of wickedness, among which may be classed the desecration of the Holy Sabbath. The temptation is very strong with those who have been employed all week in a store, factory or office, especially during the hot summer, when Sabbath morning comes to enjoy the exhilarating breeze of an auto outing and many Methodists do not have the courage to resist the temptation.

There are other forms of indulgence on the Sabbath day that should be condemned because of their tendency to evil of which we have not time to mention.

Resolved, that as a Conference we enter our most solemn protest against all unnecessary work or amusement on the Lord's day.

Resolved, second, that as ministers we will discourage by precept and example all uses of the Holy Sabbath that tend to depreciate its sacredness and to demoralize society.

G. W. COLEMAN.

### SUNDAY SCHOOLS

We affirm our continued allegiance to the great program of the Board of Sunday Schools, and encourage its importance to the welfare of the church of the future.

We urge and exhort all our people and pastors to give particular attention to the care of the children, the religious interests of the youth of our Conference, and to make larger efforts to enlist all the people to the study of the word of God in the Sunday School.

We appreciate the diligent work of our Sunday School Missionary, Dr. G. T. Francisco, and give hearty appreciation for the wonderful advance made in our Sunday School enrollment during the quadrennium now closing.

We request the appointment of Dr. Francisco as Sunday School Missionary for Holston Conference for this coming year.

R. L. STAPLETON,  
W. M. BULL.

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### BOARD OF TRUSTEES, ADVOCATE-JOURNAL FUND

Chattanooga, Tenn., October 16, 1915.

Mr. J. A. Patten, Treasurer,  
Methodist Advocate-Journal Fund,  
First National Bank Building,  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Dear Sir:

We hold for collection for account of Methodist Advocate-Journal Fund, the following first mortgage notes:

Notes	Accrued Int.	When Due
J. C. Norris .....\$ 500.00	\$ 15.00	April 23, 1917
H. O. Null ..... 1,000.00	2.50	Sept. 24, 1916
L. T. Wilkerson ..... 400.00	1.00	Sept. 24, 1916
Mrs. A. G. Carlin ..... 1,800.00	54.00	Oct. 14, 1915
W. A. Speakman ..... 1,500.00	30.00	Dec. 8, 1916
Carl C. Fowler ..... 1,000.00	20.00	Dec. 11, 1915
H. Crumbliss, Jr. .... 600.00	12.00	Dec. 9, 1915
W. J. Cagle ..... 1,000.00	25.00	May 15, 1917
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$7,800.00</b>	
Bal. on hand, Oct. 1.....	41.13	
	<b>\$159.50</b>	

Yours truly,

C. L. KNOEDLER,  
President.

October 1, 1915.

To the Patronizing Conferences of the Methodist Advocate-Journal:

The Board of Trustees of the Methodist Advocate-Journal Fund, through the undersigned officers of said Board, respectfully make and submit the following report of its transactions from the date of its latest previous report, October 1, 1914, to date hereof.

The names of the present trustees of said fund, the contributing conference from which each was chosen, the present place of residence of each, and the date upon which his term of service as such expires, are as follows:

Name	Conference	Residence	Term Ends
J. M. Atkins	Alabama	Heflin, Ala. ....	1916
G. T. Francisco	Holston	Knoxville, Tenn. ....	1916
J. A. Grigsby	Holston	White Horn, Tenn. ....	1916
.....	Georgia	.....	.....
J. A. Patten	Holston	Chattanooga, Tenn. ....	1916
S. C. Brown	Holston	Athens, Tenn. ....	1917
.....	Holston	.....	.....
W. C. Mann	Gulf	DeRidder, La. ....	1917
J. Henry Martin	St. John's River	St. Augustine, Fla. ....	1917
* .....	Central Tennessee	.....	.....
*J. J. Manker	Holston	Athens, Tenn. ....	1918
*W. C. Matney	Blue Ridge-Atlantic	Leicester, N. C. ....	1918
*J. A. Mitchell	Holston	Chattanooga, Tenn. ....	1918

\*Subject to confirmation by their respective conferences.

The receipts and disbursements of the Board are shown by the following:



## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Received from	Principal of Fund	Earnings of Fund
Cash in Bank October 1, 1914 .....	\$ 113.01	\$166.27
H. O. Null on Mortgage Note—Interest.....		30.00
W. J. Cagle on Mortgage Note—Interest.....		60.00
J. C. Norris on Mortgage Note—Interest.....		30.00
C. C. Fowler on Mortgage Note—Interest.....		60.00
L. F. Wilkerson on Mortgage Note—Interest..		24.00
W. A. Speakman on Mortgage Note—Interest..		45.00
A. G. Carlin on Mortgage Note—Interest.....	100.00	111.00
H. Crumbliss on Mortgage Note—Interest....	1,000.00	66.00
H. J. Resley on Mortgage Note—Interest.....	1,100.00	16.50
J. J. Manker—Collections (not included in do- nation notes) .....	165.40	.....
G. T. Newcomb on Donation Note.....	25.00	1.50
J. A. Patten on Donation Note .....	100.00	60.00
C. W. Olson on Donation Note—Interest.....		6.00
R. J. Miller on Donation Note—Interest.....		6.00
J. E. Annis on Donation Note—Interest.....		30.00
Herman Fergar on Donation Note—Interest... ..		15.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$2,603.41</b>	<b>\$727.27</b>
Disbursed to	Principal of Fund	Earnings of Fund
Investment in first Mortgage R. E. notes.....	\$2,600.00	\$ 27.50
Methodist Advocate-Journal .....		650.00
Individual expense—traveling expenses of trus- tees of fund attending annual meeting....		12.05
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$2,600.00</b>	<b>\$689.55</b>
Cash on hand and in Bank October 1, 1915....	\$ 3.41	\$ 37.72

The principal of the fund on hand is available for investment only. The earnings on hand (\$37.72) are available only for the needs of the Advocate-Journal and for the authorized expenses of the trust. During the period covered by this report the fund has been administered without any charge or expense.

## ASSETS

Cash on hand and in Bank.....			\$	41.13
First Mortgage Real Estate Notes:				
<b>Mortgagor</b>	<b>Principal</b>	<b>Int. Accrued</b>		
J. C. Norris .....	\$ 500.00	\$ 15.00		
H. O. Null .....	1,000.00	2.50		
L. F. Wilkerson .....	400.00	1.00		
Mrs. A. G. Carlin.....	1,800.00	54.00		
W. A. Speakman .....	1,500.00	30.00		
Carl C. Fowler .....	1,000.00	20.00		
H. Crumbliss, Jr. ....	600.00	12.00		
W. J. Cagle .....	1,000.00	25.00		
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$7,800.00</b>	<b>\$159.50</b>		<b>7,959.50</b>
Donation Notes—Principal .....				<b>2,645.00</b>
<b>Total</b> .....				<b>\$10,645.63</b>

The above \$7,800.00 of mortgage notes are by approved and solvent individuals; are secured by first mortgage deeds of trust upon improved real estate; all bear interest at six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually; are less than sixty per cent of the appraised value of the real estate; and are further protected by \$13,200.00 of fire insurance upon the improvements.

The above \$2,645.00 of donation notes is the aggregate of the principal of sundry notes ranging in amount from \$25.00 to \$1,000.00, of various dates, all bearing interest at six per cent per annum from date, given for subscription to the fund.

We believe these generous subscribers are paying their interest as promptly and regularly as they find practicable, but as the trustees cannot depend with certainty upon prompt payment by all, it is thought better to omit the interest as an asset.

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. GRIGSBY, Chairman  
 J. A. MITCHELL, Secretary  
 J. A. PATTEN, Treasurer.

### MEMORIAL ON UNIFICATION

Your committee to whom was referred the Memorial of the North-west Ohio Conference on the subject of the Unification of the several branches of Methodism in the United States, respectfully submit the following report:

1. We are in hearty accord with the spirit and desire of the Memorial in favor of the reunion of the several branches of Methodism.

2. The Memorial prays for unification on the basis of the tentative plan proposed by the Joint Commission on Federation and adopted, with a very important modification, by the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, but the Memorial fails to state whether it is praying for the union of the churches on the basis of the original plan proposed by the Commission on Federation, or on the basis of the plan as amended by the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. By reason of this ambiguity we cannot understandingly concur in the Memorial.

While the plan adopted by the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, does not seem to us ideal, and while we hope for a somewhat different basis of union, nevertheless we are more concerned about the reality of union than we are with any particular method of unification. And out of the plan adopted by the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, as a working basis, we cherish the hope that the ideal plan may be evolved which will prove acceptable to all parties concerned.

And we desire to place ourselves on record in favor of a unified Methodism and pledge ourselves as individuals and as a conference to work together for that most desirable consummation on some mutually accepted plan.

J. J. MANKER  
G. T. FRANCISCO  
E. A. BISHOP  
R. B. STANSELL  
J. D. ROBERSON

## RESOLUTIONS

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Resolved, That we extend to the good people of Athens our appreciation for the courteous manner in which we have been received into their homes, and for the unbounded hospitality that has characterized their attitude toward us during the session of this conference.

2nd. That we thank the Pastor, the Official Board, and especially the good women, who have spared neither money, time nor labor in preparing and serving dinner and supper in the basement of the church.

3rd. That we express our appreciation and hereby extend our thanks to Miss Minnie H. Breeland, the musical director of the Athens school, for the delightful musicale given in honor of the conference.

4th. That we again express to our worthy Secretary, Statistician and Treasurer our appreciation for their faithful and efficient service.

5th. That we express to Bishop Theodore S. Henderson, our resident Bishop, our appreciation of his intense and persistent efforts among us for the extension of the Kingdom of Christ throughout this territory during the quadrennium.

6th. That we record with pleasure the visits of all those who have brought to us such helpful messages from day to day, and we desire also to thank the committee who had charge of the Semi-Centennial Program of the Holston Conference, and especially the chairman, Rev. T. R. West and Prof. D. A. Bolton, for the excellent paper read, and Chaplain Ruble for the helpful sermon preached.

7th. That we acknowledge with profound gratitude the protecting hand of our Heavenly Father throughout the year, and that we here dedicate ourselves anew to His service and go out of this conference with a determination to pray fervently and labor persistently that we may attain the highest standard of Christian efficiency in advancing the Kingdom of God.

Signed:

J. M. EMERT  
G. W. PAUL  
A. B. MCKENZIE

Whereas, feeling that it is always right to acknowledge a kindness at the hand of a friend and brother; therefore, be it resolved that this Conference hereby express thanks to Dr. J. J. Manker for his generous gift of books from his library to members of this Conference.

F. M. CONES,  
C. L. KIRBY,  
C. V. BELLAMY.

Whereas, the expense of our ecclesiastical causes have been very heavy during the past two years; and, whereas, these investigations have been made without an order of this Conference; therefore, be it resolved by the Holston Annual Conference that we will not hereafter assume nor become responsible for any expense unless such investigations have been ordered by the Conference.

Signed:

G. T. BYRD.

Whereas, the remarks of our resident Bishop in his morning address indicates that there are some pastors who are not v'siting from house to house in their various charges as they should do, and,

Whereas, we believe that our greatest gain to the Kingdom of God and our membership is secured by scriptural profession for pastoral duty;

Therefore, be it resolved that it is the sense of this body and that we request our pastors to put in eight hours every day except Sunday, in study, visiting and prayer, and our District Superintcndents urge this upon our pastors.

G. T. BYRD.

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## CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that this volume is a complete record of the proceedings of the Seventy-second Session of the Holston Annual Conference, and is adopted by the Conference as its official record.

ROBERT L. STAPLETON, Secretary.

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ROBERT L. STAPLETON, Secretary.



# STATISTICS

OF THE

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# Statistics No. 1—Bristol District

NAME OF CHARGE	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP						CHURCH PROPERTY						Gen. Con. Expenses				
	Epworth League						Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness	Present Indebtedness	Current Expenses	Apportioned for Quad m	Paid this Year	Balance Due for Quad m
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year											
1 Benham & Hilton	30	16	362	2	2	2	4	4000	1	300	..	..	..	..	2	..	1
2 Bristol	4	5	159	19	1	1	1	20000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
3 Buchanan	11	7	129	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 Christiansburg	13	19	287	3	1	3	4	8000	1	1000	50	34	..	..	..	..	..
5 Floyd	16	10	482	3	1	3	6	8841	1	1050	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
6 Franklin	53	21	214	..	..	..	3	4000	..	..	200	..	..	..	..	..	..
7 Fries	..	..	815	3	3	3	7	8000	1	1500	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
8 Gate City	37	26	325	..	4	3	5	11500	..	..	300	483	..	..	..	..	..
9 Glenford	8	10	349	42	1	1	5	6000	1	1300	42	5	..	..	2	..	2
10 Greendale	30	5	430	..	1	4	6	9710	1	2000	75	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 Honaker	59	10	358	..	..	3	3	3500	..	200	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
12 LaFayette	54	54	147	..	1	2	6	6350	1	650	20	..	..	..	..	..	..
13 Marion	35	..	367	..	2	..	5	4400	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14 Nickelsville	..	15	246	2	2	3	4½	7700	1	1200	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 Oakvale	7	..	166	..	1	..	1	1200	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 Pattonville	..	..	159	78	4	..	4	4700	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..
17 Pennington & Big S. Gap.	19	8	236	5	2	3	4	7000	1	1600	2750	..	..	..	2	1	1
18 Riner	39	..	207	..	3	3	7	4000	1	1000	40	..	..	..	3	..	..
19 Roanoke	11	8	152	..	2	3	1	3000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 Rose Hill	4	15	513	..	3	5	8	7200	1	400	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
21 Russell	48	12	298	..	1	2	3	5000	..	..	550	..	..	..	..	..	..
22 Saint Charles	42	22	418	5	1	2	3	4500	1	300	78	10	1190	63	..	..	..
23 Salem	..	2	111	27	1	2	1	1000	1	1200	45	38	..	..	4	1	3
24 Swords Creek	15	15	282	..	1	3	3	2500	1	400	75	..	..	..	..	..	..
25 Wise & Goodsell	8	..	314	..	1	1	3	6000	..	105	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
26 Wytheville	70	..	252	16	1	..	4	4000	1	1500	197	..	..	..	3	2	1
	613	280	7778	194	46	45	151	152101	15	15400	4427	353	7602	778	26	15	8

# Statistics No. 1—Chattanooga District

NAME OF CHARGE	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP					CHURCH PROPERTY										Gen. Con. Expenses			
	Probrs.		Full Members			Epworth League		CHURCH PROPERTY										Gen. Con. Expenses	
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness	Present Indebtedness	Current Expenses	Apportioned for Quadm	Paid this Year	Balance Due for Quadm
1 Athens	..	..	342	..	5	2	105	35	1	35500	1	2600	200	600	4500	350	..	..	..
2 Athens Circuit	52	8	455	..	1	..	..	..	7	6500	1	2200	50	..	150	30	..	3	..
3 Chatata Circuit	27	3	432	28	3	2	..	..	8	3300	1	500	25	106	..	10	4	3	1
4 Chattanooga:	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5 Alton Park	17	..	165	..	..	1	..	..	1	13000	1	2000	..	825	12175	170	..	..	..
6 Avondale	5	6	105	5	1	1	25	60	1	10000	1	2000	10	..	500	..	..	..	..
7 Epworth	..	..	12	2	..	..	..	..	1	6000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8 First Church	29	19	552	210	5	7	69	..	1	90000	1	6000	366	..	24000	3759	80	20	..
9 Highland Park	10	6	275	..	..	4	30	..	1	30000	1	5000	..	705	3500	400	..	..	..
10 Manker Memorial	21	1	143	11	2	..	35	24	1	4500	1	2500	68	400	600	55	..	..	..
11 St. Mark	6	5	147	6	3	1	50	..	1	25000	..	200	1555	13650	130	..	..	..	..
12 Ridgedale	..	..	148	11	..	1	15	11	1	5000	1	3000	100	200	2000	151	..	..	..
13 St. James	6	10	201	14	1	1	41	..	1	25000	1	5000	3000	900	10000	225	..	1	..
14 Cleveland	6	60	443	10	..	2	35	40	1	32000	1	5000	150	1000	3000	250	..	..	..
15 Cleveland Circuit	4	1	241	..	1	3	..	..	7	4500	1	1000	..	..	320	16	..	..	..
16 Copperhill	19	..	215	14	..	..	..	35	1	9000	1	1200	274	100	1850	92	..	..	..
17 Daisy	5	2	254	..	1	..	..	..	4	5000	1	1000	..	..	85	..	..	..	..
18 Etowah	..	1	174	4	..	..	99	35	1	5184	1	1000	40	..	90	..	..	..	..
19 Fairmount	..	..	53	..	..	..	..	..	1	1500	1	1000	50	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 Jasper	18	1	176	12	..	4	..	..	4	3000	1	400	32	..	12	12	..	..	..
21 McMinn Circuit	..	..	308	..	1	7	..	..	5	1500	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..
22 Mt. Olivet	..	..	123	12	3	2	..	..	2	1600	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	..	..
23 Pikeville	..	..	219	30	..	..	..	..	5	3050	..	..	725	45	..	50	..	..	..
24 Pleasant Hill	1	1	67	25	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25 Soddy	..	..	100	17	1	1	..	..	1	2500	..	..	275	875	625	60	..	..	..
26 South Pittsburg	..	4	118	5	..	2	62	44	1	5000	..	65	..	..	25	..	..	..	..
27 Tellico Plains & Englewd.	..	..	198	33	3	2	..	..	4	8000	..	90	..	..	75	..	..	..	..
28 Tracy City	21	12	197	..	3	2	42	..	2	1800	..	..	..	..	40	..	..	..	..
29 Whitwell	6	..	404	50	1	3	..	..	4	3010	1	1000	25	..	100	..	..	..	..
30	957	141	6267	499	36	49	608	284	68	340444	18	42400	5745	7311	76882	6196	84	27	1

NAME OF CHARGE	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP				Epworth League		CHURCH PROPERTY							Gen. Con. Expenses			
	Probns.		Full Members		Senior Mem-	Junior Mem-	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Build-ings and Im-provements	Paid on Old Indebtedness	Present In-debtedness	Current Ex-penses	Apportioned for Quadm	Paid this Year	Balance Due for Quadm
	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preach-ers	Deaths During Year	Enrolled Dur-ing Year											
1 Andersonville	3	45	219	3	3	1	8	12000	1	700	10	285	20	1	1		
2 Arthur	8	215	3000	1	2	5	3	3000	1	200	4	50	20				
3 Big Valley	42	3	442	1	1	8	8	4140	1	200	15		20				
4 Burrville	30	30	285	3	2	7	7	4000	1	700	25		10				
5 Byington & Scarboro			371	2	3	4	4	3700	1	500	2						
6 Clark Range	2		77	25	1	1	1	2000	1	50							
7 Clinton	5	1	201		2	2	2	4500	1	1500	17		12				
8 Crossville		1	128	1	3	2	2	3525	1				36				
9 Dayton	4	4	166	27	1	1	2	5000	1	750	38	450	70				
10 Decatur			330	45	1	7	7	8650	1	1200			60				
11 Graysville	13	5	351	2	4	4	4	3400	1	800	136		46				
12 Harriman	42		190	45	1	1	1	4000	1	3500			50				
13 Jellico	20	5	287	14	1	2	2	7000	1	476			170				
14 Kingston			186		1	2	2	3500	1	1500	162		75				
15 LaFollette	47	3	287	1	2	3	3	18000	1	375			102				
16 Litton			235	2	1	5	5	1500	1	300	4	65	65				
17 Lone Mountain	10	6	223	2	2	6	6	5300	1	300	6		50				
18 Maynardville	21		304		6	8	8	6400	1	300	67		10				
19 Morgan Springs			145	15	1	2	2	1250	1	400							
20 New Tazewell	42		405	3	2	3	3	7000	1		4						
21 Newcomb		30	244	2	2	5	5	5000	1								
22 Norma & Rugby	7		109	57	2	2	2	6100	1								
23 Oakdale			92	11		1	1	6600	1		40	1400	65				
24 Oliver Springs	16	2	282		3	6	6	5300	1		14						
25 Rockwood		2	307		4	1	1	4000	1	1700	105	210	1234				
26 Sunbright & Lancing			115	15	1	3	3	3000	1	1000	180	260	400				
27 Vasper Mission					1						40						
28 Vine Grove	15	2	240	3		2	2	5650	1	1500	30		14				
29 Well Spring	23	3	452	4	14	4	4	6900	1	850	57		59				
	350	142	6837	261	35	68	284	150415	18	17700	2326	1113	3898	1169	34	41	16

# Statistics No. 1—Johnson City District

NAME OF CHARGE	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP						Epworth League		CHURCH PROPERTY						Gen. Con. Expenses				
	Probns.		Full Members		Deaths During Year		Senior Mem.	Junior Mem.	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Indebtedness	Present Indebtedness	Current Expenses	Apportioned for Quad'm	Paid this Year	Balance Due for Quad'm
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Members on Roll	Senior Mem.	Junior Mem.	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Indebtedness	Present Indebtedness	Current Expenses	Apportioned for Quad'm	Paid this Year	Balance Due for Quad'm
1 Baileytown	41	330	330	1	1	3	5	9000	1	2000	41	500	2200	50	1300	190	50	1	50
2 Bloomingdale	9	437	437	2	2	7	6	9000	1	500	2200	50	1300	190	50	1	50	7	2
3 Chuckey	12	220	220	10	10	3	2	12000	2	12000	2	285	250	1250	102	102	102	102	102
4 Elizabethton	1	399	399	42	42	3	4	7000	1	1000	285	1000	1400	4300	325	325	325	325	325
5 Fall Branch	16	217	217	1	1	3	1	30000	1	3500	100	1400	327	4800	50	50	50	50	50
6 Greeneville	19	396	396	18	18	3	8	8800	1	1000	20	327	841	250	8617	328	328	328	328
7 Greeneville Circuit	12	214	214	3	3	5	1	35000	2	7500	841	250	8617	328	328	328	328	328	328
8 Johnson City	12	214	214	3	3	5	2	5000	1	500	500	500	500	500	50	50	50	50	50
9 Kingsport	3	373	373	44	44	1	4	8000	1	8000	76	200	200	1500	400	400	400	400	400
10 Limestone	3	240	240	25	25	6	1	8000	1	5000	200	200	1500	400	400	400	400	400	400
11 Morristown	12	511	511	24	24	4	5	8750	1	1200	1085	1115	53	875	13	13	13	13	13
12 Morristown Circuit	10	422	422	69	69	2	6	8000	1	800	12	115	53	875	80	80	80	80	80
13 Mosheim	1	175	175	10	10	1	2	9500	1	2000	13	50	236	500	198	198	198	198	198
14 Mountain City & Butler	6	367	367	2	2	4	5	7000	1	1500	55	236	500	500	35	35	35	35	35
15 Mountain City Circuit	1	175	175	10	10	1	1	6737	1	2000	95	112	112	112	112	112	112	112	112
16 Newport	1	175	175	10	10	1	7	7000	1	800	1500	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
17 Newport Circuit	1	175	175	10	10	1	7	9700	1	1000	300	73	73	73	73	73	73	73	73
18 Parrottsville	3	277	277	28	28	2	5	4000	1	1500	400	400	400	400	87	87	87	87	87
19 Roan Mountain	12	270	270	21	21	2	3	5300	1	1500	125	200	200	200	65	65	65	65	65
20 Rogersville & White Horn	1	126	126	15	15	1	3	2000	1	1000	135	150	150	150	25	25	25	25	25
21 Rutledge	1	126	126	15	15	1	5	11000	1	1000	135	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
22 Sneedville	1	571	571	15	15	2	5	6500	1	1250	35	600	600	600	100	100	100	100	100
23 Sulphur Springs	11	616	616	1	1	9	6	7500	1	800	28	28	28	28	100	100	100	100	100
24 Surgoinville	6	257	257	3	3	5	5	5100	1	300	140	140	140	140	25	25	25	25	25
25 Telford	6	314	314	3	3	5	3	3700	1	300	140	140	140	140	25	25	25	25	25
26 Thorn Hill	155	6810007	357	32	94	443	186	110	257987	22	37150	8966	2828	19315	2650	2650	2650	2650	2650
27 Unicoi	6	314	314	3	3	5	3	3700	1	300	140	140	140	140	25	25	25	25	25
	155	6810007	357	32	94	443	186	110	257987	22	37150	8966	2828	19315	2650	2650	2650	2650	2650

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NAME OF CHARGE	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP						CHURCH PROPERTY						Gen. Con. Expenses						
	Probrs.		Full Members				Epworth League		CHURCH PROPERTY						Gen. Con. Expenses				
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year	Senior Membrs	Junior Membrs	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness	Present Indebtedness	Current Expenses	Apportioned for Quadm	Paid this Year	Balance Due for Quadm
1 Chestnut Hill	36	704	11	3	7	30	7	30	7	9000	1	1500	1062	...	...	125	7	3	...
2 Dandridge	...	639	11	...	6	...	6	...	6	8000	1	1800	212	168	18	95	14	5	...
3 Erie Circuit	15	312	1	2	6	...	6	...	6	4000	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	3	...
4 Fair Garden	37	408	...	1	4	...	4	...	7	5000	...	...	...	...	...	72	...	3	...
5 Friendsville	...	415	6	1	3	...	3	...	6	10000	...	500	...	300	...	50	...	...	...
6 Jefferson City	...	135	...	3	2	...	2	...	2	4000	...	...	350	...	...	...	...	...	...
7 Knoxville:	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 Asbury & Elm Grove	15	4	166	...	2	...	2	...	2	5500	...	250	...	...	250	...	2	...	...
9 East Main Ave.	5	5	231	1	3	60	30	1	3	8500	1	2500	100	350	1800	100	12	6	...
10 First Church	40	33	620	74	2	2	80	30	1	50000	...	...	...	1100	1200	...	5	...	...
11 Inskip	9	167	...	...	1	2	36	...	1	4000	...	1500	1300	375	108	75	8	2	...
12 Jones Chapel & 7th St.	19	234	...	...	4	6	52	36	1	3325	1	2000	225	375	125	64	28	5	...
13 Lonsdale	...	222	7	4	6	...	6	...	1	5000	1	2000	807	...	218	125	...	...	...
14 Oakwood	7	188	15	1	6	30	120	1	1	4000	1	1800	216	249	761	92	...	2	...
15 Park City	44	5	106	...	2	25	...	1	1	3500	...	250	235	1045	85	8	6	...	...
16 Second Church	30	632	...	2	6	73	...	1	1	21500	1	2000	153	367	1200	208	14	14	...
17 Trinity	...	526	11	4	6	87	35	1	1	60000	1	5000	250	2600	36788	3017	...	15	...
18 Knoxville Circuit	56	250	38	...	...	...	...	4	4	8400	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	...
19 Lenoir City	14	255	...	5	2	41	64	1	1	4300	1	2000	244	233	760	155	8	3	4
20 Lenoir City Circuit	...	217	...	1	1	...	...	6	6	5250	...	90	...	12	...	...	2	1	...
21 Little River	30	335	...	1	5	...	...	5	5	6500	1	800	45	...	...	38	7	...	...
22 Loudon	15	202	16	1	...	30	...	4	4	6000	1	1000	50	...	...	150	...	...	...
23 Maryville	26	331	35	1	3	95	41	1	1	10000	1	4000	...	...	...	200	...	...	...
24 Maryville Circuit	2	3	515	1	3	7	...	6	6	7000	1	1500	25	...	...	50	8	8	...
25 New Salem	53	5	585	...	1	2	...	4	4	5000	1	600	80	...	...	60	6	1	...
26 Pigeon Forge	24	380	5	...	7	52	55	6	6	8000	1	1000	250	...	380	125	...	...	...
27 Sevierville	...	488	...	2	2	10	21	3	3	15250	1	700	350	...	1400	150	...	...	...
28 Thorn Grove	...	172	19	1	1	...	...	7	7	9200	1	700	484	...	...	50	...	...	...
29 Townsend & Walland	477	73	9684	255	42	97	831	546	95	293725	19	33400	6943	5302	46015	6671	122	84	4



# Statistics No. 3—Bristol District

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										Sunday Schools				Baptisms			
		Support of Pastor		Support of Dist. Supt		Support of Bishops		Support of Con. Clmats.		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deben-ten-ty	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enroll-ment in all Departments	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children Under Instruc-tion		
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid									Claim	Paid
1 Kennam & Hilton	J. W. Grace	410	382	25	28	52	52	6	3	28	7	444	52	9	54	605	25	6	..
2 Bristol	C. K. Mahoney	700	700	..	..	80	80	10	10	49	49	839	..	1	12	229	3	6	..
3 Buchanan	J. R. Hubbard	600	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	95	..	3	10	157	..	..	..
4 Christiansburg	E. G. Gillespie	600	525	..	75	50	50	..	..	..	..	575	82	5	34	485	80	..	..
5 Floyd	H. W. McKenzie	474	404	50	70	56	56	4	3	30	20	483	81	6	50	495	4	..	..
6 Franklin	H. T. Weaver	160	103	..	57	40	38	..	..	..	..	141	83	4	17	265	29	..	..
7 Fries	W. A. Lockwood	600	555	75	45	72	72	8	8	30	..	635	75	9	39	469	17	1	..
8 Gate City	G. A. Crowder	600	460	..	140	52	52	7	5	25	10	527	157	5	50	460	18	..	20
9 Glenford	A. M. Rose	613	311	60	302	54	47	4	2	12	8	368	315	6	42	782	7	..	..
10 Greendale	W. E. Reese	535	385	60	150	68	68	8	6	30	5	464	177	5	40	473	12	..	..
11 Honaker	N. A. Conner	430	445	..	..	60	60	6	5	25	20	530	6	6	45	631	35	..	..
12 LaFayette	F. B. Slusher	240	265	40	..	40	40	..	..	..	..	305	..	6	27	250	27	27	..
13 Marion	B. T. Moody	429	429	..	..	52	52	5	..	23	3	484	25	4	31	475	..	..	..
14 Nicklesville	J. F. Giles	525	350	25	175	52	52	8	3	30	10	415	200	5	31	271	2	1	..
15 Oakvale	J. H. Barton	300	206	..	94	48	28	5	..	20	..	234	139	4	19	336	4	..	..
16 Pattonville	W. S. Robinette	315	124	..	191	48	33	5	1	20	..	158	230	5	30	350	2	..	..
17 Pennington & B.S.G.	T. J. Crumley	575	400	88	175	60	60	8	2	40	8	470	213	4	25	331	13	1	..
18 Riner	J. S. Yeary	337	286	37	51	48	38	5	2	20	7	333	77	5	22	275	25	..	..
19 Roanoke	John Black	550	550	..	..	52	52	10	1	25	5	608	29	2	14	252	..	6	..
20 Rose Hill	J. S. Strange	650	477	50	173	64	59	8	2	40	14	552	210	6	25	355	25	..	..
21 Russell	Levi Murray	330	330	..	..	60	58	5	2	20	8	398	17	4	22	241	35	..	..
22 Saint Charles	H. G. Osborne	675	645	75	30	60	60	8	6	40	30	741	42	6	42	877	74	11	12
23 Salem	G. L. Shipe	157	222	100	..	40	40	2	2	10	10	274	..	1	15	212	16	..	..
24 Swords Creek	J. N. Graham	400	275	..	125	40	40	..	..	15	2	317	138	6	30	333	13	..	..
25 Wise & Goodsell	J. W. May	600	315	..	285	60	49	9	..	25	..	364	330	1	7	64	49	..	..
26 Wytheville	I. L. Cox	500	500	100	..	52	52	8	7	35	30	589	6	4	32	539	44	15	12
		11705	9739	785	2166	1360	1288	145	70	617	246	11343	2684	121	765	10212	515	68	46

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		Support of Pastor		Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Con. Clmts.		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deacy	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enroll-Departments	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children Under Instruct'n		
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deacy	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid									Claim	Paid
1. Aacens	R. M. Millard	1200	1200	200	...	100	100	10	...	70	1380	...	1	30	495	44	2	3	
2. Athens Circuit	L. B. Clark	975	975	175	...	80	80	7	...	35	1097	...	7	46	507	44	...	...	
3. Chatata Circuit	E. C. Thurston	655	595	...	60	60	4	4	...	34	686	67	9	45	495	16	...	...	
4. Chattanooga:		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Alton Park	W. A. Martin	500	600	180	200	11	11	10	10	...	621	200	1	17	198	...	...	...	
6. Avondale	W. A. Burnett	750	750	150	...	50	50	2	2	42	844	...	1	10	149	5	2	3	
7. Epworth	R. C. Elzey	65	65	...	...	20	20	...	...	...	85	...	1	12	125	...	...	...	
8. First Church	L. A. Swisher	3300	3600	600	...	400	400	70	70	252	4322	...	1	46	546	16	7	...	
9. Highland Park	J. M. Wolfe	1900	1900	400	...	120	120	15	15	80	2115	...	1	24	350	5	2	...	
10. Manker Memorial	G. J. Cresswell	625	650	125	...	40	40	6	6	28	724	...	1	14	174	20	4	7	
11. St. Mark	D. R. Haney	1200	1200	...	...	70	70	6	6	42	1318	300	1	20	268	2	5	...	
12. Ridgedale	W. S. Grant	1500	1300	300	...	75	47	5	5	30	1382	228	1	12	158	1	...	...	
13. St. James	J. W. Boling	1560	1560	360	...	100	100	4	4	50	1714	...	1	16	223	3	1	...	
14. Cleveland	R. F. Porter	1300	1300	300	...	100	100	10	10	70	1480	...	1	15	415	1	...	...	
15. Cleveland Circuit	J. T. Ware	590	450	100	140	60	60	8	3	34	525	167	5	32	288	3	...	...	
16. Copperhill	C. F. Hunter	1200	1200	200	...	100	74	3	3	14	1291	...	1	10	165	11	2	...	
17. Daisy	P. L. Clonce	600	500	60	100	40	40	4	2	21	554	111	4	21	452	5	6	10	
18. Etowah	G. T. Byrd	1030	1030	180	...	40	40	...	...	10	1070	10	1	16	322	6	...	...	
19. Fairmount	W. H. Coffee	350	410	50	...	20	20	3	1	8	439	...	1	6	78	2	4	...	
20. Jasper	Jacob Hendricks	472	283	72	189	40	40	...	...	...	323	189	3	20	170	15	...	...	
21. McMinn Circuit	Amos Bull	450	186	...	264	40	22	...	...	...	208	282	5	35	400	...	...	...	
22. Mt. Olivet	Samuel Bone	250	160	...	90	30	30	3	...	...	190	93	2	12	152	...	...	...	
23. Pikeville	J. F. Rowe	600	525	...	75	60	60	6	3	42	610	98	3	15	196	21	...	...	
24. Pleasant Hill	J. J. Ellington	150	150	...	...	20	20	3	3	2	175	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
25. Soddy	J. B. Kenna	450	450	...	...	30	30	4	4	8	490	...	1	10	147	12	...	...	
26. South Pittsburg	M. H. Monroe	600	520	...	80	60	44	7	6	42	604	105	1	11	183	5	5	15	
27. Tellico P. & Englewd	M. C. Bruner	1000	650	...	350	100	60	10	6	70	761	419	3	21	206	3	...	...	
28. Tracy City	H. E. Sumner	500	500	...	...	60	60	5	2	35	569	31	4	24	232	21	...	12	
29. Whitwell	James Osborne	500	500	75	...	60	60	2	2	2	564	...	3	12	212	2	...	...	
		24852	23209	3527	1688	1986	1858	197	184	984	892	26141	2300	64	532	7306	259	41	51



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		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid									Claim	Paid	Claim
1 Andersonville	J. E. Underwood	420	247	50	173	60	56	5	3	22	12	318	189	5	92	456	...	...
2 Arthur	S. E. Taylor	250	140	...	110	40	36	8	2	16	10	188	126	1	14	232	3	1
3 Big Valley	J. F. Lynch	455	452	20	3	60	55	8	6	30	28	541	12	6	25	351	37	1
4 Burrville	F. K. Suddath	450	260	150	190	60	43	8	3	30	14	320	228	4	25	300	30	...
5 Byington & Scarboro	W. C. Martin	615	473	50	142	75	72	10	10	38	21	576	172	4	26	236	...	...
6 Clark Range	L. W. Ellison	200	200	...	...	36	36	2	2	10	12	250	...	3	17	206	2	...
7 Clinton	M. P. Murphy	900	900	100	...	80	80	13	13	52	52	1045	...	3	20	316	5	2
8 Crossville	C. V. Bellamy	500	413	...	87	55	42	8	2	32	21	478	117	1	8	101	...	...
9 Dayton	T. R. Baker	850	850	...	...	62	62	15	15	58	58	985	...	2	23	283	...	...
10 Decatur	E. M. Boyd	725	725	125	...	90	90	12	10	46	42	867	6	6	34	437	...	...
11 Graysville	W. H. Newton	575	458	50	117	64	64	10	7	38	29	558	129	5	32	369	5	...
12 Harriman	W. F. Pitts	1300	1300	300	...	120	120	20	20	80	80	1520	...	1	13	150	...	...
13 Jellico	H. E. Little	900	900	...	...	100	100	18	18	70	70	1088	...	1	11	240	20	1
14 Kingston	T. H. Conner	725	725	125	...	56	56	12	12	45	45	838	...	2	15	205	...	...
15 LaFollette	H. M. Torrey	850	794	...	56	70	65	13	8	50	50	917	66	3	18	243	17	16
16 Litton	George Long	325	269	25	56	50	32	5	3	20	16	320	80	5	25	150	6	2
17 Lone Mountain	W. J. Letsinger	361	271	36	90	56	45	6	3	22	17	336	109	6	31	201	16	...
18 Maynardville	F. T. Munsey	293	209	...	84	50	50	...	...	19	10	269	93	5	25	350	21	...
19 Morgan Springs	F. L. Bradley	275	120	...	155	30	30	3	2	14	8	159	165	5	17	190	...	7
20 New Tazewell	Otey Dyke	350	238	...	112	60	60	7	2	25	15	315	127	6	30	413	...	...
21 Newcomb	W. L. McTeer	520	534	...	...	60	51	8	2	36	10	597	27	3	34	385	...	...
22 Norma & Rugby	E. B. Schick	300	237	...	63	50	42	3	2	23	10	291	85	3	15	250	...	...
23 Oakdale	C. H. Taylor	900	900	...	...	90	90	18	4	70	52	1046	32	1	13	231	...	4
24 Oliver Springs	H. A. Gamble	535	475	60	60	60	57	7	3	26	15	550	78	4	22	444	14	3
25 Rockwood	J. D. Harris	960	960	120	...	90	90	10	10	70	70	1130	...	1	10	250	4	...
26 Sunbright & Lancing	M. B. Gass	505	465	60	40	60	60	...	...	31	28	553	43	5	20	400	10	15
27 Vasper Mission	Luther Clear	125	125	...	...	10	10	...	...	8	8	143	...	2	10	85	...	...
28 Vine Grove	Cicero Dobbs	675	675	150	...	48	45	9	5	38	35	760	10	3	24	280	15	...
29 Well Spring	C. L. Kirby	660	541	60	119	60	54	10	1	42	8	604	168	6	29	424	19	...
		16499	14956	1481	1657	1804	1693	248	168	1032	845	17562	2081	102	673	8186	224	45

# Statistics No. 3—Johnson City District

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										Sunday Schools				Baptisms			
		Support of Pastor		Support of Dist. Sept.		Support of Bishops		Support of Con. Clmts.		Total Deficiency	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children Under Instruction		
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid									Claim	Paid
1 Baileyton	T. E. Goodman	410	410	30	...	60	60	5	5	30	30	505	505	5	35	370	43	...	...
2 Bloomingdale	W. C. Winslow	550	500	50	50	60	60	10	10	35	35	605	605	8	63	593	33	2	...
3 Chuckey	A. C. Ketrone	615	615	60	...	66	66	12	12	35	35	728	728	5	35	529	2	10	...
4 Elizabethon	J. C. Harmon	780	710	...	70	50	45	5	4	20	16	775	80	2	15	300	10	...	...
5 Fall Branch	T. O. Brumley	500	380	40	120	50	45	5	3	20	20	448	127	4	28	412	9	7	7
6 Greeneville	W. L. Oliver	1100	1100	200	...	60	60	5	5	63	63	1228	...	1	17	350	1	...	...
7 Greeneville Circuit	I. B. Leonard	725	725	100	...	60	60	5	5	20	20	810	...	8	64	758	60	25	...
8 Johnson City	J. M. Emert	1400	1500	200	...	100	100	15	15	80	80	1695	...	1	21	599	4	...	...
9 Kingsport	W. R. Byerley	325	270	...	55	50	50	2	2	20	20	342	50	2	20	300	...	12	...
10 Limestone	Fred D. Watson	540	540	...	...	64	64	6	6	35	35	645	...	4	28	521	20	1	...
11 Morristown	J. C. Patty	1400	1400	400	...	60	60	2	2	70	70	1532	...	1	24	288	7	20	...
12 Morristown Circuit	W. S. Bandy	465	428	50	37	44	44	8	8	30	25	505	42	6	50	552	22	1	...
13 Mosheim	A. A. Newman	750	750	50	...	75	75	5	5	32	32	862	...	6	46	645	27	17	12
14 Mt. City & Butler	G. W. Matney	630	630	120	...	50	50	5	5	30	30	715	...	2	15	251	1	1	...
15 Mt. City Circuit	M. H. Rambo	755	730	120	25	70	70	5	5	35	30	835	30	7	28	501	8	1	...
16 Newport	L. D. Hamil	900	900	120	...	50	50	8	8	45	45	1003	...	1	13	328	1	3	...
17 Newport Circuit	D. F. Smith	291	291	36	...	32	32	...	...	10	10	333	...	7	35	480	25	...	...
18 Parrottsville	N. K. Rowe	785	785	60	...	75	75	4	4	35	35	899	...	9	57	739	221	1	1
19 Roan Mountain	J. E. Milburn	360	360	...	...	44	44	1	1	12	12	417	...	8	45	471	3	3	...
20 Rogersville & W. H.	J. F. Reed	660	660	120	...	70	70	7	7	35	35	772	...	3	20	197	4	...	...
21 Rutledge	W. F. Humphrey	410	395	50	...	50	50	...	...	20	20	465	15	3	21	410	40	2	...
22 Sneedville	P. W. Shockly	250	67	...	183	50	25	...	...	5	5	97	208	2	12	80	...	...	...
23 Sulphur Springs	R. E. Walker	700	700	50	...	75	75	12	12	45	45	832	...	5	31	676	30	...	...
24 Surgovinsville	Ross F. Harris	526	269	60	257	50	25	2	1	20	2	297	301	5	25	250	10	...	...
25 Telford	D. L. Howell	630	630	50	...	75	75	10	10	40	30	745	10	6	48	942	...	...	...
26 Thorn Hill	Willis Baker	241	171	...	...	40	34	1	1	5	5	210	77	4	20	430	4	...	...
27 Unicoi	C. L. Poulston	436	246	36	190	40	24	2	1	8	8	279	207	7	37	624	6	4	2
		17134	16161	2002	1073	1570	1488	142	137	835	793	18579	1197	122	853	12596	591	110	22

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		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid										Claim
1 Chestnut Hill	W. M. Bull	760	760	150	50	70	14	14	20	20	864	9	87	1092	32	27	2		
2 Dandridge	G. W. Paul	1050	1000	150	50	75	18	17	55	52	1140	7	39	602	27	24	2		
3 Erie Circuit	John Cupp	285	257	28	28	50	5	5	20	20	332	4	29	229	9	9			
4 Fair Garden	Otis Lawson	330	293	37	37	60			11	11	364	5	30	430	9	9			
5 Friendsville	A. B. McKenzie	640	490	150	150	70	13	8	50	50	618	6	42	714	25	12			
6 Johnson City	R. E. Ayers	475	420	55	55	40	6	6	15	15	471	2	16	151	1	1			
7 Knoxville:																			
8 Asbury & Elm G.	S. P. Angel	600	450	150	150	40	12	12	22	22	534	3	20	273	18	6			
9 East Main Ave.	G. S. Bales	1050	1050	200	200	65	18	18	60	60	1194	1	13	300	20	4			
10 First Church	C. E. Clark	2800	2800	300	300	260	260	40	150	150	3250	1	36	460		5			
11 Inskip	B. M. Morrison	820	820	120	120	50	12	12	40	40	922	1	17	280					
12 Jones C. & 7th St.	E. M. Pippin	1000	1000	150	150	40	7	7	40	30	1077	2	23	499	11	4			
13 Lonsdale	H. M. Hawk	900	900	180	180	44	13	13	45	45	1002	1	15	240	10	14	10		
14 Oakwood	E. R. Branam	920	920	120	120	25	4	4	36	36	985	1	12	315	21	1			
15 Park City	W. H. Ragan	520	520	200	200	40	10	10	38	38	608	1	12	157	5				
16 Second Church	W. F. Ledford	1400	1400	200	200	120	25	25	90	90	1635	1	28	1094	35				
17 Trinity	O. R. Tarwater	1900	1900	400	400	150	30	30	100	100	2180	1	32	428	29	13			
18 Knoxville Circuit	J. T. Bird	730	730	200	200	64	12	12	50	50	856	3	18	182	4	4			
19 Lenoir City	A. B. Dennis	900	900	200	200	70	10	7	50	30	1007	1	21	449	56	1			
20 Lenoir City Circuit	H. L. Clark	230	217	60	60	30	20	2	9	9	249	3	20	190	14				
21 Little River	F. P. Sanders	790	790	100	100	75	10	10	40	40	915	5	37	405	12				
22 Loudon	J. D. Roberson	700	495	100	205	75	5	5	30	30	580	4	31	291	24				
23 Maryville	R. L. Stapleton	1400	1400	200	200	120	25	25	90	90	1635	1	16	315	15				
24 Maryville Circuit	John Sanders	850	835	100	15	100	15	15	41	41	991	6	59	594	23				
25 New Salem	J. O. Cox	675	675	60	60	60	12	12	45	45	792	4	34	248	15				
26 Pigeon Forge	W. L. Groover	775	775	75	75	75	10	10	45	45	905	6	72	802	53	11	11		
27 Sevierville	J. J. Genthner	900	825	75	75	80	10	10	25	25	940	4	35	635					
28 Thorn Grove	C. W. Smith	650	626	75	24	60	47	9	30	30	712	7	62	593	18	4			
29 Townsend & Walland	C. N. Sadler	700	700	100	100	50	10	10	40	40	800	3	21	282	10				
		24750	23948	2790	802	2058	1997	357	348	1287	1254	906	93	877	12250	491	81	23	



















## Recapitulation—Treasurer's Report, Holston Conference, All Districts, 1914-15

NAME OF DISTRICTS	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES										OTHER BENEVOLENCES										Other Items													
	MISSIONS					EDUCATION					Confer- ence					Total Disciplinary Benevolences					Local Benevolences					Support of C. C.		General Con. Expenses						
	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Freedmen's Aid Soc.	Public Education	Children's Fund	Con. Educational	Church	Sunday Schools	Board of C. C. (Chicago)	Annual Con. In- vestments	Church Temperance Soc.	Woman's Foreign Mis- sionary Society	Cash	Supplies	American Bible Society	City Missionary or Ch. Ex. Society	Central Office Expenses	Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood	Dues	Minute Fund	District Fund	Local Benevolences	Evangelistic Services	Endowment University Chattanooga	Other Causes	Total Benevolences	Support of C. C.	Support of Bishops		
1 Bristol District	119	139	1097	139	166	1	9	22	22	106	22	109	4	2	3	5	3	26	50	2	2	2	325	10	10	40	210	585	277	70	17	949		
2 Chattanooga District	2390	1097	1097	1097	166	1	294	37	62	106	62	109	4	33	413	656	11	8	50	2	2	2	5945	35	35	607	6445	20666	845	175	31	21717		
3 Harriman District	268	221	664	221	13	31	28	254	53	53	2	2	9	53	18	11	8	70	11	11	11	11	969	14	14	19	49	219	1270	883	177	24	2354	
4 Johnson City District	592	664	664	664	41	57	35	27	66	15	13	15	15	60	114	60	18	70	11	11	11	11	1798	18	18	43	642	105	2606	794	136	35	3571	
5 Knoxville District	642	633	633	633	70	62	69	459	120	120	27	27	24	626	471	31	31	1	1	15	15	1	3251	36	36	230	3639	122	3639	1250	354	72	5315	
All Districts	4611	2754	1097	2754	291	463	191	740	292	162	161	4	483	1165	1264	14	83	121	28	28	28	28	112288	113	113	169	7346	8080	287	66	4049	1912	179	33906
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