

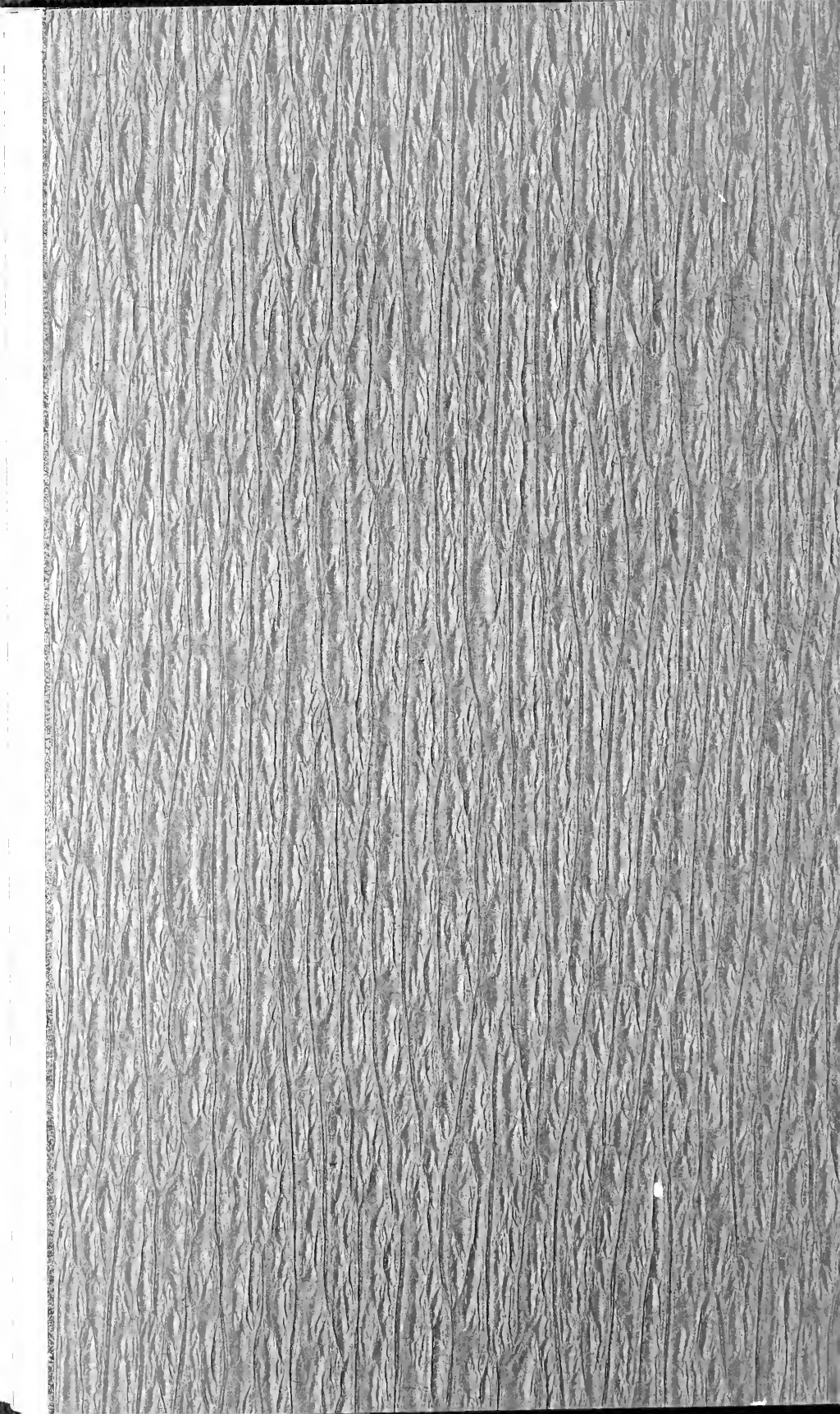
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SESSIONS OF THE HOLSTON ANNUAL CONFERENCE FROM  
1824 TO 1901.

No.	PLACE OF SESSIONS	DATE OF BEGINNING	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY
1	Knoxville, Tenn.	Nov. 27, 1824	Bishop Roberts	John Tevis
2	Jonesboro, Tenn.	Oct. 20, 1825	Bishops Roberts and Soule	T. Stringfield
3	Abingdon, Va.	Nov. 2, 1826	Bishop Soule	
4	Knoxville, Tenn.	Nov. 1, 1827	Bishop Roberts	E. F. Sevier
5	Jonesboro, Tenn.	Nov. 14, 1828	Bishop Soule	E. F. Sevier
6	Abingdon, Va.	Dec. 24, 1829	Bishop Soule	E. F. Sevier
7	Ebenezer Ch., Tenn.	Nov. 4, 1830	Bishops McKendree and Soule	E. F. Sevier
8	Athens, Tenn.	Nov. 10, 1831	Bishop Hedding	E. F. Sevier
9	Evansham, Va.	Nov. 15, 1832	Bishop Emory	T. Stringfield
10	Kingsport, Tenn.	Oct. 16, 1833	Bishop Roberts	L. S. Marshall
11	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 8, 1834	J. Henniger	L. S. Marshall
12	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 7, 1835	Bishop Andrew	L. S. Marshall
13	Reem's Creek, N. C.	Oct. 2, 1836	Bishop Andrew	L. S. Marshall
14	Madisonville, Tenn.	Oct. 18, 1837	Bishop Morris	L. S. Marshall
15	Wytheville, Va.	Nov. 13, 1838	Bishop Andrew	L. S. Marshall
16	Greeneville, Tenn.	Oct. 13, 1839	T. K. Catlett	D. R. McAnally
17	LaFayette, Ga.	Nov. 11, 1840	Bishop Morris	E. F. Sevier
18	Rogersville, Tenn.	Oct. 6, 1841	S. Patton	E. F. Sevier
19	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 5, 1842	Bishop Waugh	E. F. Sevier
20	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 4, 1843	Bishop Morris	E. F. Sevier
21	Reem s Creek, N. C.	Oct. 9, 1844	Bishop James	E. F. Sevier
22	Athens, Tenn.	Oct. 8, 1845	Bishop Andrew	C. D. Smith
23	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 21, 1846	Bishop Capers	C. D. Smith
24	Jonesboro, Tenn.	Oct. 20, 1847	Bishop Andrew	C. D. Smith
25	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 11, 1848	Bishop Paine	C. D. Smith
26	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 11, 1849	Bishop Andrew	E. F. Sevier
27	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 2, 1850	Bishop Capers	D. R. McAnally
28	Athens, Tenn.	Oct. 7, 1851	Bishop Andrew	D. R. McAnally
29	Asheville, N. C.	Sept. 29, 1852	Bishop Capers	C. D. Smith
30	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 12, 1853	Bishop Paine	W. C. Graves
31	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 14, 1854	Bishop Pierce	W. C. Graves
32	Jonesboro, Tenn.	Nov. 14, 1855	Bishop Paine	W. C. Graves
33	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 22, 1856	Bishop Andrew	W. C. Graves
34	Marion, Va.	Oct. 22, 1857	Bishop Early	W. C. Graves
35	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Oct. 6, 1858	Bishop Andrew	J. N. Huffaker
36	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 26, 1859	Bishop Early	J. N. Huffaker
37	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 17, 1860	Bishop Paine	D. Sullins
38	Greeneville, Tenn.	Oct. 9, 1861	Bishop Andrew	J. H. Brunner
39	Athens, Tenn.	Oct. 15, 1862	Bishop Early	J. H. Brunner
40	Wytheville, Va.	O. t. 7, 1863	Bishop Early	E. E. Wiley
41	Bristol, Tenn.	Oct. 19, 1864	Bishop Early	J. W. Dickey
42	Marion, Va.	Sept. 14, 1865	Bishop Early	J. W. Dickey
43	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 10, 1866	Bishop McTyeire	J. H. Brunner
44	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 23, 1867	Bishop Wightman	J. H. Brunner
45	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 2, 1868	Bishop Wightman	R. N. Price
46	Abingdon, Va.	Sept. 22, 1869	Bishop Doggett	R. N. Price
47	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 5, 1870	Bishop Kavanaugh	R. N. Price
48	Morristown, Tenn.	Oct. 18, 1871	Bishop Pierce	R. N. Price
49	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Oct. 25, 1872	Bishop Doggett	R. N. Price
50	Marion, Va.	Oct. 15, 1873	Bishop Keener	R. N. Price
51	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 14, 1874	Bishop Doggett	F. Richardson
52	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 20, 1875	Bishop McTyeire	F. Richardson
53	Bristol, Tenn.	Oct. 18, 1876	Bishop Wightman	F. Richardson
54	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 24, 1877	Bishop Doggett	F. Richardson
55	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 23, 1878	Bishop Kavanaugh	F. Richardson
56	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 22, 1879	Bishop Pierce	F. Richardson
57	Morristown, Tenn.	Oct. 20, 1880	Bishop McTyeire	B. W. S. Bishop
58	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 26, 1881	Bishop McTyeire	B. W. S. Bishop
59	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 25, 1882	Bishop Wilson	B. W. S. Bishop
60	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Oct. 10, 1883	Bishop McTyeire	W. C. Carden
61	Bristol, Tenn.	Oct. 22, 1884	Bishop Keener	W. C. Carden
62	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 21, 1885	Bishop Keener	W. C. Carden
63	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 28, 1886	Bishop McTyeire	W. C. Carden
64	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 5, 1887	Bishop McTyeire	W. C. Carden
65	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 3, 1888	Bishop Hargrove	W. C. Carden
66	Morristown, Tenn.	Oct. 2, 1889	Bishop Wilson	W. C. Carden
67	Bristol, Tenn.	Oct. 1, 1890	Bishop Keener	W. C. Carden
68	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Sept. 30, 1891	Bishop Galloway	W. C. Carden
69	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 12, 1892	Bishop Fitzgerald	W. C. Carden
70	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 11, 1893	Bishop Duncan	J. A. Burrow
71	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 24, 1894	Bishop Granbery	J. A. Burrow
72	Tazewell, Va.	Oct. 16, 1895	Bishop Duncan	J. A. Burrow
73	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 7, 1896	Bishop Galloway	J. A. Burrow
74	Bristol, Tenn.	Oct. 6, 1897	Bishop Key	J. A. Burrow
75	Morristown, Tenn.	Oct. 12, 1898	Bishop Hargrove	J. A. Burrow
76	Bluefield, W. Va.	Oct. 11, 1899	Bishop Wilson	J. A. Burrow
77	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Oct. 10, 1900	Bishop Granbery	J. A. Burrow
78	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 9, 1901	Bishop Hendrix	J. A. Burrow

SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL CONFERENCE FROM 1846 TO 1898.

NO.	PLACE	YEAR	SECRETARY
1	Petersburg, Va.....	1846	Rev. T. N. Ralston
2	St. Louis, Mo.....	1850	Rev. T. O. Summers
3	Columbus, Ga.....	1854	Rev. T. O. Summers
4	Nashville, Tenn.....	1858	Rev. T. O. Summers
	War times.....	1862	No Conference
5	New Orleans, La.....	1866	Rev. T. O. Summers
6	Memphis, Tenn.....	1870	Rev. T. O. Summers
7	Louisville, Ky.....	1874	Rev. T. O. Summers
8	Atlanta, Ga.....	1878	Rev. T. O. Summers
9	Nashville, Tenn.....	1882	Rev. T. O. Summers, J. S. Martin
10	Richmond, Va.....	1886	John S. Martin
11	St. Louis, Mo.....	1890	Rev. W. P. Harrison
12	Memphis, Tenn.....	1894	Rev. W. P. Harrison
13	Baltimore, Md.....	1898	Rev. J. J. Tigert

Next Conference at Dallas, Texas, in May, 1902.

PLAN OF EPISCOPAL VISITATION, 1901-1902.

CONFERENCE	PLACE	DATE	BISHOP
Brazil Mission.....	Rio de Janeiro.....	July 12, 1901	Galloway
Japan Mission.....	Kobe, Japan.....	July 24.....	Wilson
New Mexico.....	Deming, New Mexico.....	August 22.....	Hendrix
Montana.....	Deer Lodge, Mont.....	August 22.....	Duncan
Denver.....	La Veta, Col.....	August 29.....	Hendrix
Western Missouri.....	Council Grove, Kans.....	August 29.....	Wilson
East Columbia.....	St. Joseph, Mo.....	September 4.....	Duncan
Columbia.....	Weston, Oregon.....	September 5.....	Duncan
Korean Mission.....	Medford, Oregon.....	September 12.....	Duncan
St. Louis.....	Seoul, Korea.....	September 14.....	Wilson
Western Virginia.....	Fredericktown, Mo.....	September 18.....	Wilson
Southwest Missouri.....	Huntington, W. Va.....	September 25.....	Morrison
Louisville.....	Marshall, Mo.....	September 25.....	Wilson
Kentucky.....	Bowling Green, Ky.....	September 25.....	Hargrove
Pacific.....	Shelbyville, Ky.....	October 2.....	Hargrove
Illinois.....	Oakland, Cal.....	October 3.....	Duncan
Holston.....	Murphysboro, Ill.....	October 3.....	Morrison
Los Angeles.....	Knoxville, Tenn.....	October 9.....	Hendrix
China Mission.....	San Diego, Cal.....	October 10.....	Duncan
Tennessee.....	Soochow, China.....	October 17.....	Wilson
Indian Mission.....	Pulaski, Tenn.....	October 23.....	Fitzgerald
West Texas.....	Chickasha, Ind. T.....	October 24.....	Key
German Mission.....	San Antonio, Texas.....	October 31.....	Candler
Northwest Texas.....	New Fountain, Texas.....	November 7.....	Candler
Memphis.....	Corsicana, Texas.....	November 13.....	Candler
Arkansas.....	Dyersburg, Tenn.....	November 13.....	Morrison
Virginia.....	Conway, Ark.....	November 13.....	Key
W. North Carolina.....	Newport News, Va.....	November 13.....	Duncan
North Georgia.....	Gastonia, N. C.....	November 20.....	Hargrove
Little Rock.....	Rome, Ga.....	November 20.....	Galloway
South Carolina.....	Hope, Ark.....	November 20.....	Key
North Alabama.....	Columbia, S. C.....	November 27.....	Galloway
White River.....	Anniston, Ala.....	November 27.....	Hendrix
North Texas.....	Batesville, Ark.....	November 27.....	Key
North Carolina.....	McKinney, Texas.....	November 27.....	Candler
South Georgia.....	Fayetteville, N. C.....	December 4.....	Hargrove
Alabama.....	Macon, Ga.....	December 4.....	Galloway
East Texas.....	Greenville, Ala.....	December 4.....	Hendrix
North Mississippi.....	Tyler, Texas.....	December 4.....	Candler
Texas.....	Winona, Miss.....	December 4.....	Morrison
Mississippi.....	Huntsville, Texas.....	December 11.....	Candler
Florida.....	McComb City, Miss.....	December 11.....	Morrison
Louisiana.....	Live Oak, Fla.....	December 12.....	Granbery
Northwest Texas Mis.....	New Iberia, La.....	December 18.....	Fitzgerald
Central Mexico Mis.....	Guaymas, Mexico.....	January 23, 1902	Granbery
Mexican Border Mis.....	City of Mexico.....	February 6.....	Granbery
Baltimore.....	Saltillo, Mexico.....	February 13.....	Granbery
	Baltimore, Md.....	April 2.....	Galloway

## CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL OF MEMBERS—1901.

Clerical members in the order of admission into full connection.  
Lay members as elected by the District Conferences of 1901.

NO.	NAMES	DATE	NO.	NAMES	DATE
1	William Robeson .....	1846	69	Eugene Blake .....	1880
2	Rufus M. Hickey .....	1847	70	John C. Bays .....	1880
3	William H. Bates .....	1848	71	Richard A. Kelly .....	1880
4	John H. Brunner .....	1849	72	Richard G. Waterhouse.....	1880
5	William H. Kelly .....	1850	73	George W. Jackson .....	1880
6	David Sullins .....	1852	74	John L. Prater .....	1881
7	†Richard N. Price .....	1852	75	David McCracken .....	1882
8	John Boring .....	1853	76	John F. Naff .....	1882
9	James S. Kennedy .....	1854	77	Lemuel M. Cartright .....	1884
10	James W. Belt .....	1854	78	Stephen S. Catron .....	1885
11	Mitchell P. Swaim .....	1855	79	Henry C. Clemens .....	1885
12	Frank Richardson .....	1856	80	Robert T. McDowell .....	1885
13	Alexander E. Woodward .....	1857	81	Thomas C. Shuler .....	1885
14	Landon C. Delashmit .....	1858	82	James O. Straley .....	1886
15	John R. Stradley .....	1858	83	Samuel K. Byrd .....	1886
16	Absalom D. Stewart .....	1860	84	James E. Bruce .....	1886
17	William P. Doane .....	1861	85	John W. Browning .....	1886
18	James Mahoney .....	1861	86	Rush F. Jackson .....	1886
19	Charles K. Miller .....	1862	87	William M. Dyer .....	1887
20	Enoch W. Moore .....	1862	88	James A. Burrow .....	1887
21	Levi K. Haynes .....	1863	89	Elijah F. Kahle .....	1887
22	Benjamin F. Nuckolls .....	1863	90	Frank Alexander .....	1887
23	Jacob R. Payne .....	1863	91	Robert S. Umberger .....	1888
24	Jacob Smith .....	1863	92	Alfred B. Hunter .....	1888
25	Henry C. Neal .....	1864	93	John C. Orr .....	1888
26	Charles T. Carroll .....	1867	94	Eugene H. Cassidy .....	1888
27	J. Tyler Frazier .....	1867	95	James A. H. Shuler .....	1888
28	Francis M. Grace .....	1867	96	William R. Snider .....	1888
29	John S. W. Neel .....	1868	97	†Samuel H. Hall .....	1888
30	William W. Pyott .....	1868	98	William S. Neighbors .....	1889
31	Kennerly C. Atkins .....	1869	99	Davidson V. York .....	1889
32	Daniel H. Carr .....	1869	100	William L. Jones .....	1889
33	Milton L. Clendenen .....	1869	101	John B. Simpson .....	1889
34	Lemuel L. H. Carlock .....	1870	102	George W. Presley .....	1889
35	E. Embree Hoss .....	1870	103	Joseph C. Maness .....	1889
36	William D. Mitchell .....	1870	104	Charles W. Kelley .....	1889
37	George D. French .....	1871	105	Alfred H. Tow .....	1889
38	Thomas R. Handy .....	1871	106	John A. Duval .....	1889
39	William C. Carden .....	1872	107	Samuel E. Houk .....	1889
40	Robert E. Smith .....	1872	108	†John N. Hobbs .....	1890
41	John H. Parrott .....	1873	109	John Woolsey .....	1890
42	John C. Runyan .....	1873	110	Joseph A. Darr .....	1890
43	John P. Dickey .....	1873	111	DeWitt C. Clendenen .....	1890
44	John H. Keith .....	1873	112	Joseph E. Lowry .....	1890
45	William R. Barnett .....	1873	113	*Samuel D. Long .....	1891
46	Joseph A. Bilderback .....	1874	114	Thomas J. Eskridge .....	1891
47	Erastus H. Bogle .....	1874	115	Isaac P. Martin .....	1891
48	William H. Dawn .....	1874	116	Charles L. Stradley .....	1891
49	Stephen T. M. McPherson..	1874	117	Isaac N. Munsey .....	1891
50	William H. Price .....	1874	118	†Elbert L. Addington .....	1891
51	J. Wesley Smith .....	1874	119	John B. Carnes .....	1891
52	John M. Wolfe .....	1874	120	Charles R. Brown .....	1891
53	Joseph B. Davis .....	1874	121	James E. Swecker .....	1892
54	James I. Cash .....	1875	122	Tyler D. Strader .....	1892
55	Charles M. James .....	1875	123	William E. Bailey .....	1892
56	Daniel S. Hearon .....	1875	124	Benjamin C. Horton .....	1892
57	Ayres Kincaid .....	1875	125	Edward W. Mort .....	1892
58	John W. Robertson .....	1875	126	William I. Fogleman .....	1892
59	Samuel S. Weatherly .....	1876	127	John M. Romans .....	1892
60	William W. Hicks .....	1877	128	*Arthur S. Thorn .....	1892
61	John D. Hickson .....	1877	129	John M. Paxton .....	1893
62	James A. Lyons .....	1877	130	Martin P. Carico .....	1893
63	Phillip P. Kinzer .....	1877	131	George M. Moreland .....	1893
64	John W. Carnes .....	1878	132	William L. Patton .....	1893
65	John R. Walker .....	1878	133	George B. Draper .....	1893
66	Robert A. Owen .....	1879	134	John M. Maiden .....	1893
67	George A. Maiden .....	1879	135	James D. McAlister .....	1893
68	George W. Summers .....	1879	136	Murray D. Mitchell .....	1894

\*Transfer.

†From M. P. Church.

‡Readmitted.



CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL FOR 1901—Continued.

NO.	NAMES	DATE	NO.	NAMES	DATE
137	John W. W. Shuler .....	1894	175	Gasper A. Carner .....	1897
138	Jones F. Hash .....	1894	176	T. Frank McCary .....	1897
139	David P. Hurley .....	1894	177	*S. N. Barker .....	1898
140	John W. Perry .....	1894	178	†Robert A. Hutsell .....	1898
141	John Stewart French .....	1895	179	Joseph E. Wolfe .....	1898
142	Elbert S. Bettis .....	1895	180	John A. Early .....	1898
143	Louis O. Adams .....	1895	181	William C. Hicks .....	1898
144	Joseph A. Baylor .....	1895	182	John W. Christian .....	1898
145	John D. Dame .....	1895	183	John B. Frazier .....	1898
146	John W. Taylor .....	1895	184	Edward A. Shugart .....	1898
147	Robert T. Webb .....	1895	185	James A. Ellison .....	1898
148	Barney Thompson .....	1895	186	Joseph Buie .....	1899
149	Elbert N. Woodward .....	1895	187	W. White Newberry .....	1899
150	Charles E. Steele .....	1895	188	Hugh S. Johnston .....	1899
151	Will L. Sorrell .....	1895	189	Milton J. Butcher .....	1899
152	Alfred N. Jackson .....	1895	190	Joseph W. Repass .....	1899
153	Charles E. Bower .....	1895	191	John W. Rader .....	1899
154	*Charles O. Jones .....	1896	192	John F. Jones .....	1899
155	*James R. Hunter .....	1896	193	†Wm. C. Faris .....	1900
156	D. Emory Hawk .....	1896	194	David W. Carter .....	1900
157	Michael J. Wysor .....	1896	195	Tivis E. Weaver .....	1900
158	Thomas F. Suthers .....	1896	196	William P. Buhman .....	1900
159	James E. Spring .....	1896	197	Fred N. Looney .....	1900
160	Wheeler M. Morrell .....	1896	198	Coy A. Beard .....	1900
161	Joel M. Carter .....	1896	199	Thomas S. Johnson .....	1900
162	Sidney B. Vaught .....	1896	200	James T. Guy .....	1900
163	James W. Repass .....	1896	201	Barron W. Lee .....	1900
164	Robey K. Sutherland .....	1896	202	John C. Cook .....	1900
165	Frank Jackson .....	1896	203	James L. Mullens .....	1900
166	Robert M. Walker .....	1896	204	Charles T. Davis .....	1901
167	Charles E. Painter .....	1896	205	Pharaoh L. Cobb .....	1901
168	*Alonzo Monk .....	1897	206	Keener W. Cox .....	1901
169	§James H. Summitt .....	1897	207	James H. Groseclose .....	1901
170	James E. Hughes .....	1897	208	James R. Brown .....	1901
171	John B. Ward .....	1897	209	*L. S. Hopkins .....	1901
172	Stephen W. Bourne .....	1897	210	*Hale S. Hamilton .....	1901
173	William C. Crockett .....	1897	211	†Benjamin T. Sharp .....	1901
174	William H. Troy .....	1897			

\*Transfer.    ||From M. E. Church.    §From Lutheran Church.    †Readmitted.

LAY DELEGATES.

RADFORD DISTRICT.

J. R. McCulloch, Bluefield, W. Va.  
 Rev. G. M. Johnston, Lerona, Va.  
 J. H. Barnett, East Radford, Va.  
 T. B. King, Poplar Hill, Va.

TAZEWELL DISTRICT.

W. A. Ward, Midway, Va.  
 J. W. Hicks, Esq., Graham, Va.  
 M. F. Neel, Cove Creek, Va.  
 C. B. Rucker, Welch, W. Va.

WYTHEVILLE DISTRICT.

E. W. Franklin, Hillsville, Va.  
 M. H. Jackson, Foster's Falls, Va.  
 A. F. Stone, Marion, Va.  
 E. H. Umberger, Wytheville, Va.

ABINGDON DISTRICT.

J. N. Huntsman, Bristol, Tenn.  
 Prof. J. L. Jarman, Emory, Va.  
 Dr. R. S. McDade, Mountain City, Tenn.  
 G. E. Penn, Esq., Abingdon, Va.

BIG STONE GAP DISTRICT.

R. T. McConnell, Gate City, Va.  
 H. B. Graham, Jonesville, Va.  
 E. S. Finney, Lebanon, Va.  
 W. M. Ellis, Church Hill, Tenn.

MORRISTOWN DISTRICT.

W. G. Butler, Mosheim, Tenn.  
 W. R. Reeves, Jonesboro, Tenn.  
 Rev. T. P. Summers, Morristown, Tenn.  
 E. S. Larmer, Rogersville, Tenn.

KNOXVILLE DISTRICT.

R. W. Trent, Trundles X Roads, Tenn.  
 T. J. Bondurant, Trentville, Tenn.  
 Rev. C. W. Duncan, Knoxville, Tenn.  
 J. W. Gaut, Knoxville, Tenn.

CLEVELAND DISTRICT.

Rev. A. M. Tomlinson, Athens, Tenn.  
 F. P. Dickey, Sweetwater, Tenn.  
 I. J. Stamper, Ducktown, Tenn.  
 J. L. Brown, Sweetwater, Tenn.

CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT.

J. M. Cantrel, Rising Fawn, Ga.  
 J. C. Simmons, Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Creed F. Bates, Esq., Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 W. G. M. Thomas, Esq., Chattanooga, Tenn.

SPRING CITY DISTRICT.

W. B. Stewart, Dunlap, Tenn.  
 W. B. Allen, Dayton, Tenn.  
 A. P. Mitchell, Inman, Tenn.  
 J. A. East, Rockwood, Tenn.

## OUR SAINTED DEAD.

"And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them."—Rev. xiv., 13.

No.	NAMES	Born	Admitted on Trial	Where Buried	Died	Years Effective Charges Served
1	Moses Black	1769	1796—S. Carolina		1809	12
2	George Atkin	1793		Abingdon, Va.	1827	
3	James G. H. Speer		1822—Tennessee		1833	
4	John Henniger		1811—Western	Cleveland, Tenn.	1838	
5	Thomas Wilkerson			Abingdon, Va.		
6	Mitchell Martin		1837—Western	Charleston, Tenn.	1839	
7	Eli K. Hutsell	1815	1835—Holston	Sulphur Spgs, N. C.	1842	
8	Ira Falls		1832—Holston		1844	12 9
9	John Bowman	1773	1812—Tennessee		1847	
10	O. F. Cunningham	1813	1834—Tennessee	Wheeler's Ch'p'l, T.	1848	12 10
11	David Fleming		1824—Holston	Kingston, Tenn.		
12	James Y. Crawford		1823—Tennessee	Asheville, N. C.	1850	
13	Ransom M. Moore		1811—Western		1850	6 6
14	John Barringer		1827—Holston	Abingdon, Va.	1851	14 13
15	Lauder W. Wilson	1816	1836—Holston		1851	13 13
16	David Adams	1798	1821—Tennessee	Strawberry Pl'ns, T.	1853	
17	Samuel Patton	1797	1819—Tennessee	Kingsport, Tenn.	1854	35 16
18	Washington Boring	1822	1851—Holston		1854	3 3
19	Ulrick Keener	1810	1825—Holston	Jackson Co., N. C.	1856	
20	George Eakin		1811—Western	Uriel, Tenn.	1856	31 23
21	Jesse Cunningham	1789	1811—Western	Mt. Harmony, Tenn	1856	9 6
22	John M. Kelly	1802	1828—S. Carolina	Tazewell, Tenn.	1856	21 20
23	John M. Varnell		1849—Holston		1857	7 7
24	A. M. Goodykoontz	1813	1838—Baltimore	Clear Branch, Va.	1857	19 17
25	Thomas Stringfield	1796	1816—Tennessee	Strawberry Pl'ns, T.	1858	37 22
26	Charles Mitchell	1814	1851—Holston	Carroll Co., Va.	1858	7 7
27	Andrew Gass	1792	1843—Holston		1859	13 9
28	Robert Ganaway	1780	1827—Holston	Smyth Co., Va.	1859	24 14
29	Creed Fulton		1823—Tennessee	Emory, Va.	1861	24 15
30	William K. Foster	1828	1853—Holston		1861	8 6
31	Elbert F. Sevier		1823—Tennessee	Chattanooga, Tenn.	1862	25 15
32	Samuel A. Miller		1836—Holston	Lee Co., Va.	1863	12 12
33	W. W. Smith	1814	1851—Holston		1863	12 9
34	Rufus M. Stevens	1808	1859—Holston	Covington, Ky.	1864	30 17
35	James R. Ballew	1836	1860—Holston		1864	4 3
36	George M. Proffit		1858—Holston		1864	4 4
37	H. B. Swisher		1860—Holston		1864	4 4
38	Edwin C. Wexler	1828	1850—Holston	Alabama	1865	11 11
39	John D. Wagg	1835	1858—Holston	Hillsville, Va.	1866	5 5
40	Jesse G. Swisher	1803	1844—Holston	Calhoun, Tenn.	1866	22 16
41	Daniel R. Reagan	1831	1859—Holston	..... Ga.	1867	5 5
42	Thomas K. Catlett	1798	1825—Holston	Abingdon, Va.	1867	38 24
43	James K. Stringfield	1839	1858—Holston	Asheville, N. C.	1870	11 9
44	Thomas K. Munsey	1816	1840—Holston	Calhoun, Tenn.	1872	17 12
45	Joseph L. McGhee	1844	1869—Holston	Sweetwater, Tenn.	1873	4 3
46	Samuel B. Harwell		1819—Tennessee	Kingston, Tenn.	1874	7 6
47	Samuel Alexander	1836	1860—Missouri	Marion, Va.	1874	8 6
48	Edward F. Lyons	1836	1866—Tennessee	Knoxville, Tenn.	1874	5 4
49	E. Waverly Marsh	1847	1869—Holston	Rhea Co., Tenn.	1874	4 3
50	Jacob Brillhart	1808	1848—Kentucky	Sweetwater, Tenn.	1874	21 10
51	John M. Crismond		1837—Holston	Morristown, Tenn.	1875	37 35
52	George W. Martin	1821	1863—Holston		1875	12 6
53	Daniel B. Carter	1803	1827—Holston	Liberty Hill, Tenn.	1876	34 29
54	James W. Dickey	1829	1852—Holston	Clear Branch, Va.	1876	24 14
55	John Reynolds	1797	1819—S. Carolina	Asheville, N. C.	1876	28
56	Wiley B. Winton	1812	1833—Holston	Springfield, Mo.	1878	15 9
57	William W. Neal	1824	1846—Holston	Rhea Springs, Tenn.	1878	28 21
58	Carroll Long	1833	1845—Holston	Wesleyana, Tenn.	1878	32 17
59	L. W. Thompson	1849	1872—Holston	Floyd, Va.	1878	6 5
60	Francis A. Farley		1860—Holston	Jonesville, Va.	1879	14 11
61	W. M. Crawford	1842	1873—Holston	Boone, N. C.	1880	6 4
62	Samuel S. Grant	1839	1859—Holston	Jacksboro, Tenn.	1881	14 11
63	Elbert L. Barrett		1873—Holston		1881	7 6
64	William Hicks	1811	1833—Holston	Bluff City, Tenn.	1882	34 22
65	Joseph Haskew	1797	1827—Holston	Abingdon, Va.	1882	31 17
66	William H. Barnes	1812	1838—N. Carolina	Princeton, W. Va.	1882	22

OUR SAINTED DEAD—Continued.

No.	NAMES	Born	Admitted on Trial	Where Buried	Died	Years Effective	Charges Served
68	Henry B. Avery	1839	1860—Mississippi		1882	22	14
69	A. G. Blankenbeckler	1850	1877—Holston	Greeneville, Tenn.	1883	5	2
70	William B. Pickens	1845	1877—Holston	Ducktown, Tenn.	1883	6	5
71	John H. Robeson	1819	1870—N. Georgia	Buncombe Co., N. C.	1885		
72	Archibald T. Brooks	1817	1871—Holston	Falls Mill, Va.	1885	11	7
73	James K. P. Ball	1844	1870—Holston	Spring Creek, Tenn.	1885	5	4
74	John D. Baldwin	1818	1850—Holston		1885	26	19
75	Timothy Sullins	1812	1832—Holston	Knoxville, Tenn.	1885	13	8
76	William M. Bellamy	1847	1878—Holston	Scott Co., Va.	1886	8	4
77	Larkin W. Crouch		1846—Holston	Calhoun, Tenn.		19	14
78	James T. Smith	1819	1847—Holston		1887	32	24
79	David R. Smith	1835	1868—Holston	Rogersville, Tenn.	1888	15	
80	John S. Bourne	1856	1881—Holston	Spring Valley, Va.	1888	6	3
81	William L. Turner	1811	1837—Holston	Jonesville, Va.	1889	13	13
82	Samuel D. Gaines	1811	—Holston	Bristol, Tenn.	1889	19	14
83	George W. Renfro	1823	1847—Holston	Harriman, Tenn.	1889	13	12
84	Samuel R. Wheeler	1816	1861—Holston	Alderson, W. Va.	1890	27	14
85	Dayton C. Horne	1857	1885—Holston	Rockwood, Tenn.	1890	5	3
86	George Stewart	1821	1851—Holston	Wytheville, Va.	1891	34	21
87	Andrew J. Frazier	1836	1860—Holston	Knoxville, Tenn.	1892	32	15
88	George W. Miles	1829	1854—Holston	Marion, Va.	1892	35	15
89	James N. S. Huffaker	1827	1846—Holston	Knox Co., Tenn.	1892	20	18
90	Thomas J. Pope	1817	1854—Holston	Vernon, Texas.	1892	9	9
91	William W. Witcher	1815	1849—Holston	Cleveland, Tenn.	1892	38	
92	John M. McTeer	1824	1847—Holston		1892	35	17
93	Ephraim E. Wiley	1814	1840—Holston	Emory, Va.	1893	53	2
94	Tobias F. Smith	1837	1862—Holston		1893	17	12
95	John L. M. French	1838	1861—Holston	Wytheville, Va.	1893	32	25
96	Rufus W. Kite	1858	1884—Holston	Bristol, Tenn.	1894	8	4
97	George W. K. Greene	1831	1859—Holston	Bland Co., Va.	1894	20	12
98	Emory B. Robertson	1855	1878—Holston	Dalton, Ga.	1894	11	8
99	John R. Bellamy	1866	1891—Holston	Elizabethton, Tenn.	1894	3	3
100	Riley A. Giddins	1818	1848—Holston	Cleveland, Tenn.	1895	14	12
101	Benj. W. S. Bishop	1834	1856—Holston	Emory, Va.	1895	39	17
102	G. M. F. Hampton	1850	1879—W. Virginia	Riceville, Tenn.	1895	11	6
103	Sewell Phillips	1830	1851—Holston	Eagle Furnace, Tenn.	1896	16	14
104	Phillip Sutton	1828	1854—Holston	Princeton, W. Va.	1896	27	19
105	James R. Chambers	1850	1887—Holston	Blountville, Tenn.	1896	9	4
106	Fleming D. Crumley	1829	1860—Holston	Fall Branch, Tenn.	1897	30	17
107	Jefferson D. Akers	1868	1891—Holston	Montgomery Co., Va.	1897		
108	James A. Davis	1825	1857—Holston	Emory, Va.	1898		
109	Henry P. Waugh		1855—Holston	Morristown, Tenn.	1898	34	24
110	John H. Kennedy	1818	1872—Holston	Morristown, Tenn.	1898	27	15
111	John R. Cunningham	1844	1875—Holston	Johnson City, Tenn.	1899		
112	W. G. F. Cunyningham	1820	1843—Holston	Nashville, Tenn.	1900		
113	John Alley	1825	1845—Holston	Chapel Hill, Tenn.	1900		
114	Joseph F. Wampler	1848	1876—Holston	Shell Mound, Tenn.	1900	24	15
115	William H. Henderson	1846	1895—Holston	Decatur, Tenn.	1901	6	4
116	Edward W. Walker	1866	1889—Holston	Graham, Va.	1901	13	6

THE BISHOPS.

No.	NAMES	Born	Admitted on Trial	Made Bishop	Died
1	Henry B. Bascom	1796	1813—Ohio Conference	1850	1850
2	William Capers	1790	1808—South Carolina	1846	1835
3	Joshua Soule	1781	1799—New York	1824	1867
4	James O. Andrew	1794	1812—South Carolina	1832	1871
5	John Early	1786	1807—Virginia	1854	1873
6	Enoch M. Marvin	1823	1841—Missouri	1866	1877
7	David S. Doggett	1810	1829—Virginia	1866	1880
8	Robert Paine	1799	1818—Tennessee	1846	1882
9	William M. Wightman	1808	1828—South Carolina	1866	1882
10	George F. Pierce	1811	1831—Georgia	1854	1884
11	Hubbard H. Kavanaugh	1802	1823—Kentucky	1854	1884
12	Linus Parker	1829	1819—Louisiana	1882	1885
13	Holland N. McTyeire	1824	1845—Virginia	1866	1889
14	Atticus G. Haygood	1839	1859—Georgia	1890	1896

## LOCAL PREACHERS OF HOLSTON.

NOTE—"E" means Elder; "D" means Deacon.

## RADFORD DISTRICT.

W. H. Ayers, Brush Fork, W. Va.  
 J. W. Bennett (E), Athens, W. Va.  
 Harman W. Bird, Pack's Ferry, W. Va.  
 \*Hugh Benton Brown, Narrows, Va.  
 James O. Cassidy (D), Frigleside, W. Va.  
 Thomas M. Cecil (E), Newbern, Va.  
 E. H. Cole, Floyd, Va.  
 E. F. Cooper, Athens, W. Va.  
 W. W. Davis, Rock, W. Va.  
 James N. Foster, Radford, Va.  
 A. Hogan (E), Floyd, Va.  
 E. Johnson (D), Radford, Va.  
 Giles M. Johnston (D), Leron, W. Va.  
 Richard A. Miller, Oakvale, W. Va.  
 \*Douglass Morgan, Athens, W. Va.  
 T. C. Pulliam (D), Narrows, Va.  
 Robert S. Sheffy (D), Staffordsville, Va  
 Thomas Slusher, East Radford, Va.  
 Charles W. Stewart (D), Basham, Va.  
 J. Price Stuart, Bluefield, W. Va.  
 Leander C. Taylor (E), Snowville, Va.  
 \*John K. Walker, Riner, Va.  
 C. E. Weeks (D), Willis, Va.  
 Everett C. Williams, Newbern, Va.  
 James D. Wright, Rock, W. Va.

## TAZEWELL DISTRICT.

D. A. Daugherty (E), Graham, Va.  
 George Burton (E), Tazewell, Va.  
 J. A. Smith (E), Cove Creek, Va.  
 F. L. Lockhart (E), Paint Lick, Va.  
 I. N. Boyd (E), Davenport, Va.  
 J. W. Holbrook (E), Bailey, Va.  
 J. H. Honaker (E), Duhring, W. Va.  
 W. K. Neel (D), Cove Creek, Va.  
 T. C. Brown (D), Holstine Mills, Va.  
 W. W. Yost (D), Tazewell, Va.  
 H. C. Smith, McDowel, W. Va.  
 Z. D. Holbrook, St. Clair, Va.  
 J. R. Switer, Clear Fork, Va.  
 J. H. Kelley, Shack's Mills, Va.  
 C. B. Kelley, Graham, Va.  
 Gabriel Davis, Grundy, Va.  
 W. W. Compton, Shack's Mills, Va.  
 J. W. Laird, Tazewell, Va.  
 W. S. Lyons, Pocahontas, Va.  
 J. H. Bolling, Knob, Va.  
 T. A. Murphy, Keystone, W. Va.  
 J. R. Hubbard, Honaker, Va.  
 H. M. Boyd, Davenport, Va.  
 A. M. Boyd, Davenport, Va.  
 \*W. B. Belcher, Cove Creek, Va.  
 Frank T. Witten, Tazewell, Va.

## WYTHEVILLE DISTRICT.

J. A. Fisher, Wytheville, Va.  
 E. S. Wassum, Seven Mile Ford, Va.  
 W. P. Cooper (E), Rural Retreat, Va.  
 H. H. Wynn, Jr., Rural Retreat, Va.  
 Levi Brown (D), Athens, Va.  
 W. A. Leonard, Groseclose, Va.  
 H. M. Ager, Speedwell, Va.  
 J. K. Shuler, Lundy, Va.  
 H. C. Thompson (E), Steven's Creek, Va.  
 J. P. Byrd (D), Grayson, Va.  
 J. R. Pinion (E), Fallville, Va.  
 B. A. Pool, Independence, Va.  
 J. A. Hall, Conner's Rock, Va.  
 W. E. Williams, Steven's Creek, Va.

T. C. Vaughn (E), Spring Valley, Va.  
 J. R. Pugh, Grant, Va.  
 J. L. Pugh, Grassy Creek, Va.  
 W. L. Carver, Potato, Va.  
 A. C. Sutherland (D), Wolfe Glade, Va.  
 A. J. Jones, Old Town, Va.  
 C. C. Pope, Ward's Mill, Va.  
 S. E. Painter, Wolfe Glade, Va.  
 J. W. Whittington, Woodlawn, Va.  
 Cyrus Phibbs, Hillsville, Va.  
 C. A. Smith, Fancy Gap, Va.  
 J. E. Brown, Foster's Falls, Va.  
 H. J. Crowjey, Wytheville, Va.  
 D. F. Wyrick, Cripple Creek, Va.  
 G. W. Penley (E), Point Pleasant, Va.  
 R. L. Newberry (D), Mechanicsburg, Va.  
 W. R. Miller (D), Holly Brook, Va.  
 S. V. Morris (D), Holly Brook, Va.  
 F. F. Repass (D), Mahony, Va.  
 W. H. Foglesong, Ceres, Va.  
 Preston Fowler, Short's Creek, Va.  
 \*C. P. Kelly, Emory, Va.  
 \*R. L. Wiley, Emory, Va.  
 \*D. A. Atkins, Emory, Va.  
 \*J. V. Hall, Bland, Va.  
 \*H. O. Smith, Woodlawn, Va.

## ABINGDON DISTRICT.

I. Baker (D), Stump, Va.  
 W. W. Burk, Lowland, Va.  
 W. S. Hendricks, Abingdon, Va.  
 E. Longley (E), Glade Spring, Va.  
 E. M. Ball, Emory, Va.  
 R. P. Shuler, Glade Spring, Va.  
 J. M. Jameson, Emory, Va.  
 J. R. King, Emory, Va.  
 John C. Hawk, Emory, Va.  
 J. W. Louthaire, Lamont, Va.  
 T. G. Neal, Osceola, Va.  
 B. O. Davis (E), Holston, Va.  
 R. S. Gregg, Crandul, Tenn.  
 D. P. Wilcox (E), Elizabethton, Tenn.  
 G. W. Osborne (D), Blountville, Tenn.  
 J. F. Morrell (D), Blountville, Tenn.  
 J. H. Tate (D), Colby, Tenn.  
 S. B. Fickle, Colby, Tenn.  
 \*Jesse Y. Bowman, Colby, Tenn.  
 W. B. Gale (E), Roanoke, Va.  
 E. C. Rodefer (E), Bristol, Tenn.  
 J. P. Baird (D), Bristol, Tenn.  
 H. S. Wilson, Bristol, Tenn.  
 J. T. Kinzer (E), Bristol, Tenn.  
 J. N. Smith, Bristol, Tenn.

## BIG STONE GAP DISTRICT.

W. N. Baker, Longfield, Va.  
 C. C. Brooks, Boon's Path, Va.  
 B. N. Browning, Dickensonville, Va.  
 W. J. Crabtree, Rosedale, Va.  
 J. C. Campbell, Hansonville, Va.  
 Robert Cross (E), Balton, Va.  
 A. J. Dean (E), Rose Hill, Va.  
 C. F. Duncan, Democrat, Va.  
 Wiley M. Ellis, Church Hill, Tenn.  
 A. C. Ely (E), Beech Spring, Va.  
 J. E. Fogleman, Hylton, Va.  
 C. H. Fogleman, Lebanon, Va.  
 J. E. Graham (D), Jonesville, Va.  
 T. P. Graham (D), White Shoals, Va.  
 J. W. Hillman (E), Valley Creek, Va.

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LOCAL PREACHERS OF HOLSTON—Continued.

H. K. Hillman (D), Herald, Va.  
 Worley Hillman, Odelphia, Va.  
 C. W. Johnson, Rockdale, Va.  
 \*John D. Johnson, Speer's Ferry, Va.  
 C. Kensinger, Surgoinsville, Tenn.  
 P. H. Larmar, Chandler, Va.  
 S. M. McConnell (D), Hale's Mill, Va.  
 G. W. Milton, Dickensonville, Va.  
 W. H. Martin, Wise, Va.  
 W. S. Neff, White Shoals, Va.  
 \*L. M. Neel, Bloomingdale, Tenn.  
 R. B. Parsons (E), Cumberland Gap, Tenn.  
 J. A. Pendegrass (D), Lycum, Tenn.  
 A. M. Qualls, Dewey, Va.  
 H. E. Vaught, Elk Garden, Va.  
 W. B. Winegar, Rouss, Va.  
 W. W. Woodward (E), Jonesville, Va.  
 G. S. Wood, Hylton, Va.  
 W. H. Wampler (E), East Stone Gap, Va.

MORRISTOWN DISTRICT.

J. B. Mosely, Jonesboro, Tenn.  
 G. W. Simpson (E), Jonesboro, Tenn.  
 B. H. Talley (D), Leadvale, Tenn.  
 G. A. Rowe, Morristown, Tenn.  
 T. P. Summers (E), Morristown, Tenn.  
 A. J. Brunner (E), Morristown, Tenn.  
 G. W. Fagaly, Oak Grove, Tenn.  
 A. P. Cunningham, Johnson City, Tenn.  
 S. V. Morrell (D), St. Clair, Tenn.  
 W. M. Patty, Thesia, Tenn.  
 D. T. Kirk, Bybee, Tenn.  
 J. B. Cross, Manks, Tenn.  
 W. P. Evens (E), Mosheim, Tenn.  
 M. G. Price (E), Mosheim, Tenn.  
 James Young (D), Tampico, Tenn.  
 J. T. Freeman (E), Bean Station, Tenn.  
 I. A. Moneyhun, Rogersville, Tenn.  
 I. R. Smith.  
 Henry Wilson, Morristown, Tenn.  
 J. H. W. Sellers, Newport, Tenn.  
 J. H. Wagner, Greeneville, Tenn.  
 \*C. A. Pangle, Galbraith, Tenn.  
 \*D. E. Allen, Morristown, Tenn.

KNOXVILLE DISTRICT.

John Loy (E), New Market, Tenn.  
 J. W. Middleton, Strawberry Plains, Tenn.  
 G. W. Sharp (D), Loy's X Roads, Tenn.  
 Jno. G. Irwin, Loy's X Roads, Tenn.  
 Rufus M. Miller (D), Knoxville, Tenn.  
 J. M. Bell, Hall's X Roads, Tenn.  
 A. M. Hoyle (D), Knoxville, Tenn.  
 R. P. Rudder (D), Bearden, Tenn.  
 G. M. Shelley (E), Knoxville, Tenn.  
 C. W. Duncan (D), Knoxville, Tenn.  
 W. R. Barnes (E), Knoxville, Tenn.  
 C. S. Adams (D), Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Dr. E. Dickson, Coal Creek, Tenn.  
 J. E. McCampbell, Tuckaleechee, Tenn.  
 D. G. Grant, Heiskell, Tenn.  
 E. M. Wolsey, Powell's Station, Tenn.  
 J. L. Griffiths, Knoxville, Tenn.  
 \*D. K. Young, Jr., Clinton, Tenn.

CLEVELAND DISTRICT.

John Masengale, Grady, Tenn.  
 S. V. Bates (E), Charleston, Tenn.  
 R. H. Jewell (D), Charleston, Tenn.  
 A. M. Tomlinson, Athens, Tenn.  
 Dr. Lewis Miller (D), Mt. Vernon, Tenn.  
 T. B. McCurdy (E), Mt. Vernon, Tenn.  
 W. H. Patterson (E), Climer, Tenn.  
 P. S. Moody, Morganton, Tenn.  
 Josiah Fortner, Unita, Tenn.  
 J. A. Stubblefield (E), Cleveland, Tenn.  
 G. R. Stuart (E), Cleveland, Tenn.  
 J. R. McFarland (D), Cleveland, Tenn.  
 J. C. Harris, Cleveland, Tenn.  
 J. M. Smith, Mt. Vernon, Tenn.  
 T. M. Hicks, Benton, Tenn.  
 H. B. Wilson, Hiwassee College, Tenn.  
 Jas. Sewell (E), Philadelphia, Tenn.  
 J. W. Ault (D), Cleveland, Tenn.  
 \*Robert Johnston, Sweetwater, Tenn.  
 L. H. Little (E), Cleveland, Tenn.  
 J. A. L. Perkins (E), Cleveland, Tenn.

CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT.

W. D. Dacas, Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 J. B. Hill, Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 J. A. Jackson (D), Retro, Tenn.  
 C. W. Forister, Rising Fawn, Ga.  
 S. H. Thurman (D), Trenton, Ga.  
 H. D. Stephens, Rising Fawn, Ga.  
 W. C. McGruffie, Sulphur Springs, Ga.  
 John Stewart, Rising Fawn, Ga.  
 Otto Bostrum, Rising Fawn, Ga.  
 R. K. Allison, Rising Fawn, Ga.  
 W. J. Damon (D), Lookout Mt., Tenn.  
 Harrison Milligan.  
 J. F. Fisher, Apison, Tenn.  
 G. H. Wyrick (D), Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 R. A. Sloan (E), Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 J. R. Hatfield, Rising Fawn, Ga.  
 H. A. True (E), Chattanooga, Tenn.

SPRING CITY DISTRICT.

J. W. Williamson (E), Dayton, Tenn.  
 L. M. Renfro (E), Grassy Cove, Tenn.  
 Samuel Tollett (E), Crossville, Tenn.  
 J. V. Brown (E), Crossville, Tenn.  
 D. Davis (D), Dayton, Tenn.  
 J. C. Taylor (D), Allardt, Tenn.  
 C. R. Jones, Harriman, Tenn.  
 W. B. Williams, Dayton, Tenn.  
 F. K. Suddath, Emory Gap, Tenn.  
 F. M. Shirley (D), Whitwell, Tenn.  
 T. J. Houtz, Pikeville, Tenn.  
 C. A. Ford, Grassy, Tenn.  
 F. K. Center, Crossville, Tenn.  
 J. P. Taylor (D), Allardt, Tenn.  
 H. B. Taylor, Allardt, Tenn.  
 W. H. Dougan, Jasper, Tenn.  
 W. J. Kersey, Dunlap, Tenn.  
 J. H. Reynolds, Harriman, Tenn.  
 Joe Vasey, Whitwell, Tenn.  
 J. L. B. Cash, Spring City, Tenn.  
 J. L. Hardin, Pikeville, Tenn.  
 \*J. M. Crenshaw, Whitwell, Tenn.

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Organized in 1894.

*Officers*—Eugene Blake, President; J. W. Perry, Vice-President; J. O. Straley, Secretary; E. F. Kahle, Treasurer.

*Trustees*—T. R. Handy, E. C. Reeves, W. L. Trent.

*Benefits Paid*—Mrs. G. M. F. Hampton, call No. 1, \$236.00; Mrs. J. R. Chambers, call No. 2, \$293.50; Mrs. J. H. Kennedy, call No. 3, \$386.50; Mrs. J. F. Wampler, call No. 4, \$437.50; Mrs. E. W. Walker, call No. 5, to date, \$440.50. Amount reserve fund \$440.78.

Number clerical members, 185. Number non-beneficiary members, 82. Number clerical members paid on call No. 5, 159. Number non-beneficiary members paid on call No. 5, 36.

If all would pay, call No. 5 would amount to \$522.00.

*Non-Beneficiary Members*—S. W. Lemmering, F. W. Worley, R. F. Lewis, W. E. Susong, V. F. Deaton, J. P. Stiles, Mrs. R. W. Dickinson, N. Q. Allen, W. B. Rucker, C. D. Hoyle, G. W. Palmer, J. E. Crowder, Miss Kate Lenoir, Mrs. W. G. Lenoir, J. L. Brown, J. H. Horton, Frank Follansbee, E. C. Reeves, L. T. Godwin, W. L. Lyons, O. W. Patton, P. P. Crumbley, W. C. Everett, F. P. Dickey, W. P. Hickman, G. M. Harrill, J. E. Carter, J. T. Carter, J. E. Johnson, J. T. Carman, Mrs. Jane Cooper, C. F. Chapman, F. H. Post, R. A. Colwood, Bruce Stuart, Jno. O. Tilley, D. A. Carpenter, J. Milton Browne, L. M. Thomas, C. F. Bates, S. B. Byrd, M. D.; Leon Jourolmon, H. T. Ault, T. W. Jordan, E. P. King, M. S. McClellan, S. B. Crawford, Miss L. Jourolmon, L. A. Bobb, W. A. Barley, J. L. Jarman, W. R. Reeves, Dr. Jas. Mahoney, Georgia A. Reeves, J. W. Boring, D. V. Cash, W. G. Butler, W. L. Trent.

## HOLSTON EPWORTH LEAGUE CONFERENCE.

S. A. Neblett, President, Chattanooga, Tenn.

Rev. J. S. French, Vice-President, Abingdon, Va.

Jno. O. Tilley, Secretary, Knoxville, Tenn.

Miss Annie B. Flenniken, Treasurer, Knoxville, Tenn.

W. W. Neal, Supt. of Juniors, Chattanooga, Tenn.

*Central Committee on Missions*—S. A. Neblett, Chairman; Jno. O. Tilley, Secretary; J. H. Barnett, W. L. Stanley, Rev. J. F. Jones, Rev. C. A. Beard, Rev. J. S. French, Miss Mary Litchfield, Rev. W. L. Jones, Mrs. W. L. Rohr, Rev. W. L. Patton.

## DISTRICT SECRETARIES.

*Radford*—Rev. Eugene Blake, Pearisburg, Va.

*Tazewell*—J. Powell Royall, Tazewell, Va.

*Wytheville*—T. J. B. Sharitz, Wytheville, Va.

*Abingdon*—Rev. J. M. Carter, Bristol, Tenn.

*Big Stone Gap*—Jas. Robison, Gate City, Va.

*Morristown*—Miss Annie Miller, Johnson City, Tenn.

*Knoxville*—J. Crew Webb, Knoxville, Tenn.

*Cleveland*—J. M. Bennett, Cleveland, Tenn.

*Chattanooga*—Chas. W. Rankin, Chattanooga, Tenn.

*Spring City*—G. F. Thomas, Rockwood, Tenn.

Next annual meeting at Mary Street, Bristol.

THE "HOLSTON PLAN."

[The following exhibit was prepared by Rev. P. L. Cobb.]

When the Leagues of the Holston Conference passed resolutions pledging themselves to guarantee the deficit of \$9,043 on the foreign and domestic missions assessments, they seemed to many to be attempting something impracticable; but they were building more wisely than they knew. The plans formulated were put in operation August 1, 1898. In a little over two months it was found that the foreign mission collection had increased \$1,080, and the home \$680—a total of \$1,760.

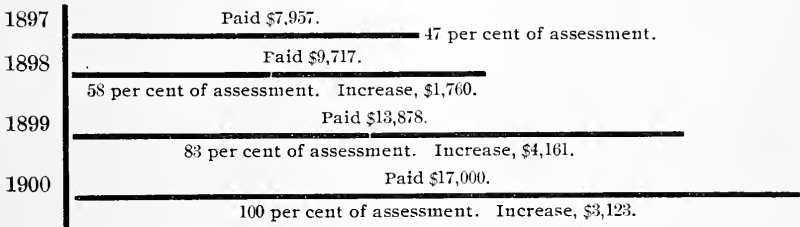
Encouraged by the result, plans were enterprised for the payment in full of both assessments in the Conference, amounting to \$17,000. At the end of the next Conference year it was found that the increase on the home and foreign collections was \$4,160.67; that the per cent of assessments paid had risen from forty-seven to eighty-three, and the *per capita* payment from fifteen to twenty-five cents, while the actual increase on foreign missions was forty-nine per cent more than the previous year.

This large increase gave an impulse to the movement in 1900 that secured every dollar of the \$17,000 assessed for home and foreign missions.

If no further increase were made in ten years, the excess of \$9,043.67 in 1900 over what was paid in in 1897, counted each year, would amount to \$90,436.70, which, added to the \$16,724, the actual increase since 1897, would reach the enormous sum of \$107,160.70, more than would have been put in the missionary treasuries if the Holston Plan had not been devised or if there had been no increase in the collections. Taking the ten years previous to the adoption of the plan as a criterion, there is little reason to believe that there would have been any considerable increase.

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INCREASE ON MISSIONARY COLLECTIONS IN HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1897-1900.



The following table speaks for itself:

INCREASE IN COLLECTIONS OF 1900 OVER 1899.

	Amount.	Per ct.
Conference Claimants .....	\$ 723	22
Church Extension .....	577	27
Education .....	527	30
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society .....	302	9
Woman's Home Missionary Society .....	1,324	29
American Bible Society .....	100	31
All sources, including salaries .....	28,874	18

REFLEX INFLUENCE ON THE LEAGUE.

The number of chapters increased the past year from 140 to 177, or twenty-two per cent; the membership from 4,637 to 6,006, an increase of 1,369, or thirty per cent. The interest in the *Era* and the *Reading Course* is increasing rapidly.

## HOLSTON MISSIONARY WOMEN—FOREIGN.

Organized in 1878.

## OFFICERS.

Mrs. Matthew McClung, President, Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Mrs. N. S. Woodward, Vice-President, Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Mrs. D. S. Hearon, Vice-President and Juvenile Superintendent,  
 Dayton, Tenn.  
 Mrs. J. E. Bentley, Corresponding Secretary, Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Mrs. J. A. Stubblefield, Recording Secretary, Cleveland, Tenn.  
 Mrs. C. F. Trent, Treasurer, Knoxville, Tenn.

## DISTRICT SECRETARIES.

*Radford District*—Miss Josie Kirk, Bramwell, W. Va.  
*Tazewell District*—Mrs. James Okeefe, Tazewell, Va.  
*Big Stone Gap District*—Mrs. S. P. Fuller, Barnett, Va.  
*Wytheville District*—Miss Lutie Rich, Wytheville, Va.  
*Abingdon District*—Mrs. F. A. Parker, Abingdon, Va.  
*Morristown District*—Mrs. W. D. Akers, Morristown, Tenn.; Mrs.  
 Effie Tomlinson, Assistant, Tate Springs, Tenn.  
*Knoxville District*—Mrs. M. A. M. Armstrong, Knoxville, Tenn.;  
 Miss Danna Kate Rogers, Assistant, Knoxville, Tenn.  
*Cleveland District*—Mrs. Jas. Reagan, Sweetwater, Tenn.; Miss Bettie  
 Browder, Assistant, Sweetwater, Tenn.  
*Chattanooga District*—Miss Russie Atkinson, St. Elmo, Tenn.; Miss  
 Sarah Belle Thomas, Assistant, Chattanooga, Tenn.  
*Spring City District*—Miss Margaret Center, Crab Orchard, Tenn.

DISTRICTS	Number Adult Societies	*Members	Money Raised	Young People's Societies	*Members	Money Raised	Juvenile Societies	*Members	Money Raised	Total Money Raised
Radford.....	15	213	\$ 637 30	5	65	\$ 151 95	12	181	\$ 200 67	\$ 989 92
Tazewell.....	9	134	217 57	1	23	1 40	5	117	53 79	272 76
Wytheville.....	14	223	467 95	2	53	31 47	5	111	90 81	590 23
Abingdon.....	10	85	278 64	3	113	81 95	8	92	114 23	474 82
Big Stone Gap.....	6	30	39 66	0	0	00	2	13	14 79	54 45
Morristown.....	13	173	378 93	1	28	12 75	5	149	41 30	432 98
Knoxville.....	9	198	575 10	0	0	00	3	106	62 96	638 06
Cleveland.....	5	74	220 15	1	80	59 28	6	44	71 17	350 60
Chattanooga.....	6	126	220 10	0	0	00	4	85	52 93	273 03
Spring City.....	4	47	44 96	0	0	00	2	16	2 85	47 81
Total.....	91	1,303	\$3,080 36	13	362	\$338 80	38	914	\$705 50	\$4,124 66

\*There is a serious discrepancy between the reports of Treasurer and Corresponding Secretary, due to a failure of Societies to report to their District Secretaries. The financial statistics are taken from the Treasurer's report. The correction of the discrepancy would show very many more members.

Next annual meeting at Wytheville, Va.



HOLSTON MISSIONARY WOMEN—HOME.

OFFICERS.

- President, Mrs. Alice Chapman, Knoxville, Tenn.  
 First Vice-President, Mrs. R. L. Blevins, Petros, Tenn.  
 Second Vice-President, Miss Annie Spencer, Pikeville, Tenn.  
 Third Vice-President, Mrs. D. Sullins, Cleveland, Tenn.  
 Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. A. A. Gibson, Athens, Tenn.  
 Assistant Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Delia Cawood, 1016 North Central street, Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Recording Secretary, Mrs. S. A. Dickey, Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Treasurer—Mrs. M. H. Honaker, Abingdon, Va.  
 Agent for Greeneville Home and School, Mrs. E. E. Wiley, Greeneville, Tenn.  
 Treasurer for Greeneville Home and School, Miss Mary Trim, Greeneville, Tenn.  
 Superintendent Baby Cottage Fund, Mrs. G. W. Richardson, Marion, Virginia.  
 Editor Column in Midland Methodist, Mrs. J. E. Chapman.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES.

- Radford—Mrs. S. E. Farmer, Pulaski City, Va.  
 Tazewell—Mrs. Will Ward, Paint Lick, Tazewell Co., Va.  
 Big Stone Gap—Mrs. M. M. Bruce and daughter, Big Stone Gap, Va.  
 Wytheville—Miss Banie Hull, Marion, Va.  
 Abingdon—Mrs. I. Lewis Clarke, Abingdon, Va.  
 Morristown—Mrs. Jno. E. Helms, Jr., Morristown, Tenn.; Assistant, Miss Bettie Watkins, Panther Springs, Tenn.  
 Knoxville—Mrs. S. D. Haun, 1017 Luttrell street, Knoxville, Tenn.; Assistant, Mrs. J. W. Ward, Luttrell street, Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Cleveland—Mrs. J. E. Johnston, Cleveland, Tenn.; Assistant, Mrs. W. H. Dyche, Philadelphia, Tenn.  
 Chattanooga—Miss Sara Atlee, 219 Oak street, Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Spring City—Miss Annie Spencer, Pikeville, Tenn.

ORPHANAGE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Mrs. E. C. Reeves, Johnson City; Mrs. Alice Chapman, Knoxville; Mrs. W. L. Rohr, Chattanooga; Mrs. W. C. Naff, Greeneville; Mrs. A. A. Gibson, Athens; Miss Mary Trim, Greeneville; Mrs. W. L. Rohr, Superintendent of Supply Department; Mrs. Delia Cawood, Alternate to Board meeting.

Next meeting—Knoxville, Tennessee.

DISTRICT	Adult Societies	Juvenile Societies	Adult Members	Juvenile Members	Total Members	Total Collections	Gain in Societies	Gain in Members	Gain in Collections
Radford.....	4	2	75	32	107	\$111 35			
Tazewell.....	1	1	18	20	38	13 67			
*Big Stone Gap.....	22	3	306	88	394	106 88	18	313	\$ 66 38
Wytheville.....	12	2	145	30	175	67 44	8	122	
Abingdon.....	14	3	243	54	297	289 24	3	34	50 02
Morristown.....	18	2	271	20	291	215 63	12	127	21 47
Knoxville.....	12	1	269	52	34	303 85	6	82	
Cleveland.....	8	1	82	10	92	260 13	2	20	
Chattanooga.....	6	1	153	35	188	373 31			111 37
Spring City.....	12	1	151	20	171	108 36	6	82	46 55
	109	17	1713	361	2074	\$1859 92	55	1070	\$295 79

\*Banner District.

## HOLSTON ORPHANAGE.

Assistants, 6; children received since opening, August, 1895, 113; children put into homes since opening, 66; children adopted since opening, 4; children received this year, 17; children put into homes this year, 10; children remaining in home this year, 47; children converted this year, 9; children received into the church this year, 10; children baptized this year, 11; children attending city schools, 18; children taught in orphanage, 27; General orphanage collections, \$1,461.92; collected for baby cottage, \$664.49; collected on assessments, \$505.73. Total collections, \$2,632.14.

We have added and paid for a new cottage containing rooms for twelve boys and a laundry. One brick kiln for Baby Cottage is finished and paid for. The lumber for Baby Cottage has been donated. A car load of coal, with its freight, has been donated. Supplies of food and clothing have been generous. We are grateful, happy and hopeful.

MRS. E. E. WILLEY.

## HOLSTON COLLEGES.

*Emory and Henry College*—Founded in 1836; first President, Charles Collins; present President, Rev. R. G. Waterhouse, D. D., Emory, Va.; total number of graduates, 622.

*Princeton Military Academy*—Founded in 1884; first President, E. A. Witten; present President, Rev. Chas. A. Brown, Princeton, W. Va.

*Martha Washington Female College*—Founded in 1860; first President, Rev. W. A. Harris; present President, Rev. W. M. Dyer, Abingdon, Va.; total number of graduates, 314.

*Sullins Female College*—Founded in 1859; first President, Rev. D. Sullins, D. D.; present President, Rev. S. N. Barker, D. D., Bristol, Tenn.; total number of graduates, 178.

*Centenary Female College*—Founded in 1885; first President, Rev. D. Sullins, D. D.; present Presidents, Revs. D. Sullins, D. D., and J. A. Stubblefield, Cleveland, Tenn.; total number of graduates, 175; next commencement, May 23-27.

*Pryor Training School*—Founded in 1888; first Principal, Rev. E. B. Craighead; present Principal, Prof. Williams, Jasper, Tenn.; next commencement, last Wednesday in May; following fall term opens first Wednesday in September.

*People's College*—Founded in 1872. The present associate Presidents are Profs. R. J. Davis and John R. Hardin. The spring terms open the first Monday in January, 1902; next commencement, May 20, 1902.

## HOLSTON DISTRICT CONFERENCES FOR 1902.

*Radford District*—Dublin, Va.

*Tazewell District*—Bailey, Va.

*Wytheville District*—Seddon, Va.

*Abingdon District*—Mendota, Va.

*Big Stone Gap District*—Gate City, Va.

*Morristown District*—Mosheim, Tenn.

*Knoxville District*—Coal Creek, Tenn.

*Cleveland District*—Ducktown, Tenn.

*Chattanooga District*—Rising Fawn, Ga.

*Spring City District*—Spring City, Tenn.

## GENERAL CHURCH INFORMATION.

## BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Bishop A. W. Wilson, President; Rev. James Atkins, Vice-President; Rev. Walter R. Lambuth, Rev. J. H. Pritchett, Secretaries; J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer.

*Managers*—Bishops John C. Keener, John C. Granbery, Robert K. Hargrove, Wallace W. Duncan, Charles B. Galloway, Eugene R. Hendrix, Joseph S. Key, Oscar P. Fitzgerald, Warren A. Candler, Henry C. Morrison.

Rev. P. H. Whisner, Secretary Board of Church Extension, *ex officio* member; Rev. J. O. Branch, South Georgia Conference; Rev. J. H. McLean, North Texas Conference; Rev. R. H. Mahon, Memphis Conference; Rev. Horace Bishop, Northwest Texas Conference; Rev. A. Coke Smith, Virginia Conference; Rev. F. D. Swindell, North Carolina Conference; Rev. W. B. Palmore, Southwest Missouri Conference; Rev. J. D. Scott, West Texas Conference; Rev. J. R. Deering, Kentucky Conference; Rev. W. F. Glenn, North Georgia Conference; Rev. S. H. Babcock, White River Conference; Rev. J. A. Anderson, Arkansas Conference; Thomas D. Fite, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. A. J. Lamar, Alabama Conference; Rev. E. E. Hoss, Holston Conference; Rev. T. L. Mellen, Mississippi Conference; Rev. J. S. Hutchinson, Baltimore Conference; Rev. W. R. Richardson, South Carolina Conference; T. P. Weakley, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. C. W. Carter, Louisiana Conference; Rev. R. K. Brown, Tennessee Conference; Rev. Gross Alexander, Louisville Conference; Rev. C. A. Fulwood, Florida Conference; Rev. S. G. Preston, Western Virginia Conference; W. R. Manier, Nashville, Tenn.

## MISSIONARY ITEMS.

Increase of Christianity in China: In 1842, 6; in 1865, 2,000; in 1877, 13,515; in 1890, 37,287; in 1900, 100,000.

A minister at home touches 740 civilized people; a minister in the foreign field is responsible for an average of 200,000 heathen.

In the United States the people spend \$5,000,000 for foreign missions; \$100,000,000 for Church work; \$400,000,000 for amusements; \$700,000,000 for jewelry and plate; \$300,000,000 for tobacco; and \$1,400,000,000 for liquor!

The Southern Methodist Church had 74 native communicants in the foreign field in 1873; 3,711 in 1887; 10,959 in 1901.

## GENERAL CHURCH STATISTICS.

Number of traveling preachers throughout our connection, 6,227—an increase of 107; local preachers, 5,151—a decrease of 178; members, 1,470,520—an increase of 5,712; infants baptized, 25,661—a decrease of 1,306 over previous year; adults baptized, 46,817—an increase of 3,256; houses of worship, 14,572—an increase of 267; value of same \$23,012,400—an increase of \$1,324,951; parsonages, 3,910—an increase of 96; value of same, \$4,337,078—an increase of \$285,062; presiding elders' districts, 296—a decrease of 2; district parsonages, 152—an increase of 4; value of same, \$296,945—a decrease of \$5,925; raised for Conference Claimants, \$152,742.09—an increase of \$5,893.78; for Church Extension, \$71,126.26—an increase of \$5,735.55; for the American Bible Society, \$9,231.92—a decrease of \$262.43; for Foreign Missions, \$245,224.34—an increase of \$10,267.90; Home Missions, \$155,625.83—an increase of \$9,840.20; paid preachers in charge, \$2,399,965.07—an increase of \$84,904.82; paid Presiding Elders, \$332,897.69—an increase of \$11,196.65; paid Bishops, \$42,260.53—an increase of \$1,978.12.

*Note*—These statistics are for the year ending with March, 1901.

STATISTICS OF THE FOREIGN MISSIONS OF THE BOARD, 1900-1901.

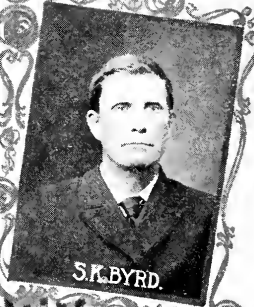
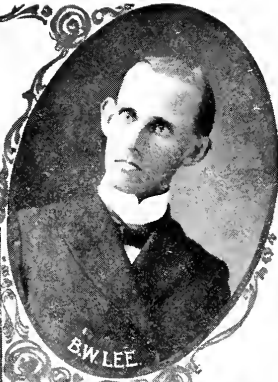
NAME OF MISSION	Missionaries	Wives of Mis-	Native Travel-	Local Preach-	Members	Increase	Sunday Schools	Officers and	Scholars	Epworth	Members	Societies or	Churches En-	Churches En-	Church Build-	Value	Parsonages	Value	Total Value
	tionaries	sionaries	ling Travel-	ers and Other	Members		Schools	Teachers and	Scholars	Leagues	Members	Societies or	Organized	Churches En-	Church Build-	on			of Mission
China	18	15	12	40	957	\$33	24	136	1,920	20	577	19	3	22	\$	18,432	50	\$27,800	\$147,780
Japan	20	13	12	49	688	22	46	81	1,386	2	56	14	2	9		9,429	7	6,269	59,948
Brazil	13	11	12	6	2,785	429	46	155	1,694	3	217	34	7	12		63,850	20	12,500	86,570
Mexico	14	14	60	49	5,788	249	119	428	3,836	52	1,582	156	4	66		100,803	12	87,961	156,874
Korea	4	4	...	11	242	89	2	9	80	...	...	7	...	7		2,345	0	5,500	8,795
Cuba	7	7	4	2	499	100	11	26	695	5	213	10	...	5		19,000	0	1,350	37,840
Total	76	63	100	157	10,959	856	248	835	9,511	82	2,645	240	16	121	\$	213,869	82	\$91,380	\$497,307

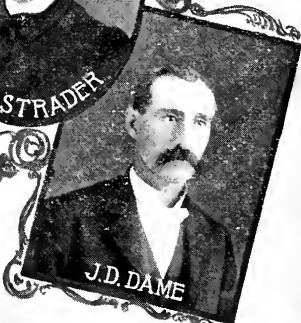
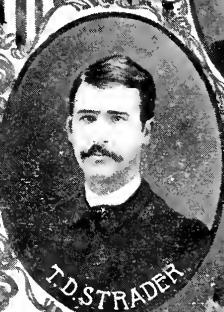
NAME OF MISSION	Boarding	Teachers	Pupils	Day Schools	Teachers	Pupils	School Build-	Value	Hospitals and	Value	Patients	Collections on	Value	Cent-	Value	Value	Value	
	Schools	Teachers	Pupils	Teachers	Pupils	Build-	Value	Dispensaries	Value	Treated	the Field	Cent-	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	
China	2	25	240	5	7	209	5	\$20,358	2	\$	10,995	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Japan	2	...	481	2	...	29	4	44,250	...	...	...	1,145	80	1,650	00	00	00	
Brazil	1	...	78	3	...	100	...	10,000	...	...	...	5,386	46	6,000	00	00	00	
Mexico	1	8	212	1	...	15	1	8,000	1	8,240	775	7,719	96	952	43	43	43	
Korea	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	600	1	600	...	102	07	150	00	00	00	
Cuba	...	...	...	3	8	176	...	...	...	...	...	3,277	92	500	00	00	00	
Total	6	33	1,011	14	15	529	10	\$82,608	4	\$15,040	11,770	\$19,034	88	\$12,252	43	43	43	\$81,287

\* Decrease. NOTE.—Amounts in the table are in United States currency.





HOLSTON  
PREACHERS.



NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF MISSIONARIES EMPLOYED BY THE BOARD OF MISSIONS, M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

NAME OF MISSIONARY	PRESENT ADDRESS	HOME CONFERENCE
<i>China.</i>		
Rev. Y. J. Allen, D.D., LL.D.	Atlanta, Ga. ....	North Georgia.
Rev. A. P. Parker, D. D.	Shanghai, China .....	Missouri.
Rev. George R. Lochr	Elberton, Ga. ....	North Georgia.
Rev. D. L. Anderson	Soochow, China .....	North Georgia.
W. H. Park, M. D.	Nashville, Tenn. ....	North Georgia.
Rev. W. B. Burke	Shanghai, China .....	South Georgia.
Rev. J. L. Hendry	Shanghai, China .....	Texas.
Rev. T. A. Hearn	Arkadelphia, Ark. ....	Little Rock.
Rev. R. A. Parker	Soochow, China .....	Western.
Rev. J. B. Fearn, M. D.	Soochow, China .....	Mississippi.
Rev. E. Pilley	Nashville, Tenn. ....	Northwest Texas.
Rev. W. B. Nance	Soochow, China .....	Tennessee.
Rev. J. W. Cline	Shanghai, China .....	Little Rock.
Rev. H. T. Reed	Shanghai, China .....	Louisville.
Rev. J. A. G. Shipley	Soochow, China .....	Pacific.
Rev. Joseph Whiteside	Soochow, China .....	North Alabama.
John D. Trawick, M. D.	Soochow, China .....	Tennessee.
<i>Japan.</i>		
Mrs. M. I. Lambuth	Nashville, Tenn. ....	Mississippi.
Rev. W. E. Towson	Osaka, Japan .....	Pacific.
Rev. S. H. Wainwright, M.D.	Kobe, Japan .....	Missouri.
Rev. T. W. B. Demaree	Matsuyama, Japan .....	Kentucky.
Rev. B. W. Waters	Hiroshima, Japan .....	Baltimore.
Miss N. B. Gaines	Hiroshima, Japan .....	Florida.
Miss A. D. Bryan	Hillsboro, Texas .....	Tennessee.
Rev. C. B. Moseley	Kobe, Japan .....	Arkansas.
Rev. W. A. Wilson	Sutherland, N. C. ....	Western North Carolina.
Rev. J. T. Meyers	Baltimore, Md. ....	Baltimore.
Rev. C. A. Tague	Sulphur, Ky .....	Kentucky.
Rev. S. E. Hager	Hiroshima, Japan .....	Kentucky.
Rev. W. P. Turner	Uwajima, Japan .....	North Georgia.
Rev. W. J. Callahan	Nakatsu, Japan .....	North Georgia.
Rev. W. R. Weakley	Oita, Japan .....	Missouri.
Rev. T. H. Haden	Kobe, Japan .....	Virginia.
Miss Ida M. Worth	St. Louis, Mo. ....	St. Louis.
Miss Lizzie O. Thomas	Hiroshima, Japan .....	Florida.
Miss Anna Lanius	Hiroshima, Japan .....	Missouri.
Miss Maud Bonnell	Kobe, Japan .....	Indian Mission.
Miss Emma Poteet	Kobe, Japan .....	North Texas.
Mrs. F. C. Macaulay	Hiroshima, Japan .....	Louisville.
<i>Brazil.</i>		
Rev. J. L. Kennedy	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil .....	Holston.
Rev. H. C. Tucker	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil .....	Tennessee.
Rev. J. W. Wolling	Sao Paulo, Brazil .....	South Carolina.
Rev. J. W. Tarboux	Nashville, Tenn. ....	South Carolina.
Rev. E. A. Tilley	Petropolis, Brazil .....	Holston.
Rev. Michael Dickie	Nashville, Tenn. ....	Virginia.
Rev. John M. Lander	Juiz de Fora, Brazil .....	South Carolina.
Rev. J. L. Bruce	Piracicaba, Brazil .....	Virginia.
Rev. E. E. Joiner	Ribeirao Preto, Brazil .....	Louisville.
Rev. W. B. Lee	Juiz de Fora, Brazil .....	North Carolina.
Rev. J. M. Hamilton	Ribeirao Preto, Brazil .....	Brazil.
Rev. J. M. Terrell	Petropolis, Brazil .....	Western North Carolina.
Rev. J. W. Price	Porto Alegre, Brazil .....	Brazil.
<i>Mexico.</i>		
Rev. W. D. King	Monterey, Mexico .....	Los Angeles.
Rev. George B. Winton	San Antonio, Tex. ....	Pacific.
Rev. J. R. Mood	Monterey, Mexico .....	Northwest Texas.
Rev. J. B. Cox	Guadalajara, Mexico .....	West Texas.
Rev. J. W. Grimes	Puebla, Mexico .....	Memphis.
Rev. K. J. Yearwood	San Luis Potosi, Mexico .....	Mexican Border.
Rev. J. F. Corbin	El Paso, Texas .....	West Texas.
Rev. R. C. Elliott	Durango, Mexico .....	West Texas.
Rev. N. E. Joyner	City of Mexico, Mexico .....	Louisiana.
Rev. F. S. Onderdonk	San Luis Potosi, Mexico .....	West Texas.
Rev. J. H. Fitzgerald	Mazatlan, Mexico .....	Western North Carolina.
Rev. Lawrence Reynolds	Nogales, Ariz. ....	North Texas.
Rev. B. G. March	Monterey, Mexico .....	Virginia.
Rev. H. L. Gray	Guadalajara, Mexico .....	North Georgia.
Rev. W. F. Oglesby	Nogales, Arizona .....	Los Angeles.

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF MISSIONARIES—Continued.

NAME OF MISSIONARY	PRESENT ADDRESS	HOME CONFERENCE
<i>Korea.</i>		
Rev. C. F. Reid, D. D. ....	Winchester, Ky .....	Kentucky.
Rev. C. T. Collyer .....	Songdo, Korea .....	Tennessee.
R. A. Hardie, M. D. ....	Wonsan, Korea .....	Canada.
Rev. J. R. Moose .....	Seoul, Korea .....	Western North Carolina.
C. B. Hanson, M. D. ....	Songdo, Korea .....	Southwest Missouri.
C. G. Hounshell .....	Songdo, Korea .....	Holston.
<i>Cuba.</i>		
Rev. H. W. Baker .....	Matanzas, Cuba .....	Florida.
Rev. G. N. MacDonell .....	Havana, Cuba .....	South Georgia.
Rev. D. W. Carter, D. D. ....	Havana, Cuba .....	Holston.
Rev. W. E. Sewell .....	Santa Clara, Cuba .....	Arkansas.
Rev. T. E. Leland .....	Havana, Cuba .....	St. Louis.
Rev. H. W. Penny .....	Santiago, Cuba .....	Florida.
Rev. J. D. Lewis .....	Cienfuegos, Cuba .....	North Georgia.
Rev. E. E. Clements .....	Havana, Cuba .....	Florida.

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

STATISTICS OF ANNUAL CONFERENCES ARRANGED ACCORDING TO PER CENT OF ASSESSMENT PAID.

FOREIGN MISSIONS				DOMESTIC MISSIONS			
CONFERENCE	Assessed	Paid	Per Cent	CONFERENCE	Assessed	Paid	Per Cent
East Texas.....	\$ 4,550	\$ 4,550	00 100	Holston .....	\$ 7,000	\$ 7,000	00 100
Holston.....	10,000	10,000	00 100	New Mexico .....	122	122	00 100
Montana.....	400	400	00 100	East Texas.....	2,492	2,462	00 99
New Mexico.....	500	500	00 100	Northwest Texas.....	10,945	10,280	00 94
Northwest Texas.....	11,000	10,782	55 98	Memphis.....	3,874	3,277	00 85
Western North Carolina.....	14,000	11,700	91 84	Indian Mission.....	2,243	1,887	00 84
North Texas.....	10,600	8,547	10 81	Missouri.....	6,523	5,454	00 84
South Georgia.....	16,000	12,808	61 80	Western North Carolina.....	7,869	6,526	00 83
Virginia.....	22,800	17,504	29 77	South Georgia.....	9,000	7,336	00 82
West Texas.....	3,000	2,299	40 77	North Georgia.....	12,820	10,413	00 81
Indian Mission.....	3,000	2,290	66 76	North Texas.....	7,000	5,676	00 81
North Alabama.....	13,000	9,772	66 75	Tennessee.....	10,014	8,201	00 81
Missouri.....	13,000	9,457	91 73	Texas.....	4,750	3,797	00 80
North Carolina.....	14,400	10,572	81 73	Western.....	291	235	00 80
Baltimore.....	14,500	10,425	27 72	North Alabama.....	6,017	4,695	00 78
Los Angeles.....	1,400	991	09 71	North Carolina.....	9,102	6,983	00 77
Mississippi.....	9,200	6,349	30 69	Southwest Missouri.....	5,422	4,185	00 77
North Georgia.....	24,500	16,803	74 69	Virginia.....	13,500	10,214	00 76
Louisiana.....	9,000	6,131	41 68	Alabama.....	5,038	3,779	00 75
Memphis.....	13,000	8,756	54 67	Los Angeles.....	489	352	00 75
Little Rock.....	8,000	5,240	81 66	Pacific.....	1,500	1,127	00 75
North Mississippi.....	11,000	7,293	55 66	West Texas.....	5,373	4,053	00 75
Florida.....	4,200	2,747	14 65	Little Rock.....	4,742	3,379	00 71
Tennessee.....	19,000	12,413	35 65	North Mississipp .....	3,385	2,407	00 71
Texas.....	5,200	3,389	16 65	White River.....	1,619	1,145	00 71
South Carolina.....	16,000	10,160	80 64	Florida.....	3,435	2,392	00 70
White River.....	4,000	2,479	05 62	Mississippi.....	4,053	2,851	00 70
Alabama.....	16,000	10,745	86 61	Columbia.....	143	98	00 69
St. Louis.....	7,000	4,116	75 59	Baltimore.....	11,050	7,421	00 67
East Columbia.....	600	346	60 58	St. Louis.....	4,000	2,673	00 67
Southwest Missouri.....	9,100	5,281	13 58	South Carolina.....	15,557	9,785	00 63
Western Virginia.....	2,000	1,098	42 55	Louisiana.....	3,413	2,061	00 61
Illinois.....	600	326	75 54	East Columbia.....	230	137	00 60
Pacific.....	2,700	1,361	84 50	Kentucky.....	4,282	2,459	00 57
Kentucky.....	9,300	4,453	47 48	Illinois.....	407	213	00 53
Arkansas.....	4,500	2,034	71 45	Western Virginia.....	2,040	1,089	00 53
Columbia.....	600	257	00 43	Arkansas.....	4,000	1,827	00 46
Western.....	1,300	547	75 42	Louisville.....	7,848	3,366	00 43
Louisville.....	11,800	4,639	06 39				
Denver.....	500	114	40 23				



## GENERAL WOMAN'S BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Mrs. M. D. Wightman, President; Miss Maria L. Gibson, First Vice-President; Mrs. A. W. Wilson, Second Vice-President; Mrs. S. C. Trueheart, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. T. B. Hargrove, Recording Secretary; Mrs. H. N. McTyeire, Treasurer.

*Managers*—Mrs. W. G. E. Cunyningham, Mrs. J. D. Hamilton, Mrs. I. G. John, Mrs. E. C. Dowdell, Mrs. Adam Hendrix, Mrs. W. B. Higginbotham.

## NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF MISSIONARIES EMPLOYED BY THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

MISSIONARY	POST OFFICE	FORMER RESIDENCE
Miss Lochie Rankin	Shanghai, China. Box 143	Milan, Tenn.
Miss Bettie Hughes	At home	Meridian, Miss.
Miss Helen L. Richardson	Shanghai, China	Springfield, Mo.
Miss Minnie Bomar	At home	Marshall, Texas.
Miss Mary M. Tarrant	Shanghai, China	Galveston, Texas.
Miss Ella R. Coffey	Shanghai, China	Lynchburg, Va.
Miss Ella D. Leveritt	Shanghai, China	High Shoals, Ga.
Miss Johnnie Sanders	Shanghai, China	Union, S. C.
Miss Alice G. Waters	Shanghai, China	Murray, Ky.
Miss Lizzie Martin	Shanghai, China	Chapel Hill, N. C.
Miss Emma Gary	At home	Elberton, Ga.
Miss Clara Steger	At home	Mountain Grove, Mo.
Miss Martha Pyle	At home	Roscoe, Mo.
Miss Susie E. Williams	Soochow, China	Los Angeles, Cal.
Miss Margaret Polk	Soochow, China	Perryville, Ky.
Miss Jennie M. Atkinson	Soochow, China	Rock Mills, Ala.
Mrs. Julia Gaither	At home	Oxford, Ga.
Miss Alice Griffith	Mexico	Marion, Ky.
Mrs. J. P. Campbell	Seoul, Korea	San Francisco, Cal.
Miss Fannie Hinds	Seoul, Korea	Mt. Sterling, Ky.
Miss Arrena Carroll	Seoul, Korea	Mt. Crawford, Va.
Miss Sadie Harbaugh	Seoul, Korea	Washington, D. C.
Miss Nannie E. Holding	Laredo, Texas. Box 98.	Somerser, Ky.
Miss Delia Holding	Laredo, Texas	Somerser, Ky.
Mrs. A. E. McClendon	Laredo, Texas	West Point, Ga.
Miss Edith Park	Laredo, Texas	Galveston, Texas.
Miss Hardynia Norville	Mexico City, Mexico	Livingston, Ala.
Miss Annie Churchill	Mexico City, Mexico	Georgetown, Texas.
Miss Fannie B. Moling	Laredo, Texas	McFall, Mo.
Miss Rebecca Toland	San Luis Potosi, Mexico	Chapel Hill, Texas.
Miss Viola Blackburn	San Luis Potosi, Mexico	Holly Springs, Miss.
Miss Lelia Roberts	Salttillo, Mexico	Palo Alto, Texas.
Miss Lela McNemar	Salttillo, Mexico	Edwards, Miss.
Miss Lizzie Wilson	Chihuahua, Mexico	Newport, Ky.
Miss Lucy C. Harper	Chihuahua, Mexico	Georgetown, Texas.
Miss Esther Case	Guadalajara, Mexico	Batesville, Ark.
Miss Laura V. Wright	Guadalajara, Mexico	Baltimore, Md.
Miss Kate C. McFarren	Durango, Mexico	Durango, Mexico.
Miss Ellie B. Tydings	Durango, Mexico	Anthony, Fla.
Miss May Umberger	Petropolis, Brazil	Wytheville, Va.
Miss M. H. Watts	At home	Louisville, Ky.
Miss Lavona Glenn	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	Conyers, Ga.
Miss Willie Bowman	At home	St. Louis, Mo.
Miss Amelia Elerding	Sao Paulo, Brazil	Naperville, Ill.
Miss Eliza Perkinson	At home	Salisbury, Mo.
Miss Ida Shaffer	Juiz de Fora, Brazil	Carrollton, Mo.
Miss Clara B. Fullerton	Juiz de Fora, Brazil	Louisville, Ky.
Miss Mary T. Pescud	Porto Alegre, Brazil	Raleigh, N. C.
Miss Lily Stradley	Piracicaba, State of Sao Paulo, Brazil.	Hiwassee College, Tenn.
Miss Leonora D. Smith	Ribeirao Preto, Brazil. Caixa 166.	Eclectic, Ala.
Miss E. Davis	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	Warren Plains, N. C.
Miss Hattie G. Carson	Havana, Cuba	Savannah, Ga.
Miss Sue Ford	Havana, Cuba	Paris, Ky.
Miss M. E. Cessna	Havana, Cuba	Utica, Miss.

## STATISTICS OF THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

NAME OF MISSION	Stations	Missionaries	Wives of Missionaries	Teachers and Native Helpers	Boarding Schools	Pupils in Boarding Schools	Christian Pupils	Day Schools	Pupils in Day Schools	Christian Pupils	Total Christian Pupils	Total Pupils	School Buildings Owned by Board
China .....	5	17	6	52	5	159	66	39	944	60	126	1,103	7
Brazil .....	1	12	.....	37	.....	253	51	6	144	.....	51	397	2
Mexico .....	1	19	.....	59	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	268	3,006	6
Korea .....	2	4	1	.....	.....	30	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	30	2
Cuba .....	.....	3	.....	6	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	75	.....
Indian Territory .....	1	.....	.....	10	1	125	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	2
Total .....	24	55	7	164	18	567	117	62	1,088	60	445	4,736	19

NAME OF MISSION	Rented Buildings	Kindergartens	Scholarships	Bible Colleges	Value	Bible Women	Hospitals	Value	Patients Treated	Total Value of Mission Property
China .....	.....	.....	107	2	.....	36	2	\$12,500	1,362	\$70,000 00
Brazil .....	7	2	3	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	75,000 00
Mexico .....	.....	2	45	.....	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	165,000 00
Korea .....	1	.....	24	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	5,000 00
Cuba .....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Indian Territory .....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,500 00
Total .....	8	4	185	2	.....	65	2	\$12,500	1,362	*\$400,500 00

HOME WORK.—Conference Societies, 35; districts, 270; auxiliaries, 3,420; members, 72,524; life members, 4,800; subscribers to *Woman's Missionary Advocate*, 11,559; subscribers to *Little Worker*, 8,632.

The receipts of the Woman's Board amount to \$82,718.96, to which must be added the Twentieth Century offering of \$35,988.66, making a sum total of \$118,707.62.

\* Includes value of Scarritt Bible and Training School, \$75,000.

## GENERAL WOMAN'S BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS.

*Officers*—Miss Belle H. Bennett, Richmond, Ky., President; Mrs. J. D. Hammond, Nashville, Tenn., First Vice-President; Mrs. F. B. Carroll, Georgetown, Tex., Second Vice-President; Mrs. R. W. MacDonell, Nashville, Tenn., General Secretary; Mrs. W. D. Kirkland, Nashville, Tenn., General Treasurer; Miss Emily M. Allen, Macon, Ga., Recording Secretary.

*Editors*—Miss Mary Helm, Editor and Agent of *Our Homes*; Mrs. Gross Alexander, Nashville, Tenn., Editor of *Leaflets*.

*Superintendents of Departments*—Department of Mountain Work, Miss Belle H. Bennett, Richmond, Ky., Superintendent; Department of Cuban Work, Miss M. W. Bruce, Key West, Fla., Superintendent; Department of Supplies, Mrs. J. H. Yarbrough, Nashville, Tenn., Superintendent; Department of Tithing, Mrs. W. C. Ratcliffe, 2309 S. Clarkson St., Denver, Colo., Superintendent; Department of Chinese and Japanese Work on the Pacific Coast, Mrs. Ivy D. Ostrom, Superintendent; Mrs. W. H. Johnson, Financial Agent of the Dallas Mission Home, Dallas, Texas.

*Calendar*—Week of Prayer, October 6-13; Twentieth Century Educational Day, February 6, 1901; Fourth Annual Board Meeting, Richmond, Virginia.

MISSIONARIES AND TEACHERS OF THE WOMAN'S HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

Missionary.	P. O. Address.	Missionary.	P. O. Address.
Miss Mary Bruce	Key West, Fla.	Mrs. Chamberlain	Alameda, Cal.
Miss Maud Fisher	Key West, Fla.	Mrs. Anna Wolfskill	Los Angeles, Cal.
Miss R. L. Ford	Key West, Fla.	Mrs. E. Jackson	Los Angeles, Cal.
Miss Flora Dodd	Key West, Fla.	Mrs. E. Putnam	Los Angeles, Cal.
Miss Cornelia Godby	Key West, Fla.	Mrs. J. Hill	Los Angeles, Cal.
Miss Sealey	Key West, Fla.	Mrs. Fannie Phillips	Los Angeles, Cal.
Miss Crow	Key West, Fla.	Miss Pearl Putnam	Los Angeles, Cal.
Miss Ross	Key West, Fla.	Miss Eva Jessup	Los Angeles, Cal.
Miss Bertha Keithly	Key West, Fla.	Miss Clara Jessup	Los Angeles, Cal.
Miss Rosa Valdes	Tampa, Fla.	Miss Eva Hendrick	Nashville, Tenn.
Miss Emelina Valdes	Tampa, Fla.	Mrs. Sylvester Booth	Nashville, Tenn.
Miss Todd	Tampa, Fla.	Miss May Lockard	Kansas City, Mo.
Prof. J. C. Lewis	London, Ky.	Miss Mary Oglevie	Norfolk, Va.
Mr. J. I. Carnahan	London, Ky.	Miss Nettie B. Hathom	Fort Worth, Tex.
Miss Florence Campbell	London, Ky.	Mrs. E. T. Dupree	Houston, Tex.
Miss E. Beaumont	London, Ky.	Miss Mary Moore	Dallas, Tex.
Miss Lily Litton	London, Ky.	Miss Louisa Mathews	Dallas, Tex.
Miss Emily Vail	London, Ky.	Miss L. Meekin	New Orleans, La.
Miss Frances McIntyre	London, Ky.	Miss Anna Philipbar	Macon, Ga.
Miss Jessie Parker	London, Ky.	Mrs. E. M. Evans	Atlanta, Ga.
Mrs. Ivy D. Ostrom	San Francisco, Cal.	Miss Rosa Lowe	Kansas City, Mo.
Mrs. Anna Bane	Oakland, Cal.	Mr. A. M. Ireland	San Antonio, Tex.
Mrs. M. J. Newcum	Oakland, Cal.	Miss Mattie Wright	Waco, Tex.

RECEIPTS.

CONFERENCE	Dues	Specials	Loan Funds	Educational Endowment Fund	City Missions	Total
Alabama	\$ 344 38	\$ 362 42		\$ 10 00		\$ 716 80
Arkansas	30 58	4 60			\$ 1 00	36 18
Baltimore	647 58	870 33				1,517 91
Columbia	175 82	107 18	\$ 5 00			288 00
Denver	124 00	50 42				174 42
East Columbia	27 75					27 75
East Texas	428 47	1,144 49	5 00	20 00	256 40	1,854 36
Florida	771 33	825 32	35 00	35 00	9 05	1,675 70
Holston	1,000 29	962 62		15 00		1,977 91
Indian Mission	685 55	370 83		5 00		1,061 38
Kentucky	554 48	1,037 36	30 00	10 00		1,631 84
Little Rock	587 56	674 82	27 50	5 00	39 80	1,334 68
Los Angeles	228 30	153 33			86 85	468 48
Louisiana	469 09	1,024 11	65 00	5 00	1,020 66	2,583 86
Louisville	678 11	1,234 77		5 00		1,917 88
Memphis	495 63	464 39		5 00		965 02
Mississippi	300 20	392 68	5 00			697 88
Missouri	481 05	244 07	21 00	16 00		762 12
Montana	111 38	54 30		5 00		170 68
New Mexico	164 85	161 40				326 25
North Alabama	412 95	436 07		13 60	7 25	869 87
North Carolina	236 41	313 01		5 00		554 42
North Georgia	1,087 41	1,769 47	25 00	11 00	733 43	3,626 31
North Mississippi	400 80	851 28		50 00		1,302 08
North Texas	1,020 73	2,104 51	35 00	75 00	1,208 04	4,443 28
Northwest Texas	1,285 92	1,496 42		13 00	468 40	3,263 74
Pacific	329 81	139 82	5 00	5 00		479 63
South Carolina	389 97	319 98	5 00	10 00		724 95
South Georgia	578 62	465 15			581 48	1,625 25
Southwest Missouri	605 32	688 41		5 00	605 00	1,903 73
St. Louis	668 03	558 80	85 00	15 00		1,326 83
Tennessee	903 57	2,668 63	60 00	10 00	962 50	4,604 70
Texas	373 15	344 50			81 10	798 75
Virginia	739 99	679 71		10 00	49 10	1,478 80
West Texas	388 89	267 75		10 00	127 70	794 34
Western	79 30	30 57				109 87
Western North Carolina	84 90	22 86		5 00		112 76
Western Virginia	113 82	113 85				227 67
White River	210 85	207 91	5 00	5 00		428 76
From other sources						5,622 09
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$18,216 84</b>	<b>\$23,618 14</b>	<b>\$413 50</b>	<b>\$378 00</b>	<b>\$6,237 76</b>	<b>\$54,486 93</b>

## RECAPITULATION.

Amount received from Dues .....	\$18,216 84
Amount received from Specials.....	23,618 14
Amount received from Loan Funds.....	413 50
Amount received from Educational Endowment Fund .....	378 60
Amount received from City Missions.....	6,237 76
Amount received from other sources .....	5,622 09
Total amount received this year.....	\$54,486 98
Balance on hand April 1, 1900.....	1,531 15
Grand total.....	\$56,018 08
Amount disbursed.....	52,867 79
Balance on hand April 1, 1901.....	\$ 3,150 29

MRS. W. D. KIRKLAND, *General Treasurer.*

## STATISTICS FROM 1886 TO 1901.

Number of members .....	24,712
Receipts for connectional work .....	\$223,761 00
Receipts for local work .....	358,880 00
Total receipts .....	582,641 00
Number of parsonages built and aided .....	1,147
Money donated to parsonages .....	\$107,385 23
Money loaned to parsonages .....	31,625 00
Value of supplies distributed outside of receipts above stated... ..	36,784 52
Number of boarding and day schools supported .....	4
Number of night schools supported .....	4
Number of pupils enrolled .....	1,000
Number of teachers employed .....	32
Number of city mission boards .....	11
Number of Rescue Homes and Doors of Hope .....	3
Number of missionaries employed .....	14

## STATISTICS FOR 1900-1901.

The Society built during the year 1900-1901 more than two parsonages a week. East of the Mississippi river there are 2,985 charges; 727 are still to be supplied with parsonages. West of the Mississippi River there are 1,864 charges; 371 are still to be supplied.

Total number of members, March 31, 1901 .....

Teachers and missionaries employed .....

Sent the past year 229 boxes of supplies; goods valued at \$9,289.57. Total names on the Baby Roll, 5,159. City mission work was carried on in twelve cities. Last year there was \$6,237.76 passed through the general treasury for the maintenance of this work. Total receipts of the general treasury for all purposes amounted to \$54,486.93.

*Whites*—Mountain school. Sue Bennett Memorial School, London, Ky. Total number enrolled, 282. Income from fees, \$3,300. Principal and 8 teachers.

*Cubans*—Three schools. Ybor City, West Tampa, and Key West. Eight teachers and four assistants. Total number enrolled, 442.

*Chinese and Japanese Schools*—Four night schools. Eleven teachers and one Chinese minister. Total number enrolled, 366.

*Dallas Mission Home*—The Home will accommodate 40 inmates. It is always full, and many are turned away. It has two teachers.

## VALUE OF PROPERTY OWNED BY THE SOCIETY.

School for Cubans, at Tampa, Fla .....	\$ 8,000
Sue Bennett Memorial School, at London, Ky .....	25,000
Rescue Home, at Dallas, Texas .....	15,000
Ruth Hargrove Institute, at Key West, Fla .....	11,000
	\$59,000
Industrial Home and School, at Greeneville, Tenn .....	\$ 7,000
San Antonio Mission Home, San Antonio, Texas .....	12,000—
Grand total .....	\$78,000

## GENERAL BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

Presley Meguiar, President, Louisville, Ky.; R. B. Gilbert, M. D., Vice-President, Louisville, Ky.; Rev. P. H. Whisner, D. D., Corresponding Secretary, Louisville, Ky.; John Ouerbacker, Treasurer, Louisville, Ky.; †Rev. W. T. Harris, Jackson, Tenn., Rev. C. I. Vandever, St. Joseph, Mo., John L. Wheat, Esq., Louisville, Ky., Rev. M. H. Neely, White-wright, Tex., Rev. S. H. Hosmer, Greensboro, Ala., Rev. John W. Lewis, Louisville, Ky., T. L. Jefferson, Esq., Louisville, Ky., T. S. Garrison, Esq., Timpson, Tex., Rev. J. D. Harper, Alexandria, La., Rev. W. T. Lewis, Columbus, Miss., P. H. Tapp, Esq., Louisville, Ky., W. F. Barclay, Esq., Louisville, Ky.

## 1882. REPORT OF PROGRESS. 1901.

Total Receipts from beginning to March 31, 1900	\$1,322,090 52	
Total Receipts for year ending March 31, 1901.	122,539 68	\$1,444,630 20

The receipts were from the following sources:

## I. ANNUAL COLLECTIONS.

(Less \$5,516.89 transferred to Morton Loan Fund.)

From the beginning to March 31, 1900	.....\$ 879,315 75	
During the year ending March 31, 1901*.	67,935 28	\$ 947,251 03

## II. SPECIAL DONATIONS, ETC.

From the beginning to March 31, 1900	.....\$ 42,668 13	
During the year ending March 31, 1901	..... 7,208 36	49,876 49

## III. CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOAN FUNDS.

From the beginning to March 31, 1900	.....\$ 147,394 82	
During the year ending March 31, 1901	..... 4,539 24	151,934 06

## IV. INTEREST ON LOANS.

From the beginning to March 31, 1900	.....\$.. 49,098 48	
During the year ending March 31, 1901	..... 5,530 35	54,628 83

## V. MISCELLANEOUS SOURCES.

From the beginning to March 31, 1900	.....\$ 5,853 56	
During the year ending March 31, 1901	..... 363 53	6,217 09

Total original receipts to March 31, 1901	.....	\$1,209,907 50
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## VI. COLLECTIONS ON LOANS, ETC.

From the beginning to March 31, 1900	.....\$ 190,240 30	
During the year ending March 31, 1901	..... 36,662 92	226,903 22

## VII. DONATIONS REFUNDED BY CHURCHES.

From the beginning to March 31, 1900	.....\$ 7,519 48	
During the year ending March 31, 1901	..... 300 00	7,819 48

Grand total	.....	\$1,444,630 20
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## CHURCHES AIDED, 1882-1901.

1,103 By the General Board to March 31, 1901	.....\$ 781,455 00	
4,201 By the Conference Boards to March 31, 1901	.....	467,794 00

5,304 Less 565 aided by both Boards, leaving net 4,739.	.....	\$1,249,249 00
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†Deceased. \*Advance payments on Nineteenth Assessment, \$120, inclusive.

## GENERAL BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The members of the Board are elected quadrennially by the General Conference, and vacancies are filled by the Board.

Bishop C. B. Galloway, President, Jackson, Miss.; Bishop E. R. Hendrix, Vice-President, Kansas City, Mo.; Chancellor J. H. Kirkland, Recording Secretary and Treasurer, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. J. D. Hammond, Corresponding Secretary, Nashville, Tenn.; W. W. Smith, R. J. Bigham, J. C. Kilgo, R. E. Crockett, W. B. Murrah, W. H. LaPrade, H. N. Snyder, John Massey, R. S. Hyer, A. C. Millar, J. P. Strother, E. B. Prettyman.

*Commission on Education*—Appointed by the College of Bishops at the General Conference in Baltimore, May 23, 1898: James H. Carlisle, \*W. M. Baskervill, \*Morgan Callaway, Sr., J. A. Kern, W. P. Few, E. B. Craighead, H. C. Pritchett, \*J. O. Keener, Edward Mays, Eugene H. Pearce.

\*Deceased.

Number of schools and colleges in our connection, 147; an increase of 8; teachers, 1,126, an increase of 93; pupils, 17,205, an increase of 2,429; endowment, \$2,890,515, an increase of \$569,155; value of property, \$5,698,950, an increase of \$355,437.

## 20th CENTURY FUND.

FROM OCTOBER 1, 1898, TO JULY 22, 1901.

Subscription.	Subscription.
Alabama Conference .....	South Carolina Conference...\$ 62,000 00
Arkansas Conference .....	South Georgia Conference.... 39,014 79
Baltimore Conference .....	Southwest Missouri Confer-
Brazil Mission Conference ...	ence .....
China Mission Conference ...	51,680 08
Cuba Mission .....	St. Louis Conference..... 108,190 00
East Columbia Conference....	Tennessee Conference .....
East Texas Conference .....	23,000 00
Florida Conference .....	Virginia Conference .....
German Mission Conference..	78,803 19
Holston Conference .....	West Texas Conference.....
Illinois Conference .....	6,608 70
Indian Mission Conference...	90 15
Japan Mission Conference....	Western Conference .....
Kentucky Conference .....	Western North Carolina Con-
Korea Mission .....	ference .....
Little Rock Conference.....	41,773 50
Louisiana Conference .....	Western Virginia Conference
Louisville Conference .....	16,000 00
Memphis Conference .....	White River Conference .....
Mexico Conferences .....	36,773 09
Mississippi Conference .....	Undistributed amounts from
Missouri Conference .....	three Conferences in Ar-
Montana Conference .....	kansas:
New Mexico Conference .....	For three Hendrix College
North Alabama Conference ..	Academies .....
North Carolina Conference...	35,000 00
North Georgia Conference...	Cash on old Hendrix College
North Mississippi Conference.	subscriptions .....
North Texas Conference .....	12,000 00
Northwest Texas Conference.	Woman's Foreign Missionary
Pacific Conference .....	Society's Thank Offering....
	40,000 00
	Woman's Home Mission Soci-
	ety's Thank Offering.....
	21,200 34
	Subscription at New Orleans,
	April 28, for Soochow Uni-
	versity .....
	50,150 00
	Foreign Board .....
	54,157 00
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## GENERAL SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

Rev. Jas. Atkins, D. D., Chairman, and Editor of Sunday School periodicals, Nashville, Tenn.; J. R. Pepper, Memphis, Tenn.; B. M. Washburn, Montgomery, Ala.; Robert Magruder, Baltimore, Md.; J. O. Willson, Greenville, S. C.; B. M. Burgher, Dallas, Texas.

Number of Sunday Schools in our connection, 13,903—a decrease of 37; teachers, 101,399—a decrease of 1,324; pupils, 853,751—an increase of 4,650.

## GENERAL EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.

Bishop Warren A. Candler, President; Rev. J. W. Newman, First Vice-President; Rev. W. T. McClure, Second Vice-President; Rev. J. M. Barcus, Third Vice-President; Rev. H. M. DuBose, General Secretary, and Editor of *Era*; O. W. Patton, Treasurer; Rev. W. F. McMurray, Rev. E. H. Rawlings, Rev. Sterling Fisher, Rev. J. C. Brown, T. B. King, N. E. Harris, R. E. Allison, J. H. Hineman.

Number of Epworth Leagues throughout our connection, 3,399—an increase of 17; members, 120,236—an increase of 488.

## GENERAL BOOK COMMITTEE.

Rev. Collins Denny, Chairman, Nashville, Tenn.; J. D. Hamilton, Secretary, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. R. A. Young, Nashville; Rev. J. M. Mason, Auburn, Ala.; E. C. Reeves, Esq., Johnson City, Tenn.; J. A. Odell, Esq., Greensboro, N. C.; Rev. Jas. Campbell, Waco, Texas; Thos. D. Fite, Nashville, Tenn.; W. C. Kendricks, Louisville, Ky.; J. B. Morgan, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. Paul Whitehead, Richmond, Va.; Rev. R. A. Child, Major R. W. Millsaps, Jackson, Miss.

## VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY.

1. The Academic, embracing Classical, Scientific, and Postgraduate courses, and leading to the usual literary degrees.
2. The Engineering, embracing courses in Civil, Mechanical, Mining and Electrical Engineering and Metallurgy, and leading to corresponding degrees.
3. The Biblical, embracing the English and Classical courses, and leading to the degree of B.D.
4. The Law, covering two years, and leading to degree of LL.B.
5. The Dental, covering three years, and leading to the degree of D.D.S.
6. The Medical, covering four years, and leading to the degree of M.D.
7. The Pharmaceutical, covering two years, and leading to the degree of Ph.C.

## DIRECTORY OF OUR CONNECTIONAL OFFICERS.

Bishop J. C. Keener* .....	Carrollton .....	Louisiana.
Bishop A. W. Wilson .....	Baltimore (2412 Mad. Av.) .....	Maryland.
Bishop J. C. Granbery .....	Ashland .....	Virginia.
Bishop R. K. Hargrove .....	Nashville (West End) .....	Tennessee.
Bishop W. W. Duncan .....	Spartanburg .....	South Carolina.
Bishop C. B. Galloway .....	Jackson .....	Mississippi.
Bishop E. R. Hendrix .....	Kansas City .....	Missouri.
Bishop J. S. Key .....	Sherman .....	Texas.
Bishop O. P. Fitzgerald .....	Nashville .....	Tennessee.
Bishop W. A. Candler .....	Atlanta .....	Georgia.
Bishop H. C. Morrison .....	Louisville .....	Kentucky.
Rev. J. D. Barbee, D. D. ....	Book Agent .....	Nashville.
Mr. D. M. Smith .....	Book Agent .....	Nashville.
Rev. E. E. Hoss, D. D., LL. D. ....	Editor <i>Christian Advocate</i> .....	Nashville.
Rev. J. J. Tigert, D. D., I.L. D. ....	Book Editor .....	Nashville.
Rev. James Atkins, D. D. ....	Sunday School Editor .....	Nashville.
Rev. H. M. DuBose, D. D. ....	Editor <i>Era</i> and League Sec. ....	Nashville.
Rev. W. R. Lambuth, D. D., M. D. ....	Missionary Secretary .....	Nashville.
Rev. J. H. Pritchett, D. D. ....	Missionary Secretary .....	Nashville.
Rev. P. H. Whisner, D. D. ....	Secretary Church Extension .....	Louisville, Ky.
Rev. J. D. Hammond, D. D. ....	Secretary of Education .....	Nashville.
Mr. J. D. Hamilton .....	Missionary Treasurer .....	Nashville.

\*Retired at his own request.

## CONFERENCES.

*The General Conference*, our law-making body, which meets every four years, shall be composed of one clerical member for every forty-eight members of each Annual Conference, and an equal number of lay members. Of the lay members elected, one may be a local preacher. The clerical representatives shall be elected by clerical members of the Annual Conference, and the lay representatives by lay members.

*The Annual Conference* is composed of all the traveling preachers in full connection with it, and four lay representatives—one of whom may be a local preacher—from each presiding elder's district. The lay members are elected by the laymen of each District Conference. Such members must be twenty-five years of age, and they must have been members of the Church for six years.

*The District Conference* shall be composed of all the preachers, traveling and local, of the district, the recording stewards of the same, and of laymen, the number of whom, and manner of appointment, each Annual Conference may decide for itself. In compliance with this provision, the Holston Conference, in session at Abingdon, Va., in 1879, fixed the ratio at one delegate for every eighty laymen, to be elected by the Quarterly Conference of the several pastoral charges embraced in the said district; provided, that no charge shall be entitled to more than eight, nor denied a less number than four, delegates. The District Conference meets annually.

*The Quarterly Conference* shall be composed of all the traveling and local preachers, including superannuated preachers residing within the circuit or station (whether without or within the limits of the Annual Conferences to which they belong), with the exhorters, stewards, trustees who are members of the Church, and class-leaders, of the respective circuits, stations, and missions, together with superintendents of Sunday-schools who are members of the Church, secretaries of Church Conferences, presidents of Senior Epworth Leagues, if eligible, and none others.

*The Church Conference* consists of all the members of a particular charge, or class, with resident members of the Annual Conference. It should meet once a month on stations, once a quarter on circuits.





# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

## FIRST DAY.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9, 1901.

OPENING SESSION.—The Holston Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, met in its seventy-eighth annual session at Church Street Church, Knoxville, Tenn., October 9, at 9 a. m., with Bishop E. R. Hendrix in the chair. The devotional service was conducted by Bishop Hendrix, after which the secretary of last year called the roll chronologically, and the following members answered to their names:

R. M. Hickey, W. H. Bates, R. N. Price, J. S. Kennedy, Frank Richardson, Jas. Mahoney, E. W. Moore, J. R. Payne, H. C. Neal, J. T. Frazier, J. S. W. Neel, K. C. Atkins, D. H. Carr, L. L. H. Carlock, G. D. French, T. R. Handy, W. C. Carden, R. E. Smith, J. P. Dickey, J. A. Bilderback, S. T. M. McPherson, J. W. Smith, J. M. Wolfe, J. I. Cash, S. S. Weatherly, W. W. Hicks, J. A. Lyons, J. W. Carnes, J. R. Walker, R. A. Owen, G. A. Maiden, G. W. Summers, Eugene Blake, R. A. Kelly, R. G. Waterhouse, G. W. Jackson, J. L. Prater, D. McCracken, J. E. Naff, L. M. Cartright, S. S. Catron, H. C. Clemens, R. T. McDowell, T. C. Shuler, J. O. Straley, J. E. Bruce, J. W. Browning, R. F. Jackson, W. M. Dyer, J. A. Burrow, E. F. Kahle, R. S. Umberger, A. B. Hunter, J. C. Orr, E. H. Cassidy, J. A. H. Shuler, W. R. Snider, W. S. Neighbors, D. V. York, W. L. Jones, J. A. L. Perkins, J. C. Maness, C. W. Kelley, J. A. Duvall, S. E. Houk, John Woolsey, J. E. Lowry, S. D. Long, T. J. Eskridge, I. P. Martin, C. L. Stradley, I. N. Munsey, E. L. Addington, J. B. Carnes, C. R. Brown, J. E. Swecker, T. D. Strader, W. E. Bailey, B. C. Horton, E. W. Mort, W. I. Fogleman, M. P. Carico, G. M. Moreland, G. B. Draper, J. M. Maiden, J. D. McAlister, J. W. W. Shuler, J. F. Hash, D. P. Hurley, J. W. Perry, J. S. French, E. S. Bettis, J. A. Baylor, J. D. Dame, J. W. Taylor, E. N. Woodward, C. E. Steele, W. L. Sorrell, A. N. Jackson, J. A. Duncan, C. O. Jones, D. E. Hawk, M. J. Wysor, W. M. Morrell, J. M. Carter, S. B. Vaught, James W. Repass, R. K. Sutherland, Frank Jackson, R. M. Walker, Alonzo Monk, J. H. Summitt, W. R. Barnett, J. E. Hughes, J. B. Ward, S. W. Bourne, H. A. True, S. N. Barker, R. A. Hutsell, J. E. Wolfe, J. A. Early, W. C. Hicks, J. W. Christian, E. A. Shugart, J. A. Ellison, Joseph Buie, W. W. Newberry, M. J. Butcher, Joseph W. Repass, J. W. Rader, J. F. Jones, W. C. Faris, T. E. Weaver, W. P. Buhrman, C. A. Beard, T. S. Johnson, J. T. Guy, B. W. Lee, J. C. Cook.

*Lay Delegates*—J. R. McCulloch, Rev. G. M. Johnston, J. H. Barnett, W. A. Ward, J. W. Hicks, M. F. Neel, E. W. Franklin, E. H. Umberger, J. N. Huntsman, J. L. Jarman, R. T. McConnell, Rev. T. P. Summers, R. W. Trent, T. J. Bondurant, J. W. Gaut, Rev. A. M. Tomlinson, F. P. Dickey, J. L. Brown, J. M. Cantrel, Creed F. Bates, W. G. M. Thomas, W. B. Stewart, W. B. Allen.

ORGANIZATION.—J. A. Burrow was re-elected secretary, with J. S. French, assistant, and B. C. Horton, C. L. Stradley, J. L. Brown and J. H. Barnett, statistical secretaries. The Confer-

ence bar was fixed at inside of fourth window from the pulpit. The hour for meeting was fixed at 8:30 a. m. ; for adjournment, 12.

VISITORS.—Dr. J. D. Barbee, of our Publishing House, Rev. W. M. Egerton, of the First Baptist Church, of Knoxville, and Rev. W. T. Rogers, of the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Knoxville, were introduced to the Conference.

PAPERS READ.—Annual reports from the Publishing House, the Board of Missions, and the Board of Education were read and referred to their proper Conference Boards.

TRANSFERS.—Question 6—“Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?” I. S. Hopkins, from the St. Louis Conference; H. S. Hamilton, from the North Alabama Conference.

THE VETERANS.—Question 20: “Are all of the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?” The following persons passed examination of character, and were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuated relation: J. H. Brunner, J. R. Payne, Wm. Robeson, L. C. Delashmit, A. E. Woodward, J. W. Belt, R. M. Hickey, J. N. Hobbs, Jacob Smith, W. H. Bates, L. K. Haynes, W. H. Kelly, J. A. Darr, C. K. Miller, W. P. Doane, M. P. Swaim, J. D. Hickson, J. S. Kennedy, J. M. Romans, A. D. Stewart, J. R. Stradley, W. H. Dawn, W. R. Barnett, F. M. Grace, J. W. Robertson, W. D. Mitchell, Jas. Mahoney, E. S. Bettis, J. E. Bruce, C. M. James. Tender talks were made by some of these brethren. An appropriate letter from Dr. F. M. Grace was read.

J. A. Duvall passed examination of character, and was left effective.

The following persons passed examination of character, and were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations, for the supernumerary relation: J. B. Davis, John Boring, M. L. Clendenen, C. R. Brown, P. P. Kinser, B. F. Nuckolls, A. Kincaid, G. W. Jackson, J. C. Maness.

W. H. Price and J. H. Parrott passed examination of character and were left effective.

PUBLIC WORSHIP.—The Committee on Public Worship made the following announcements: Preaching at Church Street this afternoon at 3 o'clock by M. D. Mitchell; at 7 p. m., by Dr. J. D. Barbee; at Highland Avenue, 7:30 p. m., by J. T. Frazier; at Fountain City, 7:30 p. m., by J. E. Wolfe.

PASSAGE OF CHARACTER.—Question 20—“Are all of the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?” The following presiding elders passed examination of character, and made report of their districts: T. C. Shuler, T. R. Handy, G. A. Maiden, E. F. Kahle, J. E. Naff, L. M. Cartright, S. D. Long, J. A. Burrow, F. Richardson, E. H. Cassidy.

The following preachers in charge passed examination of character, and most of them made brief report of their work:

W. L. Sorrell, B. C. Horton, J. I. Cash, J. D. McAlister, J. F. Hash, R. A. Hutsell, J. D. Dame, J. A. H. Shuler, W. L. Patton, D. C. Clendenen, D. McCracken, J. R. Hunter, J. W. Taylor, D. E. Hawk, J. A. L. Perkins, J. E. Swecker, J. E. Lowry, J. E. Hughes, J. M. Wolfe, J. C. Runyan, W. R. Snider, D. Sullins, D. W. Carter, J. O. Straley, J. A. Early, J. W. Perry, W. M. Morrell, S. S. Catron, G. M. Moreland, J. C. Bays, J. H. Summitt, C. E. Bower, W. C. Faris, K. C. Atkins, H. C. Neal, C. O. Jones, G. W. Summers, J. M. Carter, J. W. W. Shuler, W. W. Newberry, D. V. York, R. G. Waterhouse, S. N. Barker, W. M. Dyer.

E. N. Woodward passed examination of character, and was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation.

VISITOR.—Rev. G. B. Winton, a member of the Mexican Border Mission Conference, was introduced, and made a few remarks.

After announcements the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Hendrix.

## SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, OCT. 10, 1901.

The Conference convened at 8:30 a. m., with Bishop Hendrix in the chair. The devotional service was a very helpful and instructive Bible reading by Bishop Hendrix on the parable of the sower, found in the eighth chapter of Luke. A church nearly full of people listened with eager attention to the reading. Dr. Sullins led in prayer. The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved. The roll call of absentees showed the following arrivals:

John Boring, L. C. Delashmit, W. P. Doane, Jacob Smith, C. T. Carroll, E. E. Hoss, J. H. Parrott, J. C. Runyan, J. H. Keith, E. H. Bogle, D. S. Hearon, J. C. Bays, F. Alexander, S. H. Hall, J. B. Simpson, G. W. Presley, A. H. Tow, J. N. Hobbs, W. L. Patton, M. D. Mitchell, C. E. Painter, T. F. McCary, J. B. Frazier.

Laymen—M. H. Jackson, R. S. McDade, G. E. Penn, H. B. Graham, W. R. Reeves, J. C. Simmons, A. P. Mitchell, J. A. East. W. G. Lenoir takes the place of I. J. Stamper from the Cleveland District.

Further roll call was dispensed with.

FRATERNAL.—The following note of fraternity was read:

*Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 9, 1901.*

Tennessee Christian Missionary Convention in session at the Park Avenue Christian Church sends Christian Greeting, praying God's blessing and guidance upon you. Read Jude, 24-25.

LOUIS D. RIDDELL, *Sec.*

The secretary was directed to return suitable response of appreciation and fraternity.

MISCELLANEOUS.—The annual reports of Dr. P. H. Whisner, Secretary of Church Extension, and Dr. H. M. Dubose, Secretary of the Epworth League, were read, and referred to the appropriate Conference Boards.

Dr. P. H. Whisner, Secretary of Church Extension; Dr. J. H. Pritchett, Missionary Secretary, and Rev. Mr. Murray, of Bell Avenue Baptist Church, Knoxville, were introduced to the Conference.

ADMITTED.—Question 1—"Who are admitted on trial?" The following persons, having been recommended by their respective District Conferences, and having passed examination on the prescribed course of studies, and having been recommended by the Committee on Admissions, were, by vote of the Conference, received into the traveling connection on trial: From the Radford District, Thomas Priddy; Abingdon District, Francis M. Buhman, Samuel T. Senter, Hugh B. Atkins; Big Stone Gap District, William A. Orr; Chattanooga District, Lindsay Killian; Spring City District, Richard A. Stewart, Edward E. Wiley, Walter Hodge.

Elbert H. Cole, from the Radford District, and Harry O. Smith, from the Wytheville District, were rejected, but the presiding elders of these districts were given permission to employ these brethren as supplies.

QUESTION 8—"What traveling preachers are elected Deacons?" Charles T. Davis passed examination of character, and having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of studies, was elected to Deacon's Orders:

Charles G. Hounshell, Pharaoh L. Cobb, Keener W. Cox, James H. Groseclose and James R. Brown, passed examination of character, and having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of studies, were advanced to the class of the third year, being already Deacons.

A. Wallace Walker was discontinued.

Henry S. Booth and Charles A. Brown passed examination of character, but not having appeared before the committee on studies, were continued on trial in the class of the second year.

QUESTION 2.—“Who remain on trial?” The following persons passed examination of character, and having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of studies, were advanced to the class of the second year: William R. Carbaugh, Samuel V. Morell, Rufus K. Triplett, N. Ray Cartright, William Edmonds, Robert P. Gouldy.

Tazewell L. Bowling passed examination of character, but not having appeared before the committee on studies, was continued on trial in the class of the first year.

ADDRESSES.—Dr. James Atkins and Rev. H. M. Hamill, of our General Sunday School work, were introduced to the Conference, and made earnest addresses on the importance of a great forward movement in study circles and training of teachers in and for our Sunday Schools.

QUESTION 7.—“Who are the Deacons of one year?” The following persons passed examination of character, and having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of studies, were advanced to the class of the fourth year: William P. Buhrman, Coy A. Beard, James T. Guy, Barron W. Lee, James L. Mullens.

The following persons passed examination of character, but not having appeared before the committee on studies, were continued in the class of the third year: Fred N. Looney, John C. Cook, Milton J. Butcher, Gasper A. Carner, T. Frank McCary, William C. Crockett, James W. Repass, James E. Spring, Joseph E. Wolfe, William C. Hicks.

Thomas L. Johnson and John F. Jones passed examination of character, but their examination on studies being disapproved by the committee, they were continued in the class of the third year.

PUBLIC WORSHIP.—The Committee on Public Worship made the following announcements: Preaching at Church Street Church at 3 p. m., by Dr. J. H. Pritchett; at 7 p. m., by Dr. P. H. Whisner; at Highland Avenue Church at 7:30 p. m., by Dr. E. E. Hoss.

After other announcements the Conference adjourned with the doxology and benediction.

## THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY, OCT. 11, 1901.

The Conference convened at 8:30 a. m., with Bishop Hendrix in the chair. The devotional service consisted of a Bible reading by Bishop Hendrix on a part of the Sermon on the Mount. This impressive and helpful service was greatly enjoyed by a large congregation. Dr. Pritchett led in prayer. The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved. The arrival of E. P. Rucker and A. F. Stone, lay delegates from the Tazewell and Wytheville Districts, was noted.

MEMORIAL.—The following memorial was adopted :

*To the Holston Conference of the M. E. Church, South:*

*Dear Fathers and Brethren*—We, the undersigned, respectfully request the Holston Conference of the M. E. Church, South, now in annual session in Knoxville, Tenn., to memorialize the approaching General Conference to be held in Dallas, Texas, in May, 1902, to amend the Discipline of our Church by omitting from paragraph 32, page 19, the clause: "Of the lay members one may be a Local Preacher," causing the paragraph to read: "The General Conference shall be composed of one clerical member for every 48 members of each Annual Conference and an equal number of lay members."

And also to further memorialize said General Conference to amend paragraph 44, page 24, by omitting the clause: "One of whom may be a Local Preacher," causing the paragraph to read: "All the traveling preachers in full connection with it, and four lay representatives from each Presiding Elder's District."

L. M. CARTRIGHT,  
C. T. CARROLL.

REPORT.—The Sunday School Board submitted report No. 1, which was adopted. See supplement "A."

RESTORATION OF CREDENTIALS.—A memorial from the Tampa District Conference, Florida Annual Conference, to this body, asking that the credentials of Charles C. Cecil, a local elder in our Church, be restored, he having surrendered them while in good standing, was received. The credentials were restored.

FRATERNITY.—The following telegram was read :

The Holston Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Morristown sends fraternal greetings. Read Ephesians iii, 16-19.

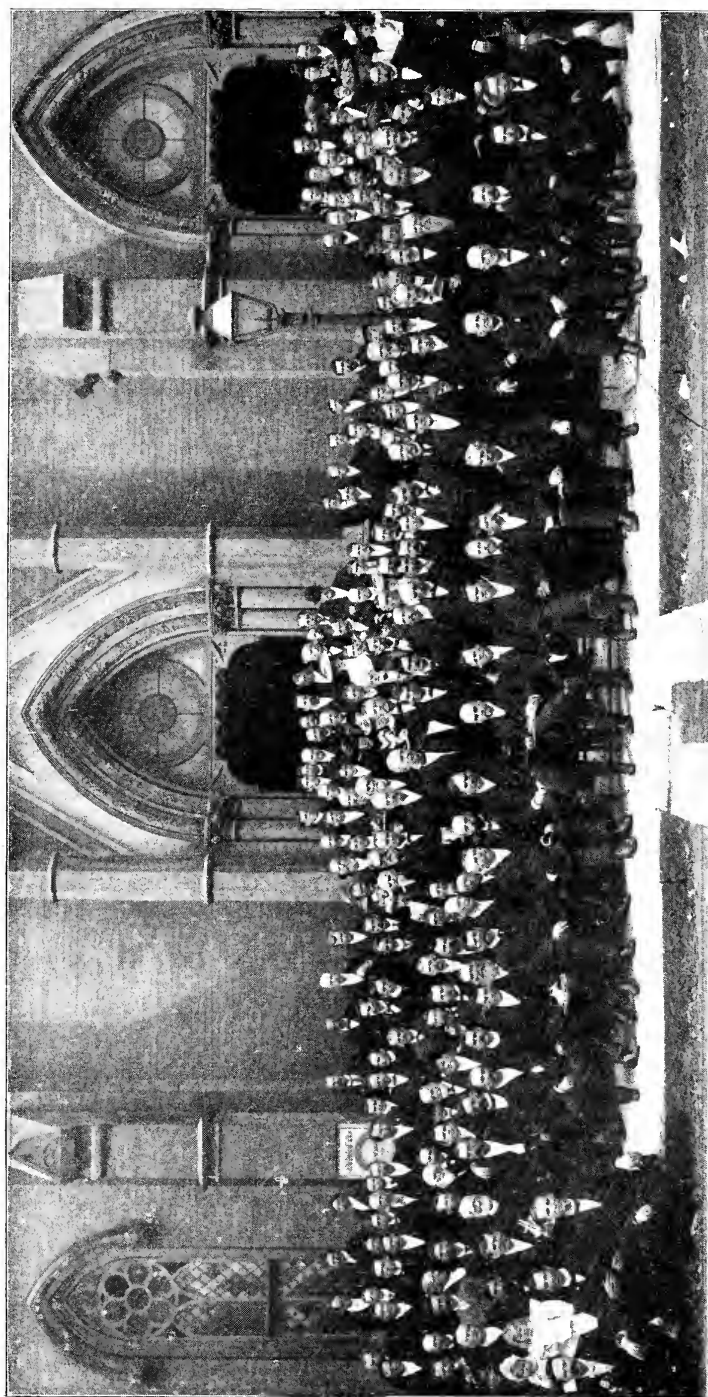
L. B. CALDWELL,  
J. J. MANKER,  
R. J. COOKE.

Drs. E. E. Hoss, D. Sullins and R. N. Price were appointed a committee to make suitable reply. Later the chairman reported that the following reply had been sent:

Holston Conference, M. E. Church, South, returns salutation. Read John xvii, 20-21.

E. E. HOSS,  
R. N. PRICE,  
D. SULLINS.





HOLSTON CONFERENCE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.



SUPERANNUATE.—H. C. Neal was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuated list.

QUESTION 5—"Who are re-admitted?" Benjamin Thornton Sharp, having been duly recommended by the Spring City District Conference, was readmitted into the traveling connection.

DEACONS ELECT.—Question 10—"What local preachers are elected Deacons?" The following persons, having been recommended by their respective District Conferences, were elected to local Deacon's Orders: Radford District, Elbert Huston Cole, William Robert Carbaugh; Tazewell District, James H. Kelley, Benjamin H. Talley; Knoxville District, Jacob L. Griffiths, Charles S. Adams; Cleveland District, Horace Brunner Wilson; Spring City District, John Luke Hardin, Thomas Jefferson Houts, William Bailey Williams.

QUESTION 16.—"Who are located this year?" Lilburn H. Little and Harvey A. True, at their own request.

QUESTION 12.—"What traveling preachers are elected Elders?" Joseph Wharton Repass, John William Rader and James Abram Ellison passed examination of character, and having stood an approved examination on the course of studies, were elected to Elder's Orders.

Hugh S. Johnston, John W. Christian and Thomas F. Suthers passed examination of character, but not having appeared before the committee on studies, were continued in the class of the third year.

QUESTION 14.—"What local preachers are elected Elders?" None.

CONFERENCE RELATIONS—The Committee on Conference Relations made the following recommendations, which were adopted:

*For the Superannuated Relation*—J. H. Brunner, J. R. Payne, Wm. Robeson, L. C. Delashmit, A. E. Woodward, J. W. Belt, R. M. Hickey, J. N. Hobbs, Jacob Smith, W. H. Bates, L. K. Haynes, W. H. Kelley, J. A. Darr, C. K. Miller, W. P. Doane, M. P. Swaim, J. D. Hickson, J. S. Kennedy, J. M. Romans, A. D. Stewart, J. R. Stradley, W. H. Dawn, W. R. Barnett, F. M. Grace, J. W. Robertson, James Mahoney, W. D. Mitchell, E. S. Bettis, J. E. Bruce, H. C. Neal.

*For the Supernumerary Relation*—J. B. Davis, John Boring, M. L. Clendenen, C. R. Brown, P. P. Kinzer, B. F. Nuckoils, A. Kincaid, G. W. Jackson, J. C. Maness, E. N. Woodward.

VISITORS.—Dr. Park, of the First Presbyterian Church, Knoxville, Dr. J. J. Tigert, our Book Editor, and Rev. Mr. Tedford, a returned missionary from India, were introduced to the Conference. Dr. Park made felicitous remarks, which were happily responded to by Bishop Hendrix and Dr. E. E. Hoss.

SPECIAL ORDER—On motion the election of delegates to the next General Conference was made the order of the day for Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

QUESTION 20.—“Are all of the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?” The following persons passed examination of character, and those present made brief report of their work:

Eugene Blake, J. R. Walker, J. B. Ward, A. B. Hunter, R. F. Jackson, W. W. Hicks, D. H. Carr, R. A. Owens, J. B. Simpson, J. T. Frazier, A. S. Thorn, J. S. French, W. N. Wagner, T. A. Jordan, T. E. Weaver, R. M. Walker, M. P. Carico, G. W. Presley, E. A. Shugart, W. C. Carden, J. W. Browning, R. A. Kelly, T. J. Eskridge, J. S. W. Neel, W. H. Troy, L. L. H. Carlock, J. L. Prater, W. E. Bailey, S. T. M. McPherson, E. L. Addington, E. W. Moore, M. J. Wysor, J. M. Maiden, I. N. Munsey, T. D. Strader, D. P. Hurley, C. L. Stradley, S. S. Weatherly, E. W. Mort, J. L. Weber, S. B. Vaught, I. P. Martin, C. E. Painter, F. Alexander, J. W. Smith, W. I. Fogleman, A. H. Tow, S. E. Houk, S. K. Byrd, R. T. McDowell, G. B. Draper, L. O. Adams, B. Thompson.

FULL CONNECTION—The following persons, having met all of the requirements of the Church as preachers on trial, were called before the chancel, earnestly and impressively addressed by Bishop Hendrix, and then, by vote of the Conference, were received into full connection as traveling preachers: Charles G. Hounshell, Charles T. Davis, Pharaoh L. Cobb, Keener W. Cox, James H. Groseclose, James R. Brown.

PUBLIC WORSHIP.—The Committee on Public Worship made the following announcement: Preaching in Church Street Church at 3 p. m. by A. N. Jackson; at 7 p. m. the semi-centennial sermon by R. N. Price.

The arrival of W. G. Butler, lay delegate from the Morristown District, was reported to the secretary.

SACRAMENT.—Bishop Hendrix, solemnly led in the administration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper to a great concourse of preachers and people, concluding with prayer and the benediction.

## FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, OCT. 12, 1901.

The Conference convened at 8:30 a. m., with Bishop Hendrix in the chair. The devotional service consisted of a Bible reading by Bishop Hendrix on the Master's methods of reaching men, with Luke xix, 1-10, as a basis. A large company of people listened with deep interest to the helpful exposition. J. A. Burrow led in prayer. The Holston Conference Quartette, consisting of J. C. Orr, W. A. Orr, Eugene Blake and A. B. Hunter, sang "Not One Forgotten" in a way that brought tears to many eyes. Dr. Sullins presented Bishop Hendrix with some beautiful white roses in the name of Mrs. C. C. Sullins. The Bishop responded appropriately. The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

COLLECTIONS.—L. L. H. Carlock, Treasurer of the Board of Missions, reported a deficit on our missionary collections of \$325.00. The amount was quickly raised.

Drs. Sullins and Hoss took a subscription of \$767.00 for our Holston History, the same to be used in enabling Dr. R. N. Price to devote his entire time to the editorial work of said History. J. O. Straley was appointed treasurer of this fund.

SPECIAL ORDER.—On motion of J. A. Duncan the report of the Board of Education was made the special order of the day for Monday at 9:30 a. m.

PUBLIC WORSHIP.—The Committee on Public Worship made the following announcements for Sunday:

## SUNDAY SERVICES.

*M. E. Church, South*—Church Street: 9 a. m., Conference lovefeast, J. S. W. Neel; 10:30 a. m., sermon by Bishop Hendrix and ordination of deacons; 3 p. m., Memorial service; 7 p. m., E. E. Hoss. Broad Street: 10:30 a. m., James Atkins; 7 p. m., J. J. Tigert, ordination of elders. Centenary: 10:30 a. m., J. S. French; 7 p. m., J. W. Perry. Brookside Chapel: 10:30 a. m., W. C. Carden; 7 p. m., S. B. Vaught. Highland Avenue: 10:30 a. m., D. V. York; 7 p. m., A. B. Hunter. East Fifth Avenue: 10:30 a. m., J. L. Prater; 7 p. m., L. M. Cartright. Zion Church: 11 a. m., S. S. Catron. Fountain City: 10:30 a. m., W. M. Morrell; 7 p. m., I. P. Martin. Broad Street Church: 3 p. m., Men's meeting, George Stuart.

*M. E. Church*—First Church: 10:30 a. m., E. E. Hoss; 7 p. m., J. T. Frazier. Luttrell Street: 10:30 a. m., R. G. Waterhouse; 7 p. m., J. O. Straley. Mabry Street: 11 a. m., K. C. Atkins; 3 p. m., W. E. Bailey. Asylum Street: 10:30 a. m., B. C. Horton; 7 p. m., L. L. H. Carlock.

*Baptist*—First Church: 10:30 a. m., J. J. Tigert; 7 p. m., R. G. Waterhouse. Second Church: 10:30 a. m., T. J. Eskridge; 7 p. m., J. B. Ward.

Centennial Church: 10:30 a. m., R. A. Kelly; 7 p. m., Jones F. Hash.  
 Bell Avenue Church: 10:30 a. m., W. W. Hicks; 7 p. m., R. F. Jackson.

*Presbyterian*—First Church: 10:30 a. m., C. O. Jones; 7 p. m., George D. French. Second Church: 10:30 a. m., J. A. Duncan; 7 p. m., S. N. Barker. Third Church: 10:30 a. m., D. W. Carter; 7 p. m., Geo. B. Winton. Bell Avenue: 10:30 a. m., J. E. Naff; 7 p. m., J. Buie. Ramsey Memorial: 10:30 a. m., Frank Richardson; 7:30 p. m., Eugene Cassidy. South Knoxville: 10:30 a. m., T. C. Shuler; 7 p. m., G. W. Summers. Pilgrim Church: 10:30 a. m., J. A. Stubblefield. First Cumberland Church: 10:30 a. m., J. A. H. Shuler. Fort Sanders Church: 10:30 a. m., D. S. Hearon; 7:30 p. m., E. F. Kahle. Fourth Church: 7 p. m., J. E. Hughes.

*Christian*—Park Avenue Church of Christ: 10:30 a. m., C. A. Beard; 7 p. m., D. E. Hawk. Forest Avenue Church: 10:30 a. m., J. A. Duvall; 7:30 p. m., Jas. W. Repass.

*Colored M. E. Church* (near Palace Hotel)—10:30 a. m., M. J. Wysor; 3 p. m., R. A. Owen.

*Colored Baptists*, Mechanicsville—10:30 a. m., E. L. Addington; 7 p. m., I. N. Munsey.

*People's Tabernacle*—10:30 a. m., J. A. Early; 7 p. m., E. E. Wiley.

*Y. M. C. A.*—2 p. m., P. L. Cobb, College; 3 p. m., J. A. Duncan, City; 2:45 p. m., W. S. Neighbors, Railroad.

MEMORIAL.—The following paper was adopted:

*To the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to be held in May, 1902:*

*Dear Fathers and Brethren:* The Holston Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, most respectfully requests that another question be placed among those to be asked in the Quarterly Conference business, to be asked every quarter, to-wit: "Have the Church Conferences been held as the discipline directs?"

T. C. SHULER,  
 J. S. FRENCH,  
 J. B. WARD.

ELECTION OF DELEGATES.—The hour for election of delegates to the General Conference having arrived, Bishop Hendrix read instructions from the Discipline governing said election. Eugene Blake and A. B. Hunter were appointed tellers for the laymen, with J. H. Barnett as secretary. K. C. Atkins and T. J. Eskridge were appointed tellers for the clerical members, with J. S. French as secretary. The Bishop announced that the Conference was entitled to five clerical and five lay delegates. When the ballots were collected the tellers and secretaries were instructed to retire and count the same.

ADDRESSES.—Dr. P. H. Whisner addressed the Conference on the general work of the Board of Church Extension; Dr. J. J. Tigert, on the *Methodist Review*; and Dr. E. E. Hoss, on the *Christian Advocate*.

TELLERS' REPORT.—The tellers for the lay vote reported 34 votes cast; necessary to a choice, 19; delegates elect, T. W. Jordan 21, E. C. Reeves 19. A second ballot resulted in no election.

The tellers for clerical members reported 138 votes cast ; necessary to a choice 70 ; delegates elect, E. E. Hoss, 131 ; F. Richardson 80 ; R. G. Waterhouse 77. It was decided by a counted vote that the two receiving the next highest vote to those elected shall be the reserve delegates.

The third ballot of the laymen resulted in 35 votes cast ; necessary to a choice 18 ; delegates elect, E. P. Rucker 25, J. W. Hicks 20. A fourth ballot resulted in no election.

ANNIVERSARY.—The Committee on Public Worship announced that the Missionary Anniversary of our Conference would be held in this church tonight at 7 o'clock, with addresses from G. B. Winton, of the Mexican Border Mission Conference, D. W. Carter, Superintendent of our Cuban Mission field, and C. G. Hounshell, who is soon to go from our midst to Korea as a missionary.

TELLERS' REPORT.—The fifth ballot of laymen resulted in no election. The sixth ballot was as follows: Votes cast, 36 ; necessary to a choice, 19 ; delegate elect, J. L. Jarman, with 19 votes. On motion the two receiving next highest votes—Creed F. Bates and George R. Stuart—were made the reserve delegates.

The second ballot of clerical delegates resulted as follows: Votes cast, 147 ; necessary to a choice, 74 ; delegate elect, W. S. Neighbors, who received 109 votes.

The time of the session was extended.

BOUNDARY.—Dr. E. E. Hoss called attention to the fact that the boundary lines of our Conference were greatly in error in our Discipline. A committee, consisting of E. E. Hoss, W. W. Pyott and T. R. Handy, was appointed to prepare a memorial to the General Conference touching the matter.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.—The following persons were added to the Board of Education: J. R. Hunter, J. B. Ward, J. M. Carter, C. A. Beard, S. S. Catron, W. M. Morrell, W. L. Patton, N. Q. Allen, Creed F. Bates.

DELEGATES.—The tellers for clerical members reported the third ballot as follows: Votes cast 134 ; necessary to a choice, 68 ; delegate elect, J. A. Burrow, who received 76 votes ; reserves, R. N. Price, Alonzo Monk.

MISCELLANEOUS.—The Committee on Public Worship announced preaching in this church at 3 p. m. by C. T. Carroll ; at Brookside, 7:30 p. m. by J. T. Guy.

On motion it was decided that when we adjourn it be to meet again in memorial session Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

E. S. Finney, H. B. Graham and W. T. Ellis, lay delegates from the Big Stone Gap District, were reported to the secretary as present.

RESOLUTION.—The following paper was adopted:

*Whereas*, It has always been the aim of Methodism to furnish good religious literature to its people, and whereas there is at this time great need that all Christian people should be well informed concerning the condition of religious thought and activity throughout the world, and should at the same time have the advantage of the ripest scholarship and piety which may be employed by the press; and

*Whereas*, We believe that these ends are not being reached by our present periodical literature in the measure in which they might be; therefore be it

*Resolved*, 1st. That we petition the General Conference, to be held next year, to take such steps as may be necessary to consolidate the papers published by the various Boards under the supervision of the General Conference, in so far as they may be consolidated without injury to the work of the various boards.

2nd. That steps be taken to give to the Church as many strong, well edited religious papers as may be necessary to meet the varying conditions in our widely extended connection.

I. P. MARTIN,  
JNO. E. NAFF,  
S. B. VAUGHT.

The Conference adjourned with the benediction.

## MEMORIAL SESSION.

SUNDAY, OCT. 13, 1901.

The Conference met in memorial session at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, with D. Sullins presiding by appointment of the Bishop. J. M. Wolfe led in prayer. The Conference Quartette sang, with much effect, "Just a Little While." The Committee on Memoirs submitted a report in sections. A paper on the life and death of William H. Henderson was read by E. H. Cassidy. Appropriate remarks were made by several persons, after which the Quartette sang, with wondrous sweetness, "Looking This Way." A paper on the life and death of E. W. Walker was read by J. W. Browning. Tender talks were made by some of the brethren. R. N. Price read a memoir of Mrs. M. P. Swaim, and J. D. McAlister, of Mrs. A. D. Stewart. These faithful women who had fallen on sleep were remembered by appropriate remarks which breathed a spirit of sympathy for the living and honor for the dead. The report as a whole was then adopted, after which the Conference stood in song, and was dismissed with the benediction by Dr. Sullins.

## SIXTH DAY.

MONDAY, OCT. 14, 1901.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., with Bishop Hendrix in the chair. The devotional service consisted of a Bible reading on a part of the 17th chapter of John, which was greatly enjoyed by those present. The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

**INELIGIBLE.**—Dr. R. N. Price stated that he was ineligible as a clerical reserve delegate to the General Conference to which he had been elected, and asked that a successor be chosen in his place. After some discussion as to the necessity of taking another ballot, or declaring the one who received the third highest vote on the tally sheet as the reserve delegate, it was decided to take another ballot. The tellers were directed to collect the votes, and retire to count the same.

**RESOLUTION.**—The following resolution was adopted by a standing vote:

*Whereas*, this Conference has listened to the morning expositions of the Holy Scriptures by our Presiding Bishop with unusual pleasure and profit; therefore be it

*Resolved*, That we do hereby express our sincerest thanks, and that we most heartily invite him to visit us again and often, as his time and will admit.

JAMES I. CASH.

**ORDINATIONS.**—Bishop Hendrix submitted the following certificate of ordinations:

I hereby certify that on October 13th, 1901, after the morning sermon in the Church Street Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Knoxville, Tenn., I ordained the following deacons, namely: Charles Thomas Davis, a traveling preacher and Elbert Huston Cole, Wm. Robert Carbaugh, Benjamin Talley, Charles S. Adams, Thomas Jefferson Houts and William Bailey Williams, local preachers.

Also on the same day, after a sermon by Rev. Dr. J. J. Tigert, in the Broad Street Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Knoxville, Tenn., Rev. T. R. Handy reading the Epistle and Rev. E. H. Cassidy reading the gospel and these with Rev. T. C. Shuler and Rev. J. C. Orr assisting in laying on of hands, I ordained the following traveling preachers elders, namely: Joseph Wharton Repass, John William Rader, James Abram Ellison and John Brown Frazier.

E. R. HENDRIX.

Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 14, 1901.

**LOCATED.**—J. A. L. Perkins was granted an honorable location at his own request.

**VACANCY.**—Joseph W. Repass was placed on the committee on examination for the fourth year to supply a vacancy.

**QUESTION 20**—“Are all of the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?” J. A. Duncan was called and his character passed.

QUESTION 45—"Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?" Wytheville, Va., was unanimously chosen.

EDUCATION.—The hour for special order of the day having arrived, the report from the Board of Education was heard in three sections. J. D. Hammond, General Secretary of Education, addressed the Conference on the work which he has in hand. The reports were adopted in their order. See supplement "B," 1, 2 and 3.

ELECTION.—The tellers reported no election of reserve delegate to the General Conference. Later a second ballot was reported as resulting in no election, though S. D. Long had lacked only a few votes of the necessary number. On motion the Secretary was instructed to cast the vote of the Conference for S. D. Long. Bishop Hendrix decided that A. Monk would take the place of first reserve delegate.

REPORTS.—The Committee on Books and Periodicals made report, which was adopted. See supplement "C."

The report of the Board of Missions was received. Bishop Hendrix highly commended the work of the Holston Conference for our missionary interests. See supplement "D."

The Committee on the Spiritual State of the Church made report, which was earnestly and impressively spoken to by E. E. Hoss and D. Sullins. Bishop Hendrix added a few earnest words, after which the report was adopted. See supplement "E."

The Treasurer of the American Bible Society Fund made report, which was adopted. The Committee on Bible Cause also made report which was adopted. See supplement "F." G. D. French, Field Agent of the American Bible Society, made a brief talk on his work.

The Joint Board of Finance made report which was adopted. See supplement "G."

The Committee on District Conference Records made report, which was complimented by the Bishop and then adopted. See supplement "H."

The Committee on Temperance made report which was discussed by E. E. Hoss, and then adopted. See supplement "I."

MISCELLANEOUS.—C. T. Carroll was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuated list. The committee afterward recommended him for that relation, and the report was adopted.



On motion of A. Monk it was decided that when we adjourn it be to meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

James I. Cash was placed on the Board of Church Extension in place of E. H. Cassidy, who is a presiding elder.

RESOLUTION.—The following resolution was adopted:

We recommend the passage, by this Conference, of the following resolution:

In the interest of the homes and the future of Virginia, the Methodists of Holston Conference favor the adoption, by the Constitutional Convention, now in session in the State of Virginia, of the amendment known as the "Quarles Amendment," the substance of which is, that no person can obtain a license to sell liquor until, as a condition precedent, he shall have obtained the affirmative consent of the legal voters of the community.

The secretary of this Conference is requested to communicate the substance of this resolution to the President of the Virginia Constitutional Convention.

J. L. JARMAN,  
W. G. M. THOMAS.

QUESTION 20—"Are all of the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" The following persons passed examination of character and made brief report of their work:

D. S. Hearon, A. Monk, J. C. Orr, C. W. Kelley, Frank Jackson, J. A. Lyons, Joseph Buie, R. S. Umberger, John Woolsey, C. E. Steele, S. W. Bourne, J. A. Bilderback, J. W. Carnes, J. B. Carnes, W. W. Pyott, J. M. Paxton, W. S. Neighbors, J. B. Frazier, J. H. Keith, J. P. Dickey, W. L. Jones, R. E. Smith, J. A. Baylor, S. H. Hall, M. D. Mitchell, E. H. Bogle, H. C. Clemens, A. N. Jackson, E. E. Hoss, G. D. French.

REPORTS.—The Board of Church Extension made report which was adopted. See supplement "J."

The Joint Board of Finance made report No. 2, which was adopted. See supplement "G."

After announcements the Conference adjourned with a song and the benediction.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Conference met at 2:30 p. m. with Dr. E. E. Hoss in the chair, by request of the Bishop. The devotional services were conducted by Dr. E. E. Hoss. The minutes of the morning session were read, corrected and approved.

REPORTS.—Report No. 4 of the Board of Education was read by J. A. Lyons, and adopted by the Conference. See supplement "B."

On motion of W. W. Pyott the report of the Board of Education was reconsidered, Eugene Blake moving to amend by striking out that part referring to making Martha Washington College a Normal School. The amendment was discussed by W. M. Dyer, J. A. Lyons and T. W. Jordan, and adopted. The report as a whole was then adopted. See supplement "B."

Dr. Waterhouse read a report in regard to Emory and Henry College, which was highly complimented by Dr. E. E. Hoss. On motion of J. S. French, Dr. Waterhouse was requested to have this published in pamphlet form and circulated throughout our bounds.

Report No. 2 of the Sunday School Board was received and adopted. See supplement "A."

The Treasurer of the Board of Missions made report. See supplement "D."

The following resolutions were adopted by a rising vote:

*Resolved*, That the Holston Conference hereby tenders its thanks to the good people of Knoxville without distinction for "open doors," Christian hospitality during this session, and to the various pastors and congregations of the city who have invited us to their pulpits and homes; also to the Railway Companies for courtesies extended, and to the local daily press for reportorial service.

JAS. I. CASH,  
JNO. H. PARROTT.

*Resolved*, That we do hereby express our appreciation of, and return our thanks for, the kindness of Postmaster W. L. Trent, to our Conference.

B. C. HORTON,  
W. L. JONES,  
J. S. FRENCH.

REPORTS.—The Epworth League Board made report, which was adopted. See supplement "K."

The following Joint Board of Finance was announced:

J. B. Ward, J. A. B. Bruce, W. C. Carden, J. W. Hicks, D. D. Hull, S. T. M. McPherson, W. W. Hicks, G. E. Penn, I. P. Martin, E. S. Finney, J. A. Baylor, E. C. Reeves, C. E. Steele, W. L. Trent, R. A. Hutsell, C. R. Love, W. M. Morrell, W. W. Neal, J. A. H. Shuler, W. A. Brown.

The Committee on Sabbath Observance made report, which was adopted. See supplement "L."

The minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved.

After a song by the Conference Quartette, and a prayer by Dr. Sullins, the Bishop announced the appointments and the Conference adjourned with the benediction.

E. R. Hendrix,

President.

J. A. Burrow,

Secretary.

## MINUTE QUESTIONS.

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QUESTION I.—Who are admitted on trial?

*Answer*—Thomas Priddy, Wm. Alexander Orr, Jr., Lindsay Killian, Francis Marvin Buhrman, Samuel Taylor Senter, Hugh Brazleton Atkins, Richard A. Stewart, Edward E. Wiley, Walter Hodge.

*Remaining in class of the first year*—Tazewell L. Bowling.

QUESTION II.—Who remain on trial?

*Answer*—Wm. R. Carbaugh, Samuel V. Morell, Rufus K. Triplett, N. Ray Cartright, Wm. Edmonds, Robt. P. Gouldy.

*Remaining in class of the second year*—H. S. Booth, C. A. Brown.

QUESTION III.—Who are discontinued?

*Answer*—A. Wallace Walker.

QUESTION IV.—Who are admitted into full connection?

*Answer*—Charles T. Davis, Charles G. Hounshell, Pharaoh L. Cobb, Keener W. Cox, James H. Groseclose, James R. Brown.

*Remaining in class of third year*—Fred N. Looney, Thos. S. Johnson, Milton J. Butcher, Jno. F. Jones, Gasper A. Carner, T. Frank McCary, Wm. C. Crockett, Jno. C. Cook, Jas. W. Repass, Jas. E. Spring, Jos. E. Wolfe, Wm. C. Hicks.

QUESTION V.—Who are readmitted?

*Answer*—Benjamin Thornton Sharp.

QUESTION VI.—Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

*Answer*—I. S. Hopkins from the St. Louis Conference; H. S. Hamilton from the North Alabama Conference.

QUESTION VII.—Who are the deacons of one year?

*Answer*—Wm. P. Buhrman, Coy A. Beard, Jas. T. Guy, Bar-ron W. Lee, Jas. L. Mullens.

*Remaining in class of fourth year*—Hugh S. Johnston, Jno. W. Christian, Thos. F. Suthers.

QUESTION VIII.—What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

*Answer*—Charles Thomas Davis.

QUESTION IX.—What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

*Answer*—Charles Thomas Davis.

QUESTION X.—What local preachers are elected deacons?

*Answer*—Elbert H. Cole, Wm. Robert Carbaugh, James H. Kelly, Benjamin H. Talley, Jacob L. Griffiths, Charles S. Adams, John L. Hardin, Thomas J. Houts, William B. Williams, Horace Brunner Wilson.

QUESTION XI.—What local preachers are ordained deacons?

*Answer*—Elbert Huston Cole, Wm. Robert Carbaugh, Benjamin Talley, Charles S. Adams, Thomas Jefferson Houts, Wm. B. Williams.

QUESTION XII.—What traveling preachers are elected elders?

*Answer*—Jos. W. Repass, Jno. Wm. Rader, Jas. A. Ellison.

QUESTION XIII.—What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

*Answer*—Joseph Wharton Repass, John William Rader, James Abram Ellison, Jno. Brown Frazier.

QUESTION XIV.—What local preachers are elected elders?

*Answer*—None.

QUESTION XV.—What local preachers are ordained elders?

*Answer*—None.

QUESTION XVI.—Who are located this year?

*Answer*—L. H. Little, Harvey A. True, J. A. L. Perkins.

QUESTION XVII.—Who are supernumerary?

*Answer*—J. B. Davis, John Boring, M. L. Clendenen, C. R. Brown, P. P. Kinzer, B. F. Nuckolls, A. Kincaid, G. W. Jackson, J. C. Maness, E. N. Woodward.

QUESTION XVIII.—Who are superannuated?

*Answer*—J. H. Brunner, J. R. Payne, Wm. Robeson, L. C. Delashmit, A. E. Woodward, J. W. Belt, R. M. Hickey, J. N. Hobbs, Jacob Smith, W. H. Bates, L. K. Haynes, W. H. Kelly, J. A. Darr, C. K. Miller, W. P. Doane, M. P. Swaim, J. D. Hickson, J. S. Kennedy, J. M. Romans, A. D. Stewart, J. R. Stradley, W. H. Dawn, W. R. Barnett, F. M. Grace, J. W. Robertson, James Mahoney, W. D. Mitchell, E. S. Bettis, J. E. Bruce, H. C. Neal, C. T. Carroll.

QUESTION XIX.—What preachers have died during the past year?

*Answer*—Wm. H. Henderson, E. W. Walker.

QUESTION XX.—Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

*Answer*—Their names were called in open Conference one by one, and their characters passed.

QUESTION XXI.—What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Answer*—Local preachers, 234; members, 55,407.

QUESTION XXII.—How many infants have been baptized during the year?

*Answer*—937.

QUESTION XXIII.—How many adults have been baptized during the year?

*Answer*—2,186.

QUESTION XXIV.—What is the number of Epworth Leagues?

*Answer*—190.

QUESTION XXV.—What is the number of Epworth League members?

*Answer*—6,215.

QUESTION XXVI.—What is the number of Sunday Schools?

*Answer*—654.

QUESTION XXVII.—What is the number of Sunday School teachers?

*Answer*—4,655.

QUESTION XXVIII.—What is the number of Sunday School scholars?

*Answer*—43,871.

QUESTION XXIX.—What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

*Answer*—\$5,500.00.

QUESTION XXX.—What has been collected on the foregoing account and how has it been applied?

*Answer*—\$4,626.80. See report of Joint Board.

QUESTION XXXI.—What has been contributed for missions?

*Answer*—Foreign \$10,000.00; domestic \$7,000.00.

QUESTION XXXII.—What has been contributed for Church Extension?

*Answer*—\$2,873.00.

QUESTION XXXIII.—What has been done for the American Bible Society?

*Answer*—\$572.00.

QUESTION XXXIV.—What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge?

*Answer*—Presiding elders, \$11,723.00; Preachers in charge, \$76,800.00.

QUESTION XXXV.—What has been contributed for the support of Bishops?

*Answer*—\$1,308.00.

QUESTION XXXVI.—What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them?

*Answer*—Number of societies, 827; number of houses of worship, 619.

QUESTION XXXVII.—What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

*Answer*—Value, \$944,012.00; indebtedness, \$9,942.00.

QUESTION XXXVIII.—What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them?

*Answer*—Pastoral charges, 169; number of parsonages, 129.

QUESTION XXXIX.—What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

*Answer*—Value, \$187,041.00; indebtedness, \$5,116.00.

QUESTION XL.—What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages?

*Answer*—Number of districts, 10; number of district parsonages, 8.

QUESTION XLI.—What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

*Answer*—Value, \$20,200.00; indebtedness, \$960.00.

QUESTION XLII.—What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage?

*Answer*—Number of churches damaged, 7; amount of damage, \$1,905.00.

QUESTION XLIII.—What are the insurance statistics?

*Answer*—Insurance carried, \$157,550.00; losses sustained, \$1,400.00; premiums paid, \$944.00.

QUESTION XLIV.—What are the educational statistics?

*Answer*—Number of schools, 11; Number of officers, 87; pupils, 1,188; value of property, \$408,000.00.

QUESTION XLV.—Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?

*Answer*—Wytheville, Va.

QUESTION XLVI.—Where are the preachers stationed this year?

[NOTE.—Figures at right end of line refer to number of years on a charge; figures in parenthesis, to class of undergraduates; letters in parenthesis, to "Deacon" or "Elder," "cl." means class.]

I.		*RADFORD DISTRICT—G. A. Maiden, P. E.	1
1	*Radford, Grove Avenue	J. L. Prater	1
2	*Auburn	J. R. Walker	2
3	*Floyd	Supplied by E. H. Cole.	
4	Hylton	W. R. Carbaugh (cl. 2, d)	2
5	New River	Thos. Priddy (cl. 1)	1
6	*Newbern	J. B. Ward	2
7	Pulaski	A. B. Hunter	2
8	*Allisonia	James W. Repass (cl. 3)	2
9	*Staffordsville	R. F. Jackson	3
10	*Pearisburg	Eugene Blake	1
11	East River	W. M. Edmonds (cl. 2)	1
12	*Athens	S. W. Bourne	1
13	*Athens Circuit	G. W. Presley	1
14	*Princeton	R. A. Owen	2
15	*Bluestone	G. A. Carner (cl. 3)	1
16	*Bluefield, Bland Street	J. T. Frazier	2
17	Bluefield, Grace Church	J. L. Mullens (cl. 4)	1
	Princeton Academy	C. A. Brown, Principal (cl. 2).	
	State Normal	A. S. Thorn.	

II.		TAZEWELL DISTRICT—T. R. Handy, P. E.	2
1	*Tazewell	R. A. Kelly	1
		C. R. Brown, Supernumerary.	
2	*Liberty Hill	R. K. Sutherland	1
3	*Cedar Bluff	J. A. Bilderback	1
4	Honaker	T. D. Strader	1
5	Grundy	Supplied by A. H. Gentry.	
6	East Buchanan	Supplied by W. C. Compton.	
7	West Buchanan	Supplied by H. M. Boyd.	
8	West Tazewell	T. F. McCary (cl. 3)	1
9	*Clear Fork	T. E. Weaver	2
10	Rocky Gap Circuit	J. F. Hash	1
11	*East Tazewell	J. F. Jones (cl. 3)	1
12	*Graham	M. P. Carico	2
13	*Pocahontas	R. T. Webb	1
14	Tug River	Supplied by J. R. Hubbard.	
15	Cooper and Coaldale	H. S. Booth (cl. 2)	1
16	*Bramwell and Goodwill	W. C. Carden	2
17	Sagana	J. E. Wolfe (cl. 3)	1
18	Elkhorn and Maybeury	J. W. Rader	2
19	North Fork	J. R. Hunter	1
20	*Eckman and Keystone	J. A. Early	1
21	*Welch	E. A. Shugart	1
22	Davy and Panther	Supplied by W. B. Belshee.	

III.		*WYTHEVILLE DISTRICT—E. F. Kahle, P. E.	1
1	*Wytheville	T. J. Eskridge	3
2	*Wytheville Circuit	J. W. W. Shuler	1
3	East Wytheville	T. S. Johnson (cl. 3)	1
4	*Marion	L. L. H. Carlock	4
5	*Marion Circuit	S. T. M. McPherson	1
6	*Rural Retreat	W. E. Bailey	3
7	*Cedar Springs	E. L. Addington	1
8	*Grant	S. S. Weatherly	1
9	*Independence	E. W. Moore	1
10	*Elk Creek	M. J. Wysor	2

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11	*Spring Valley	J. M. Maiden	2
12	*Old Town	I. N. Munsey	3
		P. P. Kinzer, B. F. Nuckolls, Sup'y.	
13	*Hillsville	W. L. Sorrell	1
14	*Lead Mines	D. P. Hurley	2
15	*Max Meadows	C. L. Stradley	3
16	*Seddon	W. C. Crockett (cl. 3)	4
17	Washington	J. A. Duvall	1
18	*Sharon	W. H. Troy	1

IV.	*ABINGDON DISTRICT—C. O. Jones, P. E.		1
1	*Abingdon	J. S. French	1
2	*Abingdon Circuit	D. H. Carr	1
		J. B. Davis, Supernumerary.	
3	*Bristol, State Street	W. S. Neighbors	1
4	*Bristol, Mary Street	G. W. Summers	2
5	Bristol, Anderson Street	J. M. Carter	2
6	*Bristol Circuit	Walter Hodge (cl. 1)	1
		M. L. Clendenen, Supernumerary.	
7	Virginia Avenue	W. W. Newberry	1
8	*Rich Valley	E. W. Mort	2
9	*Saltville	J. W. Browning	1
10	*Emory	K. C. Atkins	1
		A. Kincaid, Supernumerary.	
11	Chilhowie	W. W. Hicks	1
12	Damascus	W. H. Price	1
13	*Blountville	J. S. W. Neel	1
14	*Bluff City	N. R. Cartright (cl. 2)	2
15	Elizabethton	J. W. Taylor	1
16	*Mountain City	S. T. Senter (cl. 1)	1
17	*Mendota	H. B. Atkins (cl. 1)	1
	Emory and Henry College	R. G. Waterhouse, President.	
	Sullins College	S. N. Barker, President.	
	Martha Washington College	W. M. Dyer, President.	
	Martha Washington College	Joseph W. Repass, Professor.	

V.	*BIG STONE GAP DISTRICT—J. E. Naff, P. E.		2
1	*Big Stone Gap	H. S. Hamilton	1
2	*Big Stone Gap Circuit	M. J. Butcher (cl. 3)	1
3	*Wise	T. F. Suthers	2
4	*Clintwood	F. N. Looney (cl. 3)	2
5	*Elk Garden	S. B. Vaught	3
6	*Lebanon	I. P. Martin	4
7	*Dickensonville	C. E. Painter	3
8	*Castlewood	F. Alexander	3
9	*Clinch Valley	T. L. Bowling (cl. 1)	1
10	*Clinchport	W. C. Hicks (cl. 3)	1
11	*Gate City	J. W. Smith	2
12	*Kingsport	G. B. Draper	1
13	*Hawkins	S. K. Byrd	1
14	Surgoinsville	Supplied by H. B. Vaught.	
15	*Pennington Gap	R. M. Walker	1
16	*Jonesville	S. E. Houk	3
		E. N. Woodward, Supernumerary.	
17	Hancock	W. I. Fogleman	1
18	*Powell's Valley	A. H. Tow	1
19	*Cumberland Gap	R. T. McDowell	4
20	*Tazewell	Supplied by T. J. Houts.	
	Student at Asbury College	L. O. Adams.	
	President Russell Institute	B. Thompson.	

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OFFICERS OF HOLSTON'S W. F. M. SOCIETY.

VI. *MORRISTOWN DISTRICT—L. M. Cartright, P. E.		2
1	*Morristown .....	J. A. Baylor, R. N. Price..... 1
2	*Morristown Circuit .....	J. H. Parrott .....
3	*Jefferson City .....	W. L. Patton .....
4	*Newport .....	D. V. York .....
5	*Tate Spring .....	J. B. Simpson .....
6	*Rogersville .....	J. H. Keith .....
7	*St. Clair .....	W. L. Jones .....
8	*Warrensburg .....	J. D. Dame .....
9	*Greeneville .....	B. C. Horton .....
10	*Mosheim .....	H. C. Clemens .....
11	*Rheatown .....	S. H. Hall .....
12	Jonesboro .....	M. D. Mitchell .....
13	*Carnegie .....	R. A. Stewart (cl. 1) .....
14	*Fall Branch .....	E. H. Bogle .....
15	*Johnson City .....	A. N. Jackson .....
	Editor <i>Christian Advocate</i> .....	E. E. Hoss.
	Sec'y American Bible Society....	G. D. French.
	Professor in Asbury College....	W. D. Akers.
VII. *KNOXVILLE DISTRICT—S. D. Long, P. E.		3
1	*Knoxville, Church Street .....	Alonzo Monk .....
2	*Knoxville, Broad Street. ....	J. C. Orr .....
3	Knoxville, Centenary .....	C. W. Kelley .....
4	Knoxville, Highland Avenue ...	Frank Jackson .....
5	Knoxville, East Fifth Avenue..	R. K. Triplett (cl. 2, d) .....
6	Knoxville, City Mission .....	J. R. Brown (cl. 3) .....
7	*Fountain City .....	J. A. Lyons .....
8	*Clinton .....	Joseph Buie .....
9	Robertsville .....	Jno. Wolsey .....
10	Knoxville Circuit .....	W. A. Orr (cl. 1) .....
11	*Macedonia .....	C. E. Steele .....
12	*Paulette .....	J. P. Dickey .....
13	*Andersonville .....	B. T. Sharp .....
14	*Coal Creek .....	J. W. Carnes .....
15	*Jacksboro .....	J. M. Paxton .....
16	*Sevierville .....	J. B. Carnes .....
17	*Strawberry Plains .....	W. W. Pyott .....
18	Little River .....	C. T. Davis (cl. 3) .....
	Secretary of Missions .....	P. L. Cobb (cl. 3).
	Chaplain in U. S. Navy .....	J. B. Frazier.
VIII. CLEVELAND DISTRICT—J. A. Burrow, P. E.		4
1	*Cleveland .....	F. Richardson .....
2	Cleveland Circuit .....	K. W. Cox (cl. 3) .....
3	*Charleston .....	J. H. Summitt .....
4	*Riceville .....	J. E. Swecker .....
5	Athens .....	C. A. Beard (cl. 4) .....
6	*Carlock .....	Supplied by R. H. Jewell.
7	*Sweetwater .....	J. W. Perry .....
		J. C. Maness, Supernumerary.
8	*New Hope .....	H. S. Johnston .....
9	*Philadelphia .....	J. E. Lowry .....
10	*Lenoir City .....	W. P. Buhrman (cl. 4) .....
		G. W. Jackson, Supernumerary.
11	*Maryville .....	J. E. Hughes .....
12	*Louisville .....	W. R. Snider .....
13	*Madisonville .....	J. E. Spring (cl. 3) .....
14	Mt. Vernon .....	J. C. Runyan .....
15	Ducktown .....	J. C. Cook (cl. 3) .....
	Centenary College .....	D. Sullins.
	Superintendent Cuban Mission..	D. W. Carter.
	Editor <i>Midland Methodist</i> .....	J. A. Burrow.

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IX. \*CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT—T. C. Shuler, P. E. 1

1	*Chattanooga, Centenary	I. S. Hopkins	1
2	Chattanooga, Trinity	J. O. Straley	4
		John Boring, Supernumerary.	
3	Chattanooga, Whiteside	S. S. Catron	2
4	East Chattanooga	R. A. Hutsell	1
5	Highland Park	D. E. Hawk	1
6	Ridgedale	To be supplied.	
7	Rossville	B. W. Lee (cl. 4)	3
8	*St. Elmo	W. M. Morrell	3
9	Hill City	R. P. Gouddy (cl. 2, d)	1
10	*Hamilton	J. C. Bays	3
11	*Ooltewah	L. Killian (cl. 1)	1
12	Graysville	R. E. Smith	1
13	*Trenton	C. E. Bower	2
14	Rising Fawn	J. T. Guy (cl. 4)	2
15	*Aetna	W. C. Faris	2

X. \*SPRING CITY DISTRICT—E. H. Cassidy, P. E. 2

1	*Spring City	S. V. Morell (cl. 2)	1
		D. C. Clendenen, Junior.	
2	*Evansville	J. W. Christian	1
3	*Dayton	D. S. Hearon	1
4	*Pikeville	J. I. Cash	2
5	*Chapel Hill	J. A. Ellison	1
6	*Dunlap Mission	J. D. McAlister	2
7	*Whitwell	G. M. Moreland	1
8	*Jasper	J. M. Wolfe	1
9	South Pittsburg	J. A. H. Shuler	2
10	*Decatur	R. S. Umberger	1
11	Harriman	E. E. Wiley (cl. 1)	1
12	*Rockwood	J. H. Groseclose (cl. 3)	4
13	*Kingston	D. McCracken	1
14	Jamestown	Supplied by J. H. Wagner.	
15	Crossville	F. M. Buhrman (cl. 1)	1
16	Stony Point	Supplied by W. P. Patty.	

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TRANSFERRED: C. G. Hounshell to China Mission Conference. and stationed at Songdo, Korea; T. A. Jordan to Western Virginia Conference; W. N. Wagner to Baltimore Conference; J. L. Weber to Kentucky Conference; J. A. Duncan to Tennessee Conference.

## CONFERENCE REPORTS.

### A.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

The Sunday School Board submits report No. 1, as follows:

*Whereas*, Dr. James Atkins, our Sunday School editor, has planned and inaugurated a system of study and training for our Sunday School teachers and workers, as explained by himself and Dr. H. W. Hamill before this Conference yesterday,

*Resolved*, That we approve of this plan for the "Bible Teachers' Study Circle;"

*Resolved*, secondly, That we heartily approve of the plan of holding Sunday School Institutes. This Board has already secured the services of Dr. Hamill and his wife to hold three institutes in the Holston Conference next year. The time and places to be announced later.

*Resolved*, thirdly, That we congratulate Dr. Atkins and the whole Church on securing Dr. Hamill and his wife, and placing them in charge of this department of our Sunday School work.

A. B. HUNTER, *Secretary*.

JOHN C. ORR, *President*.

#### REPORT NO. 2.

The Board submits the following: Number of schools, 654; scholars, 43,871; officers and teachers, 4,655; amount collected for Sunday schools, \$8,011.82; for missions, \$2,487.53; children's day, \$478.50; total \$13,071.35.

There is a good increase in everything except Children's Day fund. We trust our brethren have not lost their interest in this important service. Some charges report the day observed, and no money is sent in. This we deeply deplore, and trust that, hereafter, we will look after the matter more carefully. We wish to emphasize the fact that our literature is among the very best and the only literature for us. We would especially call attention to the "*Children's Visitor*." It has nothing like the circulation its merits would justify. Let us undertake to do a more faithful work the coming year than we have the past.

Rev. J. W. W. Shuler, because of multiplication of duties, resigned his office as Treasurer and A. B. Hunter was elected instead.

JOHN C. ORR, *President*.

A. B. HUNTER, *Secretary and Treasurer*.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT.

##### RECEIPTS.

By balance in treasury, October 13th, 1900 .....	\$466 70
By receipts from Children's Day services in 1900-1901 .....	478 11
Total receipts .....	\$944 81

##### EXPENDITURES.

To amount paid Barbee & Smith for Literature, Programs, etc .....	\$251 20
To amounts expended for Printing, Mailing, Railroad Fare and other expenses of the Board .....	41 40
To the General Sunday School Board of divided surplus .....	24 55
To amount paid the Conference Board of Education, surplus .....	24 55
To amount paid the General S. S. Board, 10 per cent. of yearly receipts .....	47 81
To amount paid the General Board of Education, 10 per cent. of yearly receipts ..	47 81

Balance in treasury October 14th, 1901 .....

J. W. W. SHULER, *Treasurer*.

The above balance was turned over to Rev. A. B. Hunter, Treasurer-elect, October 14th, 1901.

J. W. W. SHULER, *Former Treasurer*.

## B.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

## REPORT NO. I—TWENTIETH CENTURY MOVEMENT.

Three years ago this Conference adopted, without a dissenting voice, these words of the Board of Education: "Your Board is profoundly impressed with the importance, and heartily endorses the purpose and plans of the General Board to raise \$1,500,000 for educational purposes. To this end we suggest the appointment of W. S. Neighbors as Conference Secretary; and we request that the presiding elders be appointed district secretaries to take general oversight of this work, and see that the plan of the General Board is carried out in every charge, co-operating with the Conference Secretary." Two years ago this Conference adopted, without dissenting voice, the following report of the Educational Board:

"Your Board of Education having had under consideration some of the business aspects of the Twentieth Century Movement, reports as follows:

"We must have, to meet pressing indebtedness upon Emory and Henry College, \$32,000; Martha Washington, \$22,000, and Centenary College, \$12,500—Total, 66,500. We further estimate that not less than \$60,000 additional will be required to give Emory and Henry the necessary equipment to enable her to meet the minimum requirements prescribed by the Educational Commission. These two amounts aggregate \$126,500; adding to this what is being raised and expended for Sullins College, we may expect the Twentieth Century Offering to reach \$150,000. It ought not to be less; for this is only an average of \$2.67 per member. \* \* \* If we are worthy the position we occupy as leaders of God's Israel in Holston, we will reckon this achievement easily within range of our possibilities. We present the following as a plan of campaign:

1. Let every member of this Conference make his minimum offering before the present session closes.
2. Let each pastor return to the presiding elder at each quarterly conference, names of all contributors to the Twentieth Century Fund, and to see that such names and amounts be entered upon the Quarterly Conference records.
3. Let each presiding elder make careful record, in a book to be provided by the Board, of such lists as are furnished by the pastors. Said books to be sent by him, when their object has been accomplished, to the President of Emory and Henry College for preservation.
4. Let the presiding elder in person and through the canvassing committees keep in constant touch with the work in every charge.
5. Let each pastor appoint as many helpers as may be necessary to effect a thorough canvass of the entire membership.
6. Let all amounts from \$1.00 to \$5.00 be secured in cash, but on the installment plan if necessary; and let notes for larger amounts be made payable on or before January 1, 1901.
7. Let all moneys and notes secured be sent to James S. Kennedy, Treasurer, at Emory, Va., who shall carefully list the same, giving credit to the appropriate charge."

One year ago, this Conference adopted without a dissenting voice these words from the Educational Board: "Let us today resolve that the Church of Holston, as represented by us, shall accomplish not only the work we planned one year ago, but a much broader, deeper and grander work. Pass the word down the line, through all the ranks, that the battle is renewed from this hour, with ten-fold vigor; that we esteem victory more precious than life. Our plan of campaign in partial outline for the incoming year is as follows: 1. A specially vigorous prosecution of the work of securing Thank Offerings under the lead of each presiding elder, preacher, and special committees, in their respective districts, charges and churches from about October 21 to January 1st, 1901. 2. A continuance of this movement throughout incoming Conference year, under the regulations of last year, as published on pages 48 and 49 of our Annual. 3. We announce it as our fixed and unalterable purpose to pay off, first, our indebtedness on Emory and Henry, Martha Washington and Centenary Colleges, and then give to Emory and Henry the \$60,000 additional we hope to

secure for absolutely necessary improvements and the nucleus of endowment. Against any other direction of the offerings of our people (except what Bristol Methodism and friends in that town are doing for Sullins College, and what our friends and people in the particular pastoral charges where our academies are located are doing for their schools) we protest as most unwise, and tending to defeat our whole plan of endeavor."

That the foregoing utterances from your Board were clear, and fully appreciated by this Conference, we took for granted from the way you adopted them, from time to time, without a dissenting voice. But as to how nearly your non-dissenting vote has been verified, let facts and figures tell. Your Secretary's note-book shows the following record by districts:

	Subscribed.	Paid.
Cleveland District .....	\$ 4,001	\$ 1,718
Wytheville District .....	3,948	1,850
Spring City District .....	1,605	732
Big Stone Gap District .....	8,633	274
Morristown District .....	2,172	411
Tazewell District .....	1,446	358
Knoxville District .....	6,867	2,052
Abingdon District .....	38,417	25,000
Radford District .....	2,461	510
Chattanooga District .....	4,119	438
Total .....	\$73,869	\$33,343
Preachers .....	7,023	2,492
Grand total .....	\$80,692	\$35,835

From reports of the pastors, we get the following record:

1. Amount subscribed throughout the Conference .....	\$66,942 05	
2. Amount paid throughout the Conference.....	42,050 78	
3. Special directions of Offerings:		
	Paid.	
(1) To Emory and Henry College .....	\$ 5,775 20	\$ 3,873 45
(2) To Martha Washington .....	10,380 50	10,309 50
(3) To Sullins .....	25,010 00	16,010 00
(4) To Centenary .....	1,402 70	903 20
(5) To Pryor Institute .....	548 50	279 50
(6) To People's College .....	243 25	243 25
(7) To Jonesville Academy .....	3,000 00	
(8) To Princeton .....	581 35	558 00
(9) To Russell Academy .....	2,000 00	1,600 00
(10) For Training School at Henry's X Roads.....	1,007 00	
(11) For Training School at Rising Fawn, Ga.....	920 00	
(12) To Greeneville Orphanage .....	480 40	412 40
(13) To Radford District Parsonage .....	15 00	15 00
(14) To China Mission .....	135 00	135 00
(15) To Missionary Societies of the Women.....	306 25	281 00
Total .....	\$51,649 15	\$34,510 60
Amount subscribed and not directed .....		\$11,242 90
Amount paid in and not directed .....		6,262 15

The great discrepancy between the Secretary's report and that of the Pastors is accounted for in three ways: First. The \$7,023.00 subscribed by the preachers is not counted in their report; Second. Of the 168 pastors, 51 could not be induced to report at all, even after three urgent appeals to do so, and several of these are in our strongest charges; Third. Some of those reporting had never gotten the Pastor's Roll Book, and had lost the subscription list.

Brethren, this Twentieth Century Fund is a sacred fund—sacred as the hundred years of the blessings of God upon us, sacred as the cause for which it was given. We have promised our people a faithful, business-like record; nothing less than this will satisfy them; and nothing less than this is worthy of us. We make this final appeal to you:

1. Inasmuch as the Secretary, W. S. Neighbors, has agreed to continue the work of receiving and tabulating reports, let the preachers make out reports of those charges not yet reported, and send to him at earliest possible date.

2. Inasmuch as the work has not been thoroughly done, only about 25 per cent. of our 56,000 members having made an offering, we cannot do less than continue this work, at least until the next Annual Conference.

3. We must collect all that has been subscribed; the preacher in charge is the only person who can effectually do this work, or have it done. Some of the preachers have done well; but many have done very little, and some have done absolutely nothing.

4. Brethren, press this cause through the next Conference year, not only collect what has been subscribed, but seek to have all the rest of your members to make their offering.

## REPORT NO. 2.

Quite full reports have been received from Emory and Henry, Martha Washington, Sullins, and Centenary Colleges. We are pleased to note that Emory and Henry has, through the creation of a new chair and the addition of another professor, together with other possible changes, met the requirements of the standard recently published by the General Board of Education, and has reorganized and improved her preparation for doing preparatory work. The new session also shows an increase of nearly twenty per cent. over the registration at this period last year.

We do not think it necessary, or possible, for our Conference to sustain more than one college of the grade required by our Educational Commission, hence we have adopted for recommendation to the faculties and trustees of our Female Colleges courses of study extending through four years which a committee of practical educators, authorized by you at your last session, has drawn up and furnished us. We also adopt and recommend a course prepared in the same way for our academies.

The reports from Martha Washington, Sullins, and Centenary Colleges indicate some gratifying growth in important directions.

The following are the statistics:

	No.	Officers.	Pupils.	Value.
Emory and Henry College .....	1	9	112	\$100,000
Martha Washington College .....	1	18	193	50,000
Sullins College .....	1	18	178	80,000
Centenary College .....	1	18	188	75,000
People's College .....	1	5	100	10,000
Pryor Institute .....	1	6	105	30,000
Princeton Academy .....	1	6	125	4,000
Jonesville Academy .....	1	4	80	5,000
Mission Schools .....	3	3	107	
	11	87	1,188	\$408,000

A special committee, appointed a year ago to look into the legal status of our schools, wrote to each school for an abstract of title to be filed with the Conference Board; but, up to the present time, none has been sent in.

From the reports submitted we get the following figures of indebtedness:

Emory and Henry, \$16,961.56; Martha Washington, \$16,952.67; Sullins College, \$10,000; Centenary College, \$12,569; Princeton Academy, no debt; People's Academy, no debt; Pryor Institute, \$85.51; Jonesville Academy, no debt.

Having been grounded in the doctrine that the Annual Conference must assume the financial burdens of our schools and that said schools can succeed only as they share in the sympathy and effort of its members, we naturally conclude that such responsibility carries with it the further obligation of careful supervision of said schools upon the part of the Conference. We therefore recommend:

(1). That in the future all school property acquired by the Conference shall be deeded to the Church through the Conference Board of Education.

(2). That hereafter no school be established, no school building erected, or debts for property or buildings for school purposes be incurred



without the sanction of the Conference Board of Education, or its authorized representatives—who for the ensuing year shall be named by the President of this Board after pastoral appointments shall have been made, the persons thus named to constitute the executive committee of the Board.

(3). We recommend that in the future the trustees of each school under control of this Annual Conference be required to make an annual exhibit to the Conference Board of Education of its financial condition, including also such itemized statements of receipts and disbursements as are necessary to a clear understanding of its business administration, and that this exhibit be made not later than September 1, of each year.

(4). We request the Annual Conference to confirm the following nominations as the Auditing Committee of our Board, viz.: J. B. Ward, W. S. Neighbors and Creed F. Bates.

(5). We request the Executive Committee to ascertain and define the powers accorded the Boards of Visitors annually elected at the suggestion of Faculties and Trustees of our schools.

(6). We recommend that the Executive Committee herein provided for be recognized by the Conference as the agents of this Board, *ad interim*, in all transactions relating to the establishment, organization and enlargement of our school work, and that all correspondence on this subject be addressed to chairman of said committee.

(7). We recommend that the expenses of this Executive Committee be limited to \$100, to be paid out of our Conference Educational fund.

(8). We recommend that presiding elders, after consultation and with the endorsement of said Executive Committee, be authorized by this Annual Conference to secure teachers for localities where, in their judgment, schools should be established by us. That the presiding elders be further empowered to detail any of their preachers to the work of supervision and instruction in mission centers when in their opinion, with concurrence of the bishop in charge and the Executive Committee of this Board, more good can thus be accomplished than by our customary methods in mission fields.

(9). In conclusion it is to be explicitly observed that nothing contained in this report is to be construed as authorizing any one to involve either this Board or the Conference it represents in any financial obligation, or for any amount, however small. JAS. A. DUNCAN, *President*.

J. A. LYONS, *Secretary*.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Jas. S. Kennedy, Treasurer, in account with the Board of Education:

1901.		TWENTIETH CENTURY FUND.	
October 12.	Total amount subscribed in Notes .....		\$ 6,645 00
	To Emory and Henry College were divided in Notes .....	\$6,250 00	
	To Pryor Institute, divided in Notes .....	100 00	
	To Martha Washington College, divided in Notes .....	35 00	
	To Centenary College Notes .....	5 00—	6,390 00
	Leaving Notes undivided .....		\$ 255 00
October 8.	Cash receipts to date .....	\$5,651 26	
October 8.	Divided gifts in cash .....	1,902 90	
	Leaving as undivided gifts .....	\$3,748 36	\$ 3,748 36
1900.			
October 20.	Paid Dr. W. S. Neighbors on salary .....	\$1,500 00	
	On traveling expenses account .....	269 57	
1901.			
October 12.	Paid Dr. Neighbors on salary .....	1,500 00	
October 12.	Paid Dr. Neighbors traveling expenses .....	168 18	3,437 75
1901.			
October 12.	Paid J. S. Kennedy on salary for two years.....	\$ 675 00	675 00
	Total amount paid agent and treasurer .....		\$ 4,112 75

October 12. Amount paid on general expense account for printing, books and stationery, advertising, traveling expenses of members to special called meetings .....		212 47
For the two years, aggregating .....	\$ 4,325 22	
Total cost in money for the Twentieth Century Campaign, from its beginning to this date, October 1, 1901 .....	4,325 22	
October 8. Total undivided gifts to date .....	3,748 36	
Leaving balance .....	\$ 576 86	
October 12. Received during Conference on Twentieth Century offerings about	586 92	
Cash in Bank of Marion .....	\$ 85 43	
Deposits in Merchant's Bank .....	3,468 66	
	<u>\$3,554 09</u>	
Disbursing amount collected on Education.....	2,425 46	
Amount due Twentieth Century Fund .....	\$1,128 63	
Adding to this balance a cash note for .....	50 00	
Cash balance of Twentieth Century Fund .....	\$1,178 63	\$ 1,178 63

## RECEIVED ON EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENTS.

1901.		
October 12. Radford District .....	\$ 316 00	
Tazewell District .....	182 23	
Wytheville District .....	347 00	
Abingdon District .....	288 23	
Big Stone Gap District .....	216 50	
Morristown District .....	151 50	
Knoxville District .....	360 00	
Cleveland District .....	165 00	
Chattanooga District .....	259 00	
Spring City District .....	146 00	
Total from Districts .....	\$ 2,431 46	
Amount from Sunday School Board Children's Day Surplus paid in after conference last year .....	2 63	
	<u>\$ 2,434 09</u>	
Less amount of \$3.00 charged J. S. Kennedy, Treasurer, over paid in last year settlement .....	3 00	
Total receipts for 1901 .....	\$ 2,431 09	

## DISBURSEMENTS.

To R. G. Waterhouse, Treasurer of Emory and Henry College, for tuitions remitted to ministerial students .....	\$ 785 00
Towards support of Emory and Henry College .....	1,385 60
To general Board of Education .....	260 49
Total disbursements .....	<u>\$ 2,431 09</u>

The Board of Education asks the appointment of A. S. Thorn as principal of Athens Normal School; L. O. Adams, student in Asbury College; W. D. Akers, teacher in Asbury College, and Barney Thompson, principal of Russell Academy.

The assessment for Education for the year 1901-1902 is as follows: For our Conference, \$3,125; for Parent Board, \$375; for Paine and Lane Institute, \$500.

Executive Committee: W. S. Neighbors, R. G. Waterhouse, J. R. Hunter, J. B. Ward, W. L. Patton.

## C.

## BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

The Church can not put too much emphasis upon the necessity of a wise and systematic distribution of her Books and Periodicals. We first call attention to the fact that the business of the Publishing House is in a prosperous condition, and is constantly increasing in the volume of its productions and sales. Net gain in sales over last year was \$17,000; gain in assets, \$37,000. The secular book stores do not keep on their shelves our publications, therefore our people are dependent upon the preachers for the proper introduction of our books. In the sale of books we do well to get the publications that are most useful to our young people. They are the hope of the Church; what they read is of vital importance.

Our periodicals are worthy of all commendations. The "*Nashville Christian Advocate*," Dr. E. E. Hoss, Editor; the "*Midland Methodist*," by J. A. Burrow and Wm. Green; the "*Epworth Era*" for the Leagues, by Dr. H. M. Dubose; and the "*Children's Visitor*" for the Sunday Schools, by Dr. James Atkins, are our weekly issues for general circulation. The "*Sunday School Magazine*," the "*Review of Missions*," the "*Woman's Missionary Advocate*," and "*Our Homes*," are our monthly issues. The "*Methodist Review*," published bi-monthly and edited by Dr. J. J. Tigert; the Sunday School quarterlies, Little People and Lesson papers are our monthly issues. All these are most excellent publications, and should be circulated by us as a Conference. Their excellences are so well known, that they need no further commendation by us.

Special mention should be made of our general organ, the "*Nashville Christian Advocate*," and special organ the "*Midland Methodist*," the former of which is easily the peer of any publication of like grade, and should be put into every Methodist home. Its editor, while gentle and forbearing, has ably defended our institutions when attacked by unjust criticism.

The "*Midland Methodist*" has given perfect satisfaction under the skillful direction and able editorial management of Revs. J. A. Burrow and W. M. Green. It is believed by your committee that the circulation of this paper should be so increased that the whole time of the editor may be devoted to editorial work. The increased activity in church work demands, as never before, the wide circulation of our Church literature. Your committee would urge that each member of this Conference make an earnest effort to increase the circulation of the *Midland Methodist* which is so helpful to the Conference in its work.

"We recommend as members of the joint committee of publication for the ensuing year Rev. Eugene Blake, Rev. J. W. Perry, and Brother Z. T. Godwin, who have served us so acceptably for the past two years; and we further recommend that Rev. J. A. Burrow be appointed editor-in-chief."

We feel that it is impossible to over-estimate the importance of placing our Books and Periodicals in the homes of the people. During the coming year it is earnestly hoped that special attention will be given to this important feature of our work.

EUGENE BLAKE, *Chairman*.

J. A. H. SHULER, *Secretary*.

## D.

## BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Your Board of Missions has had supervision during the past year of forty-six missions. The full amount of the \$6,000.00 appropriated for their support has been paid, every missionary receiving what we promised to pay him. Six charges have during the year become self supporting: Grundy, Jaeger, Hillsville, Anderson Street, Jonesboro and Embreeville, and Whitwell. For the ensuing year the Board assumes control of 50 missions and has appropriated \$6,500.00 for their support as follows:

1 Allisonia .....	\$ 75 00	28 Jamestown .....	\$ 75 00
2 Athens Mission .....	100 00	29 Knoxville City Mission .....	450 00
3 Athens Station .....	100 00	30 LaFollette .....	75 00
4 Bluestone .....	100 00	31 Lenoir .....	50 00
5 Carnegie .....	100 00	32 Little River .....	100 00
6 Chapel Hill .....	100 00	33 Mountain City .....	75 00
7 Cleveland Circuit .....	100 00	34 Mt. Vernon .....	100 00
8 Clintwood .....	140 00	35 Moshiem .....	75 00
9 Coal Creek .....	150 00	36 New Hope .....	50 00
10 Crossville .....	75 00	37 Paulette .....	60 00
11 Damascus .....	140 00	38 Pocahontas .....	200 00
12 Davy and Panther .....	75 00	39 Ridgedale .....	100 00
13 Ducktown .....	250 00	40 Rockwood .....	100 00
14 Dunlap .....	175 00	41 Robertsville .....	175 00
15 East Buchanan .....	50 00	42 Rossville .....	110 00
16 East Chattanooga .....	175 00	43 Sagana .....	200 00
17 East Fifth Avenue .....	50 00	44 Stony Point .....	75 00
18 East Stone Gap .....	125 00	45 Trinity .....	300 00
19 East Wytheville .....	100 00	46 Tug River .....	125 00
20 Elizabethton .....	100 00	47 Virginia Avenue .....	150 00
21 Fall Branch .....	50 00	48 Washington .....	450 00
22 Flat Top Coal Field .....	300 00	49 Welch .....	75 00
23 Greeneville .....	50 00	50 West Buchanan .....	50 00
24 Hancock .....	200 00	Expense Fund Conference Mission-	
25 Harriman .....	200 00	ary Secretary .....	300 00
26 Highland Avenue .....	200 00	Expenses secretary .....	4 25
27 Hylton .....	100 00		

The assessments for the ensuing conference year are \$10,000 for Foreign Missions and \$7,000 for Domestic Missions, which we have apportioned as follows:

	Foreign.	Domestic.
Radford District .....	\$1,090 00	\$765 00
Tazewell District .....	1,055 00	770 00
Wytheville District .....	1,130 00	785 00
Abingdon District .....	1,045 00	735 00
Big Stone Gap District .....	820 00	570 00
Morristown District .....	1,000 00	700 00
Knoxville District .....	1,250 00	876 00
Cleveland District .....	840 00	586 00
Chattanooga District .....	1,106 00	757 00
Spring City District .....	670 00	470 00

We recommend the appointment of P. L. Cobb as Conference Missionary Secretary, without salary, and appropriate \$300.00 for an expense fund of which he shall have charge. This fund has yielded such excellent results in the dissemination of practical missionary intelligence, and the development of a missionary conscience among our people that we deem its continuance a necessity. The Board has adopted the following by-laws:

1st. The Conference Board of Missions shall consist of fifteen members, one-third of whom may be laymen.

2nd. The President of the Board shall have the authority to call a meeting whenever in his judgment business of such importance arises as can not properly be postponed until the regular annual meeting, and he shall select the place of meeting.

3rd. A committee shall be appointed each year to estimate what amounts shall be appropriated for the several missions, and report to the first meeting of the Board, which meeting shall be on the day preceding the opening of the Annual Conference session.

4th. An auditing committee of three members of the Board appointed by the President shall examine the books of the Treasurer and report at some time during the annual session.

5th. The policy of the Board shall be to reduce the appropriations to the different missions each year when at all practicable.

6th. The Board shall keep on hand a reserve fund of \$2,500 at least, to pay the first drafts of the missionaries and meet emergencies.

7th. The Board will not grant appropriations when it is evident, after careful examination, that an adjustment of the work could be made so as to avoid the necessity of such appropriation.

8th. The Board will decline to make appropriations in the absence of satisfactory information, and in order to obtain this information, will in-

sist on the blanks furnished by the Board being filled and returned by the presiding elder.

John Milton Brown has been elected a member of the Board.

The Committee on Estimates for the ensuing year, as provided for in the by-laws, are: L. L. H. Carlock, J. W. Perry and John Milton Brown, with the Conference Missionary Secretary as a member *ex officio*. The Auditing Committee are J. W. Smith, W. W. Hicks and P. L. Cobb.

Two interesting and profitable meetings have been held during the present session of our Conference. At one of these the Board and Missionaries discussed the problems of self support. At the other, which was a joint meeting of the Board and of the officers and members of the Woman's Home Mission Society, the Educational work so auspiciously begun in the Flat Top Coal Field was the topic for discussion.

The Board of Missions will co-operate with the Missionary Committee of the Epworth League Conference in holding a mid-year meeting, and the Board will meet on the day before and at the place where this meeting is held for the consideration of its own work.

We commend most heartily the promptness with which the collections were forwarded to the Treasurer during the past year. Four-fifths of the assessments were in the treasury six weeks before Conference. Is it not possible during the coming year to collect the entire amount by the end of the third quarter?

The Board is under obligations to Rev. J. W. Perry for the preparation of his most excellent pamphlet on Domestic Missions. The circulation of the pamphlet has done much to interest our people in this most vital topic.

E. W. MOORE, *President*.

D. V. YORK, *Secretary*.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

L. L. H. Carlock, Treasurer, in account with the Board of Missions:

	Dr.	
	Foreign.	Home.
To amount of balance from last year .....		\$ 4,507 66
To amount from pastoral charges .....	\$ 9,840 47	6,868 94
To amount of collections in Conference.....	159 53	131 06
	Cr.	
	Foreign.	Home.
By amount sent to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer, due bill from Dr. Hoss .....	\$ 25 00	
By amount sent to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer, February 8, 1901 .....	2,000 00	
By amount sent to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer, May 14, 1901 .....	2,000 00	
By amount sent to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer, June 10, 1901 .....	1,500 00	
By amount sent to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer, September 7, 1901 .....	2,500 00	
By amount sent to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer, September 16, 1901 .....	6 00	
By amount sent to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer, October 14, 1901 .....	1,969 00	
Total amount sent to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer .....	\$10,000 00	
By amount paid to Missionaries in the Conference .....		\$ 6,125 00
By amount paid to D. V. York, for expenses.....		4 25
By amount paid L. L. H. Carlock, Treasurer, for stationery .....		7 50
By amount paid for expenses to mid-year meeting .....		81 75
By amount paid P. L. Cobb, missionary secretary .....		259 89
By amount paid for protest fee on account of check of S. S. Catron .....		2 75
Total paid .....		\$ 6,481 14

E.

SPIRITUAL STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The spiritual state of the Church is of first importance. The reports of presiding elders and pastors show more than six thousand conversions in the Conference this year. This is a good showing, and encourages the hope that the gospel as preached by us is still the power of God unto salvation, and the promise of God that His word should not return unto Him void, has been kept. This year has been in marked advance of any previous year in the material development of our Church. A large number of churches and parsonages have been built. All missionary assessments have

been paid, and a healthy advance has been made on all other benevolent assessments of the Church. Our schools and colleges are prosperous; pastors, in the main, are well supported; Sunday Schools are increasing in numbers, and are well supplied with the best of literature, and, for the most part, are cared for by godly men and women. The Woman's Foreign and Home Missionary Societies are doing a good work; Epworth Leagues, Senior and Junior, are being better equipped each year for more effective work; the strength of the Church is being utilized today as, perhaps, never before in her history.

For all these things we thank God and take courage; whereunto we have attained we would hold fast and still walk by the same rule, and mind the same things, that no man take our crown. Notwithstanding all this the Spirit might justly say I have somewhat against thee. Our experience and class meetings are largely neglected. In olden times when they that feared God spake one to another, they attracted Divine attention, made history, and obtained a promise, "They shall be mine in that day saith the Lord." We are of opinion that family religion, throughout the church, is being neglected. This ought not so to be. Let us stand in the way and see, and ask for the old paths where is the good way that we may walk therein.

Your committee is of opinion that the greatest danger of the church today is worldliness—this is a money-making and money-seeking age. "Covetousness is idolatry," and there is no remedy for it but giving. We feel, therefore, that our personal comfort, as well as the best interest of the Church can be best served by an unreserved, full and willing consecration of heart, head, life and property, to the service of God, that we may have treasure in heaven and so follow our Lord.

J. T. FRAZIER, *Chairman.*

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## F.

### BIBLE CAUSE.

Fundamental to all Christian growth and development is the knowledge of the word of God; therefore it is obligatory upon those who are striving for the highest results attainable to the church, to aid by their efforts, prayers, and substance those institutions which have for their object the dissemination of the scriptures. The American Bible Society is recognized by the church as such an institution, and we at our last Conference, by resolution, acknowledged our obligations to it, by voting an assessment of \$800.00 to be raised along with the other collections ordered by the church. It is gratifying to your committee to note the readiness with which our people respond to this cause when it is presented to them. Of the \$800.00 assessed, \$567.05 have been paid to the treasurer, \$150.35 in advance of last year. In many sections of the Holston Conference, notably the coal fields and mountain sections, there are many homes destitute of the word of God. Much can be done to change this condition of things by the co-operation of the pastors with the agents who have been assigned to these sections.

Rev. Geo. D. French, D. D., of Morristown, Tenn., and Rev. John Pearson, 10 Roanoke, Ludlow Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio, are the agents who have charge of the territory which the Conference embraces. Rev. Mr. Wragg (colored) has been appointed by the A. M. B. S. to make a complete and systematic canvass of the south among the negroes in order that every home may have the Bible. Your committee feels that the Conference ought not to neglect the negroes at its doors in the matter of giving them the Bible.

Your committee recommends that the \$800.00 assessment be continued, and that each pastor do his best to bring up this claim in full; also that the pastor of Morristown station be made the treasurer of this fund for the Conference.

S. B. VAUGHN,  
C. W. DUNCAN.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

D. S. HEARON, Treasurer, in account with American Bible Society Fund, 1900-1901.

	Cr.	Dr.
*To total amounts reported collected .....		\$571 61
By amounts paid to Rev. G. D. French in checks on Merchant's Bank of Knoxville, Tenn .....	\$450 28	
In cash .....	12 80	
In amounts reported as receipted for .....	108 33	
By cash of ledger .....	20	
	\$571 61	\$571 61

D. S. HEARON, *Treasurer.*

G.

JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

Your Joint Board of Finance reports as follows:

APPROPRIATIONS.

Cunningham, Mrs. W. G. E. ....\$	00	Robertson, J. W. ....	75 00
Crismond, Mrs. J. M. ....	00	Robeson, Wm. ....	125 00
Bishop, Mrs. B. W. S. ....	00	Romans, J. M. ....	50 00
Davis, J. A. ....	00	Smith, Jacob ....	75 00
Grace, F. M. ....	00	Stewart, A. D. ....	105 00
Giddens, Mrs. R. A. ....	00	Swaim, M. P. ....	100 00
Kelly, W. H. ....	00	Woodward, A. E. ....	100 00
Frazier, Mrs. A. J. ....	00	Bellamy, Mrs. W. M. ....	50 00
Lyons, Mrs. E. T. ....	10 00	Bellamy, Mrs. J. R. ....	90 00
Miller, C. K. ....	00	Blankenbecker, Mrs. S. G. ....	85 00
McTeer, Mrs. J. M. ....	00	Chambers, Mrs. J. R. ....	180 00
Phillips, Mrs. Sewell ....	00	Crumley, Mrs. F. D. ....	90 00
Pope, Mrs. T. J. ....	00	Cunningham, Mrs. J. R. ....	75 00
Smith, Mrs. T. F. ....	00	Henderson, 5 children ....	100 00
Stradley, J. R. ....	00	Hicks, Mrs. W. W. ....	50 00
Wiley, Mrs. E. E. ....	00	Hutsell, Mrs. E. K. ....	50 00
Brown, J. H. ....	00	Hampton, Mrs. G. M. F. ....	25 00
Barnett, W. R. ....	50 00	Kite, Mrs. R. W. ....	170 00
Bates, W. H. ....	90 00	Kennedy, Mrs. J. H. ....	50 00
Belt, J. W. ....	100 00	Munsey, Mrs. W. E. ....	25 00
Bettis, E. S. ....	160 00	Pickens, Mrs. W. B. ....	25 00
Bruce, J. E. ....	175 00	Renfro, Mrs. G. W. ....	120 00
Carroll, C. T. ....	175 00	Robertson, Mrs. E. B. ....	135 00
Darr, J. A. ....	100 00	Smith, Mrs. D. R. ....	50 00
Dawn, W. H. ....	25 00	Smith, Mrs. J. T. ....	50 00
Delashmit, L. C. ....	75 00	Sutton, Mrs. P. S. ....	120 00
Doane, W. P. ....	25 00	Wampler, Mrs. J. F. ....	75 00
Haynes, L. K. ....	100 00	Waugh, Mrs. H. P. ....	75 00
Hickey, R. M. ....	100 00	Wheeler, Mrs. S. R. ....	75 00
Hickson, J. D. ....	100 00	Witcher, Mrs. Wm. ....	50 00
Hobbs, J. N. ....	75 00	Walker, Mrs. E. W. ....	165 00
James, C. M. ....	25 00	E. H. Cassidy on account of Henderson children .....	56 25
Kennedy, J. S. ....	100 00	Treasurer's expense .....	10 17
Mahoney, Jas. ....	200 00		
Mitchell, W. D. ....	100 00		
Neal, H. C. ....	160 00		
Payne, J. R. ....	90 00		
			\$4,696 42

*Resolved,* That the action of this Conference at its Morristown session of 1889, to take the Conference Claimants' Assessment separate and apart from all other collections, be re-affirmed.

*Resolved,* That we will use our earnest endeavors to raise in full the assessment for Conference Claimants.

ISAAC P. MARTIN, *Secretary.*

E. C. REEVES, *Chairman.*

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

## Report of the Treasurer of the Joint Board of Finance:

To amount received from Pastors .....	\$4,318 90
To amount received from Calvin Fund.....	30 00
To amount of interest from Wall Fund.....	207 78
To amount of interest from Chaffin Fund.....	30 00
To amount of interest from Waugh Fund.....	18 00
To amount of interest from Preachers' Aid Fund .....	42 00
To amount of the public collection ....	29 74
	\$4,676 42

## ASSESSMENTS FOR 1901-1902.

	Bishops	Conference Claimants	Paine & Lane	Gen. Conf. Expense	Edu- cation	Bible Cause
Radford .....	\$ 188	\$ 670	\$ 56	\$ 14	\$ 394	\$ 91
Tazewell .....	180	630	51	13	370	89
Wytheville .....	185	665	54	13	377	88
Abingdon .....	187	665	54	15	380	89
Big Stone Gap .....	143	500	41	10	288	67
Morristown .....	170	600	50	13	350	76
Knoxville .....	200	710	60	15	420	97
Cleveland .....	152	530	46	12	325	74
Chattanooga .....	186	660	55	12	385	86
Spring City .....	105	370	33	8	211	43
	\$1,696	\$6,000	\$500	\$125	\$3,500	\$800

S. T. M. McPHERSON, *Treasurer.*

## H.

## DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

Your Committee on District Conference Records begs leave to submit the following report:

We have examined the records of each District, except Radford, which was not before us. Tazewell District: This record is very neatly and systematically kept. It shows a great deal of pains by the secretary. Wytheville District: This record is very neatly and accurately kept. The only criticism we have to make is, that nowhere does the record show that a secretary was elected. Abingdon District: This record is very neatly kept. Big Stone Gap District: This is a splendid record, very well kept. Morristown District: This record is in good condition and very neatly kept. Knoxville District: Neat, systematic and well kept record. Cleveland District: We consider this record a model of neatness and accuracy. Chattanooga District: This record is very neatly kept. Spring City District: This record is in very good condition.

We find three of the records are kept in commercial ledgers and we recommend the use of regular District Conference Record Books.

J. W. HICKS, *Chairman.*

## I.

## TEMPERANCE.

A Methodist who is loyal to his God, his Church, and his country, must stand against, work against, fight against, and vote against the enemy—intemperance. "Drunkenness, or drinking spiritous liquors, unless in cases of necessity" is a crime in the eyes of God and man. A Methodist can not use liquor as a beverage, or manufacture it, or sell it, or sign petitions for its sale, or become a bondsman for obtaining a license, or rent property to be used for the liquor traffic. Our Church has but one voice on this great subject, and that voice has no uncertain sound, and it has been heard wherever Methodism has gone throughout the world. "Touch not, taste not," has been the cry, the example and the influence of the Methodist ministry in all our history, and we glory in that history.



In our own Conference, "the signs of the times" point towards a brighter future. Temperance is having victories, and we believe that the overthrow of liquor in Holston is a happy fact, surely approaching. In Tennessee, the Four-Mile law has practically removed all saloons from the rural districts. Liquor can not be sold within four miles of any institution of learning where there is no corporation. Indeed, far-reaching anti-liquor legislation passed the Tennessee lower house of representatives at the session of 1901, by the very remarkable majority of seventy-five; and the fight was led in the house by some of Tennessee's most promising young men. At that session, one law was enacted, under the provisions of which, any town or community in the State of Tennessee, of 2,000 population or less, may altogether exclude liquor by becoming incorporated under the provisions of that law.

In Virginia, the law has removed the sale of intoxicants from a great part of our territory. Indeed, your committee is informed that Holston has one presiding elder's district wherein there is but one saloon. And, furthermore, a constitutional convention is now in session in Virginia, and the liquor question is under consideration. The "Quarles Amendment," if adopted, will leave to the people of the locality the right to deny the saloon a place in their midst.

Not only do we find the law-makers of Tennessee and Virginia moving in the direction of temperance, but we find the great railways and other corporate enterprises in our country arrayed against this evil of drink. These corporations are seeking sober men, and it is now a rule of conduct that an employe is subject to discharge who uses liquor in any form, on or off duty. True, it may be said that this stand on the part of our quasi public corporations is taken for mere business interests and reasons, but the stand is encouraging, and it demonstrates the fact that the Church of God, on the one hand, and the country's business interests, on the other, are moving along parallel lines in a joint opposition to rum.

The outlook is full of encouragement, and the coming Conference year is a good time to renew the battle and carry it into every part of the territory. Your committee, however, notes some facts which are not so encouraging. We fear that too much laxity is practiced towards members of the Church who are known to be habitual dram-drinkers and even drunkards. We would urge our preachers to be stricter disciplinarians in this particular, believing it would be for the best interest of the Church and society.

*Resolved*, That this Conference designate the first Sabbath in January, 1902, as Temperance Day, and that every pastor, on the stations, shall preach, on that day, a sermon on this important subject, and that on all the circuits, the month of January, 1902, be set apart by the pastors to a like temperance movement.

J. L. JARMAN, *Chairman*.

W. G. M. THOMAS, *Secretary*.

## J.

### CHURCH EXTENSION.

We rejoice in the fact that there has been an increase of more than \$250.00 in the collection for Church Extension; also that the churches which have been erected are, as a rule, not only substantial, but of good design. Certainly these things indicate that our people are becoming more fully aroused to the great importance of this arm of the service. We believe that when the Church fully understands the importance of this department of church enterprise that deficiencies in the collections will become a thing of the past, and the assessments will be the minimum of payment. We believe that this much desired end can be attained when Church Extension is given the prominence of other missionary enterprises. For such it is, and of equal importance. Our pastors can not do successfully the work committed to them unless they have comfortable churches in which to assemble their congregations. A great crisis is upon us. No wide-

awake man can fail to read the signs of the times. Great commercial enterprises are being developed in our territory. If we meet the demands thrust upon us by erecting good churches of modern design (and manning them with good men, which is assured) success is certain. Then we will not be one whit behind in the wonderful strides of spiritual progress which will be made in the next few decades. If we fail to meet these obligations and privileges we should not whine when we are supplanted by other denominations.

Never perhaps have such pressing demands been made upon this Board. We can not meet these demands upon us with only thirty-five per cent. in the treasury of the amounts solicited. If hereafter the assessments are paid in full it will not only enable us to save the Bourne Memorial Church at Radford, Va., as well as others now in danger of being sold for debt, but it would enable us to help substantially in the erection of churches where most needed. In view of the pressing demands upon us it is

*Resolved*, That we pledge ourselves to use our utmost endeavor to collect in full the assessments for church extension.

The assessment on the Conference from the Parent Board is \$4,078.00 and is apportioned as follows:

Radford District .....	\$471	Knoxville District .....	\$501
Tazewell District .....	450	Morristown District .....	445
Wytheville District .....	501	Cleveland District .....	243
Abingdon District .....	468	Chattanooga District .....	501
Big Stone Gap District .....	278	Spring City District .....	220

The Board made the following appropriations:

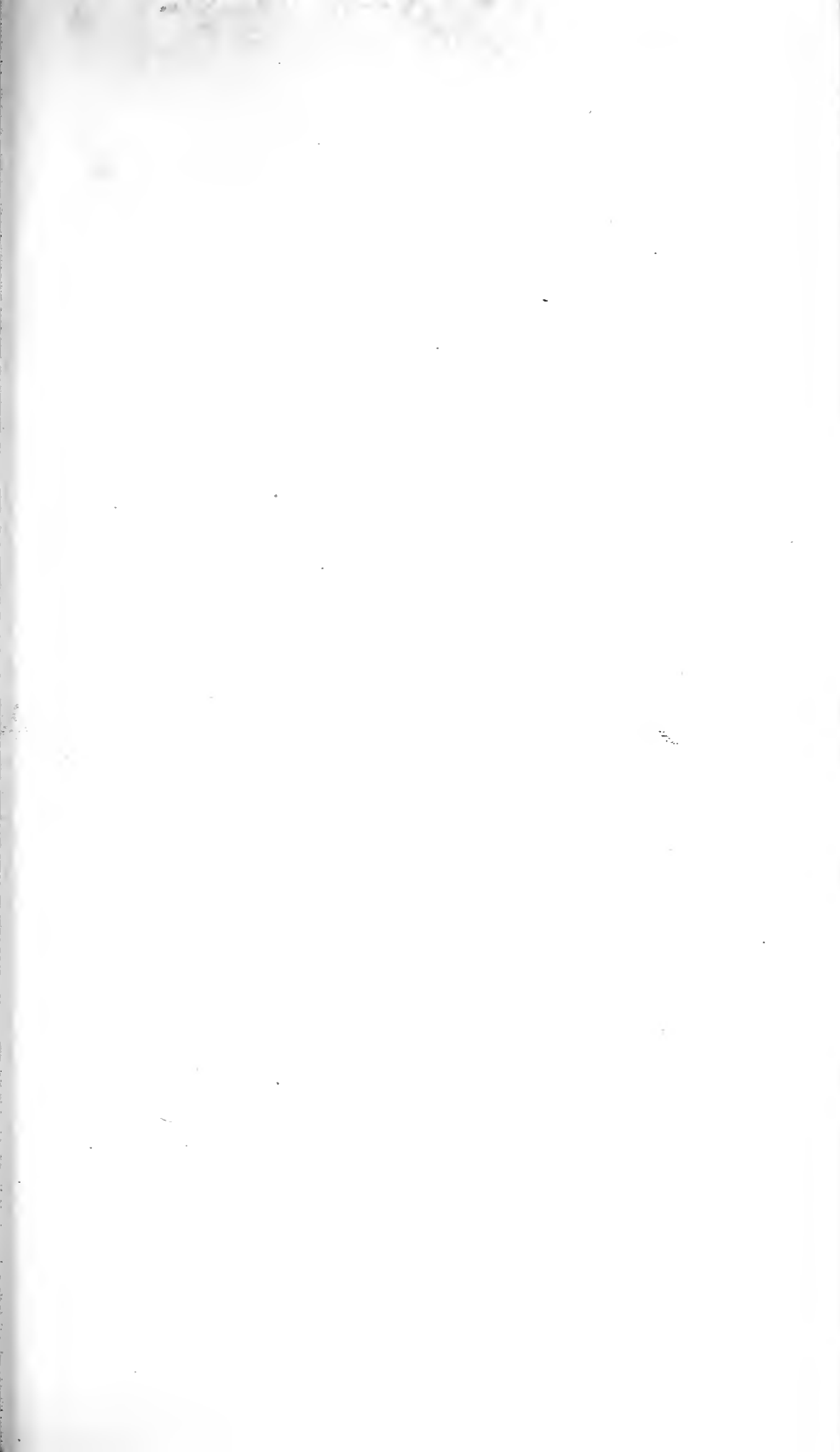
Riceville, Cleveland District .....	\$100	Ducktown, Cleveland District .....	\$ 40
Valley View, Knoxville District .....	35	Cades Cove, Knoxville District .....	50
Bethel, Morristown District .....	25	Pecks, Knoxville District .....	35
Crystal, Tazewell District .....	75	Crab Orchard, Spring City .....	65
Watauga Point, Abingdon District .....	175	Corryton, Knoxville District .....	75
Leona, Abingdon District .....	75	Virginia Avenue, Abingdon District .....	75
Central, Abingdon District .....	100	Sevier Chapel, Morristown District .....	65
Harriman, Spring City District .....	175	Washington Mills .....	200
Bishop, Tazewell District .....	50		

W. L. JONES, *Secretary*.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

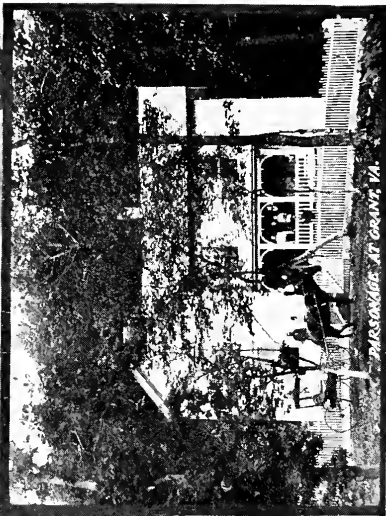
J. O. Straley, Treasurer, in account with the Church Extension Board of Holston Conference, M. E. Church, South:

	Dr.	Cr.
1900.		
Oct. 15. To balance on hand .....	\$ 10 75	
Oct. 15. To amount received from Pastors .....	2,565 00	
Oct. 15. To amount received for Morton Memorial Fund .....	11 00	
Oct. 15. To amount received for Galveston Relief Fund .....	308 95	
Oct. 15. By amount paid P. H. Whisner .....		1,572 45
Oct. 22. By amount paid E. Cassidy for Blountville Church .....		150 00
Oct. 22. By amount paid J. C. Maness for expenses .....		4 00
Nov. 20. By amount paid E. L. Rucker for Welch Church .....		45 00
Nov. 20. By amount paid J. E. Spring for Christian Church .....		30 00
Nov. 20. By amount paid J. C. Rodgers for Retro Church .....		40 00
Dec. 8. By amount paid E. S. Walker for Rose Hill Church .....		30 00
Dec. 8. By amount paid J. R. Hubbard for Looney's Church .....		50 00
Dec. 8. By amount paid J. W. Browning for Centenary Church .....		45 00
Dec. 8. By amount paid E. H. Ould for Norton Church .....		60 00
Dec. 8. By amount paid J. H. Groseclose for Rockwood Church .....		150 00
1901.		
Jan. 4. By amount paid J. H. Harris for Black Fox Church .....		50 00
Jan. 4. By amount paid J. W. Cate for Salem Church .....		35 00
Jan. 4. By amount paid E. H. Bogle for Simpson Church .....		20 45
Jan. 4. By amount paid J. A. Latture for Lebanon Church .....		45 00
Jan. 4. By amount paid W. P. Burhman for Lenoir Church .....		85 00
April 22. By amount paid W. T. Wolfe for Antioch Church .....		30 00
April 22. By amount paid J. O. Straley for Trinity Church .....		142 50
May 6. By amount paid T. D. Strader for Hillsville Church .....		85 00
July 16. By amount paid H. C. Thompson for Mt. Olivet Church .....		90 00
Sept. 24. By amount paid J. W. Perry for Highland Park Church .....		142 50
Oct. 14. To amount received from Pastors .....	2,840 66	
Oct. 14. By amount due P. H. Whisner .....		1,420 33
	<u>\$5,735 41</u>	<u>\$4,322 23</u>
Oct. 14. Total amount to be appropriated .....		\$1,413 18

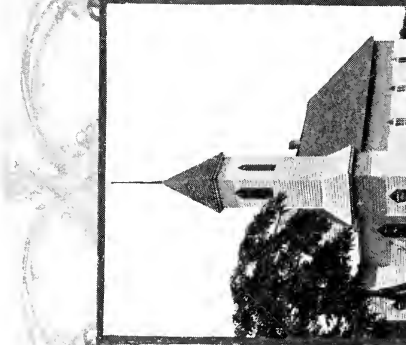




CHURCH AT RICEVILLE, TENN.



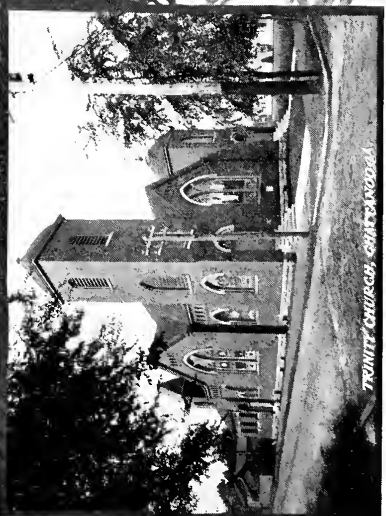
PARSONAGE AT CREAM, VA.



PARSONAGE AT WINDY HILL, VA.



PARSONAGE AT SWEET WATTS, VA.



TRINITY CHURCH, CHARLOTTE, N.C.

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## EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.

Your Epworth League Board begs leave to report as follows:

There are 190 Leagues in the Holston Conference, an increase of 13; with 6,215 members, an increase of 209. This shows a healthy growth, though not as great an one as last year.

The annual League Conference, held at Sweetwater, was in many respects, the best in our history; but one thing is to be deplored, viz., the smallness of the delegation from the Virginia part of the Conference. Some excuse is furnished by the distance, but the fact to which we called attention last year, that comparatively little attention is paid the League in that territory, is still patent. We commend to you the work done by this organization and the present officers, bespeaking for them your earnest sympathy and help.

The report of the general secretary shows an increased circulation of the "*Epworth Era*" and a consequent decrease in the deficit arising, not from its publication, but the official recognition and establishment of the League as a part of the church. We assure Dr. DuBose, its editor, of our appreciation thereof, and beg that the Leaguers of the Conference give it their earnest support.

As the report of the Committee on Nominations next year will very likely be handed in before this Board can report, we would now suggest that such ones be nominated as are officers of the Conference League organization, so that these officers and this Board may continue to work harmoniously.

J. S. FRENCH, *President*.

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## SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

The stability of our Christian civilization is due as much to the strict observance of the Sabbath as to any other one thing. The scourges of God, sent on the Israelites, were oftener to correct them for their failure to observe His Sabbath than for any other purpose. We can but deplore the fact that in some portions of our country the Sabbath is almost utterly ignored. With many it is a day of trafficking and of trading; with multitudes it is a day of pleasure seeking and of revelry. In view of an alarming and increasing tendency to Sabbath desecration, it behooves us, as a body of Christians, to openly express our disapproval, and earnestly to exhort our people not only to refrain from doing those things on the Sabbath, which are expressly forbidden by the word of God, but also from doing those things which are not in perfect harmony with the spirit of the day. Surely we should be willing to forego those things which are not necessary to be done, or which conduce, not to personal piety, but to personal gratification. The occasion is upon us when, in the spirit of self-denial for the good of others, and with a sincere love for the sacredness of the Sabbath, we should avoid even the appearance of evil. The ministry should set the example in this, as in all matters of Holy living.

We are glad to know that there is such an organization as the Sunday League of America, earnestly working to bring about a reformation in regard to the proper observance of the Sabbath. It should receive our hearty support.

S. S. WEATHERLY, *Chairman*.

GEO. E. PENN, *Secretary*.

## MEMOIRS.

### WILLIAM H. HENDERSON.

William H. Henderson was born September 29, 1846, in Sullivan county, near Paperville, Tenn. He was the son of Thos. J. and Sarah Henderson, of whom we know but little, but we are informed that they were honest, industrious, and good people. Brother Henderson joined the M. E. Church in 1865. About the same time, he was converted, though there is no record of the date of that important event. After reaching his majority he taught school, worked on a farm, and for several years was an engineer on the N. & W. R. R. He was married to Miss Laura A. Pippin, of Washington county, Virginia, in 1885. To this union were born five children,—four daughters and one son,—all of whom are living and are in the care of Mrs. E. E. Wiley, at the Greeneville Orphanage. Brother Henderson's early advantages were not the best. He had a life of much labor, but he made the best of his talents that his circumstances would permit.

He was licensed to preach by the M. E. Church in 1887, and the same year was admitted on trial into the Holston Conference, M. E. Church, and received regular appointments from that Conference until the fall of 1895, when he united with Holston Conference, M. E. Church, South, at Tazewell, Va., and was appointed to Bristol Circuit. He served with great acceptability the following charges: Bristol Circuit, Mendota Circuit, Grundy Mission and Decatur Circuit. He was a close and diligent student in matters of religion, and kept well informed upon all that was occurring in the religious and political world. But it was in the daily study of the Holy Scriptures that he took the deepest and most constant delight. Here he found the source of all his joy, his comfort, and his strength. He stored his mind full of its precious truths, and when in great sorrow and deep trouble they were his solace and comfort.

He had been in good health and spirits with the exception of a light attack of la grippe and a slight case of indigestion, but the doctor did not regard it as of a serious nature. He preached twice on Sunday, February 24, 1901,—in the morning at Decatur and in the evening three and one-half miles away at Stewart's Chapel. He was unusually happy and preached with great power and liberty. At the close of his sermon on Sunday evening, hearing of a sick member three miles away, he went to see her and spent the night with the family. He talked joyfully with the family about religion and the interest of the Church. He retired seemingly well, not complaining in the least, except that he felt a little tired from the day's labor. He was found next morning dead in his bed, just as he had retired. He had passed away some time during the night without a struggle, and a peaceful smile rested on his face. It was a great shock not only to his family and friends, but to the members and friends of the Decatur Circuit. No man in so short a time could hope to gain a higher place in all hearts. The people seemed to take to him at once and recognized him as a man of God. He was a faithful and earnest pastor, a good practical preacher and zealous worker. He had a fair education, and possessed a vigorous native intellect, all of which he consecrated to Christ and his church. He possessed a clear conception of the great doctrines of the Holy Bible and of Methodism and failed not to proclaim them with an earnestness born of a burning zeal for the salvation of immortal souls. Many souls saved by his life and preaching will doubtless rise up in the morning of the resurrection and call him blessed.

Brother Henderson was loved and respected by all who knew him. He never forgot a friend or a kindness. He was a man of clean lips and pure speech. He never murmured or complained at the hard places that fell to his lot, but like a good soldier of Jesus Christ he stood at his post, and discharged his duties like a hero that he was.

He desired to live that he might rear his children and serve his Savior and Church. His last conversation with the writer, about ten days before his death, was relative to his children and the Church. Said he, "I want to live to raise my children, and preach the gospel." He was laid to rest in the cemetery at Decatur, Tenn., on the evening of February 26, 1901, after suitable services conducted by R. P. Gouldy, J. A. Burrow and others.  
E. H. CASSIDY.

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#### E. W. WALKER.

E. W. Walker was born in Hawkins county, Tenn., September 10th, 1866, where he grew up like most country boys, working on the farm, and going to school as opportunity afforded. His father was a consistent member of the Primitive Baptist Church; his mother a devoted Methodist. She died when he was only ten years old, but she had well laid the foundation of a true Christian character in her son, and her dying request to meet her in heaven, was a perpetual inspiration to him to live a holy consecrated, Christian life, and had no little influence in causing him to become a Methodist preacher. He was converted in 1884 under the ministry of Rev. J. K. Wolfe, and from the first felt a strong conviction that it was his duty to preach, and at once began to exercise his gifts and graces, and soon thereafter entered upon his life's work. He was married to Miss Callie V. Kite, November 13th, 1887. The fruit of this union was six children, two of whom preceded their father to the heavenly rest—one, the baby boy, following after.

Brother Walker joined the Holston Conference at Morristown, Tenn., October, 1889. His first charge was Erwin Mission, a hard work, where he did effective service. In 1890 he was sent to Kingsport Circuit, which charge he served with great acceptability for three years. From there he went to Hawkins Circuit, in the bounds of which he had been brought up. There he remained until removed by the four year time limit. He was perchance more successful there than in any other field in which he labored. It was with profound regrets that his people gave him up. He went from there to Cumberland Gap Circuit for two years, and from there to Jasper Circuit for two years. While there his health began to decline. At Conference last fall at Chattanooga, he thought he was able for work and that, with a change of climate, he would be as effective as ever. He was sent to Welch and Panther, W. Va., where he arrived in due time and entered hopefully and heartily into his work with very encouraging prospects. His humble, affable and gentle Christian bearing won for him friends from the start; and had his health held up, he would no doubt have done a great work. The people were pleased with him, and he was pleased with them. His strength, however, instead of increasing as he had hoped, began to decline, and what his friends had feared, sure enough had happened—consumption, that invidious foe, had laid hold on him with an unrelenting grasp. When most men would have given up and stopped, he still kept on, visiting the sick when he ought to have been in bed himself, preaching the gospel when his voice was so weak that he could scarcely be heard, stopping in the midst of his discourse many times and gasping for breath he would still declare the message of life and salvation. He seemed determined to die at his post. When he had to surrender it was without a murmur. He said to the writer time and again, "it is hard to have to quit work, but it is the Lord's will and I know it is right." During his illness and great suffering his physician told me that he could not understand how he could bear it all and never complain. Many who were with him much said they never saw such an exhibition of Christian patience in any one. His people stood by him nobly and did all that was possible to be done for his temporal comfort. I never saw a greater exhibition of kindness and devotion than the people of every Church showed, and those who were of no Church.

But in spite of physicians and kindly attention Brother Walker had to die. The last religious service held with him was conducted by J. W.

Browning and J. W. Rader, and at his request his baby boy was dedicated to God in holy baptism. At this service he requested them to sing the hymn, "Just a Little While," and as the song was being sung he became very happy, and said, "Tell my brethren that all is well, that there is not a cloud in my sky." "All that bothers me," said he, "is leaving my wife and little ones alone in the world." Truly it may be said, his was a useful life, and a triumphant death. In May, 1901, the weary wheels of life stood still, and his soul went away to live with God. The funeral services were conducted in the Methodist church in Welch, where he had preached his last sermon, by J. W. Browning, J. W. Rader, J. R. Hunter and T. R. Handy, his presiding elder. His remains the next day were laid away in the cemetery at Graham, Va., to await the resurrection of the just.

T. R. HANDY.

#### MRS. A. D. STEWART.

Mrs. Jane Bennett Stewart, daughter of B. L. and Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett, was born November 27, 1841, in Marion county, Tennessee, and died at Dunlap, Tennessee, September 20, 1901, aged 59 years, 9 months, 23 days. She was twice married: First to John R. McCulloh, of Georgia; the second time to Rev. A. D. Stewart, on the 1st day of February, 1866. By her first marriage she was possessed of one daughter and by the second, of three sons and four daughters—eight children in number, all of whom are alive and were present at her funeral. She was converted in her 15th year while attending school at McMinnville, Tennessee, and soon thereafter joined the M. E. Church at Chapel Hill in Sequatchie county, Tennessee. For 45 years she exemplified and adorned the life of Christ, 35 years of that period being spent in the arduous and responsible position of an itinerant's wife.

To human ken Sister Stewart's life seemed complete. She filled up the measure of three score years, living to see all her children grown and members of the Church. She reached the superannuate period of a Methodist preacher's life, settled in her own home with all her family close around her. Finally she ascended in holy triumph, while brother and sisters, husband and children were witnesses to the beauty of her translation.

She filled to the brim the measure of wife and mother. In all the years of his peculiar calling the heart of her husband safely trusted in her and she did him good all the days of her life. To her children she was a wise counsellor and a thorough companion, opening unto them her mouth with wisdom and revealing the law of kindness under her tongue. "Our quiet afternoon talks with mother," said one of her daughters—herself a matron—"were the strength and inspiration of our lives." All of her family listened to mother when she counselled and felt secure when walking in the ways of her admonition.

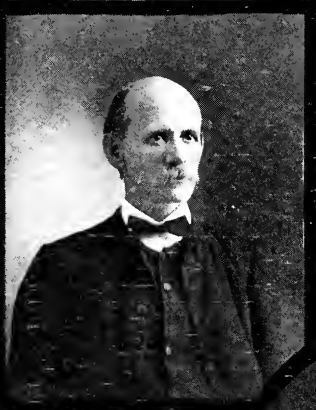
Her personal Christian character was strong and symmetrical—rich in coloring and mellow with ripeness. With the eye of faith she constantly beheld the things not seen, hence never fainted by the way. Hope burned sweetly in her heart and she helped the despairing. Her love was perfected with that perfection that casteth out all fear. She was a most careful woman in her speech, and, in her discretion, was a most edifying example to all. In her, patience had its perfect work, long years of suffering thoroughly refining her even as gold is purified by fire.

In the late afternoon of a March day, one standing in the beautiful Sequatchie Valley, with the Walden Ridge to the east and the splendid Cumberlands towering upon the west, would have noted ascending clouds of smoke betokening fire in the mountains. With dusk came the red glowing lines which, with deepening night, became white sheets of glorious flame, ranging the mountain sides as far as the eye could see, throwing upon nature's background of night a panorama of glory and beauty never to be forgotten. So in the last years of Sister Stewart, amid pain and suffering, gentleness, patience and joy, Christliness in heavenly flame blazed and was glorified, until suddenly the sun shone and she was hid forever in Him.

J. D. McALISTER.







W.H. HENDERSON,  
BORN, SEP. 29, 1846,  
DIED, FEB. 25, 1901.



E.W. WALKER,  
BORN, SEP. 10, 1866,  
DIED, MAY 23, 1901.



MRS. A. D. STEWART,  
BORN, NOV. 27, 1841,  
DIED, SEP. 20, 1901.

In  
Memoriam



## MRS. M. P. SWAIM.

Mrs. Lou L. Swaim, whose maiden name was Kirklin, was born in what was then Marion county, Tennessee—the county occupying the lower portion of Sequatchie Valley—May 2, 1840. The writer became acquainted with her mother, a most estimable lady, in 1852, and knew the daughter as a modest, retiring girl. Mrs. Kirklin was at the time a widow, and she discharged her duties as mother and head of the family with remarkable wisdom and dignity, as well as with unremitting motherly affection. Her pious influence left its impress upon her family; and Mrs. Swaim began life with a thorough bent towards good manners, virtue and religion. She was happily married to the Rev. Mitchell P. Swaim, of Holston Conference, April 26, 1859, and was to the end of life a devoted companion, dividing his sorrows and augmenting his joys for more than forty years. She died at her home near Morristown, Tenn., August 28, 1901, aged 61 years, 3 months and 26 days.

Mrs. Swaim was baptized in her infancy, and brought up in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, the Church of her mother. She made a public profession of Christ, and formally united with the Church in her 17th year. She was not demonstrative in her religious experience even on revival occasions; but she was often profoundly stirred, especially under the solemn preaching of the Word. In her religious and social life she was naturally timid and retiring; but she was as true to the principles of truth and right as the needle to the pole, not fearing to challenge even the opinions of the great and wise, if she believed them to be in conflict with the truth. She bowed to truth rather than to authority. Being of a quiet nature she made acquaintances slowly, but always grew upon them; and having made friends, she easily retained them. She left a stricken husband and two children, but has gone to join two children, who had preceded her to the skies.

“Thus star by star declines,  
Till all are passed away,  
As morning high or higher shines  
To pure and perfect day,  
Nor sink those stars in empty night,  
But hide themselves in Heaven’s own light.”

R. N. PRICE.

THE HOLSTON ANNUAL

Table No. 1.  
MEMBERSHIP, BAPTISMS AND CHURCH PROPERTY.

NAME OF CHARGE	Local Preachers	Total Members this year	Total Members last year	Additions on Prof'n Faith	Additions by Certif. etc.	Removals by Death, Cer. &c.	Infants Bap.	Adults Bap.	No. Societies	No. Churches	Value of Churches	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Value of Other Prop'ty	Money expended for Churches & Parsonag.
<b>Radford Dist.</b>															
Radford, Grove Ave	1	271	159	28	14	30	9	15	1	1	\$ 1,500	1	\$ 700		\$ 115
Auburn	1	465	458	15	2	10	1	4	6	5	6,500	1	700		250
Floyd	3	332	316	12	13	9			4	4	3,600	1	500		203
Hylton	1	187	205	2	2	4		2	6	6	2,000				8
New River	1	450	393	33	38	15		12	6	3	5,800				38
Newbern	3	371	300	50	21	1	3	25	6	5	9,000	1	2,000	\$ 1,000	
Pulaski		260	316	11	11	78	7	3	1	1	7,000				47
Allisonia		250	263	15	4	32		9	6	4	3,200		700		150
Staffordsville	1	533	619	22	4	112	9	9	8	7	7,700	1	1,500		72
Pearisburg	2	686	786	39	9	100	12	11	7	7	6,000	1	1,600		
East River	2	313	307	14	8	18	4	10	7	4	4,000				
Athens	4	192	185	4	9	6	9	3	3	2	2,350	1	1,000		200
Athens Ct.	2	220	217	5	3	5	1	5	5	7	2,400	1	500	50	200
Princeton	3	372	377	95	11	111	10	48	4	4	3,500	1	1,500	8,200	50
Bluestone	3	399	393	44	2	40	9	17	6	5	2,800	1	400		
Vines		47									500				
Bluefield, Bland St.		314	262	30	22	12	4	22	2	1	2,000	1	3,500		1,650
Bluefield, Grace Church.	1	250	250		5			3	1	1	1,562				125
Total	25	5912	5806	425	178	588	78	198	85	67	\$71,412	13	\$14,600	\$9,250	\$3,108
Increase		106		255				121	4	1		1	3,850		547
Decrease	2				197	219	5				2,638			575	
<b>Tazewell Dist.</b>															
Tazewell	3	420	398	24	9	11	14	8	2	2	\$ 8,000	1	\$ 3,500		\$ 468
Liberty Hill	1	513	517	7		11	4	5	8	4	8,100	1	1,500		200
Cedar Bluff	1	264	252	23	3	14	2	13	5	4	5,300	1	1,200	\$ 100	30
Honaker*		256	256	7	2	2	10	4	7	5	5,000				1,000
Grundy	6	38						27	11	2	1,500	1	580		
West Tazewell	1	413	401	2	10			8	4		3,000				
Clear Fork	4	538	764	102		17	11	71	10	9	14,500				30
East Tazewell	2	483	481	5	2	5		5	7	5	7,500	1	500		4,300
Graham		332		10	48	47	5	5	2	2	8,000	1	1,500		118
Pocahontas	1	154	122	12	22	2		5	1	1	5,000	1	2,500		
Tug River	1	306	267	38		1	14	38	9	4	1,500				20
Cooper & Coaldale		81	54	21		3		21	2	3	4,500				250
Bramwell & Goodwill	1	153	149	11	13	20	3	7	3	3	6,500	1	6,000		35
Elkhorn & Maybeury		57	94	1	10	48	2	1	2	1	2,000				2,000
North Fork	1	45	21	13	11	1	1	6	2	2	4,000				
Eckman & Keystone		116	74	12	38	8	1	10	3	3	4,800	1	700		40
Welch & Panther	1	11			6	1	2		2	1	1,000	1	700		
Leager		62	20	42				14	6						
Total	23	3986	3614	323	172	189	59	236	83	50	\$ 85,200	10	\$18,600	\$ 100	\$7,491
Increase		372		207	10			166			200				2,522
Decrease	2					118	10		1	6		2	1,950	25	
<b>Wytheville Dis.</b>															
Wytheville	1	315	315	1	9	10	14		1	1	\$ 8,000	2	\$ 5,500		\$ 35
Wytheville Ct.	2	1030	936	106	8	22	39	14	9	9	14,000	1	2,000		95
East Wytheville		389	370	26	4	11	33	8	10	4	2,500				15
Marion	3	313	281	27	42	10	3		1	1	8,000	1	1,500		80
Marion Ct.	1	625	575	50	10	10	15	40	8	7	10,500	1	2,000		145
Mount Airy	4	656	621	17	35	20	34	3	5	5	8,000	1	2,000		115
Cedar Springs	1	431	418	10	17	14	32	7	6	6	6,250	1	650	\$ 300	145
Grant	2	586	544	45	5	10	1	15	10	10	7,500	1	1,600		300
Independence	3	403	343	36	32	8		20	7	4	4,000	1	650		250
Elk Creek	2	635	607	30	5	9	1	16	7	6	9,000	1	1,000	75	60
Spring Valley	5	704	706	12	5	19	9	7	7	7	10,400	1	1,100		480
Old Town	4	642	648	35	35	41	4	29	11	7	7,600	1	1,200	25	45
Hillsville	3	667	620	8	55	16	5	46	9	9	7,000	1	2,000		500
Lead Mines	2	469	583	35	6	114	20	25	6	4	4,500	1	2,000		150
Max Meadows	6	540	546	16	10	32	90	12	5	4	5,700	1	1,800		968
Seddon	6	851	800	38	13	13	14	16	11	5	5,000	1	1,000	150	170
Sharon	2	604	608	9	11	19	15	7	9	6	4,000	1	1,000		60
Total	38	9862	9516	501	302	378	329	265	122	96	\$122,550	17	\$27,000	\$ 550	\$3,468
Increase		346		78		85		98		2	1,540				
Decrease	2					225		57		2			200	1,475	4,426

\*Reports received too late to get in totals.

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<b>Abingdon Dist.</b>															
Abingdon	1	330	358	3	6	19	6	1	1	1	\$ 10,000	2	\$ 5,000	\$60,000	.....
Abingdon Ct.	3	554	520	25	6	8	12	9	9	8	4,500	1	1,000	.....	\$ 100
Bristol, Main St.	1	657	635	12	59	46	9	5	1	1	21,000	1	1,500	70,000	456
Bristol, Mary St.	1	218	171	20	42	17	4	8	1	1	3,000	1	2,500	.....	267
Bristol, Anderson St.	2	350	229	61	91	31	8	40	1	1	4,000	1	2,500	.....	1,400
Bristol Ct.	1	303	481	3	12	193	.....	2	6	4	3,200	1	400	.....	35
Bristol Mission	1	353	.....	49	35	5	2	35	7	3	3,300	.....	.....	.....	800
Rich Valley	1	431	.....	2	14	.....	4	.....	6	5	5,800	1	1,600	240	300
Saltville	1	459	479	1	12	33	.....	6	4	.....	9,000	.....	.....	259	198
Emory	5	557	536	44	38	61	10	21	6	6	8,200	1	1,200	100,000	1,390
Holston	3	498	384	67	9	37	2	44	6	6	4,500	.....	.....	400	15
Blountville	3	553	810	76	1	63	10	41	7	6	1,675	1	1,200	400	639
Bluff City	1	536	543	8	8	23	10	4	7	4	5,000	1	1,200	.....	120
Elizabethton	1	168	134	21	13	.....	2	19	2	1	4,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mountain City	1	166	162	2	3	1	5	2	7	3	4,000	1	1,100	.....	200
Roan Mountain	1	31	28	2	4	3	.....	3	3	2	800	.....	.....	100	437
Mendota	1	309	324	19	6	9	8	12	9	5	5,300	1	500	.....	25
Total	26	6773	5794	415	359	549	92	242	85	62	\$ 97,275	13	\$19,700	231,399	\$ 6,382
Increase	3	979	.....	20	142	224	.....	5	8	1	.....	1	3,150	20,949	.....
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,300	.....	.....	.....	4,399
<b>Big Stone G. Dis.</b>															
Big Stone Gap	1	259	146	24	2	8	16	.....	4	3	\$ 8,700	2	\$ 5,700	\$ 175	\$ 354
East Stone Gap	1	216	210	8	.....	2	1	.....	7	2	2,000	1	1,200	.....	1,200
Wise	1	340	210	120	20	10	1	43	4	4	6,200	1	1,000	300	617
Clintwood	2	237	275	15	.....	2	8	16	6	4	2,500	1	700	.....	.....
Elk Garden	3	492	432	63	2	5	.....	32	4	3	8,000	1	1,500	.....	50
Lebanon	1	355	346	8	1	.....	4	6	6	4	5,600	1	3,500	12,000	2,500
Dickensonville	4	593	571	15	3	8	5	10	8	6	8,000	1	900	225	20
Castlewood	3	229	186	35	16	8	7	32	5	2	1,500	1	1,000	.....	115
Clinch Valley	3	350	400	19	6	7	.....	5	12	4	2,000	1	500	.....	900
Clinchport	1	426	378	15	53	7	8	38	10	4	2,700	1	500	.....	600
Gate City	1	173	140	30	11	.....	10	21	5	4	5,000	1	1,700	.....	1,000
Kingsport	3	474	544	16	2	7	13	13	9	6	4,925	1	750	.....	840
Hawkins	2	470	449	22	4	3	20	9	8	6	6,000	1	800	100	2,100
Surgoinsville	1	240	251	.....	9	26	.....	6	5	.....	4,200	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pennington Gap	1	533	460	22	69	18	10	20	9	7	4,800	1	800	.....	75
Jonesville	4	582	647	91	10	157	6	47	8	9	8,600	1	1,000	4,000	900
Powell's Valley	5	515	512	11	3	11	7	6	10	6	3,500	1	400	.....	10
Cumberland Gap	2	232	250	4	10	32	2	.....	6	5	5,000	1	800	.....	60
Tazewell	2	296	378	20	2	6	4	9	9	2	1,000	1	500	.....	27
Total	34	7012	6785	538	223	317	122	307	136	87	\$ 90,225	19	\$23,300	\$17,000	11,368
Increase	1	227	.....	187	124	112	11	71	.....	5	5,996	1	2,075	16,985	3,123
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<b>Morristown Dis.</b>															
Morristown	3	420	417	2	18	17	2	1	1	1	\$ 3,000	1	\$ 3,000	.....	\$ 190
Morristown Ct.	1	433	414	25	8	15	6	23	6	6	6,500	1	1,500	.....	308
Tate Spring	2	430	426	9	1	6	1	6	7	4	3,000	1	500	.....	.....
Rutledge	2	314	302	9	7	4	.....	5	3	.....	3,000	.....	\$ 25	.....	.....
Rogersville	1	261	261	10	5	15	.....	5	3	2	3,500	1	2,500	.....	100
St. Clair	1	671	636	100	20	75	.....	60	10	8	11,200	1	1,500	.....	1,000
Warrensburg	2	364	391	15	1	43	3	5	9	6	7,400	1	700	50	100
Greenville	1	142	123	13	19	13	5	12	1	1	3,500	1	1,000	.....	630
Greenville Ct.	2	369	288	81	.....	15	81	3	6	6	5,000	1	1,000	5,000	.....
Rheatown	1	236	231	2	15	12	.....	5	4	4	5,000	1	1,000	.....	204
Jonesboro	1	212	137	1	90	15	1	1	2	2	4,500	.....	.....	500	100
Jonesboro Ct.	3	149	175	.....	4	22	.....	7	6	.....	2,400	1	1,000	200	355
Fall Branch	1	199	176	.....	8	.....	.....	15	.....	5	4,000	1	550	500	200
Johnson City	1	447	380	45	22	14	1	27	2	2	3,500	1	1,250	.....	250
Mossy Creek	1	299	304	1	.....	6	.....	2	5	5	5,000	1	1,500	.....	134
Newport	1	338	332	4	2	9	.....	1	2	2	4,000	1	2,500	.....	.....
Total	19	5284	4993	332	220	266	34	244	67	63	\$ 74,000	15	\$18,150	\$ 6,275	\$3,571
Increase	2	291	.....	51	51	.....	.....	4	.....	3	.....	.....	5,850	1,258	.....
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	112	8	.....	2	.....	9,900	.....	250	.....	.....

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<b>Knoxville Dist.</b>																
Knoxville, Church St....	664	577	88	63	64	15	29	1	1	1	\$ 52,500	1	\$12,000		\$ 781	
Knoxville, Broad St.....	522	521	31	40	76	23	16	1	1	1	36,000	1	2,500		108	
Knoxville, Centenary .....	442	369	49	24	42	15	27	1	1	1	5,000			700		
Knoxville, Highland Ave.	290	265	20	5	23	6	15	1	1	1	3,500					
Knoxville, E. Fifth Ave.	151	150	20	15	32	2	8				3,000				725	
Knoxville, Fountain City.	108	114			12	2		1	1	1	8,000	1	3,500		41	
Clinton .....	163	162	20	4	23		17	2	2	2	4,250	1	2,000		208	
Robertsville .....	210	202	12	5	6	7	4	9	5	5	2,600			800	462	
Knoxville Ct. ....	216	286	6	6	12	4	4	7	5	6	5,700			150	135	
Macedonia .....	324	276	38	22	12	3	17	5	6	6	7,000	1	1,000		194	
Paulette .....	259	243	40	13	14		40	5	4	4	3,500	1	350			
Andersonville .....	299	298	16	2	17	13	16	7	6	6	4,250	1	850			
Coal Creek .....	176	139	55	3	21	2	37	2			2,300	1	900		234	
Jacksboro .....	227	216	8		9		11	7	5	5	3,650	1	1,000		90	
Sievierville .....	448	442	28	4	26	3	21	6	6	6	10,300	1	1,200		175	
Strawberry Plains .....	413	371	23	40	21	2	16	6	6	6	10,500	1	341	500	66	
Little River .....	260	206	62	1	3	2	59	6		2	2,000			50	720	
Knoxville City Mission..	24		18	6	8		18									
Total .....	19,520	4,837	534	260	421	99	355	69	58	58	\$164,050	12	\$25,641	\$ 2,200	\$3,934	
Increase .....	1,365		202		45	21	62	140							1,203	
Decrease .....											1,650		309	250		
<b>Cleveland Dist.</b>																
Cleveland .....	5,297	266	25	17	11	5	9	1	1	1	\$ 16,600	1	\$ 2,500	\$75,000	\$1,465	
Cleveland Ct. ....	1,186	195	1	4	13		1	6	6	6	3,200			50	40	
Charleston .....	2,345	312	55	3	25	3	39	7	6	6	3,500	2	1,000			
Riceville .....	1,234	230	18	11	25	7	14	10	7	7	6,300	1	750	200	3,000	
Athens .....	167	178	3	7	21	2	2	1	1	1	5,000			250	25	
Carlock .....	216	273	8	1	6		4	4	3	3	1,800	1	500	500	175	
Ducktown .....	84	82		9	7		2	2			1,300					
Sweetwater .....	489	482	10	9	12	2	6	3	3	3	13,700	1	3,000		79	
Madisonville .....	1,280	262	20	7	9	8	9	4	4	4	3,000	1	1,000	200	122	
Mt. Vernon .....	3,336	329	8	4	5	5	8	7	6	6	2,600				774	
New Hope .....	180	179	3	2	4		3	7	6	6	3,350	1	500		35	
Philadelphia .....	206	242	3	8	48	4	3	6	5	5	7,800	1	1,000		80	
Lenoir .....	212	154	5	75	22		1	3	2	2	5,500	1	1,750		371	
Louisville .....	2,352	330	18	28	14	12	12	9	7	7	9,800	1	1,000	10	3,100	
Maryville .....	125	110	21	1	7		6	1	1	1	7,500	1	1,000		119	
Total .....	18,370	3,624	198	186	229	48	117	71	61	61	\$ 90,950	12	\$14,000	\$76,210	\$9,885	
Increase .....	85		70	39	6		13	1			3,750				7,510	
Decrease .....	6		9										100	350		
<b>Chattanooga D.</b>																
Centenary .....	2,104	1,066	6	29	57	2	1	1	1	1	\$ 40,000	1	\$ 5,000		\$ 433	
Trinity .....	1,179	141	30	40	32	8	22	1	1	1	15,000				2,820	
E. Chattanooga .....	1,168	145	9	22	13	1	5	1	1	1	600				833	
Highland Park .....	227	230	18	15	36	2	5	1	1	1	6,500				3,713	
Ridgedale .....	133	120	5	1	7		3	1	1	1	1,600					
St. Elmo .....	200	223	20	32	15	14	9	1	1	1	5,500	2	6,500	\$ 500	60	
Whiteside St. ....	1,377	426	3	21	108		3	1	1	1	7,500		700		325	
Hill City .....	146	158	1	1	14	2	1	1	1	1	2,500			100		
Hamilton .....	187	191	1	1	6		1	5	4	4	2,000	1	300		428	
Ooltewah .....	1,284	364	8	10	100	1	5	7	5	4	4,000	1	650		60	
Trenton .....	1,307	408	4		105	1	4	6	4	4	5,000	1	1,500	100		
Rising Fawn .....	341	334	5	15	13		5	6	4	4	2,500					
Aetna .....	245	550	4	2	305		1	7	3	3	2,000	1	600	50	10	
Rossville .....	127	95	31	20	19	2	24	1	1	1	1,700				150	
Total .....	13,402	4,451	145	223	830	33	89	40	29	29	\$ 96,400	7	\$15,250	\$ 750	\$8,332	
Increase .....	428		68	76	188		16	57	1		4,900		6,115	197	1,932	
Decrease .....	6											2				

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<b>Spring City Dis.</b>															
Spring City .....	1	284	250	29	49	15	2	20	4	2	\$ 2,600	1	\$ 1,500		\$ 156
Evansville .....	1	330	332	4	4	13	1	1	2	4	2,500	1	600		150
Dayton .....	2	221	227	7	13	12	1	10	2	2	3,000	1	1,500		100
Pikeville .....	1	146	173	11	10	48	1	9	1	1	3,000	1	600	\$10,000	103
Dunlap .....	1	169	104	11	54	4	1	11	1	1	1,500	1	750		36
Whitwell .....	3	202	187	15	3	13	10	6	3	2	2,900	1	800		340
Jasper .....	1	197	138	12	53	18	2	3	3	1	4,600	1	800	30,000	65
Squachee .....	1	296	263	23	7	14	4	20	5	5	4,400	1	800		285
South Pittsburg .....	1	150	173	3	8	2	3	3	1	1	2,000				
Decatur .....	1	561	521	33	7	52	9	25	8	8	4,450	1	1,200		11
Harriman .....	12	88	76	1	19	2	1	1	1	1	1,500			800	40
Rockwood .....	1	115	117	7	17	26	3	6	1	1	7,000	1	1,250	3,600	
Kingston .....	1	325	327	12		14		9	2	6	7,000	1	1,000		45
Stony Point .....	1	132	127	5				7	1	1	1,500				21
Crossville .....	3	278	277	4	4	7	1	3	6	3	1,000			100	150
Jamestown .....	3	141	129	11		3	3	10	6	2	1,000				
Total .....	19	3644	3426	181	242	255	43	133	69	46	\$ 51,950	11	\$ 10,800	\$ 44,500	\$ 1,502
Increase .....		218			116		2	28			4,600		725	25,225	
Decrease .....	4			12		74			2						3,928

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS	Local Preachers	Total Membr's this year	Total Membr's last year	Additions on Prof'n Faith	Additions by Certif. etc.	Removals by Death, Cer. &c	Infants Bap.	Adults Bap.	No. Societies	No. Churches	Value of Churches	No. Parson'ges	Value of Parsonages	Value of Other Prop'ty	Money expend for Churches & Parsonag.
Radford.....	25	5912	5806	425	178	588	78	198	85	67	\$ 71,412	13	\$ 14,000	\$ 9,250	\$ 3,108
Tazewell.....	23	3986	3614	323	172	189	59	236	83	50	85,200	10	18,600	100	7,491
Wytheville.....	38	9862	9516	501	302	378	329	265	122	96	122,550	17	27,000	550	3,468
Abingdon.....	26	6773	5794	415	359	549	92	242	85	62	97,275	13	19,700	231,399	6,382
Big Stone Gap.....	34	7012	6785	538	223	317	122	307	136	87	90,225	19	23,300	17,000	11,368
Morristown.....	19	5284	4993	332	220	266	34	244	67	63	74,000	15	18,150	6,275	3,571
Knoxville.....	19	5202	4837	534	260	421	99	355	69	58	164,050	12	25,641	2,200	3,384
Cleveland.....	18	3709	3624	198	186	229	45	117	71	61	90,950	12	14,000	76,210	9,385
Chattanooga.....	13	4023	4451	145	223	830	33	89	40	29	96,400	7	15,250	750	8,332
Spring City.....	19	3644	3426	181	242	255	43	133	69	46	51,950	11	10,800	44,500	1,502
Total.....	234	55407	52846	3592	2365	4022	937	2186	827	619	\$ 944,012	129	\$ 187,041	\$ 388,234	\$ 58,541
Increase.....		2561		653	280		140	352	9	13			13,106	66,021	1,474
Decrease.....	21					256					3,502	1			

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NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder		Preacher in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants		Foreign Missions	
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid
<b>Radford District</b>										
1 Radford, Grove Ave. ....	\$ 133	\$ 133	\$ 800	\$ 800	\$ 16	\$ 17	\$ 55	\$ 56	\$ 95	\$ 120
2 Auburn .....	83	73	500	437	11	11	38	38	70	70
3 Floyd .....	56	39	340	236	8	4	25	10	45	45
4 Hylton .....	25	11	155	79	3	3	7	7	15	15
5 New River .....	69	58	416	365	12	9	48	35	84	89
6 Newbern .....	110	111	660	667	17	17	56	56	95	103
7 Pulaski City .....	116	116	700	700	16	16	55	55	95	120
8 Allisontia .....	58	44	350	262	8	5	27	18	47	28
9 Staffordsville .....	92	85	550	511	12	10	45	25	75	75
10 Pearisburg .....	116	116	700	700	14	14	50	50	85	85
11 East River .....	50	30	300	179	4	4	15	15	27	27
12 Athens .....	57	50	345	350	4	4	15	17	27	31
13 Athens Ct. ....	45	21	280	126	3	3	8	8	16	16
14 Princeton .....	100	100	600	600	10	10	35	35	70	70
15 Bluestone .....	56	40	336	237	8	8	23	23	42	43
16 Vines .....	10	6	60	18	1	1	1	1	7	2
17 Bluefield, Bland St. ....	200	200	1,200	1,200	21	21	75	75	129	129
18 Bluefield, Grace Church..	108	78	650	472	11	11	40	9	65	35
Total .....	\$1,484	\$1,311	\$9,042	\$7,939	\$179	\$168	\$618	\$532	\$1,089	\$1,103
Increase .....	84	113	70	298	1	17	1	32	1	14
Decrease .....										
<b>Tazewell District</b>										
1 Tazewell .....	\$ 116	\$ 118	\$ 700	\$ 708	\$ 13	\$ 13	\$ 46	\$ 46	\$ 84	\$ 87
2 Liberty Hill .....	100	72	600	437	13	10	46	20	84	70
3 Cedar Bluff .....	83	77	500	468	9	9	31	31	57	69
4 Honaker* .....	75	29	450	193	8	4	30	15	54	25
5 Grundy .....	33	15	200	101	4	4	15	15	26	26
6 West Tazewell .....	72	27	431	162	10	5	34	6	63	46
7 Clear Fork .....	133	103	800	700	18	18	61	6	111	95
8 East Tazewell .....	100	59	600	337	13	5	45	10	82	82
9 Graham .....	100	100	600	625	13	13	46	46	82	82
10 Pocahontas .....	67	53	400	318	6	6	21	21	38	38
11 Tug River .....	33	8	200	53	6	1	19	19	35	7
12 Cooper & Coaldale.....	75	75	450	450	6	6	21	21	39	39
13 Bramwell & Goodwill .....	133	133	800	800	12	12	39	39	72	72
14 Elkhorn & Maybeury .....	93	90	557	535	8	2	27	20	50	50
15 North Fork .....	94	94	563	563	7	6	21	17	44	44
16 Eckman & Keystone .....	143	133	800	800	12	10	43	43	77	77
17 Welch & Panther .....	102	102	610	610	8	4	26	10	48	48
18 Ieager .....	21	18	125	101	2	2	6	2	11	5
Total .....	\$1,573	\$1,277	\$94.46	\$7,788	\$168	\$108	\$577	\$347	\$1,057	\$937
Increase .....	277	225		883					9	
Decrease .....						47		126		131
<b>Wytheville District</b>										
1 Wytheville .....	112	\$ 112	\$ 800	\$ 800	\$ 15	\$ 15	\$ 50	\$ 50	\$ 94	\$ 101
2 Wytheville Ct. ....	98	98	700	700	15	15	50	50	94	94
3 East Wytheville .....	35	29	250	206	4	4	13	13	24	24
4 Marion .....	112	112	800	800	15	15	50	50	94	95
5 Marion Ct. ....	98	98	700	700	15	15	50	50	94	100
6 Mount Airy .....	77	77	550	558	9	9	29	30	58	58
7 Cedar Springs .....	73	61	525	433	7	7	26	26	50	54
8 Grant .....	70	57	500	421	7	7	26	26	50	53
9 Independence .....	73	64	525	460	8	8	29	29	58	61
10 Elk Creek .....	78	66	525	478	10	10	36	36	70	71
11 Spring Valley .....	63	63	450	450	9	9	34	34	60	60
12 Old Town .....	59	55	425	390	8	8	26	15	49	41
13 Hillsville .....	46	46	330	350	7	7	22	4	45	45
14 Lead Mines .....	84	87	600	625	13	13	42	42	80	83
15 Max Meadows .....	84	75	600	535	12	12	40	40	75	85
16 Seddon .....	84	84	600	600	12	12	40	40	75	78
17 Sharon .....	70	70	500	500	9	9	34	34	60	60
Total .....	\$1,313	\$12,54	\$9,380	\$9,006	\$175	\$175	\$597	\$569	\$1,130	\$1,163
Increase .....	25	5	180	75		6		12	30	9
Decrease .....										

\*Reports received too late to get in totals.



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No. of Charge	Domestic Missions		Church Extension		Education		Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Mission Society	American Bible Society	Paine & Lane	Gen. Conf. Ex.	Other Objects	Total from All Sources
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid							
1	67	86	41	42	35	36	121	128	9	6		451	2,005
2	46	46	30	30	24	24	40		5		3		777
3	32	32	18	6	16	5			1		1		715
4	12	12	6	6	6	6			1				127
5	47	52	36	13	31	6		25	3		2		767
6	68	70	42	42	36	36		48	8	5	6	125	1,294
7	67	82	41	41	35	35	80		1		2	13	1,266
8	33	23	20	5	16	5			8	1	2	5	613
9	56	56	34	8	26	8	20		3	2	2	270	1,075
10	63	63	40	40	31	149	82		3	6		145	1,451
11	20	20	11	11	10	10			3	2	1		302
12	20	24	11	13	10	10	16	14	3			153	925
13	12	12	6	6	6	6	5		2	2			428
14	50	50	30	30	25	25			6			5	931
15	29	29	12	12	16	15				2	1		728
16	6	2	1	1	1								59
17	91	91	55	55	47	47	131	83	5	6		42	3,843
18	47	21	29	10	24	11	20						877
	\$766	\$771	\$463	\$371	\$395	\$434	\$515	\$298	\$61	\$34	\$18	\$1,209	\$18,183
5	5	19	1	24	1	143	307	20	32	7	47	2,076	160
1	61	63	35	35	29	29	105	83	7	4		94	2,066
2	61	45	35	5	29	10	25						884
3	42	42	24	24	20	20			5	3		150	898
4	40	25	23		19								272
5	19	19	11	2	9	2					3		189
6	46	46	27		22				2				281
7	81	49	47		39								1,049
8	60	60	34		29								573
9	59	59	34	34	28	28	42	128	7	4		254	1,618
10	28	28	16	16	13	13	8	25	3	2	4		535
11	26	7	15		12	2						30	112
12	28	28	16	16	13	13			3	2	2		805
13	52	52	30	30	26	26			7			35	1,206
14	37	37	21	5	18	18			2	1			2,841
15	32	32	19	15	15	10							781
16	56	56	32	19	27	11		45					1,195
17	35	35	20		17					1	1		811
18	8	5	2	2	4	2					2		188
	\$771	\$663	\$444	\$203	\$369	\$184	\$180	\$281	\$36	\$17	\$12	\$563	\$15,982
6	6	104	2	150	2	109	143	110	19	14	40	4,143	2,000
1	65	65	41	41	32	32	137		8	5		150	1,516
2	65	65	41	41	32	32	85		8	5		204	1,397
3	16	16	10	10	9	9			1	1			332
4	65	65	41	41	32	32	37	56	8	5			1,316
5	65	75	41	41	32	32	25	5	8	5			1,154
6	40	42	25	25	20	20	20	6	3	3	1		1,122
8	35	38	22	22	16	16	32		3	2		60	753
7	35	35	22	22	16	16			3	2			1,035
9	40	43	25	25	20	20			5	3			718
10	50	50	31	31	23	23			5	3		230	1,003
11	42	42	27	27	20	5			1	1			692
12	34	30	22	11	16	8			1	1	2		573
13	32	32	18	10	15	10	11		1	1	4	1	1,156
14	55	58	35	35	27	27	17	100	7	4			1,426
15	52	52	33	28	25	20			7	4		1,088	1,947
16	52	52	33	33	25	25	53		7	4	6	300	1,294
17	42	42	27	27	20	20		30	5	3		10	893
	\$785	\$802	\$494	\$470	\$380	\$347	\$417	\$197	\$81	\$52	\$13	\$2,063	\$18,827
20	20	13	14	35		7	50	186	48	10	64	213	3,322

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NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder		Preacher in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants		Foreign Missions	
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid
<b>Abingdon Dist.</b>										
1 Abingdon .....	\$ 120	\$ 120	\$ 800	\$ 800	\$ 19	\$ 19	\$ 64	\$ 64	\$ 111	\$ 111
2 Abingdon Ct. ....	63	55	425	374	8	4	29	20	52	52
3 Bristol, State St. ....	240	240	1,600	1,600	30	30	100	100	175	175
4 Bristol, Mary St. ....	90	90	600	600	11	11	38	38	66	66
5 Bristol, Anderson St. ....	75	75	500	500	7	7	26	26	45	45
6 Bristol Circuit .....	60	46	400	319	5	5	18	18	32	32
7 Bristol Mission .....	41	39	275	259	4	4	14	14	24	24
8 Rich Valley .....	90	83	600	552	13	13	44	44	76	76
9 Saltville .....	82	68	550	453	11	8	37	30	65	65
10 Emory .....	95	92	630	615	14	14	48	50	80	81
11 Holston .....	78	64	522	423	10	10	34	34	60	63
12 Blountville .....	98	97	652	652	14	14	48	48	80	95
13 Bluff City .....	60	49	400	330	8	1	28	3	51	51
14 Elizabethton .....	67	55	450	365	8	2	28	10	50	33
15 Mountain City .....	49	38	325	257	5	3	18	8	32	32
16 Roan Mountain .....	15	13	100	67	2	2	3	3	10	10
17 Mendota .....	49	44	325	290	6	5	20	17	36	36
Total .....	\$1,374	\$1,268	\$9,154	\$8,456	\$175	\$152	\$597	\$527	\$1,045	\$1,047
Increase .....	74	57	455	353		4		52		71
Decrease .....										
<b>Big Stone Gap Dist.</b>										
1 Big Stone Gap .....	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 600	\$ 600	\$ 9	\$ 9	\$ 33	\$ 33	\$ 56	\$ 56
2 East Stone Gap .....	25	25	150	150	3	3	12	12	21	21
3 Wise .....	116	125	700	750	8	8	27	27	49	49
4 Clintwood .....	33	34	200	204	3	3	12	12	21	21
5 Elk Garden .....	100	100	600	600	10	10	33	33	60	60
6 Lebanon .....	100	100	600	578	10	10	33	33	60	60
7 Dickensonville .....	83	78	500	469	8	8	28	28	48	48
8 Castlewood .....	57	37	343	223	7	5	22	5	40	40
9 Clinch Valley .....	47	27	286	185	3	2	11	10	25	20
10 Clinchport .....	51	37	310	227	5	5	20	10	36	24
11 Gate City .....	100	78	600	500	10	7	33	14	60	60
12 Kingsport .....	60	46	360	277	7	6	23	10	40	40
13 Hawkins .....	66	67	400	400	8	4	25	5	45	27
14 Surgoinsville .....	47	34	282	240	5	1	20	6	35	35
15 Pennington Gap .....	83	83	500	500	9	9	27	27	50	50
16 Jonesville .....	100	86	600	516	10	10	33	33	60	60
17 Powell's Valley .....	63	47	381	283	7	7	25	25	42	50
18 Cumberland Gap .....	83	85	500	556	8	8	27	27	50	52
19 Tazewell .....	45	28	270	170	3	3	9	9	20	20
Total .....	\$1,364	\$1,217	\$8,183	\$7,428	\$133	\$118	\$453	\$359	\$820	\$793
Increase .....	61	127	268	927		33		125	5	70
Decrease .....										
<b>Morristown Dist.</b>										
1 Morristown .....	\$ 162	\$ 162	\$ 800	\$ 800	\$ 21	\$ 21	\$ 75	\$ 75	\$ 134	\$187
2 Morristown Ct. ....	87	66	600	457	12	12	42	25	77	67
3 Tate Spring .....	65	37	465	259	8	1	30	5	46	46
4 Rutledge .....	40	33	300	227	5	2	18	5	36	15
5 Rogersville .....	70	65	500	432	10	10	32	32	58	35
6 St. Clair .....	85	76	525	465	13	6	42	30	77	77
7 Warrensburg .....	45	37	310	256	5	3	22	5	44	15
8 Greeneville .....	80	80	500	500	10	4	35	10	66	44
9 Greeneville Ct. ....	40	20	360	202	5	1	18	2	36	9
10 Rheatown .....	61	53	339	297	6	1	27	10	52	52
11 Jonesboro .....	71	71	500	500	10	10	32	32	58	58
12 Jonesboro Ct. ....	30	14	250	112	4		14	5	25	10
13 Fall Branch .....	40	26	360	237	6	3	18	4	36	36
14 Johnson City .....	136	136	800	830	18	18	60	60	96	100
15 Mossy Creek .....	86	73	500	410	13	10	40	30	76	36
16 Newport .....	101	93	700	616	14	11	45	28	83	83
Total .....	\$1,200	\$1,042	\$7,799	\$6,600	\$160	\$113	\$550	\$358	\$1,000	\$870
Increase .....		24	44					3	1	
Decrease .....				33						129

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No. of Charge	Domestic Missions		Church Extension		Education		Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Mission Society	American Bible Society	Paine & Lane	Gen. Conf. Ex.	Other Objects	Total from All Sources
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid							
1	\$ 80	\$ 80	\$ 50	\$ 39	\$ 43	\$ 16	\$163	\$ 88	\$15	\$ 6	\$ 5		\$ 1,526
2	36	36	23	12	20	11			1	1	1		630
3	124	124	78	78	65	65	61	134	15	10	2	\$ 719	4,051
4	46	46	29	29	24	24		115	6	3	1	14	1,686
5	32	32	19	19	16	16		320	4	1	1	1,992	3,161
6	22	22	14	12	10	10		47	2	1	1	28	596
7	17	17	10	10	8	8			2	2	1	800	1,180
8	53	53	33	33	25	25	35	20	5	4	3	397	1,348
9	46	46	29	20	23	13	20	65	3	2	2	213	1,033
10	55	56	36	36	31	32	103	65	7	4	2	1,471	2,628
11	42	45	25	25	20	20		16	5	2	2		887
12	55	66	36	36	31	31		76	7	4	2		1,873
13	37	37	23	1	20	2							474
14	36	23	22	4	19	3							495
15	22	22	14	10	10	10		125	2				747
16	7	7	3	3	2	2				1	1	437	545
17	25	25	16	13	13	11							440
	\$735	\$737	\$460	\$380	\$380	\$289	\$382	\$1,071	\$74	\$39	\$24	\$ 6,071	\$23,270
	5	47		41		33	49	220	37	3	31	4,507	3,191
1	\$40	\$40	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20		\$145	\$ 5	\$ 3	\$ 3	\$ 256	\$ 2,041
2	17	17	7	16	7	18		3				50	281
3	34	34	16	16	18	18		317	4	3	3		2,166
4	15	15	7	7	10	10			2	1	1		454
5	42	42	20	20	21	21			5	3	3	195	1,092
6	42	42	20	20	21	21	\$40		5	3	3	12,070	12,995
7	35	35	16	16	19	19			4	3	3		761
8	30	30	13	3	16	3		5			1	155	506
9	20	20	8	8	8	5			1		1	900	1,179
10	23	20	10	5	10	5			1			600	934
11	42	42	20	14	20	7		141	1	1	1	1	1,580
12	20	20	13	10	14	7			2	2	2	3	1,302
13	30	30	14	7	15	10			2	2	1		533
14	23	23	10	4	11	3			1	1	1	73	421
15	36	36	17	17	18	18			5	3	3		979
16	42	42	20	15	20	18		3	4	2	2	1,041	1,832
17	29	33	14	14	15	15			2	2	1		476
18	35	35	18	18	18	18			3	3	2		804
19	15	15	7	7	7	7		4	1		2		266
	\$570	\$571	\$270	\$221	\$288	\$225	\$40	\$618	\$48	\$22	\$31	\$15,344	\$30,622
		146		106		122		618	48	5	7	13,899	16,271
1	\$ 90	\$ 90	\$ 58	\$ 58	\$ 47	\$ 47	\$123	\$ 78	\$30	\$ 6	\$ 8	\$ 515	\$ 2,200
2	53	41	33	5	25	8			5	2	4	15	708
3	39	39	25	4	19	8	5		9			91	504
4	25	22	16		10								304
5	40	20	25	10	20	10		60	7	3	3		837
6	54	54	33	5	24	2					1		716
7	30	10	19	2	10	2		76	2				404
8	46	36	30	9	21		16	67	2	1	1	732	1,502
9	25	11	15		10								246
10	35	35	21	5	20	8	76		4	1	1		790
11	40	40	25	25	20	20	11	24	5	3	2		801
12	18	12	10	3	10				5			55	216
13	25	25	16	3	10	4							341
14	70	70	44	44	45	45			9	4	7		1,293
15	50	23	31	6	24	5	10	7			2	158	
16	60	60	36	9	35	3	42		6			10	961
	\$700	\$588	\$437	\$188	\$350	\$162	\$283	\$312	\$34	\$20	\$29	\$1,576	\$11,823
						2		234					3,263
		110					119	156	12				

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NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder		Preacher in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants		Foreign Missions	
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid
<b>Knoxville District.</b>										
1 Knoxville, Church St....	\$ 365	\$ 365	\$ 3,500	\$ 3,500	\$ 50	\$ 50	\$175	\$185	\$ 325	\$ 342
2 Knoxville, Broad St....	170	170	1,250	1,250	25	25	80	80	150	200
3 Knoxville, Centenary....	80	80	900	900	10	10	35	35	65	130
4 Knoxville, Highland Ave..	50	40	600	400	6	6	25	25	40	40
5 Knoxville, E. Fifth Ave..	50	50	450	450	8	8	25	25	45	75
6 Knoxville, Fountain City.	60	60	450	450	6	7	25	26	55	58
7 Clinton .....	60	60	400	495	6	6	25	25	55	68
8 Robertsville .....	35	25	245	175	5	3	15	7	30	20
9 Knoxville Ct. ....	50	38	300	224	6	3	25	3	40	18
10 Macedonia .....	65	65	500	500	10	8	30	18	60	60
11 Paulette .....	40	30	275	222	6	2	20		35	20
12 Andersonville .....	50	30	350	207	6	2	25	3	50	10
13 Coal Creek .....	35	35	325	300	6	6	20	20	35	35
14 Jacksboro .....	70	65	420	402	10	8	35	30	70	70
15 Sevierville .....	90	90	630	630	12	12	43	40	85	85
16 Strawberry Plains .....	90	83	600	554	12	7	44	36	85	85
17 Little River .....	30	22	215	158	5		10		20	20
18 Knoxville City Mission..	10	10			1	1	3	3	5	10
Total .....	\$1,400	\$1,318	\$11,410	\$10,817	\$190	\$164	\$660	\$561	\$1,250	\$1,346
Increase .....		26		984		6		57		96
Decrease .....										
<b>*Cleveland Dist.</b>										
1 Cleveland .....	\$ 140	\$ 140	\$ 800	\$ 800	\$ 19	\$ 19	\$ 70	\$ 70	\$ 115	\$ 115
2 Cleveland Ct. ....	23	14	200	116	3	1	11	1	19	19
3 Charleston .....	70	56	430	337	10	3	35	5	57	35
4 Riceville .....	70	70	430	430	10	2	35	7	57	57
5 Athens .....	70	70	450	450	10	10	35	35	57	60
6 Carlock .....	44	30	300	300	6	2	22	4	36	36
7 Ducktown .....	55	55	400	400	8	8	27	27	45	45
8 Sweetwater .....	128	128	700	718	18	18	64	64	105	105
9 Madisonville .....	69	49	420	305	9	5	34	12	57	57
10 Mt. Vernon .....	26	11	180	75	3	2	13	5	22	22
11 New Hope .....	35	23	200	140	5	2	17	8	28	28
12 Philadelphia .....	88	88	522	522	12	12	44	44	72	72
13 Lenoir .....	54	41	400	307	8	6	27	16	44	44
14 Louisville .....	75	59	500	437	10	6	38	7	62	62
15 Maryville .....	78	78	500	500	11	2	39	8	64	64
Total .....	\$1,025	\$912	\$6,432	\$5,837	\$142	\$98	\$511	\$313	\$340	\$321
Increase .....	15	14	227	330		4		20		64
Decrease .....					8				88	
<b>Chattanooga Dist.</b>										
1 Centenary .....	\$ 420	\$ 450	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$ 55	\$ 55	\$243	\$274	\$ 332	\$ 463
2 Trinity .....	80	82	500	511	10	10	26	26	64	65
3 East Chattanooga .....	40	40	250	276	5	1	15	3	31	23
4 Highland Park .....	130	130	800	800	16	16	52	52	103	103
5 Ridgedale .....	65	35	400	213	8		18	1	51	22
6 St. Elmo .....	130	130	800	800	16	16	49	49	103	103
7 Whiteside St. ....	122	122	750	750	15	15	40	20	96	96
8 Hill City .....	75	53	455	352	9		32		60	
9 Hamilton .....	40	24	350	208	5	2	16	4	31	12
10 Ooltewah .....	65	50	400	305	8	4	26	10	51	22
11 Trenton .....	80	43	500	274	10	1	28	3	64	5
12 Rising Fawn .....	48	48	300	300	6	6	18	18	38	38
13 Aetna .....	65	45	400	300	8	4	26	10	51	30
14 Rossville .....	40	32	250	200	5	5	16	16	31	31
Total .....	\$1,400	\$1,284	\$3,652	\$2,789	\$176	\$135	\$605	\$486	\$1,106	\$1,013
Increase .....	200	161		827		17		79	35	
Decrease .....			830	827						194

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	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid
<b>Spring City Dist.</b>										
1 Spring City .....	\$ 60	\$ 47	\$ 350	\$ 291	\$ 6	\$ 6	\$ 20	\$ 20	\$ 40	\$ 40
2 Evansville .....	65	38	450	266	6	6	21	15	44	44
3 Dayton .....	86	86	600	600	8	8	29	29	58	58
4 Pikeville .....	72	72	450	450	7	7	24	24	48	48
5 Dunlap .....	73	73	400	400	7	7	24	24	49	49
6 Whitwell .....	60	36	375	200	6	6	20	10	40	40
7 Jasper .....	85	77	500	453	8	3	28	6	57	57
8 Sequachee .....	60	60	400	400	6	6	20	20	40	40
9 South Pittsburg .....	85	85	550	600	8	8	28	28	57	57
10 Decatur .....	80	75	456	411	8	6	26	26	53	53
11 Harriman .....	50	29	300	179	5	5	16	16	33	33
12 Rockwood .....	60	60	340	380	5	5	20	5	40	40
13 Kingston .....	75	34	400	179	7	3	25	2	50	50
14 Stony Point .....	24	19	165	130	2	2	8	8	17	17
15 Crossville .....	35	23	250	135	3	3	12	12	24	24
16 Jamestown .....	40	26	100	66	3	1	10	3	20	20
Total .....	\$1,010	\$840	\$6,086	\$5,140	\$95	\$77	\$331	\$248	\$670	\$570
Increase .....				48		25		123	5	5
Decrease .....	100	77	181							

## RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICT	Presiding Elder		Preacher in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants		Foreign Missions	
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid
1 Radford .....	\$ 1,484	\$ 1,311	\$ 9,042	\$ 7,939	\$ 179	\$ 168	\$ 618	\$ 532	\$ 1,089	\$ 1,103
2 Tazewell .....	1,573	1,277	9,446	7,788	168	108	577	347	1,057	937
3 Wytheville .....	1,313	1,254	9,380	9,006	175	175	597	569	1,130	1,163
4 Abingdon .....	1,374	1,268	9,154	8,456	175	152	597	527	1,045	1,047
5 Big Stone Gap .....	1,364	1,217	8,183	7,428	133	118	453	359	820	793
6 Morristown .....	1,200	1,042	7,799	6,600	160	113	550	358	1,000	870
7 Knoxville .....	1,400	1,318	11,410	10,817	190	164	660	561	1,250	1,346
8 Cleveland .....	1,025	912	6,432	5,837	142	98	511	313	840	*821
9 Chattanooga .....	1,400	1,284	8,655	7,789	176	135	605	486	1,106	1,013
10 Spring City .....	1,010	840	6,086	5,140	95	77	331	248	670	670
Total .....	\$13,175	\$11,723	\$85,587	\$76,800	\$1,593	\$1,308	\$5,499	\$4,300	\$10,007	*\$9,763
Increase .....	664	679	1,918	3,040		32		221	7	
Decrease .....					7		1			237

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	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid							
1	\$ 28	\$ 28	\$ 13	\$ 13	\$ 12	\$ 12	\$185	\$ 36	\$ 3	\$ 12	\$ 12		\$ 685
2	30	30	14	3	14	2		5	1		1		408
3	41	41	18	16	18	16		100	2	1	1	\$ 444	1,400
4	34	34	15	15	16	16		214	4		2	457	1,343
5	35	35	15	15	16	16		28	4			361	1,012
6	28	28	13		12	6		51	1	1	1		752
7	40	40	18		19		15	20					709
8	28	28	13	13	12	12			3	2	2		1,017
9	40	40	18	18	18	18		48	3	3	4		1,250
10	37	37	17	10	18	12			4	2	1	84	800
11	23	23	11	11	10	10	6	50	3	2	2		370
12	28	28	13	13	12	12		317		2		2	4,496
13	36	36	16	1	16	2				1			287
14	11	11	5	5	5	5		101	1	1	1	4	340
15	17	17	7	7	7	7	15	3	2	1	1		250
16	14	14	6	1	6	1						84	216
	\$470	\$470	\$212	\$141	\$211	\$147	\$221	\$973	\$32	\$17	\$18	\$1,437	\$15,335
	10	10		88		92	169	505	22	6	5	469	1,332

RECAPITULATION.

No. of Charge	Domestic Missions		Church Extension		Education		Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Mission Society	American Bible Society	Paine & Lane	Gen. Conf. Ex.	Other Objects	Total from All Sources	
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid								
1	\$ 766	\$ 771	\$ 463	\$ 371	\$ 395	\$ 434	\$ 515	\$ 298	\$ 61	\$ 34	\$ 18	\$ 1,209	\$ 18,183	
2	771	663	444	203	369	184	180	281	36	17	12	563	15,982	
3	785	802	494	470	380	347	417	197	81	52	13	2,063	18,327	
4	735	737	460	380	380	289	382	1,071	74	39	24	6,071	23,270	
5	570	571	270	221	288	225	40	618	48	22	31	15,344	30,622	
6	700	588	437	188	350	162	283	312	84	20	29	1,576	11,823	
7	875	951	493	424	420	360	582	1,028	70	42	24	7,329	29,431	
8	586	587	235	148	325	169	281	442	42	26	25	4,105	17,764	
9	757	611	494	327	385	259	206	1,687	44	28	15	7,458	27,232	
10	470	470	212	141	211	147	221	973	32	17	18	1,437	15,335	
	\$7,015	\$6,751	\$4,002	\$2,873	\$3,503	\$2,576	\$3,107	\$6,907	\$572	\$297	\$209	\$47,155	\$207,969	
	15		12	142	3	304		919	155	3		6,470	17,953	
		*249					363				270			

\*Paid in full after reports were in.

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<b>Radford District.</b>										
Radford, Grove Ave .....	2	100	1	27	285	\$130	\$120	\$34		\$ 284
Auburn .....			6	54	366	60				60
Floyd .....			5	24	300	13		4		17
Hylton .....			3	15	150	1			\$111	2
New River .....	1	25	6	34	500	65	12			77
Newbern .....			6	45	425	55	10	5		70
Pulaski City .....	1	25	1	14	220	38	52	4	8	100
Allisonia .....			9	45	450	25				25
Staffordsville .....	2	68	7	42	400	58	10	3		71
Pearisburg .....	1	50	7	44	464	92	7	5	43	147
East River .....	1	7	7	55	325	30			17	47
Athens .....	1	50	1	37	250	36		4		40
Athens Circuit .....	1	9	6	30	300	13		2	6	21
Princeton .....	1	20	6	38	315	77	55	10		142
Bluestone .....			4	10	200	33				33
Vines .....			1							57
Bluefield, Bland St. ....	2	75	2	20	174	72	32	7	1	112
Bluefield, Grace Church ..	2	45	1	20	150	36	50	5		81
Total .....	16	444	79	554	5,274	\$836	\$350	\$33	\$ 76	\$1,332
Increase .....			1							
Decrease .....	2	112	1	24	162	31	214	1	52	282
<b>Tazewell District.</b>										
Tazewell .....			5	45	450	\$151	\$ 25		\$ 27	\$206
Liberty Hill .....	1	30	8	75	405	55		3		58
Cedar Bluff .....			4	40	339	29		4	21	54
Honaker* .....			4	24	150	20			4	24
Grundy .....			2	8	50					
West Tazewell .....			4	20						
Clear Fork .....	2	60	9	68	430	38	20		10	68
East Tazewell .....	1	11	4	21	195	15			1	16
Graham .....	1	52	2	18	225	48	48		30	78
Pocahontas .....	1	36	1	8	65	24				24
Tug River .....			4	32	200	3				3
Cooper & Coaldale .....			3	12	125	40			30	70
Bramwell & Goodwill .....	1	63	3	21	270	148	30	13		191
Elkhorn & Maybeury .....	1	15	1	8	120	46			35	81
North Fork .....			2	12	87	25	2			27
Eckman & Keystone* .....	2	35	3	17	225	90			40	130
Welch & Panther .....			2	22	125	70				70
Leager .....			5	25	200	4				4
Total .....	10	312	62	452	3,151	\$789	\$125	\$20	\$194	\$981
Increase .....	5	133					13		43	
Decrease .....			2	10	1,079	86		11		170
<b>Wytheville Dist.</b>										
Wytheville .....	1	25	1	18	160	\$ 60	\$ 19	\$ 5	\$20	\$104
Wytheville Circuit .....	2	70	10	110	836	100	8	9		117
East Wytheville .....			9	45	300	5				5
Marion .....	2	100	1	21	179	89	35	4		128
Marion Circuit .....	3	100	6	50	300	75	5	4	16	100
Mount Airy .....	5	175	6	55	425	92	11		22	125
Cedar Springs .....	1	25	6	46	420	41	1	6	6	55
Grant .....			9	50	525	27		4		31
Independence .....			4	35	360	30	6	4	5	45
Elk Creek .....	1	76	7	63	580	45	15			60
Spring Valley .....			11	67	750	64	12		10	89
Old Town .....	1	33	9	45	400	60		60		66
Hillsville .....			5	35	250	30	5	2		37
Lead Mines .....			7	50	600	50		15		65
Max Meadows .....	1	30	6	46	431	34		9	20	64
Seddon .....	1	65	11	75	580	50	6	6		62
Sharon .....	2	55	5	40	350	20		2		22
Total .....	20	754	113	851	7,446	\$873	\$124	\$32	\$99	\$1,179
Increase .....			5	43		59		12		15
Decrease .....	4	99			281		62		1	

\*Reports received too late to get in totals.



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<b>Abingdon District.</b>										
Abingdon	1	57	2	27	183	\$144	\$ 27		\$ 15	\$ 187
Abingdon Circuit			9	55	475	35	3	\$ 3		42
Bristol, Main St.	2	70	1	34	334	154	27	6	53	242
Bristol, Mary St.	2	61	1	13	165	41	46	5	25	118
Bristol, Anderson St.	2	300	1	23	210	44	30	4	34	112
Bristol Circuit			4	35	237	18		2		21
Bristol Mission			4	23	350	25	15		5	45
Rich Valley			6	30	325	25	1	4		30
Saltville	4	95	6	41	475	84	11	7		101
Emory	2	50	7	41	435	39	7	10	10	67
Holston	1	28	8	66	600	20	10		4	34
Blountville	1	15	7	60	550	56	3	5	2	64
Bluff City	1	20	3	19	210	25			10	35
Elizabethton	1	15	2	11	120	37	2		10	49
Mountain City			3	20	200	30			20	50
Road Mountain			2	7	140	7		2		10
Menodota	1	12	6	20	180	6	1	2		9
Total	18	723	72	525	5,189	\$793	\$164	\$54	\$190	\$1,219
Increase	2	330	7		908		85			
Decrease				3		73		10	68	174
<b>Big Stone Gap Dist.</b>										
Big Stone Gap			3	28	200	\$ 28	\$ 20		\$ 50	\$ 98
East Stone Gap	1	38	2	14	105	36				36
Wise			4	32	409	80	28	\$ 3	106	131
Clintwood			6	28	195	46		3		50
Elk Garden	1	47	5	25	300	35		5		40
Lebanon	2	70	5	37	350	70	55			70
Dickensonville			8	40	400	35		2	12	49
Castlewood			5	21	232	19	5			25
Clinch Valley			3	16	165	6				6
Clinchport			3	28	15	8				8
Gate City	1	65	5	36	300	80		1		81
Kingsport	1	36	8	60	350	37	1	3	1	42
Hawkins			8	40	400	32	3			35
Surginsville	1	20	5	15	150	20	2			22
Pennington Gap			8	50	585	50	2	15	6	73
Jonesville	1	23	9	56	450	72	11	8		91
Powell's Valley			4	24	200	25		3		28
Cumberland Gap	1	20	4	24	250	40				40
Tazewell			3	18	172	5				5
Total	9	339	98	592	5,228	\$725	\$128	\$45	\$175	\$984
Increase	1	119	5	35	388	65	14		62	22
Decrease								39		
<b>Morristown Dist.</b>										
Morristown	2	145	1	26	262	\$102	\$ 50	\$13		\$ 166
Morristown Circuit			6	24	325	62	5			68
Tate Spring			5	32	300	42	2			44
Rutledge			5	30	150			1		1
Rogersville			2	15	150	50		2		52
St. Clair			8	75	550	60	15	1		76
Warrensburg			4	26	356	17		2	10	29
Greeneville	1	32	1	14	146	53	30	1	24	108
Greeneville Circuit	1	17	6	25	221	12				12
Rheatown	2	52	4	28	251	36		2	4	42
Jonesboro	2	35	2	16	125	36	19	1	22	79
Jonesboro Circuit			2	10	100	5				10
Fall Branch	2	30	4	14	140	15				15
Johnson City	2	90	2	14	300	73	96	6	54	229
Mossy Creek	2	50	3	26	202	53		1		55
Newport	2	56	2	18	250	55	3			58
Total	16	507	57	393	3,828	\$673	\$221	\$34	\$115	\$1,049
Increase			4	16	184					
Decrease	5	83				65	46	30	252	262

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<b>Knoxville District.</b>										
Knoxville, Church St. ....	1	57	1	27	392	\$ 95	\$ 53	\$ 8	\$318	\$ 476
Knoxville, Broad St. ....	2	227	1	29	445	211	80	15	10	316
Knoxville, Centenary .....	2	90	2	30	448	201	35	9		245
Knoxville, Highland Ave. ....	1	55	1	20	250	120	30	2	63	215
Knoxville, East Fifth Ave. ....	3	154	2	19	260	105	75	3	15	198
Knoxville, Fountain City .....	2	59	1	12	77	35	10	2	9	57
Clinton .....	1	20	1	9	99	16	5	3	53	78
Robertsville .....	2	35	5	18	200	27		5		32
Knoxville Circuit .....	5	108	6	28	280	45			4	49
Macedonia .....	2	76	4	34	295	35			20	59
Paulette .....	3	25	3	15	155	10	2			12
Andersonville .....	5	90	7	29	280	23				23
Coal Creek .....	1	50	3	20	350	46	20	3	15	85
Jacksboro .....	1	29	3	17	236	28			31	60
Sevierville .....	2	75	5	45	385	85	20		10	115
Strawberry Plains .....	6	105	5	43	320	65	28	1	4	99
Little River .....	1	23	1	6	65	7				7
Knoxville City Mission .....	1	30	1	5	75	7	5	1		13
Total .....	41	1,308	52	406	4,612	\$1,167	\$366	\$57	\$554	\$2,137
Increase .....	11	214		23	222	131	82			437
Decrease .....								12		
<b>Cleveland Dist.</b>										
Cleveland .....	2	110	2	35	280	\$117	\$ 40	\$ 3	\$ 25	\$ 185
Cleveland Circuit .....			1	7	45	5				5
Charleston .....	2	43	5	11	230	32	15	2		49
Riceville .....	1	30	6	32	260	26	30		108	164
Athens .....	1	21	1	9	110	51	60	5		116
Carlock .....	1	30	3	12	150	6			7	14
Ducktown .....			2	16	123	23	9	4		37
Sweetwater .....	3	125	3	50	515	123	51	18	175	367
Madisonville .....			4	24	150	40			12	52
Mt. Vernon .....			4	25	240	7	3	6		16
New Hope .....			2	15	100	9	1	1	5	16
Philadelphia .....	2	54	4	26	135	70	16		10	96
Lenoir .....	2	45	1	11	123	20	7		5	32
Louisville .....	2	30	4	28	255	61			14	75
Maryville .....	2	35	1	12	170	35	9	1		49
Total .....	18	543	43	313	2,886	\$626	\$241	\$40	\$361	\$1,276
Increase .....	3	75	7	14	329		61		240	263
Decrease .....						16		9		
<b>Chattanooga Dist.</b>										
Centenary .....	2	196	1	34	635	\$ 466	\$115	\$22	\$ 17	\$ 721
Trinity .....	2	102	1	15	145	95	5	2	25	127
East Chattanooga .....	2	50	1	8	100		8		29	37
Highland Park .....	2	111	1	26	284	115	117		81	314
Ridgedale .....	2	45	1	7	90	20			26	47
St. Elmo .....	2	88	1	23	212	114	173		288	570
Whiteside St. ....	1	110	1	29	285		10		80	91
Hill City .....	1	35	1	8	76	22	7		2	34
Hamilton .....	1	18	2	12	70	15		1	2	18
Ooltewah .....			5	20	225	25	5			30
Trenton .....	7	102	6	34	300	65				65
Rising Fawn .....	2	63	6	34	275	30		4		34
Aetna .....	2	53	6	24	338	18				18
Rossville .....	2	170	1	9	150	35	5			40
Total .....	28	848	34	283	3,185	\$1,022	\$449	\$29	\$549	\$2,150
Increase .....	6		5	26	338	222		3		
Decrease .....		121					63		179	13

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<b>Spring City District.</b>										
Spring City .....	2	40	3	14	140	\$ 50	\$ 5	\$ 2		\$ 57
Evansville .....			4	15	160	12	5			17
Dayton .....	1	22	1	13	100	63	25	2		91
Pikeville .....	1	36	2	12	142	40	6	3	\$ 80	130
Dunlap .....	2	70	3	36	210	20	25		20	65
Whitwell .....	1	44	2	16	252	48	8		20	77
Jasper .....	2	60	2	12	146		7		30	39
Sequachee .....			5	26	322	37				40
South Pittsburg .....	2	60	1	15	109	53	11	2	6	73
Decatur .....				25	301	34	5			40
Harriman .....	2	90	1	10	90	19	6	1	5	31
Rockwood .....	1	20	1	15	150	69	8	4	10	91
Kingston .....			6	30	250	8	1			12
Stony Point .....			3	15	135	12		1		13
Crossville .....			6	18	180	15		1	9	10
Jamestown .....			4	14	75	21		2	48	21
Total .....	14	442	44	286	2,762	\$503	\$115	\$29	\$229	\$810
Increase .....							5			
Decrease .....	4	146	7	11	261	5		6	41	87

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DISTRICTS	No. Epworth Leagues	No. Ep. League Members	No. Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. Scholars	Amt. Collected for Sunday-schools	Amt. Collected for Missions	Amt. Collected on Children's Day	Amt. Collected for Other Objects	Total Amount Raised
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Tazewell .....	10	312	62	452	3,151	789	125	20	194	981
Wytheville .....	20	754	113	851	7,446	873	124	82	99	1,179
Abingdon .....	18	723	72	525	5,189	793	164	54	190	1,219
Big Stone Gap .....	9	339	98	592	5,528	725	128	45	175	934
Morristown .....	16	507	57	393	3,828	673	221	34	115	1,049
Knoxville .....	41	1,308	52	406	4,612	1,167	366	57	554	2,137
Cleveland .....	18	543	43	313	2,886	626	241	40	361	1,276
Chattanooga .....	28	843	34	283	3,185	1,022	449	29	549	2,150
Spring City .....	14	442	44	286	2,762	503	115	29	229	810
Total .....	190	6,215	654	4,655	43,871	\$8,011	\$2,487	\$478	\$2,546	\$13,071
Increase .....	13	209	26	109	896	198	75		53	
Decrease .....								106		162

## CONFERENCE DIRECTORY—1901-1902.

## PREACHERS IN FULL CONNECTION.

NAME	APPOINTMENT	POST OFFICE
1 Adams, L. O.*	Student in Asbury College.	Wilmore, Ky.
2 Addington, E. L.*	Cedar Springs Circuit	Cedar Springs, Va.
3 Akers, W. D.*	Prof. in Asbury College	Wilmore, Ky.
4 Alexander, F.*	Castlewood Circuit	Castlewood, Va.
5 Atkins, K. C.*	Emory Circuit	Emory, Va.
6 Bailey, W. E.*	Rural Retreat Circuit	Rural Retreat, Va.
7 Barker, S. N.	President Sullins College	Bristol, Tenn.
8 Barnett, W. R.*	Superannuate	Knoxville, Tenn.
9 Bates, W. H.	Superannuate	Knoxville, Tenn.
10 Baylor, J. A.*	Morristown Station	Morristown, Tenn.
11 Bays, J. C.*	Hamilton Circuit	Hixon, Tenn.
12 Beard, C. A.*	Athens	Athens, Tenn.
13 Belt, J. W.	Superannuate	Speer's Ferry, Va.
14 Bettis, E. S.*	Superannuate	Blacksburg, Va.
15 Bilderback, J. A.*	Cedar Bluff Circuit	Cedar Bluff, Va.
16 Blake, Eugene*	Pearisburg Circuit	Pearisburg, Va.
17 Bogle, E. H.*	Fall Branch Circuit	Jonesboro, Tenn.
18 Boring, John*	Supernumerary	Chattanooga, Tenn.
19 Bourne, S. W.*	Athens	Athens, W. Va.
20 Bower, C. E.*	Trenton Circuit	Trenton, Ga.
21 Brown, C. R.*	Supernumerary	Cooper's, W. Va.
22 Brown, J. R.	Knoxville Mission	Knoxville, Tenn.
23 Browning, J. W.*	Saltville Circuit	Saltville, Va.
24 Bruce, J. E.	Superannuate	Ft. Blackmore, Va.
25 Brunner, J. H.	Superannuate	Hiwassee College, Tenn.
26 Buhrman, W. P.*	Lenoir City Circuit	Lenoir City, Tenn.
27 Buie, Joseph*	Clinton Station	Clinton, Tenn.
28 Burrow, J. A.*	Cleveland District	Athens, Tenn.
29 Butcher, M. J.*	Big Stone Gap Circuit	Big Stone Gap, Va.
30 Byrd, S. K.*	Hawkins Circuit	Church Hill, Tenn.
31 Carden, W. C.*	Bramwell and Goodwill	Bramwell, W. Va.
32 Carico, M. P.*	Graham	Graham, Va.
33 Carlock, L. L. H.*	Marion	Marion, Va.
34 Carner, G. A.*	Bluestone Circuit	Littlesburg, W. Va.
35 Carnes, J. B.*	Sevierville Circuit	Sevierville, Tenn.
36 Carnes, J. W.*	Coal Creek	Coal Creek, Tenn.
37 Carr, D. H.*	Abingdon Circuit	Abingdon, Va.
38 Carroll, C. T.*	Superannuate	Morristown, Tenn.
39 Carter, D. W.	Sup't Cuban Mission	Havana, Cuba.
40 Carter, J. M.*	Anderson Street	Bristol, Tenn.
41 Cartright, L. M.*	Morristown District	Morristown, Tenn.
42 Cash, J. I.*	Pikeville Circuit	Pikeville, Tenn.
43 Cassidy, E. H.*	Spring City District	Spring City, Tenn.
44 Catron, S. S.*	Whiteside Street	Chattanooga, Tenn.
45 Christian, J. W.*	Evansville Circuit	Evansville, Tenn.
46 Clemens, H. C.*	Mosheim Circuit	Mosheim, Tenn.
47 Clendenen, D. C.	Junior Preacher	Spring City, Tenn.
48 Clendenen, M. L.	Supernumerary	Fall Branch, Tenn.
49 Cobb, P. L.	Conf. Missionary Secretary.	Nashville, Tenn.
50 Cook, J. C.	Ducktown	Ducktown, Tenn.
51 Cox, K. W.	Cleveland Circuit	Cleveland, Tenn.
52 Crockett, W. C.*	Seddon Circuit	Bland, Va.
53 Dame, J. D.*	Warrensburg Circuit	Warrensburg, Tenn.
54 Darr, J. A.*	Superannuate	Jasper, Tenn.
55 Davis, C. T.	Little River Circuit	Bank, Tenn.
56 Davis, J. B.	Supernumerary	Glenford, Va.
57 Dawn, W. H.	Superannuate	Knoxville, Tenn.
58 Delashmit, L. C.*	Superannuate	Lenoir City, Tenn.
59 Dickey, J. P.*	Paulette Circuit	Paulette, Tenn.
60 Doane, W. P.*	Superannuate	New Market, Tenn.
61 Draper, G. B.*	Kingsport Circuit	Bloomingsdale, Tenn.
62 Duvall, J. A.*	Washington	Washington Mills, Va.
63 Dyer, W. M.*	Pres. Martha Washing. Col.	Abingdon, Va.
64 Early, J. A.*	Eckman and Keystone	Eckman, W. Va.
65 Ellison, J. A.*	Chapel Hill Circuit	Dunlap, Tenn.
66 Eskridge, T. J.*	Wytheville Station	Wytheville, Va.
67 Faris, W. C.	Actna Circuit	Whiteside, Tenn.
68 Fogleman, W. I.*	Hancock	.....
69 Frazier, J. B.	Chaplain in U. S. Navy	Fountain City, Tenn.
70 Frazier, J. T.	Bland Street	Bluefield, W. Va.

\*Member of Brotherhood.

CONFERENCE DIRECTORY—Continued.

NAME	APPOINTMENT	POST OFFICE
71 French, G. D.*	Field Agent Am. Bible Soc...	Morristown, Tenn.
72 French, J. S.*	Abingdon Station	Abingdon, Va.
73 Grace, F. M.	Superannuate	Birmingham, Ala.
74 Groseclose, J. H.	Rockwood	Rockwood, Tenn.
75 Guy, J. T.*	Rising Fawn Circuit	Rising Fawn, Ga.
76 Hall, S. H.*	Rheatown Circuit	Limestone, Tenn.
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85 Hicks, W. W.*	Chilhowie Circuit	Chilhowie, Va.
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122 Maiden, J. M.*	Spring Valley Circuit	Spring Valley, Va.
123 Maness, J. C.*	Supernumerary	Chamblee, Ga.
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125 McAlister, J. D.*	Dunlap Circuit	Dunlap, Tenn.
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We have tried hard to eliminate all errors. Where any occur they are the result of pressure of duties rather than of carelessness. Cents are omitted from the tables of statistics, though they were counted in the additions.

The picture of Mrs. M. P. Swaim could not be secured for the memorial page. The picture of E. W. Walker is not a good one, but the fault was in the photograph.

In the appointments E. W. Moore, on Independence Circuit, and W. C. Hicks, at Clinchport, are each marked as serving their first year on the charge when it should be the second.

Some of the postoffice addresses had to be guessed at in the Directory. If the guess is wrong, the editor is sorry. He did the best he could in the absence of much-begged-for information.

The statistical tables, as usual, contain some contradictions, as, for instance, a decrease in the value of property. The fault is not that of the statistical secretaries, but of preachers' reports. Just when the reformation will come is hard to tell.

The price of the *Annual* is 20 cents. All copies that can not be sold in reasonable time should be reported to the editor, not at the next Conference, but early in the year, that they may be disposed of to others. Brethren please remember this. If the preachers will work as hard to sell the edition as the editor has worked in getting it out, then there will be no trouble about sales.

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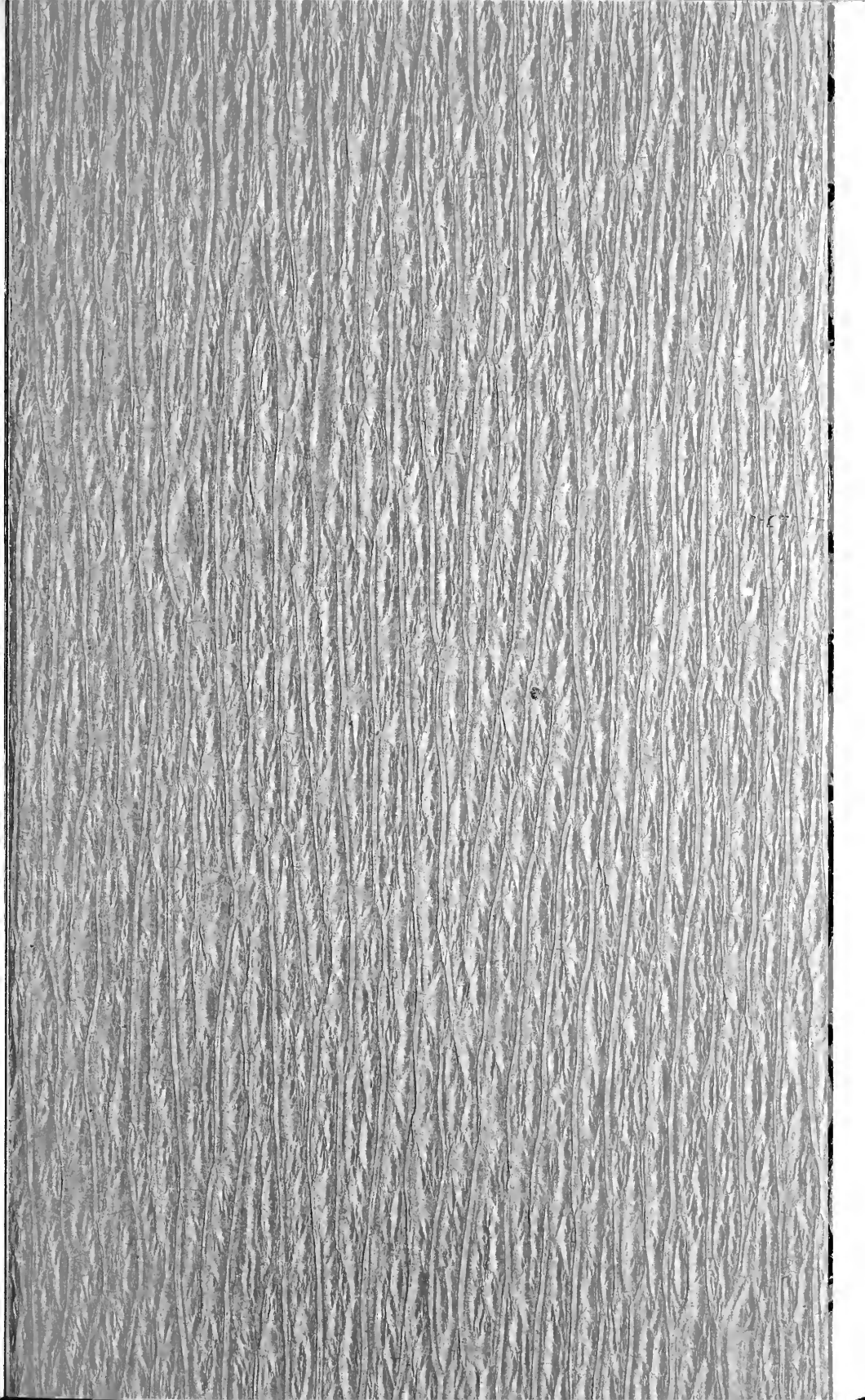
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